Richard Flores

For the past five years, I've grown up around fire fighters. I thought it was so cool!! I got to see what people didn't find out until later. Then the World Trade Center happened. The first thing that came into my mind was, "What if my parents were those fire fighters?" I couldn't help but wonder what those families were thinking. He people who I thought were "cool" turned out to be the world's best heroes in my eyes. All I could think about is Mom, Dad, and all the other fire fighters who have become MY FAMILY!