

DARRELL BANKS

Men's Skill – 2016



Darrell, 44, married (Michelle and daughter Jasmine) born in Beloit, Wisconsin has been in the Oklahoma City area for 33 years. The son of Nancy (who was admired by everyone) died in 2012. Darrell's achievements include: Three 800 Series, Ten 300 Games, Five 299 Games, Two 298 Games and a 297 Game. One of Darrell's 299 game was bowled at the USBC National Tournament. Dating back to 2001-02, Darrell's league averages were all above 215; highest being 227. Darrell's tournament honors include: Third Place in a GenGap tournament with Steve Carson; Two Top 5 finishes in the Team Challenges. His best finish at the Las Vegas High Roller was 14th. He won the Mixed Team event at the Hall of Fame Tournament in 2011 and the Team Event in 2012 at the Oklahoma City Open Championship. Darrell has the distinction of holding Two Oklahoma State bowling records...One for a 4 member team game score of 1075 bowled in the 2012 OKC Championship tournament and the other a 5 member team series of 3764 with "Come From Behind" comprised of Tim Helms, Louis Jenkins, Lloyd Hayer, Jimmy Beavers and Darrell. Darrell came up through the youth ranks and his coach Jerry Way said he met Darrell when he first starting bowling, and he was one of the rare breeds that made his job as a coach extremely enjoyable. Darrell has also participated in the "Bowl with the Pros" at Holiday Lanes for special needs children. He is a good nature guy who meets people really well. The Oklahoma City Hall of Fame proudly inducts Darrell Banks into its Hall of Fame for superior Performance.