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# DEDICATION



We dedicate this book to those brave souls  
Who fought to preserve our freedom and peace,  
Who we shall always remember;  
Those who gave of themselves,  
And those who have given their lives  
So that our freedom and the rights of man  
Might endure.



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# AUTHORIZATION & RESOLUTION

The Compiling of Information for This Book  
Was Authorized by Town Board Resolution  
On July 6, 1982.

WHEREAS, the Town of Islip is proud of the outstanding contribution that our veterans have made on behalf of our nation; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of the sacrifices made by Islip's veterans in World Wars I and II, the Town of Islip published books in which the names and efforts of each Islip veteran were described; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Islip is eager to create a lasting memorial to our veterans who selflessly served our nation in the Korean and Viet Nam Wars; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Town of Islip publish a book containing the names and descriptions of efforts made by our Town's veterans in the Korean and Viet Nam Wars; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the preparation of this publication be made an official project of the Town of Islip's Tricentennial Celebration, which will be observed in 1983.

On a motion of Councilman DeMott, seconded by Councilman Boncore, a vote was taken and the result was: Unanimously carried.



Islip Town Officials from left to right: William P. Tyler, Town Clerk; Anne Pfifferling, Councilwoman; Norman DeMott, Councilman; Frank R. Jones, Supervisor; Frank Boncore, Councilman; Vincent Gianni, Councilman; and Edwin Boogertman, Tax Receiver. (Photograph by William Butler.)



## A MESSAGE FROM THE SUPERVISOR


Dear Fellow Veterans,

On behalf of the Islip Town Board, I am pleased to present this publication entitled "The Journal of Islip's Korean and Vietnam Veterans."

The Town of Islip is very proud of its veterans, as evidenced by the previous publications of testimonial books in honor of the veterans of World Wars I and II. It is our privilege to continue this tradition by publishing this journal in honor of our Korean and Vietnam veterans, and two young heroes who gave their lives in Beirut and Grenada.

As a Korean veteran, I know firsthand the personal sacrifices which these men and women made for our nation. Their efforts are deserving of our recognition and respect, and this journal reflects the admiration and gratitude of the people of the Town of Islip towards its Korean and Vietnam veterans.

Congratulations to all of you who served our country so selflessly and courageously. And, to the families of those who died in action while making the supreme sacrifice for our great nation, we offer you our sympathy and gratitude for the sacrifices which you also have made.

  
FRANK R. JONES  
Supervisor




## A MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Dear Islip Veterans,

During my tenure as Islip Town Supervisor, I was proud to commission the research and compilation of this commemorative book in honor of Islip's Korean and Vietnam Veterans. Although many years have passed since our veterans were involved in these conflicts, their sacrifices and service to our country should never be forgotten.

More recently, Islip lost two fine young men in two separate U.S. military missions. In 1983, a Town resident was one of the many Marines who perished in the tragic attack on the Marine barracks in Beirut. A short time later, another young man died during our country's military actions on the island of Grenada. It is only fitting that we dedicate a section of this testimonial book to these two brave servicemen, so that our memories of their tremendous sacrifices will not fade with the passage of time.

I extend my sincere best wishes and gratitude to all of Islip's Korean and Vietnam Veterans, and my deepest sympathy to the families of all servicemen who lost their lives in service to our country.

  
MICHAEL A. LoGRANDE  
Suffolk County Executive



# FOREWARD

Following World Wars I and II, the Town of Islip published testimonial books to honor the men and women from Islip who served in the Armed Forces during those wars. In 1982, the Islip Town Board enacted a resolution to authorize the Town to publish a similar book to honor those people from Islip who served our country during the Korean and Vietnam eras.

In an effort to include those who lived in the Town at the time they served in the Armed Forces, as well as those who currently reside in Islip, the Town publicized this project in the local weekly newspapers, in Newsday, as well as through various public service announcements on local radio stations. Additionally, the Town contacted such groups as the American Legion Posts, AMVETS, The Vietnam Veterans of America, and churches to ask them to promote this project. Over the past three years, more than 2,300 veterans from both eras have shown interest in this project, and have completed questionnaires and submitted photographs accordingly.

When this project was initiated, the Town contacted the U.S. Veterans Administration, the New York State Office of Veterans Affairs, and the Suffolk County Veterans Service Agency asking for listings of the Korean and Vietnam era veterans who resided in Islip at the time they entered the Armed Forces. Unfortunately, none of these agencies, nor the individual branches of the armed services, maintained listings of veterans by geographic region. The only information that was made available to the Town was the listing of those who were killed in action. As a result, this project commenced without the benefit of any records of Islip residents who served during these eras.

For those who may have been excluded, we apologize, as this has been a tremendous undertaking which required much time and dedication on the part of the Town and the coordinators of the project, and everything humanly and reasonably possible has been done to contact our veterans and to publicize this very worthwhile project. What made it most difficult in contacting our veterans for inclusion in the journal, is that it has been 10 and 30 years, respectively, since the Vietnam and Korean conflicts ended. The books compiled following World Wars I and II were published shortly after those wars, and information about the men and women who served was more readily available.

Nevertheless, after numerous deadlines for submission of information and photographs, after much research, many long trips to the photo lab which reproduced the photographs of the veterans, and after numerous proofreading sessions for typographical errors, The Journal of Islip's Korean and Vietnam Veterans is finished.

This book is for all of the brave men and women who served our country in varying degrees in the Army, the Navy, the Air Force, the Marine Corps, and the Coast Guard, who gave of themselves to help people in troubled lands where peace and human rights were threatened. Many sacrifices have been made so that our rights and freedoms might endure not only for ourselves, but for the inheritors of the great and free land, as our predecessors deemed it so necessary and vital more than 200 years ago.

Let us also remember those who fought for the love of freedom and peace, and who lost their lives, for their efforts were not in vain.





With weapons and helmets close at hand, soldiers from U.S. 24th Division attend Catholic church services on the Western Front in Korea. (Photograph submitted by Jack Flatley)

**Lest  
We  
Forget**



**Korean Veterans**



# MEMORIAL TO

## GILBERT BASHE, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Bashe entered the service in October of 1951. He received his training at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and later, at Camp Pendleton, California. He was sent overseas to Korea, where he was stationed as a Rifleman with the 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps. He died of wounds received in action on November 22, 1952, three weeks after arriving in Korea. He was out on patrol when he was hit, and passed away shortly after, aboard the U.S.S. Repose, a hospital ship. The son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bashe of Bay Shore, he was graduated from Richmond Hill High School, and was in the service station business, which his family later owned and operated. He was 21 years old when he died, leaving behind a brother, Jerry, who served 11 months in Korea with the United States Army, a younger brother, David, and his parents. He is merited with the Marine Marksman Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM T. HALTON, Lieutenant Colonel

Lt. Colonel Halton began serving as a pilot with the United States Air Force during World War II with various outfits, and received many awards for heroic combat missions, and meritorious achievement. From February of 1950 until September of 1951 he was stationed with the 3525th Maintenance and Supply Group in Arizona. From September of 1951 until March of 1952 he was stationed with Headquarters Company, 136th Fighter Bomber Group. In March of 1952, he was Deputy Wing Commander with Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, 18th Fighter Bomber Wing of the United States Air Force, and was listed as "killed in action" in Korea on December 31, 1953. Born on July 17, 1917, he resided in Islip with his family. He received the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal with four Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters and two Silver Oak Leaf Clusters, the Distinguished Service Cross, the Silver Star, the Distinguished Unit Citation with one Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster, the National Defense Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, and a Purple Heart. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ELPIDIO RODRIQUES, JR., Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Rodriques served with the 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Korea. He was born on September 24, 1930, and resided in Bay Shore. He received the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation for service from 1950 until 1953, the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Navy Unit Commendation Medal for service in Korea from 1952 until 1953, and the Purple Heart for wounds received in action against the enemy in Korea on February 22, 1953, resulting in his death. (Photograph unavailable.)

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## PAUL O. HERMAN, Corporal

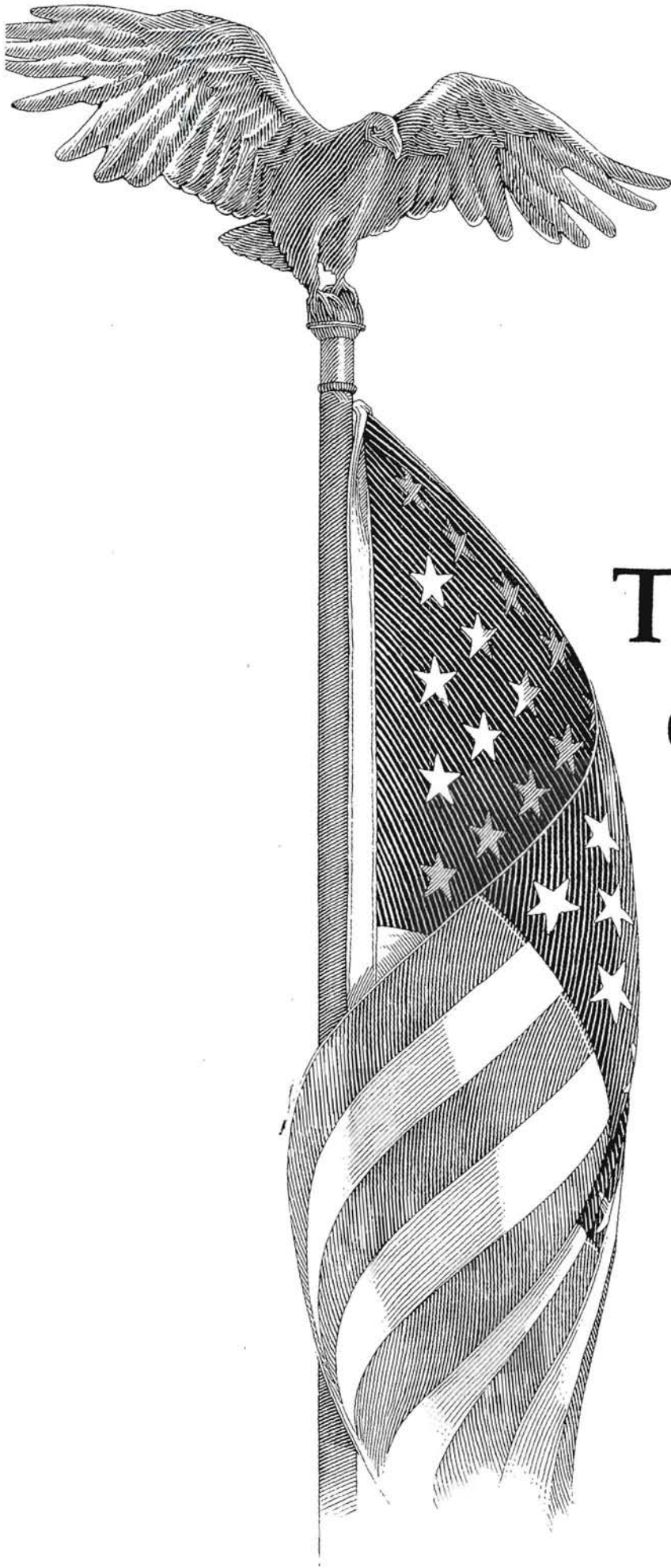
Corporal Herman enlisted in the United States Army in September of 1950, and became a tank crewman with a medium tank battalion with the 3rd Armored Division at Fort Knox, Kentucky. A member of a recoilless rifle team with the 17th Regimental Combat Group, he arrived in Korea in March of 1951, after being in the Army only nine months, and was assigned to F Company, 17th Infantry, Buffalo Regiment, 9th Division. Paul, 19, was killed instantly by a rifle shot on June 1, 1951, in the service of his country in a courageous attack against the enemy, in the struggle to preserve freedom. Born on November 8, 1931, he resided in Elmhurst, New York, where he attended the public schools, was graduated from high school in Florida, and was employed by a printer in New York City. His family has resided in West Islip for more than 30 years. Merited with the Purple Heart, and the oldest of six children, he left behind his brother, Charlie, four sisters, Dorothy, Elaine, Janet, and Virginia, and his parents, Jean, and Paul O., Sr.

## ROBERT M. RITTER, Corporal

Corporal Ritter served from 1949 until 1950 with the United States Army, and was stationed up at the front lines of Korea. He received his training at Fort Benning, Georgia, and was sent immediately to Korea. Two months later he was reported as "missing in action" on November 26, 1950, and was listed as "killed in action" in December of 1983. Originally from Sayville, where he was graduated from Sayville High School in 1949, he was born on June 26, 1931. He had resided in Bohemia.







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## WILLIAM W. ABERCROMBIE, Private 1st Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Abercrombie was born on November 17, 1928. He served from May of 1953 until April of 1955 with the 9th Division, 60th Field Artillery, A Battery of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Germany. He is merited with the Army Occupation Medal and the National Defense Service Medal, and is presently employed as a deckhand on Army tugboats in New York Harbor.

## MARIO ACCARDO, Sergeant

Born on August 27, 1925, Sergeant Accardo served with I Company, 3rd Battalion, 2nd Marines, 2nd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from October of 1950 until December of 1951. He served principally at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, as well as in Norfolk, Virginia, and in Vieques, Puerto Rico. A 1944 graduate of Evander Childs High School, Bronx, New York, he has been employed as a carpenter following the service and presently resides in West Islip.

## GEORGE R. A'COURT, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. A'Court was born on May 6, 1928, and attended Bay Shore High School. He served from October of 1952 until September of 1954 with the 1931st S Company, 19th Infantry Regiment of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Korea. He is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, and the National Defense Service Medal. Following his discharge he was employed in construction. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RALPH ACQUARO, Staff Sergeant

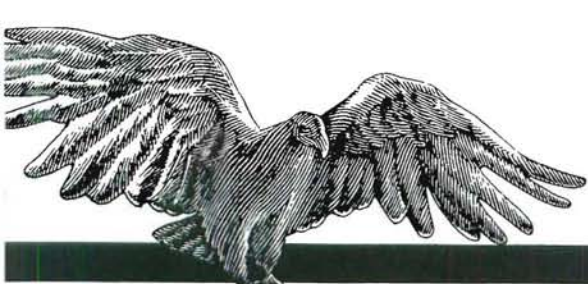
Staff Sergeant Acquaro served with I Corps of the United States Army mainly in Korea from August of 1948 until December of 1951. Born on November 7, 1928, he was graduated from Queens Vocational High School, Queens, New York, and is employed as a machinist. He currently resides in West Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN AGALOS, Specialist 5th Class

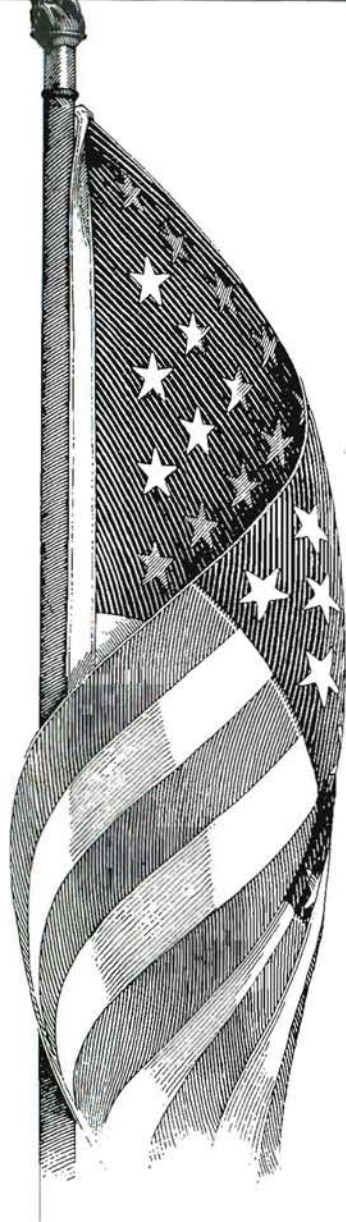
Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and born on November 10, 1929, Mr. Agalos made his home in East Islip. He served with the 34th General Hospital of the United States Army chiefly in Korea from 1950 until 1954 in the United States Army. He was instrumental in forming M\*A\*S\*H-type units on an experimental basis before the actual "conflict". Prior to the service he worked as an auto mechanic and is presently employed as a material inspector.

## PATSY G. AGUGLIARO, Sergeant

Sergeant Agugliaro was born on September 27, 1928, and served with the 204th Field Artillery of the United States Army primarily in Georgia, California, and in Korea, from November of 1950 until December of 1952. He attended Brooklyn Automotive Trades High School, Brooklyn, New York, and Machine and Metal Trades High School, also in Brooklyn. While in the service he earned two Battle Stars. Originally from Brooklyn, he made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides.



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MARIO ACCARDO



WILLIAM W. ABERCROMBIE



PATSY G. AGUGLIARO



JOHN AGALOS



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## JOSEPH J. ALBERT, Corporal

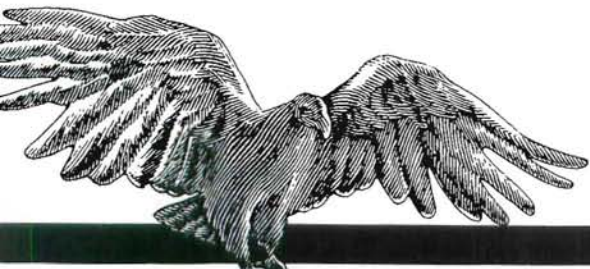
A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Albert was born on April 28, 1928, was graduated from Islip High School in 1947, and received his Bachelor's degree from New York University, School of Education in 1956. He served with C Company, 969th Engineer Battalion of the United States Army mainly in Alabama and Austria, from November of 1950 until November of 1952. In 1966 he received his Master's degree from New York University, and is employed as a teacher. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal.

## JOHN L. ALESE, Torpedoman/Petty Officer 3rd Class

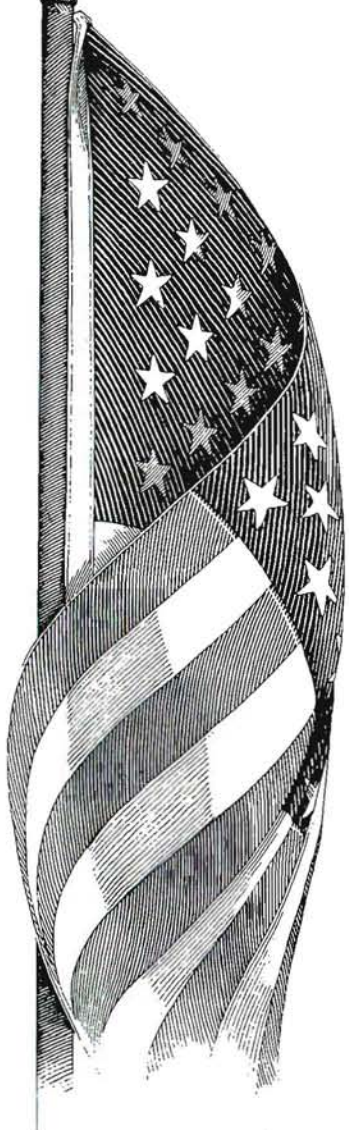
Mr. Alese was born on December 21, 1931, and resided in Uniondale, New York, until he settled in Hauppauge where he now resides. He served from May of 1951 until May of 1955 with the 77th Task Force aboard the U.S.S. John R. Pierce, DD-753, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Songjin and Chongjin, Korea. He is merited with the National Defense, the United Nations, and the Korean Service Medals, as well as the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, and the Navy Occupation Medal. He is presently employed as a bricklayer.

## GEORGE J. ALLEN, Sergeant

Sergeant Allen served from January of 1952 until November of 1953 with Battery D, 140th AAA Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Korea. He earned the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, and the United Nations Service Medal. Born on December 18, 1931, he is originally from New York City, and has since settled in Brentwood.



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JOHN L. ALESE



JOSEPH J. ALBERT



GEORGE J. ALLEN

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ROBERT W. ALVERSON, Corporal

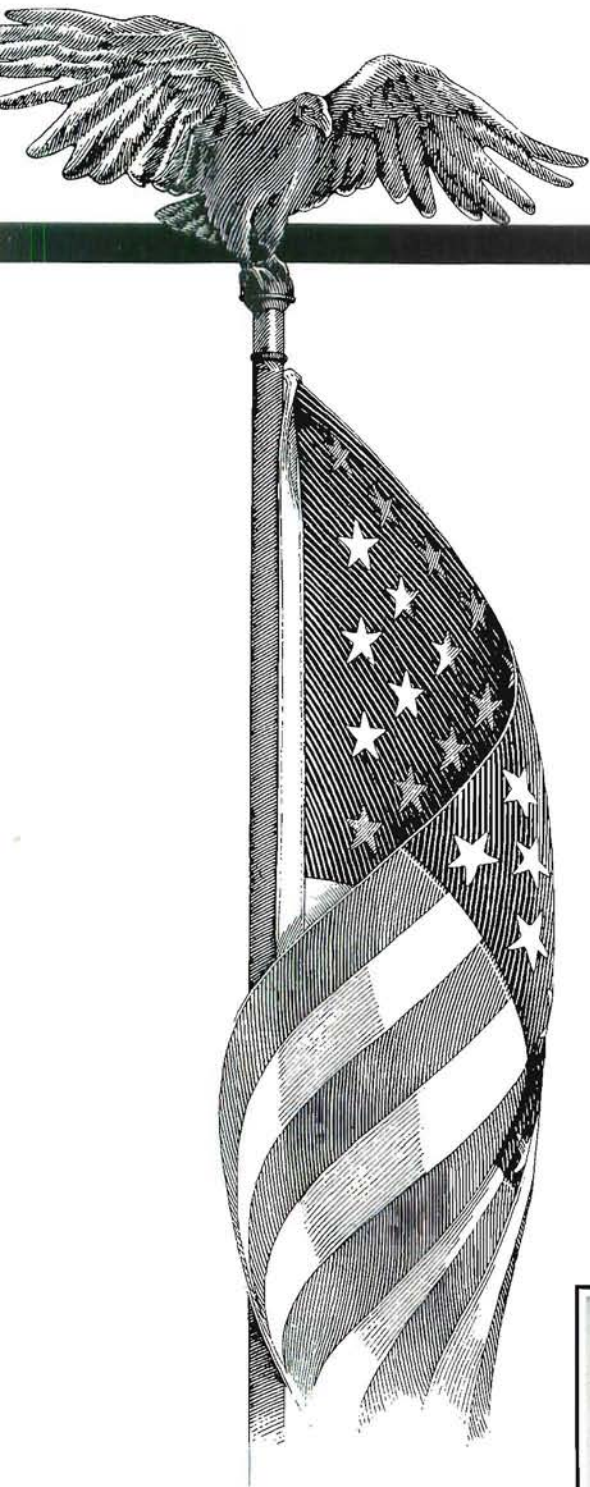
Formerly of Sayville and Islip Terrace, Mr. Alverson was born on September 1, 1931, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1949. He served with the 8th Army, 2998th Engineer Float Bridge Company of the United States Army. From June of 1952 until April of 1954, he served principally in P'Yonggang, Korea, and earned the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations and the National Defense Service Medals, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation. He was employed with the Long Island Lighting Company. He passed away in December of 1983.

EDWARD J. AMOTT, SR., Chief Commissary Steward

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Amott was born on October 2, 1925, was graduated from Islip High School, and attended Fordham University for two years. He served from 1943 until 1951 with the United States Navy aboard DE-798, and was stationed in Puson, Korea. He is currently employed as a Heavy Equipment Operator.

NICHOLAS F. ANCONA, Specialist 3rd Class

Mr. Ancona was a resident in California until he made his home in Islip Terrace, where he now resides. Born on November 25, 1927, he was graduated from Herbert Hoover High School. He served in the United States Army from December of 1954 until December of 1956, and was stationed at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. Since his discharge from the Army he has been employed as a mechanic.



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ROBERT W. ALVERSON



EDWARD J. AMOTT



NICHOLAS F. ANCONA

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RALPH S. ANDALORO, Engineman 2nd Class

Mr. Andaloro was born on May 4, 1932, resided in Brooklyn, New York, and presently lives in West Islip. He served from January of 1952 until January of 1955 with the United States Coast Guard, was stationed in New Jersey, New York, and Connecticut, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. He was graduated from New Utrecht High School in 1949, and is currently employed as a Captain with the New York City Fire Department.

JOHN J. ANDERSON, Sergeant

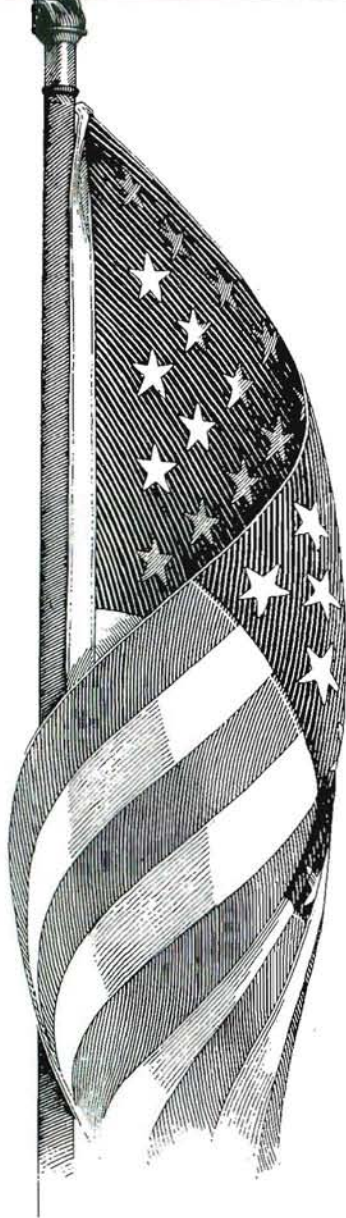
Formerly of Elmont, New York, Mr. Anderson settled in Holbrook and is employed as an electrical technician. Born on June 7, 1930, he attended Woodrow Wilson High School. He served with the 526th AAA Gunnery Battalion, 1st Army of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in New York and New Jersey from 1951 until 1953.

LLOYD ANDREWS, Private 1st Class

A resident of West Islip, Mr. Andrews is formerly of Lindenhurst where he attended Lindenhurst High School. Born on June 30, 1929, he served with the 45th Division, 179th Infantry, Heavy Mortar Company, and the 3rd Division, Heavy Weapon Company of the United States Army from November of 1952 until September of 1954. Employed as an airplane cleaner and as a commercial fisherman, he has the Combat Infantry Badge, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Marksman Badge to his credit.



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LLOYD ANDREWS



RALPH S. ANDALORO



JOHN J. ANDERSON

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VINCENT ANELLA, Private 1st Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Anella was born on July 17, 1932. He attended Brooklyn Prep High School from 1946 until 1950. In July of 1950 he entered the service where he was stationed with the 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps as a demolition expert, until he was discharged in July of 1954. Between 1955 and 1959, he attended St. John's University, and is currently employed as a Program Manager for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. While in the service, he earned two Korean Battle Stars, and the United Nations Service Medal. He presently resides in Hauppauge.

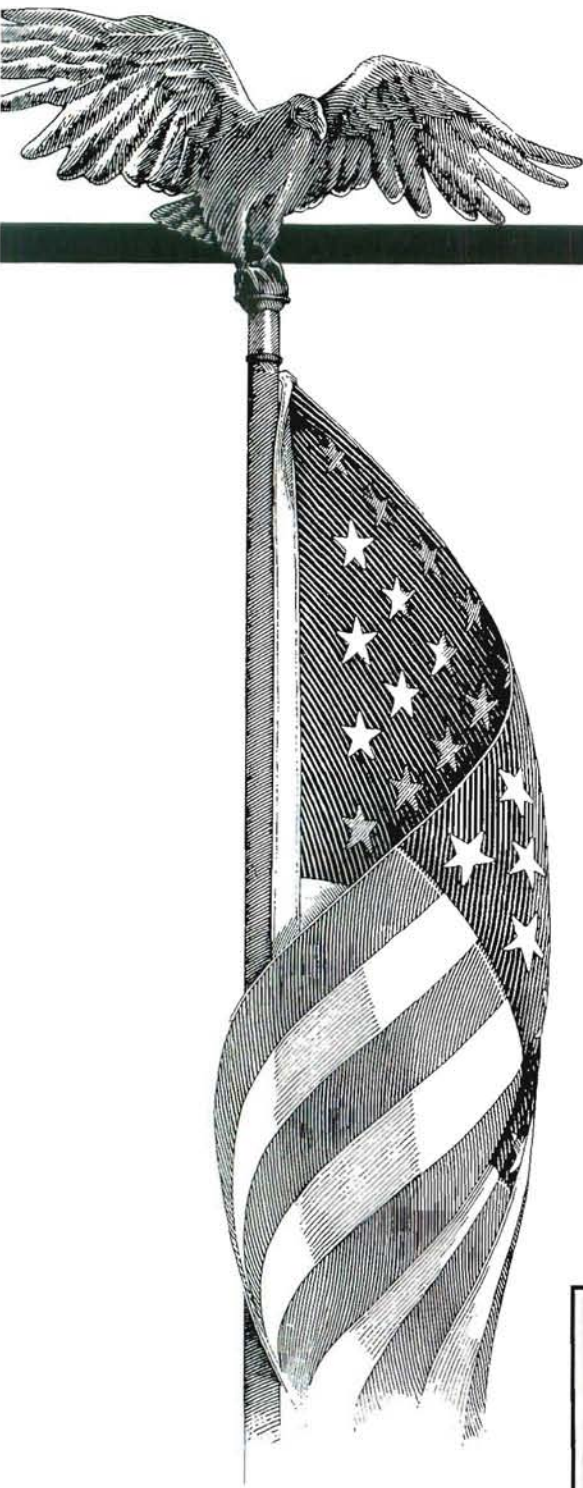
CHARLES A. ANGILELLA, Staff Sergeant

Born on April 14, 1930, Staff Sergeant Angilella served with the 46th Station Squadron of the United States Marine Corps at Cherry Point, North Carolina, from June of 1948 until June of 1952. Formerly of Long Island City, he resides in Islip Terrace and is employed as an airline mechanic. He was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades in 1948, and in 1956 from the Academy of Aeronautics. He received the Good Conduct Medal while in the service.

HARRY J. ANTARIO, Corporal

A former resident of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Antario was born on April 19, 1932. He was graduated from Food Trades High School, New York, in 1949, and from Iona College in 1959. He served with the Strategic Air Command of the United States Air Force principally in Savannah, Georgia, and in Tokyo, Japan, from March of 1952 until December of 1955 when he received an Honorable Discharge. He presently resides in Islip.

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VINCENT ANELLA



HARRY J. ANTARIO



CHARLES A. ANGILELLA



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PETER G. ANTONACCIO, Fireman 1st Class

A veteran of World War II, Fireman Antonaccio also served with the United States Navy from 1950 until 1952, and was stationed primarily in the South Pacific, Japan, and in the Philippines. He was born on January 4, 1926, and was a resident of New York City where he attended Murray Hill High School. Presently, he is a Brentwood resident and has been employed as an iron worker since his discharge from the Navy. While in the service he earned the American Campaign Medal, the Asiatic-Pacific Medal, a Battle Star, and the National Defense, the Korean, and the United Nations Service Medals.

JOSEPH B. ANTONOWICZ, Corporal

Corporal Antonowicz served from January of 1951 until January of 1953 with the 224th AAA Brigade Headquarters of the United States Army, and was stationed at Camp Stuart, Georgia, and at Fort Dix, New Jersey. Originally from Hempstead, New York, he made his home in East Islip where he now resides. Born on June 19, 1929, he was graduated in 1947 from Hempstead High School, in 1950 from SUNY at Farmingdale, from C.W. Post College in 1961, and attended Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute from 1963 until 1965. Following his discharge he was employed as a manufacturing engineer, and is presently employed as a project engineer for industrial engineering.

RALPH H. APONTE, Electronic Technician 3rd Class

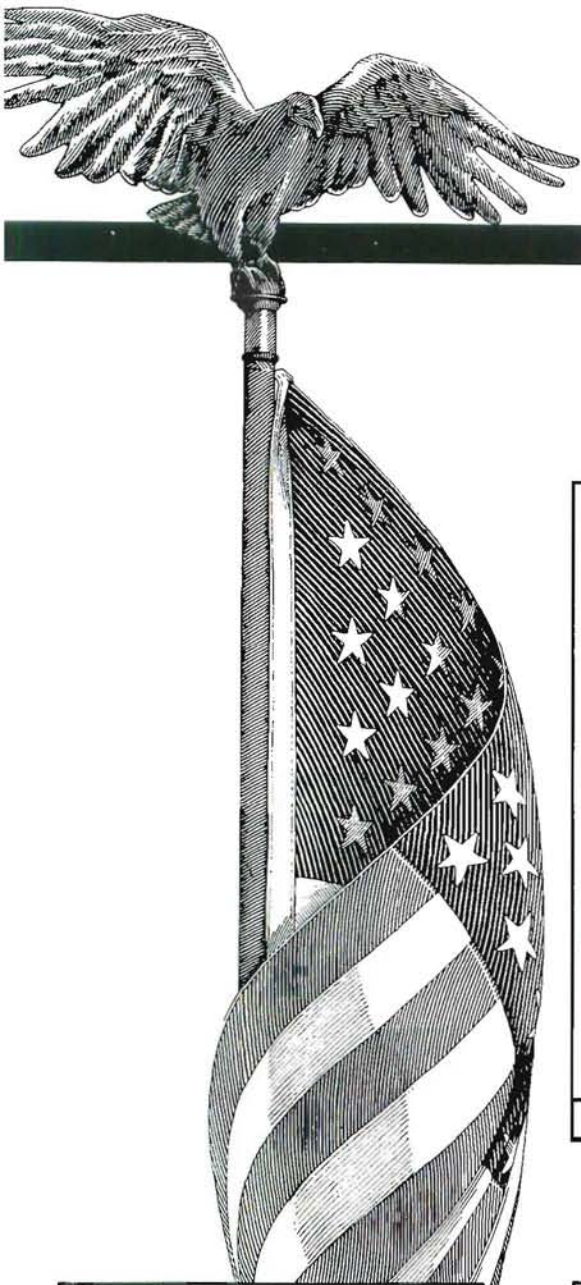
Formerly of New York City, Mr. Aponte was born on January 14, 1931, and attended Stuyvesant High School, New York. He served aboard the U.S.S. Cadmus and aboard the U.S.S. Pawcatuk as part of the Atlantic Fleet of the United States Navy, and was stationed mainly on the Eastern Seaboard from March of 1949 until March of 1954 when he received an Honorable Discharge. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal.

JOHN APPEL, Airman 1st Class

Born on October 3, 1930, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Appel presently resides in Bay Shore. He served from August of 1951 until August of 1955 with the 6165th Base Service Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Kimpo Air Force Base in Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. Following the service he was employed as a butcher until 1963 when he became a New York City Police Officer. He retired after 20 years of service.

WILLIAM R. ARCHER, Aviation Mate 2nd Class

Currently a resident of East Islip, and formerly of Wantagh, New York, Mr. Archer was born on October 26, 1931. He was graduated from Jamaica High School, Jamaica, New York, in 1950. He served with the VS-30 Anti-Submarine Unit of the United States Navy and was stationed at Norfolk, Virginia, Key West, Florida, Korea, and in the Far East from May of 1951 until May of 1955. Presently employed as a well-driller, he earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean Service Medal while in the Navy.



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JOSEPH B. ANTONOWICZ



PETER G. ANTONACCIO



RALPH H. APONTE



JOHN APPEL



WILLIAM R. ARCHER



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## JOSEPH T. ARCURI, Private 1st Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Arcuri has made his home in Holbrook where he presently resides. He served with S Company, 18th Infantry Regiment, 1st Army Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. Born on August 18, 1928, he was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School, New York, and is presently employed with the New York City Department of Sanitation.

## LEO ARGIS, Private 1st Class

Private Argis served with the 1901st Engineering Aviation Battalion of the United States Army and went on to serve in the Medical Corps at Fort Leonardwood, and in the Zama regional area of Japan for 14 months. He was born on July 26, 1928, and is originally from Brooklyn, New York, where he attended Lafayette High School, and New York University. While in the service he earned the Korean Service Medal and the Asian Theatre Medal as well. He is employed as a hospital dietary steward, and resides in West Islip.

## JOHN ARIS, Staff Sergeant

Formerly of New York City, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Aris was born on December 28, 1928. He attended the Gymnasium of Famagusia, Cyprus, from 1941 until 1947, and also attended City College of New York, Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, and was graduated from New York Institute of Technology in 1971. He served with the 317th Troop Carrier Wing of the 12th Air Force of the United States Air Force from December of 1950 until September of 1954, and was stationed in West Germany and in the United States. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the German Occupation Medal. He is presently employed as an electronics engineer.

## JOHN G. ARMSTRONG, Private 1st Class

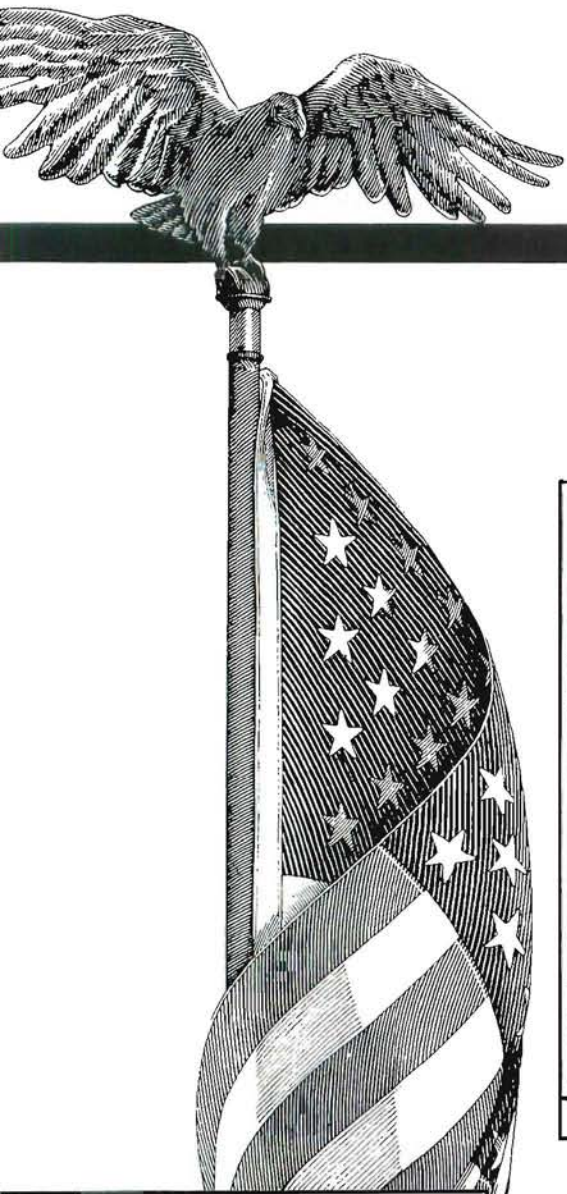
A resident of Brentwood, formerly of New York City, Mr. Armstrong was born on July 30, 1936. He served with the 1st Army, 9th Division, 364th Infantry Regiment, G Company of the United States Army while in S.H.A.P.E. Headquarters located in Paris, France, from September of 1953 until October of 1956. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Europe Theatre Medal, and has been employed as a New York City Police Officer.

## ROBERT ARNAIZ, Gunners Mate 3rd Class

Gunners Mate Arnaiz served aboard the U.S.S. Logswell, DD-651, of the United States Navy from January of 1951 until January of 1955, was stationed in Japan, Korea, and the North and Mediterranean Seas, and earned the Atlantic and Pacific Theatre Medals. A resident of Flushing, New York, at the time he served, he was graduated from Flushing High School in 1949, and attended classes at Hofstra University. Born on January 26, 1931, he lives in Ronkonkoma and is employed with Chemical Bank.

## NORMAN ARTHURS, Corporal

Mr. Arthurs was born on December 23, 1930, and is formerly of New York City where he was graduated from Harren High School. He served from March of 1948 until March of 1952 with E Company, 2nd Battalion, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in California, on Parris Island, in China and Korea. He earned the American Campaign Medal. A resident of Brentwood, he has been employed as a Trainman for the Long Island Railroad since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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LEO ARGIS



JOSEPH T. ARCURI



JOHN ARIS



JOHN G. ARMSTRONG



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## JOHN J. ASCIUTTO, JR., Staff Sergeant

Born on October 16, 1934, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Asciutto made his home in Bay Shore where he resides. He was graduated in 1952 from New Utrecht High School, and is employed as a subcontracts manager. He served from October of 1953 until September of 1957 with the 421st Air Refueling Squadron of the United States Air Force. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, and the Korean and the United Nations Service Medals.

## FRANCIS D. ASPELL, Technical Sergeant

A 1936 graduate of Central Islip High School, Mr. Aspell was born on July 19, 1918, and resided in Montgomery, New York, until he passed away on December 11, 1976. Also a veteran of World War II, he served with the United States Air Force from September of 1950 until September of 1951, and earned the Korean Service Medal. He was graduated from Orange County Community College in 1962, and in 1969 from Marist College.

## RONALD ASTHEIMER, Corporal

An Islip resident until he settled in West Sayville, Mr. Astheimer was born on May 31, 1933, and was graduated from St. Petersburg High School, Florida, in 1951. He served from May of 1953 until May of 1955 with C Company, 301st Signal Group, 7th Army of the United States Army, and was stationed in Baumholder, Germany. He is employed as a telephone lineman.

## JOHN R. ATKINSON, JR., Radarman 3rd Class

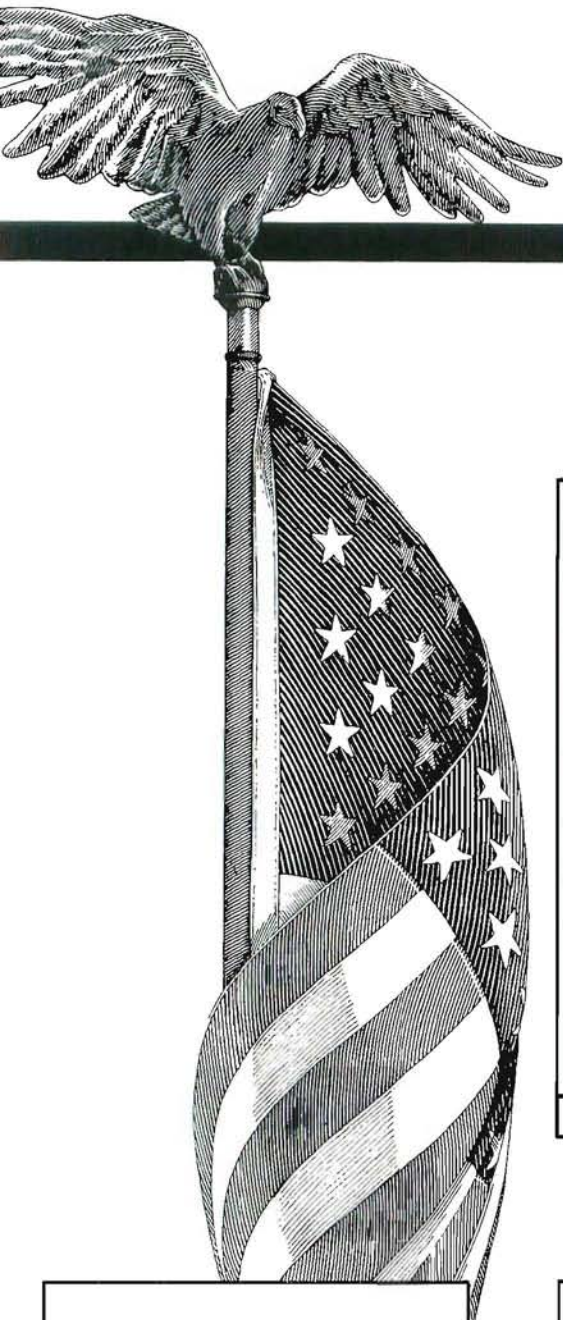
Formerly of Bay Shore, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Atkinson was born on March 6, 1937. He was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1954, and went on to serve aboard the U.S.S. Warrington, and aboard the U.S.S. Price of the United States Navy. He was stationed chiefly in Norfolk, Virginia, and Newport, Rhode Island with the Atlantic Fleet, from January of 1955 until December of 1957. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DAVID AUERBACH, Aviation Machinist Mate/Airman

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Auerbach was born on October 29, 1932, and was graduated from James Madison High School, Brooklyn, in June of 1950. He served aboard the U.S.S. Midway, CVA-41, 2nd Division of the United States Naval Reserve with the 6th Fleet in the Mediterranean Sea from March of 1951 until March of 1955. Residing in Islip Terrace, he is employed as an aircraft and powerplant mechanic inspector.

## DAVID S. AUGENBLICK, Captain

Born on January 6, 1922, Dr. Augenblick is formerly of Islip Terrace and presently resides in Islip. A 1939 graduate of Newtown High School, Elmhurst, New York, he went on to graduate from Queens College, Flushing, New York, in 1943. In 1946 he was graduated from New York University, College of Dentistry. He served with the 3545th Medical Group of the United States Air Force at Goodfellow Air Force Base, Texas, from January of 1951 until October of 1952. He currently has a dental practice in Islip.



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JOHN J. ASCIUTTO



FRANCIS D. ASPELL



DAVID AUERBACH



DAVID S. AUGENBLICK



RONALD ASTHEIMER



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## FRANK AVILES, Corporal

Corporal Aviles served from May of 1951 until May of 1954 with the 833rd Ordnance Company of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with five Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Born on August 12, 1931, and originally from New York City, he made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He was graduated from Stumbenmuller Textile High School, and is currently employed as a Bus Operator for the Metropolitan Transit Authority.

## CECIL E. AYRES, Electrician Mate 2nd Class

A 1946 graduate of Lincoln High School, Lincoln, Nebraska, Mr. Ayres was born on January 10, 1926. Originally from Lincoln, he settled in East Islip where he currently resides. He served aboard the U.S.S. Bennington of the United States Navy and was stationed in the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans from 1950 until 1954. He is merited with the American Theatre Medal, the Atlantic Theatre Medal, the European Theatre Medal, and the Pacific Theatre Medal, and is also a veteran of World War II. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH J. BACCHI, Private 1st Class

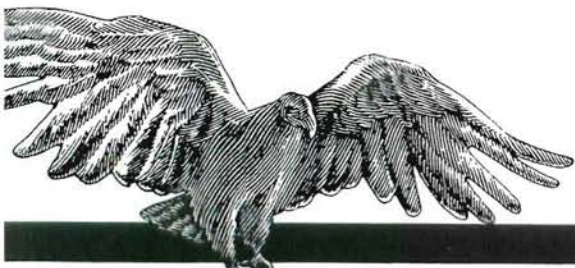
Born on January 12, 1929, and originally from Ozone Park, New York, Mr. Bacchi has made his home in West Islip where he presently resides. He served from January of 1951 until January of 1953 with I Company, 169th Infantry Regiment, 43rd Division of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Germany. A graduate of Woodrow Wilson High School, Jamaica, New York, he is presently employed in the burglar alarm business.

## SALVATORE P. BACINO, Sergeant 1st Class

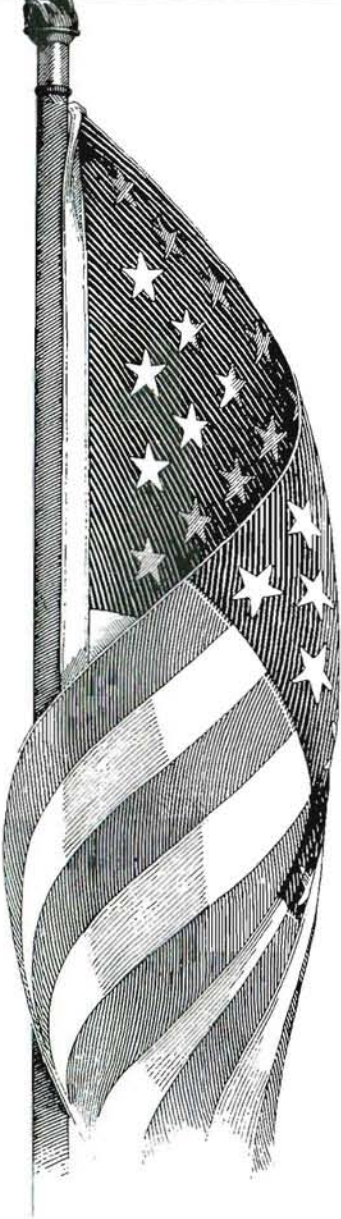
Sergeant Bacino served with the 6694th Transportation Major Port of the United States Army in New Jersey, Virginia, and Greenland from September of 1950 until August of 1952. Born on March 25, 1921, and formerly of Ridgewood, New York, he currently resides in West Islip. He was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School, Queens, New York, in 1939, and is employed as a federal clerk. He is also a veteran of World War II. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DOUGLAS J. BADEN, Corporal

Formerly of Howard Beach, New York, Mr. Baden was born on November 27, 1928, and is a resident of Sayville. He served with the Signal Corps of the United States Army from November of 1950 until November of 1952 and handled worldwide communications at the Pentagon, and set up a communications installation at Woodbridge, Virginia. Currently employed as an office manager, he was graduated from Bishop Loughlin High School in 1942, and had attended Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute and George Washington University for one and two years, respectively.



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JOSEPH J. BACCHI



DOUGLAS J. BADEN



FRANK AVILES





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## JOHN BAEZ, Sergeant 2nd Class

Presently residing in Bay Shore, Sergeant Baez served with the 24th Division, 2nd Battalion, and the 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army from January of 1952 until July of 1956, and was stationed mainly in Chunchon, and Kangnung, Korea. Born on January 30, 1933, he attended Suffolk County Community College. While in the service he earned a Battle Star, a Purple Heart, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, as well as the Korean Service Medal.

## DAVID BALLARD, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Ballard served with the 45th Division, 180th Infantry of the United States Army from 1951 until 1953, and was stationed in Hwachon-Inje, Yung Dung Po, and Inchon, Korea. Born on October 17, 1930, and originally from Elmhurst, New York, he made his home in West Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Newtown High School and from New York University. Following the service he was employed as a Salesman for Union Carbide Corporation, and is presently employed as an Expediter for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. While in the service he earned the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge.

## J. STEVE BALOGH, Staff Sergeant

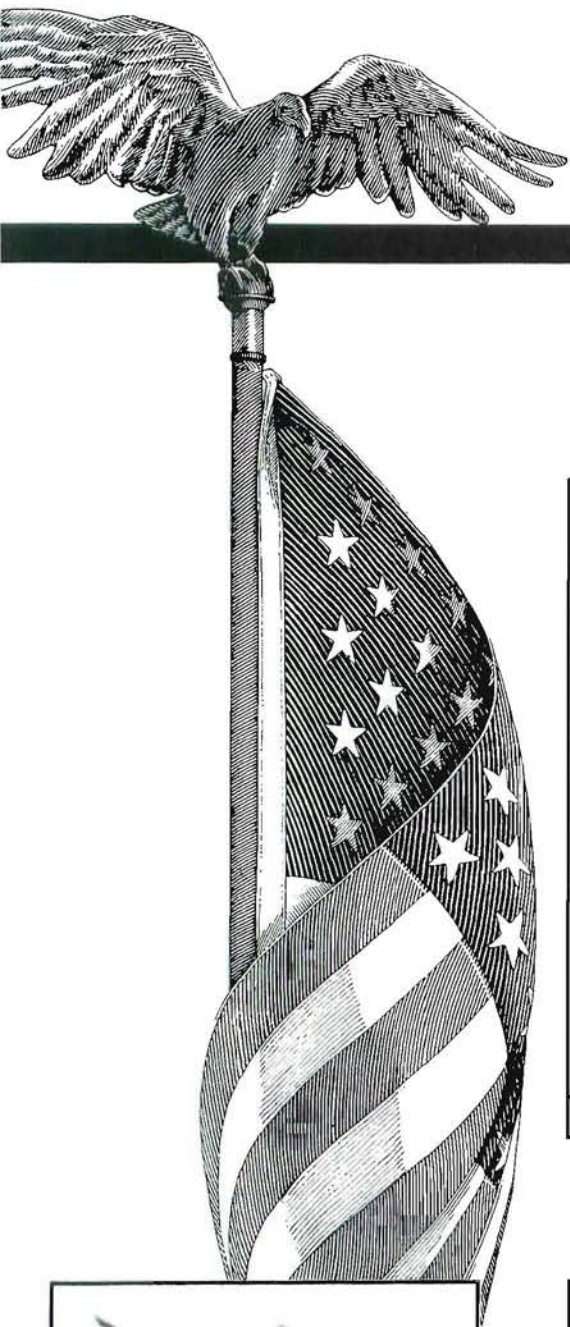
Originally from Ronkonkoma, and presently residing in Tucson, Arizona, Mr. Balogh was born on September 2, 1929. He served from September of 1948 until July of 1952, with the 7112th Supply Squadron, 7110th Maintenance Supply Group, of the United States Air Force, and was stationed principally in Wiesbaden, Germany. A 1944 graduate of Public School #71, Bronx, New York, and a 1948 graduate of Food Trades Vocational High School, he also attended classes at Pace University and Cornell University. He was employed as a Meat Department Manager for Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company for 29 years. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Berlin Airlift Device Medal, the Human Action Medal, and the German Occupation Medal as well. He is presently employed by the United States Air Force, Department of Defense at Davis Monthan Air Force Base, Tucson.

## GEORGE J. BANVILLE, SR., Specialist 3rd Class

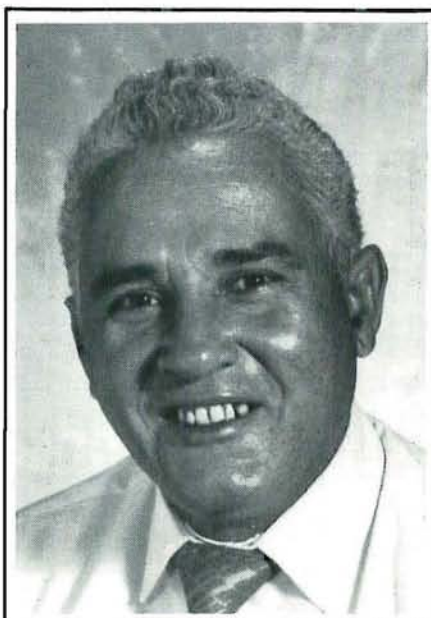
Born on December 14, 1934, and formerly of Elmhurst, New York, Mr. Banville was graduated from Bryant High School, and from the Academy of Aeronautics. He served from March of 1954 until March of 1956 with the 9th Infantry Division, Signal Corp of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in West Germany and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. After the service he was employed with the New York City Department of Sanitation, and currently owns an auto repair shop. He resides in Brentwood.

## ANDREW E. BARABAS, Lieutenant Colonel

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Barabas was born on December 9, 1912. He was graduated from Newtown High School, Queens, New York, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from September of 1950 until December of 1954 with the Military Police of the United States Army in Tokyo, Japan, and with the 60th General Depot in Korea. He is merited with two Armed Forces Commendation Medals, and is currently working as an employment counselor for a New York State employment service.



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JOHN BAEZ



DAVID BALLARD



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ANDREW E. BARABAS

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## ROBERT BARATTA, Radioman 2nd Class

Born on May 4, 1932, Mr. Baratta resides in Bay Shore. A 1950 graduate of New Utrecht High School, Brooklyn, New York, he went on to receive his Bachelor of Arts degree from Adelphi University in 1960, and his Master of Arts degree in 1963 from Hofstra University. He served from February of 1952 until August of 1955 with the United States Coast Guard in the District Office, New York City, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. He is presently employed as a teacher. (Photograph unavailable.)

## VINCENT BARBERA, Private 1st Class

A resident of South Ozone Park, New York, at the time he served, Mr. Barbera has made his home in West Islip. He served with the 1516th Military Police of the United States Army from 1947 until 1951, and was stationed mainly in Korea. Born on June 10, 1928, he was graduated from John Adams High School, Queens, New York, in 1945, and has been self-employed prior to and following the service. While in the Army, he was a personal aide to General Ridgeway and General Van Fleet, as well as an escort for V.I.P.s.

## JOHN A. BARCLAY, Airman 1st Class

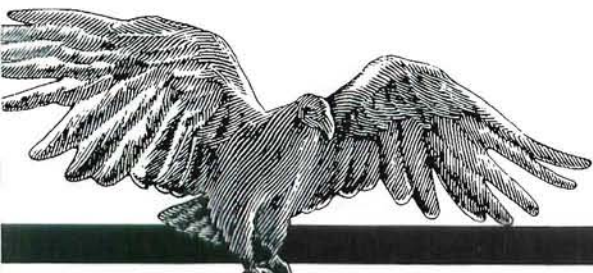
Airman Barclay served from 1952 until 1956 with the 8th Bomb Squadron, 3rd Bomb Wing, of the 5th Air Force of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Kunzan, Korea, and at Mitchell Air Force Base, New York. Born on February 15, 1932, and originally from Cambria Heights, New York, he settled in Bohemia where he presently resides. He was graduated from Andrew Jackson High School, St. Albans, New York, in 1950. He is merited with the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal, the Korea, United Nations, and National Defense Service Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Combat Crew Member Badge. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK BARONE, Corporal

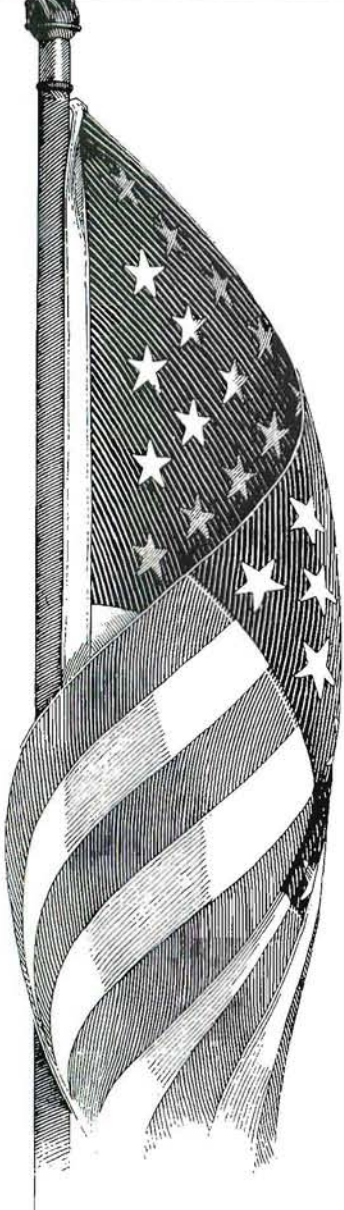
Born on November 26, 1930, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Barone made his home in Holbrook where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1948 from East New York Vocational High School, and from New York Trade School in 1949. He served from September of 1951 until September of 1953 with the 3rd Marine Shore Party Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed on Parris Island, South Carolina, at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and at Camp Delmar, in California. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Marksman Badge while in the service.

## THOMAS J. BARONE, Sergeant

A veteran of World War II, and formerly of East Islip, Mr. Barone was born on July 12, 1925, and presently resides in Bay Shore. He served in the 2nd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from September of 1948 until May of 1951, and was stationed chiefly at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. He attended East Islip High School, and is currently employed by the Long Island Lighting Company as a Gas and Electrical Technician.



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VINCENT BARBERA



FRANK BARONE



THOMAS J. BARONE



PATSY BARRASSO, Sergeant

Sergeant Barrasso served with the 724th Infantry of the United States Army from July of 1952 until July of 1954, and was stationed mainly in the Yan Go Valley, Korea. Born on November 8, 1931, he is a longtime resident of Islip Terrace. He attended East Islip High School, and has been self-employed since his discharge from the service. While in the Army he earned the Medal for Military Merit.

ANIBAL P. BARRIS, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of New York City, and presently residing in Lake Ronkonkoma, Mr. Barris was born on December 8, 1932, and was graduated from Mayaguez City College in 1957. He served for two years with the 532nd Amphibious Battalion, A Company, 8th Army, Central Command of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Japan. He is merited with various awards, including the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. He is presently employed as a general mechanic.

ASTON M. BARTH, Sergeant

Originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. Barth was born on February 17, 1933, and currently resides in Central Islip. He served from 1952 until 1966 with the First RSSU, 565th Medical Company, 2nd Infantry, 1st Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany and in Vietnam. He was graduated from high school in 1942, and attended Excelsion University from 1942 until 1944. He received various medals including the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, as well as a Purple Heart.



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PATSY BARRASSO



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## HUBERT M. BAUER, Technical Sergeant

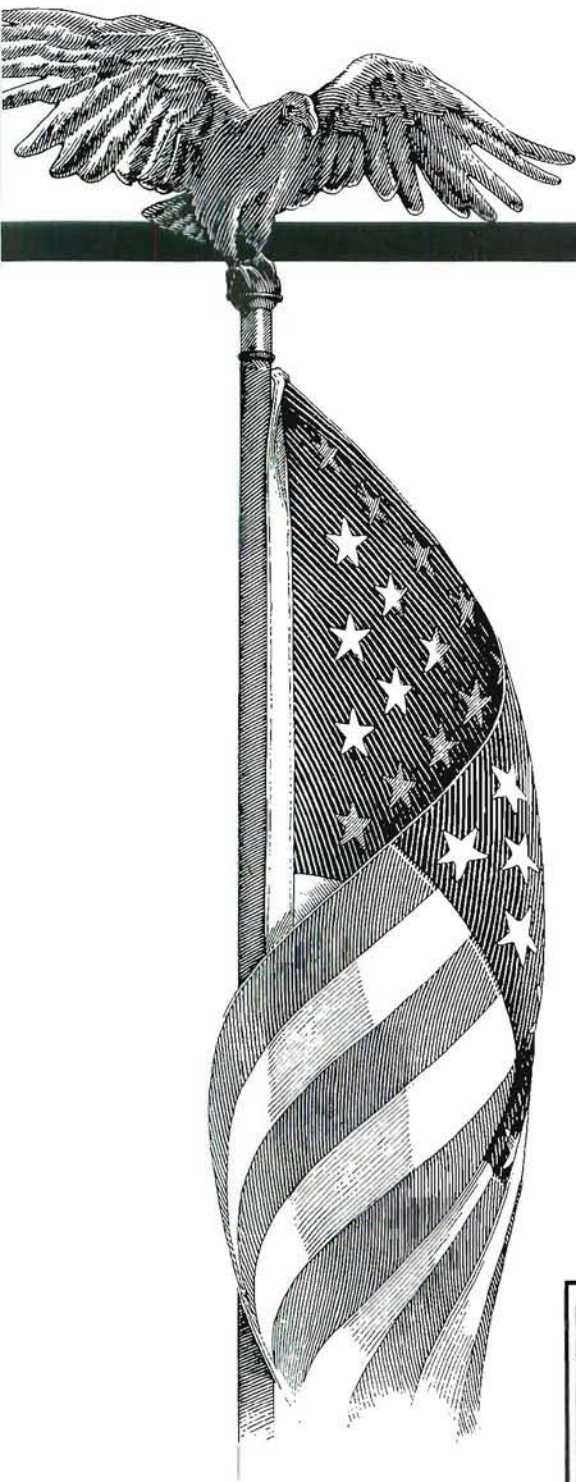
A resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Bauer was born on March 22, 1929, and was graduated from Empire State College in 1975. He served from June of 1952 until May of 1954 with the 8th Army, R Company, 304th Signal Battalion of the United States Army while stationed in Seoul and Inchon, Korea. Following the service he has been employed as a technician and as a teacher. He is merited with the National Defense, the Korean, and the United Nations Service Medals, as well as the Meritorious Unit Commendation.

## FREDERICK J. BAUMBACH, Yeoman 2nd Class

A longtime resident of Bayport, Mr. Baumbach was born on November 25, 1930, and was graduated from Rhodes Prep School. He served from February of 1950 until February of 1954 aboard the U.S.S. Raby, DEC-698, and aboard the U.S.S. Washtenaw County, LST-1166, of the United States Navy, and was stationed principally in the Atlantic Ocean and in the Caribbean Sea. He has been employed as a clerk following his discharge from the service.

## ROBERT C. BAUMBACH, Master Chief Petty Officer

Born on April 1, 1936, Mr. Baumbach was graduated from Seton Hall High School, Patchogue in 1953, resides in Sayville, and is employed as a quality assurance engineer. He served from February of 1954 until July of 1972, and served aboard the U.S.S. Mount Olympus, AGC-81, aboard the U.S.S. Long Beach, CGN-9, aboard the U.S.S. Bigelow, DD-942, aboard the U.S.S. Farragut, DLG-6, aboard the U.S.S. Surfbird, ADG-383, and aboard the U.S.S. Holland, AS-32, of the United States Navy. He also served aboard the U.S.S. Washtenaw County, LST-1166, for a short time during his Korean tour of duty with his brother, Frederick. He is merited with the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal.



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FREDERICK J. BAUMBACH



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## JAMES D. BAYER, Corporal

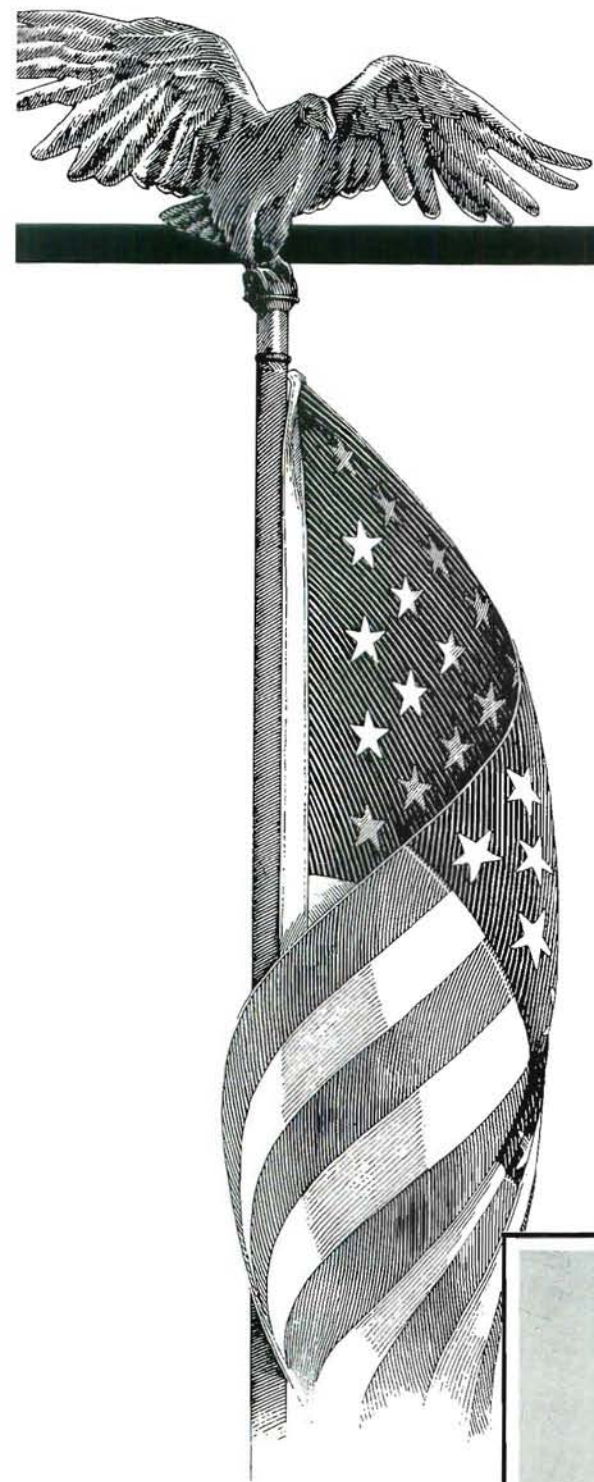
Corporal Bayer served from March of 1952 until 1954 with H Company, 9135th TSU of the United States Army, and was stationed in Alaska and at Fort Lee, Virginia. He was born on July 10, 1931, and resided in Brooklyn, New York, before making his home in Bohemia where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1950 from Manual Training High School, and from Long Island Univeristy in 1958. He earned the National Defense Service Medal while in the Army, and is presently employed as an insurance supervisor.

## OLIN BECHTEL, Corporal

Born on June 18, 1930, and formerly of Central Islip, Mr. Bechtel presently resides in Bay Shore. He served with H Company of the United States Army from September of 1952 until September of 1954, and was stationed at Fort Meade, Maryland, as well as in Pennsylvania and Kentucky. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal as well. A graduate of Bay Shore High School, he is employed as a bayman.

## THOMAS O. BEGLEY, Staff Sergeant

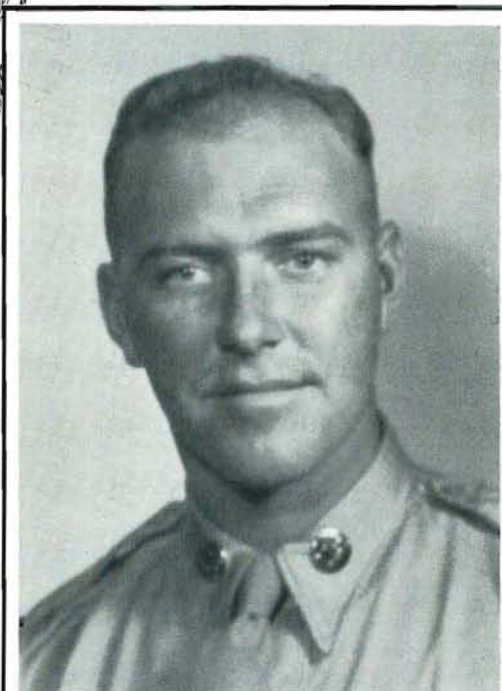
A veteran of Vietnam, and formerly of Memphis, Tennessee, Mr. Begley was born on December 31, 1930, and presently resides in Bay Shore. He served in the United States Air Force from December of 1950 until September of 1972, and was stationed in the Far East, Southeast Asia, North Africa, Europe, and Alaska and is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal.



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JAMES D. BAYER



OLIN BECHTEL



THOMAS O. BEGLEY



DONALD W. BEHRENS, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Originally from New York City, Mr. Behrens settled in Ronkonkoma where he presently resides. He served from October of 1950 until August of 1954 aboard the U.S.S. Turner, DDR-834, and was stationed with the Atlantic Fleet. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, and the Navy Occupation Medal. Born on September 13, 1932, and a 1950 graduate of Chelsea Vocational High School, he is employed as a service engineer.

EDWARD J. BEINTEMA, Corporal

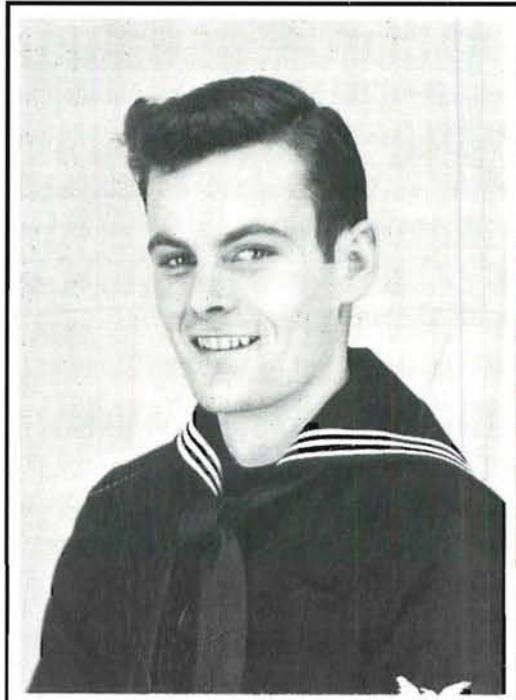
A longtime resident of West Sayville, Mr. Beintema was born on January 20, 1934, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1951, and is employed as a school custodial engineer. He served with the 370th Engineers of the United States Army, from November of 1951 until November of 1954, and was stationed in Greenland and in the Panama Canal Zone.

ALEXANDER R. BELLANDO, Corporal

Originally from New York City, Corporal Bellando served with B Company, 1st Battalion, 1st Marines, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, from January of 1952 until January of 1955. Born on November 14, 1933, he attended George Washington High School, and has been employed in the milk and liquor industries since his discharge from the service. He earned various medals including the Armed Forces Commendation Medal.



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DONALD W. BEHRENS



EDWARD J. BEINTEMA



ALEXANDER R. BELLANDO



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## FRANK K. BELLING, Senior Chief Petty Officer

A Vietnam veteran as well as a Korean veteran, Mr. Belling was born on December 3, 1925, and was graduated from St. Mary's High School in 1943. He served with the U.S. Naval Amphibious Construction Battalion 2, of the United States Navy during his Korean tour of duty. During his Vietnam tour, he served with the U.S. Naval Recruiting Service in New York City, and in Bay Shore, and with the U.S. Naval Construction Battalion Center, Davisville, Rhode Island. His years of service span from May of 1946 until May of 1967, and he is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Antarctic Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. Prior to military service he was a U.S. Merchant Marine, and following his tours of duty, was employed as a Letter Carrier for the United States Postal Service.

## JOSEPH R. BENHAM, Sergeant

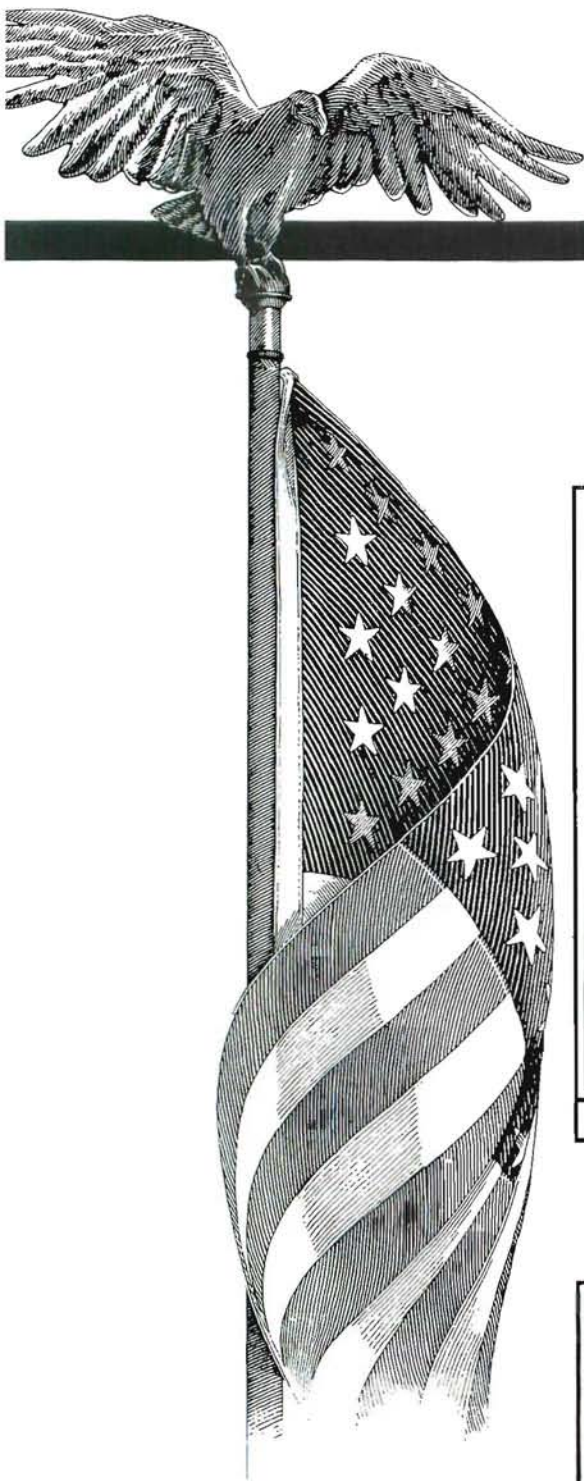
Sergeant Benham served from January of 1951 until January of 1954 with the 151st Combat Engineers of the United States Army, and was stationed in Inchon and Seoul, Korea. He was born on September 23, 1932, and is formerly of Rochester, New York, where he was graduated from Paul Revere Vocational High School in 1950. Presently residing in Bay Shore, he is employed as a Maintenance Mechanic for United Parcel Service. He is merited with the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, and the National Defense Service Medal as well.

## ROBERT A. BERG, Sergeant

Sergeant Berg served from March of 1951 until March of 1954 with C Company, 1st Battalion, 5th Marines, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps. He was stationed for seven months in the Pearl Marine Barracks, 11 months in Korea, and 15 months at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina with the 2nd Marine Division. He was born on February 6, 1933, and was a Huntington resident until he made his home in Islip Terrace where he has resided since 1964. He was graduated from Huntington High School in 1951, received his Bachelor of Science in Education in 1958 from SUNY at Brockport, was graduated from New York University in 1963, and received his Master of Arts degree in 1976 from SUNY at Stony Brook. He has been employed as a teacher for the East Islip School District since 1965, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal as well as a Purple Heart.

## DON BERGMAN, Private

Born on April 30, 1929, and formerly of Richmond Hill, New York, Mr. Bergman settled in Oakdale where he now resides. He was graduated from Richmond Hill High School in 1948, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale for one year. He served from January of 1951 until December of 1952 with the 28th Signal Company, 28th Division of the United States, and was stationed in Germany. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and after the service was employed as an elevator mechanic. He is currently employed as a supervisor for Otis Elevator Company.



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FRANK K. BELLING



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## LAWRENCE J. BERNARD, Staff Sergeant

Originally from Lebanon, Pennsylvania, and presently residing in Bohemia, Mr. Bernard was born on September 18, 1935. He attended Berk's Institute of Technology, Reading, Pennsylvania, for two years, and is presently employed as an executive operations administrator. He served from July of 1954 until July of 1963 with the 2nd Weather Wing at Langley Air Force Base, Virginia, with the 25th Weather Squadron at Donaldson Air Force Base, South Carolina, with the 71st Air Rescue Squadron at Elmendorf Air Force Base, Alaska, with the 7030th Air Base Wing at Mitchell Air Force Base, New York, with Wing Headquarters at Landstuhl, Germany, and in Kaiserlautern and at Ramstein Air Base, Germany. He is merited with the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon, and served with the United States Air Force Air National Guard from 1981 until he resigned in 1983.

## RICHARD BERTHEL, Private 1st Class

Born on June 1, 1933, Mr. Berthel was a resident of Queens, New York, until he settled in Ronkonkoma where he presently resides. He was graduated from East New York Vocational High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1951, and in 1964 from the Institute of Computer Technology. He served with the 7th Infantry Division, 712th Transportation Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Chunchon and Chonan, Korea. Serving from June of 1953 until September of 1955, he earned the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. He has been employed as a machinist since his discharge from the Army.

## ARTHUR BESCHER, Private 1st Class

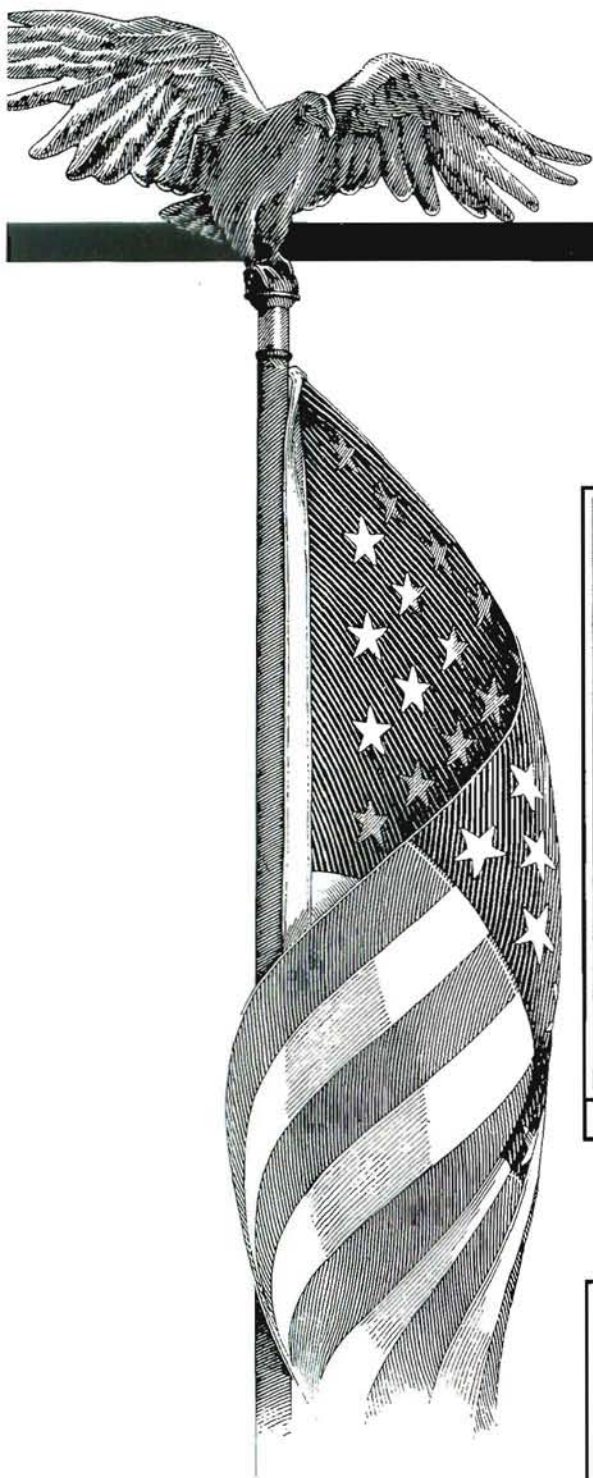
Private Bescher served from August of 1950 until March of 1952 with the 57th QM Sales Company of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly at Fort Lee, Virginia, and is merited with the American Defense Services Medal. Born on March 28, 1932, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1948 from George Westinghouse Vocational High School, and is currently employed as a paper cutter.

## JOHN A. BIAGINI, Staff Sergeant

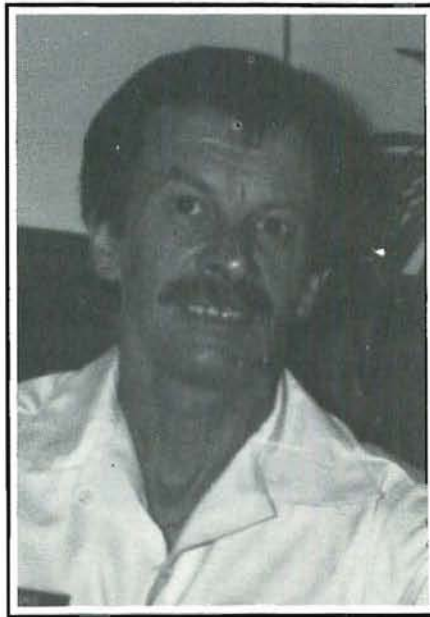
A resident of Brentwood, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Biagini was born on March 22, 1933. He served from 1950 until 1952 with the C Company, 24th Signal Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed principally at Fort Devens, Massachusetts. He attended Alexander Hamilton High School, Brooklyn, and is presently employed as a butcher. He earned the Good Conduct Medal while in the Army. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MERTON W. BICKUM, Corporal

Corporal Bickum served from January of 1952 until April of 1960 with the 3rd Division, 58th Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army. He was stationed mainly at Fort Hood, Texas, and in the Kum Wah Valley, Korea. Born on July 24, 1938, he attended Boys High School, Brooklyn, New York, where he resided until he made his home in Hauppauge. He is presently employed with the United States Postal Service, and earned the Korean Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal during his tour of duty.



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ARTHUR BESCHER



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## PETER H. BIELITZ, Radioman 3rd Class

A resident of Brentwood until he settled in Bayport where he currently resides, Mr. Bielitz was born on January 30, 1933. A 1951 graduate of Bay Shore High School, he was graduated in 1960 from SUNY at Oneonta. He was employed as a school teacher following the service, and is presently a school principal. He served from June of 1951 until June of 1955 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Macon, and was stationed primarily in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

## DANIEL J. BIEN, Corporal

Born on March 12, 1933, and formerly of Ozone Park, New York, Mr. Bien presently resides in Islip Terrace. He served from May of 1953 until May of 1955 with the 450th Ordnance Depot of the United States Army, and was stationed in France and Germany. A 1950 graduate of Bishop Loughlin High School, Brooklyn, New York, he attended SUNY at Farmingdale. Prior to military service he had worked as an electrical assembler, and is currently employed as a bank teller. While in the service, he earned the Good Conduct Medal, as well as the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JUNIUS BLACKWELL, Corporal

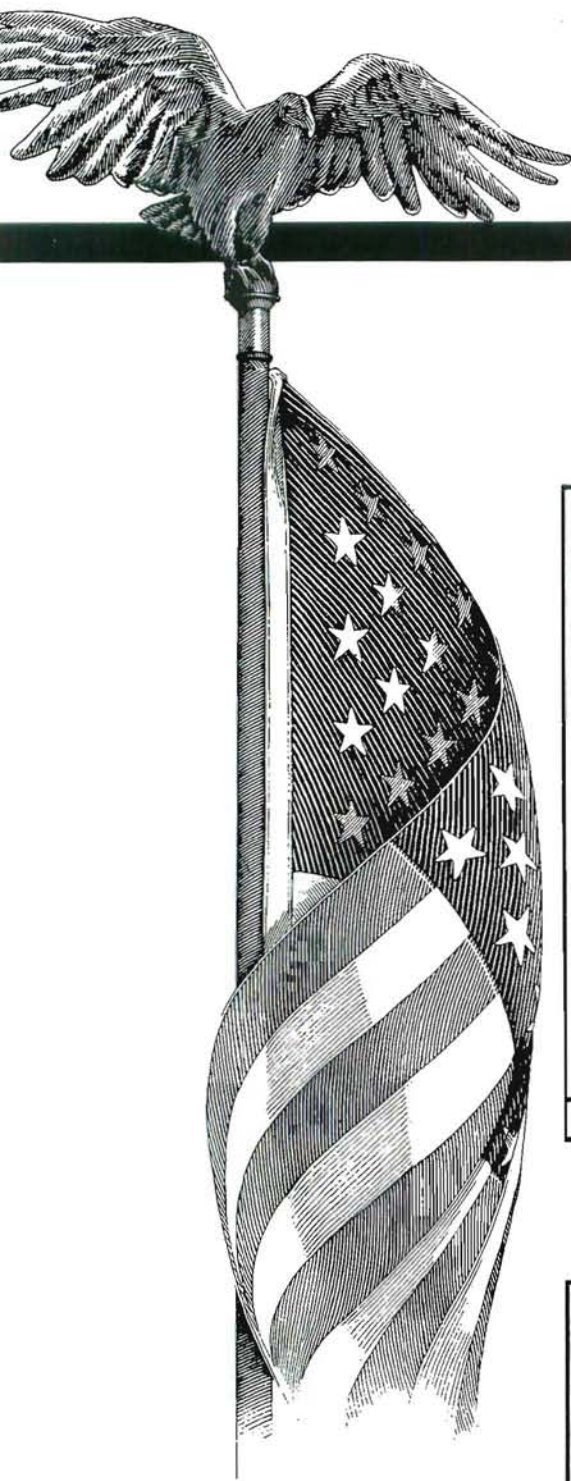
Corporal Blackwell served with D Company, 5th Regimental Combat Team, 25th Division, and 40th Division of the United States Army, from October of 1951 until July of 1953, and was stationed in Korea. Born on October 23, 1930, and formerly of New York City, he settled in Brentwood where he presently resides. He was graduated from New York High School of Aviation Trades in 1947, and following the service was employed as a New York City Correction Officer until he retired. He earned the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the United Nations Service Medal as well.

## FRED BLADYKAS, Photographer 2nd Class

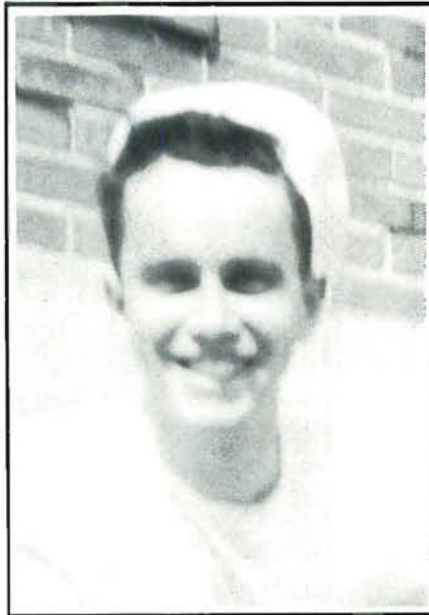
Formerly of Oyster Bay, New York, Mr. Bladykas was born on April 4, 1932, and resides in Hauppauge. He served from June of 1951 until June of 1955 at the United States Photo Center in Washington, D.C. A 1950 graduate of St. Dominic High School, Oyster Bay, he went on to attend classes at Hofstra University and is presently employed as an operating engineer.

## WILLIAM BLAKENEY, Sergeant

Sergeant Blakeney served from 1952 until 1955 with the 3rd Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed principally in the South Pacific. A resident of Lindenhurst, New York, before making his home in Great River where he currently resides, he was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1950, and is employed as a plumber contractor. While in the service he earned the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal as well.



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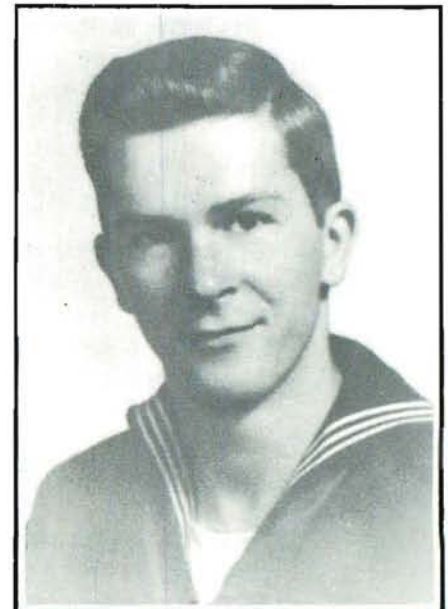
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JUNIUS BLACKWELL



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## ROGER C. BLEIDNER, Staff Sergeant

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Bleidner was born on October 1, 1929. He was graduated from Islip High School in 1947, and received his Bachelor of Science degree in education from Hofstra University in 1957. He went on to receive his Master of Science in elementary administration in 1961, and his Doctorate of Education from Nova University in 1976. He served from December of 1950 until December of 1954 with the 44th Bomb Wing (SAC), of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in California, Louisiana, and the French Morocco. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, as well as the National Defense Service Medal. He is presently employed as a teacher and as principal at Wing Elementary School in Islip.

## GEORGE L. BLISS, JR., Seaman

Seaman Bliss served from 1953 until 1957 aboard the U.S.S. Wilkinson, with the 6th Fleet of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Newport, Rhode Island, as well as in the Suez Canal, in Cuba, Europe, and in the Caribbean Sea. He was born on December 8, 1933, and was a resident of West Babylon until he made his home in West Islip where he presently resides. He attended West Babylon High School and is currently employed as a machinist.

## CLARENCE L. BLOOM, Storekeeper 3rd Class

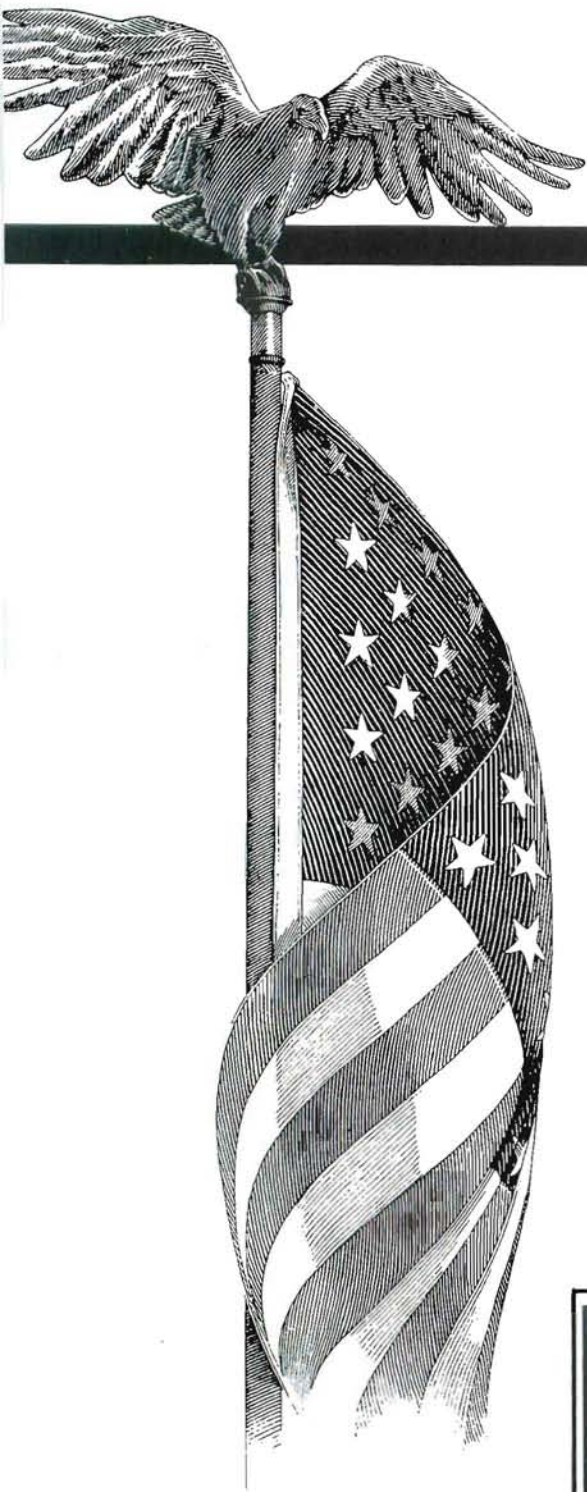
Originally a resident of Charmian, Pennsylvania, Mr. Bloom was born on November 18, 1927, and presently resides in Brentwood. He served aboard the U.S.S. Bradford, DD-545, attached to the Carrier Task Force #77, of the United States Navy from October of 1945 until November of 1952, and has continued serving in the reserves since 1962. A 1945 graduate of Washington Township High School, he attended Storekeeper School while in the Navy. He was graduated in 1954 from New York Technical Institute, and earned the Good Conduct Medal while he was in the Navy.

## GEORGE W. BLUSH, Private 1st Class

Private Blush served with the 514th Troop Carrier Wing, 18th Air Force of the United States Air Force from January of 1951 until January of 1954, and was stationed principally at Mitchel Field. A resident of Brentwood, and formerly of Valley Stream, New York, he was born on April 26, 1931, and was graduated from Valley Stream High School in 1949. He is presently employed as a boat yard worker. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN R. BODNEVICH, Airman 1st Class

Born on September 17, 1933, and originally from New York City, Mr. Bodnevich made his home in Bayport where he presently resides. He was graduated from Stuyvesant High School in 1951, and is currently employed as an air traffic controller. He served from November of 1952 until November of 1956 with the 688th AC&W Squadron (ADC), of the United States Air Force, and was stationed principally at Amarillo Air Force Base, Texas. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal as well as the United Nations, National Defense, and Korean Service Medals. (Photograph unavailable.)



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ROGER C. BLEIDNER



CLARENCE L. BLOOM



GEORGE L. BLISS

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## PHILIP R. BOEHM, Sergeant

A resident of Copiague, New York, until he settled in Bay Shore, Mr. Boehm was born on March 21, 1932. He served from October of 1949 until June of 1958 with the 369th RPL Company, of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea, Japan, as well as at Fort Jay, New York. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He was graduated from St. John's High School, Bronx, New York, and was employed as a Junior Accountant until he passed away on June 27, 1981.

## RICHARD H. BOEHNING, Captain

An Islip resident until he made his home in Mill Spring, North Carolina, where he presently resides, Captain Boehning served with the 61st Troop Carrier Squadron of the United States Air Force from May of 1951 until January of 1953. He was stationed in Ashiya, Japan, and in Seoul, Korea, and earned two Air Medals, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Distinguished Unit Citation, the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the American Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, as well as the United States Air Force Reserve Medal. Born on June 5, 1920, he was graduated from Farmingdale High School, and attended Classes at SUNY at Farmingdale, for two years. He is employed as an aircraft contracts administrator.

## BARRY P. BOICE, Seaman

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Boice was born on September 12, 1931. He attended Bay Shore High School, and went on to serve aboard the U.S.S. Vermilion of the United States Navy from January of 1951 until November of 1954. He was stationed primarily in Greenland, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. He is presently employed as a truck driver.

## PATRICK F. BOLAN, Corporal

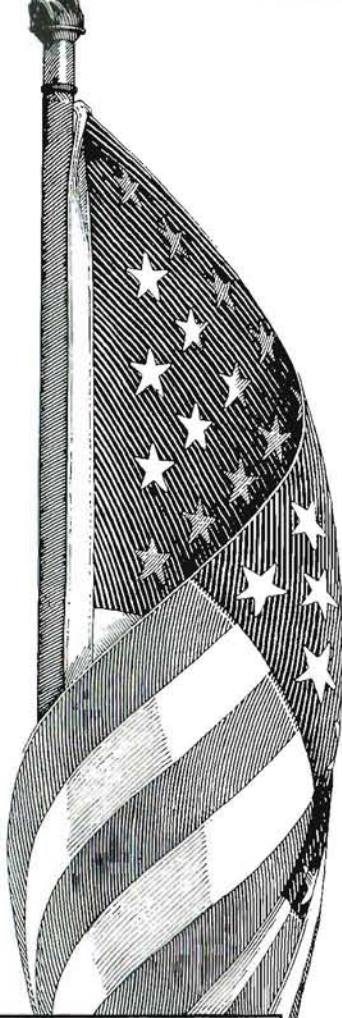
Corporal Bolan served from August of 1948 until August of 1952 with the 553rd Engineer Construction Battalion, and the Army Field Force #1, of the United States Army. He was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, in Guam, as well as in the Pacific, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and a Sharpshooter Badge. He was born on July 24, 1931, and attended Mount Loretto Trades High School, Staten Island, New York, and received his high school equivalency diploma while at Northport Veterans Hospital, Northport, New York. His photograph was taken a few years ago at the American Legion Post in Bay Shore where he is an Honor Guard.

## DONALD R. BOLUM, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Bolum served from 1951 until 1953 with Headquarters Battalion, 300th AFA Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in the Kumsung Valley, Korea. He was born on September 26, 1930, and was graduated in 1948 from DeWitt Clinton High School, in 1954 from RCA Institute, in 1971 from Dowling College, and from C.W. Post in 1977 where he received his Master of Science degree. Originally from the Bronx, New York, he made his home in East Islip, and is presently employed as an Engineering Specialist for New York Telephone Company. He is merited with the Korean, the United Nations, and the National Defense Service Medals, as well as the Presidential Unit Citation, the Republic of Korea Service Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation.



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PHILIP R. BOEHM



RICHARD H. BOEHNING



BARRY P. BOICE



PATRICK F. BOLAN



DONALD R. BOLUM



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## JOSEPH F. BONKOSKI, JR., Private 1st Class

Originally from New Hyde Park, New York, and presently residing in West Sayville, Mr. Bonkoski was born on June 10, 1931. He served from June of 1954 until July of 1956 with the 77th Quartermaster Company of the United States Army, and earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Sharpshooter Badge. He was graduated from Riverhead High School, Riverhead, New York, in 1949, and from Plattsburgh State Teacher's College, Plattsburgh, New York, in 1954. He is presently employed as a teacher.

## THOMAS BOSCARINO, 1st Lieutenant

Born on January 27, 1932, Mr. Boscarino is formerly of the Bronx, New York, and was graduated from Evander Childs High School in the Bronx, in 1950. He attended New York City College from 1950 until 1954, and again from 1956 until 1963. He served with the 1st Army at Governor's Island, of the United States Army from November of 1954 until November of 1956. He is currently employed as a teacher and resides in Islip Terrace. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CATHER "BUD" BOYD, Corporal

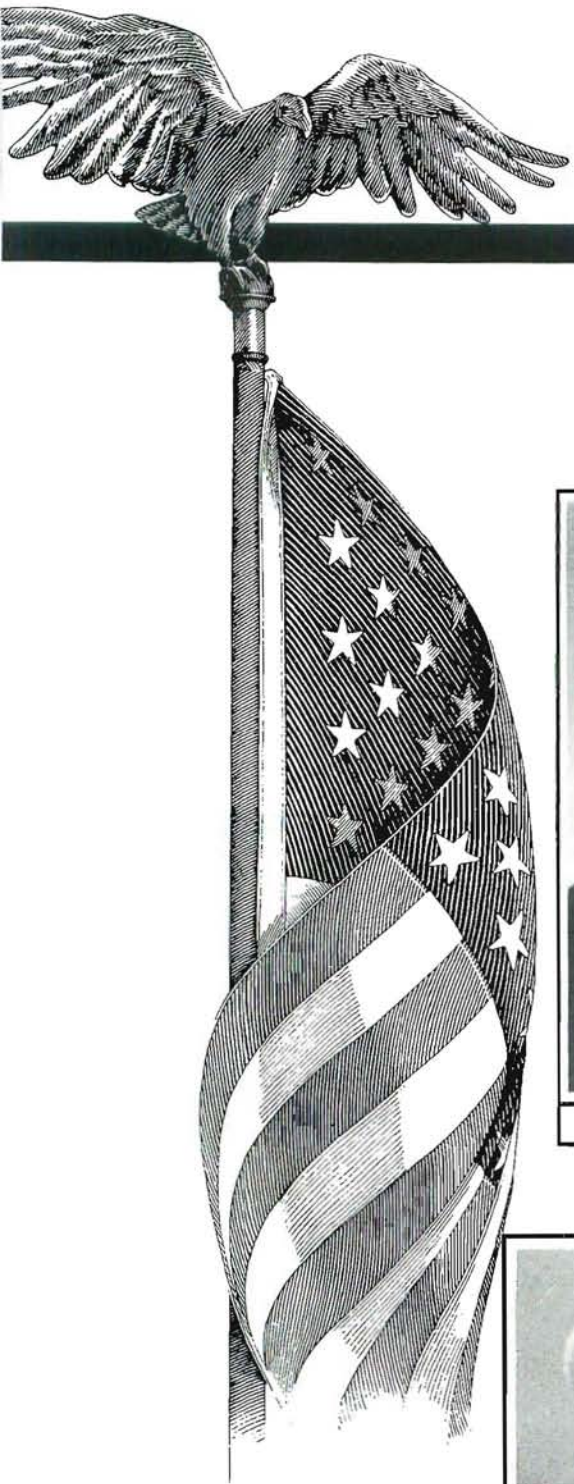
Corporal Boyd served from November of 1948 until September of 1952 with the Parris Island Band, the Camp LeJeune Band, the Quantico Band, and the 1st Marine Division Band of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in South Carolina, Virginia, and in Korea as well. Born on November 12, 1927, and originally from Queens, New York, he has since made his home in Bay Shore. He was graduated from Flushing High School in 1947, from the United States Naval School of Music in 1949, from Juilliard School of Music in 1955, and from Columbia University, Teachers College, in 1957. While in the service he earned the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He is currently employed as a teacher.

## CHESTER BRANDOW, Machinery Repairman 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Brandow was born on January 26, 1936. He was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1953, and served aboard the U.S.S. Hazelwood, DD-531, with the Atlantic Fleet, Destroyer Squadron #22, of the United States Navy, from September of 1953 until January of 1957. He was stationed in the Mediterranean and Caribbean Seas, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. He is presently employed by the Suffolk County Water Authority.

## WILLIAM T. BRAUN, Private 1st Class

Private Braun served from February of 1952 until November of 1953 with the 1814th HQ and HQ Company, 3rd Battalion, 160th Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He was born on January 4, 1930, resided in Brentwood before settling in West Islip where he currently resides, and is employed as a school bus driver for Garden City Public Schools. While in the service he earned the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, and the United Nations Service Medal.



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## PAUL W. BRAUNSTEIN, Lieutenant

Dr. Braunstein was born on May 24, 1925, in Long Island City, and currently resides in Bay Shore. He was graduated from Stuyvesant High School, and studied medicine at Holy Cross College until 1943. He then completed his education at Harvard Medical School in 1947. He served with the United States Naval Hospital of the United States Navy, from November of 1950 until November of 1952, and was stationed in Yononaha, Japan, and in Annapolis, Maryland. He earned the Korean Service Medal and the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. He currently has a medical practice in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RONALD F. BREITFELLER, Airman 2nd Class

Airman Breitfeller served from 1954 until 1958 with the United States Air Force, was stationed at Itazuke Air Force Base, Japan, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Born on January 30, 1936, and originally from the Bronx, New York, he settled in Ronkonkoma where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1953 from Morris High School, Bronx, and is employed as an Allstate Insurance Agent. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN BRENNAN, Signalman 3rd Class

Born on January 22, 1936, Mr. Brennan presently resides in Central Islip and is employed as a maintenance plumber. Formerly of New York City, he served aboard the U.S.S. Boston of the United States Navy, from February of 1954 until February of 1958, and was stationed primarily at Norfolk, Virginia. He attended Central Islip High School, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal.

## THOMAS BRESSINGHAM, Corporal

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Bressingham presently resides in Bay Shore. Born on December 11, 1932, he attended Christopher Columbus High School in the Bronx, and received his high school equivalency diploma while in the service. Following his discharge he attended the New York City Police Academy, and is employed as a New York City Police Officer. He served with the 3rd Tank Battalion, 3rd Marine Division, F.M.F., of the United States Marine Corps, from May of 1951 until April of 1954, and earned the Good Conduct Medal.

## JACK R. BREWSTER, Machinist Mate 3rd Class

A resident of Hauppauge, and originally from Franklin Square, New York, Mr. Brewster was born on May 11, 1935. He served aboard the U.S.S. Keppler, DDE-765, of the United States Navy, from 1953 until 1957, and was stationed mainly in Newport, Rhode Island. He is presently employed as a stationary engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)



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JOHN BRENNAN



THOMAS BRESSINGHAM



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## FRANK H. BRISCOE, Specialist 5th Class

Originally a resident of Central Islip, Mr. Briscoe has since made his home in Bay Shore. Born on November 15, 1930, he attended Central Islip High School. He served with the 45th Infantry Division, 179th Regiment, H Company of the United States Army from October of 1951 until October of 1953, and was stationed chiefly in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. He is employed by the Suffolk County Department of Public Works. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD W. BROOKS, Corporal

Corporal Brooks served from 1950 until 1954 with H Company, 40th Infantry Division, 223rd Infantry Regiment of the United States Army. Born on October 28, 1929, he was graduated from Samuel Gompers High School, Bronx, New York, in 1949. Formerly of the Bronx, he made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN P. BROPHY, 2nd Lieutenant

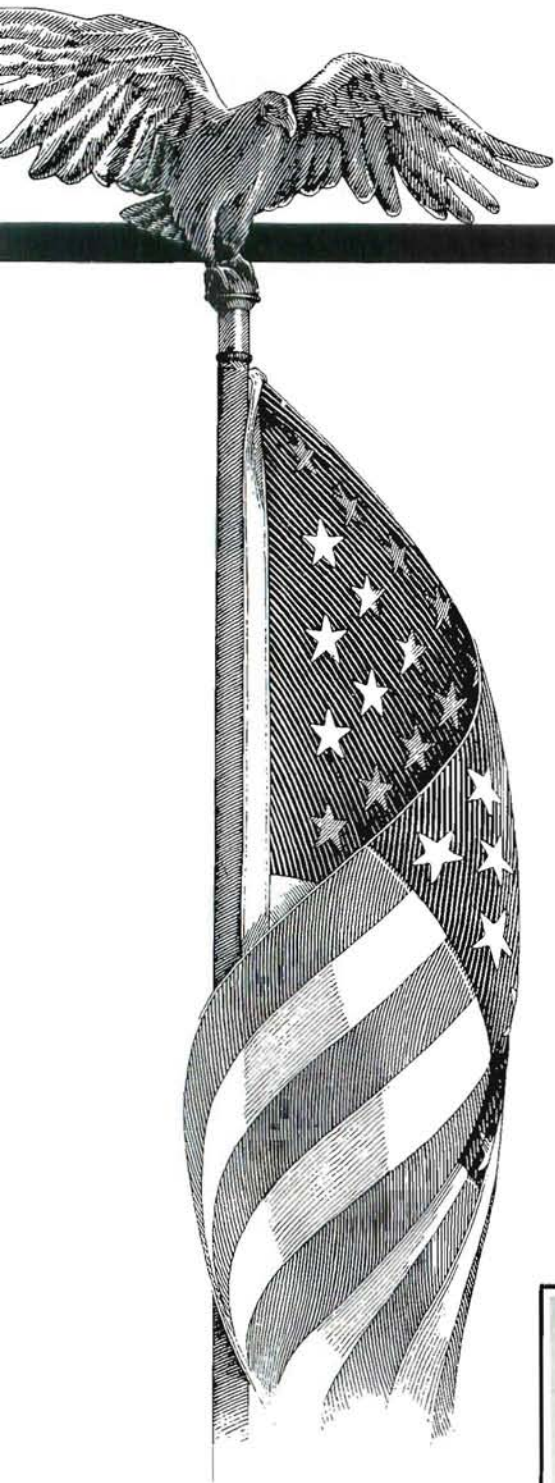
Born on October 22, 1932, and originally from Lynbrook, New York, Mr. Brophy settled in West Islip where he presently resides. He served from August of 1951 until December of 1953 with G Company, 179th Infantry Regiment, 45th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, at Fort Benning, Georgia, and at Camp Drum, New York, as well as in Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge and the Bronze Star Medal. A 1950 graduate of Lynbrook High School, Lynbrook, and a 1958 graduate of Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, he is employed as a construction estimator.

## WILLIAM D. BROTHERTON, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Brotherton served with the 3rd "Can Do" Division of the United States Army from 1951 until 1953, and was stationed mainly in the Iron Triangle. Formerly of Queens Village, he was born on January 12, 1929, and was graduated from high school in 1947, and in 1951 from Fordham University. He is merited with the Bronze Star Medal and the Combat Infantry Badge. He resides in Bay Shore, and was Comptroller for the Town of Islip from 1972 until 1980, and then Deputy County Executive for Finance for Suffolk County until he retired in December of 1984.

## EDWARD A. BROWER, Technical Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Brower was born on February 19, 1920. A 1939 graduate of Bay Shore High School, he went on to graduate from Chillicothe Business College in 1943. He served with the 514th Supply Squadron of the United States Air Force, from May of 1951 until July of 1952, and was stationed primarily at Mitchel Air Force Base. He has worked as an accountant and as a comptroller following his discharge, and is presently employed as Deputy Chief Property Officer with the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development.



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JOHN P. BROPHY



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## KIRK R. BRYSON, 3rd Class Gunners Mate

Presently residing in Holbrook, and formerly of Queens, New York, Mr. Bryson was born on June 12, 1933, and was graduated from Newtown High School in 1950. He served from June of 1950 until April of 1954 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. LSMR-536. His tour of duty included Illinois, Virginia, California, Japan, and Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the United Nations Service Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. After the service he was employed in law enforcement until he retired.

## JOSEPH B. BUBLA, Corporal

Corporal Bublа served from May of 1953 until May of 1955 with the Headquarters of the 3rd Infantry Regiment, E Company of the United States Army, and with the Honor Guard Unit, Washington, D.C. Born on August 28, 1933, he was a longtime resident of East Islip. He was graduated from East Islip High School in 1951, attended Hofstra University for one year, and he was employed as an import executive after the service. He passed away on March 27, 1983.

## JAMES BUCHHOLZ, Corporal

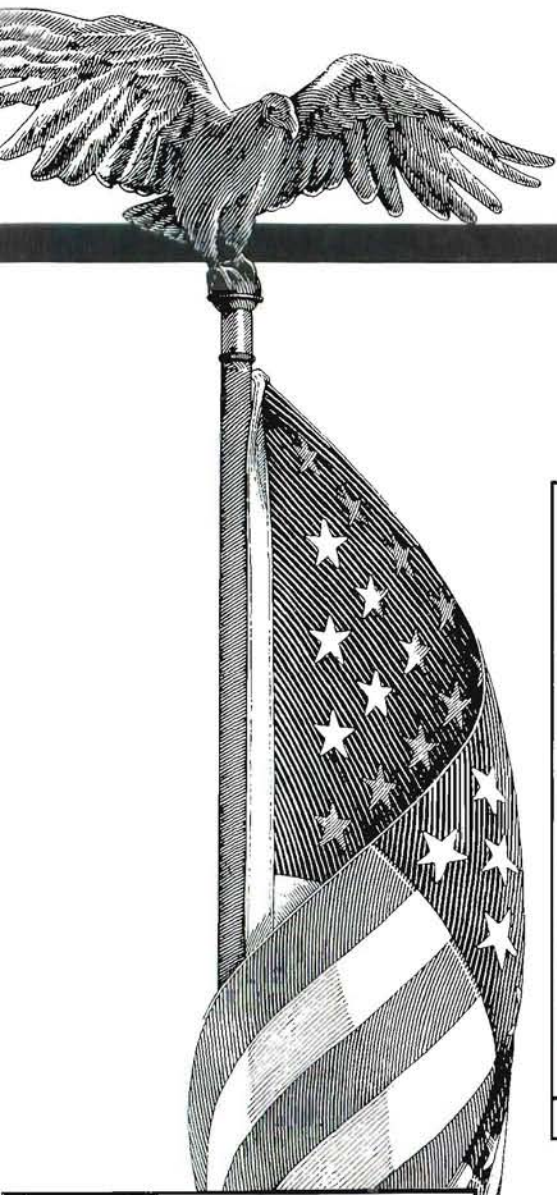
Originally from Floral Park, New York, Mr. Buchholz made his home in Islip where he presently resides. Born on March 8, 1932, he was graduated from Richmond Hill High School in 1950. He served with H Company, 1st Battalion, 224th Infantry Regiment, 40th Division of the United States Army from October of 1952 until October of 1954, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, Fort Devens, Massachusetts, and in Korea. He earned the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the National Defense Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Overseas Ribbon. He is presently employed as a carpenter.

## CHARLES W. BUCKLEY, Sergeant

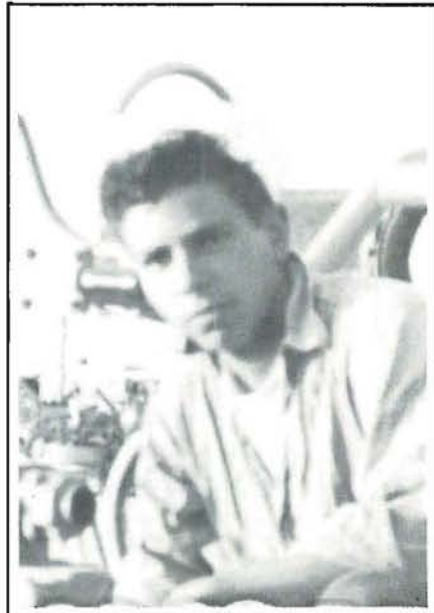
Sergeant Buckley served from November of 1951 until October of 1951 with the AUS Artillery, A Battery, 3rd AAA AW Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in Inchon and Pusan, Korea. Born on February 21, 1931, and originally from Ozone Park, New York, he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated from John Adams High School, Ozone Park, and is employed as a truck driver. While in the service he earned the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the United Nations Service Medal, and a Purple Heart.

## JAMES E. BURKE, Boiler Tender 3rd Class

Born on November 28, 1929, Mr. Burke was a resident of Brooklyn, New York, before settling in Bay Shore. He attended Power Memorial High School, New York, and Boys High School, Brooklyn. He served aboard the U.S.S. Leyte, CV-32, of the United States Navy, was stationed in the Mediterranean Sea and in the Pacific Ocean, from November of 1948 until October of 1952, and earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the Korean Service Medal. He is employed as a Telephone Representative for Brooklyn Union and Gas Company.



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## WILLIAM BURKE, Aviation Machinist Mate 2nd Class

A 1947 graduate of Central Islip High School, and a longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Burke was born on October 10, 1929. He served with the All Weather Fleet Training Unit of the United States Navy from February of 1949 until February of 1953, and was stationed chiefly in Key West, Florida. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, and at present, is employed as an insurance representative. (Photograph unavailable.)

## LYNN E. BUTCHER, Sergeant

Sergeant Butcher served with the 1st Infantry Division, 2nd Infantry Division, and the 6th Infantry Division of the United States Army from May of 1938 until December of 1962, and was stationed mainly at Fort Devens, Massachusetts. Formerly of New York City, and presently residing in Bay Shore, he was born on May 27, 1920, and attended Upsher County High School, West Virginia. He earned a Purple Heart while in the service, and is currently employed as a chef and also in autobody repairing and painting. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM J. BYRNE, Corporal

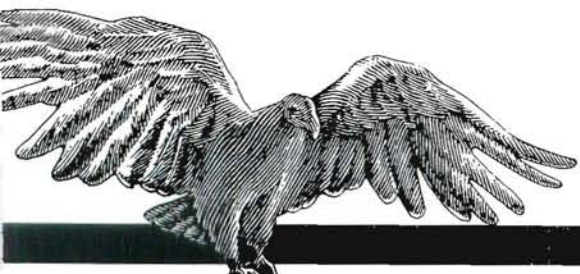
Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Byrne was born on June 21, 1930, and resides in West Islip. He served with the 2nd Engineers Special Brigade of the United States Army from July of 1947 until April of 1952, and was stationed in New Jersey, California, Washington, Japan, and Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, and the Korean Service Medal with five Bronze Service Stars.

## STEPHEN A. BYRNES, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Byrnes served from October of 1947 until October of 1951 with the United States Army Air Corps, and was stationed in Japan and Korea. A resident of Bohemia, and formerly of West Babylon, he was graduated from Babylon High School in 1947. Born on May 13, 1930, he was employed as a truck driver following the service, and is presently employed as a service technician.

## RICHARD J. BYRON, Builder 3rd Class

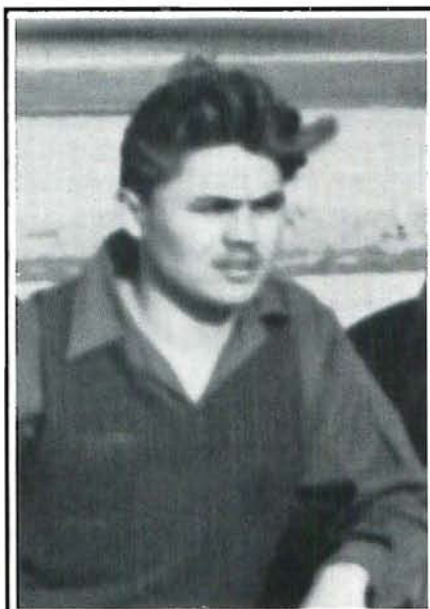
Born on February 4, 1928, Mr. Byron is a resident of Bohemia, and is formerly of Richmond Hill, New York. He was graduated from Brooklyn Academy, Brooklyn, New York, in 1946, in 1947 from New York Trade School, and from Builder School, Port Hueneme, California, in 1949. He served with the Mobile Construction #3, of the United States Navy Seabees from July of 1948 until July of 1952, and was stationed in Guam, Japan, and in Korea. He is presently employed as a builder and as a licensed real estate broker.



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WILLIAM J. BYRNE



STEPHEN A. BYRNES



RICHARD J. BYRON



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## ANTHONY CAFARO, Constructionman

Originally a resident of Westbury, New York, Mr. Cafaro was born on September 4, 1927, and has settled in Bay Shore. He served with the Construction Battalion Maintenance Unit #1 of the United States Navy Seabees from November of 1952 until August of 1954, and was stationed in Korea. He is employed by the State of New York. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD CALI, Corporal

Corporal Cali served with the 804th Station Hospital of the United States Army from March of 1953 until March of 1955, and was stationed mainly at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, and in Munchweiler, Germany. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Currently, he is employed as a teacher. Formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Cali was born on January 16, 1930, and presently resides in West Islip. He was graduated from William Howard Taft High School, Bronx, in 1948, received his Bachelor of Science degree from New York University in 1951, and in 1953 received his Master of Arts degree, also from New York University.

## JOHN J. CALLIES, Gunnery Sergeant

A resident of Ozone Park, New York, before making his home in Islip Terrace, Mr. Callies was born on April 7, 1934, and attended Bishop Loughlin High School. He served from February of 1951 until June of 1958 with H & S Company, 1st Shore Parting Battalion, 1st Marine Division and with C Company, 1st Amphibion Tractor Battalion, 1st Marine Division, of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed mainly in Korea. He earned the Korean Presidential Unit Commendation, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense, United Nations, and Korean Service Medals. He is employed as a manager of a moving and storage company.

## RICHARD A. CALVERT, Corporal

A resident of West Islip, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Corporal Calvert served with H Company, Headquarters Battalion, 2nd Marine Division of the United States Army from 1951 until 1953, and was stationed principally at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. Born on May 13, 1931, he was graduated from East New York Vocational High School in 1949, and is presently employed as a police officer.

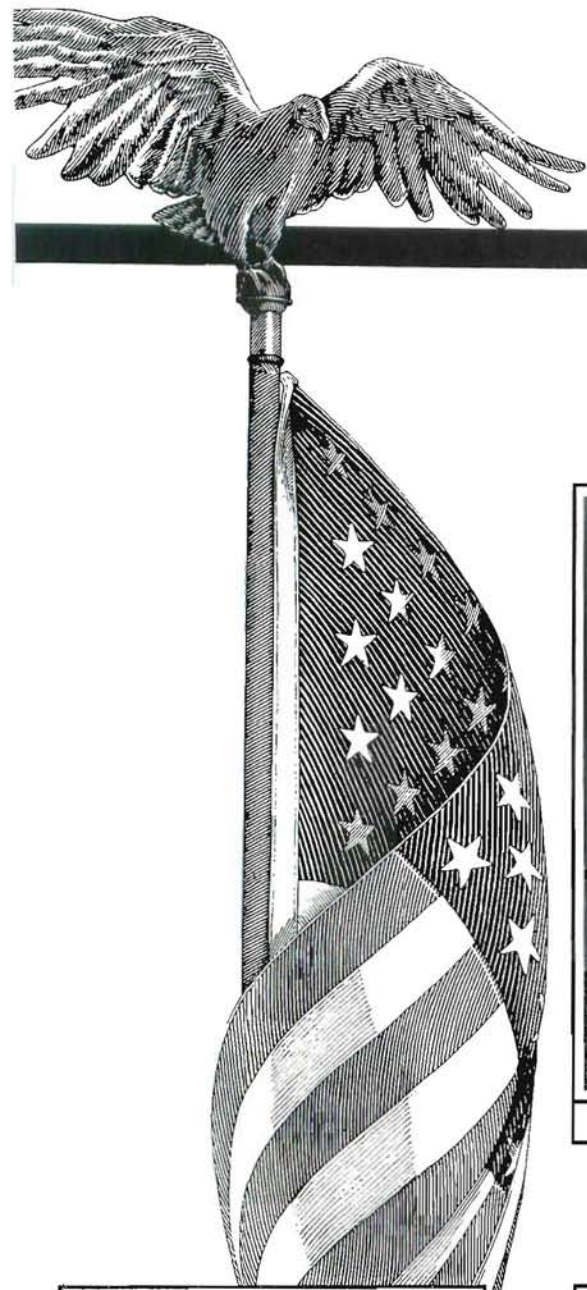
## TAUMATURGO CAMPOS, Corporal

Born on November 17, 1927, Mr. Campos was a resident of New York City until he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He served with C Company, 8th Cavalry Regiment, of the United States Army from January of 1953 until January of 1955, and was stationed mainly in Japan.

## PAT CANTALINO, Sergeant

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Cantalino was born on June 24, 1929. He served from 1952 until 1954 with 43rd Infantry Battalion, 8th Army of the United States Army, and was stationed in South Carolina. He attended New York School of Industrial Arts from 1944 until 1948, and is presently employed as an electronics supervisor.

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## GERALD P. CAPASSO, Private 1st Class

Private Capasso served with C Company, 76th Engineer Construction Battalion, 2nd Group Engineer of the United States Army from June of 1953 until May of 1955, and was stationed in Young DOUNG PO and Seoul, Korea. Formerly of Elmont, New York, and currently residing in Holbrook, he attended Sewanhaka High School, and is employed as a custodial engineer. While in the service he earned the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well.

## FREDERICK A. CAPPELLETTI, Petty Officer 1st Class

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Cappelletti was born on March 10, 1929. A Vietnam veteran as well, he served with Destroyers DD-823, DD-776, DD-692, DD-758, ARL-30, AR-6, AS-34, APD-54, TF-117, and RPD-54, of the United States Navy from 1947 until 1952, and then from 1959 until 1974. A 1946 graduate of Central Islip High School, he is currently employed as an electronics technician. He earned many awards, including the Navy European Occupation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Navy Commendation Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Combat Action Ribbon, and the Vietnamese Medal of Valor.

## NUNZIO S. CAPUTO, Specialist 3rd Class

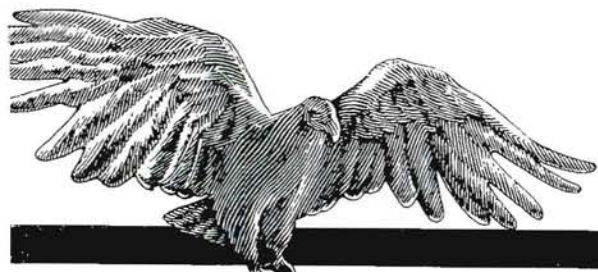
A Ronkonkoma resident for many years, Mr. Caputo was born on October 21, 1937, and is currently employed as a baker. He served from January of 1955 until November of 1957 with the 2nd Armored Division, 124th Armored Ordnance Battalion, A Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal.

## SANTO J. CARI, Airman 1st Class

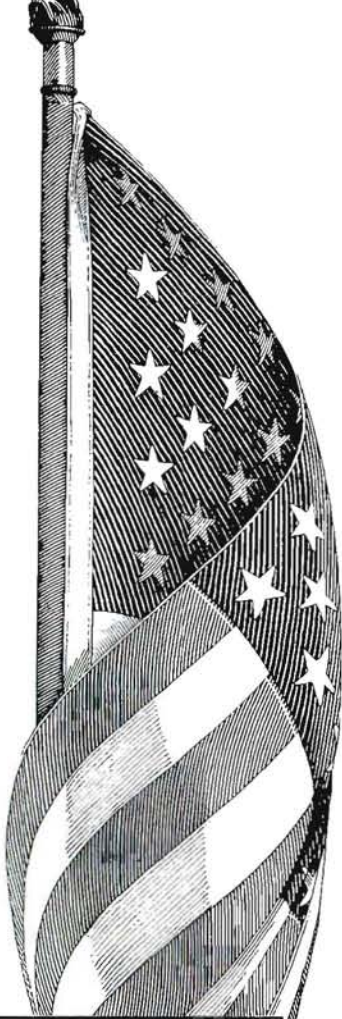
Born on July 8, 1933, and originally from New York City, Mr. Cari resides in Hauppauge. He served from June of 1951 until June of 1955 with the 65th Fighter Interceptor Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed primarily in Alaska. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. A 1951 graduate of Harren High School, New York, he is presently employed as a wholesale manager.

## SAM J. CARIO, Sergeant

Sergeant Cario served with the 2nd Marine Division (Air Wing), of the United States Marine Corps from November of 1951 until November of 1953. He was stationed at Cherry Point, North Carolina, Jacksonville, Florida, and in Santa Ana, California. He was born on October 15, 1930, and resided in Merrick, New York, until he settled in Sayville where he presently resides. He was graduated from W.C. Mepham High School in 1948, received his Bachelor of Science degree in 1955 from Cortland State University, Teachers College, and his Master of Science degree in 1958, also from Cortland. He attended Florida State University for one year, and is currently employed as a high school teacher and wrestling coach. While in the service he earned the National Defense Service Medal and the Sharpshooter Badge as well.



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GERALD P. CAPASSO



FREDERICK A. CAPPELLETTI



SAM J. CARIO



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## HERBERT M. CARLSON, Sergeant

Formerly of Brentwood, Mr. Carlson was born on January 19, 1936, and currently resides in West Islip. He served from January of 1953 until January of 1956 with the 424th Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, as well as the United Nations Service Medal. He attended Bay Shore High School and is presently employed in the Machine Shop of Republic Aviation.

## JOHN T. CARLSON, Boatswain Mate/Gunners Mate 2nd Class

A resident of East Islip, and formerly of Levittown, New York, Mr. Carlson was born on May 31, 1925. He served aboard the U.S.S. Calvert, PA-32, of the United States Navy from 1950 until 1952, and was stationed mainly in Japan and in Korea. A veteran of World War II, and a 1942 graduate of Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades, he is presently employed as a salesman. While in the Navy he earned the Korean Service Medal.

