

# Stephen G Gavin

Stephen G Gavin was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 52

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Aug 27, 2003 16:00

Date of death: Sep 2, 2003

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information: Memorial contributions may be made in Stephen G. Gavin's memory to Owego Fire Department Training Tower, 178 Main St., Owego, NY 13827.

## Department information

Owego Fire Department - Susquehanna Hose Co.  
178 Main St.  
Owego, NY 13827  
Chief: Kenneth Easion

# Richard Beck

Richard Beck was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 64

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jul 6, 1993

Date of death: Jul 6, 1993

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type:

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Owego Fire Department

Owego, NY

# Matthew John Porcari

Matthew John Porcari was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 34

Rank: Captain

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jan 21, 2013 23:29

Date of death: Jan 22, 2013

Cause of death: Collapse

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information: Pending.

## Department information

Owego Fire Department  
87 North Avenue  
Owego, NY 13827  
Chief: Edward Franz

# John Scott

Fatality status is provisional and may change as USFA contacts State Fire Marshals to verify fatality incident information.

Age: 71

Rank: Fire Coordinator

Classification: Part-Time (Paid)

Incident date: Jul 20, 2016 15:20

Date of death: Jul 20, 2016

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Tioga County Bureau of Fire  
103 Corporate Drive  
Owego, NY 13827  
Chief: Frank Okrasinski

