



Protecting families worldwide since 1985
from the devastation of range-top fires.



THE GUARDIAN

Stops Range Top Fires In Seconds



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It is estimated that over 12 million home cooking fires go unreported, causing 640,000 injuries annually.

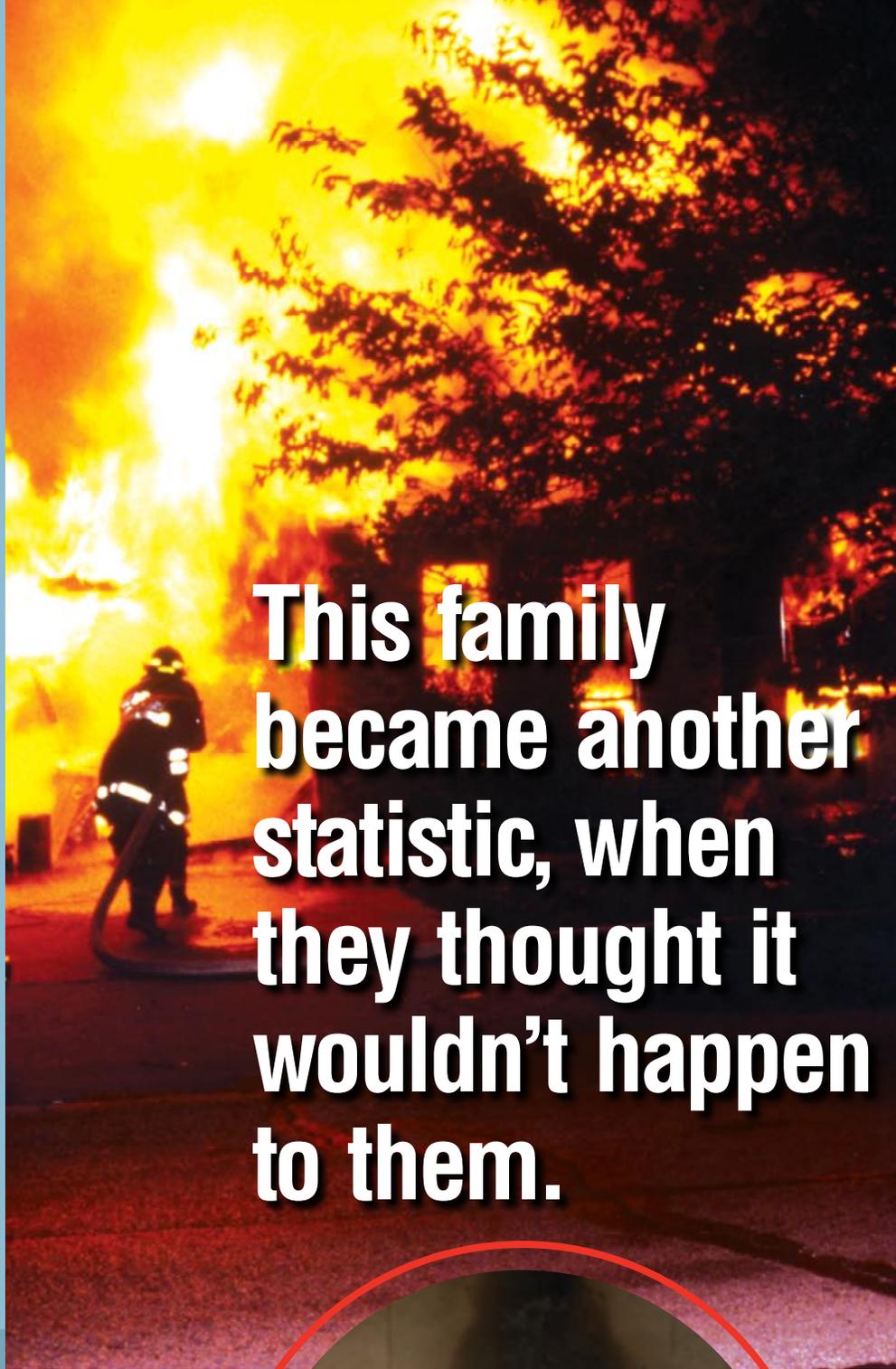
22% of all home fires are cooking related.

Fires strike 1 out of every 6 kitchens annually.

33,000 kitchen fires occur every day.

83% of all civilian fire deaths occurred in residences.

Home cooking equipment fires cause more than 5,000 reported injuries every year.



This family became another statistic, when they thought it wouldn't happen to them.





33% of home fires start in the kitchen – more than any other place in the home.

Cooking fires are the # 1 cause of home fires and home fire injuries.

3,675 people died in fires in the United States in 2005 – that’s 1 person every 143 minutes.

Leaving cooking unattended, including falling asleep, is the LEADING cause of tragedy.



The Ultimate Choice In Residential Fire Protection!

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GUARDIAN III

Electronic Residential Fire Suppression System

When a stove-top fire occurs, the sensor(s) will activate at a pre-determined temperature, notifying the main CPU board to discharge the extinguishers wet agent while simultaneously activating the CPU mounted alarm. Upon system activation, the gas or electricity to the stove is shut off to prevent re-ignition of the fire.

This UL Listed system can also be wired into an existing alarm panel to show activation.

Range top fires are indifferent to cause. Accidents Happen! The phone or doorbell distracts you... A child innocently turns on the burners... Perhaps an elderly person forgets they're cooking. Putting the fire out quickly is imperative to minimize damage and injury to you and your family. The Guardian III offers that speed and protection.



