

## **MY 2002-2007 Jeep Liberty Fatal Fire Crashes, 2001-2014**

This table includes known fire crashes obtained from NHTSA's Fatal Analysis Crash System (FARS) for Calendar Years 2001-2014 and from public records for other years and for crashes not listed in FARS. Where FARS indicates fire is the most harmful event, that is indicated. Where FARS indicates vehicle in transport, striking tree or other object, that is indicated. Where an autopsy or other public record shows fire was the cause of death, that is indicated.

The Liberty was introduced as a 2002 model year vehicle and is a new version of the Jeep Cherokee that was discontinued after the 2001 model year. The fuel tank in the Liberty was moved from behind the rear axle in the 2008 model year and no crash fire deaths have been reported since then for any 2008-12 model year Liberty through the 2012 FARS data year.

Crash Date by State	Name	City/County	Road	Deaths	Make/Model/Year	FARS #
<b>Alabama</b>						
09/10/06 <sup>F†</sup> (1)	FARS	Butler Co.	I-65	2	2002 Liberty	10848
<b>Alaska</b>						
<b>Arizona</b>						
01/15/04 <sup>F†</sup> (1)	FARS	Tempe	SR-101	1	2004 Liberty	40035
09/18/11 <sup>F†</sup> (1)	FARS	Coconino	SR-260	1	2002 Liberty	40483
<b>Arkansas</b>						
12/18/12*	FARS	Yell Co.	SR-10-04	1	2003 Liberty	50483
<b>California</b>						
03/08/07 <sup>F</sup>	FARS	Yolo Co.	CR-22	1	2002 Liberty	60630
05/06/07 <sup>F</sup>	Justin Quintana, Paul Gerardo	Buena Park	Alondra Blvd.	2	2004 Liberty	61037
04/20/08 <sup>F</sup>	FARS	Rosemead	I-10	1	2003 Liberty	60942
04/30/11**	FARS (embankment)	Trinity Co.	SR-299	2	2002 Liberty	61013
<b>Colorado</b>						
04/04/09 <sup>F</sup>	Ginger Gillepsie, Lois Kelton	Elbert Co.	I-70	2	2004 Liberty	80102
<b>Connecticut</b>						
<b>Delaware</b>						
01/16/07 <sup>F</sup>	FARS (tree)	New Castle Co.	CR-408	1	2004 Liberty	100008
<b>D.C.</b>						
<b>Florida</b>						
11/29/11*	FARS	Yulee	SR-A1A	1	2006 Liberty	121931
<b>Georgia</b>						
04/23/06**	FARS (bridge rail)	Fulton Co.	CR-1386	1	2006 Liberty	130622
<b>Hawaii</b>						
10/28/12*	Nolan Raboy	Wahiawa	CR-803	1	2002 Liberty	150099
<b>Illinois</b>						
<b>Indiana</b>						
02/22/10* <sup>†</sup> (1)	FARS	Wakarusa	SR-119	1	2004 Liberty	180065
<b>Iowa</b>						
<b>Kentucky</b>						

