

4th Generation Lakewoodite

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Lakewood is home! Not only have I grown up here, but my Great Grandparents, Grandparents, and both of my parents did as well. My great Grandpa, Percy Dooley was a Lakewood Fireman, and my Dad has been a Lakewood Police Officer for 23 years. That history holds a lot of meaning to me and my family and I love to think that the streets I walk here now, were walked over the course of 100 years by my family.

Lakewood also has beautiful churches. My family would attend Mass at both St. Luke and St. Clement many years ago, and this is how I got my name, Luke Clement Fischer. I will always feel connected to Lakewood because of this.

We live in a great neighborhood in Lakewood! A neighborhood that is walkable to pizza places, coffee shops, and my all time favorite, the Donut Pantry! On nice weekends, my Dad will pull my brothers in the wagon and we will all walk to get our favorite Donuts. The people who work there know us by name, and always know what our order will be!

I love Lakewood for the history, the churches, and our wonderful neighborhoods. Thank you Lakewood, for being a great place to grow!