

VICTOR ACERRA

- **GRADUATED AS A NAVY SAILOR ON OCTOBER 26, 2023**
- **WILL CONTINUE HIS TRAINING IN VIRGINIA AND BE STATIONED IN SAN DIEGO, CA**



MARSHALL P. AMBROSE

US ARMY 1934-1967



ED ANDERSON

US ARMY



MICHAEL CHARLES ANDERSON

US ARMY 1982-2003

**FATHER OF
SAMANTHA MARIE ANDERSON**





SAMANTHA MARIE ANDERSON

NJ ARMY NATIONAL GUARD 2003

**DAUGHTER OF MICHAEL CHARLES
ANDERSON**



PHILIP D. APRUZZI

**US ARMY RESERVE 298TH ASA ARMY
INTELLIGENCE UNTIL 1967-78**

FORMER OCEANPORT COUNCILMAN

JOSEPH ARNOLD

US ARMY



**CORPORAL
LOUISE FLEETWOOD
BAILLY**

**US ARMY-32 NC WAC HOSP.
CO.**

**MOTHER OF OCEANPORT COURT
ADMINISTRATOR CAROL SMITH**





CORPORAL RANDOLPH MORRIS BAILLY

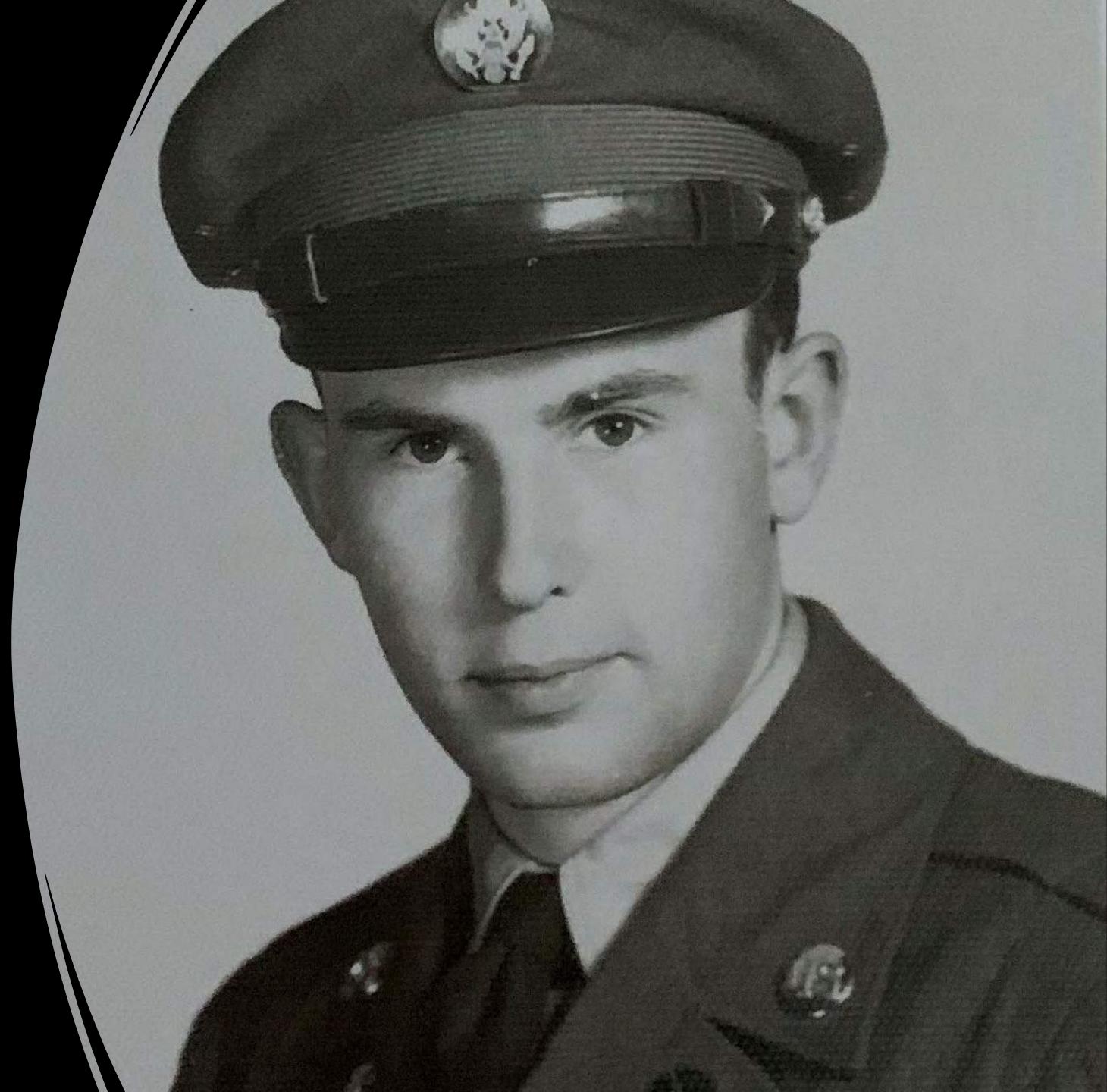
**US ARMY, PRISONER OF WAR DURING
WW II**

**PURPLE HEART, POW, EUROPEAN
CAMPAIGN, BRONZE STAR**

**FATHER OF OCEANPORT COURT
ADMINISTRATOR CAROL SMITH**

DONALD J. BALL

**US ARMY – 1951 TO 1954
KOREAN WAR**





ROBERT O. BALMER
SERVED AND DIED IN VIETNAM

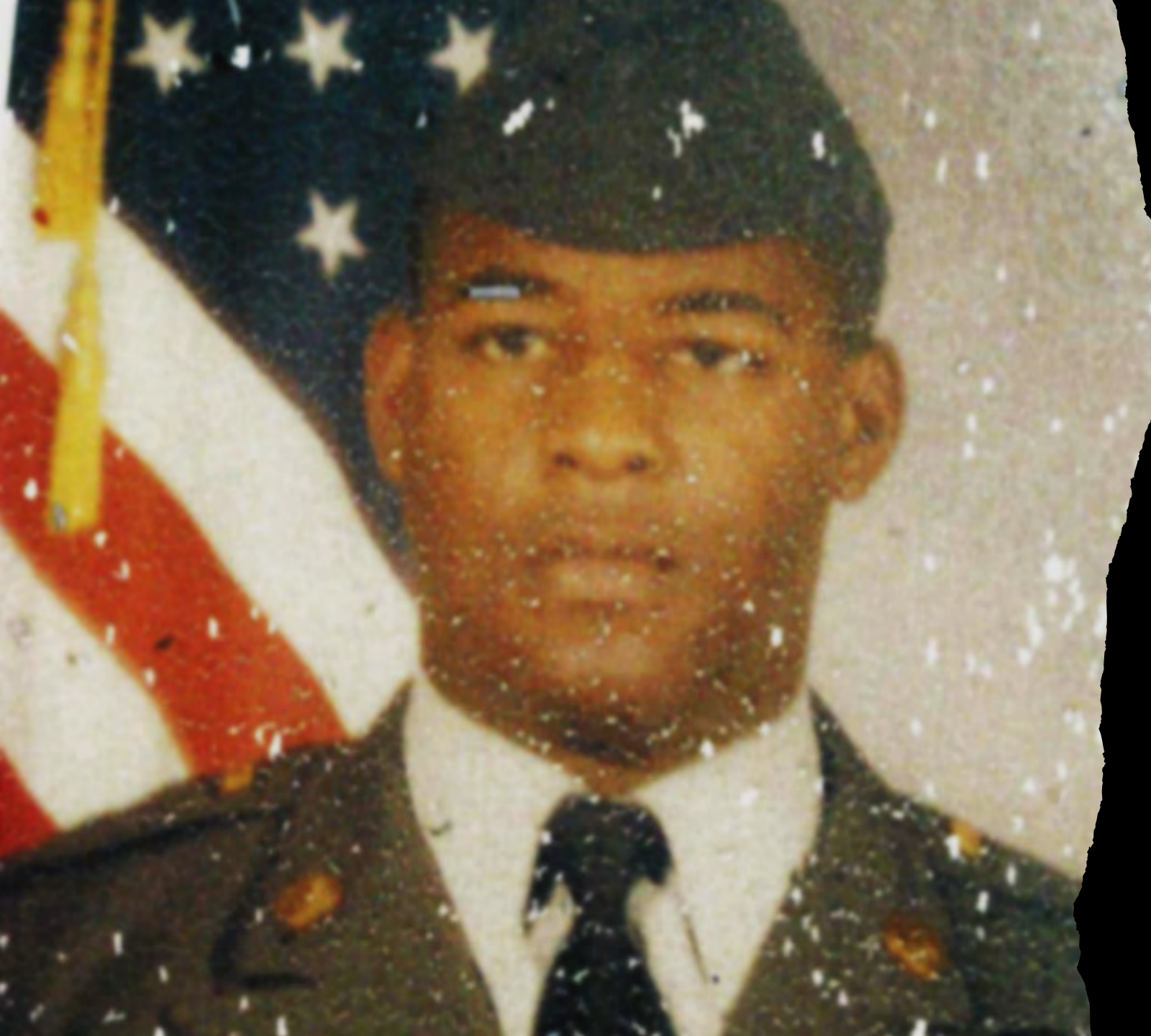
CAPTAIN JOSEPH BAMBACH

US ARMY 7-69 TO 9-75

**US ARMY RESERVE
MAJOR**

10-75 TO 12-87





**PRIVATE
BRETT BARNES**

US ARMY



**STAFF SGT.
CLAUDE L. BARNES**

**US ARMY 55TH AVIATION
COMPANY KOREA**

LIEUTENANT JR. GRADE 02 MICHAEL BARRECA

**CURRENTLY SERVING ON USS KIDD 100
ARLEIGH BURKE CLASS DESTROYER**

COMMISSIONED IN MAY 2021



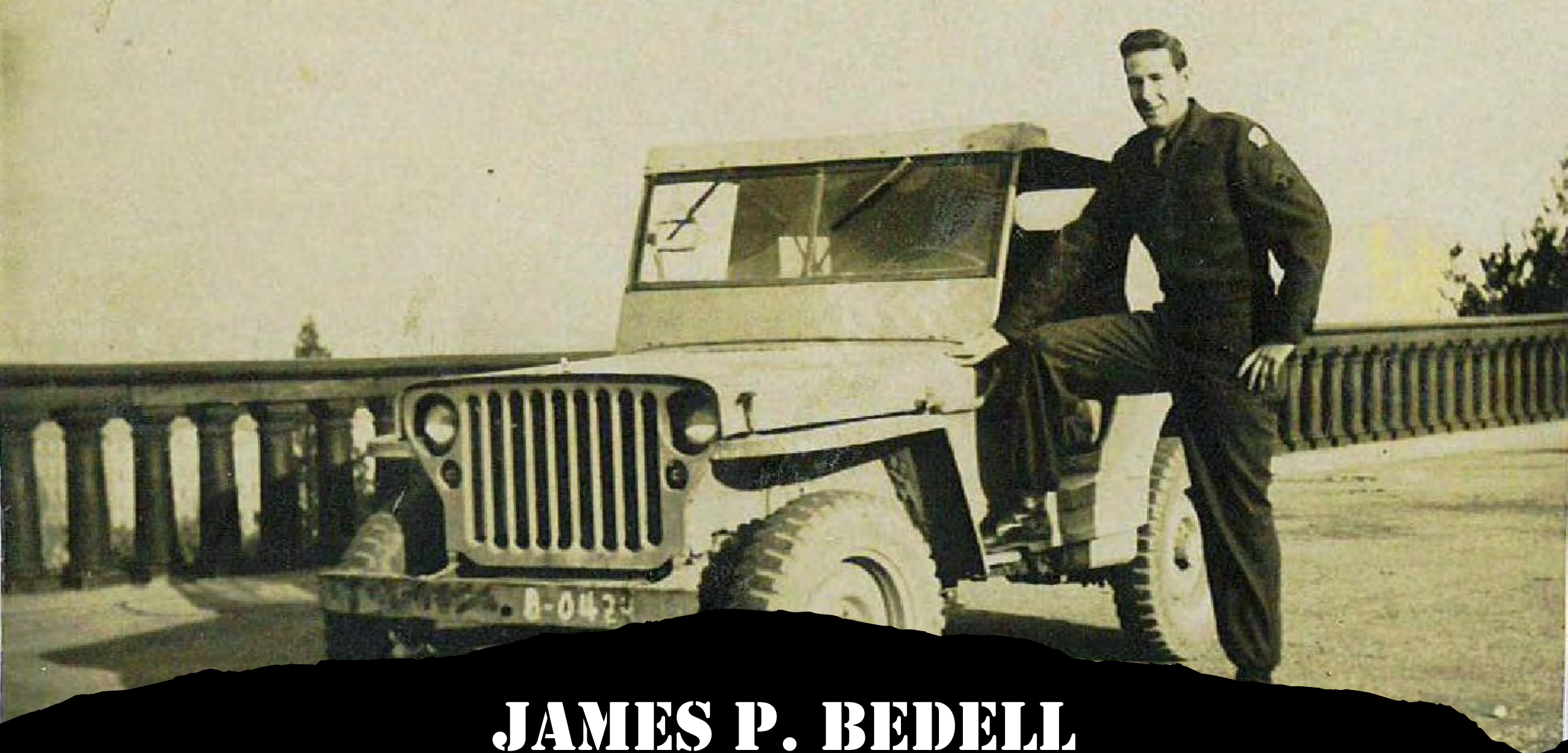


BERT BARTLOW
KOREAN WAR 1953



ELWOOD L. BAXTER

**US NAVY SUBMARINE 1944-48
FORMER MAYOR OF OCEANPORT**



JAMES P. BEDELL
US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS 1945-47

WILLIAM HEAWA BELL JR.

US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS – 1947 TO 1952



WALTER BENNETT

US ARMY

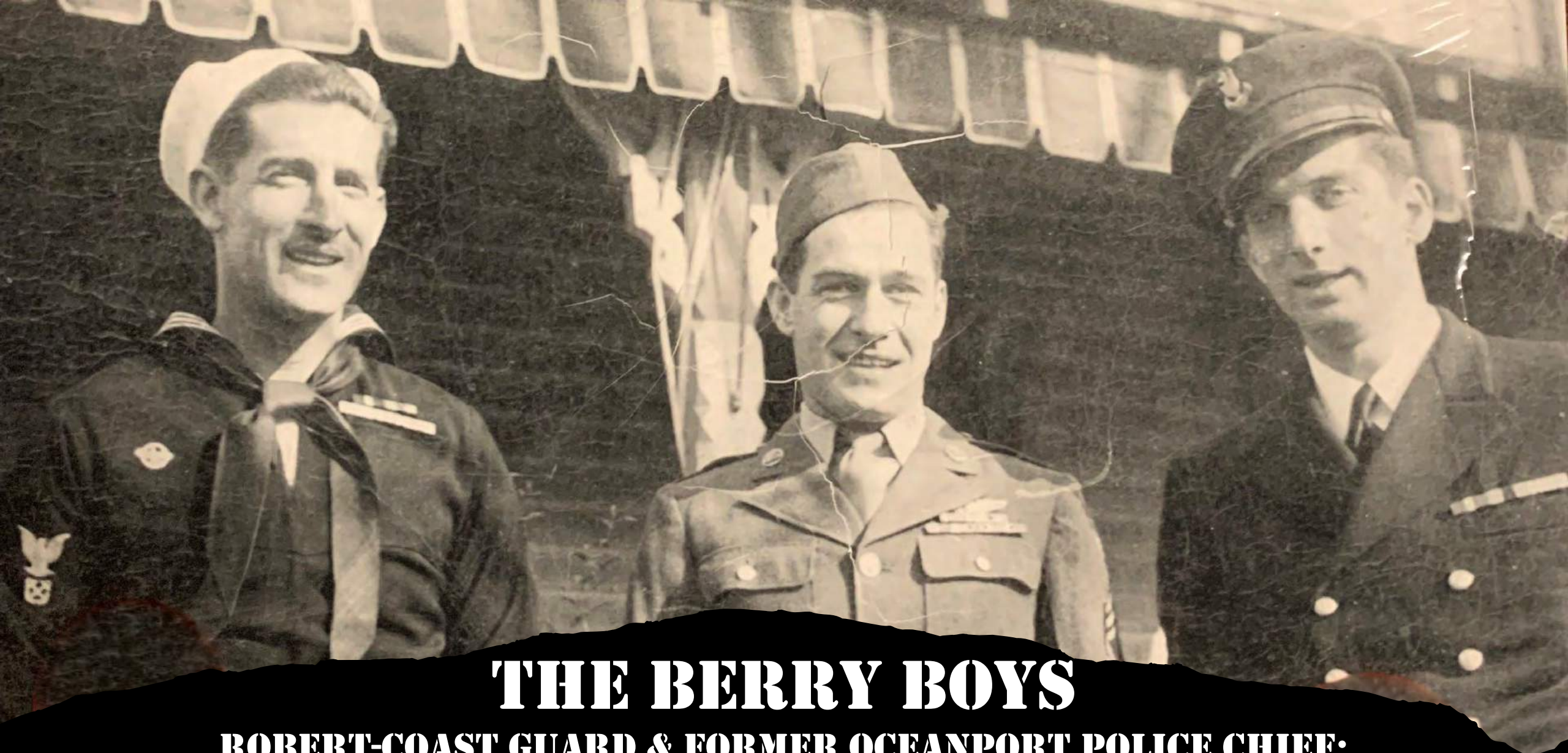
HELICOPTER RESCUERMAN

WHITE SANDS, NEW MEXICO MISSILE RANGE

HUSBAND OF OCEANPORT RESIDENT LINDA BENNETT AND

FATHER OF OCEANPORT RESIDENT LORI BRISKEY





THE BERRY BOYS

**ROBERT-COAST GUARD & FORMER OCEANPORT POLICE CHIEF;
EDWARD-US ARMY AIR CORPS; & DOUGLAS-US COAST GUARD**



TECHNICAL SERGEANT EDWARD M. "SKIP" BERRY III

**US AIR FORCE - 1968-1988 (RETIRED)
2 TOURS - VIETNAM**

**LT. COL.
ELIZABETH A. BERRY**

**US ARMY (RETIRED) MAY 1949-
1975 FORMER OCEANPORT
BOROUGH CHAPLAIN**





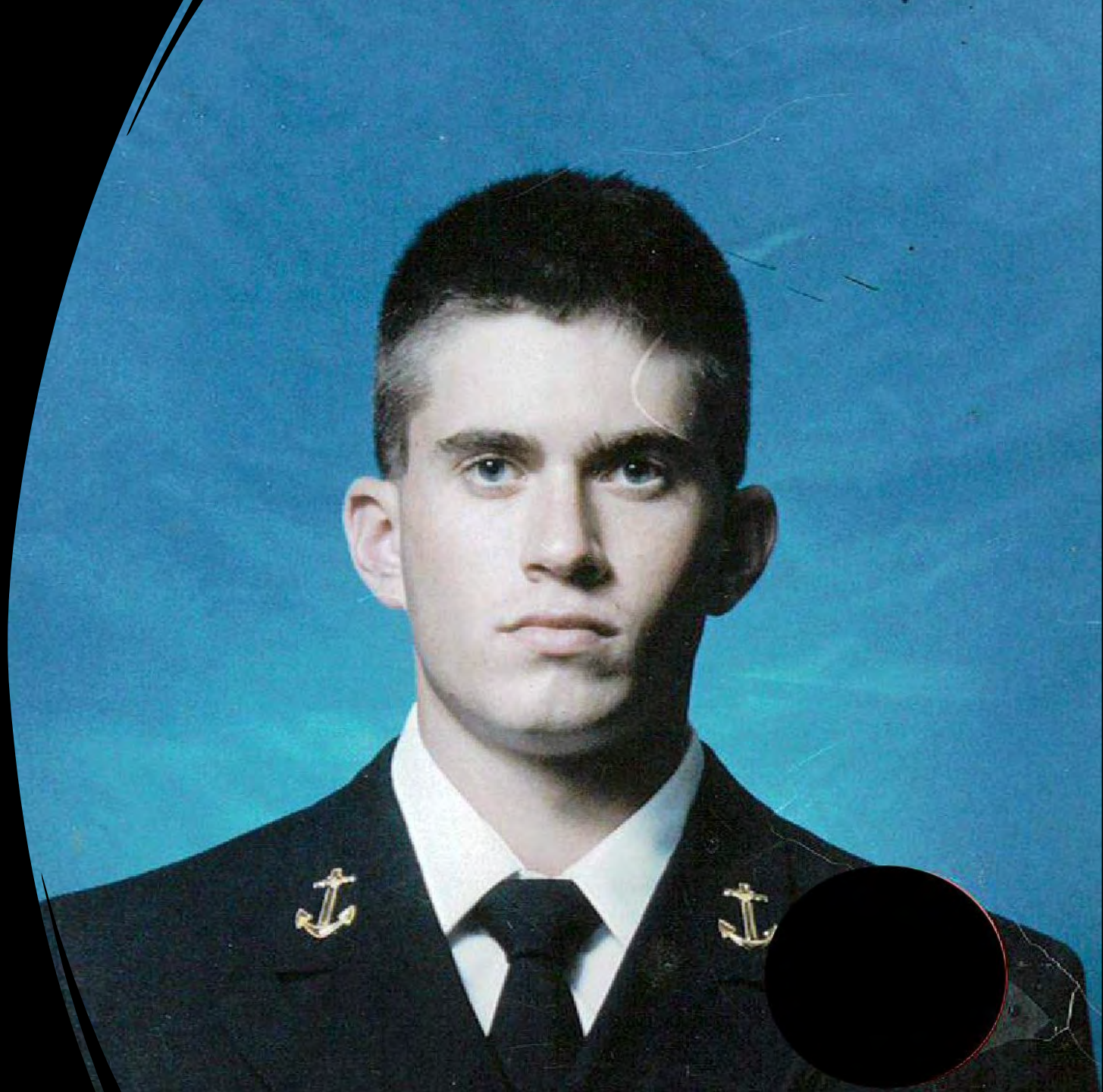
CAPTAIN FRED BESHORE

**US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS
9TH INFANTRY DIVISION MEKONG
DELTA, SOUTH VIETNAM 1970**

FATHER OF LT. GREG BESHORE

LIEUTENANT GREG BESHORE

**US NAVY 1997-2000
SERVED IN PERSIAN GULF
SON OF CAPTAIN FRED
BESHORE**





**C.W.O.
CLARENCE BLACKBURN**

**US ARMY SIGNAL CORP
SERVED IN WW II, KOREAN WAR,
VIETNAM WAR**

**SPC
THOMAS BOCCO**

**US ARMY
101ST AIRBORNE**



PRIVATE 1ST CLASS JOHN BONFORTE

US ARMY NATIONAL
GUARD

50TH ARMORED DIVISION



LIEUTENANT CHARLES BORNS

US ARMY



CORPORAL EDWARD BOVA

**US ARMY – MEMBER OF THE
“BLACK BERET” OF THE 101ST
AIRBORNE -
SERVED IN VIETNAM**

**DIED IN LINE OF DUTY OF
WOUNDS INCURRED IN A
GROUND BATTLE**

**NEPHEW OF WW II VETERANS
JOSEPH & PETER BOVA**



GREGORY BOVA

US ARMY AIR CORPS – WW II

**ONE OF FIVE BOVA BROTHERS
THAT SERVED IN THE ARMED
FORCES DURING WW II**



JOSEPH BOVA

**US ARMY – WW II
ENLISTED IN MAY OF 1941
AND FELL INTO GERMAN
HANDS. AWARDED
PURPLE HEART**

**ONE OF FIVE BOVA
BROTHERS THAT SERVED
IN THE ARMED FORCES
DURING WW II**





PAUL BOVA

US ARMY AIR CORPS – WW II

**ONE OF FIVE BOVA BROTHERS THAT
SERVED IN THE ARMED FORCES DURING
WW II**

PETER BOVA

US ARMY – WW II

**YOUNGEST BOVA BROTHER
INDUCTED INTO THE ARMY
ON 9/13/43 AND SENT TO
ENGLAND FROM CAMP
GRANT – WENT TO FRANCE
AFTER THE INVASION.**

**ONE OF FIVE BOVA
BROTHERS THAT SERVED
IN THE ARMED FORCES
DURING WW II**





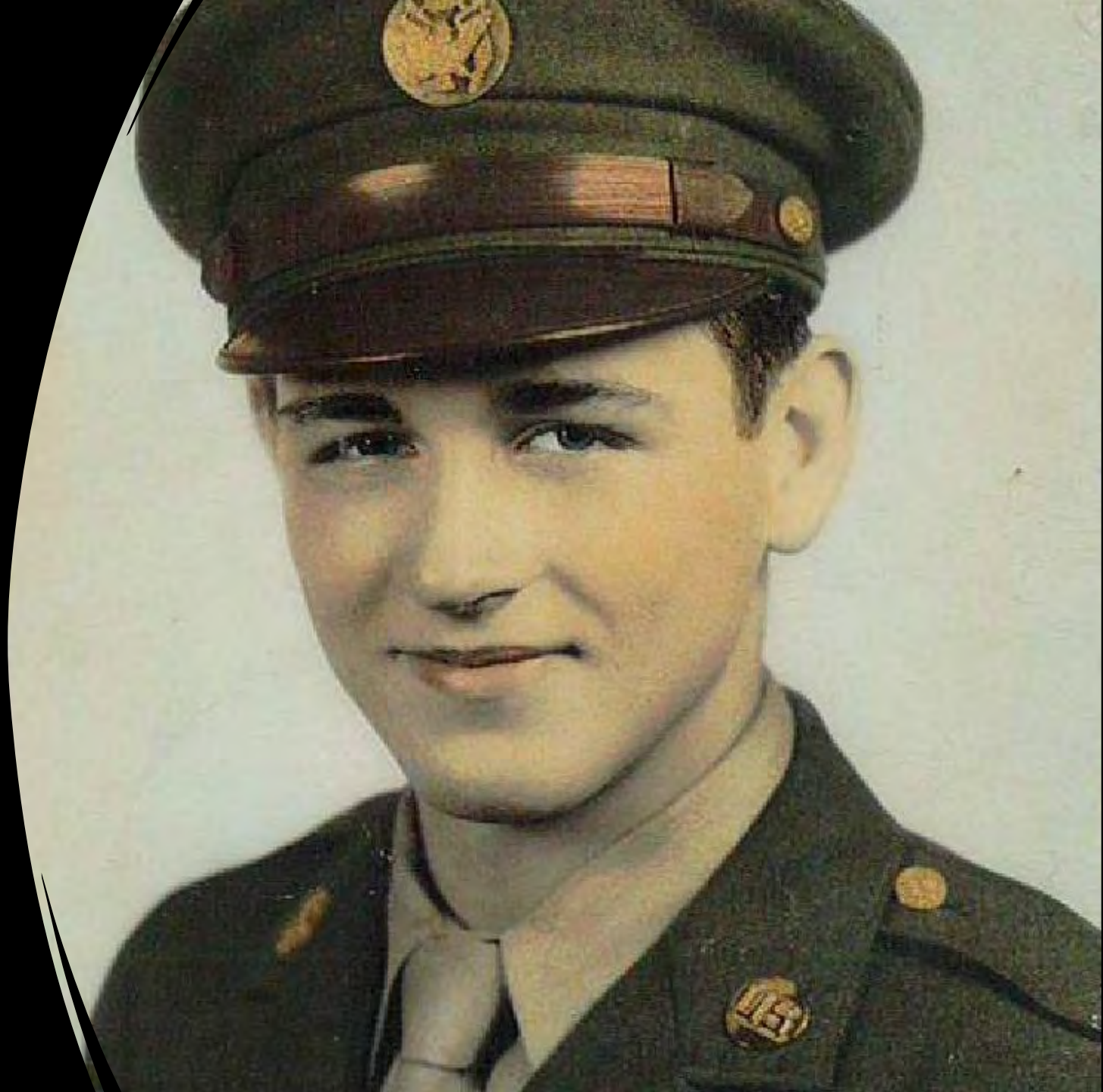
CORPORAL RALPH E. BOVA

US ARMY AIR CORPS – WW II

**ONE OF FIVE BOVA BROTHERS THAT SERVED
IN THE ARMED FORCES DURING WW II**

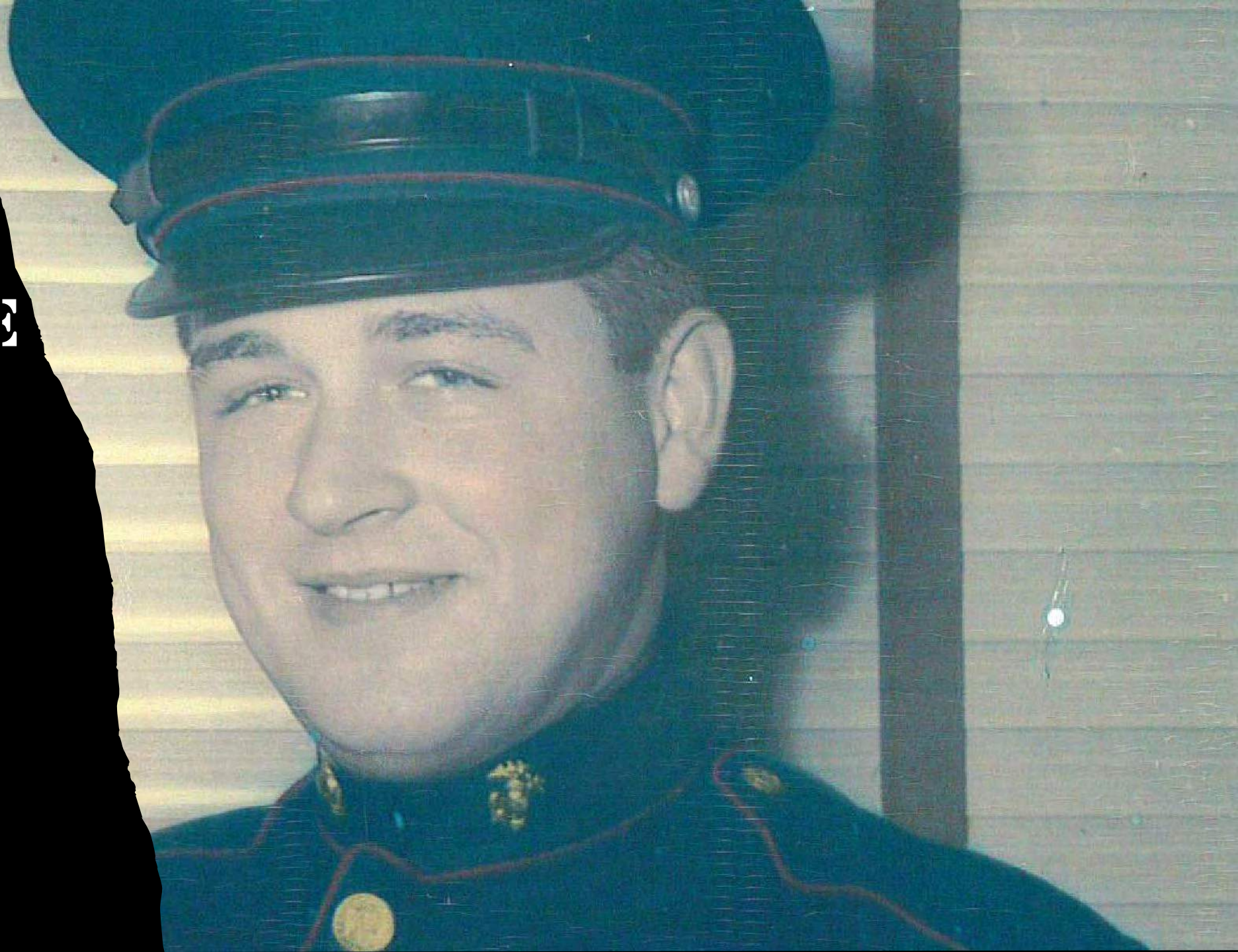
BART BOYLE

**US ARMY 1945-46;
SERVED IN THE
PHILLIPINE ISLANDS**



BART BOYLE

**US MARINE
CORPS RESERVE
1947-1950
ACTIVE DUTY IN
1950**





WILLIAM BOYLE

**USNR 1943-46 CARRIER
AIR GROUP 3**



SERGEANT EDWARD F. BRADY

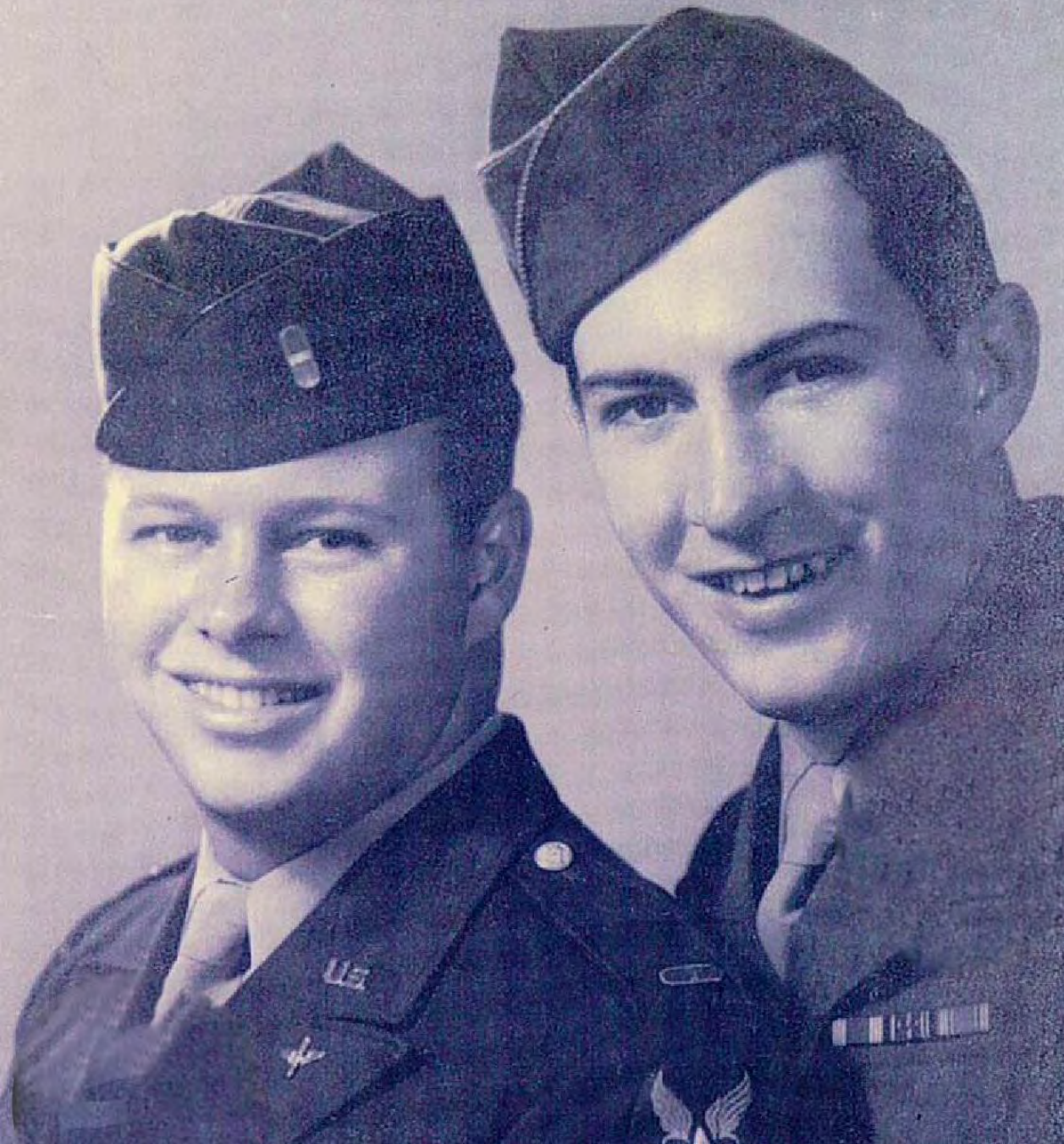
**US ARMY AIR FORCE
1939-1945**

**ALTHOUGH INJURED DURING
ATTACK ON PEARL HARBOR,
HE HEROICALLY HELPED SAVE
THE LIVES OF HIS FELLOW
MEN.**



PFC MICHAEL BREEN

US MARINES



E. STUART BRISKEY
US ARMY AIR FORCE
8/27/43 TO 3/14/46

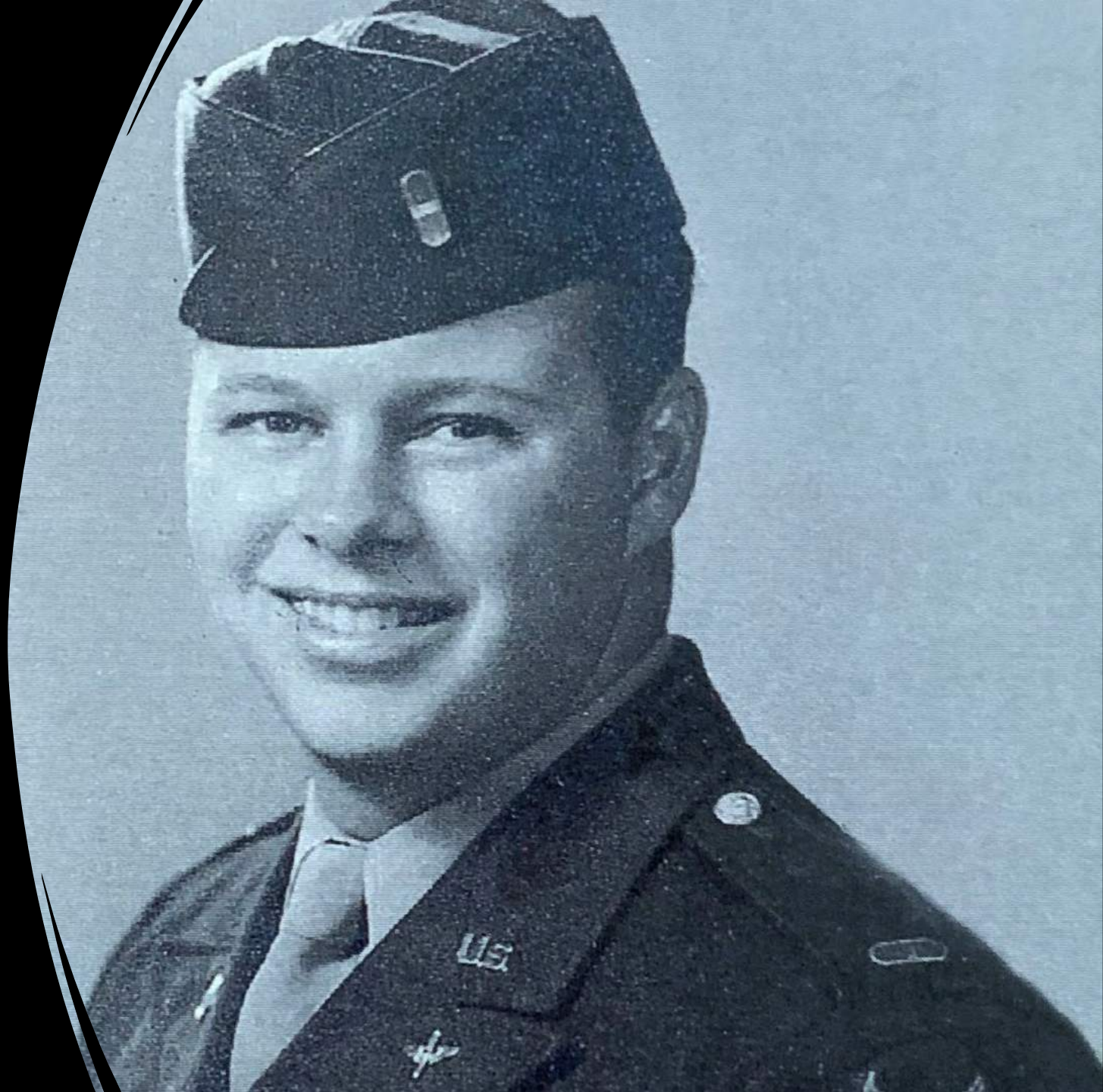
JEREMIAH F. REGAN
US ARMY
1/24/44 TO 3/28/46
LONG TIME ELECTED
MEMBER OF OCEANPORT
BOARD OF EDUCATION

E. STUART BRISKEY

**US ARMY AIR FORCE
FIGHTER PILOT**

WW II – 9/27/43 TO 3/14/46

**US AIR FORCE RESERVE
MARCH 1947 TO 1975**



WALTER G. BRISKEY, JR.

