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MEMBER PROFILE FOR

KEITH WOOD

DATE OF BIRTH MARCH- 9-1948

PLACE OF BIRTH: NORFOLK, VIRGINIA AT HOME

PARENT'S NAME: FRANK AND MARGRET WOOD

SIBLINGS: SISTER: SHERYL GATES BROTHERS: RANDY AND TIM

EDUCATION: HIGH SCHOOL: WOLFSON, GRADUATED 1967, WHERE HE PLAYED J.V. FOOTBALL. SOME COLLEGE.

MARRIED TO: PHYLLIS GOLDMAN OF NORFOLK, VA. FOR 44 YEARS AND 6 MO.

CHILDREN: THEY HAVE TWO DAUGHTERS: TIFFANY COX, 41 AND LAURA SMITH, 36

MILITARY EXPERIENCE: UNITED STATES COAST GUARD, 1967-1971.

HIRED ON FIRE DEPT: JUNE 3rd- 1974

FIRST ASSIGNMENT AND OFFICER: OLD STATION 1 AT OCEAN AND ADAMS, LADDER 1 C SHIFT WITH LT. JOE STITCHWAY, WHO WAS KILLED ON DUTY IN 1979

PROMOTIONS: MADE ENGINEER ON LADDER 1 C SHIFT IN 1977 WITH LT. DAVIS LOVE.

MOST MEMORABLE INCIDENT: ENG 1 AND LADDER 1 RESPONDED TO AN AUTO ACCIDENT UNDER THE MATTHEWS BRIDGE ALL OF HIS FRIENDS WERE STANDING ON THE SIDE WALK WHEN THE CAR CAUGHT FIRE AND TWO PEOPLE INSIDE BURNED TO DEATH

HOBBIES: WOOD WORKING (no surprise there) SINCE HIS NAME IS WOOD. VERY APPROPRIATE. TRAVELING, AND PLAYING GOLF.

RETIRED: JULY 2nd 2004

RETIRED FROM: LADDER 28

ACTIVITIES SINCE RETIRING: AFTER HE RETIRED HE CONTINUED HELPING THE FIRE DEPT ALONG SIDE GARY DALY, REMODELING THE KITCHENS AT STATIONS 36, 20, 11,

SPECIAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS: HELPED GET THE FIRE MUSEUM BACK IN ORDER AND REMODELED THE BUNKROOM AT OLD STA. 8. (LOCAL 122). IT SERVES AS THE EXECUTIVE BOARD ROOM. IF YOU HAVEN'T SEEN THE WORKMANSHIP OF KEITH IT WOULD BE WORTH YOUR TIME TO VISIT THIS ROOM. KEITH SERVED ON THE HONOR GUARD SINCE IT STARTED FOR 15 YEARS, PLAYED ON THE SOFTBALL TEAM, SPENT 3 YEARS ON HAZMAT AT STATION 7.



KEITH, WITH ALL HIS F.D. HELMETS. L28 ABOVE was carved from a block of wood



KEITH AND PHYLLIS IN THEIR F.D. COLLECTION ROOM



COFFEE TABLE MADE BY KEITH WOOD IN HIS LIVING ROOM



KEITH RESTORED THE OLD STEAM ENGINE IN THE JAX. FIRE MUSEUM



KEITH BUILT NEW DOORS AT OLD STATION 8 (LOCAL 122)



KEITH COMPLETELY GUTTED AND REMODELED UPSTAIRS AND THIS IS HIS WORKMANSHIP
THE PICTURES IS IN THE EXECUTIVE MEETING ROOM OLD STA.8 (LOCAL122)