



HARVEY NUELMAN serves as president of Fabricut Inc. and oversees the daily operations and sales for its hospitality divisions Fabricut Contract and S. Harris Contract – premier textile distributors for the hospitality industry. Harvey has been an influential leader in the textile and hospitality industries for 50 years.

Harvey began his textile career in Chicago in 1961 as a salesman for Tempo Fabrics and later the owner of Westport Fabrics in Kansas City. In 1968, he joined Fabricut Inc. as vice president of sales and the following year launched its hospitality division, Fabricut Contract; Harvey was then promoted to president of Fabricut Inc. in 1978. He helped with the purchase of Lazarus Fabrics in 1980 to further Fabricut Contract's place and product offering in the hospitality industry; not long after, S. Harris Contract launched.

Throughout his 42 years with Fabricut Inc., Harvey has served as a mentor to many current industry leaders and associates. Whether their careers began with Harvey or his friendship and guidance instilled the confidence needed to succeed, they have become major contributors within the hospitality industry.

Harvey's devotion to industry innovations was instrumental in the collaboration with FR-One® to bring its brand and products to the United States in 2007—textiles that pass and exceed all fire-retardant and safety standards worldwide. Harvey continues to push Fabricut Contract to provide solutions to everyday specifications and an extensive offering that assures fabrics are in style, in code and in budget.

He has been an active member of NEWH since its inception as a corporate sponsor, scholarship advocate and contributor, and founders meeting attendee. Harvey also helped jump start NEWH's School from the Heart campaign to raise money for UNICEF's School-in-a-Box program.

As a two-time lung cancer survivor, Harvey supports the American Cancer Society where he serves on the advisory board of their Nevada chapter. He also serves on the advisory board for the HD Las Vegas and Boutique trade shows and the NIAB board.

Harvey attended Michigan State University's Hotel and Restaurant Management School and graduated from DePaul University with a Bachelor of Arts in Business. He splits time between Fabricut's headquarters in Tulsa, Oklahoma, and home in Las Vegas, Nevada. Harvey is married to Laura and has two children.