

## Tennessee Firemen's Association Lewis Baker Service Award Nomination

Mr. Lewis Baker began his fire career in 1950. He served as the Chief of the Collierville Fire Department for 12 years followed by 33 ½ years of service as an instructor at the Tennessee State Fire School until his retirement in 2001. Lewis was especially known for imparting his knowledge and skills in helping departments better understand fire apparatus and pump skills. Lewis was also active with the Tennessee fire service organizations, including the Tennessee Firemen's Association, and served as President.

The Tennessee Firemen's Association began awarding the Lewis Baker Fire Service Award at the 2011 Annual Conference. The purpose of this award is to recognize an individual who has given of themselves for the betterment of the fire service in Tennessee.

Nominations may include all positions (i.e. Chief, Instructor, Fire Marshal, Officer, and Firefighter) or someone that has made a significant impact on the fire service in Tennessee. Nominations should include the name of the fire service member being nominated, the agency they represent, the name of the person nominating this individual, contact information of both individuals, and a narrative on why the nominee deserves the award. The nomination must be received by **April 30, 2021**. The winner will be selected from a committee of TFA Board Members. The winner will be notified with formal presentation made at the Tennessee Firemen's Association Annual Banquet on Saturday, June 5, 2021 at the Holiday Inn 1091 S. Willow Ave. Cookeville, TN 38501. Please email your nominations to Hilary Brown at <a href="https://hnbrown523@gmail.com">hnbrown523@gmail.com</a>

THANK YOU FOR YOUR NOMINATIONS!