



Employee Spotlight – Michael Hahn, Vice President

What does your position entail?

My main objective is to work with our application engineering group and our sales team together to develop solutions that fit best for our customers' needs.

What do you like best about working at RRF?

Having been with RR Floody for 17 years, I joke that I'm the only Gen-Xer to have had just one job. It's because of the culture and the people here. Everyone is behind Karl Floody (the owner) and willing to do what it takes to help our customers be successful. We get to do cool things in factory automation that have never been done before – it's like being an inventor and an artist at the same time.

Do you have a favorite project or memory from the past 17 years?

It would have to be developing the kmV X-ray visions system. It was so much fun to create something from the ground up. Developing, building and marketing something that had not been done before was a great experience.

What strengths do you bring to this job that makes you a valuable resource to your customers?

I bring a lot of experience and technical knowledge, but I think my biggest strength is my ability to evaluate a situation and then bring the right people together to solve a problem. It's knowing who or what is best suited for a given application challenge and applying those resources.

What do you like to do outside of work?

I enjoy fishing, boating, skiing, camping and spending time with my wife of 12 years and our 4 children. But one of my great passions is to help others that are less fortunate. Through my church and other organizations I am involved in helping the poor and homeless through efforts like building orphanages and schools in places like Africa, Middle East, Latin America and even the U.S.

Have you traveled to any place exotic or interesting?

On a mission trip to the Gulf Aqaba in Egypt, we drove on a road through the Sinai Peninsula. We were like the only Americans on this road that had no rules, in the middle of the desert, a long way from anywhere.

What is one thing your customers might find surprising about you?

There is a bit of an artist in me, I enjoy painting. Because of my passion for the outdoors I paint mostly scenery and landscapes.

Thanks to Michael for sharing a little about himself and we look forward to spotlighting his co-workers in the month's to come.