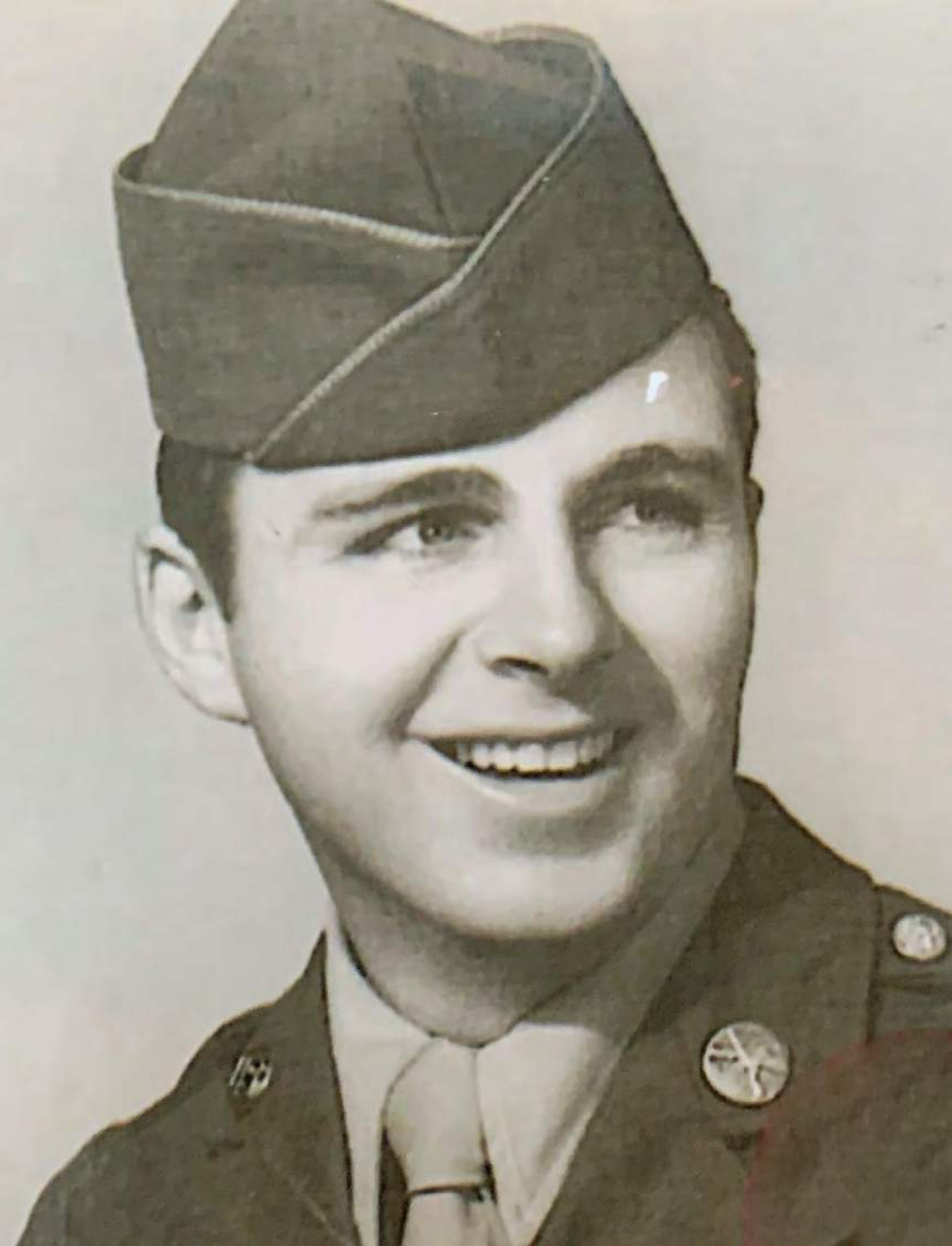
US ARMY 98TH INFANTRY DIVISION

WW II

11/5/1942 – 1/13/1946

BRONZE STAR MEDAL

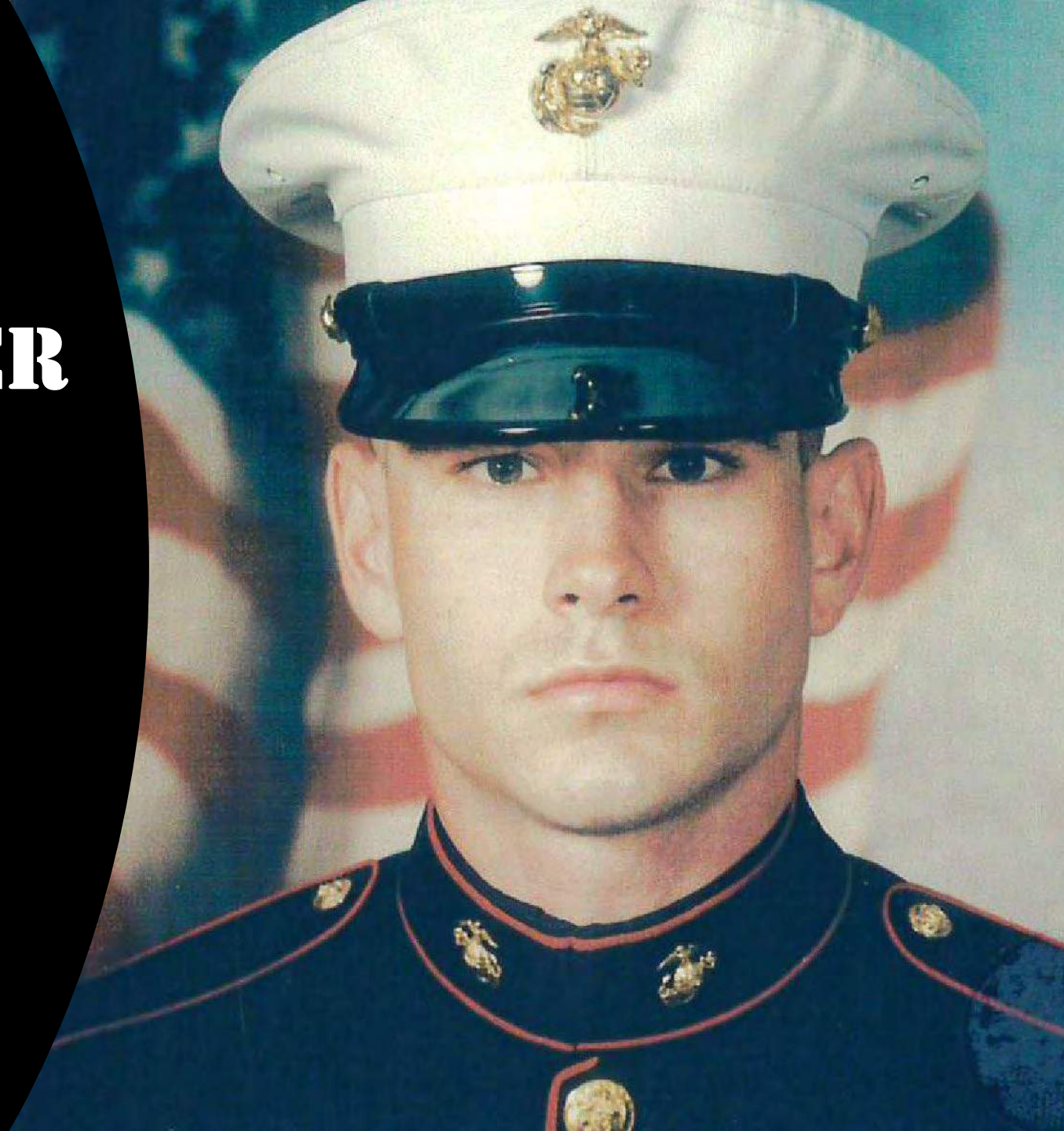
COMBAT INFANTRY BADGE



**PRIVATE 1ST CLASS
BENJAMIN J. BRISTER**

US MARINE CORPS

SERVED IN IRAQ



**SGT. 1ST CLASS
JOHN E. BROWN**

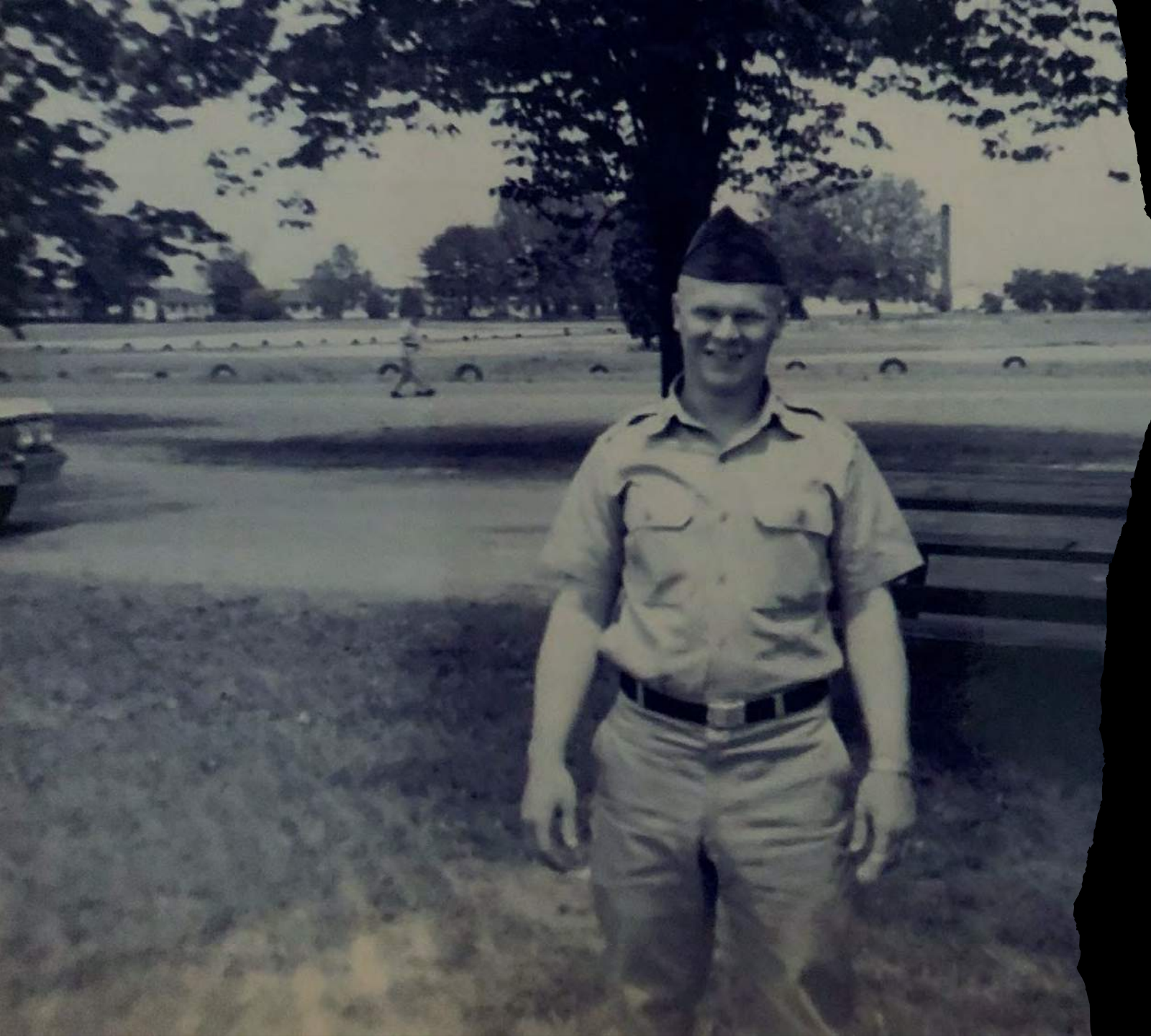
US ARMY 1942-63 WWII



ELMER BUCK

US ARMY





WALTER BUCK

US ARMY

JOHN C. BUONO

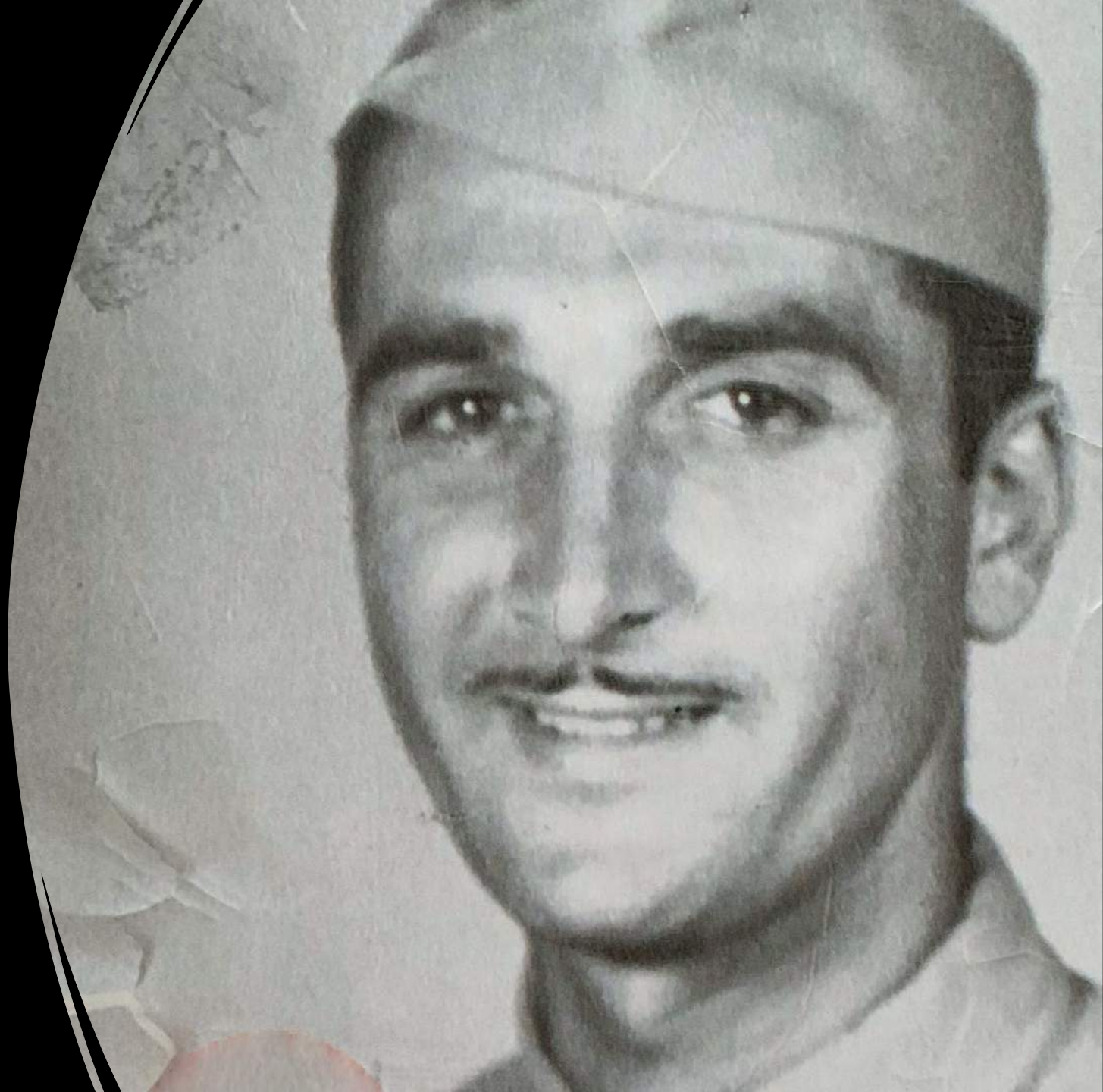
US ARMY

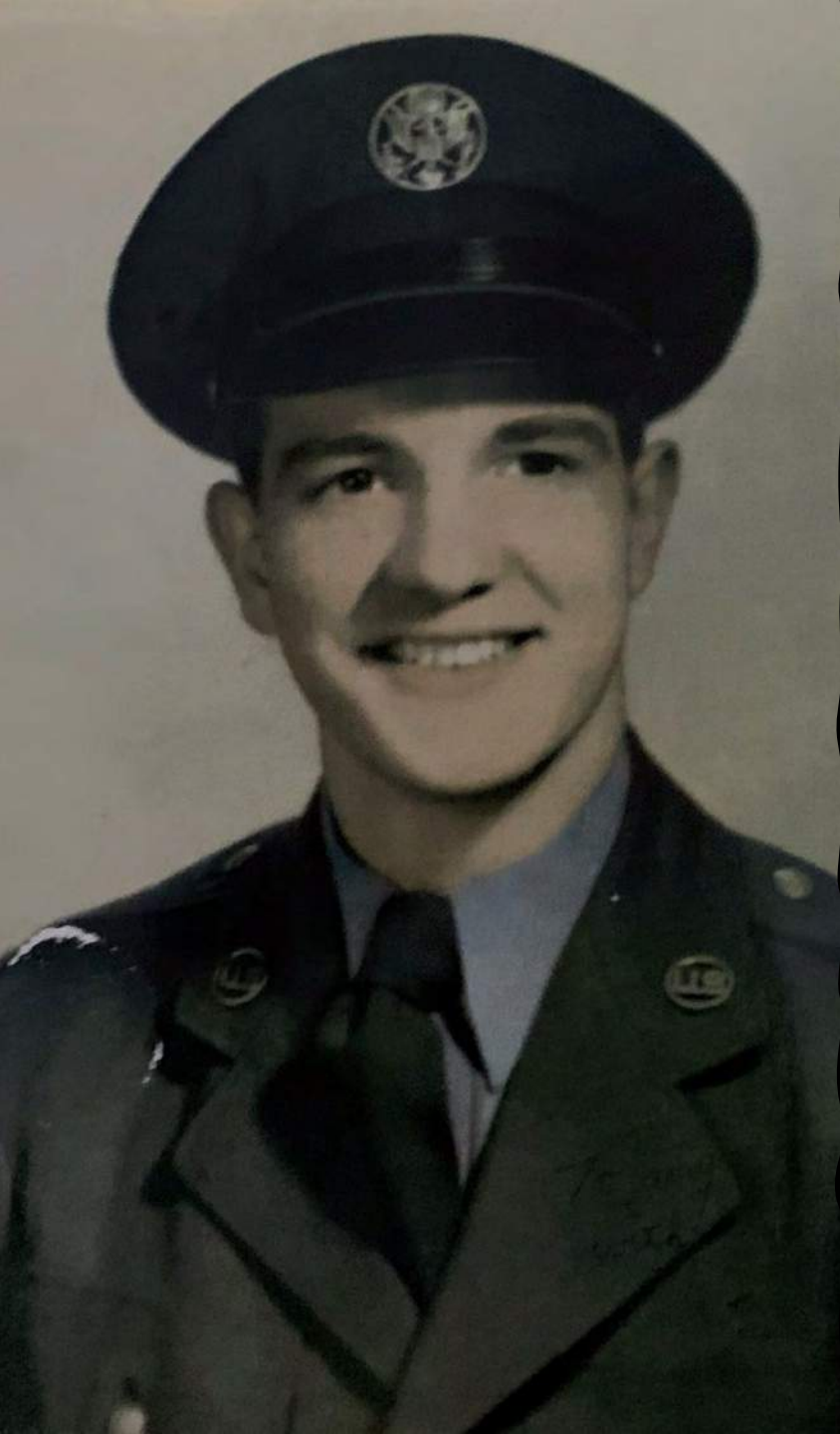


RALPH BUONOCORE

**US ARMY WW II
1941-46**

**FATHER OF FORMER
OCEANPORT TAX COLLECTOR
CYNTHIA CORTALE**





DALE BURD

**US AIR FORCE
JANUARY 1952 TO DECEMBER 1955**

SERGEANT 1ST CLASS SEAN BURROUGH

**US ARMY 1995-2002 AND
2007-CURRENT**

SERVED IN IRAQ

**OPERATION IRAQ FREEDOM
AND OPERATION ENDURING
FREEDOM**





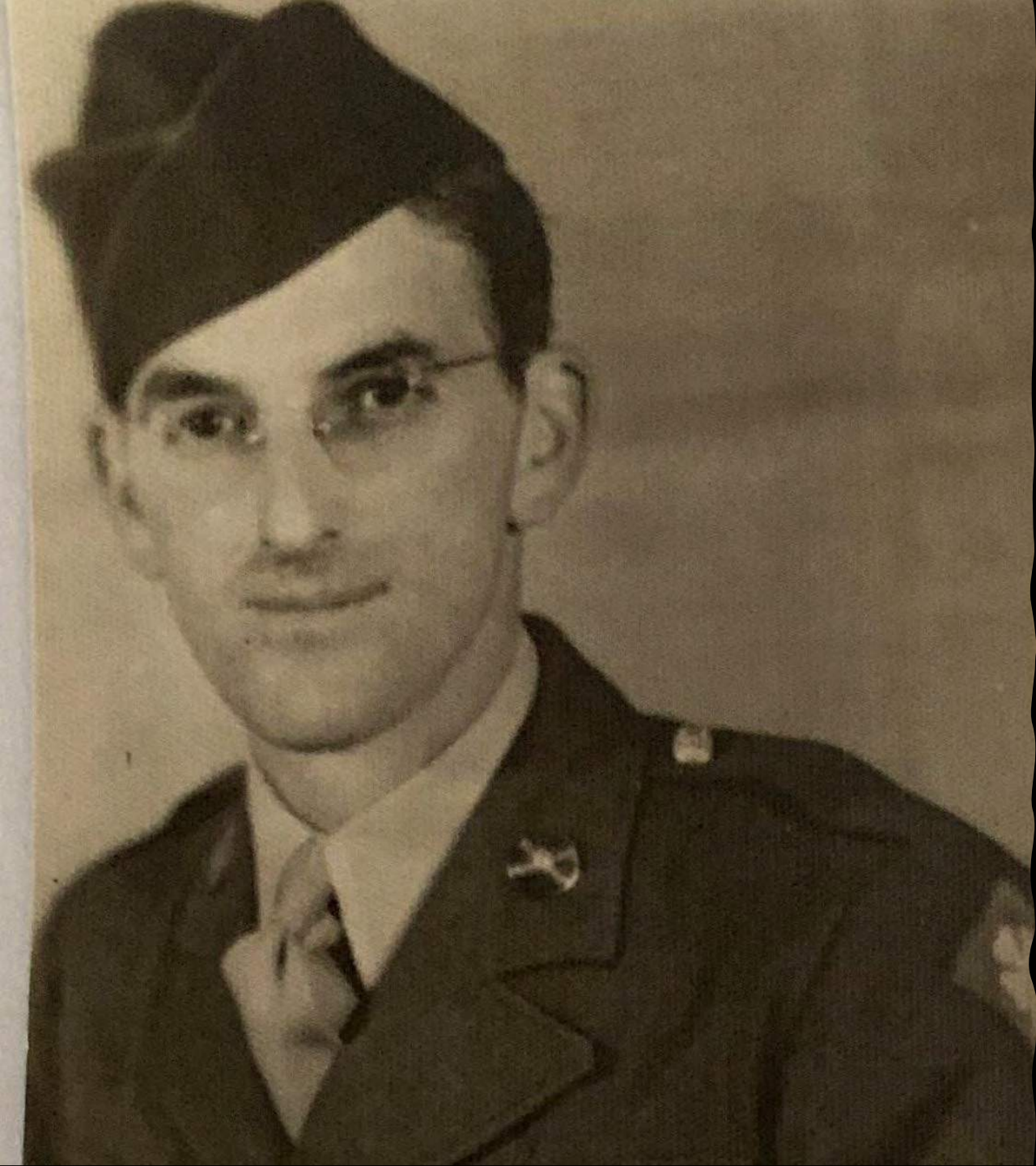
RAYMOND R. BYRON

US ARMY 1966-68 VIETNAM

ALBERT CANEVARI

US ARMY WW II





JOHN A. CANEVARI

**US ARMY WW II, 4 YEARS
IN AFRICA AND ITALY**



CHARLES G. CAPARN

**US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS
WW II VETERAN**

HERMAN CHIEFFALO

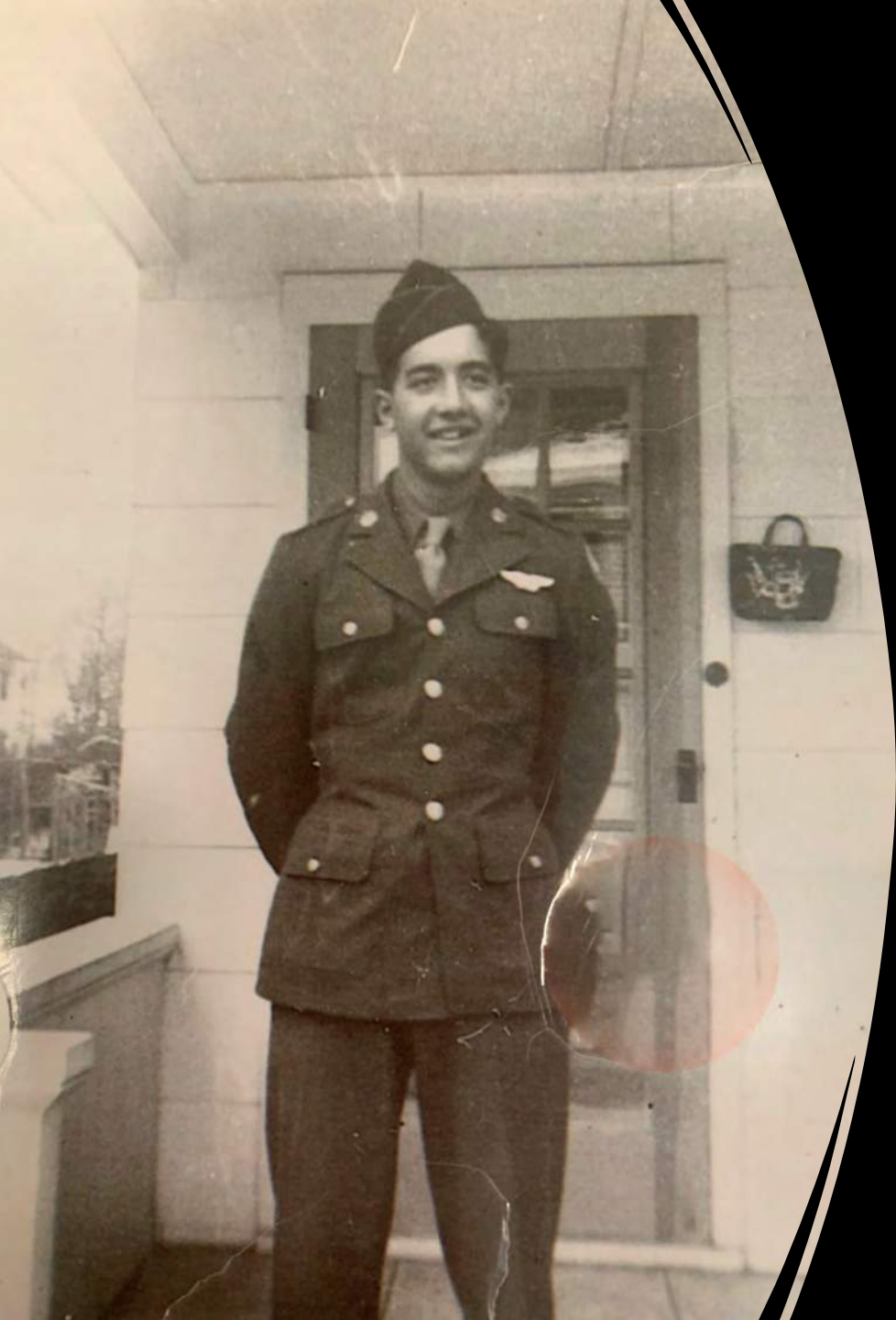
US ARMY 1943-47



ANTHONY CIAMBRONE

**US ARMY WW II – UNCLE OF
FORMER OCEANPORT MAYOR MARIA
GATTA**





RALPH CIAMBRONE

**US AIR FORCE WW II – UNCLE OF
FORMER OCEANPORT MAYOR MARIA
GATTA**



ROBERT CIAMBRONE

**US ARMY, WW II – UNCLE OF
FORMER OCEANPORT MAYOR
MARIA GATTA**



WILLIAM R. CLYNES
US MARINE CORP

SERVED IN
KOREAN WAR

FATHER OF OCEANPORT RESIDENT
TONI SVERAPA

**MAJOR
FREDERICK J. COBB**

**US ARMY – WW II AND
VIETNAM WARS
11/44 TO 10/72**



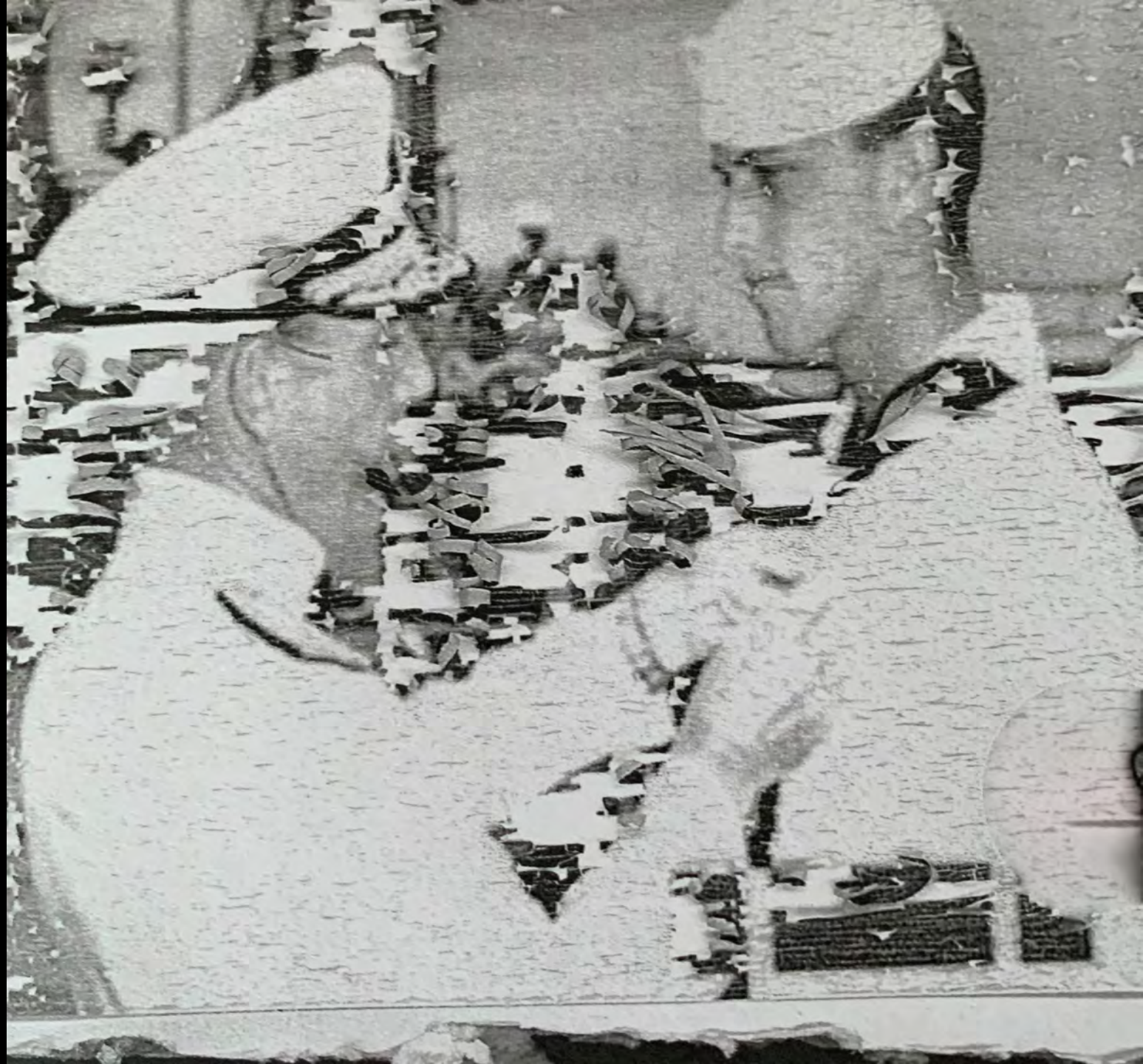


**SGT. MAJOR
FREDERICK J. COBB**

**US ARMY – NOV. 1944-OCT. 1972
WW II, KOREAN AND VIETNAM WARS**

**QUARTERMASTER
R.H. CONSIDINE
US NAVY – WW II**

**RECEIVED MERITORIOUS
CONDUCT COMMENDATION
RIBBON IN PERFORMANCE OF
DUTIES ABOARD THE USS
SUNFISH DURING A WAR
PATROL**





SGT. 1ST CLASS ARNOLD CONSTANTEN

US ARMY – WW II & KOREAN CONFLICT

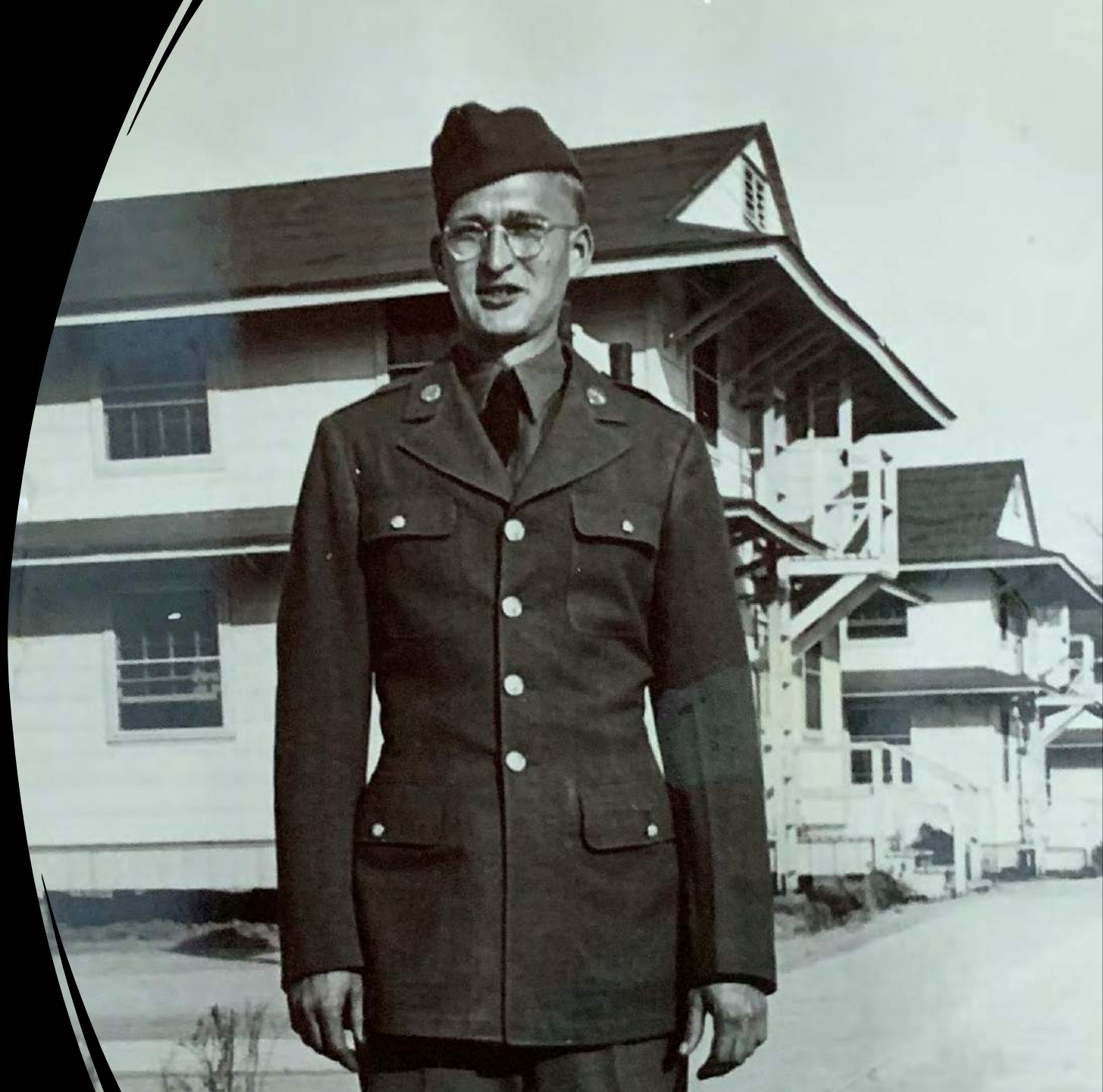
**PROUD MEMBER OF OFFICER CANDIDATE COURSE AND THE
101ST AIRBORNE (SCREAMING EAGLES)**

