

EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT



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Delivery Driver



A Conversation with Antwine

Tell me about yourself... I'm just an everyday ordinary person.

Are you a family man? Yes indeed. I have a wife and two daughters. My 13 year old is a girly girl and my 7 year old is a tomboy and loves to play with trucks! I think she gets that after her Dad!

What do you do at Sayes? I make sure our customers get their orders delivered to them on-time and placed where they want them to go. I spend all day on the road and in offices all over Central Louisiana!

What part of your job do you like the best? I love my job! I like driving. I love my customers, but I really like driving a truck.

How'd you learn about Sayes? Linda (who works in the warehouse) told me that there was an opening for a driver. I've known Linda forever! She knows my parents, so when she told me there was an opening for a driver, I was like, yeah, this is for me. And it has been! I've been with Sayes going on five years!

Most people, when asked the question, "Who would you like to switch places with?" say Kenny, because he doesn't do anything. What about you? No, I like my job. I wouldn't want to switch with anybody...not even Mr. Kenny!

Okay, then whose job would you not want? Ms. Dee's. She has to make sure all the deliveries are made AND deal with the drivers very early in the mornings. Nope. Wouldn't want her job!

If you could write a book about Sayes, what would you write about? Oh, that's easy. I'd write about all the crazy stuff that happens when I'm driving. Like the other day, there was an alligator in the middle of the road! I almost ran over it! Then a couple of weeks ago I had to slow down because there was a deer, right there on the side of the road, and I was afraid he'd run out in front of me! He was just standing there, looking!

What's your biggest pet peeve? People that come to work, but don't work.

So, what advice would you give to new hires? If you are lucky enough to get a job, then do your best. If you don't want to work, then just stay home!

And...a Little on the Lighter Side:

What are the three things that most people don't know about you? I love trucks, especially Peterbilt trucks. I love hunting (Kenny's been saying he's gonna take me hunting for two years now, but he hasn't yet! hint...hint!). And, I love country music!

Wait! What kind of hunting do you like to do? Any kind!

And, you're a country music fan! So, who's on the playlist on your phone? Luke Bryan, Florida Georgia Line, Old Dominion

So, what's the weirdest thing you've ever eaten? Deer sausage. It's good!

People would be most surprised if they knew what about you? They'd be surprised to know that I spend the majority of my free time playing video games. Mortal Warfare 2 is my favorite! And, I build a simulator to drive trucks. It's got everything on it!

What's your favorite food? A hamburger and french fries!

What's your least favorite food? Mashed potatoes. **Wait! Your favorite food is french fries and your least favorite is mashed potatoes? That's the same food?** That's what my wife says, but I don't like mashed potatoes. Love me some french fries, but will not eat mashed potatoes!

Besides Antwine, what do they call you at work? Twone

What's the best vacation you've ever been on? I took my kids to Schlitterbahn in Texas. It was fun on all those slides, but it was just as much fun watching my kids have a good time!

What celebrity do you think you look like? Pharrell Williams.



Pharrell



Antwine

If Hollywood made a movie, who would you like to see cast as you? Denzel! Who else but, Denzel Washington!

If you were stuck on an island, what three things would you bring? Water, a lighter and a tent.

What would you buy if you won the lottery? A Peterbilt truck. **Wait! That means you'd want to keep working?** Yep! I love to drive!