



5222501 – FORGED BY FIRE

APPRECIATING HISTORY – HONORING LEGACY – REMEMBERING SACRIFICE

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Past Chief Tom Merrill – Snyder Volunteer Fire Department

FAR TOO OFTEN, LOST IN THE DAY-TO-DAY ROUTINE CALLS, FIREHOUSE DRAMA OR DAILY GRUMBLING, IS THE FACT THAT WE ARE ALL PART OF SOMETHING VERY SPECIAL – WE ARE PART OF THE GREAT AMERICAN FIRE SERVICE!

RICH IN TRADITION TOGETHER WITH A STRONG HERITAGE AND ENDLESS STORIES OF HONOR AND SACRIFICE. BUT WAY TOO MANY IN OUR RANKS HAVE NO IDEA HOW THE FIRE SERVICE HAS EVOLVED TO WHERE IT STANDS TODAY. THIS IS A FAST MOVING AND EXCITING PRESENTATION THAT ENSURES THOSE LESSONS ARE NOT FORGOTTEN AND THE TRADITIONS, CUSTOMS, FIRES, STORIES, NAMES AND SACRIFICES FROM YESTERYEAR, ALL FORGED BY FIRE, ARE NOT LOST TO THE DUST OF TIME.

