**Kenneth B. Durdin**

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**SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS**

* Over 30 + years of experience working in the service industry involving FOH and BOH operations
* Leadership ability as a kitchen manager involved in day to day BOH operations and training
* Reputation for loyalty to the brand and product as part of company or organization
* Superior customer service ability with strong communication skills steaming from an outgoing personality
* Fast learner, receptive to new concepts and practices with quick implementation
* Always follows safety guidelines for food handling based on local and industry standards
* Skilled finisher among other construction labor duties
* Welding certifications and experience in MIG, TIG, Arc, etc.
* Recent education experience

**PROFESSIONAL SKILLS**

**Cook**

* Oven & Fryer
* Grill Cook
* Prepper
* Stocker

**Construction**

* Demolition
* Concrete Finisher
* Clean up
* Jack Hammer 40&80

**Welder**

* Oxyacetylene
* Plasma cutter
* MIG
* TIG

**CERTIFICATIONS**

* Welding Certification Greenbush Educational Hutchinson, KS 2000
* HVAC Certification Vatterot Community College Wichita, KS 2015

**WORK HISTORY**

* Cook Bite Me BBQ Wichita, KS 2017 - Current
  + Prepare a variety of meats for smoking and cooking, including cutting and trimming fat.
  + Cook main dishes, sides, and fried items to order according to guest specification.
  + Assist with other kitchen duties including cleaning and stocking.
* Custodian State of Kansas Winfield, KS 2016 - 2017
  + Stock, resupply, and cleaning of common area’s offices, laundry, and bathrooms.
  + Laundry duties and other cleaning duties as assigned.
* Kitchen Manager Kentucky Fried Chicken Wichita, KS 2012 - 2015
  + Oversight of operations to involve kitchen, prepping, inventory, and uploading trucks.
  + Skilled trainer insuring teamwork, cleaning duties, and other tasks as assigned.
* Laborer Law Company Construction Wichita, KS 2011 - 2012
  + Laborer specializing in concrete finishing, demolition.
  + Ran bobcat and skid-loader operation along with hand-tool knowledge.
* Delivery Driver Pizza Hut Hutchinson, KS 2006 - 2007
  + Delivered product along with cooking and preparing orders to customer specifications
* Custodian Correctional Solutions Hutchinson, KS 2003 - 2006
  + Cleaning duties to include floor tech and maintenance.
* Line Cook Applewood Grill Hutchinson, KS 2002
  + Grill cook and line cook of all orders to company standards and to customer specs.
* Fry Cook Sirloin Stockade Hutchinson, KS 2001
  + Line Cook working as a team with prepping staff, grill cooks, and expeditors.