**AWARDED THE CROIX DE GUERE (FRENCH MEDAL OF HONOR),
BRONZE AND SILVER STAR AND PURPLE HEART FOR BEING
WOUNDED DURING KOREAN CONFLICT**

**EARNED COMMENDATION RIBBON WITH MEDAL PENDANT,
GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL WITH THREE CLASPS, AMERICAN
DEFENSE SERVICE MEDAL, ARMY OF OCCUPATION MEDAL
(GERMANY), BLEGIUM FERGUERRE, WW I I VICTORY MEDAL,
NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE MEDAL, KOREAN SERVICE
MEDAL, UNITED NATIONS SERVICE MEDAL, PARACHUTIST
BADGE (MASTER), EXPERT BADGE (PISTOL)
FATHER OF OCEANPORT RESIDENT SUSAN ARNOLD**

**TECHNICAL
SERGEANT
E. JACK COOK**

US ARMY, WW II





LOUIS J. CRITELLI

US ARMY 1943-46 WWII

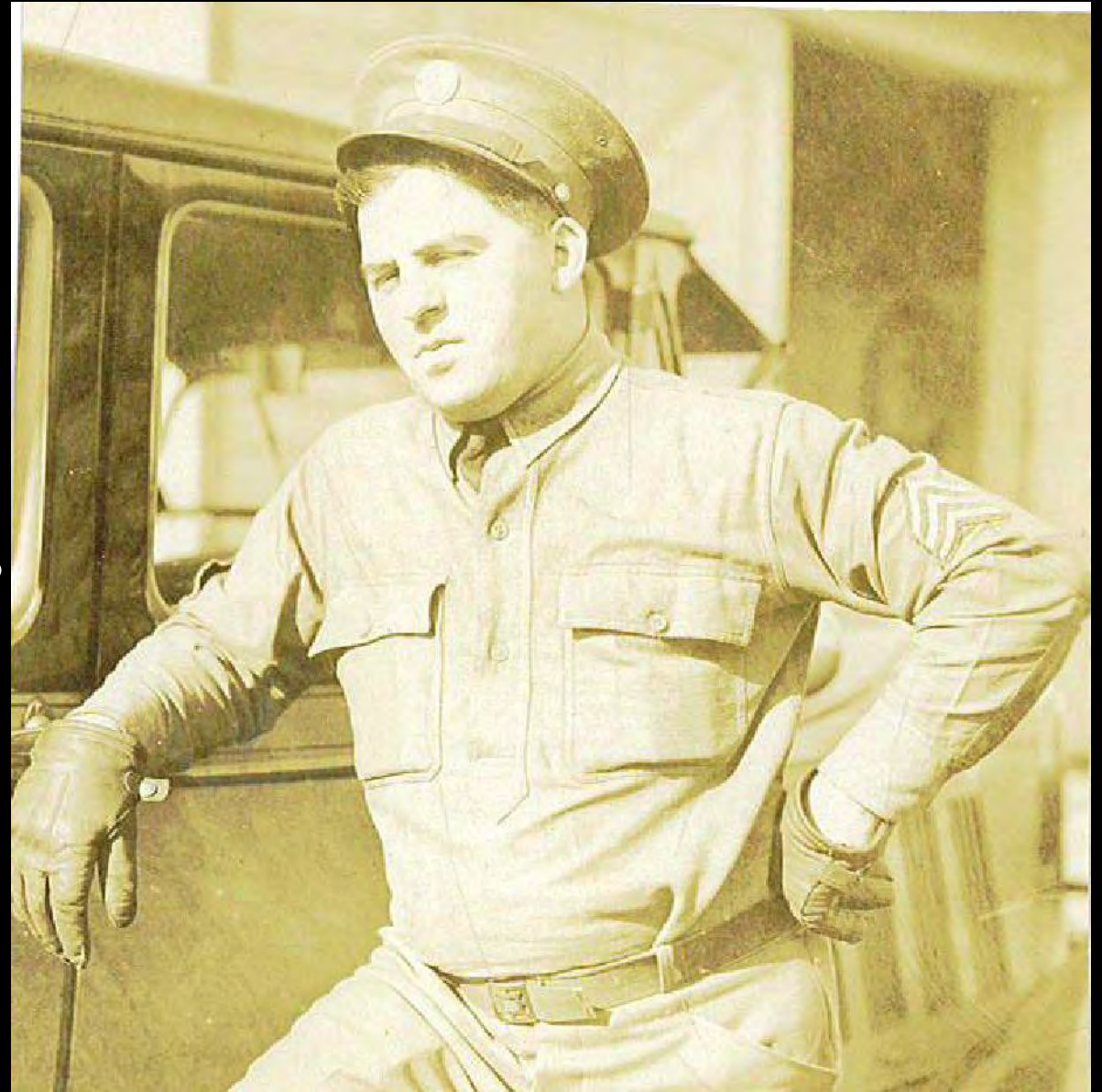
PATSY D. CRITELLI, SR.

US ARMY



**SERGEANT
ARTHUR L. CROCHET, SR.**

**US ARMY 1923-1930 FORMER
OCEANPORT COUNCILMAN**



ARTHUR L. CROCHET JR.

US NAVY 1957-59

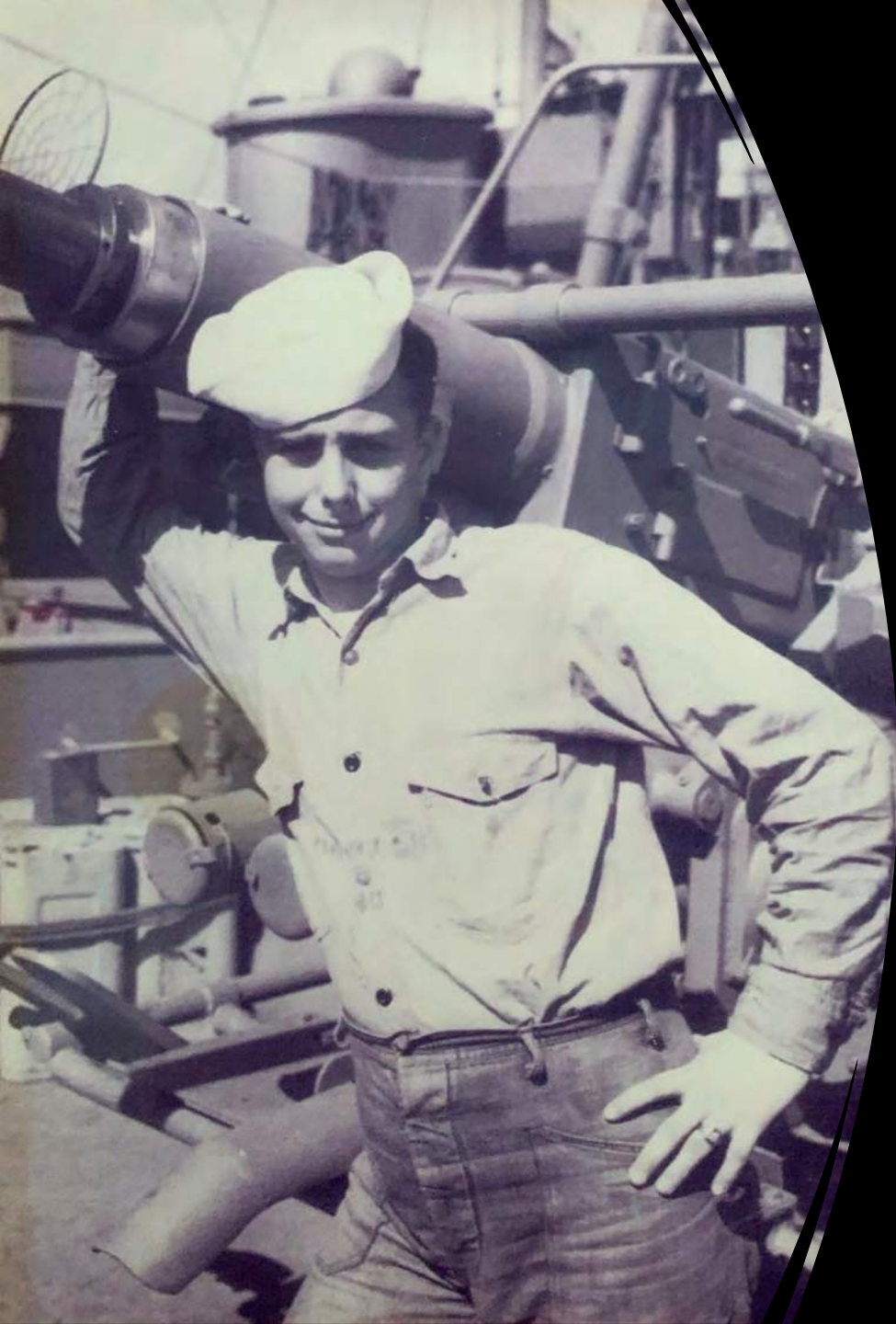




**A1C AIRMAN 1ST
CLASS**

EAMONN J. CURTIS

**2023 - STATIONED AT EGLIN
AIR FORCE BASE FLORIDA**



WALTER M. DANGLER

**US COAST GUARD (SEA BEES) WW II
1943-46**

AL DATEMASCH

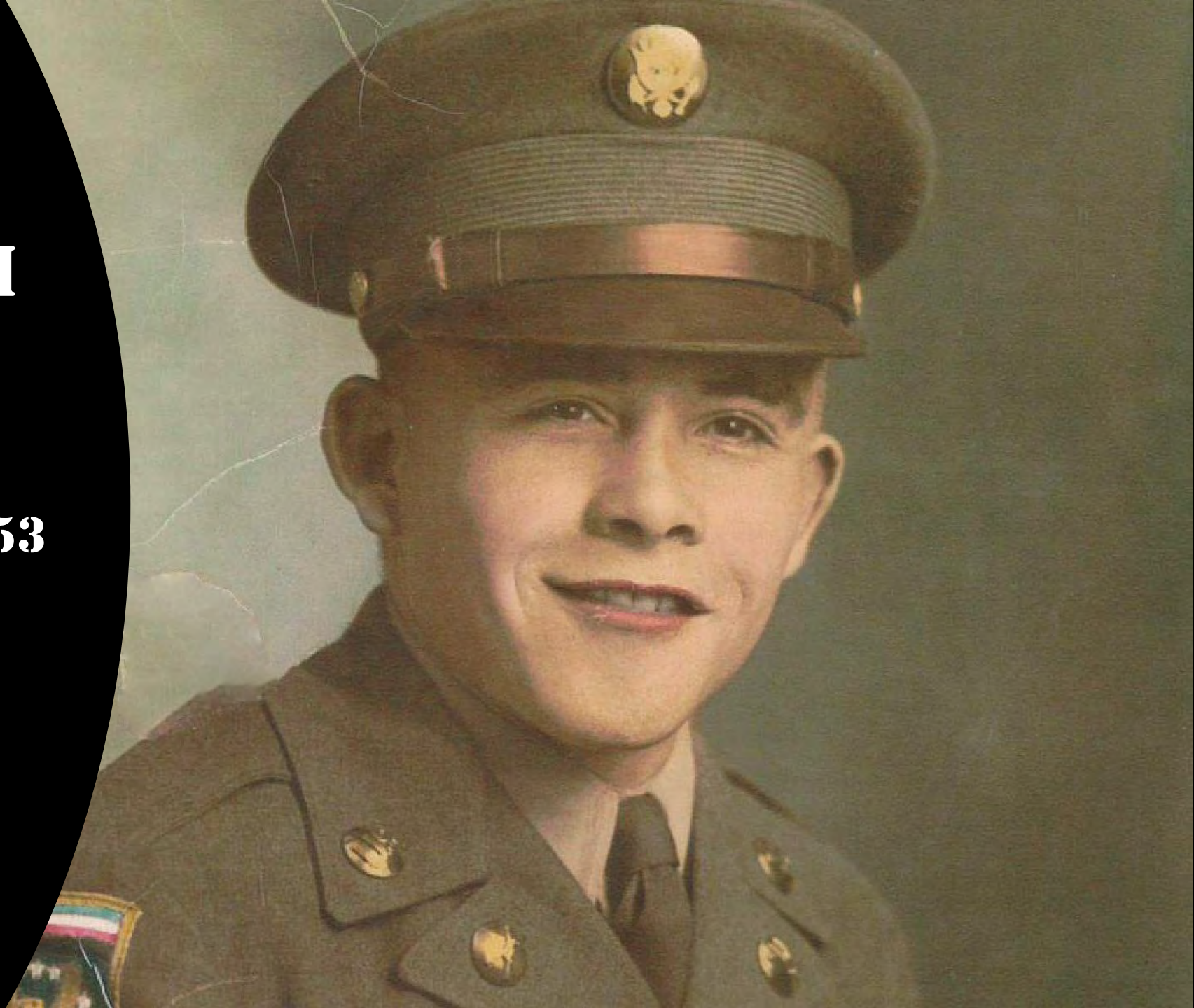
US NAVY

**FEBRUARY 1946 -
FEBRUARY 1948**



AL DATEMASCH

**US ARMY 226 SIGNAL
SERVICE DECEMBER
1950 - DECEMBER 1953**





VITO R. DAUKSYS

US ARMY



CLINT DAVIS

US COAST GUARD

**SEAMAN 1ST CLASS
ALFRED W. DESANTIS, SR.**

US NAVY EASTERN SEABOARD

**FATHER OF ALFRED W. DESANTIS,
JR., KATIE DESANTIS LAPORTA &
FRAN DESANTIS CASSIDY**





ANTHONY J. DESANTIS

**US ARMY INFANTRY FEB 1951-JAN
1953-ARMY OCCUPATION FORCES IN
GERMANY-7TH ARMY HDQS**

CHRISTOPHER J. DESANTIS

**US NAVY – SERVED ABOARD
USS RONALD REAGAN**





ROBERT F. DESANTIS

**US ARMY – BATTLE OF THE BULGE
UNDER GENERAL PATTON – KILLED IN
ACTION IN 1945**

**BROTHER OF ALFRED W. DESANTIS, SR.
AND UNCLE OF ALFRED W. DESANTIS ,
JR., KATIE DESANTIS LAPORTA & FRAN
DESANTIS CASSIDY**

SGT. JOSE E. DIAZ
US ARMY RESERVES
SERVED IN IRAQ
SON-IN-LAW OF KATHY PROUT



GORDON DIETZ

USNAVY SSML

WORLD WAR II 1944-46

KOREAN WAR 1950-51





CHARLES DONALDSON

US NAVY – 11 YEARS

SON OF BEVERLY DONALDSON

EDWARD M. DRAHOS

8TH AIR FORCE – WW II 1942-45

95TH BOMB GROUP, 335TH SQUADRON B-17 – COMPLETED 27 BOMBING MISSIONS – STATIONED IN ENGLAND

FATHER OF JOHN B. DRAHOS



JOHN M. DRAHOS

**PARACHUTE TROOPS – WW II
STATIONED IN FRANCE AND
ENGLAND – 1941**

UNCLE OF JOHN B. DRAHOS





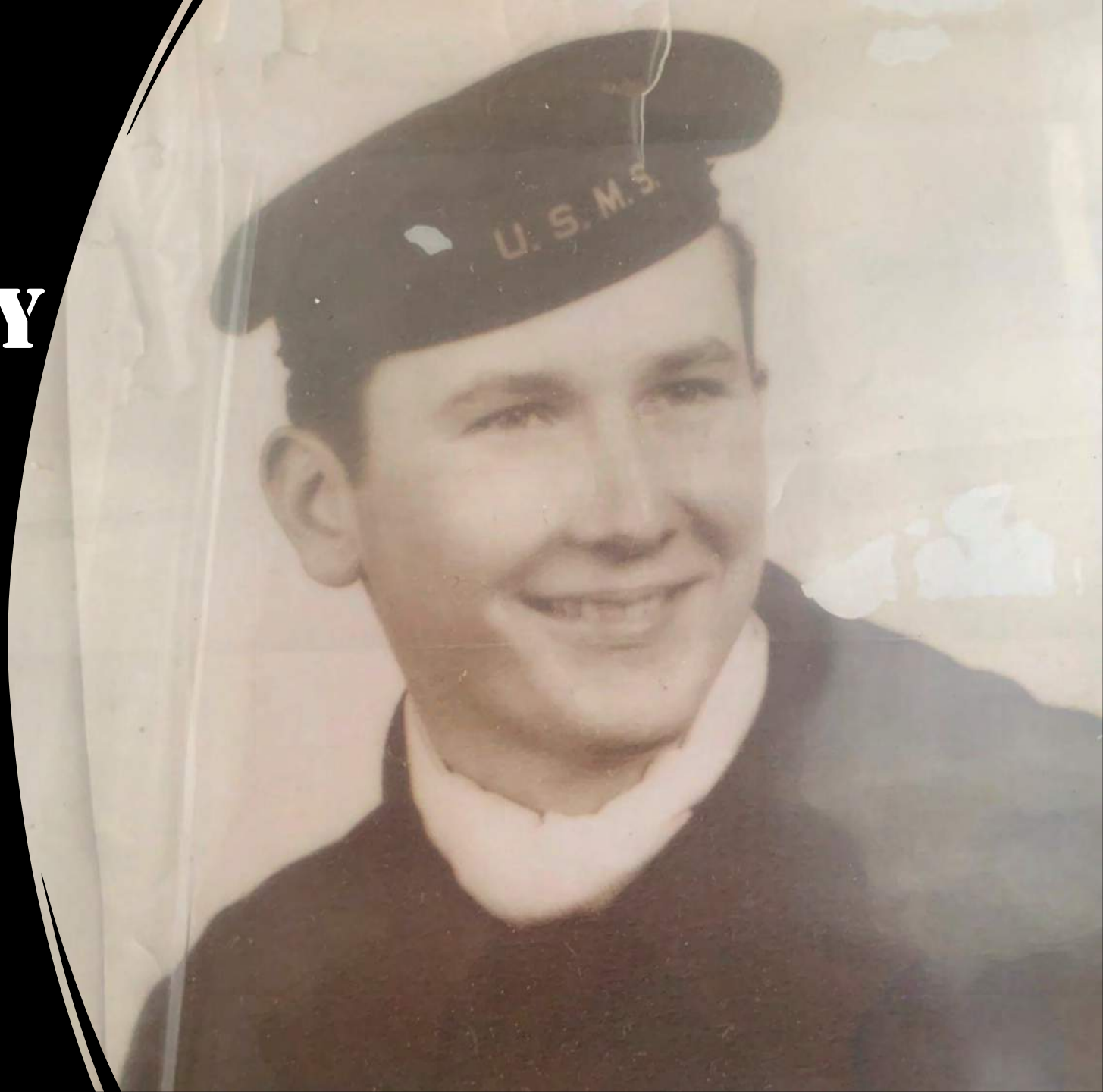
FREDERICK W.B. ELSER

US NAVY WW II - 1942-46

**FATHER OF FORMER OCEANPORT BOROUGH
ADMINISTRATOR/CLERK KIM JUNGFER**

**ENSIGN
JOHN BROOKS FAHY**

US NAVY RESERVE





JAMES PATRICK FLYNN

**US MARINE CORPS
SERVED IN KOREAN WAR**



**PRIVATE 1ST CLASS
JAMES FOGGIA**

**US ARMY WW II 1942-45
FATHER OF MIMI PAOLISE**

**PRIVATE 1ST CLASS
JOSEPH M. FORNICOLA**

US ARMY – WW II

**FOUGHT IN THE BATTLE OF THE
BULGE & THE BATTLE OF COLOGNE**

**AWARDED BRONZE STAR
AND PURPLE HEART**





PRIVATE 1ST CLASS EUGENE FORNINO

**US ARMY – WW II – 4/28/42 TO 10/8/44
KILLED IN ACTION IN GERMANY
PURPLE HEART AWARDED POSTHUMOUSLY**

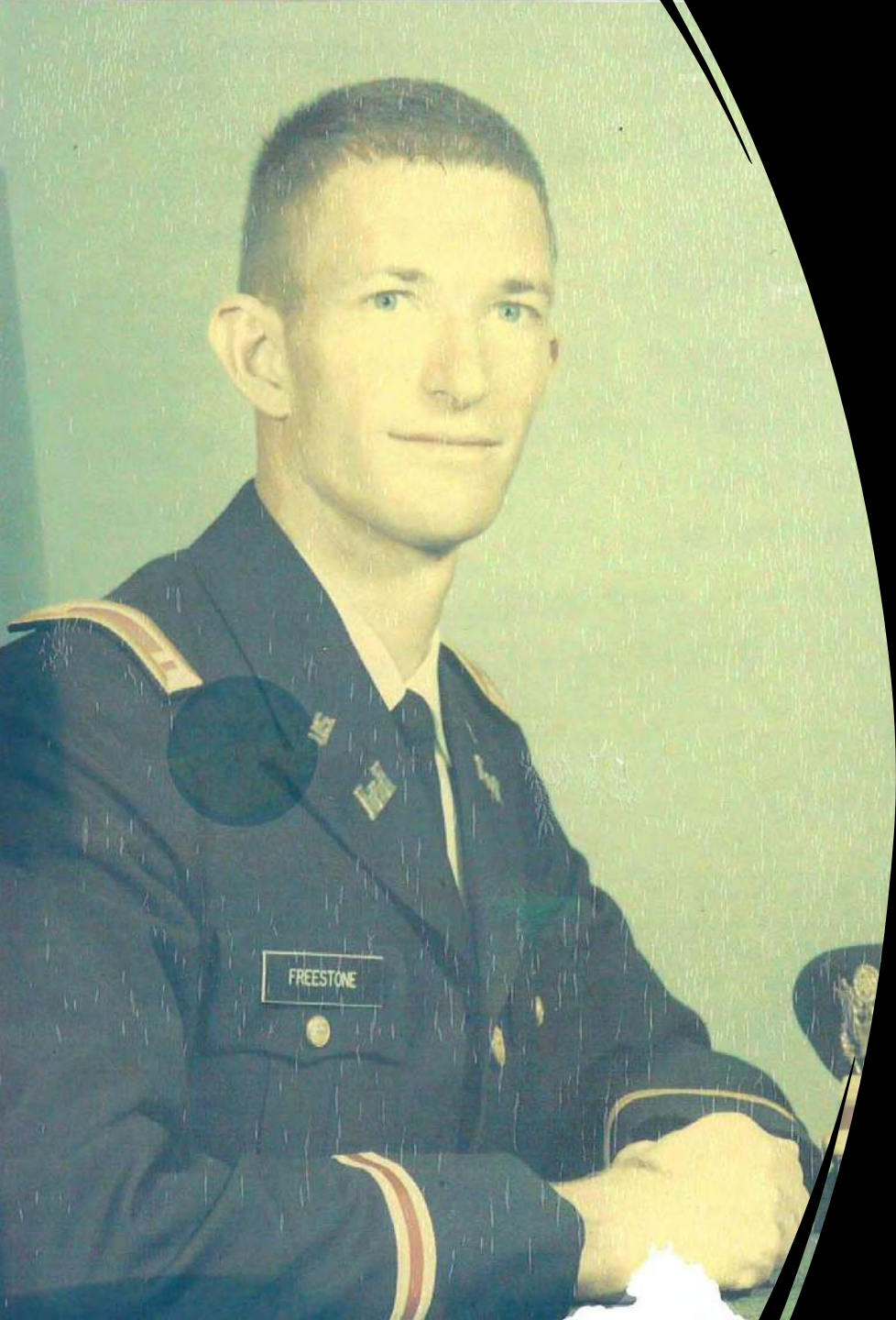
**UNCLE TO FRANK PINGITORE
GREAT UNCLE TO MARIANNE & MARISSA
PINGITORE**



TECHNICIAN 4TH GRADE MICHAEL FORNINO

US ARMY – WW II 2/28/41 TO 6/5/45

**UNCLE TO FRANK PINGITORE
GREAT UNCLE TO MARIANNE & MARISSA
PINGITORE**



LT. FRANK J. FREESTONE

**US ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS
TOUR OF CAM RAHN BAY, VIETNAM WITH
THE 497TH ENGINEER CO.**

PLATOON SGT. DAVID A. FULLER

**US MARINE CORPS 1968-72
VIETNAM 1969, RETIRED PSG, NJ
NATIONAL GUARD 1997**

**FATHER OF CORPORAL NICHOLAS B.
FULLER**





**CORPORAL
NICHOLAS B. FULLER**

**US MARINE CORPS
SON OF PLATOON SGT. DAVID A. FULLER**

LOUIS GALASSI

US ARMY – KOREAN WAR

SERVED FROM 1951-1953

FATHER OF ROSE ANN D'ANDREA



SERGEANT MICHAEL GATHRIGHT

**US ARMY - 2000 & CURRENTLY
SERVING WHEN ORIGINAL WALL OF
HONOR WAS DEDICATED ON
11/11/2004**

**TOURS OF DUTY INCLUDE SOUTH
KOREA,, KUWAIT AND IRAQ**

GRANDSON OF JESSIE GATHRIGHT



BILL GAUGHAN

**US ARMY 1970-76
NJ ARMY NATIONAL
GUARD 1976-2001**





FREDERICK C. GEIGER
US ARMY 1942-45



SALVATORE GENTILE

US ARMY – WW II VETERAN



JOSEPH GERVOLINO

US ARMY HONOR GUARD 1953-55



LT. COLONEL (RET) JAMES RANDOLPH GIBSON

**US MARINE
C130 PILOT & OSPREY PILOT INSTRUCTOR
SERVED IN AFGHANISTAN
OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM
OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM
MSM**

**GRANDSON OF RANDOLPH M. BAILLY AND SON
OF CAROL SMITH, OCEANPORT COURT
ADMINISTRATOR**

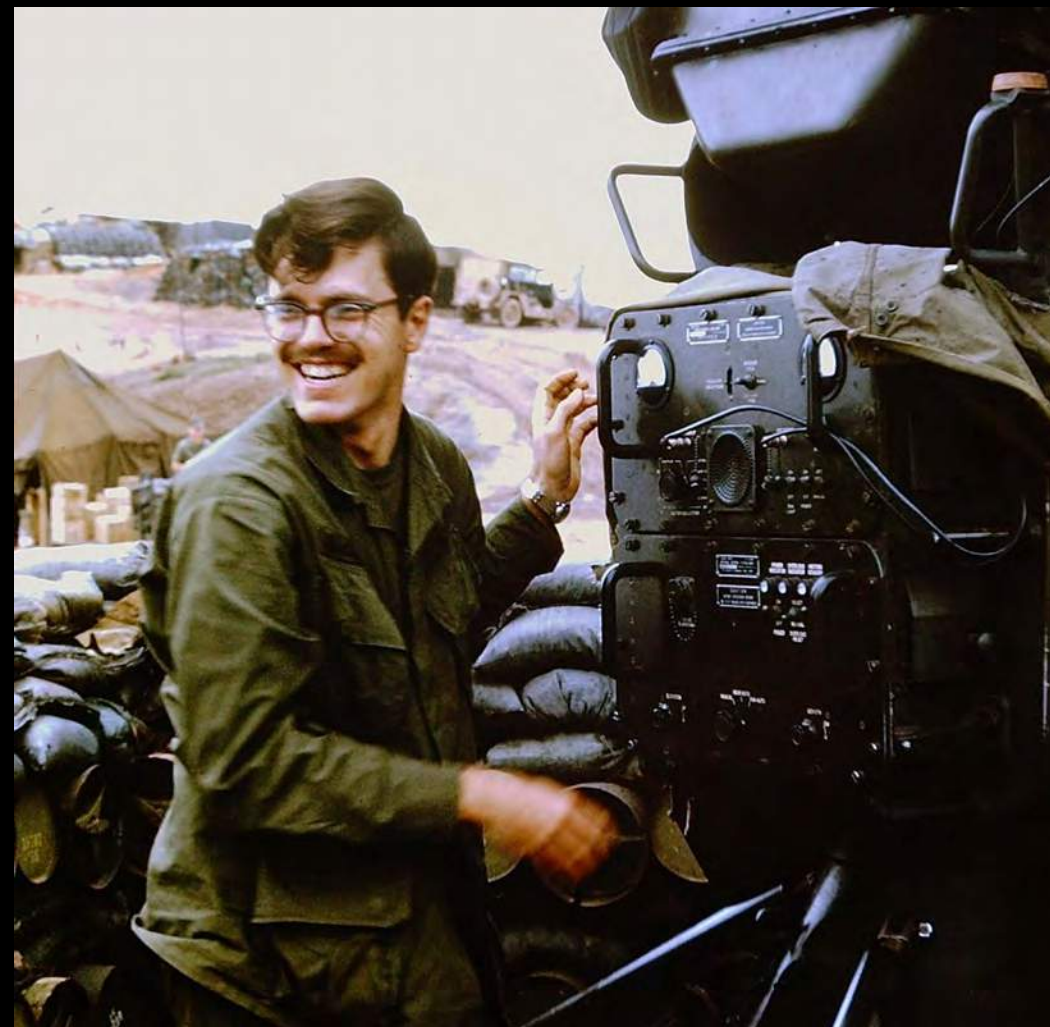
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JAMES AUSTIN GILMORE

US ARMY – DECEMBER 1967 TO NOVEMBER 1970

1ST BATTALION 83RD FIELD ARTILLERY

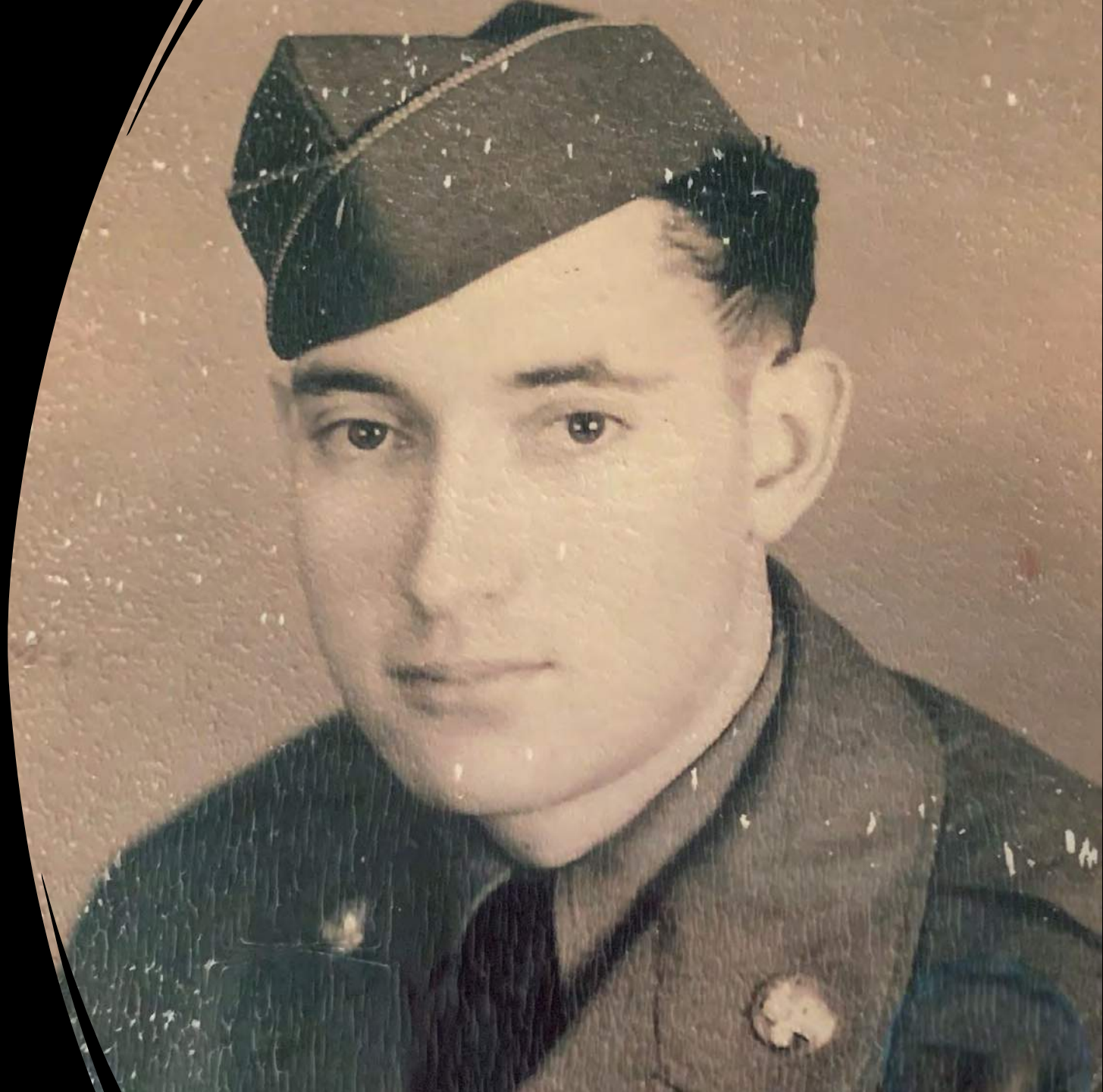
**TRACKING A WEATHER BALLOON AT FIRE BASE ROY,
VIETNAM 1970**



MORTON GLICK

US ARMY

**FATHER OF OCEANPORT
RESIDENT WENDY
BAGGOT**





LLOYD O. GOLDSBERRY JR.

