

Terry K. McElveen

Terry K. McElveen 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: 43

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Oct 27, 1997 04:30

Date of death: Oct 27, 1997

Cause of death: Exposure

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:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
240 Spring Garden Street
Philadelphia, PA 19123
Chief: Fire Commissioner Harold Hairston

James E. Hynes

James E. Hynes 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: 27

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Oct 27, 1997 04:30

Date of death: Oct 27, 1997

Cause of death: Exposure

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:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
240 Spring Garden Street
Philadelphia, PA 19123
Chief: Fire Commissioner Harold Hairston

Stephen Earl Murphy

Stephen Earl Murphy 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: 47

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 27, 1998

Date of death: Feb 3, 1998

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: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
240 Spring Garden Street
Philadelphia, PA 19123-2991
Chief: Fire Commissioner Harold Hairston

Eric Noel Casiano

Eric Noel Casiano 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: 41

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: May 3, 1999 04:31

Date of death: May 3, 1999

Cause of death: Fall

Nature of death: Trauma

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

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
240 Spring Garden Street
Philadelphia, PA 19123
Chief: Fire Commissioner Harold B. Hairston

Richard F. Devine

Richard F. Devine 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: 49

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jul 29, 1999 20:37

Date of death: Jul 29, 1999

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Salvage and Overhaul

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Dept.
Fire Administration Building 240 Spring Garden Street
Philadelphia, PA 19123-2991
Chief: Commissioner Harold D. Hairston

Vencent C. Acey

Vencent C. Acey 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: 42

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 28, 1994

Date of death: Jan 28, 1994

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

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

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Public Assembly

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
240 Spring Garden Street
Philadelphia, PA 19123
Chief: Fire Commissioner Harold Hariston

John L. Redmond

John L. Redmond 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: 41

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 28, 1994

Date of death: Jan 28, 1994

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

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

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Public Assembly

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
240 Spring Garden Street
Philadelphia, PA 19123
Chief: Fire Commissioner Harold Hariston

James Phillip Allen

James Phillip Allen 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: 43

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Oct 7, 2003 07:59

Date of death: Oct 7, 2003

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Ventilation

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information: In the name of Firefighter James Allen, C/o Philadelphia Fire Department, Fire Administration Building, 240 Spring Garden St., Philadelphia, PA 19123-2991

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
Fire Administration Building 240 Spring Garden St.
Philadelphia, PA 19123-2991
Chief: Fire Commissioner Harold B. Hairston

Derrick T Harvey

Derrick T Harvey 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: 45

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 9, 2004 06:50

Date of death: Jan 16, 2004

Cause of death: Collapse

Nature of death: Burns

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

Philadelphia Fire Department
Fire Administration Bldg. 240 Spring Garden Street
Philadelphia, PA 19123
Chief: Commissioner Lloyd Ayers

James Chappell

James Chappell was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland .

Age: 27

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Feb 23, 1991

Date of death: Feb 24, 1991

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Ventilation

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department

Philadelphia, PA

David P Holcombe, Sr.

David P Holcombe, Sr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland .

Age: 51

Rank: Captain

Classification: Career

Incident date: Feb 23, 1991

Date of death: Feb 24, 1991

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Ventilation

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department

Philadelphia, PA

Phyllis McAllister

Phyllis McAllister was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland .

Age: 43

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Feb 23, 1991

Date of death: Feb 24, 1991

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Ventilation

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department

Philadelphia, PA

Stephen Douglas Yale, Sr.

Stephen Douglas Yale, Sr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland .

Age: 43

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Dec 20, 1991

Date of death: Dec 26, 1991

Cause of death: Fall

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department

Philadelphia, PA

John Daniel Taylor, Jr.