## GEORGE CARMELITANO, Airman 2nd Class

Originally from Astoria, New York, Mr. Carmelitano was born on February 8, 1932, and resides in Bay Shore. A 1949 graduate of William Cullen Bryant High School, he served with the 319th Fighter Interceptor Squadron of the United States Air Force from January of 1952 until December of 1955, and was stationed in Japan and in Korea. He is presently employed as a lithographer, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well.

## JAMES CARMONA, Sergeant

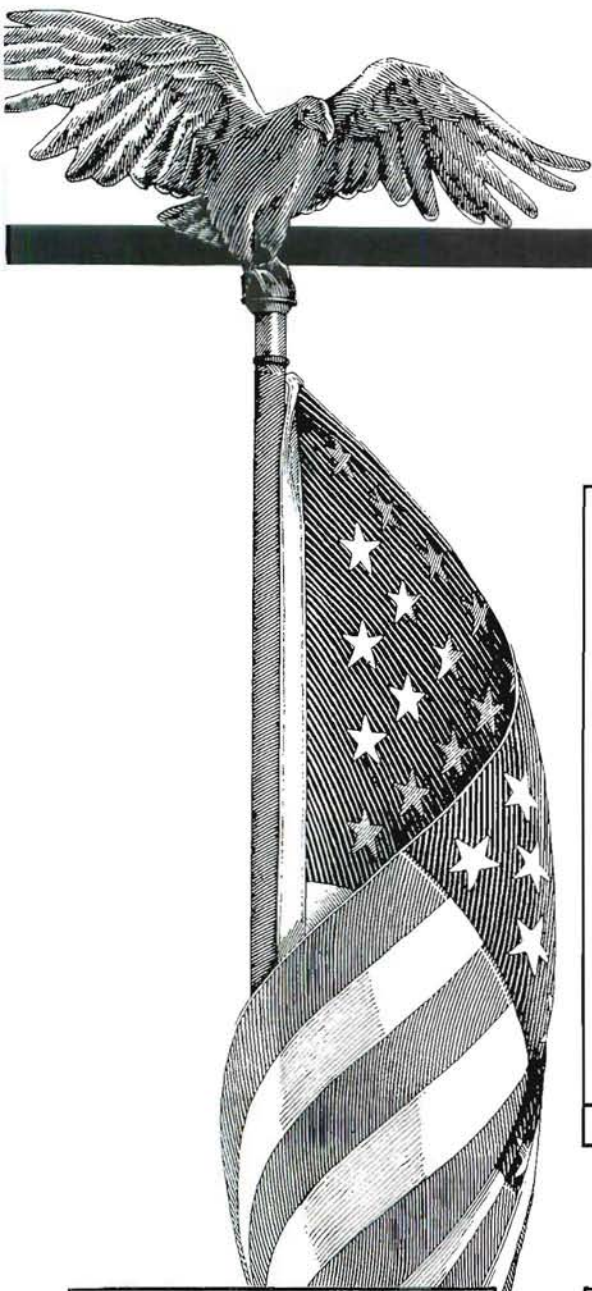
A longtime resident of Central Islip, Sergeant Carmona served with the 11th Airborne Division of the United States Army from October of 1946 until October of 1951, and was stationed primarily in Japan and in Korea. He was born on June 18, 1929, and is presently employed by Pilgrim State Hospital. While in the service, he earned the Bronze Star Medal and the Combat Infantry Badge.

## ALBERT F. CARNEY, Corporal

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Holbrook, Mr. Carney was born on December 26, 1930. He served from October of 1951 until October of 1953 with the Headquarters Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly at Eileson Air Force Base, Alaska. A 1948 graduate of Eastern District High School, Brooklyn, he received his Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration from Empire State College in 1979. He is employed as an Assistant Real Estate Agent for the Suffolk County Department of Real Estate.

## ALBERT J. CARON, Corporal

Born on August 3, 1932, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Caron made his home in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He served from January of 1953 until October of 1954 with H and Q Company, 64th Tank Battalion, 40th Division, 25th Division, and the 3rd Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)



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HERBERT M. CARLSON



JOHN T. CARLSON



GEORGE CARMELITANO



JAMES CARMONA



ALBERT F. CARNEY

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## THOMAS CARRETTA, Airman 1st Class

Presently residing in Bayport, and formerly of West Islip, Mr. Carretta was born on April 25, 1934. A 1952 graduate of Babylon High School, he attended Hofstra University and is currently employed as a sales representative. He served with the 22nd Crash Rescue Boat Squadron of the United States Air Force from March of 1953 until March of 1957. He was stationed mainly in Japan, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal.

## DONALD W. CARROLL, Sergeant

Sergeant Carroll served from June of 1951 until June of 1954 with B Battery 2nd AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion, FMF, and with H and S Company, 1st Medical Battalion, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, as well as in Korea. He earned the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on June 21, 1934, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Sayville where he presently resides. He was graduated from James Madison High School in 1951, and from Suffolk County Community College in 1981. He is presently a New York City Firefighter.

## HARRY C. CARROLL, Communications Technician 3rd Class

Originally from Bellmore, New York, Mr. Carroll was born on April 21, 1933, and was graduated from Seton Hall High School in 1951. He served from August of 1951 until July of 1955 with the United States Navy and was stationed mainly in Alaska. He resides in Bayport, and is employed as a chef. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JEROME G. CASCIO, Airman 2nd Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Cascio was born on May 1, 1928, and currently resides in Brentwood. He served with the 3512th Maintenance Squadron of the United States Air Force from September of 1950 until September of 1954, and was stationed mainly at Randolph Field, Texas. He was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades, and is a retired New York City Firefighter. (Photograph unavailable.)

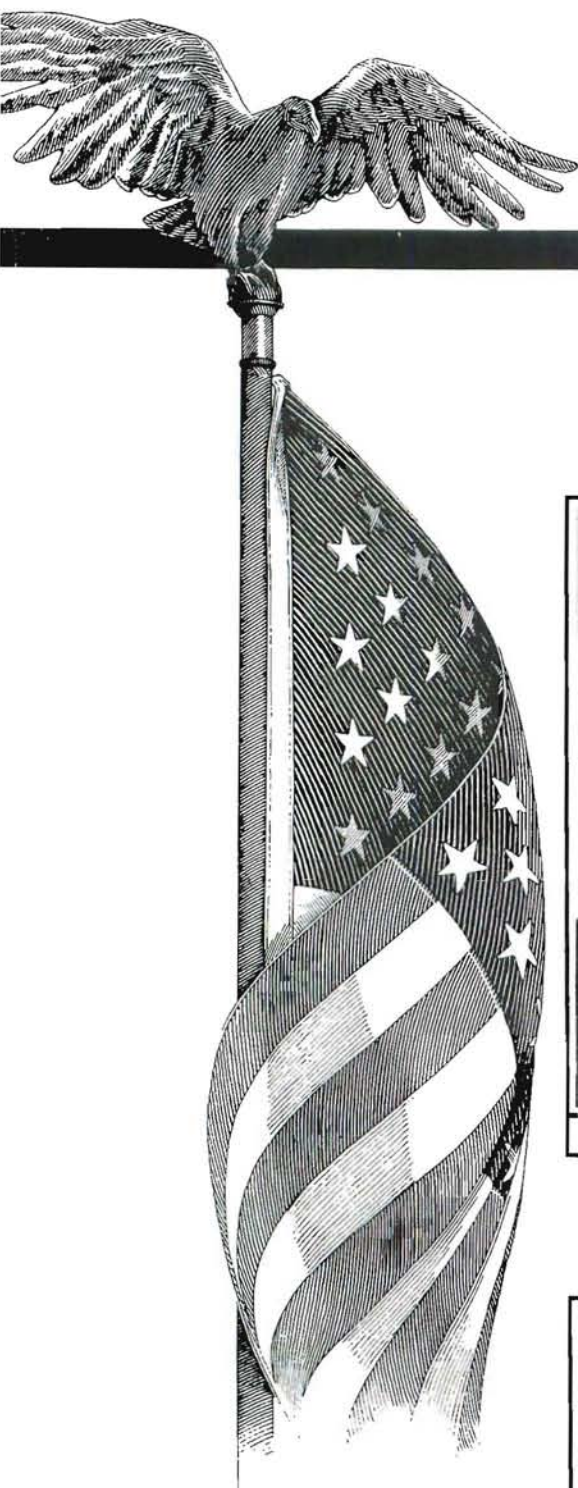
## ANTHONY J. CASTALDY, Seaman/Corporal

Born on February 19, 1935, and originally from Oxford, New York, Mr. Castaldy settled in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated from Oxford Academy in 1954, and from New York Institute of Technology in 1962. He also attended Syracuse University, and New York University and is currently employed in marketing and sales. He served as a seaman in the United States Navy, and as a corporal in the United States Marine Corps, from 1954 until 1958.

## VINCENZO CASTILLETTI, Private

Private Castilletti served with the 5657th Detachment Medical Group, 8th Evacuation Hospital of the United States Army from May of 1951 until May of 1953. He was stationed chiefly in Germany and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. He is presently employed as a clothing manufacturer. Born on May 5, 1926, he resided in West Islip at the time he served and has since made his home in Bayport.

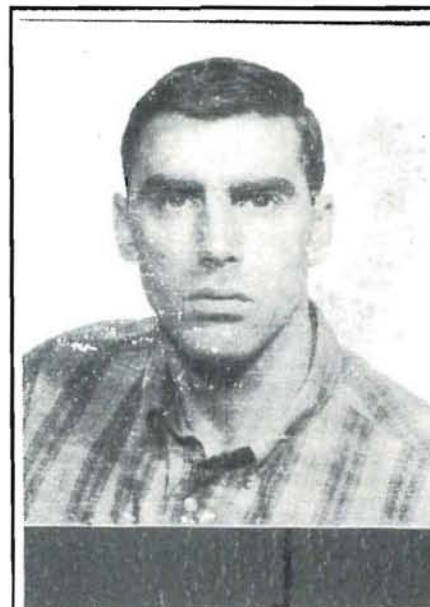
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DONALD W. CARROLL



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FREDERICK F. CATTELL, Boilerman/Petty Officer 2nd Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Cattell was born on June 30, 1931. He was graduated from Bay Shore High School and is presently employed by the Long Island Lighting Company. He served from August of 1951 until August of 1955 aboard the U.S.S. Albany, CA-123, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia, and in the Mediterranean Sea. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the European Occupation Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal.

A. JOHN CAVALIER, Major

Originally from Park Forest, Illinois, Mr. Cavalier was born on February 18, 1917, and currently resides in East Islip. A 1936 graduate of Flushing High School, Flushing, New York, he went on to graduate from Columbia University, School of Pharmacy, in 1939. He served with the 329th Hospital Training Unit of the United States Army from March of 1951 until March of 1953, and was stationed in Germany. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and is presently employed as a market researcher of pharmaceuticals. He is also a veteran of World War II. (Photograph unavailable.)

KENNETH R. CAVENY, Corporal

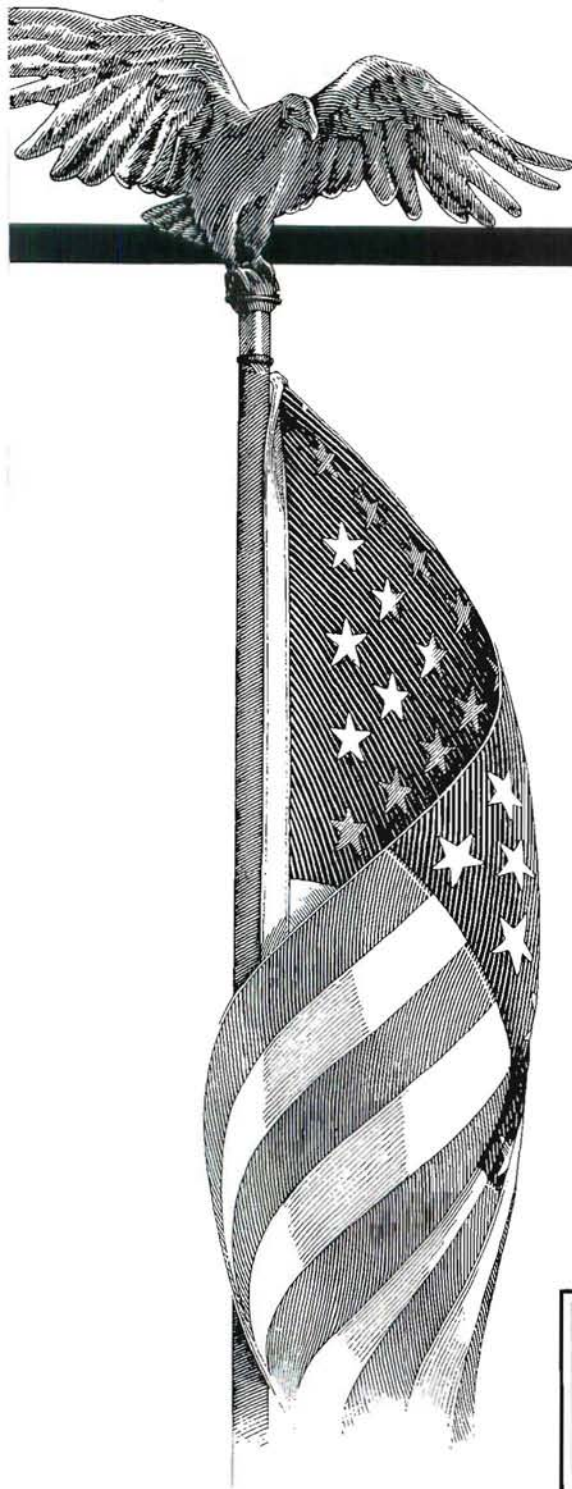
A resident of Central Islip, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Corporal Caveny served with the Overhaul and Repair Squadron of the United States Marine Corps from June of 1953 until December of 1957, and was stationed mainly at Cherry Point, North Carolina. He was born on April 27, 1936, and was graduated from Midwood High School, Brooklyn, in 1953, and in 1970 from SUNY at Farmingdale, and is presently employed as a wire lather. (Photograph unavailable.)

FRANK CAYEA, Corporal

Corporal Cayea served with the 14th Engineer Battalion, Group #36, and with the 4009th Service Unit of the United States Army from April of 1954 until April of 1957. He was stationed primarily in Korea and at Fort Polk, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Formerly of Queens, New York, and currently residing in Brentwood, he was born on February 15, 1936. He was graduated from Queens Vocational High School in 1953, and attended New York Technical College where he studied political science for two years. He is presently employed as a New York City Police Detective.

STEVE CELESTE, Corporal

Born on September 30, 1929, Mr. Celeste was graduated from New York Vocational High School, and attended New York City College and New York Institute of Technology. He served primarily in Korea from 1951 until 1953 with the 101st Signal Corps Battalion, Auto Pool of the United States Army. He received the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Originally from East Meadow, New York, he made his home in Bohemia where he presently resides. He is currently employed as an automotive teacher with BOCES II.



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FREDERICK F. CATTELL



FRANK CAYEA



STEVE CELESTE

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## JOSEPH J. CERVENKA, Able Bodied Electrician 1st Class

A longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. Cervenka was born on March 23, 1935. He served in Texas, New Jersey, and in Cuba, from November of 1952 until November of 1972 aboard the U.S.S. Randolph, CVS-15, and aboard the U.S.S. America, CVA-66, of the United States Navy. A Vietnam veteran as well, he is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. He attended the East Islip Schools from 1941 until 1951, and received his high school equivalency diploma in 1953 while in the service. He is presently employed as a truck driver.

## ALLAN D. CHANDLER, Corporal

Formerly of Oceanside, New York, and currently residing in West Islip, Private Chandler served aboard the U.S.S. Mississippi, EAG-128, of the United States Navy from January of 1951 until November of 1954. He was born on August 30, 1929, attended schools in Oceanside, and is presently employed in building maintenance. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK CHANDLER, Corporal

Corporal Chandler served from March of 1953 until March of 1957 with D Company, 1st Battalion, 3rd Marine Division, and with Headquarters Battalion, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in California, Japan, and in Korea. He was born on June 10, 1933, was graduated from Jamaica High School, Jamaica, New York, in 1952, and is presently employed as a receiving clerk. While in the service he earned the Marine Division Award.

## MICHAEL C. CHARRON, Corporal

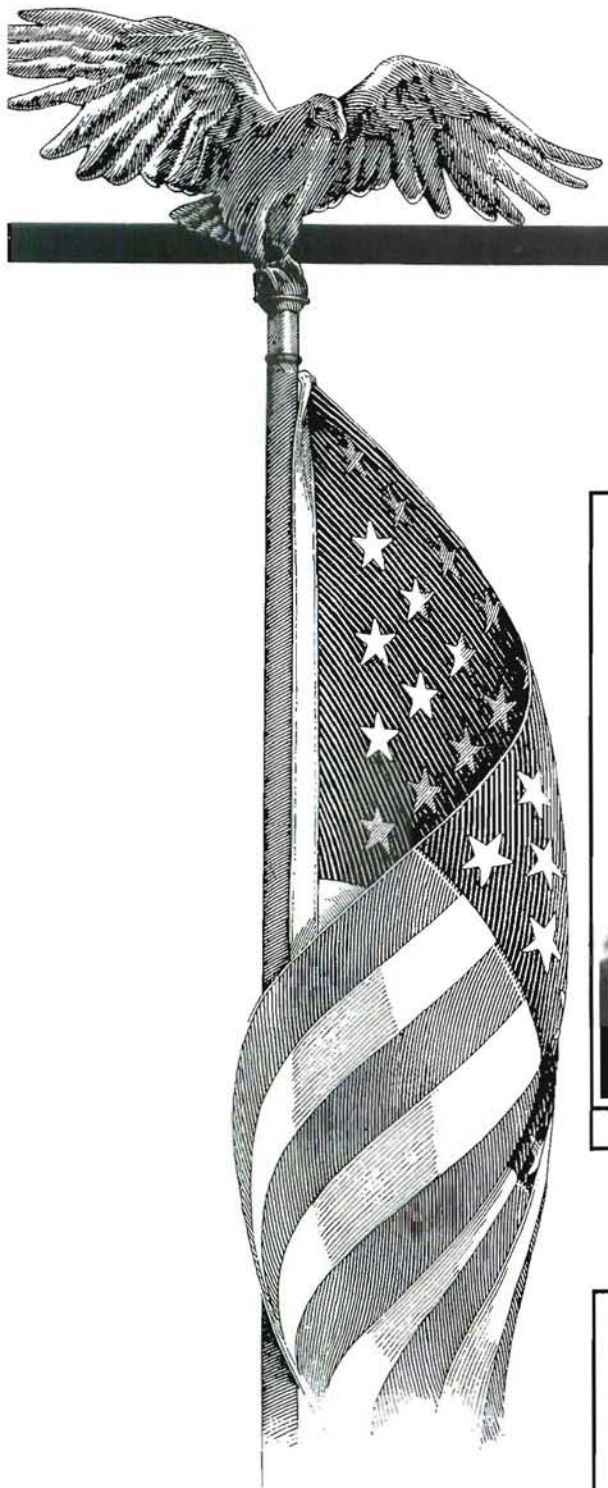
Corporal Charron served with the Infantry Transportation Corps of the United States Army from March of 1953 until February of 1955 and was stationed mainly in Korea. Born on November 17, 1932, he is a resident of West Islip, and is formerly of Brooklyn, New York, where he attended East New York Vocational High School. He is presently employed as a New York City Firefighter, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GERARD CHARTIER, Specialist 3rd Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Chartier was born on June 5, 1935. He was graduated from Erasmus Hall High School, Brooklyn, and received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1968 from Hofstra University, and his Master of Science degree from C.W. Post College in 1972. He served from June of 1953 until June of 1956 with the United States Army. He is presently employed as a psychotherapist.

## JOHN CHARUK, Airman 2nd Class

A resident of Islip Terrace, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Charuk was born on October 22, 1928. He was graduated from Franklin K. Lane High School in 1947, and served with the 648th AC & W Squadron of the United States Air Force from December of 1950 until August of 1953 when he received an Honorable Discharge. He was stationed mainly in Pennsylvania.



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GERARD CHARTIER



JOSEPH J. CERVENKA



JOHN CHARUK



FRANK CHANDLER

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## PING CHEN, Private 1st Class

Private Chen served with Battery C, 22nd Field Artillery, 2nd Infantry Division of the United States Army from January of 1955 until December of 1956. Originally from Chicago, Illinois, he made his home in Holbrook where he presently resides. He received his Bachelor of Science degree in electrical engineering from Purdue University, and received his Master of Science degree in electrical engineering from the University of Santa Clara. While in the service he was stationed principally at Fort Lewis, Washington, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. He is presently employed as an electronics engineer.

## JOHN W. CHERVENY, Captain

Formerly of Islip, and currently residing in Oakdale, Captain Cherveney served with the Counter Intelligence Corps (CIC), Region IV, of the United States Navy from June of 1951 until May of 1953, and was stationed primarily in Europe. Born on June 5, 1930, he was graduated from Islip High School in 1950, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale. He is presently employed as a Deputy Director for Fairchild Republic Company.

## ANTONIO CHEVALIER, Private 1st Class

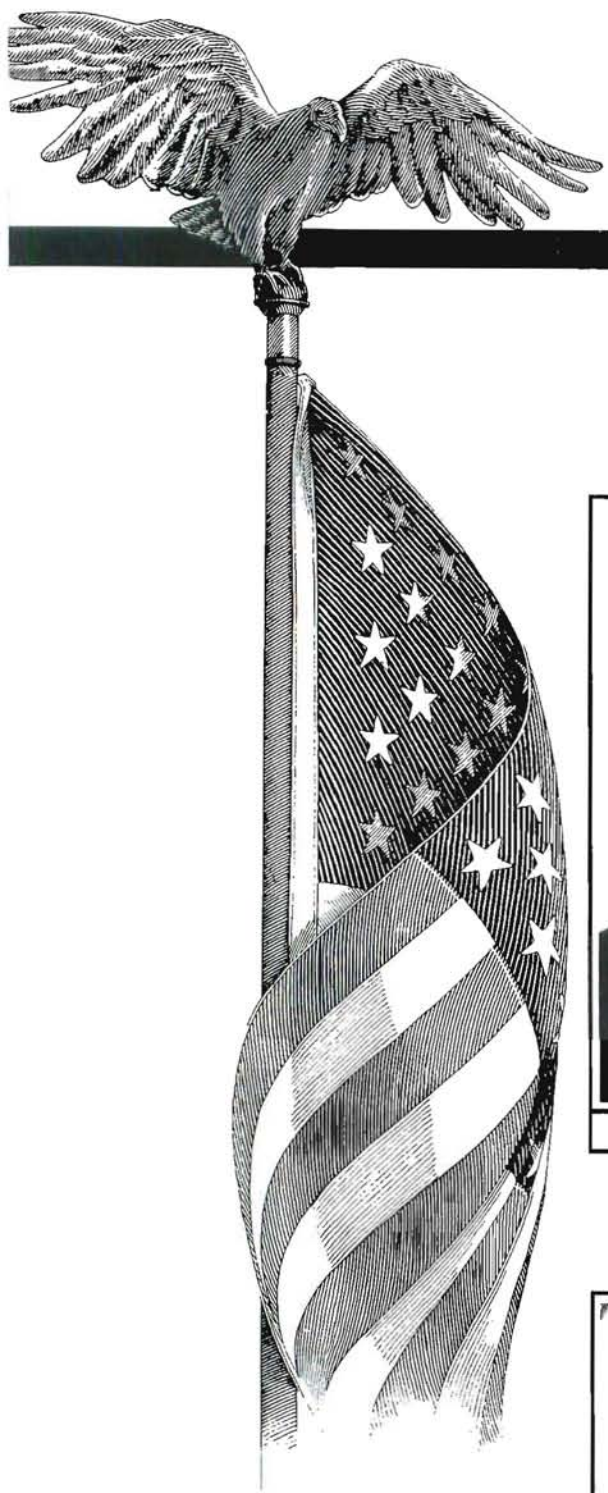
Private Chevalier served from December of 1952 until February of 1955 with the 530th QM Company of the United States Army and was stationed in Pusan and in Taegu, Korea, and is merited with the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Born on September 6, 1932, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Bay Shore. He was graduated from Boys High School, Brooklyn, in 1950, and attended Long Island University. He is presently employed as a benefit authorizer.

## ALFRED F. CHIESA, Corporal

Born on November 13, 1933, and originally from Copiague, New York, Mr. Chiesa has since made his home in Great River. He served from August of 1954 until July of 1956 with the 69th Infantry Division, C Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Manheim and Sandhofen, Germany. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Army of Occupation Medal, and received an Honorable Discharge. He was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1951, from the State University of New York in 1953, and from New York University in 1958. He also attended the University of Hidelberg in Germany. He is employed as an advertising artist/designer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH CHINNICI, Airman 1st Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Chinnici was born on July 17, 1933, and was graduated from East New York Vocational High School in 1951. He served from June of 1952 until June of 1956 with the 45th Fighter Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed mainly in the French Morocco, North Africa. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal, and is currently employed as an aircraft mechanic.



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PING CHEN



ANTONIO CHEVALIER



JOSEPH CHINNICI



JOHN W. CHERVENY

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## LOUIS CIRILLO, Boatswain Mate 2nd Class

Formerly of Elmont, New York, and born on November 27, 1930, Mr. Cirillo made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He served aboard the U.S.S. Aldeboran, F-10, of the United States Navy, and was stationed mainly in Europe from 1949 until 1952. He was graduated from Lawrence High School and is currently employed in sales.

## CLIFFORD C. CLARE, Seaman

Seaman Clare served from 1953 until 1955 with CB #7 of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Bermuda and in the French Morocco, North Africa. He is a 1951 graduate of Freeport High School, Freeport, New York, where he resided until he settled in West Sayville. He was born on March 28, 1933, and is presently employed in school bus sales. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH J. CLEMENTE, Radioman 3rd Class

A resident of Bohemia, and formerly of Elmhurst, New York, Mr. Clemente was born on September 16, 1935, and was graduated from Queens Vocational High School. He served aboard the U.S.S. Cromwell, DE-1014, of the United States Navy from 1953 until 1957, and was stationed primarily in the Atlantic Ocean. He is presently employed as a bus inspector.

## RICHARD B. CLIFFORD, Private 1st Class

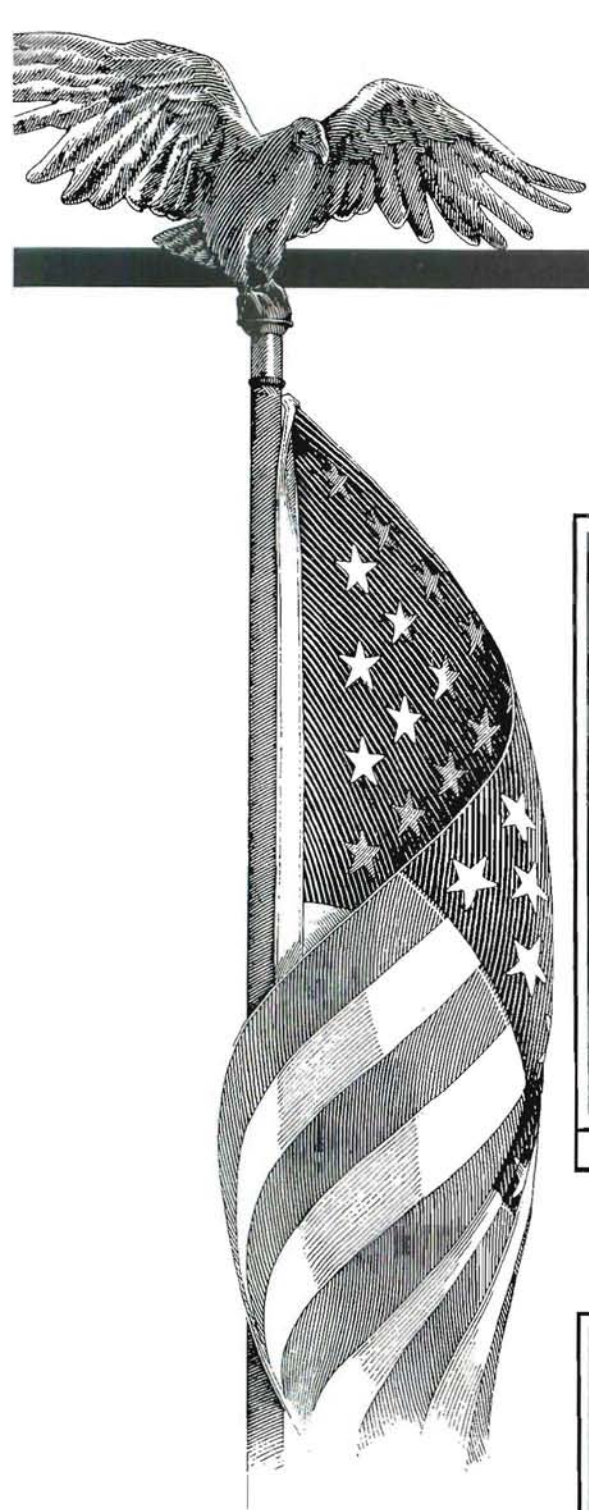
Private Clifford served from February of 1953 until December of 1954 with H Company, 350th Infantry Regiment of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Europe. He is originally from Westbury, New York, and was born on March 10, 1933. He currently resides in Bay Shore and is employed as a telephone repairman. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM L. CLIFTON, Radarman 3rd Class

Born on September 15, 1932, and formerly of Lynbrook, New York, Mr. Clifton has made his home in East Islip where he currently resides. He was graduated from Lynbrook High School in 1950, and is presently employed as an insurance salesman. He was stationed chiefly in Europe, and in the Pacific-Korea area, and served aboard the U.S.S. Irwin, DD-794, of the United States Navy from May of 1951 until May of 1955. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation.

## JAMES A. CLOCK, Corporal

Corporal Clock served from May of 1951 until February of 1953 with F Company, 17th Infantry Regiment, 7th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and in Korea as well. Born on March 3, 1930, he was a resident of Bay Shore until he settled in Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1948, and currently owns a fuel oil company. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Combat Infantry Badge, and a Purple Heart.



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LOUIS CIRILLO



JOSEPH J. CLEMENTE



JAMES A. CLOCK



WILLIAM L. CLIFTON



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## JOHN C. COCHRANE, Captain

Originally from Brentwood, and currently residing in Brightwaters, Captain Cochrane served aboard the U.S.S. Melvin, DD-680, and aboard the U.S.S. Antiotam, CUS-36, of the United States Navy from July of 1947 until August of 1955. He was stationed in the Atlantic Ocean and in the Mediterranean and Caribbean Seas, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Armed Forces Reserve Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He is a 1947 graduate of Bay Shore High School, a 1951 graduate of the United States Naval Academy, and is a New York State Assemblyman.

## FRANK R. COCUZZO, Sound Operator Mate 2nd Class

A resident of Bayside, New York, Mr. Cocuzzo was born on October 5, 1932, and has made his home in Islip where he presently resides. A 1951 graduate of Bayside High School, he is currently employed by New York Telephone Company. He served in the United States Navy from April of 1952 until April of 1956 aboard the U.S.S. Willis A. Lee, DL-4, with the 6th Fleet, and earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal as well as the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MARTIN COHEN, Sergeant

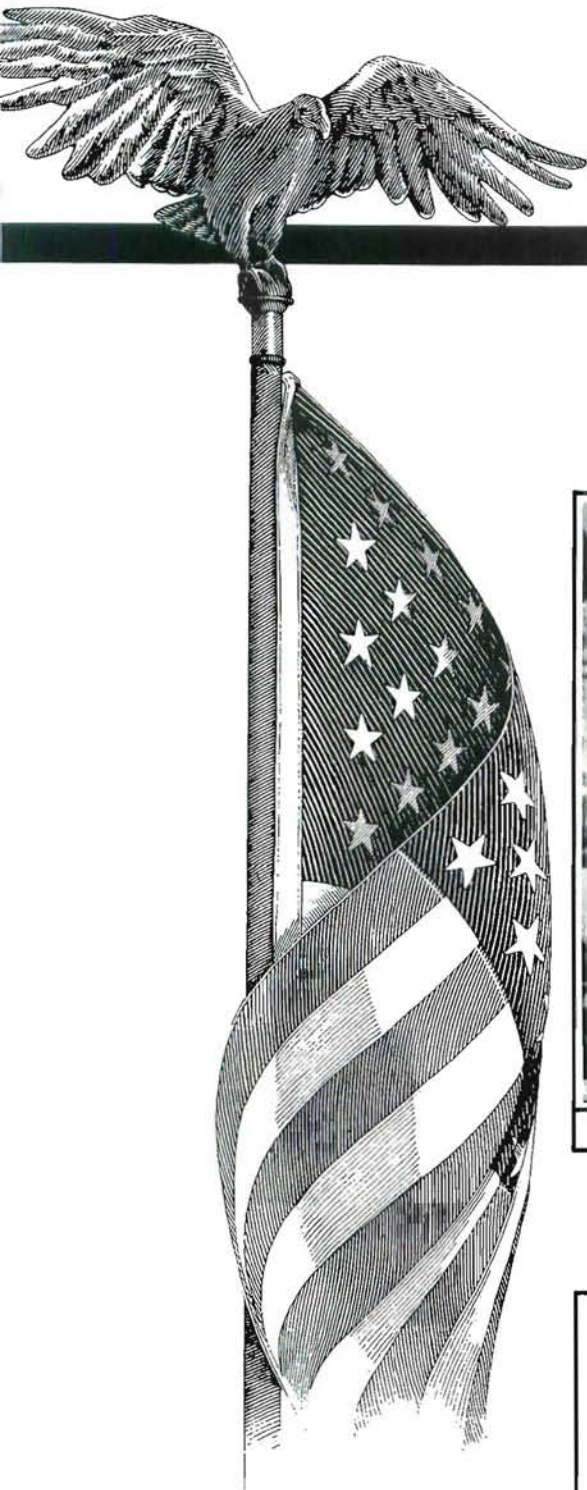
Sergeant Cohen served from February of 1951 until January of 1953 with the 556th Signal Radio Company, 22nd Signal Group of the United States Army, and was stationed in Seoul, Panmunjom, Chiunes Pyungn, and Ukvombu, Korea. He was graduated in 1945 from Baron Byng High School, Montreal, Canada, and from the Academy of Aeronautics, LaGuardia Field, New York, in 1949. While in the service he earned the Meritorious Unit Commendation, the Korean Service Medal, as well as the United Nations Service Medal. Born on April 2, 1929, and formerly of New York City, he settled in Brentwood where he presently resides. Currently, he is employed by Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## MILTON COHEN, Airman 2nd Class

Born on February 24, 1932, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Cohen made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated from East New York Vocational High School, Brooklyn, in 1950, and was employed as an aircraft mechanic following the service. He served from April of 1951 until April of 1955 with the 3602nd Maintenance Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Shepherd Air Force Base, Texas, and at Luke Air Force Base, Arizona. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal.

## EDWARD J. COLLINS, CDCN

A resident of Astoria, New York, until he settled in Hauppauge where presently resides, Mr. Collins was born on April 26, 1933. He was graduated from Horace Greeley High School, Queens, New York, in 1948, and attended college for two years while in the Air Force. He served with MCB #1, A Company, Mobile Construction Battalion 1 of the United States Navy Seabees from March of 1953 until March of 1955, and was stationed in Davisville, Rhode Island, and in Cuba, and in Newfoundland. In 1955, after his discharge, he went into the Reserves and was with the RNMCB #13, and in 1983 was named "Outstanding Enlisted Man of the Year." He is currently employed as a truck driver, and while in active service, earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and is also merited with Naval Reserve Medals.



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MARTIN COHEN



JOHN C. COCHRANE



MILTON COHEN



EDWARD J. COLLINS

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## WILLIAM M. COLLINS, Sergeant

Originally from the Bronx, New York, and currently residing in Central Islip, Sergeant Collins served primarily in Quantico, Virginia, Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and at Camp Pendleton, California from 1951 until 1954 with I Company, 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines, 2nd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps. He was born on December 28, 1933, and was graduated in 1951 from James Monroe High School, Bronx, and attended Hofstra University. He is employed in production control and planning. The photograph which appears on the opposite page appeared in the centerfold of the New York Daily News as well as on the front page of the Stars and Stripes after the "Battle of Bunker Hill" in Korea.

## ISMAEL COLON, Corporal

Corporal Colon served from February of 1952 until December of 1953 with the 3rd Division of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Salinas, Puerto Rico. Born on September 16, 1932, and originally from Yanco, Puerto Rico, he settled in Sayville where he presently resides. He was graduated from Yanco High School in 1951, and attended Interamerican University of Puerto Rico from 1951 until 1956, and C.W. Post College from 1969 until 1971.

## WILLIAM H. COLSON, Staff Sergeant

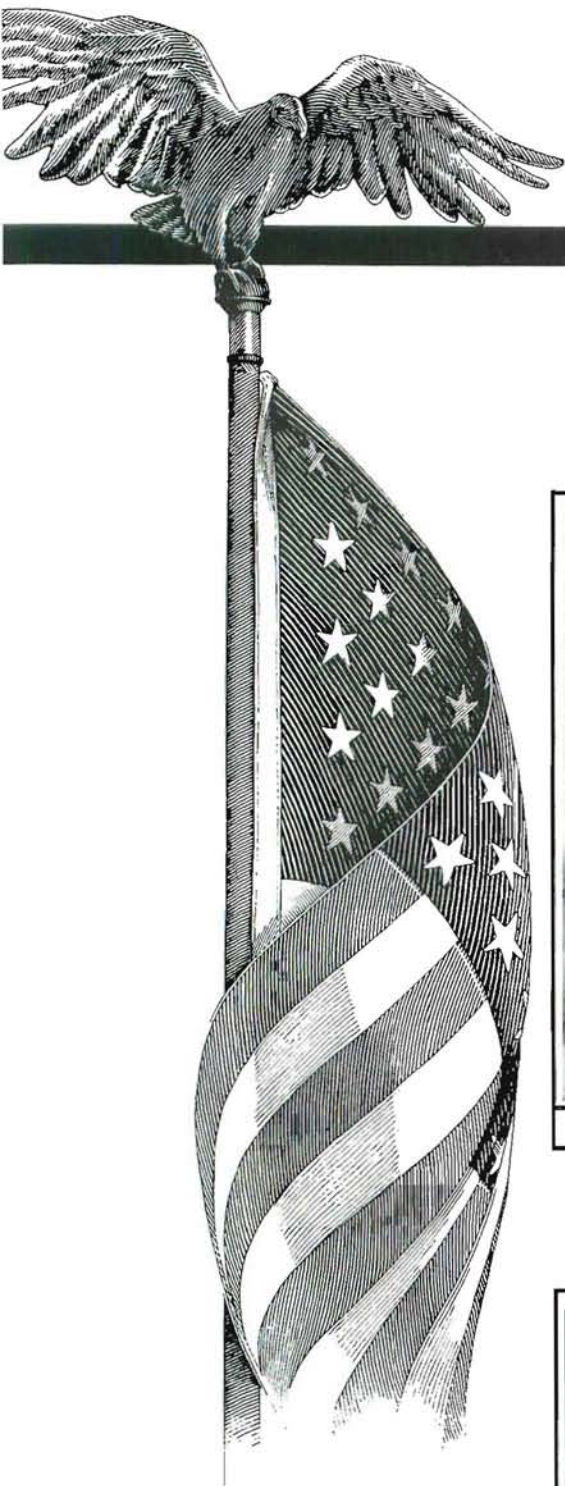
Formerly of West Sayville, and currently residing in Sayville, Mr. Colson was born on August 1, 1929, and is a 1947 graduate of Sayville High School. He served with the 6153rd Fighter Bomber Wing of the United States Air Force from March of 1950 until March of 1954, and was stationed in Misawa, Japan. He is retired from Industrial Services Corporation, Springfield, Vermont, where he served as president of the corporation which manufactures machine tool components.

## RAYMOND A. COMENZO, Electronic Technician 2nd Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Great River, Mr. Comenzo was born on February 11, 1930. He is a 1947 graduate of Stuyvesant High School, and has attended New York University. He served aboard the U.S.S. Glennon, DD-840, with the Atlantic and Mediterranean Fleets of the United States Navy from November of 1950 until September of 1954. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal and the ETO Ribbon. He is currently employed as a commodity broker and in technical electronics. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE S. CONE, Private 1st Class

Also a Vietnam veteran, Private Cone served from November of 1950 until October of 1952 with the 981st Field Artillery Battalion, 40th Infantry Division, B Company of the United States Army during his Korean tour of duty. He was stationed in the Kumwa Valley, and in Chorwon, Korea, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, and the United Nations Service Medal. Born on June 3, 1928, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, where he attended Bronx Vocational High School, he settled in West Islip, and is employed as a laborer.



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ISMAEL COLON

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## CALVIN F. CONKLE, Machinist Mate 3rd Class

Born on August 17, 1931, Mr. Conkle was a West Sayville resident until he settled in East Islip where he presently resides. He attended Sayville High School and served aboard the U.S.S. Douglas H. Fox, DD-779, of the United States Navy in 1951, and was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, and the Korean Service Medal as well.

## ROBERT A. CONNOR, Interior Communications Technician 3rd Class

A 1947 graduate of Jamaica High School, New York, where he resided until he made his home in Islip Terrace, Mr. Connor was graduated from St. John's University in 1960. He served from October of 1951 until September of 1955 aboard the U.S.S. Competent, AM-316, of the United States Navy, and was stationed mainly in Long Beach, California, as well as in Korea. Following the service he was employed with New York Telephone Company.

## JOSEPH CONSTANTINE, Private 1st Class

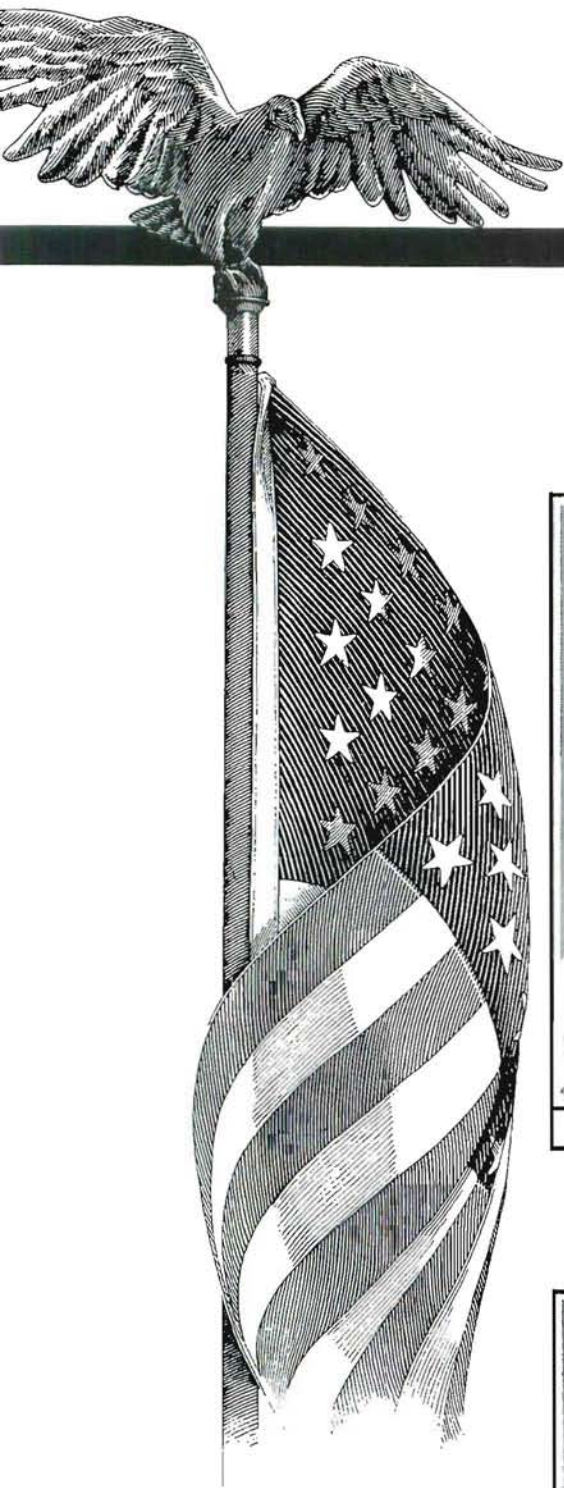
Private Constantine served from January of 1953 until December of 1954 with the 40th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in the Chou Won Valley. He was born on January 5, 1933, and resides in Brentwood. Formerly of Freeport, New York, he was graduated from Valley Stream High School in 1951, and is presently employed as an illustrator. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well.

## JACK R. COOK, Corporal

Corporal Cook served with the United States Army from February of 1951 until February of 1953, with the 503rd Battalion, 11th Airborne Division, and was stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky. Born on February 21, 1930, and originally from Farmingdale, New York, he settled in Sayville where he presently resides. He was graduated from Mepham High School in 1948, and is employed as a tool and die maker. He earned Paratrooper Wings and received an Honorable Discharge.

## EDWARD COONEY, Corporal

Corporal Cooney served from February of 1951 until February of 1954 with the Heavy Mortar Company, 223rd Infantry Regiment, 40th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea and in Germany. He was born on April 6, 1930, and was graduated from Boys High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1947 and from Brooklyn College in 1958. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, he was employed as a Detective for the New York City Police Department until he retired. He earned the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the German Occupation Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Parachute Badge, and the National Defense Service Medal while in the Army. (Photograph unavailable.)



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CALVIN F. CONKLE



ROBERT A. CONNOR



JOSEPH CONSTANTINE



JACK R. COOK

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## MICHAEL J. COPPOLA, Sergeant

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Sergeant Coppola served in Korea from October of 1950 until October of 1952 with C Company, 835th Engineer Aviation Battalion of the United States Army. He was born on May 3, 1933, resides in Bohemia, and is employed as a draftsman. He attended John Jay High School, Brooklyn, and while in the service earned the Korean and the United Nations Service Medals. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HARRY J. CORCORAN, Corporal

A veteran of World War II, Corporal Corcoran served with the 22nd Marine Division, and the Marine Detachment aboard the U.S.S. Worcester, CL-144, of the United States Marine Corps from August of 1948 until December of 1951, and was stationed abroad as well as stateside. A Ronkonkoma resident, formerly of Brooklyn, New York, where he attended Fort Hamilton High School, he was born on August 27, 1926. He is a retired Safety Officer of Central Islip State Hospital.

## JAMES M. CORCORAN, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Corcoran served from June of 1948 until June of 1952 with the 1st and 2nd Divisions of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, Quantico, Virginia, and in the Mediterranean Sea. Born on July 2, 1929, he was a resident of Westbury until he made his home in Islip Terrace. He is currently employed as a Customer Service Specialist with the Long Island Lighting Company. While in the service, he earned the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Presidential Unit Citation, the United Nations Service Medal, the Navy Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and a Purple Heart as well.

## ALLEN CORDINGLEY, Corporal

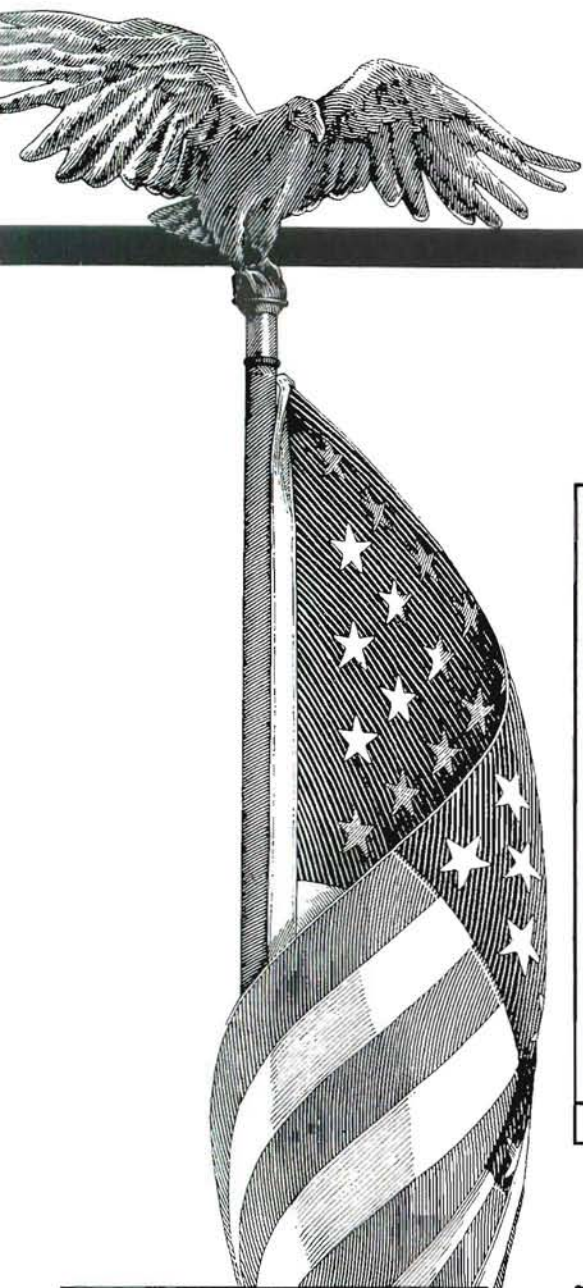
Born June 9, 1930, and a longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Cordingley was graduated from Central Islip High School and is presently employed with Fairchild Republic Corporation. He served from June of 1951 until June of 1953, with the 76th Construction Engineers, 8th Army of the United States Army and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation.

## JOHN C. CORDTS, Sergeant

Born on May 14, 1930, formerly of Central Islip, Mr. Cordts made his home in East Islip where he resided until he passed away in March of 1982. He served in Korea and in Guam from September of 1948 until June of 1952 with the 560th Military Police Company of the United States Army, and earned the Korean Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. Following the service he was employed as an aircraft mechanic.

## ARTHUR F. COREY, Constructionman

Formerly of Long Island City, New York, and presently a Bay Shore resident, Mr. Corey was born on October 3, 1935. He attended Queens Vocational High School, Queens, New York, and is currently employed as a truck driver. He served with the MCB #7 of the United States Navy Seabees, and was stationed primarily in Newfoundland and Bermuda from April of 1953 until October of 1956.



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JAMES M. CORCORAN



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HARRY J. CORCORAN



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## ALBERT J. COSTA, Corporal

A resident of Brentwood at the time he served, Mr. Costa has since made his home in Newport Richey, Florida. He was born on October 5, 1930, and is a 1953 graduate of Franklin K. Lane High School, New York. He also attended SUNY at Farmingdale from which he was graduated in 1955. He served with A Company, 19th Infantry, 24th Division of the United States Army from October of 1949 until October of 1952, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with two Purple Hearts, a Silver Star, and the Korean Presidential Unit Citation as well.

## LORGIO J. COTTO, Sergeant

Sergeant Cotto served from March of 1953 until March of 1957 with the 6th Marines, 2nd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps and was stationed mainly at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he was born on March 2, 1934, and is presently residing in Brentwood. He attended Bayamon High School, Puerto Rico, and is currently employed as a printer. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM H. COYLE, Corporal

Formerly of Hempstead, New York, and presently residing in Holbrook, Mr. Coyle was born on June 20, 1930. He was graduated from Hempstead High School, and from Hofstra University. He served with the United States Army from August of 1951 until August of 1953, and was stationed primarily in Frankfurt, Germany. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Army of Occupation Medal, and is currently employed as a banker.

## ANDREW B. COYNE, Specialist 4th Class

Mr. Coyne was born on August 19, 1927, and resided in Long Island City, New York, until he settled in Islip Terrace. A 1946 graduate of Machine and Metal Trades High School, New York City, he is presently employed as a clerk. He served with the 82nd Airborne Division, and the 11th Airborne Division of the United States Army (Paratroopers), and was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, from 1950 until 1951. He is merited with the Senior Parachute Badge.

## RALPH CRISTELLO, Corporal

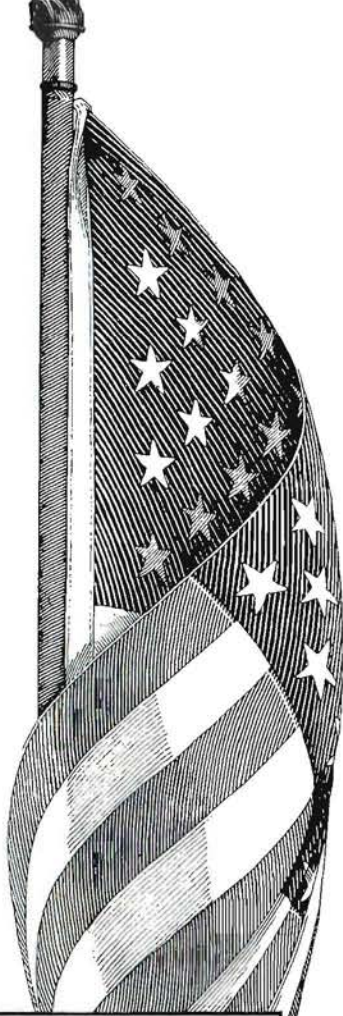
Born on November 6, 1926, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Cristello currently resides in Bay Shore. He served with the 392nd Graves RER Company of the United States Army, and was stationed principally at Fort Devens, Massachusetts, from November of 1950 until April of 1952.

## PETER CROCE, Corporal

Originally a resident of Lindenhurst, New York, Mr. Croce was born on December 7, 1928, and presently resides in Bohemia. A 1947 graduate of Lindenhurst High School, he is employed as a clerk. He served at Headquarters Battalion of the United States Army and was stationed at Camp Chaffee, Arkansas, during 1952. He earned the Good Conduct Medal while in the service.



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ALBERT J. COSTA



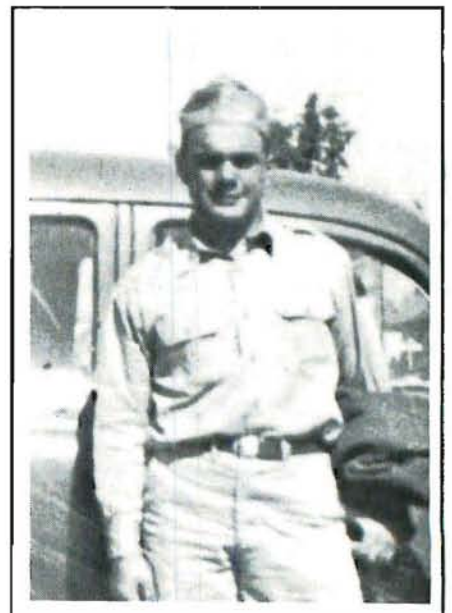
WILLIAM H. COYLE



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## JOSEPH CRONIN, Corporal

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Corporal Cronin served from June of 1951 until June of 1953 with Battery B, 68th AAA Gunnery Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. Born on May 24, 1930, he attended Bay Shore High School, and had worked for the Suffolk County Water Authority for 27 years. He is merited with the Korean and United Nations Service Medals. (Photograph unavailable.)

## F. THOMAS CROWLEY, Corporal

Corporal Crowley served with the 66th Signal Battalion of the United States Army from November of 1950 until November of 1952, and was stationed at Camp Gordon, Georgia. Formerly of West Babylon, he was born on June 9, 1928, and resides in West Islip. A 1945 graduate of Mount St. Charles Academy, Woonsocket, Rhode Island, a 1949 graduate of St. Michael's College, Winooski, Vermont, and a 1956 graduate of SUNY at New Paltz, he is employed as a school principal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## BOB CRUZ, Corporal

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Cruz was born on April 15, 1930, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1948. He served with the 29th Army Aircraft Maintenance Battalion of the United States Army from March of 1952 until March of 1954, and was stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. He earned various medals including the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean Service Medal. He is employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## ERIC J. CULLIS, Senior Master Sergeant

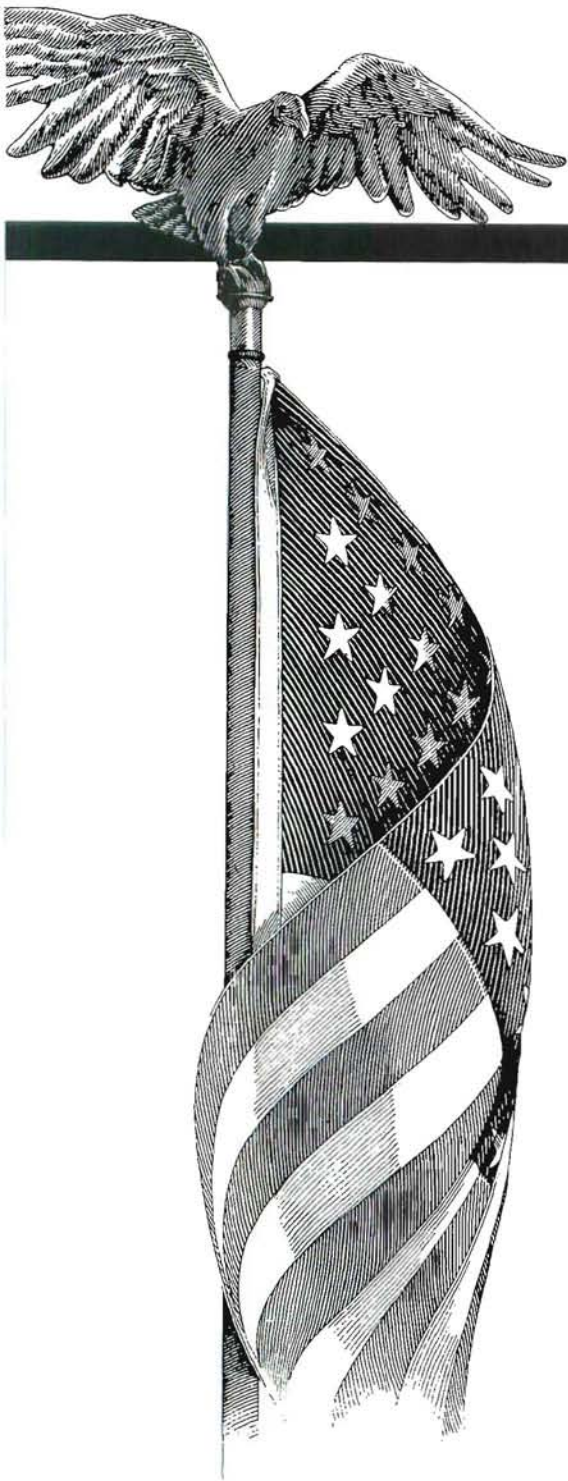
Presently residing in Brentwood, and formerly of Springfield Gardens, New York, Mr. Cullis was born on January 27, 1925. A 1943 graduate of Andrew Jackson High School, Queens, New York, he is currently employed as a lab technician. He served from January of 1943 until July of 1964 with the 150th 2nd Support Squadron MATS, 1737th Ferrying Squadron MATS of the United States Air Force, and was stationed mainly at Kwajalein, Marshall Islands, and at Dover Air Force Base, Delaware. He is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal and the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award as well.

## MARTIN J. CURRAN, Communications Technician/Seaman 1st Class

Born on July 18, 1928, Mr. Curran resides in Bay Shore. He served with the Naval Service Station of the United States Navy from 1952 until 1954, and was stationed primarily in Washington, D.C. He earned the National Security Medal while in the service. A 1945 graduate of Cardinal Hayes High School, Bronx, New York, he went on to receive a Bachelor's degree from Providence College, Rhode Island, in 1949, and received his Master's degree from Hofstra University in 1962. He was employed as a teacher and presently is an elementary school principal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## LOUIS F. CUTOLO, Corporal

Corporal Cutolo served from March of 1951 until March of 1953 with the 191st Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Devens, Massachusetts, Camp Drumm, Watertown, West Point, and Norfolk, Virginia. A longtime resident of Brentwood, he was born on August 30, 1929, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1947. After the service he was employed by the Long Island Lighting Company. (Photograph unavailable.)



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BOB CRUZ



ERIC J. CULLIS

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## CHARLES A. DaBRUSCO, Corporal

Corporal DaBrusco served with the Army Engineers, 63rd Signal Battalion of the United States Army from October of 1951 until September of 1953, and was stationed at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, and in Salzburg, Austria. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on November 19, 1930, and now resides in Hauppauge. He was graduated from Newtown High School, and worked as a surveyor after his discharge. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MARTIN W. DALTON, Staff Sergeant

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Dalton was born on July 31, 1925, and was graduated from Brooklyn High School of Automotive Trades. He served from August of 1950 until August of 1952, with L Company, 17th RCJ Buffaloes, 2nd Platoon, 3rd Battalion, 7th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Combat Infantry Badge, as well as the United Nations Service Medal.

## EDWARD J. DALY, Seaman

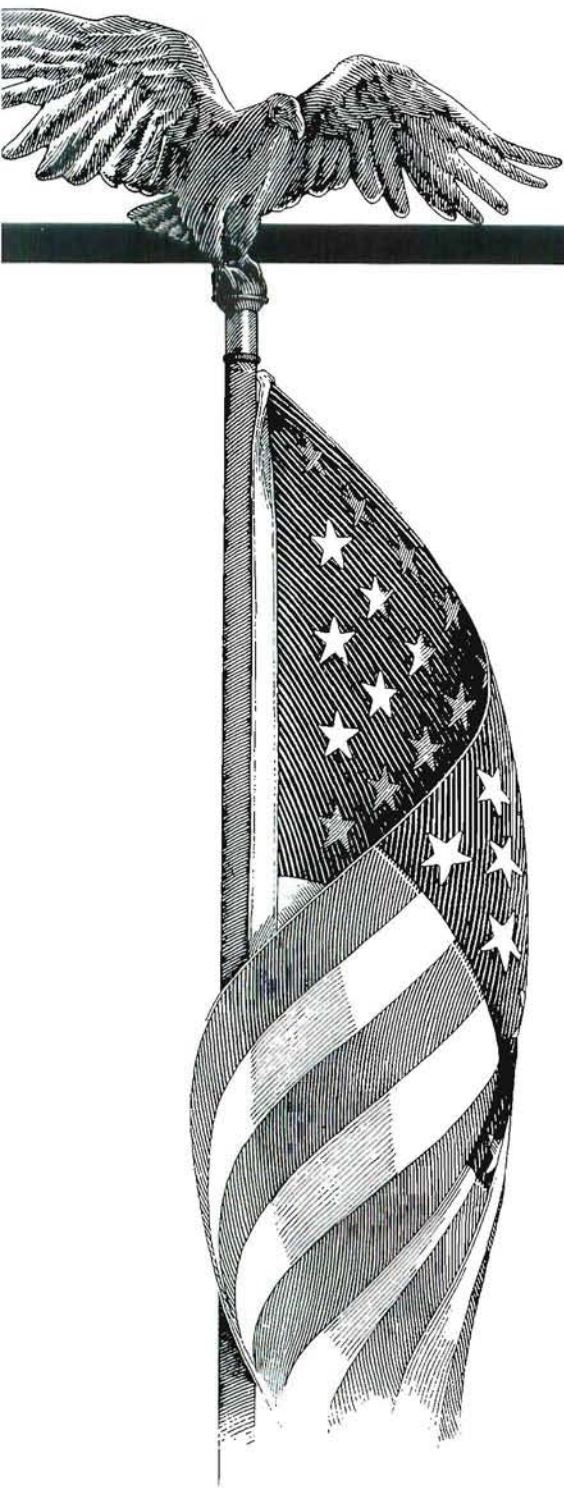
Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Daly was born on October 23, 1933. He served from 1952 until 1956 aboard the U.S.S. Higbee, DDR-806, and aboard the U.S.S. Stickell, DDR-888, and was stationed in Korea as well as in the Far East. He attended George Westinghouse High School, and is currently employed as an electrician. He earned the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the China Service Medal, and four Battle Stars as well. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES J. DALY, Corporal

Corporal Daly served from November of 1952 until November of 1955, and then from August of 1956 until July of 1960, primarily with the 1st Marines, 1st Marine Division, and was stationed in Korea, Iceland, Morocco, and in England. Born on March 8, 1935, and originally from Elmont, New York, he settled in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He graduated from Valley Stream Central High School, and is currently employed as an elevator constructor.

## GEORGE F. DANTE, Machinist Mate 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Dante was born on May 12, 1932, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1951. He served mainly in Europe from August of 1951 until August of 1956 aboard the U.S.S. Tripoli, CVE-64, and aboard the U.S.S. General Butner, TAP-113, of the United States Navy. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Following his separation from the Navy he was employed as an oil burner serviceman. (Photograph unavailable.)



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MARTIN W. DALTON



JAMES J. DALY

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## ROBERT M. DARBY, Private 1st Class/Corporal

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Darby was graduated from Bushwick High School, Brooklyn, New York, and is presently employed with Varsity Transit, Inc., Brooklyn. He served from 1947 until 1954 in the Air Force as a Private, and was stationed at Spokane Air Force Base. He also served as a Corporal in the United States Army and his tour of duty included Heart Break Ridge in Korea. He earned the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, as well as the National Defense Service Medal.

## JAMES F. DARCY, Private 1st Class

A Ronkonkoma resident and formerly of Jamaica, New York, Private Darcy served from 1949 until 1952 with the Signal Corps of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Okinawa, Japan, and in Washington, D.C. Born on December 16, 1929, he was employed as a truck driver following his discharge from the service.

## KENNETH DARROCH, Engineman 1st Class

Born on October 5, 1912, and originally from Mount Vernon, New York, he made his home in Bohemia where he presently resides. A veteran of World War II as well, he also served from November of 1950 until December of 1953 with the 51st Task Group United States Navy, aboard the LST-814. He was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the American Defense Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He attended George Washington High School, was graduated in 1932 from Electrical School, and in 1951 from United States Naval School.

## GEORGE E. DAUTEL, Engineman 1st Class

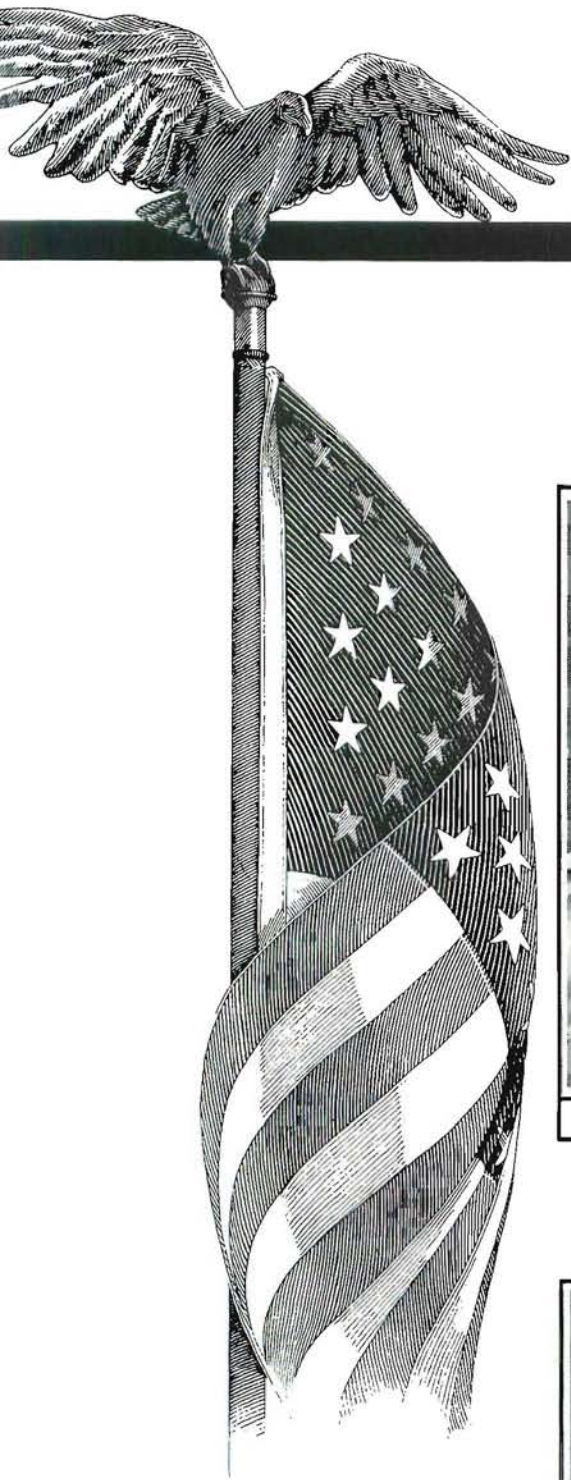
Originally from Astoria, New York, and currently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Dautel was born on December 24, 1930. He served with the 98th A&E Maintenance Squadron (SAC), of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Harlingen, Texas, and in Japan from January of 1951 until August of 1954. A 1948 graduate of Brooklyn Technical High School, he is employed with New York Telephone Company.

## CHARLES E. DAVIS, JR., Private 1st Class

Currently residing in Brentwood, and formerly of Queens, New York, Mr. Davis was born on July 22, 1937. He attended W.C. Bryant High School, and worked as an apprentice typographer following the service. He served in Yokohama, Japan, Inchon, Korea, and at Fort Benning, Georgia, from August of 1954 until August of 1957 with A Company, 1st Battalion, 273rd Regiment, 24th Division, H&S Companies, (ABN), School Brigade, of the United States Army. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN E. DAWSON, Corporal

Corporal Dawson served with L Company, 2nd Division, 9th Battalion of the United States Army from December of 1950 until November of 1953, and was stationed at Fort Knox, and in Korea. He was graduated in 1945 from Central High School, Louisville, Kentucky, where he resided until he settled in Brentwood. Born on December 12, 1928, he was employed as a truck driver following the service. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, and a Purple Heart. (Photograph unavailable.)



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ROBERT M. DARBY



JAMES F. DARCY



KENNETH DARROCH



GEORGE E. DAUTEL



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## THOMAS R. DAY, Major

A longtime resident of Bayport, Major Day served with the 2nd Battalion, 9th Infantry Regiment, 2nd Infantry Division of the United States Army from 1938 until 1959. While in the service he earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, a Purple Heart, the Presidential Unit Citation, and a Silver Star as well. Born on October 25, 1918, he attended Bayport High School, and after his discharge was employed with General Electric Company.

## WILLIAM A. DeCARO, JR., Corporal

Born on September 19, 1932, and originally from Glendale, New York, Mr. DeCaro made his home in Bayport where he presently resides. He served in Korea with the 1014th Engineer Battalion, H Company of the United States Army and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean Service Medal. He was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1951 and from New York Institute of Technology in 1977, and is currently employed as a shop supervisor.

## EUGENE S. DeFAZIO, Staff Sergeant

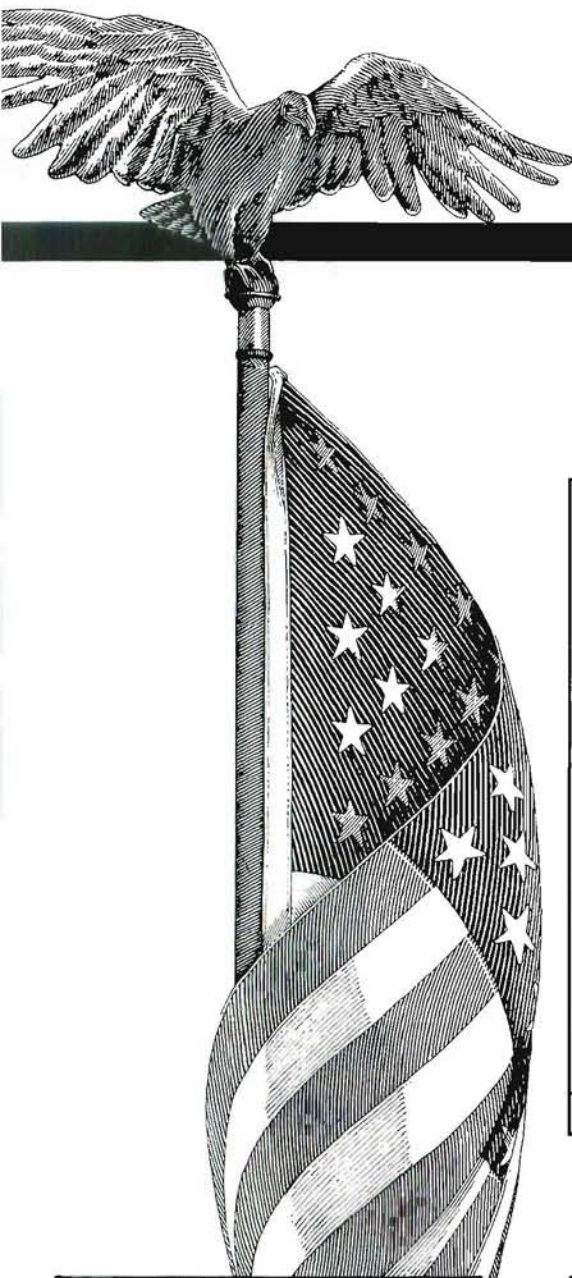
Staff Sergeant DeFazio served from 1948 until 1952 with the 1st Combat Camera Unit of the United States Air Force, and was a staff photographer at Air University, Maxwell Air Force Base in Alabama, where he attended cinematography school. He was then assigned to Korea where he flew 12 combat missions and documented the United States Air Force activities on film. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, he was born on December 3, 1927, and was graduated in 1946 from East New York Vocational High School, Brooklyn. In 1950, he attended a motion picture cameraman's course, Signal Corps, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, and is employed in cinematography.

## RICHARD A. DEGENHARDT, Staff Sergeant

Originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. Degenhardt settled in Brentwood, and has a law practice. He was graduated from Evander Childs High School in 1948, and from Queens College, Hofstra University, and from Brooklyn Law School in 1966. He served from May of 1950 until December of 1952 with the 2nd Battalion, 11th Regiment, 1st Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Korea, and received the Presidential Unit Citation.

## JAMES P. DEMAS, Airman 2nd Class

Formerly of New York City, and presently residing in Holbrook, Mr. Demas was born on January 9, 1934. A 1952 graduate of George Washington High School, and a 1974 graduate of Nassau County Community College, he served with Detachment 1, 75th Air Depot Wing, 33rd Fighter Interceptor Group of the United States Air Force from February of 1952 until February of 1956. He was stationed in Iwakuni, Japan, and at Otis Air Force Base, Massachusetts, and earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean and United Nations Service Medals. He is employed as an Engineer and Subsequent Purchase Agent for D.O.D. Contractors.



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THOMAS R. DAY



WILLIAM A. DeCARO, JR.



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RICHARD A. DEGENHARDT



JAMES P. DEMAS

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## ALFRED DEMAURO, Corporal

Residing in Oakdale, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Demauro was born on September 17, 1932, and was graduated from New York School of Printing in 1945. He served principally in Germany from March of 1953 until February of 1955 with the 50th Ordnance Ammunition Company of the United States Army. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH R. DEMPSEY, Private 1st Class

Private Dempsey served from November of 1953 until November of 1955 with the 11th Airborne Division, B Battery, Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Fort Campbell, Kentucky, and received an Honorable Discharge. Born on December 11, 1932, and originally from Central Islip, he has since made his home in Oakdale where he now resides. He received his Bachelor of Science degree from Adelphi College in 1961 and his Master of Science degree in 1967, also from Adelphi, and is currently teaching.

## PETER DeMURO, Corporal

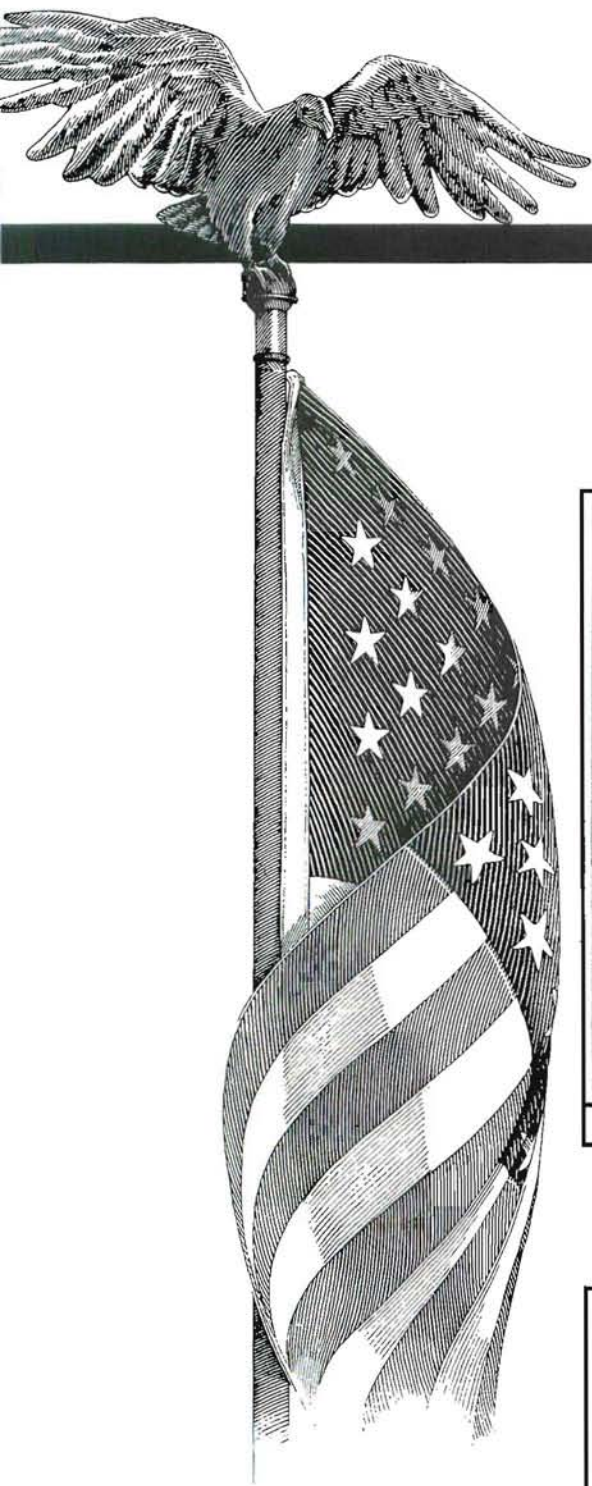
Corporal DeMuro served from 1951 until 1953 with the 116th Engineer Combat Battalion of the United States Army Combat Engineers, and was stationed in Korea. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he settled in West Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from SUNY at Oswego in 1951, and was employed as a teacher and as a school principal for 31 years until his retirement. While in the service he earned the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Commendation Medal.

## JEREMIAH G. DENNEHY, Airman Novist

Originally from Woodside, New York, Airman Dennehy served aboard the U.S.S. Bennington, CVA-20, of the United States Navy from August of 1950 until May of 1954, and was stationed in Atlantic City, New Jersey. He was born on July 4, 1933, and currently resides in Brentwood. He attended William S. Bryant High School, Astoria, New York, and is currently employed as an iron worker.

## EDWARD P. DENNINGER, SR., Electricians Mate 2nd Class

Born on February 23, 1932, and formerly of Glendale, New York, Mr. Denninger resides in West Islip and is employed as a customhouse broker. He served from September of 1953 until October of 1955 with Submarine Squadron #12 of the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Bushnell, AS-15, and was stationed in Key West, Florida. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal, and also served in the Naval Reserves from April of 1952 until September of 1953, and again from October of 1955 until April of 1957. He is a 1950 graduate of George Westinghouse Vocational High School.



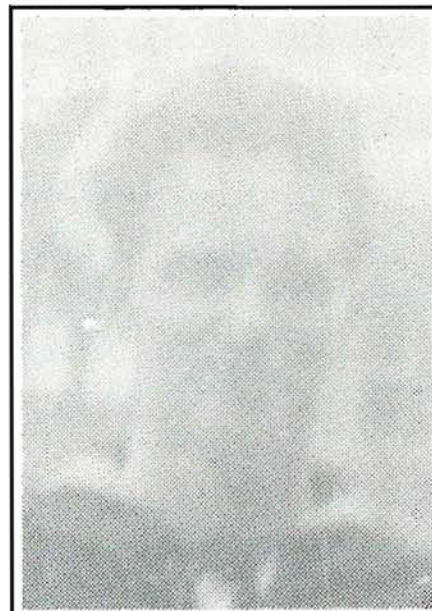
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EDWARD P. DENNINGER

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## RAYMOND J. DENNIS, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Presently residing in Brentwood, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Dennis was born on November 9, 1931, and was graduated in 1950 from Midwood High School, Brooklyn. He attended Brooklyn College and Hofstra University and is currently employed with New York Telephone Company. He served from March of 1951 until February of 1955 aboard the U.S.S. Sea Lion, SS-315, and aboard the U.S.S. Hubbard, DD-748, of the United States Navy and was stationed in Asia and in the Pacific Ocean. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with five Bronze Service Stars, the China and United Nations Service Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Korean Presidential Unit Citation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH DePALMA, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Fairlawn, New Jersey, Mr. DePalma was born on January 20, 1931 and currently resides in Savyille. He was graduated from Fairlawn High School in 1949, and following the service was employed as an aircraft mechanic. He served in North Korea from May of 1951 until February of 1953, with the 3rd Infantry Division, 703rd Ordnance Company of the United States Army, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal as well as the United Nations Service Medal.

## LEONARD DePROSPO, Seaman 2nd Class

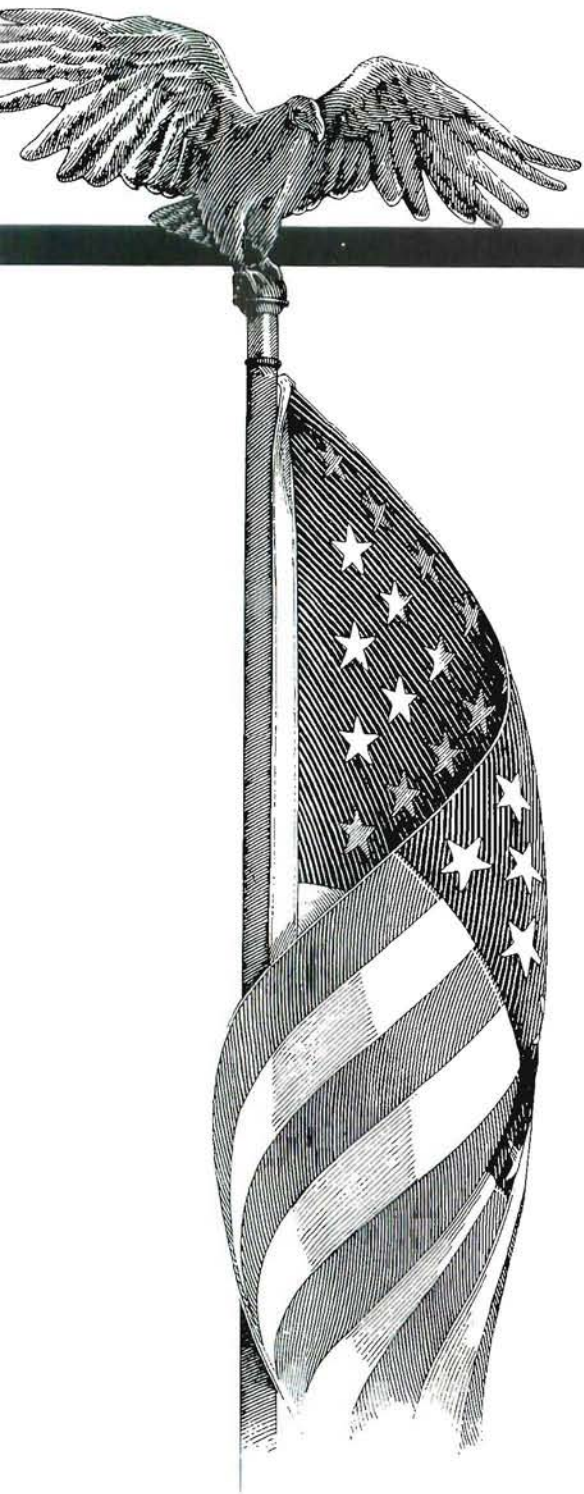
Seaman DeProspo served from October of 1951 until October of 1955 with the United States Navy and was stationed mainly in Japan. Born on August 25, 1929, he was graduated from Cardinal Hayes High School in 1947, and from St. John's University in 1951. Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, he is currently employed as an accountant. (Photograph unavailable.)

## EDWARD J. DEVANE, Corporal

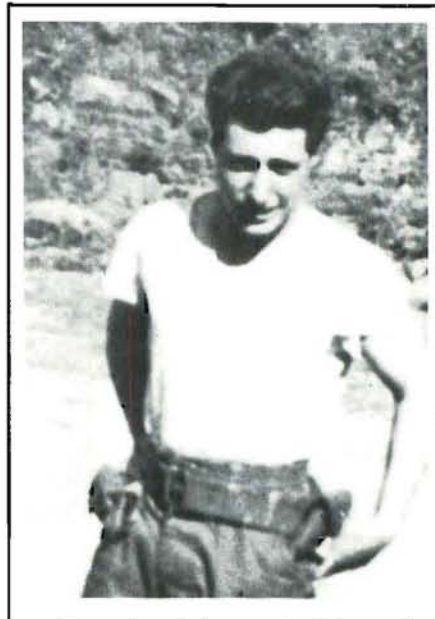
Born on May 13, 1932, and originally a resident of Astoria, New York, Mr. Devane made his home in East Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Long Island City High School, Long Island City, New York, in 1950, and is presently employed as a Telephone Installer for New York Telephone Company. He served from November of 1952 until September of 1954 with A Battery, 63rd Field Artillery Battalion, 24th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in In-Je-Ne, and in the Punchbowl. He earned the Korean, the National Defense, and the United Nations Service Medals.

## VINCENT DEVINO, Sergeant

Sergeant Devino served with the VMF-132, Overhaul and Repair Squadron, MCAS, of the United States Marine Corps from October of 1952 until October of 1956, and was stationed in El Toro, California, and Cherry Point, North Carolina. Born on June 19, 1935, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in Hauppauge where he presently resides. He was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School, in 1953, attended Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, and was graduated from C.W. Post College, and from Hofstra University. He is currently employed as an aerospace engineer, and while in the service earned the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)



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JOSEPH DePALMA



EDWARD J. DEVANE

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## RAYMOND P. DEVLIN, Lieutenant Colonel

Presently residing in Holtsville, and formerly of New York City, Mr. Devlin was born on August 16, 1912. A 1934 graduate of Crosby High School, Waterbury, Connecticut, he went on to attend Fordham College until 1936. In 1962 he was graduated from Long Island University. He served in the 1st Region Army Defense Command of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Totten, New York, as well as in France and Germany, from May of 1942 until June of 1962. Following the service he had been employed as a Revenue Officer with the Internal Revenue Service. He is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and the Bronze Star Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS F. DIAMOND, Intelligence Specialist 3rd Class

Mr. Diamond was born on March 31, 1934, and resided in Brooklyn, New York, until he made his home in Islip Terrace. He served from June of 1952 until April of 1960 with the 509th AAA Detachment of the United States Naval Reserve and Army, and was stationed chiefly in Weisbaden, Germany. He attended Brooklyn Automotive Trades High School, and was employed as a construction worker following the service. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the National Defense Service Medal as well.

## RUDOLPH T. DIANA, Corporal

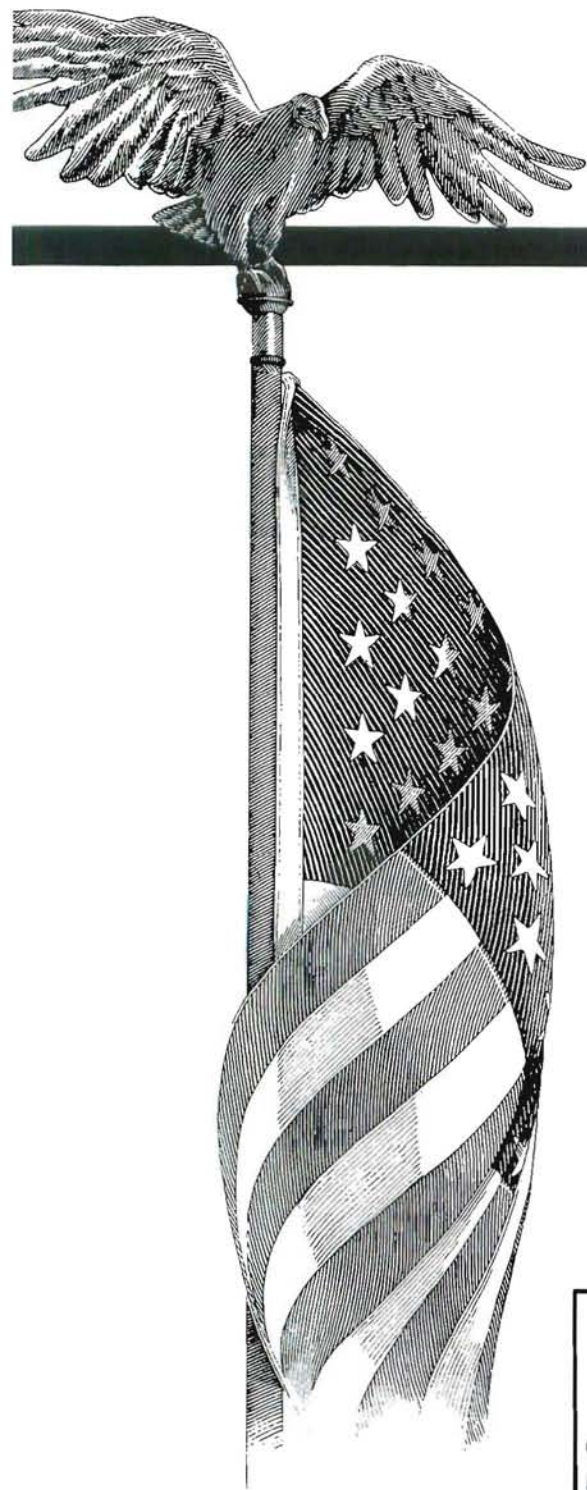
Born on April 18, 1932, and formerly a New York City resident, Mr. Diana settled in Holbrook where he presently resides. He attended Brooklyn High School of Automotive Trades, and is presently employed as an oil burner serviceman. He served with the 24th Division, Headquarters Battery, H Company, 24th Transportation Truck Battalion of the United States Army from December of 1952 until November of 1954, and was stationed chiefly in Korea. He earned the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the United Nations Service Medal.

## NICOLO DiBARTOLO, Sergeant

Sergeant DiBartolo served from November of 1954 until November of 1957 with the H&S Company, 2nd American Track Battalion, Marine Force Atlantic Fleet of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and in the Mediterranean and Caribbean Seas. Originally from Endicott, New York, and a resident of Bohemia, he was born on September 28, 1937. He is a 1962 graduate of Suffolk County Community College, and received his Bachelor of Science degree from Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida. He is employed as an Accounting Manager for the Suffolk County Water Authority, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK DiBELLA, Corporal

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. DiBella was born on May 1, 1930. He is a 1948 graduate of Lafayette High School and is employed as a Conductor for the Long Island Railroad. He served with the 68th AAA Gunnery Battalion, Battery D, of the United States Army from January of 1949 until February of 1952. Stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas, and Fort Lewis, Washington, and in Korea, he earned the Korean Service Medal.



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THOMAS F. DIAMOND



FRANK DiBELLA



RUDOLPH T. DIANA





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## JERRY G. DIETZ, Sergeant

Sergeant Dietz served from January of 1951 until January of 1954 with F Company, 2nd Battalion, 1st Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and in Korea. Born on March 9, 1933, and originally from Bayport, he has since made his home in Boca Raton, Florida. He was graduated from Bayport High School in 1950, and is currently employed in sales. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with three Battle Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, as well as the Good Conduct Medal.

## ANTHONY J. DiFIORE, Master Sergeant

A resident of Brentwood, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. DiFiore was born on July 24, 1932. He was graduated from St. Anthony's High School, Smithtown, New York, in 1950, and received his degree from St. Joseph's College, Patchogue, New York, in 1978. He served from September of 1951 until September of 1955 aboard the U.S.S. Laws, DD-558, with the 72nd Destroyer Division of the United States Navy, and was stationed on the Korean Coast, in the South China Sea, in Japan, as well as stateside in California. He is presently employed as a Telephone Installer for Western Electric Company. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal, and the China, the Korean, the United Nations, and the National Defense Service Medals.

## BERNARD DiGIOVANNI, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Formerly of Astoria, New York, and presently a Hauppauge resident, Mr. DiGiovanni was born on August 27, 1933. He was graduated from William S. Bryant High School, and served aboard the U.S.S. Owen, DD-536, of the United States Navy, and was stationed primarily in Norfolk, Virginia. Serving from July of 1952 until May of 1954, he is merited with the National Defense Service Medal and the United Nations Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

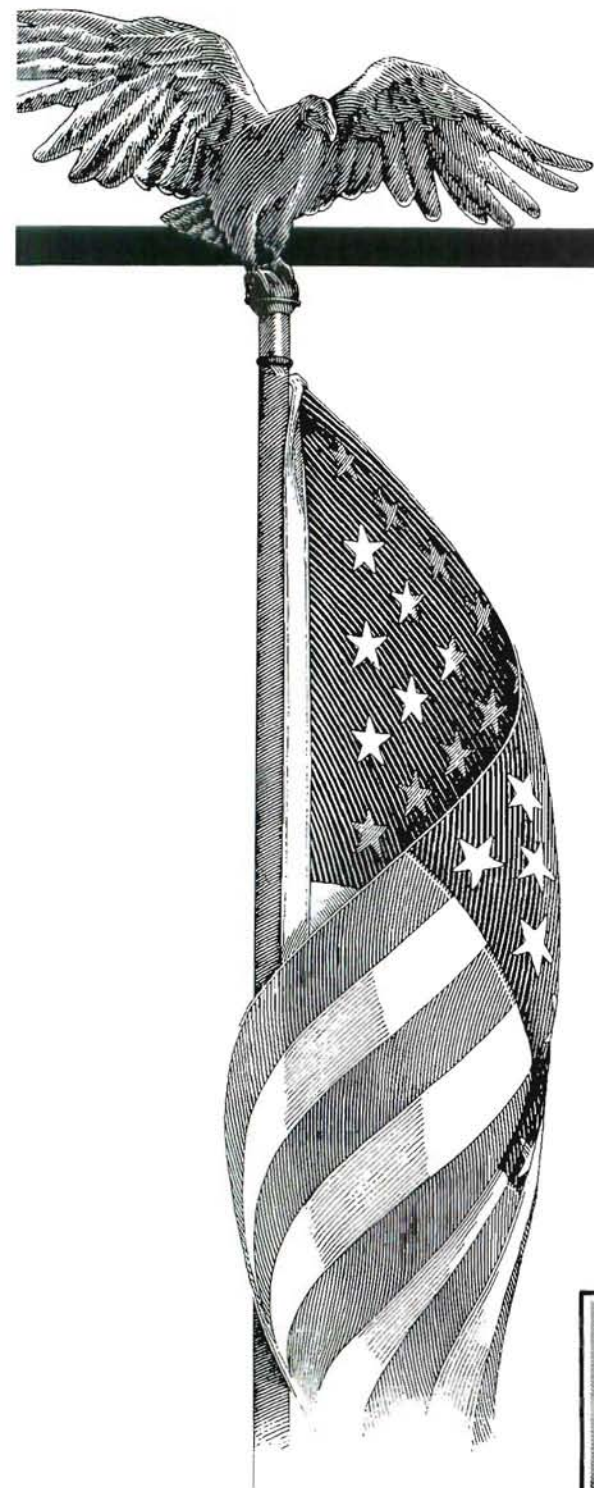
## RODNEY DiGIROLAMO, Electronic Technician 3rd Class

Originally from Ozone Park, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. DiGirolamo was born on November 11, 1929. He was graduated from John Adams High School in 1947, and attended Hofstra University and Dowling College. He served from 1950 until 1953, and was stationed on the East Coast of Europe aboard the U.S.S. Shanandoah, AD-26, of the United States Navy. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and following his discharge was employed as a technical supervisor. (Photograph unavailable.)

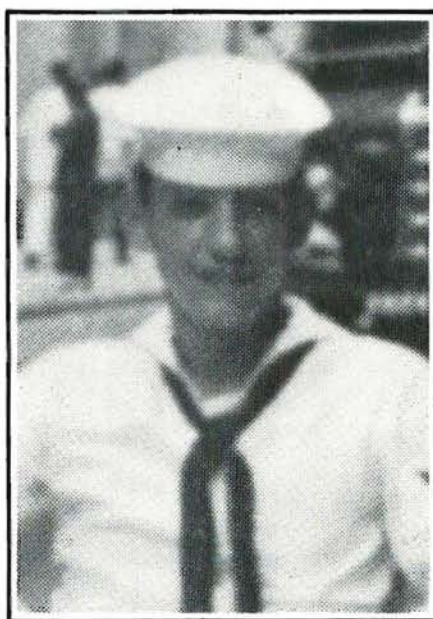
## BARBARA DILL, Seaman/Hospital Corpsman

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mrs. Dill was born Barbara Morck on June 12, 1935. She served with the United States Naval Hospital in St. Albans, New York, from September of 1953 until January of 1955, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. A 1953 graduate of Bay Shore High School, she was employed at Pilgrim State Psychiatric Hospital following her discharge from the service.

# KOREAN VETERANS



JERRY G. DIETZ



ANTHONY J. DiFIORE



BARBARA DILL

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## WILLIAM J. DILLON, JR., Private 1st Class

Born on June 3, 1930, and originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. Dillon has since settled in Sayville where he presently resides. He served from 1951 until 1953 with M Company, 3rd Infantry Division of the United States Army, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, and the United Nations Service Medal as well.

## SALVATORE DiMAIO, Private 1st Class

Private DiMaio served from 1954 until 1956 with the 702nd Ordnance Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Lewis, Washington. Born on March 15, 1935, and a Brooklyn resident until he made his home in Bay Shore, he was graduated in 1953 from Brooklyn High School of Automotive Trades. In 1957, he received an Honorable Discharge from the service.

## ALFRED DiMARTINO, Senior Master Sergeant

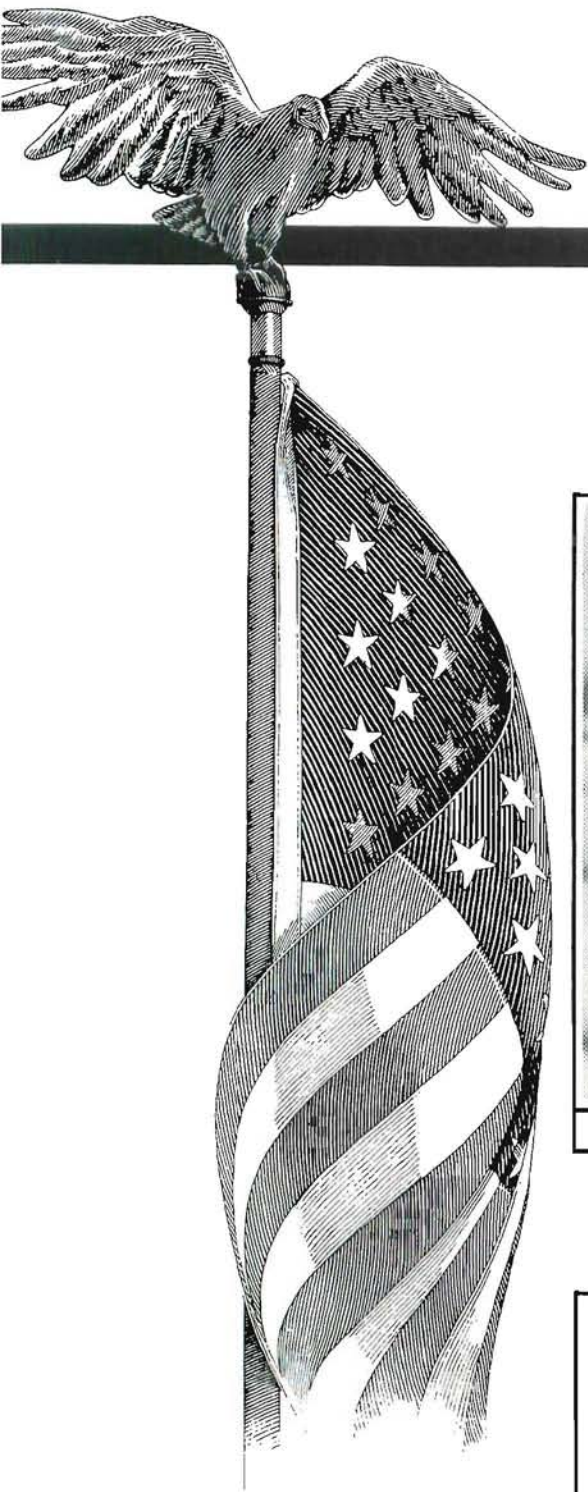
A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. DiMartino was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades in 1939, and is currently employed as an Inspector for Republic Aviation, and as an Electrical Contractor Building Plans Examiner for the Town of Islip. Born on October 28, 1922, and a Vietnam veteran as well, he served from 1942 until 1953 with the 514th Military Airlift, 335th Troop Carrier of the United States Army, and was stationed at Mitchell Field, Long Island. He is merited with the Meritorious Service Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Air Force Commendation Medal.

## JAMES D. DINAN, Corporal

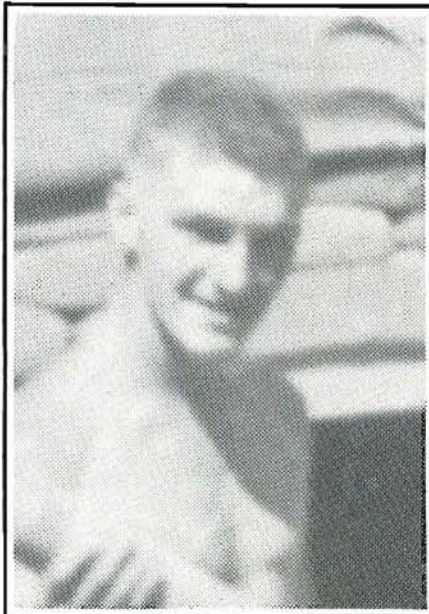
Corporal Dinan served from August of 1953 until August of 1956 with the 3rd Battalion, 8th Marines, 2nd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, on Parris Island, South Carolina, Quantico, Virginia, Puerto Rico, Brooklyn, and at Annapolis Naval Academy. Originally from Lindenhurst, and presently residing in East Islip, he was born on May 5, 1934, and was graduated from Seton Hall High School, Patchogue, New York, in 1952. He currently owns two businesses in Suffolk County: The James Dinan School of Advanced Pistol Marksmanship, and Dinan Security. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal, the National Distinguished Rifle and Pistol Shot Award, and the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JULIAN DINOTA, Corporal

Born on July 9, 1932, and originally from Central Islip, Mr. Dinota has since made his home in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He served from July of 1949 until September of 1952 with the 523rd Engineers Company of the United States Army, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal with three Battle Stars. He was graduated from Babylon High School.



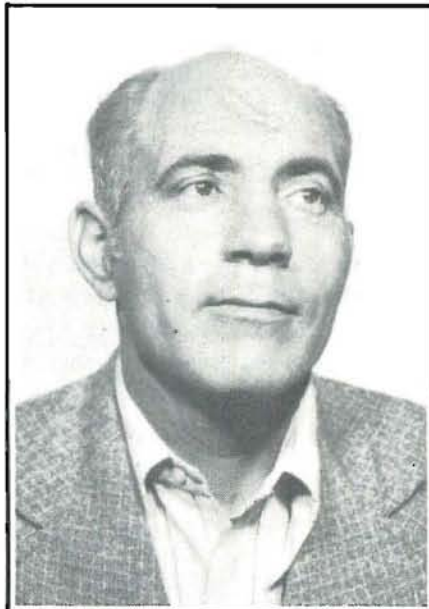
# KOREAN VETERANS



WILLIAM J. DILLON



SALVATORE DiMAIO



ALFRED DiMARTINO



JULIAN DINOTA



# TOWN OF ISLIP

## HENRY DIX, Corporal

Formerly of Queens, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Dix was born on April 2, 1930. He served from September of 1951 until September of 1953 with the 4th Battalion, 11th Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Sharpshooter Badge, as well as the Korean, National Defense, and the United Nations Service Medals. He was graduated from Altoona Area High School, Altoona, Pennsylvania, in 1970, and from Suffolk County Community College in 1983. He is currently employed as a barber stylist.

## JOSEPH R. DIXON, Airman 2nd Class

Airman Dixon served with the 8th Air Force of the United States Air Force from January of 1952 until December of 1959, and was stationed at Fort Worth, Texas. Formerly of Bay Shore, and presently residing in Sayville, he was born on June 8, 1931. A 1950 graduate of Bay Shore High School, he went on to graduate from Suffolk County Community College in 1978 and is currently employed as a Suffolk County Police Officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN DJAHA, Private 1st Class

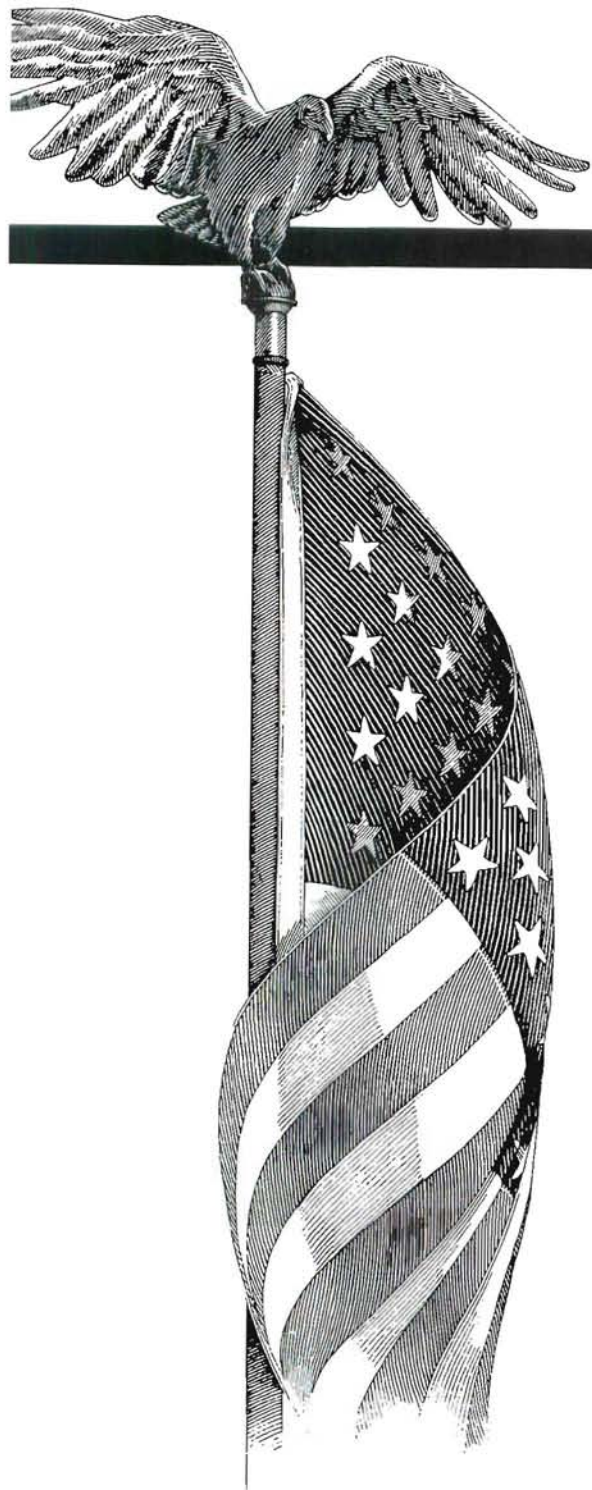
Private Djaha served with I Company, 110th Infantry, 28th Division of the United States Army from March of 1951 until February of 1953, and was stationed primarily in Germany. Presently residing in Brentwood, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he was born on May 22, 1929. He was graduated from Westinghouse High School in 1949, and following the service was employed as a factory foreman. While in the service he earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## OWEN D. DOHERTY, Corporal

Corporal Doherty served from August of 1951 until August of 1953 with the United States Army, and was stationed in Alabama. Born on September 11, 1930, and formerly of Central Islip, he presently resides in East Islip. He was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1950, and is currently employed by the Long Island Lighting Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE R. DOLAN, Private 1st Class

Born on October 26, 1931, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Dolan made his home in Oakdale where he presently resides. He served chiefly in Alaska at Fort Richardson, from January of 1952 until December of 1953 with the 42nd Engineer Construction Battalion of the United States Army. He is a 1949 graduate of St. Francis Preparatory School, and was employed by the New York City Police Department following his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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HENRY DIX



JOSEPH R. DIXON

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## ALICE DONNELLY, 2nd Lieutenant

Originally from East Providence, Rhode Island, and presently residing in Brightwaters, Mrs. Donnelly was born Alice Riley on December 14, 1925. She was graduated from East Providence High School in 1943, and in 1947 from Brown University. Prior to military service she was employed as a teacher. She served with the 3650th Personnel Processing Squadron, 3650th MT Wing of the United States Air Force from February of 1952 until July of 1953, and was stationed at Sampson Air Force Base in Geneva, New York.

## HUGH J. DONNELLY, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Donnelly served from July of 1951 until August of 1953 with the 3659th BMT Squadron, 3650th MT Wing of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Sampson Air Force Base, Geneva, New York. Born on April 14, 1929, formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Brightwaters where he presently resides. He was graduated from St. Michael's D.H.S. High School, Brooklyn, in 1947, and from Fordham University in 1951. Following the service he was employed as a bond trader.

## ROBERT DONNELLY, Petty Officer 3rd Class

A resident of Brooklyn, New York, until he settled in Bay Shore, Mr. Donnelly was born on July 12, 1933. He served aboard the U.S.S. Valcour, AVP-55, and aboard the U.S.S. Tarawa, CVS-40, of the United States Navy from June of 1952 until May of 1956, and was stationed in the Middle East, India, South American, Africa, and in the Mediterranean and Caribbean Seas. A 1951 graduate of LaSalle Military Academy, he also attended New York Institute of Technology for three years. Following the service he was employed as a Nassau County Police Officer.

## LEO L. DONOVAN, Airman 1st Class

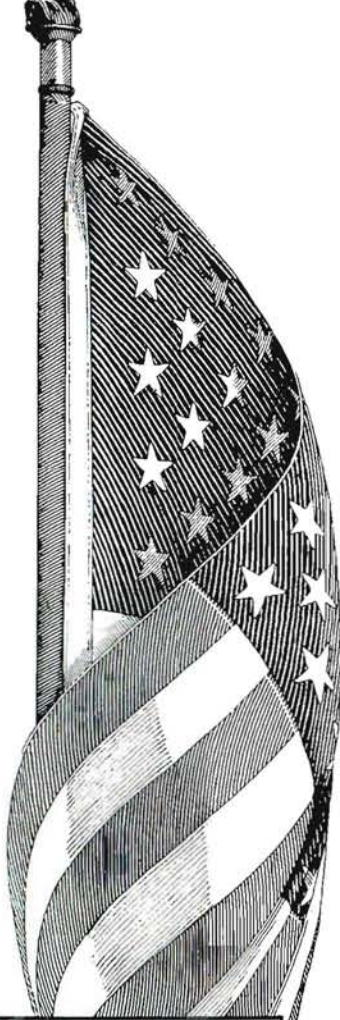
Formerly of Bellmore, and currently residing in Hauppauge, Mr. Donovan was born on May 14, 1931. He served with the 2033rd AACS Squadron of the United States Air Force from January of 1952 until January of 1956, and was stationed at Campbell Air Force Base, Kentucky, Otis Air Force Base, Massachusetts, and Kessler Air Force Base, Mississippi. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He was graduated in 1949 from Bishop Loughlin High School, and attended Suffolk County Community College for one year. He is retired from the Federal Aviation Administration, where he was employed as an Air Traffic Controller at Long Island MacArthur Airport.

## JOHN M. DOORHY, Sergeant

Sergeant Doorhy served from July of 1948 until July of 1952 with the United States Air Force, and was stationed principally in Germany. He earned the Berlin Airlift Device Medal as well as the Armed Forces Occupation Medal while in the service. Born on April 28, 1929, he was originally from the Bronx, New York, until he made his home in Bohemia where he presently resides. He was graduated from Suffolk County Community College in 1972, and is currently employed as a technical specialist.



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ALICE DONNELLY



HUGH J. DONNELLY



ROBERT DONNELLY



LEO L. DONOVAN



JOHN M. DOORHY





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## VINCENT A. DORAS, SR., Specialist 4th Class

Born on August 13, 1932, Mr. Doras is formerly of Forest City, Pennsylvania, and presently resides in Central Islip. He attended Forest City High School, Pennsylvania, and Purdue University as well. He served with E Company, 2nd Battalion, 109th Regiment, 28th Division of the United States Army from September of 1947 until October of 1951. He was stationed primarily at Camp Atterbury, Indiana. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RENALD O. DORDON, Sergeant

Sergeant Dordon served with the 1st Radio Relay Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in France, Germany, and in the United States, from October of 1953 until October of 1957. He was born on October 2, 1934, and was a Brooklyn resident until he settled in Great River where he presently resides. He was graduated from Fort Hamilton High School, Brooklyn, New York, received his Bachelor of Science degree from New York Institute of Technology, his Master of Science degree from the University of Bridgeport, Connecticut, and his Doctorate degree from Logan Chiropractic, St. Louis, Missouri. While in the service he earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, as well as the National Defense Service Medal, and is currently a Chiropractor.

## RICHARD A. DOUGHERTY, Petty Officer 1st Class

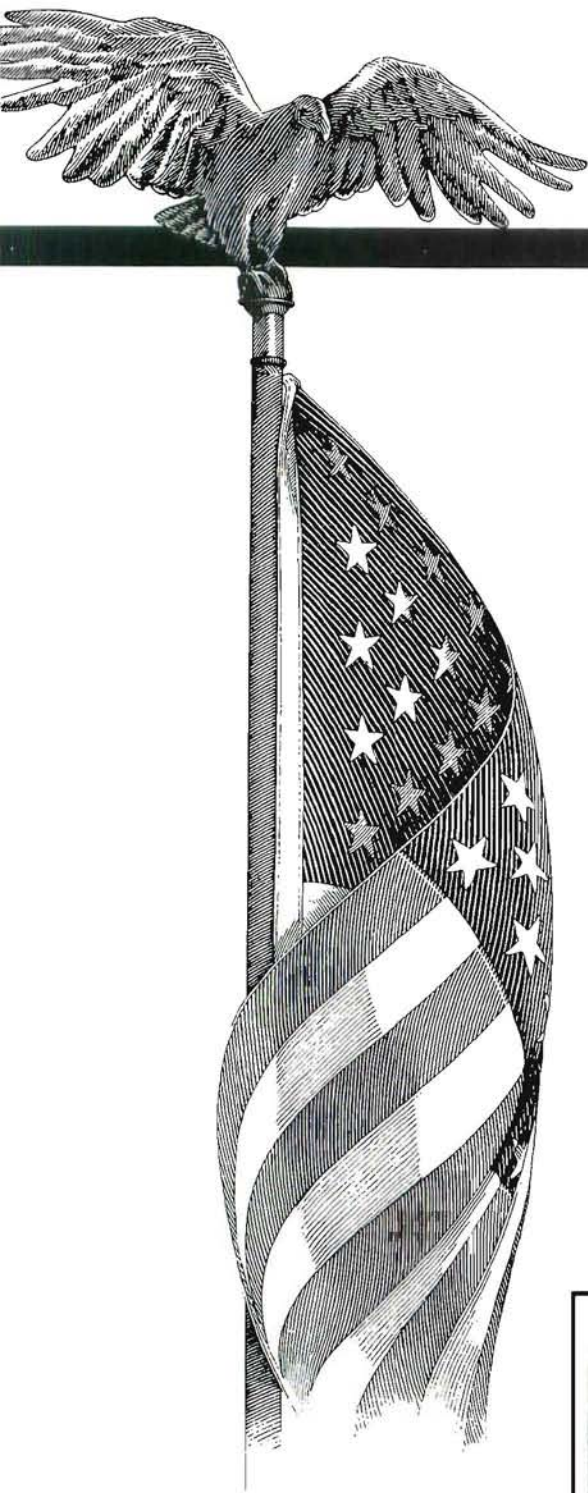
Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, until he made his home in Sayville, Mr. Dougherty was born on September 10, 1920. He served with the United States Navy from September of 1950 until June of 1952, and was stationed primarily in Sasebo, Japan. He attended Alexander Hamilton High School, Brooklyn. Mr. Dougherty passed away in September of 1975.

## JOSEPH DOYLE, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently a Bayport resident, Mr. Doyle was born on May 24, 1929. He was graduated from Brooklyn Preparatory High School in 1947, and from Brooklyn College in 1950. He served with the 364th AAA Gunnery Battalion of the United States Army from 1950 until 1957, and was stationed principally at Fort Tilden. Following the service he was employed as a banker.

## WILLIAM H. DRINKWATER, Aviation Ordnanceman 2nd Class

A Bellmore resident until he settled in Bay Shore, Mr. Drinkwater was born on April 27, 1935. He served with the 11th Rifle Company, 1st Marines, aboard the U.S.S. Princeton, CVA-37, with the 77th Task Force of the United States Marine Corps and the United States Navy from 1952 until 1957. He was stationed in Korea and in the South China Sea, and earned the Air Medal, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, and the China Service Medal. He attended Freeport High School, and was employed as a gasoline tank driver for Gulf Oil Corporation after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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RENALD O. DORDON



JOSEPH DOYLE



RICHARD A. DOUGHERTY

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## ARTHUR E. DRISCOLL, Sergeant

Sergeant Driscoll served with the 24th Infantry Division, 19th Infantry Regiment of the United States Army from February of 1954 until December of 1955, and was stationed in Japan and in Korea. He was born on September 17, 1932, and is formerly of Brooklyn, New York. He was graduated in 1950 from James Madison High School, Brooklyn, and has been employed as a real estate agent since his discharge from the service. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal and the Presidential Unit Citation. He presently resides in Sayville.

## MARCIAL B. DURLAO, Hospital Corpsman

Residing in the Philippines at the time he served, Mr. Dumlao was born on August 22, 1931, and resides in Bohemia. He served aboard the U.S.S. Boyd, DD-454, West PAC, 3rd Marine Division, FMF PAC, of the United States Navy from January of 1954 until May of 1973. He was stationed in Korea and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam, and the National Defense Service Medals. He attended Botolan High School in the Philippines, and also the University of Santo Thomas, Manila, Philippines, and is currently employed as a medical technologist. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH E. DUNN, Chaplain/Captain

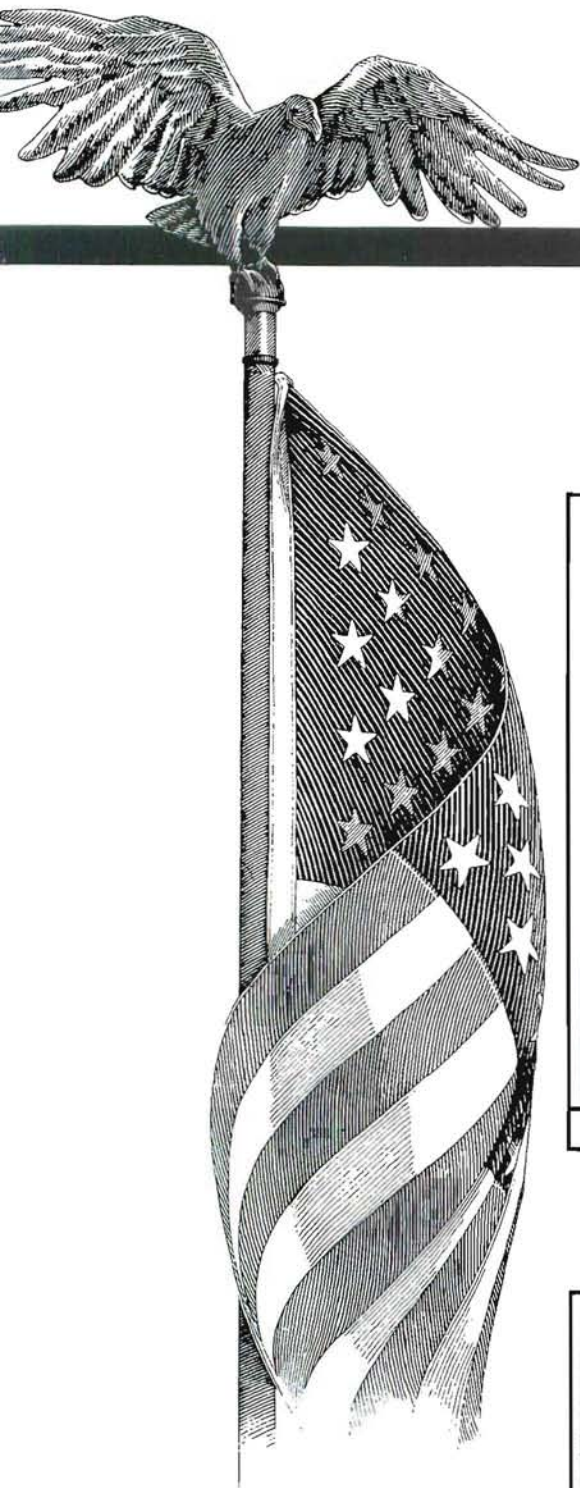
Formerly a pastor of St. Lawrence the Martyr Church in Sayville, and presently residing in Great Neck, Reverend Dunn was born on November 26, 1920. He was graduated in 1940 from Preparatory Seminary, and in 1946 from Seminary of Immaculate Conception. He served with the 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army from March of 1951 until December of 1953, and was stationed at Camp Ayer, Massachusetts, as well as in Korea and Japan. He earned the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and is now assigned to St. Aloysius Church, Great Neck.

## LEO A. DZWIL, Staff Sergeant

Born on September 18, 1930, and presently residing in Hauppauge, Mr. Dzwil is originally from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He served primarily in Arizona, California and in Okinawa, Japan, from June of 1951 until June of 1955 with the 303rd Bomb Wing of the United States Air Force. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Presidential Unit Citation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN EADIE, Sergeant

Sergeant Eadie served with the 19th Infantry, 24th Division of the United States Army from August of 1947 until May of 1954, and was stationed in Japan, Korea, as well as in the United States. A World War II veteran, he was born on December 10, 1918, and is originally from Brooklyn, New York. He earned various medals while in the service which include the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the American Defense Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the Philippine Service Medal, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, and the Good Conduct Medal as well. He presently resides in Bay Shore.



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MARCIAL B. DUMLAO



ARTHUR E. DRISCOLL



JOSEPH E. DUNN



JOHN EADIE

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## FRED H. EATON, Corporal

Corporal Eaton served from September of 1954 until September of 1957 with the 6th Armored Cavalry Regiment of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany where he served communist border patrol duty. He was born on March 26, 1936, and is originally from New Hyde Park, New York, until he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1953 from Sewanhaka High School, Floral Park, and following the service was employed as a Suffolk County Police Officer. He is merited with the Overseas Ribbon. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MARVIN M. EBINGER, Chief Warrant Officer

Formerly of Washington, D.C., and currently a resident of Sayville, Mr. Ebinger was born on December 20, 1905. He served with the 1254th Special Missions Group of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Washington, D.C. His dates of military service span from September of 1927 until March of 1960. He is a 1924 graduate of Blume High School.

## HERBERT A. ECCLESTON, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Eccleston was born on August 18, 1930, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1949. He served from February of 1952 until February of 1954 with the Marine Ground Control Interceptor Squadron #5 of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed primarily at Cherry Point, North Carolina. He is currently employed as a Manager for New York Telephone Company.

## RICHARD L. ECCLESTON, Corporal

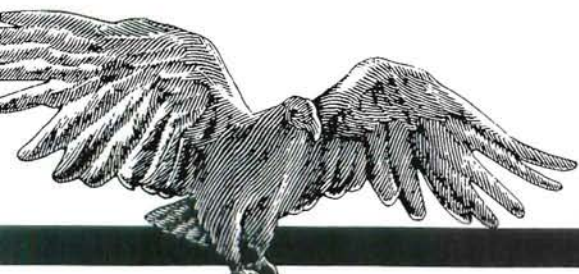
Born on May 8, 1928, and a longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Eccleston was graduated from Islip High School in 1946, and in 1949 from RCA Institute, New York City. He served with H Company, 1301st ASU of the United States Army Signal Corps, and was stationed mainly at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey from May of 1952 until May of 1954. Following the service he was employed with Freitag Radio Company, and is currently employed with New York Telephone Company.

## DONALD F. ECK, Sergeant

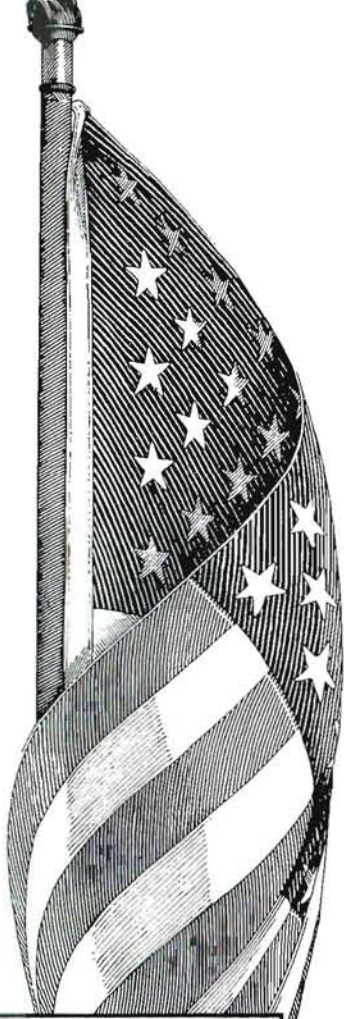
Sergeant Eck served from January of 1955 until December of 1957 with the 573rd Engineer Company (Pontoon Bridge Company), at Fort Campbell Kentucky, and with the 36th Engineer Company (Parts Depot), in West Germany. Born on December 3, 1934, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1953 from Bushwick High School, Brooklyn, and is currently employed as a Police Officer.

## GEORGE ECONOMOS, Aviation Ordnanceman/Airman

Originally from Lindenhurst, New York, Mr. Economos was born on December 30, 1933, and was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1951. He served from November of 1951 until September of 1954 with the 94th Fighter Squadron of the United States Navy, and was stationed in the Philippines aboard CVA-47. He is merited with the National Defense, Korean, and United Nations Service Medals. After the service he attended Hofstra University, and is employed as an insurance broker. He resides in Bayport.



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MARVIN M. EBINGER



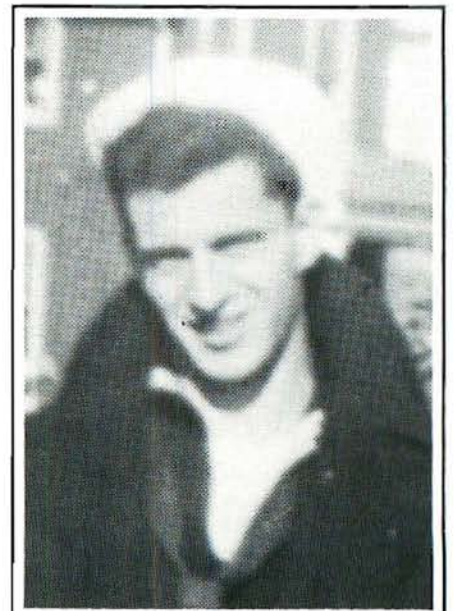
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DONALD F. ECK



GEORGE ECONOMOS



# TOWN OF ISLIP

## GEORGE K. EGBERT, Chief Engineer

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Egbert was born on April 18, 1928, and attended Bay Shore High School from 1942 until 1946. A Vietnam veteran as well as a Korean veteran, he served principally in Vietnam from March of 1946 until September of 1968, aboard the U.S.S. Neosho, aboard the U.S.S. Elokomin, and aboard the U.S.S. Sea Leopard of the United States Navy. He received the Good Conduct Medal while in the service and since his discharge has been employed as a Technical Analyst for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ERNEST J. EICHLER, Sergeant

Sergeant Eichler served from November of 1952 until November of 1954 with the Chemical Corp of the United States Army and was stationed at the Army Chemical Center, Edgewood, Maryland. Born on January 24, 1931, and originally from Mineola, New York, he had settled in East Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Mineola High School in 1948, and from Hofstra University in 1952. He received an Honorable Discharge from the service, and is currently employed as a weight engineer.