US NAVY SEABEE - WW II 12/8/41-1/1946

RICHARD PETER GOLDSBERRY

US ARMY – WW II

JULY 1943 – FEBRUARY 1946

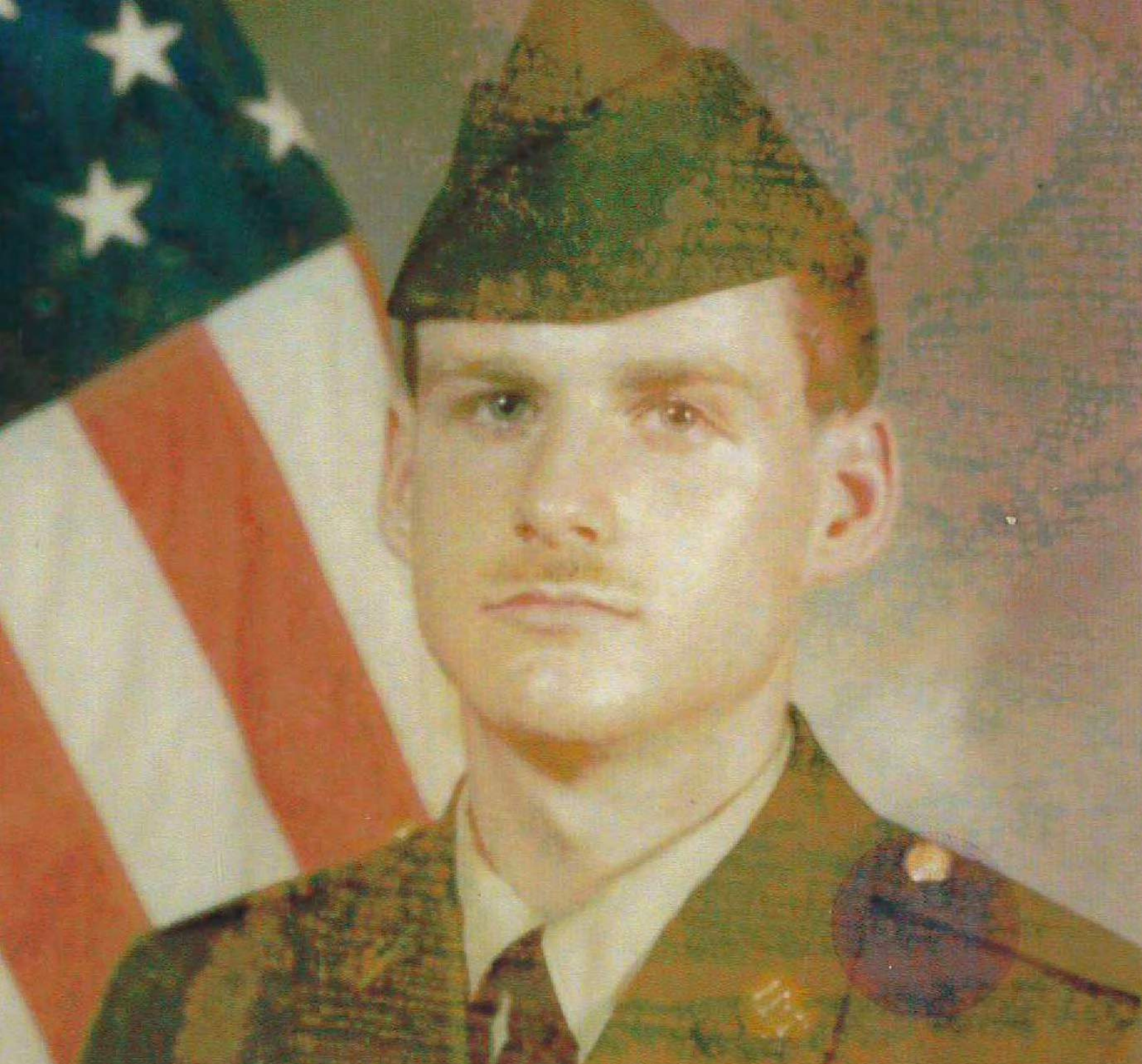
COMBAT INFANTRY BADGE





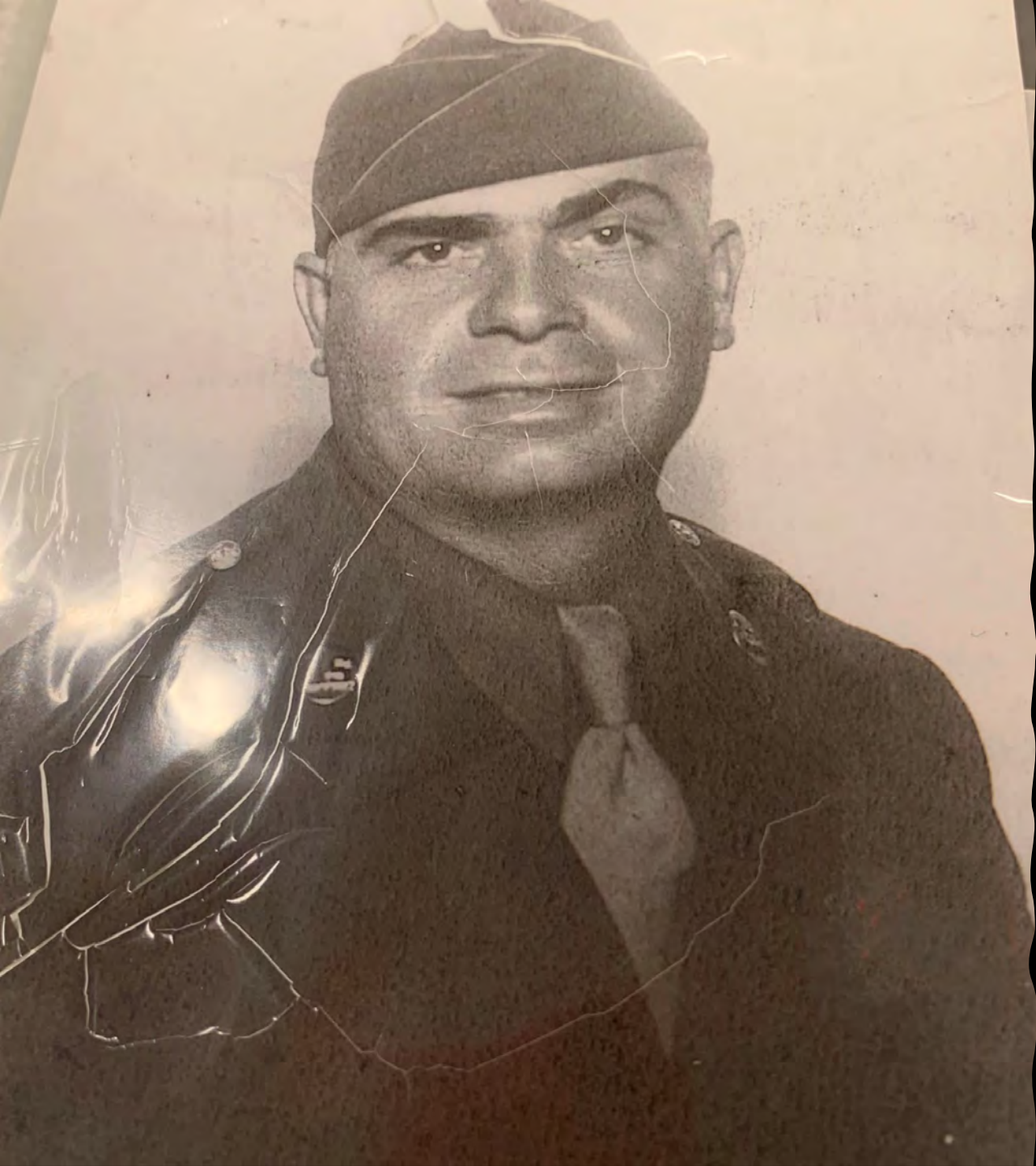
**MAJOR
STEPHEN C. GRECO**

**USMC, IRAQ
SON OF EVELYN GRECO**



**PRIVATE 1ST
CLASS
BRYAN GRIFFITTS**

US ARMY 1981-84



**SGT.
EMILIO GRILLI**

**US ARMY - WW II – FATHER
OF FORMER OCEANPORT
MAYOR MARIA
GATTA**



CHARLES J. GRIPPALDI

US ARMY

**SERGEANT 1ST CLASS
HENRY C. GYMROWSKI**

US ARMY





**ROBERT
HALPER**
USMC 1976-1980

**SAL
SPINICCHIA**
USMC 1946-1953
**UNCLE OF ROBERT
HALPER**

MAJOR BERNARD MARK HALBSTEIN, M.D.

**US ARMY – WW II
1942-1946**

**LANDED ON NORMANDY BEACH
WITH THE 41ST EVACUATION
HOSPITAL ON D-DAY PLUS 3 (6/9/44)
BATTLE PROMOTION TO MAJOR
BRONZE STAR FOR VALOR, FRENCH
LEGION OF MERIT**

FATHER OF AMY GRIMM

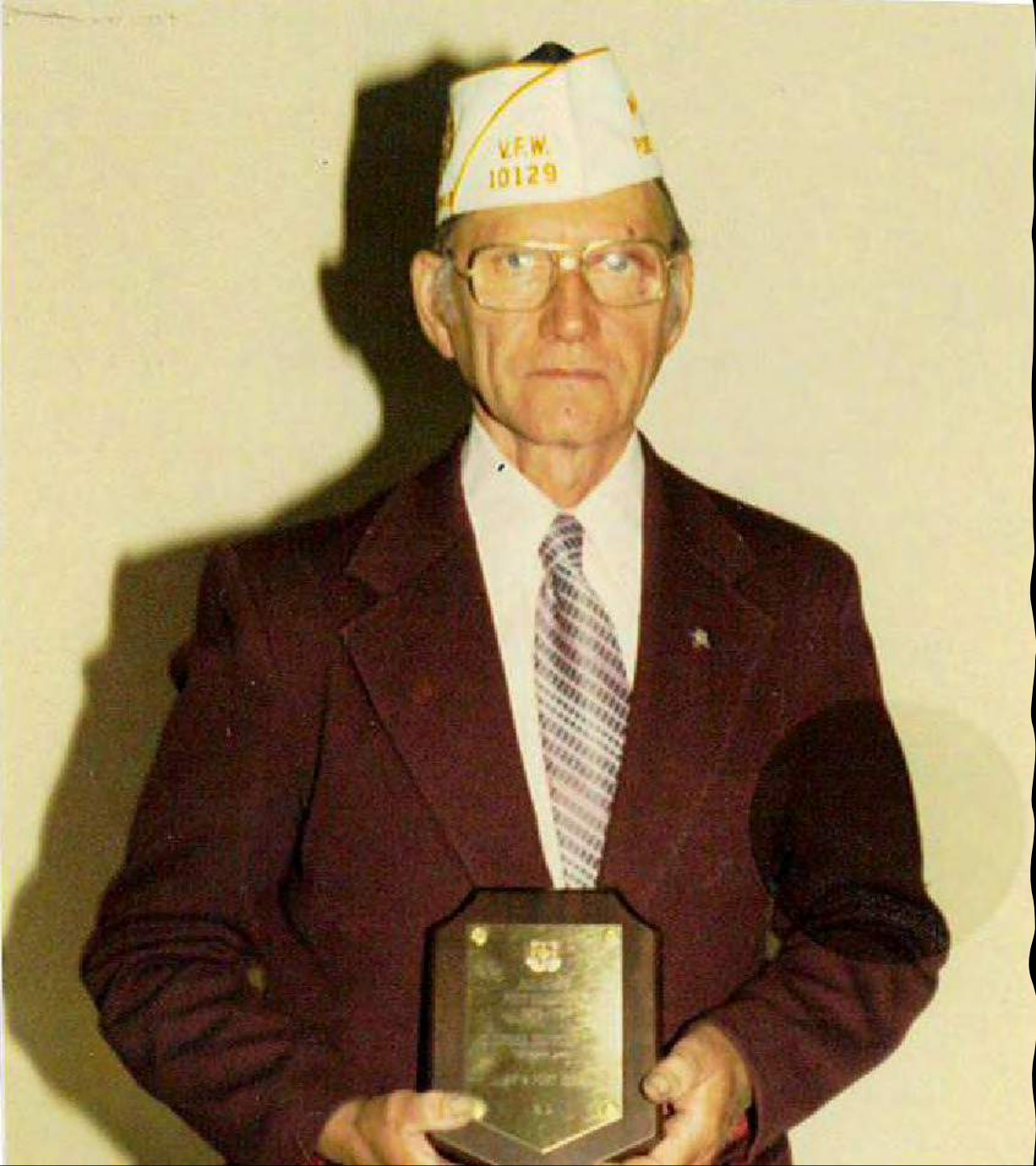




JOHN E. HASTINGS

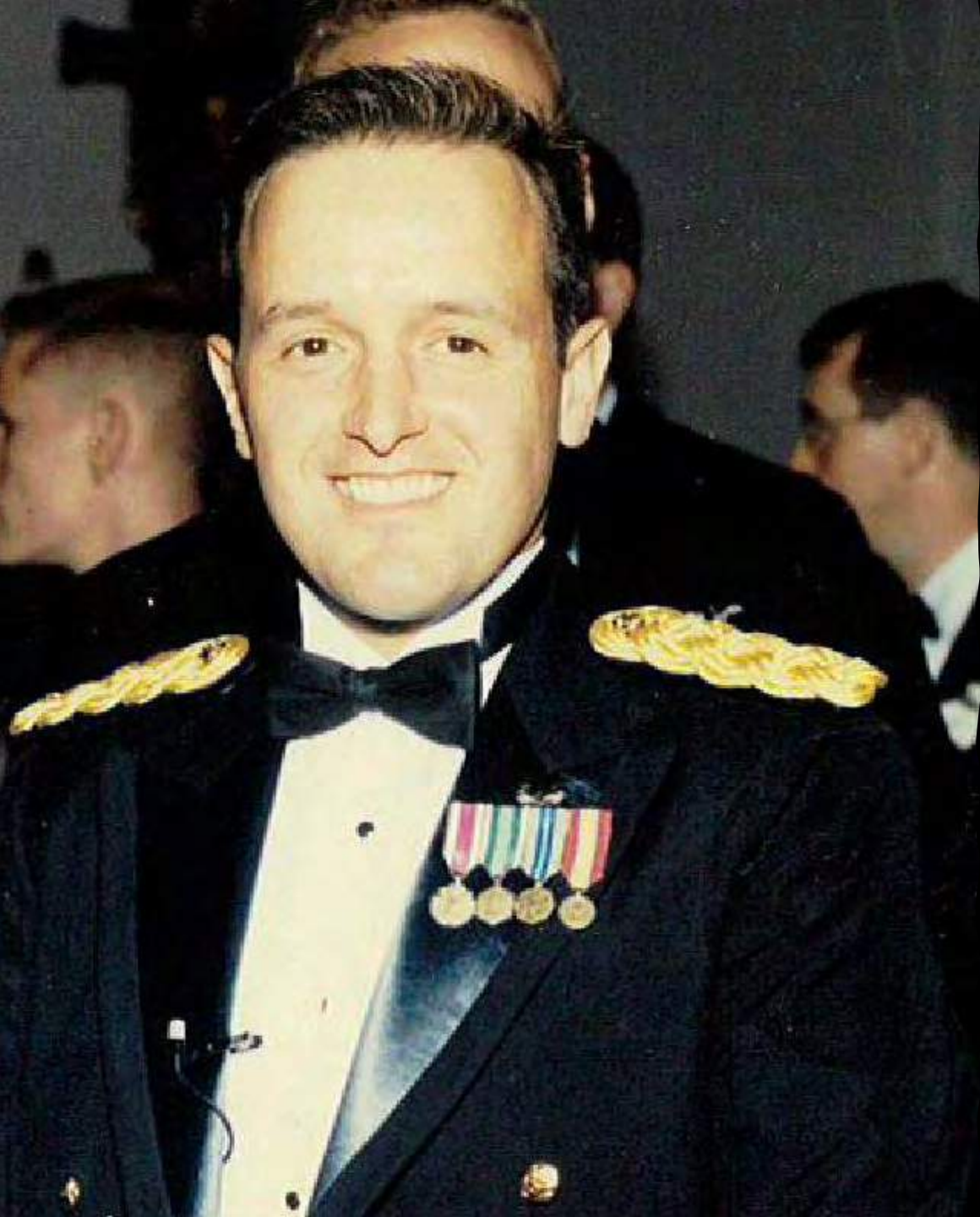
**US ARMY, WW I
SERVED IN FRANCE**

FATHER OF ANN ROONEY



CLIFFORD HEPBURN

US ARMY WW II



**RETIRED LT.COLONEL
PAUL CAMPBELL HESTER**



CPL. HARRY J. HOEFT

**US ARMY WW I
2ND DIVISION, 9TH INFANTRY,
COMPANY A
AWARDED PURPLE HEART**



**CPL. ROBERT G. HOEFT - 724TH US ARMY AIR
FORCE BAND**

**JOHN W. (BILL)
HOUSECHILD, JR.**

US ARMY 1942-45 – WW II



SGT. BOB HOWIE

**US MARINE CORPS
1966-1969**

**13-MONTH TOUR IN
VIETNAM**

**FATHER OF JASON
HOWIE**





**STAFF SGT.
JASON HOWIE**

US AIR FORCE

**TOUR OF DUTY IN KUWAIT/IRAQ DURING
“OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM”**

SON OF BOB HOWIE



FREDERICK T. HURLEY

US ARMY 1942-45 – WW II

**STAFF SGT.
JOSEPH IAMELLO JR.**

**US ARMY – WW II
11/8/42 – 12/15/45
BATTLES INCLUDE NORMANDY,
NORTHERN FRANCE, ARDENNES,
RHINELAND, CENTRAL EUROPE**





LT. J.W. TED IBEX

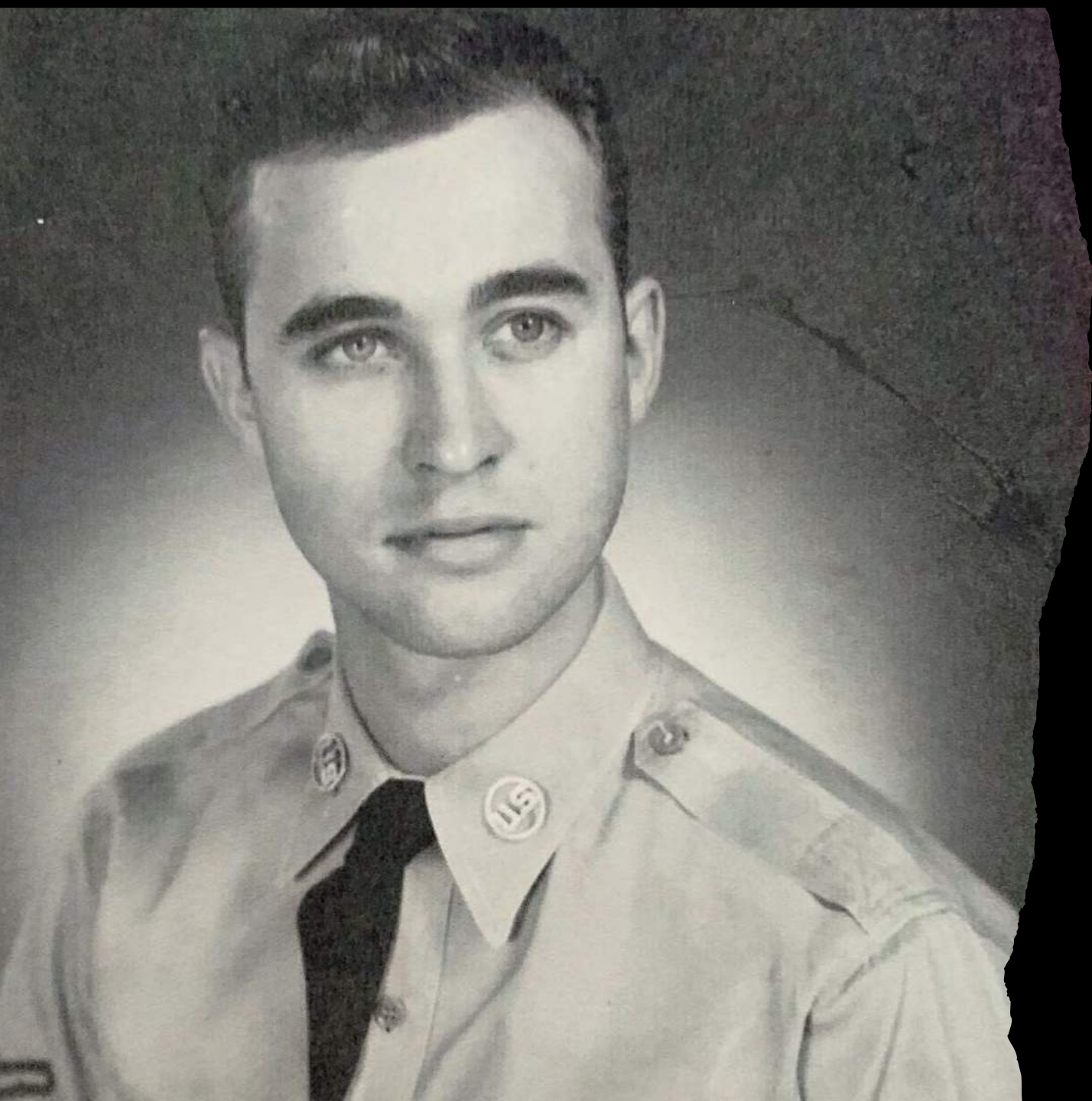
**US ARMY 1967-69
SERVED IN VIETNAM**

**FORMER OCEANPORT
COUNCILMAN**

**PRIVATE 1ST CLASS
DAVID J. IVINS**

US MARINE CORPS





**AIRMAN 3RD CLASS
CLEMENT JABLONSKI**

**US AIR FORCE
1952-54**

**FATHER OF OCEANPORT
RESIDENT DIANNE JABLONSKI**

HARVEY "BUD" JOHNSON

US ARMY – WW II

**PACIFIC ARENA – MARCH OF
BATTON**

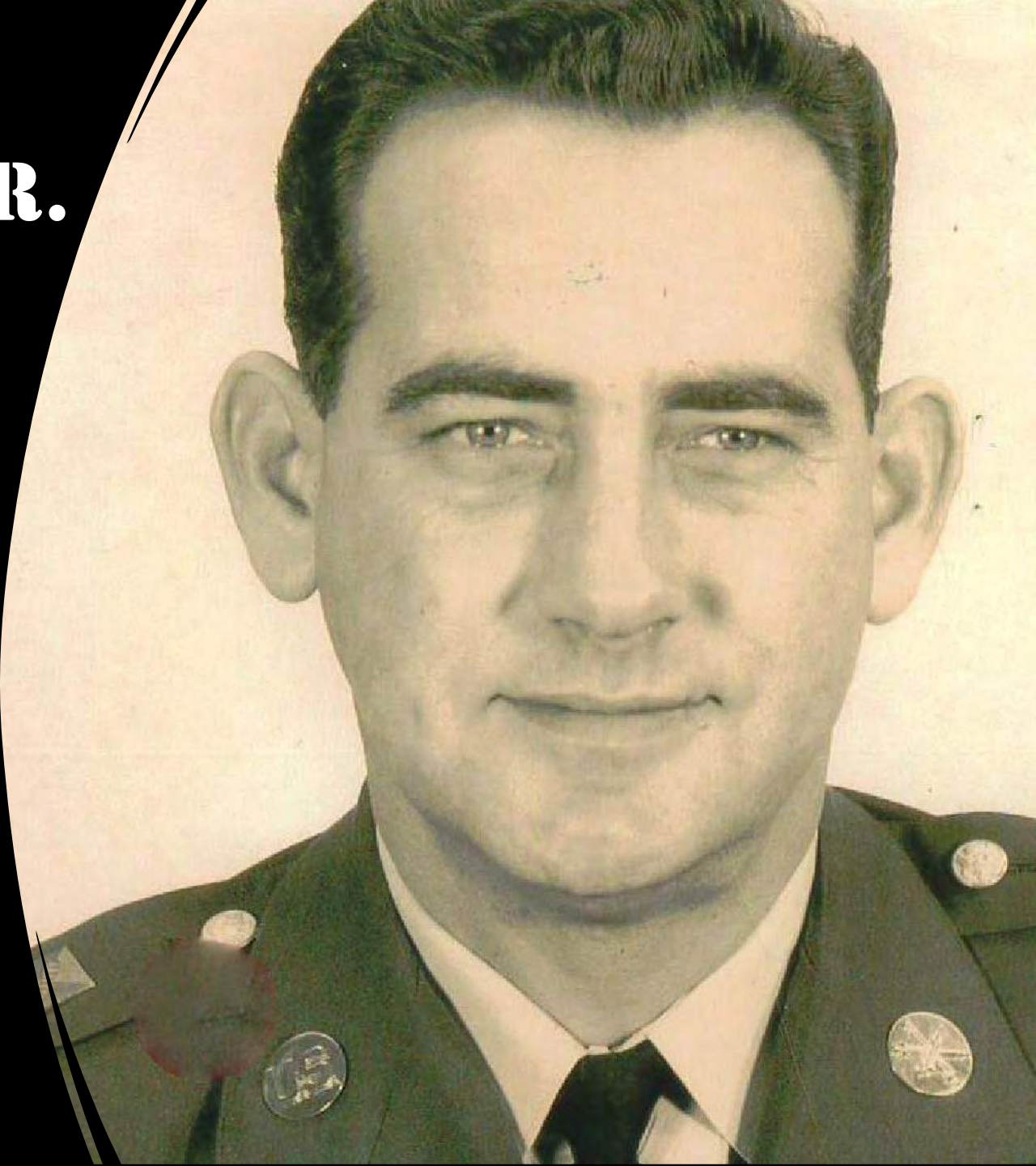
UNCLE TO ALLAN JOHNSON



CHARLES F. JOSSELYN, JR.
US ARMY 1945-71

**SERVED IN KOREA, VIETNAM, GERMANY
& GREENLAND**

**INVOLVED IN BAY OF PIGS AS AN
ATTACHE TO THE GENERAL**





**SERGEANT
RICHARD ALAN JOYCE,
SR.**

**US NAVY
SERVED IN PERSIAN GULF-1989
SON OF FORMER OCEANPORT POLICE
CHIEF ROBERT & GEORGIANNA
JOYCE**

1ST CLASS PETTY OFFICER
RICHARD ALAN JOYCE JR.
US NAVY – RANK ETN1





COMMANDER RICHARD C. JOYCE

US NAVY 1960-1995



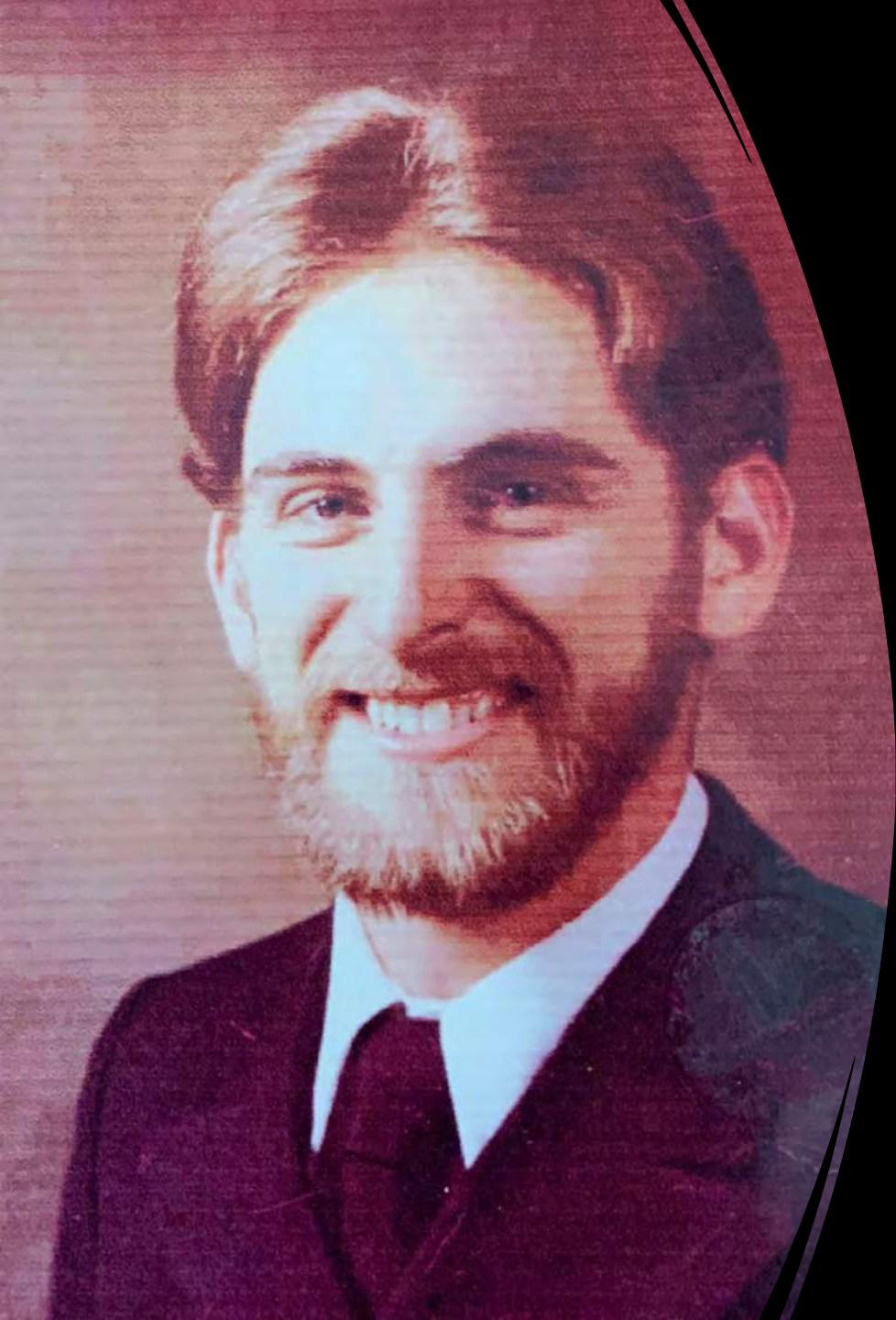
**SERGEANT
ROBERT DEANE JOYCE, JR**

**US MARINE CORPS
SON OF FORMER OCEANPORT
POLICE CHIEF ROBERT &
GEORGIANNA JOYCE**



MARTIN KAMMANN

US ARMY



**1ST CLASS PETTY
OFFICER**

JEFFREY A. KEEVIL

**US NAVY – 5/14/72 TO 4/26/78
USS BAINBRIDGE CGN 25**



**1ST CLASS SEAMAN
JOHN A. KEEVIL**

**US NAVY – 1946 TO 1947
SERVED IN THE PACIFIC ON THE USS
BELLAWOOD**



WILLIAM F. KELLAM

US NAVY SEAMAN 1955-61



RAYMOND J. KELLY

**US AIR FORCE 1949-1953
PICTURE IN 1950 AT KEESLER
AIR FORCE BASE, BILOXI,
MISSISSIPPI**

ROBERT E. KELLY

US MARINE CORPS 1950-53

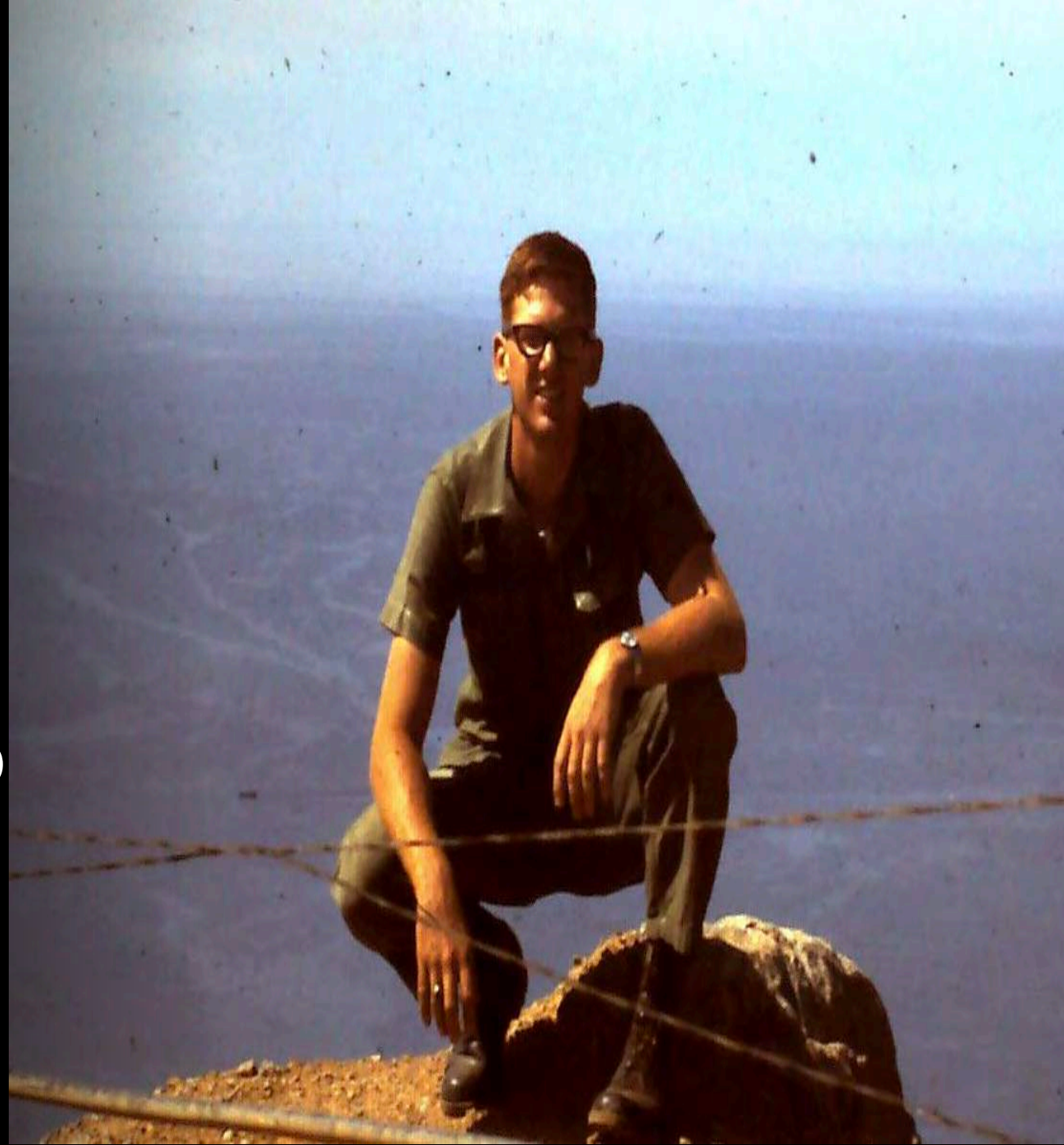


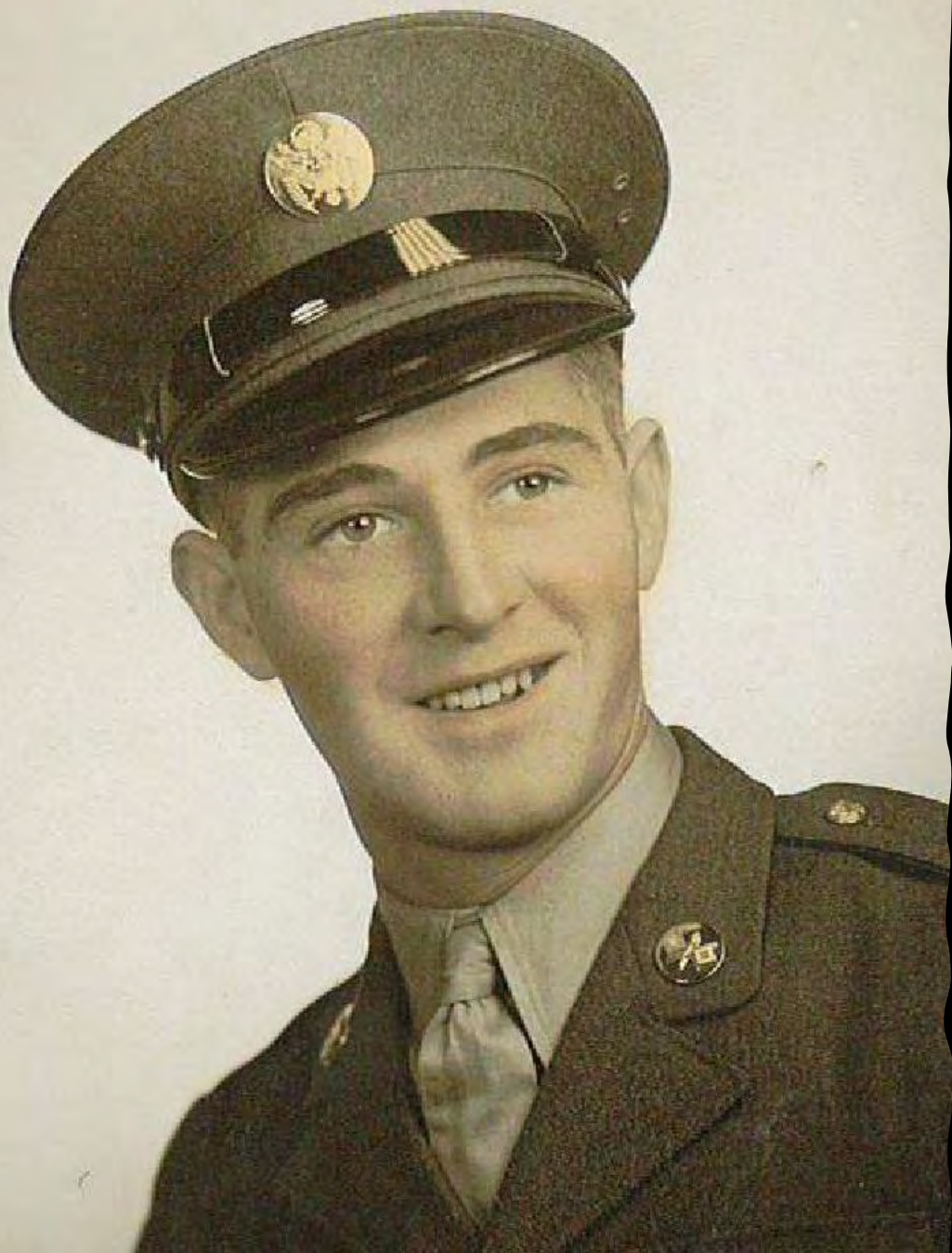
ROBERT KLEIBERG

“RUSTY”

