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In 1987, I joined Tim da Silva's startup company as Vice President of Sales selling flat panel displays. Unfortunately, the company was not a success. I then worked for a number of electronic component manufacturers including General Semiconductor, AEG, AVX/Kyocera and Stanley in various sales positions. I ended my career in 1998 as NW Sales and Service Manager, Vancouver, WA, for Hitachi/Kokusai America, a major semiconductor equipment manufacturer.

In retirement, Judy and I traveled extensively in our Airstream trailer for seven years and then we decided to travel full time. So, in 2005 we sold everything, bought a 40' Country Coach motor home and have been on the road ever since. In the last fourteen years we have traveled to 49 US states, Canada and Mexico. We have visited most of the US National Parks, toured many manufacturing plants and museums, attended many major festivals, tasted the local cuisine, seen many interesting sights and spent numerous hours fishing and crabbing.

We have lived the good life.



John & Judy Beach (1986)