The United States Military determined in 1984 that cooking fires were the leading cause of all base housing fires and injuries. The Guardian was developed to meet those needs and very quickly became the recognized system in military residential facilities.

Since 1985, Twenty First Century International Fire Equipment has become the industry's system of choice for Residential Range Fire Suppression.

- automatic operation
- continuous 24-hour protection
- concealed installation
- easy clean-up
- proven reliability



Chief Robert V.

“Upon investigation, it was discovered that the male occupant of room 223 had placed a pan of oil on the back burner of the electric stove in the kitchenette and walked back to his room while the oil was heating up. A short while later, he heard the alarm sounding from the Guardian system above the hood. The Guardian extinguisher system had quickly extinguished the fire.”

White Sands Fire Department
White Sands Missile Range, NM

Neil L.

“We’ve had the system activated twice because of our folks forgetting that they were heating cooking oil and walking away from the kitchen. Each time it quickly knocked down the fire and at the same time shut down the electricity to the range. I can only imagine how much damage could have been done without your system. It certainly saved the apartments, not to mention the possibility of loss of life.”

Elderly Living Center
De Soto, Texas

Roy A.

“We installed your system in a halfway house several months ago and it was activated the other night. One of the residents put a pan of oil on the stove to heat up then went back to their room and fell asleep. The Guardian System activated, putting out the fire and potentially saving the children in the home.”

Children’s Home
Ottawa, Canada

Joe A.

“One of the students at one of the state colleges was cooking the other night when they inadvertently left the pot of food cooking. The pot caught fire, but your system promptly and quickly activated, putting out the fire and potentially saving many of the other students in the building.”

Fire Protection Company
New Orleans, LA

Reggie L.

“We installed The Guardian System in a rooming house located in a historic building in the middle of the downtown square. Recently one of their guests put a pan of oil on the range, went back to their room, and fell asleep. The Guardian System put out the fire and helped preserve the historic landmark. The local fire department, who is less than 1 mile away from the location, was dispatched only to find that your system had already resolved the incident.”

Fire Protection Company
Manchester, NH



Company Values

Since being founded in 1985, Twenty First Century International Fire Equipment has become the recognized leader in the development and manufacturing of residential range top fire suppression systems.

Our mission is to develop and distribute quality safety products that provide our customers peace of mind, while protecting lives and property from the devastation of cooking fires.

Are you at risk?

- **Have you ever stepped out of the kitchen just to answer the door, grab the telephone, or change clothes while cooking?**
- **Have you ever layed down for a moment, or sat down to watch TV while something simmered on the stove?**
- **Have you ever attempted to cook while on prescription medications or drinking alcohol?**
- **Have you checked your smoke detectors in the past 30 days?**
- **Do you have young children in your home?**
- **Do you have an elderly parent living with you and your family or that you care for in their home?**
- **Do you or anyone in your family use an electric wheelchair, walker, or other mobile assistance devices?**
- **In the event of a fire, do you and your family have an evacuation route and external meeting place already designated (such as a neighbor's lawn or on the sidewalk)?**

According to the NFPA, cooking and kitchen related incidents are the number one cause of fires nationwide. If you answered yes to any of the preceding questions, you and your family are at greater risk for fire and fire-related injuries. Leaving cooking unattended or sleeping while cooking causes more than 40% of fire fatalities each year. Children and the elderly have the greatest percentage of injury and death due to household fires, while 20% of fire deaths are alcohol or drug related. Evacuation confusion and faulty or poorly maintained detection systems are to blame for fires that can burn for 30 to 40 minutes without emergency assistance.

The Guardian III Fire Suppression system extinguishes a range top fire in 120 seconds or less and can alert your local fire and rescue crews immediately; protecting you, your family, and your home from the ravages of household fires.



Installation

Right The First Time

What does it mean to you for The Guardian III System to be pre-engineered and pre-manufactured? It means that the installation process is simple, often taking less than an hour. It also means that the precision details and mechanics of The Guardian III are already assembled by the people who designed them, ensuring optimum performance when activation occurs.

The Guardian III fits any standard residential cabinet with a minimum height of 12" and can be used in ducted or duct free range hoods, making it virtually universal for residential installation.



Warranty

The Guardian Guarantee:

Since The Guardian III System has been engineered for optimum performance and is manufactured under the most stringent quality assurance practices and testing, every system comes with a full 1 year warranty on all parts and workmanship effective from the date of purchase.

The patented Guardian III System is **UL** (Underwriters Laboratories) Listed and has been tested to the most extensive & rigid fire tests to ensure absolute protection for you and your family.

Safety begins at home!

Injury to family members. Loss of home. Irreplaceable family documents. Photos and heirlooms are reduced to ash – the cost of the devastation is immeasurable.

The time to protect your family and home from a range top fire is before it strikes. That's why so many people depend on *The Guardian™* for proven family and home fire protection.

Being prepared for a fire is one of the most important things you can do for your family. Please refer to the following websites for more information on home cooking fires and ways to help keep your family safe, when safety matters most.

<http://www.nfpa.org>

<http://www.fema.gov/hazard/fire/index.shtm>

<http://www.firemarshals.org/mission/residential/>

<http://cms.firehouse.com/content/fhnet/>

Or you can simply contact your local fire department for more information on how you and your family can be prepared in the event a fire or other emergency occurs.



***Protect your family with the newest in fire
safety technologies.***



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