## EDWIN A. ENG, Airman 1st Class

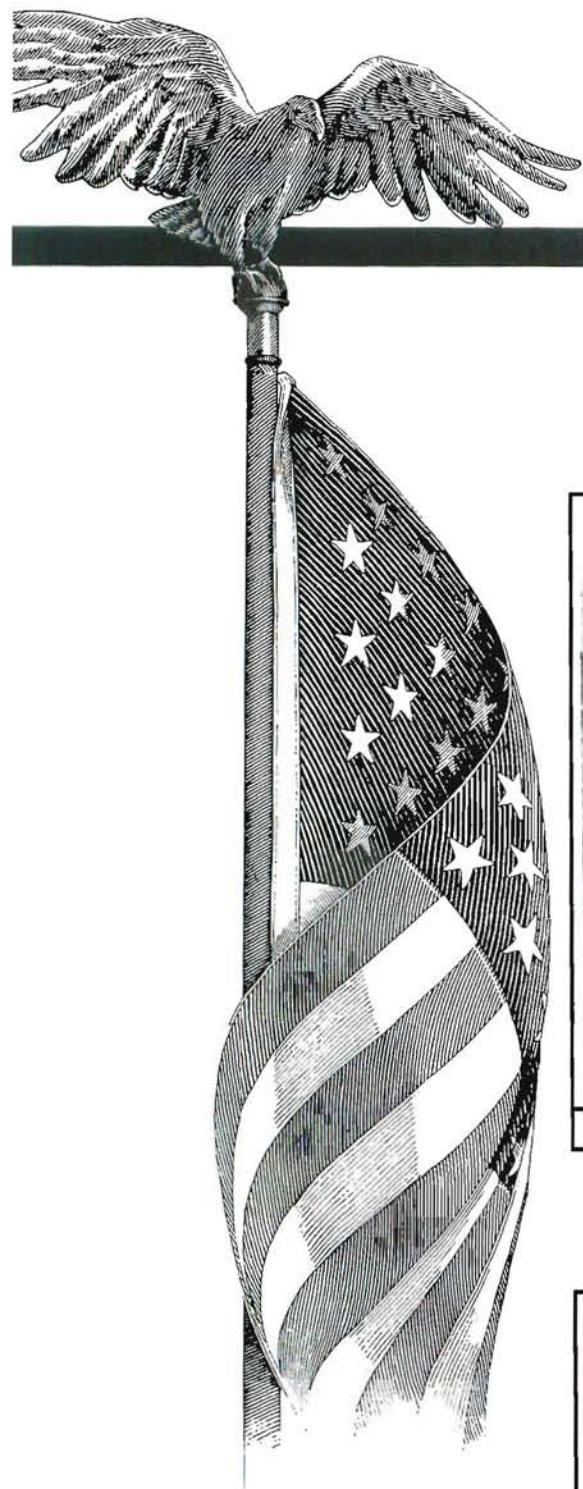
Born on August 24, 1931, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Eng has since settled in Brentwood. He attended Fort Hamilton High School, Brooklyn, and served with the 18th Fighter Bomber Wing of the United States Air Force from December of 1950 until November of 1953, and was stationed in Chinhae and Osan, Korea. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, as well as the United Nations Service Medal. Following the service, he was employed as a New York City Police Officer.

## FREDERICK ENGSTROM, Sergeant

A resident of Sayville, and formerly of Wantagh, New York, Mr. Engstrom was born on June 26, 1931, and was graduated from Wellington C. Mepham High School in 1949. He served in Korea from April of 1952 until April of 1954 with the 54th Engineer Field Maintenance Company of the United States Army. He is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. He was employed as a plumber following his discharge.

## JAMES S. ERICKSON, Staff Sergeant

Originally from Bay Shore, and currently residing in Islip, Mr. Erickson was born on May 2, 1928. He was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1946, and received his Bachelor's degree from Fordham University in 1951, and his Master's degree in 1958 from SUNY at New Paltz. He served with the Public Information Office of the United States Marine Corps from September of 1951 until September of 1953, and was stationed chiefly at Cherry Point, North Carolina. Following his discharge from the service, he was employed as a staff engineer, and as a school teacher.



# KOREAN VETERANS



EDWIN A. ENG



ERNEST J. EICHLER



JAMES S. ERICKSON



FREDERICK ENGSTROM





# TOWN OF ISLIP

## THOMAS P. ESPOSITO, Airman

Born on June 27, 1933, and formerly of Queens, New York, Mr. Esposito made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He served aboard the U.S.S. Coral Sea of the United States Navy from December of 1950 until March of 1954, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He attended John Adams High School, and received his Equivalency Diploma in 1951 while in the service. Following his separation from the Navy, he was employed as an automobile/truck mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM J. ESPOSITO, Sergeant

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in East Islip, Mr. Esposito was born on June 4, 1932, and was graduated from James Madison High School. He served with the 1st Marine Division, 2nd Medical Battalion, 2nd Marine Division, Military Police, 2nd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, from July of 1950 until July of 1954, and was stationed on Parris Island, South Carolina, at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, at Camp Fisher, Korea, and in Japan as well. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. After the service he was a sergeant with the New York City Police Department, and currently has a partnership in Precision Glass Corp.

## BRUNO A. ETRO, Sergeant

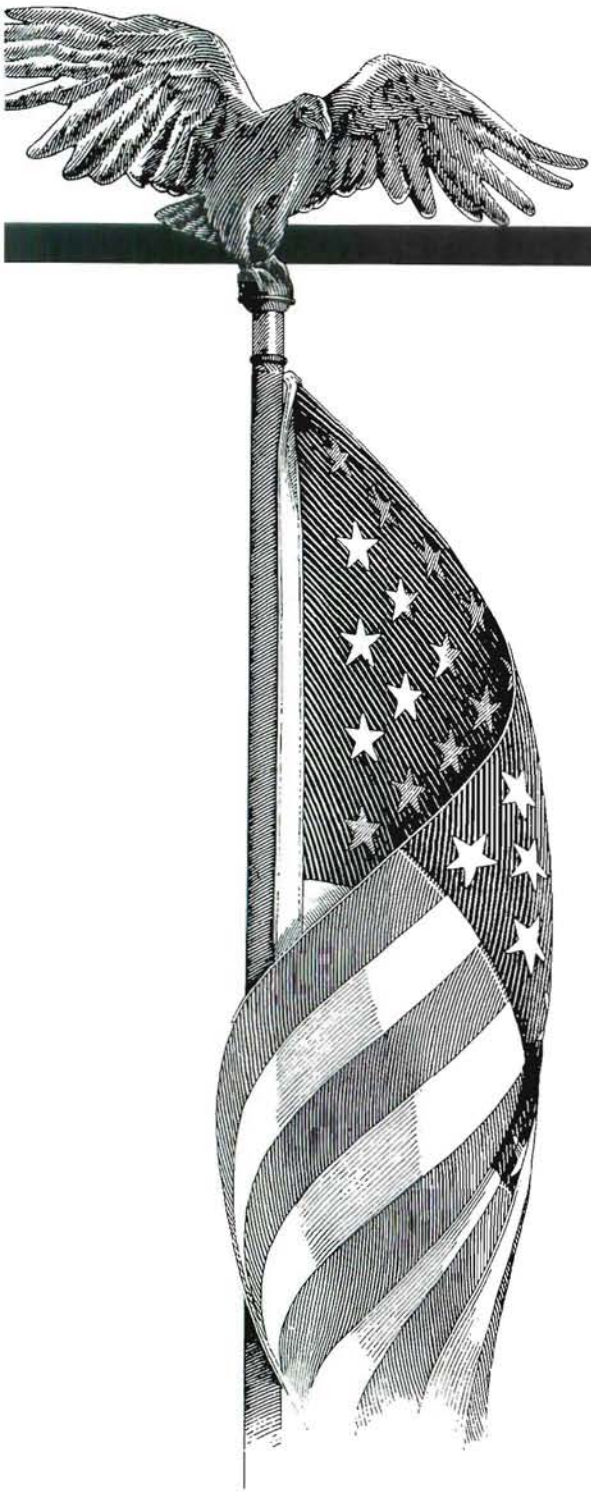
Sergeant Etro served from February of 1951 until December of 1953 with the 5th Ordnance Company of the United States Army. He was born on August 22, 1929, and was a resident of Brooklyn, New York, until he settled in Brentwood where he resided until he passed away on June 9, 1985. He earned the Korean, National Defense and United Nations Service Medals, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, and received an Honorable Discharge as well.

## PETER ETTARI, Electronics Technician 2nd Class

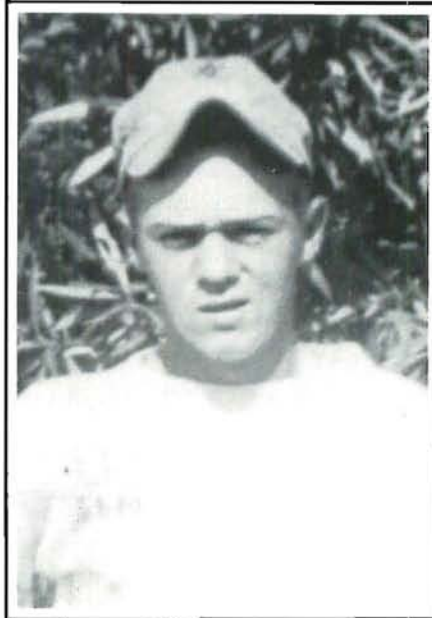
Formerly of Ozone Park, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Ettari was born on October 31, 1933. He served aboard the U.S.S. Sierra, AD-18, of the United States Navy from September of 1952 until August of 1956, and was stationed mainly in Norfolk, Virginia. He was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1951, and from New York City College in 1960. He has been employed as an electronics technician since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FREDERICK EVOLA, Seaman

Seaman Evola served from July of 1951 until June of 1955 aboard the U.S.S. Hornet, CVA-12, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in the Far East. Originally from Staten Island, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, he was born on July 25, 1933. He is a 1951 graduate of McKee Vocational and Technical High School, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale, as well as New York Institute of Technology. He received the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the American Defense Service Medal. Following his separation from the Navy he was employed as a clerk on Wall Street. (Photogrph unavailable.)



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WILLIAM J. ESPOSITO



BRUNO A. ETRO



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## DONALD J. FAGGIANI, Corporal

Corporal Faggiani served with the 511th Airborne Signal Company, 11th Airborne Division of the United States Army from February of 1951 until February of 1953, and was stationed principally at Fort Campbell, Kentucky. Born on August 6, 1929, and originally from St. Albans, New York, he made his home in East Islip where he has resided for more than 20 years. He was graduated from Andrew Jackson High School in 1946, and following the service was employed as a television serviceman, and is presently employed as a Cable Technician for New York Telephone Company. While in the service he earned the Sharpshooter Medal.

## JOHN FALCIANI, Corporal

A longtime resident of Islip Terrace, Mr. Falciani was graduated from East Islip High School in 1947. He served principally in Munich, Germany with the 22nd Medical Maintenance Ordnance, 7th Army of the United States Army, from January of 1951 until December of 1952. He received an Honorable Discharge from the service, and has been employed by New York Telephone Company since his discharge.

## WILLIAM J. FALKENMAYER, Corporal

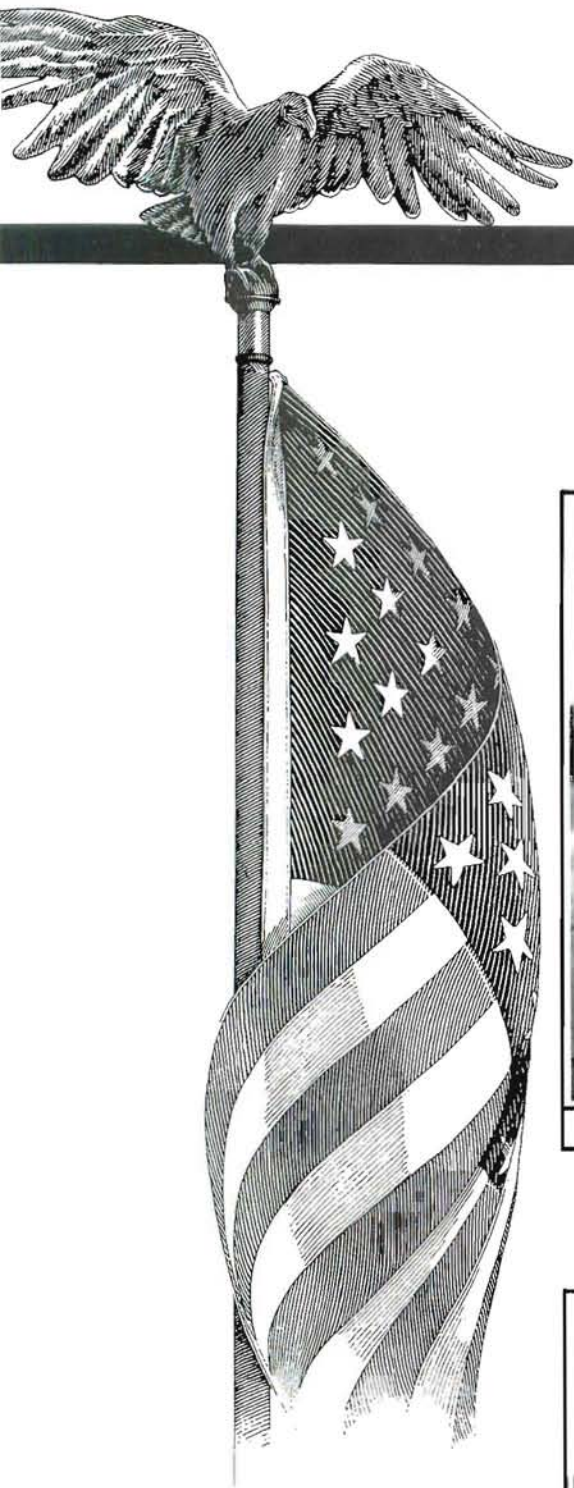
Corporal Falkenmayer served from January of 1953 until January of 1955 with the 16th Signal Battalion and was stationed at Fort Lewis, Washington, and at Camp Irwin, California. He was born on November 13, 1932, and was graduated from Baldwin High School in 1950. Originally from Baldwin, he has since settled in West Islip. He earned the Good Conduct Medal while in the service, and was employed as a truck driver following the service. Currently, he is employed as a warehouse manager.

## SALVATORE FANDALE, Private 1st Class

Formerly of New York City, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Fandale was born on January 21, 1930. He served from May of 1951 until April of 1953 with the 10th Field Hospital, APO-800, with the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Wurzburg, Germany. He was graduated from Seward High School, and is currently employed as a printer.

## RALPH FARRAUTO, Private 1st Class

Born on June 21, 1932, Mr. Farrauto was originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently resides in West Islip. He served with the 40th Division, 224th Regiment, H Company, of the United States Army from November of 1952 until November of 1954. He is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Overseas Ribbon, and the National Defense Service Medal. He attended William E. Grady High School and Brooklyn Automotive Trades High School, Brooklyn. Following the service he was employed as a mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)



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DONALD J. FAGGIANI



JOHN FALCIANI



WILLIAM J. FALKENMAYER



SALVATORE PANDALE

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## EDWARD J. FARRELL, Yeoman 1st Class

A 1944 graduate of Brooklyn Preparatory High School, Mr. Farrell was also graduated from St. Francis College in 1948, and from Fordham University, School of Law, in 1951. He was born on June 13, 1926, and is originally from Brooklyn, New York. He presently resides in Oakdale and is an attorney. He served from October of 1951 until October of 1953 with the Legal Department, 3rd Coast Guard District of the United States Coast Guard, and was stationed along the Eastern Seaboard. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES FARRELL, Staff Sergeant

Originally from College Point, New York, and presently a Sayville resident, Staff Sergeant Farrell served with the 5th Company of the United States Air Force from January of 1951 until January of 1955, and was stationed in Korea. Born on April 18, 1932, he was graduated from Flushing High School in 1950, attended Dayton University, and was graduated from Monmouth College in 1962. Following his discharge, he was employed in electronics, and presently a director of administration. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal.

## THOMAS F. FARRELL, Corporal

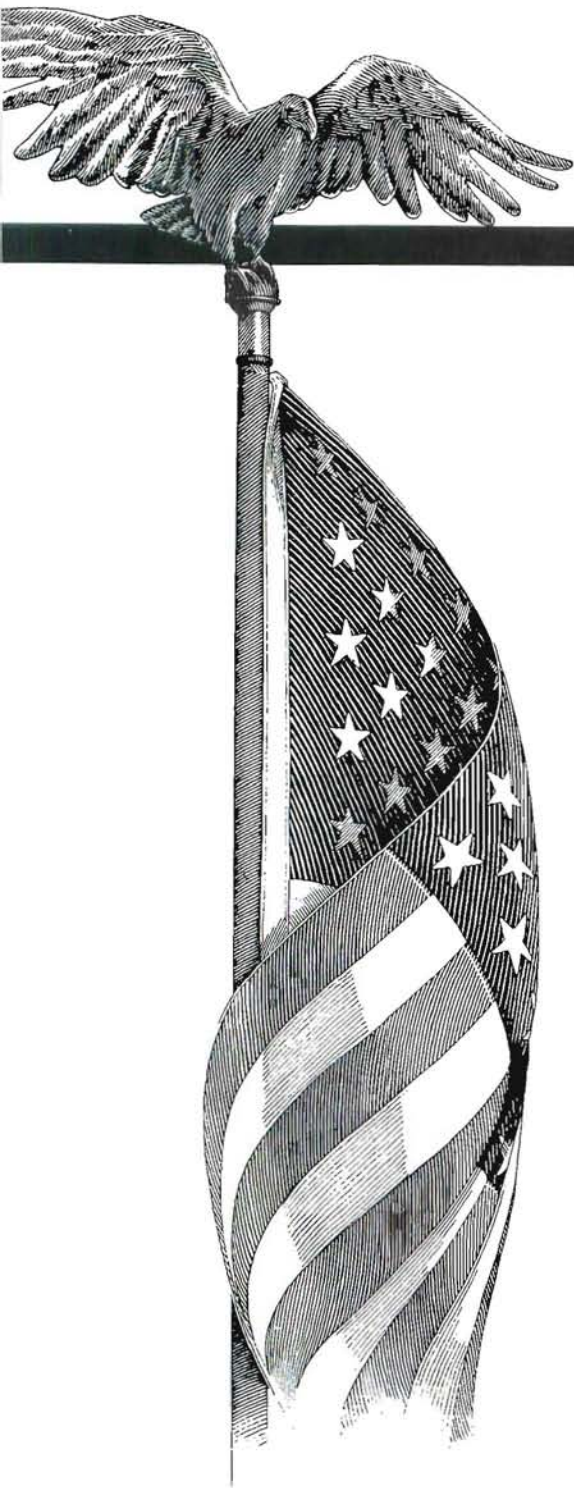
Presently residing in Bay Shore, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Farrell was born on April 18, 1934, and was graduated from St. George Academy High School in 1952. He served with H Company, 3rd Battalion, 1st Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from September of 1952 until September of 1955, and was stationed in the InJim River area. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Marksman Rifle Badge, and the Presidential Unit Citation while in the service, as well as the Korean Campaign Ribbon. Following his discharge, he was employed as a production supervisor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALBERT FATA, Corporal

Corporal Fata served from 1951 until 1954 with the 3rd Combat Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in New York, Hawaii, Korea, and in Japan. Originally from the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, he was born on December 28, 1931. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, and has been employed as a truck driver since his discharge. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM J. FEDERKIEL, Private 1st Class

Private Federkiel served from October of 1953 until October of 1956 with B Company, 1st MTU Battalion, 1st Marine Division, FMF, of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed mainly in California. He was born on June 14, 1936, attended Patchogue High School for two years, and received his Equivalency Diploma while in the service. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he resided in Brentwood until he passed away in June of 1985. Following the service he was employed with Republic Aircraft from 1957 until 1958, and then was employed as a butcher and meat manager. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal while in the service.



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JAMES FARRELL



WILLIAM J. FEDERKIEL

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## JOSEPH A. FELDER, Corporal

Corporal Felder served from November of 1950 until November of 1952 with the 844th Radio Relay Company of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily at Camp Gordon, Georgia. Born on April 2, 1928, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He attended Midwood High School, Brooklyn, and DeWitt Clinton High School, Bronx, New York. Following his discharge he was employed as a photo engraver.

## JACK FELDMAN, Corporal

Born on April 2, 1930, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Feldman settled in East Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Thomas Jefferson High School in 1948, and is presently employed in sales. He served from December of 1950 until November of 1952 with the 17th Special Services of the United States Army and was stationed primarily in France. He is merited with the American Defense Service Medal.

## ANTHONY J. FELICIO, Corporal

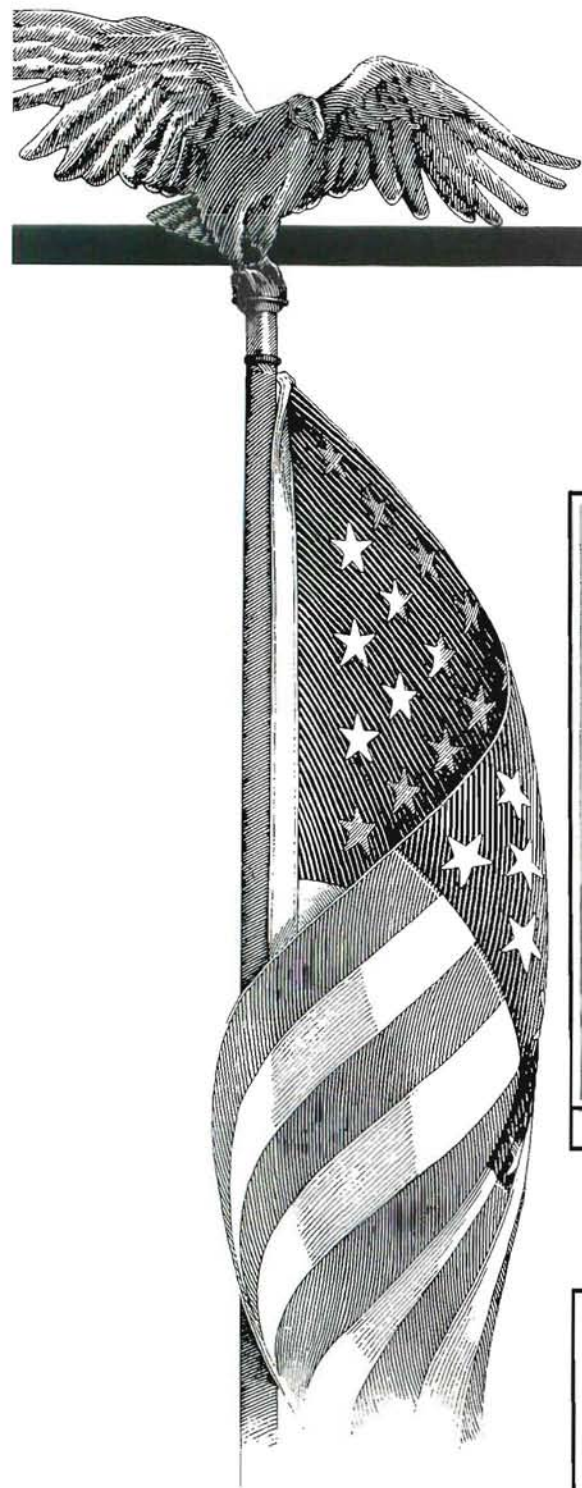
Presently residing in Bay Shore, and formerly of Ozone Park, New York, Mr. Felicio was born on January 10, 1931. He served principally in Korea and Japan from November of 1951 until November of 1953 with the 134th Regiment Combat Team, D Company of the United States Army. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Expert Rifle Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. He was graduated from John Adams High School, and is a 1948 graduate of St. John's University. He also attended Hofstra University for one year, and following the service was employed as a food retailer.

## JOHN L. FERGUSON, Petty Officer

Born on April 10, 1934, and originally from Elmont, New York, Mr. Ferguson made his home in West Sayville where he presently resides. He attended Sewanhaka High School in Floral Park, and went on to serve in the Far East Command from 1952 until 1956 aboard the U.S.S. Oriskany, CVA-34, of the United States Navy. He earned the American Defense Service Medal, and the Korean Service Medal, and following his discharge was employed as a police officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## VINCENT FERRARA, Sergeant

Sergeant Ferrara served from May of 1949 until November of 1952 with Headquarters, 8th Cavalry Regiment of the United States Army and was stationed in Okinawa, Japan, in Korea, and in Germany. He earned the German Occupation Medal, the Japan Occupation Medal, the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge. Born on March 31, 1932, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he settled in Central Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Lewis A. Wilson School of Nursing, and is currently employed as a nurse.



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VINCENT FERRARA



JOSEPH A. FELDER



ANTHONY J. FELICIO



JACK FELDMAN



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## ROGER A. FERRERE, JR., Corporal

Formerly of Glendale, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Ferrere was born on March 3, 1933, and was graduated from Richmond Hill High School, Richmond Hill, New York. He served with H Company, 1st Battalion, 6th Armored Cavalry Regiment of the United States Army from April of 1951 until April of 1954, and was stationed in Germany. He is merited with the German Occupation Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. Following his discharge he was employed as a clerk, and is currently employed as an assistant cashier.

## RONALD J. FIALKOWSKI, Airman 1st Class

Airman Fialkowski served from May of 1951 until August of 1952 with the 2595th Maintenance and Supply Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Brooks Air Force Base, Texas. He was born on September 26, 1932, and resided in Brooklyn at the time he served. He was graduated from Fort Hamilton High School in 1949, and attended New York City College and Pace University. He currently resides in Bay Shore and is employed as an assistant director of industrial relations. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Korean Service Medal as well.

## BENJAMIN P. FIELD, Captain

A longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. Field was born on June 22, 1908. He was graduated from Islip High School in 1925, from the United States Naval Academy in 1931, in 1949 from Leland Stanford College, and in 1962 from Hofstra University. He served from 1931 until 1961 with the Assistant Fleet Personnel Office during the Korean War, and was stationed with the Atlantic and Pacific Fleets of the United States Navy. He is merited with the Silver Star, the Bronze Star, and the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. Following the service he was employed as a teacher until his retirement.

## WILLIAM J. FIESCHEL, Airman 1st Class

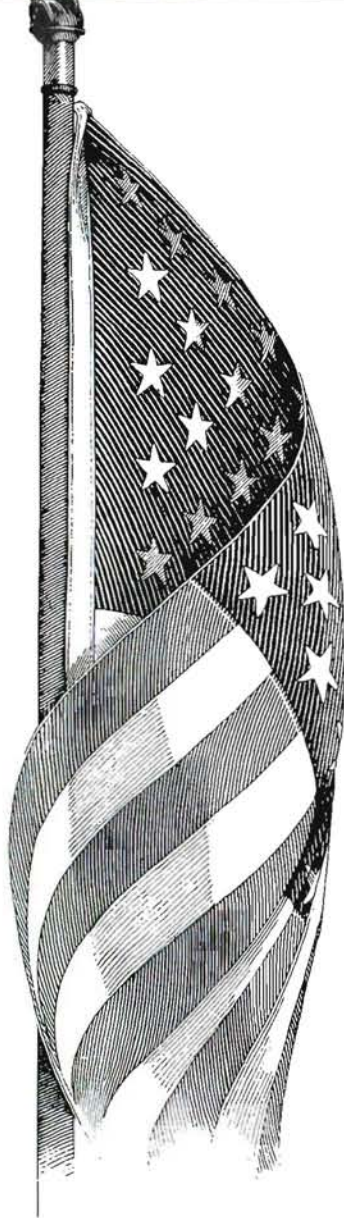
Mr. Fieschel was born on February 5, 1935, and is formerly of the Bronx, New York. He made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides and is currently employed as a truck driver. He served from March of 1953 until May of 1957 with the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Wyoming, Oklahoma, as well as in Japan and Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Sharpshooter Rifle Badge. He attended St. Luke's Grammar School from 1941 until 1949, attended Rice High School from 1950 until 1952, and received his Equivalency Diploma while in the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## SALVATORE M. FILOSA, Private 1st Class

Private Filosa served from 1952 until 1953 with E Company, 223rd Infantry Regiment, 40th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in the Punch Bowl and at Heartbreak Ridge. He earned the Korean Service Medal and the Combat Infantry Badge as well. Born on February 5, 1932, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he presently resides in Brentwood. A 1950 graduate of George Westinghouse High School, he was employed as a Correction Officer in New York City following the service, and is currently retired.



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ROGER A. FERRERE



BENJAMIN P. FIELD



RONALD J. FIALKOWSKI



SALVATORE M. FILOSA

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## HARRY E. FINDEL, Corporal

A resident of Bay Shore, formerly of Ozone Park, New York, Mr. Findel was born on November 27, 1930, and attended John Adams High School. He served with the 1st Marine Division, Tank Ordnance Battalion of the United States Marine Corps from February of 1951 until February of 1954. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Following his discharge he was employed as a Long Island Park Commissioner, and as a Long Island Railroad Engineer.

## ROBERT J. FISCHER, Corporal

A 1947 graduate of Newtown High School, and a 1955 graduate of Queens County Community College, Mr. Fischer was born on January 5, 1930, and resides in Great River. Originally from Corona, New York, he served with the FEC Signal Service Battalion of the United States Army from September of 1952 until September of 1954, and was stationed mainly in Tokyo, Japan. After the service, he was employed as a teacher. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH T. FISCHETTI, Corporal

Corporal Fischetti served from October of 1950 until July of 1952 with the 3rd Platoon, C Company, of the 5th Regimental Combat Team assigned to the 24th Division of the United States Army, and was transferred to the 724th Ordnance Company. He was stationed at the front line in Korea, and in Sendi, Japan with the 724th Ordnance Company. He is merited with the Japan Occupation Medal, the Korean Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge. Born on May 11, 1928, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He was graduated from Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School in 1946, and is currently employed as a Foreman of Maintenance for Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## GUSTAVE FISHEL III, Corporal

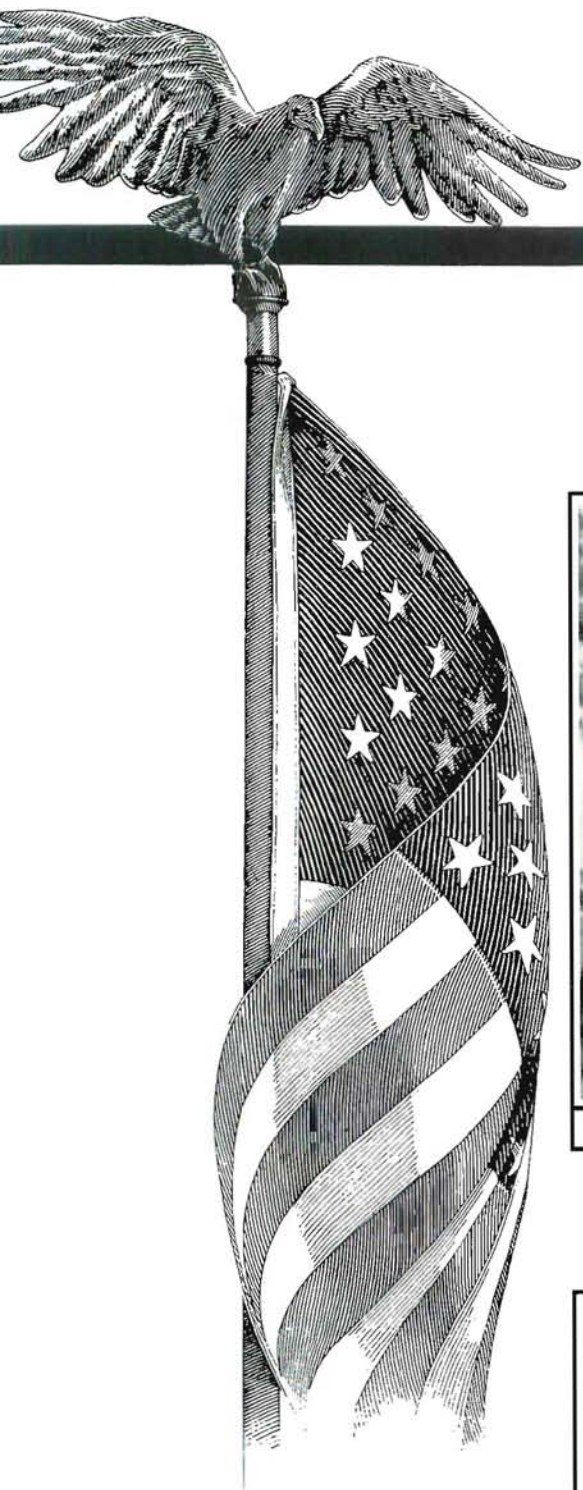
Formerly of Babylon, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Fishel was born on January 27, 1930. He was graduated in 1947 from Babylon High School, in 1951 from Hamilton College, and from New York University, School of Law, in 1956. He served from September of 1952 until September of 1954 with the United States Army, and was stationed in Fort Jackson, South Carolina. He currently has a law office in Babylon.

## BERT FLAMBERG, Sergeant

Presently residing in Oakdale, and originally from Brightwaters, Mr. Flamberg was born on March 28, 1929. He served from 1950 until 1953 with the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Alaska. He was graduated in 1946 from Bay Shore High School, and from Hobart College in 1950. He is currently employed as a lumber and building supply dealer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HENRY E. FLESCH, Specialist 2nd Class

Born on February 24, 1935, and originally from Hempstead, New York, Mr. Flesch made his home in Bayport where he presently resides. He served from 1953 until 1956 with the Army Security Agency of the Far East Command of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea and Japan. He was graduated from Hempstead High School, Hempstead, and from Parsons School of Design. He earned the Bronze Star Medal while in the Service.



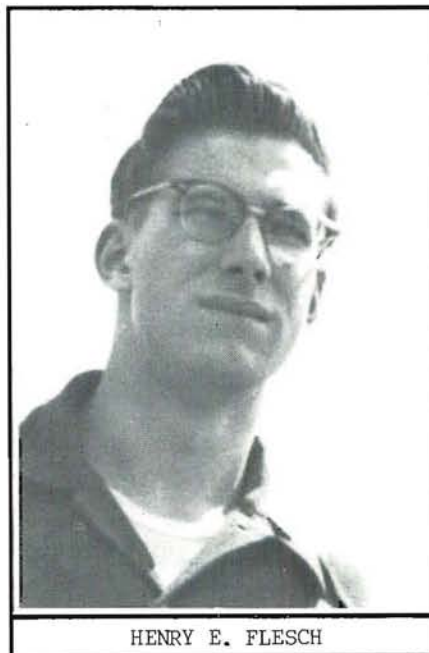
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JOSEPH T. FISCHETTI



HARRY E. FINDEL



HENRY E. FLESCH



GUSTAVE FISHEL III



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## ENRIQUE FONALLEDAS, Private 1st Class

Private Fonalledas served from December of 1952 until November of 1954 with the 2nd Division, Mortar Unit of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Seoul, Korea. Originally from Vega Alta, Puerto Rico, he settled in Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1949 from Toa Alta High School, Puerto Rico, and in 1950 from Rio Piedras School of Dentistry, and is currently employed as a truck driver. While in the service he earned the National Defense, the Korean, and the United Nations Service Medal.

## ARTHUR FORD, Airman 1st Class

Born on October 18, 1931, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Ford settled in Central Islip where he presently resides. He attended Mount St. Michael High School, Bronx, and also attended Columbia University for two years. He served with the 2500th Motor Vehicle Squadron of the United States Air Force from March of 1951 until June of 1955 and was stationed in England and in New York. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, and has been the owner of a service station in Islip since his discharge from the service.

## JOSEPH FORD, Corporal

Corporal Ford served from February of 1951 until January of 1953 with the 70th Combat Engineers Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in Austria. A graduate of Erasmus High School, Brooklyn, New York, he became a police officer following the service. Born on January 6, 1929, he is formerly of Brooklyn, and presently resides in Great River. (Photograph unavailable.)

## SAMUEL FOREMAN, Private 1st Class

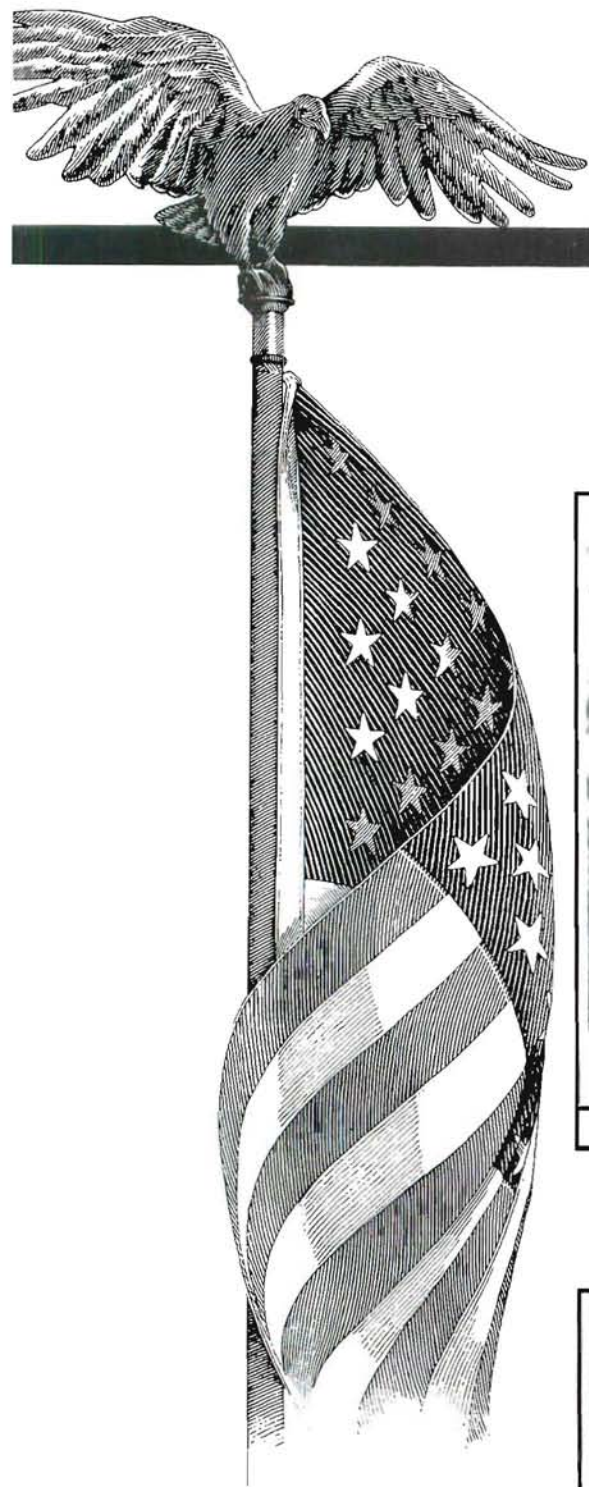
Originally from Far Rockaway, New York, and presently residing in Islip, Dr. Foreman was born on August 4, 1930. He served with the United States Medical Service Graduate School, WRAMC, Washington, D.C., from August of 1953 until July of 1955. He was graduated from Sewanhaka High School in 1948, from Brooklyn College of Pharmacy in 1953, and from New York College of Podiatric Medicine in 1961. He currently has a practice on Carleton Avenue in Islip Terrace. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RALPH A. FORTUNATO, Personnelman 3rd Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and born on July 11, 1932, Mr. Fortunato made his home in West Islip where he presently resides. He served from December of 1951 until December of 1955 with the United States Naval Auxiliary Air Station at Barin Field, Alabama. He was graduated from St. Michael's High School, Brooklyn, and from Brooklyn College. He has been employed in data processing since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CHARLES J. FOSTER, Corporal

Corporal Foster served from 1953 until 1955 with the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Europe. Residing in Islip and formerly of Lindenhurst, New York, he was born on March 13, 1933. A 1951 graduate of Lindenhurst High School, he is currently employed as a parts analyst. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge as well.



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ARTHUR FORD



ENRIQUE FONALLEDAS



SAMUEL FOREMAN



CHARLES J. FOSTER

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## KENNETH C. FRANK, Aviation Electricians Mate 3rd Class

A resident of Central Islip, Mr. Frank was born on October 23, 1931. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from Franklin K. Lane High School, and attended Queens County Community College, Kings County Community College, and Suffolk County Community College. He served from 1951 until 1955 with the VF-839 Fighter Squadron of the United States Navy and Naval Reserves, and was stationed in Floyd Bennett Field. He is currently employed as a professional photographer.

## CHARLES D. FRAZER, Corporal

Sergeant Frazer served with the 843rd Engineer Company of the United States Army from February of 1951 until December of 1953, and was stationed chiefly in France. He is originally from Queens Village, New York, and presently resides in East Islip. Mr. Frazer was born on April 18, 1932, and was graduated from Andrew Jackson High School in 1949. Following his discharge from the service, he was employed as a Factory/Maintenance Supervisor for American Airlines. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE FRAZER, Commissary Petty Officer 3rd Class

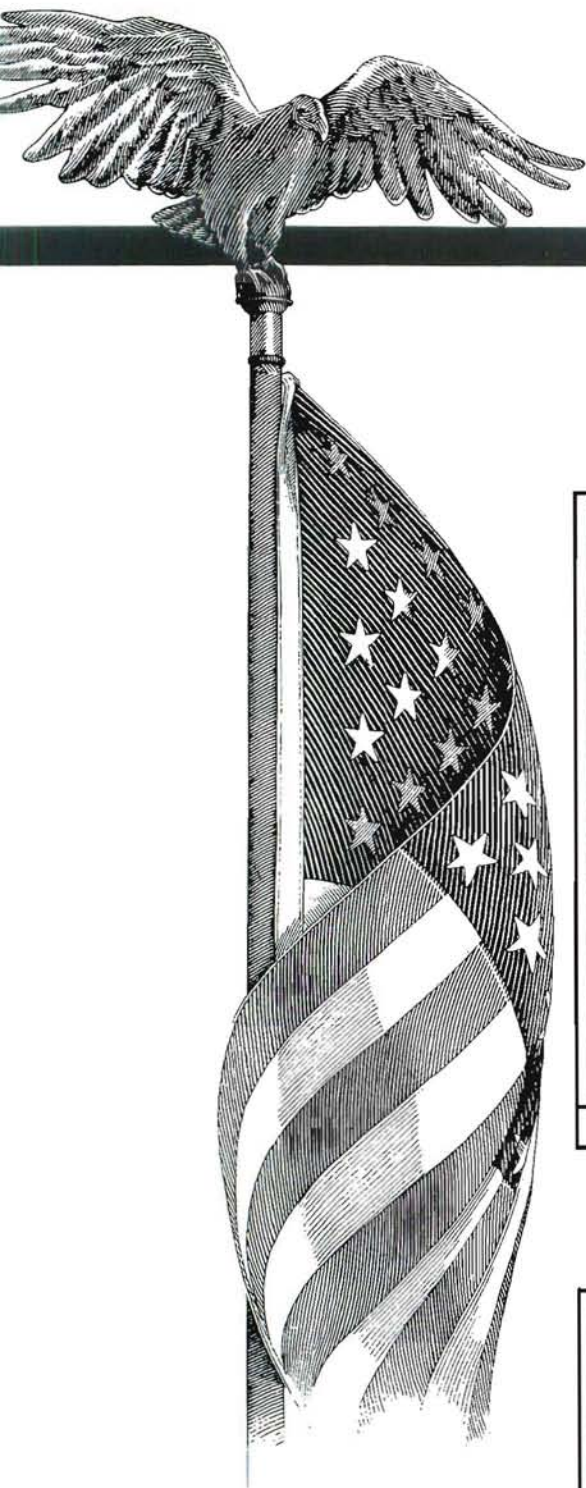
Formerly of Bayside, New York, Mr. Frazer was born on July 5, 1930, and presently resides in West Islip. He served with the Commissary of the United States Navy from October of 1951 until September of 1953, and was stationed in Maryland. He was graduated from New York School of Printing in 1949, and after the service was employed as a printer.

## JOSEPH R. FRAZZETTA, Private 1st Class

Born on August 16, 1929, and formerly a resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Frazzetta has since made his home in West Islip. He served principally at the New York Port of Embarkation from October of 1950 until May of 1952 with the 808th Military Police Company of the United States Army. He was graduated in 1947 from Watertown High School, Watertown, New York, and in 1969 from SUNY at Farmingdale, and also attended Empire State College, Westbury, New York, for three years. Following the service he was employed as a federal civil service employee.

## ROBERT A. FREEMAN, Master Sergeant

A Vietnam veteran as well as a Korean veteran, Mr. Freeman was born on June 22, 1934. Residing in Whitefield, Maine, during the Korean years, he presently resides in Brentwood. He served with the United States Air Force principally in New Hampshire and the Philippines, during his Korean tour of duty, and in Maine, Oklahoma, New York, Texas, Alaska, Thailand, and in Germany during his Vietnam tour of duty, from December of 1951 until June of 1972. During the Korean years he earned the United Nations Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and a Korean Service Medal. During his Vietnam years he earned two Air Force Commendation Medals, one with combat "V", a Vietnam Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation as well. He attended Gardiner High School, Gardiner, Maine, and was employed with the United States Postal Service following his discharge.



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GEORGE FRAZER



KENNETH C. FRANK



JOSEPH R. FRAZZETTA



ROBERT A. FREEMAN





# TOWN OF ISLIP

## FRANCIS FREGO, E-3

A 1952 graduate of Manual Training High School, Mr. Frego was born on May 1, 1934, and resided in Brooklyn, New York, before making his home in Ronkonkoma. He served from March of 1952 until April of 1955 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Tarawa, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. In 1965 he was graduated from New York State University, and was employed in electronics.

## ROBERT K. FREUDENTHAL, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, and a resident of Islip Terrace, Mr. Freudenthal was born on May 30, 1935. He was graduated in 1953 from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades, and following the service was employed as an aircraft mechanic. He served with the 29th Engineer Battalion, Survey Base of the United States Army from September of 1953 until September of 1959, and was stationed in Tokyo, Japan. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD L. FRICKER, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Franklin Square, New York, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Fricker was born on September 27, 1929. He served from February of 1951 until February of 1953 with A Battery, 49th Field Artillery Battalion, 7th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed near the 38th parallel in Central Korea. A 1947 graduate of Sewanhaka High School, he is currently employed as a Terminal Operator for Northville Industries. While in the service, he earned the United Nations Service Medal, and the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars.

## BERNARD FRIEDMAN, Petty Officer 2nd Class

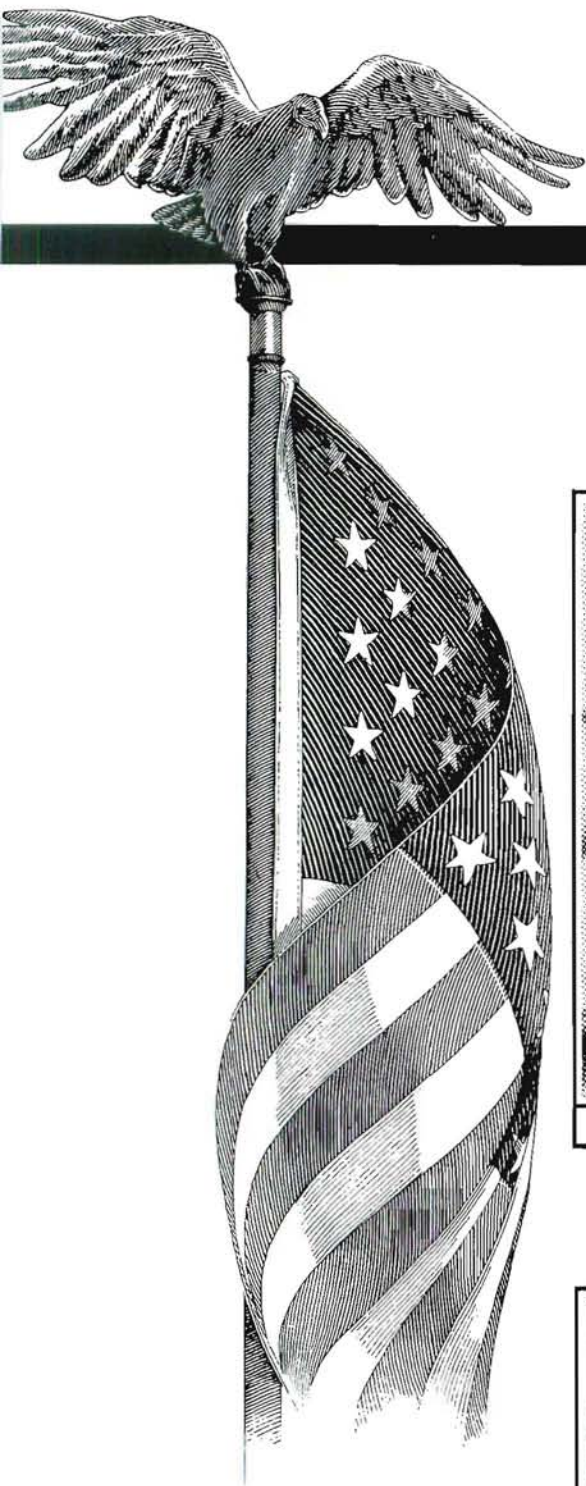
Presently residing in Hauppauge, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Friedman was born on January 27, 1933. He attended Abraham Lincoln High School, Brooklyn, and New York City College, and was graduated in 1961 from Ohio State University. He served Sea Duty aboard the U.S.S. Randall, APA-224, of the United States Navy from April of 1951 until 1953. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALFRED V. FUCHS, Sergeant

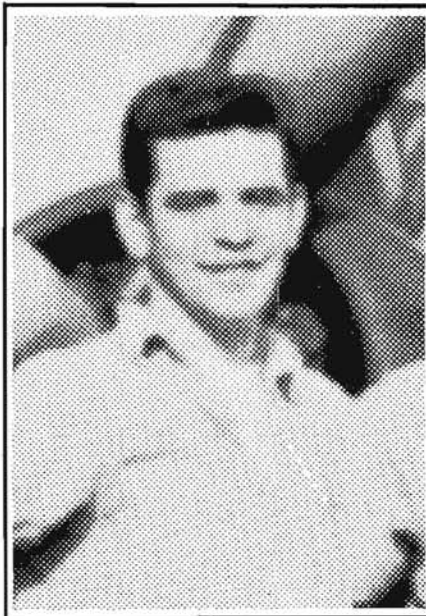
Born on November 22, 1932, and originally from Freeport, New York, Mr. Fuchs presently resides in West Islip. He served with the 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines of the United States Marine Corps from December of 1950 until November of 1953, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and at Camp Pendleton, California. He was graduated from St. Mary's High School, Orchard Lake, Michigan, in 1950, and was employed as a home improvement contractor following his discharge from the service.

## ORADEL J. FUCHS, Sergeant

Sergeant Fuchs served from July of 1949 until April of 1952 with the Weather Squadron, Manning Distant Early Warning System of the United States Air Force, and was stationed mainly at ENT Air Force Base, Colorado, and Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. Originally from Richmond Hill, New York, he was born on May 18, 1927, and resides in Brentwood. He was graduated from Richmond Hill High School in 1945, and attended Empire State College, and Suffolk County Community College. After his discharge he was employed as a principal accountant.



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FRANCIS FREGO



RICHARD L. FRICKER



ALFRED V. FUCHS



ORADEL J. FUCHS



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## BRUNO A. FURLANI, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Formerly of Astoria, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Furlani was born on July 29, 1930. He served from March of 1951 until February of 1955 with Fighter Squadron #74, and Patrol Squadron #11, of the United States Navy, and was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Wasp, at Quonset Point, Rhode Island. He earned the Good Conduct Medal while in the service. A 1948 graduate of Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades, he has been employed with United Airlines since his discharge from the service.

## WILLIAM FUSCO, Fireman

A 1948 graduate of Metropolitan Vocational High School, Mr. Fusco was a resident of Brooklyn, New York, until he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was born on September 8, 1930, and served with Company 430, of the United States Navy from 1952 until 1954, and was stationed chiefly at the State Pier, New London, Connecticut. Following the service he was employed as a painter.

## GEORGE J. FUST, Corporal

Originally from Ozone Park, New York, Mr. Fust was born on October 7, 1930, and presently resides in Islip Terrace. He served with the 2nd Armored Division, Regimental Headquarters of the United States Army from 1948 until 1952, and was stationed mainly in Germany. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Overseas Ribbon. He was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School, and the SUNY at Farmingdale, and has been self-employed since his discharge. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES GAGLIANO, Corporal

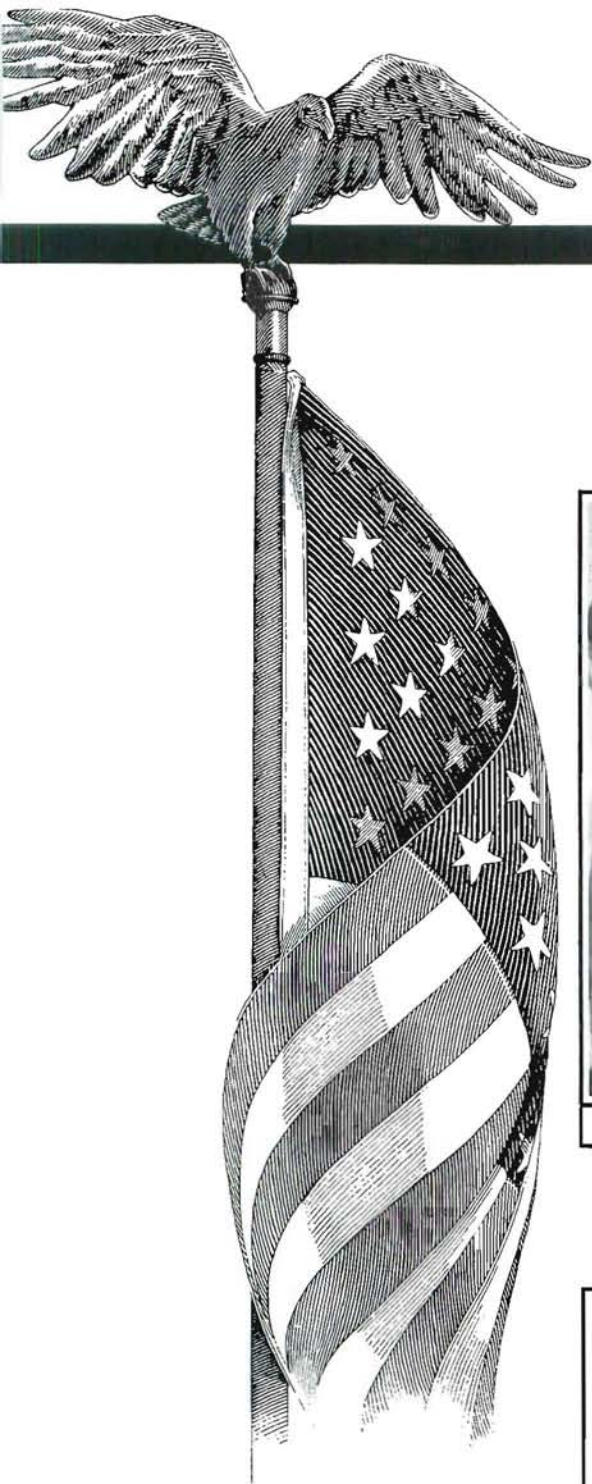
Born on August 20, 1928, and formerly of New York City, Mr. Gagliano currently resides in Brentwood. He served with the 279th Infantry, 45th Infantry Division of the United States Army from 1950 until 1952, and was stationed at Camp Pack, Louisiana, in Japan, and Korea. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal.

## SALVATORE GALASSO, Corporal

Corporal Galasso served from 1952 until 1954 with the 1st Army of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Alaska. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and currently residing in West Islip, he was born on August 27, 1931, and was employed as an elevator repairman after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ERNEST GALFUS, JR., Airman 1st Class

Formerly of Sayville, and residing in Bohemia, Mr. Galfus was born on November 27, 1933, was graduated in 1951 from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades, and received his Bachelor of Science degree from New York Institute of Technology in 1976. He served from January of 1953 until January of 1957 with the 6522nd MD Test Support Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at L.G. Hanscom Field, Massachusetts. During his tour of duty he served as crew chief on jet fighters including F-80s, T-33s, F-86s, and F-102-type aircrafts. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. He has been employed as an aircraft mechanic, a teacher, and as an engineer since his discharge from the service.



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BRUNO A. FURLANI



WILLIAM FUSCO



JAMES GAGLIANO



ERNEST GALFUS



HAROLD GALIT, Sergeant

Sergeant Galit served with the United States Air Force from 1951 until 1955, primarily at Kelly Air Force Base, Texas. Born on July 31, 1932, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he presently resides in Bay Shore. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Rifle Marksman Badge while in the service. He was graduated from James Madison Vocational High School, Brooklyn, and attended Milwaukee School of Engineering, Brooklyn College, New York Institute of Technology, and Suffolk County Community College.

GENNARO GALIZIA, Corporal

Corporal Galizia served from December of 1951 until November of 1953. Also a veteran of Vietnam, he served with the 25th Division, 27th Wolfhound Regiment of the United States Army while serving in Korea. Originally from Corona, New York, and presently residing in Central Islip, he was born on March 2, 1931, and attended Bronx Vocational High School. Following the service he was employed as an electroplater. (Photograph unavailable.)

BENJAMIN F. GALLETTO, Corporal

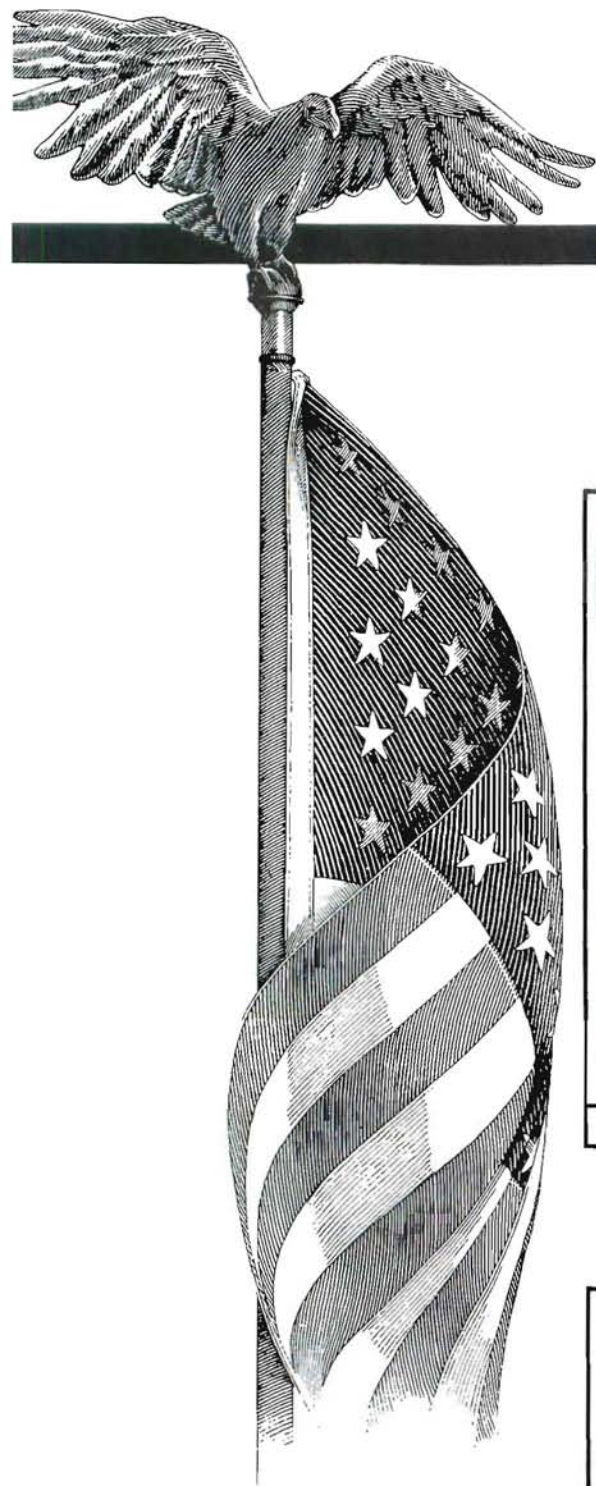
A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Galetto was born on May 31, 1933. He served with the 11th Airborne Division, 511th Regimental Combat Team of the United States Air Force from April of 1953 until April of 1955, and was stationed chiefly at Fort Campbell, Kentucky. He was graduated from Islip High School in 1951, and earned the Good Conduct Medal while in the service. Following his discharge he was employed as an Installer for New York Telephone Company.

GUSTAVO GANDIA-MARTINEZ, Private

Private Gandia-Martinez served from October of 1952 until September of 1954 with the United States Army. He was born on October 5, 1932, and was originally from Puerto Rico until he made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He earned various awards while in the service which include the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Combat Infantry Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. He has been employed as a diamond cutter since the service.

ANGELO GARCIA, Specialist 3rd Class

Originally from New York City, and presently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Garcia was born on March 8, 1934. He served mainly with H Company, 6th Armored Cavalry Regiment of the United States Army, from September of 1953 until September of 1955, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and in Straubing, Germany. A 1951 graduate of Murray Hill High School, and a 1953 graduate of New York Institute of Technology, he is currently employed as an electrical engineer. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal.



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HAROLD GALIT



BENJAMIN F. GALLETTO



GUSTAVO GANDIA-MARTINEZ



ANGELO GARCIA

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## HODA GARNETT, Seaman

Seaman Garnett served from June of 1952 until March of 1956 with the United States Naval Training Center, Recruit Training Command in Bainbridge, Maryland, and with the 3rd Regiment, W Company of the United States Navy. She was stationed in Virginia as well, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and received an Honorable Discharge. Born as Hoda Abushady on October 2, 1927, she resided in Queens, before making her home in East Islip where she now resides. She attended Banat El Ashraf High School in Alexandria, Egypt, until 1945, and in 1948 was graduated from Far Rockaway High School. In 1955 she was graduated from the Armed Forces Institute of Photograph, in 1960 from New York Institute of Photography, in 1980 from Suffolk County Community College, and is a professional photographer.

## EDWARD GAROPOLO, Corporal

Born on December 30, 1930, formerly of Queens Village, New York, Mr. Garopolo settled in Bohemia. He served with the 1st Detachment Station Camp, 1275th ASU of the United States Army from February of 1951 until February of 1954, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal and the United Nations Service Medal. He attended Jamaica High School, and following the service was employed as a truck driver.

## PATRICIA GAROPOLO, Corporal

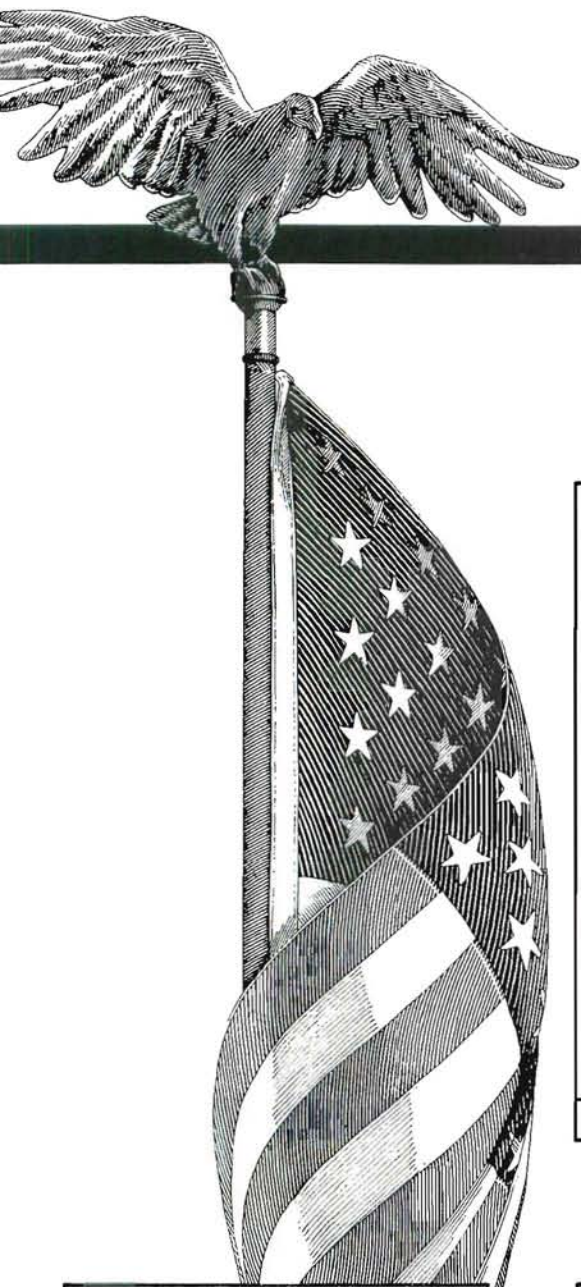
Corporal Garopolo served from January of 1950 until October of 1951 with the 9th Medical Group of the United States Army at Travis Air Force Base, California. Born on January 25, 1931, as Patricia Corbett (also known as Patricia Fellrath), she was employed as a stenographer/typist before entering the service. She was graduated from St. Edmund's Community High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1948. Formerly of Brooklyn, she made her home in Bohemia where she presently resides.

## JAMES F. GEDDES, Private 1st Class

Originally from Queens, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Geddes was born on September 6, 1934, and was graduated from Forest Hills High School, Queens, in 1952. He served from October of 1952 until November of 1957 with the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed mainly in Tennessee, Norfolk, Virginia, and in Korea as well. Following the service he was employed as a New York City Police Officer.

## SIDNEY GELLER, Private 1st Class

Private Geller served from 1951 until 1953 with the 4th Division, H Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Frankfurt, Germany. Born on January 23, 1930, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he has since settled in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1948 from William C. Bryant High School, and in 1957 from RCA Institute. He is currently employed as an engraver.



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EDWARD GAROPOLO



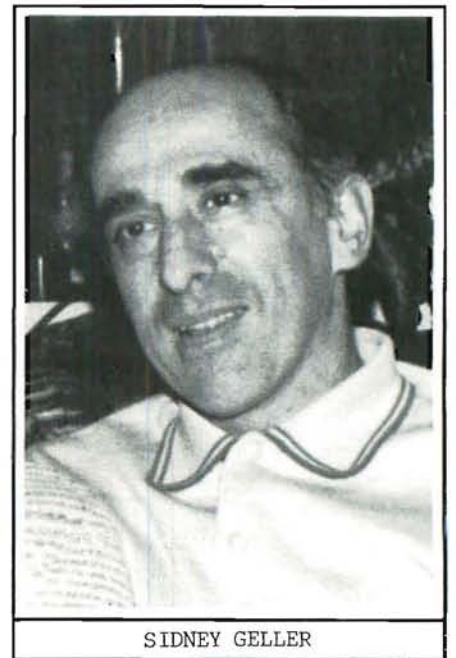
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## RICHARD F. GENDRON, Corporal

Formerly of Jamaica, New York, and born on April 4, 1931, Mr. Gendron resides in Islip Terrace. He was graduated from John Adams High School in 1949, and is currently employed as a traffic manager. He served from May of 1951 until May of 1953 with Korean Military Advisory Group (KMAG), 8202 AU, of the United States Army, and was stationed principally on Cheju-do Island, Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the United Nations Service Medal.

## JAMES A. GEORGE, Private 2nd Class

Born on March 23, 1932, Mr. George presently resides in Bay Shore, and is formerly of the Bronx, New York. He attended the High School of Performing Arts, and was once an active member of "Dion and the Belmonts," a well-known singing group of the 1950s. He served with the United States Army from December of 1954 until September of 1955, and following his discharge was employed as a New York City Police Officer.

## ROBERT J. GERETY, Seaman 1st Class

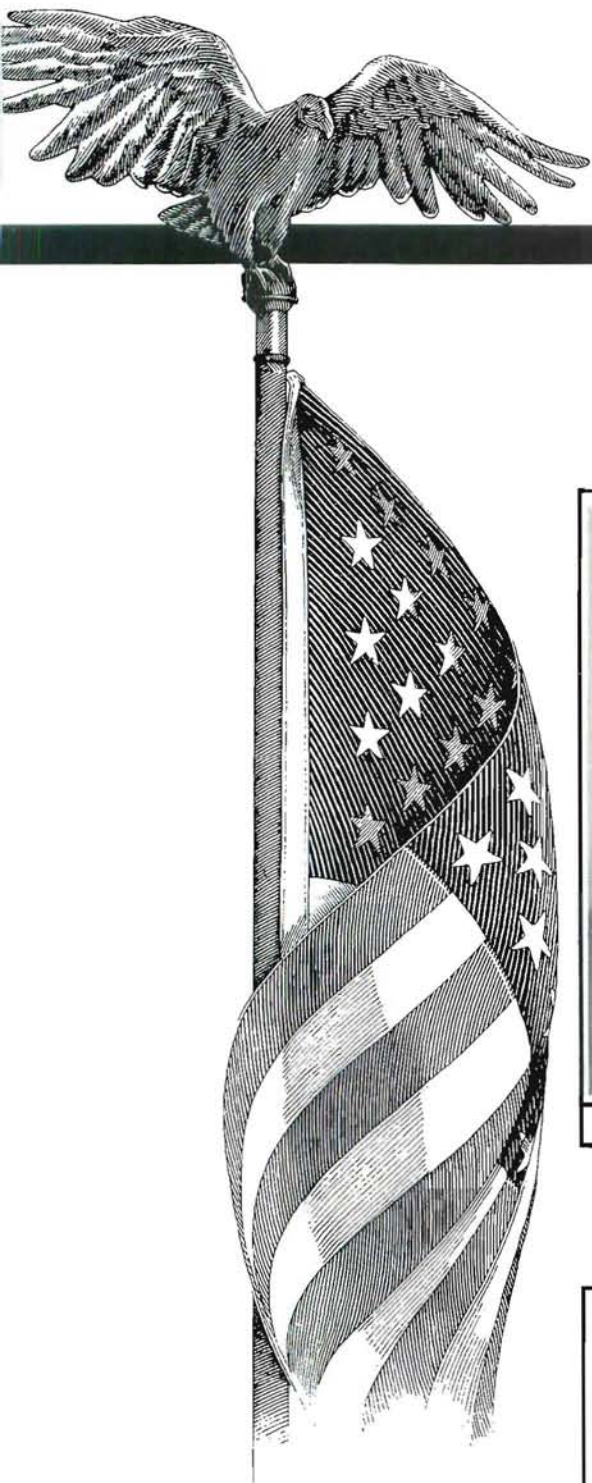
Seaman Gerety served aboard the U.S.S. Tanager, AM-385, of the United States Navy from November of 1951 until July of 1954, and was stationed in the European waters. He was originally from New York City, and currently resides in Ronkonkoma. Born on May 9, 1933, he was graduated from Harren High School in 1952, and from Pace College in 1959. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. Following the service he was employed as a salesman.

## WILLIAM GERLIPP, 1st Lieutenant

Lieutenant Gerlipp served from April of 1952 until November of 1956 with the 12th Tactical Reconnaissance Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed primarily at Kimpo Air Force Base, Korea, and at Itami Air Force Base, Japan. He was born on June 10, 1933, and resided in Glendale, New York, until he settled in Sayville where he now resides. A 1952 graduate of Queens Vocational High School, and a 1963 graduate of Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, he is currently employed as an distribution engineer. He is merited with the National Defense, the Korean, and the United Nations Service Medals.

## HARRY J. GERNLER, Petty Officer 3rd Class

A resident of Islip Terrace, formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Gernler was born on November 26, 1934. He served with the 13th Fighter Squadron (VF), as part of the Carrier Air Group #1, of the United States Navy from June of 1952 until October of 1955, and was stationed in NAS Cecil Field, Florida. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Following the service, he was employed as an electronic technician. (Photograph unavailable.)



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JAMES A. GEORGE



RICHARD F. GENDRON



ROBERT J. GERETY



WILLIAM GERLIPP



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## WILLIAM W. GEYER, Private 1st Class

Born on November 4, 1933, and formerly of Hicksville, New York, Mr. Geyer resided in Bohemia from 1965 until he passed away in December of 1979. He served from April of 1953 until April of 1955 with the 1931st, M Company, 21st Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation. Following the service, he was employed as a truck driver and as a Parks Labor Foreman for Suffolk County in Great River.

## RICHARD GIARRATANO, Staff Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Staff Sergeant Giarratano served with the 25th Infantry Division, 35th Regiment, 3rd Battalion, K Company of the United States Army from November of 1952 until November of 1954, and was stationed in North Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Sigmond Ree Citation while in the service. Born on April 16, 1932, he was employed as a hospital worker following his discharge.

## GREGORY W. GIBSON, Airman 3rd Class

A graduate of St. Paul's High School, Garden City, New York, Mr. Gibson was born on October 11, 1935, and is a longtime resident of Brightwaters. He served with the 7415th Company of the United States Air Force from November of 1954 until June of 1958, and was stationed in Germany and in parts of Europe. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, and after the service was employed in the building business. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD A. GIERY, 1st Lieutenant

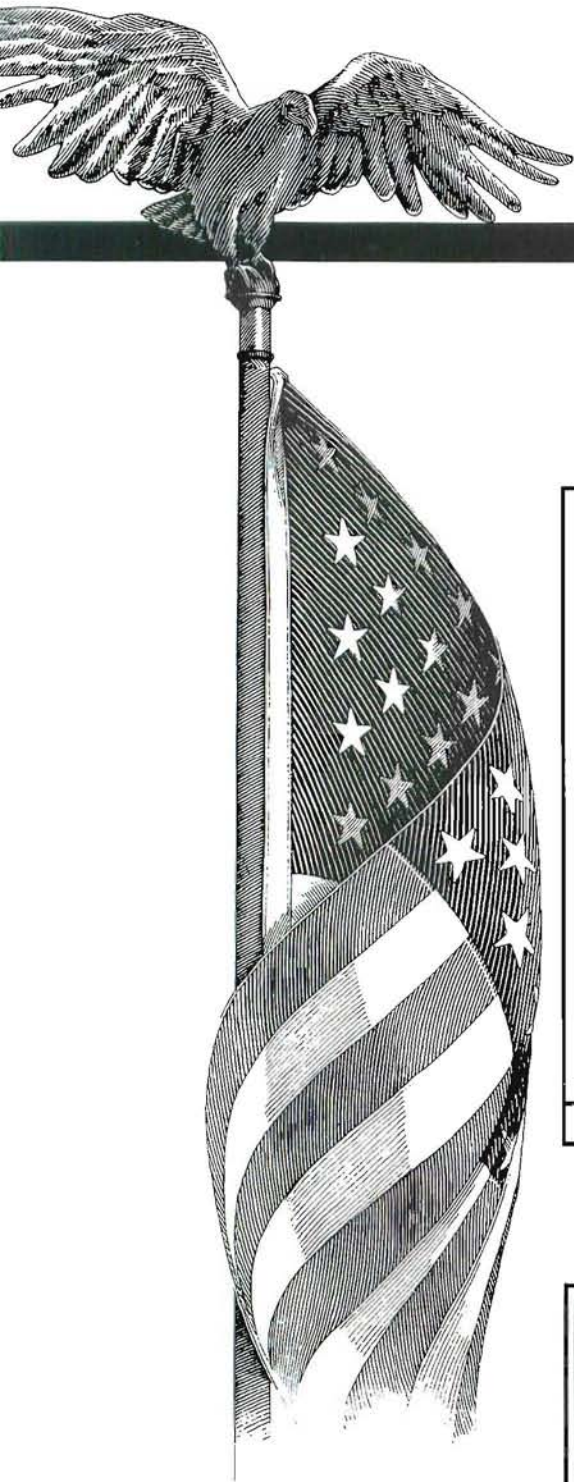
Originally from Flushing, New York, Dr. Giery was born on February 26, 1929, and resides in Bay Shore. He was graduated in 1947 from LaSalle Military Academy, from Fordham University in 1951, from Columbia University in 1955, and in 1960 from New York Medical College. He served with the 1050th Medical Group of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Andrews Air Force Base. He has a medical practice in Islip.

## WILLIAM J. GIESLER, Sergeant

Sergeant Giesler served mainly in Germany from March of 1951 until March of 1954 with the 7th Army, 97th Signal Battalion of the United States Army. He presently resides in East Islip and was originally an Islip resident. He was born on August 5, 1932, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1950, and from Hofstra University in 1972. During the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Rifle Expert Badge as well as various citations and recommendations. After his discharge he was employed as an Engineer for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## BIAGIO J. GIGANTE, Private 1st Class

Currently residing in West Islip, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Gigante was born on September 27, 1930, and was graduated in 1947 from East New York Vocational High School. He served from October of 1951 until September of 1953 with the 506th QM Petroleum Supply Company of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Yon Chon, Korea. He received the United Nations, and the National Defense Service Medals, and the Korean Service Medals with three Bronze Service Stars. He is employed as a printer.



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RICHARD GIARRATANO



BIAGIO J. GIGANTE



RICHARD A. GIERY

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ZOLLIE GILBERT, Intelligence Specialist 3rd Class

Born on March 18, 1933, and originally from Shepherd, Tennessee, Mr. Gilbert made his home in Sayville where he presently resides. He served from May of 1955 until August of 1956 with the 511th Airborne Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, and at Fort Benning, Georgia. He earned the National Defense Service Medal and the Senior Parachute Badge while in the service. Following his discharge, he was employed as a Hospital Attendant for Pilgrim State Hospital, and is currently employed as a Maintenance Mechanic II in the Building and Maintenance Division of the Department of Public Works of the Town of Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

SPIRIDIONE "SPUD" J. GILI, Sergeant

Sergeant Gili served from February of 1951 until January of 1954 with the 11th Airborne at Fort Benning, Georgia, with the 511th Regimental Combat Team, 2nd Battalion, F Company at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, with the 187th Airborne Parachute Infantry Regiment, 1st Battalion, A Company at Injo, Korea, with the 24th Infantry Division, I Corps at Pusan, Inchon, and Kansong, Korea, and with the 45th Division, 1st Brigade, 3rd Battalion, A Company at Char Won, Pyung Yang, and in the Yang Gu Valley, Korea. He is merited with the Parachute Infantry Badge, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Syngman Rhee Unit Citation. Born on August 1, 1933, and originally from New York City, he was graduated from Queens Vocational High School in 1950. He is employed as a stationary electrician for Con Edison, and resides in West Islip.

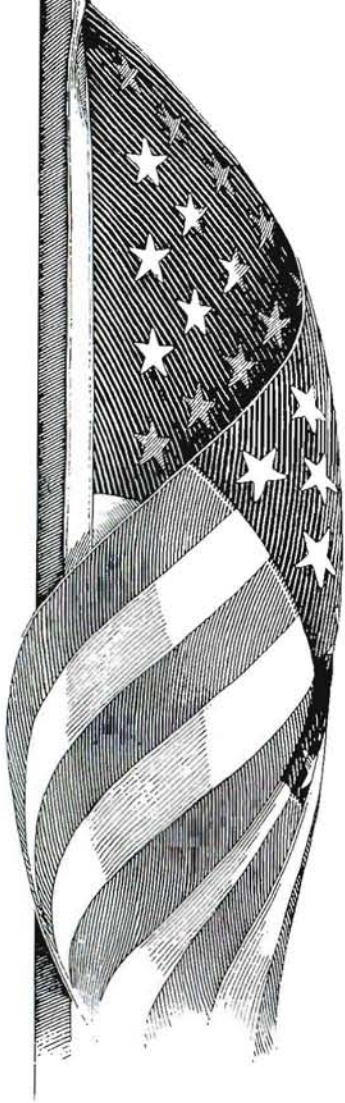
WILLIAM J. GILLESPIE, Seaman 1st Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Gillespie was born on February 11, 1929. He attended Rice High School and Bronx Vocational High School. He served with the 7th Fleet of the United States Navy from February of 1948 until July of 1955, and was stationed in Japan, in the Philippines, and in the United States. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, and is also a veteran of World War II. After his discharge he was employed as a miner, a truck driver, and as a corrections officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

RICHARD H. GILROY, SR., Corporal

Corporal Gilroy served from September of 1952 until September of 1955 with the 3rd Marine Division, 3rd Marine Battalion, 9th Marines, Headquarters Company of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Quantico, Virginia, at Camp Otsu, Japan, and at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the Syngman Ree Unit Citation. Born on September 8, 1935, formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He was graduated from East New York Vocational High School, and following his discharge was employed as a truck fleet director. (photograph unavailable.)

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## KALMAN GINSBERG, Corporal

Corporal Ginsberg served from March of 1953 until March of 1955 with the 547th Ordnance Field Maintenance of the United States Army, and was stationed in Rochfort, France. Formerly of Englewood, New Jersey, he was born on May 21, 1932, and resides in Islip Terrace. In 1949 he was graduated from George Washington High School, attended New York Community College, and in 1959 was graduated from New York University. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## STEPHEN GIORDANELLA, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Mr. Giordanella was born on November 25, 1930, and resides in Brentwood. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from Harran High School in 1948, and in 1960 from Pratt Institute. He served with the Underway Training Unit of the United States Navy from March of 1949 until March of 1950, and from November of 1950 until November of 1952. His tours of duty included Japan, and Key West, Florida. After the service he was employed as a draftsman.

## LOUIS J. GIORDANO, Private 1st Class

Born on May 16, 1934, and originally from South Ozone Park, New York. Mr. Giordano made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He served with the 25th Company, 20th Battalion, 8319th AU HITC, of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in the Hawaiian Islands. He is merited with the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and following his discharge was employed as a supermarket clerk. He attended Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School until he enlisted in August of 1951. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GORDON D. GIRARD, Specialist 4th Class

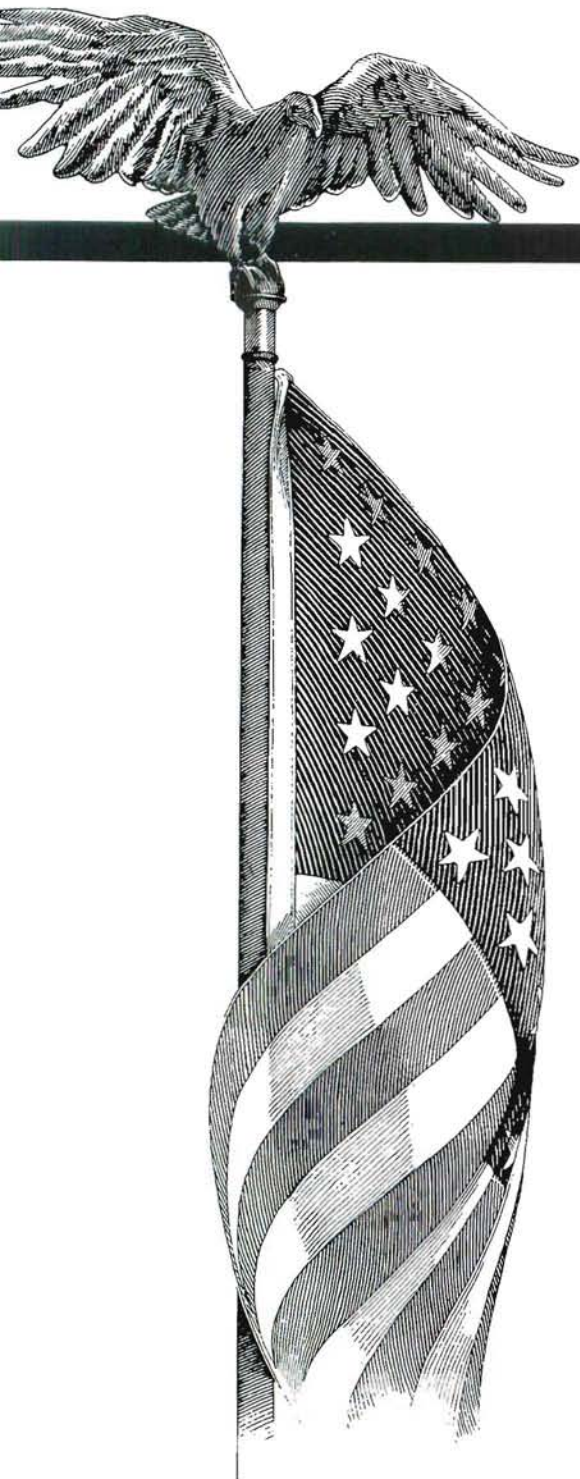
Formerly of Brightwaters, and presently residing in Islip, Mr. Girard was born on March 6, 1934, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1952, and from Nichols College, Massachusetts, in 1954. He served from November of 1954 until November of 1956 with H Company, 16th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed primarily at Fort Riley, Kansas, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. After the service he was employed in sales, and is now retired. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH A. GIULIANI, Staff Sergeant

Originally from Richmond Hill, New York, and residing in West Islip, Mr. Giuliani was born on December 16, 1930. He was graduated from high school, and received his Bachelor's degree in 1960 from St. John's University. He served from November of 1951 until November of 1953 with the Detached Service Second Army, as part of the staff of the Judge Advocate as a chief legal clerk of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Eustis, Virginia. He received the Good Conduct Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation. He is employed as Vice President of Sales for Emeloid Division of Emco Graphics, Inc.

## MURRAY P. GLASBERG, Private

Private Glasberg served from April of 1953 until January of 1955 with the 450th Ordnance Company of the United States Army and was stationed in France. He was born on January 18, 1931, and resided in the Bronx, New York, until he made his home in Hauppauge. He was graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School, Bronx, in 1948, and from New York City College in 1953, and is employed as a sales representative. (Photograph unavailable.)



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## JOHN J. GOODE, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Originally from New York City, Mr. Goode was born on December 25, 1931, and received his education in Ireland. He served from December of 1952 until December of 1956 with L Division of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Wisconsin, was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia, and received the Good Conduct Medal. He now resides in Bay Shore, and is a mechanic for the Metropolitan Transit Authority.

## HERBERT H. GOTTSCHALK, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Gottschalk served with the ATC, AMC, and SAC of the United States Air Force from February of 1952 until May of 1962. He was stationed at Nellis Air Force Base, Nevada, and Laughlin and Dyess Air Force Bases, Texas, as well as in Chateauroux, France. He is merited with the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Following his discharge he was employed by Pan American Airlines as a Production Supervisor.

## JAMES A. GOWAN, Sonarman 1st Class

Formerly of Bay Shore, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Gowan was born on November 11, 1929. He was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1947, from the University of Texas in 1955, and in 1958 from the University of Texas, School of Law. He served aboard the U.S.S. Conway, DDE-507, of the United States Navy from January of 1951 until September of 1954. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, and the China, the Korean, the National Defense, and the United Nations Service Medals. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALBERT J. GRAHAM, Sergeant

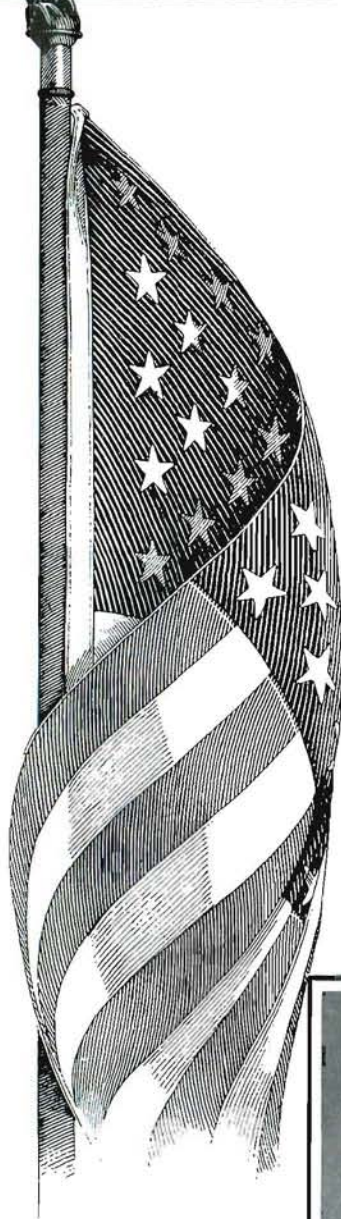
Born on May 7, 1929, Mr. Graham is originally from Flushing, New York, and presently resides in Bayport. He served with G Company, Headquarters Battalion, Marine Corps School of the United States Marine Corps from January of 1951 until January of 1954, and was stationed mainly in Quantico, Virginia. He attended Thomas Jefferson High School, and was graduated in 1960 from Washington Irving High School. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, and was employed by Pilgrim State Hospital after the service.

## MICHAEL J. GRANT, Aviation Electrician Mate 2nd Class

A Central Islip resident until he settled in Brentwood where he presently resides, Mr. Grant was born on January 13, 1932. He served from March of 1949 until October of 1953 with the Helicopter Squadron #1, HU #1, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in San Ysidro, California, and in Korea. He was graduated from St. Anne's Academy in 1949, and from American Academy Funeral Service in 1955, and is currently the Funeral Director of the Michael J. Grant Funeral Home, Inc. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Combat Air Crewman Wings with three stars while in the service. He was also elected for six terms as a Suffolk County Legislator and had served for four years as the Presiding Officer of the Suffolk County Legislature.



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## SALVATORE M. GRAZIOSI, Corporal

Originally from Glen Cove, New York, and born on November 27, 1930, Mr. Graziosi made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He served from November of 1951 until November of 1953 with the 4405th, 526th R Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Zweibrücken, Germany. He was graduated from Glen Cove High School in 1949, and attended Hofstra University for two years. He earned the German Occupation Medal, and following the service was employed in sales.

## FELIX GRECO, Private 1st Class

Private Greco served from March of 1951 until March of 1953 with the 5th Company, Headquarters Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed at Camp Gordon Radio School, and at Camp Kimer, Germany. He was born on October 16, 1929, and was graduated from Roosevelt High School, Bronx, New York, where he resided before making his home in West Islip. He earned the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge while in the service, and after his discharge was employed as a New York City Police Officer and was head of the Youth Bureau of the Town of Islip until he passed away on July 11, 1985. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DANIEL GREENBERG, Corporal

Formerly of Central Islip, and presently residing in Islip, Mr. Greenberg was born on May 2, 1928. He was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1945, from Washington Square College in 1948, and from New York Law School in 1951. He served at Headquarters, H Company, QMRTC, of the United States Army from August of 1951 until August of 1953 and was stationed at Fort Lee, Virginia. He has a law practice in Northport, New York.

## ARTHUR T. GREGORY, Specialist 4th Class

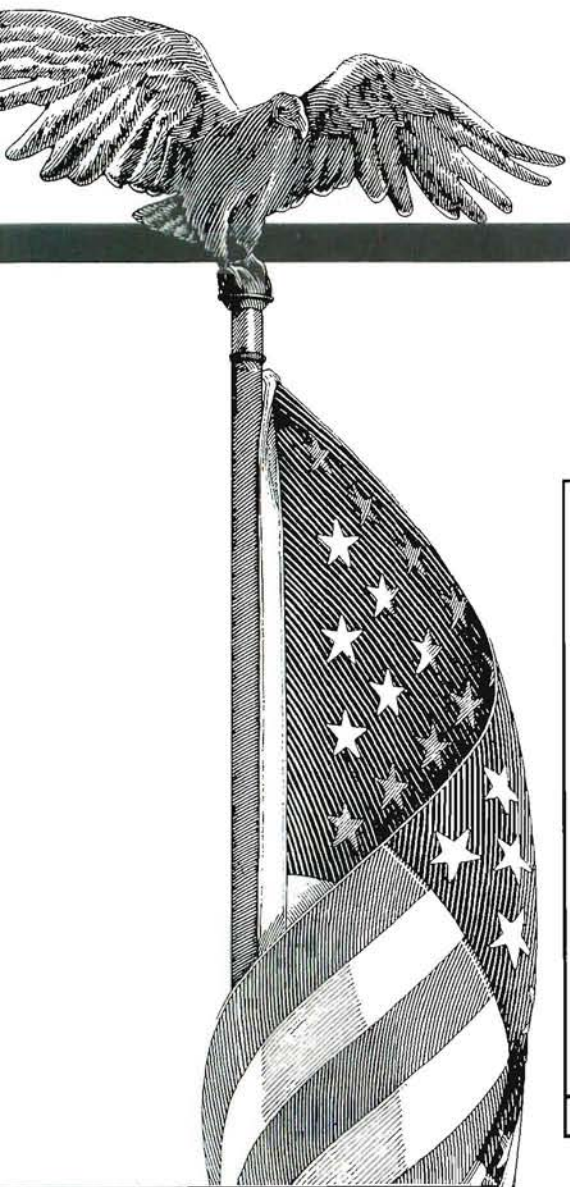
Also a veteran of World War II, Mr. Gregory was born on July 16, 1928, and was a resident of Brooklyn, New York, until he settled in Brentwood where he now resides. He served from March of 1951 until February of 1953 with the 28th Division, 112th Infantry, L Company, and with the 34th Infantry, Scout Dog Platoon, 7th Army of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. He was graduated from Erasmus Hall High School, Brooklyn, and was employed as an assistant vice president of a bank, after his discharge.

## LESTER J. GREY, Aviation Electrician Mate 1st Class

Originally from Franklin Square, New York, and presently residing in Bohemia, Mr. Grey was born on April 18, 1935. He attended Sewanhaka High School, Floral Park, New York. He served from December of 1953 until November of 1957 with the Pacific Fleet, aboard the U.S.S. Whiting, AV-14, of the United States Navy, and was stationed at Naval Station, Corpus Christi, Texas. He earned various service medals, and following his discharge was employed as a Manager for Grumman Aerospace Corporation, Great River.

## JOSEPH J. GRIMALDI, Corporal

A 1945 graduate of Amityville High School, Mr. Grimaldi was born on August 14, 1927, and presently resides in Bay Shore. Formerly of Copiague, New York, he served from September of 1950 until August of 1952 with the 633rd AAA Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Germany. He earned the Occupation of Germany Medal, and following the service was employed as a construction worker.



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## ANTHONY P. GROSSO, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Petty Officer Grosso served with the 7th Fleet aboard the U.S.S. Newport News of the United States Navy from July of 1951 until June of 1954. He was stationed on the East Coast of the United States and in the Mediterranean Sea. Originally from Lindenhurst, New York, he made his home in Hauppauge where he presently resides. He was born on August 27, 1933, and was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1950. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and following the service was employed as a truck driver. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HOWARD GRUBER, Seaman 1st Class

Born on January 2, 1934, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Gruber made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He was graduated from Samuel Gompers High School in 1948, and was employed as an auto mechanic following the service. He served from 1952 until 1956 aboard the U.S.S. Law of the United States Navy, and was stationed principally in Newport, Rhode Island. He earned the Korean Service Medal while in the Navy.

## JULIUS J. GRUNAUER, Corporal

Corporal Grunauer served from January of 1951 until November of 1952 with the 40th Division, 224th Infantry, 3rd Battalion, L Company of the United States Army. He was stationed in Korea, and earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Korean Service Medal. He was born on February 27, 1929, and resided in New York City until he settled in Brentwood. He was graduated from Cardinal Hayes High School in 1946, and was employed as a printer following his discharge from the Army.

## LEO GRUNBERG, Private 1st Class

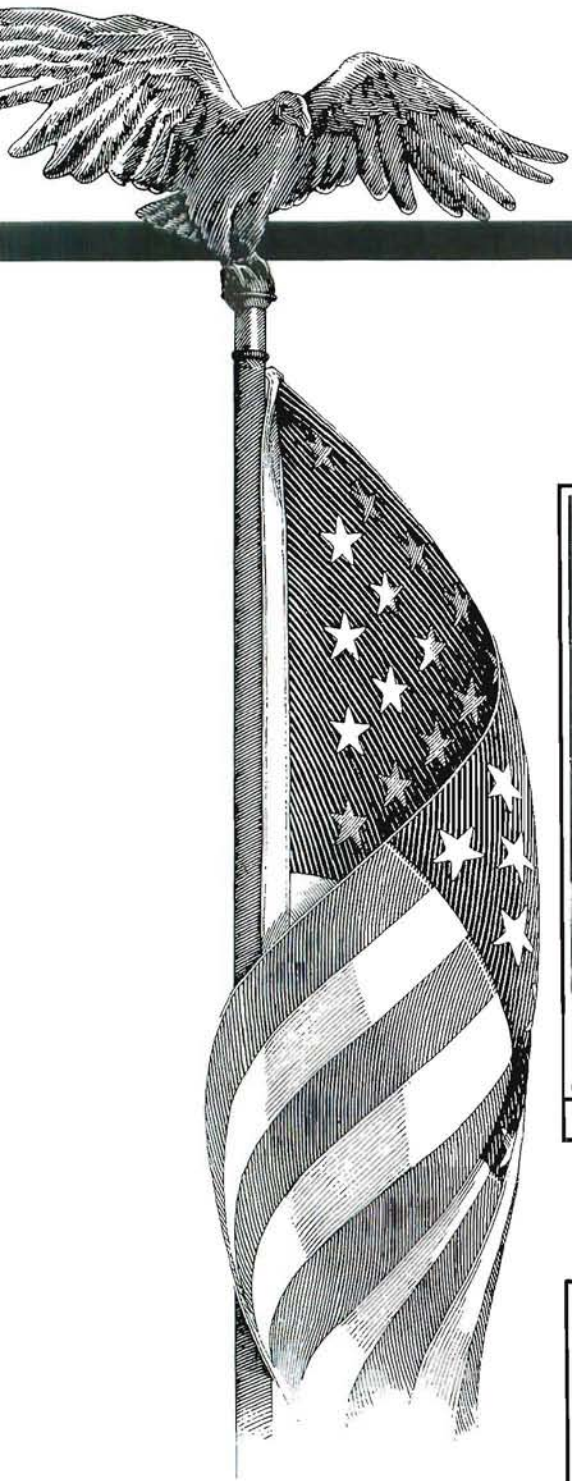
Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Grunberg was born on June 15, 1925. He served from January of 1951 until January of 1953 with the 514th Quartermaster Corp. of the United States Army and was stationed in Fort Devens, Massachusetts, Fort Lee, in Germany, and in France. He is merited with the Marksman Badge, and is presently employed as a salesman.

## JOHN C. GRUNDER, Corporal

Mr. Grunder presently resides in Brentwood, and is formerly of Brooklyn, New York. Born on January 7, 1932, he served from October of 1951 until September of 1953 with the 96th Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly near the 38th parallel. He is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, and the Korean, and United Nations Service Medals as well. Following the service he was employed as a carpet installer.

## PETER G. GRUPE, Seaman

Seaman Grupe served at the United States Naval Command while in the United States Navy from 1948 until 1952, and earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Born on July 11, 1931, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, he settled in Islip Terrace. He was graduated from William H. Taft High School in 1948, and was employed as an iron worker following his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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## DOMENIC J. GUARDIANI, Private 1st Class

Born on November 11, 1929, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Guardiani made his home in Holbrook where he presently resides. He served from March of 1951 until December of 1952 with the 2nd Division, 23rd RCT, 3rd Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in North Korea, Georgia, and in Pennsylvania. He earned the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. He was graduated from East New York Vocational High School, Brooklyn, in 1947, and was employed as a mechanic and for the New York City Transit Authority after his discharge.

## ANTHONY M. GUARRIELLO, Sergeant

Sergeant Guarriello served from December of 1951 until September of 1953 with F Company, 223rd Infantry Regiment, 40th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He was born on June 13, 1931, and presently resides in Islip. Formerly of the Bronx, New York, he was graduated from Columbus High School, Bronx, and is currently employed in auto sales. He earned the Combat Infantry Badge while in the Army.

## JEROME T. GUERIN, Aviation Ordnanceman 1st Class

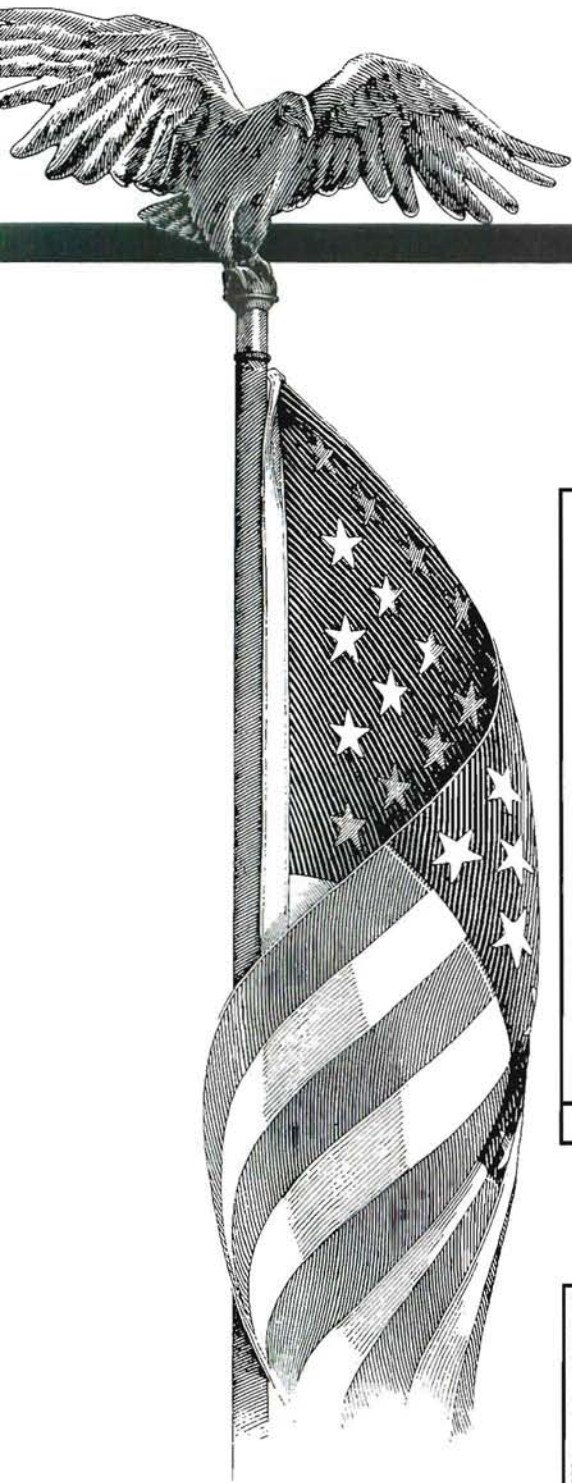
Originally from Sag Harbor, New York, Mr. Guerin was born on August 5, 1932, and presently resides in Islip Terrace. He was graduated from Pierson High School, Sag Harbor, in 1950, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale, New York Institute of Technology, and Suffolk County Community College. He served from 1950 until 1953 aboard the U.S.S. Bairoko, aboard the U.S.S. Bataan, and aboard the U.S.S. Essex on which he was an aerial gunner, a bombardier, and a radar operator with the VS-25 (air anti-submarine squadron) of the United States Navy, and was stationed primarily in the Korean war zone. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Good Conduct Medal. He is currently employed as a Buyer for Bulova Watch Company.

## JAMES L. GUERNSEY, Sergeant

Sergeant Guernsey served from 1951 until 1954 with A Company, 8617th AAU of the United States Army, and was stationed at Arlington Hall Station, Arlington, Virginia. Formerly of Babylon, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, he was born on March 22, 1930, and was graduated from Babylon High School in 1947. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1951 from Hofstra University, his Master of Arts degree from SUNY at Albany in 1955, and in 1968 he received his Doctorate in Education from Columbia University, Teachers College. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and received an Honorable Discharge. Following the service he was employed as a teacher in Hicksville in 1955 and in 1956, and has been a teacher for the East Islip School District since 1957.

## JOSEPH GUHANICK, Lance Corporal

A 1951 graduate of Coughlin High School, and formerly of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, Mr. Guhanick was born on March 10, 1933. He served from 1951 until 1954 with G Company, 1st Marines, 1st Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed at Camp Pendleton, in Philadelphia, and in Korea, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal. He resides in Bayport and is employed as a Foreman for the Long Island Lighting Company.



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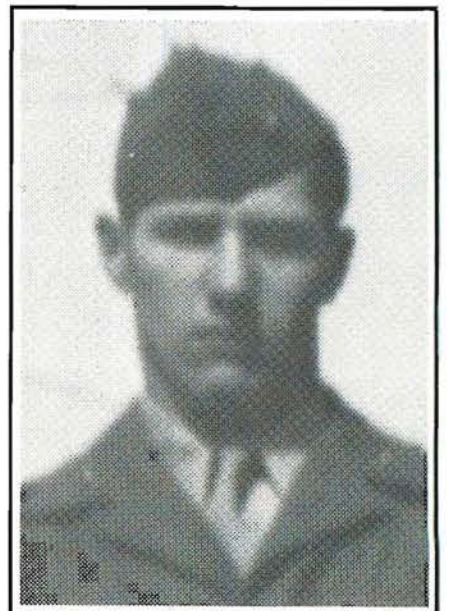
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## JOSEPH G. GULIZIO, Corporal

Formerly of Islip, and presently residing in Hauppauge, Mr. Gulizio was born on May 26, 1930. He was graduated from Islip High School, and attended the University of Rhode Island, and New York University. He served from October of 1952 until September of 1954 with the 19th Infantry Regiment, H Company of the United States Army, and was stationed on Cheju-Do Island, and in the Yangu Valley, Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the United Nations Service Medal. Following the service he was employed as a counselor and a coach for the Hauppauge School District until he retired.

## CHARLES F. GUNKEL, Corporal

Corporal Gunkel served with the 4th Armored Tank Division of the United States Army from October of 1953 until October of 1955, and was stationed at Fort Hood, Texas. Born on July 14, 1930, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from Erasmus Hall High School, Brooklyn, and from Brooklyn College. Presently residing in Bay Shore, he is employed with New York Telephone Company.

## MARTIN H. GUNKEL, Airman 1st Class

Born on January 14, 1932, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Gunkel was graduated from Erasmus Hall High School, and presently resides in Bayport. He served from September of 1950 until August of 1954 with the United States Air Force, and was stationed in California and Alaska. He currently operates a marina, and is a restaurant owner.



# KOREAN VETERANS



JOSEPH G. GULIZIO



MARTIN H. GUNKEL



CHARLES F. GUNKEL



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## ROBERT B. GUNTHER, Electrician Mate 2nd Class

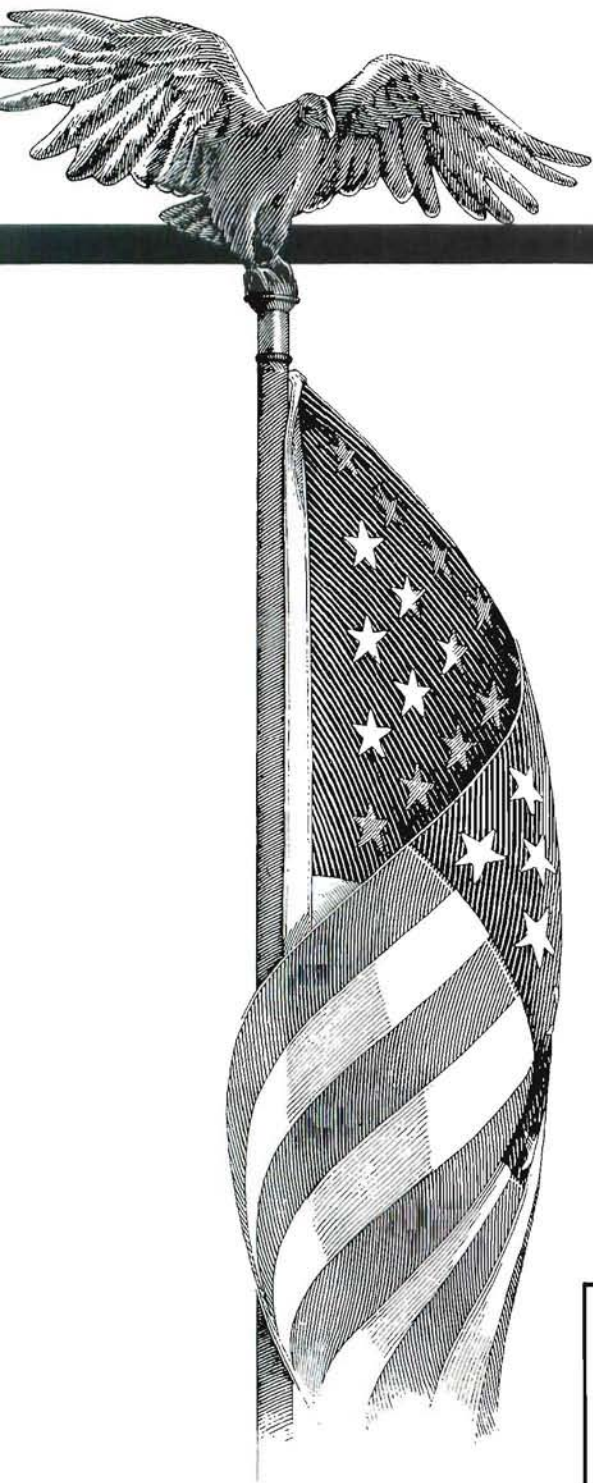
Mr. Gunther was born on April 16, 1931, and resided in Bay Shore until he made his home in Islip where he presently resides. He served aboard the U.S.S. Gyatt, DD-712, and aboard the U.S.S. Coolbaugh of the United States Navy from February of 1949 until February of 1953. He attended Bay Shore High School, and was graduated from Babylon High School in 1948, and in 1955 from SUNY at Farmingdale. Following the service he was employed with New York Telephone Company.

## WILLIAM J. GUNTHER, Airman 2nd Class

Formerly of West Hempstead, New York, and presently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Gunther was born on May 8, 1929. He was graduated in 1947 from Hempstead High School, Hempstead, and attended the University of Delaware. He served with the 339th Troop Carrier Squadron of the United States Air Force from September of 1951 until June of 1955, and was stationed mainly at Stewart Air Force Base, Tennessee. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Presidential Unit Citation.

## FLORENIO O. GUZMAN, Corporal

Corporal Guzman served from 1951 until 1953 with S Company, 18th Infantry, 1st Division of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Germany. Formerly of Honolulu, Hawaii, and presently a resident of Bay Shore, he was born on December 27, 1926. He was graduated from Tagudin High School, Philippines, and from Los Angeles Trade and Technical Junior College in 1956. After the service he was employed as an airline mechanic.



# KOREAN VETERANS



ROBERT B. GUNTHER



FLORENIO O. GUZMAN



WILLIAM J. GUNTHER

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## PHILIP HAFT, Aviation Machinist Mate 3rd Class

Born on June 10, 1938, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Haft settled in Hauppauge and is employed in electronics. He was graduated from Thomas Jefferson High School and attended Brooklyn College. He served from November of 1955 until September of 1957 aboard the U.S.S. Forrester, CUA-59, VAH-1, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Jacksonville, Florida. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HASSO HAGENDORF, Airman 2nd Class

Airman Hagendorf served from July of 1950 until July of 1954 with the 452nd Bomber Wing of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Korea and Germany. He was born on March 15, 1931, and resided in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, before settling in Bay Shore. He attended the University of Goettingen, Germany from 1955 until 1959, and after service was employed with the New York City Police Department. He earned the Korean Presidential Unit Citation and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DONALD K. HAMILTON, Quartermaster 3rd Class

Originally from Central Islip, and presently a Bayport resident, Mr. Hamilton was born on September 19, 1933, and attended Central Islip High School. He served from June of 1951 until July of 1954 aboard the U.S.S. Kermit Roosevelt, ARG-16, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in the Great Lakes, and in Washington. He is merited with the Korean, the United Nations, and the National Defense Service Medals, and the Good Conduct Medal. He has been employed with the Suffolk County Water Authority since his discharge.

## WILLIAM J. HAMILTON, SR., Sergeant

Sergeant Hamilton served from December of 1951 until December of 1959 with the 12th Aircraft Engineer Squadron of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed at Marine Corps School, Quantico, Virginia, and is merited with the American Defense Service Medal. Born on November 22, 1930, and formerly of Bellrose, New York, he presently resides in Sayville. He was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1949, and following the service was employed as a toolmaker.

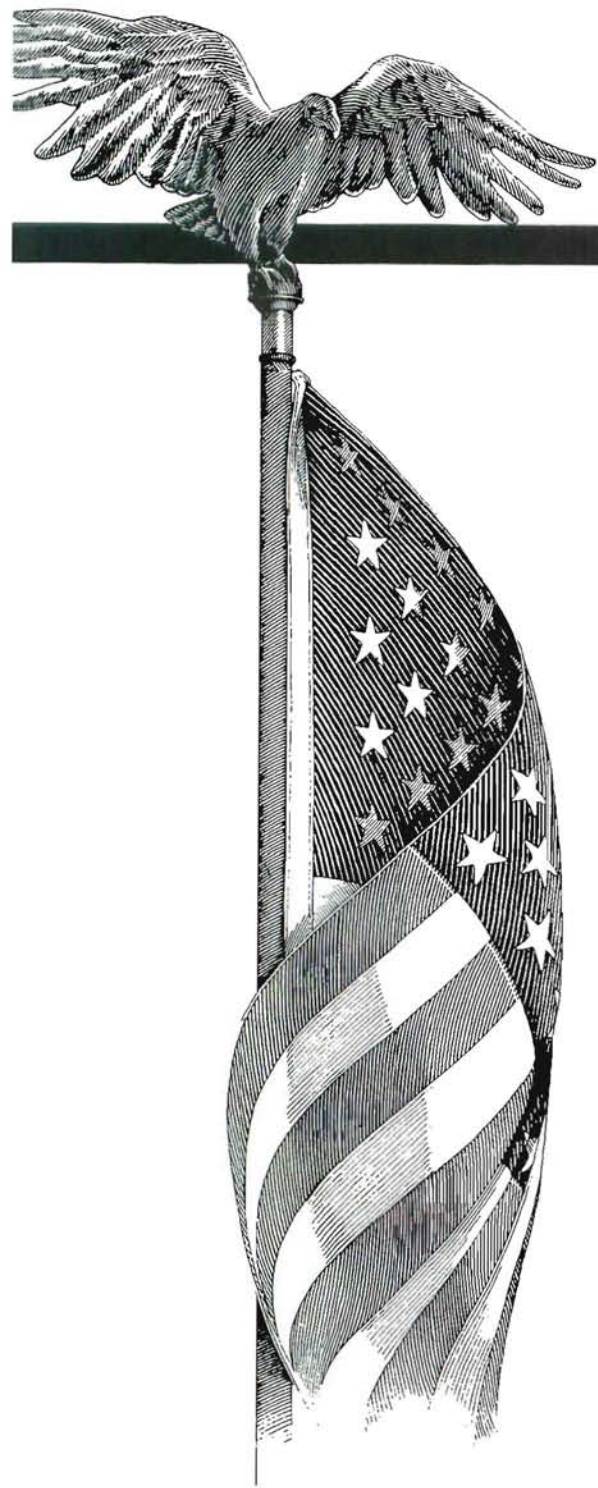
## ROBERT J. HAMM, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and born on February 3, 1936, Mr. Hamm settled in Ronkonkoma where he now resides. He served with the 1901st Aviation Engineers Special Category Army with the Air Force, of the United States Army, from September of 1954 until September of 1957, and was stationed in Germany. He was graduated from Powder Memorial Academy, Manhattan, New York, in 1954, and in 1963 from St. John's University, Brooklyn. He also attended New York Institute of Technology, and was employed as a police officer after his discharge. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DONALD M. HAND, Private 1st Class

A resident of West Sayville, and formerly of Rego Park, New York, Mr. Hand was born on December 20, 1927, and was graduated from LaSalle Military Academy in 1945. In 1950 he was graduated from Manhattan College, and from New York University in 1957. He served from January of 1951 until January of 1953 with H Company, Engineers Center Regiment of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Belvoir, Virginia. After the service he was employed as a civil engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

# KOREAN VETERANS



DONALD K. HAMILTON



WILLIAM J. HAMILTON

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JEROME P. HANLON, Corporal

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Hanlon was born on February 13, 1930, and settled in Brentwood where he presently resides. He served with the 37th Division, HQ Company at Fort Polk, California, and with the 8178th A Company and various units in the 8th Army in Korea, from August of 1951 until July of 1953. He is merited with the United Nations Service Medal, and the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star. He attended Fort Hamilton High School, Brooklyn, St. Peters High School, Staten Island, and was graduated from St. Joseph of Holy Cross High School, Albany, in 1948. He was employed as a buyer for ACF Industries for 30 years, and is currently employed as a security person in the Suffolk County District Attorney's Office.

JAMES J. HANNIGAN, Airman 1st Class

Born on October 27, 1935, and formerly of New York City, Mr. Hannigan made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He attended Harren High School, and following the service was employed as an aircraft mechanic. He served with the 63rd Air Rescue, 5001st A&E Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Norton Air Force Base, California, and at Ladd Air Force Base, Alaska, from April of 1954 until October of 1957. He earned the Good Conduct Medal while in the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

HOWARD W. HANSEN, JR., Private 1st Class

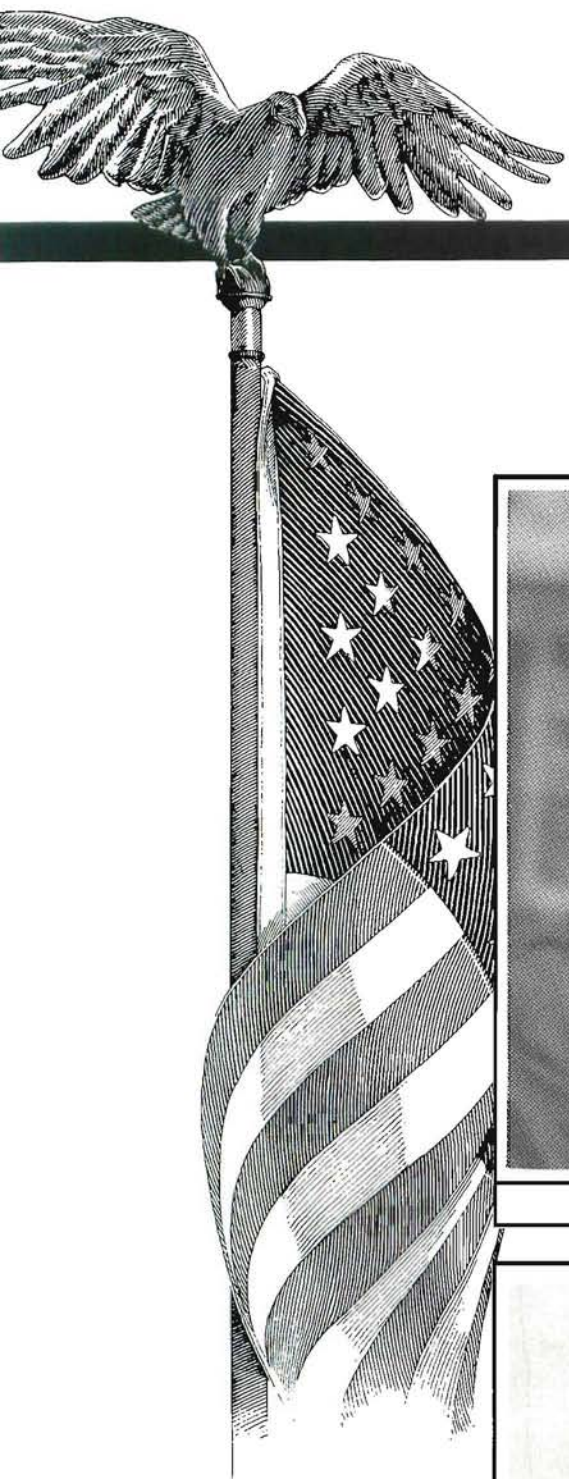
Private Hansen served from January of 1952 until November of 1953 with the 7858th QM EAM Unit of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. He is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. Born on July 13, 1931, and formerly of Elmhurst, New York, he settled in Holbrook where he presently resides. He was graduated from Newtown High School, Elmhurst, in 1948, and following his discharge was employed as a computer operator. He is currently employed as a computer programmer/analyst.

CHRISTOPHER P. HAREWOOD, Captain

Captain Harewood served from April of 1954 until November of 1955 with the 1975th Airways and Air Communications Service Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Scott Air Force Base, Illinois, and in the French Morocco, and earned the National Defense Service Medal. Born on May 27, 1938, he resided in Westchester, Pennsylvania where he was graduated from Westchester High School in 1946. In 1953 he was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania, and now resides in Bay Shore. After the service he was employed as a mechanical engineer, and is now employed as a manager.

TIMOTHY J. HARRIGAN, Sergeant

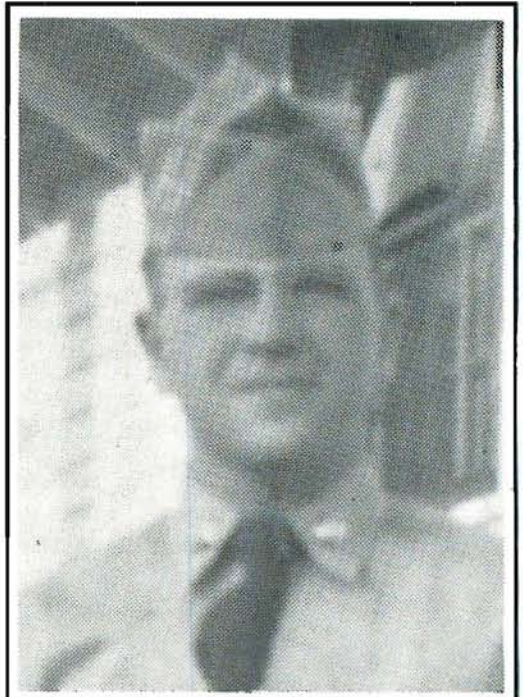
Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Harrigan was born on November 7, 1933. He was graduated from James Madison High School in 1950, and is presently employed as a New York City Firefighter. He served from February of 1951 until December of 1953 with the 25th M.R.U. of the 8th Army of the United States Army, and was stationed in Seoul, Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal and three Unit Citations.



# KOREAN VETERANS



HOWARD W. HANSEN, JR.



JEROME P. HANLON



CHRISTOPHER P. HAREWOOD



TIMOTHY J. HARRIGAN



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## JOSEPH J. HARRIS, Intelligence Specialist 4th Class

Born on June 20, 1927, and a veteran of World War II, Mr. Harris resided in Bayport until he passed away on October 19, 1977. He served with K Company, 21st Infantry Regiment of the United States Army from September of 1950 until November of 1951, and was stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, and at Camp Kilmer. He earned the Good Conduct Medal the Korean Service Medal, and an Honorable Discharge. He was graduated from Bay Shore High School, and following the service was employed as a machinist.

## PETER HARRIS, Sergeant

Formerly of Ithaca, New York, and presently a resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Harris was born on July 3, 1916. He served with the United States Army from May of 1952 until May of 1955, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal. Following the service he was employed as a Therapy Aide with the New York State Department of Mental Hygiene.

## GEORGE HARRISON, Construction Driver 2nd Class

Originally from Lindenhurst, New York, and residing in Bayport, Mr. Harrison was born on June 25, 1935, and was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1952. He served mainly in the Pacific Ocean with the 10th MC Battalion of the United States Navy Seabees from November of 1952 until May of 1956, and earned the United Nations Service Medal, and after his discharge was employed as a police officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD H. HARRISON, Sergeant

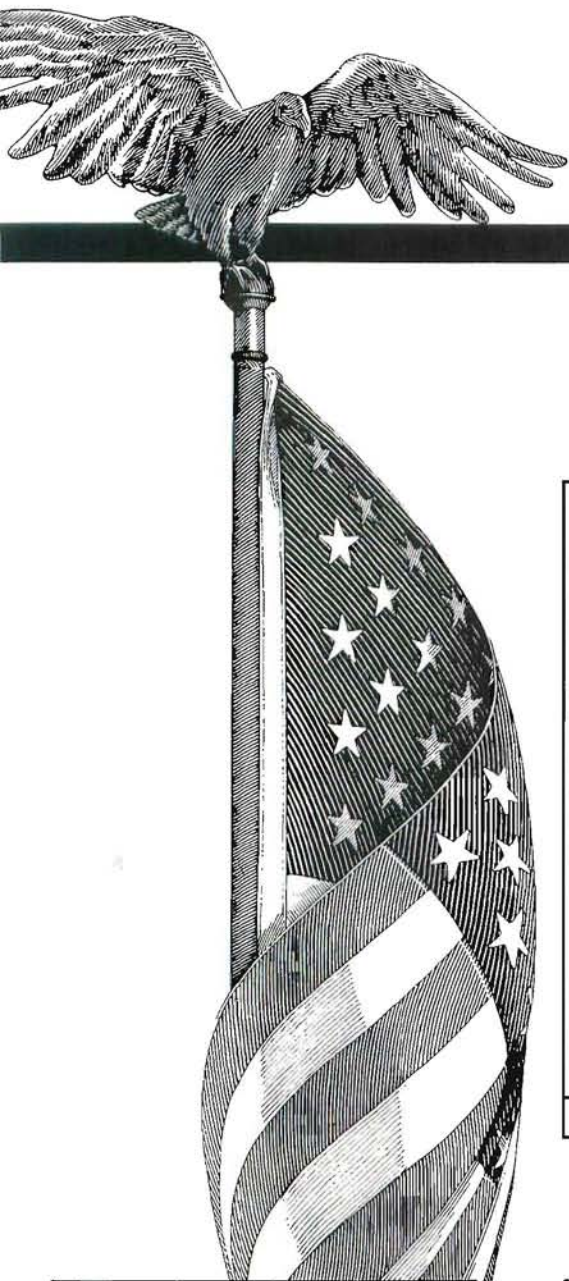
Currently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Harrison was born on June 28, 1932, and was graduated from Andrew Jackson High School in 1950. He served from February of 1950 until February of 1954 with the 2nd Division, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines, 1st Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Washington, D.C. and in Korea. He earned various medals including the Good Conduct Medal, and following the service was employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## RONALD C. HARRISON, Private 1st Class

Private Harrison served from May of 1954 until March of 1956 with the 82nd Ordnance Company of the United States Army, while stationed mainly in Seoul, Korea, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Presently residing in Sayville, and formerly of Bayport, he was born on April 4, 1935, and was graduated from Bayport High School in 1954. He received his Bachelor of Science degree in 1962 from SUNY at Oswego, and in 1974 received his Master of Science degree from SUNY at Stony Brook. Following the service he was employed as a teacher.

## MARTIN L. HAROW, Corporal

Mr. Harow was born on October 18, 1933, and was a resident of Queens, New York, until he made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He served from August of 1951 until August of 1953 with the 79th TP Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Seattle, Washington. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Korean Presidential Unit Citation. He was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1951, and in 1960 from New York University. After the service he was employed as a systems analyst.



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PETER HARRIS



JOSEPH J. HARRIS



RICHARD H. HARRISON



RONALD C. HARRISON



MARTIN L. HAROW

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## WILLIAM J. HARTILL, Corporal

Corporal Hartill served with A Company, 801st Engineer Aviation Battalion of the United States Army from November of 1951 until October of 1953, and was stationed principally in England. He was born on February 26, 1931, and presently resides in Brentwood. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from East New York Vocational High School in 1948. After his discharge he was employed with the United States Postal Service.

## JAMES HARVEY, Private 1st Class

Private Harvey served from November of 1951 until November of 1953 with A Battery, 867th AAA Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed at Elmendorf Air Force Base, Alaska. Born on December 10, 1930, and formerly of Levittown, New York, he was graduated from St. Joseph's High School, and from St. John's, Canada. Following the service he was employed as a bus driver and is currently retired and resides in Bay Shore.

## JAMES R. HARWOOD, Corporal

Formerly of Hempstead, New York, and currently a resident of West Islip, Mr. Harwood was born on March 16, 1932. He was graduated from Freeport High School, and is employed as a truck driver. He served from October of 1950 until October of 1953 with D Company, 29th Infantry Regimental Combat Team of the United States Army, and was stationed on Okinawa, Japan.

