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Born in Honolulu, Carpenter graduated from Roosevelt and United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, New York (1957). BS degree in marine-mechanical engineering, U. S. Coast Guard license, and commission in the Navy Reserve.

Service career included active duty with the Atlantic Fleet in 1957- 58 to reserve duties aboard Navy destroyers and shipyard facilities operations at Pearl Harbor and San Diego. Commanding officer of several Naval Reserve Units as well as Hawaii Island Liaison for Commandant of the 14th Naval District. In 1984, retired as line officer with rank of LCDR.

Joined C. Brewer in 1960, served for 25 years as processing and projects engineer on Hawai'i Island, senior design engineer of overseas operations and Director of Public Affairs.

Served nearly 22 years in elective office: 1969 to 1976 - as a Hawaii County Councilman; 1978 through 1984 - as a Hawaii State Senator; 1984 through 1988 – as Mayor and CEO of Hawaii County; and presently (2002 –2006) elected as OHA Trustee (O'ahu Seat). Appointed OHA Administrator from January 1994 to October 1995, then Interim Trustee in 2000.

Visited numerous countries in South America, Europe, Far East , Australia and New Zealand as a mariner and for tourism promotions. Carpenter is active in the community as an elected Delegate to the 'Aha Hawai'i Oihi, Director of Pacific Waste, Inc., President of Country Club Village Condominium Association, and finally, as President of Carpenter & Carpenter, Inc., a consulting firm since 1989.