

Barbara M. G. Lynn has been a U.S. District Judge for the Northern District of Texas for twenty-one years. In 2016, she became the Chief Judge, the first female Chief in Texas.

A summa cum laude graduate of UVA, Judge Lynn graduated first in her class from SMU Dedman School of Law. She then joined the Dallas firm of Carrington, Coleman, where she remained until she took the bench.

Judge Lynn is the Vice-President of the American Inns of Court Foundation. She is a member of The Honorable Barbara M.G. Lynn American Inn of Court, and two other Inns. She has served as Chair of the ABA's Section of Litigation and Judicial Division. She received the Distinguished Alumni Award from SMU in 2021. She was listed in the *Best Lawyers in America* in Business Litigation and was designated by the *National Law Journal* as one of the fifty most influential women attorneys in the country. Judge Lynn has been named Judge of the Year by the Dallas Chapter of ABOTA. On November 3, she will receive the first Jurist of the Year Award from the Dallas Bar. The award will be named in perpetuity for Judge Lynn. She has been recognized by the International Womens Forum with the Women Who Make A Difference Award. Judge Lynn was the recipient of the Dallas Bar Foundation Fellows Award, and the Athena Award from the Dallas Regional Chamber. She received the Morris Harrell Professionalism Award and the Texas Bar Foundation Samuel Pessarra Outstanding Jurist Award.

Judge Lynn is a Judicial FACTL. She is also a judicial advisor to the patent projects of the Sedona Conference.

Judge Lynn is married to Michael Lynn, a Dallas trial lawyer at Lynn Pinker Hurst & Schwegmann LLP. They have two daughters and three grandchildren.