BIOGRAPHY FOR GENE GREEN

Former Congressman Gene Green was first elected to Congress in 1992 after twenty years in the Texas House of Representatives and the Texas Senate. He served 22 years on the U. S. House Energy and Commerce Committee. He served as the Ranking Member for the Subcommittee on Health. He also served on the Energy and Environment Subcommittee and the Digital Commerce and Consumer Protection Subcommittee. While in Congress, he worked on healthcare, energy, the environment, education, Social Security and Veterans’ benefits. He worked hard to improve access to quality healthcare, to improve our economy and job training and to maintain financial aid for students.

A native Houstonian, Gene graduated from Jeff Davis High School in Houston and received a BBA from the University of Houston. He attended the University of Houston’s Bates College of Law and was admitted to the State Bar of Texas in 1977. He has been married to his wife Helen since 1970. Helen is a retired high school Algebra teacher who taught in the Aldine ISD for 26 years. They have two children and four grandchildren.