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Steve was born and raised in Rapid City, South Dakota, near Mount Rushmore. He has a degree in Creative Writing from the University of South Dakota and has been an editor, reporter, designer and producer for the *Rocky Mountain News*, *Chicago Sun-Times* and *Longmont Daily Times-Call*. Steve helped found [WantMyRocky.com](#), the web site devoted to saving the *Rocky* in its final months and led a group of *Rocky* staffers looking for opportunities to create a news site after the newspaper's closure.

Steve's biggest project at the *Rocky* was to integrate the print and web desks into one and get the newsroom to think web first rather than print first. He successfully increased traffic without increasing staff. After the newspaper closed, Steve helped his former *Rocky* colleagues launch sites devoted to niche coverage around Denver and was one of the co-founders and co-editors of the *Rocky Mountain Independent*, an attempt to launch a general interest, subscriber-based online news magazine.

Steve's a former member of the Baseball Writers Association of America, and his biggest regret in life is that he did not stay a member long enough to get a Hall of Fame vote. He writes actively about the Colorado Rockies at [InsideTheRockies.com](#) and blogs about whatever crosses his mind at [AmericasFish.com](#). His wife, Alexandra, is a former journalist. The two met at the *Rocky* and later she worked at the *Chicago Tribune* while he was at the *Chicago Sun-Times*. She now works in politics.

Steve joined TEN|10 in January 2010 and has worked with Waste Farmers, Friends of The Denver Fire Department, Aircraft Solutions, Priority Tax Management and on a number of other assignments.