

Bio for Gary Marcotte

Gary is a retired Naval Officer and engineer. Shortly after retiring in 1994, Gary moved to Fort Smith as a result of his wife's relocation with Beverly Enterprises. He worked for a short time as the Plant Manager for a local foundry and then opened an aftermarket truck accessory store which he ran for ten years. During that time, Gary became involved in several fundraising activities in his community, including the Fort Smith Noon Exchange Club and found that his heart was truly in community service. He sold his business and devoted himself, nearly full time to helping and promoting the Fort Smith Classic and other non profit organizations.

Gary is married to the former Belinda Byrd and has four children, three of whom are grown. He enjoys gourmet cooking, household projects and caters various charity events in the Fort Smith area. He currently serves the Fort Smith Noon Exchange Club as Secretary and is the immediate past Arkklahoma District President.