## JOHN H. HASEMANN, JR., Private 1st Class

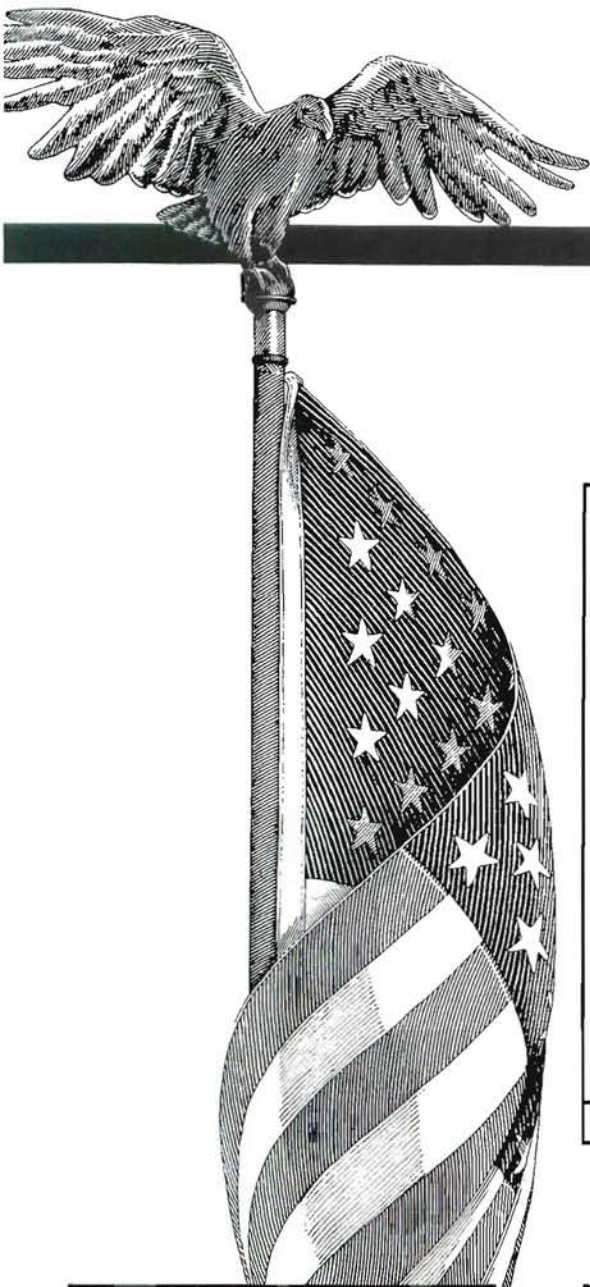
Born on June 28, 1931, and formerly of North Bellmore, New York, Mr. Hasemann made his home in West Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Sewanhaka High School, and after the service was employed in construction and is currently employed as an operating engineer. He served from October of 1950 until September of 1953 with the 64th Field Artillery Battalion, 25th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the German Occupation Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars.

## DONALD H. HATHAWAY, Sergeant

Sergeant Hathaway served from February of 1951 until February of 1954 with M Company, 9th Infantry Regiment, 2nd Army of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and at Fort Devens, Massachusetts, and is merited with the United Nations and National Defense Service Medals, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, and the Combat Action Badge. Formerly of Jamaica, New York, he was born on August 16, 1930, and was graduated from LaSalle Military Academy in 1949. He resides in Sayville, and is an Auditor for Singer Sewing Machine Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CHARLES W. HEARNE, Airman 2nd Class

A Brentwood resident until he settled in Bay Shore, Mr. Hearne was born on May 8, 1934. He was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1952, and attended Adelphi University for one year. He served from February of 1952 until February of 1956 with the 12th Tactical Reconnaissance Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Korea for one year, as well as in Texas and Oklahoma for two years. He is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. After the service he was employed by New York State.



# KOREAN VETERANS



WILLIAM J. HARTILL



JAMES HARVEY



JOHN H. HASEMANN, JR.



JAMES R. HARWOOD



CHARLES W. HEARNE

GEORGE R. HECHLER, Staff Sergeant

A longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. Hechler was born on May 29, 1929, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1947. He served primarily in Korea from February of 1951 until January of 1953 with the KMAG 8202th AU of the United States Army. He earned the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation while in the service. After his discharge he was employed as an Islip Town Safety Officer, and is currently employed as a Police Lieutenant with the Suffolk County Police Department. (Photograph unavailable.)

DONALD K. HECHT, Sergeant

A veteran of World War II as well as a Korean veteran, Sergeant Hecht served from 1950 until 1951 with the United States Marine Corps and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. He was born on October 17, 1925, and was originally from Brooklyn, New York. In 1943 he was graduated from Erasmus Hall High School, and presently resides in Bay Shore. Following the service, he was employed in sales, and is currently a Crew Leader in the Department of Public Works, Building and Maintenance Division of the Town of Islip.

WILLIAM HECKER, Private 1st Class

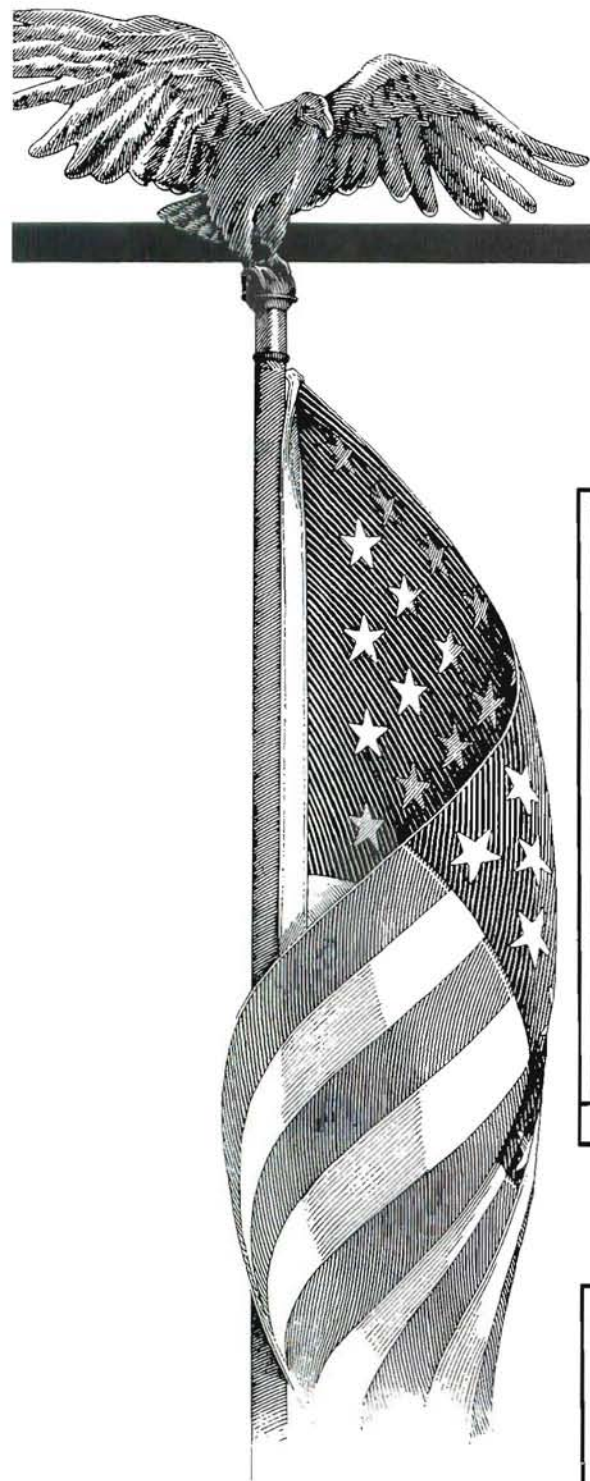
Formerly of Carle Place, New York, and currently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Hecker was born on August 16, 1929. He served from February of 1951 until February of 1953 with C Battery, 9th FA Battalion, 3rd Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Alabama as well as in Korea. He is merited with the United Nations Service Medal, and the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars. A 1947 graduate of Sewanhaka High School, he has been employed in roofing since his discharge.

HENRY F. HEIN, Private 1st Class

Private Hein served with the 599th FA Battalion, 7th Army of the United States Army from March of 1951 until February of 1953, and was stationed principally in Germany. He was born on November 29, 1929, he made his home in West Islip. He was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School, where he previously resided. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the Good Conduct Medal while in the service, and after his discharge was employed as a clerk.

GEORGE H. HEINRICH, Corporal

Born on April 13, 1933, and formerly of Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Heinrich presently resides in Bay Shore. He served from August of 1952 until August of 1956 with the 2nd Battalion, 3rd Marines, 3rd FMF of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Japan. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the Marine Division Award. Following the service he was employed with Western Electric Company. He was graduated in 1952 from Grover Cleveland High School, and attended Suffolk County Community College.



# KOREAN VETERANS



DONALD K. HECHT



WILLIAM HECKER



HENRY F. HEIN



GEORGE H. HEINRICH



# TOWN OF ISLIP

## CHARLES E. HERBERT, Yeoman 2nd Class

Originally from Astoria, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Herbert was born on July 31, 1936, and was graduated from Rice High School in 1954. He served with the ATU (Airship Training Unit), aboard the U.S.S. Harwood, DDE-861, of the United States Navy from September of 1954 until July of 1958, and was stationed chiefly in Georgia. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, and following the service was employed as a Clerk for King Kullen Supermarkets.

## LAURENCE HERNANDEZ, Airman 1st Class

Airman Hernandez served with the 81st FBS of the 50th FBW of the United States Air Force from July of 1954 until April of 1958, and was stationed in Germany and in France. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. Born on April 30, 1936, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he presently resides in West Islip. In 1954 he was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School, and from New York City College in 1961, and was employed as a construction estimator.

## ROBERT W. HERR, Aviation Electricians Mate 3rd Class

A resident of Huntington, New York, until he made his home in West Islip, Mr. Herr was born on January 28, 1936. He was graduated from John Adams High School, Queens, New York, in 1953, and attended classes at Hofstra University and Suffolk County Community College. He served with the Flight Test Unit, Electric Shop of the United States Navy from January of 1955 until January of 1957, and was stationed at the Patuxent River, Maryland. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, and the Korean Service Medal while in the service, and after his discharge was employed as a Trackman for the Long Island Rail Road. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH F. HERRMANN, Corporal

Formerly of St. Albans, New York, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Herrmann was born on March 4, 1933, and attended Brooklyn Technical High School and Spadea School for Investigation. He served as Quartermaster of the United States Army from March of 1953 until March of 1955, and was stationed in France. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge as well.

## ALFRED J. HESS, Private 1st Class

Private Hess served from February of 1952 until March of 1953 as a radio operator with H Company, 2nd Armored Division of the United States Army. Formerly of Lindenhurst, New York, and presently residing in Oakdale, he was born on September 18, 1930. He was graduated from St. John's Preparatory High School, Brooklyn, in 1948, attended St. John's University, also in Brooklyn, and received his Bachelor of Business Administration from Hofstra University in 1956. Following the service he was employed as an accountant.



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LAURENCE HERNANDEZ



JOSEPH F. HERRMANN



ALFRED J. HESS



CHARLES E. HERBERT



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## STANLEY HETTLER, Private 1st Class

Born on August 7, 1929, and formerly of Staten Island, New York, Mr. Hettler made his home in Sayville where he presently resides. He served with the 8th Infantry Division, Special Unit Personnel Section of the United States Army from February of 1951 until January of 1953, and was stationed mainly in Chunchon, Korea. He was graduated from Mount Loretto Vocational High School, Staten Island, and attended classes at Fordham University. Following the service he was employed as a clerk.

## MATTHEW J. HIGGINS, Corporal

Corporal Higgins served with A Battery, 501st AAA Battalion of the United States Army from September of 1951 until September of 1953, and was stationed at Camp Hanford, Washington. Born on October 20, 1930, he resided in Brooklyn, New York, until he made his home in Islip. He was graduated from Alexander Hamilton High School in 1949, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Following his discharge he was employed with Equitable Life. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HERBERT M. HIRSCHHORN, Private 1st Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, and presently a resident of Islip Terrace, Mr. Hirschhorn was born on May 13, 1930. He was graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School in 1948, and from Brooklyn College in 1952. He served from February of 1953 until November of 1954 with the 8064th Army Unit, Regional Post Engineer, of the Far East Command, of the United States Army, and was stationed in Yokohama, Japan. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and after his discharge was employed as a teacher in Amityville.

## WILLIAM HITZIG, 1st Lieutenant

A longtime resident of Brightwaters, Dr. Hitzig was born on January 6, 1924, and was graduated from Stuyvesant High School, and attended Columbia University as well as Cornell University Medical College from which he was graduated from in 1948. He served with the United States Army primarily at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and in Iceland, from January of 1952 until January of 1954. Dr. Hitzig passed away on December 8, 1980. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MEYER HOCHSTAT, Corporal

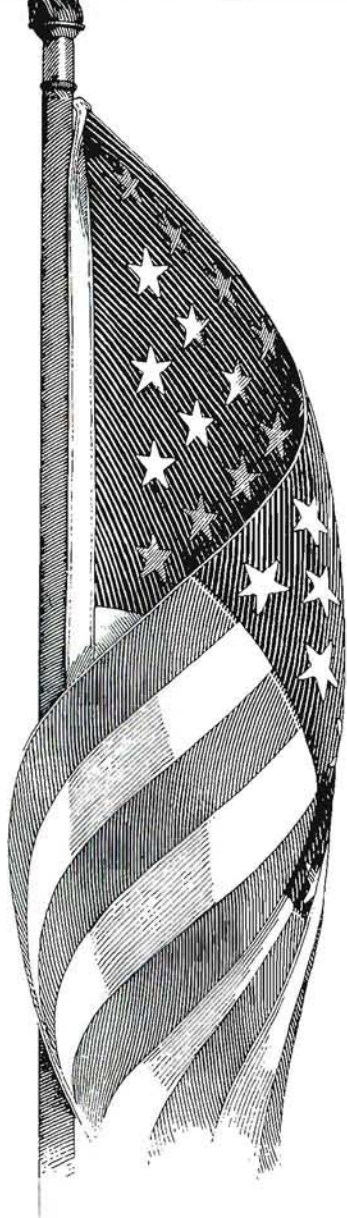
Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Ocean Beach, Mr. Hochstat was graduated from Theodore Roosevelt High School in 1945 and from New York Institute of Dietetics in 1947. He served from October of 1952 until September of 1954 with the United States Army and was stationed mainly in Pusan, Korea. He earned the Korean, the National Defense, and the United Nations Service Medals, and is employed as a sales manager.

## LAWRENCE S. HODGSON, Private 1st Class

Private Hodgson served from January of 1952 until January of 1954 with A Company, 8th Infantry, 4th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Germany. Born on September 23, 1931, and formerly of Flushing, New York, he was graduated from Jamaica High School in 1950. He attended Queens College and was employed as a contract manager after the service. He presently resides in Brightwaters. (Photograph unavailable.)



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STANLEY HETTLER



HERBERT M. HIRSCHHORN



MEYER HOCHSTAT



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## DONALD L. HOFFMANN, Radioman 2nd Class

Mr. Hoffmann was born on December 31, 1933, and resided in West Hempstead before making his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1952 from Hempstead High School and served with the 6th Fleet aboard the U.S.S. Borie, DD-704, and with the Naval Air Station of the United States Navy from May of 1953 until May of 1957. He was stationed principally at Norfolk, Virginia, and following his discharge was employed with Western Electric Company.

## FREDERICK HOFFMANN, Corporal

Corporal Hoffmann principally in of Korea from 1952 until 1954 with the 7th Infantry Division, 17th Regiment, H Company of the United States Army. While in the service he earned the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Korean Service Medal. He was born on August 29, 1932, and is presently residing in Islip. Originally from Glendale, New York, he was graduated from Richmond Hill High School in 1950, and was employed as a tool maker following the service.

## PHILIP J. HOFFMANN, Airman

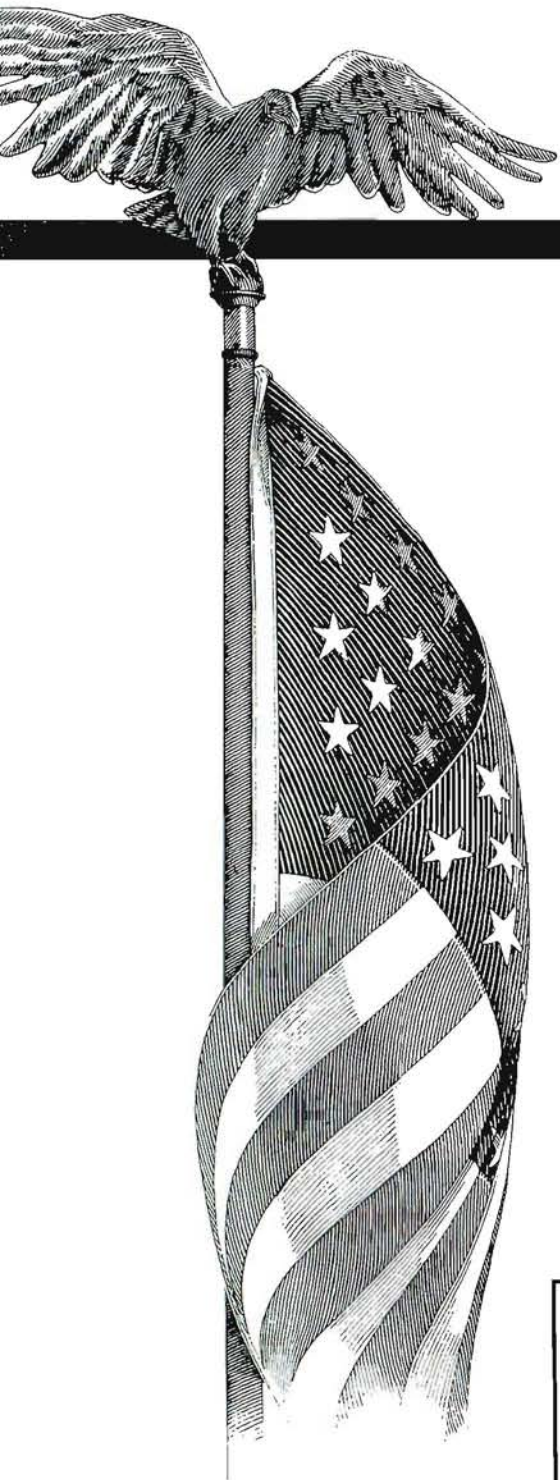
A resident of Brentwood since 1958, Mr. Hoffman was born on September 7, 1930. Formerly of West Hempstead, New York, he served from February of 1953 until January of 1955 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Wasp and aboard the U.S.S. Hancock. In 1953 he participated in NATO operations and served carrier patrol duty of the coast of Korea in 1954. He also worked in the primary flight control tower, participating in carrier qualification training of pilots out of San Diego, California in late 1954 and early 1955. He was graduated from Hempstead High School in 1948, and following his discharge was employed as a Letter Carrier for the United States Postal Service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THEODORE J. HOLDOWSKI, Sergeant

Originally from Jamaica, New York, and currently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Holdowski was born on January 23, 1923. He served with the 433rd Troop Carrier Wing of the United States Air Force from October of 1950 until January of 1951, and was stationed in Cleveland, Ohio, and in Frankfurt, Germany. He was graduated from Textile High School in 1941, and after the service was employed as a Foreman for the New York City Department of Sanitation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DOUGLAS G. HOLLAMBY, Airman 1st Class

Born on October 16, 1931, and formerly of East Islip, Mr. Hollamby settled in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He served from January of 1951 until December of 1954 with the 6th Field Maintenance Squadron, 6th Bomb Wing of the United States Air Force, and was stationed principally at Walker Air Force Base, New Mexico. He was graduated from East Islip High School in 1949, and was employed as a plumber since his separation from the service.



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FREDERICK HOFFMANN



DONALD L. HOFFMANN



DOUGLAS G. HOLLAMBY

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## ROBERT B. HOLLAMBY, Aviation Machinist Mate 3rd Class

Born on October 6, 1934, and originally from East Islip, Mr. Hollamby has since made his home in Orlando, Florida. He served with the Composite Squadron 12, aboard the U.S.S. Midway, and aboard the U.S.S. Bennington of the United States Navy primarily in Quanset Point, Rhode Island, from November of 1951 until February of 1959. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the European Theatre Medal, and the China Service Medal. In 1951 he was graduated from East Islip High School, and after the service was employed as a mechanic assembler.

## HILARY H. HOLLBORN, SR., Corporal

A longtime resident of Islip Terrace, Mr. Hollborn was born on April 4, 1930, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1947. He served with the 452nd Installation Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Pusan, and in Seoul, Korea, from August of 1950 until March of 1952. He earned the Korean Service Medal, and after his discharge was employed as a plumbing-heating contractor.

## JOHN J. HOPKINS, Petty Officer 2nd Class

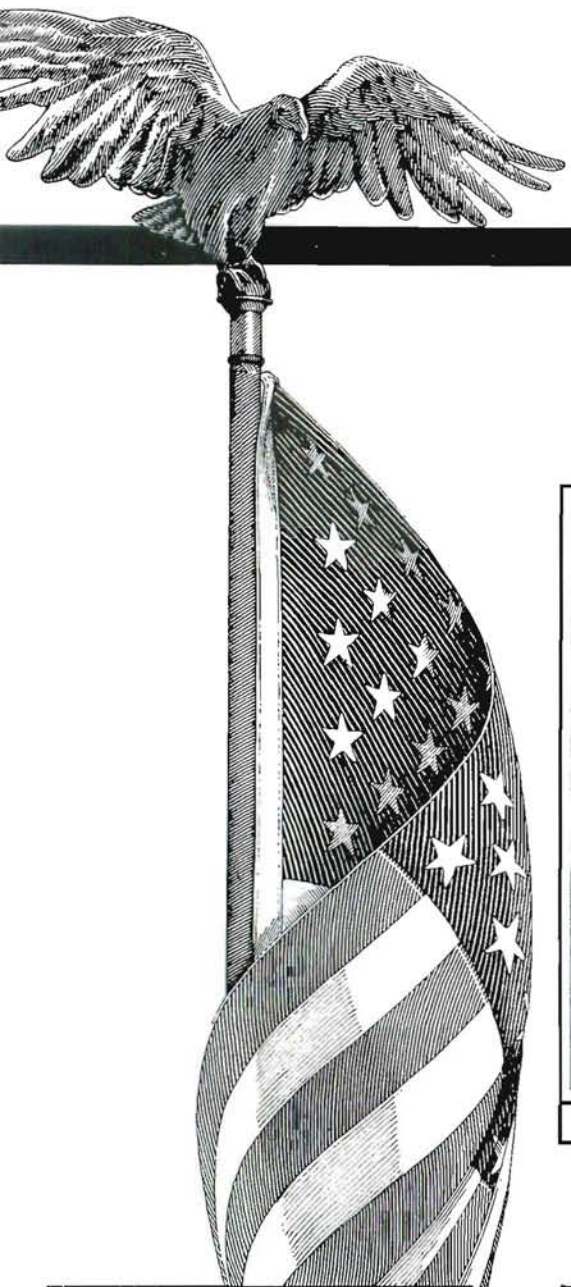
Petty Officer Hopkins served aboard the U.S.S. Point Cruz, CVE-119, of the United States Navy from October of 1951 until March of 1955 and was stationed in Inchon, and the West Coast of Korea. Born on April 1, 1934, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from Boys High School, Brooklyn, and attended New York Institute of Technology and St. Joseph's College. He resides in Sayville, and was employed as a bank guard after his separation from the service, and then as a Fire Lieutenant for the New York City Fire Department. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, as well as the Presidential Unit Citation.

## JOHN C. HORVATH, 1st Lieutenant

Mr. Horvath was born on April 27, 1932, and presently resides in Sayville. Formerly of Ronkonkoma, he was graduated from Sayville High School, and was employed in construction after the service. He served from October of 1952 until February of 1955 with the 1343rd Engineers Combat Battalion, 1169th Engineer Group of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily at Fort Belvoir, Virginia.

## DONALD E. HRUBES, Quartermaster 1st Class

Originally from Islip, Mr. Hrubes was born on September 16, 1933, and presently resides in Bay Shore. He was graduated from Islip High School and served with the Navigation Division aboard the U.S.S. Columbus, CA-74, with the 6th Atlantic Fleet, and the 7th Pacific Fleet of the United States Navy from April of 1952 until April of 1956. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the European Occupation Medal, the Pacific Occupation Medal, a Victory Commendation Ribbon, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. Following the service he was employed as a logistics support engineer.



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ROBERT B. HOLLAMBY



HILARY H. HOLLBORN, SR.



JOHN J. HOPKINS



JOHN C. HORVATH



DONALD E. HRUBES

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## DANIEL F. HUBBARD, Corporal

Born on March 9, 1932, and formerly of New York City, Mr. Hubbard presently resides in West Islip. He was graduated from Benjamin Franklin High School in 1951, and served with C Company, 25th Infantry Division of the United States Army from November of 1952 until November of 1954. While in the service he earned the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a Repair Technician for New York Telephone Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## KENNETH C. HUBBARD, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Hubbard served with the Air Communications Squadron of the United States Air Force primarily in Alaska from January of 1953 until January of 1957. Born on August 12, 1933, and presently a resident of Brightwaters, he was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1951. Formerly of Bay Shore, he has been employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JACK HUGHES, Constructionman

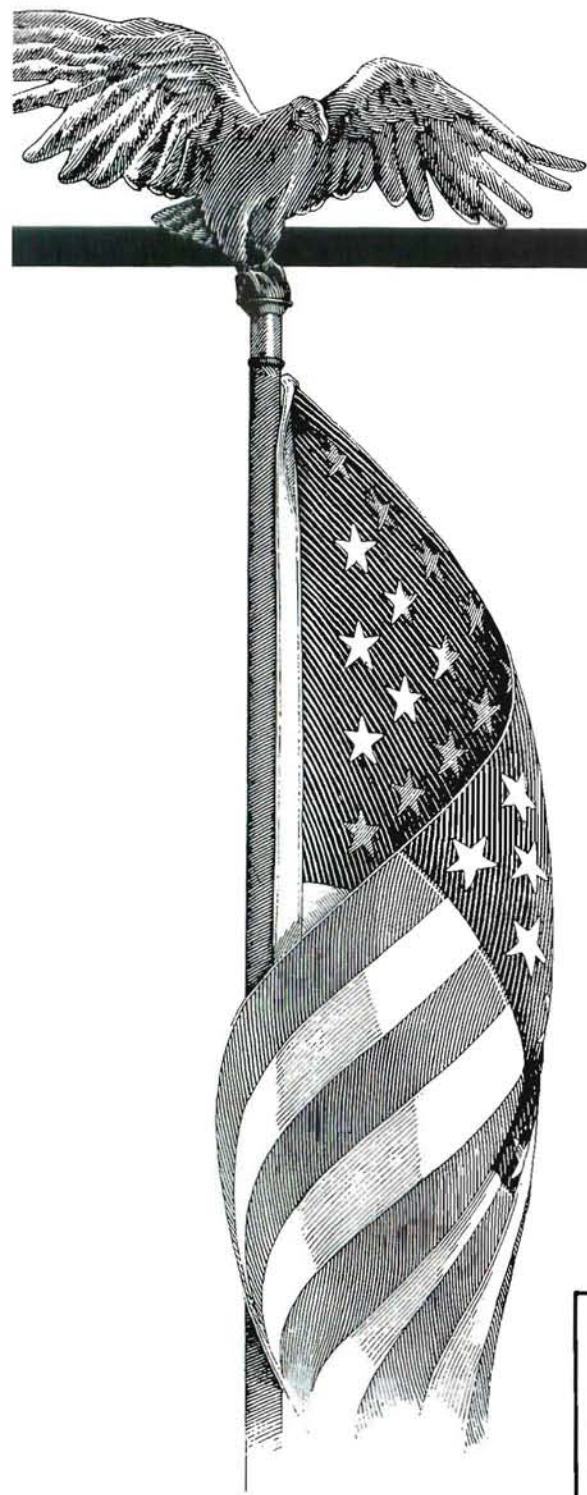
Formerly of East Meadow, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Hughes was born on August 27, 1935, and was graduated from Hempstead High School, Hempstead, New York. He served with the Mobile Construction Battalion #1 of the United States Navy Seabees from October of 1952 until August of 1956, and was stationed in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and in Newfoundland. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal, and has been employed as a roofer since his discharge.

## JAMES J. HUGHES, Corporal

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in East Islip, Mr. Hughes was born on November 11, 1932. He served with the G Company, 3rd Battalion, 15th Armored Cavalry Regiment of the United States Army from January of 1953 until December of 1954, and was stationed in Kentucky and in Germany. He was graduated from St. Augustine High School in 1950, and from Brooklyn College in 1959, and is currently employed as a program manager. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal.

## RUDOLPH HUJIK, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Mr. Hujik was born on October 29, 1932, and resided in New York City prior to making his home in Bohemia. He served from May of 1950 until October of 1953 aboard the U.S.S. Hailey, DD-556, Destroyer Squadron #20, with the 6th Fleet Squadron assigned to the 7th Fleet in the Pacific and operated with the Fast Carrier Task Force 77 and the Blockade Task Force 95 of the United States Navy, and was stationed near the bomb line of Wonsan Harbor. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. He was graduated from Seward Park High School, and following the service was employed as a Letter Carrier for the United States Postal Service until he retired.



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JAMES J. HUGHES



JACK HUGHES



RUDOLPH HUJIK





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## JOSEPH N. HUNTER, Sergeant

Formerly of Lynbrook, New York, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Hunter was born on April 21, 1928. He served from May of 1946 until April of 1947, and then from July of 1951 until June of 1953 with the 1st Army, 26th Signal Battalion, B Company of the United States Army and was stationed in Seoul, Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. He was graduated from Lynbrook High School in 1945, and from Suffolk County Community College in 1983, and is now employed as an Assistant Manager for New York Telephone Company.

## LOUIS HUTTIE, Machinist Mate 2nd Class

Mr. Huttie was born on July 3, 1930, and resided in Brooklyn, New York, until he made his home in Central Islip where he presently resides. He served aboard the U.S.S. Mount Olympus, AGC-8, of the United States Navy, and was stationed mainly at Norfolk, Virginia, from March of 1951 until March of 1955. He was graduated from Metropolitan Vocational High School in 1948, and after his separation from the service was employed as an Engineering and Maintenance Worker at Central Islip Psychiatric Center.

## SALVATORE IADANZA, Private 1st Class

A longtime resident of Islip Terrace, Mr. Iadanza was born on July 2, 1928, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1947. He served from 1951 until 1953 with the QMRTC of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly at Fort Lee, Virginia. Prior to the service he was employed as a milk pasteurizer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## VALJEAN R. IENELLO, 2nd Lieutenant

Born on April 29, 1928, as Valjean R. Ripley, Mrs. Ienello resided in North Haven, Connecticut, until she settled in Bay Shore where she presently resides. She served at Fort Devens Station Hospital of the United States Women's Army Corps from March of 1950 until January of 1952, and was stationed at Fort Devens, Massachusetts. She was graduated from Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament, Staten Island, New York, and from Bates College, Lewiston, Maine.

## GAETANO J. IMBESI, Corporal

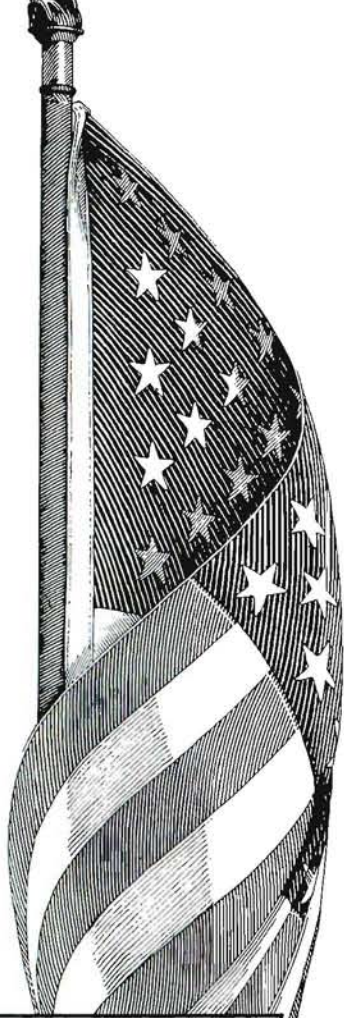
Corporal Imbesi served at Camp Pickett, Virginia, and at Camp Irwin, California from September of 1950 until January of 1952 with the 352th Tank Battalion of the United States Army. Originally from the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Central Islip, he was born on January 22, 1930. Following his discharge he was employed as a presser.

## MARIO INGORDO, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Ingordo served from November of 1949 until February of 1953 with the Heavy Mortar Company, 26th Infantry Regiment, 1st Division of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Germany. Born on July 20, 1931, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he presently resides in Sayville. He was graduated in 1949 from Boys High School, Brooklyn, and is currently a union representative.



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JOSEPH N. HUNTER



LOUIS HUTTIE



VALJEAN R. IENELLO



GAETANO J. IMBESI



MARIO INGORDO

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## RALPH J. INNACE, Corporal

Born on November 4, 1927, formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Innace made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He served with A Battery, 69th AAA Gunnery Battalion, 1st Army of the United States Army from October of 1950 until October of 1952, and was stationed at Fort Devens, Massachusetts, and at Fort Tilden, New York. He was graduated from Boys High School, Brooklyn, in 1944, and attended Brooklyn College for one year. He is currently employed as a stagehand for CBS-TV.

## WILLIAM V. INTILI, Airman 1st Class

Formerly of Richmond Hill, New York, and currently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Intili was born on July 19, 1936, and in 1954 was graduated from East New York Vocational High School. He served with the United States Air Force from January of 1955 until November of 1958, and was stationed in Japan. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. Following his discharge he was employed as an electronic technician.

## FRANK A. IRIZARRY, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Irizarry served from September of 1947 until September of 1951 with the 2791st Medical Group of the United States Air Force primarily at Hill Air Force Base, Utah. Born on June 1, 1929, and formerly of New York City, he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated from Seward Park High School, New York City, in 1947, in 1972 from Hunter College, New York City, and in 1978 from C.W. Post. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and is currently employed as a registered nurse. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HENNING C. ISBRANDTSEN, Lieutenant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Isbrandtsen was born on October 3, 1929, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1947. In 1953 he was graduated from the United States Merchant Marine Academy, and served aboard the U.S.S. Fechtler, DDR-870, of the United States Navy from August of 1953 until September of 1955 when he received an Honorable Discharge. He was stationed in Korea, China, and in Japan, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. After his discharge he was employed as a shipping executive. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES IULIANO, Airman 1st Class

Airman Iuliano served from January of 1952 until January of 1956 with the 5th Air Force, 1973rd Airways and Air Communications Service of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Kunsan, Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal and the United Nations Service Medal. Formerly of Elkhart, Indiana, and born on October 25, 1932, he made his home in Ronkonkoma where he has resided since 1965. He was graduated from Jamestown High School, Elkhart, in 1951, and from Indiana Technical College, Fort Wayne, Indiana, and is employed as a machinist and tool maker. (Photograph unavailable.)



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WILLIAM V. INTILI



RALPH J. INNACE

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## NICHOLAS JANETTI, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Janetti was born on August 30, 1928, and was graduated from Abraham Lincoln High School in 1945. He served from January of 1951 until December of 1952 with the 43rd Division, 172nd Regiment, H Company, of the United States Army, and was stationed in Europe. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He attended New York City College for two years, and following the service was employed in sales.

## ROGER L. JANSON, Radioman/Seaman

Born on January 29, 1934, and originally from Biddeford, Maine, Mr. Janson settled in East Islip where he presently resides. He served from October of 1954 until September of 1956 aboard the MSO-469, of the United States Navy, and was stationed primarily in Charleston, South Carolina. He was graduated from St. Louis High School in 1953, and from Wentworth Institute, Boston, Massachusetts, in 1958, and is currently employed as an Inspector for Pan American World Airlines.

## JOSEPH C. JEHLE, Yeoman 3rd Class

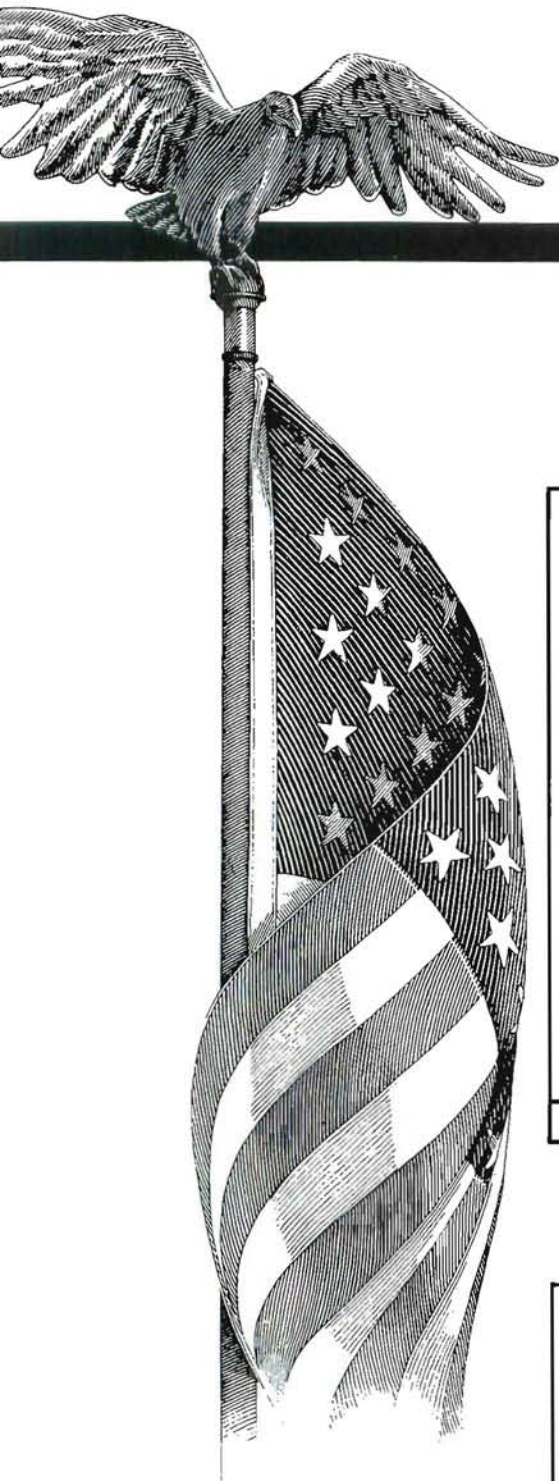
Yeoman Jehle served with the 103rd CB Battalion, aboard the U.S.S. Arequipa, AF-31, with the Pacific Fleet, and with the Executive Office of the Secretary of the Navy in the Public Information Office, of the United States Navy from November of 1946 until October of 1951, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Born on October 8, 1929, and formerly of Ridgewood, New York, he settled in Brentwood where he presently resides. He attended Queens Vocational High School and received his Equivalency Diploma in 1949 while in the service. He is retired from his 30-year employment as a Police Sergeant with the Triborough Bridge and Tunnel Authority.

## CLAUDE E. JENNESS, Private 1st Class

Private Jenness served with the 553rd Engineer Construction Battalion of the United States Army from March of 1953 until March of 1955, and was stationed in Orleans, France. Born on July 10, 1933, and presently residing in Ronkonkoma, he was originally a Central Islip resident and attended Central Islip High School. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal and the American Defense Service Medal. After his separation from the Army he was employed as a painter.

## CLYDE J. JENNINGS, Airman 1st Class

Originally from Chicago, Illinois, Mr. Jennings was born on February 16, 1935, and presently resides in Bay Shore. He was graduated from Englewood High School, Chicago, in 1952. He served with the 92nd Bomb Wing, Strategic Air Command, 327th Tactical Wing of the United States Air Force from September of 1953 until October of 1955, and was stationed at Fairchild Air Force Base, Spokane, Washington, and Biggs Air Force Base, El Paso, Texas. He is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, and the National Defense Service Medal, and has been employed with the United States Postal Service since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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NICHOLAS JANETTI



ROGER L. JANSON



JOSEPH C. JEHLE



CLAUDE E. JENNESS

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## CHARLES A. JOHNATHAN, SR., Airman 1st Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Johnathan was born on October 5, 1931, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School, and from the University of Connecticut in 1951. He served from January of 1951 until January of 1955 with the 422nd Air Police of the United States Air Force, and was stationed mainly in Nagoya, Japan, and in San Antonio, Texas. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal as well as the Good Conduct Medal. After the service he was employed as a Photo Reproducer at Republic Aviation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## BERNARD C. JOHNSON, Radarman 3rd Class

A member of the National Guard from 1947 until 1949, Radarman Johnson served with the 6th Fleet aboard the U.S.S. Columbus, CA-74, of the United States Navy from April of 1949 until March of 1953, and was stationed in the Mediterranean Sea. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and was a member of the United States Naval Reserves from 1973 until 1976. Born on December 12, 1932, he resides in Brentwood and lived in Oceanside, New York, at the time he enlisted. He attended Oceanside High School, and following his discharge was a Dairy Manager for H.C. Bohack. He is currently employed as a truck driver.

## HOWARD J. JOHNSON, Corporal

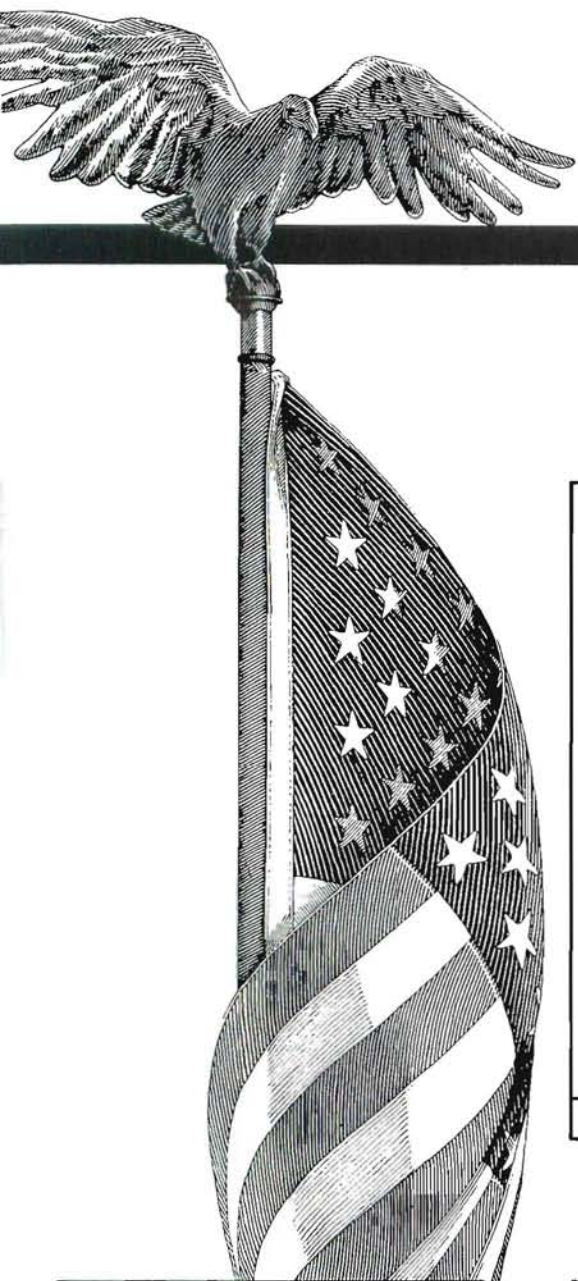
Corporal Johnson served from July of 1948 until July of 1951 with the 714th Railway Operating Battalion, 725th Transportation Company of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Eustis, Virginia, and Fort Mason, California, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the American Campaign Medal, and a Sharpshooter Badge. Born on June 11, 1929, he resided in Oceanside, New York, before settling in Central Islip. He was graduated from Oceanside High School in 1946, and is employed as a veterinarian's assistant.

## JOSEPH A. JOHNSON, JR., Airman 1st Class

Formerly of Jersey City, New Jersey, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Johnson was born on April 24, 1934, and was graduated from Dickerson High School, Jersey City, in 1952. He served from May of 1952 until May of 1956 with the 1955-1 and the 2017th Airways and Air Communications System of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Washington, New Jersey, Japan and in Korea as well. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He is employed as an air traffic control specialist.

## ROBERT G. JOHNSON, Corporal

Born on November 25, 1932, and formerly of Lynbrook, New York, Mr. Johnson made his home in Brentwood where he has resided since 1964. He served with the 56th Tank and Tractor Battalion of the United States Army from January of 1953 until December of 1954, and was stationed in Korea and in Japan. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, and the Syngman Rhee Citation, while in the service. He was graduated from Lynbrook High School, and was employed as a truck driver after the service.



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## WILLIAM J. JOHNTRY, Sergeant 1st Class

Sergeant Johntry served from November of 1950 until October of 1952 with the 40th Division, 981st Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in California, Japan, and in Korea as well. He was born on December 23, 1928, and resided in Astoria, New York, before making his home in West Islip. He was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades in 1949, and is currently employed as a construction equipment manager. He is merited with the Japan Occupation Medal, and the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star.

## DAVID T. JONES, JR., Corporal

Corporal Jones served with the 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from January of 1951 until January of 1954, and was stationed in Korea. Formerly of Freeport, New York, where he was graduated from Freeport High School in 1950, he made his home in Sayville. In 1959 he received his Bachelor of Science degree from Cortland State, and in 1963 his Master of Science degree from Hofstra University. He was born on September 22, 1932, and is employed as a teacher. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK R. JONES, Interior Communications Electrician 3rd Class

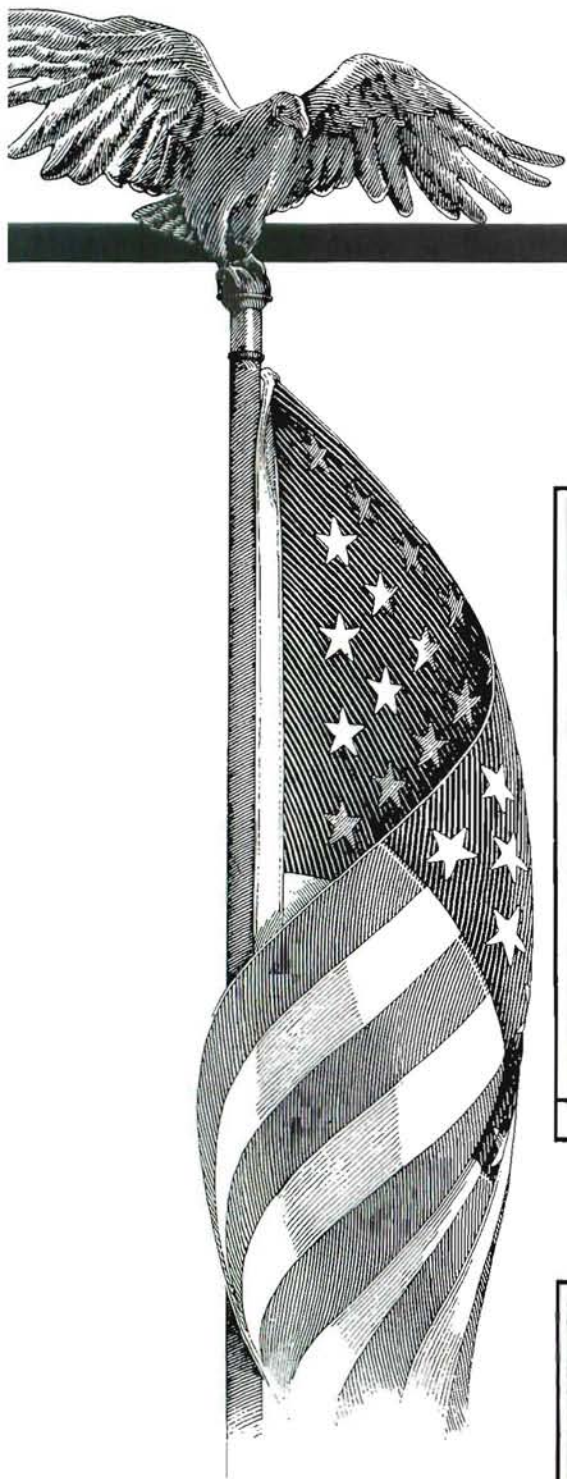
Frank R. Jones, Supervisor of the Town of Islip, was born on March 23, 1930. Formerly of Blue Point, Mr. Jones resides in Sayville. He attended Bayport-Blue Point Schools and, in 1960, received a degree in mechanical design from Pratt Institute, Brooklyn. Mr. Jones obtained his Bachelor and Master's degrees in Public Administration from Long Island University in 1976, and has worked toward a doctoral degree in public administration at New York University. He served in the United States Navy from March, 1948 until March, 1952, was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Diamond Head, AE-19, for two years, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He served as Deputy Supervisor of the Town of Islip (1971-1978), and as Deputy and Chief Deputy County Executive of Suffolk County (1978-1987). He was appointed Islip Town Supervisor on March 30, 1987.

## STUART V. JONES, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and born on June 8, 1932, Mr. Jones settled in Holbrook where he presently resides. He attended Metropolitan Vocational High School, and served with C Company, 3rd Combat Engineers, 24th Division of the United States Army from December of 1952 until November of 1954, and was stationed in Korea. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal and the United Nations Service Medal. Following his discharge he was employed as a Substation Operator for Con Edison.

## DONNELL JORDAN, Sergeant

Sergeant Jordan served with the 1st Loudspeaker and Leaflet Company, 5th Regimental Combat Team of the United States Army from 1952 until 1954. Born on March 5, 1932, and formerly of Williston Park, New York, he made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He was graduated from Mineola High School in 1950, and is currently employed as an electrician. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation.



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WILLIAM J. JOHNTRY



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## ROBERT J. JORDAN, Private 1st Class

Private Jordan served from March of 1951 until February of 1953 with the 512th Signal Base Maintenance Company of the United States Army and was stationed chiefly in Germany. Born on November 30, 1929, and formerly of Ozone Park, New York, he settled in Brentwood where he has resided since 1959. He was graduated from Manual Training High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1950, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Following the service he was employed as a communication technician.

## THOMAS J. JORDAN, Jr., Airman 1st Class

Originally from St. Albans, New York, and a resident of Brightwaters, Mr. Jordan was born on August 4, 1933. He was graduated from LaSalle Military Academy in 1951, from St. John's University in 1959, and from Hofstra University in 1962, and is currently employed as a high school teacher. He served from June of 1952 until June of 1956 with the United States Air Force and was stationed mainly in Libya. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH T. JUDGE, Captain

Captain Judge served from 1950 until 1952 with the 499th Evacuation Hospital of the United States Army, and was stationed in Virginia and in Texas. Born on April 19, 1919, and formerly of Valley Stream, New York, he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated from Chaminade High School in 1937, from St. John's University in 1941, and in 1945 from Georgetown University, School of Medicine. He currently has a medical practice on Howells Road in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HEINZ W. JUNGE, Corporal

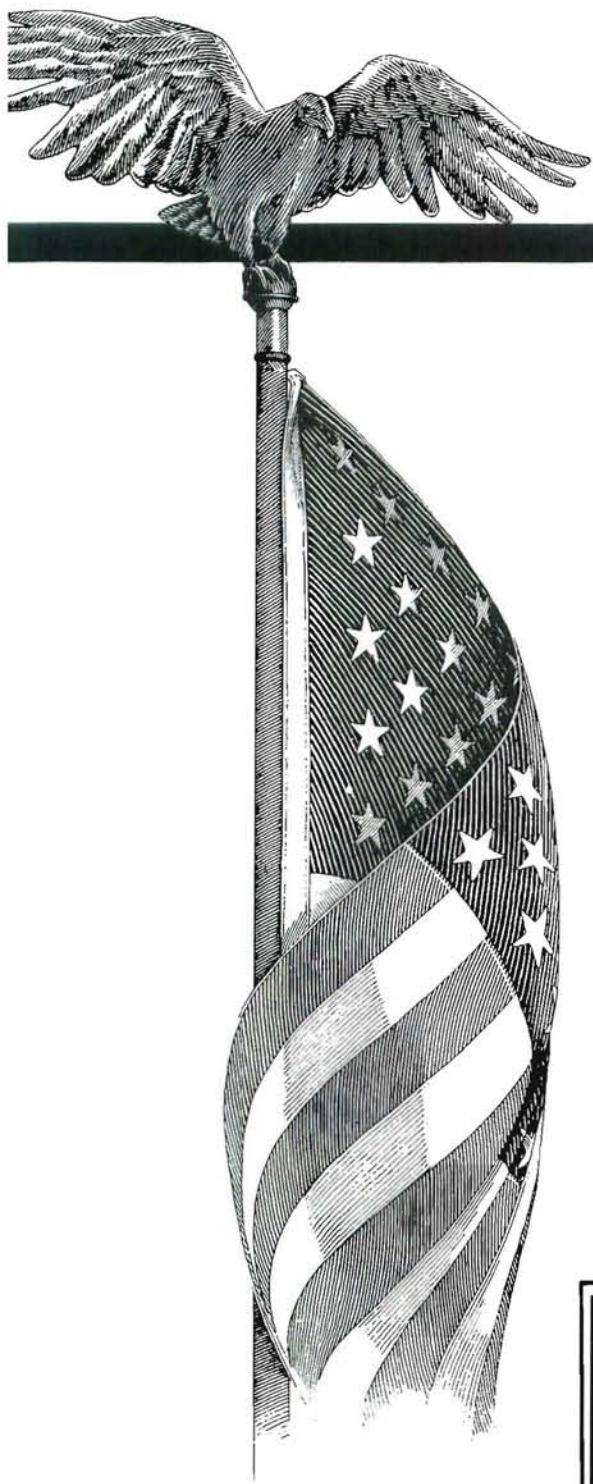
Born on April 2, 1930, and previously a resident of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Junge settled in Brentwood. He served from July of 1951 until April of 1953 with H Company, 930th EA Group, 5th Air Force of the United States Special Category Army with the Air Force, and was stationed mainly in Young Doug Po, Korea. Following his discharge from the service, he was employed as a baker. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HARRY R. KAESS, Corporal

A resident of Queens, New York, before making his home in Brentwood, Mr. Kaess was born on October 10, 1932. He served with the 3rd Marine Air Wing of the United States Marine Corps from March of 1952 until March of 1954, and was stationed in Florida and in South Carolina. He was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1950, and attended classes for one year at SUNY in Farmingdale. He was employed as an aircraft electrician following the service.

## JOHN KALINOWSKI, Gunners Mate 3rd Class

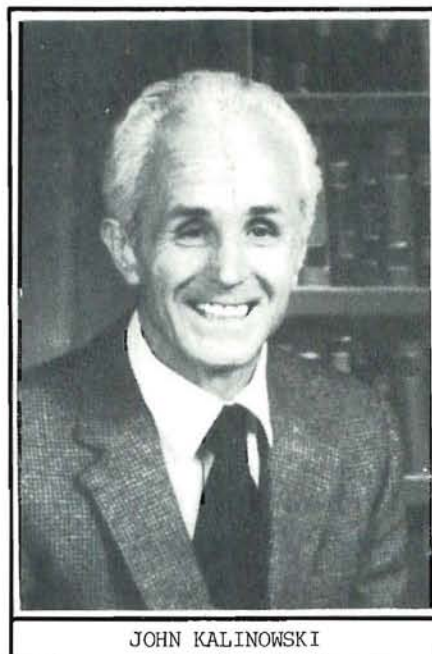
Originally from Greenport, New York, and born on September 3, 1930, Mr. Kalinowski settled in Oakdale where he has resided since 1974. He was graduated from Greenport High School in 1949, in 1958 from Ithaca College, and from Cortland State College in 1963. He served aboard the U.S.S. Gearing, DD-710, of the United States Navy from September of 1950 until June of 1954, and was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia. He earned the National Defense Service Medal and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and is employed as a teacher.



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HARRY R. KAESS



JOHN KALINOWSKI



ROBERT J. JORDAN

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## JOSEPH S. KARPf, SR., Fireman

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from Franklin K. Lane High School in 1950, Mr. Karpf was born on January 9, 1934, and resides in Brentwood. He served from February of 1952 until January of 1956 aboard the U.S.S. Tarawa, CVA-40, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the China Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Navy Occupation Medal. Following the service he was employed as a maintenance mechanic and is currently employed as a plumber.

## LEONARD KATZ, Sergeant

Originally from Queens, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Katz was born on April 12, 1935. He served from August of 1953 until June of 1956 with the Transportation Corps of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Eustis, Virginia, Fort Hood, Texas, and in Frobisher Bay. He was graduated from Jamaica High School in 1952, from New York University in 1960, and from Baruch City University in 1964. He is currently employed as a retail executive.

## ROBERT F. KATZER, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist Katzer served from July of 1953 until May of 1956 with the 552nd R Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. Originally from East Islip, and presently residing in Bay Shore, he was born on June 29, 1934, and attended East Islip High School. Following the service he was employed as a truck driver.

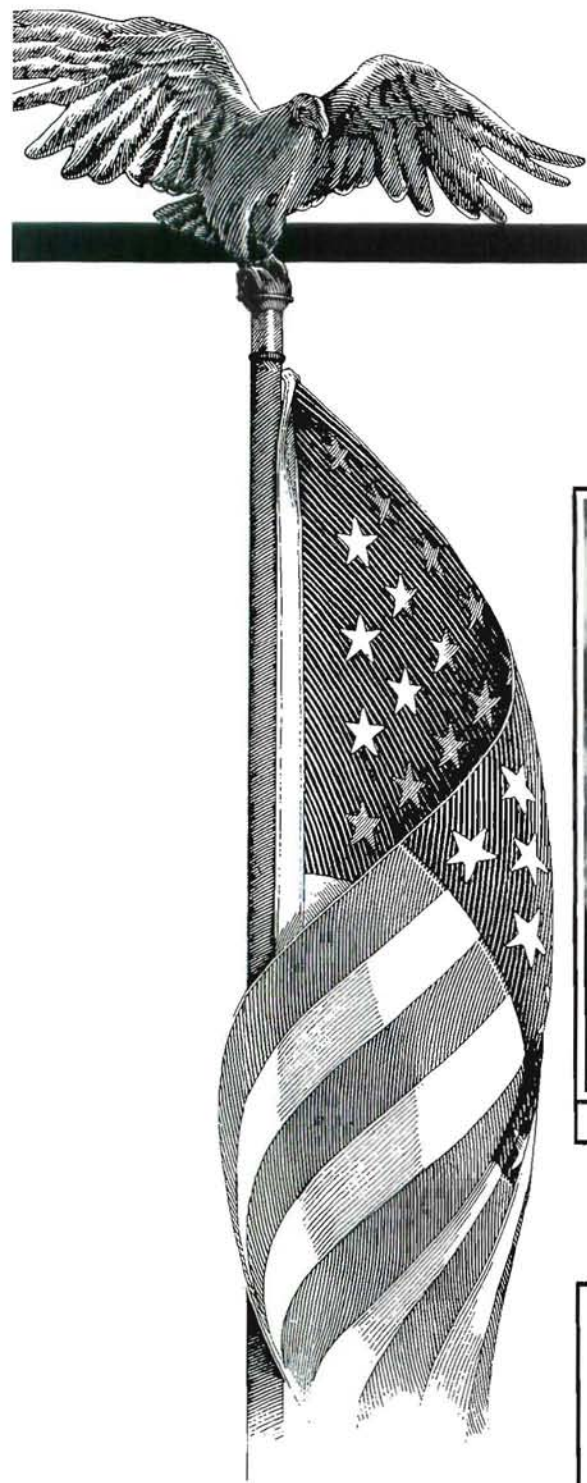
## FREDERICK J. KAVANAGH, Aviation Electronics Technician

Born on September 2, 1935, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Kavanagh presently resides in Central Islip. He served with the 201st Air Fleet Service Squadron of the United States Navy, primarily in Malta, from January of 1955 until January of 1957. He was graduated from St. Michael's High School, Brooklyn, in 1953, and in 1966 from New York City College. He was employed as a police officer following the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

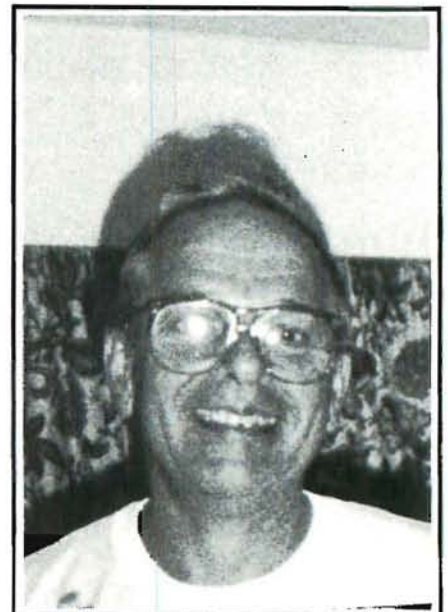
## FRED KEATING, Private 1st Class

Private Keating served from August of 1953 until June of 1955 with H Company, 505th Regiment, 82nd Airborne Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, Fort Dix, New Jersey, and at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Pistol Sharpshooter Badge, and the Rifle Expert Badge. Born on August 18, 1934, and formerly of Flushing, New York, he made his home in Sayville where he now resides. He was graduated from Bishop Loughlin Memorial High School, Brooklyn, received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1960 from St. John's University, his Master of Science degree from Queens College/CUNY in 1967, and his Doctorate of Education in 1979 from Hofstra University. He has been employed as an educator, and is Assistant Principal at Ward Melville High School, Setauket.

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JOSEPH S. KARPf



LEONARD KATZ



ROBERT F. KATZER



FRED KEATING

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## ROBERT KEATING, Corporal

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York and presently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Keating was born on January 4, 1934, and attended Fort Hamilton High School, Brooklyn. He received his Equivalency Diploma in 1955, and attended classes at Suffolk County Community College. He served with the 2nd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from March of 1954 until March of 1957, and was stationed in Formosa, and in Japan. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal, and after his discharge was employed as an airline cargo supervisor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE F. KEELEY, Staff Sergeant

A resident of Islip Terrace, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Keeley was born on March 21, 1930. He served from November of 1947 until June of 1954 with the 7th Infantry Division, 32nd Regiment, 229th Signal Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in Japan and in Korea as well. He earned five Battle Stars, and after the service was employed as a carpenter.

## RICHARD KEENAN, Corporal

Corporal Keenan served from November of 1951 until October of 1953 with the 801st Engineer Aviation Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in England. He was born on November 25, 1930, is formerly of New York City, and presently resides in West Islip. He was graduated from Metropolitan Vocational High School in 1948.

## DONALD A. KEHLENBECK, Aviation Electronics Technician 1st Class

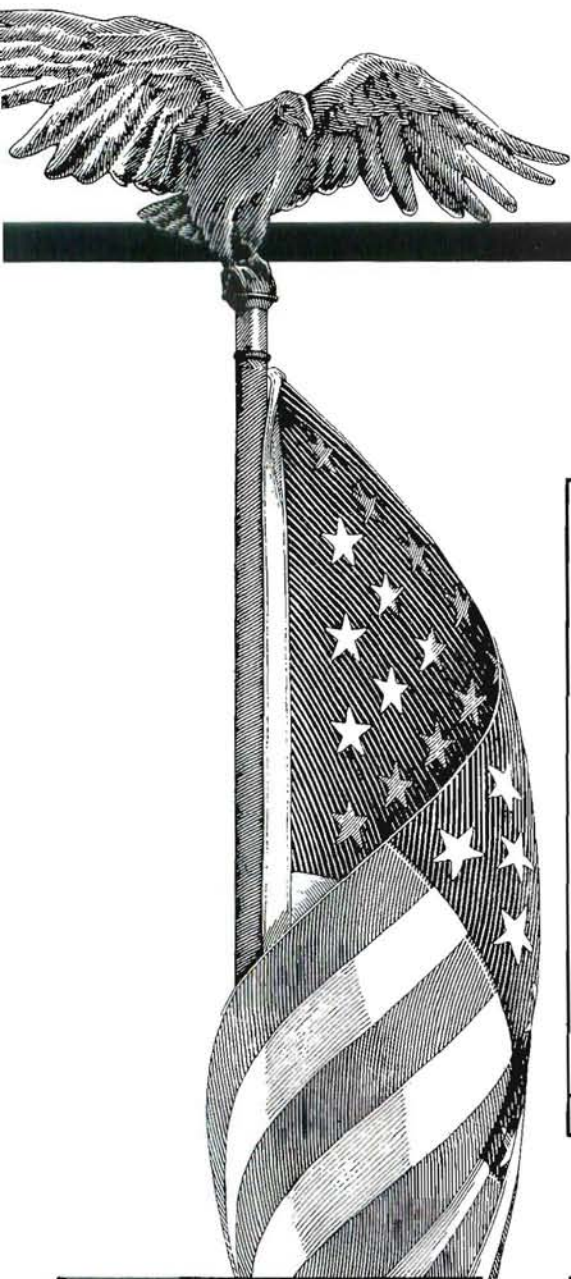
Originally from Wading River, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Kehlenbeck was born on January 9, 1933, and was graduated from Alexander Hamilton High School in 1951. He served from March of 1951 until March of 1955 with the VP-26 of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Europe as well as in the United States. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and after the service was employed as an electrician.

## GEORGE H. KEIL, Radarman 3rd Class

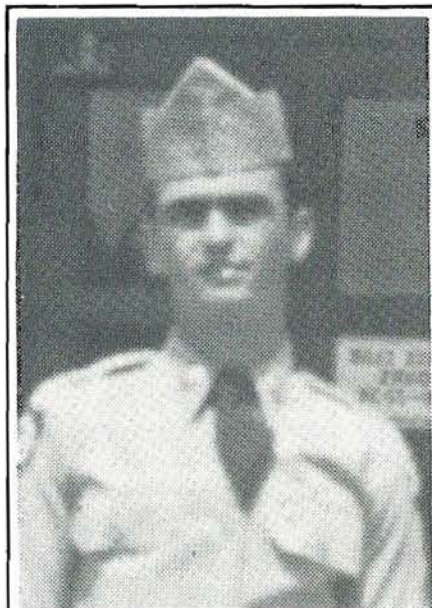
Radarman Keil served from January of 1951 until November of 1954 with the Atlantic Fleet aboard the U.S.S. Hoist, ARS-40, of the United States Navy. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, he was born on October 23, 1931, and attended Fort Hamilton High School, Brooklyn. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Atlantic Theatre Medal while in the service, and following his discharge was employed as a telephone installer.

## NORMAN KELLER, Corporal

Corporal Keller served in Korea from August of 1951 until August of 1953 with the 8055th M\*A\*S\*H Unit of the United States Army, and is merited with the Meritorious Unit Commendation, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. Originally from Montreal, Canada, he made his home in Holbrook. Born on April 18, 1930, he was graduated in 1948 from William H. Taft High School, Bronx, New York, and in 1960 from Voorhees Technical College, and after the service was employed as a machinist.



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GEORGE F. KEELEY



RICHARD KEENAN



GEORGE H. KEIL



NORMAN KELLER



DONALD A. KEHLENBECK



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## GEORGE KELLY, Builder 3rd Class

Formerly of Central Islip, and born on April 27, 1931, Mr. Kelly settled in Brooklyn, New York. He served from August of 1949 until August of 1953 with the Naval Construction Battalion Division, 124th Construction Battalion, and AMPH Construction Battalion of the United States Navy, and was stationed in New York, Alaska, and in California. A 1949 graduate of Central Islip High School he was employed as a carpenter following the service.

## GRAHAM G. KELLY, Staff Sergeant

Born on May 25, 1934, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Kelly made his home in Hauppauge where he has resided since 1963. He served from December of 1954 until December of 1958 with the 702nd and the 908th Aircraft Control and Warning Squadrons of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Savannah and Marietta, Georgia, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. A 1952 graduate of St. John's Preparatory High School, he attended St. John's College and Suffolk County Community College. He was employed as an air traffic control specialist in the automation branch. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN T. KELLY, Sergeant/Flight Engineer

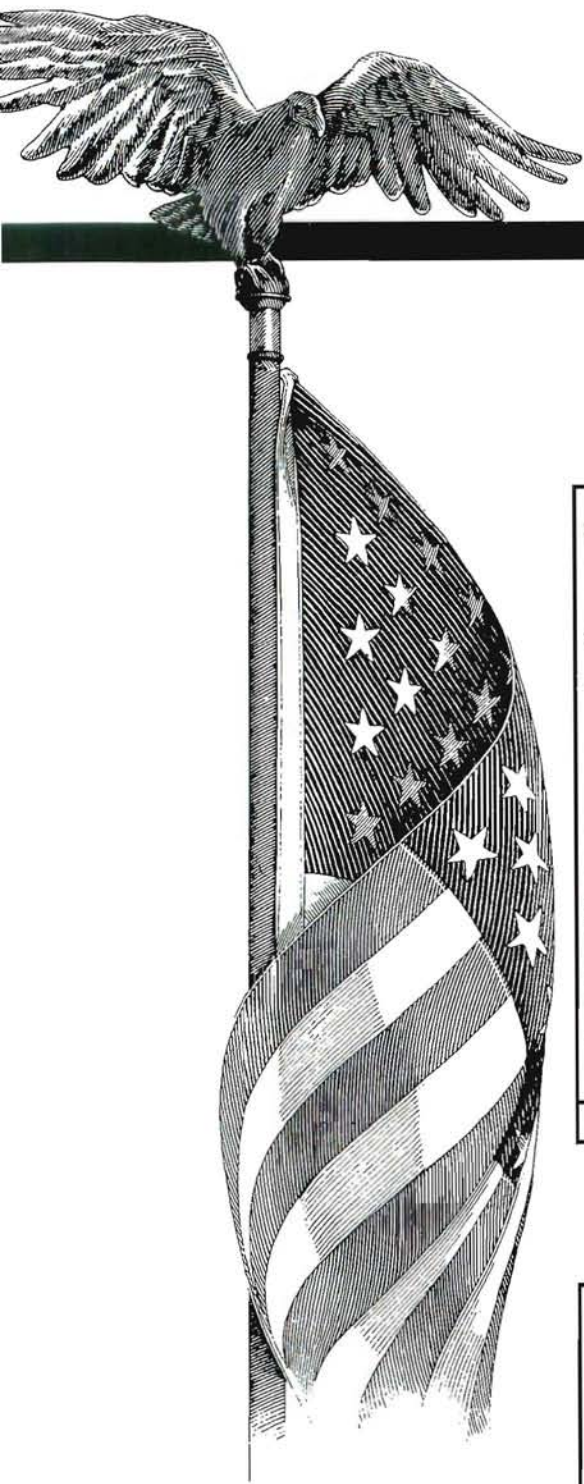
A resident of Oakdale since 1972, Mr. Kelly was born on June 12, 1933. He served in the United States Air Force with the Cold Weather Material Testing Squadron from 1951 until 1955, primarily in Alaska, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. He attended Bishop Loughlin High School and Erasmus Hall High School, New York City College, Boston University, LaSalle University, Western States University and Adelphi University and has a Bachelor of Arts degree, a Master of Arts degree in Appraisal Technology, and also one in Business Administration, and a Doctorate of Philosophy in Valuation Science. Following the service he was employed as a New York City Police Officer, and is currently a college teacher, and an international real estate appraiser as well as the President of Brentwood Realty Corp.

## TIMOTHY P. KELLY, Emergency Military Police

Born on September 11, 1926, and formerly of Amityville, New York, Mr. Kelly made his home in East Islip. A 1948 graduate of Lindenhurst High School, Lindenhurst, New York, he was employed as a cemetery worker after the service. He served in the Panama Canal Zone from December of 1950 until August of 1952 with the Ammunition Depot, TAD Special 15th Naval District of the United States Navy.

## WILLIAM KELLY, Sergeant

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Oakdale, Mr. Kelly was born on October 29, 1931. He was graduated in 1949 from St. Leonard's Academy, and in 1981 from SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from 1951 until 1953 with C Company, 1st Infantry Battalion, 15th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Korea. He earned the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Senior Parachute Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. Following his discharge he was employed as a New York City Firefighter.



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MATTHEW J. KELSCH, Corporal

Corporal Klesch served from October of 1952 until October of 1955 with the 45th Division, the 2nd Division, L Company, 2nd Battalion, 180th Regiment of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, a Purple Heart, the Senior Parachute Badge, the Silver Star Medal, the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the United Nations Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, he was born on September 29, 1934. He attended Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School, received his Bachelor of Arts degree from SUNY at Albany, his Master of Science degree from Hofstra University, and also a Master's degree from SUNY at Stony Brook. After his discharge he was employed as an airline ticket agent, and has been employed as a school teacher since 1963. He is currently teaching in Islip High School.

EDWARD T. KELSKE, Sergeant

Formerly of Uniondale, New York, and presently residing in Islip, Mr. Kelske was born on May 8, 1932. He served from November of 1952 until November of 1954 with M Company, 180th Infantry Regiment, 45th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge as well. A 1949 graduate of Hempstead High School, Hempstead, New York, he has been employed as a roofing and siding mechanic since his discharge from the service.

LEONARD N. KELSON, Corporal

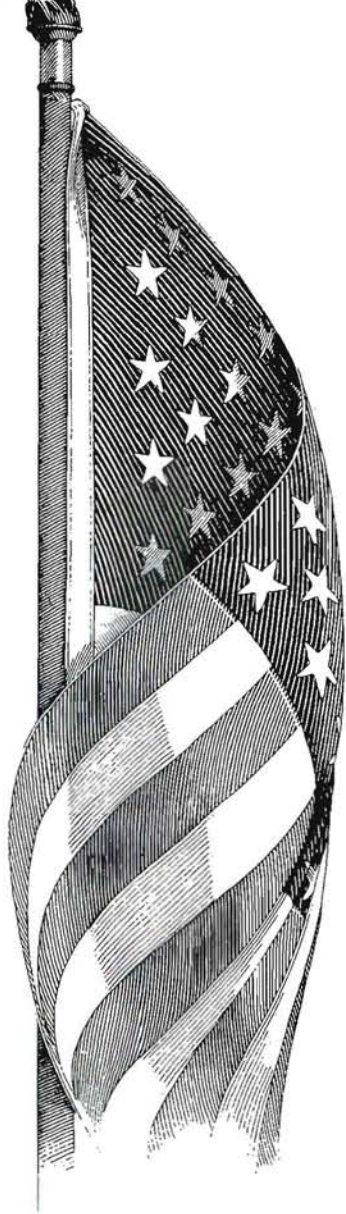
Born on December 22, 1930, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Kelson settled in Brentwood where he has resided since 1960. He was graduated in 1947 from Midwood High School, Brooklyn, received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1955 from Brooklyn College, Brooklyn, and his Master of Science degree in 1960 also from Brooklyn College. He served with the Military Police, RTC of the United States Army from November of 1951 until November of 1953, and was stationed at Camp Gordon, Georgia. He is merited with the American Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal, has been employed as a guidance counselor since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

EDWARD J. KENAVAN, Private 1st Class

Private Kenavan served with the 8th Army of the United States Army from April of 1954 until February of 1956 and was stationed in Seoul, Pusan and Inchon, Korea, as well as on Wombedo Island. He was born on November 5, 1933, and resided in Brooklyn, New York, before making his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He was graduated from New York School of Printing in 1953, and was employed with the New York City Department of Sanitation until he retired. He is currently employed with R.B. Hamilton-Rigger, and while in the service earned the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal.



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MATTHEW J. KELSCH



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## JAMES J. KENNEDY, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Kennedy served from January of 1951 until May of 1955 with the Air Cadets as a pilot, of the Combat Crew Training Unit, 8th Fighter-Bomber (TAC), Air Training Command (Air Defense Command Secondary), of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Vance Air Force Base, Oklahoma, Nellis Air Force Base, Nevada, and at Perrin Air Force Base, Texas. Born on May 28, 1928, and a longtime resident of West Islip, he was graduated in 1946 from West Babylon High School, Babylon, New York, and attended classes at Stevens Institute of Technology, Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, and Fordham University where he received a Master's in Business Administration in 1974. He is merited with the Air Medal, the Distinguished Flying Cross, and after the service was employed in engineering, sales, and in marketing management.

## WILLIAM L. KENNEDY, Fire Control Technician 3rd Class

Born on November 15, 1928, and formerly of Lindenhurst, New York, where he attended Lindenhurst High School, Mr. Kennedy made his home in Sayville where he now resides. He was graduated from Seton Hall High School in 1946, attended Hofstra University, was graduated from SUNY at New Paltz in 1957, is a retired teacher. He served from December of 1948 until December of 1952 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. John R. Pierce, DD-753, and was stationed in the Mediterranean Sea and in the Far East. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Syngman Rhee Presidential Unit Citation, the Korean Service Medal with three Battle Stars, and the Atlantic Theatre Medal.

## RALPH A. KERCADO, Private 1st Class

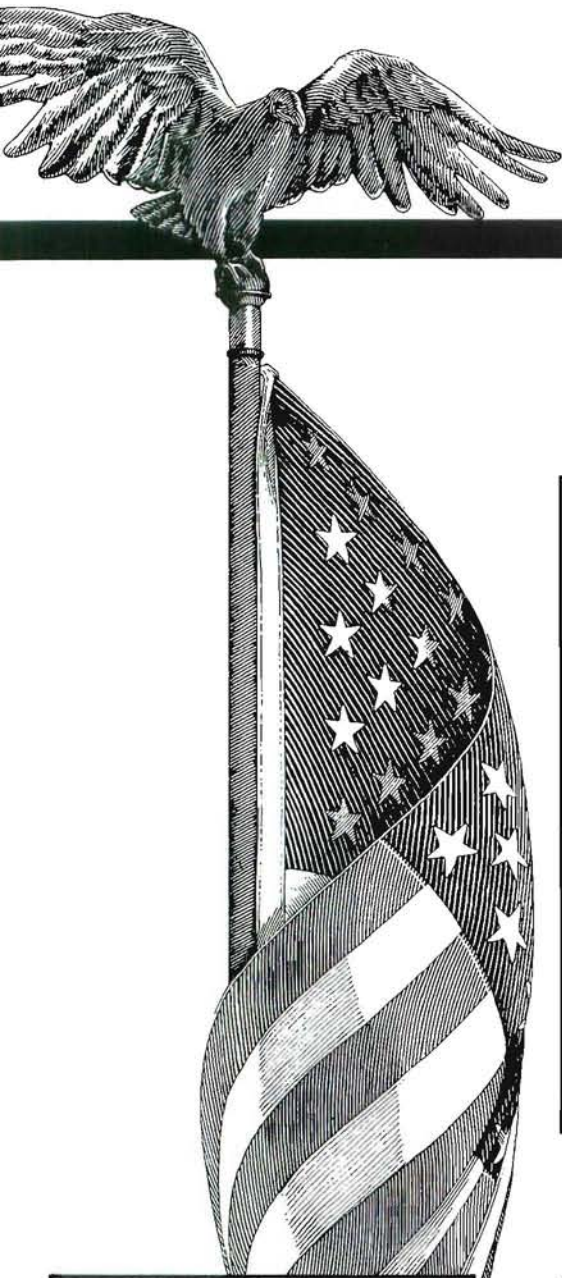
A resident of Queens, New York, until he settled in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He served with Post Engineers Company, AU-8350, of the United States Army from September of 1951 until August of 1953, and was stationed primarily at Fort Richardson. He was employed as a cabinet maker following his discharge from the service.

## WALTER J. KEREKACH, Airman 1st Class

Airman Kerekach served from May of 1952 until April of 1956 with the 513th Fighter Interceptor Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed primarily at Manston Air Force Base, England. He was born on December 24, 1932, and resided in Brooklyn, New York, before making his home in East Islip where presently resides. He was graduated from Manual Training High School in 1951, and since his discharge from the service has been employed as an aircraft and engine mechanic.

## GARRY B. KIEFFER, Radioman 2nd Class

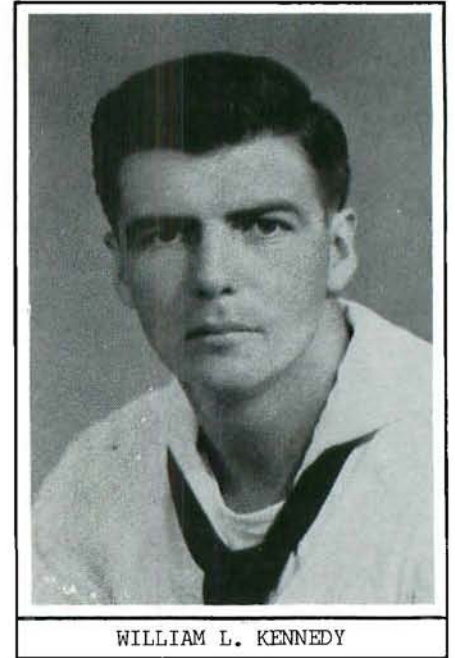
A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Kieffer was born on September 25, 1935, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1952. He served aboard the U.S.S. Telfair, APA-210, with the 5th Amphibious Squadron of the United States Navy from September of 1952 until September of 1956. His tours of duty included Japan, Korea, the Philippines, and China, and he earned the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. After the service he was employed as an electrician.



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WILLIAM L. KENNEDY



RALPH A. MERCADO



WALTER J. KERKACH



GARRY B. KIEFFER

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## JOSEPH A. KIERNAN, Airman 1st Class

Formerly of Maspeth, New York, Mr. Kiernan was born on September 2, 1932, and presently resides in Holbrook. He served from April of 1951 until December of 1954 with the 1993rd AACS Squadron of the United States Air Force. He is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Korean and United Nations Service Medals. A 1951 graduate of William Cullen Bryant High School, Astoria, New York, he was employed as a draftsman and as a dispatcher for a trucking company following the service.

## THOMAS J. KINANE, Corporal

Presently residing in Islip, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Kinane was born on December 24, 1931, and attended Alexander Hamilton High School, Brooklyn. He served from January of 1952 until December of 1953 primarily in Salzburg, Austria, with the 350th Infantry Regiment, T Company of the United States Army. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, as well as the National Defense Service Medal, and following his discharge was employed with Air France at Kennedy International Airport, Jamaica, New York.

## JAMES W. KINDBERG, Sergeant

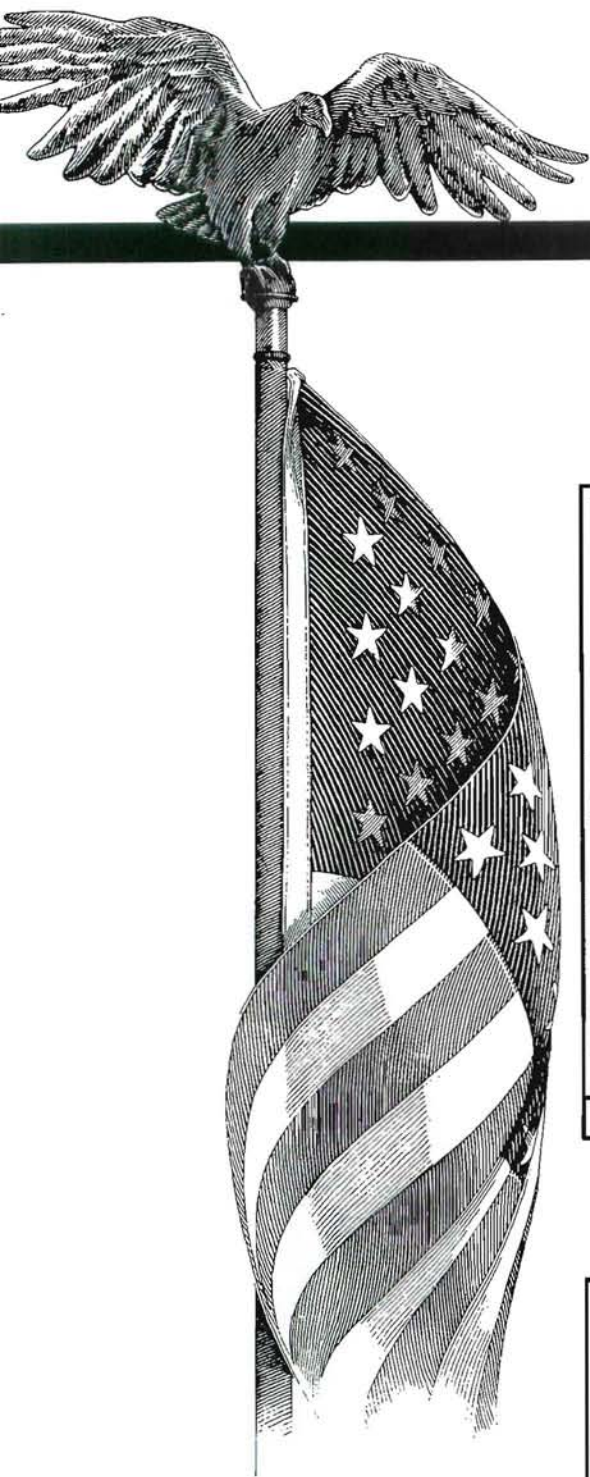
Sergeant Kindberg served with the United States Marine Corps from July of 1948 until July of 1952. He was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Bon Homme Richard of the United States Navy, principally in the Pacific Ocean. Originally from Islip Terrace, he made his home in East Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from East Islip High School in 1946, and from Hofstra University in 1955. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean Service Medal. He was born on March 16, 1928, and is employed as an accountant. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MARTIN KISSEL, Constructionman Mechanic 2nd Class

Born on February 13, 1935, and originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. Kissel made his home in Islip Terrace. He served from March of 1953 until March of 1957 with the Machinery Construction Battalion, 2nd Division of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Las Vegas, Nevada, and in the Philippines, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. In 1956 he was graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School, and following the service was employed as a Sheet Metal Worker for DNS Sheet Metal Industries, Long Island City, New York, until he passed away on August 29, 1983.

## WALTER KISTER, Private 1st Class

Private Kister served with the 36th AAA Missile Battalion, B Battery of the United States Army during December of 1952, and was stationed in the United States. Originally from the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, he was born on July 24, 1932, and attended Benjamin Franklin High School. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, and following the service was employed as a Brakeman and as a Conductor for the Long Island Rail Road.



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## LEONARD C. KLAUSSER, Corporal

A longtime resident of West Islip, and a 1950 graduate of Babylon High School, Mr. Klausser was born on December 10, 1928. He served from 1950 until 1952 with the AT&T Company, 322nd Signal Battalion, attached to the 82nd Airborne Division of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and in Frankfurt, Germany. He is merited with the German Army of Occupation Medal, and was employed as a surveyor following his discharge from the service. He is presently employed as a bridge construction engineer.

## ROBERT J. KLEID, Engineman 2nd Class

A resident of Bay Shore, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Kleid was born on March 7, 1932, and was graduated from Bushwick High School in 1950. He served mainly with the Atlantic Fleet aboard the U.S.S. Mitchner, DL-2, of the United States Navy from March of 1951 until March of 1955, and earned the National Defense Service Medal. After the service he was employed as an architect. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RONALD KLEIN, Corporal

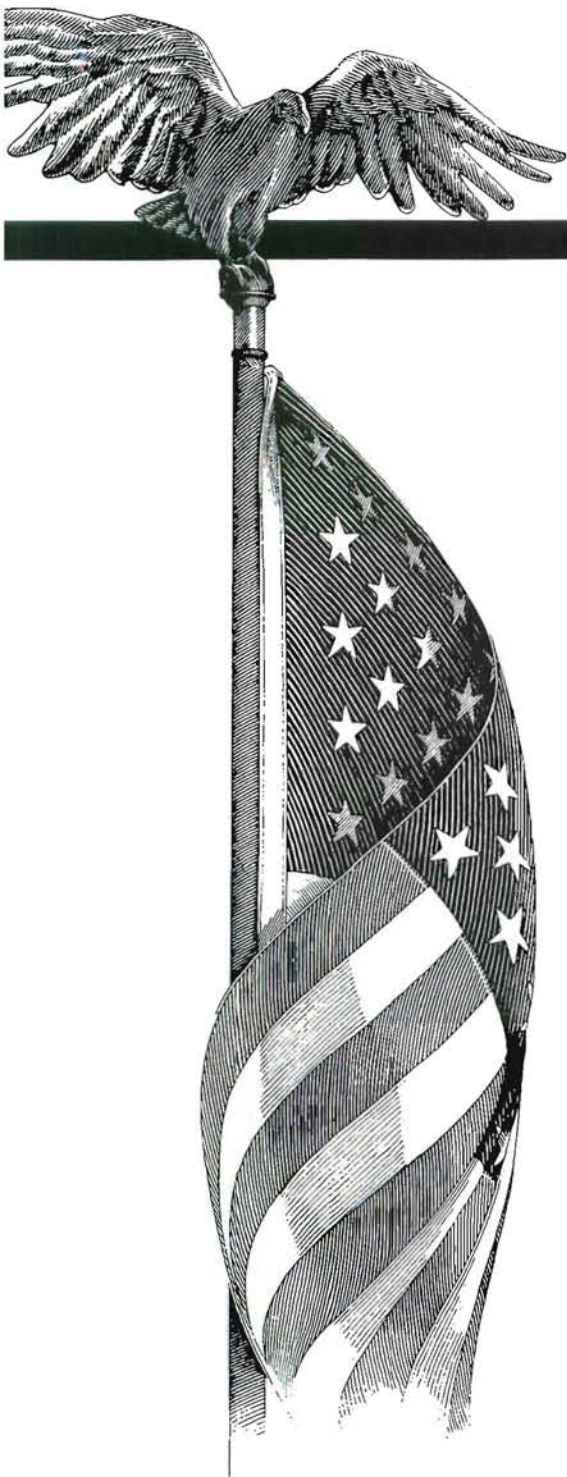
Originally from Baltimore, Maryland, Mr. Klein was born on January 2, 1927, and made his home in Hauppauge where he presently resides. He attended Baltimore Polytechnic High School, and was graduated from John Hopkins University in 1960, and in 1965 from Fairleigh Dickinson University. He served from September of 1952 until September of 1954 with the United States Army Signal Corps School as an Instructor at Fort Gordon, Georgia. After his discharge from the service he was employed as an electronic engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALAN J. KLETCHKA, Corporal

A 1948 graduate of Bay Shore High School, and longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Kletchka was born on April 15, 1929. He served with the 110th Harbor Craft Battalion, 508th Craft Company, of the United States Army primarily in Fort Eustes, Virginia, during 1951. He was employed as an assistant manager prior to military service, and following his separation from the Army was in training with W.T. Grant Company and is currently employed as an Area Coordinator for the Town of Islip's Department of Public Works.

## WESLEY J. KLEY, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist Kley served from August of 1954 until August of 1956 with the United States Army as a Field Radio Repairman, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. Born on July 9, 1935, and originally from New York City, he made his home in Brentwood. He was graduated in 1953 from the High School of Commerce, New York City, and in 1965 from Hofstra University. Following the service he was employed as an electrical engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)



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LEONARD C. KLAUSSER



ALAN J. KLETCHKA

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## HERBERT N. KLOPP, Major

Formerly of Farmingdale, and presently residing in Oakdale, Dr. Klopp was born on March 31, 1917. He served from February of 1953 until May of 1955 with the United States Army and was stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia, and at Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D.C. He was graduated from Lafayette High School, Buffalo, New York, from SUNY at Buffalo, and from SUNY at Buffalo, School of Dentistry. Following the service he became employed in dentistry until he retired. (Photograph unavailable.)

## KARL H. KNIZEK, Technical Sergeant

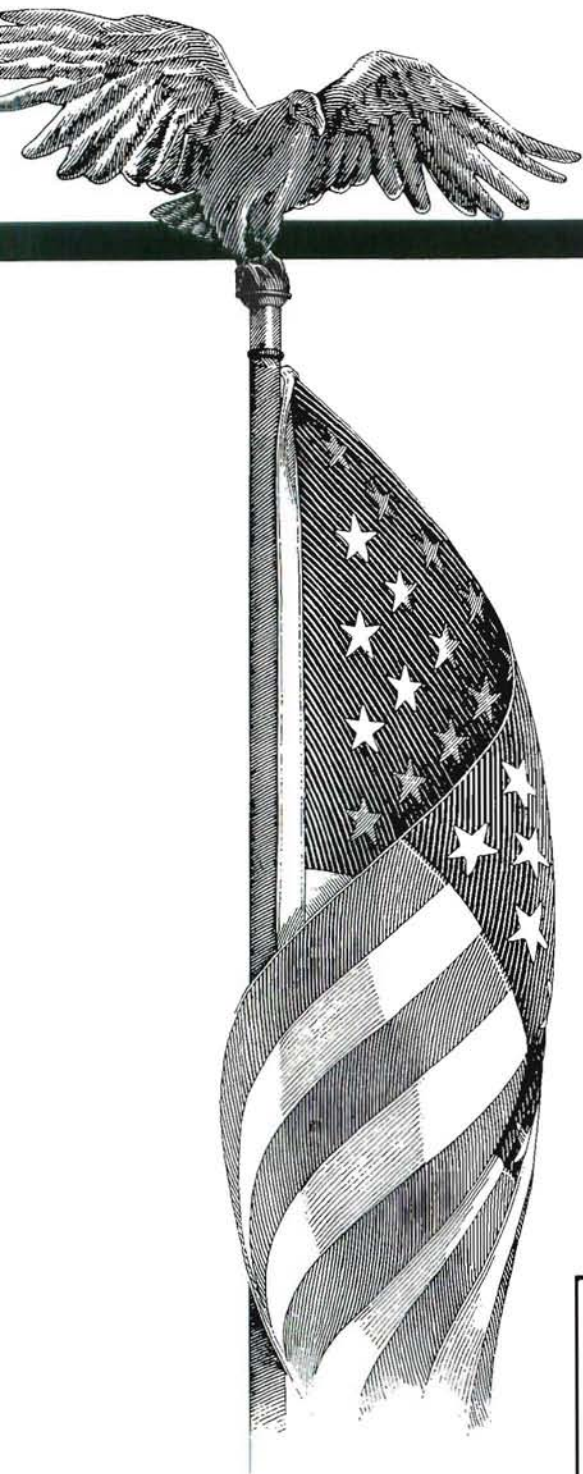
Born on January 24, 1930, and formerly of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Mr. Knizek settled in Brentwood where he presently resides. He served with the 6161st Maintenance Squadron of the United States Air Force, principally at Yokota Air Force Base, Japan, from March of 1949 until March of 1955. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal and the National Defense Service Medal as well. He attended Taylor Alderdice High School, Pittsburgh, and attended schools in Europe from 1936 through 1947, and again from 1947 until 1949. Following his discharge he was employed as a Technician for Westinghouse and was also employed with Pan American Airlines.

## RAPHAEL P. KNOFF, Corporal

Corporal Knopf served from November of 1952 until October of 1954 with Headquarters Battery, 176th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, Central MLR, General Support of ROK, of the 5th and 8th Armies of the United States Army. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. He was born on November 18, 1927, and was originally from Queens, New York, until he made his home in East Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1945 from William Howard Taft High School, received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1949 from New York University, and in 1958 received his Master of Arts degree, also from New York University. While in the Army, he also served in the 176th AFA, as a radio operator with the Forward Observation Team and in the Fire Direction Center. Following his separation from the service he was employed as an art teacher, as an art chairman, and as a district coordinator of art.

## JAMES A. KNORR, Corporal

Originally from Hollis, New York, and presently a resident of Sayville, Mr. Knorr was born on August 24, 1931. He was graduated from Harran High School, New York City, in 1949, and from the University of Miami, Miami, Florida, in 1960. He served mainly in Korea and in Japan from October of 1950 until April of 1952 with the A-1-7, of the United States Marine Corps, and earned various service ribbons. Following his discharge he was employed in business as a worldwide transportation consultant. (Photograph unavailable.)



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JAMES A. KNORR

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## DONALD KOCH, Staff Sergeant

A longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. Koch was born on November 1, 1924, and attended Lindenhurst High School, Lindenhurst, New York. He served with the United States Army at Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia, and following his discharge was employed as a contractor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN J. KONTJE, First Lieutenant

Born on January 16, 1934, and originally from Bayonne, New Jersey, Mr. Kontje settled in Bohemia where he presently resides. He attended St. Peter's Prep High School, Jersey City, New Jersey, and St. Peter's College, also in Jersey City. He served from January of 1952 until February of 1958 with the 3530th Pilot Training Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Bryan Air Force Base, Bryan, Texas. He was an Instructor Pilot of single engine jet fighters while in the service and after his discharge was employed as an air traffic controller. (Photograph unavailable.)

## PETER KOSIK, Sergeant

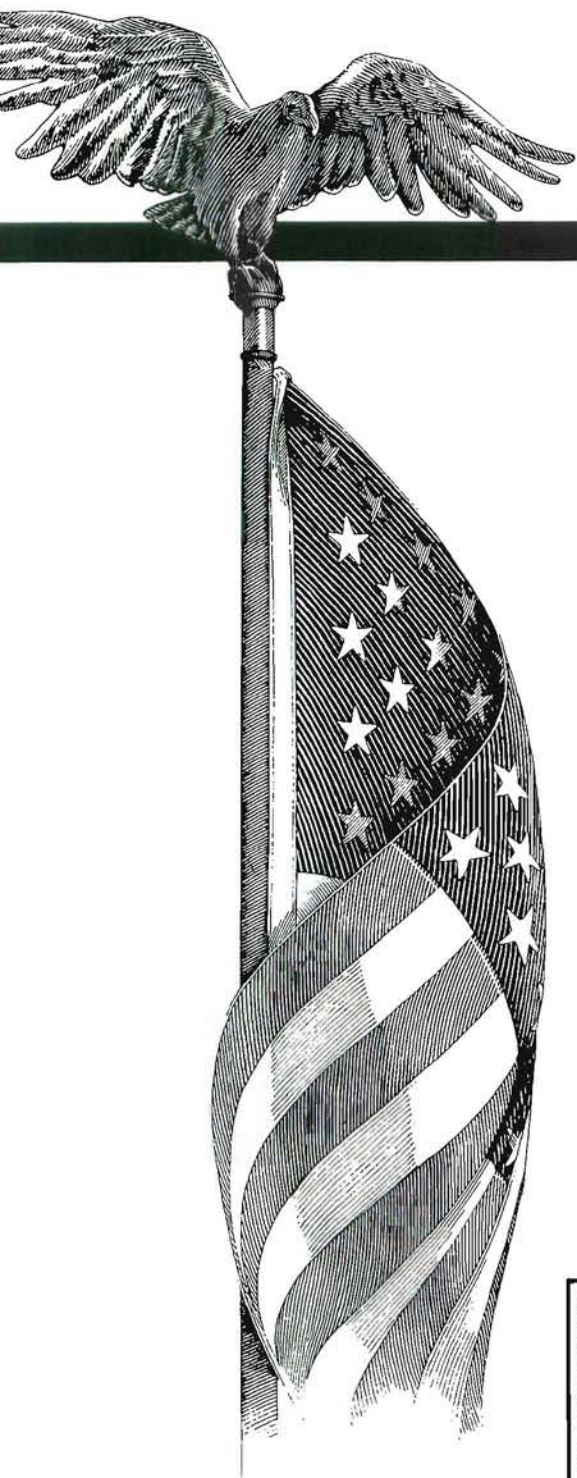
Sergeant Kosik served from April of 1951 until April of 1955 with the 6006th Air Intelligence Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Washington, D.C., and in Korea as well. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, as well as the Good Conduct Medal. Born on March 30, 1929, and formerly of Bay Shore, he made his home in East Islip where he presently resides. He was employed as a linguist and reports screener following his discharge and is currently employed as a baker.

## GEORGE H. KOTZ, Specialist 3rd Class

A 1949 graduate of Woodrow Wilson High School, and formerly of Queens, New York, Mr. Kotz resides in West Islip. He was born on August 29, 1931, and is presently employed as a New York City Firefighter. He served from August of 1954 until August of 1956 with the 867th Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. He earned the Germany Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and a Rifle Badge.

## THOMAS W. KOYLES, Private 1st Class

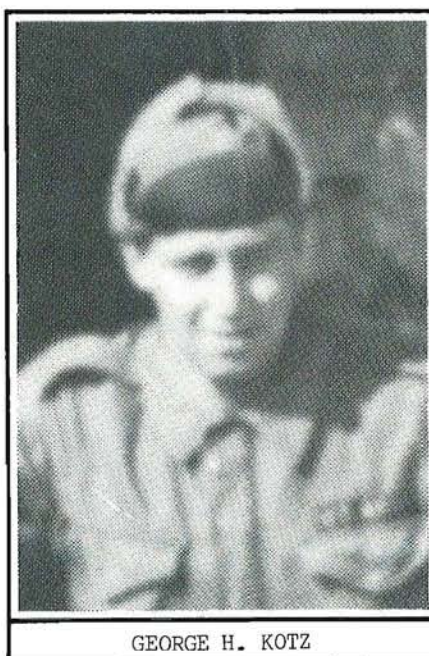
Private Koyles served from December of 1954 until December of 1956 with the 176th AAA Missile Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Pennsylvania, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. Born on August 16, 1934, formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Brentwood. He attended Boys High School and received his equivalency diploma in 1954. He was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1980, and after his discharge was employed as an aircraft mechanic.



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PETER KOSIK



GEORGE H. KOTZ



THOMAS W. KOYLES

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## RICHARD J. KRABAK, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Krabak served with the 96th Fighter Interceptor Squadron of the United States Air Force from 1952 until 1956, and also competed in Worldwide Fighter Aircraft Competition at Yuma Air Force Base in 1955. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Presidential Unit Citation as well. Formerly of New York City, and presently residing in Brentwood, he was born on March 8, 1933, and was graduated from Harran High School, New York City. He attended classes at New York Institute of Technology, and the Academy of Aeronautics, and following his separation from the service was employed as a senior aircraft designer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT R. KRAMER, Corporal

Born on March 7, 1931, and formerly of Mineola, New York, Mr. Kramer made his home in Brentwood where he has resided since 1960. A 1949 graduate of Mineola High School, Mineola, he served with the VMF 223 of the United States Marine Corps from 1952 until 1954, and was stationed in Japan, North Carolina, and in Florida. Following the service he was employed as a bricklayer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD G. KRAPF, Corporal

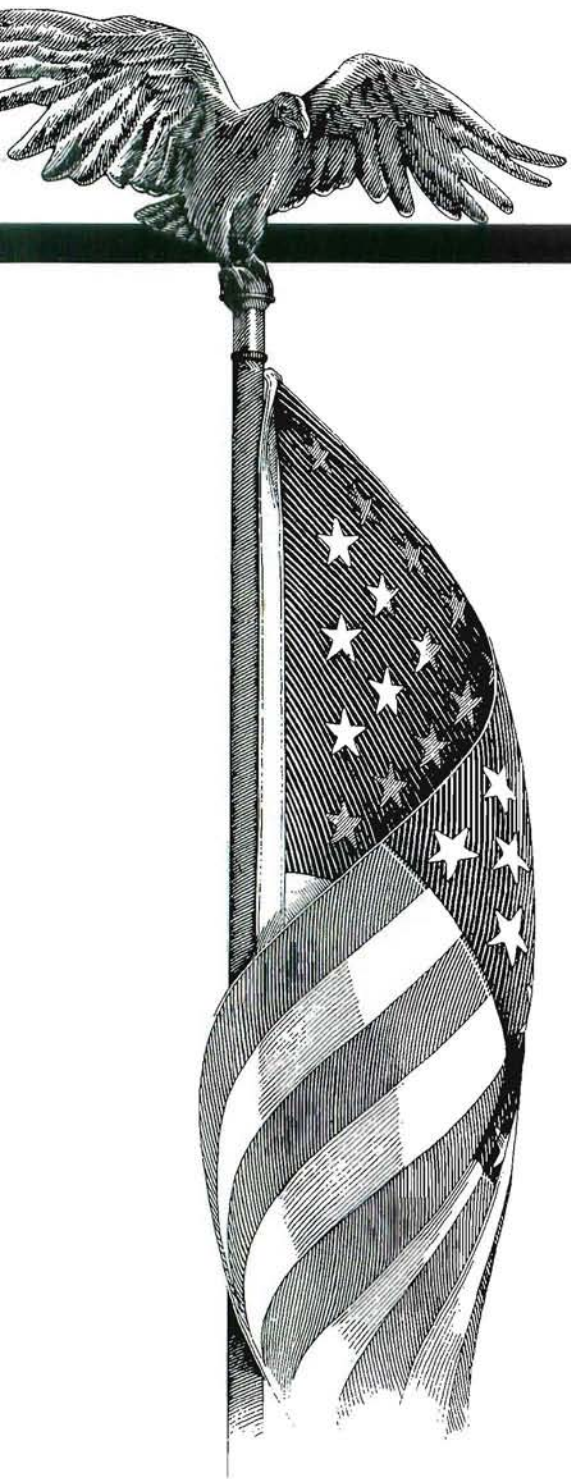
Formerly of Ozone Park, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Krapf was born on May 26, 1931, and attended John Adams High School. He served with I Company, 5th Infantry Regiment of the United States Army from November of 1951 until November of 1953, and was stationed in Korea and in Japan. He is merited with a Purple Heart, and has been employed as a mechanic since his discharge from the Army.

## AUGUST W. KRASTEL, Corporal

A 1950 graduate of Sewanhaka High School, and formerly of Elmont, New York, Mr. Krastel settled in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He was born on November 6, 1931, and was employed as a Supervisor of Shipping and Receiving for Kenwood Knitting Mills in Babylon, after his discharge. Currently, he is employed as a Senior Leadman for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. He served from August of 1952 until July of 1954 with the 8th Army, A Company, 62nd Engineering Construction Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in Seoul, Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, and the National Defense Service Medal as well.

## FREDERICK W. KREUTZER, Corporal

Corporal Kreutzer served from September of 1951 until September of 1953 with the Prisoner of War Company #7, 8163rd AU-Prisoner of War Command of the United States Army, and was stationed at Koje Do Prisoner of War Camp and Camp 1A at Chogu Ri. A resident of New Hyde Park, New York, until he settled in East Islip, he was born on March 12, 1928, and was graduated from Sewanhaka High School, Floral Park, New York, in 1946. In 1951 he received his Bachelor of Science degree from Cortland State Teachers College, Cortland, New York, and his Master of Arts degree in 1955 from Teachers College at Columbia University, New York City. He is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. Before the service he was a professional baseball player, and after his discharge was employed as a teacher. (Photograph unavailable.)



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RICHARD G. KRAPP



AUGUST W. KRASTEL



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## HENRY KREUTZER, Captain

Captain Kreutzer served with H Battery, 11th Marines, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from July of 1952 until June of 1954, and was stationed mainly in Korea. He was born on January 12, 1930, and resided in New Hyde Park, New York, before making his home in East Islip. A 1947 graduate of Sewanhaka High School, Floral Park, New York, and a 1952 graduate of Cortland State College, Cortland, New York, he was employed as a teacher following the service.

## LOUIS P. KRISS, Private 1st Class

Born on November 20, 1929, and formerly of Valley Stream, New York, Mr. Kriss settled in West Islip where he presently resides. He served from October of 1950 until August of 1951 with E Company, 31st Regiment, 7th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He was graduated from Central High School, Valley Stream, in 1948, and was employed as a Postmaster for the West Islip Post Office of the United States Postal Service until he retired. While in the service he earned the Combat Infantry Badge, and three Battle Stars.

## JOHN J. KRPATA, Engineman/Petty Officer 3rd Class

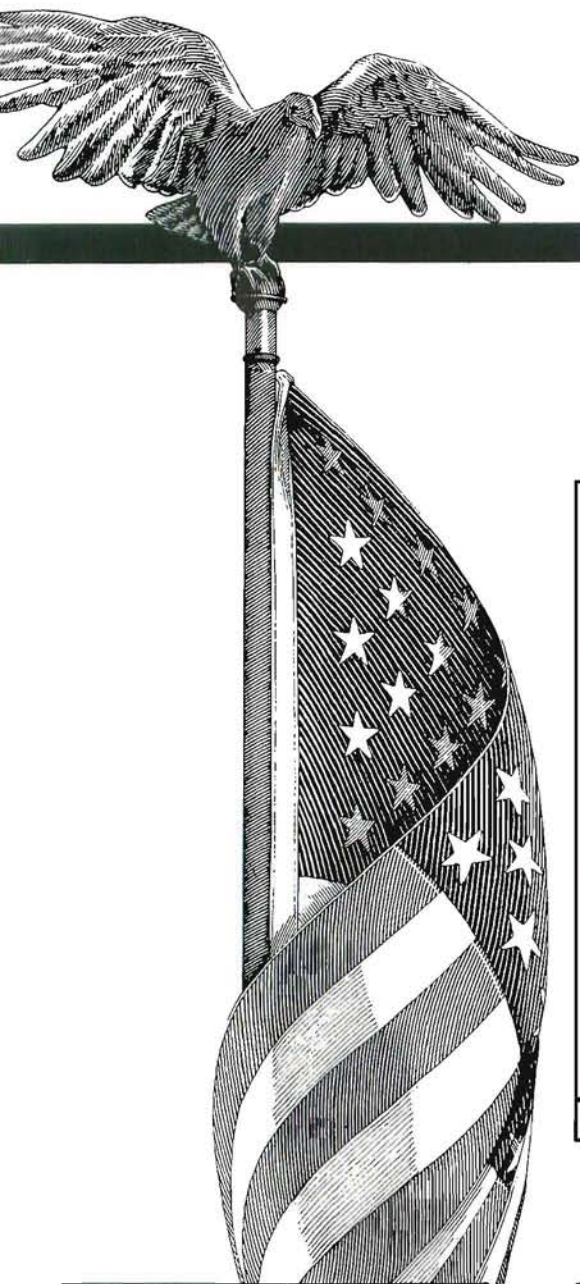
A 1949 graduate of Woodmere High School, and formerly of Hewlett, New York, Mr. Krpata made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He served from 1950 until 1953 with the United States Navy, was stationed in Korea and Japan, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars. Born on October 28, 1931, he was employed as a school bus operator after the service, and is currently employed as a school bus safety director.

## WALTER F. KRUMHOLZ, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Krumholz was born on November 30, 1929, and settled in Oakdale. He served principally in Korea and in Japan from March of 1951 until March of 1953 with the 187th Airborne Regimental Combat Team of the United States Army, and earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Senior Parachute Badge, the Korean Service Medal with one Battle Star, the Japanese Occupation Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. He was graduated in 1948 from Newtown High School, Queens, New York, and from Brooklyn College, Brooklyn, New York in 1957. He has been employed as a detective since his discharge from the service.

## LESTER W. KRUMM, Private 1st Class

Presently residing in Ronkonkoma, formerly of Richmond Hill, New York, Mr. Krumm was born on March 8, 1928, and was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1947. He served with the 325th Heavy Tank Battalion, A Company of the United States Army, from November of 1950 until November of 1952, and was stationed in Fort Ewin, California. He has been employed as a mechanic since his separation from the service.



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LOUIS P. KRISS



HENRY KREUTZER



JOHN J. KRPATA



WALTER F. KRUMHOLZ



LESTER W. KRUMM

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## GUSTAV KUMMER, Sergeant

A 1948 graduate of East New York Vocational High School, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Kummer was born on July 28, 1930, and presently resides in West Islip. He served from September of 1951 until September of 1953 with the 15th Regiment, 3rd Division, 3rd Tank Battalion, L Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge and the Korean Service Medal with two Battle Stars. He has been employed as a machinist since his discharge.

## JOHN KUZMA, Corporal

Born on February 8, 1929, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Kuzma settled in Brentwood where he currently resides. He served from November of 1951 until October of 1953 with the 507th AAA AW Battalion, A Battery of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly at Itazuke Air Force Base, Japan. He was graduated from Machine and Metal Trades High School in 1946, and is a retired iron worker.

## ANGELO M. LACOURT, Sergeant

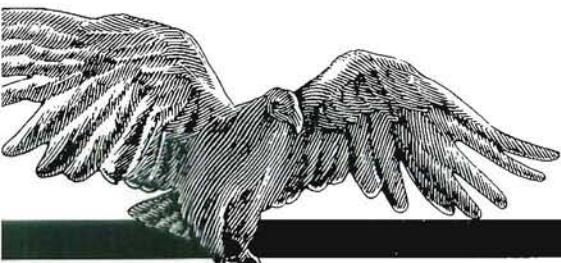
Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Lacourt was born on November 1, 1929. He served from April of 1951 until March of 1953 with T Company, 65th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in North Korea. He is merited with a Purple Heart, and is currently employed as a postal supervisor.

## WILLIAM LAGHEZZA, Sergeant

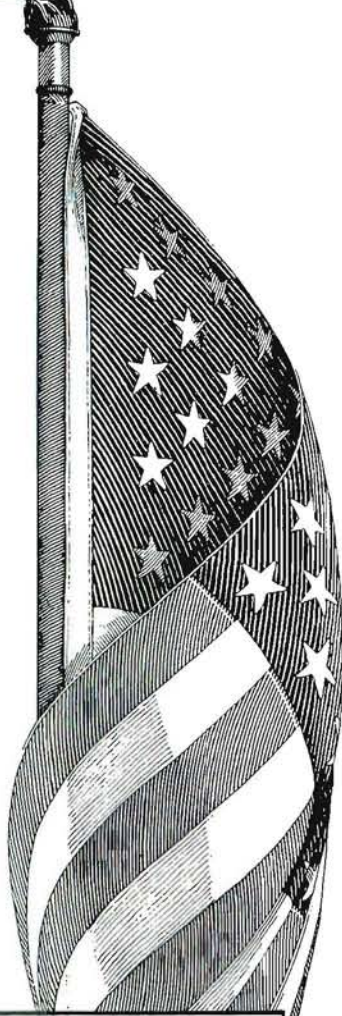
Sergeant Laghezza served from June of 1951 until June of 1954 with the 1st Armored Division, Amphibian Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Korea. Born on June 13, 1933, and formerly of Long Island City, New York, he settled in Bay Shore where he now resides. He was graduated in 1951 from Immaculata High School, and in 1975 from Suffolk County Community College. He is merited with the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. After his separation from the Army he was employed as a New York City Firefighter.

## LAURENCE T. LAMM, Private 1st Class

Private Lamm served with C Company, 8th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army from November of 1948 until December of 1951, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, a Purple Heart, and a Gold Star in lieu of a second award. He was born on November 11, 1931, and resided in Jamaica, New York, before making his home in East Islip. He was graduated from St. John's University in 1960 with a Bachelor of Business Administration. He is employed as a teacher.



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GUSTAV KUMMER



JOHN KUZMA



ANGELO M. LACOURT



WILLIAM LAGHEZZA



LAURENCE T. LAMM

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## JOSEPH LAMONT, SR., Corporal

Born on July 22, 1928, Mr. Lamont resided in Islip Terrace before settling in Islip where he presently resides. He served from January of 1952 until December of 1953 with the 70th Ordnance Supply Depot of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Germany. Following the service he was employed with Republic Aviation.

## GEORGE E. LANDIN, Petty Officer 2nd Class

A resident of Oakdale, formerly of Queens, New York, Mr. Landin was born on May 8, 1928, and attended Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades. He served with the VC-4 Squadron of the United States Navy from September of 1948 until August of 1952, and was stationed in the Atlantic City N/A Station. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and after his discharge was employed as an aerospace engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD F. LANE, Corporal

Currently residing in Brentwood, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Corporal Lane served from January of 1951 until January of 1954 with I Company, 5th Regimental Combat Team of the United States Army, and was stationed in the Kum Wha Valley, Korea. Born on August 27, 1933, he was employed as a bank clerk after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM J. LANE, Corporal

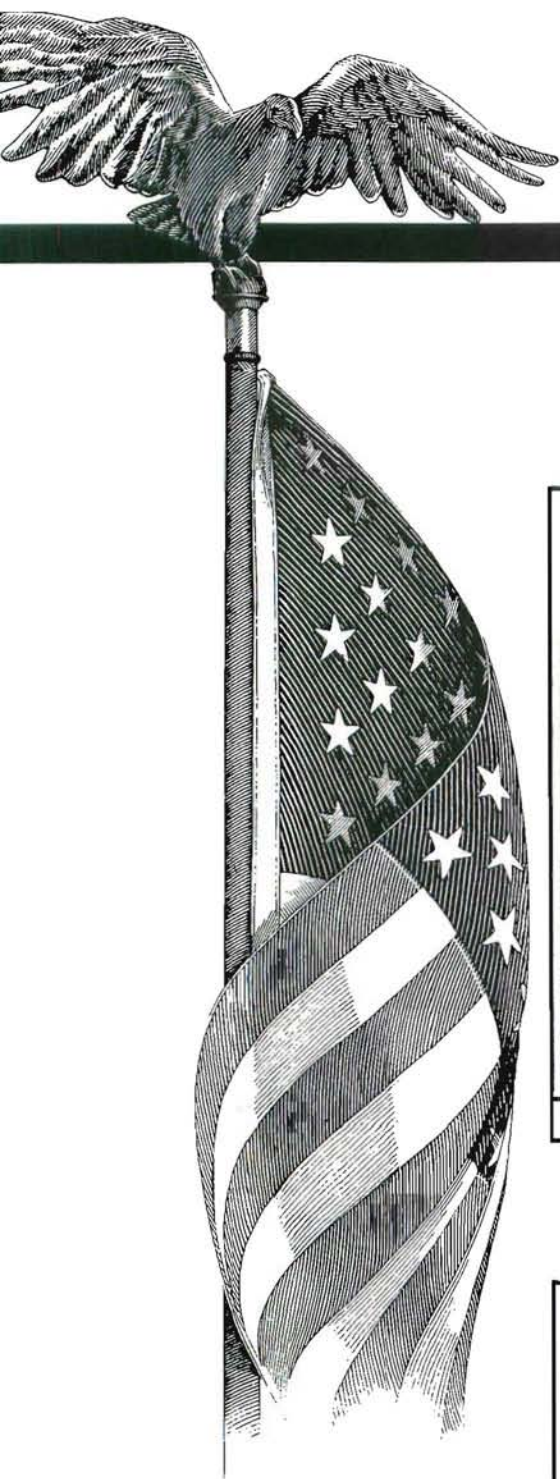
Corporal Lane served with the 413th Ordnance Company of the United States Army, primarily in Salzburg, Austria, from March of 1952 until February of 1954, and earned the National Defense Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. Born on March 27, 1931, and formerly of Amityville, New York, he settled in West Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from Amityville High School, and has been employed as a plumber since his separation from the service.

## ALTON J. LANGEN, Corporal

Corporal Langen served from November of 1954 until November of 1956, and then again from August of 1963 until September of 1964, with the 1st Battalion Post Office, 380th Armament and Electronics Maintenance (SAC) of the United States Air Force. He was stationed principally in the United States, and in Inchon, Korea, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Following his separation from the Air Force he was employed as a welder. Born on March 6, 1936, he resided in Brooklyn before settling in Brentwood where he presently resides.

## FRANK A. LARKIN, Specialist 4th Class

Born on March 7, 1934, and originally from New York City, Mr. Larkin made his home in West Islip where he currently resides. He was graduated from Cathedral College High School, New York City, in 1952, from New York City College in 1963 when he received his Bachelor of Arts degree, and in 1975 from Baruch College when he received his MPA. He was stationed in San Francisco, California, and Ascom City, Korea, and served from January of 1955 until December of 1957 with the 665th Medical Detachment, APO-971, of the United States Army. He received the Good Conduct Medal, and after his discharge was employed as a computer systems analyst.



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JOSEPH LAMONT



WILLIAM J. LANE



ALTON J. LANGEN



FRANK A. LARKIN

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## ARTHUR J. LAUFER, Sergeant

Sergeant Laufer served from January of 1952 until January of 1956 with the 67th Tactical Reconnaissance Wing, 5th Air Force of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Headquarters Eastern Air Defense, Newburgh, New York. He was born on December 12, 1932, and resided in Brooklyn, New York, before making his home in West Islip where he presently resides. A 1948 graduate of Lafayette High School, he was employed in Communications with Exxon Corporation, and is currently employed in Telecommunications, also in Exxon Corporation. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal.

## GERARD J. LAURENCOT, Private 1st Class

Private Laurencot served with the United States Marine Corps from October of 1951 until October of 1953, and was stationed principally in Korea. Born on October 3, 1930, and presently residing in Brentwood, he lived in Brooklyn, New York, where he attended St. Michael's High School. He earned the Korean Service Medal while in the Marine Corps, and following his separation was employed as an aircraft mechanic.

## DONATO J. LAURIA, Corporal

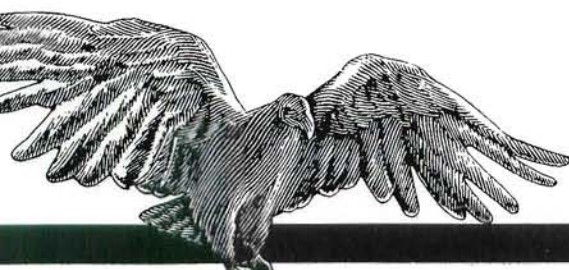
Formerly of Ozone Park, New York, Mr. Lauria was born on August 7, 1932, and settled in Central Islip where he currently resides. He was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1950, and served with the 1st Cavalry, 99th Field Artillery, S Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Hokkaido, Japan, from December of 1952 until November of 1954. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, and after the service was employed as an automotive mechanic.

## WILLIAM R. LaVELLE, Private 1st Class

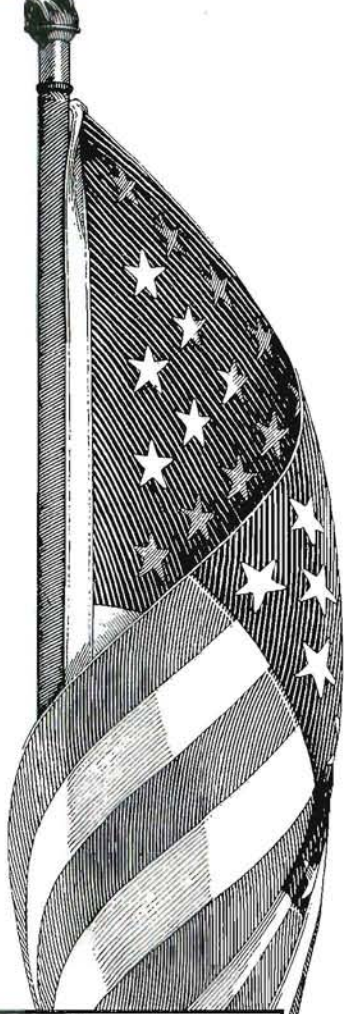
Private LaVelle served from November of 1954 until August of 1956 with C Company, 35th Battalion, 25th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Hawaii. He was born on September 3, 1934, was graduated from Newtown High School in 1953, from Adelphi College in 1960, and attended SUNY at Stony Brook. He has been employed as a physical education teacher and a Suffolk County soccer official since his discharge from the service. Formerly of Elmhurst, New York, he made his home in Hauppauge where he has resided since 1979.

## THOMAS LAWN, Sergeant

A resident of Islip Terrace at the time he served, Mr. Lawn has since settled in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. He was born on April 6, 1927, and served from September of 1950 until September of 1980, with the 237th Maintenance Company, 65th GS Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily at Fort Tottch, New York, and in Vietnam. A Vietnam veteran as well as a Korean veteran, he earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. He attended high school in Ireland, and has been employed as a mechanic since the service.



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ARTHUR J. LAUFER



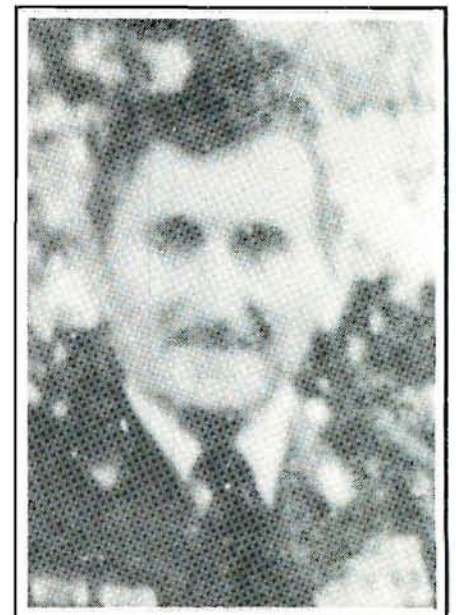
GERARD J. LAURENCOT



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## HOWARD R. LAWRENCE, Sonarman 3rd Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, and currently residing in Bayport, Mr. Lawrence was born on January 12, 1930, and was graduated from Bronx Vocational High School in 1946. He served from February of 1947 until January of 1952 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Hawkins, DDR-873, and was stationed in the Pacific Ocean. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the China Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. He is retired from the United States Postal Service.

## JOSEPH R. LAWRENCE, Corporal

Born on May 6, 1931, formerly of Brentwood, Mr. Lawrence currently resides in Islip Terrace. He attended Bay Shore High School, and was employed as an Aide for Pilgrim State Psychiatric Hospital, owned Town Taxi in East Islip, and is presently employed as a Corrections Officer for the Sheriff's Department. He served from August of 1952 until July of 1954 with the 753rd AAA Gunnery Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed at Misawa Air Force Base in Misawa, Japan. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal.

## STANLEY LAZAR, Sergeant

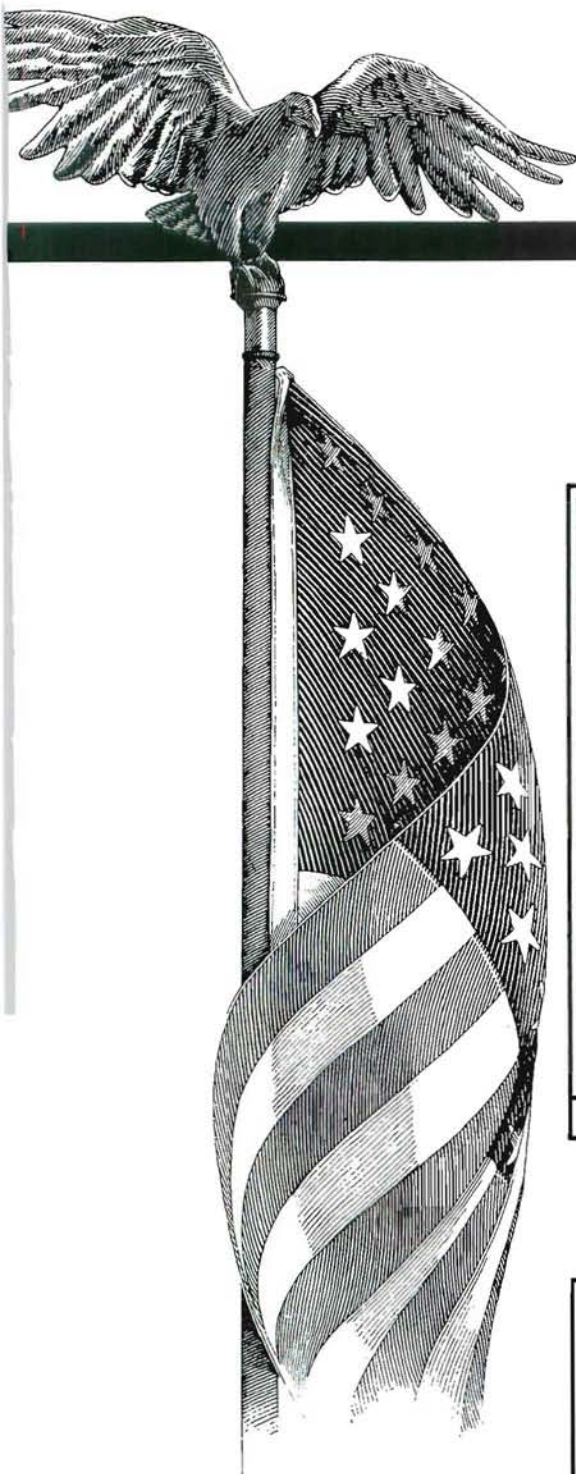
Sergeant Lazar served with the 7th Division, 32nd Infantry Regiment, H Company, of the United States Army from April of 1952 until April of 1954, and was stationed mainly in Korea. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Oakdale, Mr. Lazar was born on September 6, 1932. He was graduated from Thomas Jefferson High School, Brooklyn, and following his separation from the service was employed as a factory worker.

## ROBERT E. LEE, Aerographer's Mate 2nd Class

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Lee was born on March 20, 1931, and was graduated from Islip High School. He attended classes at Trinity College, SUNY at Farmingdale, and was graduated in 1968 from Hofstra University. He served from April of 1951 until April of 1955 with the Naval Security Service of the United States Navy, and was stationed chiefly at Patuxent River, Maryland, and Arlington Hall Station, Virginia. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the American Theatre Medal. Following his discharge he was employed as an engineer.

