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Veterans Day 2019



Dr. Glenn James

Associate Provost

Chair of Veterans Day Planning Committee



“I’m honored to work with so many student vets and their families, who have profound experiences of the original call from Bishop Dubuis, ‘Our Lord Jesus Christ,...seeks relief at your hands.’”


Wherever there is a human being, there is an opportunity for kindness.
~Seneca







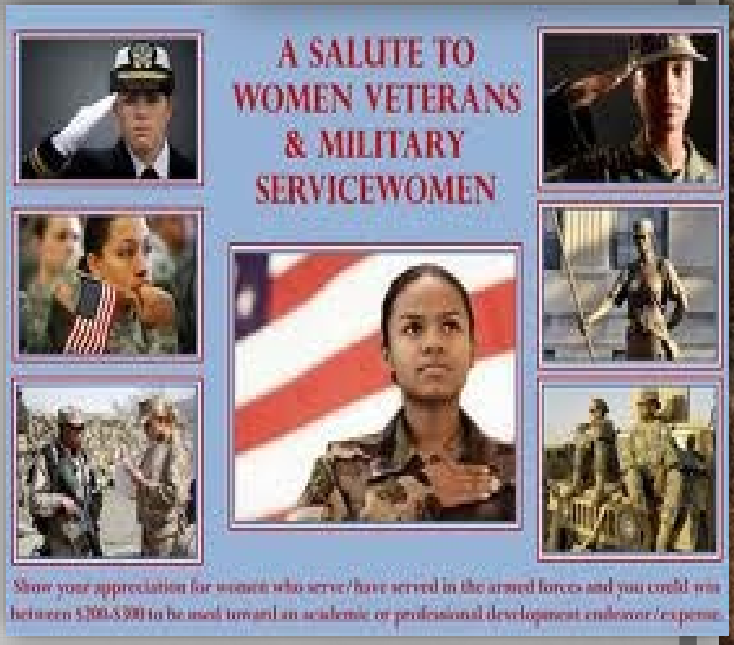





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SFC (RET) JAMES CUMMINGS III

MAJOR (RET) LATIBA D. CUMMINGS

BRIGADIER GENERAL SUE ELLEN TURNER

U.S. AIR FORCE 1965-1995

30-year veteran of the U.S. Air Force. Entering in 1965 as a 2nd Lieutenant, she rose to the top of her profession during a time in history when only 2% of the general officers were women.



BRIGADIER GENERAL SUE ELLEN TURNER

BORN IN CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Incarnate Word College
BS Nursing 1973



"At this point in my busy life, I write and work mostly for fun and occasionally compensation. I am passionate about opera, and frequently travel around the country to wherever grand opera is performed."





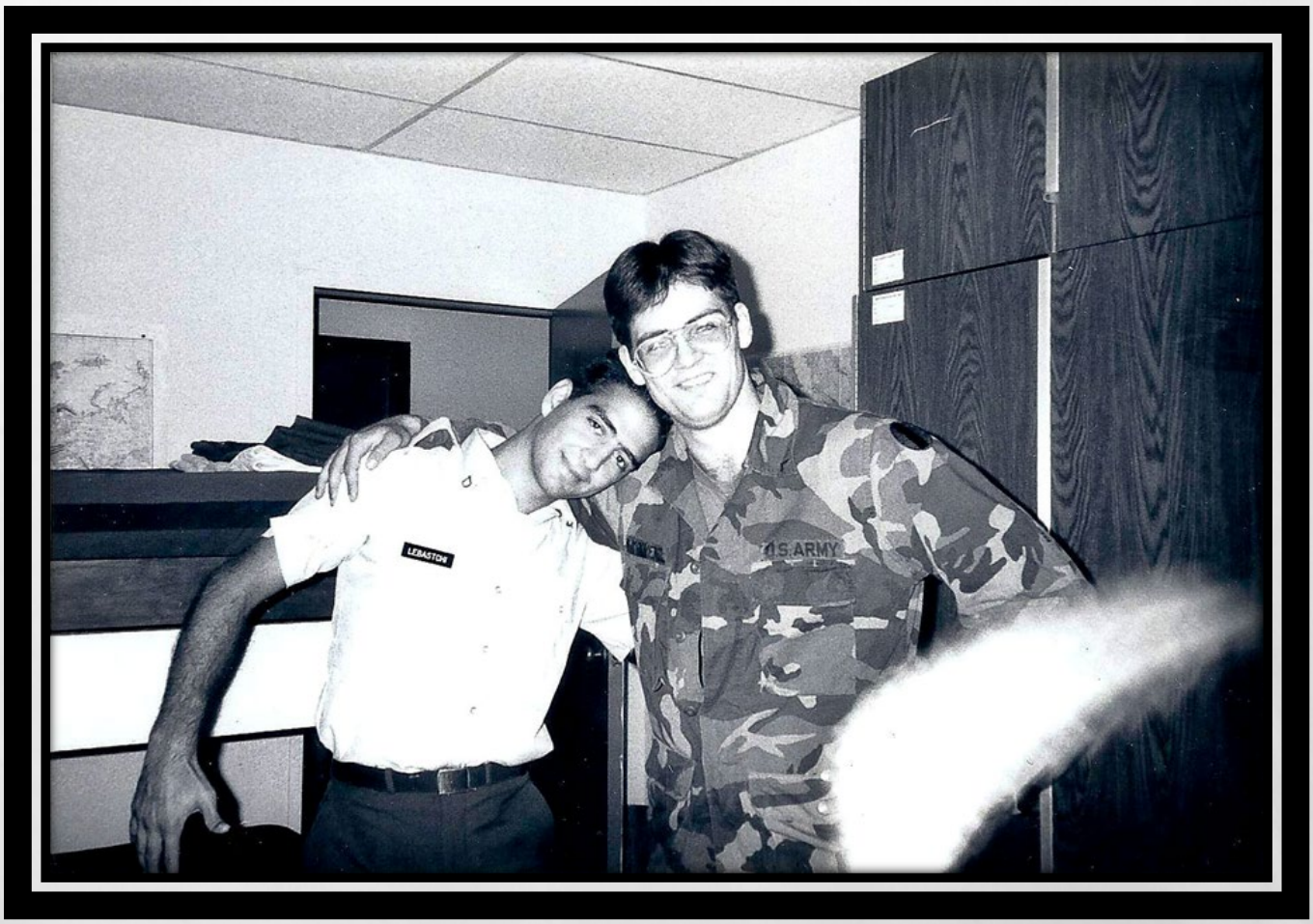








Jeff Crane
U.S. Army Veteran



PATRICE COOKHORNE



US Army Reserve 2007 – 2013
Iraq War Veteran
Operation Enduring Freedom
Operation New Dawn



W. Jeffery McDaniel

Captain

U.S. Army



Luis R. Mercado , 1st SGT, USA , Retired
Honduras, Kosovo, Kuwait, Iraq



Jaime Z. González





Francisco Rosario , Jr., SFC, USA
Operation Enduring Freedom
Active Duty, Ft. Sam Houston





LT. COLONEL
JOHN T. NORRIS, SR.
U.S. ARMY, 32 YEARS



Korea

Vietnam

Father of John T. Norris, Jr. CPA
UIW

JAIME Z. GONZALEZ
ASSISTANT PROFESSOR & ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE (CLINICAL) EDUCATION
SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL THERAPY



