

Robert G. Fuller, Jr.

Fuller is a graduate of Princeton University and of the University of Pennsylvania Law School. He was a partner in a Maine law firm and practiced business law there for over thirty-five years. During this time he had a parallel career in the military, serving first as an enlisted Marine and thereafter as a reserve officer in the Navy's Judge Advocate General's Corps, during which time he commanded two reserve units.

After retirement his avocation continued to be writing, but now he writes fiction.

"Developing a plot and creating believable characters to flesh it out instead of writing as an advocate to advance a client's interests makes your brain turn in a wholly different direction and keeps the neurons firing," he says. His first work was a Maine-based police procedure novel, *Unnatural Deaths*. More recently, he authored a multi-part series of articles for the magazine *Confederate Sharpshooter* on the seizure by Union troops of Arlington, the ancestral home of Confederate General Robert E. Lee, during the early stage of the Civil War and the post-war multi-year and eventually successful litigation by Lee's heirs to force the Federal government to compensate them for the value of the property. He also wrote a brief biographical article on the Union General and Maine native Seth Williams, a member of General Grant's staff and who was present at Lee's surrender at Appomattox, which appeared in the *Journal of the Descendants of Mexican War Veterans*. His most recent work, the military-themed short story *Flashback Morning*, was published by the Milspeak Foundation. He is currently working on another short story about insider trading in the stock market.