

10 Questions for Liz Butron

1. Do you prefer dead patients or alive? Alive, I like to gossip with them but dead patients also because they complain less.

2. Any other family members' morticians? No I am the only one with the guts to touch a dead person.

3. Do you wear gloves while working with dead bodies? With dead people I do, but alive patients no unless I'm using chemicals of some sort.

4. How often do you wash your hands? I wash my hands all the time after removing the gloves. As a hairstylist, whenever they get dirty and between different costumers. Hair dye stains easily.

5. Does being a mortician haunt you in anyway? At first it was weird but not anymore. Death is just part of life's cycle.

6. What makes your day at work? When I get compliments off people who really like their hair. Some patients say they like it to be nice so when a co-worker compliments it, it's a good feeling too.

7. How long have you been a hairstylist? Since I was about 25 years old, so for about 28 years now.

8. What job is your main job? Hairstylist, I work at Hair Handlers on Lincoln Ave. I'm a mortician at Oak Hill part time.

9. Does it bother your family about dealing with dead bodies? No, my youngest son doesn't really understand the concept of funerals yet. My older daughter no, I cut her hair all the time and my husband no, as long as I don't bring the dead bodies home.

10. How often do you do your own hair? Whenever I need to and get bored. Usually when the roots are showing I re-do it.