Retired, US Army
20 Years
Medic and Physical Therapist
OIF Combat Veteran

CAPTAIN OMAR CRUZ
US ARMY
8 YEARS OF SERVICE



KATHY ALLWEIN
US ARMY
1978-1981
UIW 2012



DR. WILLIAM CARLETON
USMC 1966-1971

HELICOPTER PILOT
VIETNAM VET 1968-69

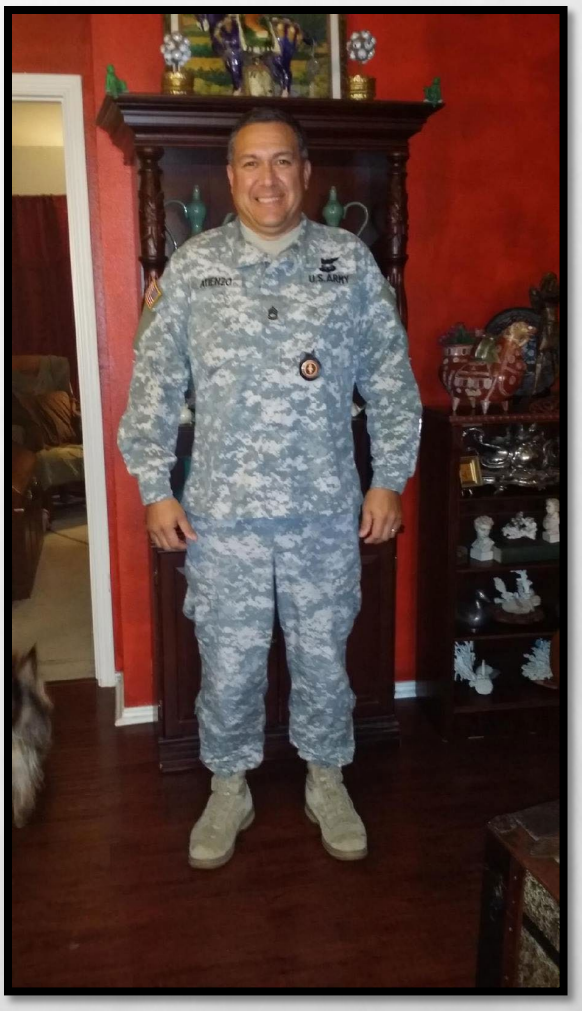




Dr. Forest S. Kim

LEE ATIENZO
US ARMY
20 YEARS - RETIRED





EDUARDO BOTELLO
US ARMY
WORLD WAR II VETERAN



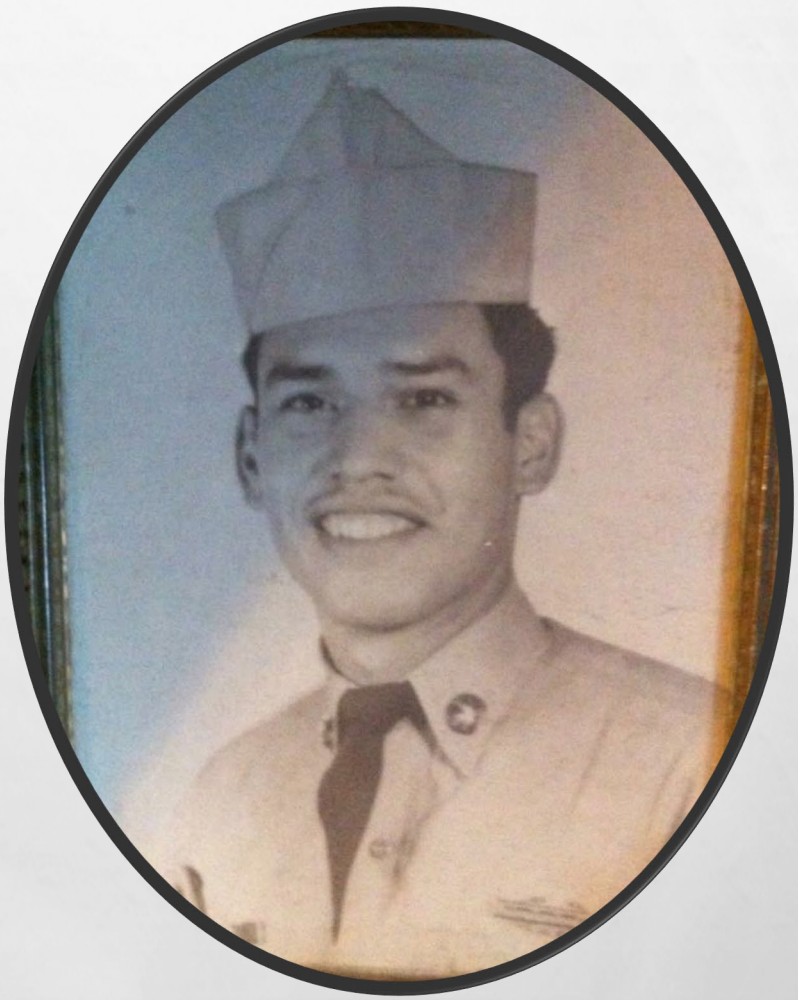






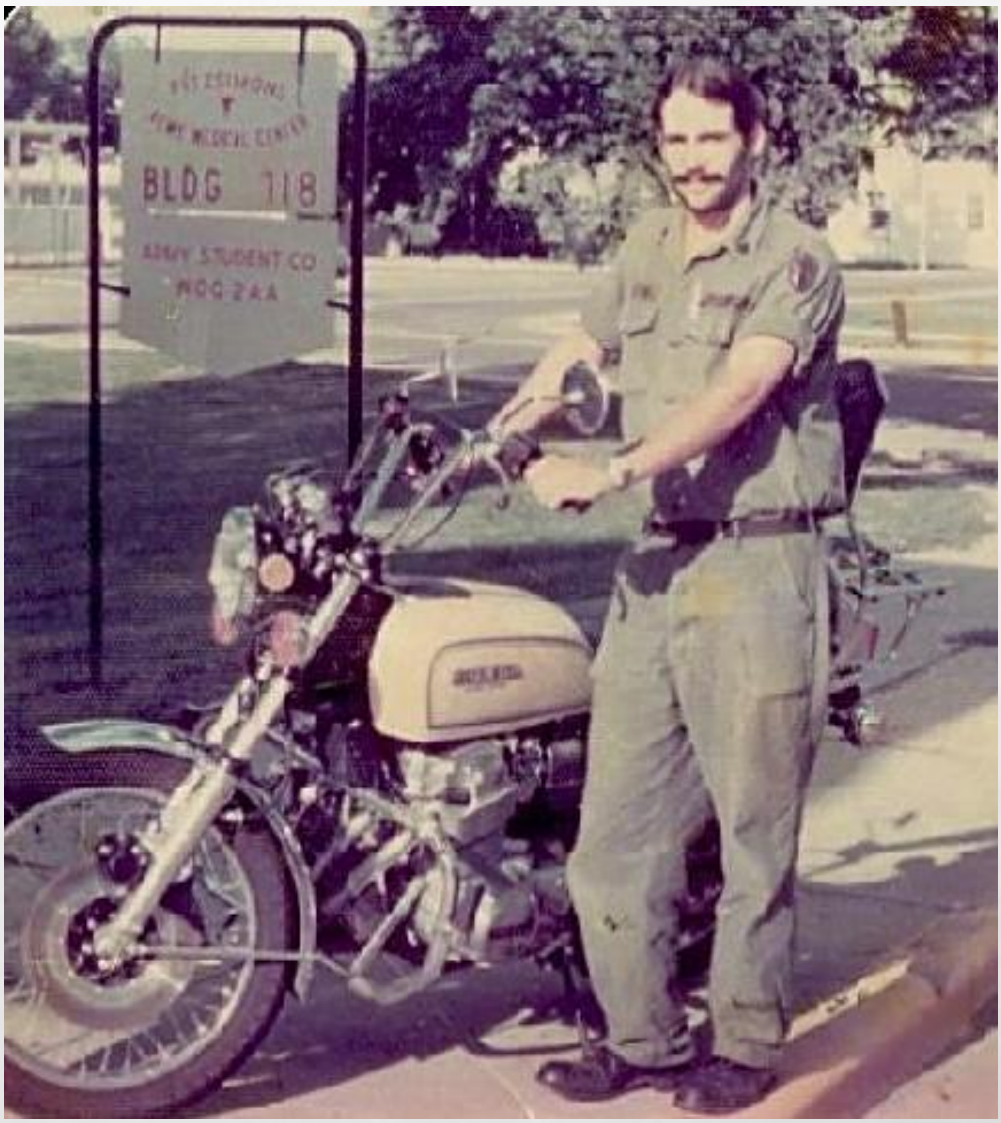
Cynthia Richardson, RN, MSN, CNE

JOSE H. LANDES
US ARMY
KOREAN WAR





Tony Dasher



John Edward Rogers III

Andy Benavidez
US Army

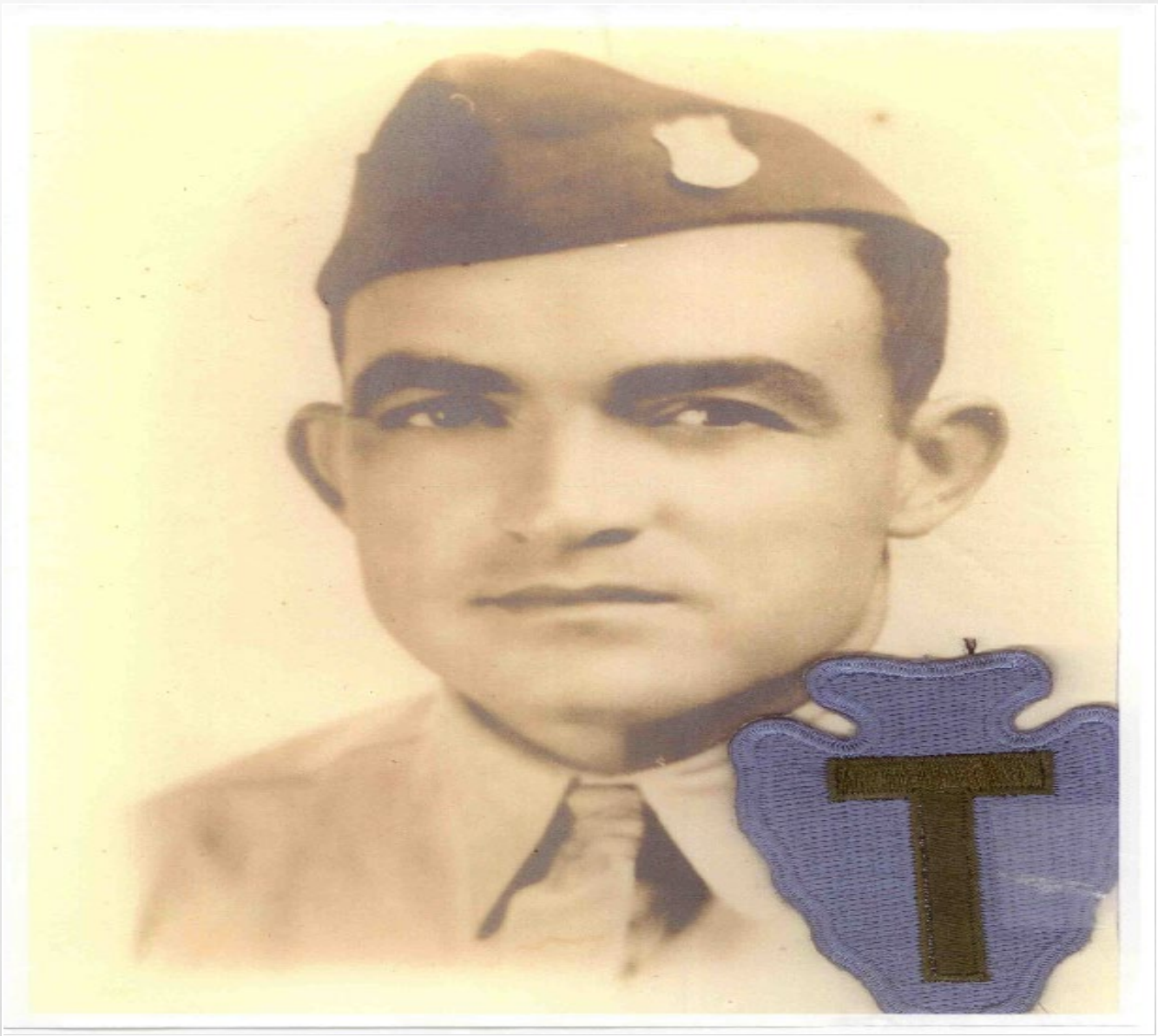


Angela L. Benavidez
US Army

Joseph D. Mendoza



Pedro Lopez, Sr.
U.S. Army, World War II





Gabriel Gonzales

US Army RA





Robert Bruce

34 years of service
Army, Retired



combat Medic

James Michael Wilde

United States Army



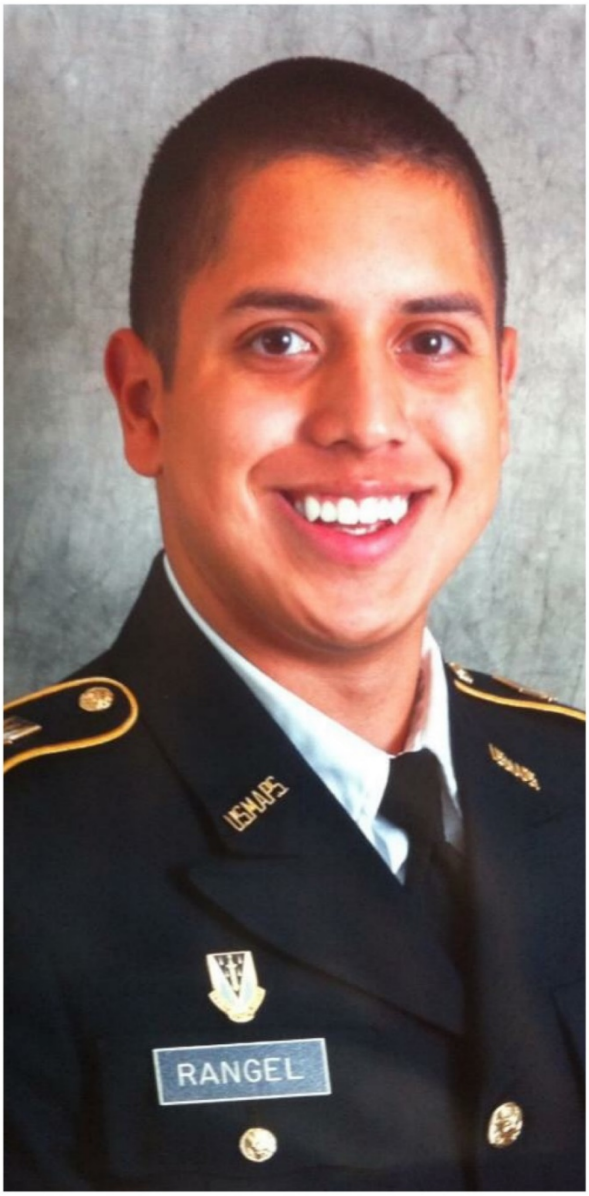
Army Veteran: INFANTRY

Santiago Gonzales



Chief Warrant Officer Two

- Michael P. Matthie with wife (Taylor Matthie
- U.S. Army & currently deployed to The Middle East

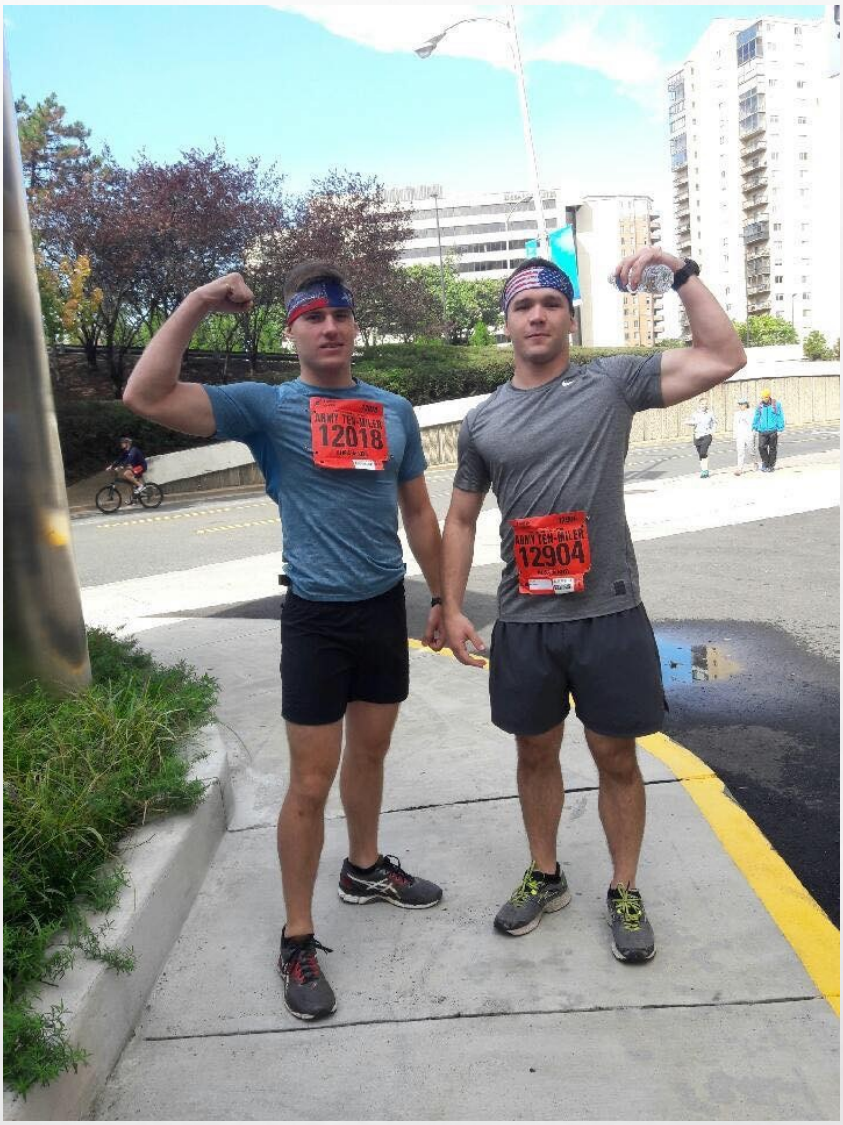




Landes B. Rangel

USA/USAF, 2013 – Present

USAF Security Forces/Combat Arms Instructor



Austin Dyer (L) & *Danie Kidd* (R)

Both future Army
(currently ROTC cadets at UIW)
Graduation date May 2019

ANTHONY CISNEROZ
UNITED STATES ARMY
20 YEARS



SGT ARTURO BRIESENO MARTINEZ

Service Member SGT ARTURO BRIESENO MARTINEZ

Return to Service Member Profiles

Conflict KOREAN WAR
Service UNITED STATES ARMY
Status Unaccounted For



Sgt ARTURO BRIESENO MARTINEZ

Unit H&HS CO 2 ENGR 2ID
Historical Country of Loss
North Korea
Current Country of Loss
KOREA, NORTH
Home of Record TEXAS

By mid-November 1950, U.S. and Allied forces had advanced to within approximately sixty miles of the Yalu River, the border between North Korea and China. On November 25, approximately 300,000 Chinese Communist Forces (CCF) "volunteers" suddenly and fiercely counterattacked after crossing the Yalu. The 2nd Infantry Division, located the farthest north of units at the Chongchon River, could not halt the CCF advance and was ordered to withdraw to defensive positions at Sunchon in the South Pyongan province of North Korea. As the division pulled back from Kunu-ri toward Sunchon, it conducted an intense rearguard action while fighting to break through well-defended roadblocks set up by CCF infiltrators. The withdrawal was not complete until December 1, and the 2nd Infantry Division suffered extremely heavy casualties in the process.

