

**Ken Stringer**  
**Santa Monica, California**

Education

University of Southern California  
Los Angeles, California  
BS in Business Administration 1967

Columbia College, a film school  
Los Angeles, California  
Certificate of completion 1977, no degree

Employment

United States Navy  
Lieutenant, j.g.  
1968-1971

Fred J. Stringer Co., Inc.  
Manager of a family-owned paint contracting business  
1971-1978

Writer and assistant director on various TV shows & motion pictures  
Credits at [Ken Stringer - IMDb](#)  
1978-2000

Professional affiliations

Directors Guild of America  
Writers Guild of America

History of CHILD affiliation

I was born and raised in a devout Christian Science family and sent to CS schools from 2<sup>nd</sup> grade on up through high school. My sister died at the age of nine from pneumonia without receiving any care other than CS prayer. I left the Church circa 1967.

I joined CHILD in 1988 after interviewing Rita and Doug Swan for a screenplay based on the experience of losing their son Matthew, which Rita writes about in her memoir, [The Last Strawberry](#). The screenplay was never produced.