EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

Augustus (Gus) Nichols
Fabrication Specialist

The phrase “Steady As A Rock” is used to describe someone or something that is dependable and trustworthy. There is no doubt that this phrase could be used to define the production and work ethic of Gus Nichols at MFC.

Gus’s career at MFC began in 1987 when he began training in the challenging task of fabricating curb & gutter face forms. The skill sets developed by Gus in the curb & gutter department were soon applied to the production of median barrier and bridge parapet forms. Much like curb & gutter, dimensions for barrier and parapet forms are exacting and vary from state to state. Over the years, Gus has exhibited the concentration and patience to fabricate steel to variable and precise specifications for curbs, barriers and parapets.

Gus’s reliability and steadiness extends beyond the fabrication of specialty steel forms. The work performed by Gus is not the type that can be transported or performed remotely. He must show up every day at MFC rain or shine and Gus does just that! His attendance record is outstanding which is so important in light of MFC’s tight production schedules and commitments.

In Gus’s words, he is “getting up there in years”, but that doesn’t mean he is looking forward to retirement. Gus continues: “I enjoy coming to work and being a part of the production team at MFC. A good group of guys that is like extended family.”

Speaking of family, Gus enjoys spending time with his four children. There are three boys (Shanna, Augustus, Jr. & Princeton) and one girl (Tara). Visiting Tara and Princeton is relatively easy in that both live in the Milwaukee area. It takes a bit more planning to see Shanna who lives in Arizona and Augustus, Jr. who lives in Georgia.

Thanks, Gus, for being “Steady As A Rock” in your steadfast loyalty and contributions to MFC.