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February 2024 Newsletter



Happy Valentine's Day and
Happy Leap Year!

*Warmest wishes for an enjoyable,
love and fun-filled Valentine's
Day from our family to yours! May
your Valentine's Day be full of
love, positivity and good fortune!*

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Professional Corner

Trucking Injuries

For many drivers, sharing the road with large commercial vehicles can be stressful and frightening. Tractor-trailer trucks are much larger than passenger cars and trucks, and by law can have up to a total vehicle weight of 80,000 lbs. This means that when commercial trucks collide with other vehicles, the drivers and passengers in these vehicles are likely to suffer serious bodily harm, which may lead to

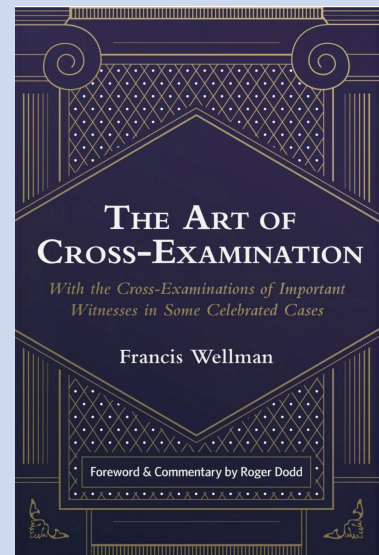
permanent disabilities or **wrongful death**.

People who have suffered **personal injuries** in these types of crashes may be able to take legal action against a truck driver, the trucking company that employed them, and the brokerage service that interacted with and directed the truck driver and trucking company. Injured persons, and in the event of wrongful death their estates, may receive compensation for the costs of medical treatment for their injuries, lost income due to temporary or permanent disability, and physical and emotional pain and suffering, to name a few.

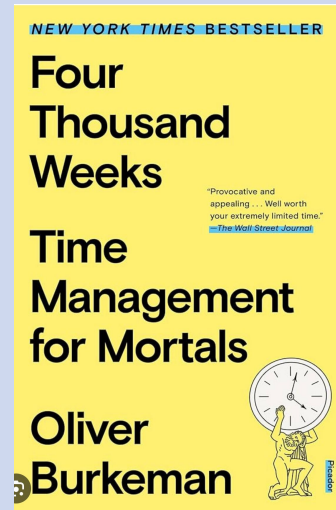
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Recommended Reads

As trial lawyers know too well, a good cross-examination can make a case and a bad one can end it. That's why this month, for professional development, I am recommending *The Art of Cross-Examination* by Francis Wellman, which is full of useful case examples that any lawyer can benefit from reading. The book covers cross-examinations of experts, of perjured witnesses and goes over a proper sequence of cross examinations as well as providing some "golden rules" of witness cross-examination.



This month, for personal enjoyment, I highly recommend Oliver Burkeman's book *"Four Thousand Weeks - Time Management for Mortals."* As one of the commentators of the book (Daniel H. Pink) states: *"This profound (and often hilarious) book will prompt you to rethink your worship of efficiency, reject the cult of business and reconfigure your life around what matters."* This book is well worth the time you spend reading it.





February Community Events

Bolingbrook: On Saturday, February 24th, from 6:00 p.m. to midnight, Greater Joliet Area YMCA will host its annual [YMCA Gala](#). This event will take place at the Bolingbrook Golf Club. Please consider attending this wonderful event or donating money to support the fundraiser. Funds raised will benefit the YMCA's scholarship assistance program.

Tinley Park: [Tinley Park Home Show](#), which is one of the largest Home Shows in Chicagoland will take place on February 24th and 25th from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Tinley Park Convention Center. The Home Show offers free admission and free parking for all attendees.

Joliet: On February 15th at 6:00 p.m., the [Joliet Area Historical Museum](#) will host a special wine-tasting event. The wine-tasting event will feature samples of seven of Joliet's own Bishops Hill Winery vintages. The event will also have live music and food. Cost of admission is \$50.00.

Bartlett: Bartlett's [Winterfest](#) will take place on Saturday, February 17th from noon until 4:00 p.m. This free event will feature teams of Siberian Huskies and sleds that will run a mile long trail and many other outdoor and indoor activities including Iditarod slideshow and snowshoeing!

Oak Brook: On February 24th, [Bridge Communities along with Wine Women & Shoes](#) will host a day of "philanthropy and fun" benefitting families facing homelessness. The event will be held at the Oak Brook Hills Resort from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Proceeds from the event benefit 100+ families facing homelessness served annually by Bridge Communities. While at the event, you can enjoy wine, a designer marketplace, lunch auctions and a fabulous fashion show.

Rosemont: If you're looking for some fun-filled winter activities for the whole family, you should check out [Rosemont's Parkway Bank Park](#), which includes AMC Dine In Movie Theater, IFLY Indoor Skydiving, Sugar Factory restaurant, Zanies Comedy Club and an ice skating ring! The ice skating ring is free if you have your own skates - if not, you can rent a pair of skates for \$8.00.

Friendly Reminders

Please remember that in addition to our Joliet office located at **3260 Executive Drive in Joliet, IL**, we also have offices in Naperville located at **210 W. Ogden Ave, Naperville, IL**.

You can always reach me at the office at **815-730-1977** or directly at **815-258-7877**

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