

# PLEASE HELP SUPPORT OUR BROTHER FIREFIGHTER

Taunton Fire asks for your assistance



On Tuesday morning July 29th, Taunton Massachusetts Firefighter Chad "Choggy" Larivee, was repairing the roof of a brother firefighter when he fell approximately 25 feet. Chad suffered severe neck and spinal injuries and was immediately flown to Rhode Island Hospital Trauma Center where he underwent over 9 hours of extensive surgery. At this time we still do not know the extent of Chad's injuries, but we do know the road to recovery is going to be long, difficult and costly.

Chad grew up in this community and comes from a great, hard- working blue collar family. Chad too is hard- working and a devoted husband to his wife Jeanne and father to 3 young children ranging from ages 8 to 13. He has been serving his community on the Taunton Fire Department for over 16 years. As a firefighter Chad routinely risks his own life to help preserve the life and safety of others, most of whom are total strangers.

Firefighters by nature are never ones to ask for help, and if you are lucky enough to know Firefighter Larivee, he fits that profile to a T. However, everyone needs help at some point in their lives; yes, even firefighters. The costs of an injury like this can be insurmountable. Hundreds of people have come forward and expressed their concern and asked what they can do to help, many stating that they feel helpless. The truth is there is a way to help: donations.

If you are able to give any amount, no matter how big or small, the good it will do for Firefighter Larivee and his family is immeasurable. Thank you in advance for your donation and please continue to pray for Firefighter Larivee and the entire Larivee family.



Questions or concerns may be directed to TFD Firefighter Timothy O'Leary at [Timp.oleary@yahoo.com](mailto:Timp.oleary@yahoo.com)

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You may also find this by entering "Go Fund Me Chad Larivee" in an internet search

Checks may be made payable to "Jeanne Larivee"