

7 tips for Choosing a Great Real Estate Agent



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Talk with Agent's recent clients

👉 see LinkedIn, Zillow & Facebook business page:

🏠 www.zillow.com/profile/MartiReederKENT

🌐 www.linkedin.com/in/martireeder

📘 www.facebook.com/martireeder

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Check for license & disciplinary action

👉 I've been licensed as a real estate agent since 2004 and a Managing Broker since 2016 (no disciplinary action!)

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Ask about professional awards

👉 My awards & achievements:

- Top residential resale broker, Kent, WA (2014-date)
- Top Producer (residential sales), Kent-Covington John L. Scott Office
- Awarded Seattle Magazine's "Five Star Best in Client Satisfaction" multiple years
- Certified Residential Specialist/CRS, of which there are only 3% nationally
- John L. Scott's prestigious Chairman's Circle Award, past 6 years
- Voted "Best Realtor" by the readers of the Covington Reporter for the 3rd year
- Voted "Best Realtor" by the readers of the Kent Reporter, for over a decade
- Named one of America's most productive sales associates, ranking 105 in REAL Trends 2020 selection of America's Best real estate professionals, Washington State. (Joining the list making up the top 1.5% of all Realtors® in the country.)

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Select an agent with the right credentials

👉 I am a WA State Licensed Real Estate Broker, Managing Broker, Certified Residential Specialist (CRS) and REALTOR (a member of the National Association of Realtors, who are held to a higher standard of ethics)


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Find out how experienced an agent is

"If they haven't been in business five years, they're learning on you and that's not good." Ultimately what you want is someone who is actively engaged in a particular area..."

 I have over 40 years' experience in the real estate industry (mortgage, property management, remodeling & inspection) and have been a licensed real estate broker for over 18 years with a focus on Kent & surrounding communities.

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Look at the agent's current listings

 All current (if we're not sold out), pending and closed listings can be found here:

www.zillow.com/profile/MartiReederKENT/

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Gauge the agent's knowledge of the area

 I live & work on the east hill of Kent ... my commute to most of my listings is 20 minutes or less ... My husband Merle & I have raised four kids and now we've got 2 grandchildren all living, working & playing in Kent! We spend a lot of time at the parks, lakes & shopping centers in the area and enjoying the services of a wide range of local businesses.