

Fire Lieutenant Kevin M. Kelley, age 52, Ladder Company 26

Fire Lieutenant Kelley died from massive injuries he received when the Ladder 26 apparatus came down Parker Hill Avenue and smashed into two parked automobiles, a large brick wall and eventually ended up inside a high-rise building on Huntington Avenue. Three other firefighters were injured, while no one else was seriously injured. The cause of the incident was massive brake failure on the 1995 Emergency One 110ft aerial ladder truck. Fire Lieutenant Kelley had 31 years of service.