

{ Who are the people you see every day? }

People We See

An Interview on the Streets

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Meet Errol Hill



AGE: "I'll be 68 on May 23."

BIRTHPLACE: "I was born in beautiful Redondo Beach, not far from here."

MARITAL STATUS: "Single."

FAMILY: "I have three sisters."

EDUCATION:

"I went to Aviation High School in Redondo Beach, class of 1966."

MILITARY SERVICE: "Yes. I was drafted into the Army. I did long-range reconnaissance back in that late 1960s in Cambodia. They would send us in as four-man teams for four days. When I came back to the States the reception was not, well ... there was a very negative attitude for anyone who served during this time."

SPORTS: "No, I was never really into sports in high school."

WHERE DO YOU LIVE?

"Right here on the train tracks - me and my dog, Bosco."

RELIGION:

"I don't practice any religion, but I do believe in a higher power."

MEDICATIONS: "None. I am actually pretty healthy. In fact I am healthier than most people, and I haven't been to a doctor in 30 years."

FAVORITE MOVIE:

"I don't really watch movies."

FAVORITE TV SHOW:

"Sons of Anarchy."

FAVORITE ACTOR: "Steve McQueen."

FAVORITE ACTRESS:

"Marilyn Monroe."

FAVORITE FOOD: "Red seedless grapes and extra sharp cheese."

(Since this was my second visit, I knew that Errol liked red seedless grapes and extra sharp cheese, so we brought him some packed in a cooler so it would keep for a couple days. - John Hawkins)

FAVORITE MUSIC:

"I like grass-roots-kind of music."

LAST JOB: "After the military I never really settled down. I did a lot of hitchhiking around the country, worked on sport fishing boats, drove a big rig and worked for a circus. I took care of one of the hippos used in the movie *The Snows of Mt. Kilimanjaro*. I lived in Canada for six years, in the interior of Vancouver Island."

WORST PART OF BEING SHELTERLESS:

"Not having a barrier - no door you can lock for privacy and alone time. But other than that, it's not too bad."

MOST PRIZED POSSESSION: "My Remington .22 Matchmaster with a stamp on it that says U.S. Property. It's a rare World War II-era rifle."

IF YOU HAD \$1 MILLION: "I would travel anywhere - the United States, Europe, around the world. I would love to just travel."

ADVICE FOR EVERYDAY PEOPLE:

"Just be yourself. Stay centered, and don't give up."

The Club gave Errol the food mentioned above, \$20 and bottled water.

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{ In this monthly feature, Club CEO John Hawkins, and Director of Sales Angel Gomez, introduce you to people you see every day, but you might not know who they are. The Club reminds you that we all have names and stories to tell. }