Sergeant Arturo Brieseno Martinez, who joined the U.S. Army from Texas, served with the Headquarters, Headquarters and Service Company of the 2nd Engineer Combat Battalion, 2nd Infantry Division. He went missing on November 30, 1950, during his unit's withdrawal from Kunu-ri to Sunchon. No one saw him fall, and his body was not recovered during or immediately after the battle. One of the POWs who returned after Armistice mentioned Sergeant Martinez died after capture, though the Army Adjutant General was not able to verify that information. His remains have not been identified among any returned to U.S. custody after the cease fire. Today, Sergeant Martinez is memorialized on the Courts of the Missing at the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific.



RALPH PITTMAN, US ARMY

SSG MICHAEL FLOORE II

US ARMY 12 YEARS
CURRENTLY SERVING IN THE TEXAS NATIONAL GUARD
UIW ROTC



SANDRA ELLEN ALENA O'DELL
US ARMY
CLASS OF 2008



ABEL DE HOYOS
U.S. ARMY 1988-1991
UIW ALUMNI





CPT (R) LESLIE M. DUBOIS



DR. DAVID LEWIS BUSH
RET SFC
U.S. ARMY



1SG PABLO L. URESTE
US ARMY
1997 - PRESENT



ALBERT MATA
1ST ARMOUR DIVISION



TONY DASHER, CAPT, MSC
U.S. ARMY



SFC (RET) CHRISTOPHER L. MARMOLEJO

U.S. ARMY
1998-2018





JEANNETTE CHILDS
U.S. ARMY





DANIEL FORNEY U.S. ARMY





DONALD FORNEY
U.S. ARMY
PURPLE HEART RECIPIENT



Eduardo Botello

U.S. Army

WWII Veteran

May 19, 1925 – September 17, 2020









NAME		SERVICE ERA YEARS OF SERVICE
RICHARD	MURPHY	2
GAVIN	PALMA	8
ROBERT	PAREDES	27
WILLIAM DAVID	PEARCE	WW II ERA
JACOB	POULSON	7
JOSE	REYNA II	4
CHUCK	RICHARDS	4
CYNTHIA	RICHARDSON	15
GIL	RICHARDSON	30
RYAN	RICHARDSON	4
GORDON	ROBBINS, JR.	10
MICHELLE	ROBERTS	19
LUIS	ROJAS	19
FRANCISCO	ROSARIO	AD
JOHN	RYAN	VIETNAM ERA
OSCAR	SAENZ	5
JOSE	SANTIAGO-GONZALEZ	2 (WIA OIF)
ROBERT	SETTLE	26





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
RICARDO	SILVA	20
DANNY	TAYLOR	15
SCOTT	TAYLOR	4
LEROY	TORRES	18
JOSE R.	TREVINO	WW II ERA
LAWRENCE	VAN DALEY	4
WILLIAM	VELAZQUEZ	
AUGUSTINE	VERALA	22
RAMIRO	VILLARREAL	VIETNAM ERA
MIGUEL	VILLARREAL	VIETNAM ERA
SAM	WAGES	21
JIM	WATTS	2
JAMES	WERLINE	7
PETER	WILLIAMS	2
KEVIN	WILLIS	10
ERNEST	YBARRA, JR.	KOREA ERA
SAA'I' D A-H	YOHANNES	8
STEVE	YUNKER	5





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
JOHN T.	NORRIS (32 YRS)	KOREA VIETNAM
JOSE R.	TREVINO	WW II (PEARL HARBOR)
RICKY	TILBURY	5
JOHN	NEWMAN	4
	GERMANY: VIETNAM:	82 AIRBORNE 33RD RANGER BATTALION COMBAT INFANTRY BADGE
TERRANCE	HINSON (RET.)	12
DEREK	SALINAS	7 YRS (IRAQ VET)





