

Raymond Kneipp · Full Stack Software Engineer

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Professional Summary

Software developer with 8+ years of programming experience. Marine Corps veteran with strong discipline and collaborative skills. Currently developing a website builder platform for American Legion posts to improve their digital presence and member engagement. Passionate about continuous learning and problem-solving through code.

Work Experience

Lead Software Developer · Zoe

Jun 2023 - May 2025

Durham, NC (Remote) · zoe.com

- Led technical interview process for 20+ candidates and provided mentorship to junior developers, accelerating team growth and knowledge sharing
- Developed application rewrite with Server-Side Rendering (SSR) capabilities using React Router and migrated to Vite build system, achieving 3x faster development builds and improved SEO
- Architected and developed coach marketplace featuring advanced filtering capabilities and paginated search results, creating new revenue stream through commission model
- Resolved complex calendar synchronization bug affecting coach-client appointment management, preventing revenue loss from missed sessions
- Led codebase modernization and accessibility audit initiatives, addressing technical debt and ensuring WCAG compliance across the platform
- Built AWS infrastructure using Lambda functions, Aurora MySQL, and CloudFormation for backend architecture

Founder and Software Developer · ALPost

Jun 2022 - Present

Cincinnati, OH (Remote) · alpost.org

- Founded and developed SaaS platform enabling American Legion Posts to create mobile-friendly websites
- Successfully onboarded 17 paying organizations through targeted outreach to 90+ American Legion Posts, generating revenue
- Established official partnership with American Legion Headquarters for brand alignment and policy compliance
- Built end-to-end multi-tenant platform using Next.js, React, TypeScript, Prisma, Stripe, and tRPC with Vercel and Cloudflare R2 infrastructure, implementing CI/CD pipeline via GitHub Actions

Digital Wideband Systems Maintainer · U.S. Marine Corps

Oct 2018 - May 2025

Cincinnati, OH

- Awarded Navy Achievement Medal (2021, 2024) for maintaining satellite communications systems enabling 1,800+ hours of connectivity, saving \$27,000+ in generator repairs, and leading site establishment during multiple exercises across different bases in Bahrain, ensuring 100% operational readiness
- Devised standardized deployment templates and developed infrastructure establishment plans, reducing setup time to 72 hours

Software Developer · Freelance

Jan 2014 - Jan 2022

Various Clients (Remote)

- Developed full-stack web applications and e-commerce platforms using React, Next.js, TypeScript, Node.js, and the LAMP stack.
- Created brand identities and responsive, mobile-first designs for diverse clients.
- Built inventory management systems, client dashboards, and lead-generation tools that modernized legacy applications using SSR, TailwindCSS, and Redux Toolkit.

Education

Western Governors University · Bachelor's in Computer Science

Expected graduation: Jul 2026

LEARN Academy · Full Stack Developer Bootcamp

Jun 2023