**USN SEABEES DANANG
VIETNAM OCT 1966-1967**

**CURRENTLY SERVES ON
OCEANPORT PLANNING BOARD**





JOHN KOWALCZYK

US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS WWII



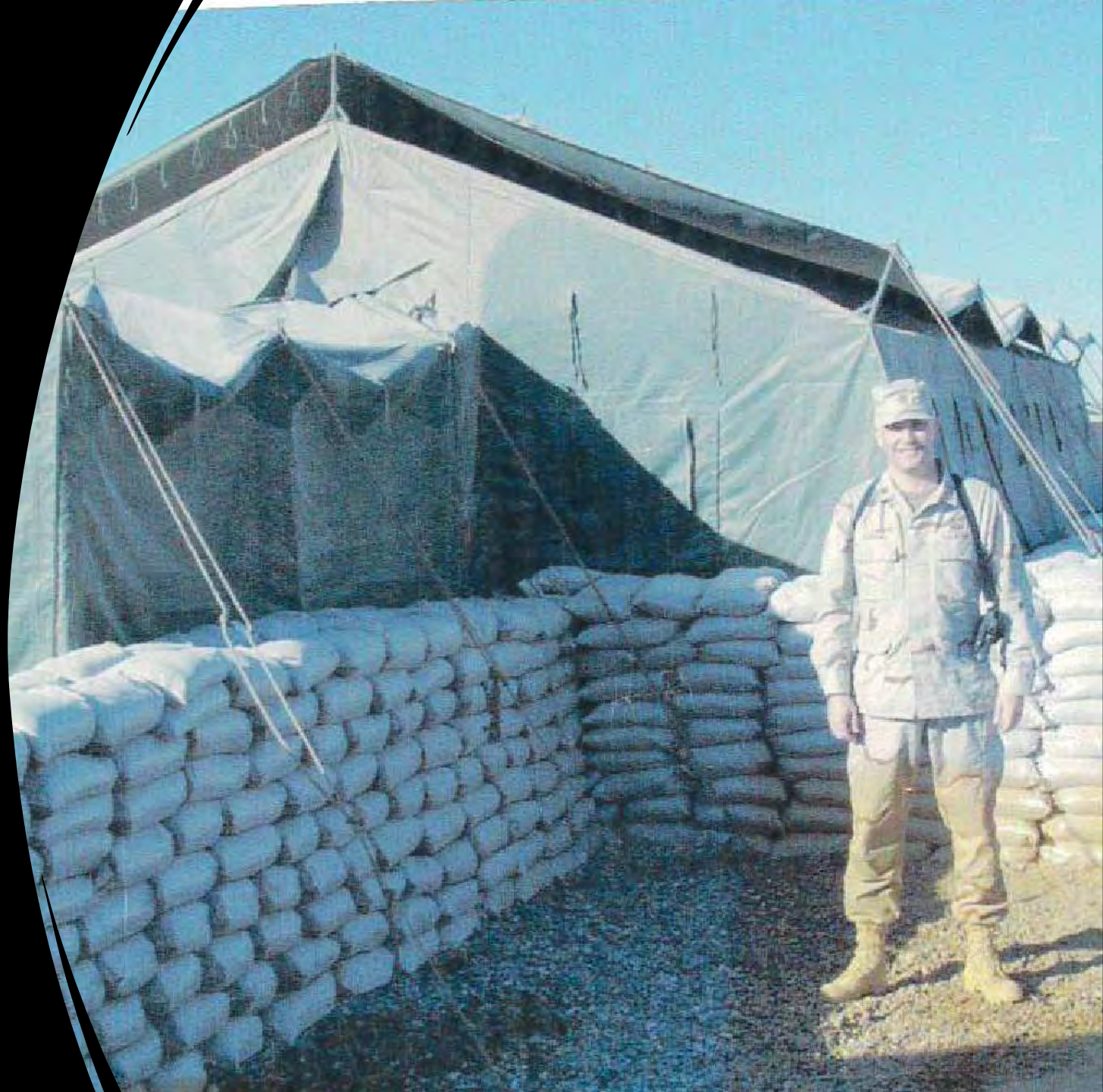
ALEXANDER F. KRAUS

US NAVY 1955-1961

**AVIATION ELECTRONICS TECHNICIAN
SECOND CLASS**

MAJOR ROBERT KRONING

**US ARMY
SERVED IN IRAQ**





SIDNEY J. LACHER

**US ARMY AIR FORCE-WW II
AUGUST 1941 – MARCH 1946**

**ACTIVE DUTY IN PACIFIC AREA,
HAWAII AND IWO JIMA**

SAL LAGRALETTERI

US ARMY



MAJOR CHRISTIEANN LAPORTA

US AIR FORCE – 1981 TO 1992

**DIVISION/COMMANDS: TACTICAL AIR
COMMAND, UNITED STATES AIR
FORCES EUROPE, UNITED STATES AIR
FORCE RESERVES**

CAREER FIELDS: LOGISTICS

TRANSPORTATION

**SISTER-IN-LAW OF DR. DAVID LAPORTA
AND KATIE LAPORTA (OCEANPORT
CFO)**



LT. COLONEL PAUL A. LAPORTA

US AIR FORCE – 1980-2008

**DIVISIONS/COMMANDS: TACTICAL AIR
COMMAND,, AIR COMBAT COMMAND,
UNITED STATES AIR FORCES EUROPE,
AIR FORCE OPERATIONAL TEST AND
EVALUATION CENTER**

**CAREER FIELD: OPERATIONS F-111
WEAPON SYSTEMS OFFICE**

**BROTHER OF DR. DAVID LAPORTA AND
BROTHER-IN-LAW OF KATIE LAPORTA
(OCEANPORT CFO)**



NILS E. LARSON

**US NAVY 1956-1961 LST
1096 ST CLAIR COUNTY**





ANGELO P. LEO

**US MARINE CORP – WW II
ASSIGNED TO THE TANK DIVISION
SERVING IN THE PACIFIC**

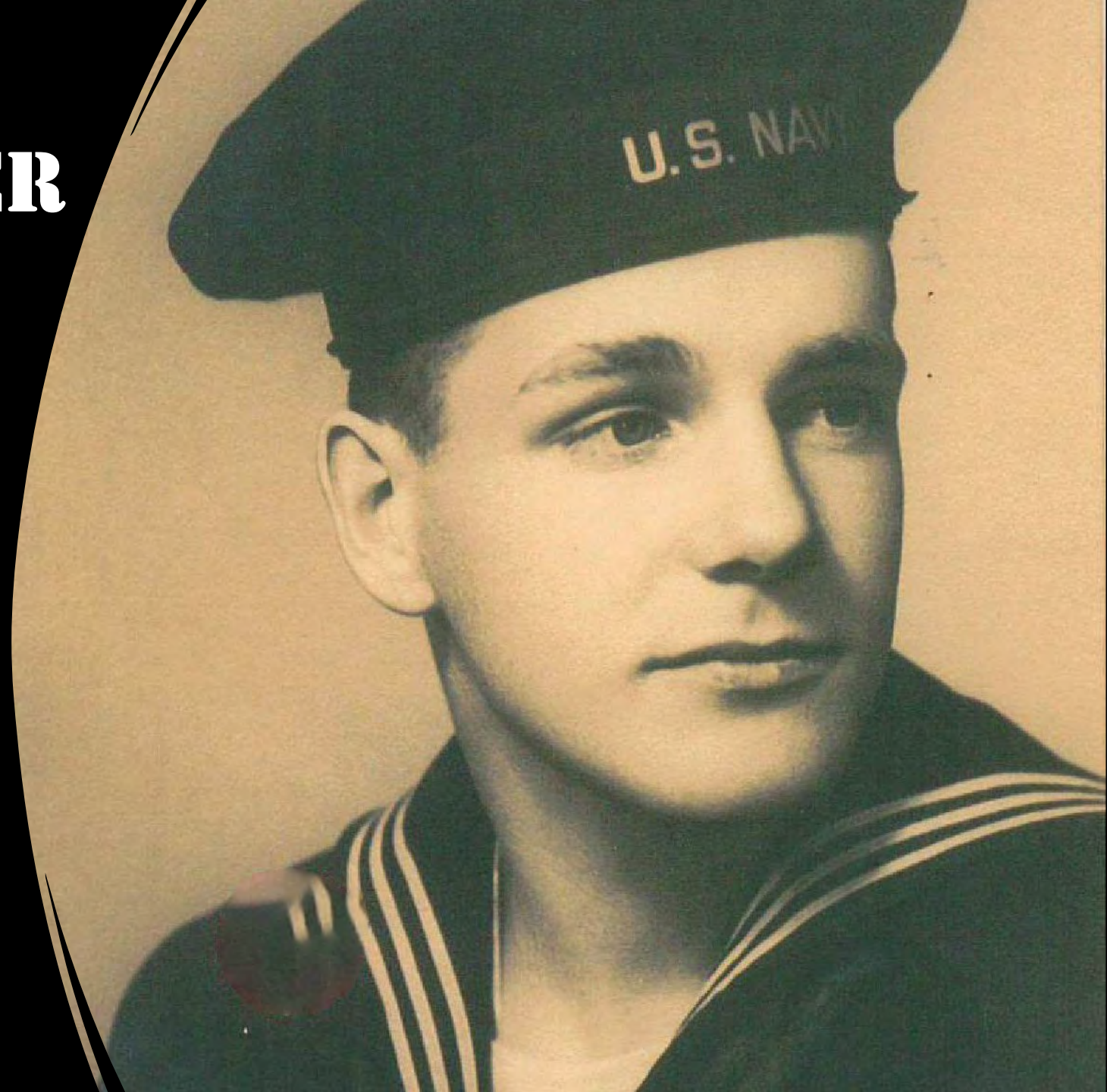
BROTHER OF ANNA MARIE HAVARD



THOMAS FRANCIS LETSON JR.
US NAVY – 10/1948 TO 11/1949

HAROLD J. LOEFFLER

**US NAVY-WW II
PRESENT WHEN GENERALS
MCARTHUR & HALSEY CAME
ABOARD THE BATTLESHIP USS
MISSOURI FOR THE SIGNING AND
SURRENDER OF JAPAN**





**RETIRED ARMY
RESERVE OFFICER
ANDREW P. LOMBARDO**

**VETERAN OF DESERT STORM
(1990-91) AND THE WAR ON
TERROR (2005-06)**



STAFF SERGEANT JOHN LONG

**US AIR FORCE – JANUARY 1954 TO
DECEMBER 1957**



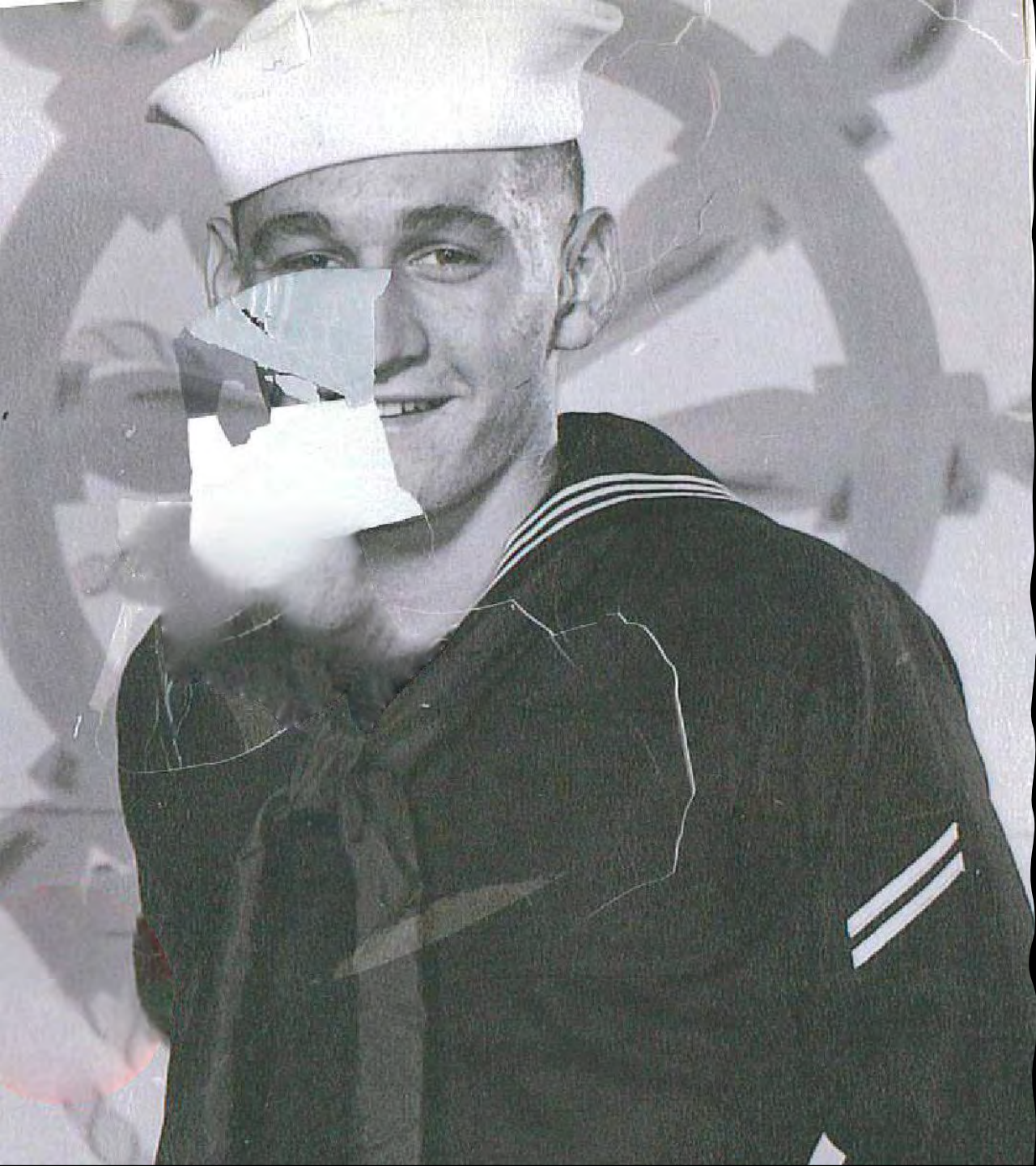
**COMMANDER
JOSEPH E. LYONS**

US NAVY 1966-1986

**FORMER OCEANPORT COUNCILMAN AND
FATHER OF**

**LT. COMMANDER
JENNIFER C. LYONS**

**US NAVY 1992 & WAS CURRENTLY ON
ACTIVE DUTY WHEN ORIGINAL WALL OF
HONOR WAS DEDICATED ON 11/11/2004**



WILLIAM S. MACSTUDY

US NAVY 1954-56



**1ST LIEUTENANT
RICHARD MADIGAN**

US ARMY



SERGEANT LAWRENCE R. MAGUIRE

**PILOT OFFICER - ROYAL CANADIAN AIR
FORCE - WW II
KILLED IN ACTION 7/15/1942**

**PLANE WAS SHOT DOWN AFTER DIVERTING ENEMY FIRE AND
LOST IN GULF OF ADEN, BELOW SAUDI ARABIA. UNCLE OF
OCEANPORT RESIDENT TARA FRAME WHO LIVES IN THE
OCEANPORT HOME PURCHASED BY HER GRANDFATHER FOR
SGT. MAGUIRE TO RECUPERATE AFTER THE WAR. DESPITE
THE FACT THAT SGT. MAGUIRE NEVER LIVED IN THE HOUSE,
THE FAMILY KEPT THE HOME.**

RALPH MAIDA

US ARMY

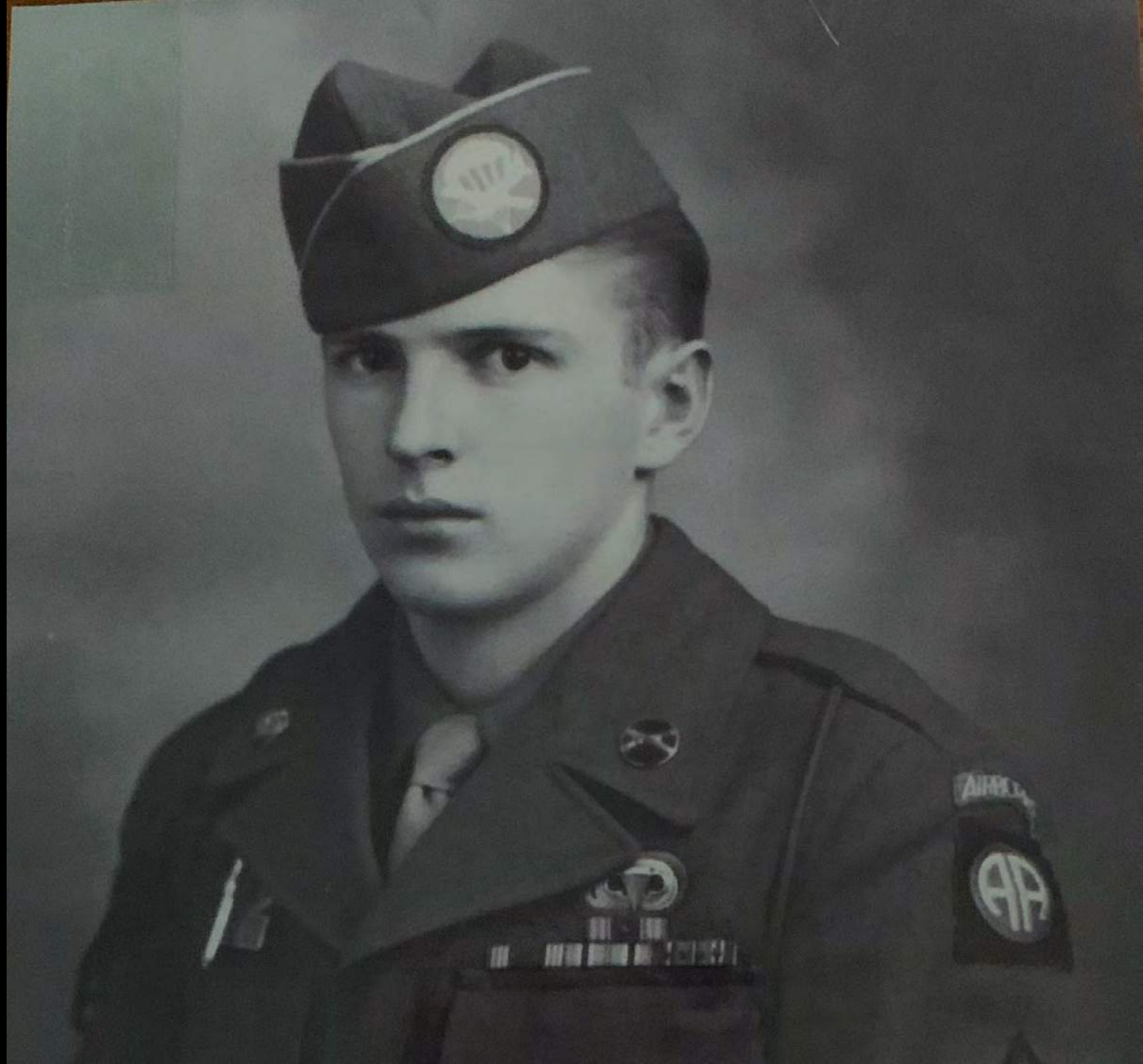


WALTER MALEK

**US AIR FORCE – WW II
82ND AIR BORNE
505TH PARACHUTE
INFANTRY**

**BATTLES & CAMPAIGNS – NORMANDY,
ARDENNES, RHINELAND, CENTRAL
EUROPE**

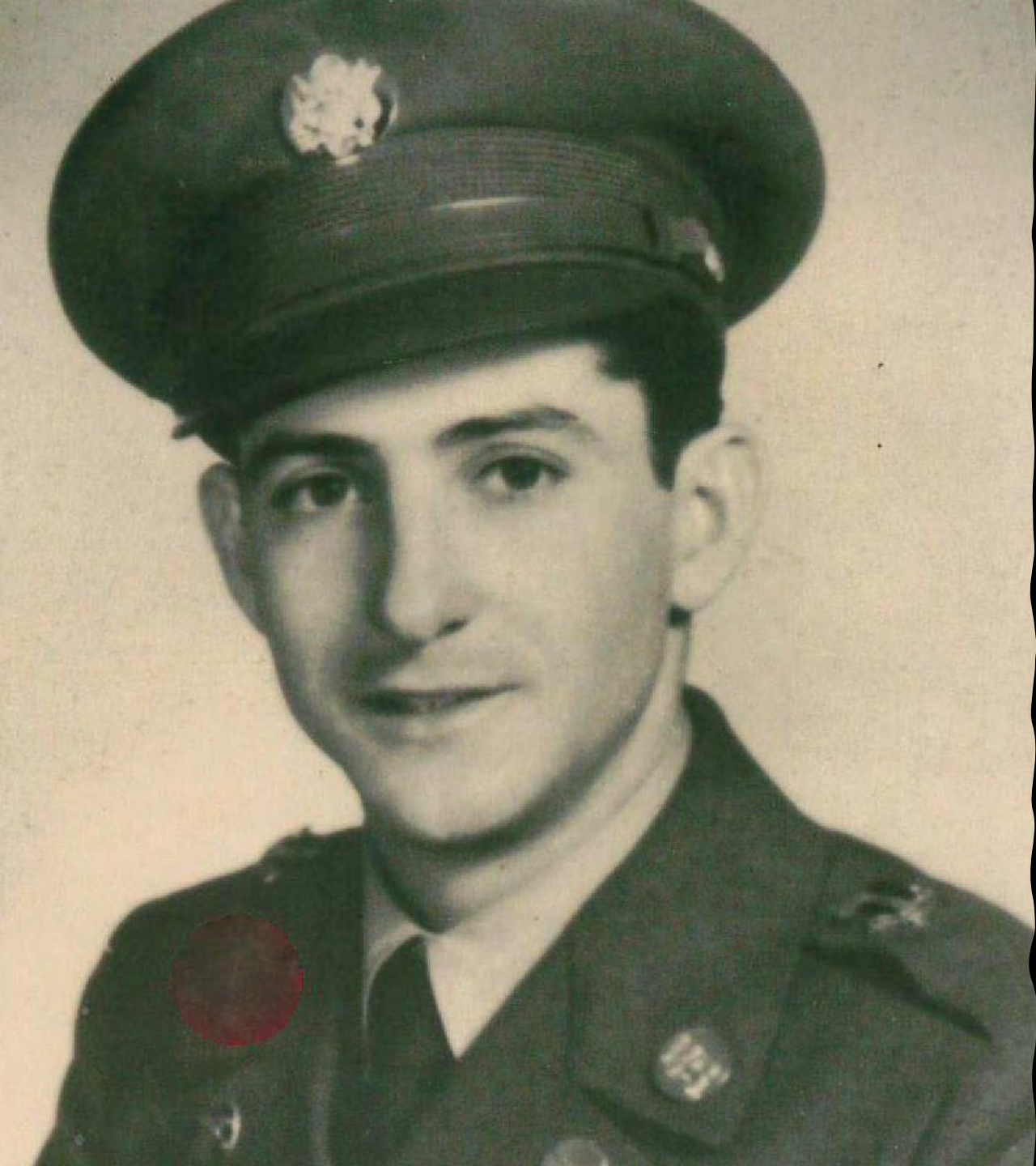
**DECORATIONS & CITATIONS –
AMERICAN THEATER RIBBON,
EUROPEAN-AFRICAN MIDDLE EASTERN
RIBBON, GOOD CONDUCT & VICTORY
MEDALS, PRESIDENT UNIT CITATION,
BELGIUM FOURRAGERS NETHERLANDS
ORANGE LANYARD PARACHUTIST'S
BADGE**





SHERMAN MAPS

US ARMY AIR CORPS 1944-45



MICHAEL J. MARKS
US ARMY

SERVED IN 765 TRSB TOY
HOSPITAL TRAIN

JAMES P. MARTIN

CHAPLAIN, US ARMY

WW II AND KOREA



FRANK MCCAIN

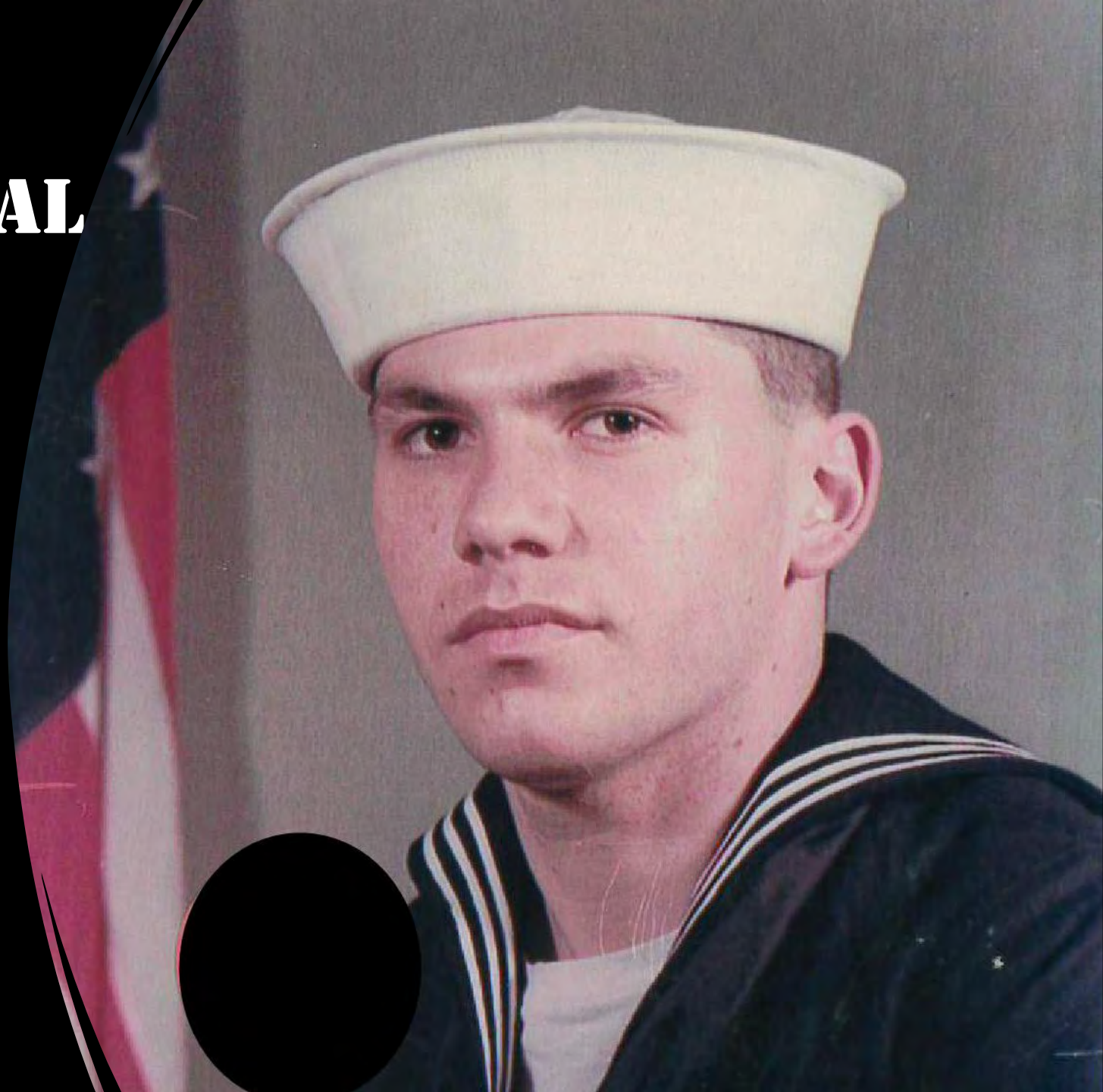
**SIGNALMAN THIRD CLASS
US NAVY 4/26/43 TO 2/24/46
SERVED ON USS
ROSCHAMBEAU, USS YDG-5 &
USS ADIRONDACK ACG-15**



ROBERT M. MCMANIGAL

**US NAVY 1968-70
VIETNAM CONFLICT**

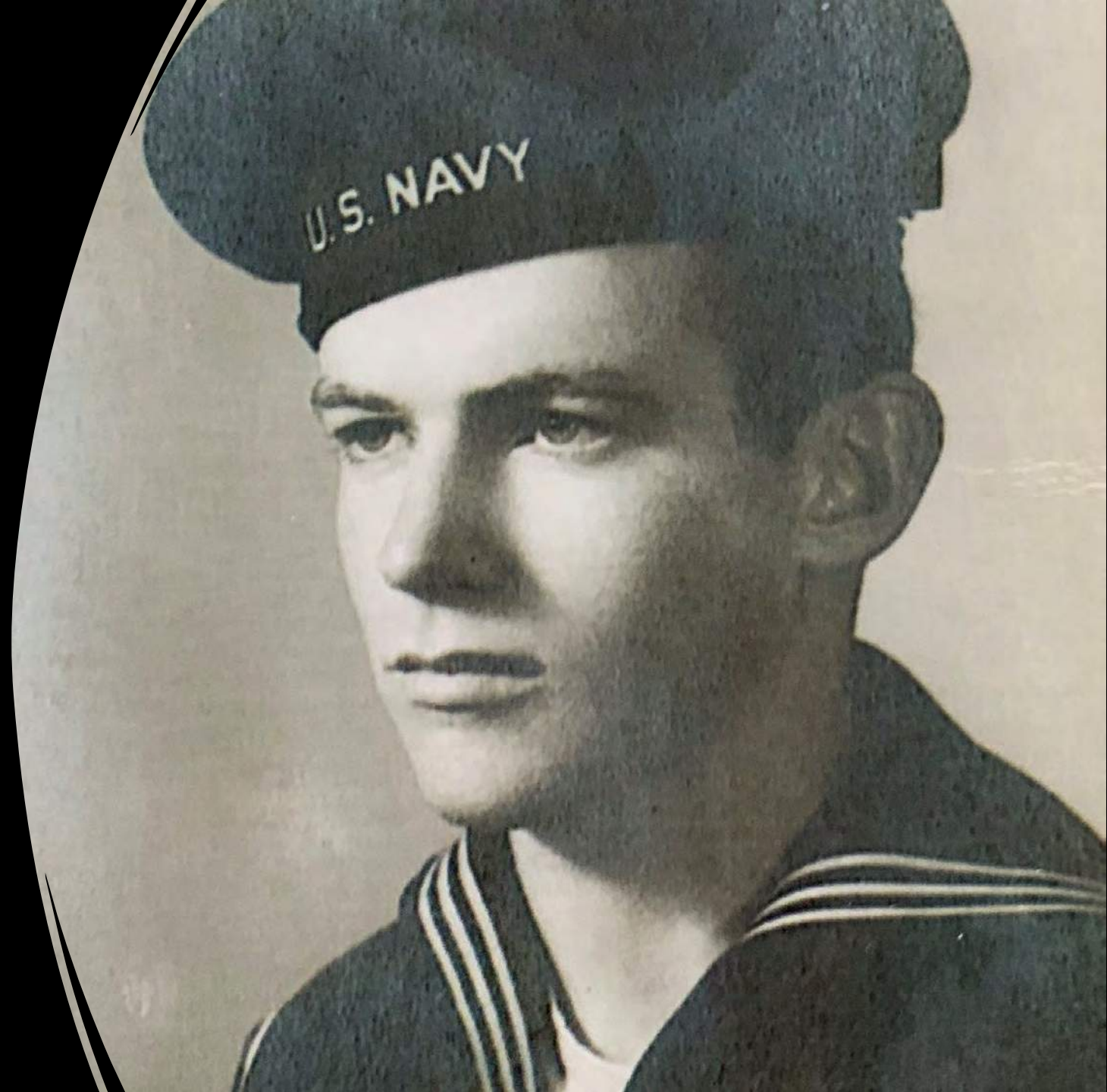
**SON-IN-LAW OF FORMER
OCEANPORT TAX CLERK
DEANNE SOLE**



JOSEPH G. MCCUE

**US NAVY CREWMAN – WW II
1943 TO 1946
USS RICHARD BULL**

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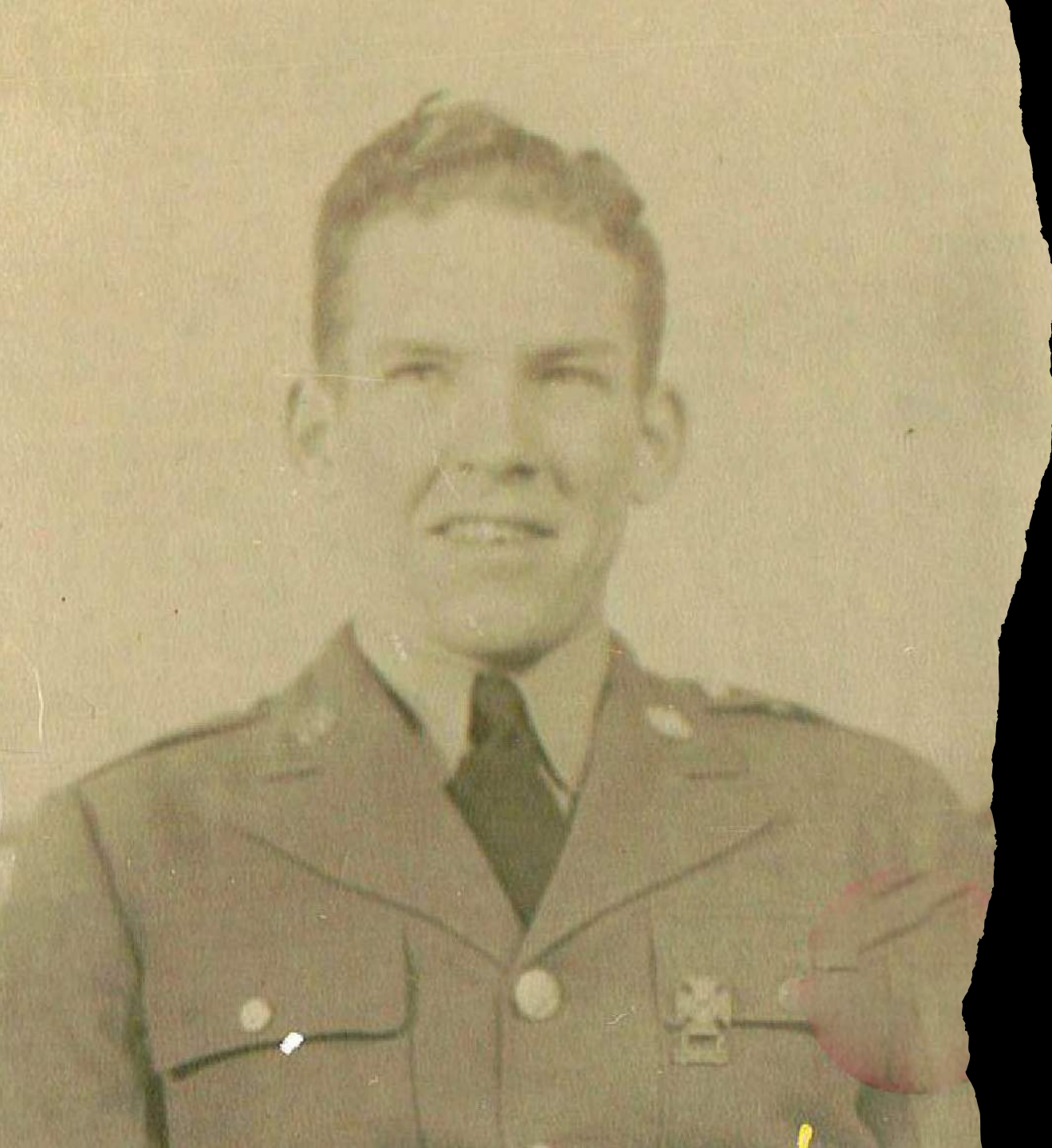
MARTIN C. MCCUE

US NAVY – WW II
JANUARY 1944 TO MAY 1946



THOMAS E. MCCUE JR.

