



KENT ARMSTRONG

I was born May 1953 in Lakewood Ohio.

I Lived in Cleveland until I was twelve years old then moved to Inverness Florida for a year then to Boca Raton Florida. At the beginning of ninth grade I and my brother moved to NYC to live with our father. Ninth grade was at PC 141 junior high school then on to De Witt Clinton High School and graduated in 1971.

In August of 1971, we all moved to England where I went to college for four years majoring in mathematics and physics. After graduation I started my currier service using my BMW R26.

I married in 1977 and we had our first child in late 77. I got so tired of riding I sold my business 79 and moved to Brighton in Sussex England. I went into full time guitar pick-up making (something I had been doing in a small way since 1970 in my dad's NYC music shop) and am still doing to this day.

I did not ride my motorcycles for nineteen years. We had our second child in 1980. My wife and I discovered Grafton Vermont in 1998 and bought a house there. I moved permanently to Grafton Vt. August 1999.

I was press ganged in to the Grafton VFD in November of 99 and that winter went to fire school for the next two winters and became and fully qualified Fireman 9-12-2001. I'm now the asst. chief. This was something I had not ever wanted to be but after nine years I'm very proud to say I'm a FIREMAN !!!!!