## THEODORE R. LEHECKA, Staff Sergeant

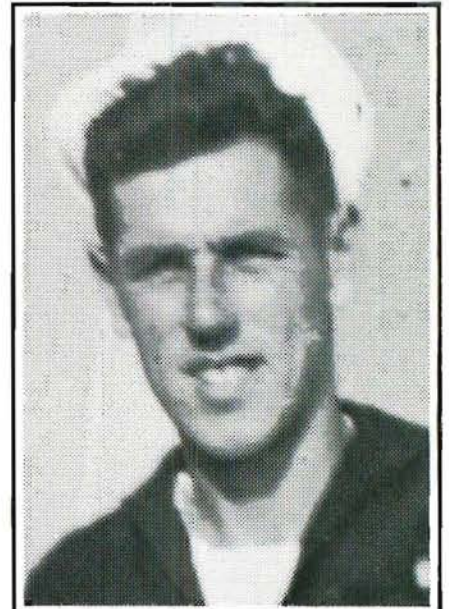
Born on August 6, 1929, Mr. Lehecka is a longtime resident of Bohemia, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1946. He attended classes at Hofstra University and the SUNY at Farmingdale. He served with the 5th Regimental Combat Team, 24th Infantry Division of the United States Army from February of 1951 until November of 1952, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Korean and United Nations Service Medals. He has been employed as a technician since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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STANLEY LAZAR



HOWARD R. LAWRENCE



ROBERT E. LEE



JOSEPH R. LAWRENCE

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## JOSEPH J. LEHN, Sergeant

Formerly of Garden City Park, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Lehn was born on December 25, 1928, and was graduated from Bayside High School in 1947. He served from January of 1951 until February of 1953 with the 3rd Signal Company, 3rd Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star. He was employed as a Nassau County Police Officer after the service and retired after 24 years of service.

## WILLIAM C. LEHR, Quartermaster 2nd Class

Quartermaster Lehr served aboard the U.S.S. Strickland, DER-333, of the United States Navy from January of 1952 until June of 1955, and was stationed in Newport, Rhode Island. Born on June 30, 1934, and a longtime resident of East Islip, he was graduated in 1951 from East Islip High School, and was employed as a construction laborer after the service.

## MICHAEL C. LEHRON, Corporal

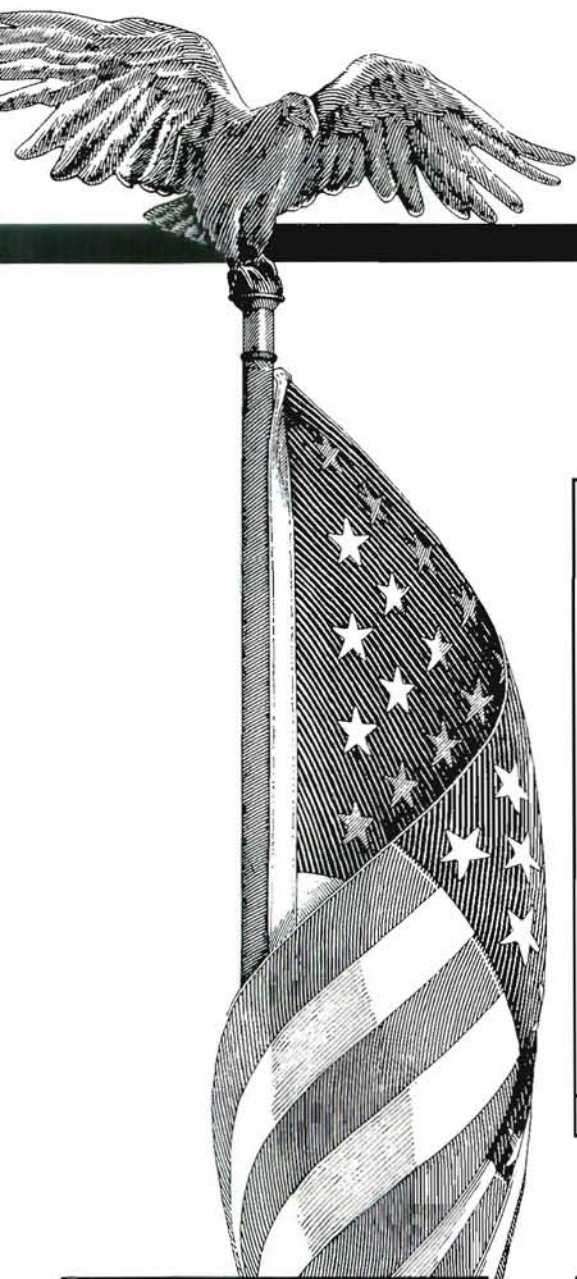
Originally from Brooklyn, New York, where he attended Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School, Mr. Lebron was born on September 14, 1930, and resides in Central Islip. He served from March of 1948 until March of 1952 with H & S Company, Shore Party Battalion, 1st and 2nd Marine Divisions of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, in San Diego, California, and in Korea as well. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars. He has been employed with the Long Island Lighting Company for 21 years.

## JOSEPH S. LENIEC, Sergeant

A 1951 graduate of LaSalle Military Academy, Mr. Leniec was born on May 20, 1933, and resided in the Bronx, New York, before making his home in Islip Terrace. He served from July of 1951 until July of 1954 with A Company, 1st Battalion, 7th Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed principally in central and northern Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with three Battle Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean Presidential Unit Citation as well. He was graduated from New York City Community College in 1956, and has been employed as an insurance underwriter since his discharge.

## JOSE M. LEON, Staff Sergeant

Originally from Miramar, Puerto Rico, Mr. Leon settled in West Islip where he now resides. He was born on January 14, 1931, and was graduated from Our Lady of Perpetual Help High School, Miramar, in 1948, and attended the University of Detroit, Detroit, Michigan. He served from March of 1952 until March of 1956 with the 310th Army Elective Squadron, 310th Bomb Wing of the United States Air Force, and was stationed mainly at Smoky Hill Air Force Base, Kansas. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal, and was employed in engineering administration after the service.



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JOSEPH J. LEHN



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## RICHARD R. LEONARD, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Born on July 3, 1935, and formerly of New York City, Mr. Leonard settled in East Islip where he has resided since 1970. He served from May of 1953 until June of 1956 aboard the U.S.S. Marquette, AKA-95, aboard the U.S.S. Sphinx, ARL-24, and aboard the U.S.S. Stemble, DD-644, of the United States Navy, and was stationed with the 6th and 7th Fleets. He was graduated from Textile High School in 1953, and from New York Institute of Technology in 1978, and was employed as a New York City Police Officer following the service and until he retired.

## ADDISON M. LEVI, Corporal

Formerly of Westbury, New York, and currently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Levi was born on December 11, 1930, and was graduated from St. Emma Military Academy, Rock Castle, Virginia, in 1948. He served with the 3rd Amphibious Company, 8th Army of the United States Army from December of 1948 until June of 1952, and was stationed in Japan and in Korea. He is merited with the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal with five Bronze Service Stars, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. He was employed as an Assembler for Grumman Aerospace Corporation, and is presently employed in building maintenance for Seaman's Bank. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GERALD LEVINE, Corporal

Corporal Levine served from February of 1952 until February of 1954 with the 497th Signal Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany and in Holland. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal as well as a commendation medal. He was born on June 9, 1931, is formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently resides in East Islip. He was graduated from High School of Industrial Arts in 1949, and attended classes at New York City College. He has been employed in photography since his separation from the service.

## MARK C. L'HOMMEDIEU, Corporal

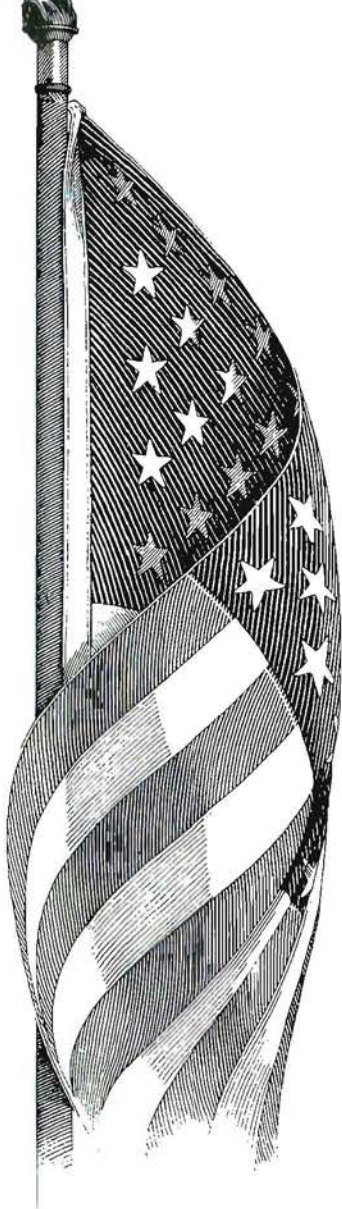
A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. L'Hommedieu was born on February 10, 1934, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1951. He served with the 8603rd Army Administrative Unit of the United States Army from September of 1951 until August of 1954, and was stationed mainly on Okinawa, Japan. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. He is currently employed as an Engineer for New York Telephone Company.

## CHARLES LIPMAN, Private 1st Class

Private Lipman served from October of 1951 until July of 1953 with the 179th Infantry Regiment, G & H Companies of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal, and two Battle Stars. Born on July 14, 1930, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, he settled in Central Islip where he presently resides. He is employed as a foreman with the Town of Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)



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RICHARD R. LEONARD



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## RICHARD LIPPL, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and currently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Lippl was born on April 2, 1928, and was graduated from Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School, Brooklyn, in 1946. He served from November of 1950 until November of 1952 with B Company, 303rd Signal Service Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in the United States. After his discharge he was employed with the United States Postal Service until he retired. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DON LIPPMAN, Engineman 2nd Class

Presently residing in East Islip, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Lippman was born on October 23, 1932, and was graduated from Roosevelt High School in 1952. He also attended New York Institute of Technology, and is currently the owner of a machine shop. He served from March of 1952 until March of 1956 with the United States Navy, and was stationed chiefly in Connecticut.

## JOSEPH L. LISELLI, Sergeant 1st Class

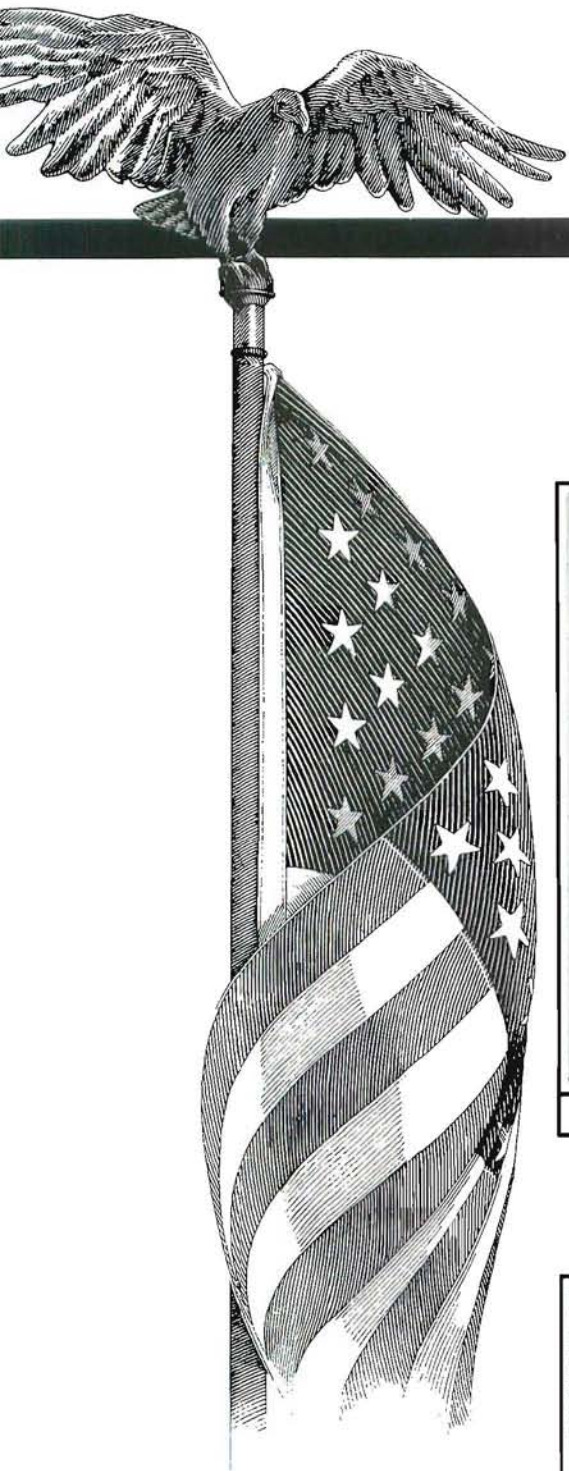
Born on April 4, 1932, and formerly of New York City, Mr. Liselli has since made his home in Islip Terrace, and was graduated from Machine and Metal Trades High School, New York City, in 1951. He served from October of 1952 until October of 1954 with the 7th Division, K Company, 31st Regiment Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea at "Old Baldy," "Pork Chop Hill," "Dale Outpost and Westview," and "347th Hill." He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Syngman Rhee Bayonet Pin, and was employed as a bus driver following the service.

## PASQUALE A. LISI, Private

Private Lisi served from October of 1950 until October of 1952 with the United States Army and was stationed principally in Germany. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, he was born on July 17, 1928, and was graduated from Brooklyn Vocational High School. He was employed as a clothes presser following his discharge from the service, and is currently employed as a milk truck driver.

## RICHARD A. LITTLE, Specialist 3rd Class

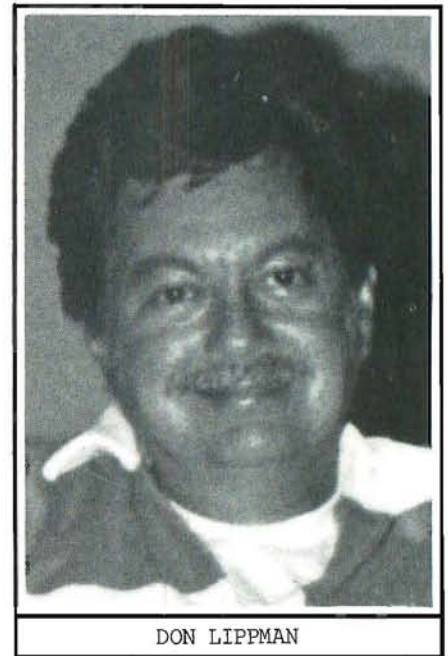
A 1954 graduate of Jamaica High School, Jamaica, New York, and a 1960 graduate of Capital Radio Engineering Institute, Washington, D.C., Mr. Little was born on June 13, 1937. He resided in Queens, New York, before making his home in Central Islip where he has lived since 1972. He served with the 51st Signal Detachment, 51st Signal Battalion, 1st Army Corps, I Corps, with a M\*A\*S\*H unit of the United States Army, from January of 1955 until January of 1958, and was stationed in Uijonbu, Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. He was employed as a radar repairman following the service, and is presently employed as a project manager.



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JOSEPH L. LISELLI



DON LIPPMAN



PASQUALE A. LISI



RICHARD A. LITTLE



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## MELCHIOR LoCURTO, Corporal

Born on December 14, 1930, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. LoCurto made his home in Ronkonkoma where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1948 from James Madison High School, Brooklyn, and is currently employed as a customs house broker. He served from November of 1951 until October of 1953 with the 569th Ordnance Medium Automotive Maintenance Company, 7th Army of the United States Army, and was stationed in West Germany.

## MICHAEL F. LOGERFO, Aviation Electronics Technician

A resident of Corona, New York, until he settled in West Islip where he currently resides, Mr. Logerfo was born on May 1, 1930. He served with the 4th Utility Squadron of the United States Navy from October of 1950 until August of 1954, and was stationed in Memphis, Tennessee, and in Chicoteague, Virginia. He was graduated from Bishop Loughlin Memorial High School in 1948, and was employed as an electronic technician after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## BENIGNO A. LOJO, Sergeant

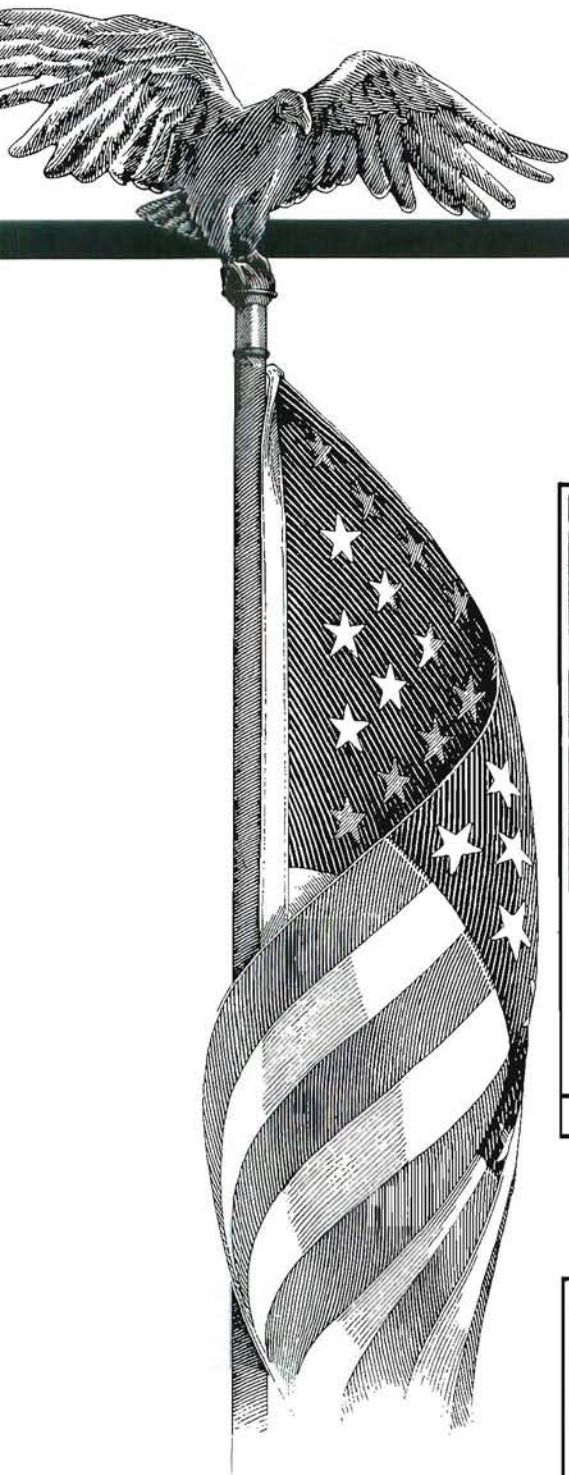
Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and born on March 1, 1930, Mr. Lojo settled in Brentwood where he has resided since 1964. He was graduated in 1947 from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades, and attended classes at Tulhane University, New Orleans, Louisiana, and Brooklyn College as well. He served from September of 1947 until September of 1951 with the 8th Bomb Squadron, 3rd Bomb GP, 3rd Bomb Wing of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Yokota Air Force Base, Johnson Air Force Base, and Iwakuni Air Force Base, Japan, as well as in Korea. He was employed as a salesman, and is currently employed as an aircraft mechanic and foreman.

## EDWARD LOMBARDI, Corporal

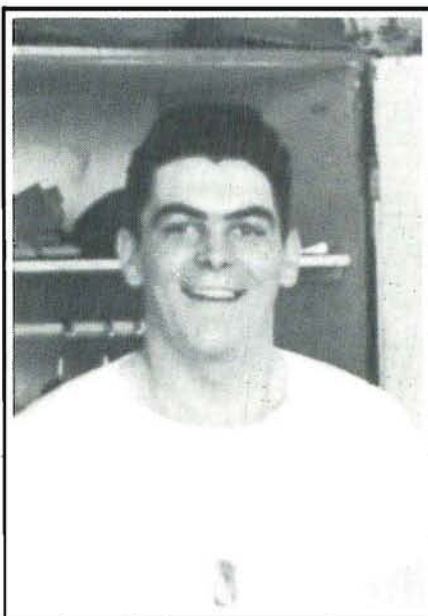
Corporal Lombardi served from April of 1951 until March of 1953 with the 1st Armored Division, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Hood, Texas, and in Frankfurt, Germany. Born on July 30, 1930, and originally from Bellmore, New York, he made his home in West Islip. Following his separation from the service he was employed as a meat packer.

## ANGELO M. LOMBARDO, Private 1st Class

Private Lombardo served with the 62nd AAA of the United States Army from August of 1949 until December of 1952, was stationed principally in Germany, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. A resident of Long Island City, New York, until he settled in Bay Shore where he presently resides, he was born on May 16, 1932, and was graduated from Harren High School in New York City. After his discharge he was employed in construction.



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MELCHIOR LoCURTO



BENIGNO A. LOJO



ANGELO M. LOMBARDO



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## MANUEL LOPEZ, Sergeant

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Lopez was born on August 18, 1928. He served from May of 1951 until February of 1953 with the 1795th HUTK Company, 15th Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He earned the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge. He was graduated from high school in Brooklyn, and is currently employed with the United States Postal Service.

## FRANK LOREFICE, Private 1st Class

Born on January 8, 1931, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Lorefice made his home in Bay Shore. He attended John Adams High School and Brentwood High School. He served from October of 1949 until May of 1952 with the 2nd Division, 64th Artillery, H Company of the United States Army, and was stationed principally at Fort Benning, Georgia, and in Korea. Following the service he was employed as a driver for a laundry service.

## GEORGE W. LOTRIDGE, JR., Corporal

Corporal Lotridge served from January of 1952 until December of 1953 with the 4th Division, 22nd Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed in Frankfurt, Germany. Formerly of Laurelton, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, he was born on October 24, 1930, and was graduated from Andrew Jackson High School in 1949. He was employed with New York Telephone Company after his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## SALVATORE D. LOVERDE, Corporal

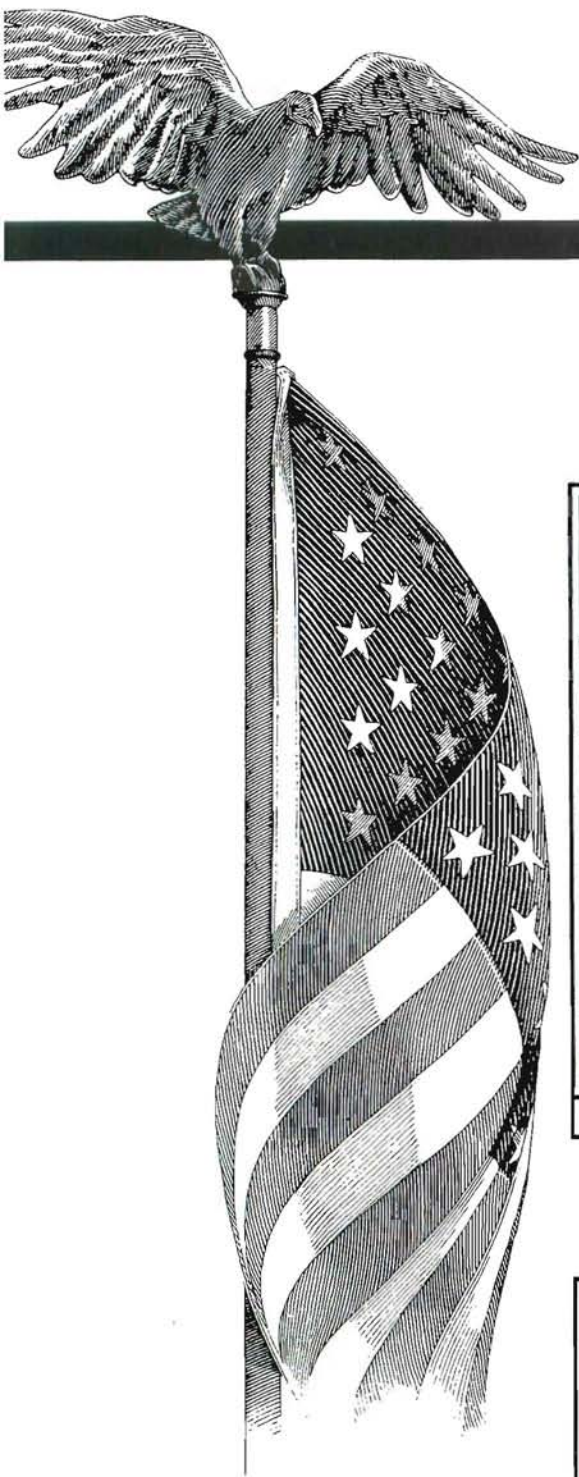
Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. LoVerde was born on June 2, 1931, and presently resides in Bay Shore. He served principally in Berlin, Germany, from January of 1951 until December of 1953 with the 759th Military Police Battalion of the United States Army, and received the Good Conduct Medal. He was graduated from Brooklyn Automotive High School, Brooklyn, and following his separation from the Army became employed as a diesel mechanic.

## MELVIN LOWITT, Private 1st Class

Private Lowitt served with Artillery Battery B, 76th FA Battalion APO-81, of the United States Army primarily in Iceland, from April of 1953 until March of 1955, and earned the National Defense Service Medal. He was born on February 4, 1932, and made his home in Central Islip. Formerly of Queens, New York, he was graduated in 1951 from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School, and following the service was employed with Hoffman Beverage Company, and then with the 7-UP Bottling Company.

## LAWRENCE H. LUND, Airman 2nd Class

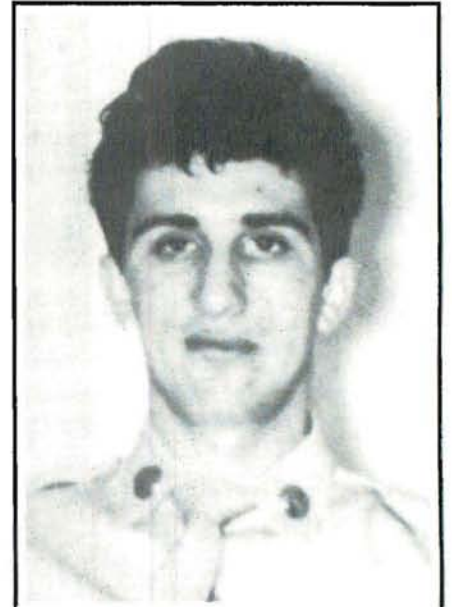
A resident of Richmond Hill, New York, until he settled in Brentwood where he presently resides, Mr. Lund was born on September 11, 1933, and attended Richmond Hill High School. He served with the 1954th AACS Squadron and the 2017th AACS Squadron (MATS) of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at McGuire Air Force Base, New Jersey, and at Johnson Air Force Base, Japan, from January of 1953 until December of 1956. He is merited with the Korean, National Defense, and United Nations Service Medals, and was employed as an air traffic control specialist after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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MANUEL LOPEZ



FRANK LOREFICE



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MELVIN LOWITT

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## JOSEPH LUONGO, Airman 1st Class

Sergeant Luongo served from January of 1949 until January of 1954 with the 1602nd D Battery, 21st AAA AW Battalion, 25th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Pusan, Inchon, Seoul, Pyongyang, and Panmunjom, Korea. He was born on September 28, 1930, and resided in Brooklyn, New York before making his home in Central Islip. He attended Boys High School, Brooklyn, and following his discharge was employed as a Foreman for the Long Island Rail Road. While in the service, he earned the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal as well as the United Nations Service Medal.

## ANDREW T. LUPO, Airman 1st Class

Presently residing in Central Islip, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Lupo was born on January 15, 1932, and was graduated from Mineola High School in 1949. He served in the United States Air Force with the 13th Bomb Squadron in Kunsan, Korea, and with the 3575th Maintenance Squadron at Vance Air Force Base, Oklahoma, from May of 1951 until May of 1955. He earned the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. After his separation from the service, he was employed as an Electrician for the Long Island Rail Road.

## JAMES P. LYDON, Sergeant

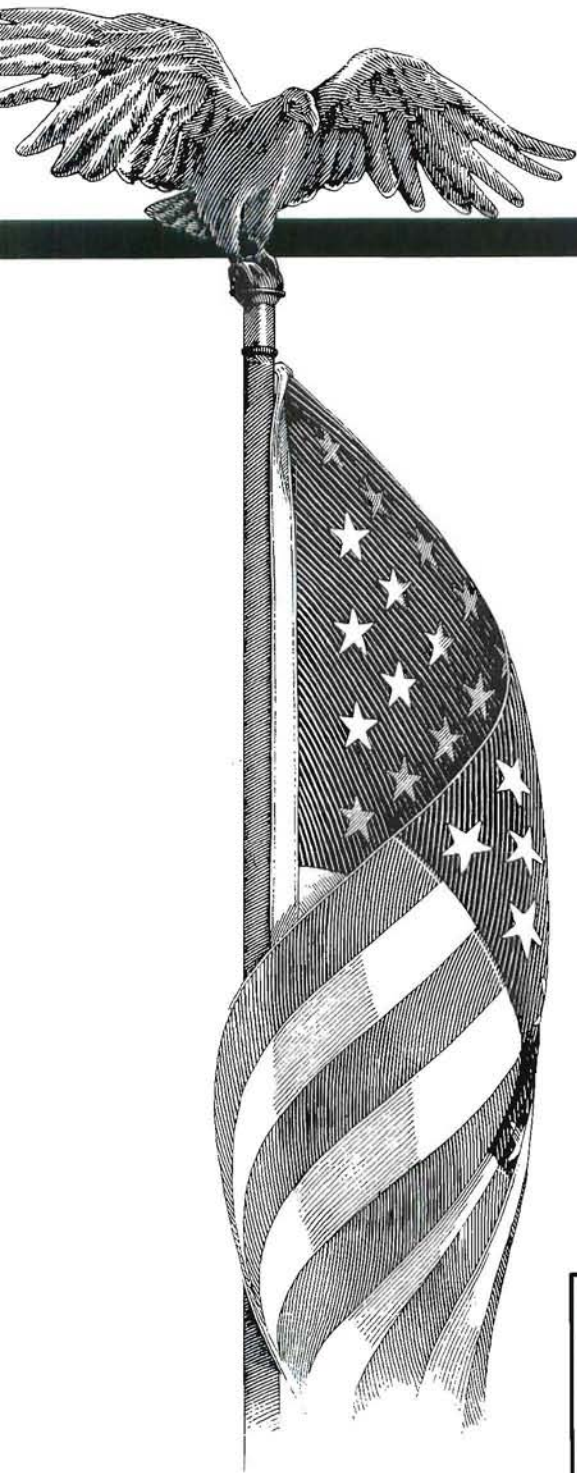
A 1948 graduate of Cardinal Hayes High School, Bronx, New York, Mr. Lydon was born on June 29, 1930, and resided in the Bronx before settling in Brightwaters where he presently resides. He served with H Company, Tactical Command of the United States Army from September of 1951 until August of 1953, and was stationed principally in Austria, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. In 1960 he received his Bachelor of Science degree from Fordham University, School of Business, and is currently employed as a banker. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DANIEL J. LYNCH, Torpedoman 2nd Class

Formerly of New Hyde Park, New York, and presently residing in Hauppauge, Mr. Lynch was born on November 10, 1931. He was graduated from Mineola High School, Mineola, New York, in 1949, and attended classes at the University of Massachusetts, and the SUNY at Cortland. He served aboard the U.S.S. Power, DD-839, of the United States Navy, and was stationed at Newport, Rhode Island, from March of 1951 until July of 1955. Following the service he was employed as a Conservation Biologist, and as a New York State Parks Administrator.

## JAMES P. LYNCH, Sergeant

Born on September 26, 1929, and presently residing in Bohemia, Mr. Lynch is formerly of Queens, New York, where he was graduated from Richmond Hill High School in 1948. In 1972 he was graduated from New York City College, in 1983 from New York University, and in 1986 from New York Institute of Technology. He served from February of 1948 until February of 1952 with the 2nd Amphibious Tractor Battalion FMF, of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and is currently employed as a teacher. (Photograph unavailable.)



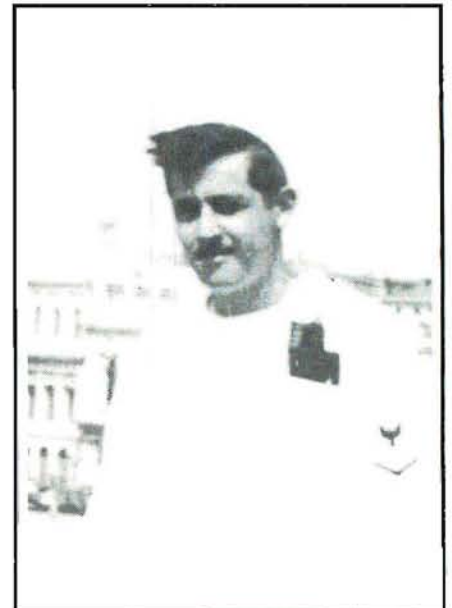
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ANDREW T. LUPO



DANIEL J. LYNCH

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## WILLIAM P. LYNCH, Radarman 3rd Class

Born on January 19, 1934, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Lynch made his home in Brentwood. He attended Bushwick High School, Brooklyn, and served chiefly in Norfolk, Virginia, from September of 1951 until December of 1954 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Gearing, DD-710. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the European Theatre Medal. Following his discharge he was employed as a Sanitation Worker for the New York City Department of Sanitation.

## BERNARD LYNN, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Long Beach, New York, and presently residing in East Islip, Mr. Lynn was born on November 30, 1931. He served with the United States Army, primarily in Alaska, from 1952 until 1954. He was graduated from Long Beach High School, in 1950, and attended the SUNY at Farmingdale, New York University, and New York Institute of Technology. Following the service he was employed as an appliance serviceman. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GERARD LYONS, Radioman/Petty Officer 3rd Class

Presently residing in East Islip, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, where he was graduated from All Hallows High School in 1948, Mr. Lyons was born on April 21, 1930. He served with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Cotten, a naval destroyer, from April of 1951 until April of 1953, and was stationed primarily in the Atlantic Ocean and Caribbean Sea. He has been employed as a security guard for an armored truck since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## STEPHEN J. LYONS, Disbursing Clerk/Seaman 1st Class

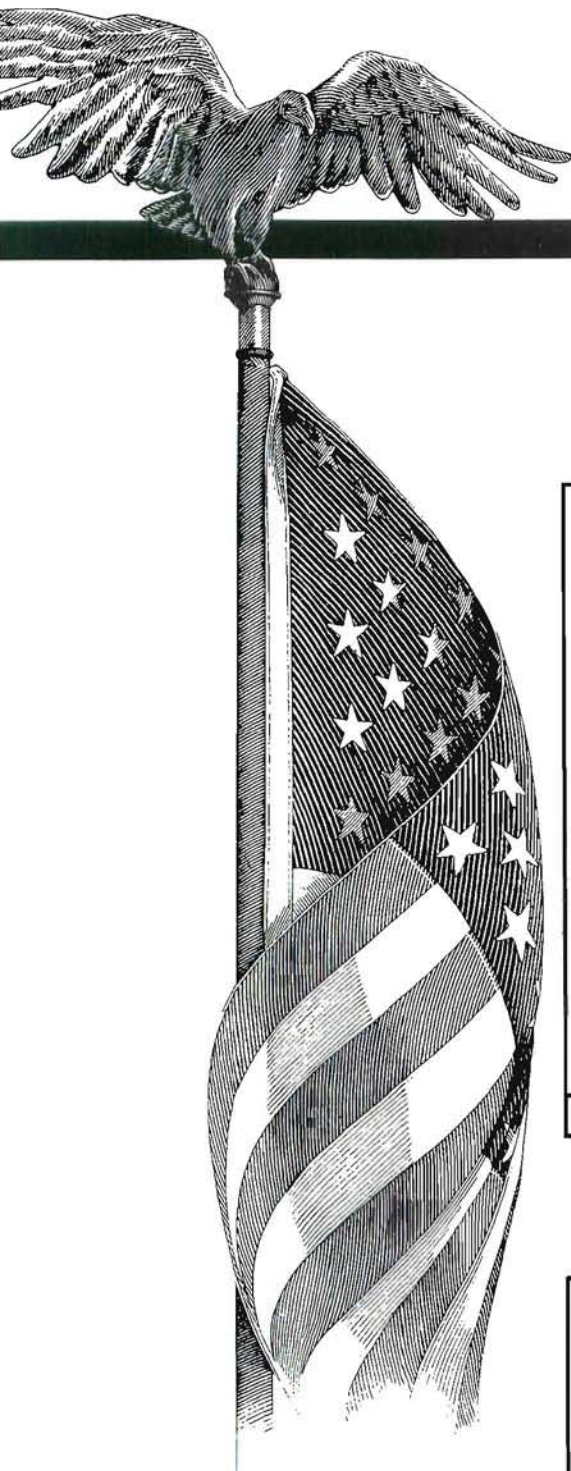
A resident of Brentwood since 1959, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Lyons was born on August 14, 1931. He was graduated from Power Memorial High School, Manhattan, New York, in 1948, and is currently employed as a banker. He served with the VR-6 MATS, at Westover Air Force Base, Massachusetts, and aboard the U.S.S. Tarawa, CVA-40, of the United States Army with the 6th and 7th Fleets, from August of 1950 until May of 1954.

## STEVE A. MACIASZEK, Sergeant

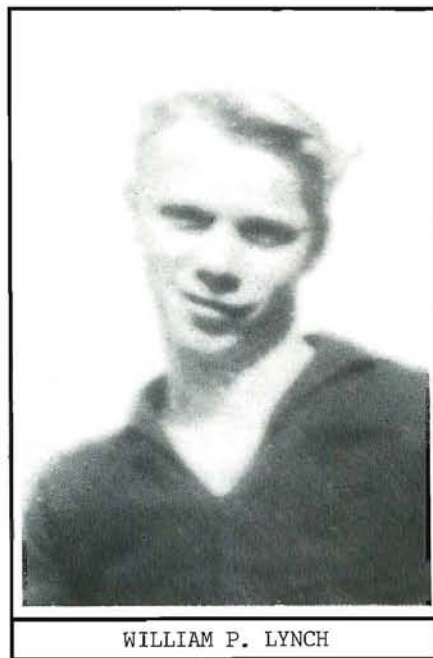
Sergeant Maciaszek served with the 981st FA Battalion, 40th Infantry Division of the United States Army from December of 1951 until November of 1953, was stationed principally at Heartbreak Ridge, and Kajon-Ni, Korea, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal for Valor. Born on April 27, 1931, and formerly of New York City, he settled in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1949 from Textile High School, and following his discharge was employed as a paper cutter.

## DONALD J. MACKEY, Seaman

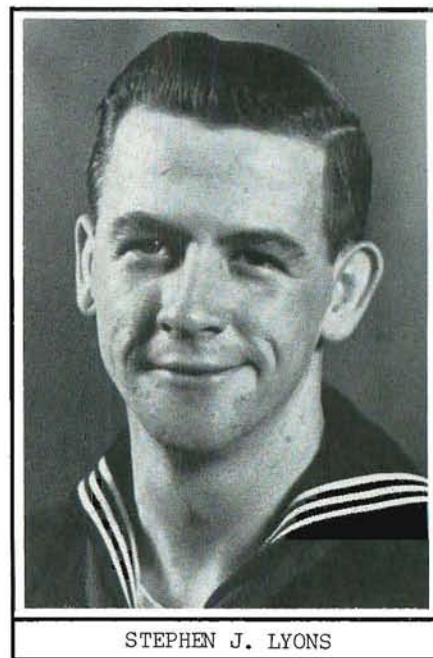
Seaman Mackey served from March of 1951 until February of 1955 with the United States Navy with the Quartermaster Division aboard the U.S.S. Adirondack, AGC-15, and was stationed with the Atlantic Fleet. Formerly of Ozone Park, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, he was born on October 5, 1931, and was graduated from John Adams Vocational High School. He is currently employed in station maintenance for the Long Island Rail Road.



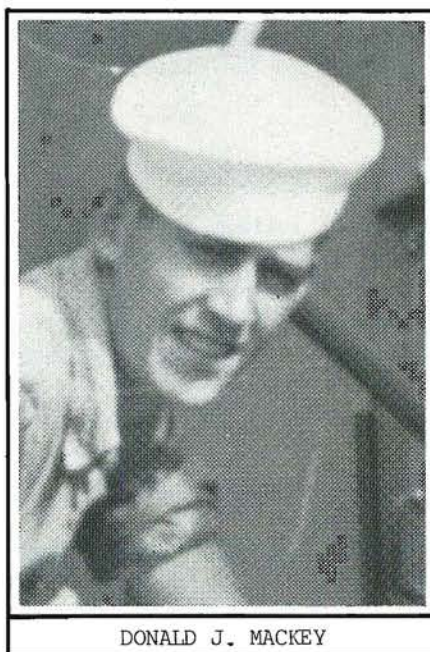
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DONALD J. MACKEY



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## JAMES J. MACKEY, Corporal

Corporal Mackey served from January of 1953 until January of 1955 with F Company, 47th Infantry Regiment, 9th Army of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey. Born on August 30, 1929, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he settled in Brightwaters where he presently resides. He was graduated from St. John's Prep High School in 1947, from St. John's University in 1949, and in 1955 from Pace University. After the service he was employed as an accountant and in data processing management. From June of 1973 through January of 1982 he was an Islip Town Councilman, and since January of 1982, he has served as Director of the Town of Islip's Foreign Trade Zone.

## JOSEPH M. MADONIA, Staff Sergeant

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in East Islip, Mr. Madonia was born on March 22, 1932, and was graduated from East New York Vocational High School in 1954. He served from December of 1950 until December of 1954 with the 3592nd Flight Line Maintenance Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Las Vegas, Nevada. He is currently employed as a milkman. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CHARLES J. MAGALE, Staff Sergeant

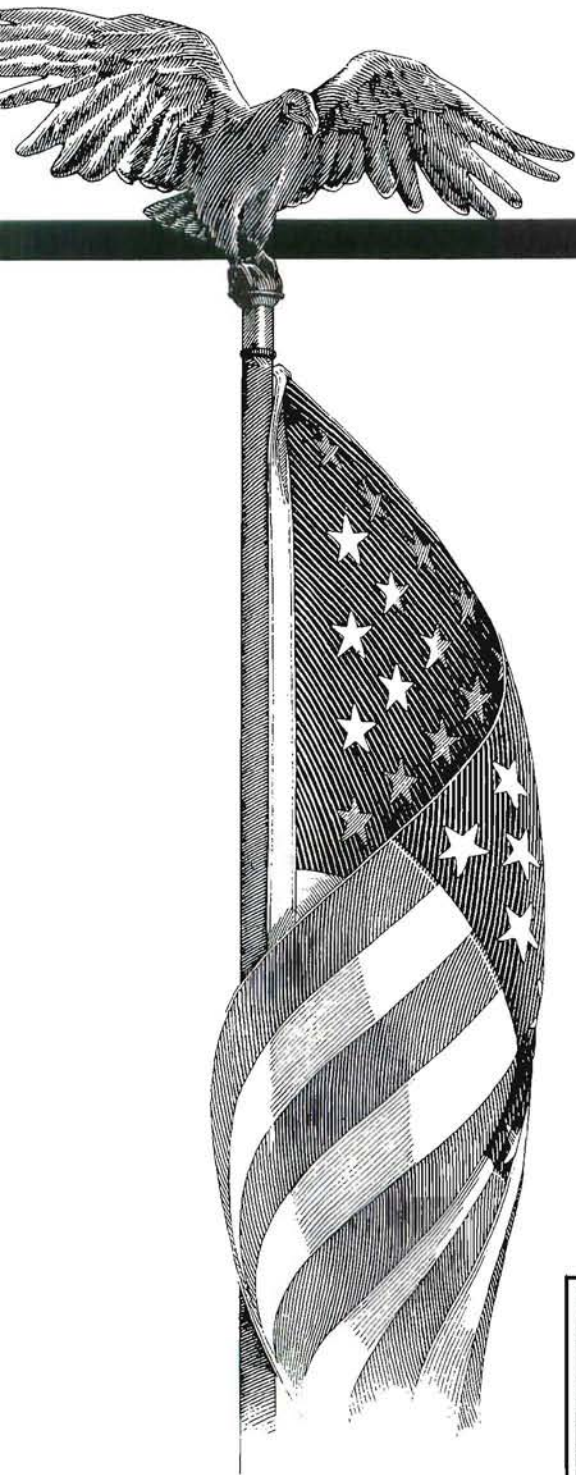
Staff Sergeant Magale served from 1951 until 1955 with the 409th Fighter Bomber Wing while in Korea, and with the Sea Rescue Boat Squadron while at Eglin Air Force Base, Florida, and was stationed primarily at Taegu Air Force Base, Korea, at Greenville Air Force Base, South Carolina, and at Eglin Air Force Base, Florida. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean Service Medal. Born on November 10, 1932, and formerly of Queens, New York, he settled in Bayport where he presently resides. He was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School, and from Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, and is employed as an electrical engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ERNEST MAGGI, Private 1st Class

Born on June 16, 1929, Mr. Maggi resides in Islip Terrace and is formerly of Astoria, New York. He attended Brooklyn Automotive Trades High School, and following military service was employed by Grumman Aerospace Corporation in charge of Ground Support Coordinators. He served in the United States Army with the 101st Airborne Infantry mainly in Augsburg, Germany, from February of 1951 until February of 1954, and is merited with the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge.

## JOHN MAGGIO, Airman 1st Class

Presently residing in Bay Shore, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Maggio was born on November 11, 1932, and was graduated from Bushwick High School in 1951. He served from May of 1952 until May of 1956 with the Air Defense Command Headquarters of the United States Air Force, and was stationed chiefly in Colorado Springs, Colorado. He earned the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal while in the service, and after his discharge was employed as an IBM Computer Operator. He is currently employed as a computer systems analyst.



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## THOMAS J. MAHER, Corporal

A 1950 graduate of James Monroe High School, Mr. Maher was born on April 7, 1931, and resided in the Bronx, New York, before settling in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He served from January of 1952 until January of 1954 primarily in Korea, with the 151st Engineer Combat Battalion of the United States Army. He earned the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, as well as the United Nations Service Medal. Following his discharge, he was employed with the New York City Department of Sanitation.

## GOTTFRIED E. MAHLER, Chief Quartermaster/Aide to Navigation

Formerly of Springfield Gardens, New York, and currently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Mahler was born on March 25, 1924. He served from June of 1942 until July of 1962 with the United States Coast Guard. He was stationed on various ships in the North Atlantic including Cuba patrols, North Atlantic Ice Patrols, and was a Fire Island Lighthouse Keeper from 1948 until 1954. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the American Defense Service Medal. He attended Harran High School, Andrew Jackson High School, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1968. From 1968 until his retirement in 1985, he was a locksmith for the Brentwood Public Schools.

## JOHN F. MALAVE, Corporal

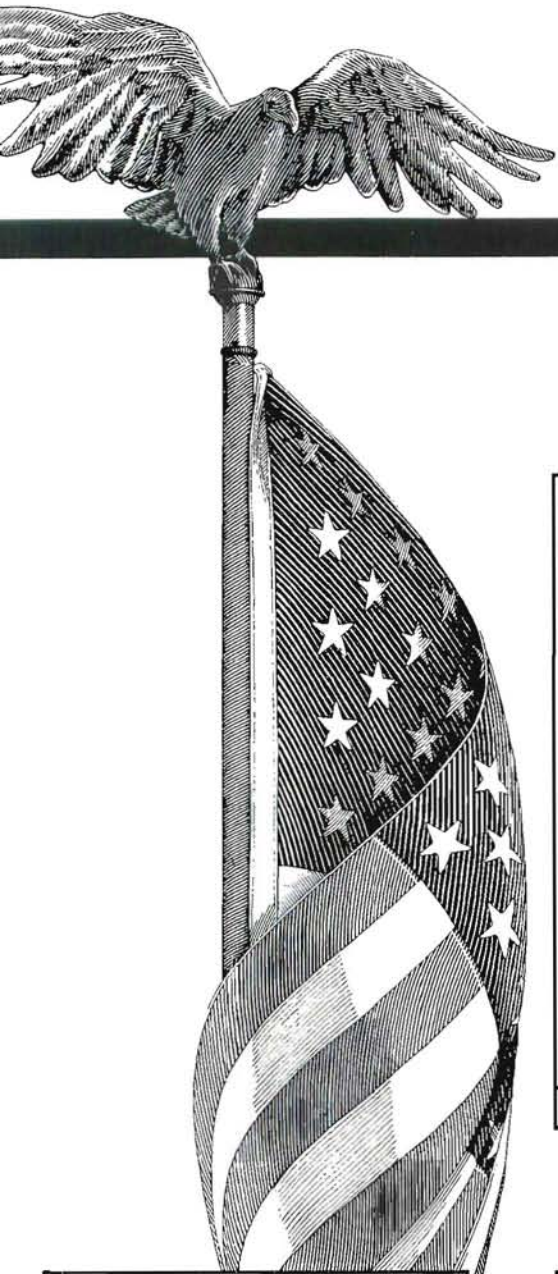
Originally from Islip Terrace, Mr. Malave made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. Born on September 13, 1932, he is a 1953 graduate of Islip High School. He served with the 425th Transportation Traffic Regiment Group of the United States Army from July of 1953 until June of 1955 chiefly in Taegy, Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. Following his separation from the service he was employed as an Orderly for Pilgrim State Psychiatric Hospital, and currently is the owner of South Shore Concrete Corporation in Bay Shore.

## NICHOLAS MALETTA, Captain

Captain Maletta served from January of 1951 until September of 1953 with the 1st Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army, at Fort Ord, California, and was also stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia. Born on July 18, 1928, and formerly of Cold Spring Harbor, New York, he made his home in Bayport where he presently resides. He was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School, Queens, New York, in 1945, from St. John's University, Brooklyn, New York, in 1948, and from Columbia University, New York, in 1949. He attended several other colleges and universities in the United States, as well as one in Italy. Following the service he was employed as a teacher, and is currently employed as a consultant.

## OTTO S. MALIVA, Corporal

Corporal Maliva served with the 6th Armored Company, 7th Army of the United States Army, primarily in Germany from May of 1953 until May of 1955, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He was born on October 22, 1930, and resides in Brentwood. Formerly of Queens, New York, he attended Queens Vocational High School, Queens, and was employed as a carpenter after the service.



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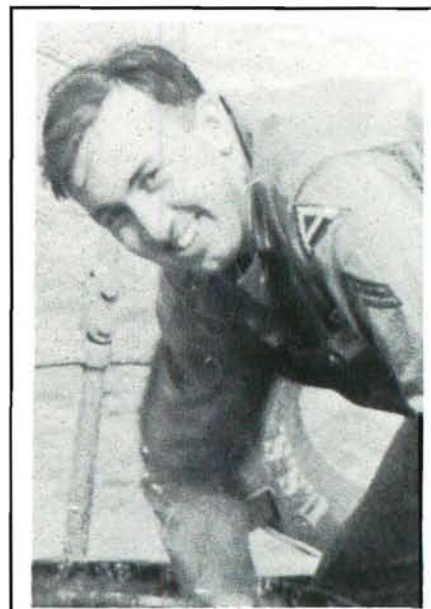
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## STANLEY P. MANEL, Airman

Born on June 15, 1934, and formerly a resident of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Manel settled in Holbrook where he presently resides. He served with the 809th Engineer Company of the United States Army principally in Guam from September of 1954 until September of 1956. He attended Newtown High School, and following military service was employed as an insurance agent. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK R. MANHARDT, Corporal

Corporal Manhardt served from May 1952 until May of 1954 with the United States Marine Corps as an instructor with the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Millington, Tennessee, and earned the National Defense Service Medal. Born on January 26, 1928, and formerly of Buffalo, New York, he made his home in Brightwaters. He was graduated from Buffalo Technical High School in 1947, from SUNY at Buffalo, Teachers College in 1952, from New York University in 1959, and in 1961 from New York University. Following the service he was employed as a teacher until he retired. He was also in the Reserves until 1960. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HARLEY E. MANLEY, JR., Electronics Technician 2nd Class

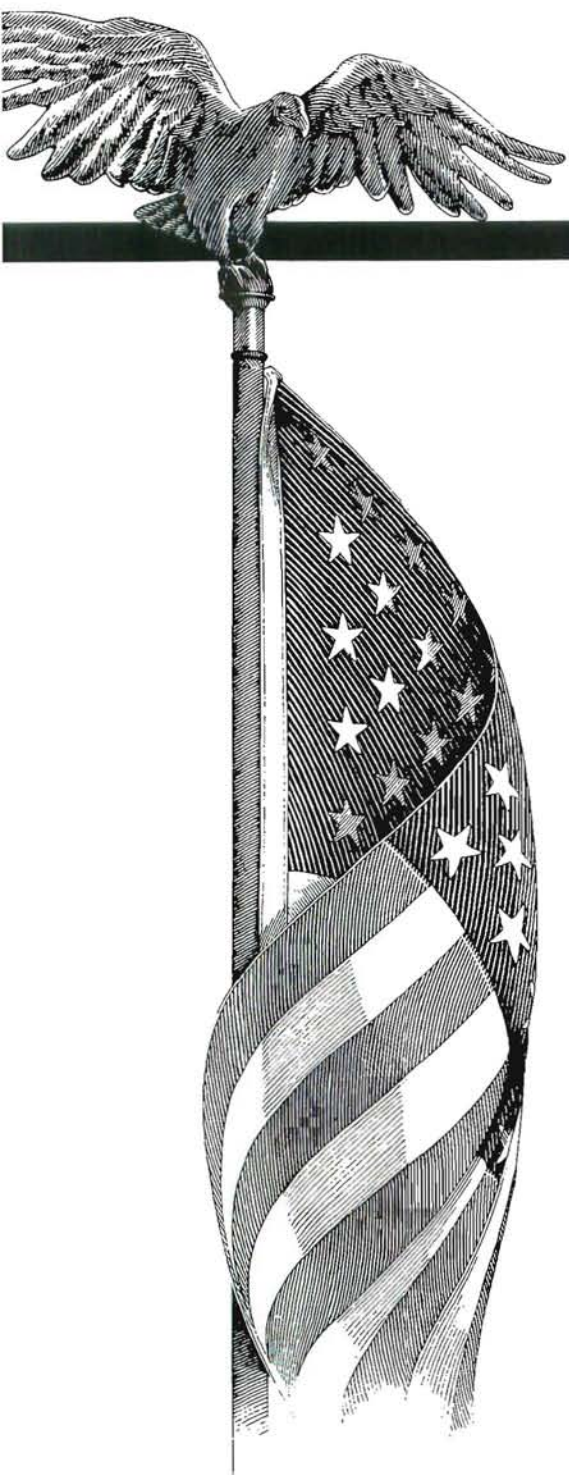
Presently residing in Bohemia, and formerly of Merrick, New York, Mr. Manley was born on October 13, 1931. He was graduated from Mephan High School in 1950, attended Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, was graduated from Hofstra University in 1971 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Applied Physics, and attended Dowling College and Adelphi University as well. He served from September of 1951 until September of 1955 with the United States Navy primarily aboard the U.S.S. Kyne, DE-744, and was stationed in England, France, Portugal, Spain, Central America, South America, as well as in the Caribbean Sea and in the Atlantic Ocean. Following the service he was employed as an electronics technician, and is currently employed as a laser and electro-optical physicist.

## MICHAEL A. MANOS, Radarman 3rd Class

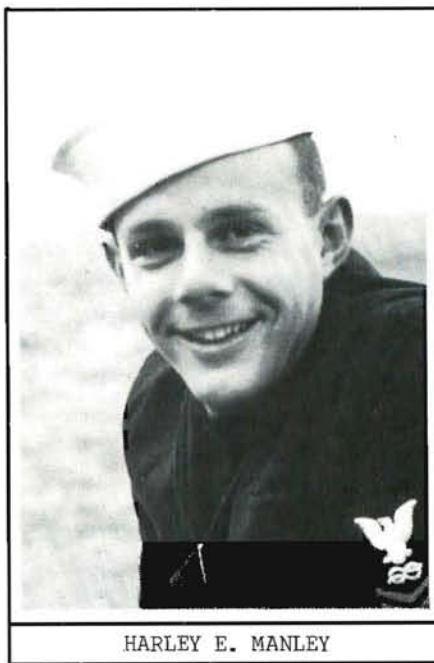
Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Manos was born on February 13, 1933, and was graduated in 1951 from Samuel Gompers Vocational High School. He served with the 6th Fleet of the United States Navy primarily in Europe, and in the Caribbean Sea, from January of 1952 until January of 1956. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupational Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He also received commendations for life saving, interpreting, and in aiding in the prevention of a tug and barge from sinking. After the service he was employed as an aircraft supervisor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN J. MAREK, SR., Engineman 2nd Class

A resident of East Islip before making his home in Hauppauge where he presently resides, Mr. Marek was born on August 23, 1931, and attended East Islip High School. He served from May of 1951 until May of 1955 mainly in Newport, Rhode Island, and in the Panama Canal Zone with the Underwater Ordnance Station of the United States Navy. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean Service Medal. Following his separation from the service he was employed as a System Technician with New York Telephone Company.



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JOHN J. MAREK

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## ROBERT MARIANI, Private 1st Class

Born on March 23, 1929, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Mariani settled in West Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Chelsea Vocational High School in 1946, and following the service was employed as a painter. He served with the United States Army from March of 1951 until March of 1953 and was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and at Fort Meade, Maryland, with the 592nd Signal Army, GL Company.

## HERMAN F. MARKERT, JR., Corporal

Corporal Markert served from February of 1951 until February of 1953 with the 1st Cavalry Division, B Company of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Pusan, Korea. Formerly of Lynbrook, New York, and presently residing in Ronkonkoma, he was born on October 26, 1929, and was graduated from Malverne High School in 1947. After his discharge from the service he was employed as an auto mechanic.

## JACK J. MARR, Sergeant

Sergeant Marr served from May of 1952 until May of 1956 with the 1993rd AACS of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Suffolk County Air Force Base, and Kimpo Air Force Base in Korea. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the United Nations, the Korean, and the National Defense Service Medals. Born on September 21, 1934, and formerly of Laurelton, New York, he made his home in Hauppauge where he presently resides. He was graduated from Andrew Jackson High School, and from Dowling College in 1975, and has been employed as an air traffic controller since his separation from the service.

## DONALD MARSHALL, Technical Sergeant

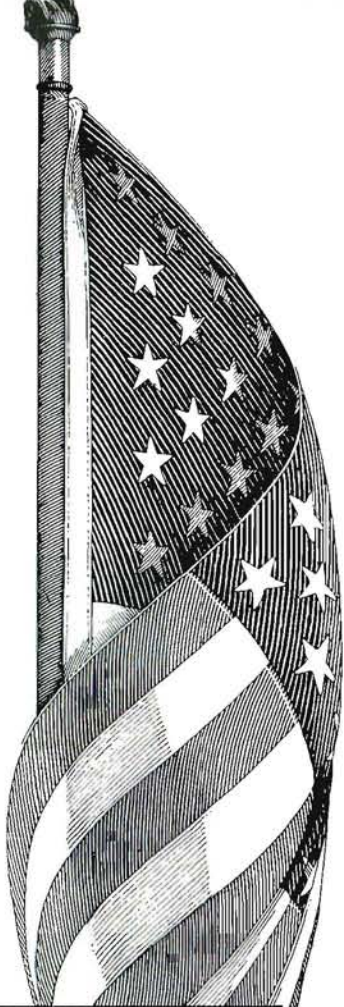
A Vietnam veteran as well as a Korean veteran, Sergeant Marshall served from June of 1953 until May of 1963 with the 320th Troop Carrier Squadron, 41st Fighter Interceptor Squadron, 5th Special Forces of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Korea, Japan, Guam, England, California, South Carolina, Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos and West Africa. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award as well as a Purple Heart. Born on August 9, 1935, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He was graduated from Boys High School, and from Villanova College, Pennsylvania. Following the service he was employed as Chief Fiscal Officer for the New York City Human Resources Administration, Department of Juvenile Justice, and is currently employed as Director of Property and Food Management at Spofford Juvenile Center.

## DONALD R. MARTIN, Construction Driver 3rd Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Bohemia, Mr. Martin was born on September 15, 1930, and was graduated from Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School, Brooklyn. He served from June of 1951 until June of 1955 with the MCB #11 of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Adak, Alaska, and in Subic Bay, Philippines. He is currently employed as a carpenter foreman.



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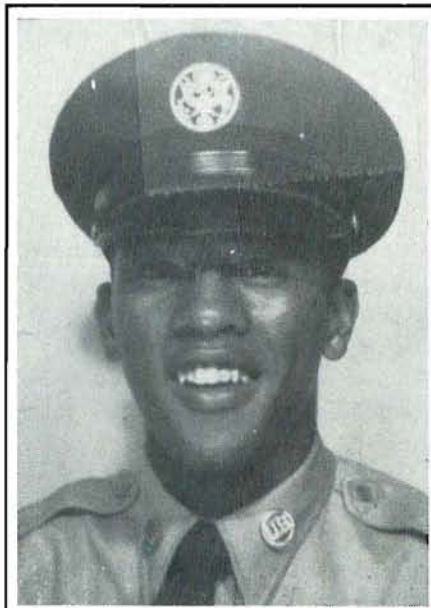
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## HERBERT MARTIN, Captain

Born on September 4, 1927, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Martin settled in Oakdale where he presently resides. He served with the United States Air Force, chiefly in Sembach, Germany, from August of 1954 until January of 1958, with the 66th Tactical Hospital. He was graduated from New Utrecht High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1945, from Long Island University in 1949, and from New York University, College of Dentistry in 1954. He currently has a dental practice on Montauk Highway in Oakdale. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD MARTIN, Corporal

Originally a resident of East Meadow, New York, and presently residing in Islip, Mr. Martin was born on August 26, 1930. He served with the 42nd Mortar Division of the United States Marine Corps from 1950 until 1952, and was in the Reserves from 1952 until 1956. Following the service he was employed as a tree surgeon until he passed away on March 16, 1981.

## ROBERT N. MARTIN, Sergeant

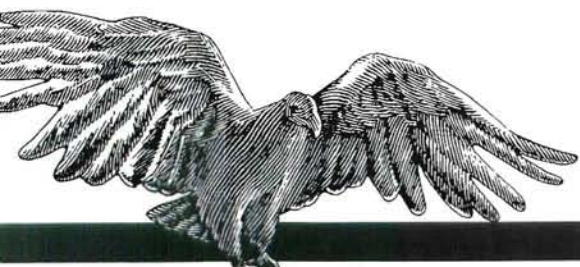
Sergeant Martin served principally at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and in Frankfurt, Germany, from December of 1950 until November of 1952 with the 322nd Signal Battalion Corps of the United States Army. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. Formerly of Islip Terrace, and presently residing in Islip, he was born on November 11, 1928, and was graduated from Seton Hall High School, Patchogue, New York, in 1946. After his discharge he was employed as a grocer, and went on to become a programmer analyst, and an E.D.P. manager. (Photograph unavailable.)

## LOUIS C. MARTINI, Sergeant

Born on April 15, 1931, and formerly of College Point, New York, Mr. Martini made his home in Brentwood where he now resides. He was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1949, and served with B Company, 10th Combat Engineer Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Dix, Fort Benning, and Fort Lewis, and also in Japan and Korea, from July of 1949 until September of 1952. He earned the Bronze Star Medal, the Korean Campaign Medal with three service stars, and a Purple Heart while in the service.

## ARMONDO A. MARTINO, Corporal

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and currently a resident of Central Islip, Mr. Martino was born on July 1, 1928, and attended New York City Trades High School. He served principally in Munich, Germany, from October of 1950 until October of 1952 with the Headquarters 51st Station Base Depot of the United States Army, and earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. He was employed as a carpenter following the service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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## FRANK A. MARTONE, Corporal

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Martone was born on October 1, 1931, and attended Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School and Eastern District High School. He served from January of 1952 until December of 1953 with the United States Army with the 823rd Ordnance Battalion while in Korea, and with K Company at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, and the United Nations and the National Defense Service Medals. After his discharge he was employed with a machine shop and as a chauffeur.

## EUGENE C. MASON, Corporal

A 1946 graduate of St. Dominic High School, Oyster Bay, New York, Mr. Mason was born on February 15, 1928, and resided in Northport, New York before making his home in West Islip where he now resides. He served from January of 1951 until October of 1952 with the 7th Division, 7th Military Police, C Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and is merited with the Koran Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Overseas Ribbon. Following the service he was in the Army reserve from October of 1952 until January of 1957. Currently, he is the owner of a garage, and works for the Long Island State Park and Recreation Commission.

## MICHAEL MASTRANDREA, Corporal

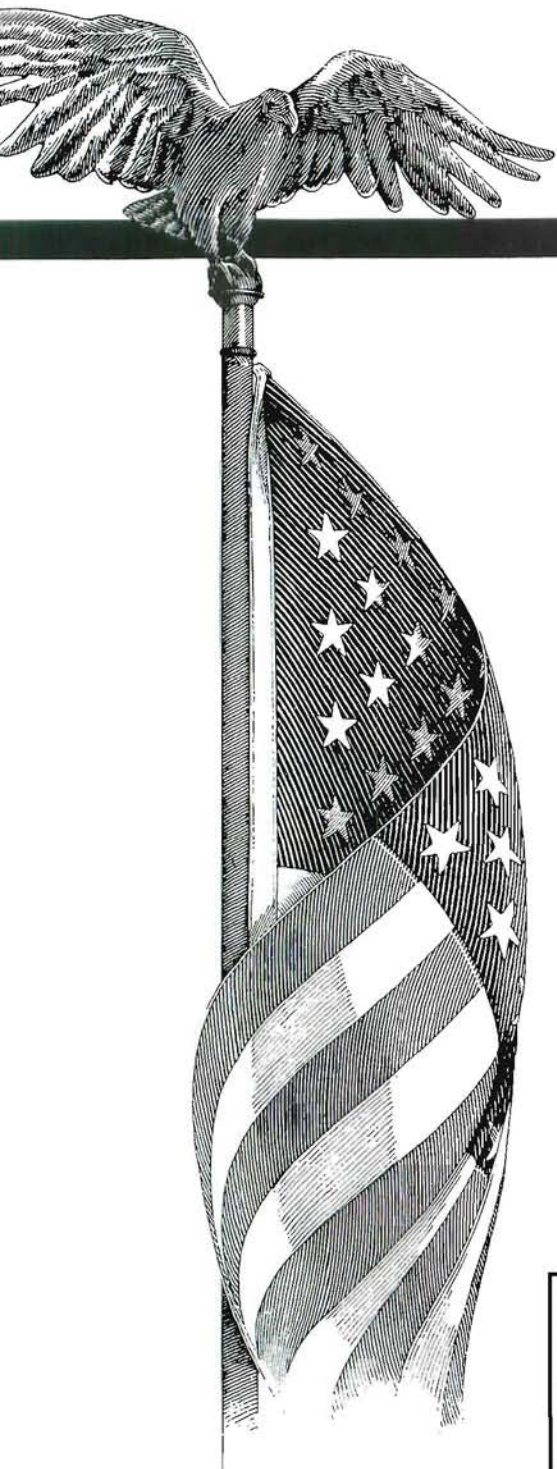
Corporal Mastrandrea served with the 9th Infantry Division Signal Corps Headquarters of the United States Army primarily in Germany from January of 1954 until January of 1956. Born on August 10, 1934, formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in West Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Samuel J. Tilden High School, Brooklyn, in 1952, from New York Community College in 1960, and from RCA Institute in 1962. Following the service he was employed with Dow Jones. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and a Unit Citation as well. (Photograph unavailable.)

## LOUIS E. MATELUNA, Corporal

Born on May 2, 1929, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from East New York Vocational High School in 1947, he settled in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He served from June of 1952 until May of 1954 with H & H Battery, 142nd Field Artillery Group of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Wertheim, Germany, and earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He is employed as a supervisor for New York Rail Car Corp. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK MATOS, Private 1st Class

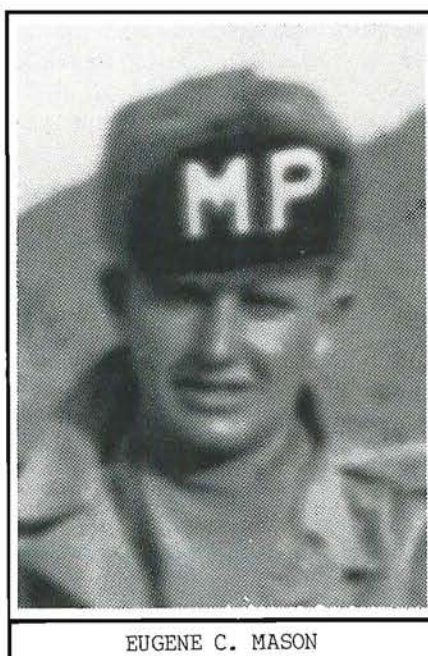
Private Matos served from November of 1951 until November of 1953 with the 2nd Marine Air Wing of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed principally at Cherry Point, North Carolina. Born on November 10, 1931, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. Following the service he was employed as a sheet metal worker, and is employed as a bus dispatcher. (Photograph unavailable.)



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FRANK A. MARTONE



EUGENE C. MASON



LOUIS E. MATELUNA

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## FRED MATTHEWS, JR., Staff Sergeant

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Matthews was born on January 26, 1935, and resides in Bay Shore. He served with the United States Air Force, with the 5th Company, primarily in Korea, Japan, and in the United States from February of 1953 until February of 1957. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal and the United Nations Service Medal. In 1953 he was graduated from Samuel Gompers Vocational High School, and was employed with New York Telephone Company after his discharge from the service.

## STEPHEN MATTHEWS, Staff Sergeant

A resident of Queens, New York, before settling in West Islip where he has resided for the past 30 years, Mr. Matthews was born on June 20, 1923. He was graduated from Stonewall Jackson High School, Charleston, West Virginia, in 1941, and in 1951 from Adelphi University. He served from October of 1947 until October of 1951 with the Alaskan Air Command of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, a Silver Star, and a Bronze Star as well. A veteran of World War II as well, he was employed in floristry purchasing since his discharge from the service.

## NICHOLAS MAURELIS, Corporal

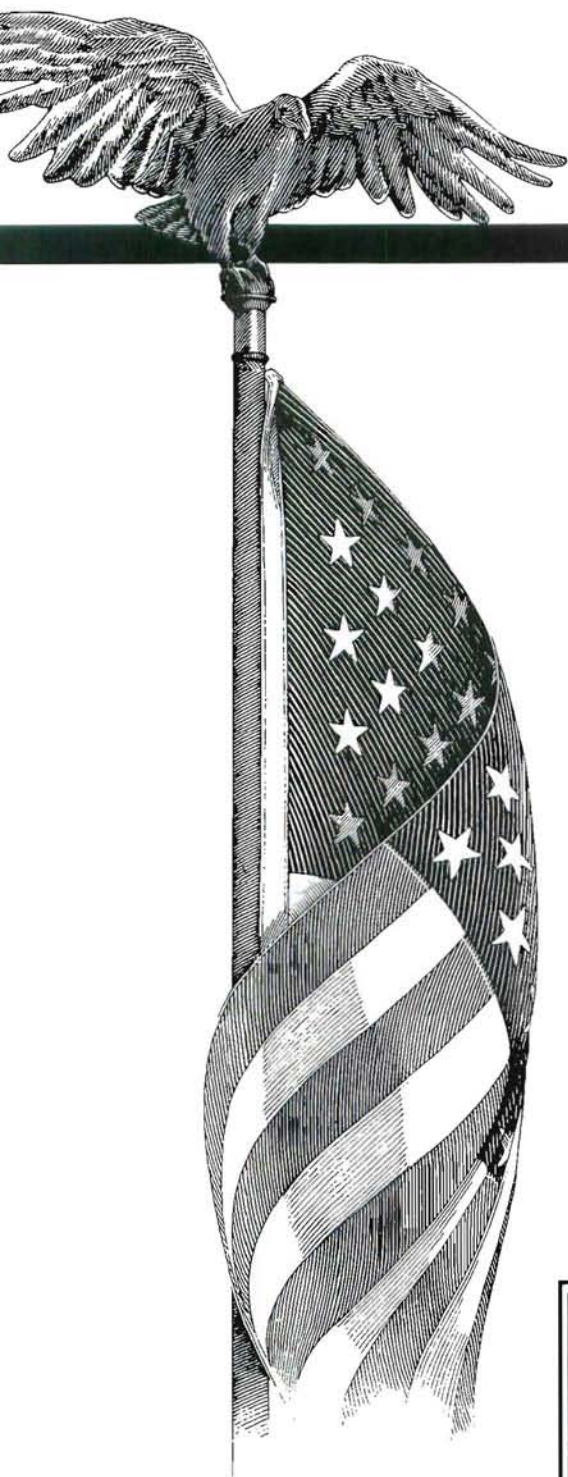
Corporal Maurelis served with the 32nd Infantry Regiment, 7th Division of the United States Army from January of 1952 until October of 1953, and was stationed in North Korea. He earned the Distinguished Service Cross, the United Nations Service Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and a Purple Heart while in the Army. Born on September 3, 1931, and formerly of Valley Stream, New York, he made his home in Great River where he now resides. He was graduated from Jamaica High School in 1950, and has owned a service station since his separation from the service.

## FRANCIS E. MAY, Sergeant

Born on March 1, 1933, Mr. May presently resides in Brentwood. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from Cardinal Hayes High School, Bronx, New York, and attended classes at Drake Business School. He served with the 76th Tank Battalion, 11th Airborne Division of the United States Army, and was stationed principally at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, from April of 1951 until April of 1955. After the service he was employed with Lockheed Aircraft, and the Long Island Lighting Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD O. MAY, Sergeant

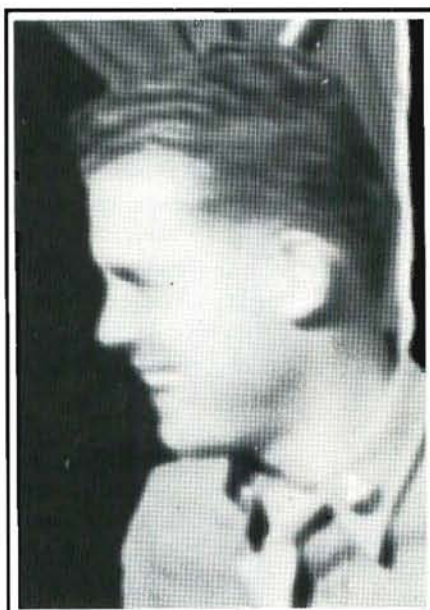
Formerly of Richmond Hill, New York, and born on July 10, 1932, Mr. May made his home in Bay Shore. He served with A Company, Army Security Agency of the United States Army mainly in Frankfurt, Germany, from January of 1950 until June of 1960. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the European Theatre Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He attended New York School of Printing, and following his discharge was employed as a printer. (Photograph unavailable.)



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FRED MATTHEWS



STEPHEN MATTHEWS



NICHOLAS MAURELIS

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## JOSEPH J. McBRIDE, Private 1st Class

Private McBride served primarily at Fort Gordon, Georgia, with the 229th Signal Company of the United States Army from June of 1953 until June of 1955 when he received an Honorable Discharge. He was born on January 5, 1934, and resided in the Bronx, New York, before settling in Ronkonkoma where he presently resides. He was graduated from Cardinal Hayes High School, Bronx, and attended Fordham University where he received a Bachelor of Arts degree. He also attended Hunter College, New York City College, Pace University, and New York University. After his discharge he was employed as a teacher, and then as a charter boat captain. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES E. McCABE, Corporal

Presently residing in Bay Shore, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. McCabe was born on January 17, 1932, and attended St. Francis Prep School and Franklin K. Lane High School. He served with the 1763rd, 61st Field Artillery Battery Station of the United States Army, from February of 1952 until November of 1953, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. Following the service he was employed with Con Edison. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT M. McCAFFREY, JR., Airman 1st Class

Airman McCaffrey served from May until July of 1952 with the 514th Motor Vehicle Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Mitchel Field, New York. Born on August 28, 1926, and formerly of Copiague, New York, he settled in Bay Shore where he now resides. He was graduated from Hempstead High School in 1947, and attended Hofstra University for two years. Following the service he was employed as an aircraft planner and analyst. (Photograph unavailable.)

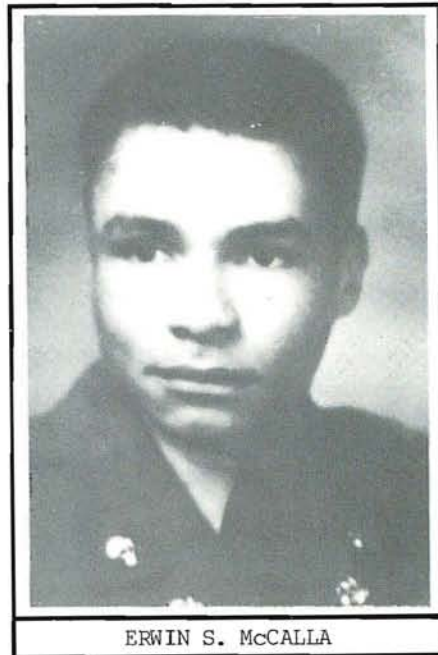
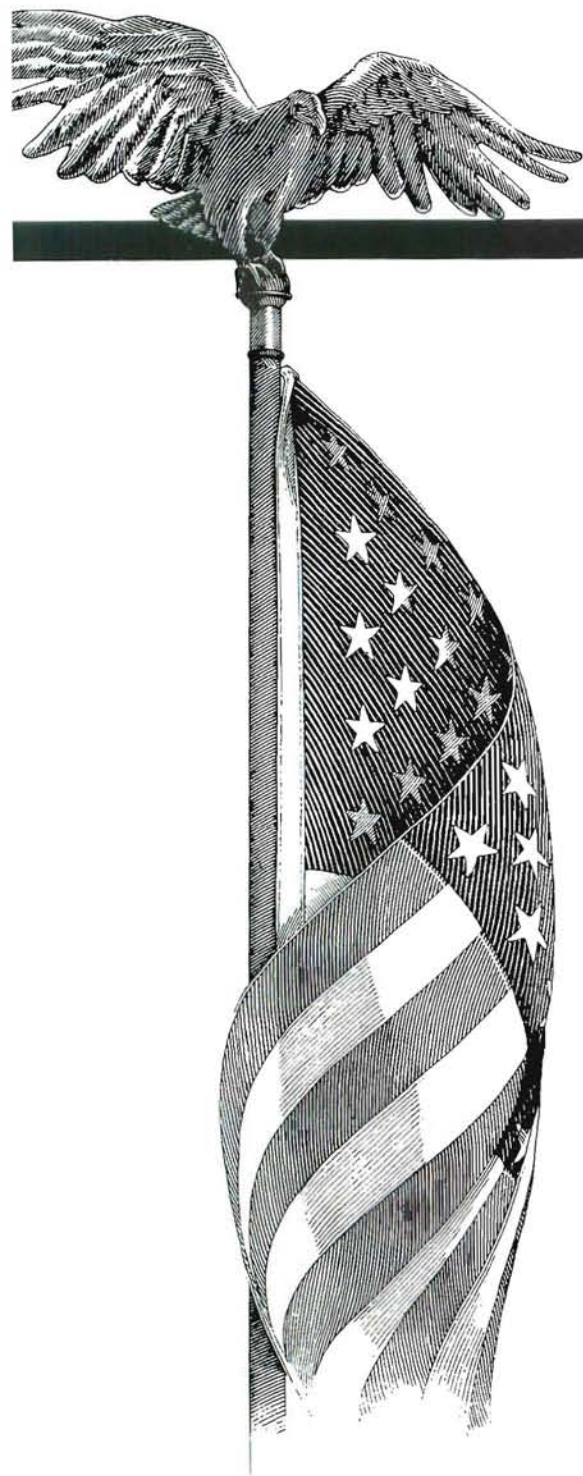
## ERWIN S. McCALLA, Sergeant

Born on December 10, 1928, and formerly residing in New York City, Mr. McCalla made his home in Central Islip where he presently resides. He served from October of 1948 until May of 1952 with the 76th AAA Headquarters Battalion, attached to the 8th Army of the United States Army, and was stationed at Showa Air Force Base, Japan, and in Korea as well. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the Korean Service Medal. In 1948 he was graduated from Harran High School, from the Academy of Aeronautics in 1958, and from C.W. Post College in 1970. Following his discharge from the service he was employed as an engineer test operator, and as an engineer.

## JOSEPH A. McCANN, SR., Radioman 3rd Class

A 1958 graduate of Jamaica High School, Mr. McCann was born on April 18, 1934, and resided in Brooklyn, New York, before making his home in Brentwood where he now resides. He served with the 1st and 11th Naval Beach Groups, and aboard the U.S.S. Arneb, AKA-56, of the United States Navy, and was stationed at Little Creek, Virginia, from September of 1951 until April of 1955. He is merited with the China Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge as well. He was graduated from Suffolk County Community College in 1976, and in 1979 from New York Institute of Technology. After his discharge he was employed as a trailer driver. (Photograph unavailable.)

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ERWIN S. McCALLA



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## EDWARD J. McCARTHY, Private 1st Class

Born on October 17, 1934, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. McCarthy presently resides in West Islip. He served from October of 1951 until November of 1955 with the 187th Regimental Combat Team of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea and in Japan, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, and Parachute Wings as well. He was graduated from Food Trades Vocational High School in 1950, and following the service was employed as an operating engineer.

## FRANK McCARTHY, Electrician Mate 2nd Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, he was born on December 5, 1929, and was graduated from George Westinghouse Vocational High School, Brooklyn. He served aboard the U.S.S. Franklin D. Roosevelt, CVB-42, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in the Atlantic Ocean and the Mediterranean Sea from September of 1947 until September of 1951, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. After his separation from the service Mr. McCarthy was employed as an Electrical Technician with Sperry Gyro, Co. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT A. McGINTY, Staff Sergeant

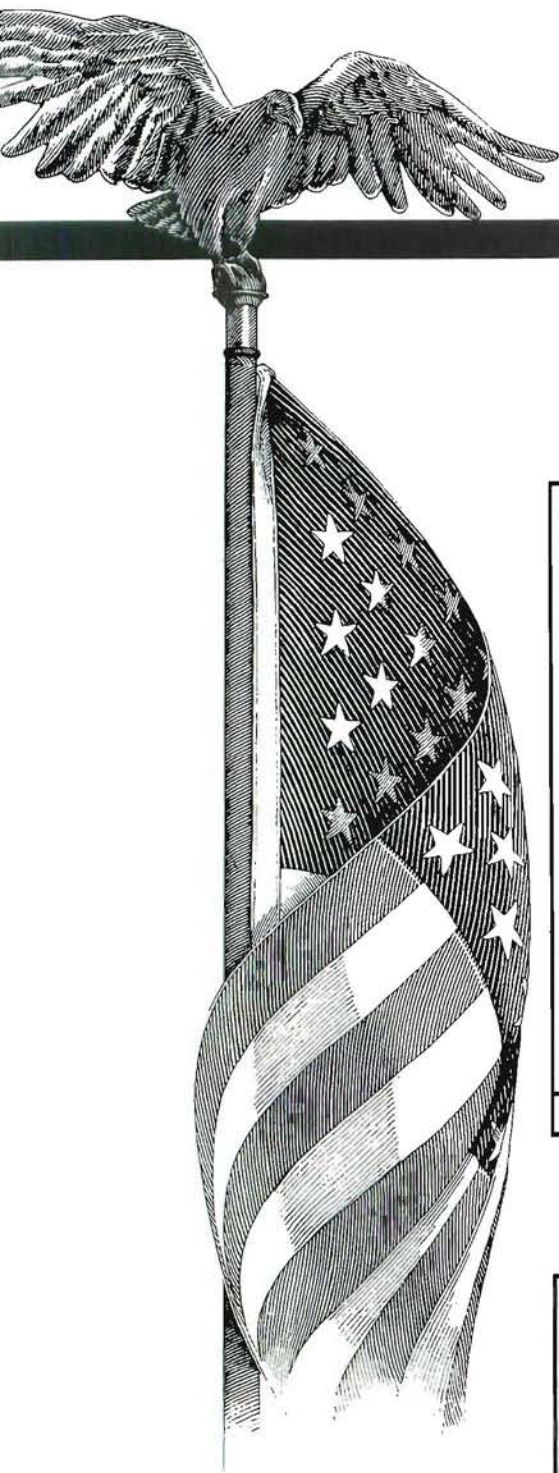
Staff Sergeant McGinty served from November of 1948 until May of 1952 with the 21st AAA "Quad Lightning" Battalion assigned to the 35th Infantry Regiment of the 25th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in North Korea. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he was born on May 9, 1931, and presently resides in Sayville. He received his Bachelor of Science degree in 1961 from Valparaiso University, his Master of Science degree in 1967 from Hofstra University, and his Doctor of Philosophy in 1972 also from Hofstra University. He also attended C.W. Post College, and following the service was employed as a reading specialist and as a teacher. While in the service he earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the Korean Service Medal as well.

## JOHN A. McGLONE, Platoon Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. McGlone was born on April 2, 1924, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1942. He served principally at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, from September of 1950 until September of 1951 with the 2nd Marine Division, 6th Marines Battalion, C Company of the United States Marine Corps. After the service he was employed with Rheingold Breweries as a Salesman.

## ROBERT C. McGRATH, SR., Private

Born on January 28, 1933, and formerly of Jamaica, New York, Mr. McGrath made his home in Oakdale where he presently resides. He served with the 715th Transportation Corps, 8th Army of the United States Army from February of 1953 until August of 1955, was stationed chiefly in Korea, and is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation. He was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1952, and after the service was employed as a kitchen cabinet manufacturer. (Photograph unavailable.)



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EDWARD J. MCCARTHY



ROBERT A. MCGINTY



JOHN A. MCGLONE



ROBERT C. MCGRATH

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## RICHARD McISAAC, Seaman

Formerly of Woodside, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. McIsaac was born on January 20, 1930, and attended Bryant High School. He served aboard the U.S.S. Worcester, CL-144, of the United States Navy, from February of 1948 until January of 1952, and was stationed in the Pacific Ocean and in the Mediterranean Sea. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the China Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and received an Honorable Discharge as well. Following the service he was employed with a machine shop and is currently a Wire Lather, with Local 46, New York Construction. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM McKEEVER, Private 1st Class

Private McKeever served from 1949 until 1952 with the 773rd AAA Gunnery Battalion, D Battery of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Georgia. Born on October 11, 1929, and formerly of Springfield Gardens, New York, he settled in Sayville where he now resides. He was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1948, and after his separation from the service was employed in route sales. (Photograph unavailable.)

## EDWARD McKENNA, Airman 1st Class

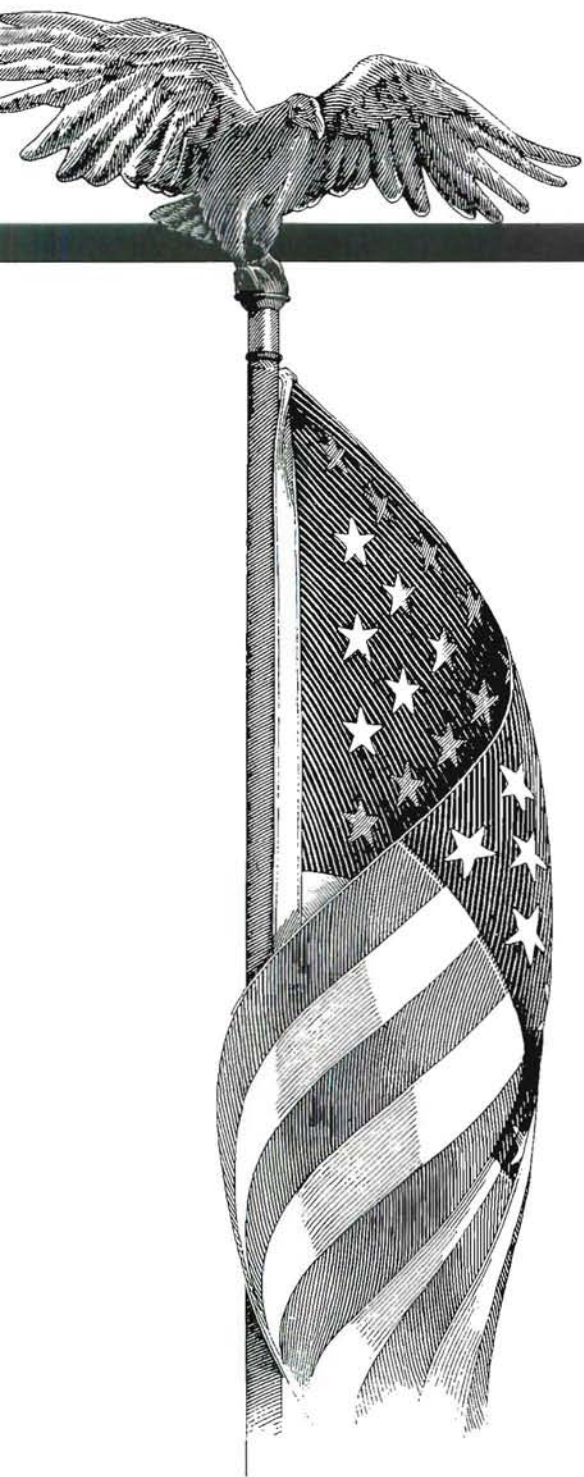
Originally from Hicksville, New York, and currently a resident of Islip, Mr. McKenna was born on April 22, 1936. In 1953 he was graduated from St. Dominic's High School, Oyster Bay, New York, from C.W. Post College, and from SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from 1954 until 1958 with the 308th Field Maintenance Squadron, Strategic Air Command of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Georgia, in the Middle East and in Africa. He is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, the Outstanding Unit Award, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. After the service he was employed as an aircraft mechanic, and is presently employed as a lab technical specialist. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN E. McKENNA, Commander

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. McKenna was born on February 25, 1916, and attended St. Patrick's School, Bay Shore. He served principally at Floyd Bennett Field, Long Island, and in Guam, from April of 1950 until June of 1954 with the MCB-10 of the United States Navy. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal while in the service, and after his discharge was employed as an operating engineer.

## PATRICK E. McKENNA, Private 1st Class

Private McKenna served with the 112th Chemical Processing Company of the United States Army from 1948 until 1951, and was stationed in Baltimore, Maryland, and Tokyo, Japan as well as in Korea. He was born on September 10, 1931, and resided in New York City before making his home in Sayville where he presently resides. He attended George Washington High School and All Hallows High School. He was employed in warehousing following his discharge from the service.



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JOHN E. McKENNA



PATRICK E. McKENNA



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## JAMES McKEON, Hospitalman

Mr. McKeon was born on April 10, 1934, and resided in Ridgewood before settling in Brentwood where he now resides. He was graduated in 1951 from Grover Cleveland High School, and attended McAllister College. He served with the United States Navy from April of 1951 until April of 1955. Following the service he was employed as a New York State Police Funeral Director. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD W. McMAHAN, 1st Lieutenant

Lieutenant McMahan served from 1950 until 1954 with H Company, 17th Regiment, 7th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Japan and Korea, and earned the Korean Service Medal. He was born on March 13, 1926, and resided in Jackson Heights, New York before making his home in West Islip. He was graduated from Newtown High School in 1943, and in 1950 from New York City College. After the service he was employed as an investigator and is now a court officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## OTTO R. MEDECK, JR., Machinery Repairman 2nd Class

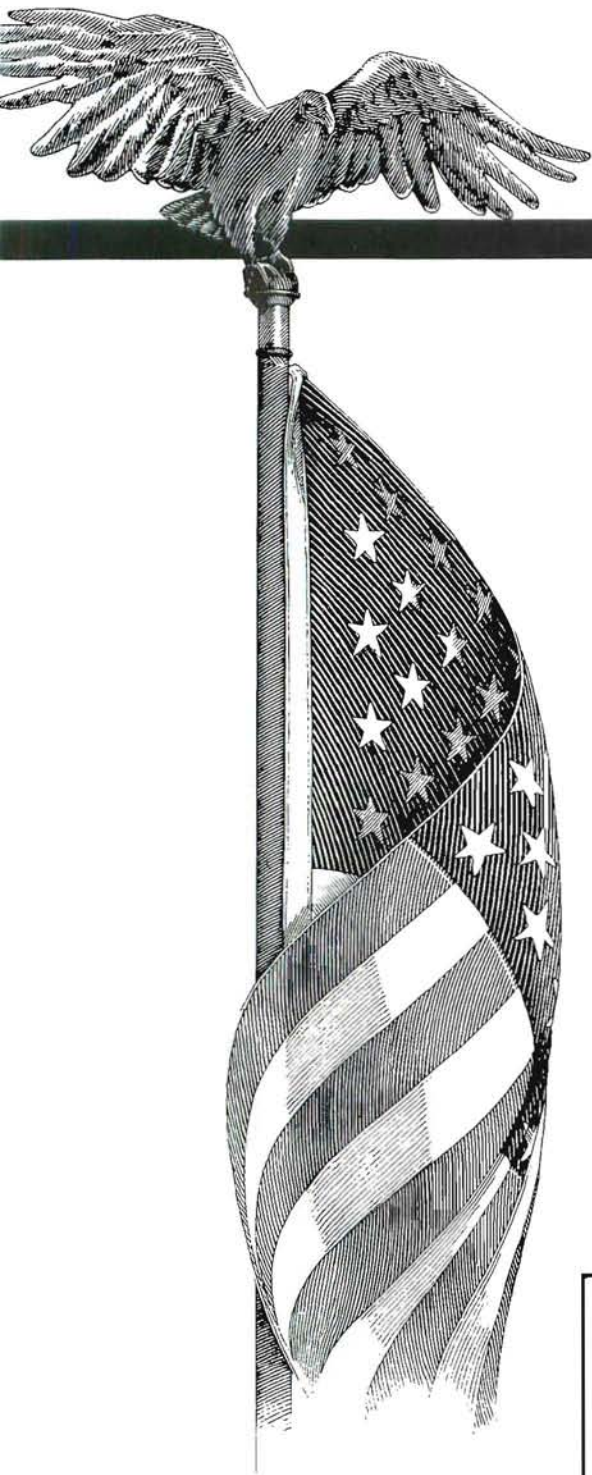
Formerly of Blue Point, Mr. Medeck was born on June 22, 1930, and resides in Bayport. He was graduated from Bayport High School in 1949, and served from July of 1949 until February of 1953 aboard the U.S.S. Rochester, CA-124, of the United States Navy, and was stationed primarily in Korea. Following his separation from the Navy he was employed with Fire and Rescue for the Brookhaven National Laboratory.

## FLOYD MELTON, Corporal

Born on June 23, 1930, and formerly of Central Islip, Mr. Melton made his home in Ronkonkoma where he has resided since 1977. He served from July of 1951 until July of 1953 with the 278th Regimental Combat Team of the United States Army, and was stationed at Camp Drum, New York. He was graduated from Central Islip High School, and following the service was employed as a Hospital Attendant for Central Islip State Hospital until he retired.

## JOHN E. MENECHINO, Personnelman 3rd Class

A resident of East Islip since 1971, Mr. Menechino is formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and was born on June 22, 1932. He was graduated from Harran High School in 1950, attended New York Institute of Applied Arts & Sciences for two years, and also attended Hofstra University. He served from June of 1951 until June of 1955 aboard the U.S.S. O'Bannon, DDE-450, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Oahu, Hawaii, in Japan, Korea, and in China as well. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the China Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. Following his discharge he was employed as a stock clerk and is currently employed as Director of Human Resources for Eaton Corporation.



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OTTO R. MEDECK, JR.



FLOYD MELTON



JOHN E. MENECHINO

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ROBERT C. MENJE, Corporal

Born on April 8, 1931, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Menje made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades in 1950, and attended classes for two years at Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute. He served from November of 1950 until November of 1959 with the 14th Infantry Regiment, 25th Division, 1st Army of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Gordon, Georgia, and in Korea, and earned the Korean Service Medal. Following the service he was employed as a linoleum mechanic and then as an aircraft design engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

EDWARD J. MENZER, Corporal

Originally from New York City, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Menzer was born on April 9, 1931. He served from June of 1949 until December of 1952 with H & S Company, 44th Tank Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed principally at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. He is merited with the Parachute Glider Badge, and is currently employed with the New York City Department of Sanitation.

CARMINE R. MEROLLA, Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Merolla served with the 18th Engineer Combat Battalion, 7th Army of the United States Army from March of 1949 until August of 1952, and was stationed mainly in West Germany. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the Korean Service Medal as well. Born on November 8, 1931, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, he settled in West Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School in 1949, received his Bachelor of Science degree from New York University in 1957, and received his Master of Business Administration in 1962, also from New York University. After the his discharge he was employed as a banker. (Photograph unavailable.)

THOMAS MESEROLE, Fireman

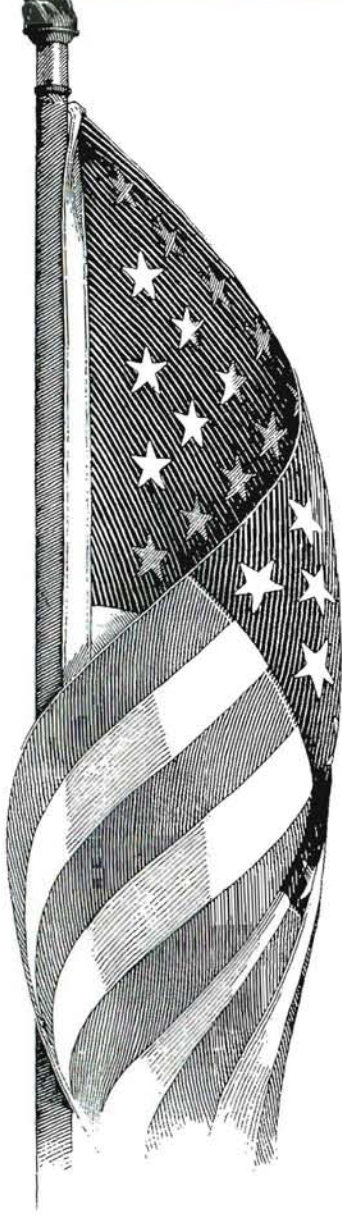
Fireman Meserole served from March of 1948 until December of 1950 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Portsmouth. Born on February 28, 1931, he resided in Brooklyn, New York, before settling in East Islip where he now resides. He attended Barker Central High School, Lockport, New York, and is employed as a clerk. (Photograph unavailable.)

MICHAEL MESSINA, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Messina was born on March 18, 1934, and made his home in East Islip where he now resides. He served from April of 1954 until March of 1956 with B Company, 707th Ordnance Battalion, 7th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal as well. He was graduated in 1953 from Brooklyn Automotive Trades High School, and is currently employed as a ceramic tile contractor. (Photograph unavailable.)



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EDWARD J. MENZER



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## HOWARD M. MEUSER, Corporal

Corporal Meuser served from January of 1951 until January of 1953 with the Medical Detachment, 459th AAA Battalion (SMBL) of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly at Fort Cronkhite, California. Formerly of Queens Village, New York, and presently residing in East Islip, he was born on July 27, 1929. He was graduated from Jamaica High School, Jamaica, New York, and after his discharge from the service was employed as a purchasing clerk. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN C. MEYER, JR., Boatswain Mate 3rd Class

Born on September 30, 1932, and formerly of Islip, Mr. Meyer made his home in East Islip where he presently resides. He served from December of 1950 until October of 1954 with the United States Navy where he was a landing craft instructor, and was stationed mainly at Little Creek, Virginia. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean Service Medal. He attended Islip High School, and following the service was employed as a fisherman and trapper, and is currently employed as a carpenter and trapper.

## LEWIS E. MEYER, Corporal

A 1947 graduate of Islip High School, Mr. Meyer was born on April 28, 1929, and resides in Oakdale. He served from February of 1951 until January of 1953 with the 1187 T & T Company, 50th Signal Service Battalion of the United States Army, Signal Corps, was stationed at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, and in Japan, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. He is currently employed as an Allstate Insurance Company Agent.

## ROBERT F. MEYER, Staff Sergeant

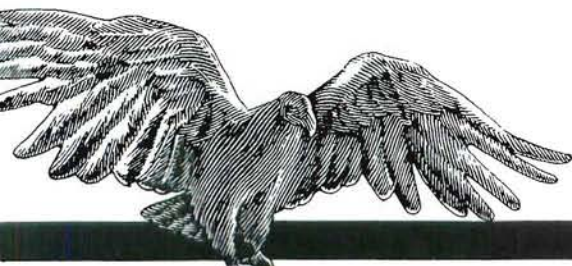
A resident of Islip at the time he enlisted, Mr. Meyer was born on June 20, 1930, and settled in Bohemia. He was graduated from Islip High School in 1948, and served with the 1912th, 1951st, and the 1973rd AACS Squadrons of the United States Air Force from September of 1948 until September of 1954. His tours of duty included the United States, Japan, Korea, and the French Morocco, and he is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Distinguished Unit Citation, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, as well as the United Nations Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed with the Federal Aviation Administration.

## WILLIAM A. R. MEYER, Petty Officer 3rd Class

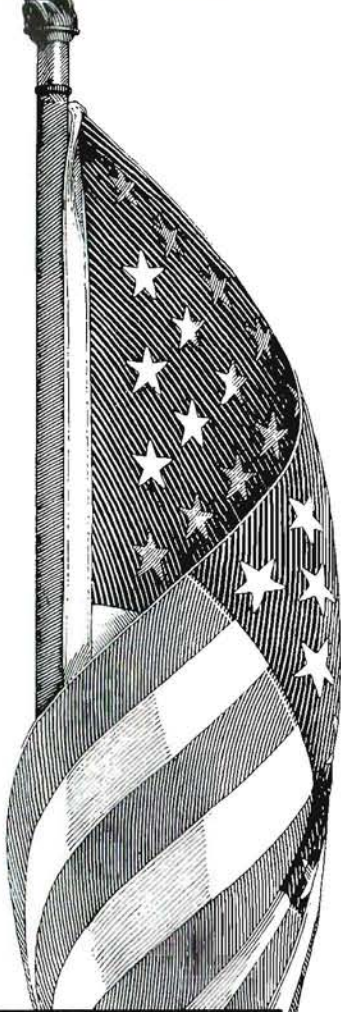
A longtime resident of Bayport, Mr. Meyer was born on July 22, 1933, and was graduated from Seton Hall High School. He served from March of 1953 until March of 1955 with the Mobile Construction Battalion #7 of the United States Navy Seabees, and was stationed primarily in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and in the French Morocco, Africa. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, and after the service was employed in construction.

## WILLIAM H. MEYER, Airman

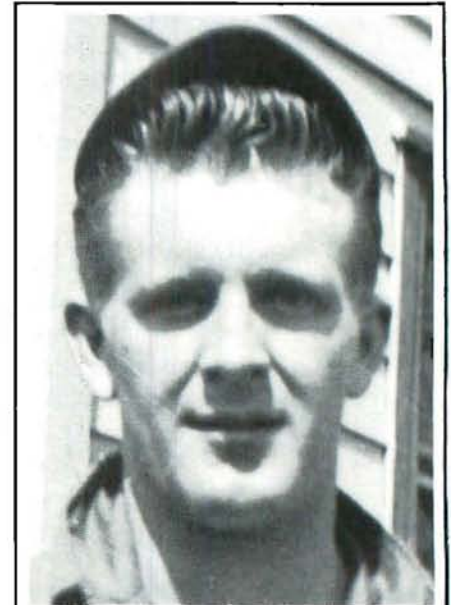
Airman Meyer served from March of 1952 until February of 1956 with the 3131st Maintenance Group of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Sampson Air Force Base, New York, and in France, and received the Good Conduct and the National Defense Service Medals. Born on May 16, 1933, he was graduated from Machine and Metal Trades High School in 1951, and attended John Jay College. He resides in Ronkonkoma and is semi-retired.



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JOHN C. MEYER, JR.



LEWIS E. MEYER



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## WILLIAM MEYER, Corporal

Corporal Meyer served from February of 1953 until February of 1955 with F Company, 2nd Battalion, 504th Air Regiment, 82nd Airborne Division of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in North Carolina. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Senior Parachute Badge as well. Formerly of Pearl River, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, he was born on August 19, 1929. He is currently employed as a route salesman. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH A. MICELI, Private 1st Class

Private Miceli served with the United States Army from February of 1951 until March of 1953, and was stationed at Camp Atterbury, Indiana, and at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey. Born on January 8, 1929, and formerly of New York City, he made his home in Brentwood where he currently resides. He was graduated from Murray Hill High School, and after the service sought a career in boxing. He is employed as a forklift driver with Fairchild Industries.

## CARL MICHAELS, Corporal

Corporal Michaels served from August of 1953 until June of 1955 with the 950th Headquarters Engineer Company of the United States Special Category Army with the Air Force (SCARWAF), and was stationed in Newfoundland, Canada, and Alaska. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge as well. He was born on May 19, 1930, and settled in Bay Shore after residing in Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from Boys High School, Brooklyn. He was graduated from New York Technical College in 1957, and following the service has been self-employed. (Photograph unavailable.)

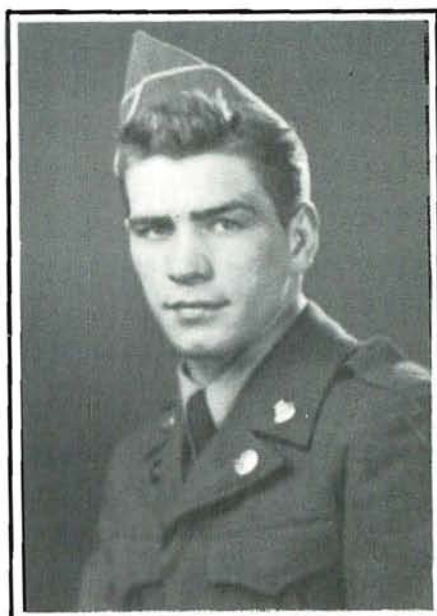
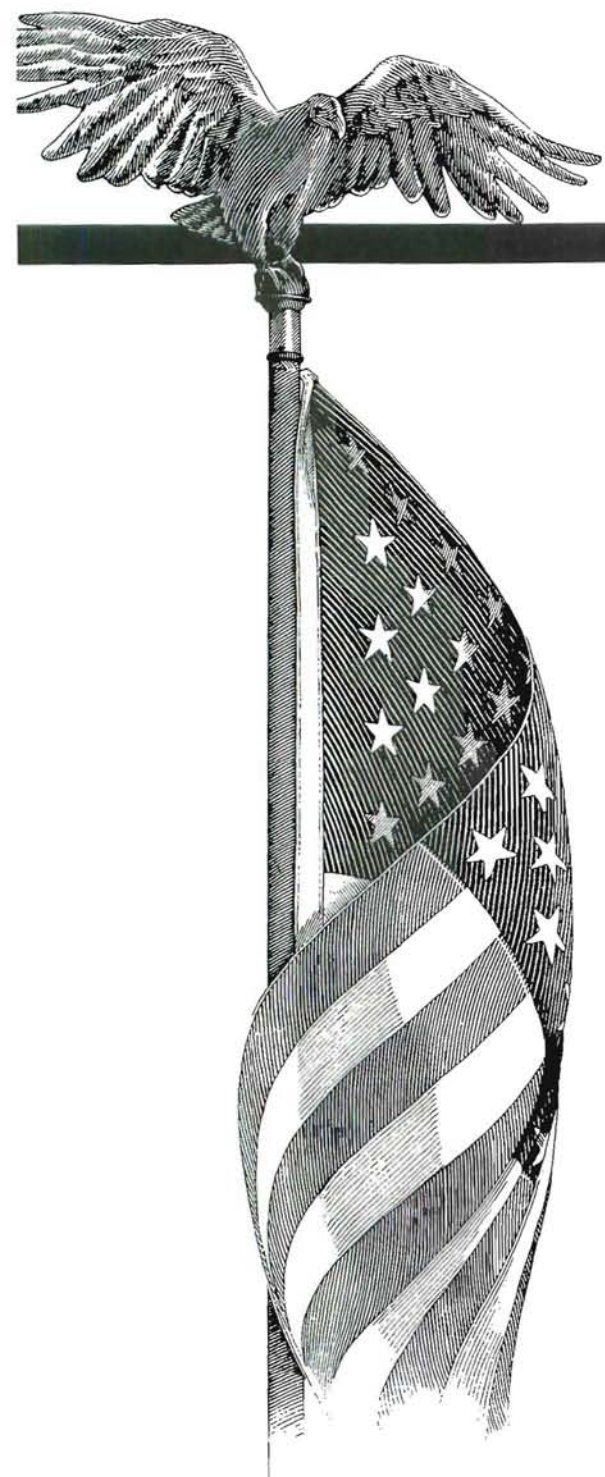
## ERNEST C. MIDOLO, Private 1st Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Midolo was born on February 8, 1931. He attended Roosevelt High School, Bronx, and received his High School Equivalency Diploma in 1981, and was graduated from Long Island Drafting Institute in 1981 where he studied to become an electronic and digital technician. He served with the 278th Battalion Special Services and the Army Band of the United States Army from November of 1951 until December of 1953, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, Fort Devens, Massachusetts, and at Camp Drum, New York. After his discharge he was employed as a Route Salesman with Dellwood Dairy for 23 years, and is currently employed as an electronic technician and service manager. (Photograph unavailable.)

## EMIL M. MIGNONE, Corporal

Corporal Mignone served with the 82nd Airborne Division of the United States Army primarily at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, from November of 1949 until December of 1952 and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and the Senior Parachute Badge. He was born on March 21, 1931, and was formerly of Brooklyn, New York, before settling in Central Islip where he now resides. Following the service he was employed as a Riveter for Republic Aviation. (Photograph unavailable.)

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JOSEPH A. MICELI

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## ROBERT K. MIKULEWICH, Sergeant

Born on June 14, 1933, formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Mikulewich made his home in Central Islip where he presently resides. He served with the 8th Airborne Group, 8th Fighter Bomber Wing, FEAF, of the United States Air Force, from March of 1951 until February of 1955 and was stationed principally in Japan. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and an Honorable Discharge as well. He attended St. Leonard's Academy, Brooklyn, and following his separation from the service was employed as a Security Guard. While in the Air Force he participated in operations during May Day riots, and in rescue work in Japan during a typhoon in 1954.

## JOSEPH P. MILILLO, Corporal

Currently residing in East Islip, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Milillo was born on September 25, 1930. He attended Stuyvesant High School, New York City, and also classes at New York University and Columbia University. He served with the Transportation Arctic Group of the United States Army from August of 1953 until June of 1955, was stationed at Fort Eustis, Virginia and Thule Air Force Base, Greenland, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. He worked as an industrial engineer after his discharge.

## LEWIS D. MILLER, Sergeant

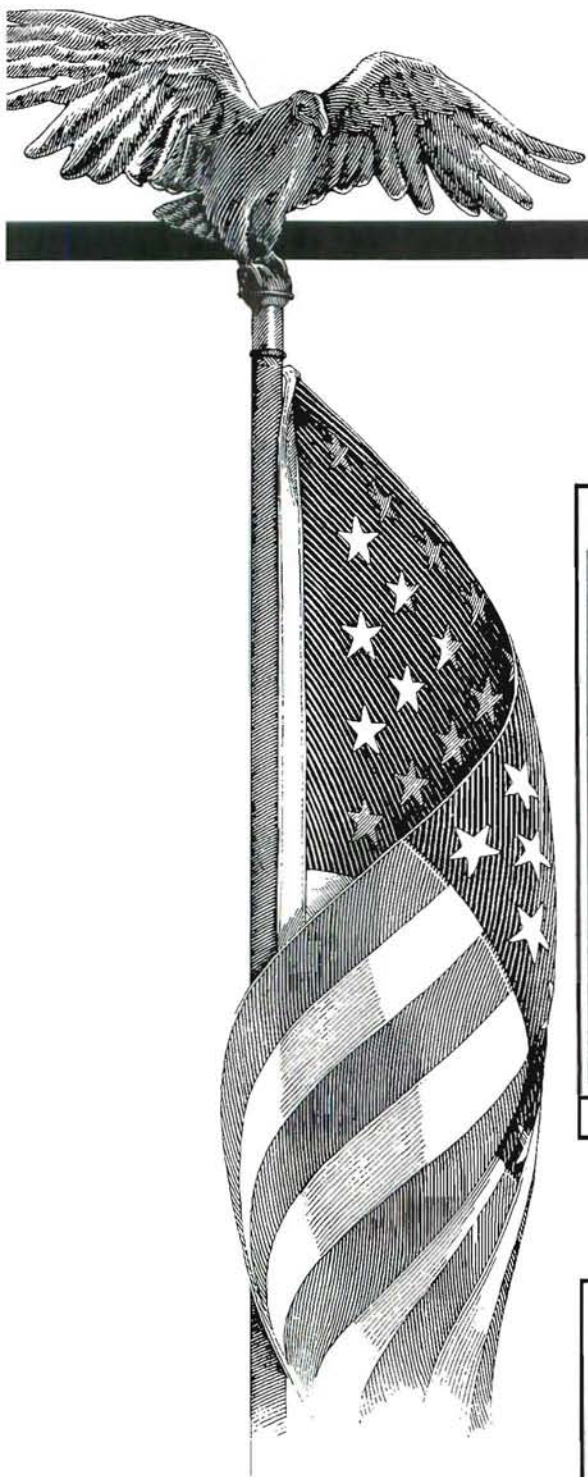
A Vietnam veteran as well as a Korean veteran, Mr. Miller was born on February 28, 1931, and presently resides in Central Islip. He served with the 648th Squadron, H Company of the United States Air Force primarily at Langley Air Force Base, Mitchel Air Force Base, and Hickam Air Force Base, from March of 1948 until September of 1968, earning the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. He attended South Otselic High School, South Otselic, New York, where he formerly resided, and attended classes at the SUNY at Stony Brook from 1968 until 1970, and New York City College from 1974 until 1976. After his discharge he was employed as a teacher.

## ROBERT P. MILLER, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Miller was born on March 26, 1928, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1946. He served from October of 1950 until July of 1952 with B Company, 35th Regiment, 25th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Camp Cooke, California, at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and in Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and a Purple Heart. He has been employed as an aircraft mechanic since his discharge.

## SAMUEL E. MIRANDA, Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Miranda served from October of 1951 until October of 1953 with the 40th Infantry Division, 40th Signal Company of the United States Army. He was stationed mainly in Korea, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal. Born on April 30, 1930, he resided in New York City before making his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades, and has been employed as a salesman since his separation from the service.



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JOSEPH P. MILILLO



ROBERT K. MIKULEWICH



SAMUEL E. MIRANDA



ROBERT P. MILLER

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JOSEPH A. MODDERNO, Corporal

A 1950 graduate of Bay Shore High School, and a longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Modderno was born on July 28, 1932. He attended St. Lawrence University, Suffolk County Community College, New York State Vocational School, and New York Institute of Technology, and is employed as a teacher. He served from December of 1952 until December of 1954 with the 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly at Camp Breckenridge, Kentucky, and at Fort Meade, Maryland. (Photograph unavailable.)

ANTHONY J. MOKRZYCKI, Corporal

Born on June 26, 1935, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Mokrzycki settled in Holbrook where he has resided since 1970. He served with the 2nd Battalion, 2nd Marines, MCI Detachment of the United States Marine Corps from January of 1954 until January of 1957, and was stationed chiefly in Washington, D.C., and in North Carolina. He was graduated in 1954 from Straubennmuller Textile High School, and was employed as a Senior License Examiner of the Waterfront Commission of New York Harbor after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

GUSTAV A. MOLDESTAD, Lieutenant Colonel

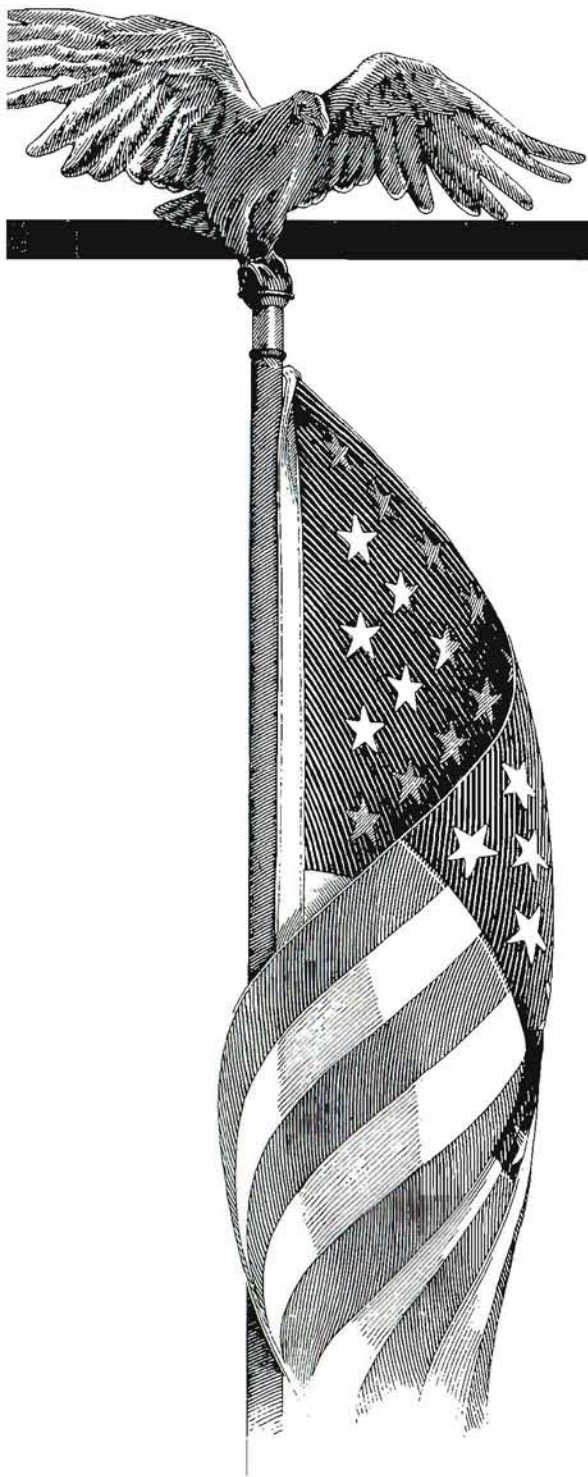
A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Moldestad was born on October 30, 1928, and was graduated from Babylon High School in 1946, and from the University of Dubuque, Iowa, in 1953. He served primarily at Itazuke Air Force Base, Japan, and in Korea, from March of 1953 until October of 1957 with the 36th Fighter Bomber Squadron of the United States Air Force. He continued to serve in the Reserves from 1958 until 1982. After his discharge from active service he was employed as a Sales Representative for Parke-Davis Company.

THOMAS F. MONGAN, Staff Sergeant

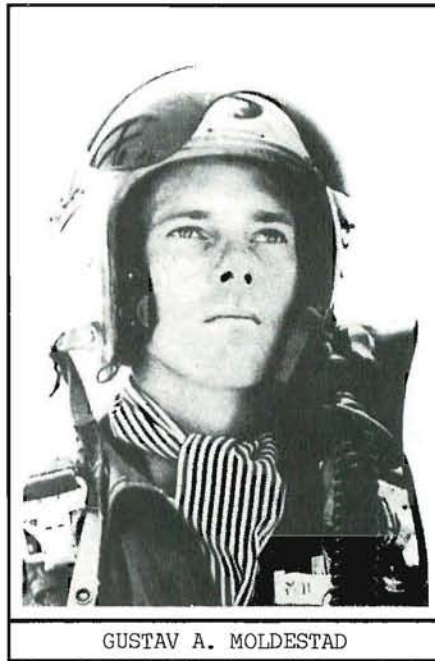
Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Mongan was born on January 11, 1930. He served with the 10th Tactical Reconnaissance Squadron of the United States Air Force from January of 1951 until December of 1954, was stationed in Georgia, France and in Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He was graduated from John Jay High School, Brooklyn, in 1948, and after the service was employed with the Suffolk County Police Department. (Photograph unavailable.)

ROBERT MONTEFUSCO, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Franklin Square, New York, and presently residing in Hauppauge, Mr. Montefusco was born on December 20, 1935. He served principally in Moan Son Ne, Korea, from July of 1954 until July of 1957 with the 6th Tank Battalion, 24th Division of the United States Army. He received the Good Conduct Medal while in the service. He was graduated from New York School of Printing in 1954, and following his discharge was employed as an electrician.



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ROBERT MONTEFUSCO



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## HUBERT A. MONTES, Petty Officer

Born on April 4, 1934, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Montes settled in Brentwood where he now resides. He was graduated from the United States Air Force I. High School in 1952 where he received his High School Equivalency Diploma. He served aboard the U.S.S. Yellowstone, AD-27, of the United States Navy from 1951 until 1955, was stationed in Newport, Rhode Island, and is merited with the American Defense Service Medal and the Korean Service Medal. After his discharge from the service he was employed with the United States Postal Service and in construction. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN "JACK" T. MOONEY, Private 1st Class

Private Mooney served from October of 1954 until October of 1956 with L Company, 22nd Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Germany. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Expert Infantryman's Badge. He was born on November 26, 1933, and is formerly of Brooklyn, New York. He attended LaSalle Military Academy for two years and was graduated from Brooklyn High School of Automotive Trades in 1951. He has been employed in security since the service and presently resides in Holbrook.

## JOHN P. MORAN, Corporal

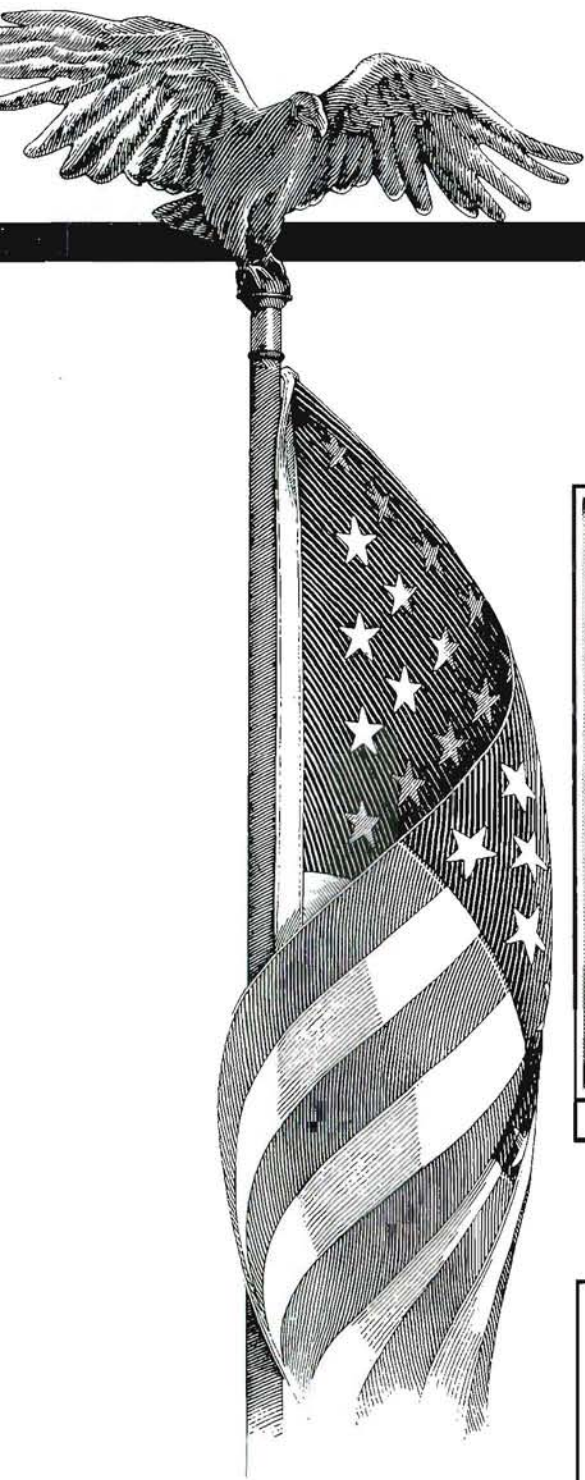
Corporal Moran served with the 21st Destroyer Division of the United States Navy from February of 1954 until February of 1956, and was stationed principally in the Caribbean and North Atlantic Seas. He was born on September 29, 1928, and presently resides in Bayport. Formerly of the Bronx, New York, he was graduated from Cardinal L. Hayes High School, Bronx, in 1947, from SUNY, Maritime College, Bronx, in 1953. After the service he was employed as an engineering/account manager.

## LEO J. MORAN, Corporal

Formerly of Sayville, and presently residing in Oakdale, Mr. Moran was born on September 27, 1930, and was graduated from Seton Hall High School, Patchogue, New York, in 1948. He served from September of 1951 until July of 1953 with the 7th Division, B Company, and with H Company, 1st Battalion, 17th Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in central Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. Following his discharge he was employed as a clerk, and then as Postmaster of the United States Postal Service in Oakdale.

## WEBB N. MORRISON, Commander

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Morrison was born on June 12, 1926, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1942, from the United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, in 1946, and from Ursinus College in 1948. He served aboard the U.S.S. Caperton, DD-650, of the United States Navy from December of 1951 until December of 1953. He earned the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. He was employed in market research after the service.



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JOHN "JACK" T. MOONEY



JOHN P. MORAN



LEO J. MORAN



WEBB N. MORRISON

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## GERALD MORSE, Corporal

Corporal Morse served from December of 1952 until December of 1954 with the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. He was born on July 14, 1930, is formerly of Hollis, New York, and presently resides in Oakdale. He was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1948, from Queens Community College in 1952, and after the service was employed as an insurance executive, and then as a teacher.

## THOMAS C. MOSES, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on October 4, 1931, and formerly of Palmer, Illinois, Mr. Moses made his home in Central Islip where he has resided since 1959. He served from February of 1949 until February of 1953 with the United States Navy, and was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Wasp, CVA-18, and aboard the U.S.S. Greenwich, AVP-41. He was graduated from Taylorville High School in 1949, and from Suffolk County Community College in 1967. He was employed as a tool maker after the service, and is currently employed as a Letter Carrier for the United States Postal Service.

## CHARLES F. MOTZER, Specialist 3rd Class

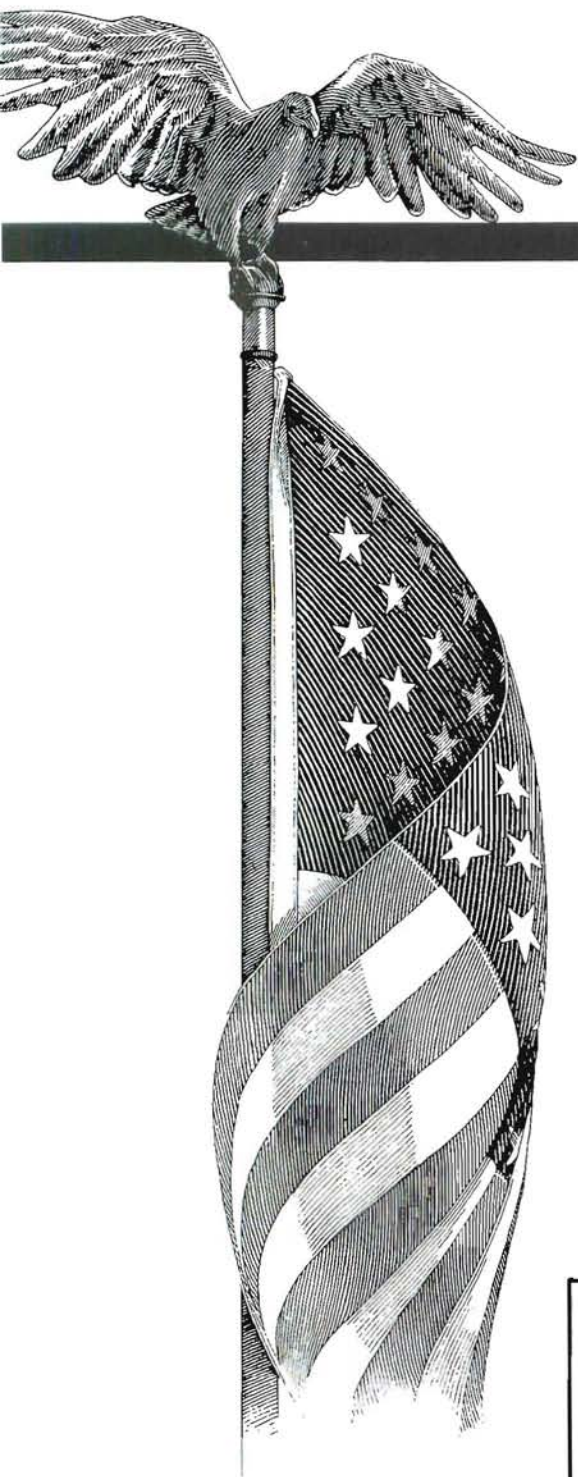
Specialist Motzer served with the Service Battery, 3rd Armored Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army from June of 1954 until June of 1957, and was stationed chiefly in the United States and in Germany. Born on May 2, 1937, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in Bay Shore where he now resides. He attended Grover Cleveland High School, and after the service was employed as a Diemaker for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## EDWARD R. MOUCHA, Corporal

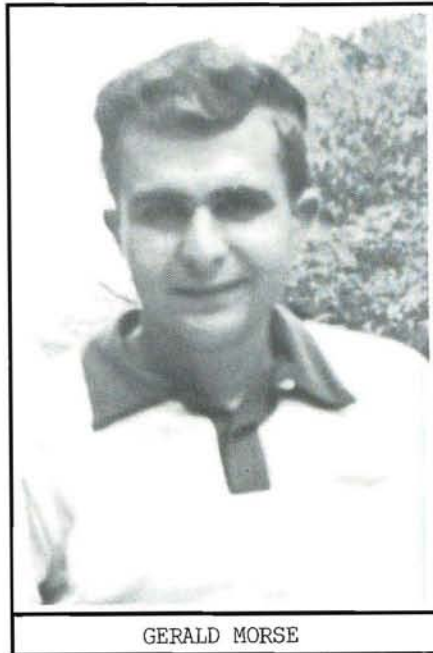
Originally from New York City, and presently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Moucha was born on February 28, 1933, and was graduated from Seward Park High School in 1950. He served from April of 1953 until April of 1955 with I Company, 148th Regiment, 37th Division, and with I Company, 85th Infantry Regiment, 10th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed for one year in Louisiana, and for one year in Kansas. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, and following his discharge was employed with the New York City Fire Department until he retired.