**US NAVY MACHINIST – WW 11
12/24/1942 TO MARCH 1946
USS MOUNT VERNON**



**STAFF SGT.
JOSEPH S. MEGILL**

**PLATOON LEADER US ARMY –
WW II**



**CORPORAL
WILLIAM MICCIULLA**

**US ARMY 389TH ARMY BAND
FORTMONMOUTH - 1948-52**



SERGEANT EDWARD J. MILLER

**US MARINE CORPS 1955-59
FORMER OCEANPORT COUNCILMAN**

**SERGEANT
PETER A. MISTRETTA**

NJ NATIONAL GUARD





LT. COLONEL JIM MODLIN

RETIRED FROM US ARMY 1977-1997

**FATHER OF 1ST LT. JIM MODLIN &
FATHER-IN-LAW OF 1ST LT. KELLY
MODLIN**

**1ST LT.
KELLY MODLIN
US ARMY**

**JIM MODLIN
1ST LT. US ARMY**

**SON & DAUGHTER-IN-
LAW OF LT. COL. JIM
MODLIN**





**STAFF SERGEANT
WILLIAM N. MORRIS**

US ARMY

AVIS E. RUSCH MOORE

US ARMY T-4 – WW II

11/17/43 TO 3/23/46

DAUGHTER-IN-LAW OF DORA COOK



MAJOR RALPH E. MOORE

**US ARMY FIELD ARTILLERY WW II
1940-1962**

FOUGHT IN BATTLE OF THE BULGE

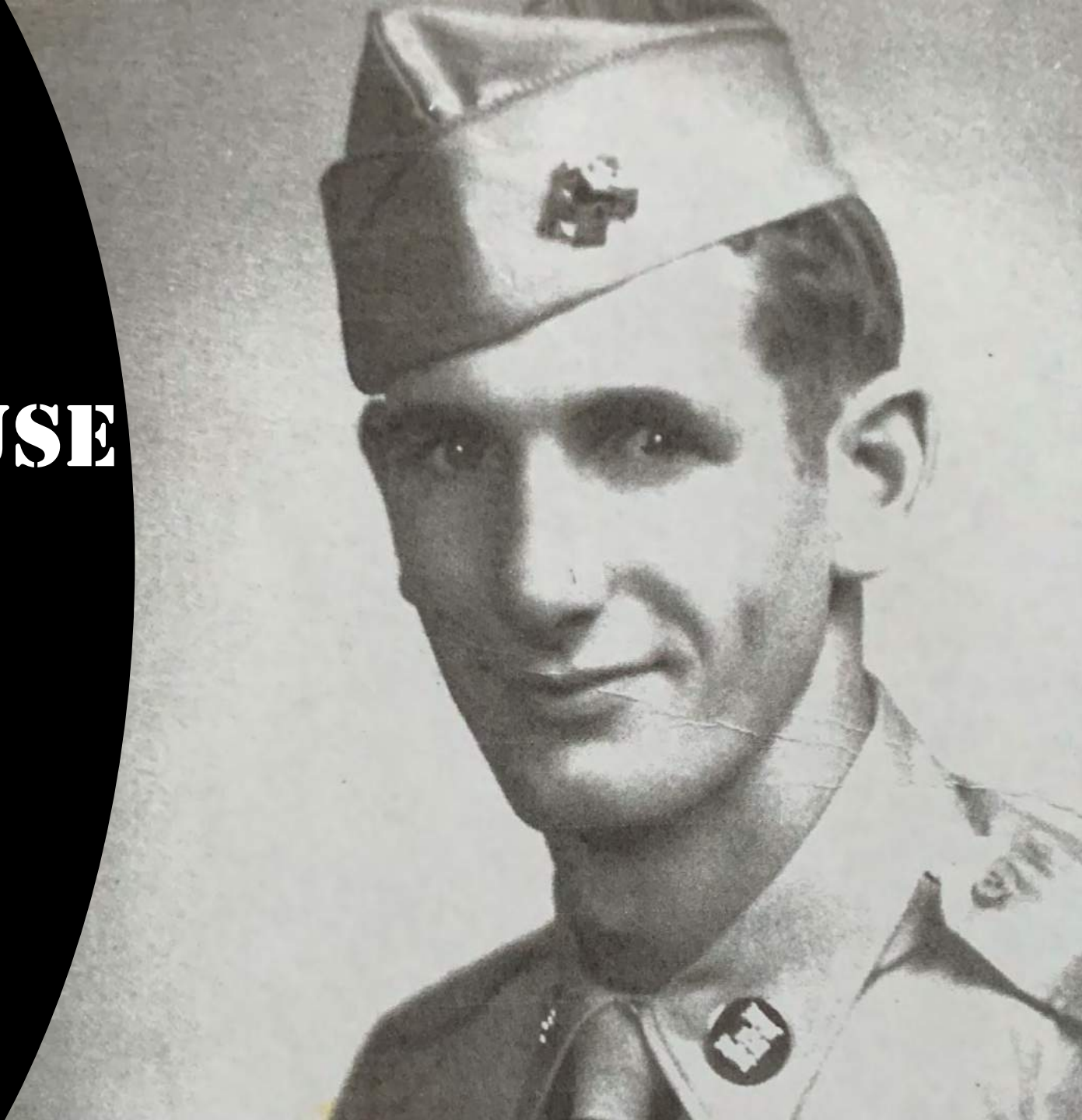
SON OF DORA COOK



GEORGE E. MOREHOUSE

US ARMY

OCT. 1952 TO AUG. 1954





SCOTT E. MOREHOUSE

US NAVY

9/20/78 TO 9/20/82



RICHARD S. MORGAN

US ARMY AIR FORCE 1944-45

**BROTHER OF MARIAN MORGAN
HURLEY**



BOB MORLEY

US NAVY – SEA BEES

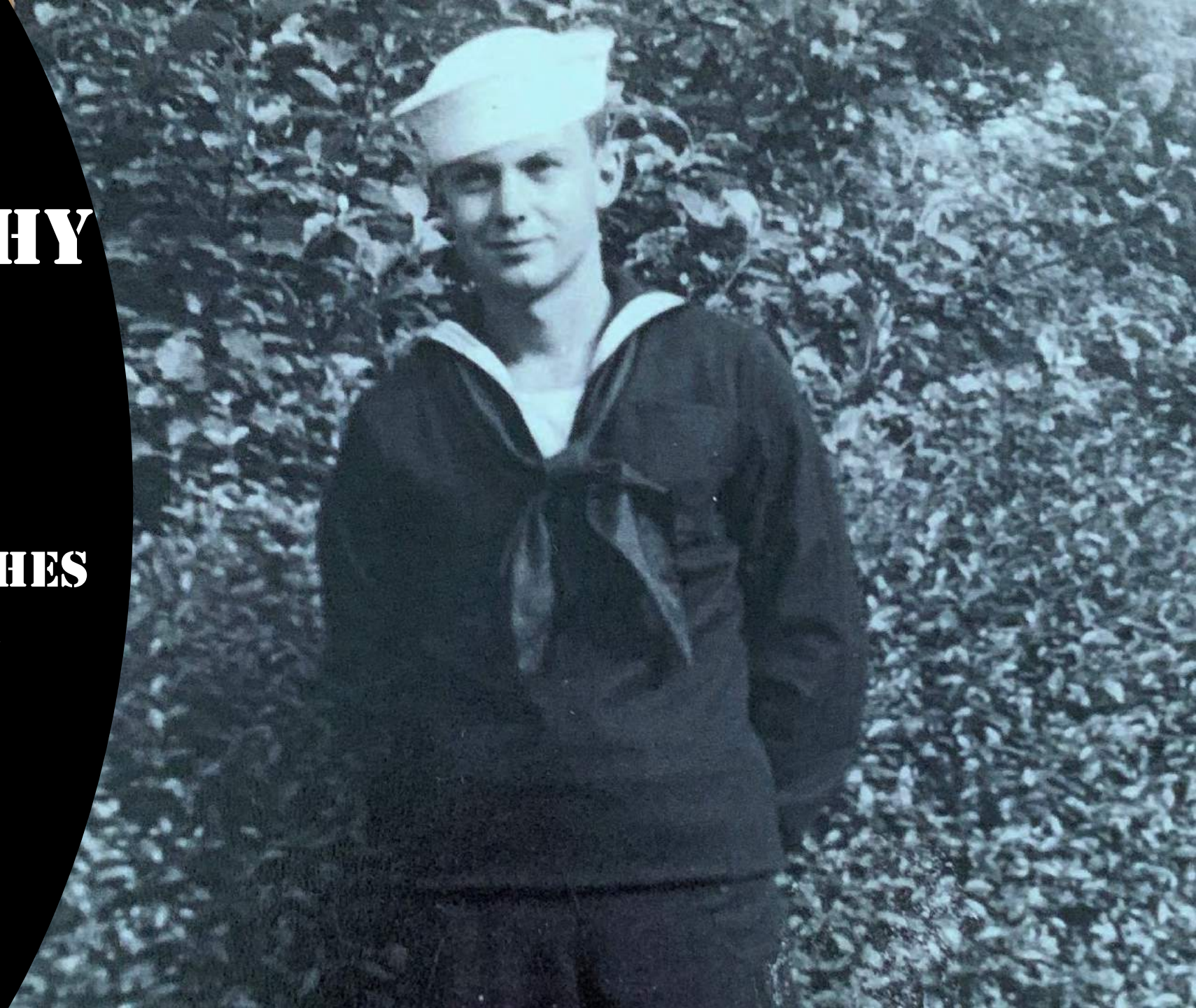
WW II 1944-46

KOREAN WAR 1951-53

JOHN J. MURPHY

US COAST GUARD WW II

**LANDED WITH THE
MARINES ON THE BEACHES
OF IWO JIMA, OKINAWA
AND THE PHILIPPINES**





JOHN J. MURPHY

US COAST GUARD

LEWIS NELSON

US ARMY SERVED IN WW II

**RECIPIENT OF MAYOR'S
LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT
AWARD**





**1ST LIEUTENANT
MORGAN O'BRIEN**

**US ARMY AIR CORPS - 1942-43
KILLED IN ACTION**

MAJOR BO OLSEN

**US MILITARY ACADEMY AT WEST POINT
GRADUATE. DEPLOYMENTS:
OPERATIONS UNIFIED RESPONSE-
HAITI, 82ND AIRBORNE OPERATIONS
NEW DAWN-IRAQ OPERATION, 82ND
AIRBORNE ATLANTIC RESOLVE (3
TIMES) EUROPE, 1ST ARMOR BRIGADE
COMBAT TEAM, 3RD INFANTRY DIVISION
ATLANTIC RESOLVE (4TH) EUROPE, 1ST
ARMORED BRIGARDE COMBAT TEAM,
1ST CAVALRY DIVISION**

**GRANSON OF FORMER COUNCILMAN
BOB OLSEN**



SERGEANT ROBERT J. OLSEN

**US MARINE CORPS
SERVED IN WW II AND
KOREA**

**FORMER OCEANPORT
COUNCILMAN**



GEORGE A. OTTINO, II

USAF

820TH STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND

ACTIVE DUTY 1960-1964

INACTIVE DUTY 1964-1966



STEVEN N. PAPPAYLIOU

**US ARMY
QUATERMASTER CORP**



ASHER "ACE" PARKER

**US NAVY 28TH SEABEE
CONSTRUCTION BATTALION**





**1ST LT. BENEDICT
GERARD PASCUCCI**

**US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS 1942-45
WW II**

**STAFF SERGEANT
JAMES V. PASCUCCI**

US ARMY





ROBERT BENJAMIN PASTOR

US ARMY

DEC. 1985-MARCH 1990

SON OF FORMER POLICE

DISPATCHER LYNN VITALONE



SGT. JOHN PASZTELLAK

US AIR FORCE – WW II

**LT. DOROTHY
BRADLEY PERRI**

**US SIGNAL CORPS, ARMY
NURSE DURING WORLD
WAR II**

**WIFE OF STAFF SGT.
STEVE PERRI AND
MOTHER OF KIM
BARNEY**





ROBERT "BOB" PERRI

US ARMY 1956-58

**STAFF SGT.
STEVE PERRI**

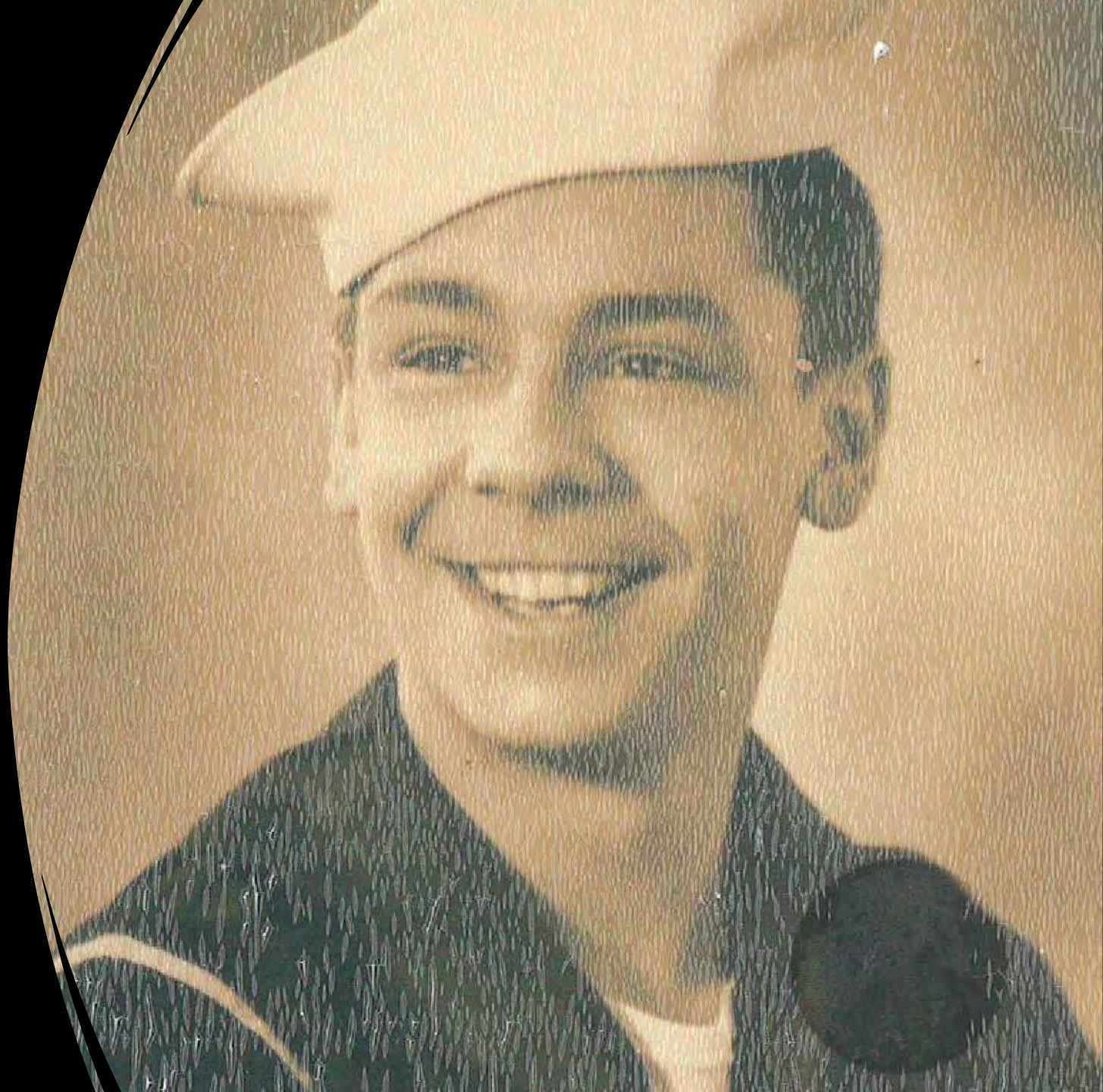
**US AIR CORPS – WW II
BALL TURRET GUNNER,
EUROPEAN THEATRE OF
OPERATIONS**

**HUSBAND OF LT.
DOROTHY BRADLEY
PERRI AND FATHER OF
KIM BARNEY**



**PRIVATE 1ST CLASS
SAMUEL PERRY**

**BASIC SEAMAN 1944,
14TH INFANTRY ARMY
1945-1946
DECEASED HUSBAND OF
JOAN PERRY**





ALFRED PETTTO

US ARMY – 1943-45

**RECIPIENT OF 4 BRONZE
STARS**

**NJ DISTINGUISHED
SERVICE MEDAL**

PRIVATE 1ST CLASS LORNE W. PHELPS

US MARINE CORPS

JUNE 1958 TO MAY 1962 - ACTIVE

JUNE 1962 TO MAY 1964 - INACTIVE

SERVED IN VIETNAM AND JAPAN

HUSBAND OF BOROUGH

ADMINISTRATOR DONNA M. PHELPS





EUGENE PINGITORE

**US ARMY – WW II
KILLED IN ACTION ON 10/9/1943**

**UNCLE TO FRANK PINGITORE AND GREAT
UNCLE TO MARIANNE & MARISSA PINGITORE**

STAFF SERGEANT FRANK P. PINGITORE

**US ARMY – WW II
1/17/1941 TO 9/29/45
BRONZE STAR MEDAL RECIPIENT**

**FATHER TO FRANK PINGITORE
GRANDFATHER TO MARIANNE &
MARISSA PINGITORE**



CORPORAL NICHOLAS J. PIZZULLI

**US MARINE CORP – WW II
1942-1945
STATIONED IN PANAMA**



NICHOLAS J. POLIFRONI

US ARMY – WW II

MARCH 1943 – JANUARY 1946

**205TH JOINT ASSAULT
SIGNAL CO.**

**FATHER OF PATTI VARCA, FORMER
OCEANPORT BOROUGH CLERK**





WALTER PRANG
US MERCHANT MARINE –
SAIGON 1951

**PRIVATE 1ST CLASS – US ARMY
JULY 1967-APRIL 1968**

**PETTY OFFICER 1ST CLASS – US NAVY
DECEMBER 1978 – DECEMBER 1980**

EDDIE FRANCISCO QUILES, SR.

UNITED STATES ARMY – SERVED IN VIET NAM

BRONZE STAR RECIPIENT

UNITED STATES NAVY – E-03

SEABEES

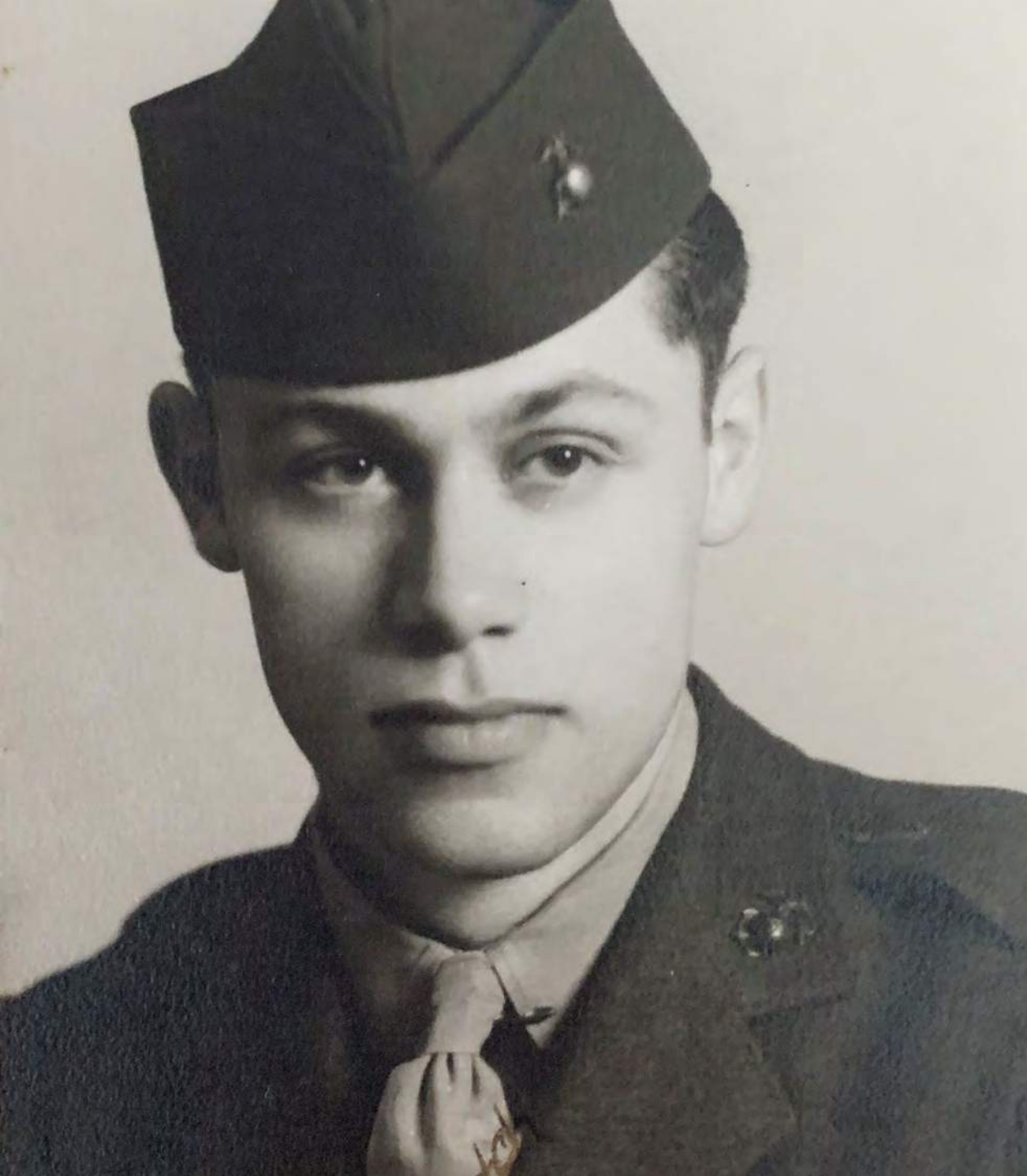
FATHER OF DANA PISANE





**STAFF SERGEANT
GORDON DUDLY REAGOR**

US ARMY



HOMER E. REIGHARD

**US NAVY CORPSMAN 2/C
WWII 1940-47 AND KOREAN
CONFLICT**



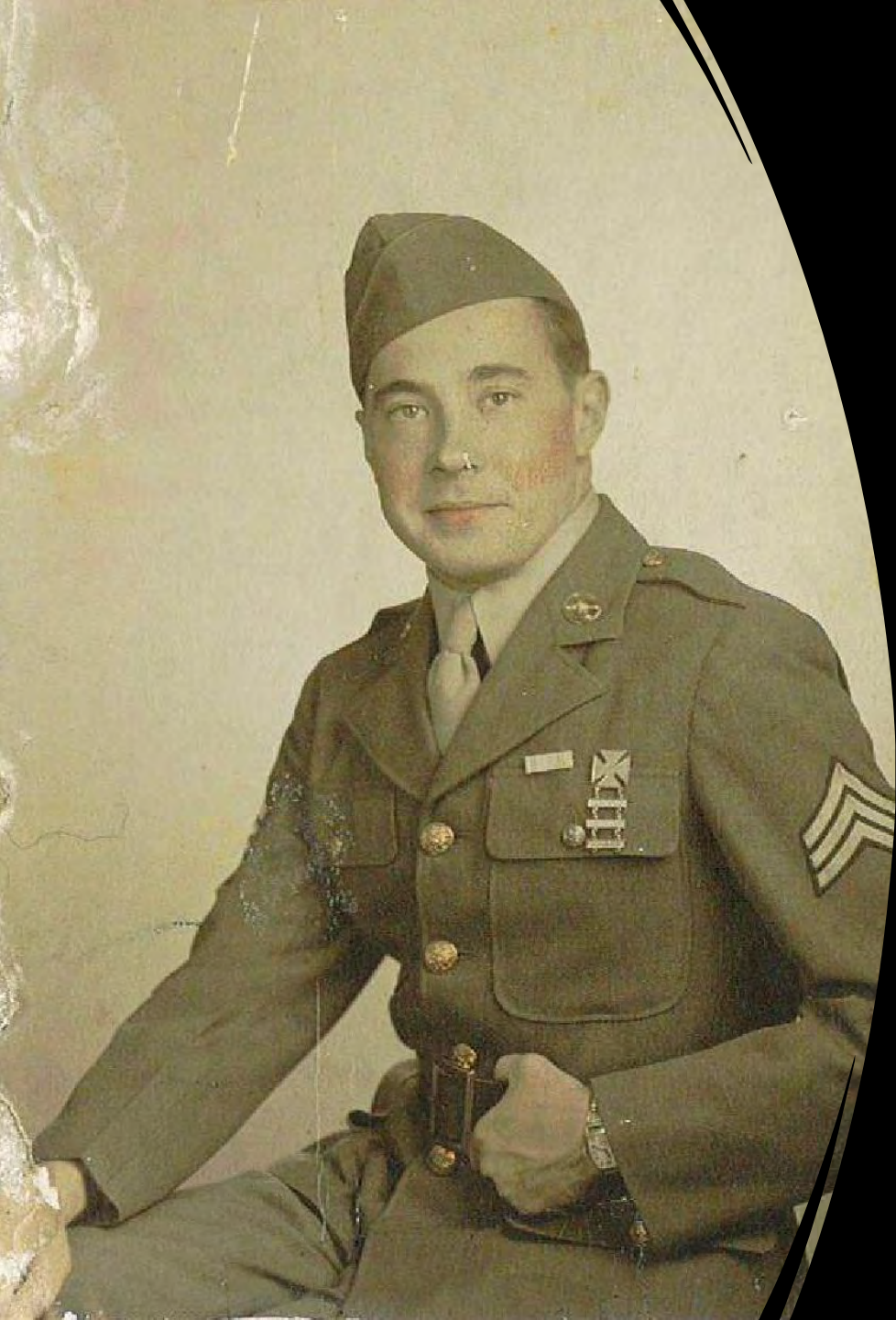
MAJOR MITCHELL D. RIOS

**US MARINE CORPS
SERVED IN AFGHANISTAN
DURING OPERATION ENDURING
FREEDOM
AWARDED MULTIPLE AIR MEDAL**

**1ST CLASS PETTY
OFFICER
GARY G. ROBINSON**

US NAVY – 1961-1986





STAFF SERGEANT THOMAS A. ROBINSON

US ARMY – WW II



JOSEPH ROSANO

**US ARMY – WW II
1/4/43 TO 1/26/46**



**LT. COLONEL
LEROY GORDON ROSS JR.**

US ARMY 1939 TO 1974

**FATHER OF PAM ROSS WELLNER AND
MARGARET ROSS**

DANIEL SAPP

“DANNY”

US ARMY

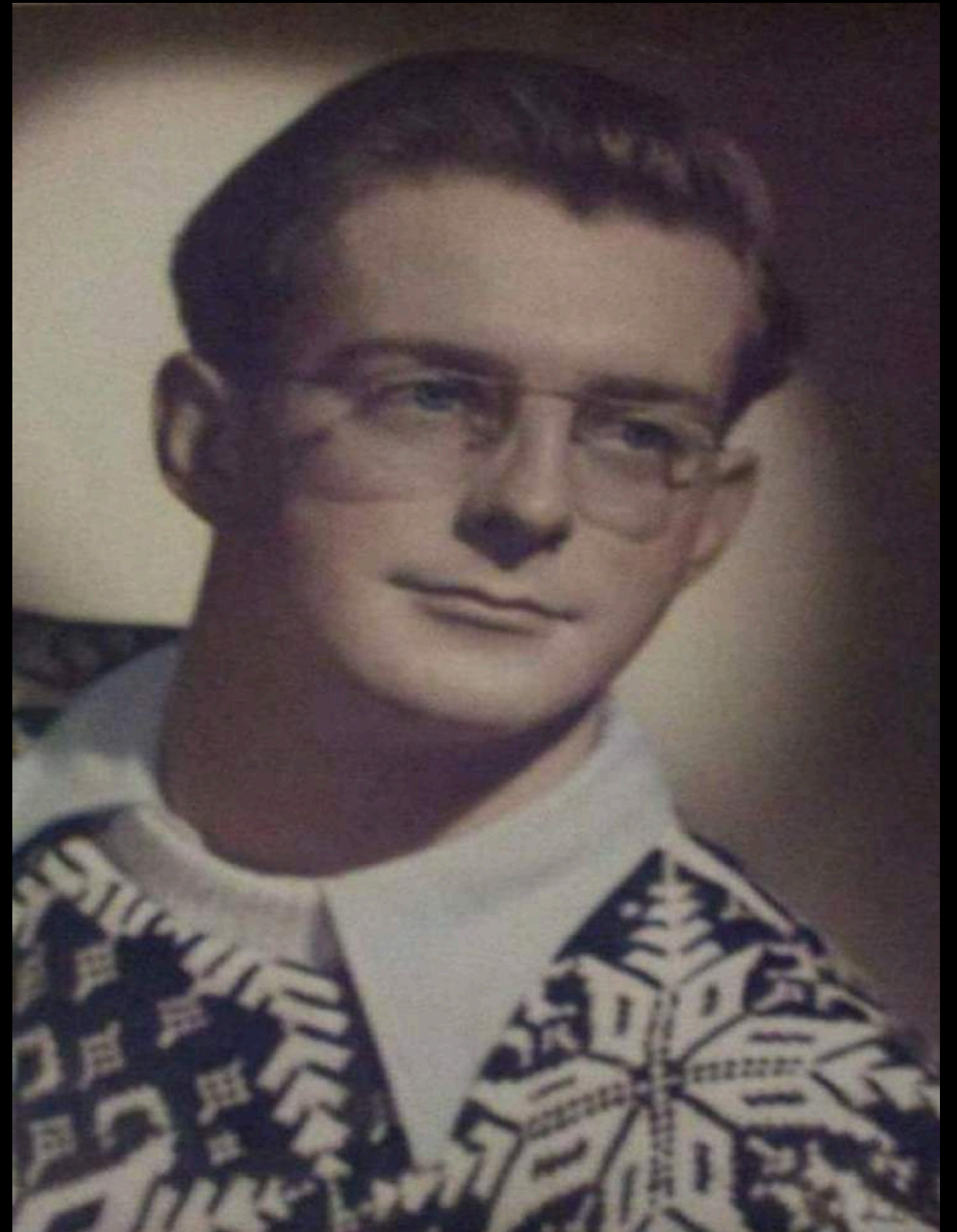
SERVED IN KOREA IN 1951

**RECEIVED KOREAN SERVICE MEDAL WITH 2 BRONZE
SERVICE STARS AND UNITED NATIONS SERVICE MEDAL**

PAST OCEANPORT FIRST AID CAPTAIN – 1960

PAST OCEANPORT FIRE CHIEF - 1968

**FATHER OF OCEANPORT RESIDENTS KATHY KENNY AND
BETH MANNELLO**



EPHRAIM SCHAFFER

**US ARMY WW II
1943-45**

**NORMANDY INVASION, OMAHA
BEACH**





CHARLES H. SCHANCK JR.

