



Michigan District

Region D "The Great Lakes Region"

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We both have been lifelong residents of the downriver area of Detroit and have been married for 33 years. We have 2 children, William Jr. 31, and Angel 30. Two beautiful grandchildren, Jizell 9, and Zoey 3, whom we think are just the very best and they live in South Carolina. Bill has worked in the manufacturing industry for over 35 years starting out on small lathes working his way up to Manufacturing Engineer and back to currently being a CNC machinist/programmer. Everything comes full circle as they say. In today's economy if you have a job that is saying a lot. Vicky's career has been in Customer Service most of her life, ten of those years along side of Bill in the same company. Her career has been put on hold due to taking Bill's parents into our home to care for them in their elder years of failing health. Bill started riding motorcycles in 1985 and presently he rides a 1999 SE. Vicky has her endorsement but sold her bike. She chooses to be the co-rider for now.

Since joining GWRRA in 1992, we have served the membership in a variety of positions at the chapter level, starting as sunshine couple, couple of the year, then all the way to Chapter Director. We have probably done every job that exist in the chapter at one time or another and several at one time. We then received a call and were honored and excited when we were asked to join the Michigan District Staff. We were District Treasurer for Ian & Audrey Holmes from 98' thru 03'. When Chris & Sally stepped up as District Director in 03' we were happy to take on the position as Assistant District Director for the southeast section of Michigan. In the late summer of 04' a new job had us moving to the Grand Rapids area of Michigan and a bit of a new start for us. With a bit of rearranging by the state we assumed the Assistant's responsibilities in the "Great Southwest Section" of Michigan. With life's responsibilities we had to step down in early 06' to take care of thing's at home. When things settled at home, in early 07' Chris and Sally asked use if we would be interested in the MEC position. Of course we would help any way we could and we held that position until Sep. 09'. Earlier this year we were contacted and asked to help the Transition Team as Rally Coordinators and then interim ADD followed. We were installed as your new Michigan District Director at this years opening ceremony in West Branch, MI. We have been actively involved and promote the rider education program and maintain our level 4's. We have both attended the Horizon Programs twice. And in April 2010, we attended the Officers Certification Program at which time we received our certification.

For us, GWRRA is about the member and anything that can be done for him or her is worthy of consideration. We will be out and about this great state so EXPECT to see us "POP" in anywhere there is fun to be had.