# EAA106 Virtual Project Visit: Mark Sawyer and his RV-9

A live, on-line project visit with Mark and his RV-9 which is under WHAT: construction – Like a house, the structure is done but the plumbing and wiring is just underway. As aircraft builders say, it's 90% done, 90% to go. Mark is a 1<sup>st</sup>-time builder and he'll share why he selected the RV-9, the build process and lessons learned. Please feel free to ask questions and if you'd like to submit any questions in advance, send them to: EAA106.INFO@gmail.com (we'll forward them to Mark)

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 5 at 6:30 PM (Eastern) WHEN:



Mark shared his background:

My Dad was a GA pilot and I spent many a weekend hanging out with him at local airports walking the rows of airplanes. Way back then there were 3 GA airports within 10 miles of our house. My first trip to the EAA Fly-in was when it was still in Rockford Illinois! I started flying lessons when I was 15 years old, and soloed shortly after my 16<sup>th</sup> birthday. Biggest aviation thrill was a surprise birthday present from my wife of an hour of aerobatics in a P-51. I started my RV-9 project 10 years ago while still working, so for a long time it was a periodic weekend project only. I retired 2 years ago (engineering in bio-technology), got my CFI and am now teaching at 7B3. Once 817MK is completed (18 to 24 months) the dream is for my wife (Kris) and I to tour the country.

## MORE INFO about the Van's Aircraft RV-9:

https://www.vansaircraft.com/rv-9/

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