

Derek Emerson



FAMILY: Wife- Kristina

EMPLOYMENT: I work in law enforcement

A BIT OF LIFE HISTORY: born in Oklahoma City, grew up in Missoula, went to UM, received my master's degree, lived and worked in Helena for a short bit, then back to Missoula

4X4 VEHICLES YOU OWN: beat up Toyota truck with dual 5 speeds, VW Passat 4motion, and a Suzuki Samurai that actually gets wheeled sometimes.

MODIFICATIONS DONE TO YOUR PRESENT RIDE: 1987 "Tintop" Samurai with 31s, 2.5 inch lift (ish), custom bumpers, 4.62 Ring and Pinions, Weber carb, 8k lb Winch, on-board welder, and other small things I forget.

FAVORITE VEHICLE OF ALL TIME: 1970's Suzuki Lj20V, like a Samurai only smaller.

IF MONEY WAS NOT AN OBJECT, WHAT WOULD YOU DRIVE OFF ROAD? LWB foreign market Samurai on 35's, and/or a bone stock restored LJ20V

SAME QUESTION BUT ON ROAD?

FAVORITE TRAIL OR TRAILS: Anything in the Phillipsburg/Deerlodge/Pintlars/Flint Creek area. Especially if they end at alpine lakes/streams with good fishing.

TRAIL OR AREA THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO RUN SOME TIME REALISTICALLY:

Moab

SAME QUESTION BUT UN-REALISTIC: Australia

FAVORITE TYPE OF FOUR WHEELING: Rocks/trees/dirt

LEAST FAVORITE TYPE OF FOUR WHEELING: Snow and/or mud! I don't like getting wet or stuck!

WHAT OTHER THINGS DO YOU LIKE TO DO: Camp, fly-fish, tinker with projects, watch TV, hike, sleep.

FUTURE GOALS IN LIFE? Buy a house (with a shop I hope), have kids.

IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING IN LIFE, WHAT JOB WOULD YOU HAVE? Same one I have now, best job in the world.