US NAVY 1943-49 WWII

**RECIPIENT OF 6 RIBBONS AND THREE
BATTLE STARS**

FRED SCHNEIDER

US NAVY 1944

WW II





JANET SCHNEIDER

**US AIR FORCE
WOMEN'S AUXILIARY
FERRYING SQUADRON
KOREAN WAR 1950-54**

VINCENT SCICCHITANO

US NAVY 1974-77



SERGEANT RAYMOND SCULTHORPE

US MARINES 1943-1946





NICHOLAS J. SERGIO

**US ARMY MEDICAL
CORPS – WW II
1/19/42-1/31/46**



SERGEANT LAWRENCE SEYMOUR

US ARMY

PAUL SHEA & THOMAS SHEA

**BOTH US NAVY ARMED
GUARD – WW II – 1943-46**

**MANNED SAME GUN
ABOARD SS GEORGE**

**LEFT TO RIGHT - TWIN
BROTHERS OF LILLIAN
SHEA BRISKEY**





RONALD SICKLER

US NAVY 1942



JAMES E. SLATTERY

SEAMAN, US COAST GUARD RESERVE

**FORMER OCEANPORT OEM
COORDINATOR**

**FORMER OCEANPORT FIRE MARSHALL
EX OCEANPORT FIRE CHIEF**

**RECIPIENT OF MAYOR'S LIFETIME
ACHIEVEMENT AWARD**



LT. RAYMOND C. SMITH

US ARMY WW II

DEC. 1942-DEC. 1945

**ENLISTED IN ARMY NATIONAL GUARD
FOR 3 YEARS EARNING THE RANK OF
CAPTAIN**



**LT. COLONEL
O. WAYNE SMITH**

**RETIRED US ARMY
CHAPLAIN – SERVED IN
DESERT STORM
HUSBAND OF CAROL
SMITH, OCEANPORT COURT
ADMINISTRATOR**

CLEMENT V. SOMMERS
US NAVY-AVIATION ELECTRONICS
TECHNICIAN 8-29-1946 TO 1/26/1949

OCEANPORT COUNCILMAN
1960-68 AND 1971-1975

OCEANPORT MAYOR
1/1/1976 TO 12/31/1983

MONMOUTH COUNTY FREEHOLDER
1/1/1980 TO 12/31/1983





**LT. COLONEL
LAURENCE W. SOUVILLE**

**US ARMY SIGNAL CORP 1951-1976
SERVED IN VIETNAM**

GEORGE A. SPERLING

SERVED IN KOREA 1950-1951



MERRILL (JIM) STAPLETON

US ARMY 1948-1969





FRANK STEIMLE

M-SGT. SIGNAL CORP

RICHARD STEIMLE

US COAST GUARD





JOSEPH STRONGOLI

**US NAVY RESERVE AVIATION
ORDINANCE THIRD CLASS 1944-46
UNCLE OF MIMI PAOLISE**



EMILIO SUMMONTE

US NAVY 1943-46



LEONARD J. SUPER

US AIR FORCE

**JAMES
SVERAPA**

US NAVY-WWII

**FATHER OF OCEANPORT RESIDENTS WILLIAM
SVERAPA AND MARIANNE MCGANN**



**SP4
JAY SWOOPE**

**US ARMY 1981-1984
82ND AIRBORNE
DIVISION**

**BROTHER OF JON
SWOOPE AND REED
SWOOPE**



CORPORAL JON SWOOPE

US ARMY 1967-1969

**1ST INFANTRY DIVISION
“BIG RED ONE”**

SERVED IN VIETNAM

**BROTHER OF JAY SWOOPE
AND REED SWOOPE**



SERGEANT REED SWOOPE

US ARMY 1968-70

**STATIONED IN
GERMANY**



**COLONEL
FRED S. TAYLOR III**

US AIR FORCE



DR. TONY TERRA

**US ARMY DENTAL CORPS
JULY 1965-JANUARY 1968
FORMER OCEANPORT
COUNCILMAN**

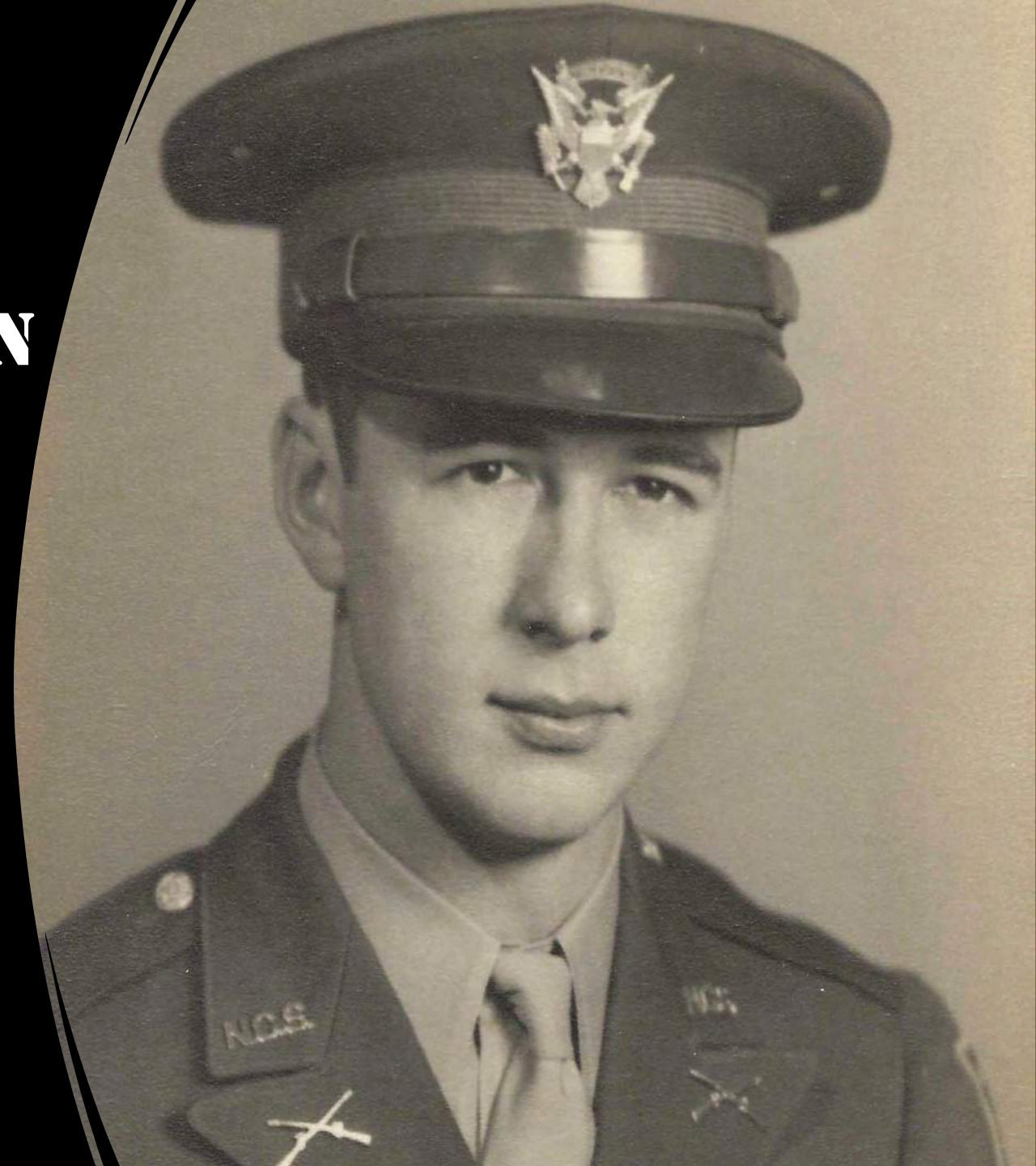


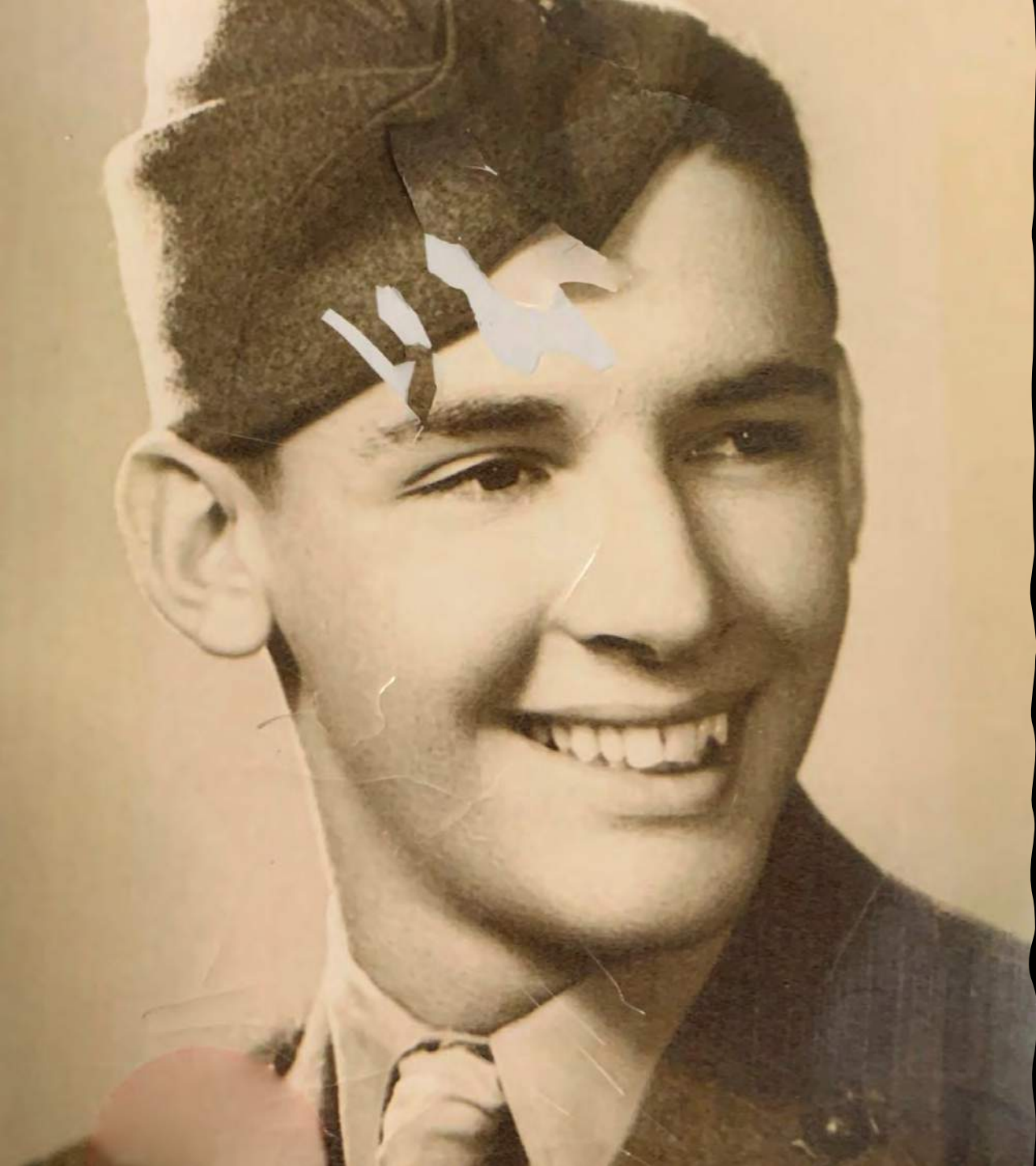
SERGEANT WILLIAM S. THROCKMORTON

**WWII VETERAN STAFF SERGEANT SERVING IN
THE 104TH INFANTRY DIVISION**

**AWARDED THE PURPLE HEART & COMBAT
INFANTRY BADGE**

SERVED AS MUNICIPAL JUDGE FOR OCEANPORT





ANDY TOMAINE

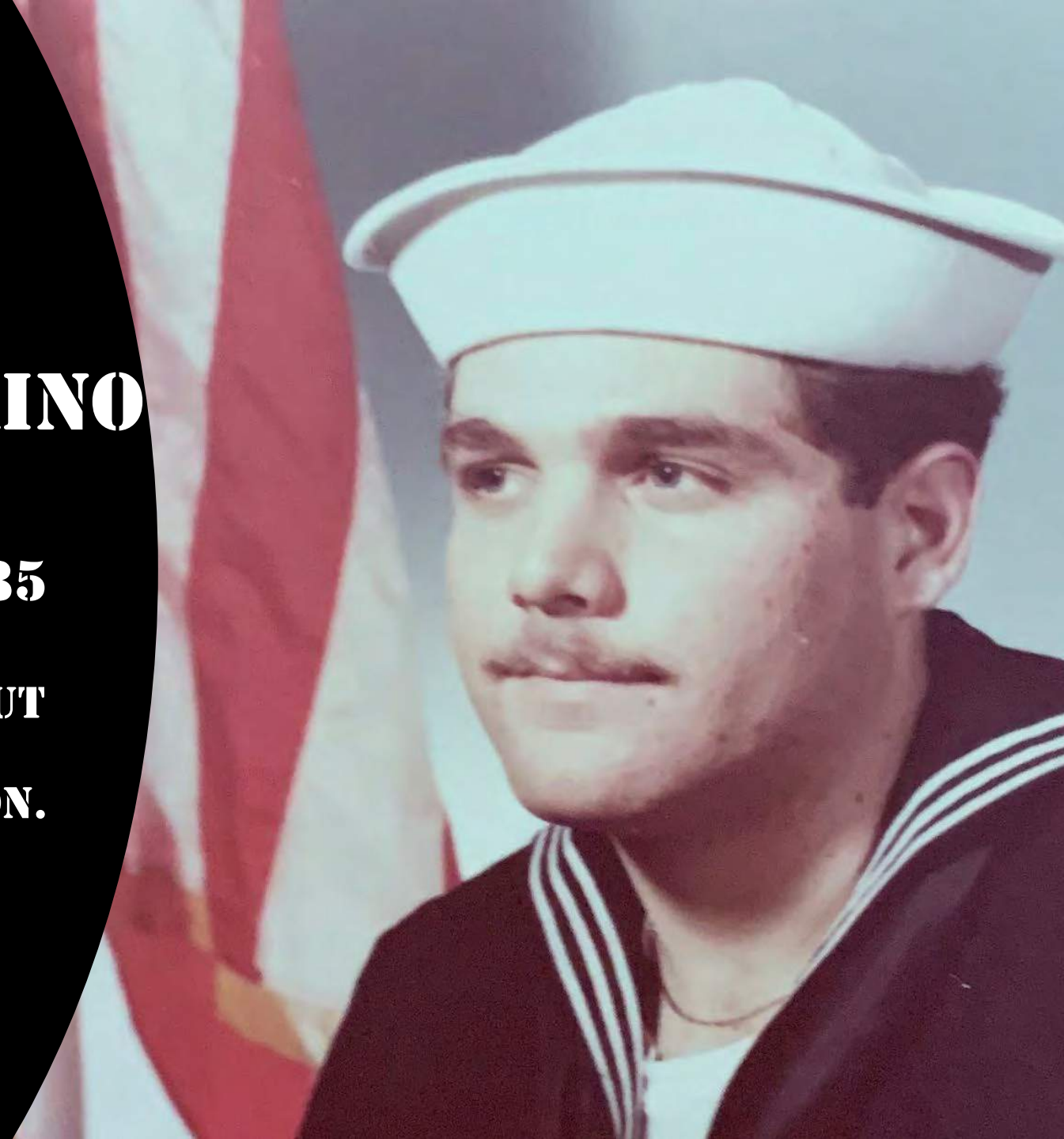
US MARINES

MAY 1943-NOVEMBER 1945
SERVED IN SOUTH PACIFIC

TIMOTHY EUGENE TOMAINO

US NAVY – JUNE 1981 TO JUNE 1985

**ATTACHED TO “COM SIXTH FLEET” IN BEIRUT
LEBANON AFTER MARINE BARRACKS WERE
BOMBED. PATROLLED WATERS OFF LEBANON.**



CAPTAIN WILLIAM F. “BUD” TRAVERS, D.D.S.

US ARMY – WW II – 3RD ARMY, 10TH ARMORED DIVISION – THE “TIGERS”

**BATTLE OF THE BULGE, BASTOGNE. BRONZE SAR FOR CONVERTING A NAZI
INFANTRY INTO INTO A MEDIC FACILITY**

PICTURED WITH HIS DAUGHTER, MARYELLEN TRAVERS

FATHER OF OCEANPORT RESIDENT, PAUL TRAVERS



**COLONEL
RICHARD R. TUPY JR.**

**US ARMY CHAPLAIN
JULY 7, 1957 TO AUGUST 30,
1985**





FRANK TUTTLE

**US COAST GUARD
1942-1946**

PRIVATE 1ST CLASS
CHARLES PARKER VAN BRANCKLE

US ARMY MEDICAL DETACHMENT-WW 1
SERVED 2 YEARS IN FRANCE 1917-1919



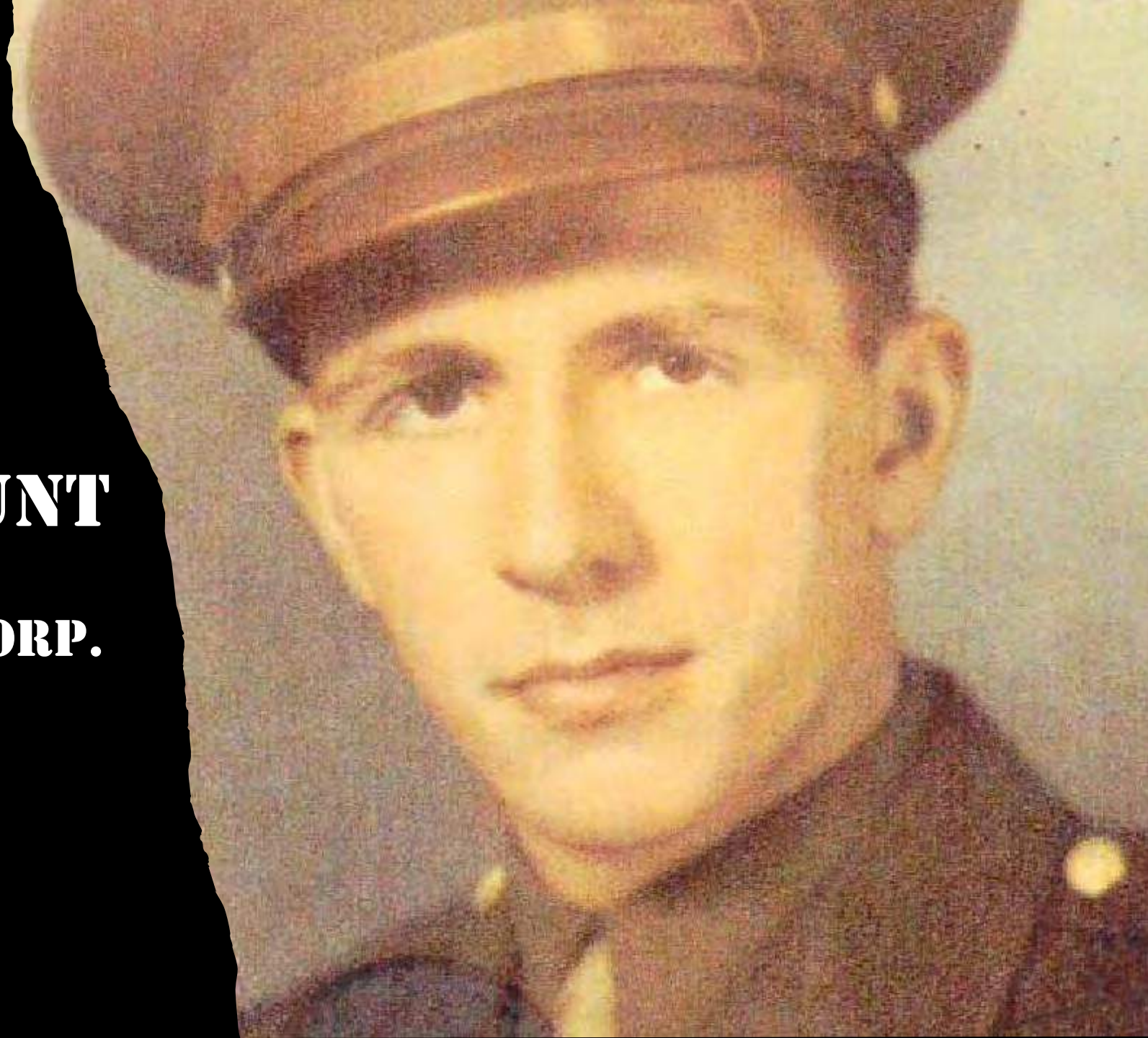
**SERGEANT
EDWARD E. VANBRUNT
US MARINE CORPS
MARCH 1953-MARCH 1956**

**SERVED IN KOREA FROM
DECEMBER '53
TO FEBRUARY '55**



FRANK H. VAN BRUNT

**WW II - US ARMY SIGNAL CORP.
1942-45**





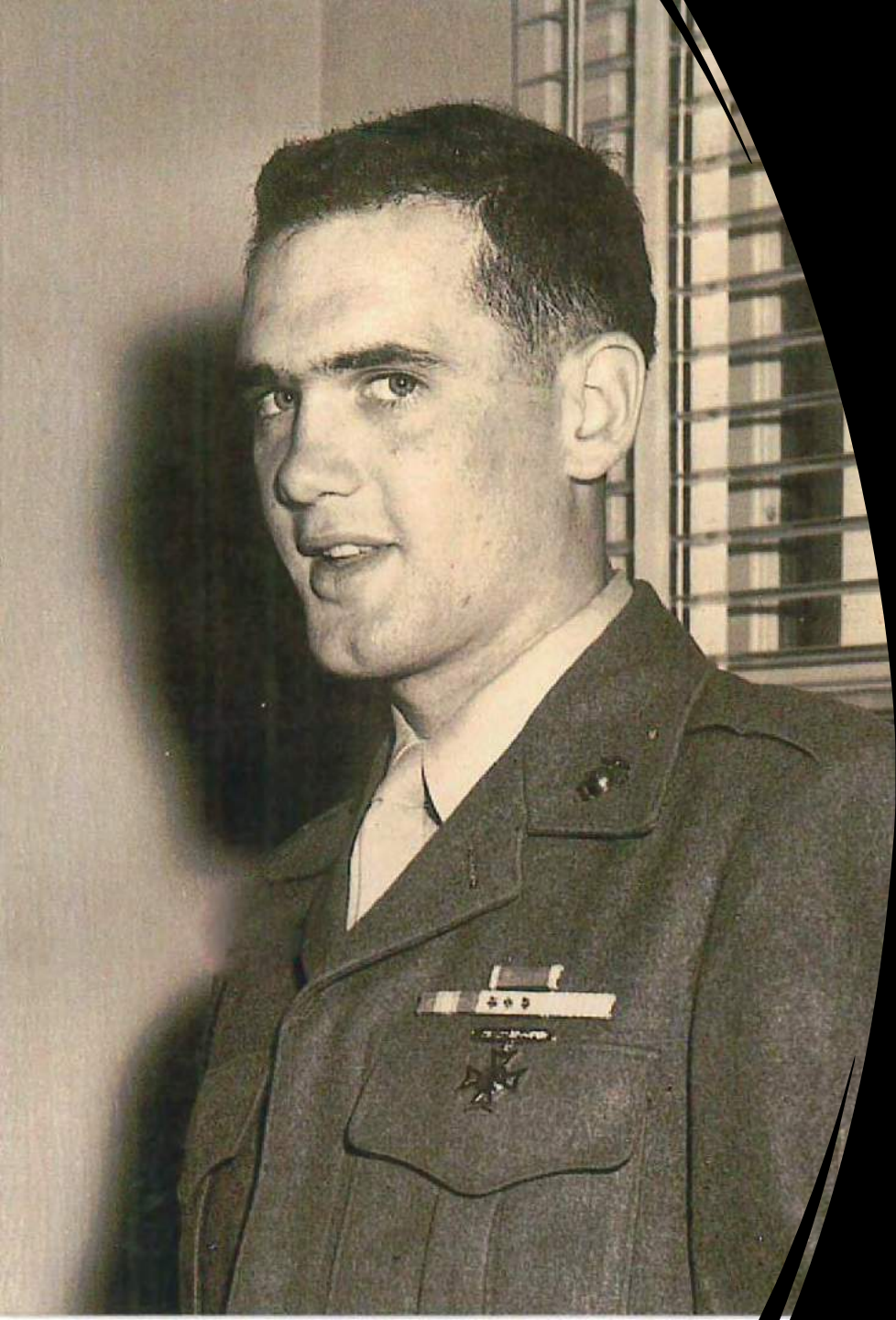
BUTCH VANWINKLE

US NAVY



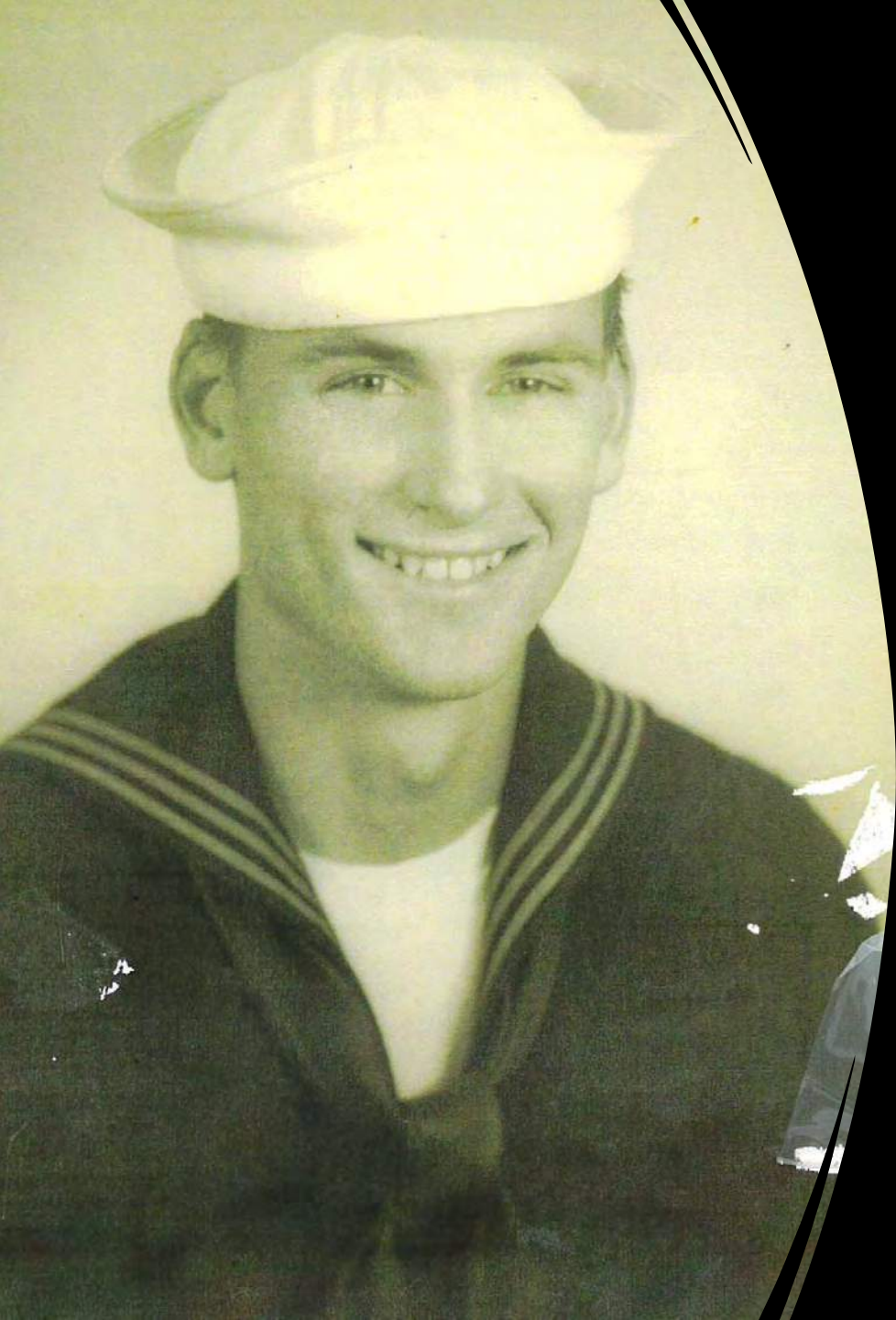
MAJOR RAYMOND VARETONI

US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS



ROBERT WALSAK

US MARINE CORPS 1951-54



ARNOLD J. WARREN

**US NAVY 1953-57 ACTIVE DUTY;
1957-1961 RESERVE DUTY**

SERGEANT JOHN T. WELCH

**US ARMY – WW II
1-23-1943 TO 12/17/1945**

**FORMER CAPTAIN OF
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DEPT.**

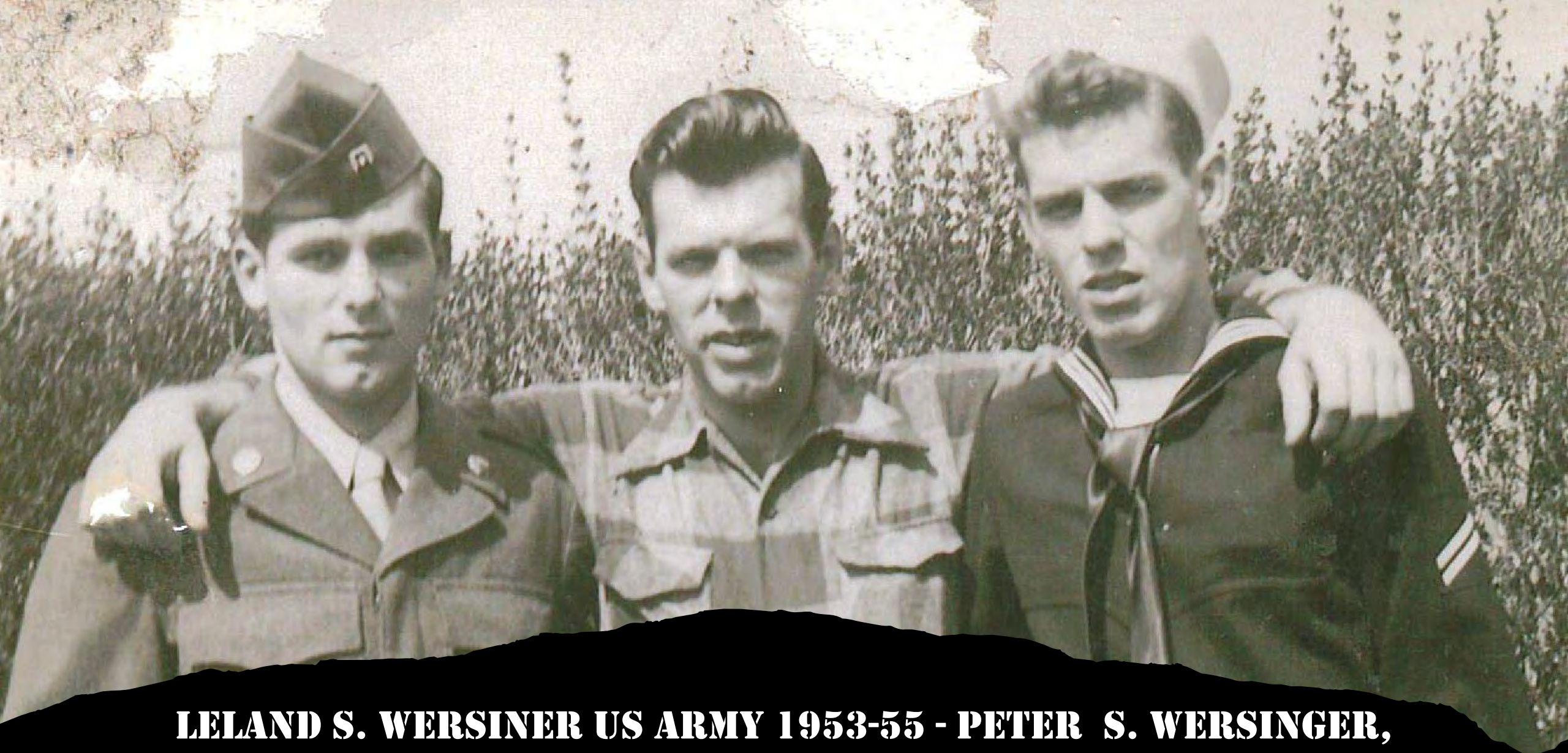




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US COAST GUARD

NOVEMBER 1968 TO NOVEMBER 1972



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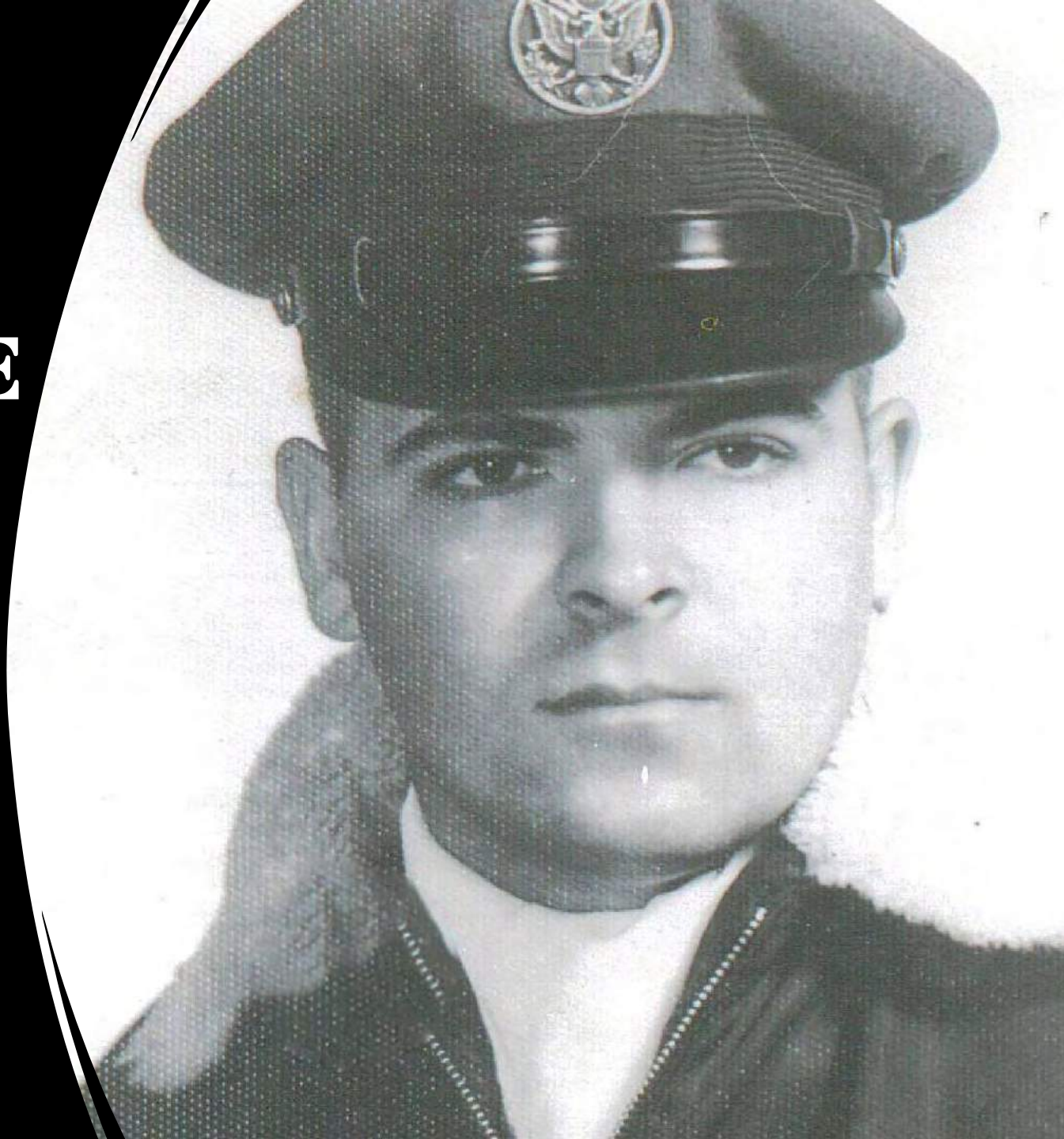
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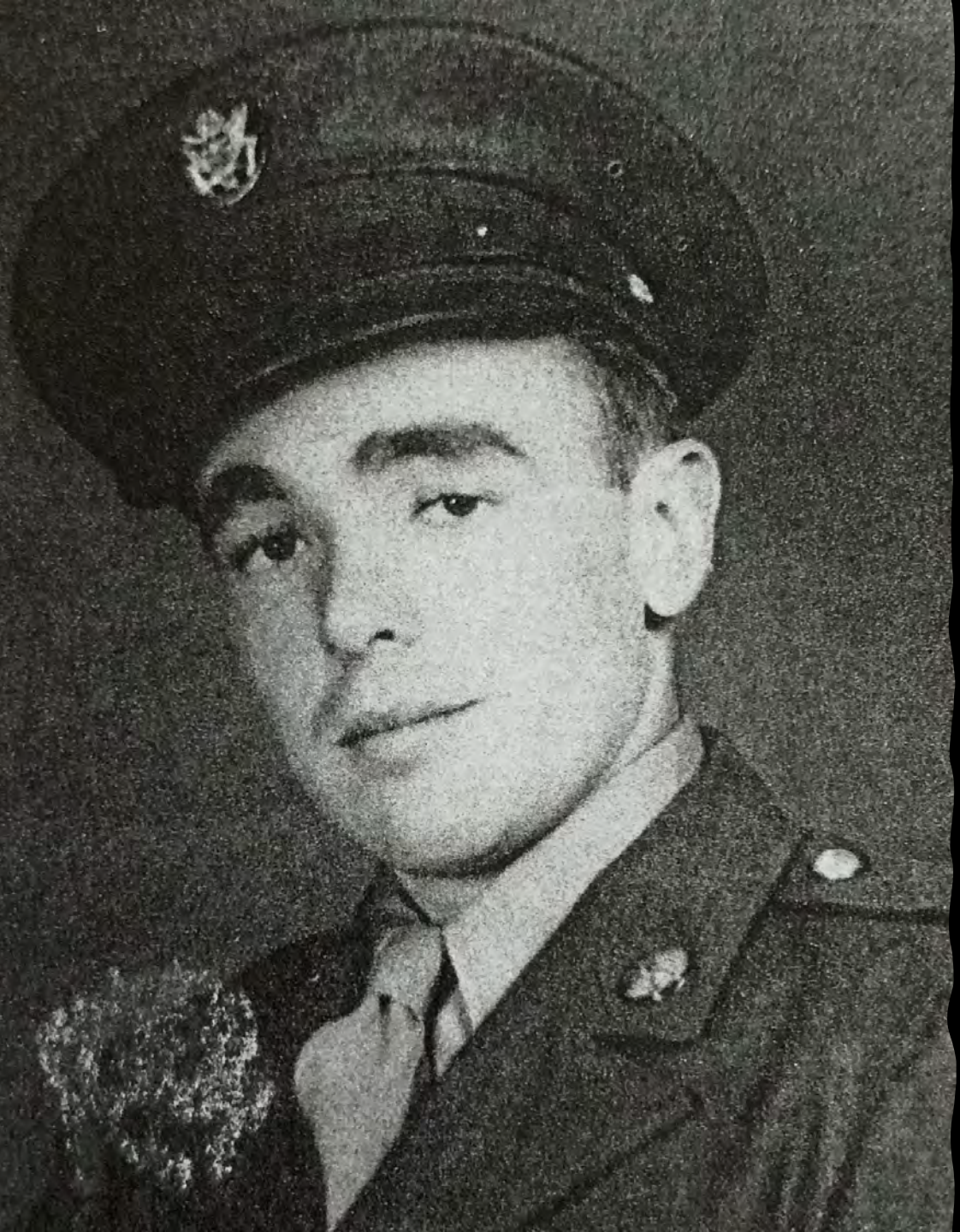
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US AIR FORCE 1964