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<b>Louisiana</b>						
10/31/06 <sup>F</sup>	Jaye M. Donahoe	Laplace	I-10	1	2004 Liberty	220571
05/01/09*†(1)	FARS	Avoyelles Par.	SR-107	1	2005 Liberty	220241
<b>Maryland</b>						
03/11/14 <sup>F-A</sup>	Joseph DiGiovanni, Esther DiGiovanni	Williamsport	I-81	2	2004 Liberty	240056
<b>Massachusetts</b>						
10/10/03**	FARS (tree)	Easthampton	Park St.	1	2003 Liberty	250365
12/21/11**	FARS (bridge support)	Sutton	SR-146 N	1	2002 Liberty	250316
11/08/13*†(1)	Adam Taylor	New Bedford	SR-140 N	1	2005 Liberty	250195
<b>Michigan</b>						
11/18/14 <sup>F-A</sup>	Kayla White	Ferndale	Lodge Freeway	1	2003 Liberty	260705
<b>Minnesota</b>						
10/11/03**	FARS (tree)	Itasca Co.	CR-42	2	2002 Liberty	270383
11/15/11*†(2)	FARS	Lake Co.	SR-61	2	2002 Liberty	270291
03/29/12 <sup>F</sup>	FARS	Woodbury	Bielenberg Dr.	1	2002 Liberty	270070
<b>Mississippi</b>						
<b>Missouri</b>						
<b>Nebraska</b>						
<b>Nevada</b>						
<b>New Hampshire</b>						
<b>New Jersey</b>						
08/01/06 <sup>F</sup>	FARS	Ocean Township	Cold Indian Springs Rd.	1	2003 Liberty	340388
<b>New Mexico</b>						
07/17/06**	FARS (overturn)	Mora Co.	I-25	1	2002 Liberty	350327
<b>New York</b>						
08/13/14 <sup>F</sup>	FARS	Melville	I-495	1	2003 Liberty	360598
<b>North Carolina</b>						
09/02/07**	FARS (tree)	Wayne Co.	RP-1353	1	2002 Liberty	371344
<b>North Dakota</b>						
<b>Ohio</b>						
05/16/08 <sup>F</sup>	FARS	Marion Co.	SR-4	1	2003 Liberty	390333
08/29/09 <sup>F</sup>	FARS	Guernsey Co.	I-77	1	2005 Liberty	390570

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08/25/13**	FARS (tree)	Mercer Co.	US-33	1	2002 Liberty	390626
<b>Oklahoma</b>						
04/20/07*†(1)	FARS	Mustang	Mackenzie Way	1	2003 Liberty	400156
<b>Pennsylvania</b>						
11/11/06*	Steven J., Christine, and Nikki Marie Zadjelvich	Berks Co.	I-78	3	2006 Liberty	421180
04/12/07*	FARS	Lebanon Co.	SR-72	1	2004 Liberty	420292
07/25/10 <sup>F</sup>	FARS	Dauphin Co.	SR-300	1	2007 Liberty	420704
06/18/11**	FARS (utility pole)	Lehigh Co.	Tollgate Rd.	1	2004 Liberty	420413
<b>Rhode Island</b>						
04/08/11 <sup>F</sup>	FARS	Warwick	I-95	1	2007 Liberty	440013
<b>South Carolina</b>						
11/19/07 <sup>F</sup>	FARS	Marion Co.	SR-41	3	2005 Liberty	450863
<b>South Dakota</b>						
<b>Tennessee</b>						
09/16/09*†(1)	Jessica Monroe, Robert and Lori Murphy (Crown Victoria)	Knox Co.	US-SR-71	3	2005 Liberty	470644
12/21/13*	FARS	Knoxville	I-40	1	2006 Liberty	
<b>Texas</b>						
09/17/04**	FARS (guardrail face)	San Antonio	1604 Loop	1	2002 Liberty	482078
03/15/07 <sup>F</sup>	FARS	Port Aransas	SR-361	2	2006 Liberty	480790
09/28/07 <sup>F</sup>	FARS	Newton Co.	FM1416	1	2007 Liberty	482108
11/11/08*	FARS	Hardin Co.	SR-105	2	2004 Liberty	482530
12/11/13**	FARS (parked vehicle)	Harris Co.	SR-249 Tomball Pkwy.	1	2007 Liberty	483085
01/11/14 <sup>F-L</sup>	Chantae and Danny Reed	Dallas	I-35E	2	2006 Liberty	480240
<b>Vermont</b>						
<b>Virginia</b>						
<b>Washington</b>						
<b>West Virginia</b>						
<b>Wisconsin</b>						
06/19/09*†(3)	FARS	Ashwaubenon	US-41	4	2006 Liberty	550190

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08/13/14**	FARS (tree)	Waukesha Co.	CR-I	1	2007 Liberty	550261
<b>Wyoming</b>						

**F** Indicated in FARS as most harmful: "fire/explosion."

**\*** Indicated in FARS as most harmful: "motor vehicle in transport" or "motor vehicle in transport in other roadway."

**\*\*** Item in parentheses is most harmful event as indicated in FARS.

**F-A** Fire listed as cause of death in autopsy report or death certificate.

**F-L** Fire indicated as cause of death in litigation.

**F-R** Fire indicated as cause of death in accident report.

**†** Fatality(s) (#) occurred in bullet vehicle