NAME		SERVICE YEARS OF SERVICE
LLOYD	JULIUS	25
SYDNEY E.	KING	KOREA ERA
ROBERT	KUNCZT	30
ROGER	LABAT	28
NATHAN	LATHROP	21
LORNA	LEWIS	20
DAVID	LUNDBERG	3
MICHAEL	MARTINEZ	8
AMADOR	MATA	6
WILLIAM	MATHESON	VIETNAM ERA
RUSSELL	MCCLINTON	21
MICHAEL	MCCOLLOM	VIETNAM ERA
ANDRES	MEDRANO, JR	4
ANDRES	MEDRANO, SR.	WW II ERA
JAIME	MELENDEZ	17
LUIS	MERCADO	24
TINNA	MILLER	4
ERIC	MOORE	
JOHN	MOREAU	7
LONNY	MURDOCK	26





	NAME	SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
PAUL R.	FAYFICH	VIETNAM ERA
CHARLES	FERRIS	2
NORMAN	FERRIS	VIETNAM ERA
JAMES	FILUT	VIETNAM ERA
JOHN	FITZGERALD	2
KEVIN	FLOWERS-PETTUS	3
LOUIS	FOX	9
RICHARD	GALLEGO	9
NEIL	GLENESK	30
ORB	GREENWALD	VIETNAM ERA
DANIEL A.	GRIFFITH	1994-PRESENT
JESSIE	HAMMOND	
WILLIAM	HANSON	2
SUSAN W.	HARMON	VIETNAM
MICHAEL F.	HARMON	
WILLIAM	HASEWINKLE	20
RICHARD L.	HENDERSON	3
TIMOTHY	HENRICH	6
SAMUEL	HENRICH	6
MIKE	HUFFMAN	4
MIKE	JOHNSON	2





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
ALEJANDRO	CRUZ	1952-1954
ALEJANDRO	CRUZ JR.	1971-1974
ARTURO	CRUZ	1965-1966/VIETNAM (AIRBORNE)
EDDIE	CRUZ	1975-1978
ALFREDO	CRUZ	4YRS (KOREAN WAR)
ALVARO	CRUZ	4YRS (KOREAN WAR)
JESUS	DIAZ	20+ YRS (WORLD WAR II) (KOREAN WAR)
JOE	DIAZ	1955-1981/VIETNAM (AIRBORNE)
JULIO	DIAZ	1946-1947 (KOREAN WAR)
RICHARD	DIAZ	1958-196[illegible]





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
JOSEPH	HERNANDEZ	2007-2009 AFGHAN WAR
ELIZABETH	OLIVO	2007-PRESENT
JOHN	OLIVO	1976-1999
ROY	GARCIA	1990-1994 2007-PRESENT GULF WAR ARMY & USAF
WILLIE	ORNELAS	1967-1968/VIETNAM
FRANCISCO	ROMERO	1968-1970
GEORGE	ROMERO	1971-1974
HECTOR	ROMERO	1980-1983
NOEL	ROMERO	1976-1980
RICARDO	ROMERO	1970-1973
JOSE	TREVINO	1941-1945/WWII
NILSA	VALLE PADILLA	1979-1999
ALEX	SONNIER	VIETNAM
VERNON	OLIVER	1983-1993





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
DAVID	ALLWEIN	20 YEARS, RETIRED
KATHY	ALLWEIN	3 YEARS
DR. CRAIG	MCCARRON (UIW)	1984-1990
----------	3 GENERATIONS	----------
SGT MANUAL	TREVINO	GRANDFATHER
SGT ROBERTO	TREVINO SR.	FATHER
SGT ROBERTO	TREVINO JR.	SON
SGT MICHAL	FLOORE II	12 YEARS
ABEL	DEHOYOS	
CPT LESLIE	DUBOIS	
DR. DAVID	BUSH	
1SG PABLO L.	URESTE	
CPT TONY	DASHER	
SANDRA	O'DELL	













Louis “Q” Iverson

Cynthia Richardson
Ila Faye Miller School of Nursing
Senior Instructor & SNA Faculty Advisor
University of the Incarnate Word

U.S. Army, Major, Retired
Nurse Corps

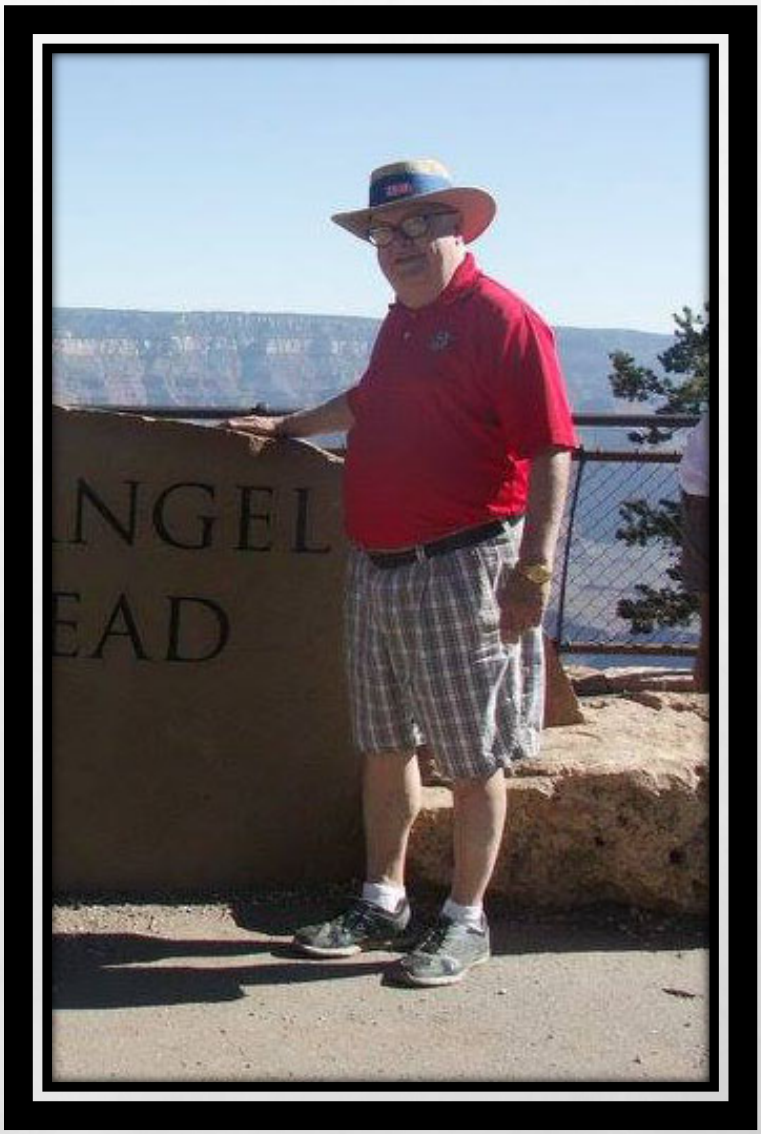
Spouse: Gil Richardson
U.S. Army Chaplain, Retired

Son: Ryan Richardson
U.S. Army
5 Years Tomb Guard
Arlington National Cemetery



LTC Mike Costello, IWC,1974.
Retired USAF

John Leisering
USAF Staff Sargent
Vietnam War
Stationed in Taipei, Taiwan, and Berlin, Germany



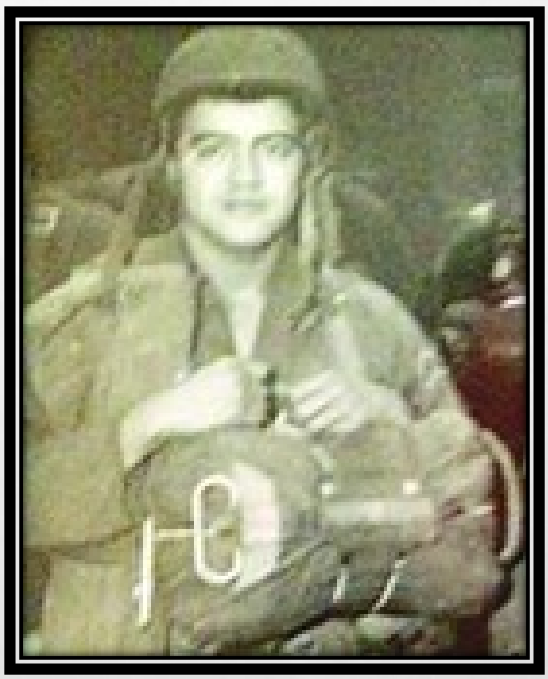


Dr. Juan Gonzalez

NATALIE AYALA
USAF – 4 YEARS



JOSE LEAL
RETIRED AIR FORCE



MAJOR RALPH FLANIGAN
AIR FORCE
26 YEARS OF SERVICE



JOSE F. MARTINEZ



Captain Laurie Singel
6 Years – USAF Nurse Corps
UIW Assistant Professor

Colonel Kenneth Singel
28 Years- USAF
Husband of Laurie Singel



Terence Peak, M.Ed.
6 Years- USAF
Coordinator of Technology Training
Department of Instructional Technology
University of the Incarnate Word



KAREN WEIS

USAF 1986-2015

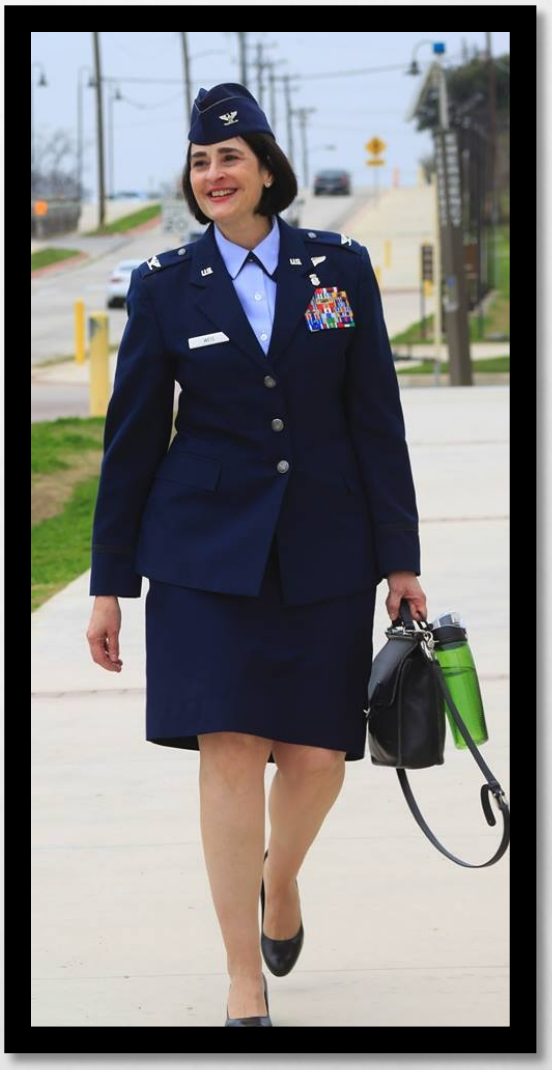
OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM X2

DESERT SHIELD/STORM

NORTHERN WATCH

PROVIDE PROMISE





DEAN WEIS

USAF

KOREAN WAR





Ralph M. Flanigan, Jr., Major (USAF, Ret.)

