

Scott Carter bio interviewed by David Bledsoe



Scott was born on January 10, 1980 in Franklin, TN where he has lived all of his life. He attended Scales Elementary and Grassland Middle Schools. After one year at Franklin High School, he transferred to Centennial High school where he graduated in 1999. His favorite subject at Centennial was architecture.

During his 3 years at Centennial High School, Scott had the pleasure of assisting the basketball and football programs. He says that he had a lot of fun, enjoyed helping out the teams and being able to attend most all of the games. He took great pride in his efforts and enjoyed the recognition and awards he received from all the coaching staff.

After graduation, Scott went right to work with Rock City Machine Company where he has been employed for the past eleven years. He primarily works in the shop but he also goes out on the jobsites, changing out well pumps, grinder pumps, ground water pumps, etc. Scott finds great satisfaction in his work and enjoys the respect of his fellow employees and his supervisors.

Playing softball in the summer months is one of Scott's favorite pastimes. Since he plays most every Monday, Wednesday and Friday evening, to say that he loves to play softball would be somewhat of an understatement. Scott also finds time to enjoy a little fishing every now and then. He's really into spectator sports, with some of his favorite college football teams being Auburn, Boise State and UT. On the pro football side, he follows the Titans and the Colts. He also takes in a little hockey with the Nashville Predators.

Whether through his church or through Habitat, Scott dedicates a considerable amount of his time to serving others. Scott is a member of Christ United Methodist Church on Franklin Rd in Franklin. Each Sunday, you can find Scott making the rounds during Sunday school checking in on each class and taking the count. He serves with their youth group as they do community service work such as residential home repair, yard work, etc. Scott puts legs on his faith as he truly is a prime example of discipleship in action.

Scott first began volunteering with Habitat through his church in 2007. His favorite part of the Habitat experience is on Day 1, frame day, installing the wall panels and roof trusses. He likes working with everyone and enjoys observing all the volunteers' excitement. **Scott says "I like seeing Habitat partner families get involved with other builds as well as their own and appreciates the fact that they learn skill sets that will enable them to maintain their property throughout the life of their home."**