

AMBASSADOR KEITH LAPHAM BROWN

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Background	
Born and raised in Sterling, Illinois	
U.S. Navy, World War II	
Northwestern University; University of Texas	
San Antonio, Texas - Private Law Practice	1949-1956
Political interests	
Law school professor	
Denver, Colorado - Legal, Oil Producing Company	1959-1982
Republican National Committee	
Investments	
Social Science Foundation - Denver, Colorado	
Program Vice Chairman for Republican National Committee	
Gerald Ford campaign manager for Colorado	
George and Barbara Bush	
Lesotho - Ambassador	1982-1983
Appointment by President Reagan	
Confirmation	
Environment	
AID	
Peace Corps	
Government	
Security	
South Africa attack	
ANC	
“Constructive engagement”	
Retirement	1983
Post-Retirement	1983-1989
National Finance Chairman, Republican Party	
Denmark - Ambassador	1989-1992
NATO	
Staffing	
Germany	
Gulf War	
Relations	
Garrison Keillor speech	

Secretary of State Baker visits
Queen's U.S. visit

Retirement

President, Council of American Ambassadors

1992