Being awarded the Air Force Meritorious Service Medal upon the occasion of his retirement from the Air Force after 26 years, 10 months, and 26 days of service.



Janice Davila

United States Air Force



Phillip J. Rangel

1986 – 2014



Natalie Ayala

United Stated Air Force
4 Years





MSGT Arturo Trevino

USAF

WWII, Korea & Vietnam Veteran



CDR Norm Youngblood in the RF-8 aircraft
He was the Commanding Officer for one of the squadrons that photographed the Soviet missiles in Cuba during the Cuban Missile Crisis in the early 1960's.

Jose Martinez
Director, International Student & Scholar Services

9 Years - USAF



MICHAEL ANTHONY MENDOZA II



U.S. AIR FORCE

JIM & CONNIE NELSON

U.S. AIR FORCE

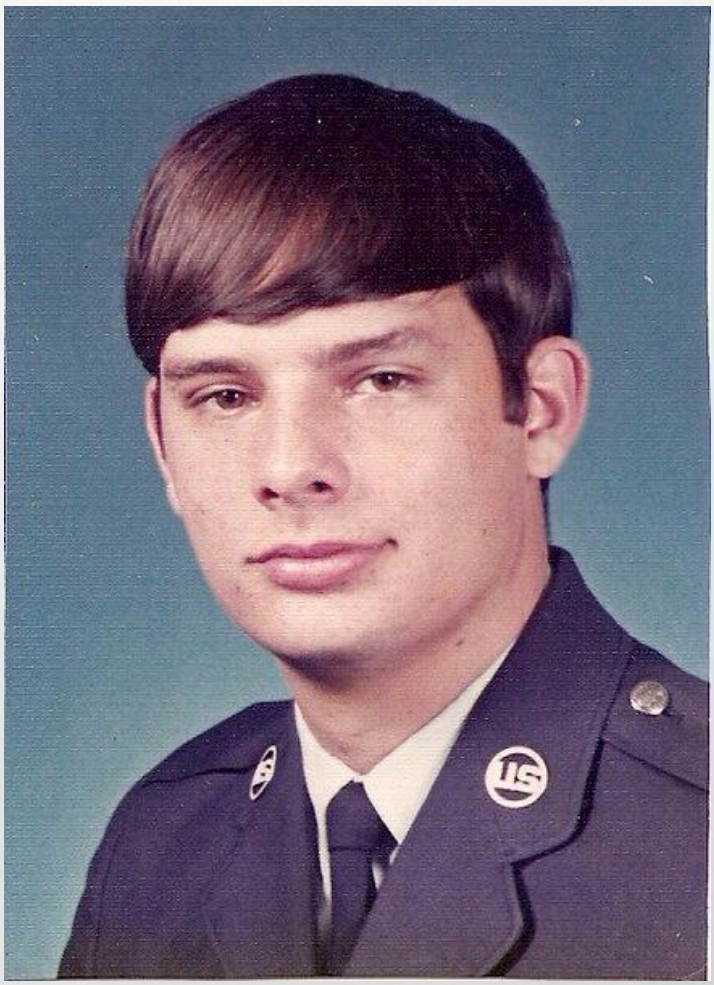


KENNETH SANCHEZ



U.S. AIR FORCE

ARTHUR K. WRIGHT
U.S. AIR FORCE



VALERIE NEGRON
U.S. AIR FORCE



ANNETTE BARNES

UIW ALUMNI 2002





TSGT EBONI STEWART



SALVADOR SALAZAR
USAF RETIRED
BAAS ‘05, M.A. ‘12



JENNIFER GONZALEZ
RETIRED AIR FORCE



Jose Leal

Retired Air Force

April 19, 1930 – May 15, 2015







NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
AURORA	ACOSTA	18 -PRESENT
MICHAEL	ALCORTA	5
EMMA	ALEXANDER	6
TREVOR	ALEXANDER	20
CHARLES	ALLWEIN	VIETNAM ERA
CYRIL	ALLWEIN	VIETNAM ERA
DAVID	ALLWEIN	COLD WAR ERA
STEVE	ARTALE	4
LISETH	AVILEZ	3
MATEO	AYALA	3
NORBERTO	BADILLO	19
LEANDRO	BALLASTEROS	6
KENNETH	BERQUIST	30
LESLIE	BLEASMASTER, III	3
SCOTT	BUCHANAN	
CLIFF	CARUTHERS	5
TOM	CARUTHERS	5
LEO	CASARES, JR.	OIF/OEF
ROBERT G.	CASTILLO	VIETNAM
ROBERT L.	CASTILLO, JR.	





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
RICHARD	ALLWEIN	KOREA ERA
SCOTT	ALLWEIN	OIF/OEF ERA
APRIL	AMES-CHASE	20
DIAHN	BOLDWARE DAVIS	
EARL	BOLDWARE	COLD WAR ERA
EDWARD	BOLDWARE	
MORRIS	BOLDWARE	VIETNAM ERA
GERALD	BONNER	3
FLORINE L.	CASTILLO	15
WILLIAM	CRAVEN	30
DAVID	DEROUEN	16
BELINDA A.	DOHERTY	19 (ACTIVE)





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
TOMMY	CRAYTON, JR.	WW II ERA (USAAF)
PHILLIP	CHEMINELLO	VIETNAM ERA
GLEN	CLERE	20
JANET	CLERE	3
CHAWN	CONE	AD
TOMMY	CRAYTON, JR.	WW II ERA (USAAF)
CHARLES	DAKE	
BOB	DALTON	5
CELINA	DELGADO	3
WILLIAM	DOCKERY	OIF/OEF ERA
JACK	DONOHUE	21
MARK	DRISCOLL	3
CHARLES	ELSLANDER	KOREA, WW II ERA
ISAIS	ENRIQUEZ	OIF/OEF ERA
ANTHONY (CODY)	EWERS	
DION	EWERS	DESERT STORM ERA
DONALD H.	EWERS	VIETNAM ERA
JOHN M.	EWERS	OIF/OEF ERA
LORRAINE	EWERS	VIETNAM ERA
SCOTT	EWERS	





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
MARIA	EDWARDS	10
JON A.	EWERS	VIETNAM ERA
DAVID F.	EWERS	OIF/OEF ERA
BRIAN	GLASGOW	27 (ACTIVE)
FERN	GLASGOW	24 (ACTIVE)
GLENN	JAMES	20
DOUGLAS	JAMES	28
ROBYN	JOHNSON	23
KEN	KIRBY	VIETNAM ERA
AMHERST (BOB)	LAMB	RET.
MARIA	LANGSTON-REYNA	24
MARK	MARTINEZ	4
JOSE F.	MARTINEZ, JR.	9





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
JOSE F.	MARTINEZ	9
HAROLD	RODINSKY	VIETNAM ERA
THOMAS A.	AUMAN	1965-1969/VIETNAM (VIETNAM)
YOGI	CRUZ	1980-1984
YGNACIO	DIAZ	1963-1967/VIETNAM 1971-1983
TERESA	EATON	1979-1999
JAMES	FETTY	1939-1969
GUADALUPE	GARCIA	1965-1985
QUINTON	OLIVER	2010
LARRY	OLIVER	1965-1971
STEVE	WILSON	21
PAUL	WARNER	20





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
KEVIN	MCCOLLOM	21
ALAN	MILLS	
TERENCE	PEAK	6
TIMOTHY	PORTER	COLD WAR ERA
JOSE	REYNA	24
JANEY E.	RUSK	4
JODY	RUSSEL	20
ROBERT	RYAN	26
LOUIS C.F.	SILVAS, II	20
DONALD	TYSON	9
DOMINIC	VARGAS	23
KELLY	WALLS	8
SARAH	WILLIAMS	30
LISA	WILLIS	17





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
PHILIP	MULLIGAN	1942-1972
RUBEN	DELEON	
MEGAN	DELEON	
THOMAS	REED (TSGT)	21 YRS DESERT SHIELD DESERT STORM UIW GRADUATE (MAY 2012)
JOSE F.	MARTINEZ JR.	9 YEARS
JAMES R.	GREEN	1985-2009 DESERT STORM KOSOVO WAR OP END FREEDOM OP IRA FREEDOM





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
ARTHUR	WRIGHT	
VALERIE	NEGRON	
ANNETTE	BARNES	
EBONI	STEWART	
SALVADOR	SALAZAR	



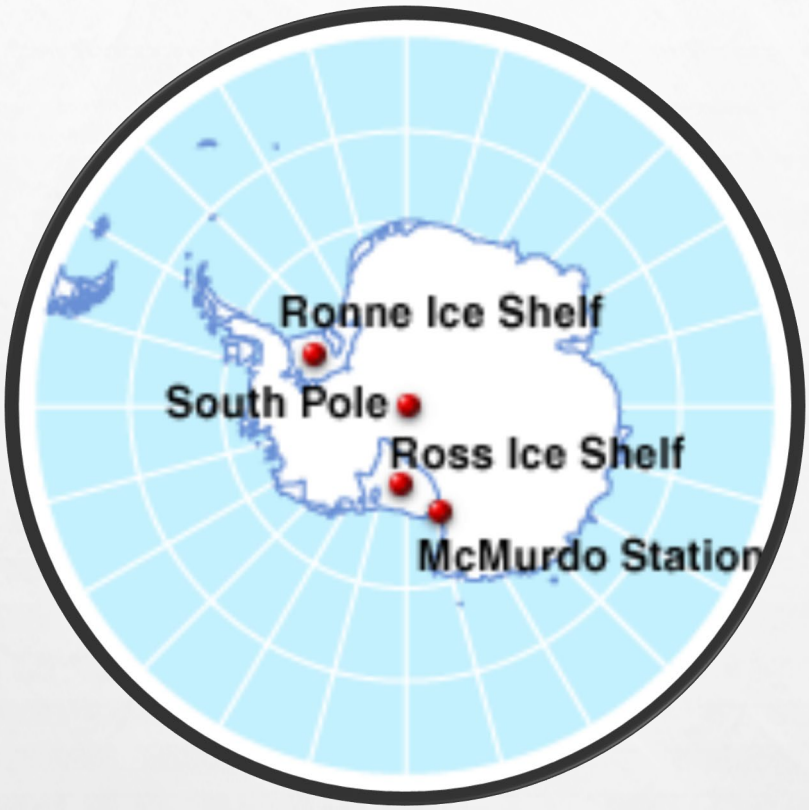







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Antarctica

“The Last Frontier”

A Coast Guard icebreaker patrols the coasts of McMurdo Sound, Antarctica, where a major United States research and exploration base is stationed.





