

FREE RIDER PRESS BY DAVE ZIEN Sept. 20, 2008

Just before dawn on Tuesday, Sept 16, 2008, I had the privilege to put the Accident Scene Management Inc. (ASMI) to use at a serious accident in Virginia. An apparent overtired semi driver slammed into a utility truck - just before a bridge and another utility truck over the bridge. I was the first and only person there for nearly 10 minutes with any medical training.

Almost like instinct, I thought of Vicki San Felipo's cool, calm voice assessing the victim, controlling part of the accident scene - all in preparation for the medics and cops arrival.

Check out the film footage of two TV stations that arrived 1 1/2 hrs. later. Check-out WHSV.com (Phillip Townsend) and WVIR-TV NBC29/CW29 (Ken Slack) e-mail Kslack@NBC29.com

It was like de-ja-vu remembering similar explosions on Firebase Russell near the Vietnam DMZ in 1969. There was the smell of char-blackened flesh. God Bless Portuguese - a Kit Carson Scout interpreter who died on the medic helicopter gunship.

Then there's the 1/10/93 (Hwy29-Cadott underpass): Two semis and pickup truck accident where I saved one life, but lost another due to burning diesel fuel.

Had I tried to retrieve the semi driver last week, I would have been engulfed in flames from the five explosions. Fortunately, he had escaped contrary to anyone's knowledge at the accident scene.

Free Rider Press by Dave Zien 9-20-08- Jingles

On Friday, Sept. 19, Preacher, Sue and I were to meet Tony & Vicki on the way to Jingles and DeDee's wedding at 5:00 p.m. Jingle passed away at 9:00 a.m. that morning.

At the wedding we were going to meet with Mike Hupy to discuss briefly his dedication to sportsmen, the NRA and Bikers. It would have been nice to meet up with other friends also.

Jingles had a good life lived well. His Soul is well, experiencing now that Spiritual Realm-Heaven. Oh, there's lots' of fond memories back to the early 1970's. Highlights include:

- Helmet Rallies, Prison Runs and Swap meets.
- Meeting with the Attorney General, James Doyle, about reopening the investigation of the Police 9/30/77 murder of Roger Lyons/Rocker. Just Tony/Pan, Jingles and I with the Attorney General behind closed doors.
- Tomahawk Rally's, Daytona Beach, the Clubhouse.
- The CC Riders M.C. Clubhouse - again Jingles, Tony and I.
- A Strong supporter of ABate since the beginnings.

Genuine Pride ~ Generous Hearts

The Open Road HOG Chapter of Fond du Lac along with Open Road Harley-Davidson of Fond du lac hosted the 22nd Annual Ride for Pride fundraising event April 25th and 26th. The ride has been a wonderful tradition being an early in the year event; yet it poses a higher risk with inclement weather, which we definitely had our share of this year. Our pre-ride party Friday evening brought us tornado warnings, hail and high winds; Saturday graced us with even higher winds and very cold temperatures. Weather aside, nearly 250 motorcycles clearly demonstrated their commitment to this great event; their dedication showed and we are proud of them for battling the wind and cold with us that day. Chairman of the ride, Mike Arnold stated, "Despite the bad weather the warm hearts of many sponsors, riders, participants and volunteers prevailed, resulting in positive outcomes for our local charities."

Participation level was visibly down from 2007, yet we were still able to raise enough money to give each local Fond du Lac area charity \$4,000, matching last years level. This is a HUGE success and can only be attributed to everyone's collective efforts. The four charities chosen to benefit from these efforts are Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA), Lions Pride Campaign, Cop's for Kids Foundation and the Solutions Center.

This year we revamped our corporate sponsorship program and experienced significant success, which helped maintain our donation level. Most other event components were also restructured, including bigger name bands, great food - and plenty of it! Along with that, it was a greatly improved ride format that traveled to Road America in Elkhart Lake. A tremendous amount of work went into evolving the event this year and we hope all who participated enjoyed it.

Once again, we wish to thank all the sponsors, volunteers and riders for your efforts and look forward to working with them in the future; by working and riding together, we can make a huge difference in the community.



- Founding member of Allied Clubs of America.
- Easy Rider shows and Christmas cards each year.
- Always a coalition builder behind the scenes for the good of all Bikers.
- Getting me a place to stay and help with breakdowns anywhere there were Outlaws M.C.
- Letters of recommendation for Outlaw Woody S. and the National President of the Sons of Silence M.C.

Our many conversations about esophageal cancer. For me, doctors have been watching me since 1986 for Barrett's disease - a prelude to esophageal cancer. Just a couple of years ago, I was diagnosed with Barrett's disease.

Jingles was suddenly diagnosed with the cancer. We talked about God and prayer. Jingles and I prayed.

Jingles taught me that friendship is Biker deep and worth the political risk. For example, speaking at Roger Lyon's Memorial Functions, writing letters for 1-%ers, just being with Outlaws. I'd do it again. Brotherhood is super-Biker deep.

Hey, Jingles, I gota give you some corrective feedback. You told me at Daytona that maybe only the good die young and it's goodbye. Don't ever say the word "good-bye". Rather say - "See ya later."

Yep Jingles, if I can live life well in God's Grace - I'll be seeing ya later!"

Free Rider Press by Dave Zien 9/20/08- Million Mile Motorcycle.com update

After a NRA Committee meeting in Washington D.C., I went to the Charleston, West Virginia VA Hospital on Sunday 9/14/08 for atrial fibrillation (28 hrs.)again. It took me Monday to recover - a bummer!

Our 1st major sponsor is Mike Hupy, who is a legend in supporting Biker, NRA, Sportsmen and other worthy causes. Our vision is the millionth mile to be achieved this November in Milwaukee.

It's up to the Lord, my health, sponsors and Suzanna a La Sha Luck-a Lay Ya's disposition. Mileage today stands at 975,625 (9/20/08), only 24,375 miles to go!

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Ask legislative candidates about Biker and all issues that concern you. Seek them out in person, by phone/computer or letters. Please support and get active in their campaigns.

It is only a few days until the November election. Crucial times are immediately before us in State and National issues.

The only real Biker I know running for office is Preacher. It'll be interesting to see who is helping him and supporting his candidacy with money. If you see Preacher, tell him I have another \$50 check for him.

Preacher is making the statement that he is "top quality" candidate. He is hard working, conscientious, dedicated and open-minded. Convincing the voters takes a team effort.

In the next Free Riders Press, it'd be great to see several legislative/political ads. This is the most circulated Biker publication in the midwest. For Veterans issues, it's the VFW Wisconsin News. Feel free to contact Bill Bottoms 715-833-0006 (e-mail bbottoms@your-storeoutlet.com or www.your-storeoutlet.com

If your candidates need maximum exposure to Bikers and Veterans - get an ad.

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