## FILLMORE MOUZON, Corporal

Formerly of Manhattan, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Mouzon was born on October 15, 1932. He was graduated from Stuyvesant High School in 1951, received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1958 from New York City College, and his Master of Arts in 1962, also from New York City College. He served with the 31st Infantry Division, M Company, 3rd Battalion, 5th Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Japan, Korea, and in New York, from August of 1952 until August of 1954. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. He is currently employed as a teacher. (Photograph unavailable.)



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GERALD MORSE



THOMAS C. MOSES



EDWARD R. MOUCHA

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## RAYMOND MULESKY, Seaman/Gunners Mate

Born on February 2, 1933, and originally from Wyandanch, New York, Mr. Mulesky settled in West Islip where he presently resides. He attended Central Islip High School and following the service was employed by Fairchild Stratots. He served from 1951 until 1955 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Missouri, and earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the China Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal.

## EDWARD V. MULLANEY, Pilot Navigator 2nd Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Mullaney was born on October 6, 1928, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School, and from C.W. Post College. He served with the United States Naval Air Station from September of 1947 until September of 1951, and was stationed in Anacostia, Virginia, and Bupers, Washington, D.C. He received an Honorable Discharge from the service and became employed in sales. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CHARLES J. MULLER, Private

Private Muller served from 1953 until 1954 with the 1st Army of the United States Army, was stationed principally at Fort Sam, Houston, Texas, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. Born on March 23, 1933, and formerly of East Rockaway, New York, he made his home in Islip Terrace where he now resides. He was graduated from East Rockaway High School in 1952, and became employed in sales after the service.

## JOHN A. MULLIGAN, Fire Control Technician 3rd Class

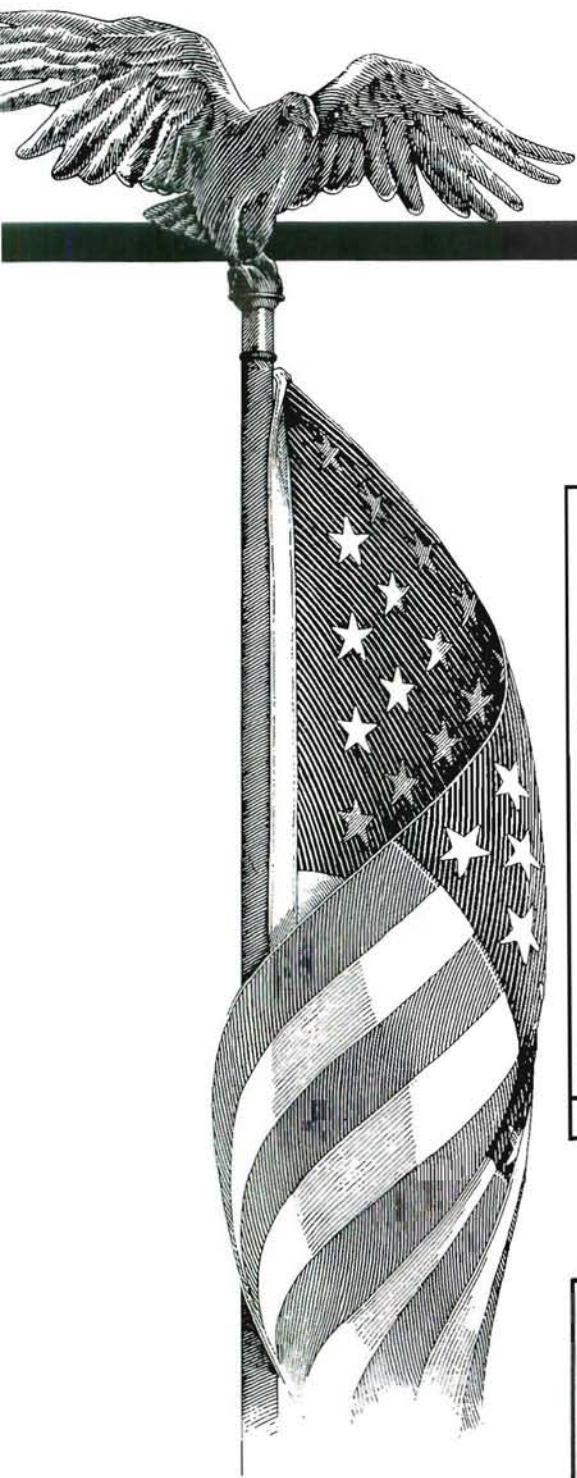
A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Mulligan was born on January 12, 1931, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1948, and from Thiel College, Greenville, Pennsylvania, in 1957. He served aboard the U.S.S. Hank, DD-702, of the United States Navy from December of 1948 until December of 1952, and was stationed along the coastline of Korea. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Korean, and United Nations Service Medals, and has been employed as a teacher.

## JOSEPH P. MULLINS, Aviation Structural Mechanic 1st Class

Born on May 16, 1930, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Mullins is formerly of the Bronx, New York, where he was graduated from Christopher Columbus High School in 1947. He received his Bachelor of Science degree in Education, and his Master of Arts degree in Communication from New York Institute of Technology in 1973 and 1980, respectively. He served with the 8th and 13th Carrier Air Group, and the Helicopter Squadron #2 of the United States Navy with the Atlantic Fleet, from May of 1947 until March of 1953, and was stationed principally in the Middle East. He was employed as a teacher of aviation trades following his separation from the Navy. (Photograph unavailable.)

## AKBAR S. MU'MIN, Private 1st Class

A 1951 graduate of Samuel Gompers High School, Bronx, New York, Mr. Mu'Min was born on April 22, 1932, and resided in the Bronx before making his home in Central Islip. He served from December of 1952 until November of 1954 with the 508th Signal Corp of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Trieste, Italy. He is currently employed as a painter.



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RAYMOND MULESKY



CHARLES J. MULLER



JOHN A. MULLIGAN



AKBAR S. MU'MIN

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## WALTER K. MUNKELWITZ, Private

Formerly of Sayville, and presently residing in Holbrook, Mr. Munkelwitz was born on January 21, 1933. He was graduated in 1950 from Sayville High School, and from the Signal School, Microwave Technician Course, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, in 1953. He served with the 7775th Signal Service Unit of the United States Army from February of 1953 until August of 1954, and was stationed at Fort Gordon, Georgia, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, and in France. Prior to the service he was employed as the Assistant Manager for Playhouse in Sayville. After his discharge he became an electrical engineering technician, and is currently employed with New York Telephone Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DANIEL R. MURPHY, Corporal

Corporal Murphy served from December of 1950 until November of 1952 with the 315th Chemical Warfare Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Alabama, Missouri, and in Florida, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. Born on March 10, 1929, formerly of the Bronx, New York, he now resides in Brightwaters. He was graduated from Cardinal Hayes High School, and is currently employed as a banker.

## GEORGE D. MURPHY, Airman 1st Class

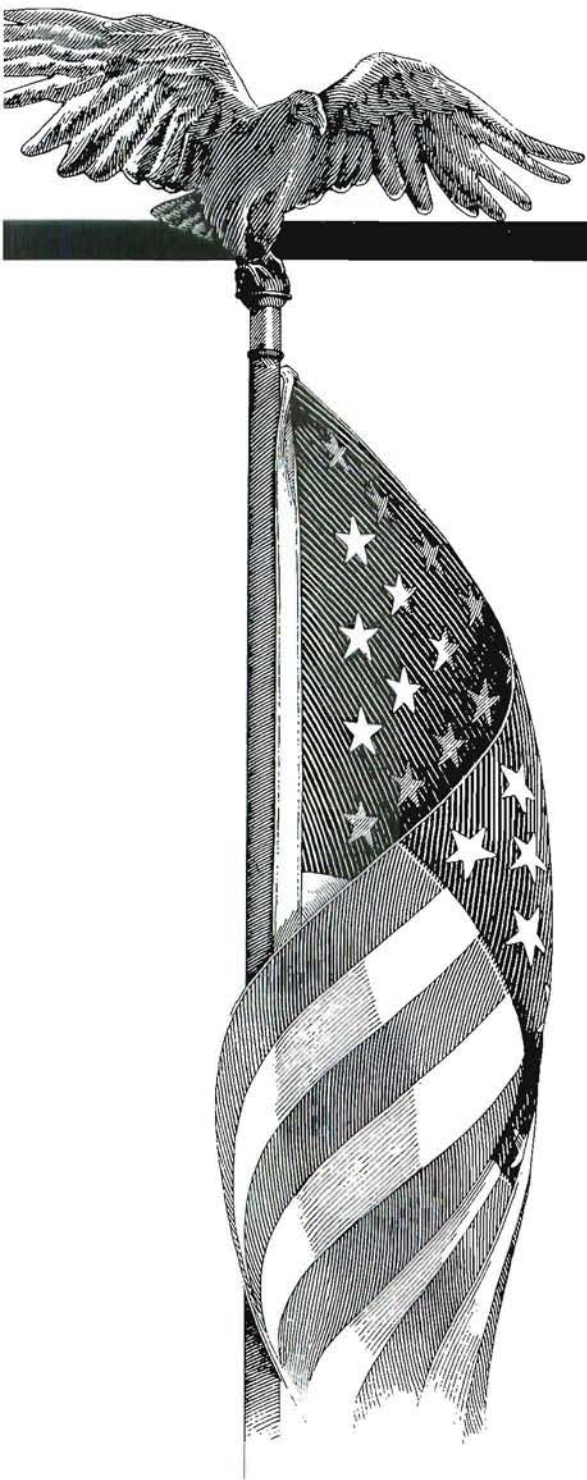
Born on July 18, 1932, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Murphy made his home in Central Islip where he presently resides. He attended Boys High School, Brooklyn, and served from July of 1951 until July of 1955 with the Headquarters Squadron, 3700th Hospital of the United States Air Force where his principal locations of duty were in Europe, Africa, as well as in the United States. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal, and following the service was employed as a Police Officer for the New York City Housing Authority. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS P. MURRAY, Airman 1st Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Murray was born on January 3, 1932, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1950. He served from November of 1950 until November of 1953 with the 5th Air Force of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Korea. He earned the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and two Citations as well.

## WASYL MYKOLYSZYN, Airman 2nd Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from Food Trades High School, Mr. Mykolyszyn was born on October 19, 1934, and made his home in West Islip where he has resided since 1964. He served from November of 1952 until November of 1956 with the 86th Fighter Interceptor Wing, and was stationed in Germany and at Cambria Air Force Base, California. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal, and has been employed as a chemical operator since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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DANIEL R. MURPHY



THOMAS P. MURRAY



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## THEODORE P. NAGENGAST, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist Nagengast served with the United States Army with the Signal Corps School, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, from January of 1954 until January of 1956, and earned the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. He was born on August 16, 1930, and resided in Amityville before settling in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1948 from Amityville High School, received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in 1952 from Long Island University, a Master of Science Degree in 1953 from Hofstra University, and in 1974 received a Master of Science Degree from C.W. Post College. Following military service, he was employed as an electrical construction foreman, and then as a teacher and coach for the West Islip Public School District. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH A. NAPOLITANO, Airman 1st Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Napolitano was born on September 23, 1933, and attended East New York Vocational High School. He served from January of 1951 until December of 1954 with the 11th Air Tactical Command of the United States Air Force, and was stationed primarily at Rhein-Main Air Force Base, Frankfurt, Germany. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the Air Crew Member Badge. He has been employed as a Letter Carrier for the United States Postal Service since his discharge from the Air Force.

## WILLIAM L. NARDONE, JR., Signaller/Boatswain Mate 3rd Class

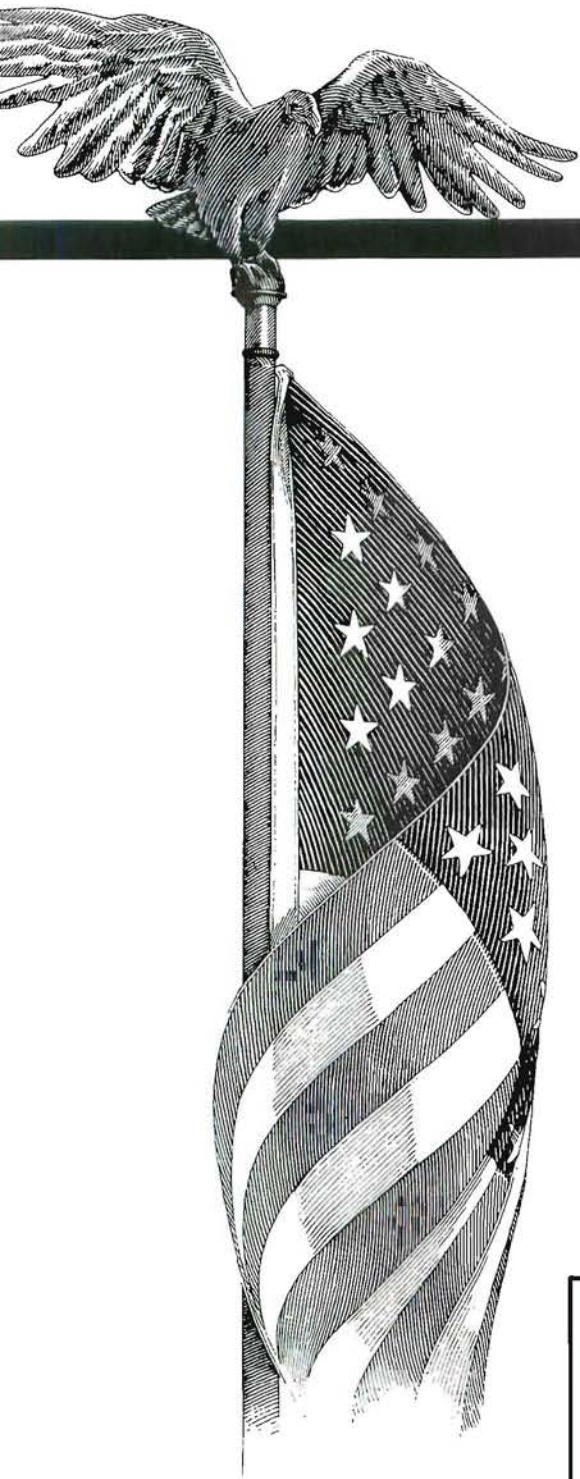
A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Nardone was born on February 10, 1932, and attended Bay Shore High School. He served aboard the U.S.S. Rizzi, DE-537, of the United States Navy from January of 1951 until October of 1954, was stationed principally in the Atlantic Ocean, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. After the service he was employed in construction. (Photograph unavailable.)

## LAWRENCE NATALIE, Private 1st Class

Born on September 17, 1934, and formerly of Wyandanch, New York, Mr. Natalie made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He served mainly in Korea from January of 1955 until December of 1956 with S Company, 34th Infantry Regiment, 24th Division of the United States Army. Following his discharge he was employed as a mechanic and in auto body repair.

## MARTIN N. NAY, Captain

A World War II veteran as well, Captain Nay served in Korea from December of 1950 until April of 1953 with the 7th Fighter Squadron, 49th Fighter Bomb Group of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Europe and in Korea. He completed more than 100 combat missions in F-80 jets, and is merited with the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal with eight Oak Leaf Clusters, a Purple Heart, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Korean Theatre Ribbon with four Battle Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Korean Presidential Unit Citation. Born on June 12, 1921, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in East Islip where he has resided since 1961. He was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1940, and after the service was employed as an Inspector with Republic Aviation. He is currently employed as a senior methods engineer.



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JOSEPH A. NAPOLITANO



LAWRENCE NATALIE



MARTIN N. NAY

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## FRANK T. NELSON, Corporal

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Nelson was born on January 20, 1931, and presently resides in Brentwood. He was graduated in 1949 from Alexander Hamilton High School, Brooklyn. He served with the FMF, F Company, 2nd Battalion, 5th Marine Regiment, 1st Division of the United States Marine Corps, chiefly in Korea, from November of 1951 until October of 1953, and earned the Korean Service Medal and two Battle Stars. He was employed with H.C. Bohack Company after his discharge.

## SPENCER "BUD" NEWINS, JR., Aviation Electrician Mate 3rd Class

Mr. Newins was born on June 22, 1930, is a longtime resident of Islip, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1948. He served with the United States Navy mainly at Pensacola, Florida, and in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, from January of 1951 until October of 1954. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and was employed as a boatyard manager after his separation from the service.

## HOWARD W. NEWMARK, Senior Master Sergeant

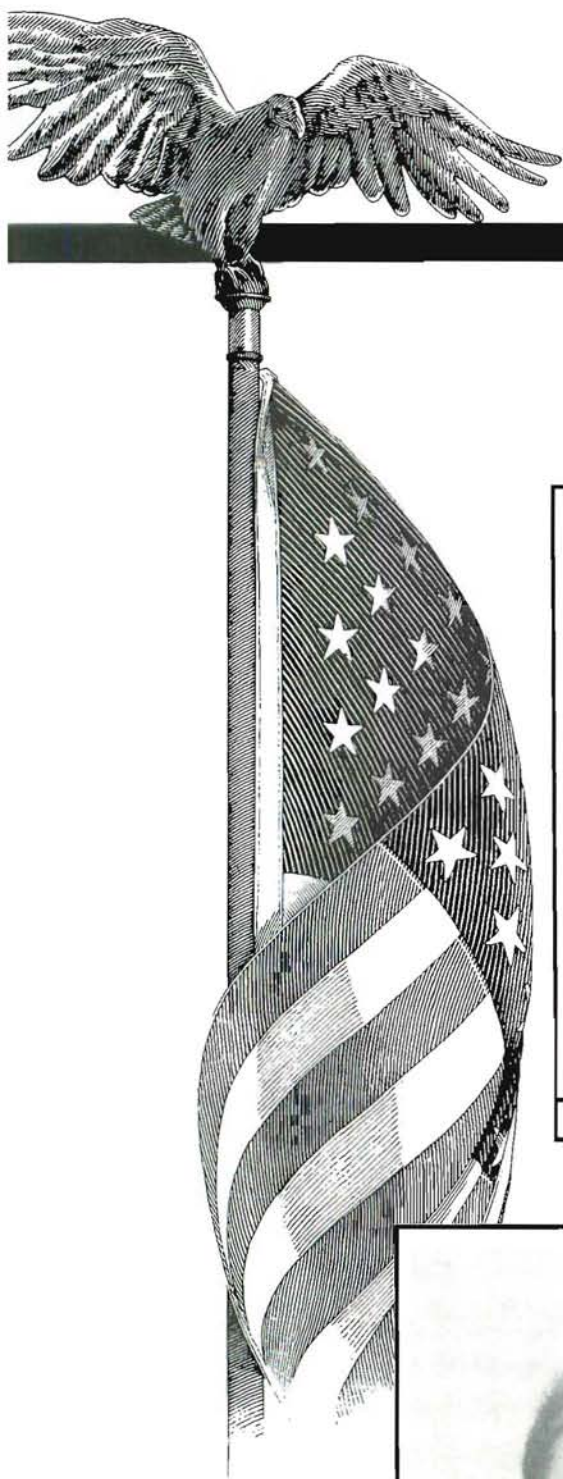
Formerly of Queens, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Newmark was born on December 14, 1928. He served primarily in Metz, France, and at Lockbourne Air Force Base, Ohio, from December of 1951 until December of 1955 with the 73rd Air Depot Wing, 801st Air Division of the United States Air Force. He is merited with the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, the Air Force Reserve Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, and the National Defense Service Medal. Following his discharge he was employed as a receiving supervisor. He is currently a Senior Master Sergeant in the New York Air National Guard, and has just celebrated his 34th year of continuous service.

## ROBERT J. NICOLETTE, Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Nicolette served from January of 1951 until January of 1954 with the 11th Airborne Division and with D Company, 17th Regiment of the 7th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, and at Fort Polk, Louisiana. He earned the Senior Parachute Badge, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, he was born on March 14, 1932, and was graduated from Erasmus Hall High School in 1949. He also attended Brooklyn College for one year, and after his discharge was employed as an assistant traffic manager and as an air traffic controller, and is currently employed as a service manager.

## JAMES NIEVES, Airman 1st Class

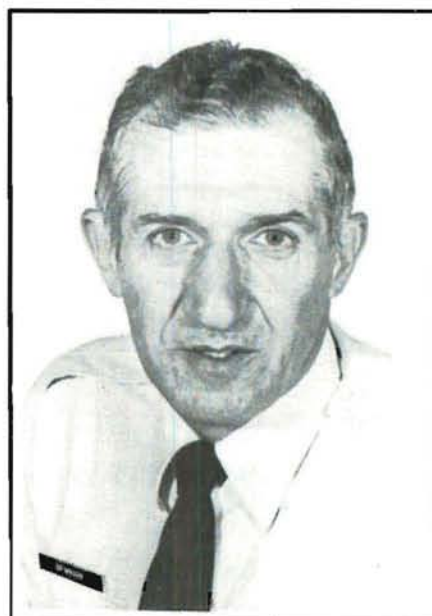
Born on September 12, 1929, Mr. Nieves resided in New York City before settling in Brentwood where he now resides. He was graduated from Murray Hill High School in 1949, from Columbia University in 1965, from Queens County Community College in 1968, in 1969 from C.W. Post College, and is currently on the faculty of the Cardio-Pulmonary Program at SUNY, Stony Brook. He served from May of 1951 until June of 1952 with the 717th Strategic Reconnaissance Squadron, and the 28th Strategic Reconnaissance Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Rapid City Air Force Base, South Dakota. He is currently an administrative coordinator of respiratory care.



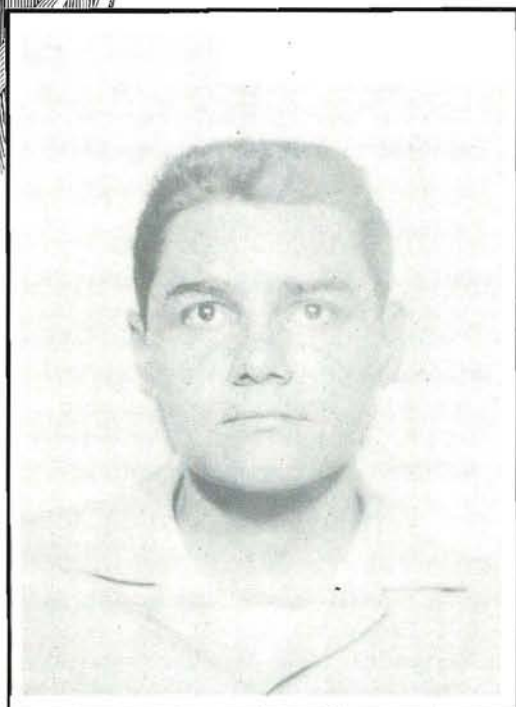
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## STANLEY R. NIKODEM, Specialist 3rd Class

An Islip Terrace resident since 1962, Mr. Nikodem was born on January 26, 1931, and is formerly of Brooklyn, New York. He was graduated in 1948 from St. John Kanty Prep School, Erie, Pennsylvania, attended Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute from 1948 until 1950. From 1950 until 1953, he attended the SUNY at Oswego, Teachers College, and also attended Queens Community College in 1956 and 1957. He served with H&S Company, 317th Engineer Battalion of the United States Army from October of 1953 until October of 1955, and was stationed principally in Hoechst, Germany. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the National Defense Service Medal, and is currently employed as a teacher.

## ROLPH A. NOACK, Sergeant

Sergeant Noack served from August of 1948 until June of 1952 with the 29th AAA AW Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Japan, and received an Honorable Discharge. He was born on March 24, 1930, and resided in Elmhurst, New York, before making his home in Islip where he presently resides. In 1948 he was graduated from Newtown High School, from Manhattan Community College in 1974, from Dowling College in 1979, and is employed as a teacher.

## ROBERT F. NOREN, Corporal

Born on July 18, 1932, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Noren settled in Brentwood where he presently resides. He served from September of 1951 until September of 1954 with H Company, 8th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division, 780th Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army and was stationed mainly at the Punch Bowl and at Heart Break Ridge in Korea. He attended Manhattan High School of Aeronautical Technicians, and the Manual Training High School, Brooklyn. While in the service he earned the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a sheet metal mechanic.

## CAESAR NORIEGA, Ship Serviceman 3rd Class

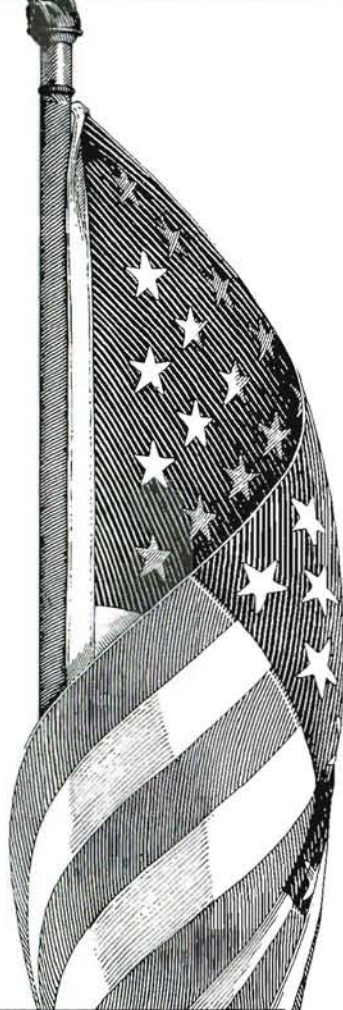
Born on July 19, 1934, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Noriega settled in Brentwood where he now resides. He served from June of 1953 until June of 1957 aboard the U.S.S. Iowa, BB-61, of the United States Navy, was stationed principally at Norfolk, Virginia, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and received an Honorable Discharge as well. He was graduated from Central Needle Trades High School, Manhattan, New York, in 1953, and following the service was employed as a teletype operator and is currently employed as a computer operator.

## ANDREW NORTON, Sergeant

Sergeant Norton served with the 5th Battalion, C Company, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from May of 1951 until May of 1954, was stationed primarily at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and earned the Good Conduct Medal, and various campaign medals. He was born on January 29, 1929, and resided in Massapequa Park, New York, before settling in East Islip. He attended Amityville High School, and obtained his High School Equivalency Diploma while in the service. After his discharge he was employed as a New York City Police Officer for 22 years.



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CAESAR NORIEGA



ANDREW NORTON

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## DAVID R. NOTTER, Private 1st Class

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Notter was born on April 19, 1928, and was graduated from Babylon High School in 1946. He served chiefly in Stuttgart and Boblingen, Germany, from November of 1950 until November of 1952 with H Company, 7th Army, 30th Army Postal Unit of the United States Army. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. After the service he was employed with the United States Postal Service in Babylon. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT E. NUCCI, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Formerly of Corona, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Nucci was born on February 20, 1932, attended Newtown High School and received his High School Equivalency Diploma while in the service. He served from May of 1951 until May of 1955 aboard the U.S.S. Lloyd, of the United States Navy, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. After the service he was employed as a salesman.

## CAESAR NUGNES, Private

Presently residing in Islip Terrace and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Nugnes was born on November 11, 1931. He attended East New York Vocational High School, Brooklyn, and served with the 1st Marine Division, 2nd Operation of the United States Marine Corps from March of 1949 until March of 1951, and was stationed in the United States. After the service he was employed as an electrical wireman on aircrafts. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE O'BRIEN, Commander

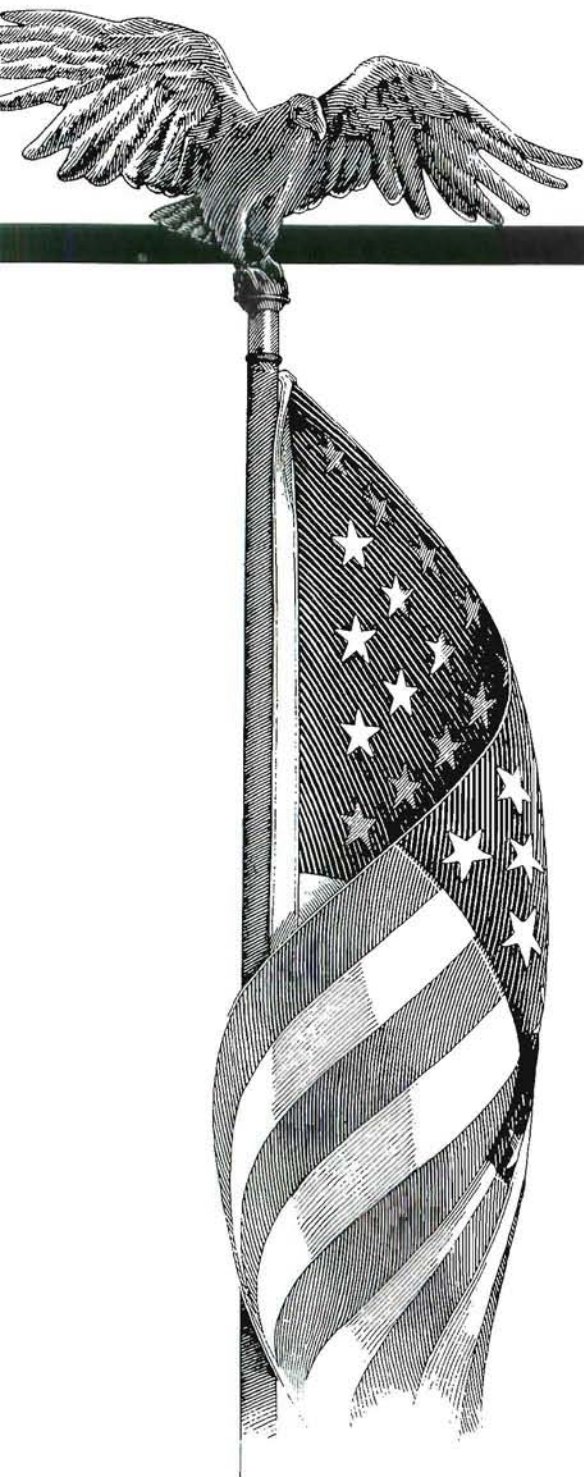
Originally from New York City, and presently residing in East Islip, Mr. O'Brien has been employed as an inventor since his discharge from the service. He served with the United States Army from June of 1952 until January of 1954 and was stationed principally in the Pacific Ocean. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH A. OCCHIPINTI, Airman 1st Class

Airman Occhipinti served from October of 1951 until October of 1955 with the 3514th Field Maintenance Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Randolph Air Force Base, Texas, at Chante Field, Illinois, and at Tyndall Field, Florida. Born on July 20, 1931, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Hauppauge where he presently resides. He was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1949, and attended New York City College. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal, and is currently employed as a project coordinator. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DANIEL J. O'CONNELL, Corporal

Born on May 18, 1927, and originally from New York City, Mr. O'Connell settled in Bay Shore where he now resides. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Fordham University in 1974 and his Master of Science from C.W. Post College in 1977. He served primarily in Germany from September of 1950 until September of 1952 with the 10th Transportation, Highway Transport Group of the United States Army, and earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. Following the service, he was employed as a New York City Police Officer, and as a teacher. (Photograph unavailable.)



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ROBERT E. NUCCI



CAESAR NUGNES



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## MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR, Corporal

Corporal O'Connor served from February of 1952 until January of 1954 with the 899th AAA, AW, and SP, and with the 28th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. Born on December 20, 1931, and formerly of New York City, he made his home in Brightwaters where he has resided since 1966. He received his Associate's Degree in 1972 from John Jay College, his Bachelor of Science degree in 1973, also from John Jay College, and his Master of Science degree in 1975 from C.W. Post College. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Overseas Ribbon while in the service and is a retired detective from the New York City Police Department.

## ROBERT ODSER, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Odsen was born on June 29, 1928, and was graduated from Brooklyn High School of Special Trades in 1946. He served from January of 1952 until December of 1953 with C Company, 70th Engineer Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Salzburg, Austria. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the National Defense Service Medal, and is a semi-retired New York City Transit Bus Operator.

## WILLIAM OELKERS, Corporal

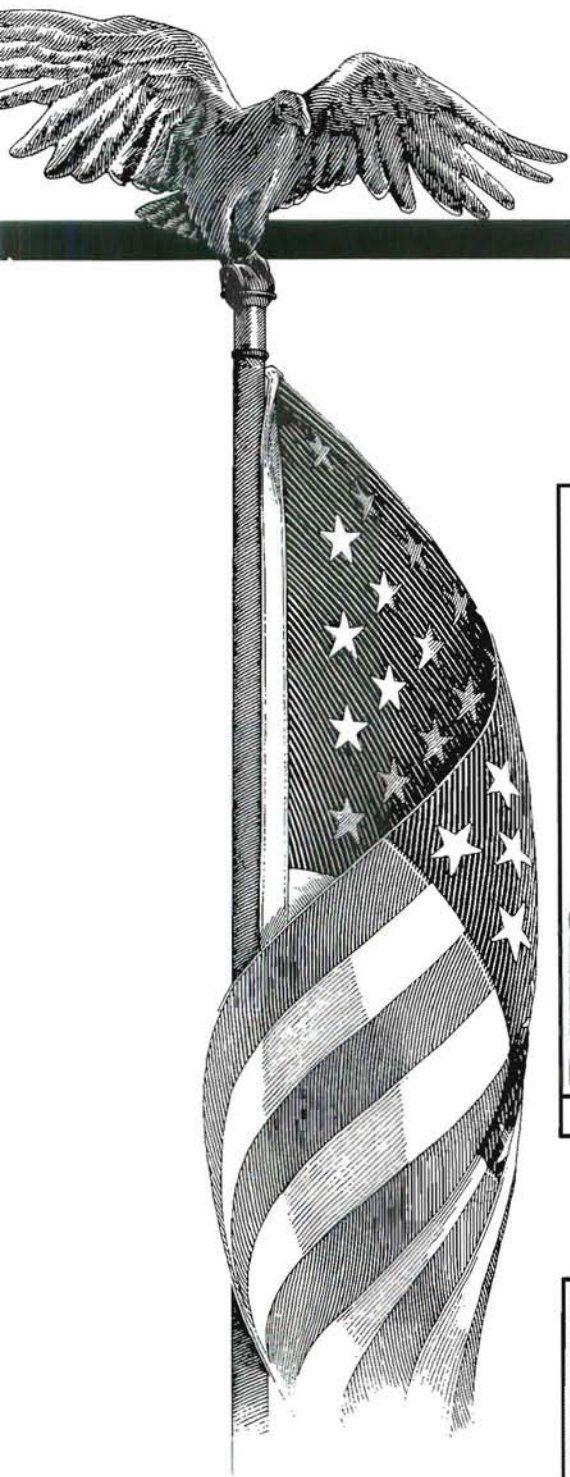
Corporal Oelkers served with H Company, 180th Infantry Regiment, 45th Infantry Division, Heavy Mortar Company, 65th Infantry Regiment, and with the 3rd Infantry Division of the United States Army from November of 1952 until October of 1954, and was stationed principally in eastern and central Korea. He was born on May 3, 1932, and is a longtime resident of Sayville. He was graduated in 1950 from Sayville High School, and while in the service earned the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Korean, the National Defense, and the United Nations Service Medals. After his discharge he was employed as a carpenter.

## NORMAN F. OGILVIE, Staff Sergeant

Formerly of Wantagh, New York, Mr. Ogilvie was born on August 29, 1927, and presently resides in East Islip. He was graduated from Mepham High School in 1945, and from Adelphi College in 1957. He served in the United States Army with F Company, 187th Airborne Regimental Combat Team from July of 1949 until September of 1952, and was stationed at West Point, New York, at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, and in Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge and the Senior Parachute Badge. After the service he was employed as a software engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DANIEL J. O'KEEFE, Private 1st Class

A 1951 graduate of St. Francis Prep High School, Brooklyn, Mr. O'Keefe was born on July 8, 1932, and resided in Brooklyn before making his home in Islip. He served from December of 1952 until December of 1954 with S Battalion, 15th FA Battalion, 2nd Infantry Division of the United States Army. He earned the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. After his separation from the Army he was employed in insurance.



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ROBERT ODSEN



MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR



DANIEL J. O'KEEFE



WILLIAM OELKERS

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## GEORGE OLDENBUTTEL, Private 1st Class

Private Oldenbuttel served with B Battery, 104th AAA Battalion, and the 443rd AAA Battalion of the United States Army from May of 1953 until April of 1955, and was stationed at Camp Atterbury, Indiana, and Weisbaden, Germany. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Born on March 14, 1933, and formerly of Hamilton Beach, New York, he settled in Brentwood where he presently resides. He attended Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School, and finished in 1954 while in the service and stationed in Germany. Following his discharge he was employed as a civil service employee.

## JOHN O'LEARY, Sergeant

Born on May 13, 1933, and formerly of East Meadow, New York, Mr. O'Leary made his home in Islip Terrace. He served mainly in Korea from March of 1953 until January of 1955 with the 44th Ordnance Company of the United States Army. While in the service he earned the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. Following the service he was employed as a foreman.

## DELANO G. OLSON, Gunners Mate 3rd Clas

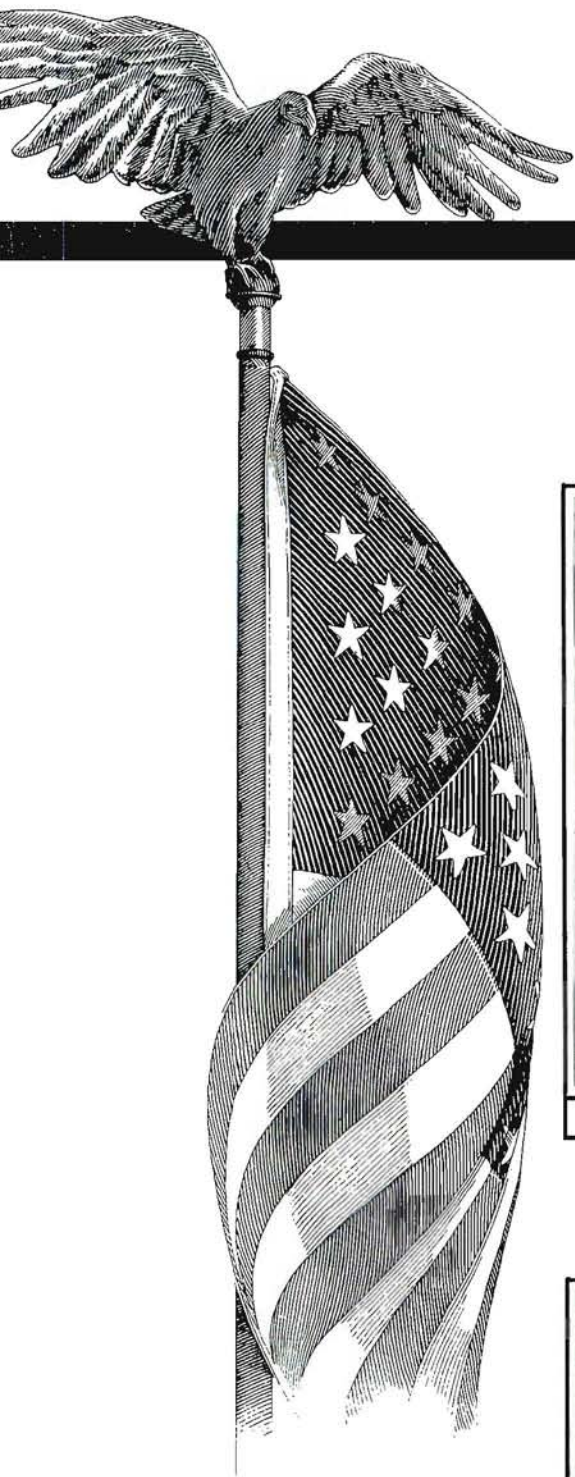
Presently residing in Bay Shore, and formerly of Minneapolis, Minnesota, Mr. Olson was born on May 31, 1933, and was graduated from Edison High School, Minnesota. He served aboard the U.S.S. Moseplia, ATF-158, of the United States Navy from September of 1951 until September of 1955, and was stationed chiefly in the home port at Norfolk, Virginia. Following his discharge he was employed as a women's shoe salesman, and in management of auto service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE F. O'NEILL, Storekeeper 2nd Class

Storekeeper O'Neill served aboard the U.S.S. Williamsburg, the presidential yacht under President Harry S Truman. He also served aboard the U.S.S. Menalus of the United States Navy primarily in Washington, D.C., and in the Mediterranean Sea from May of 1951 until May of 1955. He is merited with the European Theatre Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Korean Service Medal. Born on March 11, 1931, and formerly of Islip, he made his home in East Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from Islip High School in 1948, from Hofstra University in 1958 and from New York University in 1961.

## STANLEY J. ORENKEWICZ, Corporal

A longtime resident of Bayport, Mr. Orenkewicz was born on July 15, 1929, and was graduated from Bayport High School in 1948. He also attended Suffolk County Community College and Dowling College, and is employed with the United States Postal Service. He served from February of 1951 until November of 1952 with the 2nd Battalion, 17th Infantry Regiment, 7th Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Camp Rucker, Alabama, at Camp Kilmer, and in Korea as well. He received the Combat Infantry Badge, the Bronze Star Medal, and various campaign ribbons as well.



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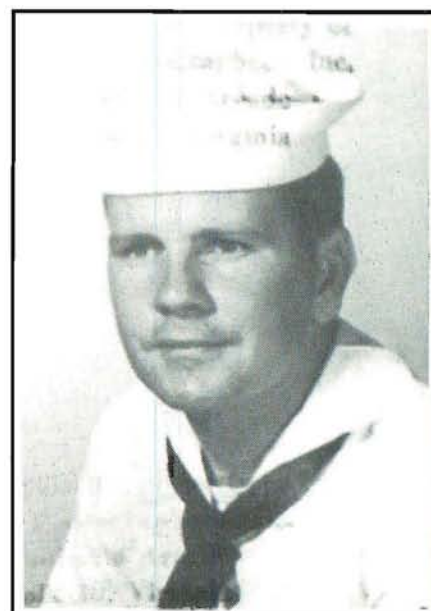
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## JAMES V. ORESTO, Private 1st Class

Private Oresto served from 1948 until 1954 with the 19th Infantry, 24th Division, C Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Japan and Korea, where he was a prisoner of war for 37 months, and received the United Nations Service Medal, the Sharpshooter Badge, and a Prisoner of War Medal. Born on April 18, 1928, he resided in New York City before settling in Holbrook in 1969. He was graduated from Seward Park High School, and in 1956 from Delahanty Technical School. He was employed with the United States Post Office and in electronics. He passed away on February 14, 1981.

## JAMES S. O'ROURKE, Corporal

Originally from Baldwin, New York, and presently residing in Holbrook, Mr. O'Rourke was born on February 8, 1930. He was graduated in 1948 from Baldwin High School, attended Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, and attended New York Law School from 1954 until 1957. He served with the 841st Engineer Aviation Battalion of the United States Army and the Special Category Army with the Air Force, from October of 1952 until July of 1954, and was stationed chiefly in Chonju, Korea. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as an operating engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAIME ORTIZ, Corporal

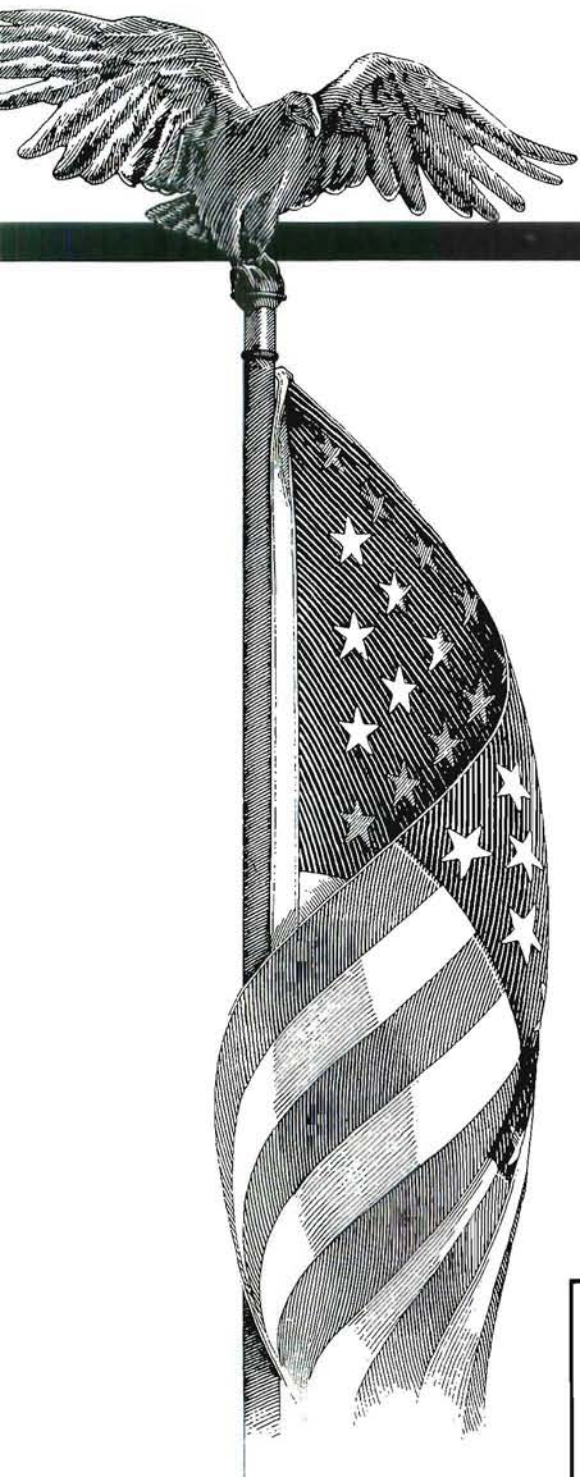
Corporal Ortiz served from February of 1953 until December of 1954 with C Company, 3rd Division of the United States Army, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. Born on December 24, 1926, and formerly of New York City, he settled in Brentwood where he has resided since 1972. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RUBEN ORTIZ, Corporal

Born on May 30, 1930, and originally from Vega Baja, Puerto Rico, Mr. Ortiz made his home in Holbrook where he presently resides. He served with G Company, 65th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Division, and with F Company, 17th Infantry Regiment of the United States Army from October of 1951 until July of 1953, and was stationed in Puerto Rico as well as in Korea. While in the Army he earned the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. He was graduated from Vega Baja High School, Puerto Rico, and from Lincoln School of Radio and Television, New York City. Following his discharge he was employed as an electronic technician.

## DAVID O'SULSONA, Airman 2nd Class

A resident of Holbrook, and formerly of New York City, Mr. O'Sulsona was born on October 21, 1931. He was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades in 1950 and in 1975 from New York Institute of Technology. He served primarily in Japan and Korea from April of 1951 until April of 1955 with the 5th Air Force of the United States Air Force. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a police officer until he retired in 1980. (Photograph unavailable.)



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JAMES V. ORESTO



JAMES S. O'ROURKE



RUBEN ORTIZ



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## JOHN W. OWEN, Able Bodied Seaman 2nd Class

Formerly of Copiague, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Owen was born on January 23, 1933, and was graduated from Amityville High School in 1952. He served aboard the U.S.S. Bennington, and the U.S.S. Leyte of the United States Navy from June of 1952 until June of 1956, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. He was employed as an appliance repairman after the service.

## FRANZ H. W. PAEHR, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Paehr served from October of 1950 until October of 1954 with the 3759th Technical Training Squadron, and with the 3750th Technical Training Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, and received the Instructor of the Month Award. Born on July 27, 1928, and originally from Islip, he was graduated in 1946 from Islip High School, and attended the Academy of Aeronautics. He resides in East Islip and has been employed as an Inspector and as a Supervisor for Quality Control at Grumman Aerospace Corporation for the past 32 years.

## LOUIS PAGNONI, Seaman

Seaman Pagnoni served from February of 1948 until February of 1950, and then from July of 1951 until July of 1955 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Sigourney, DD-643, and was stationed at Norfolk, Virginia. Born on February 3, 1931, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in Sayville where he has resided since 1968. He was graduated from Midwood High School, and after his discharge was employed as a bayman. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well.

## FRANK R. PAGNOTTA, Airman 3rd Class

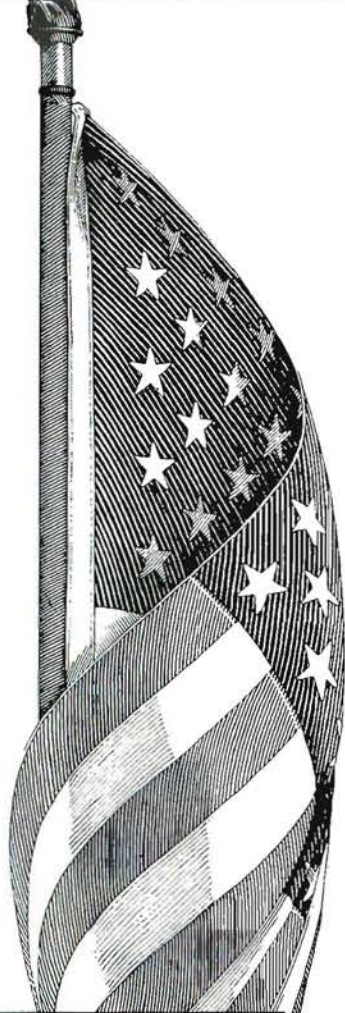
Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and born on January 1, 1931, Mr. Pagnotta settled in Bay Shore where he now resides. He served with the 3450th Infantry of the United States Air Force from October of 1952 until July of 1956, and was stationed at Maywell and Gunter Air Force Bases, Alabama, and at Francis E. Warren Air Force Base. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal, and was employed as a machinist after the service.

## GEORGE PALAMARA, Staff Sergeant

Born on July 24, 1922, and formerly of Jersey City, New Jersey, Mr. Palamara made his home in Bay Shore. He was graduated from Lincoln High School, Jersey City, in 1942, received his Bachelor of Science degree from New York University in 1951, and in 1976 he received his Master of Science degree from C.W. Post College. He served with the Military Police, H Company of the United States Marine Corps from February of 1951 until February of 1952, and was stationed primarily at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. He is employed as a teacher.



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JOHN W. OWEN



FRANZ H. W. PAEHR



LOUIS PAGNONI



FRANK R. PAGNOTTA



GEORGE PALAMARA





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## MICHAEL PALAZZOTTO, JR., Corporal

Corporal Palazzotto served from January of 1952 until January of 1954 with the 179th Regiment, 45th Infantry Division of the United States Army and was stationed in the Pukhan River and the Mundung Ni Valley, Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. Formerly of Jackson Heights, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, he was born on May 7, 1932. He was graduated from Newtown High School in 1951, and after the service was employed as a department manager in a retail store.

## JOSEPH PALLO, JR. (Rank Unknown)

Born on October 22, 1932, and formerly of Hawk Run, Pennsylvania, Mr. Pallo made his home in Bay Shore. He was graduated from Morris Township High School, Morrisdale, Pennsylvania, and served with the United States Navy from March of 1952 until March of 1956. He was stationed at the Pawtucent River, Maryland, and in Brunswick, Maine, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. Following his discharge he was employed as an airline marketing representative. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM E. PALMER, JR., Staff Sergeant

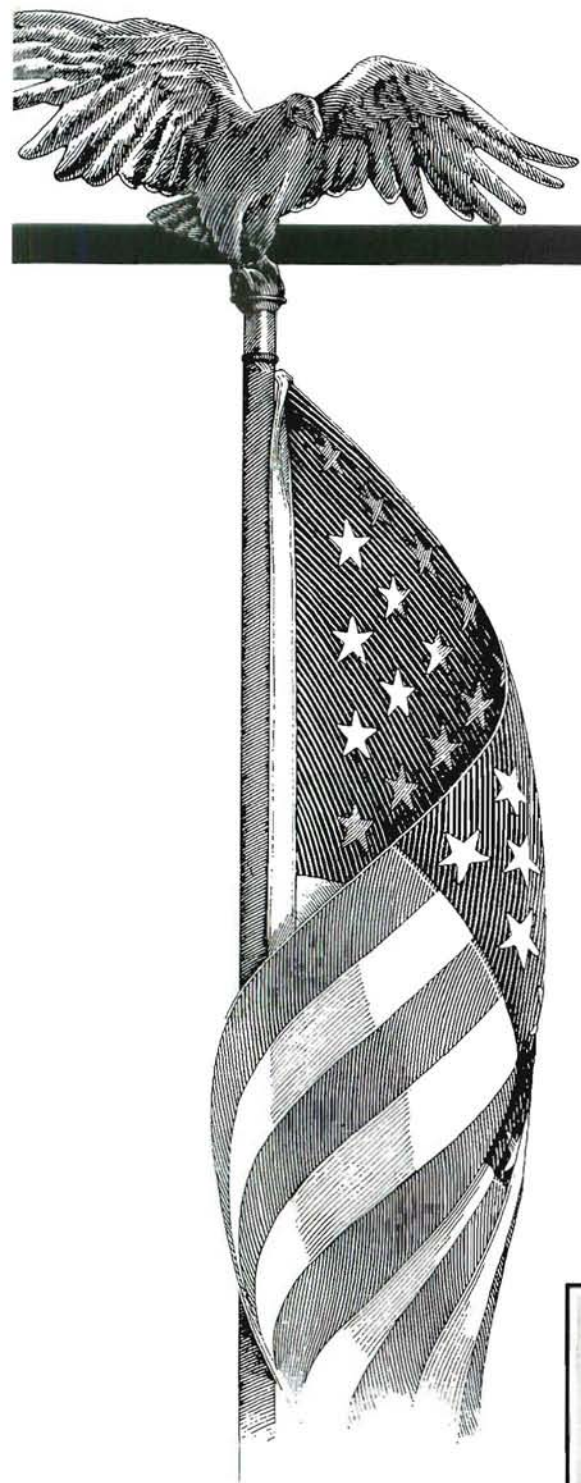
Originally from Lindenhurst, New York, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Palmer was born on January 9, 1931. He was graduated from Lindenhurst High School, Lindenhurst, in 1949, and from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1951. He served from July of 1951 until July of 1955 with the 1921st Airways and Air Communications Service Squadron, (AACS), of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Kessler Air Force Base and at Webb Air Force Base. Following the service he became employed as an air traffic controller until he retired in 1982, and is currently a technical writer for computerized aircraft maintenance.

## WILLIAM PALUMBO, Corporal

Corporal Palumbo served from March of 1951 until March of 1953 with the 69th Ammunition Ordnance Battalion, 619th Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. Born on January 2, 1930, and formerly of Sayville, he settled in Bay Shore where he has resided since 1962. He was graduated from Lafayette High School, and following the service he was employed in carpentry and as a cabinet maker. He is currently employed as a manufacturers representative. (Photograph unavailable.)

## LAWRENCE PANDOLFI, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Elmhurst, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Pandolfi was born on October 30, 1930, and attended Newtown High School, Elmhurst. He served from October of 1951 until July of 1953 with H Company, 2nd Battalion, 279th Infantry Regiment, 45th Infantry Division of the United States Army and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Korean Service Medal. After the service he was employed as a teletype operator and is currently an engineer.



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MICHAEL PALAZZOTTO, JR.



WILLIAM E. PALMER, JR.



LAWRENCE PANDOLFI



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## VINCENT PANDOLFI, Corporal

Formerly of Elmhurst, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Pandolfi was born on October 30, 1930. He was graduated from Newtown High School, Elmhurst, in 1948, and from RCA Institute in 1958. He served from November of 1951 until August of 1953 with A Battery, 38th Field Artillery Battalion, 2nd Division of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, and the United Nations Service Medal, and was in the Reserves until October of 1959. After the service he was employed as a teletype operator and is currently employed as an electrician. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD F. PANZNER, JR., Private

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Panzner attended Islip High School, and served with the United States Army from 1950 until 1952. He was stationed in Japan, Korea, as well as stateside. He was born on June 18, 1928, and after the service became the owner of Richard Panzner Used Lumber, Yard and House Wrecking in Bay Shore. He passed away on February 28, 1975.

## EUGENE G. PARDINI, Sergeant

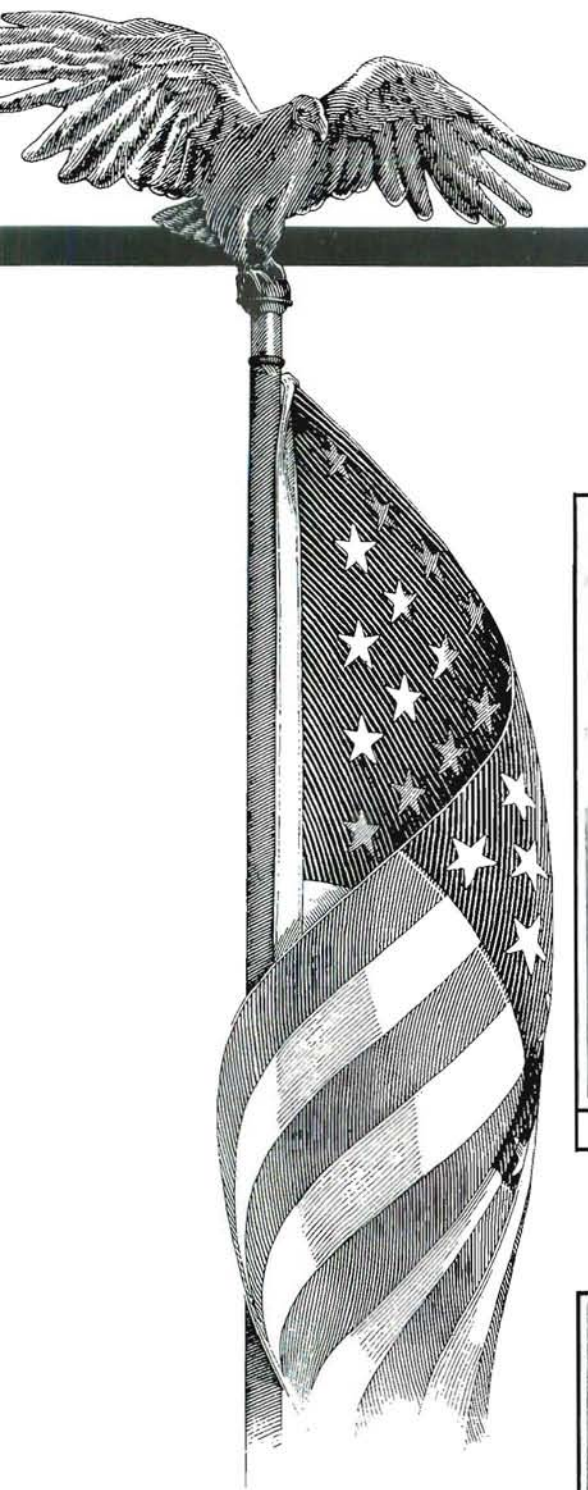
Sergeant Pardini served from January of 1949 until October of 1952 with the 5th Air Force of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Japan and Korea, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Korean Service Medal. Formerly of Elmhurst, New York, and presently residing in Bohemia, he was born on May 12, 1928, and was graduated from Newtown High School, Elmhurst, in 1947. After his discharge he was employed as a sheetmetal worker.

## GERALD W. PARK, Lieutenant Colonel

A member of the active Reserves until March of 1984, Mr. Park is a longtime resident of Islip, and was born on March 5, 1931. He was graduated in 1949 from Islip High School, and attended the Army Command and General Staff College, and the Industrial College of the Armed Forces. He served from July of 1951 until June of 1954 with the Army Security Agency, and was stationed principally in Virginia and in Germany. He is merited with the Meritorious Unit Commendation, the Good Conduct Medal, the American Defense Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the Army Reserves Components Achievement Medal. He was employed as a Telephone Repairman for New York Telephone Company after his discharge.

## RONALD H. PARTRIDGE, Sergeant

Presently residing in East Islip, formerly of Holbrook, New York, Mr. Partridge was born on November 1, 1929, and was graduated from East New York Vocational High School in 1947. He served mainly in Korea from November of 1950 until November of 1951 with the 25th Division, 27th Regiment, 3rd Platoon, L Company of the United States Army. He earned the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Korean Service Medal while in the Army. After his discharge he was employed in security.



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RICHARD F. PANZNER, JR.



EUGENE G. PARDINI



GERALD W. PARK



RONALD H. PARTRIDGE

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## FRANK A. PASCUCCI, Corporal

Formerly of New York City, and born on May 14, 1932, Mr. Pascucci has made his home in Islip. He served with the Paratrooper Squadron of the United States Army, mainly in Seoul, Korea, from August of 1950 until September of 1952. He is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Senior Parachute Badge, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. He was employed with the New York City Department of Sanitation following his discharge and until he passed away on August 15, 1983.

## JOSEPH PASSALACQUA, Corporal

Born on December 11, 1932, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Passalacqua made his home in Hauppauge where he has resided since 1973. He served from June of 1953 until May of 1955 with the 1745th C Company, 1st Battalion, 6th Armored Cavalry Regiment of the United States Army. While in the service he earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He was employed as a laborer following the service.

## ROBERT J. PATAKY, Sergeant

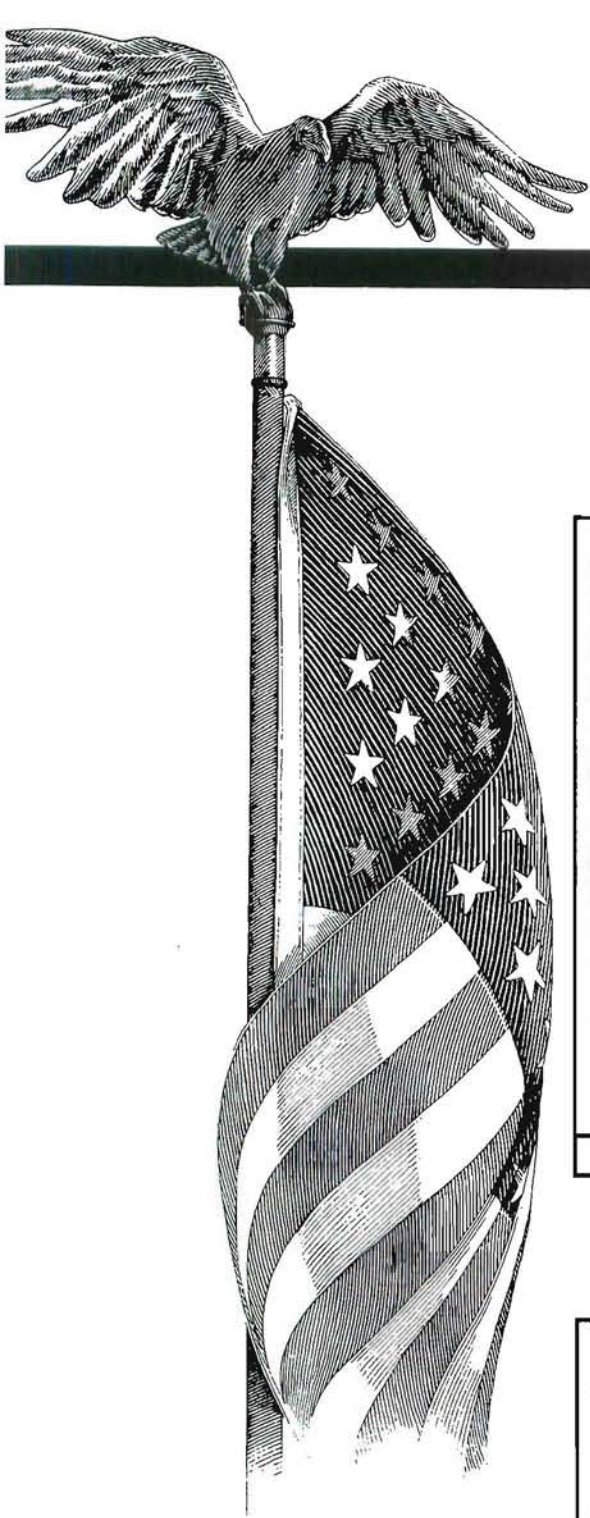
Sergeant Pataky served with the Medical Detachment, 64th Tank Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division of the United States Army from September of 1952 until July of 1954, and was stationed chiefly in Kumunn and Cherwon Valleys, Korea. He was born on October 4, 1932, and is formerly of Springfield Gardens, New York. He was graduated from Andrew Jackson High School in 1951 and from Cornell Medical Center in 1956. Currently residing in Holbrook, he was employed as a radiological technician after his separation from the Army.

## GEORGE T. PATERSON, Boilerman 1st Class

Originally from Queens, New York, Mr. Paterson was born on October 17, 1933, and presently resides in Islip. He was graduated from Far Rockaway High School and from New York Trade School in 1960. He was employed as an electrician following the service and is currently employed as a electrical supervisor. He served from January of 1952 until January of 1956 with the United States Navy chiefly aboard the U.S.S. Alshain, AKA-55, and was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ERNEST F. PAUL, Sergeant

A resident of Bohemia before settling in Bayport where he now resides, Mr. Paul was born on July 17, 1928, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1945. He served from November of 1950 until November of 1952 with the Military Police Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Germany and France. He was employed in building and construction following the service, has continued to work in this field and now operates his own building material company.



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## GEORGE PEARLMAN, Specialist 3rd Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in East Islip, Mr. Pearlman was born on August 19, 1932, and was graduated from New Utrecht High School, Brooklyn, in 1950, and from Long Island University in 1954. He also attended classes at Brooklyn College of Pharmacy. He served with the 65th General Dispensary, 60th Station Hospital of the United States Army from October of 1954 until October of 1956, and was stationed in France and in the United States as well. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and was employed as a pharmacist after the service.

## RONALD A. PECK, Ships Serviceman 3rd Class

Born on December 12, 1932, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Peck settled in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He was graduated from Fort Hamilton High School, Brooklyn, in 1951, and from New York City College, Brooklyn, in 1958. He served with the 7th Fleet of the United States Navy from July of 1951 until June of 1955, aboard the U.S.S. Missouri. After his discharge he was employed with a food service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DOMINICK F. PENSANTE, Corporal

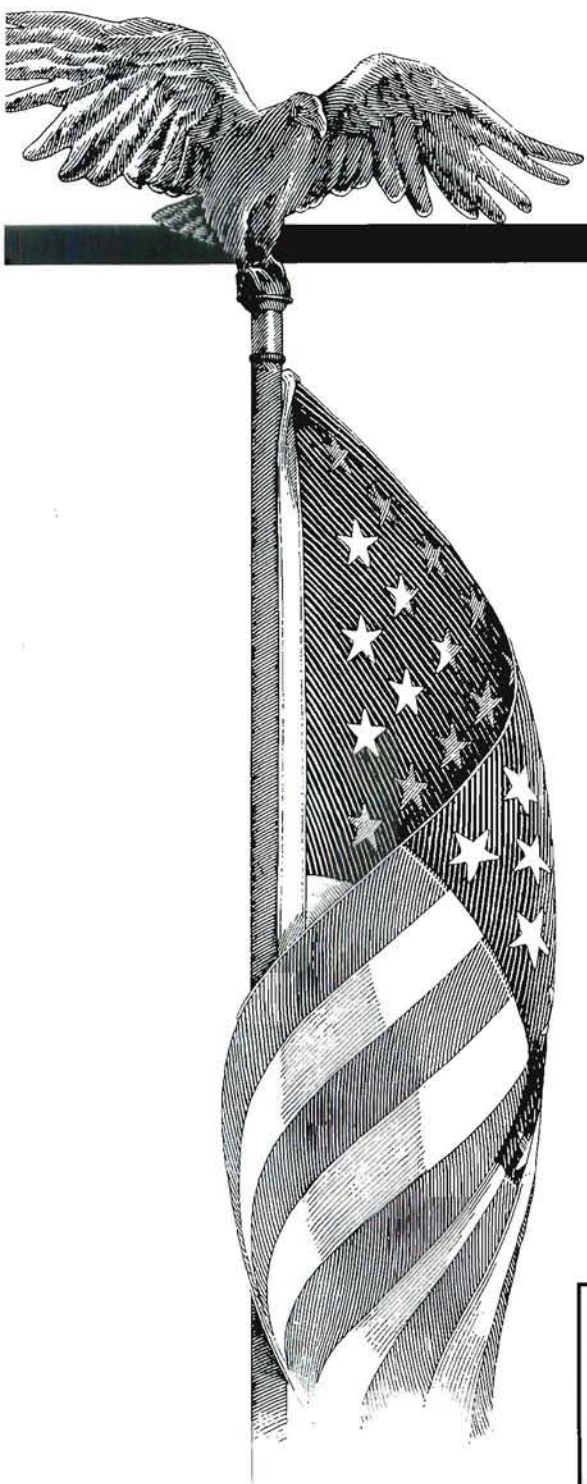
A resident of Brentwood since 1972, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Pensante was born on August 27, 1933, and was graduated in 1950 from Manual Training High School. He served from August of 1950 until March of 1952 with the 3rd Battalion, W Company, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in North and South Carolina, and in California. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and had been employed as an international traffic manager after his separation from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ANTHONY J. PEPITONE, Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Pepitone served with the United States Air Force, Strategic Air Command, 45th Bomb Wing, 42nd A&E Squadron from November of 1953 until November of 1957, and was stationed at Loring Air Force Base, Maine, and Kimpo Air Field. He was born on October 6, 1936, and resided in Brooklyn before making his home in Islip. He was graduated from East New York Vocational High School in 1953, and attended SUNY from 1970 until 1975. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal, and was employed as a machinist following the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MATTHEW V. PEPITONE, Corporal

A resident of Central Islip, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Pepitone was born on January 7, 1930, and was graduated from Metropolitan Vocational Maritime High School, New York City, in 1946. He served from January of 1951 until December of 1953 with the 45th Military Police Company, 45th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Korea. He is merited with Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation. He is currently employed as a meat cutter.



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GEORGE PEARLMAN



MATTHEW V. PEPITONE



RONALD A. PECK



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## JOHN M. PERAULT, Sergeant

Born on December 16, 1930, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Perault settled in Bay Shore where he now resides. He served from July of 1950 until July of 1953 with the 95th R Company, 64th Engineer Torpedo Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in the Far East. He was graduated from St. Augustine High School in 1949, in 1970 from SUNY at Farmingdale, and was employed as a bank auditor and then as a Patrolman for the Town of Islip after his discharge. While in the service he earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal.

## JOHN PERINO, Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Perino served with the 5th Strategic Air Force of the United States Air Force from March of 1950 until March of 1955, and was stationed in the United States, Korea, and in Japan. He was born on June 28, 1931, and was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades in 1950. Formerly of the Bronx, and residing in Brentwood, he was employed as an aircraft upholsterer after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## PETER J. PERLIAN, Private 1st Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Perlian was born on December 12, 1930, and was graduated from Fort Hamilton High School in 1948. He served from November of 1950 until November of 1952 with the 887th Field Artillery of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. He is currently employed as a firefighter. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK A. PERNICE, Private 1st Class

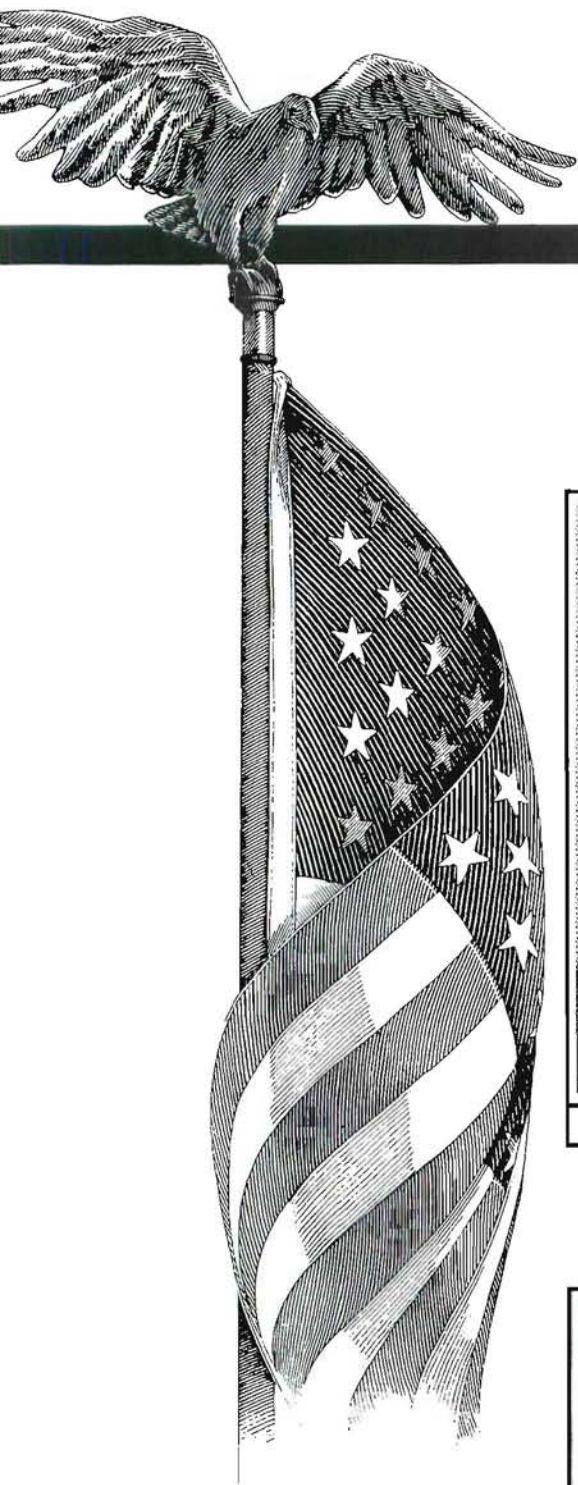
Private Pernice served from January of 1954 until January of 1956 with the 101st Airborne Military Police Company of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in South Carolina. Born on June 6, 1933, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, he settled in East Islip where he presently resides. He attended Theodore Roosevelt High School, and following the service was employed as a warehouseman.

## ARTHUR J. PERRY, Sergeant

Formerly of New York City, and presently residing in Ronkonkoma, Mr. Perry was born on March 12, 1931, was graduated from Newtown High School, and attended Columbia University for one year. He served with the 727th Early Warning Aircraft Patrol of the United States Air Force from August of 1950 until August of 1954, and was stationed in the United States. After his discharge he was employed in various positions, and then as a Suffolk County Police Officer.

## MAX C. PERRY, Sergeant

A 1941 graduate of Sayville High School, Sayville, where he resided before making his home in Bohemia, Mr. Perry was born on December 24, 1923. A veteran of World War II, he served in Korea from July of 1950 until July of 1955 in the United States Marine Corps. He is merited with a Silver Star, the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the National Defense, the Korean, the Presidential Unit Citation, the United Nations Service Medals, the American Campaign Medal, and a Purple Heart. After the service he was employed as a hospital attendant. He passed away on March 14, 1984.



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FRANK A. PERNICE



ARTHUR J. PERRY



MAX C. PERRY

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## JOHN PETITO, Technical Sergeant

Sergeant Petito served from February of 1951 until March of 1962 with the 497th Reconnaissance Technical Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Mitchell and Sampson Air Force Bases as well as in Wiesbaden, Germany, and earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, he was born on May 17, 1931. He was graduated from Manhattan Technical High School in 1948, and from C.W. Post College in 1959. Following the service he was employed as a landscape architect, and then as the Commissioner of the Department of Public Works for the Town of Islip, and is now the Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Control also for the Town of Islip.

## FRANK R. PETTIT, Gunners Mate 2nd Class

Born on October 1, 1932, and formerly of Amityville, New York, Mr. Pettit made his home in Lake Ronkonkoma where he presently resides. He was graduated from Amityville High School, Amityville, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale. He served aboard the U.S.S. D.H. Fox, DD-779, of the United States Navy from 1951 until 1953, was stationed chiefly in Norfolk, Virginia, as well as in Korea, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a machinist and as a movie projectionist.

## STEPHEN C. PEVERA, Sergeant

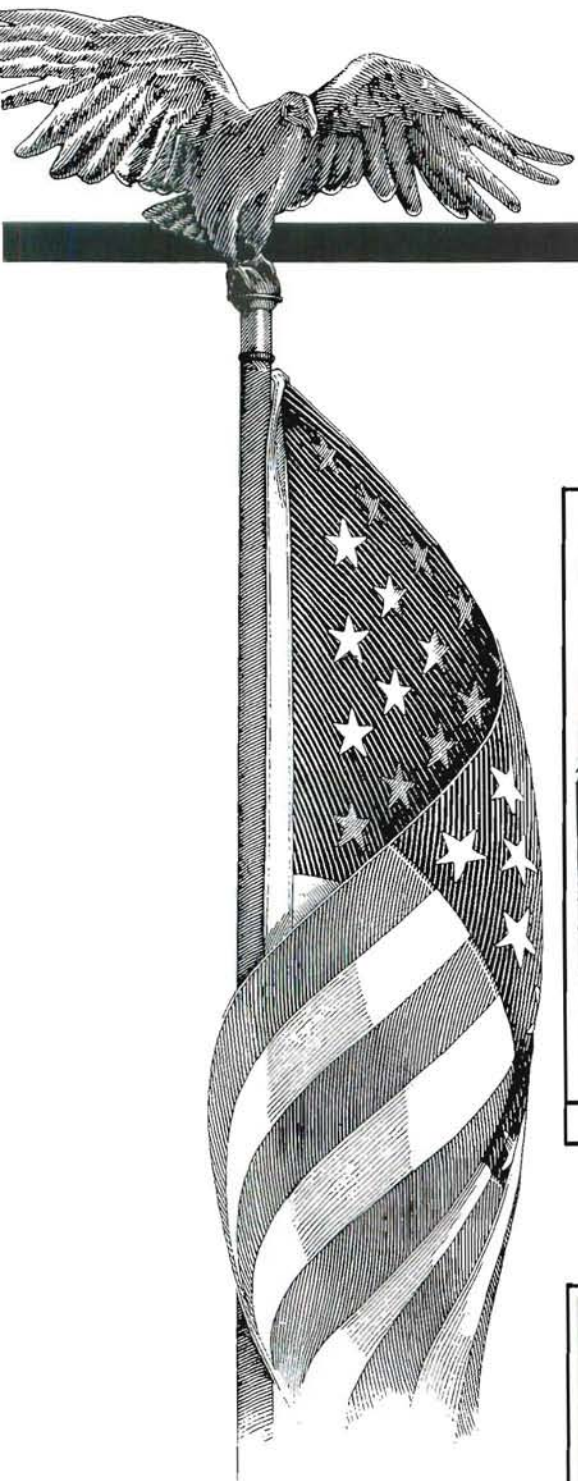
Originally from Glendale, New York, and currently residing in East Islip, Mr. Pevera was born on November 6, 1933, was graduated from Power Memorial High School in 1951, from St. John's University in 1958, and is employed as a chemist. He served from November of 1952 until November of 1954 with the 77th Special Forces Group of the United States Army, was stationed primarily at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Senior Parachute Badge.

## BERNARD G. PHILLIPS, Sergeant

Sergeant Phillips served with the 8th Army, 2nd Battalion, H Company, 35th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division of the United States Army from January of 1952 until January of 1954, and was stationed in Korea. While in the service he earned the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the American Campaign Medal. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in West Sayville, he was born on October 22, 1930, and was employed as a warehouse manager after his discharge from the service.

## JOHN R. PICCONE, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Piccone was born on February 20, 1929, and made his home in Bay Shore where he now resides. He attended Lafayette High School, and served with the SCARWAP, Special Category of the Air Force Engineers with the United States Air Force of the United States Army from January of 1951 until February of 1953, and was stationed at Anchorage, Alaska, and at Beck Air Force Base, California. He was employed as a sales representative prior to and following the service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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FRANK R. PETTIT



JOHN PETITO



STEPHEN C. PEVERA



BERNARD G. PHILLIPS

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## CHARLES A. PIERCE, Technical Corporal

Presently residing in Bayport, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Pierce was born on April 30, 1927, and was graduated from Harren High School in 1945. He served from May of 1953 until April of 1955 with the 1677th C Company, 709th Military Police Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Germany. He received the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal.

## HANS PIETSCH, JR., Master Sergeant

Born on October 8, 1928, and formerly of Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Pietsch made his home in Brentwood where presently resides. He served with A Company, 765th Transportation Battalion of the United States Army from November of 1950 until November of 1952, and was stationed primarily in the Pusan area of Korea. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation. He was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1949, and after his discharge he was employed as a tool and diemaker.

## SANTO C. PIRO, Electrician Mate 3rd Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Piro was born on November 1, 1933, and was graduated from Samuel Gompers Vocational High School in 1951. He served from May of 1952 until May of 1956 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Philippine Sea, CVS-47, and aboard the U.S.S. Princeton, CVS-37, and was stationed in California, Hawaii, Japan, China, the Philippines, and in Korea as well. He is merited with the China Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He is currently employed as an electrician.

## ROBERT B. PLATT, Master Sergeant

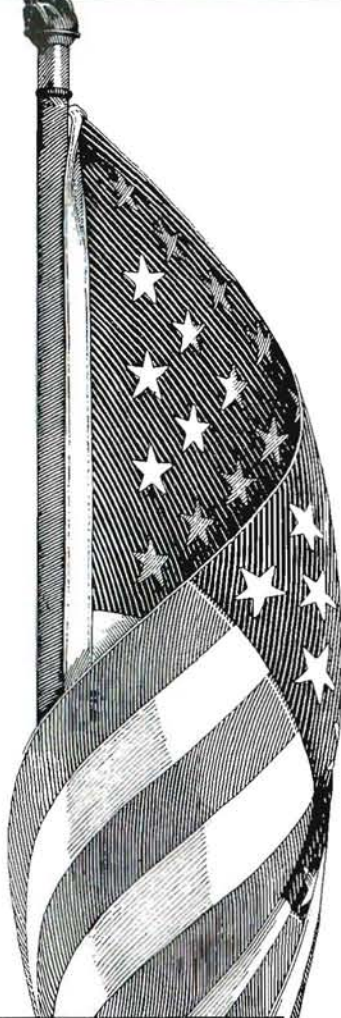
A longtime resident of Bayport, Mr. Platt was born on December 23, 1920, and was graduated from Bayport High School in 1939. He served with the 8th Air Force, Strategic Air Command, 4060th Air Refueling Wing of the United States Air Force from December of 1939 until May of 1960, and was stationed at Westover Air Force Base, Massachusetts. He earned the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon, the American Campaign Medal, the American Defense Medal, the American Theatre Ribbon, the Air Force Commendation Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. After the service he was employed as a garageman. During the Korean era, he performed propeller maintenance on tanker aircrafts which were used to refuel our B-52 bombers in mid-air.

## THOMAS A. PLOTKE, Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Plotke served with the United States Air Force chiefly at Barksdale Air Force Base, from January of 1952 until April of 1956, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal. He was born on February 16, 1932, and was originally from Chicago, Illinois, before making his home in Oakdale. He was graduated from Lane Technical High School in 1951, and from Suffolk County Community College in 1974. Following his discharge he was employed as an air traffic controller.



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HANS PIETSCH, JR.



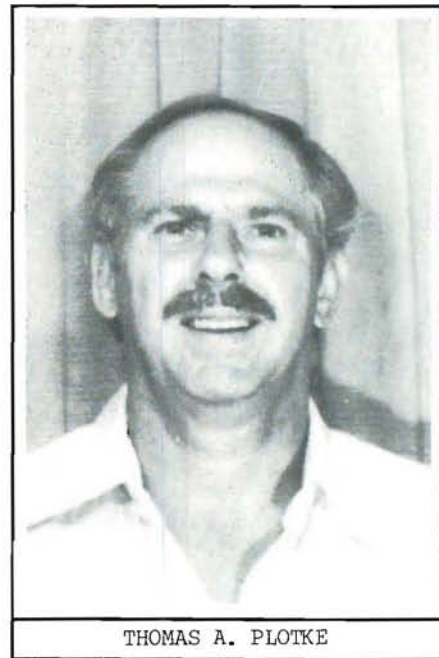
CHARLES A. PIERCE



SANTO C. PIRO



ROBERT B. PLATT



THOMAS A. PLOTKE



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## RICHARD POGGIE, Corporal

A 1950 graduate of John Adams High School, and a 1961 graduate of SUNY at Farmingdale, Mr. Poggie was born on September 7, 1931. Formerly of Ozone Park, New York, he settled in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He served from January of 1952 until December of 1953 with T Company, 3rd Battalion, 2nd Armored Cavalry of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Amberg, Germany. He has been an instrumentation technician since his discharge from the service.

## MARIO A. POLITI, Radarman 2nd Class

Born on April 15, 1931, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Politi made his home in Oakdale where presently resides. He was graduated from Lafayette High School, Brooklyn, in 1949, and from Art College of Design, Los Angeles, California, in 1957. He served with the Operations Intelligence Division of the United States Navy from October of 1950 until August of 1954, and was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Tarawa, CVA-40. He is merited with the American Theatre Ribbon, the European Theatre Ribbon, the Korean Theatre Ribbon, and the Pacific Theatre Ribbon. Following the service he was employed as an artist.

## RICHARD J. POLIZZI, Private 1st Class

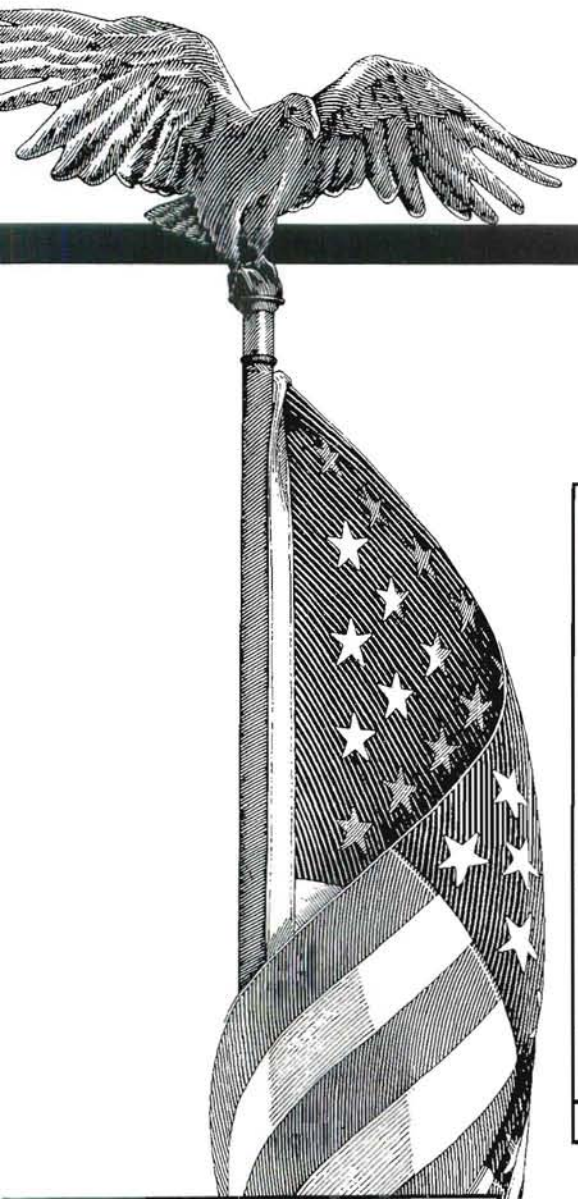
Private Polizzi served with the 3rd Marine Division, FMF, Military Police, of the United States Marine Corps from May of 1951 until May of 1954, and participated as a member of sea security task force. He was born on March 3, 1934, resided in Jackson Heights, New York, where he was graduated from William C. Bryant High School in 1951, and made his home in Bohemia. He attended St. Mary's Seminary in Pennsylvania, and after the service became involved in the restaurant business. He passed away on July 31, 1969.

## VINCENT B. POLLINA, Private 1st Class

Private Pollina served from September of 1951 until May of 1953 with C Battery, 49th Field Artillery, 7th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Chunchon, Korea. Formerly of Forest Hills, New York, and currently a resident of Brentwood, he was born on March 26, 1930, and was graduated in 1949 from Forest Hills High School, and in 1956 from Teterboro School of Aeronautics. While in the service he earned the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. After the service he was employed as an aircraft mechanic, and is presently employed as a refrigeration mechanic.

## THOMAS E. POMFREY, Corporal

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Pomfrey was born on September 8, 1933, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School. He served chiefly in Yon Choni, Uijonbu, and Man Son Ni, Korea, from May of 1953 until March of 1955 with the S Battery, 49th FA Battalion, 7th Infantry Division of the United States Army. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. Following his discharge from the service he was employed with Wohlforth Motors, Central Islip, doing body and fender work.



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RICHARD POGGIE



MARIO A. POLITI



RICHARD J. POLIZZI



VINCENT B. POLLINA



THOMAS E. POMFREY



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## STEVEN J. POMINSKI, Commissaryman 2nd Class

Formerly of Maspeth, New York, and currently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Pominski was born on October 13, 1923. He served with the United States Navy primarily in Korea from November of 1950 until May of 1953, and earned the Korean Service Medal and the United Nations Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a baker.

## FRANK PORTANTINO, Electronics Technician 3rd Class

Originally from Queens, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Portantino was born on September 2, 1933. He attended Boys High School, Brooklyn, New York, and was employed with the United States Department of Defense after his separation from the service. He served from September of 1952 until September of 1956 with the 6th Fleet of the United States Navy, and was stationed aboard the U.S.S. DeMoines, and aboard the U.S.S. Northampton.

## GERARD J. POULIN, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Poulin served from February of 1953 until December of 1954 with the 235th Field Artillery Observation Battalion of the United States Army. Born on December 17, 1932, he resided in Inwood, New York, before making his home in Hauppauge. He was graduated from Lawrence High School, Lawrence, New York, and following his discharge he was employed as an operating engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## STEVEN POULOS, Corporal

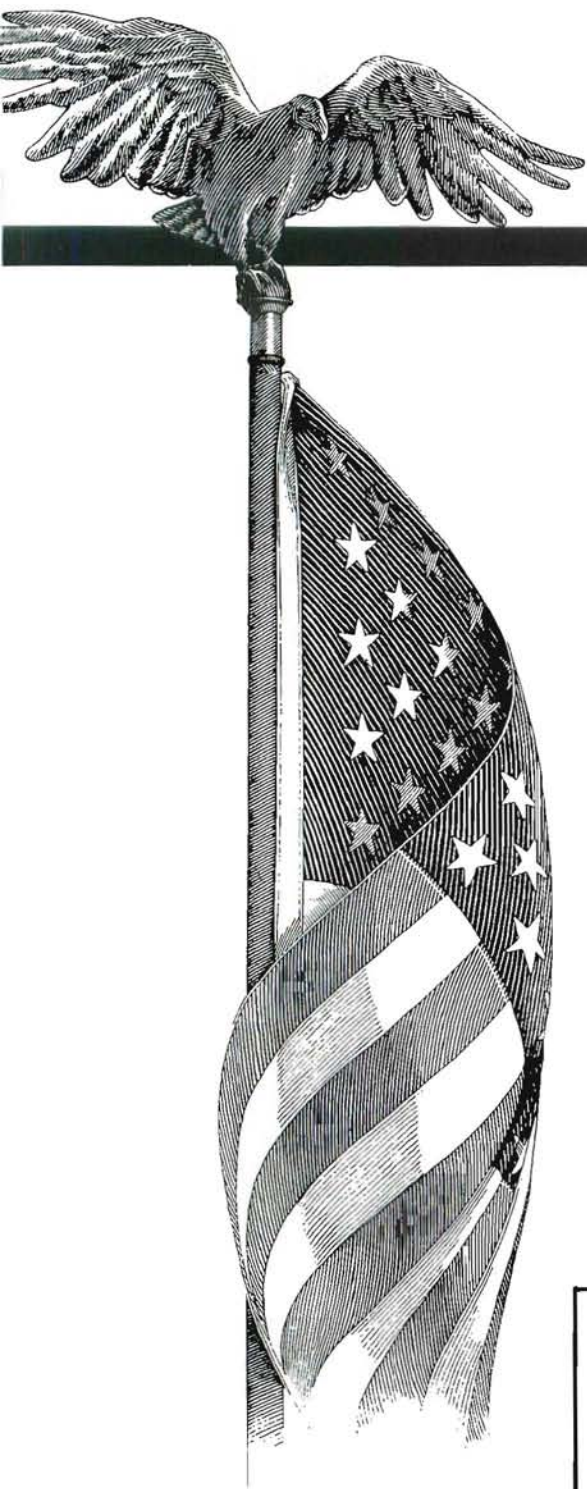
Born on May 5, 1933, formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Poulos settled in West Islip where he now resides. He served from December of 1952 until December of 1954 with the 1169th Combat Engineers, 40th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly on the 38th parallel. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. He was graduated from East New York Vocational High School, and was employed as a chief custodian after his discharge.

## ALFRED POWNER, Corporal

Originally from Astoria, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Powner was born on March 22, 1933. He served with the 11th Infantry Division of the United States Army from February of 1952 until February of 1954, and was stationed principally in Germany. Following the service he was employed as a short order cook. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN D. PRANKAITIS, SR., Sergeant

Sergeant Prankaitis served from December of 1947 until November of 1951 with the 10th Marine Battalion, Fleet Marine Force of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, he was born on May 6, 1930. He was graduated from Eastern District High School, attended C.W. Post University, and was graduated from RCA Institute in 1955. He was employed as an electronic engineer after the service.



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STEVEN J. POMINSKI



JOHN D. PRANKAITIS, SR.



STEVEN POULOS

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## JAMES M. PRETT, Corporal

Formerly of Bay Shore, and presently residing in Bayport, Mr. Prett was born on November 21, 1935. He served from December of 1954 until December of 1956 with the 3rd Infantry Division, H Company, 3rd Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in New York, Georgia, and in Louisiana. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALDO J. PREZIOSO, Sonarman 3rd Class

A resident of Islip Terrace since 1963, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Prezioso was born on January 20, 1935. He served aboard the U.S.S. Johnson, DD-821, with the Atlantic Fleet of the United States Navy from June of 1952 until January of 1956. He attended Columbus High School, Bronx, and attended classes at Suffolk County Community College. While in the service he earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the National Defense Service Medal, and following his separation from the Army was employed with the United States Postal Service.

## PASQUALE PROVENZANO, Corporal

Formerly of New Hyde Park, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Provenzano was born on October 6, 1931. He attended Dewitt Clinton High School, Bronx, New York, and was graduated in 1949 from Sewanhaka High School, Floral Park, New York. He served from September of 1952 until June of 1954 with the 19th Regiment, 24th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Cheju-Do, Koje-Do, Panmunjom, and in the Yangu Valley of Korea. He is merited with the Syngman Rhee Award, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Korean Service Medal as well. After the service he was employed as a Shipping and Receiving Clerk for the New York Times, and is currently employed as a sales manager in electronics.

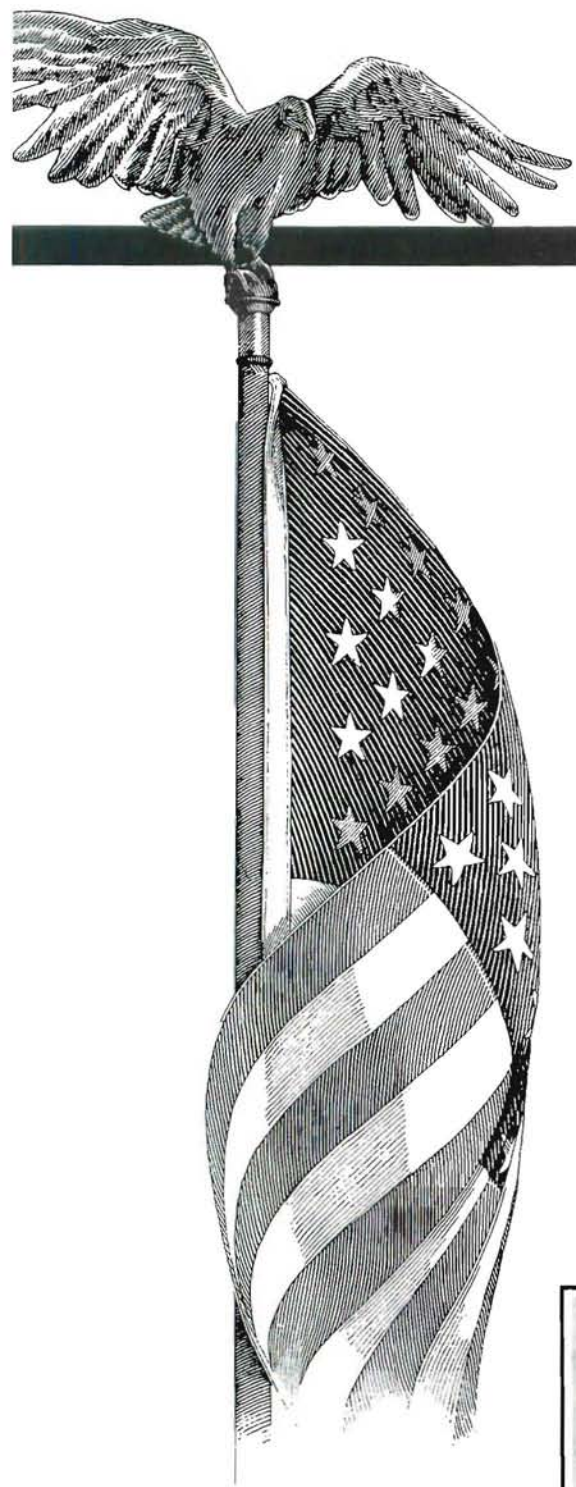
## GEORGE QUINLAN, Builder 3rd Class

A resident of Hauppauge, and formerly of Levittown, New York, Mr. Quinlan was born on December 19, 1932, and was graduated in 1950 from Farmingdale High School. He served with the Mobile Construction Battalion #3 of the United States Navy Seabees from May of 1951 until May of 1957, was stationed in the Subic Bay and in the Philippine Islands, and earned the National Defense Service Medal. He was employed as a construction electrician after the service, and is currently the owner of Indian Head Bicycle Shop in Kings Park.

## EDWARD J. QUINN, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on July 29, 1935, and formerly of Astoria, New York, Mr. Quinn made his home in West Sayville where he has resided since 1968. He served aboard the U.S.S. Pillsbury, DER-133, of the United States Navy with the North Atlantic-Distant Early Warning, from February of 1953 until July of 1956. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and following his discharge was employed as a New York City Firefighter. (Photograph unavailable.)

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ALDO J. PREZIOSO



PASQUALE PROVENZANO



GEORGE QUINLAN

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## GERARD J. QUINN, Lieutenant

Lieutenant Quinn served from July of 1951 until July of 1953 with the United States Naval Amphibious Base of the United States Navy, and was stationed at Little Creek, Virginia. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, as well as the Armed Forces Reserve Medal, and the Naval Reserve Medal. Also a veteran of World War II, he served in the Reserves from August of 1953 until February of 1975 when he retired with the rank of Captain. Born on January 25, 1923, and formerly of Massapequa, New York, he settled in West Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from W.C. Mepham High School, attended the University of Notre Dame, was graduated from University of Pennsylvania, and from Midshipmen School at Harvard University. He has been the owner of an insurance agency since his separation from the service.

## EDWARD A. RALL, Sergeant

Sergeant Rall served with the 7th Division, 32nd Regiment of the United States Army from February of 1952 until November of 1953, and was stationed at Old Baldy and Pork Chop Hill, Korea. He received the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, and the United Nations Service Medal. Born on February 16, 1932, and formerly of Ozone Park, New York, he settled in Bay Shore. He was graduated from John Adams High School, and after the service was employed as a printing press operator.

## JOHN J. RAMACCIATO, Airman 1st Class

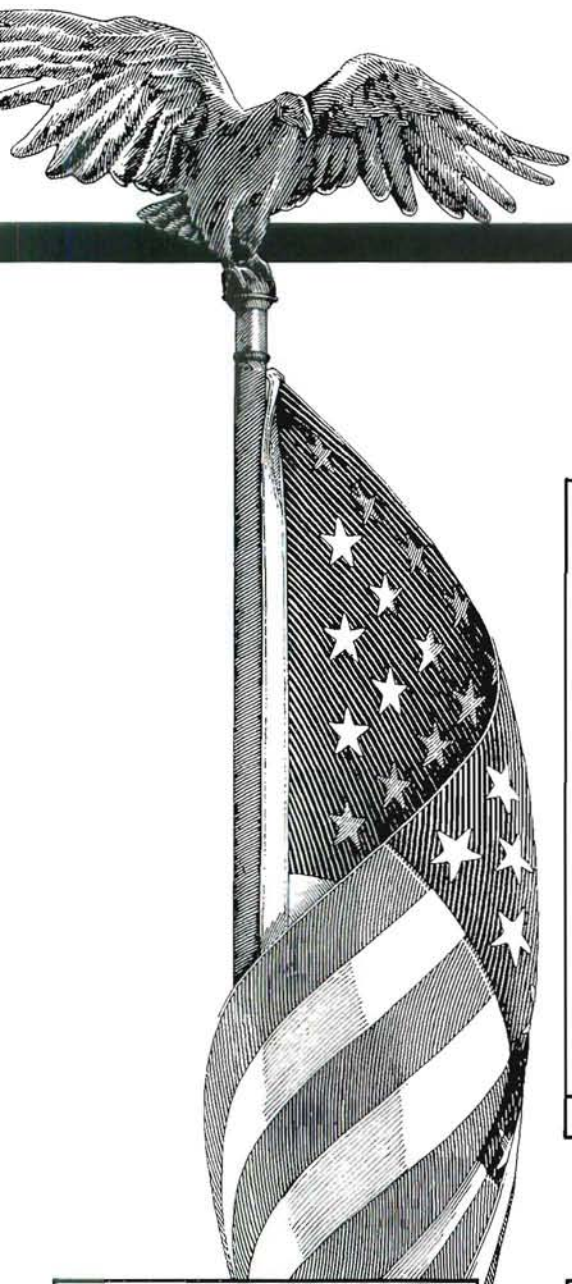
Formerly of Babylon, New York, and a resident of Islip Terrace, Mr. Rammaciato was born on June 27, 1935, and was graduated from Samuel Gompers High School in 1952. He served with the 75th Air Police Squadron of the United States Air Force from July of 1952 until July of 1956, and was stationed in Japan and the United States. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the American Defense Service Medal, and the Korean Service Medal as well. Following the service he was employed as a United States Federal Marshal.

## JOHN RAMIREZ, Corporal

Born on March 10, 1932, and originally from New York City, Mr. Ramirez settled in Sayville where he presently resides. He was graduated from Straubenmueller Textile High School, attended C.W. Post College for two years, and is employed as a director of marketing. He served from September of 1952 until July of 1954 with the Korean Military Advisory Group, 3rd ROK Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Kumhwa, Seoul, and ChunChon, Korea, and earned the Bronze Star Medal with valor, the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal.

## ALIAN K. RAYNOR, Staff Sergeant

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Raynor was born on June 20, 1932, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1951. He served from December of 1952 until October of 1954 with A Company, 703rd Ordnance Battalion, 3rd Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and received the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star. He attended SUNY at Farmingdale for two years, and after the service was employed as a mechanic, as a Lineman and Installer for New York Telephone Company. He is now the owner of Al Raynor's Service in Islip.



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GERARD J. QUINN



EDWARD A. RALL



JOHN J. RAMACCIATO



JOHN RAMIREZ



ALLAN K. RAYNOR

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## GILBERT T. RAYNOR, Sergeant

Sergeant Raynor served with the 2nd Armored Division, 3rd Battalion of the United States Army from January of 1954 until December of 1955, was stationed mainly in Mannheim, Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. Formerly of Hempstead, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, he was born on August 3, 1931, and was graduated from Hempstead High School in 1949. In 1953 he was graduated from Clarkson College, Potsdam, New York, and after the service was employed as a structural engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WALTER M. RAYNOR, Corporal

A 1951 graduate of Islip High School, and a longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Raynor was born on August 5, 1931. He served primarily in Trieste, Italy, from May of 1952 until March of 1954 with the 508th Signal Company Trust of the United States Army. He served with the Army Reserves from March of 1954 until March of 1963, and earned the National Defense Service Medal. Following his separation from active service he was employed as a custodial engineer for the Islip Public Schools.

## AMADEO J. REBOLLAL, Radioman 3rd Class

Born on March 12, 1933, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Rebollal made his home in Brentwood where he has resided since 1977. He received his High School Equivalency Diploma in 1953, and received an Associate of Applied Science Degree in Criminal Justice from Suffolk County Community College in 1971. He served from July of 1951 until July of 1955 aboard the U.S.S. Glynn, APA-239, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia, and in San Diego, California. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, and is currently a police officer.

## GEORGE C. REED, Staff Sergeant

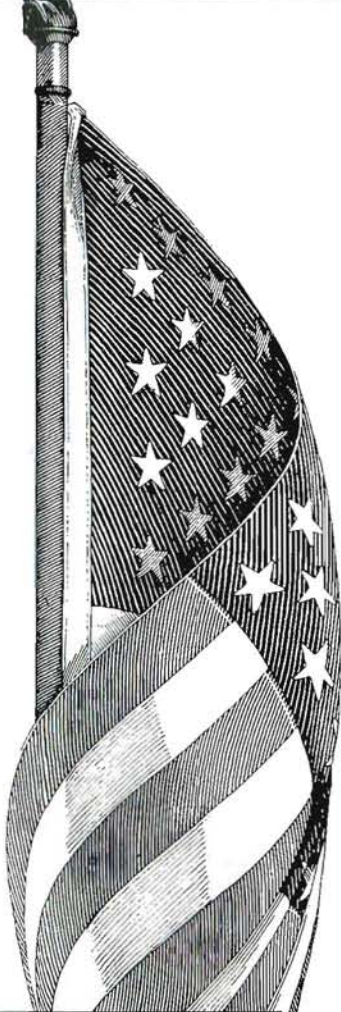
Originally from Decatur, Illinois, Mr. Reed made his home in East Islip where he presently resides. He was born on July 25, 1931, and was graduated in 1949 from Decatur High School. He served with the 75th Fighter Squadron of the United States Air Force from January of 1949 until January of 1954, and was stationed in Massachusetts and in New York. He is merited with the Senior Parachute Badge, and after the service was employed as a manager for a paint and wallpaper department.

## JAMES F. REGAN, Corporal

Born on July 1, 1930, and formerly of Queens, New York, Mr. Regan settled in Holbrook. He attended Bayside High School, Bayside, Queens, and also Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School, Jamaica, New York. He served from March of 1948 until April of 1952 with the 24th Infantry Division, 19th Infantry Regiment of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Beppu, Japan, and in Korea. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Distinguished Unit Citation, the Korean Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, and the National Defense Service Medal. He was employed in landscaping, and in the airline freight business following his separation from the service.



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GILBERT T. RAYNOR



WALTER M. RAYNOR



AMADEO J. REBOLLAL



GEORGE C. REED



JAMES F. REGAN



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## JOSEPH P. REID, Sergeant

Born on September 12, 1928, Mr. Reid resided in Richmond Hill, New York, before settling in Bohemia. He was graduated from St. Francis Prep High School in 1947, and from Empire State College in 1984. He served from November of 1950 until November of 1952 with C Battery, 816th Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed at Camp Polk, Louisiana, and in West Germany, and earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He is a Sergeant in the Suffolk County Police Department.

## RICHARD L. REID, Sergeant

Sergeant Reid served from March of 1950 until April of 1955 with the 435th TCS of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Japan, Indo China, and in Korea as well. He was born on June 9, 1929, and resided in Bay Shore before making his home in West Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Alexander Hamilton High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1947, and following the service was employed as an aircraft mechanic. He is currently employed as a machine shop foreman. While in the service he earned the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal.

## DENNIS J. REILLY, JR., Sergeant

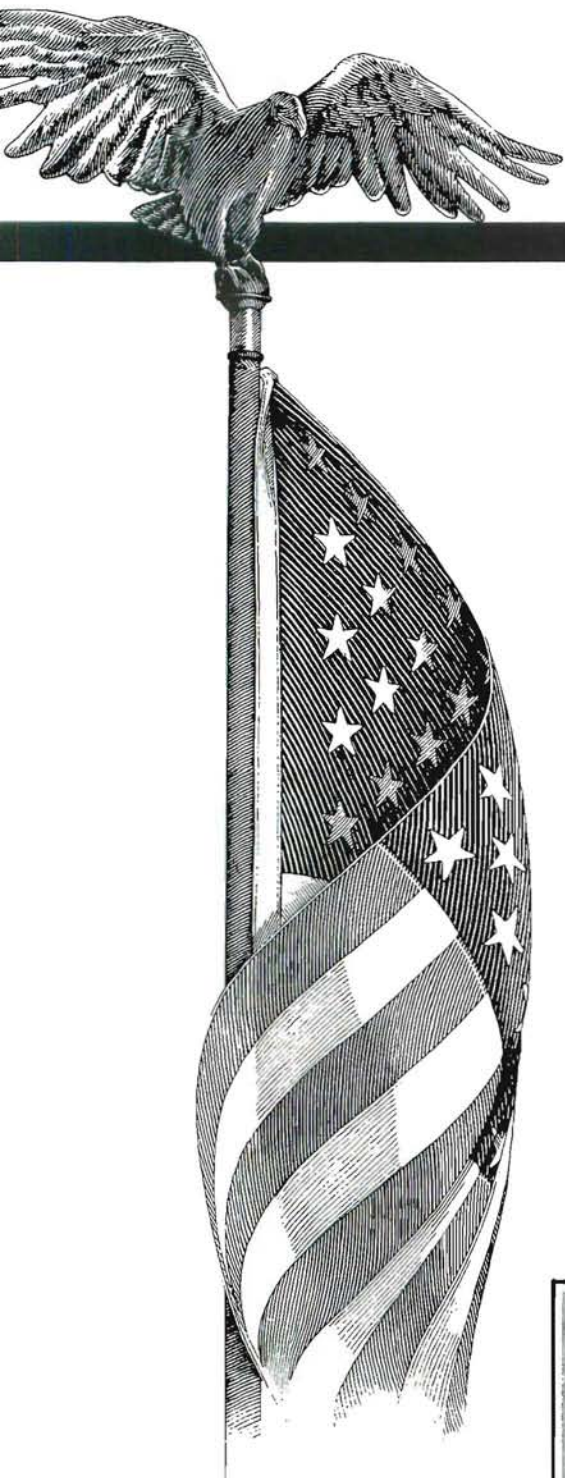
Formerly of Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Reilly was born on July 15, 1931, and presently resides in Sayville. He served with the Post Maintenance Battalion of the United States Marine Corps from December of 1951 until December of 1953, and was stationed on Parris Island, and at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and Barstow, California. He earned the Rifle Marksman Badge. He was graduated from Most Holy Trinity High School, Brooklyn, New York, and from Fordham University, New York. Following his separation from military service he was employed as a regional sales manager and as a custodial engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## VINCENT REILLY, Radarman 2nd Class

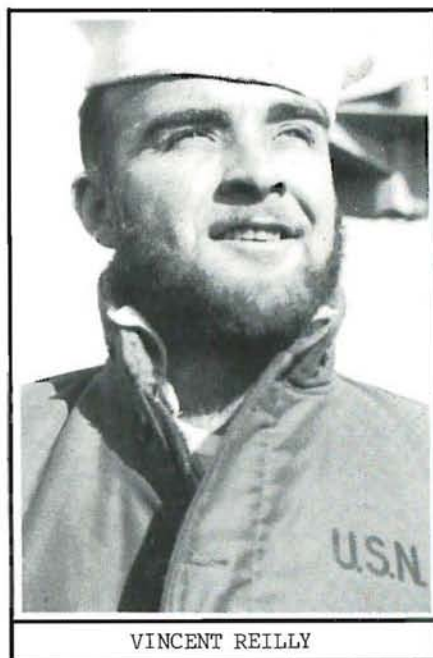
A resident of Central Islip since 1973, Mr. Reilly was born on September 16, 1932, and is formerly of Brooklyn, New York, where he attended Bishop Loughlin High School. He served from December of 1952 until November of 1956 with the United States Naval Station in Green Cove Springs, Florida, and aboard the U.S.S. Thomaston, LSD-28, of the United States Navy. He is currently a Tester for the Long Island Lighting Company.

## WILLIAM R. REIS, Corporal

Presently residing in West Islip, and formerly of Laurelton, New York, Mr. Reis was born on May 2, 1931, and was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1950. He served from October of 1951 until October of 1953 with the 7th Cavalry Regiment, H&H Company of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Hokaido, Japan, and in Korea as well. He received the Korean Service Medal with two Battle Stars, and after his discharge was employed in sales. (Photograph unavailable.)



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VINCENT REILLY



RICHARD L. REID



JOSEPH P. REID

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## ARTHUR J. REISCHMANN, Airman 1st Class

Airman Reischmann served with the United States Air Force with Headquarters, N.E.A.C., and Headquarters of the 1st Air Force from February of 1952 until February of 1956, and was stationed in Michigan, Texas, and in Newfoundland as well. Born on November 23, 1932, and formerly of Queens Village, New York, he made his home in Ronkonkoma where he now resides. He attended Andrew Jackson Vocational High School, St. Albans, New York, and later received his High School Equivalency Diploma. After the service he was employed as a Purchasing Manager for LNR Communications, Inc.

## ROBERT J. REITMANN, Sergeant

Originally from Ozone Park, New York, and born on July 2, 1930, Mr. Reitmann settled in Holbrook where he presently resides. He was graduated from John Adams Vocational High School in 1949. He served from February of 1948 until February of 1954 with the 1st Battalion, 10th Marines, 2nd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. He is currently employed as a tool and die maker.

## FRANK RENDO, Corporal

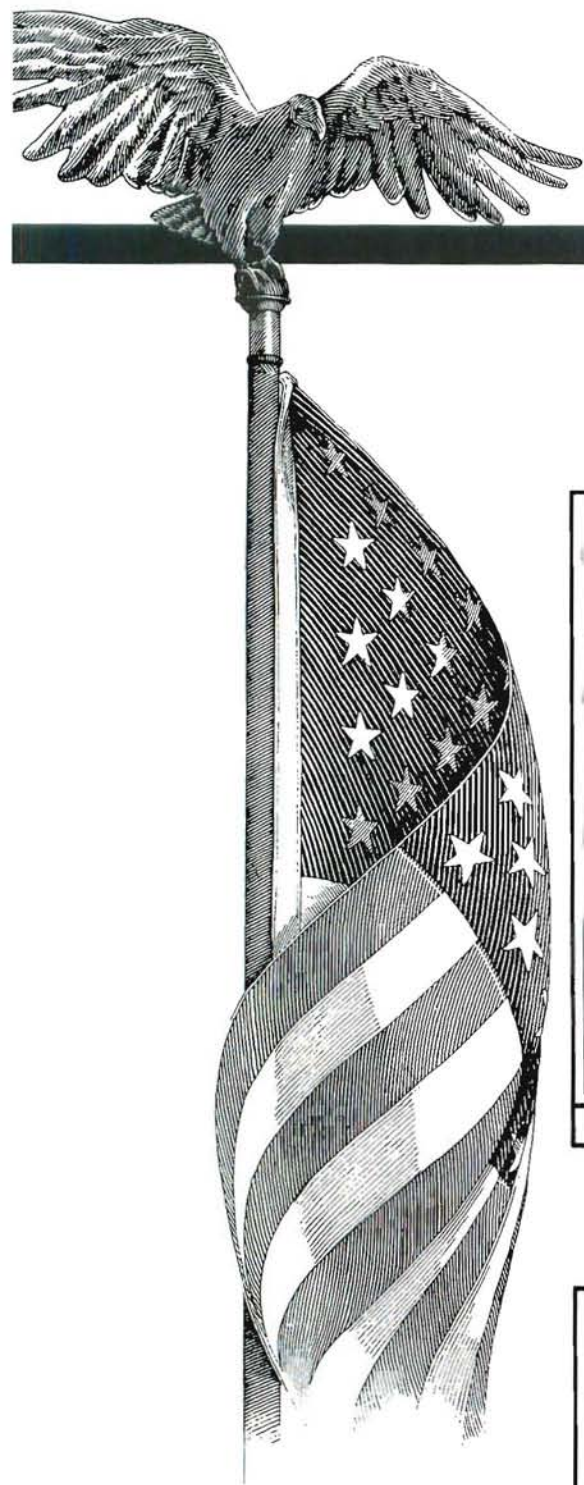
Corporal Rendo served with the 1st Service Battalion, S Company, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from October of 1951 until October of 1953, and was stationed principally in Inchon, Korea. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he was born on August 28, 1930. He attended schools in Italy, and presently resides in Central Islip. He is currently employed as a school custodian.

## RICHARD RENNER, Private 1st Class

Born on March 6, 1934, and formerly of Brentwood, Mr. Renner made his home in Bay Shore where he has resided since 1960. He served from July of 1953 until July of 1956 with the 24th Division of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in New Jersey, Texas, as well as in Korea, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. A graduate of Bay Shore High School, he was employed as a draftsman following the service.

## LOUIS E. REPETA, Sergeant

Sergeant Repeta served from February of 1953 until January of 1955 with the 1602nd B Battery, 50th AAA Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in South Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Korean Presidential Unit Citation. Formerly of Glen Cove, New York, and presently residing in Oakdale, he was born on June 25, 1931, and received his Bachelor of Science degree in 1962 from Hofstra University, and his Master of Science degree from New York Polytechnic Institute in 1979. Following the service he was employed as a tool designer, and is currently employed as a senior project engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)



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ROBERT J. REITMANN



ARTHUR J. REISCHMANN



FRANK RENDO



RICHARD RENNER

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## ROBERT T. REUTLINGER, Machinist Mate 2nd Class

Formerly of Bayside, New York, and born on May 24, 1930, Mr. Reutlinger made his home in West Islip. He was graduated in 1947 from Bayside High School, Bayside, and in 1955 from the SUNY at Farmingdale where he is a professor. He served from January of 1949 until December of 1952 aboard the U.S.S. General H.W. Butner, TAP-113, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in the Pacific and Atlantic Oceans. He earned the Korean Service Medal with one Battle Star, and the Good Conduct Medal as well.

## CHARLES P. REYNOLDS, Corporal

Born on November 11, 1930, and formerly of Springfield Gardens, New York, Mr. Reynolds settled in Brentwood where he has resided since 1957. He served with the 2nd Division, 23rd Infantry Regiment, 1812th HV Mortar of the United States Army from October of 1951 until July of 1953, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, and the United Nations Service Medal. He was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School, and following the service was employed as a sheet metal worker.

## JOHN RICETTI, Chief Warrant Officer 3rd Class

A resident of Great River since 1977, Mr. Ricetti is formerly of Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades in 1940. He served from January of 1940 until January of 1964 with various groups of the United States Army and the United States Air Force. His tours of duty included Japan, Germany, Greece, and Washington, D.C. He is merited with the Air Medal and the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. He attended the University of Maryland, and following his discharge was employed as an electronic specialist and administrator until he retired.

## PETER K. RICKERT, Corporal

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Rickert was born on October 9, 1928, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1946. He served with the 66th Signal Battalion Corps of the United States Army from November of 1950 until November of 1952, and was stationed principally at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. He was employed as an avionics technician following the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DORKIN RIGGINS, JR., Sergeant Major

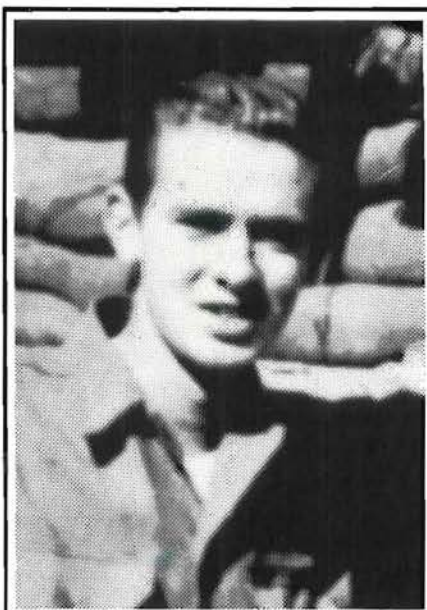
A Vietnam veteran as well as a Korean veteran, Mr. Riggins was born on January 1, 1932. Originally from Columbus, Georgia, and presently residing in Central Islip, he was graduated from Radcliff High School, Columbus, in 1948. During the Korean conflict he served with K Company, 3rd Battalion, 24th Regiment, 25th Infantry Division of the United States Army. During Vietnam he served with the 1st Administration Company, 1st Infantry Division, also of the United States Army. He served from January of 1949 until March of 1975, and his tours of duty included Georgia, Virginia, New York, New Jersey, France, Korea, and Vietnam. He is merited with two Bronze Star Medals, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and a Purple Heart. Following the service he was employed as a Supervisor for the Job Corps, and as a Supervisor for the United States Postal Service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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ROBERT T. REUTLINGER



CHARLES P. REYNOLDS



JOHN RICETTI

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## REGINALD J. RIKER, Machinist Mate 2nd Class

Born on June 1, 1933, and formerly of Holtsville, Mr. Riker made his home in Bohemia. He was graduated from Bayport High School, and following the service became self-employed in an automotive repair shop. He served from February of 1953 until January of 1957 aboard the U.S.S. San Marcus, LSD-25, of the United States Navy which resupplied the Dew Line in the Arctic. He was stationed in Virginia Beach and Little Creek, Virginia, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He is currently the owner of Shoreline Home Improvements.

## RUDOLPH RINALDO, Airman 3rd Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Rinaldo was born on November 14, 1930, and settled in Brentwood. He was graduated from Lafayette High School, Brooklyn, in 1948. He served with the 3615th Motor Vehicle Squadron of the United States Air Force from March of 1951 until November of 1953, and was stationed chiefly in Pusan, Korea. He earned the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, as well as the United Nations Service Medal. Following his discharge he was employed as a milk routeman until he passed away. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALBERT RINDFLEISCH, Sergeant

A veteran of World War II as well as a Korean veteran, Mr. Rindfleisch was born on November 8, 1922, and resided in Islip Terrace before making his home in Bay Shore where he now resides. He was graduated from East Islip High School in 1941, and served with the 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from February of 1951 until February of 1954, and is merited with the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. Following his separation from the Marine Corps he was employed as a union laborer.

## GEORGE J. RITTER, Corporal

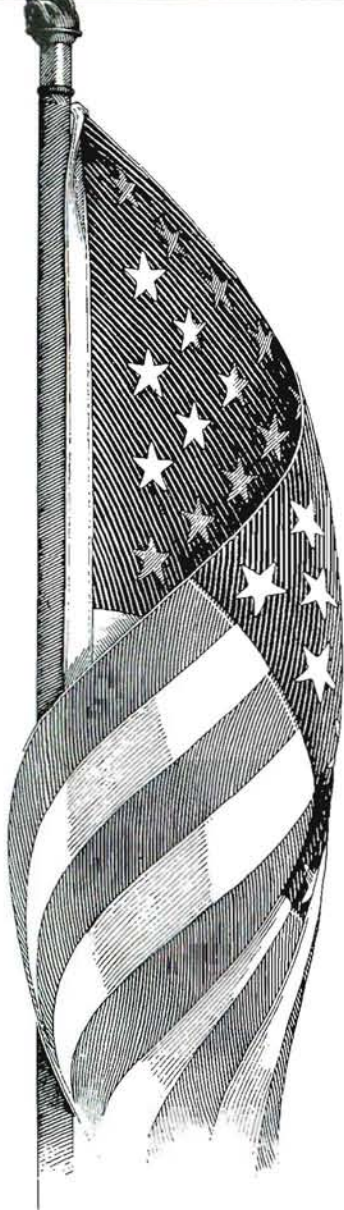
A longtime resident of Oakdale, Mr. Ritter was born on July 23, 1920, and attended the Sayville Public Schools. A veteran of World War II as well, he served from March of 1947 until March of 1952 with the 3rd Battalion, 2nd Marines, 2nd Marine Division, FMF, of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. He has been employed as a Hospital Attendant for the Central Islip State Hospital, Central Islip, since his discharge from the service.

## WILBUR A. RITTER, Corporal

Corporal Ritter served from November of 1950 until November of 1952 with F Company, 7811th SCU of the United States Army, was stationed in Germany, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on May 23, 1928, and formerly of Sayville, he settled in Holbrook where he presently resides. He was graduated from Sayville High School in 1947, and following the service was employed as a clerk in an A&P Supermarket.



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REGINALD J. RIKER



ALBERT RINDFLEISCH



GEORGE J. RITTER



WILBUR A. RITTER



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## JOSE ROBADO, Private 1st Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Robado was born on October 22, 1929. He served from February of 1951 until February of 1953 with the 1st Army with the 1822nd 14th Field Hospital of the United States Army, and earned the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, and the United Nations Service Medal. Following the service he was employed as a sewing machine operator.

## NICHOLAS J. RODOLOSI, Staff Sergeant

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and born on June 23, 1928, Mr. Rodolosi settled in Brentwood. A 1947 graduate of Metropolitan High School, he was employed as a pressman after his discharge from the service. He served from August of 1948 until July of 1952 with the 3525th Supply Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed principally at Williams Air Force Base, Chandler, Arizona.

## JAMES R. RODRIGUEZ, Sergeant

Sergeant Rodriguez served from 1949 until 1952 with the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and received the Good Conduct Medal and a Purple Heart. Born on October 31, 1933, he resided in Islip Terrace and attended East Islip High School. He was employed as a spray painter following the service, and passed away in 1975.

## JOHN RODRIGUEZ, Metalsmith 3rd Class

Born on June 21, 1935, and originally from Islip Terrace, Mr. Rodriguez attended East Islip High School. He served with the United States Navy from December of 1952 until June of 1956 aboard the U.S.S. Tidewater, the U.S.S. Cowell, and aboard the U.S.S. Bermington. He was stationed at Norfolk, Virginia, and in California, and earned the National Defense Service Medal, the China Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. After the service he was employed as an attendant at Central Islip Psychiatric Center, and is now Youth Program Supervisor there.

## RAFAEL F. RODRIGUEZ, Private

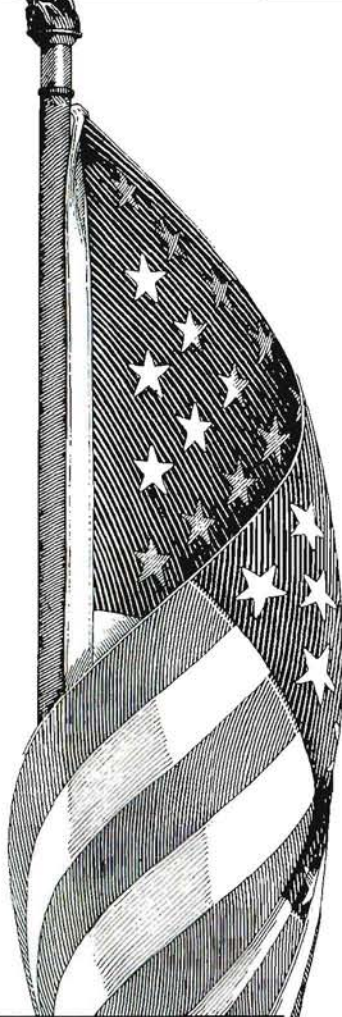
Private Rodriguez served with A Company, 41st Armored Infantry Battalion of the United States Army from March of 1953 until March of 1955, and was stationed primarily in Germany. Born on April 22, 1930, he resided in Vega Alta, Puerto Rico, before settling in Central Islip where he presently resides. While in the service he earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the National Defense Service Medal, and was employed as a freezer man and as a pantry man after his discharge.

