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James "Buddy" Parris

Education

- Graduated from Broome High School
- Attended Daniel Morgan Vocational Center and received a diploma in H.V.A.C.
- Attended Spartanburg Technical College and graduated with a diploma in Industrial Maintenance Mechanics.
- Attended Spartanburg Technical College and graduated with an Associate Degree in Computer Technology.

Experience

- Retired as of 09/2021
- Worked in the mechanical field in various ways for 43 years with the last 20 years being at Torrington / Timken as a Maintenance Technician.
- Worked in the volunteer Fire and Rescue service in the Pacolet area for 16 years. Served as Chief, Assistant Chief, Captain, and various other positions.
- Member of Welcome Baptist Church since 1991. Taught Sunday School for over 30 years. Current Maintenance Supervisor and oversee the Safety Team along with various other duties.
- Served on the board for the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention Commission until the County decided to turn it back over to the state.
- Notary Public for the state of South Carolina

Personal

- Married to Jolene since 1991
- We have no human children, but we have a "fur baby" named Chase who we love very much.
- We have lived in the Rockport subdivision in Union County since 1999.
- I have lived in either Pacolet or in Union County my entire life.
- I currently hold a CWP and strongly believe in gun ownership for law abiding citizens.