

Tim Farmer to appear at the 2010 Cincinnati Travel,
Sports & Boat Show® January 15 & 16
in the Kentucky Department of Fish & Wildlife booth G2



Friday, January 15, 8 - 9:00 pm
Saturday, January 16, 1 - 3:00 pm

A life-long Kentuckian, Farmer has been an outdoor lover since childhood. He was flyfishing before the age of 8 and squirrel hunting at 10. However, in 1984, a motorcycle accident left the Carter Country outdoorsman without the use of his right arm.

Thanks to a strong will and adaptability, Tim regained the capacity to continue doing the many things he loved. He learned to shoot a rifle cross-shouldered, tie fishing line with his mouth, and shoot a bow and arrow with his teeth (with bull's eye accuracy). In 1995, this resiliency led him to Kentucky Afield. Each week, he finds himself in the woods and on the water from Pikeville to Paducah.

The disability, however, is hardly noticeable on screen.

"It's not really a distraction at all," Farmer says. "It's simply how I and many Kentuckians must live our life, I'm just lucky to be in a position to share the joys of the outdoors with viewers around the state at the same time. Many have called me to ask how they can overcome physical barriers themselves to get back to enjoying the outdoors. For most, it wasn't as difficult as they thought."

Farmer is a husband, father of two daughters who have grown up on the show through occasional appearances. He believes that any place outdoors can be a place for families; men, women, boys and girls alike.