DRUG ENFORCEMENT







MARITIME LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD







ALEXANDER PALMER HALEY, USCG, WAS A WORLD RENOWNED WRITER AND A COAST GUARD VETERAN. HIS MOST FAMOUS WORK WAS THE CLASSIC "*ROOTS*".



Born: Ithica, NY; Aug. 11, 1921

Served in WW II & Korea

In 1952, USCG created the Journalist rating after discovering his writing talent.

Retired as a Chief Journalist in 1959.



"The Bull Dog of the Bearing"

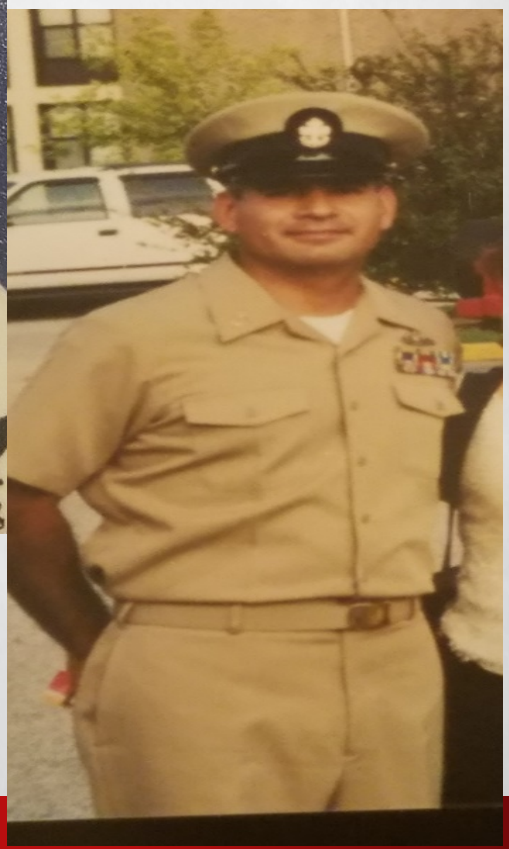
USCGC Alex Haley
Kodiak, Alaska

CHRISTINE BENAVIDES
COAST GUARD



ALFRED VAN RAUB JR.









NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
DAVID	SKASIK	4
JEFFREY	OLIVER	22
BETTY	OLIVER	4.6
ALEXANDER	HALEY	1959
KEVIN	MCCARRON	1981-1993







UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS







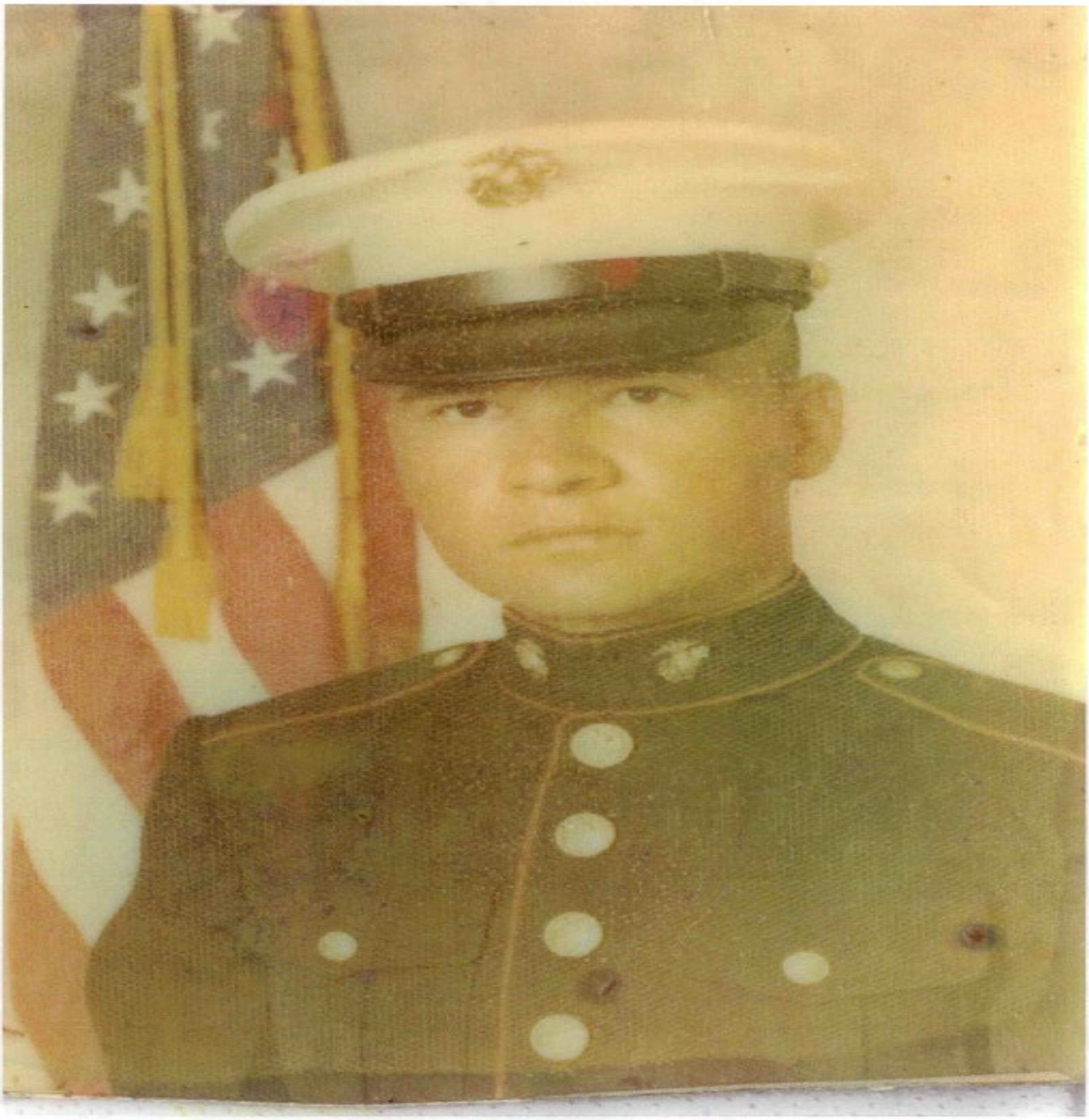




Dr. Norbert Cywinski, SSGT

U.S. Marine Corps
WWII & Korean conflict

Pedro Lopez, Jr.
U.S. Marine Corps, Vietnam





Bill Carleton & Joey Vatanadilok

Bill Carleton, Captain, USMC 1966-71, Viet Nam 68/69 Helicopter Pilot

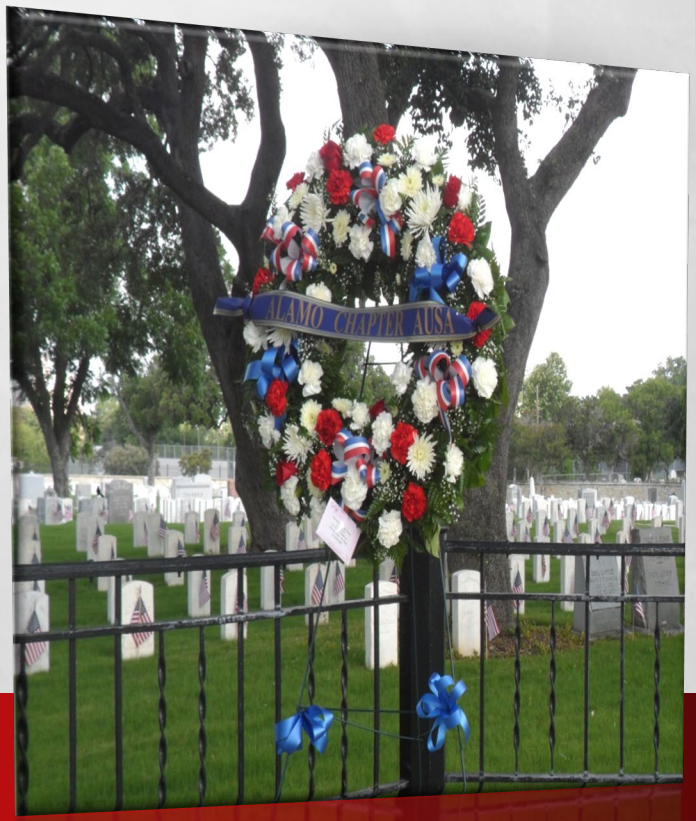
Francis X. James
U.S.M.C. Korean War Veteran