John Daniel Taylor, Jr. 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: 53

Rank: Captain

Classification: Career

Incident date: Aug 20, 2004 20:20

Date of death: Aug 20, 2004

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

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:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
240 Spring Garden
Philadelphia, PA 19123
Chief: Commissioner Lloyd Ayers

Rey Rubio

Rey Rubio 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: 42

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Aug 20, 2004 20:20

Date of death: Aug 20, 2004

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

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:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
240 Spring Garden
Philadelphia, PA 19123
Chief: Commissioner Lloyd Ayers

Robert Timothy Staepel

Robert Timothy Staepel 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: 41

Rank: Firefighter/EMT

Classification: Career

Incident date: Nov 22, 2005

Date of death: Nov 25, 2005

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

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

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information: Staepel Children's Memorial Trust Fund, c/o Commerce Bank, 357 N. Kings Hwy Cherry Hill, NJ 08034

Department information

Navy Region Mid-Atlantic, Philadelphia Federal Fire Department
1301 Kittyhawk Ave.
Philadelphia, PA 19112
Chief: Bennie Williams

Tracy Champion

Tracy Champion 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: 49

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 28, 2006 04:30

Date of death: Jan 28, 2006

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Salvage and Overhaul

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information: Pending. Funeral Arrangements: 02/04/2006, Sharon Baptist Church, 3955 Conshohocken Ave., Philadelphia, PA (near City Line Ave/Route 1). Viewing, 0900-1100hrs. Funeral Service to follow @ 1100hrs. Internment at Fernwood Cemetery, 6501 Baltimore Pike, Philadelphia, PA.

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
240 Spring Garden St. Fire Administration Building
Philadelphia, PA 19123
Chief: Fire Commissioner Lloyd Ayers

Stephen Michael Cospelich

Stephen Michael Cospelich was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 56

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Apr 17, 2009 19:00

Date of death: May 19, 2009

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Cerebrovascular Accident

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information: Memorial fund information is pending. Memorial Service: 1100hrs, 05/30/2009, at the Church of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, 324 Carpenter Lane. Interment will be private.

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
Fire Admin Bldg, 240 Spring Garden St. USNG: 18S VK 8778 2339
Philadelphia, PA 19123-2991
Chief: Fire Commissioner Lloyd Ayers

Daniel Sweeney

Daniel Sweeney 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: 25

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Apr 9, 2012 03:15

Date of death: Apr 9, 2012

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: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
Fire Admin Bldg, 240 Spring Garden St. USNG: 18S VK 8778 2339
Philadelphia, PA 19123-2991
Chief: Fire Commissioner Lloyd Ayers

Robert Peter Neary

Robert Peter Neary 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: 59

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Apr 9, 2012 03:15

Date of death: Apr 9, 2012

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: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
Fire Admin Bldg, 240 Spring Garden St. USNG: 18S VK 8778 2339
Philadelphia, PA 19123-2991
Chief: Fire Commissioner Lloyd Ayers

Michael Robert Goodwin, Sr.

Michael Robert Goodwin, Sr. 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: 53

Rank: Battalion Chief

Classification: Career

Incident date: Apr 6, 2013 17:33

Date of death: Apr 6, 2013

Cause of death: Fall

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Ventilation

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information: In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Mike's memory to the Firefighters Widow Fund would be appreciated c/o Local 22, 415 N. 5th St. Philadelphia, PA 19123.

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
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Philadelphia, PA 19123-2991
Chief: Fire Commissioner Lloyd Ayers

Joyce M Craig-Lewis

Joyce M Craig-Lewis 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: 36

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Dec 9, 2014 02:49

Date of death: Dec 9, 2014

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Burns

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

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
240 Spring Garden Street U.S. National Grid: 18S VK 8778 2339
Philadelphia, PA 19123
Chief: Derrick J. V. Sawyer

Gabriel Garnet Lee

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

Age: 42

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jul 23, 2016 19:11

Date of death: Jul 23, 2016

Cause of death: Unknown

Nature of death: Unknown

Activity type: Fitness Activity

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
240 Spring Garden ST, Fire Administration Building U.S. National Grid: 18S VK 8778 2339
Philadelphia, PA 19123
Chief: Fire Commissioner Adam K. Thiel

