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Jerry was born in Holderness, New Hampshire on beautiful Squam Lake, a.k.a. Golden Pond, in 1971. He graduated from Plymouth Area High School in Plymouth, NH in 1988. In the fall of 1988 he attended Rose Hulman Institute of Technology in Terre Haute, Indiana in the mechanical engineering program. While in Indiana, he enlisted in the United States Marine Corps. In the summer of 1989 he shipped out to San Diego, California for boot camp, where he "celebrated" his 18th birthday. Upon completion of basic training, he transferred to McGill University in Montreal, Quebec, Canada. After his second year of studies, he again shipped out to Camp Lejeune in Jacksonville, North Carolina for Combat Infantry School. He returned to McGill in the fall of 1990, only to be activated for the Persian Gulf War in November of that year. He was deployed with Bravo Company, 1st Battalion, 25th Marines, 4th Marine Division as a machine gun team leader. He was in country from December 1990 to April of 1991, returning to New Hampshire in June of 1991.

While deployed, his unit took part in Operation Desert Shield, Operation Desert Storm, and the 1st Marine Division ground invasion of Kuwait. His unit was assigned to Task Force Taro, which breached the Iraqi defenses on the southern border of Kuwait on the evening of February 22 to provide flank security for the main invasion force to follow, on February 24th. This small force of 2,200 Marines penetrated 12 miles into Kuwait, at night and on foot, and for two days were the forward most coalition ground forces in the country.

Upon return from the Persian Gulf, Jerry returned to McGill in the fall of 1991, and graduated with a Bachelors of Engineering, Mechanical in December, 1994.

Jerry worked as an associate engineer at UAI Engineering in Williston, VT from 1994 to 1996. From 1996 to 1998 he worked as a process engineer at Fluor Daniel, also in Williston. He became a licensed professional engineer in Vermont and New Hampshire in 1998. He returned to UAI Engineering from 1998 to 2000. In October of 2000, he left UAI to start his own firm, Engenuity Consulting, where he continues today.

In 2003, Jerry was awarded United States Patent 7039999: Method for Installation of Semiconductor Manufacturing Equipment.

Jerry joined the Champlain Valley Chapter of ASHRAE in 2001. In 2005 he served as Chapter Vice President followed by President Elect in 2006, and President in 2007. He has been chair of the Membership and Chapter Technology Transfer committees, as well as Chapter Treasurer.

Jerry currently resides in Bolton, Vermont with his wife, Sabine, and their two sons Noah and Benjamin. He is an avid cyclist and enjoys bicycle racing, snow boarding, carpentry, welding, and working in his shop on many automotive projects.