ELIZABETH S
CYWINSKI
SEP 17 1933
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WIFE OF SGT
NORBERT F
CYWINSKI USMC
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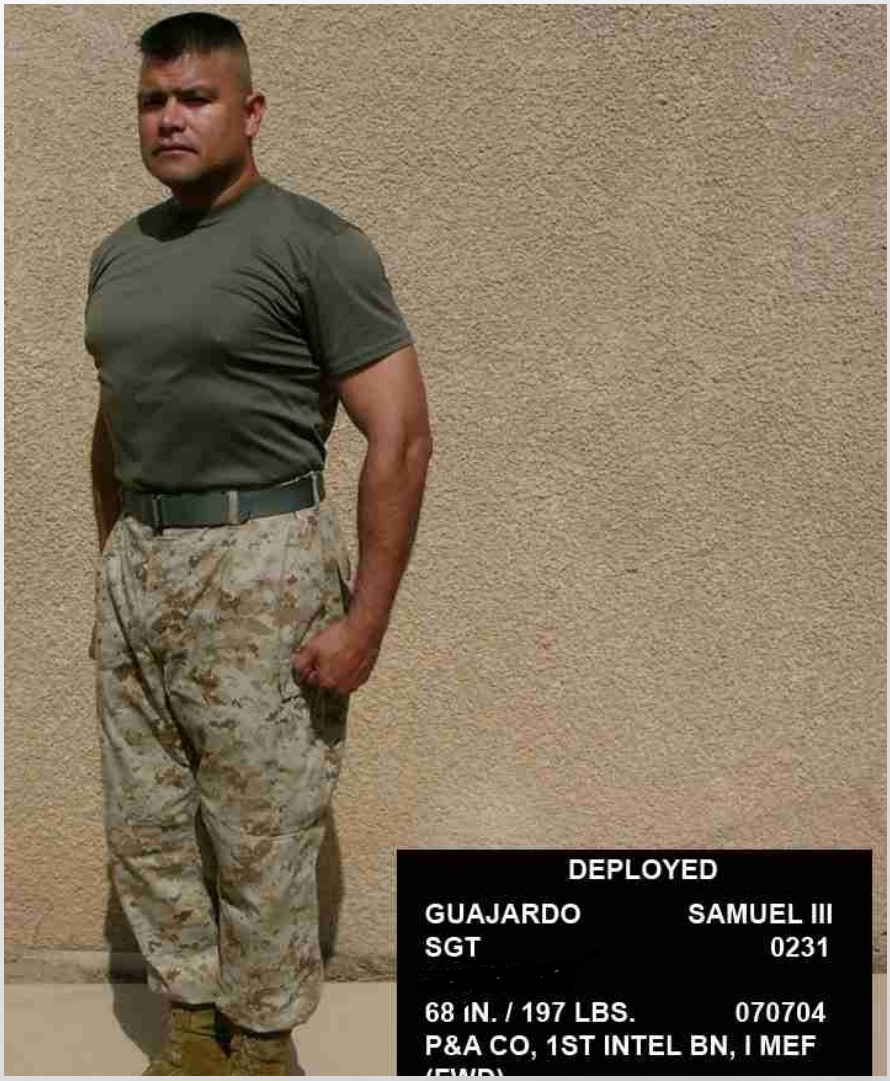

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Steven Spence



US MARINES


DEPLOYED
GUAJARDO SAMUEL III
SGT 0231
68 IN. / 197 LBS. 070704
P&A CO, 1ST INTEL BN, I MEF



Jesse B. Rios

BYRON A PEREZ
OEF AND OIF VETERAN

AFGHANISTAN
2 TOURS OF DUTY



IRAQ
1 TOUR OF DUTY



DONOVAN THOMSON
U.S. MARINES



SERGIO GUERRA
USMC



EDWARD GENE MANCIAS
USMC



ASHLEY ARVIS USMC













NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
MARK	ALLWEIN	COLD WAR ERA
CHRIS	ALLWEIN	COLD WAR ERA
WILLIAM	CARLETON	5
FRANCISCO	CASIAS IV	4
TOMMY	CRAYTON III	6
NORBERT	CYWINSKI	WW II/KOREA ERA
JOSE	ENRIQUEZ	12
ROGER	GARCIA	4
JON	ESTRADA	8
ROBERTO	OLIVAS	5
BERNARDO	PEDROZA	4
JOHNATHON	REYNA	4
MARISSA	RIVERA	OEF/OIF ERA





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
JAMES,	FRANK	KOREA
FRANK	GUERRERO	1.4
DAVID	DIAZ	1987-1991
RICHARD	DIAZ	2008-2012
EDWARD	PALACIOS	1998-2009/IRAQ
ANTONIO	RAMIREZ	1984-1987
JUAN	NUNEZ	4 YRS
DORIS	MUCKLE-METZGER	WW II
SERGIO	GUERRA	









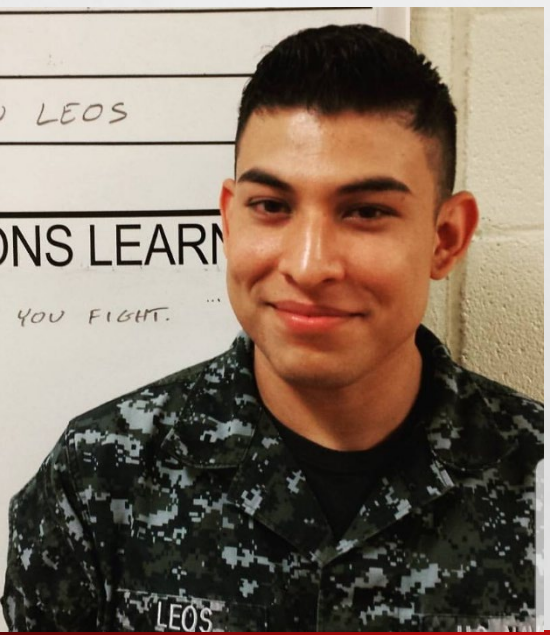






Jonathan Lovejoy





Javier Leos

Logistic Specialist
United States Navy Sailor
6 Years



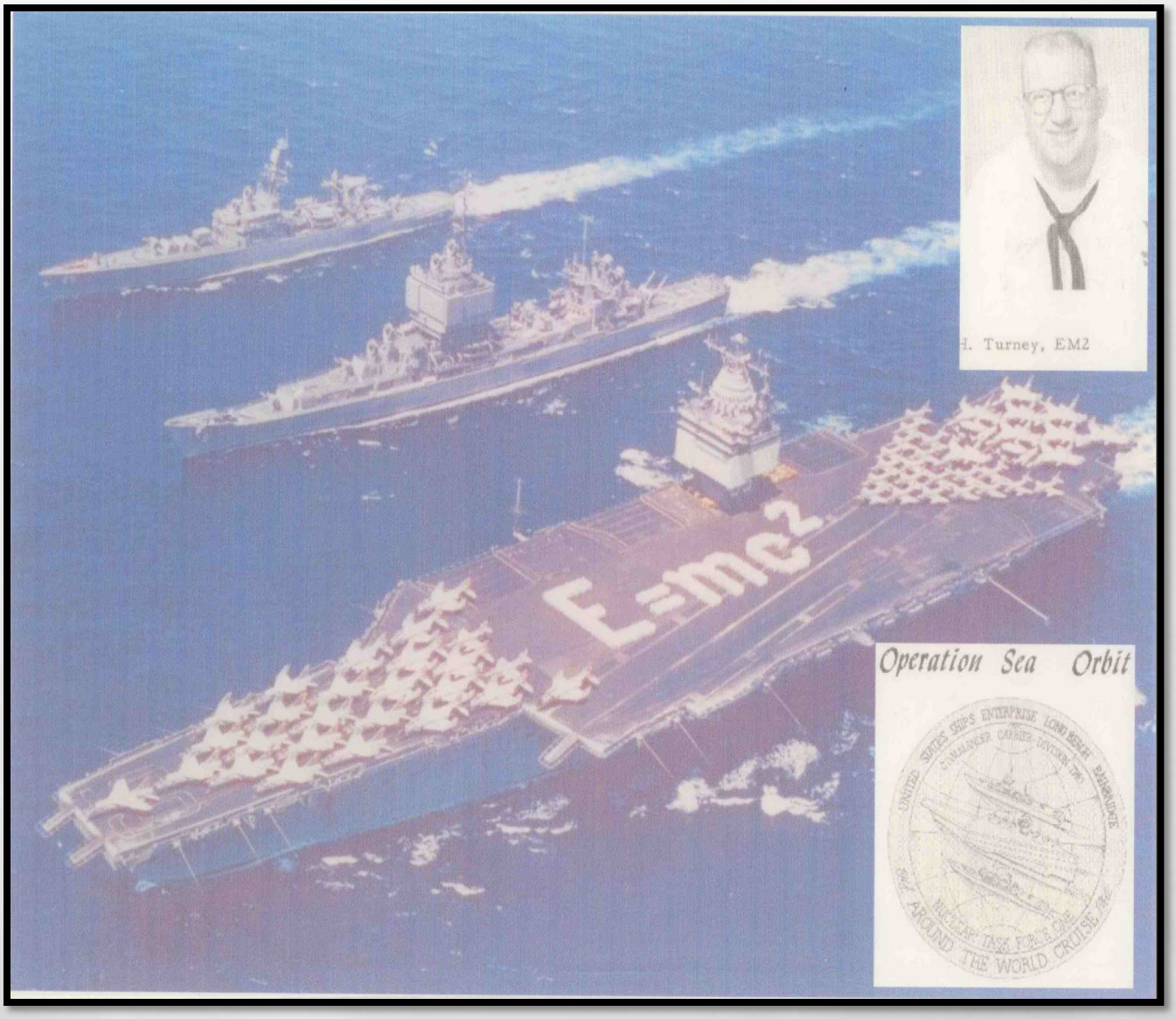
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Andrew Wyatt, RN



Karen Wyatt, U.S. Navy

Bill Turney, EM2
U.S. Navy
USS Bainbridge, 1st Nuclear Powered Carrier



Glendon Arnold

Served in the U.S. Navy & the U.S. Army
Retired from U.S. Army as a CW4
26 years of service.

