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EDUCATION

Washington University in St. Louis, B.A. in Economics, 1987

Indiana University School of Law, J.D., 1990

Mr. Marrese serves as the Managing Partner of Morgan & Morgan's Chicago office. He has deep roots in the Midwest—he was born in Chicago, raised in Indiana, and went to college at Washington University in St. Louis before obtaining his law degree from Indiana University.

Mr. Marrese spent 10 years in the Windy City as a personal injury and medical malpractice attorney. During his Chicago legal career, Mr. Marrese won a $3.1 million wrongful death verdict and a $2.2 million medical malpractice verdict.

Mr. Marrese has been licensed in Illinois since 1991 and in Florida since 2002. Over his 35-year legal career, Mr. Marrese has secured numerous seven-figure verdicts and settlements, including five exceeding $5 million. He has tried more than 100 civil cases across six states and countless counties, handling matters ranging from auto and trucking accidents to medical malpractice.

Mr. Marrese spent 18 years at Morgan & Morgan's Jacksonville office before returning to Chicago in 2026. During his time in Florida, he became a Florida Bar Board Certified Civil Trial Lawyer—a distinction that placed him among the top 1% of all trial lawyers in Florida.

Mr. Marrese began supporting the Cubs, Bulls, and Blackhawks during his time in Chicago and continues to be a loyal Chicago sports fan.

BAR ADMISSION

- Illinois
- Florida

PRACTICE AREAS

- Personal Injury Lawyer
- Trucking Accident Attorneys

RESULTS

- William Stuart v. Trish Marie Fuller, Car Accident (2013), $721,000
- Rodney Matthews v. Leroy John Edwards, Car Accident (2014), $87,500
- Pollock v. Aldi, Inc. & Lore, Car Accident (2015), $28,000



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- Robert Worthington v. Seth Bradshaw and Wendy Bradshaw, Car Accident (2017), $43,000
- John Doe v. John Doe, Car Accident (2018), $245,000
- Ames v. Penske Truck Leasing Corp & David Campopiano, Trucking Accident (2015), $267,000
- Cousin v. Geico, Car Accident (2011), $1,307,000
- James Gallagher v. Antoinette Ricks & Mathias Ricks, Car Accident (2011), $48,000
- Brandon Webb v. Waste Pro of Florida, Inc., Car Accident (2017), $833,000
- Shanks v. Mercury Insurance, Car Accident (2021), $680,000
- Hendrick, John v. Eason & Sitech North & Central FL, Car Accident (2019), $1,100,000
- Roebuck v. Lin Kwun Lo, Car Accident (2010), $947,618
- Edwards v. Southland Waste Systems, Car Accident (2011), $4,900,000

AWARDS & RECOGNITION

- Florida Bar Board Certified Civil Trial Lawyer