## JOHN J. ROGERS, Torpedo & Mine Electrician

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Rogers was born on August 17, 1930, and attended Bay Shore High School. He served from February of 1947 until August of 1952, with the Sixth Fleet, Task Force #96 and Task Force #77 of the United States Navy. His tour of duty included Cuba, Panama, Palestine, Japan, Italy, England, Greece, China, France, Arabia, Africa, as well as the United States. He is merited with the United Nations and China Service Medals, the Bronze Star Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Asiatic-Pacific and the European Theatre Medals. He is employed with the Highway Division, Department of Public Works of the Town of Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)



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JOSE ROBADO



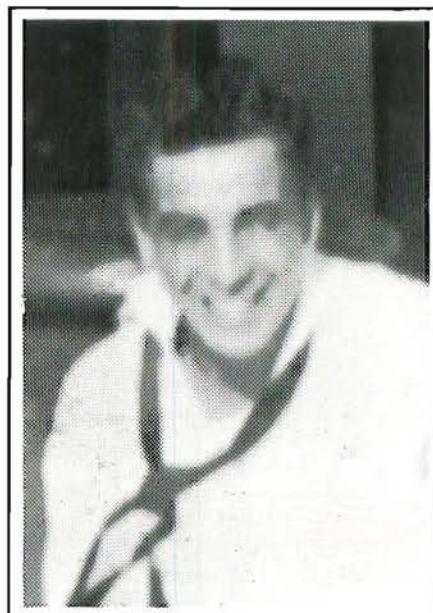
NICHOLAS J. RODOLOSI



JAMES R. RODRIGUEZ



RAFAEL F. RODRIGUEZ



JOHN RODRIGUEZ

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## MYLES P. ROGERS, Staff Sergeant

Currently residing in Bay Shore, and formerly of Elmhurst, New York, Mr. Rogers was born on January 9, 1929, and was graduated from Power Memorial Academy in 1947. He served with S Company, 109th Regiment, 28th Infantry Division of the United States Army, from January of 1951 until November of 1952, and was stationed mainly in Germany. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and following his discharge was employed as an underwriting supervisor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HAROLD E. ROLLENS, Sergeant

Born on July 26, 1930, and formerly of East Islip, Mr. Rollens made his home in West Islip. He was graduated in 1948 from LaSalle Military Academy, Oakdale, and in 1957 from Georgia Technical College, Atlanta, Georgia. He served from February of 1953 until February of 1956 with the Counter Intelligence Corp of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Halabird, Maryland, and along the East Coast. Following the service he was employed as an industrial engineer until he passed away on October 3, 1964. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN J. ROMANER, Private 1st Class

Born on February 7, 1931, and formerly of Queens, New York, Mr. Romaner settled in Oakdale. He served with the 88th Reconnaissance Company, 8th Army of the United States Army from October of 1951 until October of 1953, and was stationed principally in Trieste, Italy. He was graduated from John Adams High School, Queens, in 1947, and following the service was employed as an auto parts rebuilder, in sales, and in management.

## GEORGE J. ROSCH, Corporal

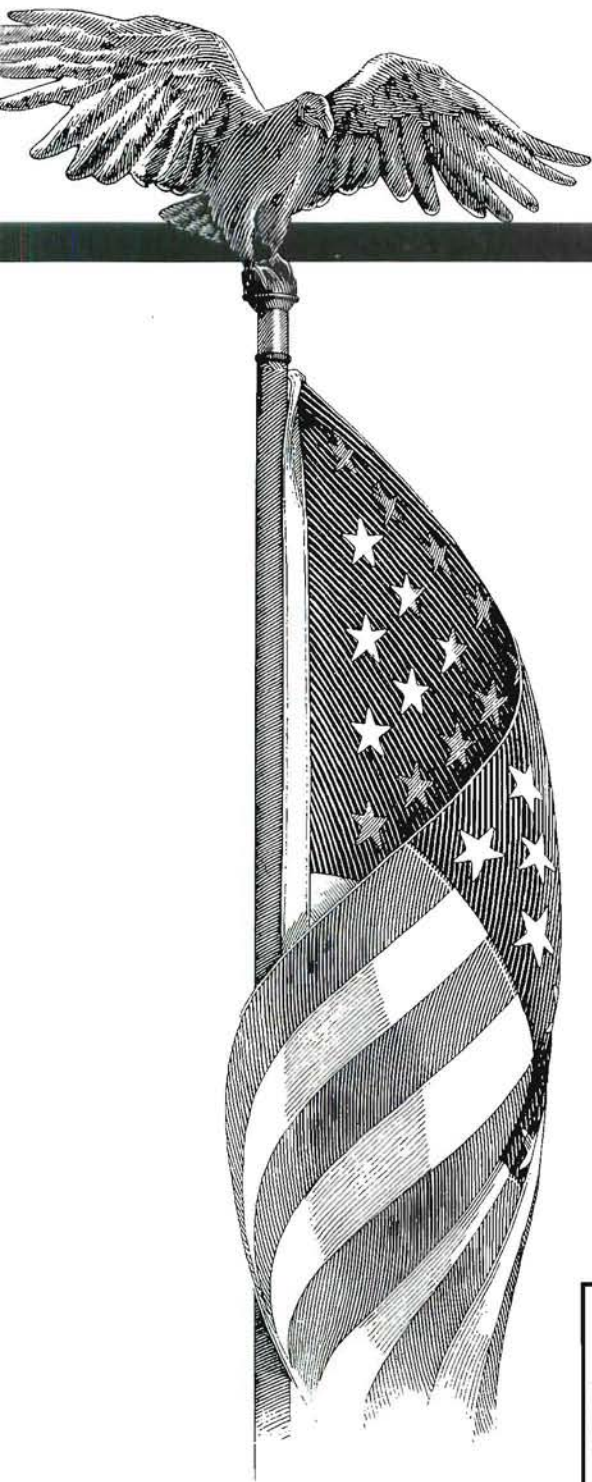
Corporal Rosch served from January of 1951 until January of 1953 with the 1695th, 984th Engineer Field Maintenance Company of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Korea. Born on January 27, 1929, and a longtime resident of Ronkonkoma, he was graduated from Sayville High School in 1946. He received the United Nations Service Medal, and the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, and has been employed as a tool and die maker since his discharge.

## JOSEPH P. ROSELLI, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Roselli was born on July 8, 1929, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1949, and from the SUNY in 1951. He served mainly in Trieste, Italy, from July of 1951 until June of 1954 with the 351st Infantry Regiment, F Company, 2nd Battalion of the United States Army. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, and after the service was employed in the hotel industry.

## RAYMOND ROSS, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Richmond Hill, New York, and presently residing in Oakdale, Mr. Ross was born on June 9, 1933, was graduated from Boys High School in 1951, and from Long Island University in 1954. He served from December of 1954 until December of 1956 with L Company, 86th Infantry Battalion, 10th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas, and in West Germany. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and after his discharge was employed as a New York City Firefighter. (Photograph unavailable.)



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JOHN J. ROMANER



GEORGE J. ROSCH



JOSEPH P. ROSELLI

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## ROBERT ROTCHFORD, Specialist 2nd Class

Presently residing in Bay Shore, and formerly of East Meadow, New York, Mr. Rotchford was born on January 8, 1937, and was graduated from Hempstead High School, Hempstead, New York, in 1954. He served from August of 1954 until August of 1957 with the Army Ordnance Division of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly at Ladd Air Force Base, Alaska. Following the service he was employed with the United States Postal Service, and then as a machinist. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DAVID P. ROWAN, Sergeant

Sergeant Rowan served from August of 1950 until August of 1953 with the 1st Engineers, 5th Marines, Fleet Marine Force Pacific, of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, Camp Pendleton, California, Quantico, Virginia, and in Korea as well. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, the Korean Service Medal with three Battle Stars, and the United Nations Service Medal. Born on August 25, 1930, and formerly of Brentwood, he made his home in Central Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Farmingdale High School, Farmingdale, New York, in 1948, and received an Associate of Applied Sciences degree in 1956 from SUNY at Farmingdale. Following the service he was employed as a horticulturist, with New York State Government Agencies since 1948, and has been a member of the Islip Town Zoning Board of Appeals since 1972.

## MARK ROWLAND, Staff Sergeant

Formerly of Elmhurst, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Rowland was born on November 6, 1929, received much of his education in Ireland, and received his Equivalency Diploma in 1951 while in the service. He served from 1951 until 1952 with B Company, 31st Infantry Regiment, 7th Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and earned the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the United Nations Service Medal. After the service he was employed as a welding supervisor until he retired.

## GEORGE E. ROYER, Electricians Mate 1st Class

A resident of Holbrook since 1972, and formerly of Nebraska City, Nebraska, Mr. Royer was born on April 22, 1931, and was graduated in 1948 from Nebraska City High School. He served from June of 1948 until May of 1952 aboard the U.S.S. Horace A. Bass, APD-124, a high-speed transport of the United States Navy, and was stationed in China, Korea, Japan, and in the Philippines. He is merited with the Navy Unit Citation, the China Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the United Nations Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal as well. He was employed as an electrician with the Brooklyn Navy yard until he retired.

## SALVATORE A. RUBINO, Fire Control Technician 3rd Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Rubino was born on March 25, 1934. He was graduated from George Westinghouse High School in 1952, and attended New York University. He served aboard the U.S.S. Witek of the United States Navy mainly along the East Coast of the United States, from July of 1953 until May of 1957, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Following his discharge he was employed with Aerospace-Quality Control. (Photograph unavailable.)



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DAVID P. ROWAN



MARK ROWLAND



GEORGE E. ROYER

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## JACK B. RUSSELL, Metalsmith 2nd Class

Born on June 25, 1930, and presently residing in Brightwaters, Mr. Russell was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1948, and is currently employed as a senior analyst. He served from June of 1951 until June of 1955 with the 7th Fleet aboard the U.S.S. Dixie, AD-14, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in the Pacific Ocean near Japan and Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, and the Korean, United Nations, and National Defense Service Medals.

## JOHN P. RUVOLO, Airman 1st Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Ronkonkoma, Mr. Ruvolo was born on August 19, 1933. In 1951 he was graduated from Bushwick High School, and from Brooklyn College in 1963. He served from June of 1952 until June of 1956 with the 485th Communication Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in England, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. He is employed as an assistant insurance claim manager.

## JAMES F. RYAN, Sergeant

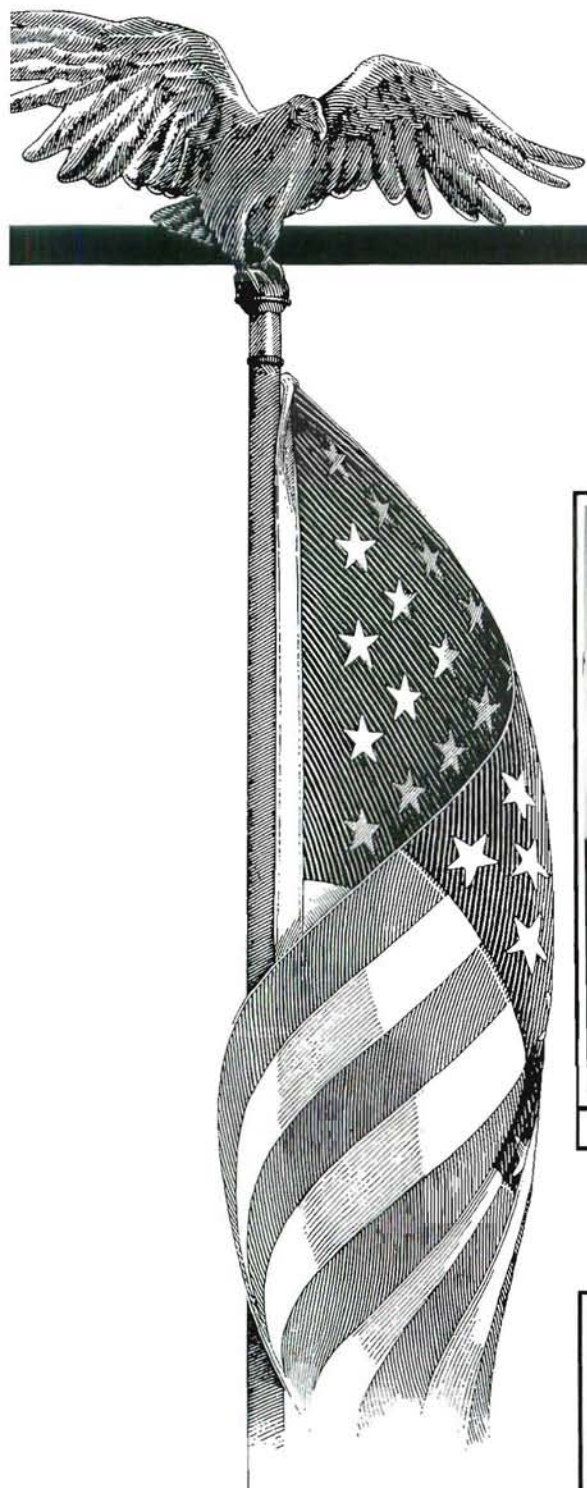
Sergeant Ryan served from February of 1949 until August of 1952 with the Army Security Agency of the United States Army. Born on August 8, 1930, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in Islip Terrace where he has resided since 1962. He was graduated from Franklin K. Lane High School in 1948, from RCA Institute in 1958, and was employed as a machinist following the service. Currently, he is employed as a manufacturing manager.

## EDWARD L. RYDER, Quartermaster

Originally from St. Albans, New York, Mr. Ryder was born on September 28, 1933, and made his home in Sayville where he presently resides. He was graduated from Andrew Jackson High School in 1952. He served from August of 1952 until June of 1956 aboard the U.S.S. Fearless, a minesweeper of the United States Navy, and was stationed primarily at Jacksonville Naval Air Station, Florida. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the National Defense Service Medal, and following his discharge was employed by New York Telephone Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DON SABATINO, Corporal

Corporal Sabatino served from February of 1953 until February of 1955 with the 509th AAA Gunnery Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Pennsylvania, and earned the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal as well. Born on September 4, 1932, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in West Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School in 1951, and since his discharge from the service, has been employed as an insurance collector.



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JACK B. RUSSELL



JAMES F. RYAN



JOHN P. RUVOLO



DON SABATINO



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## LAWRENCE E. SABATINO, Sergeant

Born on October 24, 1923, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Sabatino presently resides in Islip Terrace. He served with the 955th FA Battalion of the United States Army from August of 1950 until August of 1951, and was stationed mainly in Korea from the East to West Coast. He is merited with a Battle Star, and following his separation from the service was employed as a construction laborer.

## BRUCE C. SAIDLER, Boilerman 2nd Class

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Saidler was born on August 17, 1933, and was graduated from Sayville High School. He served aboard the U.S.S. Macon, CA-132, a heavy cruiser with the 6th Fleet of the United States Navy, from September of 1952 until September of 1960, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. After the service he was employed as a logistics manager. (Photograph unavailable.)

## NICHOLAS J. SALA, Aviation Mechanic 3rd Class

Formerly of Ozone Park, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Sala was born on December 15, 1929. He was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1949, and served from October of 1950 until October of 1952 with the United States Navy principally in Oahu, Hawaii. He earned the Armed Forces Reserve Medal, as well as the National Defense Service Medal. He was employed as a Milling Machine Operator for Sperry Corporation, and is currently Chief Petty Officer with the Norfolk, Virginia Detachment of the United States Marine Reserves.

## JEROME J. "J. J." SALATA, Corporal

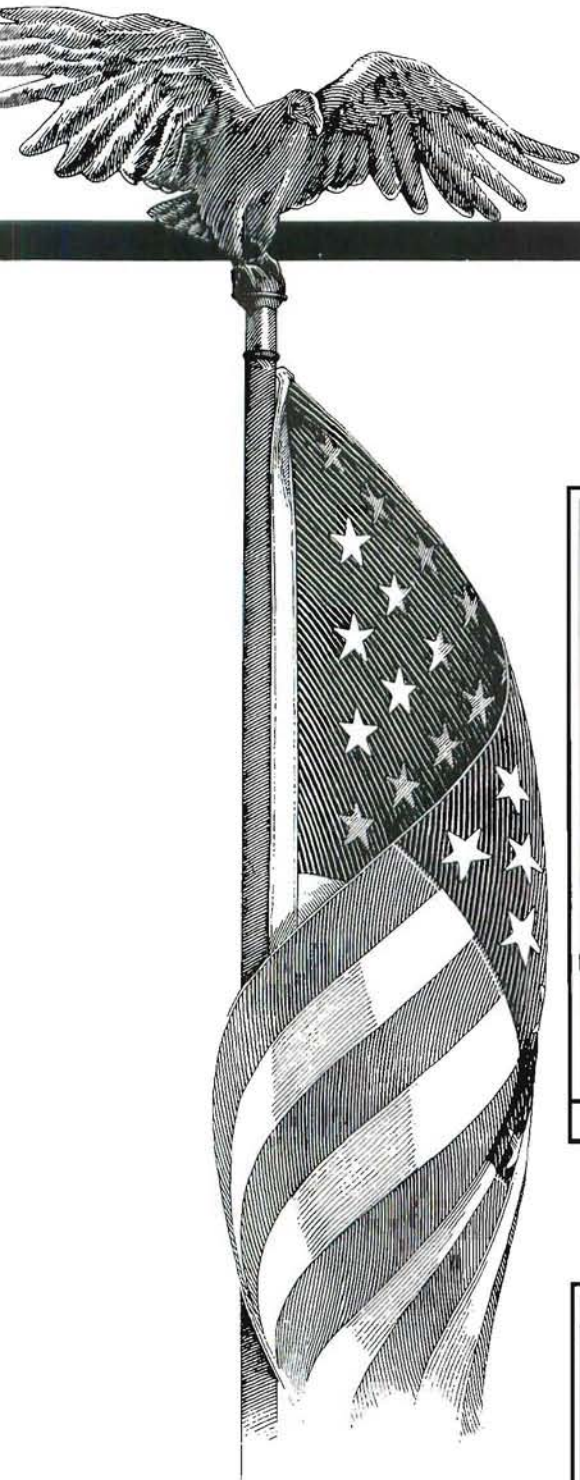
Corporal Salata served from March of 1953 until March of 1955 with the 82nd Army Band, 7th Army of the United States Army, and was stationed in Nurnberg, Germany. Born on January 28, 1934, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in Bayport where he presently resides. He was graduated from John Adams High School in 1952, and was a musician and a salesman following the service and until he retired. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal.

## JOSEPH V. SALENTINO, Technical Sergeant

Sergeant Salentino served with the 937th Ordnance Company of the United States Army from September of 1952 until August of 1954, and was stationed principally in Korea. He was born on February 4, 1932, and resides in Central Islip. Formerly of Brentwood, he was employed as a landscape gardener prior to and following the service. While in the Army he earned the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal.

## OTTO J. SALLE, F. P. 2nd Class

A longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. Salle was born on January 30, 1927, and was graduated from East Islip High School. He served aboard the U.S.S. Missouri, BB-63, of the United States Navy from 1944 until 1953. Following the service he was employed as a Heavy Equipment Operator for the Town of Islip, Department of Environmental Control. (Photograph unavailable.)



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NICHOLAS J. SALA



LAWRENCE E. SABATINO



JEROME J. "J. J." SALATA



JOSEPH V. SALENTINO

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## JAMIL "JIMMY" SALMAN, Sergeant

Formerly of New York City, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Salman was born on January 24, 1930, and was graduated from El Suerat High School, Aley, Lebanon, in 1947. He served from July of 1953 until August of 1956 with W Company, 2nd Battalion, 7th Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed mainly in Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. Following his separation from the service he was employed as a Passenger Service Agent at John F. Kennedy International Airport, Jamaica, New York.

## NICHOLAS P. SAMSOE, Sergeant

Originally from Jamaica, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Samsoe was born on December 16, 1937, and was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1954. He served from 1954 until 1957 with the 508th Airborne Combat Team of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, Japan, and Korea, and received the Jumpmaster Parachute Wings. He is employed with the Highway Division, Department of Public Works of the Town of Islip.

## WILLIAM SAMULIK, Boilerman 2nd Class

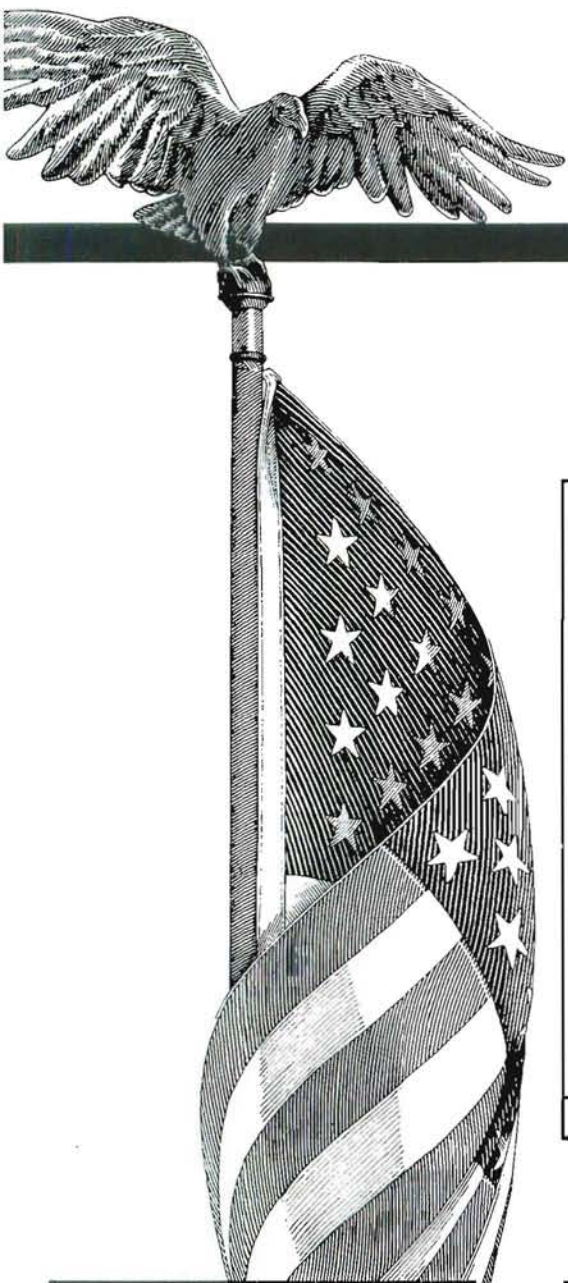
Formerly of Roosevelt, New York, and currently residing in the Village of Islandia, Mr. Samulik was born on April 16, 1935, and was graduated in 1952 from Hempstead High School. He served from July of 1952 until April of 1956 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Gwin, DM-33, the U.S.S. Hazelwood, DD-531, and aboard the U.S.S. Markab, AD-21. He was stationed in Charleston, South Carolina, and in Newport, Rhode Island, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He has been employed as a tractor trailer driver since his separation from the service.

## JOSE SANCHEZ, Specialist 4th Class

Born on October 8, 1914, Mr. Sanchez was originally from Aguada, Puerto Rico, and settled in Bay Shore. He served with A Company, 65th Infantry, 1st Battalion of the United States Army from September of 1943 until November of 1964. He earned the Bronze Star Medal and after the service was employed by the Brentwood School District until he passed away a few years ago.

## JOSEPH C. SANDA, Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Sanda served from December of 1950 until November of 1954 with the 344th Bomb Squadron, 98th Bombardment Wing, with the 509th Air Refueling Squadron, 509th Bomb Wing, and with the 506th Refueling Squadron, 506th Strategic Fighter Wing of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Yokota Air Force Base, Japan, Walker Air Force Base, New Mexico, and at Dow Air Force Base, Maine. Born on July 4, 1928, and formerly of Astoria, New York, he settled in Brentwood where he has resided since 1960. He was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades in 1946, and has been employed as an aircraft mechanic since his discharge. He earned the Korean, the United Nations, and the National Defense Service Medals, the Air and the Good Conduct Medals, and the Aircrew Member Badge.



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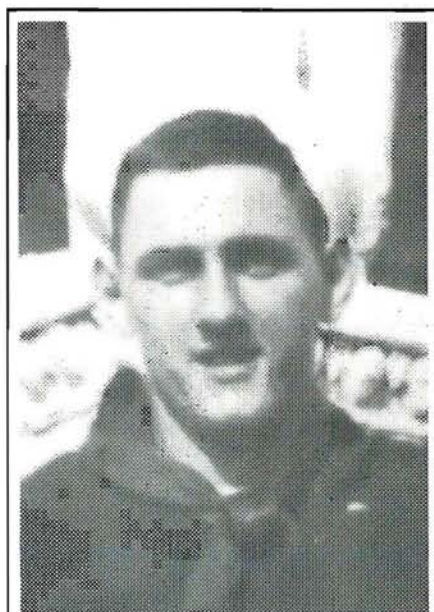
JAMIL "JIMMY" SALMAN



NICHOLAS P. SAMSOE



JOSEPH C. SANDA



WILLIAM SAMULIK



JOSE SANCHEZ

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## ROBERT A. T. SANFORD, Colonel

Colonel Sanford served from August of 1952 until April of 1955 primarily in Korea with H Company, 707th Ordnance Battalion, 7th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. He was born on March 7, 1933, is formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently resides in West Islip. He was graduated from Brooklyn Prep High School in 1950, and from St. John's University in 1959. After the service he was employed in banking.

## SAMUEL SANGIAMO, Corporal

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Holbrook, Mr. Sangiamo was born on September 25, 1931, and attended East New York Vocational High School. He served from January of 1952 until January of 1954 with the 7th Infantry Division, 17th Regiment of the United States Army, and was stationed at Triangle Hill, and at Pork Chop Hill in Korea. While in the service he earned the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a mechanic and is currently employed as a tractor trailer driver.

## DONALD W. SANGL, Corporal

Originally from Spirit Lake, Iowa, and presently residing in Hauppauge, Mr. Sangl was born on March 25, 1933. He was graduated from Sioux Valley High School in 1950. In 1960, he received his Bachelor of Science degree from the State University of Iowa, and his Master of Science degree from Long Island University in 1972. He served from April of 1953 until April of 1955 with the 44th Division of the United States Army, was stationed principally at Fort Lewis, Washington, and received the Good Conduct Medal. He is currently employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## RALPH SANTOS, JR., Corporal

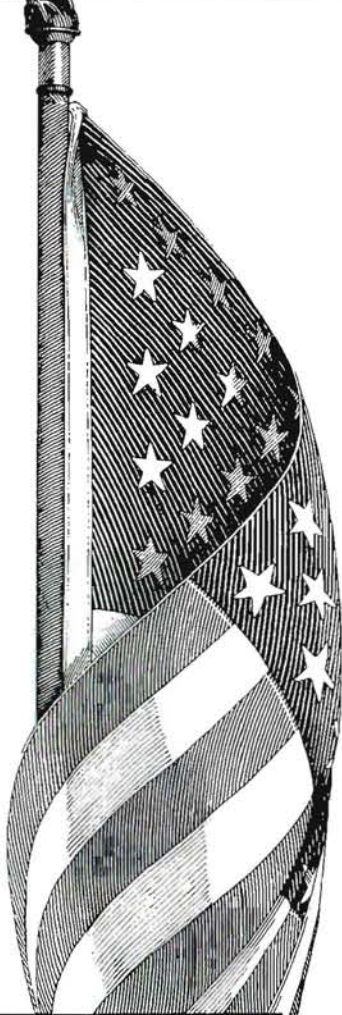
Corporal Santos served from February of 1952 until January of 1954 with the 40th Engineer Pipeline Company of the United States Army chiefly in France, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. Born on January 4, 1932, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated from Samuel Gompers High School, Bronx, and following the service was employed as a construction laborer and as a foreman.

## EUGENE SARACO, Sergeant

Born on April 26, 1930, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Saraco made his home in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He served from January of 1951 until January of 1954 with the 835th Engineer Aviation Battalion, H Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Pusan and Seoul, Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal and the United Nations Service Medal, and a Purple Heart. He was graduated from Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School, and attended Suffolk County Community College. After the service he was employed as a bookkeeper.



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ROBERT A. T. SANFORD



SAMUEL SANGIAMO



DONALD W. SANGL



RALPH SANTOS, JR.



EUGENE SARACO

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## ALVIN SATKOWITZ, Corporal

Born on January 20, 1932, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Satkowitz made his home in Central Islip. He attended Boys High School, Brooklyn, and was employed as a warehouseman after the service. He served from February of 1952 until February of 1954 with E Company, 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed chiefly in Korea.

## JOHN T. SAVITSKY, Private

Formerly of New York City, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Savitsky was born on January 8, 1932. He served with the engineers of the United States Army mainly in Montana and Indiana, from 1951 until 1952. He was graduated from Boys High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1950, and attended Brooklyn College as well. Following the service he was employed as a boatbuilder. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ENRICO SCARNATI, Sergeant

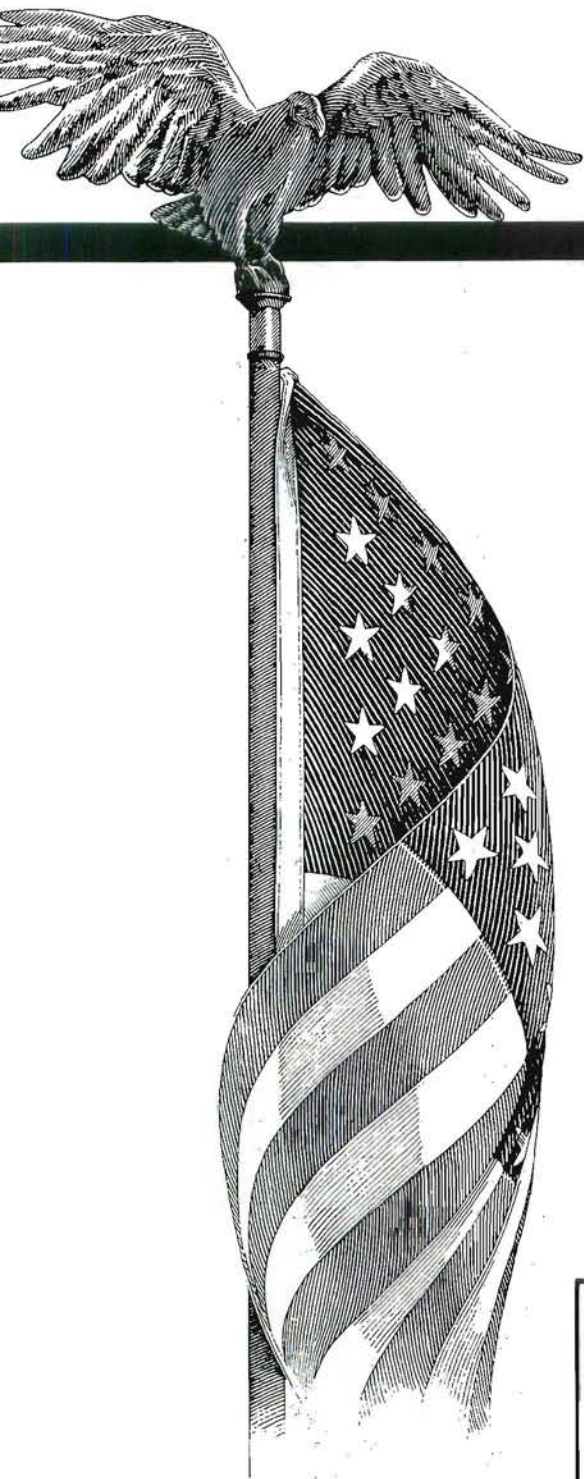
Sergeant Scarnati served from September of 1951 until September of 1955 with the 7373rd Air Depot Wing, 10th Air Police Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in France and Germany, and in the United States at Sampson Air Force Base, Camp Gordon, Floyd Air Force Base, and at Bennett Air Force Base. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. Born on May 26, 1930, and formerly of Rosedale, New York, he settled in Brentwood where he presently resides. He was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1950, and received his Bachelor of Business Administration in 1973 from St. John's University. Following his discharge from the service he was employed as a Salesman for Wyandotte Chemical Corporation. He remained in the Reserves until 1959. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALBERT J. SCERBO, Private

Private Scerbo served with the 2nd Division, 3rd Battalion of the United States Army from December of 1952 until December of 1954, and was stationed principally in Korea. Born on October 21, 1932, he resided in Islip Terrace before making his home in Sayville where he now resides. He was graduated from New Utrecht High School, and following the service owned Albert's Upholstering Company. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the United Nations Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal.

## WALTER SCHICK, Boiler Technician 3rd Class

Originally from Mount Vernon, New York, and presently residing in Bohemia, Mr. Schick was born on November 25, 1930, and was graduated from Bronx Vocational High School in 1949. He served from March of 1951 until March of 1955 aboard the U.S.S. Bordelon, DDR-881, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in the Atlantic Ocean and in the Mediterranean Sea. He received commendations for meritorious performance of duty while in the service, and following his discharge was employed as a glazer.



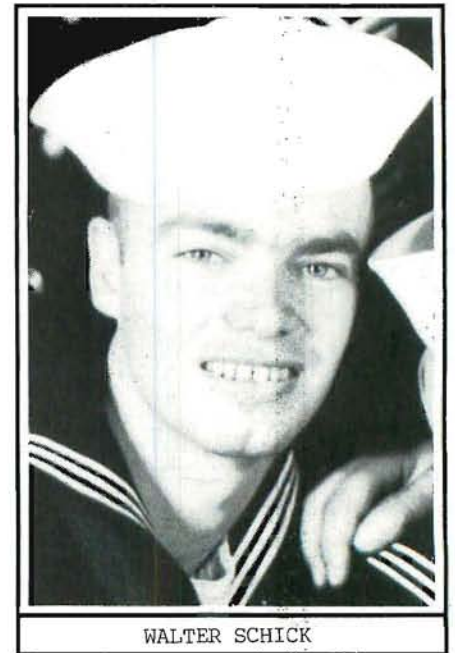
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ALVIN SATKOWITZ



ALBERT J. SCERBO



WALTER SCHICK



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## AL SCHIPS, Sergeant

Sergeant Schips served from November of 1952 until August of 1954 with the 115th Medical Battalion, 40th Infantry Division, I Corps of the United States Army Medical Corps, and was stationed chiefly in To Go Ri, Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation as well. Born on December 5, 1930, and formerly of Albany, New York, he settled in Oakdale where he has resided since 1978. He was graduated from Philip Schuyler High School in 1948, and in 1952 from SUNY at Utica. Following the service he was employed as a store manager, and is currently a store owner.

## ROCCO SCHIRALDI, Corporal

A Bay Shore resident since 1963, and formerly of Ozone Park, New York, Mr. Schiraldi was born on July 14, 1930, and was graduated from East New York Vocational High School in 1948. He served from January of 1951 until January of 1954 with the 369th Boat and Shore Regiment, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Korea, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal.

## ROBERT M. SCHLICHTER, Private 1st Class

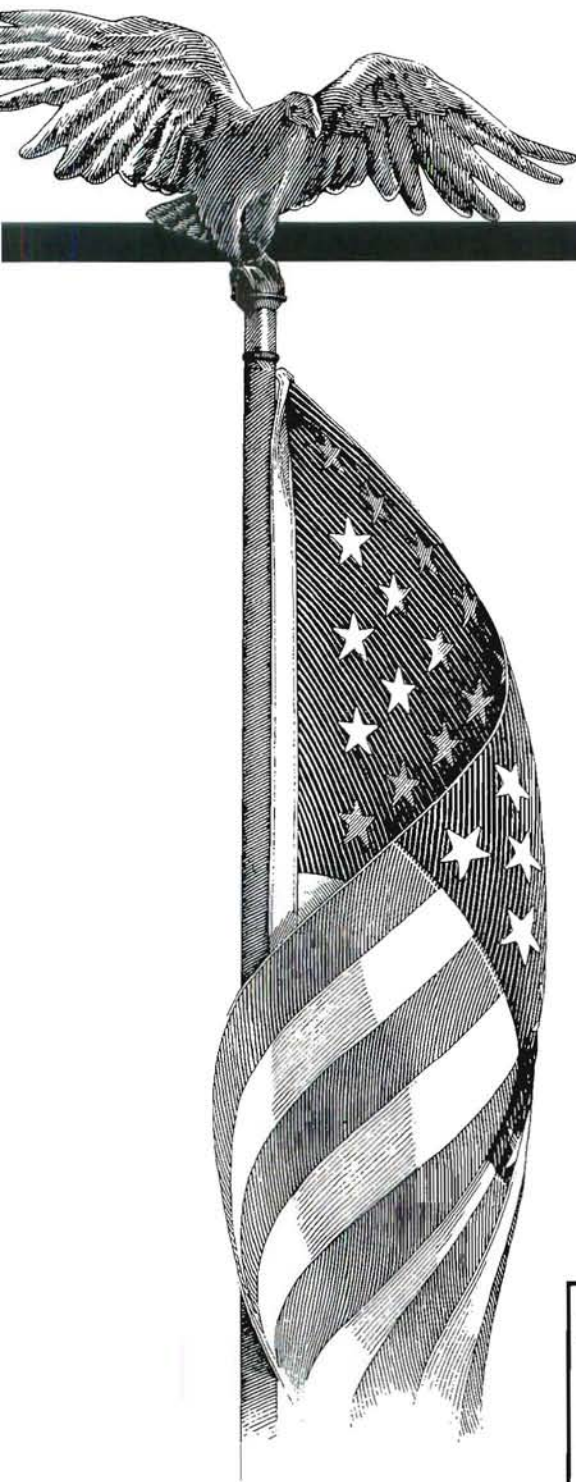
Born on May 2, 1934, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Schlichter made his home in Sayville where he presently resides. He attended Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades, and received his Equivalency Diploma while in the service. He served with the 969th FA Battalion, 8th Armored Division of the United States Army from October of 1953 until October of 1956, and was stationed at Freedom Gate Bridge. He has been employed with Western Electric for more than 27 years. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM F. SCHMALACKER, Master Sergeant

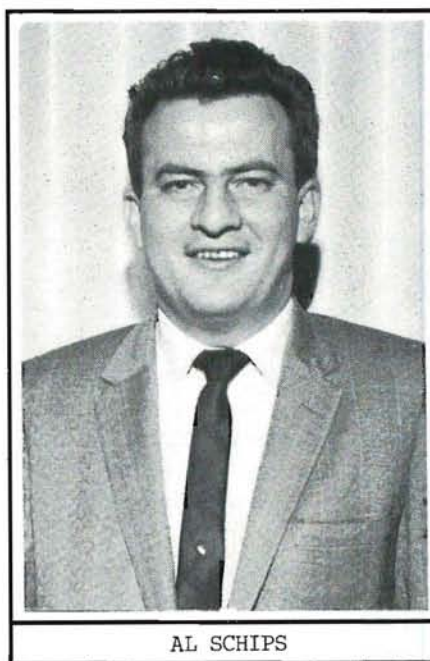
A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Schmalacker was born on October 9, 1929, and attended Bay Shore High School. He served from March of 1951 until December of 1952 with the 2nd Mortar Battalion, 2nd Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Inchon, Pusan, and Chosin, Korea. He is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal as well as a Purple Heart. Following his separation he was employed as a Radio Dispatcher for the Town of Islip Department of Public Works. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE M. SCHMIDT, Sergeant

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Schmidt was born on September 2, 1931, and attended Franklin K. Lane High School. He served from January of 1952 until December of 1953 with E Company, 9th Regimental Combat Team, 2nd Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Virginia, and in Korea as well. While in the service he earned the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Korean Service Medal with five Battle Stars. He is currently a storekeeper in the Brentwood Public School District.



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GEORGE M. SCHMIDT

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## HERMAN "MIKE" SCHMUCKER, Staff Sergeant

A longtime resident of Islip Terrace, Mr. Schmucker was born on October 9, 1933, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1952. He also attended Weber State College, Ogden, Utah. He served with the United States Air Force chiefly in Iwo Jima, Japan, at Hill Air Force Base, and Bytheville Air Force Base, from February of 1953 until February of 1957. Following the service he was employed as a machine parts inspector. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ARTHUR C. SCHNAPP, ENGINEMAN

Originally from Elmhurst, New York, and born on April 10, 1933, Mr. Schnapp made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated from Newtown High School in 1951, and from Teterboro School of Aeronautics in 1956. He served aboard the U.S.S. Stickleback, SS-415, and aboard the U.S.S. Ronquil, SS-396, of the United States Navy from September of 1951 until February of 1954, and was stationed in Yokosuka, Japan, and in San Diego, California. He is merited with the Korean Campaign Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. Following his discharge he was employed as an airline maintenance manager. While in the service his duties included submarine patrol off the coast of Korea and Lifeguard Duty in which he assisted downed U.S. aircraft in Korean waters.

## JOSEPH H. SCHNAPPAUF, Seaman

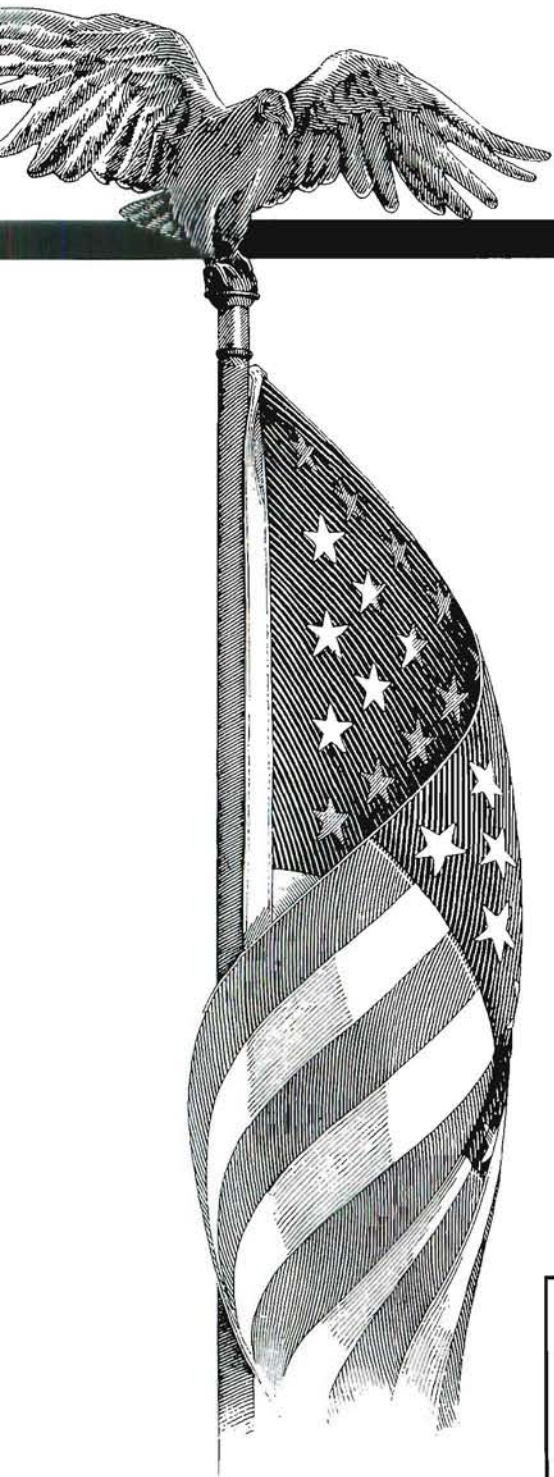
Seaman Schnappauf served from October of 1951 until September of 1955 aboard the U.S.S. Kula Gulf of the United States Navy, was stationed mainly at Norfolk, Virginia, and earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean Service Medal. Born on August 28, 1932, and formerly of Bellmore, New York, he settled in Brentwood where he now resides. He was graduated from Holy Trinity High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1949, and after his discharge was employed as a police officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## EDWIN C. SCHNEIDER, SR., Airman 1st Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Schneider was born on April 1, 1932, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1950. He served with the 6934th RSM of the United States Air Force from May of 1952 until May of 1956, and was stationed at Sampson Air Force Base, New York, at Kelly Air Force Base, Army Language School, California, and at Wheelus Air Field in North Africa. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. While in the service he acted as a Russian Language Interpreter, and is now employed with the Town of Islip's Office of Traffic Safety.

## ROBERT J. SCHNEIDER, Corporal

Corporal Schneider served from March of 1952 until March of 1954 with the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed principally in Quantico, Virginia. He resided in Bay Shore before making his home in East Islip. He was born on August 1, 1926, and was graduated from Bishop Loughlin Memorial High School, Lynbrook, New York, in 1944, and attended Rennsalaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York, and Manhattan College, Bronx, New York, and was graduated from Hofstra University in 1961 with a Bachelor of Business Administration. Following the service he was employed as a Switchman for New York Telephone Company.



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ARTHUR C. SCHNAPP



ROBERT J. SCHNEIDER



EDWIN C. SCHNEIDER, SR.

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## HERBERT SCHOEN, Private 1st Class

Born on July 19, 1934, formerly of Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Schoen was settled in Brentwood where he has resided since 1967. He was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School, Ridgewood, in 1952, and attended classes at New York Institute of Technology. He served from October of 1954 until August of 1956 with the 50th AAA Battalion, 8th Army, H Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Wolmi-Do at Inchon Harbor, Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and was employed as an auditor after the service.

## RALPH SCHOENE, Private 1st Class

Formerly of New York City, and presently residing in Hauppauge, Mr. Schoene was born on February 9, 1928, and was graduated from Chelsea Vocational High School in 1946. He served from September of 1950 until June of 1952 with H Company, 27th Infantry Regiment of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge and the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars. He has been employed as a meat cutter since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE E. SCHULTHEISS, Corporal

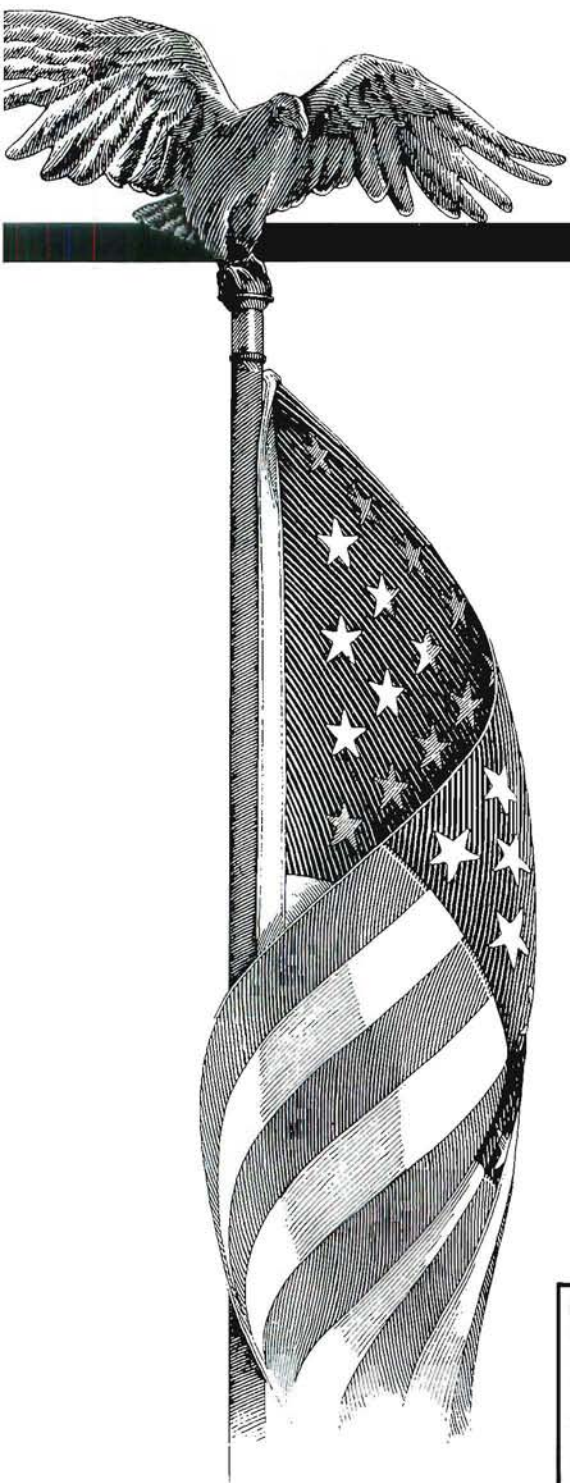
A 1948 graduate of Newtown High School, and formerly of Queens Village, New York, Mr. Schultheiss was born on December 30, 1931, and presently resides in Bay Shore. He served from January of 1952 until January of 1954 with the KMAG, 7th Regiment, 6th Republic of Korea Division of the United States Army, Signal Corp, and was stationed in Korea at the central front. While in the service he earned the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal as well. Following the service he was employed as a landscape contractor.

## ALFRED L. SCHULTZ, Master Sergeant

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Schultz was born on February 22, 1909, and is also a veteran of World War II. At the time of his World War II enlistment, he resided in East Islip. In 1969 he made his home in Hauppauge, where he resided until he passed away on July 2, 1974. He served for a total of 38 years and received many awards during that time. He was graduated from Bishop Loughlin High School, and was employed as an engineer prior to and following his years of service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## PITMAN S. SCHULTZ, Corporal

Corporal Schultz served from May of 1953 until May of 1955 with the 3rd Infantry Regiment of the Presidential Honor Guard of the United States Army at Fort Myer, Virginia. He served as a Guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Arlington National Cemetery, and performed in many military ceremonial functions for the United States State Department. Formerly of Brentwood, and presently residing in Islip, he was born on July 31, 1933. He was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1951, and from SUNY at Brockport in 1959. Prior to the service he was employed as a Meter Reader for the Long Island Lighting Company, and after his discharge worked as a Physical Education Teacher, as a football and baseball coach, and finally as a sportswriter and radio personality for radio station WALK, Patchogue, New York.



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HERBERT SCHOEN



GEORGE E. SCHULTHEISS



PITMAN S. SCHULTZ

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## RUSSELL H. SCHULTZ, Lieutenant Junior Grade

Born on October 14, 1926, and formerly of Babylon, New York, Mr. Schultz made his home in West Islip where he now resides. He served from February of 1952 until February of 1954 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Oglethorpe, AKA-100, and with the Office of Naval Shipbuilding in New York. A World War II veteran as well, he was stationed in the Atlantic Ocean and the Caribbean Sea, and received the Atlantic and Pacific Theatre Medals, and the Korean Service Medal. He was graduated from Christopher Columbus High School in 1944, from Cornell University in 1948, in 1959 from Hofstra University, and is employed as an engineering distributor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## NORMAN W. SCHULZ, Private

Born on August 12, 1929, and formerly of Ronkonkoma, Mr. Schulz settled in West Islip. He served as a Dump Truck Operator in the United States Army, and was stationed primarily at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. He was employed with the Long Island Lighting Company as a power lines worker after his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GERALD W. SCHUSTER, Corporal

Corporal Schuster served with the United States Army from May of 1952 until May of 1954, and was stationed principally in Japan. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. Born on August 6, 1931, and formerly of North Babylon, he presently resides in Bayport. He was graduated from Babylon High School in 1949, and after the service was employed as a supermarket clerk. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HENRY SCHWARTZ, Seaman

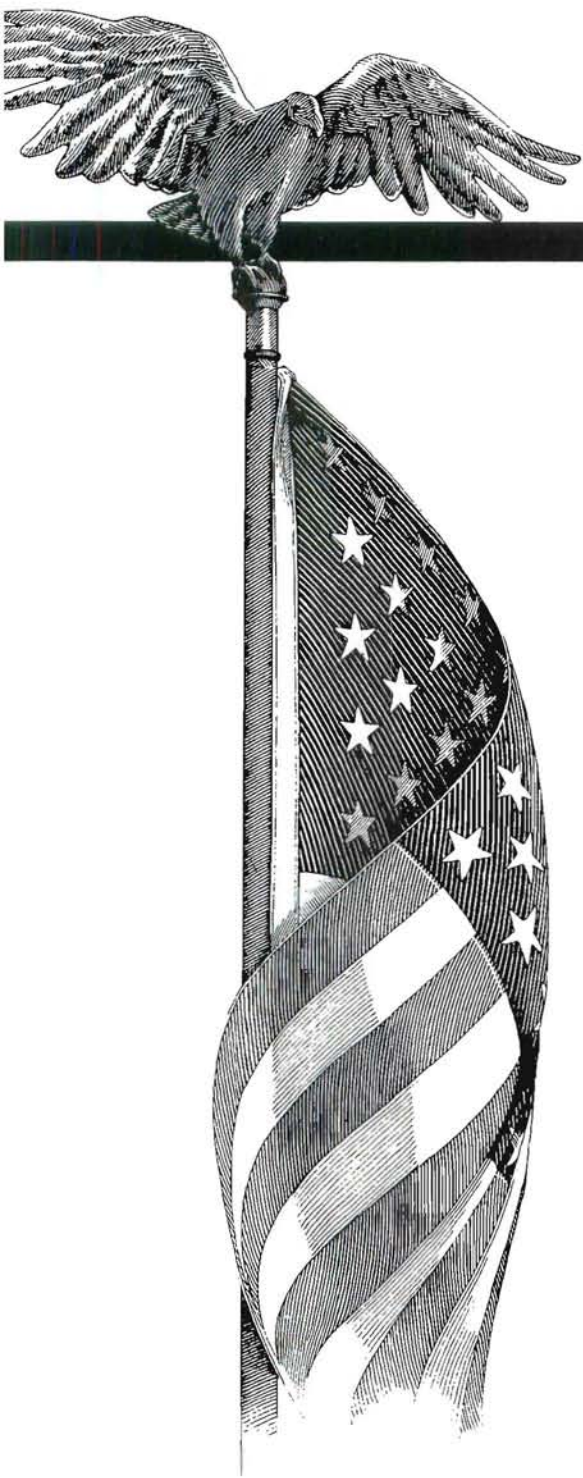
Formerly of Jamaica, New York, and born on December 4, 1933, Mr. Schwartz made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He served from February of 1952 until February of 1956 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Henley, aboard the U.S.S. Stribling, DD-867, and aboard the U.S.S. Sierra, AD-18, and was stationed primarily at Norfolk, Virginia. He attended Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School, and following his discharge was employed as a tool maker and machinist. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal.

## GORDON A. SCHWARZER, Corporal

Born on October 12, 1933, and a longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. Schwarzer attended Islip High School, and is currently the owner of Islip Marine Center, Inc., in Islip. He served from May of 1953 until May of 1955 with the Presidential Guard, E Company, 2nd Battalion, 3rd Infantry Regiment of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Washington, D.C.

## WILLIAM J. SCHWEIZER, Private 1st Class

Private Schweizer served with the 48th Engineer Topographical Battalion of the United States Army primarily at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, from February of 1953 until February of 1955, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. Born on September 29, 1932, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in West Islip where he now resides. He attended Bushwick High School, and following his separation from the service was employed as a lithographer. (Photograph unavailable.)



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GORDON A. SCHWARZER



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## JOSEPH E. SCHWORK, Staff Sergeant

Originally from Catasauqua, Pennsylvania, Mr. Schwork was born on August 14, 1932, and resides in Brentwood. He was graduated from Allentown Central Catholic High School, Allentown, Pennsylvania, in 1950, and attended C.W. Post College. He served from March of 1951 until March of 1955 with the 149th Bomber Group of the United States Air Force mainly in Korea, and earned the Good Conduct Medal, and the Korean, National Defense, and United Nations Service Medals. After the service he was employed as a sheetmetal worker.

## LEONARD A. SCIMEMI, Private 1st Class

Originally from South Ozone Park, New York, and presently residing in Islip, Mr. Scimemi was born on January 23, 1932, and was graduated from Brooklyn High School of Automotive Trades. He served from February of 1952 until January of 1954 with the 4th AAA Battalion of the 32nd Brigade of the United States Army, and was stationed in England. He is currently employed as a machinist.

## SAMUEL SCORNAIENCHI, Sergeant

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and born on April 17, 1929, Mr. Scornaienchi made his home in West Sayville where he has resided since 1966. He was graduated from Franklin K. Lane High School in 1948, and was employed as a production manager following the service. He served from May of 1951 until May of 1953 with the 25th Infantry Division, 35th Regiment, 2nd Medical Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and earned the Combat Infantry Badge. He was also a part of the infantry company that was assigned to protect President-elect Eisenhower when he visited Korea in 1952.

## JOTHAM L. SCOTT, Chief Radioman

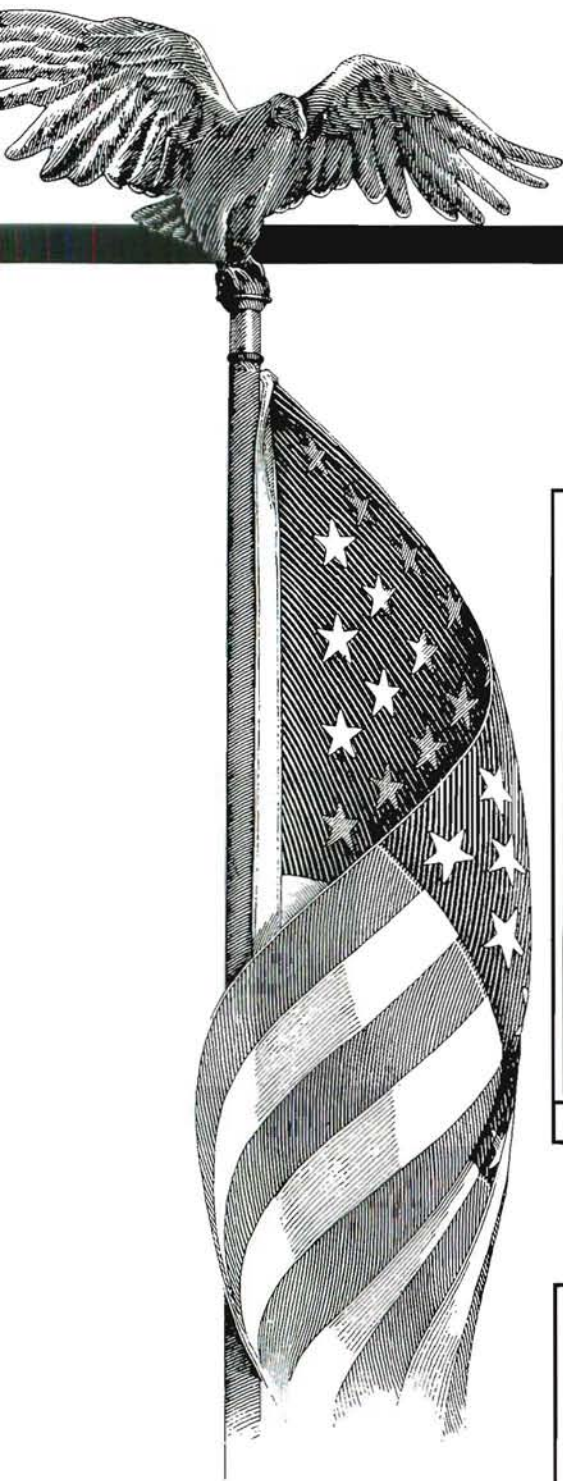
A 1941 graduate of Central Islip High School, Mr. Scott was born on October 20, 1922, and resided in Central Islip before making his home in Islip. He served from November of 1950 until January of 1953 with Beachmaster Unit #1, of the United States Navy, was stationed in Japan, and earned the United Nations and the Korean Service Medals. He is now retired. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WINSTON E. SCOTT, Corporal

Born on July 23, 1923, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Scott made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He served with D Battery, 144th AAA Battalion of the United States Army from January of 1953 until January of 1955, was stationed chiefly at Fort Lewis, Washington, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as an electrical assembler.

## JOHN J. SCULLY, Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Scully served from August of 1951 until April of 1953 with the 64th Air Division, 52nd Fighter Wing, 106th Aircraft Control and Warning Squadron of the Northeast Air Command of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Pepperell Air Force Base, Newfoundland. Born on November 14, 1929, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he presently resides in Bayport. He was graduated from St. Francis Prep High School in 1947, and from Fordham University in 1951. He has been employed as an accountant since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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## THEODORE R. SENDZUK, Specialist 3rd Class

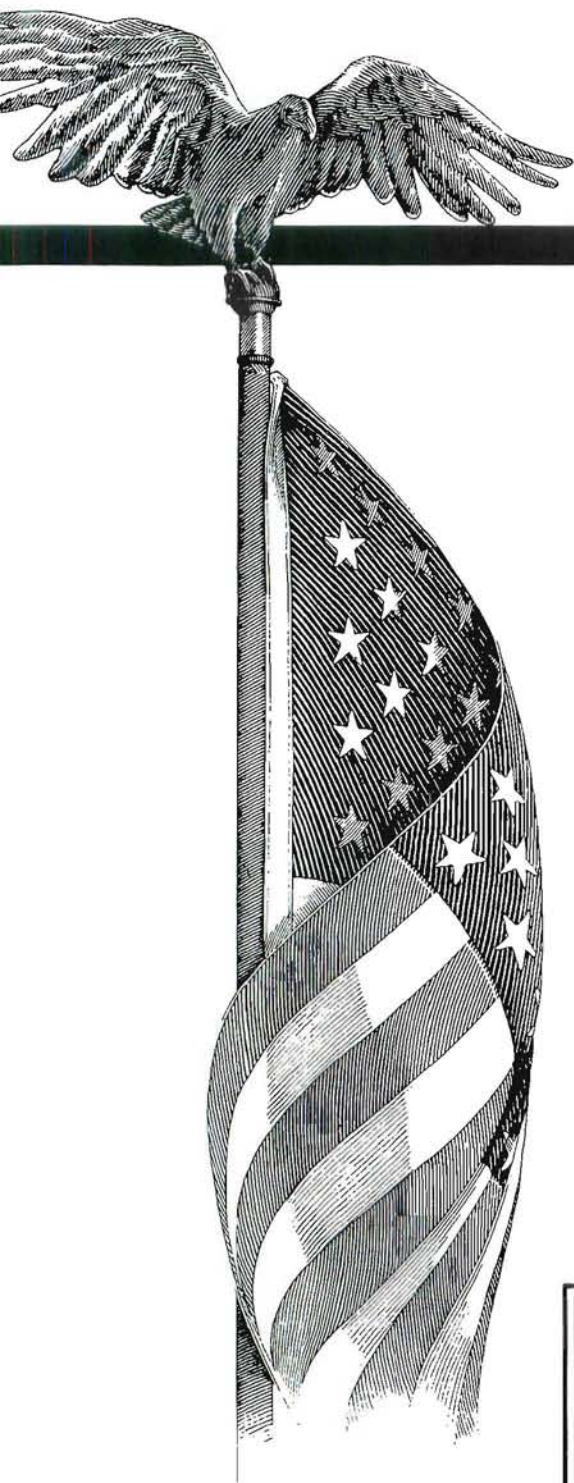
A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Sendzuk was born on December 24, 1933, and was graduated from Babylon High School in 1951. He served with the Rycom Ordnance Service of the United States Army primarily in Okinawa, Japan, and with the Far East Command, from January of 1954 until December of 1955. While in the service he earned the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. After his separation from the Army he was employed as an automobile mechanic and as a service writer.

## JOSEPH SFRAGA, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Sfraga was born on September 16, 1931. He served primarily at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and in Korea with B Battery, 80th Airborne, AA Battalion, 82nd Airborne Division of the United States Army from June of 1951 until June of 1954. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. Following the service he was employed as a carpenter.

## GEORGE E. SHANNON, Specialist 3rd Class

Formerly of Farmingdale, New York, Mr. Shannon was born on June 22, 1932, and resides in West Islip. He served from April of 1954 until January of 1956 with the United States Army, primarily in Puerto Rico, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. He was graduated from Farmingdale High School in 1949, and from Pace University in 1953, and was employed in business since the service.



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THEODORE R. SENDZUK



JOSEPH SFRAGA



GEORGE E. SHANNON

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## HAROLD J. SHANNON, Corporal

Born on September 25, 1928, and formerly of Hollis, New York, Mr. Shannon made his home in West Sayville where he presently resides. He was graduated from Andrew Jackson High School in 1945. He served from November of 1950 until November of 1952 with the 377th TMP of the United States Army mainly at Camp Bevens, Fort Devens, and at Camp Kilmer. After the service he was employed as a sales manager for an oil company.

## JEROME SHARP, Staff Sergeant

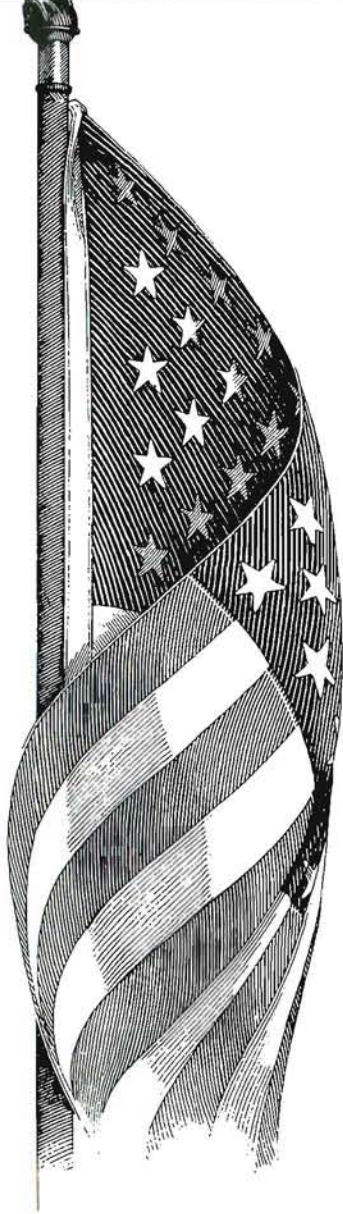
Sergeant Sharp served from March of 1952 until March of 1956 with the 814th Supply Squadron of the Strategic Air Command of the United States Air Force and was stationed at Spokane Air Force Base, Washington, and in Guam as well. Formerly of Richmond Hill, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, he was born on July 19, 1932, and was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School in 1951. He has been employed with the Long Island Rail Road since his discharge from the Air Force.

## JAMES A. SHAUGHNESSY, Corporal

A 1946 graduate of Bay Shore High School, Mr. Shaughnessy was born on September 12, 1928. He resided in Bay Shore before making his home in Brightwaters where he presently resides. He served with the United States Marine Corps chiefly at Norfolk, Virginia, from March of 1952 until March of 1954, and earned the National Defense Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a concrete foreman.



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## WILLIAM H. SHAW, Corporal

Corporal Shaw served from January of 1951 until December of 1952 with the 109th Infantry Regiment, 28th Division of the United States Army, was stationed principally in Germany, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. Formerly of Woodhaven, New York, and currently residing in Brentwood, he was born on January 13, 1929, and was graduated from Holy Trinity High School, Brooklyn, New York. He was employed in sales after the service, and is presently employed in law enforcement.

## DONALD J. SHEEHAN, Captain

Born on September 10, 1933, and formerly of Blue Point, Mr. Sheehan made his home in Bayport where he presently resides. He served with the United States Marine Corps, and after the service was employed as an Engineer for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. He was graduated from Patchogue High School, and attended the State University of New York, and Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DAVID W. SHERIDAN, Private 1st Class

Originally from Jamaica, New York, and born on November 26, 1928, Mr. Sheridan settled in Central Islip where he now resides. He served from November of 1950 until August of 1952 with the 2nd Division, 23rd Regiment, 1st Battalion, B Company of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Korea, and is merited with the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Combat Infantry Badge, and a Purple Heart. He attended Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School, and is currently employed as a Senior Electrical Installer for Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## JOHN J. SHERIDAN, Staff Sergeant

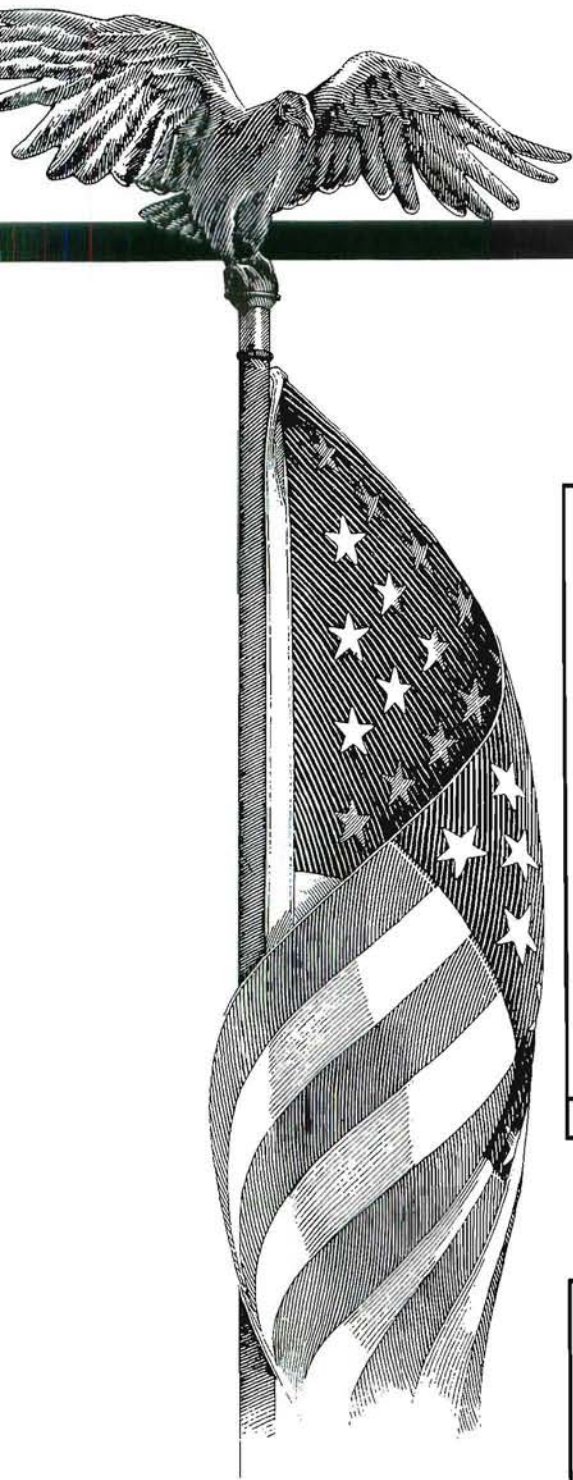
Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Sheridan was born on May 7, 1932. He served with the United States Air Force, principally at Fairchild Air Force Base, Washington, and in Rome, New York, from September of 1950 until June of 1960. He was employed as an electronic technician after the service.

## WILLIAM SHULL, Seaman 1st Class

Seaman Shull served from January of 1951 until January of 1955 aboard the U.S.S. McCay Reynolds, DE-440, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in China, Japan, and in Korea as well. He was born on January 13, 1932, and resided in Muncie, Indiana before making his home in West Islip where he presently resides. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the China Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. He was graduated from high school in 1950, and following the service was employed as a retail salesman. (Photograph unavailable.)

## LOUIS T. SIANI, Gunners Mate 2nd Class

A resident of Brooklyn, New York, before settling in Sayville, Mr. Siani was born on February 27, 1931, and was graduated from Manual Training High School in 1949. He served aboard the U.S.S. Belle Grove, LSD-2, and aboard the U.S.S. Fort Marion, LSD-22, of the United States Navy from 1951 until 1955, and was stationed mainly in San Diego, California, and in Norfolk, Virginia. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. After the service he was employed with a brokerage house.



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## ANTHONY SIERZANT, Private 1st Class

Private Sierzant served with the 349th TC of the United States Army from October of 1950 until October of 1952, and was stationed principally in Germany. Formerly of New York City, and born on August 3, 1928, he made his home in Brentwood, and was graduated from Seward Park High School in 1946. Following the service he was employed as a construction carpenter until 1955, and in 1960 he began working for the United States Postal Service.

## EDWARD P. SILVERMAN, Private 1st Class

Born on April 2, 1934, and formerly of Richmond Hill, New York, Mr. Silverman settled in West Islip where he has resided since 1968. He served from August of 1953 until September of 1955 with C Company, 2nd Infantry Division of the United States Army primarily in Korea, and is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, the Good Conduct Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. He was graduated from Richmond Hill High School in 1952, and following the service was employed as an automotive sales manager and then as an executive salesman.

## VINCENT SIMEONE, Corporal

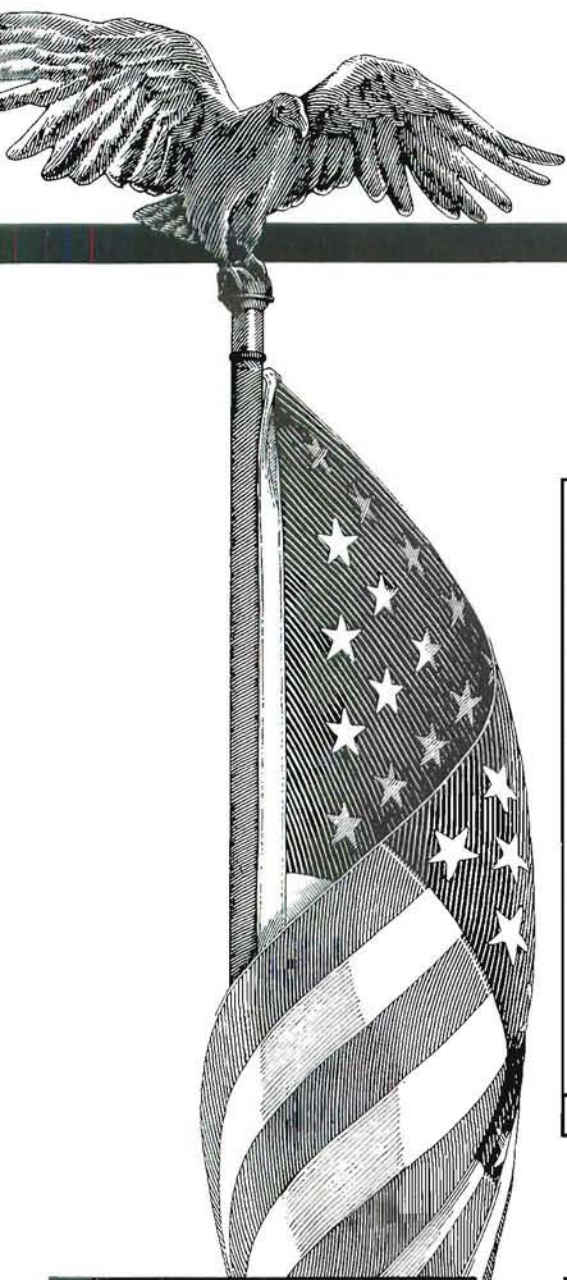
A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Simeone was born on April 5, 1932, and was graduated from Samuel Gompers High School in 1950. He served with the 10th Infantry Division, H Company, and the Honor Guard Platoon to President Eisenhower in 1954, from May of 1953 until April of 1955, and was stationed chiefly at Fort Riley, Kansas. After the service he was employed as a printer.

## JOHN J. SINNOTT, Lieutenant Commander

Formerly of Bay Shore, and presently residing in Islip, Mr. Sinnott was born on August 9, 1914, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1933. He served from July of 1950 until February of 1954 with the Staff Commander Naval Forces, Far East Naval Communications Facility of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Japan and in Korea. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and following the service was employed with the United States Postal Service. While in the Navy he was a member of the Naval Honors Guard, and served at the departure of General Douglas MacArthur from Japan in April of 1951.

## ROBERT D. SIVORI, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist Sivori served from November of 1949 until February of 1953 with the 26th Infantry Regiment, 2nd Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Germany, and earned various medals. Born on July 10, 1931, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he presently resides in Brentwood. He was graduated from William E. Grady High School in 1949 and from New York City Community College in 1957. Following the service he was employed in construction.



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ANTHONY SIERZANT



EDWARD P. SILVERMAN



VINCENT SIMEONE



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ROBERT D. SIVORI

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## N. ROBERT SKAGGS, Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Skaggs served with the 1st Airways and Air Communications Squadron of the United States Air Force, from December of 1951 until September of 1955, was stationed in Japan, the Philippines, Korea, and in the United States, and earned the Distinguished Unit Citation and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on April 12, 1932, and formerly of Buena Vista, Virginia, he settled in Bayport where he presently resides. He was graduated from Forest Hills High School in 1950, attended the University of Arkansas for two years, and was graduated from Dowling College in 1975. Following the service he was employed as an Air Traffic Controller. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM J. SLAVIK, Sergeant

Originally from East Islip, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Slavik was born on October 25, 1933, and attended East Islip High School. He served with A Company, 1st Battalion, 5th Marines of the United States Marine Corps from December of 1952 until December of 1956, and was stationed in Inchon, Korea, and at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a mail carrier in the Flight Department of Grumman Aerospace Corporation, and then as Vice President of Camp Systems.

## DONALD E. SMATLAK, Airman 1st Class

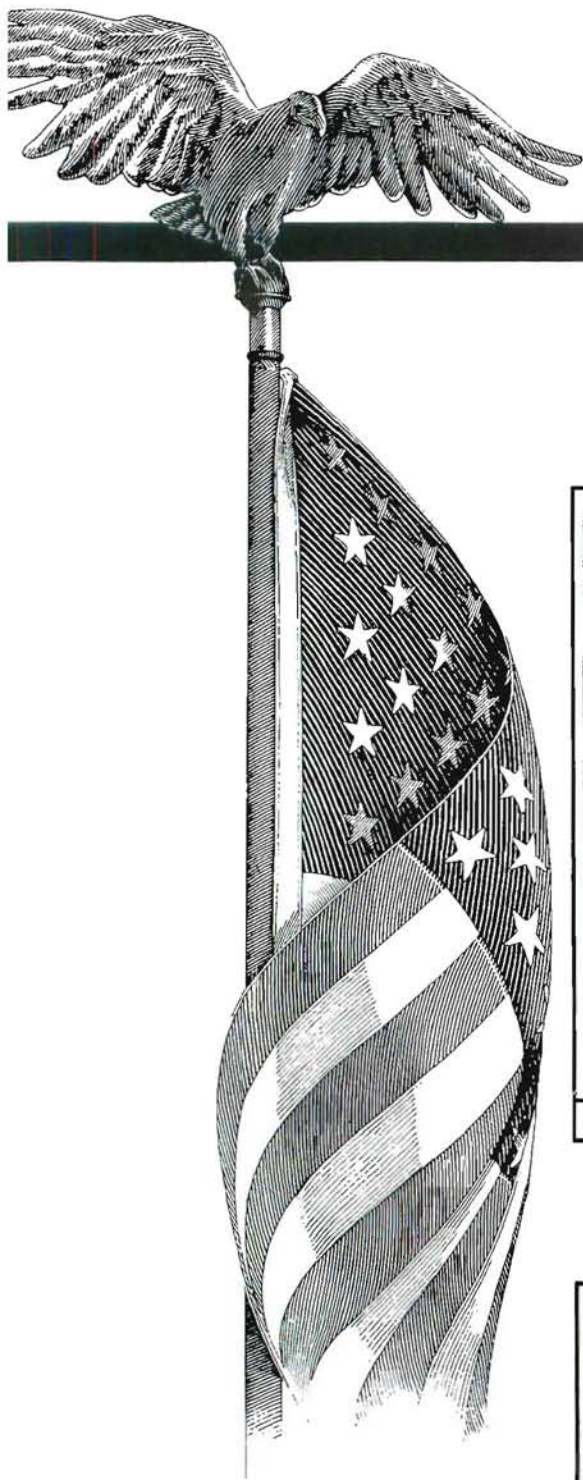
Formerly of Hicksville, New York, Mr. Smatlak was born on January 9, 1930, and settled in Central Islip where he presently resides. He served with the 452nd Fighter-Bomber Wing of the United States Air Force from July of 1950 until March of 1954, and was stationed in Japan, Korea, and in Saudi Arabia. In 1950 he was graduated from Hicksville High School, Hicksville, and after the service was employed as an inspector and as an aircraft mechanic. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, a Battle Star, the Korean Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well.

## ALFRED SMITH, Boatswain Mate 1st Class

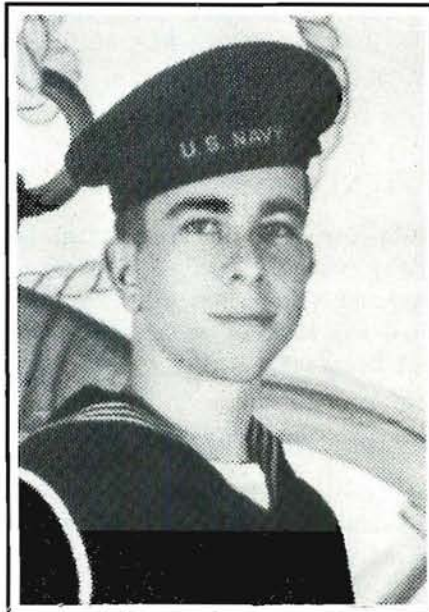
Born on March 14, 1920, and formerly of Levittown, New York, Mr. Smith made his home in West Islip where he has resided since 1977. He was graduated from Freeport High School in 1948, and attended the University of Alabama for two years. Also a veteran of World War II, he served from 1950 until 1951 aboard the U.S.S. Adromeda, AKA-15, of the United States Navy. He is merited with the American Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Korean Presidential Unit Citation. After the service he was employed as a licensed boat operator of fishing boats.

## DONALD J. SMITH, Boatswain Mate 3rd Class

Presently residing in Bay Shore, and formerly of Queens Village, New York, Mr. Smith was born on October 1, 1930. He attended Andrew Jackson Vocational High School and Brentwood High School, and is currently employed as an Electronic Technician for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. He served from April of 1951 until May of 1953 with the United States Navy, primarily in New London, Connecticut, and earned the Good Conduct Medal.



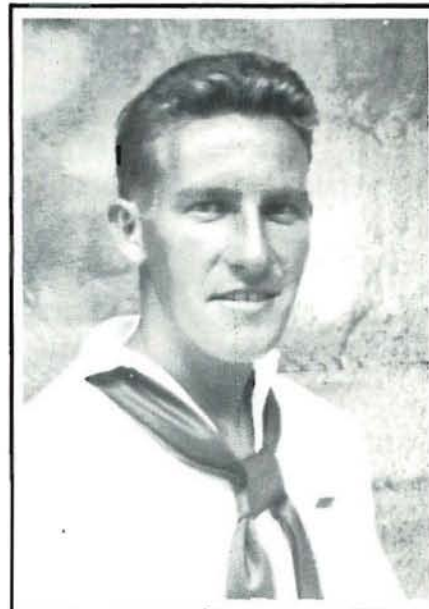
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DONALD J. SMITH



WILLIAM J. SLAVIK



ALFRED SMITH



DONALD E. SMATLAK



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## DONALD L. SMITH, Private 1st Class

Originally from Rockville Center, New York, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Smith was born on September 7, 1935. In 1953 he was graduated from Southside High School, Rockville Center, and from Hofstra University in 1960. He served from September of 1953 until September of 1956 with H Company, 2nd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps. He has been employed as a newspaper reporter since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ERNEST D. SMITH, Flight Navigator

Born on September 12, 1930, formerly of Farmingdale, New York, Mr. Smith made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He served from September of 1947 until September of 1951 with the United States Navy, and was stationed chiefly in the Atlantic Ocean, and in Florida as well. Following the service he was employed with Liberty Aircraft, and with the Farmingdale Public School District.

## FRANCIS X. SMITH, Sergeant

Sergeant Smith served with the United States Army from August of 1952 until August of 1954. Originally from St. Albans, New York, he settled in Sayville where he has resided since 1974. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RAYMOND SMITH, Damage Control 2nd Class

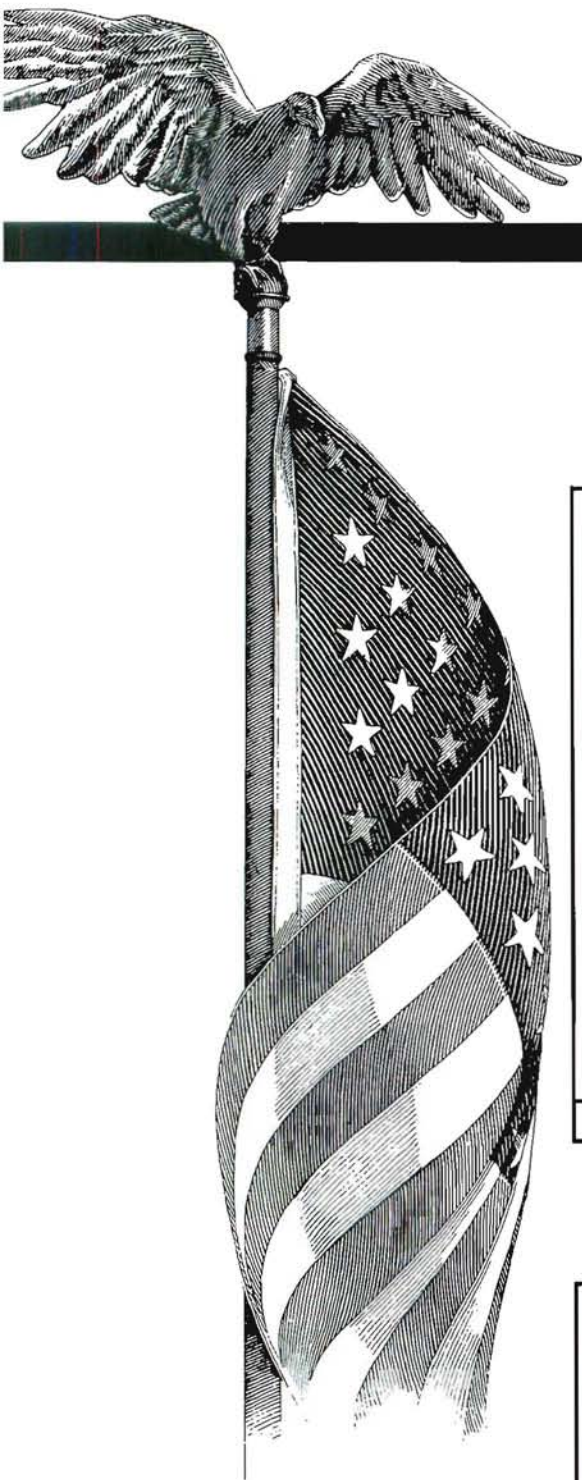
A resident of Ronkonkoma before making his home in East Islip where he presently resides, Mr. Smith was born on March 19, 1932, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1950. He served from December of 1951 until December of 1955 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Deliver, ARS-23, and was stationed in Japan, Korea, and in Pearl Harbor as well. He received the National Defense, the Korean, and the United Nations Service Medals. He was employed as a tree foreman for Asplund Tree Company after the service, and is currently employed as a maintenance mechanic at LaSalle Military Academy.

## ERNEST J. SMOKER, Sergeant

Sergeant Smoker served from October of 1950 until September of 1952 with the 475th Yokohama Engineer Depot of the United States Army, was stationed in the United States and in Japan, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the Korean Service Medal. Born on April 16, 1928, and formerly of Richmond Hill, New York, he settled in West Islip where he now resides. He was graduated in 1947 from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School, from Hofstra University in 1961, and is currently employed as an Automotive Operation Supervisor for New York Telephone Company.

## JAMES F. SOHN, Master Sergeant

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Bohemia, Mr. Sohn was born on August 8, 1917, and was graduated from Bushwick High School in 1934. A veteran of World War II as well, he served from October of 1950 until May of 1952 with the United States Navy with the 442nd Troop Carrier Wing, and was stationed in Japan, Korea, and in the United States. He received the American and the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medals, the Armed Forces Reserve Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and the Korean, United Nations, and National Defense Service Medal.



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ERNEST D. SMITH



RAYMOND SMITH



ERNEST J. SMOKER



JAMES F. SOHN



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## ROBERT H. SORENSEN, SR., Corporal

Born on September 11, 1933, and formerly of Babylon, New York, Mr. Sorensen made his home in Bohemia where he presently resides. He served from June of 1953 until May of 1955 with Headquarters, 5th Chemical Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed principally at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. He was graduated from Babylon High School in 1951, and following the service he was employed with the New York State Police. He had been the commander of the American Legion Post #1824 from 1977 through 1981.

## MILTON E. SOUKUP, Corporal

Technician 5/c Soukup began serving in April of 1946 with the 200th Quartermaster Battalion of the United States Army and was stationed in the Aleutian Islands, Alaska. Born on February 20, 1928, he resided in East Islip, and worked in a stock brokerage on Wall Street. He passed away on September 30, 1972. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES E. SOUTHARD, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Bay Shore, and presently residing in East Islip, Mr. Southard was born on March 3, 1931. He served with W Company, 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines of the United States Marine Corps from February of 1951 until June of 1952, was stationed in Korea, and earned the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, and the United Nations Service Medal. A 1949 graduate of Bay Shore High School, he was employed with the Long Island Lighting Company after his discharge from the service.

## THOMAS A. SOUTHARD, Specialist 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Southard was born on March 17, 1932, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School. He served with the United States Army with H Company, 21st Transportation Port, B Command, primarily in Inchon, Korea, from January of 1953 until July of 1956. He is merited with the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Following his separation from the service he was employed as a bayman.

## BARTHOLOMEW SPADARO, Corporal

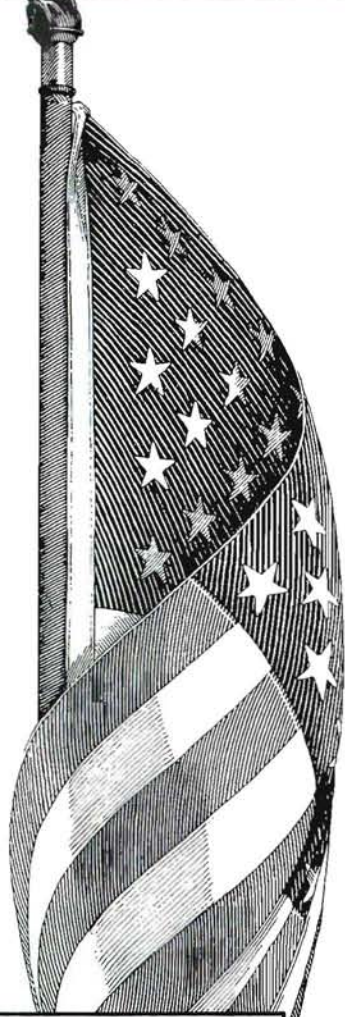
Corporal Spadaro served from October of 1950 until February of 1953 with F Company, 40th Infantry Division, 223rd Regiment of the United States Army, was stationed in Japan and in Korea, and received a Purple Heart. A longtime resident of Bay Shore, he was born on February 13, 1928, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1946, and is currently employed as a door contractor.

## JOSEPH P. SPAIN, JR., Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Spain served with the 1st Cavalry, 8th Regiment, 3rd Battalion of the United States Army primarily in the Far East and in Europe from May of 1949 until June of 1973. A veteran of Vietnam as well as a Korean veteran, he is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, and a Purple Heart. Originally from Illinois, and presently residing in Holbrook, he was born on February 29, 1932, and was graduated from Decatur High School, Decatur, Illinois.



# KOREAN VETERANS



JAMES E. SOUTHARD



ROBERT H. SORENSEN, SR.



THOMAS A. SOUTHARD



BARTHOLOMEW SPADARO



JOSEPH P. SPAIN, JR.



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## WILLIAM SPANGENBERG, Airman 2nd Class/Corporal

Originally from Ozone Park, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Spangenberg was born on June 21, 1934, and was graduated from Thomas Edison High School. He served from February of 1952 until February of 1956 with the 12th Air Force while in France, and with the 35th Field Maintenance Squadron while in Japan, and with the 1603rd Maintenance Squadron while in North Africa. He has been employed with Trans World Airlines since his discharge from the service.

## SEYMOUR "SY" SPIEGELMAN, Corporal

Corporal Spiegelman served from November of 1954 until November of 1956 with the 169th Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly at Fort Dix, New Jersey. Born on October 1, 1930, and originally from Nashville, Tennessee, he made his home in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He was graduated from high school in 1948, received his Bachelor of Science degree in 1953 from Western Kentucky State University, and received his Master of Science degree from George Peabody University. He is currently employed as a salesman.

## ANTHONY-VICTOR SPINA, Corporal

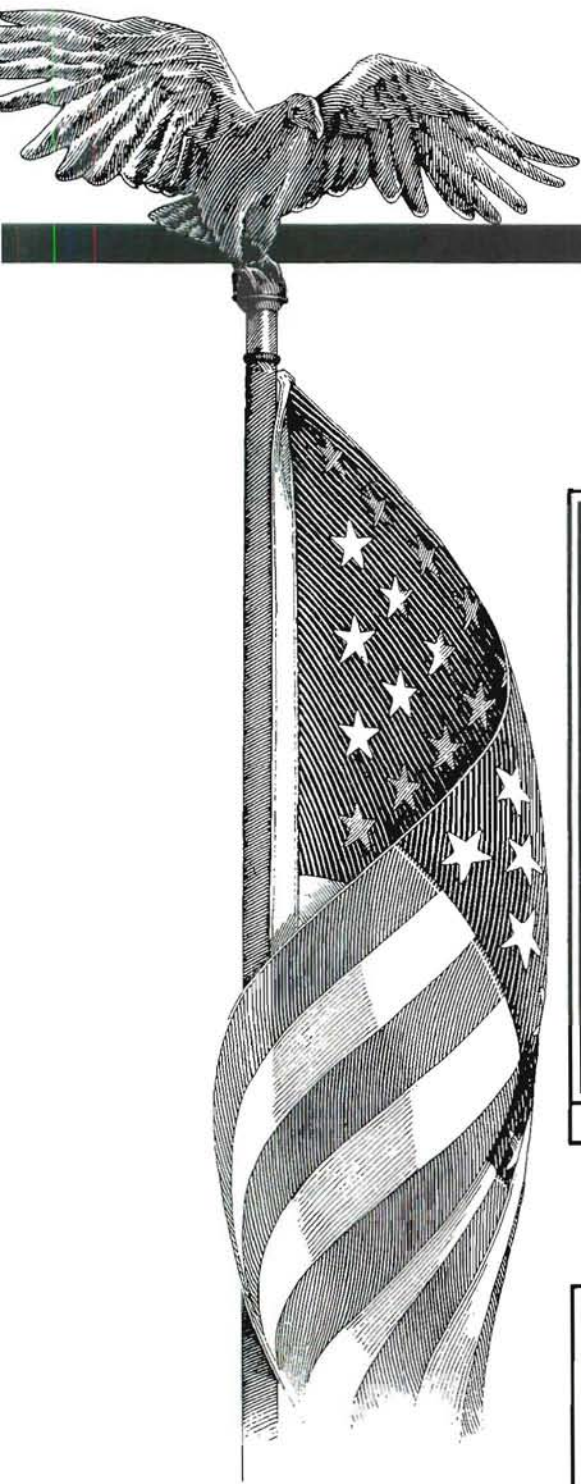
Originally from Richmond Hill, New York, Mr. Spina was born on July 4, 1930, attended Richmond Hill High School, and made his home in East Islip where he now resides. He served from August of 1949 until September of 1952 with the 15th Army Band, 7th Infantry Division Band of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, Japan, and in the United States, and earned the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. After the service he was employed as a hairstylist, and is currently employed as a cook and baker.

## CHARLES SPINICCHIA, Private 1st Class

A 1947 graduate of Harran High School, New York, New York, where he resided before settling in Islip, Mr. Spinicchia was born on January 12, 1929. He served from March of 1951 until March of 1953 with the 285th Transportation Company, 355th Transportation Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Eustis, Virginia, and at Goose Bay, Labrador. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and the National Defense Service Medal. He is currently employed with the United States Postal Service.

## HENRY F. STAAB, Seaman

Born on July 31, 1930, and formerly of Bellrose, New York, Mr. Staab settled in Sayville where he presently resides. He attended Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School, and was employed with the Long Island Rail Road after the service. He served from December of 1951 until December of 1953 aboard the U.S.S. Zellars, DD-777, of the United States Navy.



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HENRY F. STAAB



WILLIAM SPANGENBERG



CHARLES SPINICCHIA



ANTHONY-VICTOR SPINA



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## LEO STAHLEY, Machinist Mate 2nd Class

Formerly of Brentwood, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Stahley was born on September 25, 1935, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1953. He served from September of 1953 until September of 1956 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Intrepid, and was stationed mainly at Norfolk, Virginia. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. After the service he was employed in construction, and is currently employed as a truck driver for Oak Tree Farms Dairy in Northport, New York.

## MADELINE A. STAHLEY, Airman 1st Class

Originally from Bay Shore, and presently residing in West Islip, Mrs. Stahley was born Madeline A. O'Connell on August 7, 1935, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1953. She served from June of 1954 until March of 1958 with the Pacific Division, MATS, of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in California, Louisiana, and in Hawaii. She is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, and was named Airman of the Month in August of 1957. Following her discharge from the service she was employed with Republic Aviation, and is currently employed in revenue accounting for Yellow Freight System.

## CHARLES J. STANECK, Sergeant

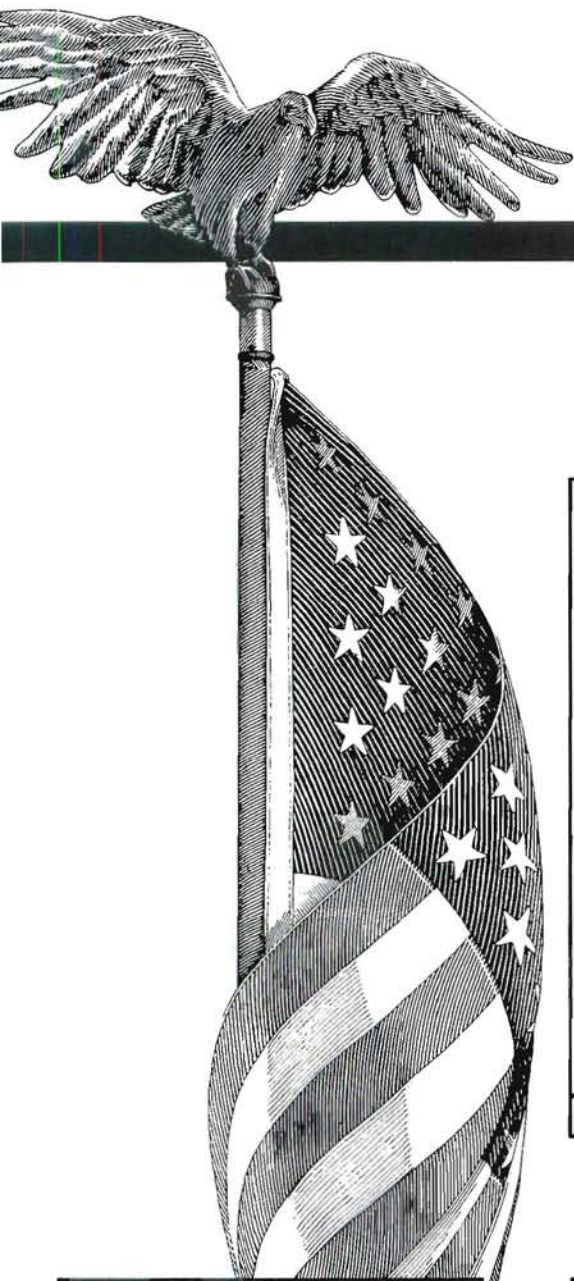
Born on December 28, 1930, and a longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Staneck was graduated from Islip High School in 1949. He served from January of 1951 until January of 1954 with the 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Korea, and received the Good Conduct Medal, and the United Nations, the Korean, and the National Defense Service Medals. He has been employed as a plumber since the service.

## GEORGE O. STARKESEN, Sergeant

Sergeant Starkesen served from October of 1953 until June of 1957 with the 821st Engineering Aviation Battalion and the 862nd Engineering Aviation Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in France and Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Born on July 5, 1934, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in Great River where he presently resides. He was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1953, and from Heald Engineering College, San Francisco, California, in 1960. After the service he was employed as a mechanical engineer.

## JOHN W. STECKER, Airman 1st Class

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Stecker was born on June 19, 1933, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1951. He served from January of 1953 until December of 1956 with the 10th Strategic Reconnaissance Squadron, 26th Wing, Strategic Air Command, of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Thule Air Force Base, Greenland, and at Lockbourne Air Force Base, Ohio. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal, and has been employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation since his discharge from the service. Born on July 23, 1929, and formerly of Staunton, Virginia, he made his home in Holbrook, where he presently resides.



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LEO STAHLEY



MADELINE A. STAHLEY



CHARLES J. STANECK



GEORGE O. STARKESEN



JOHN W. STECKER

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## JACK STEIN, Private 1st Class

Private Stein served from March of 1951 until February of 1953 with the Korean Military Advisory Group of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Teague, Korea. A 1947 graduate of Forest Hills High School, Forest Hills, New York, he was born on July 28, 1929, and resided in Forest Hills before making his home in Hauppauge. He also attended New York City Community College for two years, and was employed as a printer after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN G. STEINLE, JR., Corporal

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Steinle was born on April 30, 1934, and attended Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School, Brooklyn. He served with the 377th Transportation Company of the 8th Army of the United States Army, from May of 1953 until April of 1955, and was stationed mainly in Korea. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. After the service he was employed as a truck driver for United Parcel Service.

## WILLIAM J. STELZENMULLER, JR., 1st Lieutenant

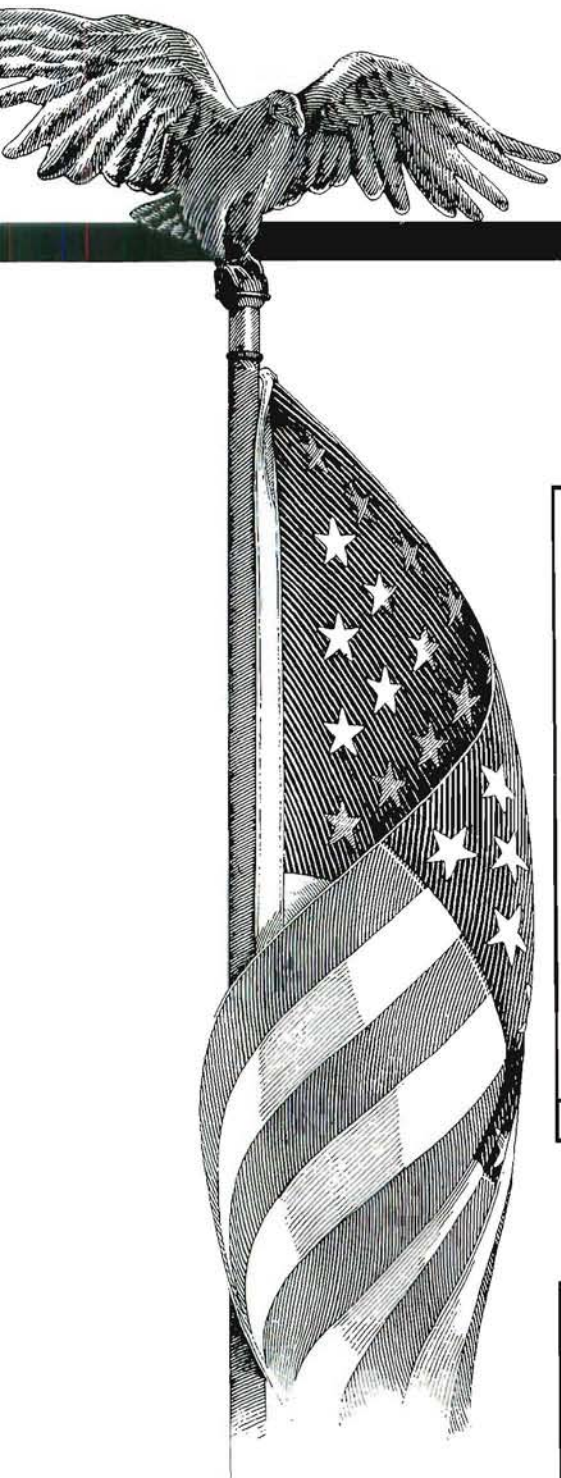
Born on May 22, 1919, and formerly of Amityville, New York, Mr. Stelzenmuller settled in Oakdale where he presently resides. He served from May of 1951 until November of 1952 with the 514th Troop Carrier Group, 336th Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed primarily at Mitchell Air Force Base, New York. He is merited with the Air Medal, the American Defense Service Medal, and the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal. Following the service he was employed as a salesman. He continued to serve in the Reserves until March of 1979 when he retired with the rank of Major.

## DOROTHY STOCKDALE, Yeoman 3rd Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mrs. Stockdale was born Dorothy Roth on March 28, 1933. She was graduated from Prospect Heights High School, Brooklyn, in 1951, and after the service became employed as a typist. She served with the United States Navy from 1954 until 1956, primarily in Charleston, South Carolina, and is currently with the Naval Reserve in Huntington, New York. She is merited with the National Defense Service Medal.

## ROBERT STOGDALE, Sergeant

A Vietnam veteran as well, Sergeant Stogdale served in the United States Army, the United States Navy, and in the United States Air Force, with the 24th Infantry Division, 366th Supply Squadron, and the 52nd Fighter Group, primarily in England, Japan, Korea, and in Vietnam from October of 1946 until January of 1968. He received his High School Equivalency Diploma while in the service, and is merited with the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Commendation Medal, and the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals. After his discharge he was employed as a welder for U-Haul Company.



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JOHN G. STEINLE, JR.



WILLIAM J. STELZENMULLER, JR.



ROBERT STOGDALE



DOROTHY STOCKDALE

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## H. RODNEY STOLL, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Stoll served with B Company, 803rd Engineer Battalion Corps of the United States Army from September of 1954 until February of 1955, and was stationed in France, England, and Germany. Born on December 25, 1930, and formerly of Sayville, he settled in West Sayville where he presently resides. He was graduated from Sayville High School in 1949, and from the University of Rhode Island in 1954. After the service he was employed as a high school mathematics teacher.

## GEORGE STREIB, Corporal

Corporal Streib served with from June of 1952 until February of 1954 with the 2nd Division, 38th Regiment of the United States Army, primarily at I Corps, and earned the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Korean Service Medal. Born on August 11, 1931, and originally from Dix Hills, New York, he made his home in West Islip. He attended Huntington High School, Huntington, New York, and following the service was employed with the Long Island Lighting Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WALTER R. STUBBE, Staff Sergeant

Formerly of Wantagh, New York, Mr. Stubbe was born on June 8, 1930, and made his home in West Islip. He served with the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Marine Air Wing of the United States Marine Corps from March of 1951 until March of 1954, and was stationed at Itami Air Force Base, Japan, and at Cherry Point, North Carolina. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean Service Medal. He was graduated from Sewanhaka High School in 1949, and attended Hofstra University and C.W. Post College as well. Following the service he was employed as a Manager for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## METRO STUCKO, Seaman

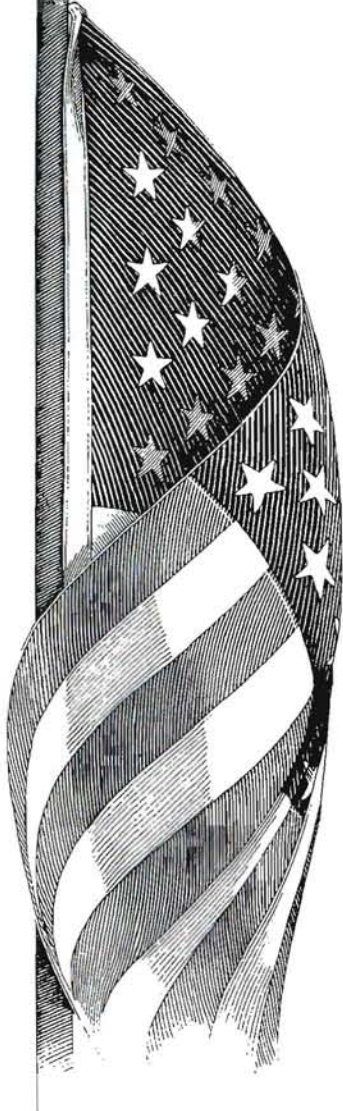
Seaman Stucko served aboard the U.S.S. Coswell, DD-547, of the United States Navy from September of 1952 until September of 1954, and is merited with the United Nations Service Medal. Born on September 18, 1932, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in Bayport where he now resides. He was graduated from Metropolitan High School in 1950, and was employed as a New York City Firefighter after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALFRED J. STURMER, Chief Shipfitter 2nd Class

Originally from Islip, and presently residing in Ronkonkoma, Mr. Sturmer was born on July 4, 1931, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1951. He served aboard the U.S.S. Bennington, CVA-20, and aboard the U.S.S. Lake Champlain, CV-39, of the United States Navy, and was stationed principally in Florida, from August of 1951 until August of 1955. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Following his discharge he was employed as a cook for Central Islip State Hospital, and for the Suffolk County Developmental Center. (Photograph unavailable.)



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H. RODNEY STOLL





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## MICHAEL J. SULLIVAN, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on November 20, 1929, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Sullivan made his home in West Islip where he has resided since 1958. He was graduated from St. Francis Prep High School, Brooklyn, in 1948, and attended Brooklyn College. He served with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Midway from 1950 until 1954, and was stationed in the Mediterranean Sea. Following the service he was employed as a Sales Representative for Inmed Corporation, Georgia, and has been Vice President for the past 10 years.

## WILLIAM SULLIVAN, Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Sullivan served from October of 1948 until October of 1951 with F Company, 1st Battalion, 7th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Devens, Massachusetts, and in Korea. He is merited with the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Valor, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal with three Battle Stars, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. Born on November 22, 1930, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, he settled in Ronkonkoma where he presently resides. He attended Rice High School and was employed as a New York City Police Detective after the service, and is currently employed in security.

## WALTER A. SUTORIUS, JR., Airman 1st Class

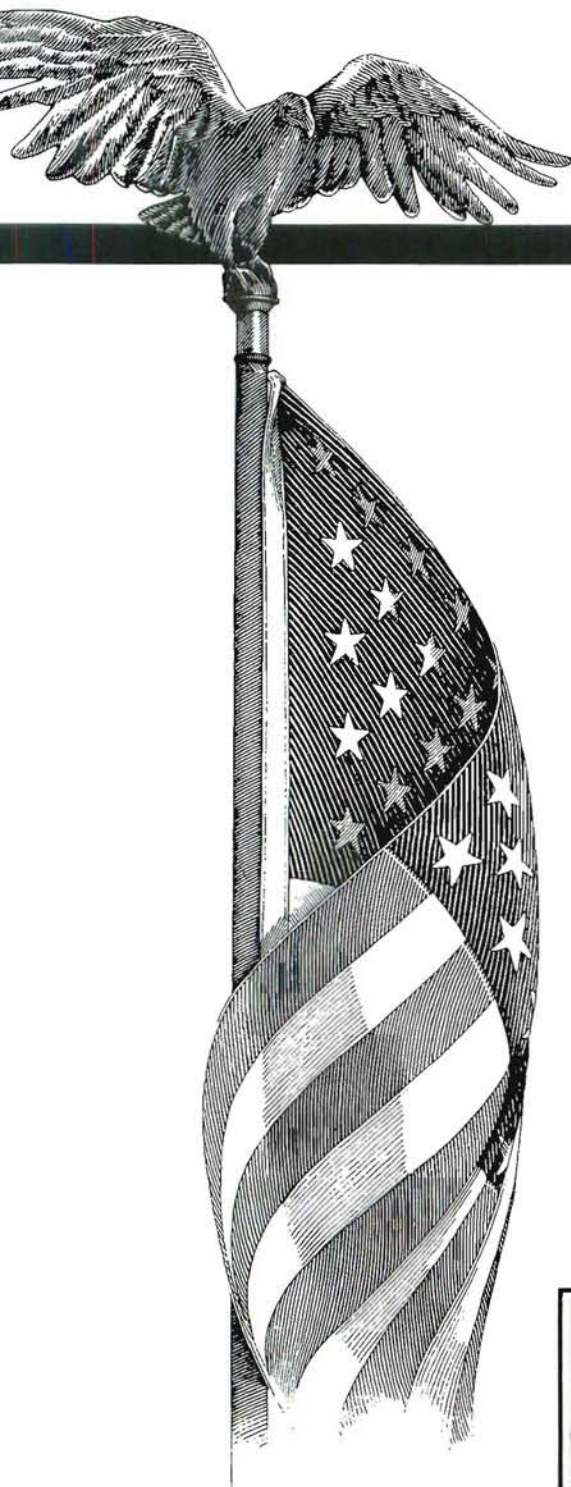
Originally from West Sayville, and currently residing in Oakdale, Mr. Sutorius was born on January 1, 1932, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1950. He served from January of 1952 until January of 1956 with the United States Air Force, was stationed in Bangor, Maine, and in the French Morocco, Africa, and received the Good Conduct Medal. After the service he was employed as an electrician, and is presently a Teamster truck driver. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HENRY SVIRIDOFF, Torpedoman 3rd Class

A resident of New York City before making his home in Holbrook where he presently resides, Mr. Sviridoff was born on January 6, 1935. He served with the 6th and 7th Fleets aboard the U.S.S. Keppler, DD-6765, and aboard the U.S.S. Yellowstone, AD-27, of the United States Navy from February of 1951 until December of 1955, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the Korean Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a painter.

## JAMES R. SWEENEY, Corporal

Corporal Sweeney served with the 1583rd Yokohama Engineer Depot of the United States Army primarily in Japan from September of 1952 until June of 1954. He was born on October 17, 1931, and resided in Queens, New York, before settling in Hauppauge. He was graduated from Holy Trinity High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1949, and attended Queens County Community College. Following his separation from the service he was employed as a design engineer.



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MICHAEL J. SULLIVAN



WILLIAM SULLIVAN



JAMES R. SWEENEY

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HOWARD A. SWICORD, Interior Communications Fireman Apprentice

Formerly of Hempstead, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Swicord was born on October 2, 1936, and was graduated from Boys High School, Brooklyn, New York. He served from June of 1954 until May of 1955 with the United States Navy, and was stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Station and the Philadelphia Naval Hospital. He is currently employed as a Senior Buyer for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. (Photograph unavailable.)

ROBERT SWORDS, JR., Staff Sergeant

Born on October 8, 1931, and originally from Bayport, Mr. Swords made his home in Ronkonkoma where he presently resides. He served from October of 1949 until September of 1953 with the 3731st Squadron, 77th Fighter Bomber Squadron, and the 101st Fighter Bomber Wing of the United States Air Force, and was stationed mainly in England. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge as well. A 1949 graduate of Bayport High School, he was employed as an aircraft engine mechanic and a tractor trailer driver after the service.

JULIUS SZENTMARIAY, Specialist 3rd Class

Specialist Szentmariay served from December of 1953 until December of 1955 with C Company, 87th Engineer Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, and earned the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal as well. Formerly of Flushing, New York, he settled in Sayville where currently resides. Born on June 23, 1932, he attended Queens Vocational High School, Queens, New York, and received his High School Equivalency Diploma while in the service. Following his discharge he was employed in Sales and as a Merchandiser for Beech Nut Foods. (Photograph unavailable.)

GEORGE H. TALBOT, Corporal

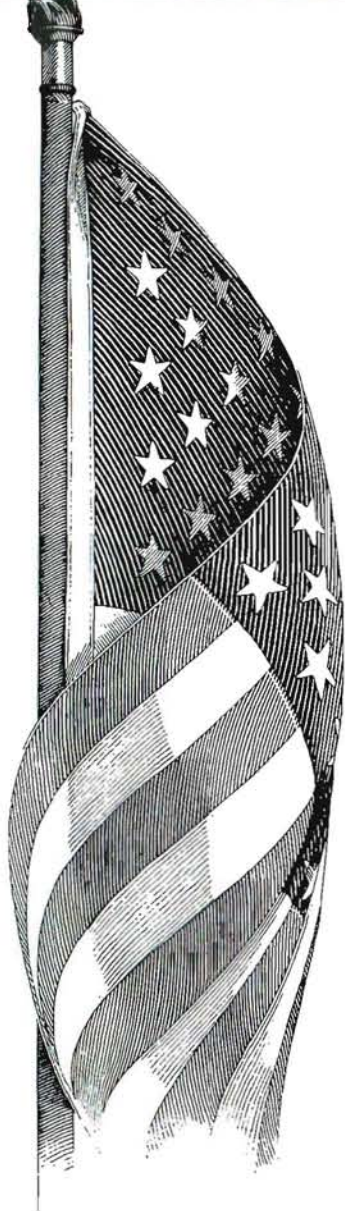
Corporal Talbot served with the 45th Division, 180th Regiment, H Company of the United States Army from February of 1952 until November of 1953, and was stationed in Korea in the Punch Bowl, at Pork Chop Hill, and Sand Bag Castle. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge and the Korean Service Medal. Born on September 5, 1928, and originally from Springfield, New York, he made his home in Islip where he has resided since 1957. He was graduated from Andrew Jackson Vocational High School, New York, and attended Hofstra University. After the service he was employed as an Installer for New York Telephone Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

EUSEBIO P. TANGUILIG, Commissaryman 1st Class

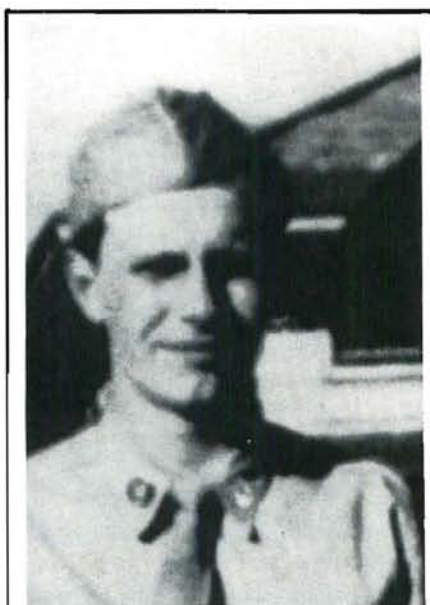
Originally from Astoria, New York, Mr. Tanguilig was born on December 16, 1911, and currently resides in Central Islip. He served aboard the U.S.S. General G.M. Randal, AP-115, of the United States Navy from October of 1942 until April of 1963, and is merited with the ETO Ribbon, the Good Conduct Medal, the American Defense Service Medal, the China Service Medal, and the Korean Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a chef.



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ROBERT SWORDS, JR.



JULIUS SZENTMARIAY



EUSEBIO P. TANGULIG

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## EDWARD E. TAPASAK, Master Sergeant

A Sayville resident at the time he served, Mr. Tapasak was born on February 14, 1908, and settled in Patchogue, New York, where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1926 from Sayville High School, and attended Norwich University, Vermont. He served with the United States Army with the 529th Military Intelligence Group, 7th Army from September of 1950 until December of 1951, and was stationed primarily in Stuttgart, Germany. Following his separation from the service he was employed as a District Inspector in the Electrical Department of the New York Board of Fire Underwriters. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS TARANTOWICZ, ETSN

Born on March 7, 1930, and formerly of New Rochelle, New York, Mr. Tarantowicz made his home in Brentwood. He was graduated from New Rochelle High School in 1949, and from RCA Institute in 1955. He served from November of 1950 until May of 1952 with the United States Navy aboard the destroyer, U.S.S. Ault, DD-698, was stationed in the Caribbean and Mediterranean Seas, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal.

## FRANK TARAVELLA, Private 1st Class

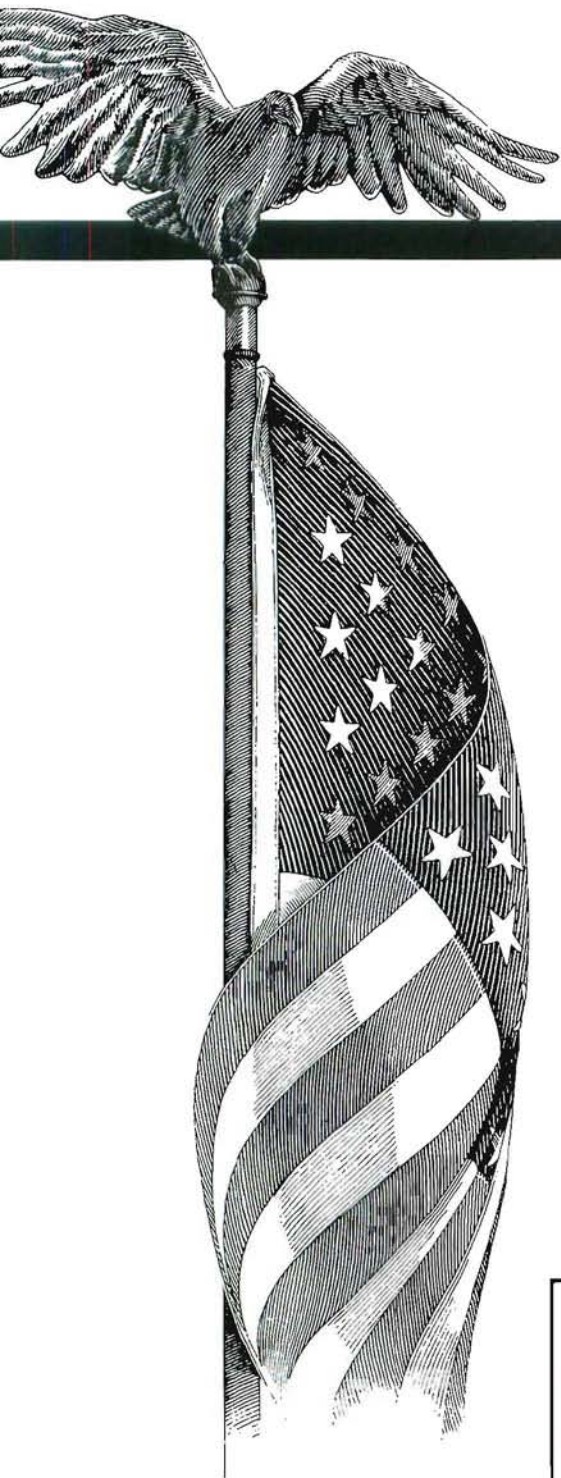
Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Taravella was born on March 24, 1930, and was graduated from East New York Vocational High School in 1948. He served from August of 1951 until August of 1953 with the 514th T Company, 351st Transportation Battalion, 10th Corps of the United States Army, was stationed in Ujongbu, Korea, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal. He was employed as an aircraft mechanic after the service.

## GEORGE TASSO, Sergeant

Sergeant Tasso served with B Company, 1st Battalion, 6th Marine Regiment of the United States Marine Corps chiefly in North Carolina, Puerto Rico, and in the Mediterranean Sea from August of 1953 until August of 1956. He was born on December 30, 1934, and presently resides in West Islip. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated in 1952 from New York School of Printing, and following the service was employed as a printer. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ANTHONY J. TEDESCHI, Private 1st Class

Born May 29, 1930, and originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. Tedeschi made his home in Bay Shore. He served from September of 1951 until September of 1953 with the 8th Army as a Military Policeman of the United States Army, and was stationed on Koje-Do Island where he guarded 10,000 North Korean and Chinese Communist Prisoners of War. He was graduated from Samuel Gompers High School, Bronx, New York, and after the service was employed with Republic Aircraft, the United States Postal Service, and with the New York City Department of Sanitation. He earned the Korean Service Medal while in the Army.



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THOMAS TARANTOWICZ



FRANK TARAVELLA



ANTHONY J. TEDESCHI

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## FRANK A. TESSITORE, Corporal

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Tessitore was born on October 8, 1932, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1950, and from Tri-State College, Indiana, in 1958. He served with the United States Army with the 140th Detachment, 580th Helicopter Company, 8th Helicopter Battalion from January of 1953 until January of 1955, was stationed principally at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as an aircraft mechanic.

## JOHN G. TEUFEL, Corporal

Formerly of Uniondale, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Teufel was born on January 26, 1932, and was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School. He served from October of 1952 until October of 1954 with the 3rd Division, C Company, 7th Infantry Regiment of the United States Army, was stationed at the central front in Korea, and earned the Combat Infantry Badge. He has been employed as a printer since his discharge from the service.

## HAROLD THEIN, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Thein served with the 4th Fighter Interceptor Squadron, Air Defense Command, Airways and Air Communications Service Squadron of the United States Air Force from February of 1948 until February of 1954, and was stationed in the United States, in Okinawa, Japan, and in Korea as well. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. Following his separation from the Air Force, he was employed as a aeronautical draftsman.

## JOHN J. THOMPSON, Petty Officer 3rd Class

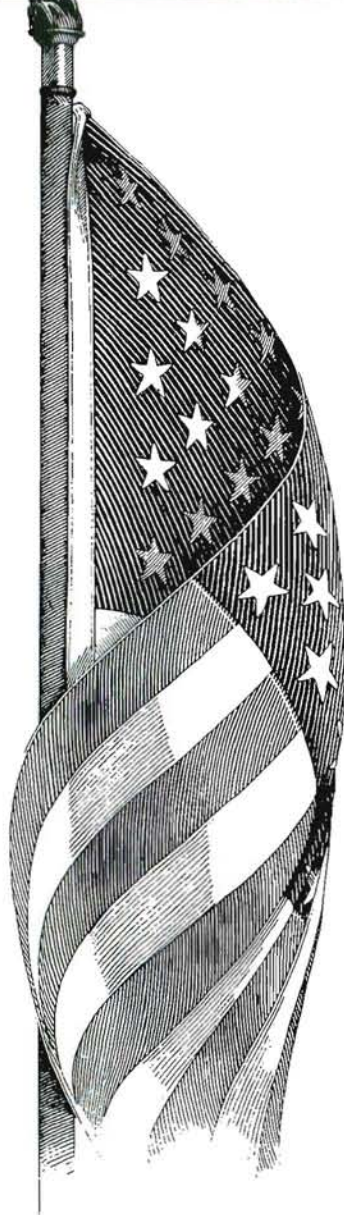
Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Hauppauge, Mr. Thompson was born on January 15, 1931. He served with the United States Navy from January of 1949 until November of 1952 aboard the U.S.S. Corey, DD-817, and was stationed on the Eastern Coast and in the Caribbean Sea. He was graduated in 1949 from St. Leonard's Academy, and following the service was employed as a New York City Police Officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT A. TIMMONS, Major

Born on June 19, 1932, and formerly of Woodhaven, New York, Mr. Timmons made his home in Sayville. He served from June of 1955 until June of 1957 with the 9th Marine Infantry Regiment of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Okinawa, Japan. After his discharge he continued serving in the Reserves until 1977. He was graduated from LaSalle Military Academy in 1951, received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1955 from St. John's University, and his Master of Science in Education in 1965, also from St. John's. After the service he was employed as Principal of Sayville Junior High School. He passed away on July 11, 1986. (Photograph unavailable.)



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FRANK A. TESSITORE



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## MARTIN F. TIMONS, Corporal

Corporal Timons served from November of 1951 until November of 1953 with the H&H Battery, 68th AAA Gunnery Battalion, 1st Marine Air Wing of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Born on July 14, 1931, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, he settled in Brentwood where he currently resides. He was graduated from Samuel Gompers Vocational High School, and has been employed as a manager of data processing since his discharge.

## BARRY J. TITONE, Corporal

Employed as a school teacher, and as a musician, Mr. Titone played for Harry S Truman and worked with Ed McMahon of the "Tonight Show." Originally from Ridgewood, New York, and presently residing in Hauppauge, he was born on August 1, 1930, and was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School, Ridgewood, New York, and from the Manhattan School of Music, New York City. He served with the Parris Island Post Band, and the 3rd Marine Air Wing of the United States Marine Corps from 1951 until 1953, and was stationed on Parris Island, and at Opalocka Air Force Base, Florida.

## WILLIAM TMAY, JR., Private 1st Class

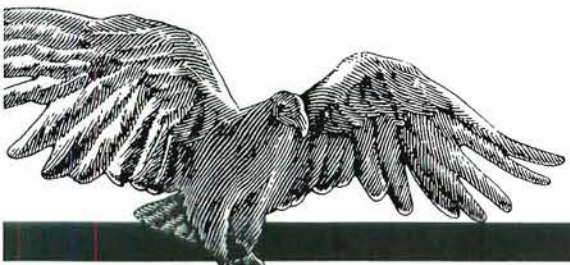
A 1947 graduate of Sayville High School, and formerly of Bohemia, Mr. Tmay made his home in Sayville where he presently resides. He served with D Company, 11th Infantry Regiment, 5th Infantry Division, 7803rd Army Unit of the United States Army from March of 1953 until January of 1955, and was stationed in Germany and in France. He was born on August 30, 1929, he was employed as a store manager after the service, and is currently the owner of a business.

