

# Henry Ernest Perry

Henry Ernest Perry 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: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Sep 14, 1997

Date of death: Sep 14, 1997

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type:

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Pumpkin Center Fire Department, Inc.  
36 Sunset Road  
Jacksonville, NC 28540  
Chief: Jeff Malone

# Billy Harold Williams

Billy Harold Williams 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: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Mar 24, 2007 11:58

Date of death: Mar 24, 2007

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Operating Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information: Pending

## Department information

Rhodestown Volunteer Fire Department  
116 Rhodestown Fire Dept Rd.  
Jacksonville, NC 28540  
Chief: Marty Updegraff

# Brandon Michael Whimple

Brandon Michael Whimple 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: 19

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Mar 24, 2007 11:59

Date of death: Mar 24, 2007

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Riding Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information: The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial donations in Firefighter Whimple's name be sent to N.C. Fallen Firefighters Foundation 2501 Blue Ridge Rd., STE 150, Raleigh, NC 27607-6479 Toll Free (877) 810-1800

## Department information

Rhodestown Volunteer Fire Department  
116 Rhodestown Fire Dept Rd.  
Jacksonville, NC 28540  
Chief: Marty Updegraff

# Colin Gene Thomas

Colin Gene Thomas 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: 51

Rank: Second Assistant Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jun 14, 2008 05:30

Date of death: Jun 14, 2008

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Non-Fire

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information: In honor of Firefighter Colin Gene Thomas, C/o Verona Volunteer Fire Department, 101 Verona Rd., Jacksonville, NC 28540.

## Department information

Verona Volunteer Fire Department  
101 Verona Rd. USNG: 18S TD 7350 3916  
Jacksonville, NC 28540  
Chief: Wayne Thomas

