THE WRITING ROOM

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What Every TENNESSEE Boater Should Know This SUMMER

Dear [Name],

Tennessee is home to some of the country's best lakes, and every summer, thousands of people head out on the water with family and friends. But here's something many people don't realize:

Boat owners aren't required to carry liability insurance in Tennessee.

Unlike drivers on the road, boat owners are not legally required to have insurance. While many choose to carry coverage voluntarily, many don't. If you're injured by someone without insurance, recovering compensation may mean pursuing a claim against the owner's personal assets instead of an insurance policy.



The driver isn't always the only one responsible.

It's easy to assume the person operating the boat is solely responsible after an accident. In reality, liability may also fall on the boat's owner (even if they weren't driving), a rental company that failed to properly maintain the vessel, or another negligent party.

Tennessee's comparative fault laws can allow responsibility to be shared among multiple parties, depending on how the accident occurred.

None of this means staying off the water. It simply means knowing your rights before something goes wrong.

Three Ways to Protect Yourself on the Water

- Ask whether the boat is insured, especially if you're riding as a passenger.
- Wear a life jacket. Most boating fatalities involve someone who wasn't wearing one.
- If you're renting a boat, understand who is responsible if equipment fails before you leave the dock.



IN THE COMMUNITY

Tennessee Trial Lawyers Association's Annual Convention



This June, Craig and Mercedes attended the Tennessee Trial Lawyers Association's Annual Convention in Chattanooga, joining trial attorneys from across the state for continuing legal education and discussions focused on protecting the rights of injured Tennesseans.







The law is constantly evolving, as are the strategies insurance companies use to reduce or deny claims. Continuing education helps ensure we're prepared with the latest legal knowledge and courtroom strategies to advocate for our clients when it matters most.





How We Can Help This Summer

Summer brings road trips, weekends on the lake, cookouts, and family vacations. While no one plans for an accident, injuries can happen in an instant.

If someone else's negligence leaves you or your family injured, Glenn Injury Law is here to help you understand your options and protect your rights every step of the way.

Schedule a Free Consultation

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Our Practice Areas

We proudly represent individuals and families throughout Tennessee in cases involving:



Truck & Commercial Vehicle Accidents
(including broker, shipper, and carrier negligence)

Serious Motor Vehicle Collisions
Car, motorcycle, pedestrian, rideshare, DUI, and hit-and-run accidents





Premises & Workplace Injuries
Slip and fall incidents, industrial accidents, unsafe conditions, nursing home abuse and neglect, and defective equipment

Catastrophic Injuries
Traumatic brain injuries, spinal cord injuries, burns, nerve damage, and other life-altering harm





Wrongful Death
Representing families seeking accountability after the loss of a loved one

Estate Planning

Summer is often when families finally make time to create or update a will or estate plan. If yours no longer reflects your life, or you've been meaning to get started, Mercedes can help make the process straightforward and give you peace of mind.

Schedule a Free Consultation with Mercedes



Trusted by Our Clients

"Mercedes was wonderful to work with. She helped me with estate planning and a prenuptial agreement and made the process simple and stress free. She was professional, responsive, and always took the time to answer my questions. I highly recommend her to anyone looking for legal services!! She is truly a godsend!"

– T.B.



Thank you

Thank you for taking the time to read the fifth edition of **The Writing Room**. We look forward to staying connected.

– The Glenn Injury Law Team



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