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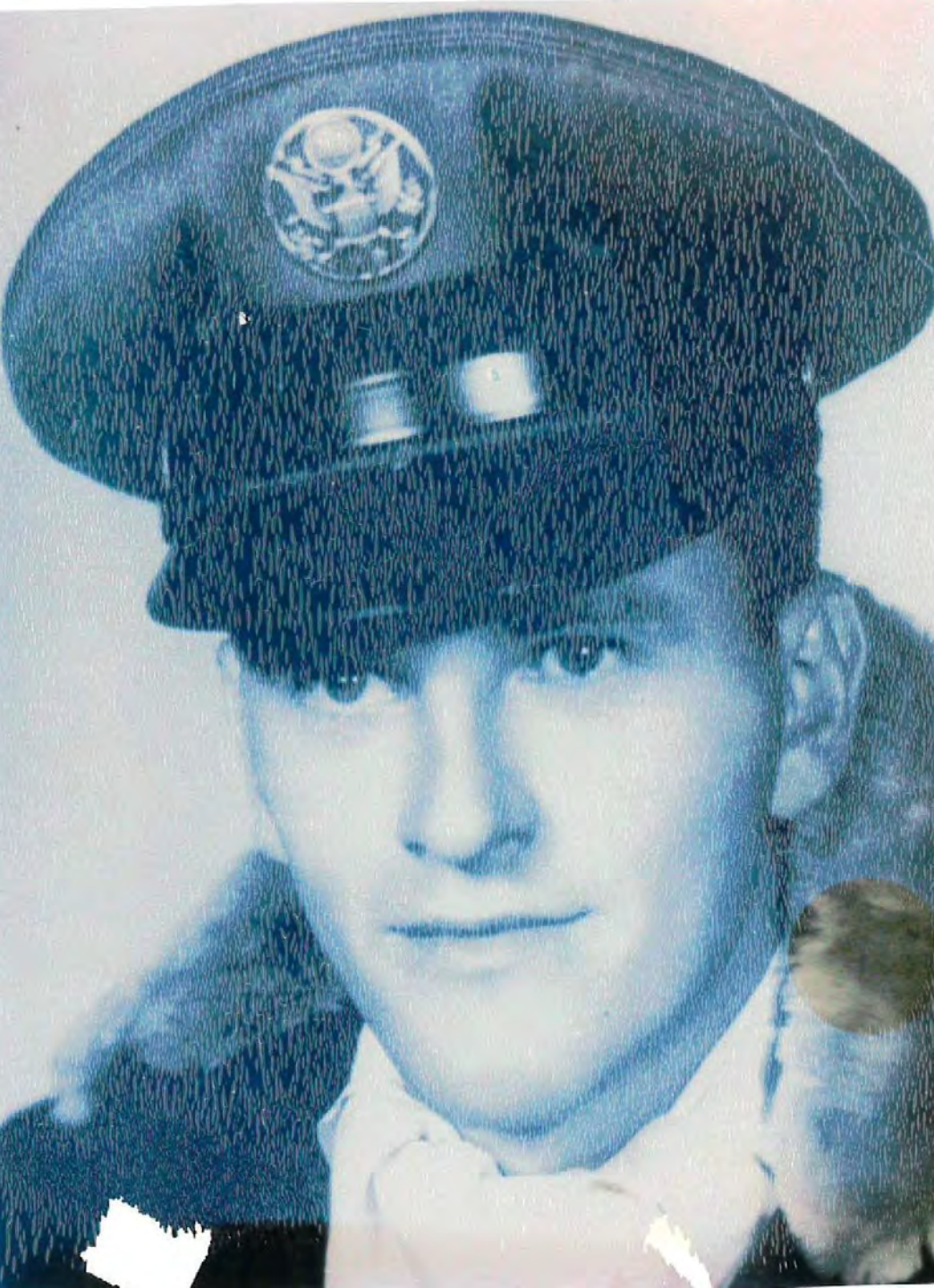


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SGT. JOSEPH WOLF

**US ARMY 250TH SIGNAL BATTALION
ENLISTED IN 1991 – TOUR OF DUTY
IRAQ**





THOMAS W. WRIGHT

US AIR FORCE – 1951-54

**SERVED AT KEESLER AIR FORCE
BASE, BILOXI, MISSISSIPPI AND
LAKE CHARLES AIR FORCE BASE IN
LOUISIANA**



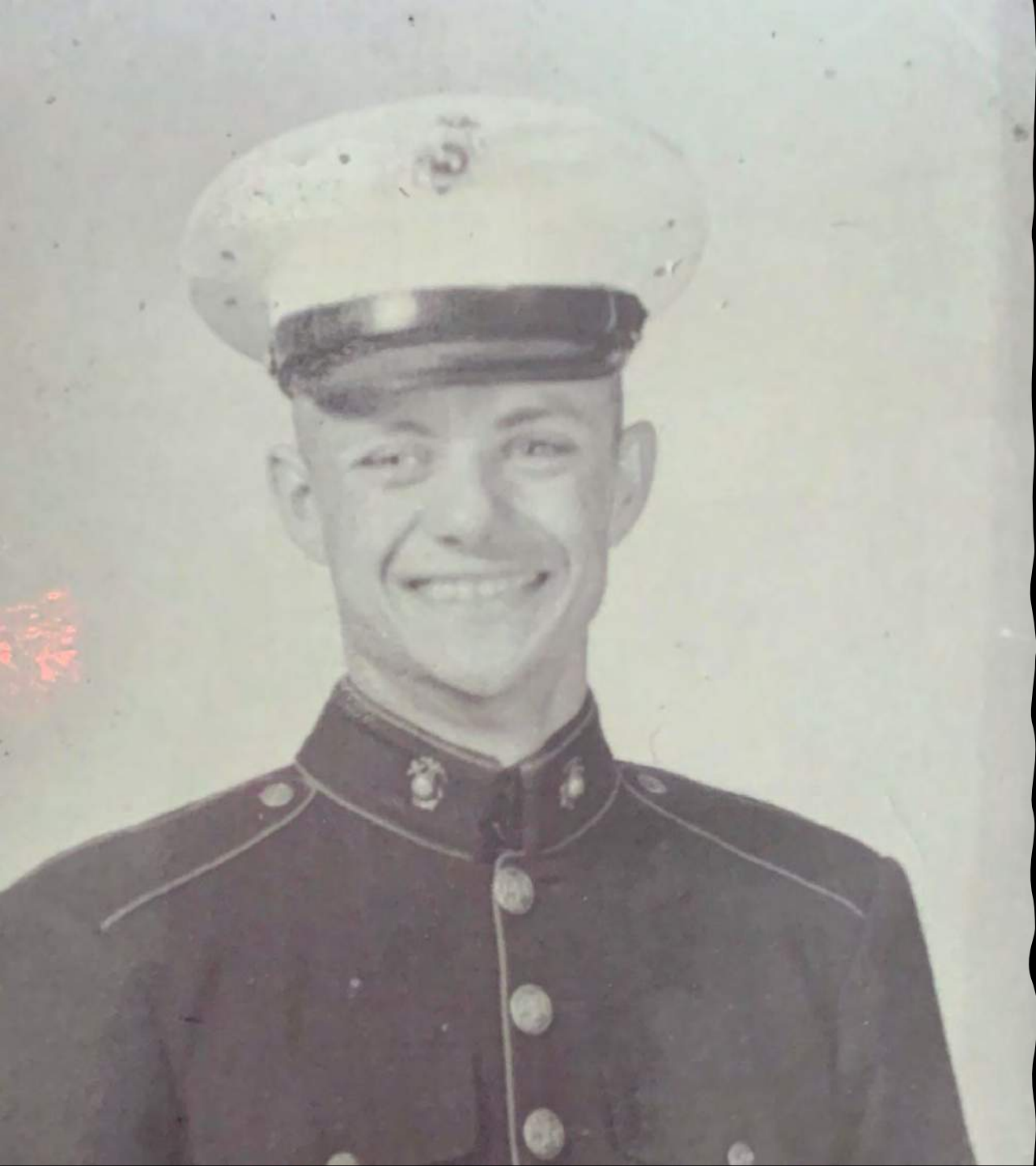
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US ARMY



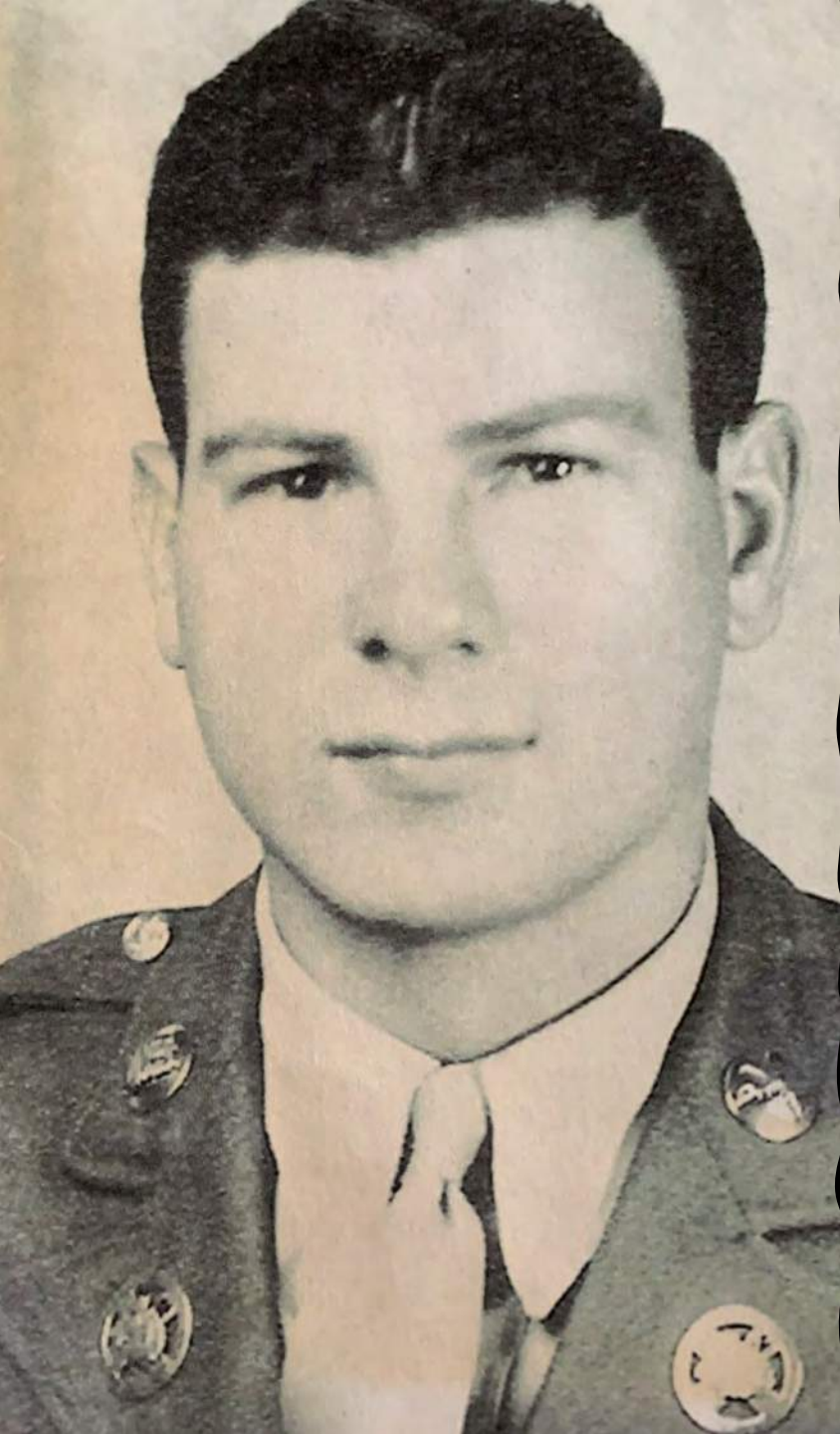
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NAVY CHIEF



**SERGEANT
STAN YATES, SR.**

US MARINE CORPS



SENIOR TECH 5

ARMAND R. ZAMBRANO, SR.

US ARMY – WW II – MAR. 1941-DEC. 1945

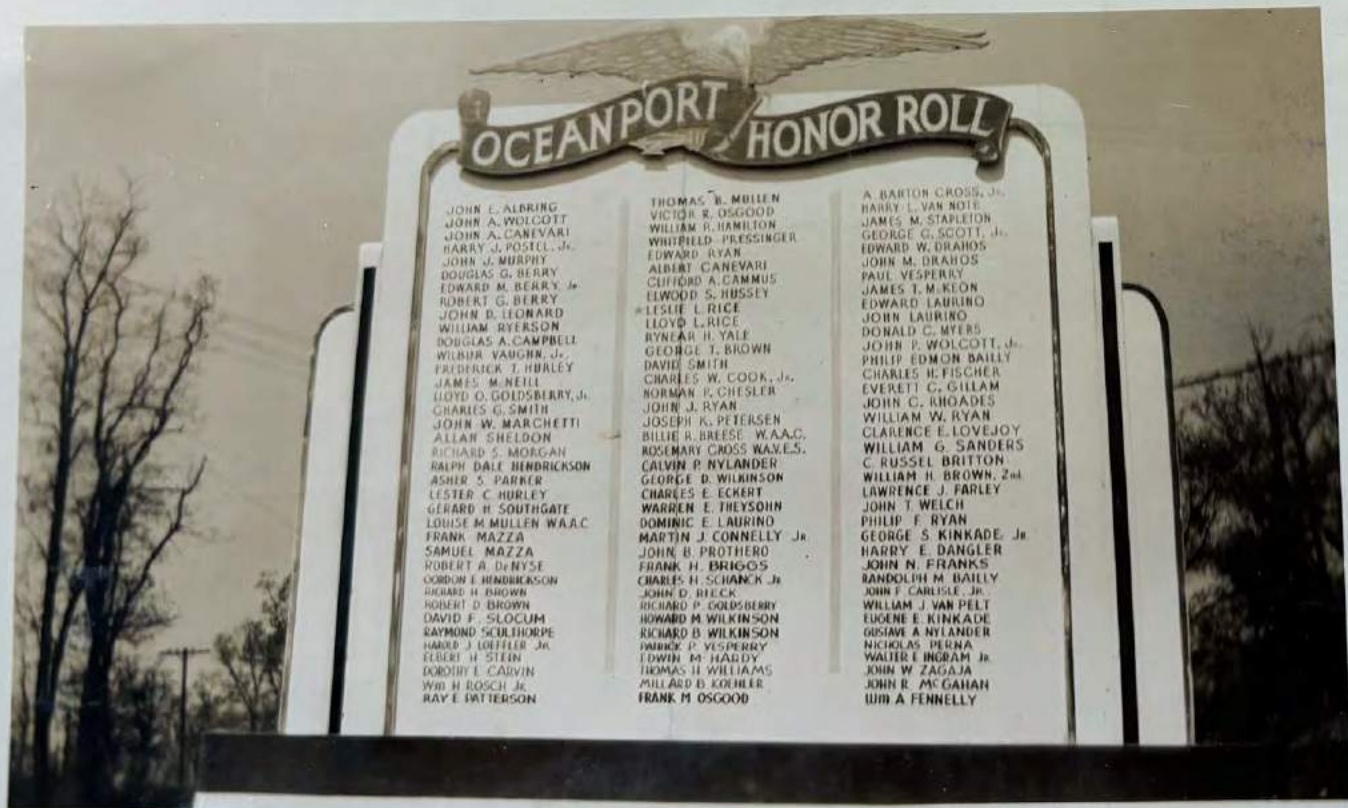
**FATHER TO MARY LU ZAMBRANO
GRANDFATHER TO MARIANNE & MARISSA
PINGITORE**

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Scrap Book



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GUSTAVE A. NYLANDER
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WALTER E. INGRAM, Jr.
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WIM A. FENNELLY

ORIGINAL
MEMORIAL

1941



AS WAR WAS DECLARED — President Roosevelt, telling Congress, "December 7th is a date that will live in infamy," but "we will gain the inevitable triumph, so help us God!"

1945



Holding surrender message, President Truman announces war's end.

AIR FORCE DAY PROCLAMATION

Wednesday, August 1, 1945 marks the thirty-eighth anniversary of the founding of the Army Air Forces, which had its beginning in 1907 as the Aeronautical Division of the Office of the Chief Signal Officer.

Every American is filled with pride when he recalls the mighty growth of our Air Force, which is unsurpassed in the world.

The brilliant successes achieved by our air men on the far-flung battle fields of the world have already played a vital role in bringing two of our enemies to their knees. With every day that passes these valiant men are bringing their mighty power to bear against the one remaining Axis power with ever-increasing intensity.

So as a tribute to our great Army Air Forces, and on behalf of a grateful people I do hereby proclaim Wednesday, August 1, 1945 as Air Force Day.

Signed

SIDNEY J. BEERS,

Mayor of Oceanport, N. J.



Veterans'

Welcome Home Dinner



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Oceanport Inn

APPRECIATION

Long years on wings of light roll by;
Stilled are the drums of war;
But memories can never die,
However remote be the battle cry
Or silenced the cannon's roar.

Welcome, defenders of yesterday,
May time with a soft caress,
Touch our sons, whom we greet today
As you march toward a new and
brighter way
Crowning each with deserved success.

In reverent silence let us stand,
Bestowing the accolade
In tribute to that valiant band
Who sleep neath blue skies in a
far-off land
For the sacrifice they've made.

—Frank J. Price, Jr.

Our Veterans

Albring, John E.
Bailly, Philip E.
Bailly, Randolph M.
Berry, Douglas G.
Berry, Edward M.
Berry, Robert G.
Breese, Billie R., Miss
Briggs, Frank H.
Britton, Russel C.
Brown, George T.
Brown, Richard H.
Brown, Robert D.
Brown, William H., 2nd
Cammus, Clifford A.
Campbell, Douglas A.
Canevari, Albert
Canevari, John A.
Carlisle, John F., Jr.
Carwin, Dorothy E., Miss
Chesler, Norman P.
Christy, Theodore E.
Cook, Charles W., Jr.
Cook, Harry A.
Connelly, Martin J., Jr.
Cross, A. Barton, Jr.
Cross, Rosemary, Miss
Dangler, Harry
Dangler, Walter M.
Davis, Alexander M.
DeNyse, Robert A.
Drahos, Edward W.
Drahos, John M.
Farley, Lawrence J.
Fennelly, William M.
Fischer, Charles H.
Franks, John N.
Gillam, Everett C.
Goldsberry, Lloyd O., Jr.
Goldsberry, Richard P.

Hamilton, William R.
Hardy, Edwin M.
Hendrickson, Dale R.
Hendrickson, Gordon E.
Hurley, Frederick T.
Hurley, Lester C.
Hussey, Elwood S.
Kalper, Milliard
Kinkade, Eugene E.
Kinkade, George
Laurino, Dominic E.
Laurino, Edward
Laurino, John
Leonard, John D.
Letson, William
Loeffler, Harold J.
Lovejoy, Clarence E.
Marchetti, John W.
Martelli, Arthur J.
Mazza, Frank
Mazza, Samuel
Morgan, Richard S.
Mullen, Louise M., Miss
Mullen, Thomas B.
Murphy, John J.
Myers, Donald C.
McCauley, Talman
McGahan, John
McKeon, James T.
McNeil, James
Nylander, Calvin P.
Nylander, Gustav
Osgood, Frank M.
Osgood, Victor R.
Parker, Asher S.
Perna, Nicholas
Petersen, Joseph K.
Postel, Harry J., Jr.
Prëssinger, Whitfield
Prothero, John B.

★ Rhoades, John C.
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Sanders, William C.
Schanck, Charles H., Jr.
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Scott, George C., Jr.
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Southgate, Gerald H.
Stapleton, James M.
Stein, Elbert H.
Theysohn, Warren E.
VanPelt, William J.
Vaughn, Wilbur, Jr.
Vesperry, Patrick P.
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Volhols, Theodore
Walsh, John T.
Welch, John T.
Williams, Thomas H.
Wilkinson, Richard B.
Wilkinson, George D., Jr.
Wilkinson, Howard M.
Wolcott, John A.
Wolcott, John P.
Yale, Rynear H.
Zagaja, John W.



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PAYING TRIBUTE—Each has his eye on a different gold star. Nagel O'Brien gazes at the Oceanport Honor Roll, unveiled yesterday at Oceanport Memorial Park, which bears the name of his brother who died serving his country. Mrs. L. L. Rice, Mrs. A. Barton Cross and Mrs. L. A. Maguire look at the plaque which will be a standing memorial to their sons who lost their lives during the last war.

Monument To Veterans Unveiled At Oceanport

OCEANPORT—A granite monument bearing the names of veterans who served their country in three wars was unveiled by veterans of the Spanish American War as "taps" sounded yesterday at the Memorial Park.

The names of men and women serving in the Spanish American War, World War I and World War II were included. Councilman Edward C. Wilson, Sr., chairman of the affair, welcomed those attending and thanked the many people who helped make the event a reality. Rev. Robert S. Judge pronounced the invocation.

Mayor C. Kenneth Riddle introduced the local Gold Star mothers. He also expressed the hope that the fourth and blank side of the monument would never need to be used.

Rev. Benjamin F. Dickisson, in his talk on "Memories, Past and Present," spoke of his experiences with servicemen in the past wars and the great task which they have always had before them. He referred to Lincoln's Gettysburg Address as the best-known speech made for the occasion.

Preceding the program, a parade in which the Fort Monmouth band, Gold Star mothers, mayor and councilmen, veterans, members of the local fire departments and local scouts marched, proceeded from the new Main St. firehouse to the park.

Gold Star mothers present were Mrs. A. Barton Cross, mother of the late A. Barton Cross, Jr.; Mrs. L. L. Rice, mother of the late Leslie Rice; Mrs. L. A. Maguire, mother of the late Lawrence Maguire. In the absence of Mrs. Jonas O'Brien, her son, Nagel O'Brien, was present to honor his brother, Morgan, killed in the war.

WAR MEMORIAL WILL BE UNVEILED AT OCEANPORT

COUNCILMAN WILSON ANNOUNCES COMPLETION OF PLANS FOR BRONZE PLAQUE

Edward C. Wilson Sr., Chairman of the Oceanport War Memorial Committee announces that plans have been completed to erect the bronze plaque containing the names of World War II veterans. The public is asked to check the following list of names, and if there are any errors in spelling or any omissions, kindly notify Mr. Wilson been before April 15. He can be reached at 274 Oceanport Ave., or telephone Eat. 3-0493.

Albring, John E.
Bailly, Philip E.
Bailly, Randolph M.
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Berry, Robert G.
Breese, Billie R. (Miss)
Briggs, Frank H.
Briton, C. Russell
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Wolcott, John, Jr.
Yale, Rynear H.

SPANISH - AMERICAN WAR VETERANS

These names will also be placed on a plaque and added to the World War I Memorial which is now located on the Oceanport Grammar School ground, but will be moved to the park at Wolfhill Avenue and Eatontown Boulevard.

Berry, Edward M.
Biel, John A.
Bunno, Edward D.
Morris, Edward J.
Scarsi, Bernard J.

N.O.V. 11-1955

Oceanport Marks Special Services

OCEANPORT—Impressive ceremonies in observance of Veterans Day were held yesterday at the monument in the park at the Wolf-hill road and Eatontown boulevard junction.

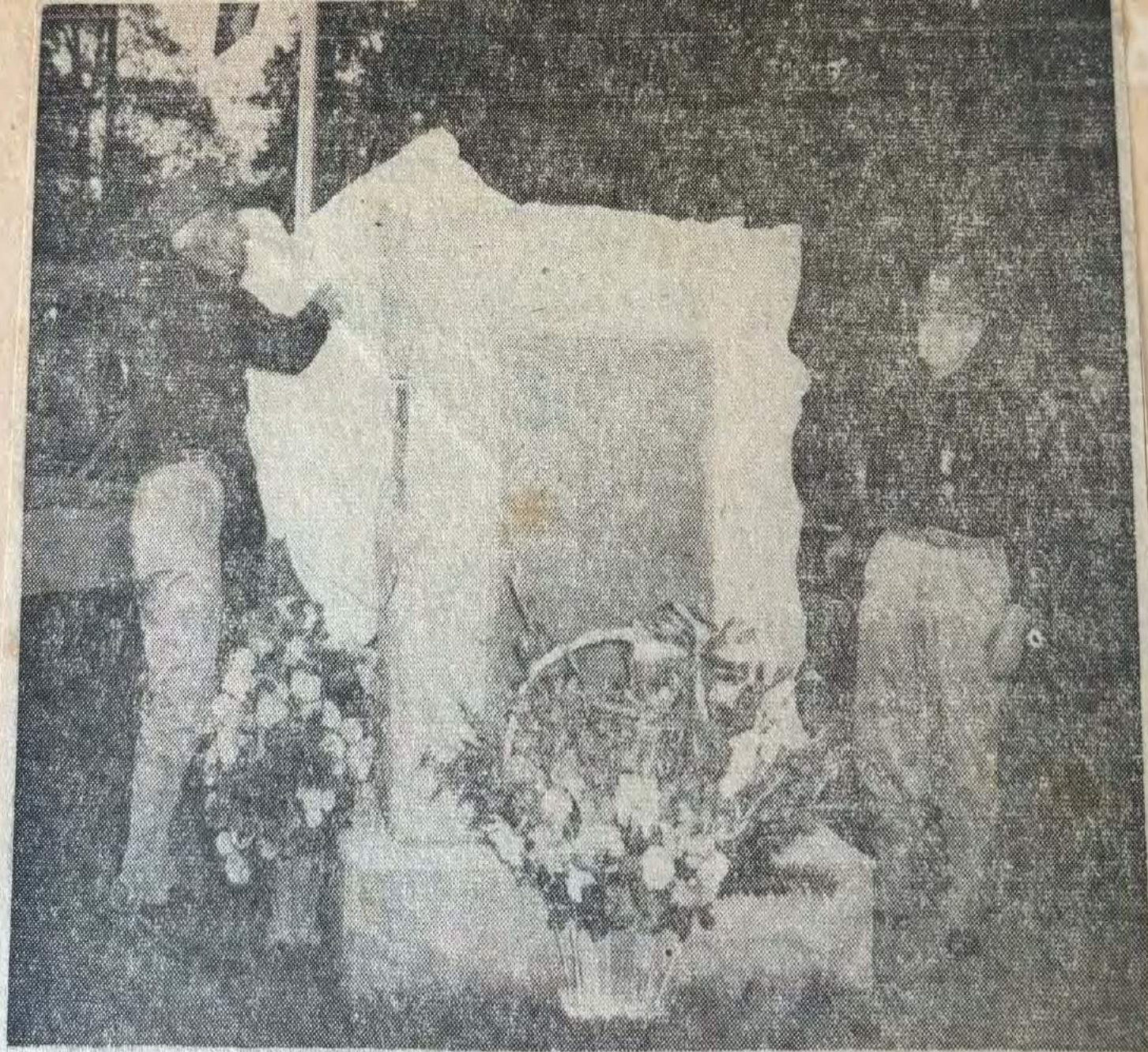
A wreath was placed at the foot of the monument by Bernard J. Scarsi, Spanish-American War veteran, and a firing squad from Ft. Monmouth was present to fire a volley of salutes. Taps were blown by Calvin Sullivan, local Boy Scout.

Main speaker was Chaplain Capt. Francis X. Leonard, Ft. Monmouth, who also gave the benediction. The invocation was

offered by the Rev. Robert S. Judge, Oceanport Methodist Church pastor.

Members of the Oceanport Hook & Ladder Company and the Port-au-Peck Chemical Hose Company attended the ceremonies in uniform.

Lester Hurley was in charge of the affair. He was assisted by Police Chief Robert G. Berry.



SPANISH AMERICAN VETERANS Edward Openlander, Adj., and Bernard J. Scarsi, Quartermaster, unveil Oceanport War Memorial before 500 residents at Memorial Park, on Sunday.

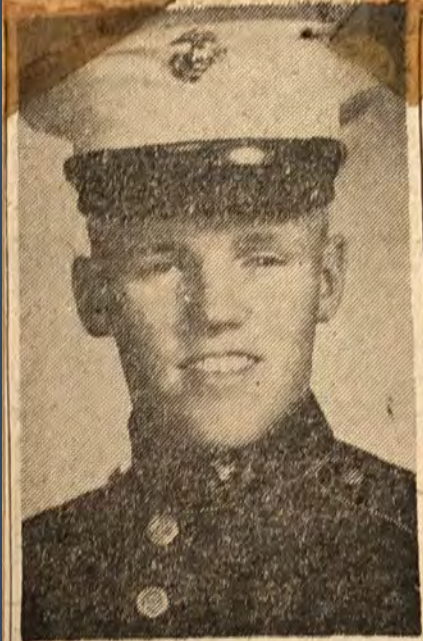
1962



WILLIAM FINN

Airman 1.C. **WILLIAM FINN**, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Finn, 37 Trinity Pl., Oceanport, was promoted to his present rank at Kelly AFB, San Antonio, Tex. He returned in October from a 16-month tour of duty with the GEEIA Team, which served in Vietnam, Thailand, and the Philippines. His wife is the daughter of Mrs. Eleanor Smith, 31 Cooper Blvd., Red Bank. They have a daughter, Lisa.

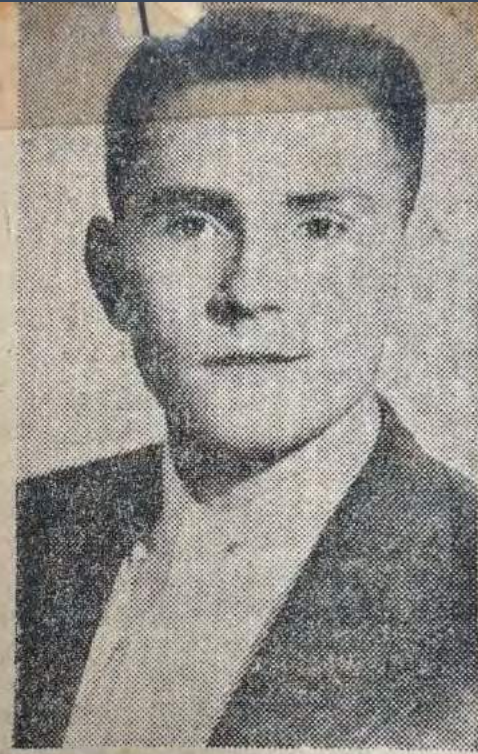
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HOME ON LEAVE — Marine Pvt. James T. Finn, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Finn, 37 Trinity Pl., Oceanport, is home on 20 day leave from Camp LeJeune, N.C. Finn finished basic training at Parris Island, S.C. on April 29. After his leave, he will report to Camp Pendleton, Calif. for shipment to a Far East duty station.



PFC DONALD WOOD — son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood of Main st., Oceanport, has just been assigned to duty with the Signal Corps in the Far East.



BEGINS TRAINING—H. Joseph Lomax, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Lomax, 100 Pemberton Ave., Oceanport, began his training this month at Lackland Air Force Base. Also in training with Lomax is Gerald P. McGee, grandson of Mrs. K. Petersen, 6 Main St., Oceanport. Both are graduates of Long Branch High School.



BASIC COMPLETED—Richard C. Sommers, seaman apprentice, U.S. Coast Guard Reserve, son of Mr and Mrs. Paul Sommers, 16 Arcana Ave., Oceanport has completed 13 weeks of basic training at the U.S. Coast Guard Receiving Center, Cape May. Sommers who entered the service last May will report aboard the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Unimak for further training. He is a graduate of Red Bank High School

1958

Oceanport Man Back On Duty

OCEANPORT—Lt. John A. Wolcott, United States Marine Corps, 21 Willow Ct., Oceanport, has been recalled to active duty. He will report to El Toro, Calif., for duty aboard a Marine aircraft carrier.

Lt. Wolcott was graduated from Red Bank High School in 1941. He immediately enlisted in the Marine Corps and received his wings and commission as a fighter pilot in 1945. He served on active duty until February, 1947.

1942

Two Nylander Brothers Serving In U. S. Navy



GUSTAV NYLANDER



CALVIN NYLANDER

The two sons of Eric Nylander, Arcana st., Oceanport, are both serving in the Navy. The older, Gustav Nylander, 21, is seeing action in the Pacific theatre of war, aboard an LST, while his brother, Calvin, 20, is attending Advanced Radioman's School in Minneapolis, Minn.

Gustav, who has been overseas

for two months, was graduated from Navy Radio Technician's School in California in December. Prior to that he had been stationed at Camp Bedford, Va., New Orleans, La., and New York.

Calvin was recently transferred to Minneapolis from Quonset Pt., R. I. Both boys were graduated from Red Bank high school.

**FIRST OCEANPORT KOREAN
WAR CASUALTY**



John Edgar Allbring



KENNETH R. OPP

SAN ANTONIO — Airman Kenneth R. Opp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Opp of 40 Trinity Pl., Oceanport, N.J., has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to the Air Force Technical Training Center at Sheppard AFB, Tex., for specialized schooling as a construction specialist. Airman Opp is a 1967 graduate of Shore Regional High School in Wes



PROMOTED — Matthew Clifton, Oceanport, has been promoted to aviation machinist's mate third class. He is stationed at the Naval Air Station, San Diego, Calif.



ON LEAVE — A.3.C. Gerald P. McGee, grandson of Mrs. Katherine Petersen, 6 Main St., Oceanport, is home on 30-day leave prior to shipping to Germany. Airman McGee completed four weeks of basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, and six weeks of technical training at Keesler Air Force Base, Miss., where he was a honor graduate of the radar school.