

In Loving Memory of  
Don McNally  
1954-2012



Don was my Friend & Cousin. He was also my employee for 21 years.

Don was struck with a sudden illness which he fought long and hard for 17 days, and was not able to overcome it.

We started our careers in building and repairing fire trucks at Van Pelts over 35 years ago together and I had the privilege of having him be one of our first employees when we opened Burton's Fire twenty one years ago.

Don was the go to guy. Hey Don, what do you think about this idea I had for a shop project I was working on.

Through out the years Don was involved with many aspects of our company, from a shop worker to our shop foreman for many years. He was also our Forklift instructor and he passed me. (Crazy)



What he liked the most was working with our customers over the years.

For the past four years Don's main job was to work directly with our customers on mounting new equipment on their new fire trucks.

Don really enjoyed the part of taking on the equipment mounting project. This was always a real challenge to make sure it all fit and when completed to have a happy customer, which when he was finished our customers were always happy.

Don was a special person and always made sure he had something stirred up in the shop which I always gave him a bad time about, which he enjoyed.



Don will be missed by our employees and our customers.

Don, I will miss you and think of you every day in the shop.

Ken Burton