

FOR ONE LOCAL BUSINESS OWNER, WHAT SHOULD HAVE BEEN AN EVENING OF CHRISTMAS CHEER AND CELEBRATION WITH HIS CLOSE FRIENDS AND EMPLOYEES QUICKLY TURNED INTO A NEAR DEATH EXPERIENCE. THE MAN SUDDENLY BECAME ILL AND COLAPSED TO THE FLOOR. 911 WAS CALLED AND FRIENDS STARTED PERFORMING CPR.

WITHIN MINUTES FIRST RESPONDERS FROM THE LASALLE TOWNSHIP VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT ARRIVED ON SCENE AND CONTINUED WITH THE CPR. FIREFIGHTERS AND MEDICS FROM MCA WORKED WITH GREAT COOPERATION TO TRY AND BRING LIFE BACK INTO THIS MAN WHO MANY OF THE FIREFIGHTERS PERSONALLY KNOW.

FIREFIGHTERS STAYED WITH THE PATIENT DURING TRANSPORT TO THE HOSPITAL CONTINUING TO DO ALL THEY COULD TO SAVE THIS MAN, UPON ARRIVAL THE PATIENT WAS AIRLIFTED TO A HOSPITAL IN TOLEDO. AFTER A FEW DAYS IN THE HOSPITAL THE MAN WAS RELEASED AND IS RESTING AT HOME WITH HIS FAMILY.

FIREFIGHTERS ARE VERY PLEASED TO KNOW THAT ALL OF THEIR TRAINING AND HARD WORK HAS ALLOWED THIS GENTLEMAN TO CONTINUE A NORMAL LIFE WITH HIS WIFE AND KIDS.

I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPURTUNITY TO THANK THE RESIDENTS OF LASALLE TOWNSHIP FOR YOUR CONTUINUED SUPPORT OF OUR VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS WHICH ALLOWS US TO PROVIDE A QUALITY COMMUNITY SERVICE. I AM VERY PROUD TO LEAD THIS GROUP OF FIREFIGHTERS.

LaSALLE TWP VOL FIRE DEPT

FIRE CHIEF

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