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Father of Brance Arnold
Publications Coordinator, Office of Public Relations
University of the Incarnate Word

JAMES SOLIDAY
US NAVY
VIETNAM WAR
PURPLE HEART RECIPIENT



Phil Youngblood
Deb Youngblood

US Navy
1980's – 1990's



DELBERT P. VALLE
UNITED STATES NAVY
27 YEARS OF SERVICE



Pedro M. Devora



Oct. 1, 1944
thru
Feb. 21, 1946

U.S.S. Sangmon
C.V.E. 26

Participated in
invasion in Okinawa
April 1, 1945
Easter Sunday

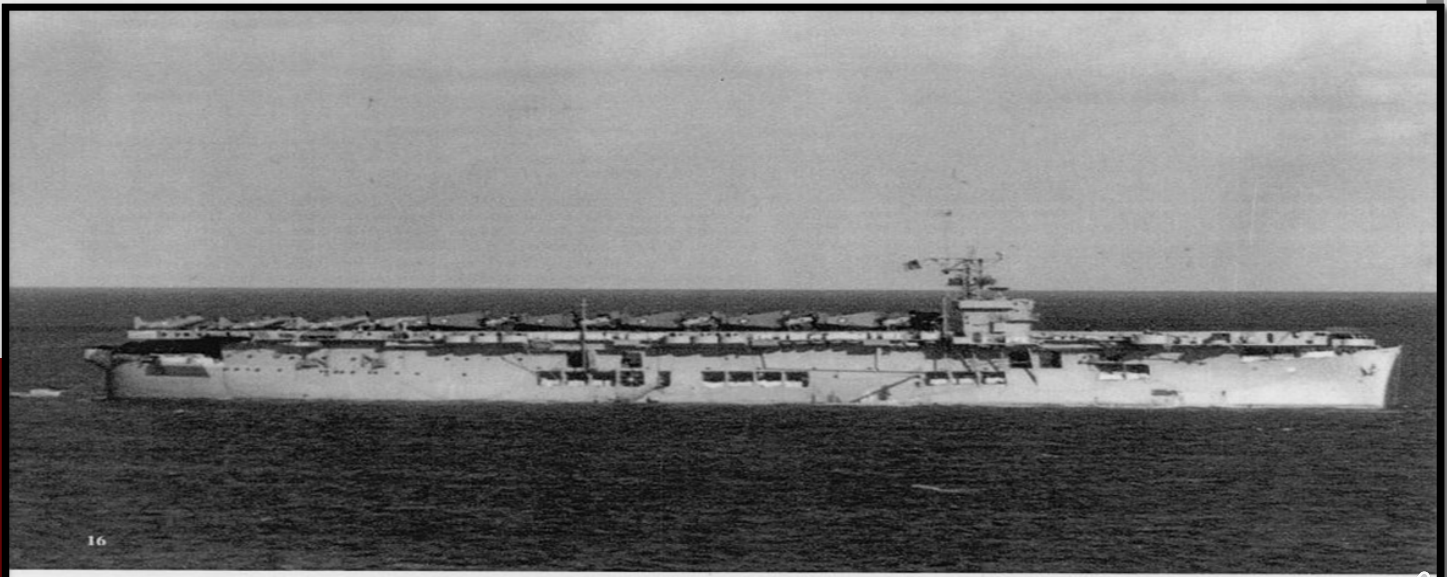
Mariana Islands Government Honors
PEDRO DEVORA
For his service and heroic actions during WWII
In the Pacific Theatre
And deliverance from the Empire of Japan.



World War II Victory Medal

Philippine Presidential Unit Citation

Philippine Liberation Medal
(with 1 Bronze Star)





Dr. Edward Lamar Mahon, LCDR, U.S. Navy
Korean War Era

LT. BENJAMIN MCPHERSON
US NAVY
CERTIFIED SCUBA AND EOD OFFICER
VIETNAM



ANTHONY PENA
US NAVY – 13 YEARS





SHERRILEE DEMMER W/ SON MATHEW DEMMER EOD TECH



STEPHANIE CARR

US NAVY – 9 YEARS





DR. CHRIS C. NESSER

23 YEARS
NAVY COMMANDER
MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS OFFICER



JOSHUA RAMOS
U.S. NAVY



ISAAC TAKYI
U.S. NAVY
PETTY CASH OFFICER



NORM YOUNGBLOOD
U.S. NAVY



PHIL YOUNGBLOOD
U.S. NAVY



CAMILLE PIPER
U.S. NAVY







JENNIFER FOX
U.S. NAVY







NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
ALEX	ALLWEIN	OIF/OEF ERA
JAMES	BIRCHETT	PRESENT
FIDEL L.	CASTILLO	23
STEPHEN	DEAN	16
DANIEL	DOMINGUEZ	30
ADOLPH	ESCOBEDO	13
ERIC	EWERS	DESERT STORM ERA
ROGER	FLORES	18
GABRIEL	GARCIA	6
RUDY	GARZA, JR.	10
VANESSA	IBARRA	OIF/OEF ERA
PATRICK	JACKSON	
JENNIFER	LOZANO-DOZIER	7
WILLIAM	MARTIN	VIETNAM ERA
WILLIAM	MULCAHY	2
BRIAN	REYNOLDS	14
LUIS	RIVERA	6
BOB	ROBERTS	5
KAREN	WYATT	5
DEBORAH	YOUNGBLOOD	18
PHILLIP	YOUNGBLOOD	20





NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
ALBERT	CISNEROS	2
GEORGE	PEREZ	21
DOUG	GLISSON	BEIRUT & LEBANON
LANCE	GLISSON	MASTER CHIEF
DR. CHRIS	NESSER	23 YEARS
JOSHUA	RAMOS	
ISAAC	TAKYI	







Basil Aivaliotis
2-Hellenic Navy



Suk Bin Kong
3-Rep of Korea Army

Jae Yang
2-Rep of Korea Army





In Memoriam

NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
PAUL	ABRAHAM	VIETNAM (KIA)
ANTHONY	ANTONE	WW II ERA
ROBERT	ARSIAGA	OIF (KIA)
ROBERT	AVILA	VIETNAM ERA
JAMES F.	BUCHANAN	ARMY
PHYGIM	BUSSINEAU	WW I ERA
JIM	BUTZ	WW II (KIA)
JOE	BUTZ, JR.	WW II (KIA)
JOE	BUTZ, SR.	WW I/WW II ERA
MILTON	CAMPS	WW II (USAAF)
JAMES	COUNSILMAN	WW II (USAAF)
THOMAS	CRABBE	WW II ERA
REBECCA LYNN	CROSS	22
BERT	CUDE	WW I ERA
DAVID	CUDE	KOREA ERA
EFFERT	CUDE	WW I ERA
DONALD	DEPP	WW II ERA
HARRY	DEPP	WW I ERA

In Memoriam

NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
TIM	DEVOL	VIETNAM ERA (KIA)
LOWELL	EISENHOWER	WW II ERA
R. DAVID	EWERS	VIETNAM ERA
ROBERT E.	EWERS	WW II ERA
DELFINO	FLORES, JR.	29
ROGER	FORTUNE	VIETNAM (KIA)
ISRAEL	GARZA	OIF (KIA)
PANCHO	GARZA	26
HUGH	HAMBRIC	VIETNAM ERA(KIA)
LIONEL	HARRIS	WW II ERA
RALPH L.	HENDERSON	20
MAURICE	HENRICH	WW II ERA
WARD	HOOPER	VIETNAM ERA (KIA)
LARRY	KLEASNER	VIETNAM ERA (KIA)
PHILLIP	LASKEY	WW II ERA (USAAF)
ANTHONY	LEACH	29
GEORGE M.	LONCHAR	WW II ERA
EDWARD	MAHON	KOREA ERA
CHARLES	MCCOLLOM	WW II ERA (USAAF)
GEORGE	MILLER	8

In Memoriam

NAME		SERVICE ERA/ YEARS OF SERVICE
JAMES	MILLER	30
DONALD	MUNN	OIF (KIA)
THOMAS	O'DONNELL	WW II ERA (KIA)
PAUL	PESTHY	4
JAMES	PARLETT	20
PAUL	PESTHY	4
MARCUS	PFEIL	WW II ERA
LARRY	SABO	VIETNAM ERA (KIA)
FREDERICK	SKASIK	4
EMMA LOU	SUMMERS	WW II ERA
JOSE	TREVINO	WW II ERA
EDWARD	VELA, SR.	20
HEAROL	VETETO	WW II ERA (USAAF)
MELVIN DARR	WEEKS	KOREA ERA
BOB	WHEELER	5
JAMES	WHEELER	24
JOHN	WHEELER	CIVIL WAR (KIA)
OLIVER	WHEELER	WW I/WW II ERA
WILLIAM	WHEELER	WAR OF 1812 ERA
WILLIAM	WHEELER	CIVIL WAR ERA
NORM	YOUNGBLOOD	33

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NAME	
BENJAMIN	BETTS
JEFFREY	BRADEN
JUAN LUIS	CASTRO
GREGORY	GARZA



TOMB UNKNOWN SOLDIER



The Tomb of the Unknown Soldier holds the remains of an unidentified American soldier from World War I.

Next to the Tomb are the crypts of unknowns from WW II, Korea, and Vietnam.

HONORING THOSE WHO LOST THEIR LIVES IN SERVICE TO OUR COUNTRY



SPC Dane R. Balcon
US Army, Iraq
9/5/2007



PFC Benjamin F. Betts
US Army, Germany
10/20/1997



SSG Clayton Bowen
US Army, Afganistan
8/18/2009



PFC Juan Luis Castro
US Army, Fort Hood
6/17/2015



CW2 Thomas W. Duer
US Army, Vietnam
7/23/1968



LCPL John Felix Farias
USMC, Afganistan
6/28/2011



CPL Jacob R. Fleischer
US Army, Afganistan
11/24/2004



LCPL Jonathan R. Flores
USMC, Afganistan
6/15/2005



BG Terrence Hildner
US Army, Afganistan
2/4/2012



LCPL Luke B. Holler
USMC, Iraq
11/2/2006



PFC Dennis Knuston
USMC, Vietnam
7/24/1966



CPL Jason K. LaFleur
US Army, Iraq
8/4/2007



CPL Carlin E. Loop
US Army Air Corps, WWII
3/22/1944



1LT Thomas M. Martin
US Army, Iraq
10/14/2007



PFC Anthony Scott Miller
US Army, Iraq
4/7/2003



CPT Paul Pena
US Army, Afganistan
1/19/2010



SrA Shelli Posey
US Air Force, US
4/20/2011



LCPL Rhonals "Dain" Rairdan
USMC, Afganistan
1/26/2005



SGT Thomas Z. Spitzer
USMC, Afganistan
6/25/2014



SGM Wardell Turner
US Army, Afganistan
11/24/2014



Capt. Mark Tyler Voss
US Air Force, Operation
Enduring Freedom

PFC BENJAMIN F. BETTS

US ARMY, GERMANY
10/20/1997



CAPT JEFFREY T. BRADEN, USAF

F-22 FIGHTER PILOT AT JBPHH, HONOLULU
23 SEP 16



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PFC JUAN LUIS CASTRO

US ARMY
TROOP B, 1ST SQUADRON
112TH CALVARY REGIMENT
17 JUNE 2015



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