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Name, Photo and Biography Abstract



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Primary Profile:

I've always loved computers and helping people at my 16 years of Intel Corp. However I was held back on being to truly able to help people, in 1998 I left Intel because of the Politics. At that time I was not Microsoft Certified, why? Because every certified person I ever met was book smart but not street smart in what to do with a Microsoft Server. (And there was no way I wanted to be a part of that group.) I had barely heard of Microsoft Small business Server in 1998 and was working on regular servers. In 2003 a new client wanted me to install SBS2003, I did not know anything about this product but I heard it was different. Because I like to LEARN things I started Searching the Web for Information. I found the Microsoft Public newsgroups and started reading. Like MOST IT people using a Wizard to configure a server is the last thing you wanted to do. However a MVP named, Susan Bradley said "I must do this", she Was right, and that was the first step.

I fell in Love with SBS2003, "Finally a server that works and does so much!" During my interaction with the Current MVP's on the newsgroup I was amazed at their knowledge, and helpfulness. As a result of meeting those people I not only became a Microsoft partner, but became a certified SBS Specialist. I normally don't like to become members of groups, but the SBS group people had a High Integrity and a professionalism.

I am Honored to be a MVP, Thank you all. - Russ Grover

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Professional Associations & Position

- SBITS.Biz , Owner , Small Business Server

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User Groups

- [Technology Wizards \(Oregon, USA\)](#)
Small Business Server
Technology Wizards are a group independent consultants who support Microsoft's Small Business Server and the people who use it.

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