## HOWARD G. TOOKER, Staff Sergeant

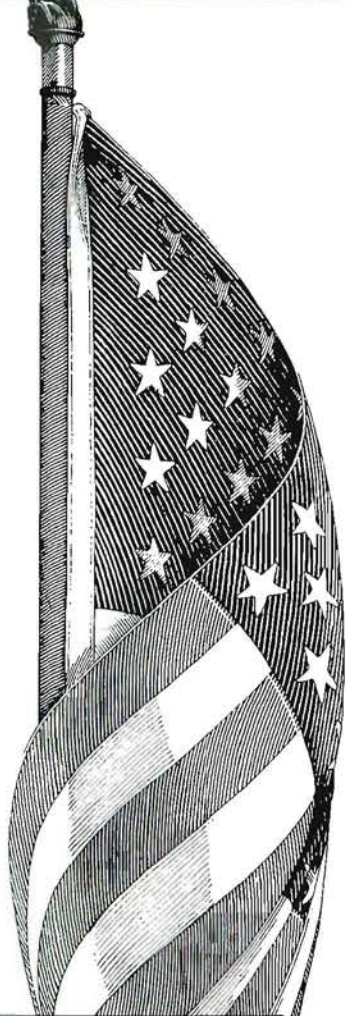
A 1949 graduate of Sayville High School, Mr. Tooker was born on October 10, 1933, and resided in Sayville before making his home in Georgia. He served from February of 1952 until March of 1972 with the United States Air Force and the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam, Korea, Japan, Thailand, and in Germany. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the Meritorious Unit Citation, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal as well. Following the service he was employed as Property Manager for HSL Property in Decatur, Georgia.

## RICHARD A. TOOKER, Private 1st Class

Private Tooker served from February of 1952 until February of 1954 with C Company, 29th Signal Construction Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Europe. Born on November 12, 1929, and originally from Sayville, New York, he presently resides in Babylon, New York. He was graduated from Sayville High School, and following the service was employed as a office building superintendent.



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MARTIN F. TIMONS



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RICHARD TOOMEY, SR., Corporal

Born on June 19, 1935, formerly of Baldwin, New York, Mr. Toomey settled in Ronkonkoma where he presently resides. He served from July of 1953 until July of 1956 with C Company, 3rd Shore Party Battalion, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed primarily in Japan, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He attended Oceanside High School, and after the service was employed as a sheet metal mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

JOHN L. TORELLI, Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Torelli served with the 514th Maintenance and Supply Group of the United States Air Force from May of 1950 until June of 1952, and was stationed at Mitchell Field, New York. Born on September 30, 1927, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, he made his home in Brentwood. He was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades in 1945, and following his separation from the Air Force was employed as an aircraft mechanic supervisor. (Photograph unavailable.)

BOLIVAR TORRES, Private 1st Class

Formerly of New York City, and presently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Torres was born on January 20, 1928. He attended Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School and schools in Puerto Rico as well. He served from September of 1950 until August of 1952 with L Company, 3rd Battalion, 6th Infantry Regiment of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in East Berlin, Germany. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a bus operator for the New York City Transit Authority.

RICARDO TORRES, Airman 2nd Class

Formerly of New York City, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Torres was born on February 8, 1927. He served with the F&S Squadron of the United States Air Force from 1951 until 1955, and was stationed in Arizona and Florida, and in Greenland as well. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, and following the service was employed as a mechanic.

RALPH TOTTARO, Seaman

A West Islip resident since 1979, Mr. Tottaro was born on November 23, 1930. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from New Utrecht High School in 1947. He served from March of 1951 until February of 1955 with the United States Navy with the 77th Task Force aboard the U.S.S. Lake Champlain, CVA-39, and was stationed at Newport, Rhode Island. He earned the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, and after the service was employed with a brokerage firm. He is currently employed as a clerk.

EMIL TOTURA, Corporal

Corporal Totura served with the Military Police Company, 11th Airborne Division of the United States Army from October of 1950 until September of 1951, and was stationed mainly at Fort Campbell, Kentucky. Originally from Bayside, New York, and born on October 11, 1928, he settled in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated from Bayside High School, from Adelphi College, and from Brooklyn Law School in 1954. He began practicing law following the service. (Photograph unavailable.)



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BOLIVAR TORRES



RICARDO TORRES



RALPH TOTARO

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## RICHARD TRAVERSO, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Traverso was born on September 26, 1931, and was graduated from New Utrecht High School. He served with S Company, 224th Regiment, 40th Infantry Division of the United States Army from July of 1952 until June of 1954, and was stationed chiefly in Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. After his discharge he was employed in electronics.

## PETER L. TREFFEISEN, Petty Officer 3rd Class

A 1949 graduate of Mepham High School, Mr. Treffeisen resided in Merrick, New York, before settling in Bohemia where he has resided since 1970. He served from May of 1951 until May of 1955 with the 6th Fleet of the United States Navy, was stationed in the Mediterranean Sea, and is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation. Born on August 25, 1931, he was employed as a Machine Operator for Grumman Aerospace Corporation and is currently employed in Materials Management, also for Grumman.

## STEPHEN TROIA, Private 1st Class

Private Troia served from 1953 until 1955 with the Presidential Honor Guard, 3rd Infantry Regiment of the United States Army, primarily in Washington, D.C., and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. Formerly of Manhattan, New York, and born on December 22, 1933, he settled in Great River where he now resides. He was graduated in 1952 from Stuyvesant High School, Manhattan, in 1948 from Hofstra University, from Columbia University in 1960, and in 1964 from New York University. He is currently employed as a psychologist.

## JOHN C. TSCHIEMBER, Corporal

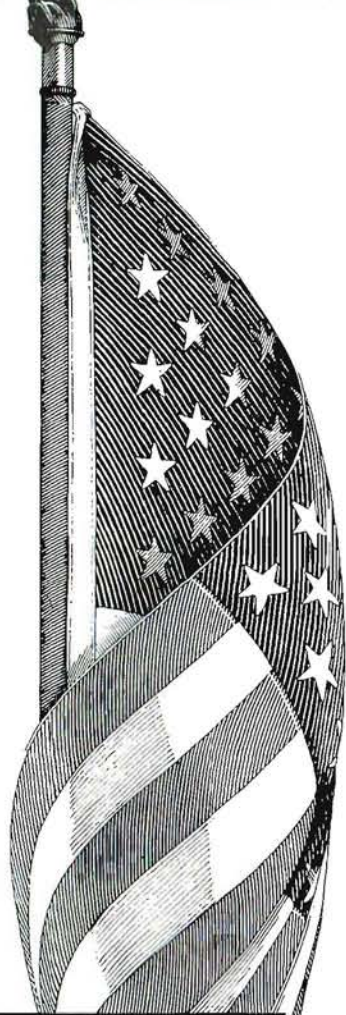
Formerly of Richmond Hill, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Tschiember was born on August 11, 1934. He served with the 1st Battalion, 7th Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from February of 1952 until February of 1955, and was stationed in Quantico, Virginia, and in Korea. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, and the Korean, the National Defense, and the United Nations Service Medals. He attended John Adams High School, Ozone Park, New York, and was employed as an Islip Town Police Officer in 1959, and from 1960 until 1982, was employed as a Suffolk County Police Officer.

## JAMES F. TULLY, Hospital Corpsman

Born on October 25, 1930, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Tully settled in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He served from October of 1947 until October of 1951 with the 1st Marine Division, S Battalion of the United States Navy and Marine Corps, and earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, a Purple Heart, and the Korean and the United Nations Service Medals. He was graduated from Cardinal Hayes High School in 1947, and was employed as a letter carrier for the United States Postal Service after his discharge.



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PETER L. TREFFEISEN



STEPHEN TROIA



JOHN C. TSCHIEMBER



JAMES F. TULLY



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## GERARD TURNER, Sergeant

Sergeant Turner served from March of 1952 until March of 1954 with B Company, 1902nd EAB of the United States Army, was stationed in Suwon, Korea, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the Korean, the United Nations, and the National Defense Service Medals. Originally from Queens, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, he was born on June 10, 1933, and was graduated from Richmond Hill High School in 1951, and from New York City College. Following the service he was employed with the New York City Police Department. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALBERT G. TURNQUIST, Staff Sergeant

Originally from Islip Terrace, and currently residing in Medford, New York, Mr. Turnquist was born on December 29, 1931, and attended East Islip High School. He served with the 24th Infantry Division, 21st Battalion, B Company of the United States Army from May of 1949 until August of 1952, and was stationed chiefly at Fort Benning, Fort Dix, and in Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Distinguished Unit Citation, and the Korean and United Nations Service Medals. After his separation from the service he was employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## FRANK A. TURSELLINO, Airman 3rd Class

Born on March 28, 1932, and a longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Tursellino attended Patchogue High School and is employed as an oil terminal manager. He served from January of 1950 until September of 1953 with the United States Air Force, and was discharged at Great Falls Air Force Base, Montana.

## DONALD M. TUTTLE, Corporal

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Tuttle was born on May 8, 1932, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1950. He served with the 314th Ordnance Group of the United States Army from April of 1953 until March of 1955, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the Korean, National Defense, and United Nations Service Medals. After his discharge he was a maintenance employee.

## RUDOLPH P. ULFSTAM, Corporal

Corporal Ulfstam served with H & S Company, 41st Engineer Battalion, 10th Infantry Division of the United States Army from February of 1953 until January of 1955, and was stationed at Fort Niley, Kansas, and Fort Pock, California. Born on December 4, 1932 and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1950, from New York City College in 1960, and was employed as a mechanical engineer after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD P. UMBEL, Commander

Born on June 23, 1922, and originally from Uniontown, Pennsylvania, Mr. Umbel settled in Bay Shore. He served from July of 1943 until April of 1954 with the Staff of Amphibious Group #3 of the United States Navy, was stationed in Korea, and received the Korean, United Nations, and the National Defense Service Medals. He was graduated from Uniontown High School in 1939, from Bethany College in 1943, from the United States Naval Academy in 1946, and attended George Washington University and Hofstra University. He is retired from engineering administration in research and development.



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DONALD M. TUTTLE



RICHARD P. UMBEL



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## PASCHAL L. UNGARINO, Corporal

Born on January 22, 1930, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Ungarino made his home in Bohemia where he has resided since 1969. He was graduated in 1948 from Evander Childs High School, received his Associate's degree in 1950 from Westchester Community College, his Bachelor of Science degree from John Jay College in 1966, and his Master's degree from C.W. Post in 1975. He served from May of 1951 until May of 1953 with the 8114th Army Medical Hospital of the United States Army, was stationed in Japan, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a police officer and as a professor of criminal justice.

## THOMAS F. URBELIS, Private 1st Class

A resident of Islip since 1976, Mr. Urbelis was born on February 3, 1930, and is formerly of Queens, New York. He served from November of 1951 until October of 1953 with the 1st Medical Battalion, H Company, 1st Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. He was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School, and following the service was employed as a part-owner of a security business. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN S. VALENTI, Private 1st Class

Private Valenti served with the 65th Infantry Regiment, 23rd Division, 74th RCT, 99th Battalion of the United States Army from November of 1954 until August of 1956, was stationed at Fort Devens, Massachusetts, and in Puerto Rico, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. Born on November 19, 1934, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he presently resides in Bay Shore. He was graduated from East New York Vocational High School, and was employed as a plasterer after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## TONY VALENTINO, Private 1st Class

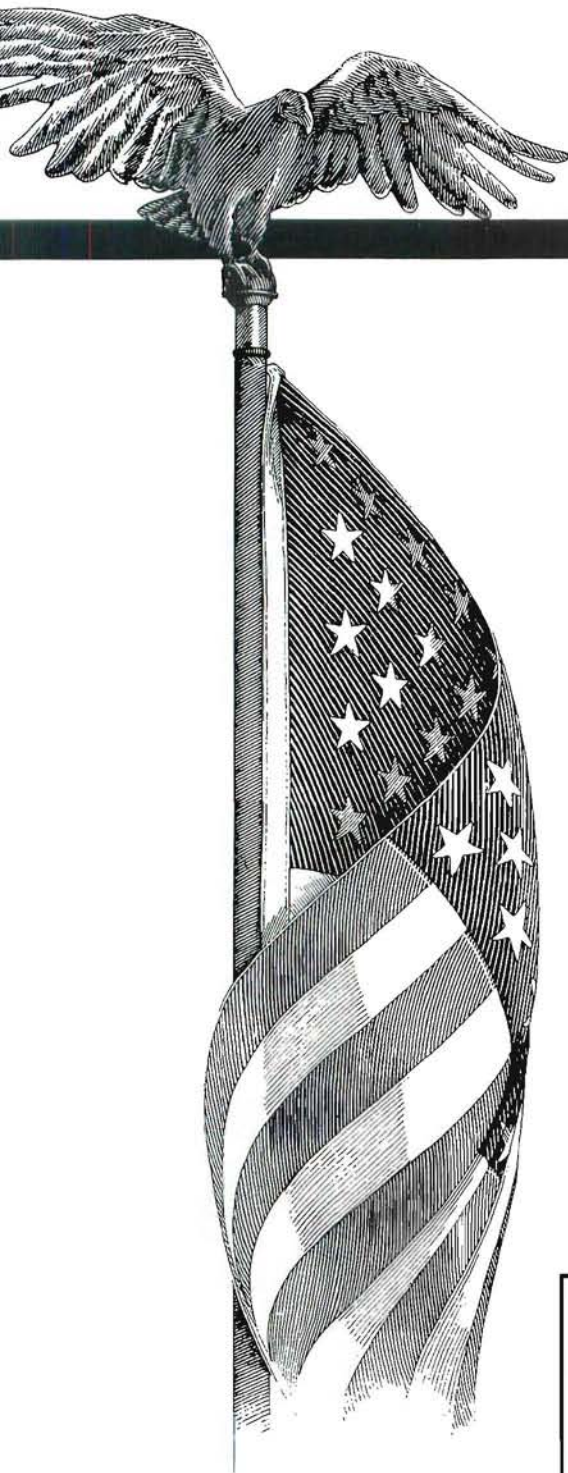
Presently residing in Bay Shore, formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Valentino was born on November 26, 1927. He served with the Combat Engineers, 10th Division of the United States Army from June of 1951 until March of 1953, and was stationed in Korea. After his separation he was employed as a maintenance worker.

## VINCENT J. VALETUTTI, Aviation Machinist Mate 1st Class

Formerly of Mt. Vernon, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Valetutti was born on January 25, 1921, and was graduated from Samuel Gompers High School in 1939. He served from July of 1950 until May of 1951 with the VF 837th Fighter Group of the United States Navy, and was employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation after the service.

## WILLIAM D. VAN ANTWERP, Private 1st Class

Private Van Antwerp served from 1951 until 1953 with the 23rd Ordnance Battalion, 7th Army of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Germany. Born on May 27, 1930, and originally from Oneida, New York, he made his home in West Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from Oneida High School in 1949, and from Oregon Technical Institute in 1958. He was employed as a machinist after the service, and is currently self-employed. (Photograph unavailable.)



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JOSEPH A. VAN CURA, Private 1st Class

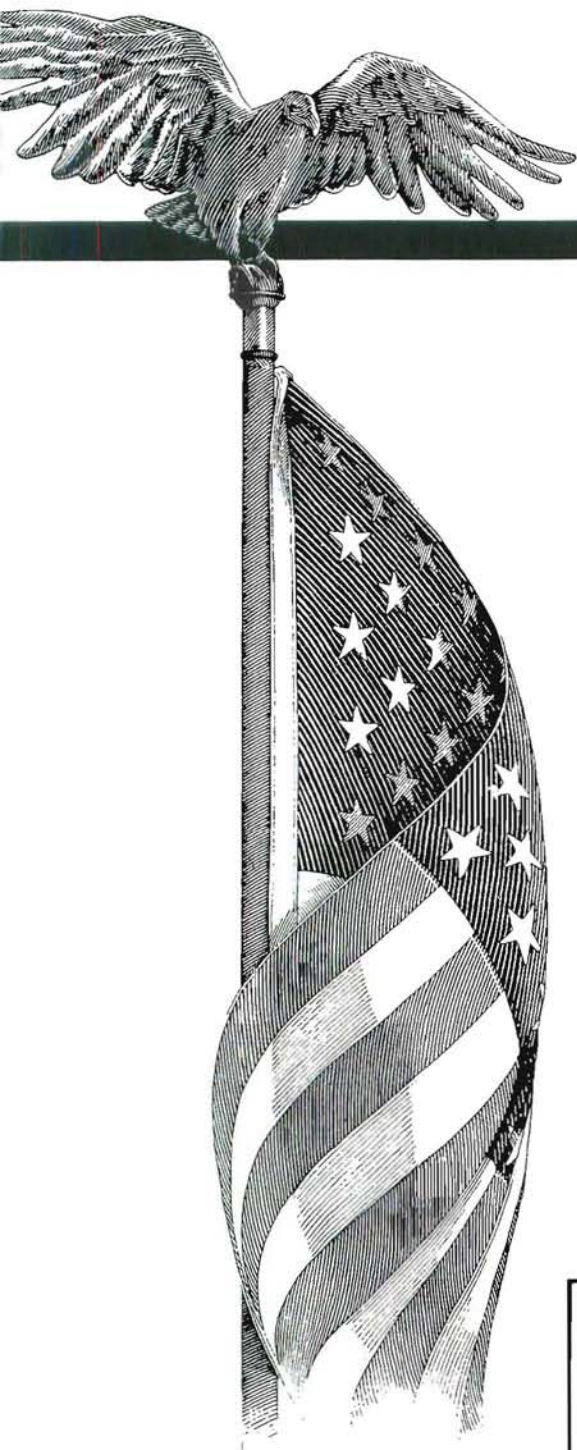
Private Van Cura served from February of 1952 until December of 1953 with the 4802nd D Battery, 21st AAA AW Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Korea. Born on January 28, 1931, and formerly of Islip Terrace, he settled in Cheshire, Oregon where he now resides. He was graduated from East Islip High School in 1949, and earned the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a meat cutter.

ROBERT M. VANDERBORGH, Electronic Technician 2nd Class

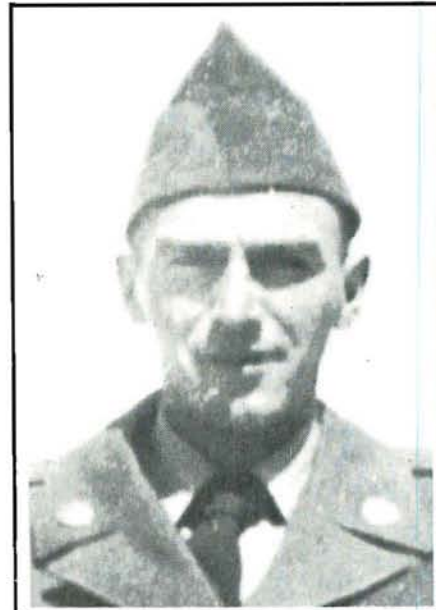
Born on February 19, 1931, and formerly of West Sayville, Mr. Vanderborgh made his home in Bohemia where he presently resides. He served from September of 1951 until August of 1955 aboard the U.S.S. Missouri, BB-63, of the United States Navy. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the China and National Defense Service Medals, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the Korean Presidential Unit Citation. He was graduated from Sayville High School in 1949, and from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1951. After the service he was employed as an IBM Customer Engineer.

MARVIN VAN ESSENDELFT, Sergeant

A longtime resident of West Sayville, Mr. Van Essendelft was born on February 12, 1929, and attended Sayville High School. He served with the United States Army with the 3rd Division, 65th Infantry, H Company from February of 1952 until November of 1953, and was stationed chiefly at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, and in Korea. Following the service he was employed as an auto mechanic, a bayman, and as a school custodial engineer.



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JOSEPH A. VAN CURA



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## JOHN W. VAN WYEN, JR., Machinist Mate 3rd Class

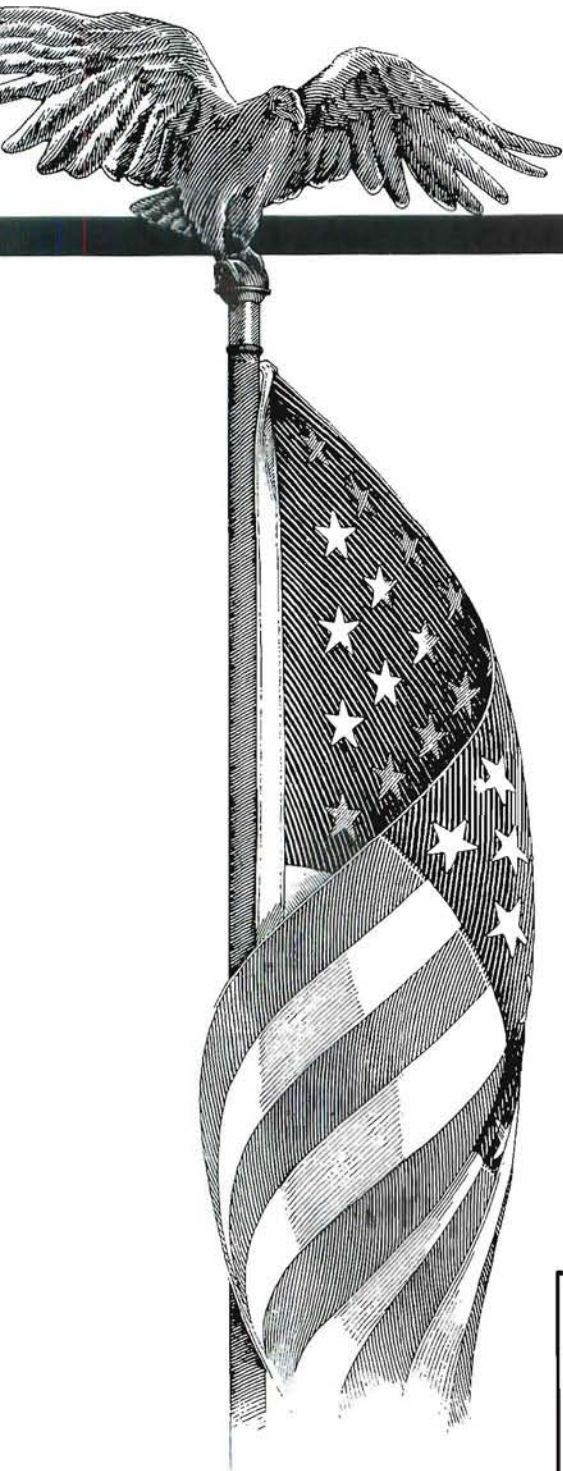
A 1944 graduate of Sayville High School, Mr. Van Wyen was born on September 29, 1926, and is a longtime resident of West Sayville. He served from June of 1951 until December of 1951 with the United States Navy and was stationed at San Diego Naval Base, San Diego, California. A veteran of World War II, he has been the owner of a service station since his discharge from his Korean tour of duty.

## RICHARD T. VAN WYEN, Sergeant

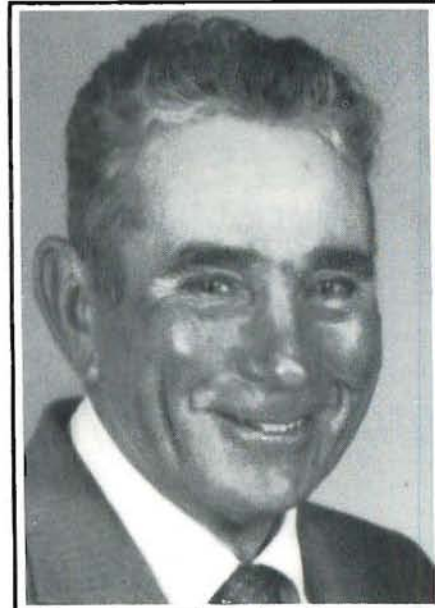
Originally from West Sayville, Mr. Van Wyen was graduated in 1949 from Sayville High School, and resides in Ridgley, Maryland. He served from November of 1952 until October of 1954 with the 45th Infantry Division, H Company, 180th Infantry, and then with the 24th Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Chu Tu and Taegu, Korea, and received the Combat Infantry Badge. After the service he was a bayman, and is a horse trainer.

## FRANK B. VASTOLA, Sergeant

A 1947 graduate of Abraham Lincoln High School, Mr. Vastola was born on May 4, 1929. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in Islip Terrace where he now resides. He served with the Helicopter Experimental Squadron of the United States Marine Corps from November of 1947 until November of 1951, was stationed principally at Quantico, Virginia, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. While in the service he was involved in air/sea rescue, and was an instructor in electronic and electrical systems. Following the service he was employed as an electronic and electrical engineer.



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JOHN W. VAN WYEN, JR.



RICHARD T. VAN WYEN



FRANK B. VASTOLA

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## JOSE A. VAZQUEZ, Private 1st Class

Private Vazquez served from September of 1949 until January of 1952 with the 88th Searchlight Engineers Company of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. Born on January 26, 1926, and formerly of New York City, he settled in Central Islip where he presently resides. He attended Benjamin Harrison High School, and following his discharge was employed as a distribution clerk. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK E. VECERE, Private 1st Class

Private Vecere served from January of 1951 until December of 1952 with the 2nd Armored Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Germany, and is merited with the Overseas Ribbon, and the Distinguished Unit Citation. Born on September 26, 1929, and a resident of West Islip since 1977, he is originally from Astoria, New York. He attended William Cullen Bryant High School, and after his discharge was employed as a New York City Police Officer.

## CAMILO VEGA, Rank Unknown

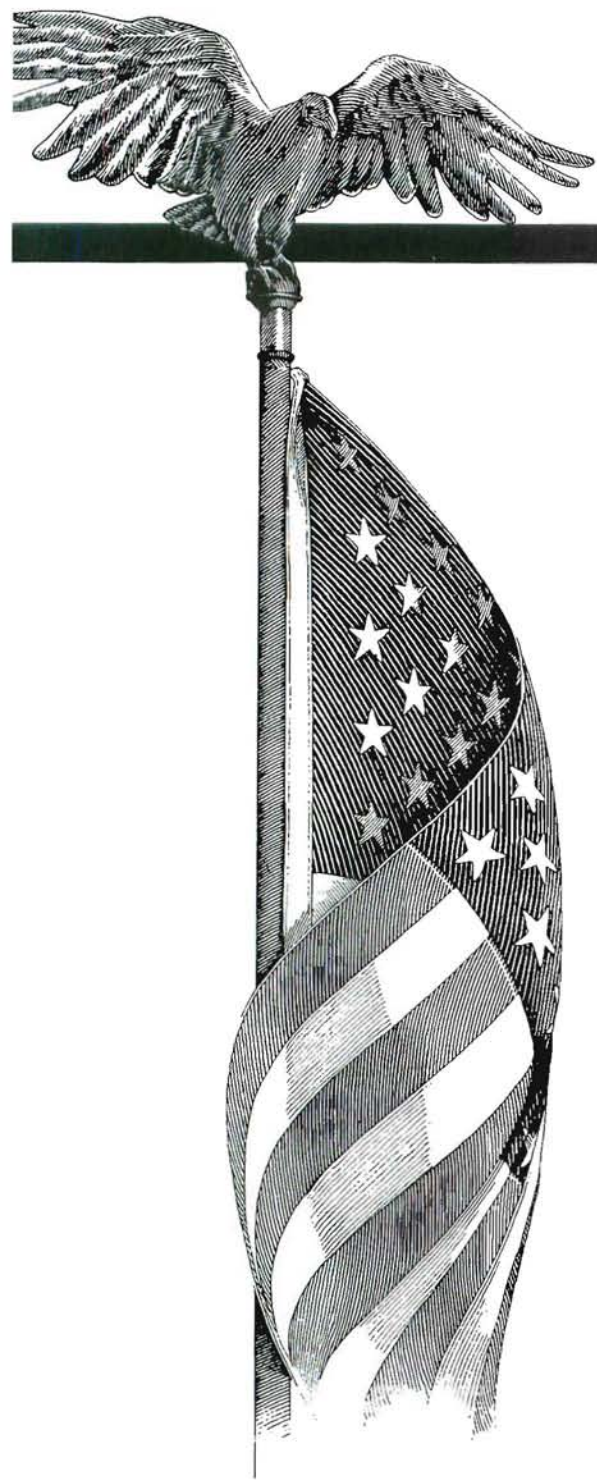
Originally from Sabana Grande, Puerto Rico, Mr. Vega was born on March 4, 1922, and has resided in Central Islip since 1977. He served with H Company, 1st Battalion, 65th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in the United States, in Puerto Rico, Panama, Korea, Japan, France and in Germany. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, and a Purple Heart. Following his discharge he was employed as a truck mechanic for the United States Postal Service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RALPH A. VELA, Specialist 2nd Class

Born on July 22, 1933, and formerly of New York City, Mr. Vela made his home in Brentwood where he has resided since 1963. He served with A Company, Signal Service Battalion of the United States Army from March of 1954 until June of 1957, was stationed in Georgia and in West Germany, and earned the Good Conduct Medal, and the Korean Service Medal. He was graduated from Seward Park High School, New York City, in 1952 and following the service was employed as an assistant supervisor.

## ROBERT H. VERSCHURE, Pipefitter 1st Class

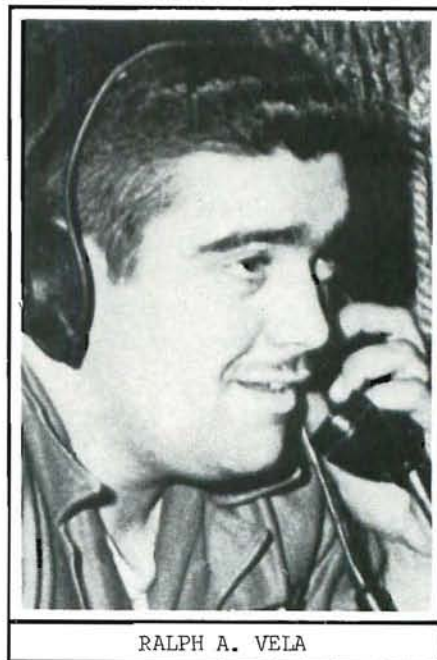
A resident of Bohemia since 1963, and formerly of Oakdale, Mr. Verschure was born on July 24, 1934, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1952. He served aboard the U.S.S. Rich, DDE-820, of the United States Navy from July of 1953 until July of 1957, and was stationed in the Mediterranean Sea. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. After his separation from the service he was employed as a carpenter. (Photograph unavailable.)



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FRANK E. VECERE



RALPH A. VELA



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## JOSEPH J. VIENI, Machinist Mate 3rd Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Vieni was born on October 3, 1932, and was graduated from Samuel Gompers Vocational and Technical High School in 1950. He served from March of 1952 until March of 1956 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Gilbert Islands, CVE-107, and aboard the U.S.S. Valley Forge, CVS-45, and was stationed in Boston, Massachusetts, and at Norfolk, Virginia. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense, Korean, and United Nations Service Medals, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal as well. After the service he was a High Voltage Lineman for Con Edison, and is currently Operating Supervisor for Con Edison.

## WALTER J. VILKAS, Airman 1st Class

A longtime resident of Ronkonkoma, Mr. Vilkas was born on December 12, 1933, and attended Sayville High School. He served from February of 1951 until February of 1955 with the United States Air Force, H Company, 51st Fighter Interceptor Wing, 5th Air Force, and was stationed chiefly in Suwon, Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. After his discharge from the service he was employed as a route salesman for Pepsi-Cola Company for 16 years, and has been employed as a Suffolk County Park Ranger for the past 11 years.

## THEODORE J. VOGT, Petty Officer 2nd Class

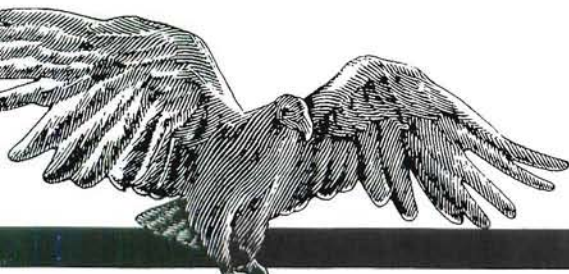
Presently residing in Ronkonkoma, and formerly of Oceanside, New York, Mr. Vogt was born on June 11, 1931, and was graduated from Oceanside High School in 1951. He served from September of 1951 until September of 1955 with the 6th Fleet of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Wallace L. Lind, DD-703, and aboard the U.S.S. Everglades, AD-25, and was stationed in Bainbridge, Maryland, and in Norfolk, Virginia. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal as well. He has been employed as a Letter Carrier for the United States Postal Service since his discharge from the service.

## EDWARD R. VORISEK, Airman

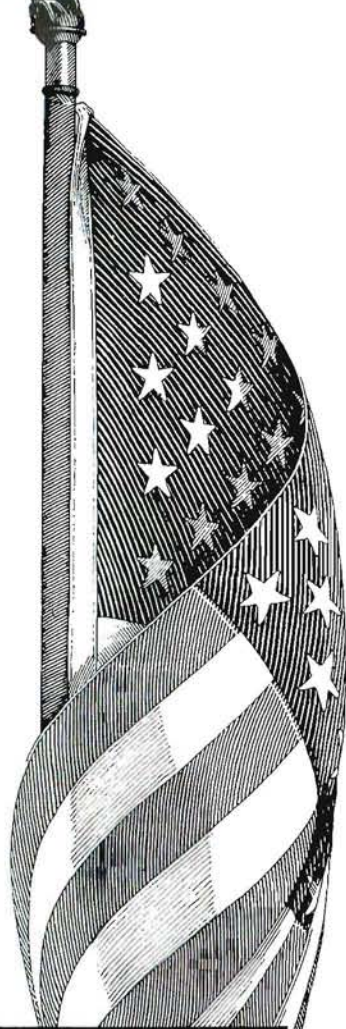
Airman Vorisek served from July of 1952 until October of 1955 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Hornet, CVA-12, and was stationed principally in Virginia. Originally from New York City, and currently residing in Bohemia, he was born on November 7, 1934. He was graduated from Manhattan Vocational and Technical High School, New York City, in 1952, and from Vorhees Technical Institute, also in New York, in 1959. After the service he was employed as a tool and die maker.

## THOMAS M. VOSGERICHIAN, Airman 1st Class

A Bay Shore resident since 1960, and formerly of Binghamton, New York, Mr. Vosgerichian was born on February 18, 1930. He received his High School Equivalency Diploma and was graduated from the State University of New York in 1955. He served from 1951 until 1962 with the 380th Food Service Squadron, Strategic Air Command, Combat Support Group of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Puerto Rico, England, and in the United States, and earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon. He has been employed as a chef since his discharge from the service.



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JOSEPH J. VIENI



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THOMAS M. VOSGERICHIAN



EDWARD R. VORISEK

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## LOUIS C. WAGNER, Airman 2nd Class

Born on July 9, 1930, and formerly of Ozone Park, New York, Mr. Wagner settled in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He served with the 1973rd Airways and Air Communications Service Squadron, 8th Air Force of the United States Air Force from April of 1949 until November of 1952, and was stationed in Korea and the Philippines. He attended Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School, and after the service was employed as a truck driver.

## SANFORD A. WAHL, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Wahl served from July of 1951 until June of 1953 with I, L, K, and M Companies, 180th Infantry Regiment, 45th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge and the Distinguished Unit Citation. Born on December 30, 1930, and formerly of Jersey City, New Jersey, he settled in Bay Shore where he currently resides. He was graduated from Lincoln High School, Jersey City, in 1948, and attended classes at New York University. Following the service he was employed as a teacher.

## STANLEY A. WALKER, Electricians Mate 2nd Class

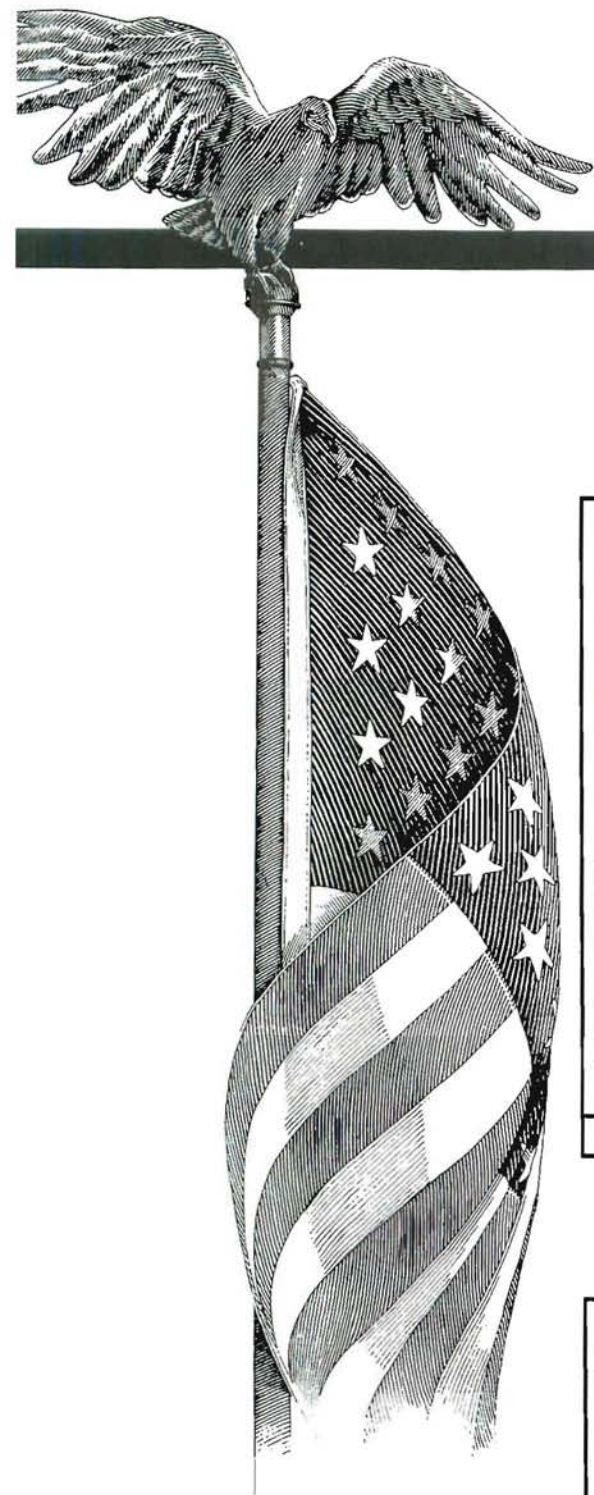
Formerly of Williston Park, New York, Mr. Walker was born on August 9, 1928, and resides in Bay Shore. He attended Mineola High School, Mineola, New York, and following the service was employed with the New York Telephone Company. He served from October of 1946 until October of 1951, and again from May of 1957 until May of 1961 with the United States Navy with the Submarine Service Company, and was stationed along the West Coast of the United States and in Hawaii, Japan and Australia. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the China Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal as well. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM A. WALLER, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Waller served from November of 1954 until May of 1956 with Headquarters Battery, 8020 Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in New Ulm, Germany, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Born on August 8, 1935, and formerly of Floral Park, New York, he made his home in Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from Sewanhaka High School, Floral Park, in 1953, and has been employed as a meat cutter since his separation from the service.

## WILLIAM T. WALSH, Seaman

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and born on March 7, 1935, Mr. Walsh made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He attended William E. Grady Vocational High School, Brooklyn, New York, and following his discharge was employed as a bricklayer. He served aboard the U.S.S. Intrepid, and with the Harbor Defense of the United States Navy from June of 1952 until June of 1956. He was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia, and earned the Good Conduct Medal.



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WILLIAM T. WALSH

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## PAUL R. WALSHIN, Specialist 3rd Class

A resident of Sayville since 1966, Mr. Walshin formerly resided in Bethpage, New York. He was born on September 14, 1933, was graduated from Newtown High School in 1954, and in 1958 from SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from April of 1954 until March of 1956 with the 47th Infantry Regiment, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. He received the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as an estimator for a general contractor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE A. WALZ, Airman 1st Class

Airman Walz served with the 3315th Airways and Air Communications Service Squadron of the United States Air Force from June of 1952 until June of 1954, and was stationed at Reese Air Force Base, Texas. Born on December 5, 1933, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, he settled in East Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from Cardinal Hayes High School, Bronx, in 1951, and after the service was employed as an air traffic controller. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ERNEST W. WARREN, Chief Petty Officer

A Vietnam veteran as well as a Korean veteran, Mr. Warren was born on November 28, 1933, and has resided in West Islip since 1965. He served from January of 1952 until June of 1971 aboard the U.S.S. Alshain, AKA-55, the U.S.S. Prevail, AGS-20, the U.S.S. Hermitage, LSD-34, the U.S.S. Grant County, LST-1174, the U.S.S. Hickman County, LST-825, the U.S.S. Clarke County, LST 601, and aboard the U.S.S. Simon Lake, AS-33, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia, Valley Stream, New York, and in San Juan, Puerto Rico. After his discharge he was employed as an appliance repairman for Sears Roebuck and Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MORTON WARSAW, Corporal

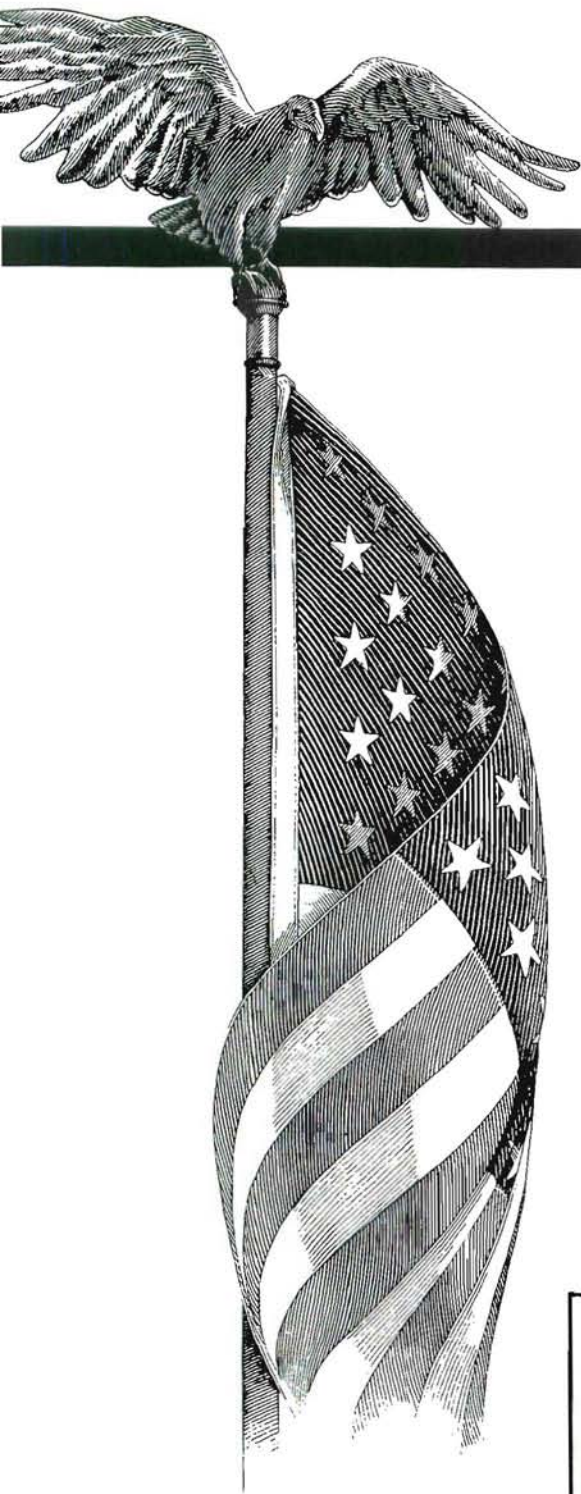
Corporal Warsaw served from 1952 until 1954 with the 45th Infantry Thunderbirds, and the Oklahoma National Guard of the United States Army. He was stationed in Seoul, Chunchon, and Sandbag Castle, Korea, and is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. Born on August 20, 1931, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he settled in Bay Shore where he has resided since 1961. He was graduated from Eastern District High School, Brooklyn, in 1949, and attended New York City College for two years. He is employed as a printer.

## ALBERT WEBER, Corporal

Formerly of Queens Village, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Weber was born on December 26, 1930, and was graduated from Jamaica High School in 1949. He served with the 4th Signal Battalion of the United States Army from September of 1951 until August of 1953, and was stationed principally in Korea. After his separation from the service he was employed as an airline operations manager.

## JOHN A. WEEKS, Airman 1st Class

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Weeks was born on June 14, 1932, and was graduated from Sayville High School. He served with the 6603rd Air Base Wing, Northeast Air Command of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Goose Bay, Labrador, and Lowry Air Force Base, Colorado. He has been a printer and owner of Weeks & Reichel Printing.



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MORTON WARSAW



JOHN A. WEEKS



ALBERT WEBER

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## NORMAN M. WEIDNER, Sergeant

Sergeant Weidner served from April of 1953 until March of 1955 with the 10th Corp Headquarters, 8th Army Headquarters, of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. Born on December 30, 1930, he resided in Buffalo, New York, before settling in West Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from Seneca Vocational High School, Buffalo, in 1948, and in 1953 from SUNY at Buffalo. He has been a junior high and a high school teacher since his discharge. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT E. WEINFURT, Corporal

Born on October 27, 1931, and formerly of East Islip, Mr. Weinfurt settled in Islip. He served with H Company, 24th Infantry Division of the United States Army from July of 1952 until July of 1954, and was stationed in Japan and Korea. He earned the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. In 1950 he was graduated from East Islip High School, and following the service was employed as a Letter Carrier for the United States Postal Service.

## RONALD WEINGARD, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in East Islip, Mr. Weingard was born on December 3, 1932. He attended S.J. Tilden High School, Brooklyn, and received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Long Island University, and his Master of Arts degree from Brooklyn College. He also attended New York University, U.C.L.A., and Dowling College. He served from April of 1951 until April of 1953 with the Aberdeen Bombing Mission, Special Weapons Branch of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Albuquerque, New Mexico. He was in charge of overseas shipments to Korea and then worked in a top secret position for atomic bomb missions. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and following his discharge he was employed as a school teacher.

## ALFRED J. WEISMANTEL, Corporal

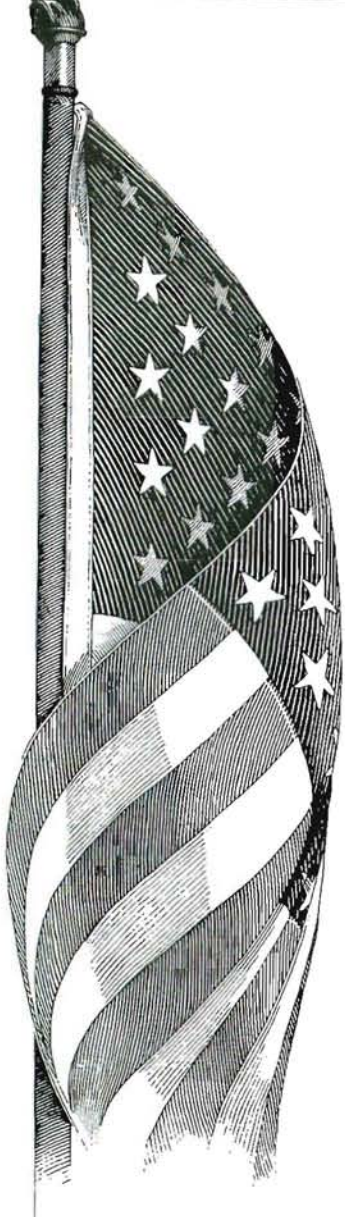
Corporal Weismantel served from November of 1950 until November of 1951 with SHAPE Headquarters, U.S. Finance Corps of the United States Army, and was stationed in Heidelberg, and Mannheim, Germany. Born on February 3, 1927, and formerly of Williston Park, New York, he made his home in Brentwood. He was graduated from Mineola High School, Mineola, New York, in 1945, and after the service was employed as an auto mechanic.

## ALLEN J. WEISS, Corporal

Born on February 9, 1931, and formerly of Woodmere, New York, Mr. Weiss made his home in East Islip where he has resided since 1958. He was graduated from Far Rockaway High School in 1949, from Brooklyn College in 1953, and in 1960 from Adelphi University. He served with H Company, USAREUR Supply Control Center, 7962nd Army Unit, and the USAREUR Communications Zone of the United States Army from February of 1954 until February of 1956, and was stationed in New Orleans, France. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as a chemist.



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ROBERT E. WEINFURT



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ALFRED J. WEISMANTEL



ALLEN J. WEISS



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## IRVING O. WEISS, Private 1st Class

Originally from Long Island City, and presently residing in Brightwaters, Mr. Weiss was graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School in 1949, received his Bachelor of Arts degree from City College of New York in 1953, and his Master of Arts degree in 1956 from Columbia University. He served primarily at Fort Lewis, Washington, with the 2nd Signal Company, 2nd Infantry Division of the United States Army from December of 1953 until September of 1956. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, and following his separation from the service was employed as a psychologist.

## JOHN L. WELLS, Corporal

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Wells was born on August 5, 1930, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1948. He served with the 398th AAA of the United States Army from August of 1951 until August of 1953, and was stationed at Fort Knox, Fort Bliss, Fort Dix, Camp Kilmer, Camp Edwards, as well as in Osan, Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, and was employed as a draftsman after the service.

## ROBERT E. WESTERBERG, Sergeant

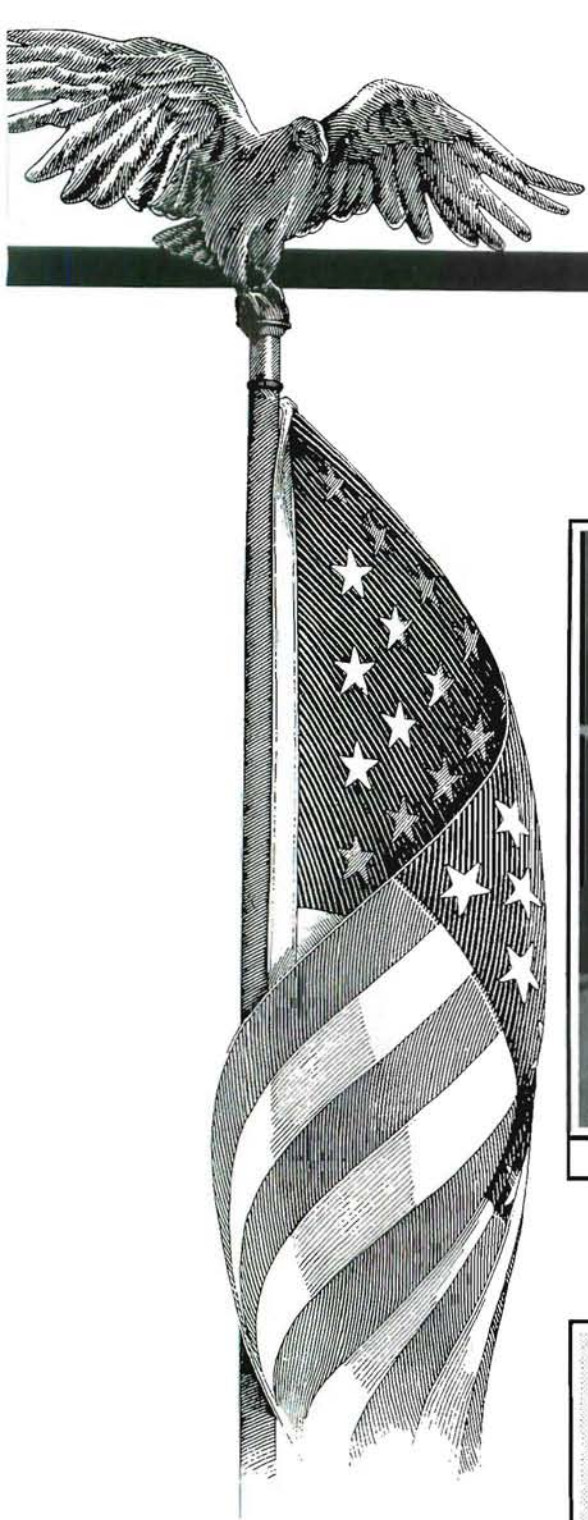
Sergeant Westerberg served with Maintron 20, and MTG 20, of the United States Marine Corps mainly at Cherry Point, North Carolina, from January of 1952 until January of 1954. He was born on November 7, 1931, and is formerly of Woodhaven, New York. He was graduated in 1949 from Franklin K. Lane High School and resides in Brentwood. After the service he was employed as a New York City Firefighter. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN J. WHALEN, Private 1st Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Whalen was born on August 15, 1931, and attended Alexander Hamilton High School, Brooklyn. He served from January of 1952 until December of 1953 with the 39th Engineer Supply PT Company of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Korea, and earned the Korean Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. He was employed with Republic Aviation following the service, and is currently employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## H. DONALD WHITE, Sergeant

Formerly of Cranford, New Jersey, and presently a resident of Great River, Mr. White was born on July 9, 1930. He served with the 7th Division, 17th RCT of the United States Army from March of 1952 until February of 1954, and was stationed chiefly in Korea. He was graduated from Cranford High School in 1948, from Union Junior College in 1950, and in 1954 from the University of Maryland. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. He was employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation and with Con Edison following the service.



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## WILLIAM F. WICKERS, 2nd Lieutenant

A longtime resident of Lake Ronkonkoma, Mr. Wickers served with the United States Army, mainly at Fort Hancock, and Fort Bliss, Texas, from July of 1952 until October of 1953. He earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the National Defense Service Medal.

## ROBERT C. WICKS, Specialist 3rd Class

Born on July 26, 1933, and formerly of Floral Park, New York, Mr. Wicks settled in Ronkonkoma where he now resides. He was graduated from Sewanhaka High School. He served with the United States Army, primarily at Gelnhausen, Germany from May of 1953 until April of 1955, with the 12th Infantry Regiment, and earned the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. Following his separation from the service he was employed as an operating engineer.

## RONALD G. WIEBER, Gunners Mate 3rd Class

Presently residing in Bay Shore, and formerly of Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Wieber was born on December 29, 1934, and was graduated from Brooklyn High School of Automotive Trades in 1953. He served from January of 1955 until January of 1959 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Daly, DD-519, and was stationed in Newport, Rhode Island. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, and has been employed as a Conductor for the Long Island Rail Road since his discharge.

## CARL A. WIESENAUER, Specialist 3rd Class

Specialist Wiesenauer served with the 525th Military Intelligence Group, H Company of the United States Navy primarily at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, from April of 1954 until April of 1956. He was born on April 27, 1928, and is formerly of Union, New Jersey. He made his home in Bohemia where he presently resides. He attended Trade School from April of 1943 until March of 1947 in Ludwigsburg, West Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Following the service he was employed as a machinist.

## LOUIS C. WILKENS, Sergeant 1st Class

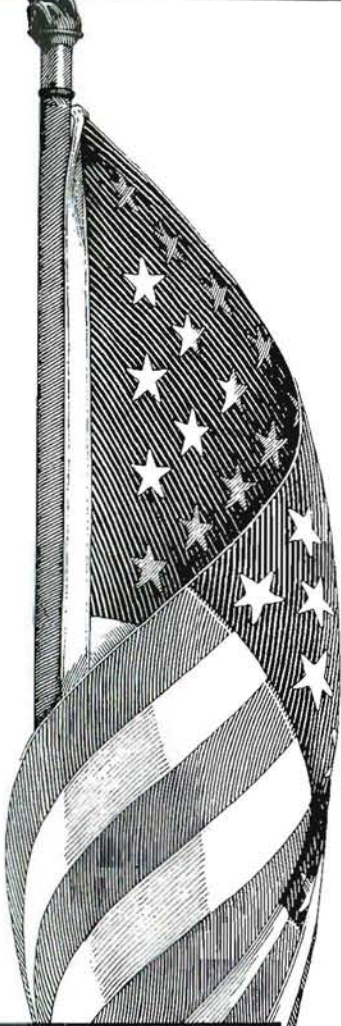
A 1951 graduate of Farmingdale High School, Farmingdale, New York, and born on March 26, 1933, Mr. Wilkens resided in East Islip, before settling in West Islip where he presently resides. He served from March of 1953 until February of 1955 with the 7th Division, Signal Company, Motor Pool of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. After the service he was employed as an operating engineer and is currently employed as a weekend flight instructor at Long Island MacArthur Airport. He also owns and operates an auto repair shop in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JEREMIAH WILKINS, Sergeant

Born on August 21, 1928, and formerly of Lindenhurst, New York, Mr. Wilkins resides in Sayville. He served from February of 1952 until January of 1954 with the 187th Airborne, Regimental Combat Team of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and a Parachute Badge as well. He was graduated from Franklin K. Lane High School and is currently employed as a general contractor.



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WILLIAM F. WICKERS



ROBERT C. WICKS



RONALD G. WIEBER



CARL A. WIESENAUER



JEREMIAH WILKINS

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## ERCELL WILLIAMS, Corporal

Originally from Nashville, Tennessee, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Williams was born on February 19, 1930. He was graduated from high school in 1948, and from Tennessee State University in 1952 and from Indiana State University in 1957. He served from 1952 until 1954 with the Medical Corp, 34th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He is currently employed as a high school teacher. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT A. WILLIAMS, Corporal

Corporal Williams served from October of 1951 until September of 1953 with the 187th Regimental Combat Team of the United States Army, was stationed in the Iron Triangle, Korea, and received the Combat Infantry Badge and a Purple Heart. Born on November 25, 1930, he resided in East Islip and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1950. He currently resides in Oakdale and is employed as a plumber.

## NEAL R. WILLARD, E-6

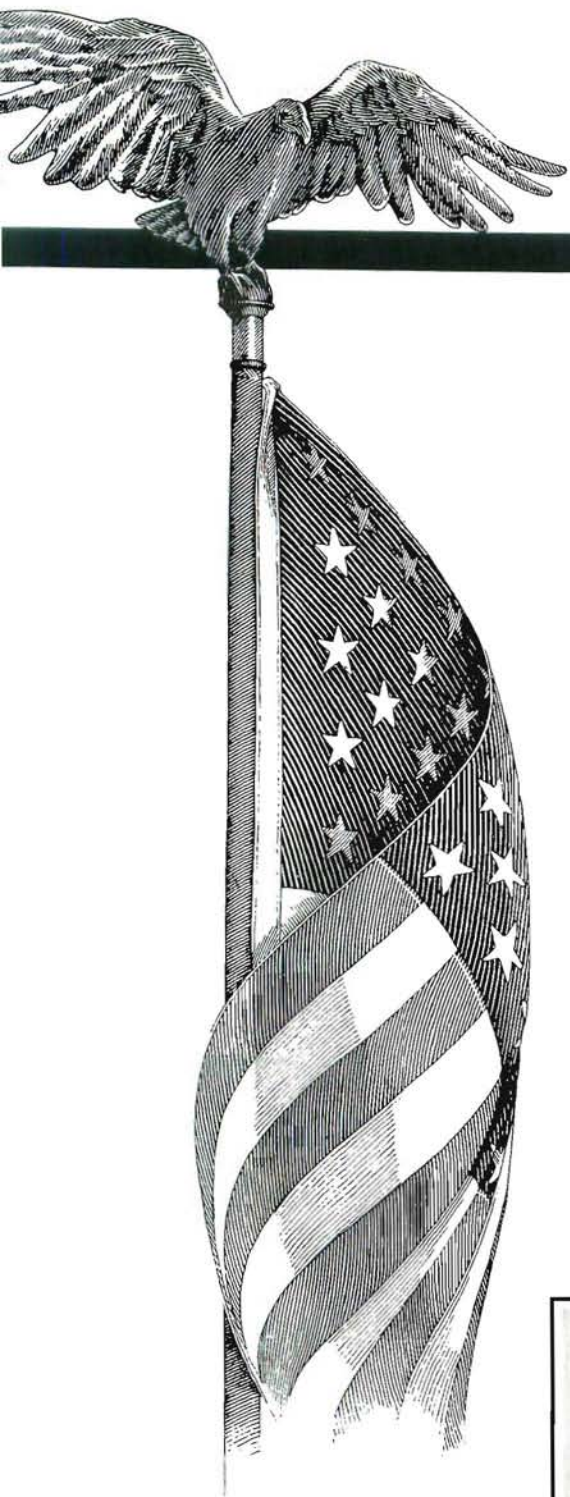
Formerly of Bolivar, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Willard was born on October 28, 1934, and was graduated from Bolivar Central High School, Bolivar, New York. He served with the United States Navy from December of 1951 until February of 1971. His tours of duty included San Diego and Long Beach, California, Guam, Midway, Rota, Spain, Naples, Italy, and Norfolk, Virginia. A veteran of both Korea and Vietnam, he is merited with two Bronze Star Medals, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Gallantry Cross, and a Silver Star as well. Following his discharge from the service he was employed as a truck driver, and as a typewriter repairman.

## RICHARD E. WILLDIGG, Corpsman 3rd Class

Born on June 17, 1934, and formerly of Bellrose, New York, Mr. Willdigg settled in East Islip where he presently resides. He served aboard the U.S.S. Iowa, and aboard the U.S.S. Mississippi, and with a Naval Hospital of the United States Navy from July of 1950 until November of 1955, and was stationed in Yokosuka, Japan. He earned the Distinguished Service Medal, and after the service was employed as a butcher. He was graduated in 1950 from Sewanhaka High School and in 1959 from SUNY at Farmingdale.

## JOHN F. WILLIAMS, Sergeant

Sergeant Williams served from May of 1952 until October of 1955 with the 1903rd Airways and Air Communications Service Squadron, Air Traffic Control of the United States Air Force, and was stationed chiefly in Arizona and in Japan as well. Born on January 21, 1934, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he currently resides in West Islip. He was graduated from LaSalle Military Academy in 1951, and following his discharge was a student. (Photograph unavailable.)



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ROBERT A. WILLIAMS



RICHARD E. WILLDIGG



NEAL R. WILLARD

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## JAY K. WILLRICK, Sergeant

Born on May 22, 1931, and originally from East Islip where he was graduated from East Islip High School in 1949, Mr. Willrick has made his home in Debary, Florida where he now resides. He served from April of 1951 until April of 1954 with the 3rd Marine Division, 3rd Marine Air Wing of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in North Carolina, California, and in Korea. After the service he was employed as a service station operator/mechanic, and is currently a self-employed mechanic.

## WALLY WILLRICK, JR., EN-3

A 1948 graduate of East Islip High School, and born on April 7, 1930, Mr. Willrick resided in East Islip before making his home in Jupiter, Florida where he presently resides. He served with the U.S. Coast Guard from September of 1948 until September of 1951 primarily off the East Coast of the United States where he serviced light ships and light stations. He is merited with the American Theatre Medal, and the Expert Marksman Badge. He was self-employed for 15 years in construction, and was the owner of Islip Hardware for 10 years.

## HAROLD J. WILSON, Radioman 3rd Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Bohemia, Mr. Wilson was born on January 23, 1934, and was graduated from Howard Taft High School, Bronx, in 1952. He served from May of 1952 until May of 1956 with the Commander 2nd Fleet, was stationed at Norfolk, Virginia, and received the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. He was employed as a fleet serviceman after his discharge. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HENRY G. WINDECKER, Corporal

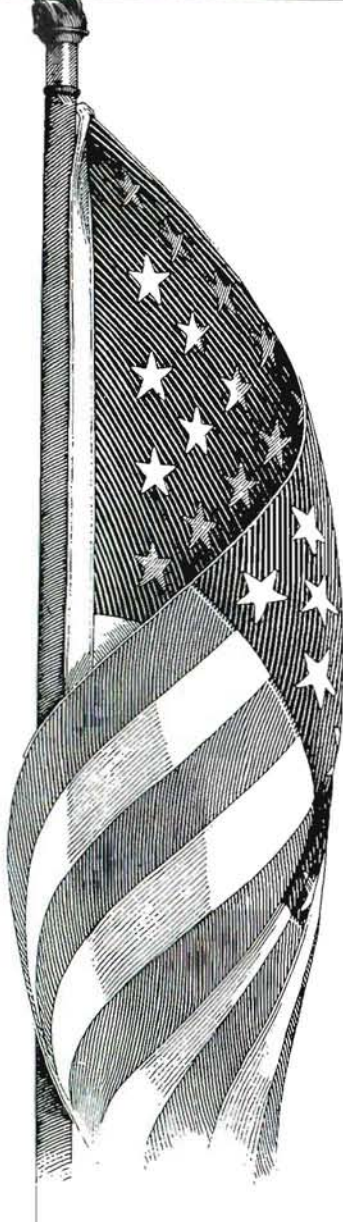
Corporal Windecker served with the 990th Signal Company, 82nd Airborne Division of the United States Army from August of 1952 until August of 1954, and was stationed at Fort Gordon, Georgia, and at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. Born on November 14, 1929, and presently residing in Oakdale, Mr. Windecker resided in Brooklyn, New York, and was graduated from Straubemuller Textile High School in 1947. He received his Bachelor of Science degree in Physics and Mathematics from Eastern Michigan University in 1958, and has been employed as an electronics engineer since the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE O. WINDERL, Lieutenant

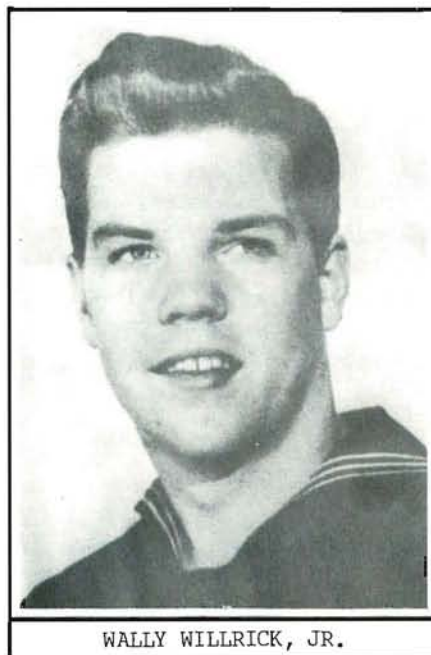
Lieutenant Winderl served aboard the U.S.S. Liddle, APD-60, of the United States Navy from November of 1951 until November of 1953 with the Amphibious Force of the Atlantic Fleet, and earned the American Defense Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. Formerly of Astoria, New York, and presently residing in Sayville, he was graduated from William Cullen Bryant High School, Astoria, attended New York State Maritime Academy at Fort Schuyler, New York, and was graduated from Dowling College in 1976. Following the service he was employed with the Federal Aviation Administration.



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WALLY WILLRICK, JR.



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## MERRILL B. WISH, 1st Lieutenant

A resident of Sayville at the time he served, Mr. Wish was born on February 17, 1929, and resides in Charleston, South Carolina. He was graduated from Sayville High School in 1947 and from Syracuse University in 1955. He served from December of 1952 until June of 1958 with the 428th Fighter Bomber Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed primarily in Korea. While in the service he earned the Korean Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. Following his separation from the Air Force, he was employed with Prudential Insurance Company.

## ROBERT A. WISMANN, Seaman

Seaman Wismann served aboard the U.S.S. Stoddard, DD-556, of the United States Navy from April of 1952 until April of 1956. Born on March 2, 1932, and formerly of Massapequa, New York, he made his home in Holbrook where he presently resides. He was graduated from Amityville High School, and while in the service he earned the China Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. After his discharge he was employed as an electrician for the Long Island Rail Road.

## NORMAN WIST, Corporal

Formerly of Ozone Park, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Wist was born on July 17, 1930, and was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1948. He served with the Supply Depot, and the FMF Atlantic of the United States Marine Corps from October of 1951 until October of 1953, and was stationed in Portsmouth, Virginia. He was employed as a truck driver and as an administrator after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES F. WOODS, Sergeant

Born on February 13, 1928, and a resident of Baldwin, New York, before settling in Central Islip, Mr. Woods was graduated from Andrew Jackson Vocational High School in 1947. He served from April of 1951 until April of 1953 with A Company, 89th Tank Battalion, 25th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Texas and Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, and the United Nations Service Medal as well. He was employed with the Long Island Lighting Company after the service and is currently employed with New York Telephone Company.

## JOSEPH W. WORTHINGTON, Corporal

Originally of Brooklyn, New York, and born on February 4, 1929, Mr. Worthington settled in Great River where he now resides. He was graduated in 1946 from Ft. Hamilton High School, Brooklyn, received his Bachelor of Science degree from SUNY at Oswego in 1950, and his Master of Arts degree in 1958. He served with the 145th Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army from January of 1951 until December of 1952, and was stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and in Korea. He is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal. After the service he was employed as a school teacher and principal. (Photograph unavailable.)



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MERRILL B. WISH



ROBERT A. WISMANN



JAMES F. WOODS

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## WILTON E. WRIGHT, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Wright was born on August 13, 1932, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1949. He served with the United States Army from January of 1953 until January of 1955 with H Company, 34th Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division. He earned the United Nations Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal, and after his discharge was employed as a carpenter.

## HAROLD F. WYCOFF, Yeoman 3rd Class

Born on January 17, 1926, and originally from Islip, Mr. Wycoff made his home in Brightwaters. He served from October of 1950 until August of 1952 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. LSMR-514, and was stationed with the Atlantic Fleet, at Norfolk, Virginia. A 1946 graduate of Bay Shore High School, he is also a veteran of World War II. Following his Korean tour of duty he was employed with the New York State Police, and is now a Detective with the Suffolk County Police Department.

## BARRY J. WYNNE, Corporal

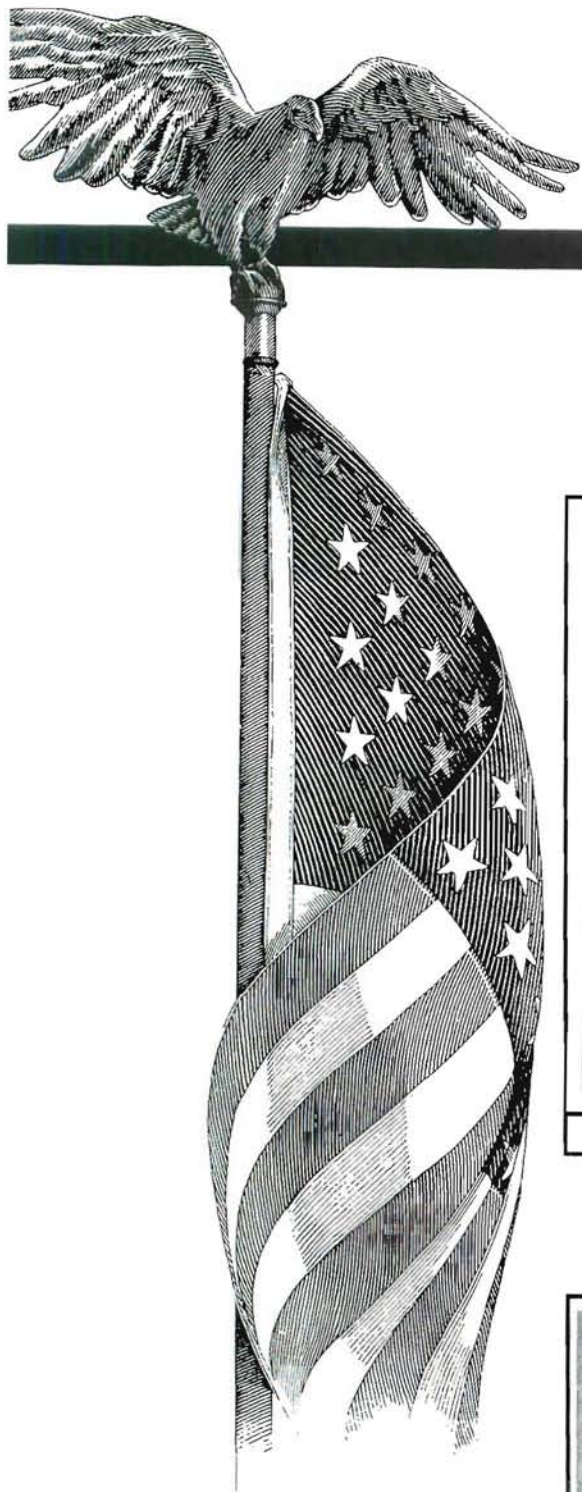
Corporal Wynne served from February of 1952 until January of 1954 with I Company, 351st Infantry Regiment of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Trieste, Italy. A longtime resident of Central Islip, he was born on October 25, 1930, and was graduated from Central Islip High School. Following the service he was employed in the Highway Division of the Department of Public Works of the Town of Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN M. YANCIGAY, Machinist Mate 2nd Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Yancigay was born on February 25, 1937. He served aboard the U.S.S. Keppler, DDE-765, of the United States Navy from June of 1954 until January of 1958, and was stationed in Newport, Rhode Island. He was graduated from Samuel Gompers Vocational and Technical High School, Bronx, and after the service was employed as a sheet metal mechanic, and then as a New York City Firefighter.

## JERRY V. YANNACCI, Chief Master Sergeant

A Bay Shore resident since 1961, Mr. Yannacci was born on April 1, 1929, and is formerly of Brooklyn, New York. He served from December of 1950 until December of 1952 with the 631st Armored Field Artillery Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and Hammelburgh, Germany. He enlisted in the Air National Guard at Floyd Bennett Field, Brooklyn, in 1954, and in 1970 moved with this unit to the Suffolk County Airport where he continues to serve. He is merited with the Armed Forces Occupation Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. He was graduated from Textile High School, New York City, in 1947, and following his discharge in 1952 was employed as an aircraft worker with Republic Aviation.



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## ROBERT W. YEZEK, Private 1st Class

Private Yezek served from April of 1954 until April of 1956 with the 68th Radio Controlled Aircraft Target Detachment of the United States Army, and was stationed with the Erie Ordnance Depot at Port Clinton, Ohio. Born on June 28, 1933, and formerly of East Islip, he settled in Hauppauge where he presently resides. He was graduated from East Islip High School in 1951, and from Hofstra University in 1967. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and following the service was employed as a mechanical engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ATHOS YONICK, Airman 1st Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Yonick was born on February 26, 1937, and was graduated from Evander Childs High School, Bronx, in 1954. He served with the 1110th Air Support Group, 2044th Airways and Air Communications Service Squadron of the United States Air Force from September of 1954 until June of 1958, and was stationed in Denver, Colorado, Washington, D.C., and Adana, Turkey. He was employed as a New York City Firefighter after the service.

## ANTHONY YOUNG, Staff Sergeant

A veteran of both Korea and Vietnam, Sergeant Young served with the United States Army from September of 1950 until August of 1974. He was born on March 14, 1933, and resided in Brooklyn, New York, before settling in Brentwood where he presently resides. He was graduated from Boys High School, Brooklyn, and from Mercy College, Bronx, New York. He is merited with the Bronze Star Medal and a Purple Heart, and was employed as a Counselor for the Veterans Administration after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE C. YOUNG, Airman 1st Class

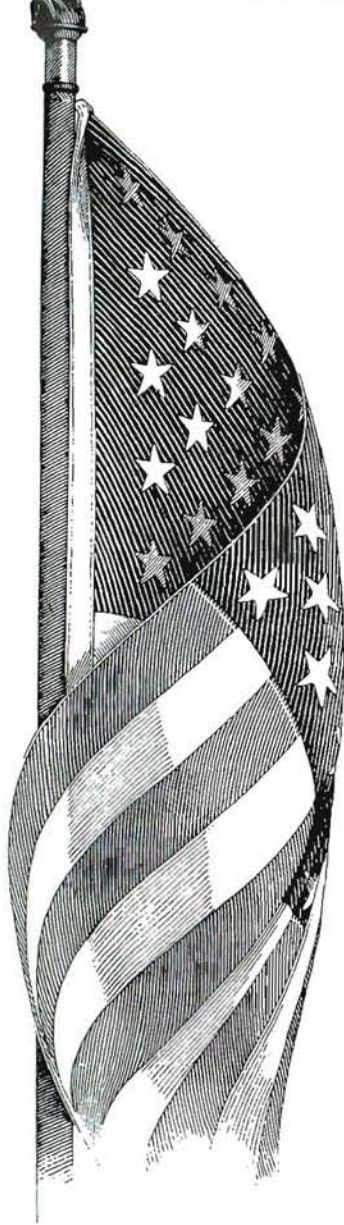
Born on May 11, 1934, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He served from September of 1953 until September of 1957 with the 1993rd Airways and Air Communications Service Squadron, Radio Squadron, of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Korea, and is merited with the Sharpshooter Badge, and with various Service Medals as well. He was graduated from Franklin K. Lane High School in 1953, received his Bachelor of Science degree in 1961 from Brooklyn College, and his Master of Science degree in 1973, also from Brooklyn College. He has been employed as a school teacher and as a recreation director since his discharge from the service.

## ANTON J. YZQUIERDO, Sergeant 1st Class

Sergeant Yzquierdo served from May of 1949 until February of 1952 with the Regimental Headquarters Company, 15th Infantry, 3rd Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in the Far East Command. Also a veteran of World War II, he is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. Born on August 30, 1929, and formerly of Baldwin, New York, he settled in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He attended Freeport High School, and since his discharge was employed as a construction operating engineer.



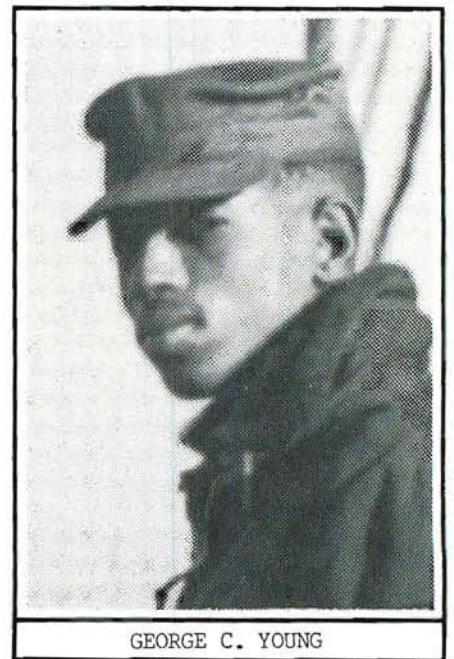
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## LOUIS H. ZACKMAN, Private

Private Zackman served from November of 1952 until December of 1953 with C Company, 7th Infantry Regiment of the United States Army, primarily in Korea, and earned the Combat Infantry Badge, the Distinguished Service Cross, and a Purple Heart as well. Born on September 26, 1932, and formerly of Ridge, New York, he settled in Bay Shore. He was graduated from Port Jefferson High School, Port Jefferson, New York, and was employed as a plumber and well driller after the service.

## PETER J. ZEIHNER, Sergeant 1st Class

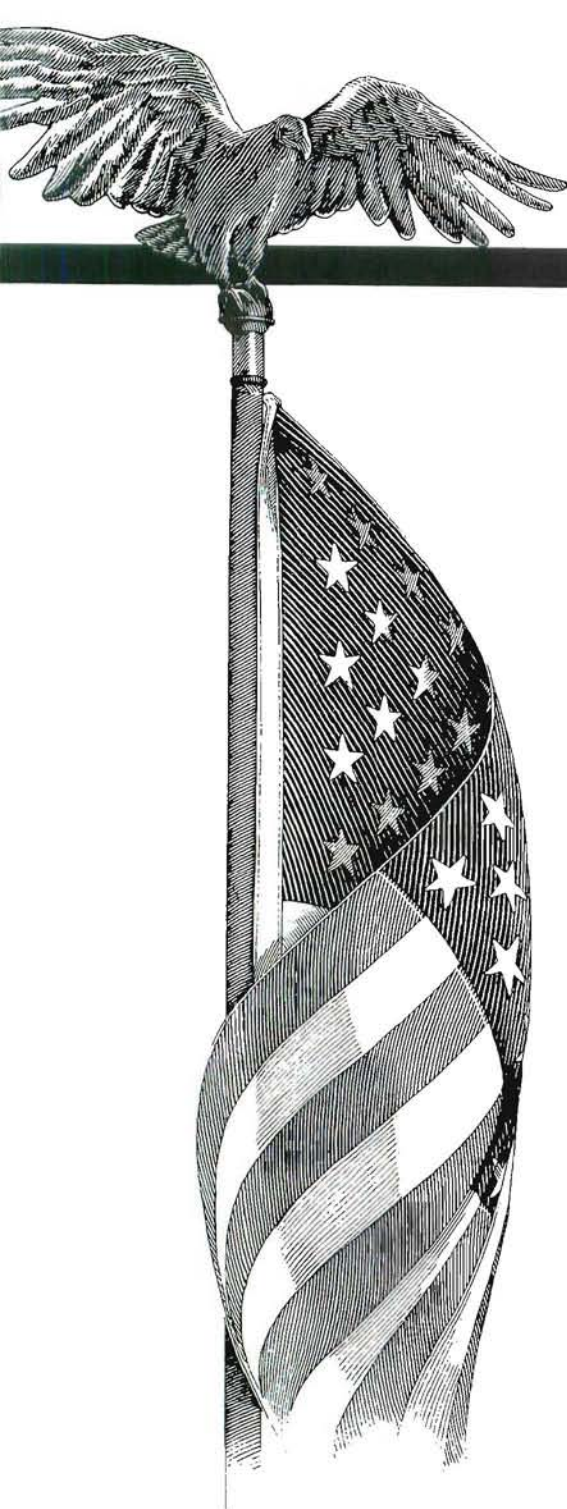
Born on March 7, 1931, and formerly of Hicksville, New York, Mr. Zeiher settled in Bay Shore where he has resided since 1963. He served from January of 1953 until January of 1955 with the Regimental Headquarters Company, 40th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Korean Presidential Unit Citation. He attended Hicksville High School, and has been employed with the Hicksville Water District since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK J. ZETTL, Corporal

Corporal Zettl served with the Engineering DCS of the United States Army at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, from March of 1951 until March of 1953. Born on February 26, 1929, and formerly of Rosedale, New York, he made his home in Ronkonkoma. He was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School in 1947, and from Pace College in 1957. After the service he as employed as an accounting clerk. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN A. ZOSIMO, Airman 1st Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Zosimo was born on February 19, 1933, and was graduated in 1951 from Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School. He attended New York City College, Wichita University, the University of Alaska, C.W. Post College, and Suffolk County Community College. He served from February of 1952 until January of 1956 with Headquarters Squadron, 3520th Maintenance Group, 58th Weather Reconnaissance Group of the United States Air Force, and was stationed primarily in Wichita, Kansas, and Fairbanks, Alaska. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal, and following his separation from the service was employed as an electronic technician.



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LOUIS H. ZACKMAN



JOHN A. ZOSIMO



# ADDENDUM

This Addendum contains the biographies of veterans who submitted information and photographs after the publication was in progress.

## BENEDICT M. CARLOZZO, Corporal

Presently residing in West Sayville, Mr. Carozzo was born on September 26, 1929, was graduated from St. Francis Xavier High School in 1947, and in 1951 from Fordham University. He served from 1951 through 1953 with SGS Staff Eucom Headquarters of the United States Army in Heidelberg, Germany. Following the service he became employed in sales, and is currently the General Services Manager for the Suffolk County Department of General Services.

## CHARLES R. CAROLAN, Corporal

Corporal Carolan served with the United States Army from 1952 until 1954. He was stationed in Korea and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, and the Republic of Korea Presidential Citation. Born on September 28, 1931, he resided in Bay Shore where he attended Bay Shore High School. After the service he became employed at Pilgrim State Psychiatric Hospital. He passed away on July 27, 1978.

## DONALD A. GOODE, Corporal

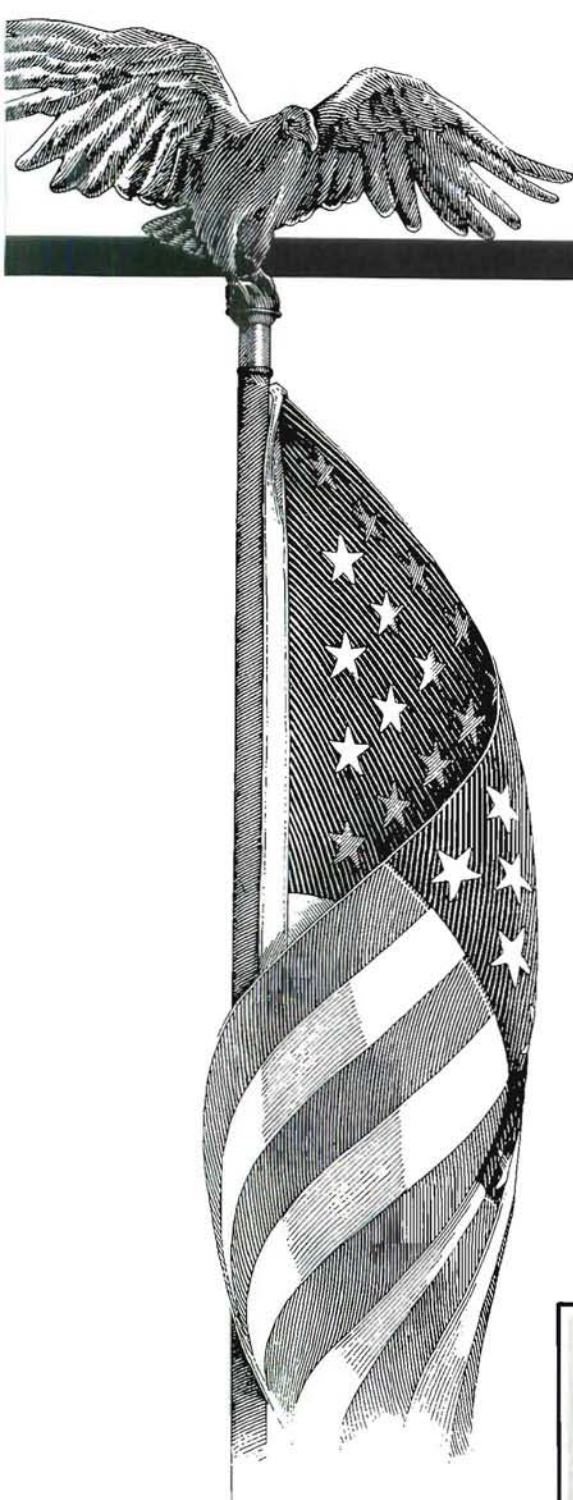
Formerly of Bay Shore, and presently residing in Ferndale, Washington, Mr. Goode was born on October 19, 1929, attended Bay Shore High School until 1946, and graduated from Diesel Mechanic School, Fort Belvoir, Virginia. He served with Headquarters Company, 13th Combat Engineer Battalion, 7th Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea for 13 months, and received the Korean Service Medal with five Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, the Meritorious Unit Citation, and the National Defense Service Medal. Following the service he became employed as a heavy equipment operator and mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN F. JAYNE, Lieutenant Junior Grade

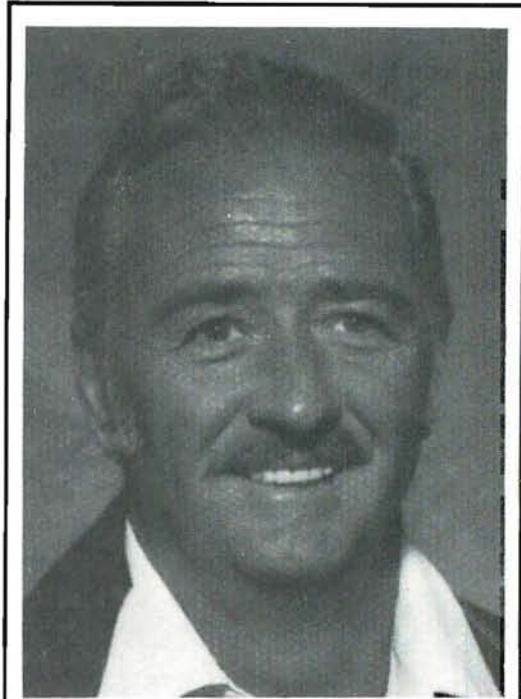
A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Jayne was born on August 21, 1931, was graduated from Bay Shore High School, and from the United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kingspoint, New York. He served from December of 1953 until December of 1955 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Harwood, DDE-861, and was stationed primarily in Europe. After the service he became employed as an engineer.

## ANDRO N. LEAKAKOS, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Leakakos served from February of 1951 until February of 1953 with the 15th Ranger Airborne Company attached to the 47th Infantry Division of the United States Army. He was stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia, was graduated from Airborne School and Ranger School, and received the Airborne Parachutist Badge, and a Ranger Patch as well. Originally from Bay Shore where he attended Bay Shore High School until 1948, he was born on April 16, 1929. Prior to the service, he was the owner of Three Brothers Luncheonette on Main Street, Bay Shore, and after his discharge resumed his business. He currently resides in San Francisco, California. (Photograph unavailable.)



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CHARLES R. CAROLAN



BENEDICT M. CARLOZZO



JOHN F. JAYNE

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GUS LEAKAKOS, Corporal

Born on March 7, 1931, Mr. Leakakos is a longtime resident of Bay Shore, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1949. He served from 1952 until 1954 with the 91st AAA Battalion, 7th Army of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. After the service he became a cook, and is currently a hospital worker.

PETER LEITCH, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Leitch served from January of 1951 until December of 1952 with the 3586th Maintenance Squadron of the United States Air Force, and served as an aircraft and engine mechanic. He was stationed at U.S. Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas. A longtime resident of Bay Shore, he was born on July 2, 1932, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1949. He was graduated from Air Force Air Frame and Engine Mechanic School, Boston, Massachusetts, in July of 1951, and following his discharge became employed as a mechanic.

EUGENE A. MACK, Airman 1st Class

Originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Mack was born on June 4, 1929, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1947. He served from November of 1948 until September of 1952 with the 39th Fighter Squadron, 35th Fighter Group of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Korea and Japan, and is merited with the Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, the Japan Occupation Medal, and the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars. He currently resides in Holbrook, and is employed as an air conditioning electrician.



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GUS LEAKAKOS



PETER LEITCH



EUGENE A. MACK

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## FRANCIS T. RYDER, Chief Petty Officer

Chief Petty Officer Ryder served from May of 1952 through September of 1958 with the United States Navy as a Machinist Mate 2/c, from September of 1958 through September of 1973 with the United States Coast Guard as an Engineman 1/c, and since September of 1970 with the United States Naval Reserve as a Machinist Mate and Chief Petty Officer. He was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Conceh, AOR-110, and is currently stationed aboard the U.S.S. Miller, FF-1091. His tours of duty included the Mediterranean and Caribbean Seas, as well as the coastal waters of Korea. He is merited with the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Medal, the Naval Occupation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal for both Korea and Vietnam, the Navy Expert Rifle Badge, three Naval Reserve Meritorious Service Awards, two Coast Guard Meritorious Service Awards, the Navy Good Conduct Medal, the New York State Militia Long and Faithful Medal, the New York State Militia Medal for Valor, the Armed Forces Longevity Service Award Ribbon, and the Naval Commendation Medal. Originally from Sayville, he was born on August 6, 1934, and was graduated from Sayville High School. He was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale and became employed as a Plant Operator for the Suffolk County Water Authority. He now resides in Mongaup Valley, New York, and is a swimming pool contractor.

## ALBERT R. SABISTON, Corporal

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Sabiston was born on October 26, 1932, and attended Bay Shore High School until 1950. He served from January of 1953 until January of 1955 with the 278th Reg. Combat Team of the United States Army, Medical Corps, and was stationed principally at Fort Devens, Massachusetts. He has been employed as a mechanic since the service.

## PETER W. SCHAEFER, Private 1st Class

Formerly of Bay Shore, and currently residing in East Islip, Mr. Schaefer was born on June 9, 1927, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1945. He served from September of 1950 until June of 1952 with the 25th Division, 27th Infantry, RCT (Wolfhounds), of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in the Kum Wha River Valley, North Korea, and took part in the Spring Offensive of 1951. He received the Bronze Star Medal, the Unit Citation, the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, and the Combat Infantry Badge. After the service he became employed as a shoe salesman, and is now the owner of a Unisex shop.



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ALBERT R. SABISTON



PETER W. SCHAEFER



FRANCIS T. RYDER

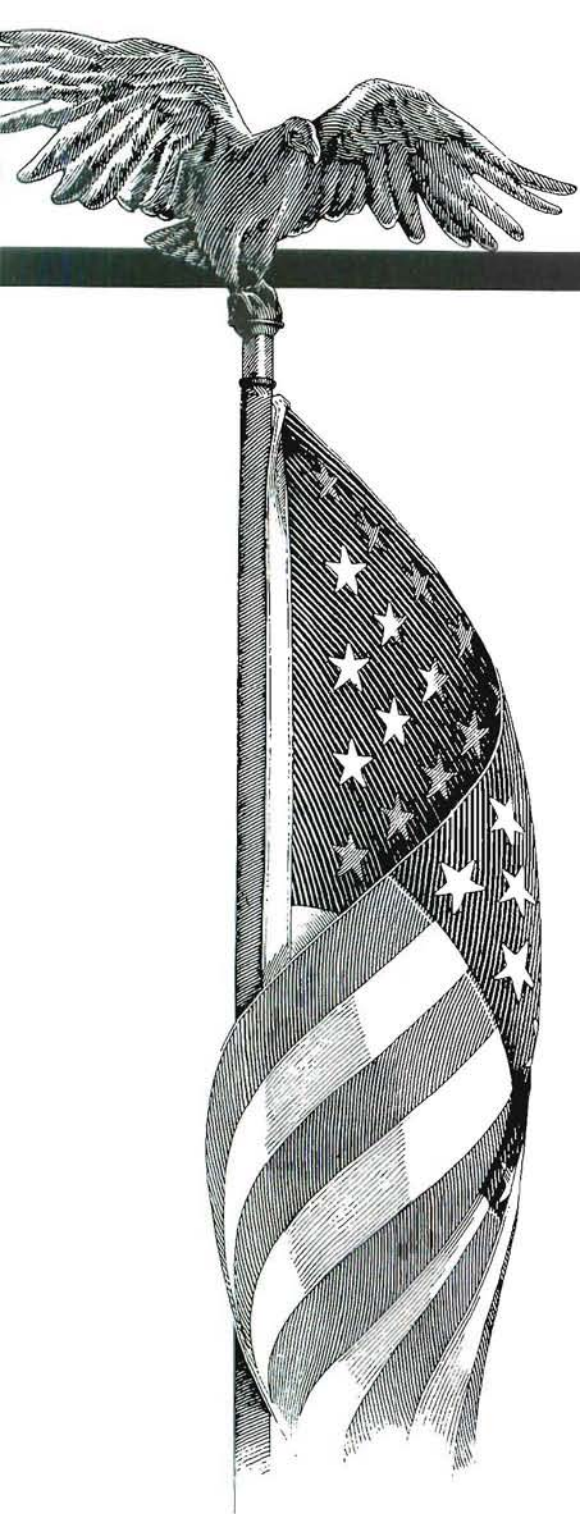
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## THOMAS B. THOMAS, Chief Master Sergeant

A veteran of World War II, Korea, and Vietnam, Chief Master Sergeant Thomas began serving in the United States Air Force at the age of 15. Born on October 3, 1930, he resided in Bay Shore where he attended Bay Shore High School. At the age of 13, he passed the physical for enlistment in the United States Merchant Marines. Because he was underage he did not enter the Merchant Marines as his parents would not sign the papers granting their permission. In 1945, he enlisted in the United States Air Force with his good friend, Harry Carney, also of Bay Shore. Both men received basic training in the same outfit at Kessler Field, Biloxi, Mississippi, went on to be trained as radio technicians at Scott Field, Illinois, and were stationed with the 5th Air Force in Korea. By the time he was 17 years old, Thomas had attained the rank of Staff Sergeant. In 1959, with the rank of Master Sergeant and a non-commissioned officer in charge in the property accounting section, he achieved the highest score ever recorded in the United States Air Force on his test (7 level, AFSC 64174) in this particular category. By December 1, 1955, at the age of 25, he had attained a permanent grade of Master Sergeant. In 1961 at the age of 30, he had attained the permanent grade of Senior Master Sergeant. On April 1, 1964, at the age of 33, he attained the permanent grade of Chief Master Sergeant, and is believed to have been the youngest man to attain this rank in the United States Air Force while in the service. On March 31, 1966 he retired from the Air Force at Patrick Air Force Base, Florida, at the age of 35. While in the service he was graduated from Officer Candidate correspondence course in February of 1958, from Supply Officer course in August of 1961, in October of 1961 from Budget Officer course, and from Personnel Counseling course in December of 1961. He also attended Air University, United States Air Force Extension course institute, and received a degree in Social Studies. He had been stationed in Japan, Korea, Vietnam, England, and in various locations in the United States as well. During his career he received the Occupation Medal of Japan, the Korean Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, the Outstanding Unit Award, the Air Force Commendation Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters, the Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal (6 awards), the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon (4 awards), the American Defense Service Award, and the Small Arms Expert Ribbon as well. He passed away on October 23, 1973.

## VARICK N. THOMAS, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Thomas served from December of 1948 until January of 1953 with the Combat Medical Aidmen attached to K Company, 3rd Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army. He was stationed at Fort Eustis, Virginia, and in Korea, and is merited with the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, the United Nations Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal with five Bronze Service Stars, the Combat Medic Badge, a Purple Heart, and the Bronze Star Medal. Born on November 6, 1931, and originally from Bay Shore, he attended Bay Shore High School until 1947, and was graduated from Northrop Aeronautical Institute in July of 1957, where he studied to become an airframe and power plant mechanic. After the service he became employed as an aircraft mechanic, and currently resides in Mount Sinai, New York.



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THOMAS B. THOMAS



VARICK N. THOMAS



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The following are the names of known Korean veterans.  
Inquiries to obtain information were unanswered.

Abele, Marvin	Bauman, Emil	Burke, Richard
Adami, George	Beauregard, Francis	Burke, Thomas
Adams, George	Becker, Philip	Burt, Val
Adams, Harry	Bedford, James	Buscarino, Anthony
Adinolfi, Arthur	Beebe, Robert	Bush, Charles
Aguila, David	Bellofatto, Anthony	Butler, Gerald
Ahearn, Thomas	Belmont, Vincent	
Albi, Dominick	Berg, William	Cabriel, Aji
Albrecht, Alden	Berkowitz, Albert	Cacamese, Joseph
Alexander, George	Bertone, John	Calabretta, Louis
Allen, Philip	Bertucelli, Leo	Caliguiri, Alexander
Altieri, Joseph	Bertucci, Donald	Callagy, John
Ambrosio, Edward	Bescher, William	Calzada, Ramon
Ammerata, Michael	Bethell, Wallace	Canty, Frederick
Amoia, Pasquale	Beza, John	Capellupo, Saverio
Ampol, John	Bialek, Jack	Cappello, Ubaldo
Anderson, Alan	Bianco, Ralph	Capria, Thomas
Anderson, Harold	Biangardi, Jerome	Capuano, Anthony
Andia, Gilbert	Bickford, Newell	Caracciolo, Robert
Andriotellis, Paul	Bishop, Melle	Caranella, Joseph
Anhalt, Robert	Bisson, Leroy	Cardinale, Raymond
Ansbach, William	Blagriff, Robert	Carman, Donald
Ansman, Frederick	Blandino, Frank	Carney, Robert
Anzalone, Richard	Blaskiewicz, William	Carroll, John
Appel, Charles	Boccio, Theodore	Cartagine, Salvatore
Ardito, Valentino	Boeri, Walter	Carullo, Joseph
Arena, John	Boix, James	Caruso, Philip
Arena, Joseph	Bollenbach, Charles	Cascone, Francis
Argenio, Joseph	Bonaventura, J.	Casey, Patrick
Armenia, Samuel	Bond, Carl	Caslavsky, Joseph
Arnold, John	Bonnano, Peter	Cassidy, Thomas
Arnold, William	Boomgarden, Lowell	Castiglione, Christopher
Auerbach, Paul	Bosco, Gaspare	Catalano, Michael
Avellino, Robert	Boucher, Paul	Caulfield, Francis
Aviles, Otto	Bowie, John	Centola, Raymond
Azzara, Charles	Boyce, Lola	Cerabino, Frank
	Boyle, Michael	Cesarini, Rudolph
Bach, Raymond	Brabant, Charles	Chapman, Charles
Baickle, William	Brady, Patrick	Chapman, John
Baiera, Ross	Brandstetter, Melville	Chierchie, Joseph
Baker, James	Brass, Theodore	Chiofolo, Fortunato
Baldwin, Eugene	Brautigan, Ronald	Christ, Jerome
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Barbera, Joseph	Brennan, Joseph	Ciccia, William
Bariciano, John	Brewer, Noel	Cicileo, Joseph
Barnlau, John	Bronchick, Frank	Cicino, Joseph
Barrett, Thomas	Brooks, Saul	Cioffi, John
Barton, Thomas	Brown, Govan	Clair, Thomas
Bashe, Jerry	Brown, Robert	Clarke, Gerard
Basile, Dominick	Brown, Walter	Clarkson, Stanley
Basile, James	Bruno, Joseph	Classen, John
Bassi, Vito J.	Brush, John	Cody, Warren
Bauer, Alphonsus	Bucci, Joseph	Codyer, David
Bauer, Fredrick	Burgardt, Charles	Coen, Patrick



Cohen, Stanley  
Colon, Miguel  
Columbo, Hector  
Compitello, Louis  
Comunale, Joseph  
Confesore, Alexander  
Conklin, Marsh  
Connelly, Robert  
Conroy, John  
Cooper, James  
Coppola, Benjamin  
Corby, William  
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Cornell, Bland  
Cortese, Rocco  
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Courtney, Stanley  
Cox, Louis  
Cranmer, Merle  
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Cronin, Robert  
Cross, Gerard  
Cunneen, Raymond  
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Dawson, Joseph  
Day, Edward  
DeBella, Salvatore  
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DeCostello, Joseph  
DeJohn, John  
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Delaney, Eugene  
Delaney, Robert  
DeLena, Rudolph  
Delgado, Antonio  
DeLuca, Frank  
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DeMarco, Albert  
DeMarco, Antonio

DeMaria, Barry  
Dempsey, Thomas  
Dennis, Raymond  
DePaola, Richard  
Derby, Charles  
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DeSantis, Adolph  
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Ermini, John  
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George, Robert  
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Gilmore, John  
Girard, Gordon  
Girolamo, Rodney  
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Gonzalez, Harry

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 Hofmeister, August  
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Nick, Andrew  
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Nielson, Robert  
Niland, Hugh  
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Nulty, Robert

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O'Dell, Frank  
O'Donnell, Manus H.  
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Olsen, Alfred  
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O'Reilly, Thomas  
O'Rosco, Ray  
O'Rourke, John  
Osekavage, Alvin  
O'Shea, Howard

Pabon, Walter  
Pagillo, Robert  
Palazzolo, Nicholas  
Palm, John  
Panariello, Alfred  
Pandolf, Thomas  
Pannenbacker, John  
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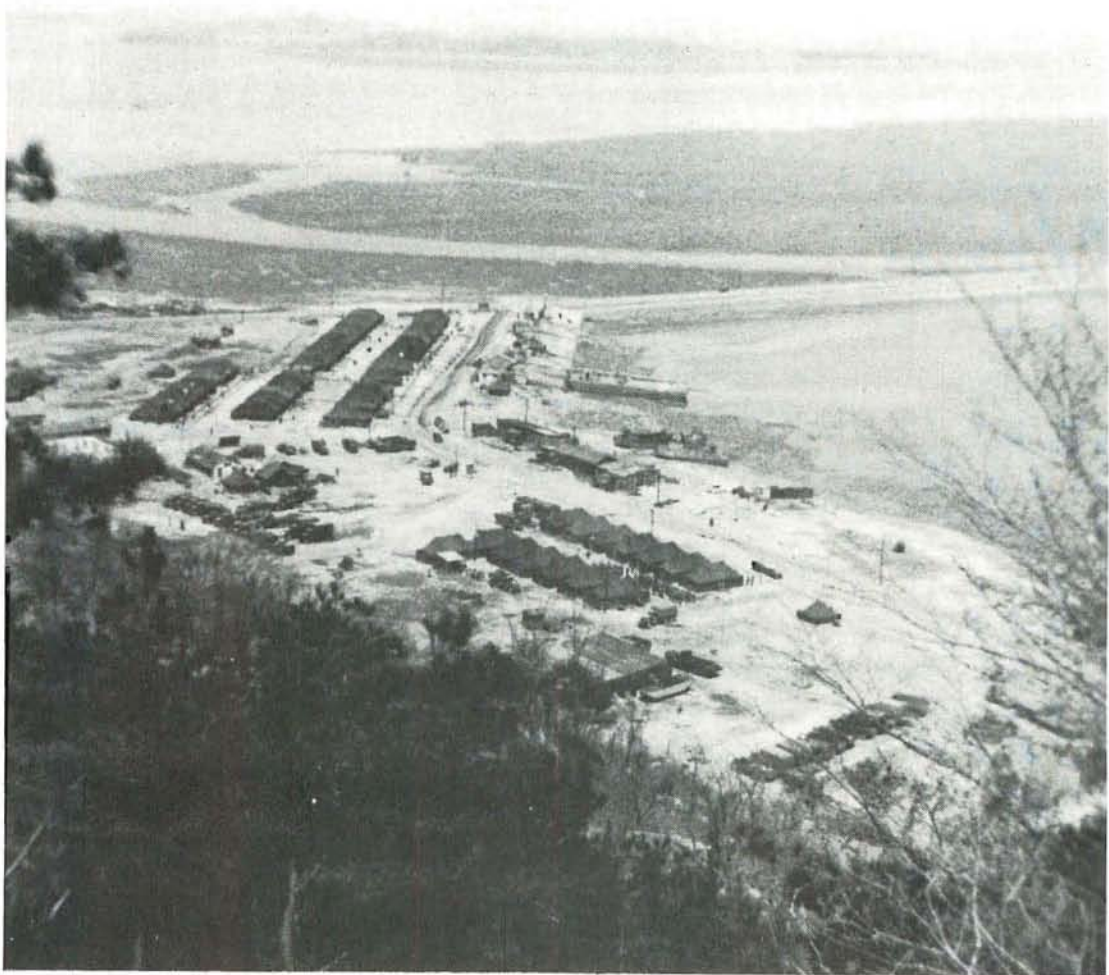
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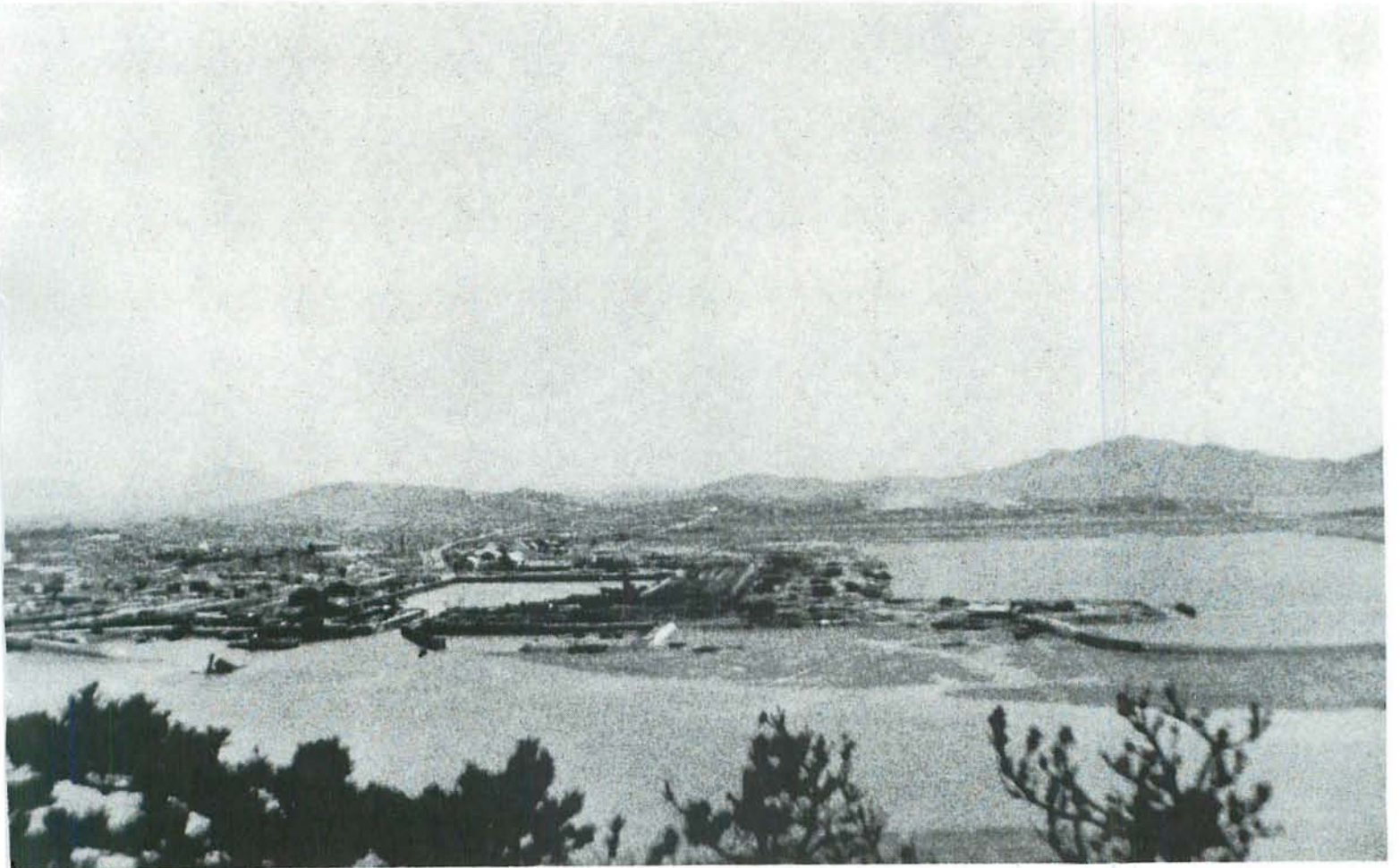
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View of B Company, 532nd Engineers' encampment on Wolmi-Do Island.  
(Photograph taken by William J. Byrne.)



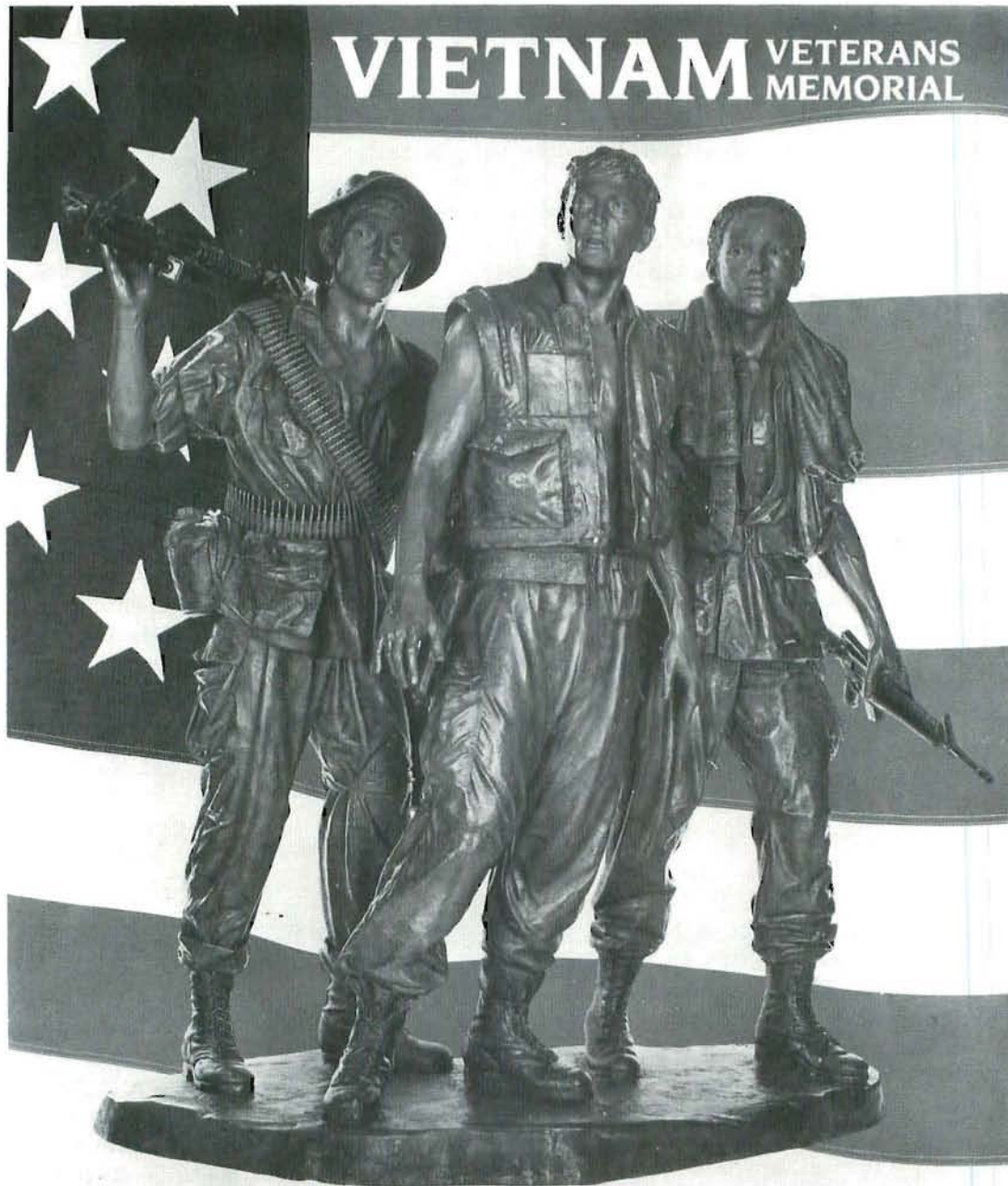
Photograph taken from a hilltop on Wolmi-Do Island shows Inchon Harbor at low tide. Severe tidal conditions were a significant factor in the "Inchon Landing", September 15, 1950. Timing was essential as troops would be cut off at low tide. (Photograph by William J. Byrne.)





The port of Sasebo, Japan, taken from the deck of a troop ship in September of 1951 by William J. Byrne.

# Lest We Forget



Statue Dedication, Washington D.C., November 11, 1984

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# MEMORIAL TO

## LOUIS A. BARASH, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Barash served with the United States Marine Corps in Vietnam. He was born on May 24, 1949, and resided in Islip. He received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Civil Actions Color, 1st Class), the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Gallantry Cross Color), the Vietnamese Military Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Combat Action Ribbon. He also received a Purple Heart for wounds received in action against the enemy in Vietnam on December 27, 1968, which resulted in his death. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK W. BOSSONG, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Bossong began serving in May of 1968 with the United States Marine Corps. He was assigned to H&S Company, 1st Battalion, 9th Marines, 3rd Marine Division, FMF, and was stationed mainly in Quang Tri, Vietnam. Born on August 17, 1946, he resided in Central Islip with his family, was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1964, and attended New York Institute of Technology from 1964 until 1966. He was employed with Asplund Tree Company, and with the Long Island Lighting Company before entering the service. He is merited with the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Gallantry Cross Color), the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Combat Action Ribbon, and a Purple Heart for a wound he received in battle against the enemy in Vietnam on February 18, 1969. He was killed in action on March 4, 1969.

## MICHAEL F. BUCKLEY, Corporal

Corporal Buckley was born on November 19, 1945, and resided in Islip. He served with the United States Marine Corps in Vietnam with the 3rd Marine Division, and received the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Gallantry Cross Color), the Vietnamese Military Merit Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal for service in the Dominican Republic in 1965, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Combat Action Ribbon. He also received a Purple Heart for a wound he received in action against the enemy in Vietnam on May 13, 1967, which resulted in his death. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DAVID F. BUKOWSKI, Specialist 4

Specialist 4 Bukowski began serving in the United States Army in June of 1968. He was assigned to C Company, 21st Infantry, Americal Division, 196th Infantry Brigade, and was stationed in Vietnam. He was born on November 10, 1948, and resided in West Islip with his family. He was graduated from West Islip High School in 1967, and became an electrician's apprentice. He is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and a Purple Heart. He was killed in action in Vietnam on May 13, 1969.

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FRANK W. BOSSONG



DAVID G. BUKOWSKI



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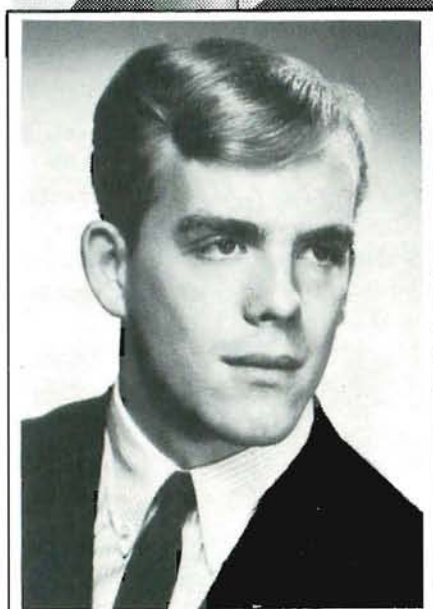
## FRANCIS X. BUNK, Specialist 4

Specialist 4 Bunk began serving in July of 1969, and was assigned to H & H Company, 1st and 12th Divisions, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army. He was born on December 17, 1949, resided in East Islip, and attended the East Islip schools. Prior to the service, he worked as a fire department dispatcher. Stationed in Vietnam, he received the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and two Purple Hearts. He was killed in action in Vietnam on November 11, 1970.

## THOMAS C. BURKE, 1st Lieutenant

Coming from a family with a military background, 1st Lieutenant Burke began serving in the United States Army in 1967. In 1968 he was graduated from OCS, received Airborne training at Fort Benning, Georgia, and was serving at Fort Wainwright, Alaska, when he volunteered for duty in Vietnam in June of 1969. He served with the 1st Division of the United States Army in Vietnam, and then was assigned to Advisory Team #70 of the Military Assistance Command. On October 9, 1969, he received the Bronze Star Medal for bravery during ground combat, and again, the Bronze Star Medal with 1st Oak Leaf Cluster on December 5, 1969. On September 18th of the same year, he was awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in action against the enemy in Vietnam, and two days later he received the Air Medal in addition to decorations from the government of Vietnam. On February 12, 1970, he was killed in action. Born on September 2, 1947, in Portland, Maine, he moved to Bayport as a baby with his parents, Edward and Marion. He attended St. Lawrence Parochial School, Seton Hall High School, and was graduated from Bayport High School. He also attended Suffolk County Community College before entering the service, and resided in Sayville with his wife, Joanne. His father entered West Point in 1928, served in World War II and Korea, and retired a Regular Army Colonel. He is survived by his mother, his brothers, Edward Jr., and Robert, both West Point graduates, Jimmy, Donald, his sisters, Maureen, Kathleen, and Elizabeth, his wife, and two daughters, Diana and Katie, who he had never seen. The Disabled American Veterans Lt. Thomas C. Burke Chapter No. 173, in Sayville, was so named and dedicated on May 27, 1977.

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THOMAS C. BURKE



FRANCIS X. BUNK



# MEMORIAL TO

## STEVEN A. BUTLER, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Butler began serving in the United States Marine Corps in August of 1967. He was born on September 30, 1948, resided in Bay Shore with his parents, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1967. He volunteered for duty in Vietnam, and served with K Company, 3rd Battalion, 9th Marines, 3rd Marine Division, FMF, of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed primarily outside of Da Nang, Vietnam. On July 17, 1968, he was killed while heroically and unselfishly defending his unit when it came under heavy fire by a reinforced North Vietnamese Army company in the vicinity of Quang Tri, Vietnam. He is merited with the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Gallantry Cross Color), the Vietnam Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, the Combat Action Ribbon, the Purple Heart for wounds received in action against the enemy in Vietnam on April 30, 1968, and a Purple Heart (Gold Star in Lieu of a Second Award) for a wound received in action against the enemy in Vietnam on July 17, 1968, which resulted in his death. Posthumously, he was awarded the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement in Vietnam on July 17, 1968, by the President of the United States, "For heroic achievement in connection with operations against the enemy in the Republic of Vietnam while serving as a Rifleman with Company K, Third Battalion, Ninth Marines, Third Marine Division. On 17 July 1968, while occupying a defensive perimeter, Private First Class Butler's unit came under attack by a reinforced North Vietnamese Army company . . . Private First Class Butler's courage, bold initiative and selfless devotion to duty were in keeping with the highest traditions of the Marine Corps and the United States Naval Service. He gallantly gave his life in the service of his country." He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Butler, his brother, Michael, and his sister, Joanne.

## MICHAEL CACCIUTTOLO, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Cacciuttolo began serving in October of 1967 with the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam with Headquarters Company, 25th Infantry Division. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Expert Rifle Badge. He was awarded posthumously the Bronze Star Medal, the Purple Heart, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Military Merit Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry. He was born on March 12, 1949, and resided in Brentwood with his family. He was killed in action in Vietnam on April 23, 1968. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD T. CHAMBERS, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Chambers served with Headquarters Company, 25th Infantry Division of the United States Army while stationed in Vietnam. He began serving in October of 1968 and received the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He was born on February 9, 1949, resided in Islip, and attended Suffolk County Community College. Prior to the service, he was employed as a manager of advertisement sales for a newspaper. He was killed in action in Vietnam on December 22, 1968. (Photograph unavailable.)

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STEVEN A. BUTLER





# MEMORIAL TO

## JOSEPH P. CLERKIN, Signalman 1st Class

Signalman 1/c Clerkin served in the United States Navy. He was stationed in Vietnam, and served as Boat Captain of a river patrol boat with Division 512 where he participated in 230 combat patrols in the Bassac and Vam Co Dong Rivers in the Mekong Delta of Vietnam. On 17 separate occasions he engaged the enemy in combat, and came under heavy sniper fire more than 50 times. He was killed on April 10, 1969, when the patrol boat he was commanding was hit by a rocket in his efforts to curtail the enemy infiltration into South Vietnam from Cambodia. He received the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, the Purple Heart, the Good Conduct Medal, the Navy Occupation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on March 29, 1937, he was the son of Mrs. Catherine Cardone, resided in Central Islip, and was graduated from Central Islip High School. In addition to his mother, he was survived by his wife, Joan, two sons, Sean and Danny, three daughters, Colleen, Brian, and Katy, and a brother, Leonard Cardone. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CARLOS M. COLLAZO, Specialist 4

Specialist 4 Collazo began serving in February of 1968 with the United States Army, received his training at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and was stationed in Vietnam with Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 3rd Squadron, 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment where he functioned as a radio operator. Born on April 14, 1948, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Miguel A. Collazo of Bay Shore, and he attended Brentwood High School. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Medal of Honor, the Purple Heart, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and was posthumously awarded the New York State Conspicuous Service Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Military Merit Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm. He was killed in action on June 11, 1969, and is survived by his parents, a sister, Mrs. Rosa LaSalle, and a brother, Miguel, Jr.

## VAUGHN D. CONNELL, Chief Warrant Officer/Helicopter Pilot

Chief Warrant Officer Connell began serving in November of 1968 with the United States Army. He served with Detachment #3, 101st Administration Company, 101st Airborne Division, Air Mobile, in Vietnam, and with Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Aviation Helicopter Battalion, 101st Airborne Division, Air Mobile, also in Vietnam, where he performed as a helicopter pilot. Born on April 8, 1948, he resided in West Islip, and attended Hofstra University where he studied business administration. He received the Expert Pistol Badge, and the Expert Rifle Badge. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on March 20, 1969, and is survived by his father. (Photograph unavailable.)

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CARLOS M. COLLAZO



# MEMORIAL TO

## JAMES R. COOPER, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Cooper began serving in October of 1968, and was stationed with Headquarters Company, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army in Vietnam. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Marksman Badge. He was posthumously awarded the Good Conduct Medal, the Purple Heart, and the Bronze Star Medal. Born on April 5, 1948 and resided in West Islip where he attended West Islip High School. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on October 31, 1968. (Photograph unavailable.)

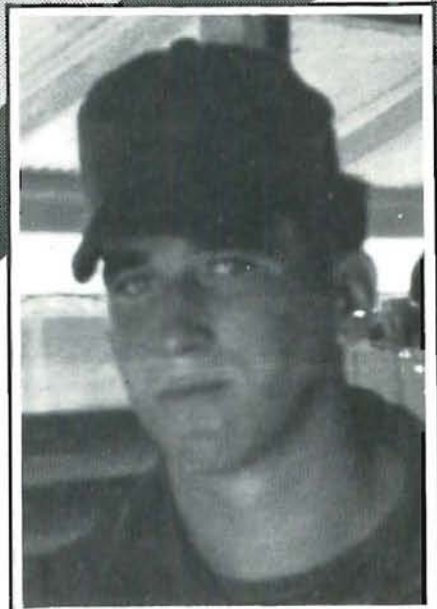
## DOUGLAS J. CRAWFORD, Private 1st Class /Radio-Teletype Operator

Private 1/c Crawford began serving in the United States Army on June 15, 1970. He received his training at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and while there, was stationed with B Company, 4th Battalion, 2nd BCT Brigade, and with C Company, 1st Battalion, 5th CST Brigade. Born on March 26, 1950, he resided in Bay Shore with his family, and attended Bay Shore High School. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Purple Heart, the Expert Badge, and the Marksman Badge. He was posthumously awarded the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement for the display of heroism when Fire Support Base Blue was suddenly attacked by an enemy force on February 23, 1971. On this day, enemy infiltrators had penetrated and placed explosive charges throughout the base. Without concern for his own safety, he left his bunker to search for the enemy infiltrators. Although the fire support base was successfully defended, Private Crawford was mortally wounded, and was listed as killed in action against the enemy on February 23, 1971. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS CRONIN, Sergeant

Sergeant Cronin began serving with the United States Army on December 1, 1965. He was born on October 7, 1947, and attended Islip High School. He was stationed at Fort Polk, Louisiana, and in Pleiku, Vietnam. He served with A Company, 1st Battalion, 14th Infantry, 3rd Brigade, 25th Infantry Division while in Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and two Purple Hearts. He was killed in action against the enemy on June 23, 1968.

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THOMAS CRONIN



# MEMORIAL TO

## ALEXANDER DiGUARDIA, Specialist 4

Specialist 4/c DiGuardia began serving as a tank driver in the United States Army and was stationed in Vietnam. Born on September 30, 1946, he resided in Holbrook with his family, and was graduated from Sachem High School, Lake Ronkonkoma, in 1965. He attended Suffolk County Community College at night while he assisted his father, Louis DiGuardia, in his upholstery business during the day, and had been a member of the Holbrook Fire Department since 1964. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on October 26, 1967. On May 30, 1971, a stone and marble monument was dedicated in the Robert Street Park in Holbrook near Grundy Avenue and Terry Boulevard. The memorial was designed and built by Alexander's father, Louis, and Alexander's uncle, Ignacious DiGuardia, and was dedicated in memory of Holbrook servicemen who died in the service of their country in Vietnam, as well as those who resided in Holbrook and gave their lives in World War I and World War II.

## MICHAEL G. DONOVAN III, Specialist 4

Specialist 4 Donovan began serving in the United States Army in February of 1966. He was stationed at Fort Hood, Texas, in Korea, and in Vietnam as well, with B Company, 4th Battalion, 41st Infantry, 60th Artillery. Born on January 30, 1947, he resided in Central Islip where he was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1965, and was employed as a truck driver prior to the service. Merited with a Purple Heart, he was killed in action against the enemy on January 21, 1968.

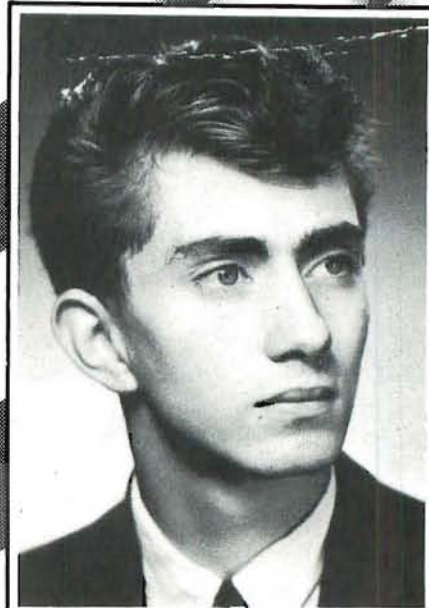
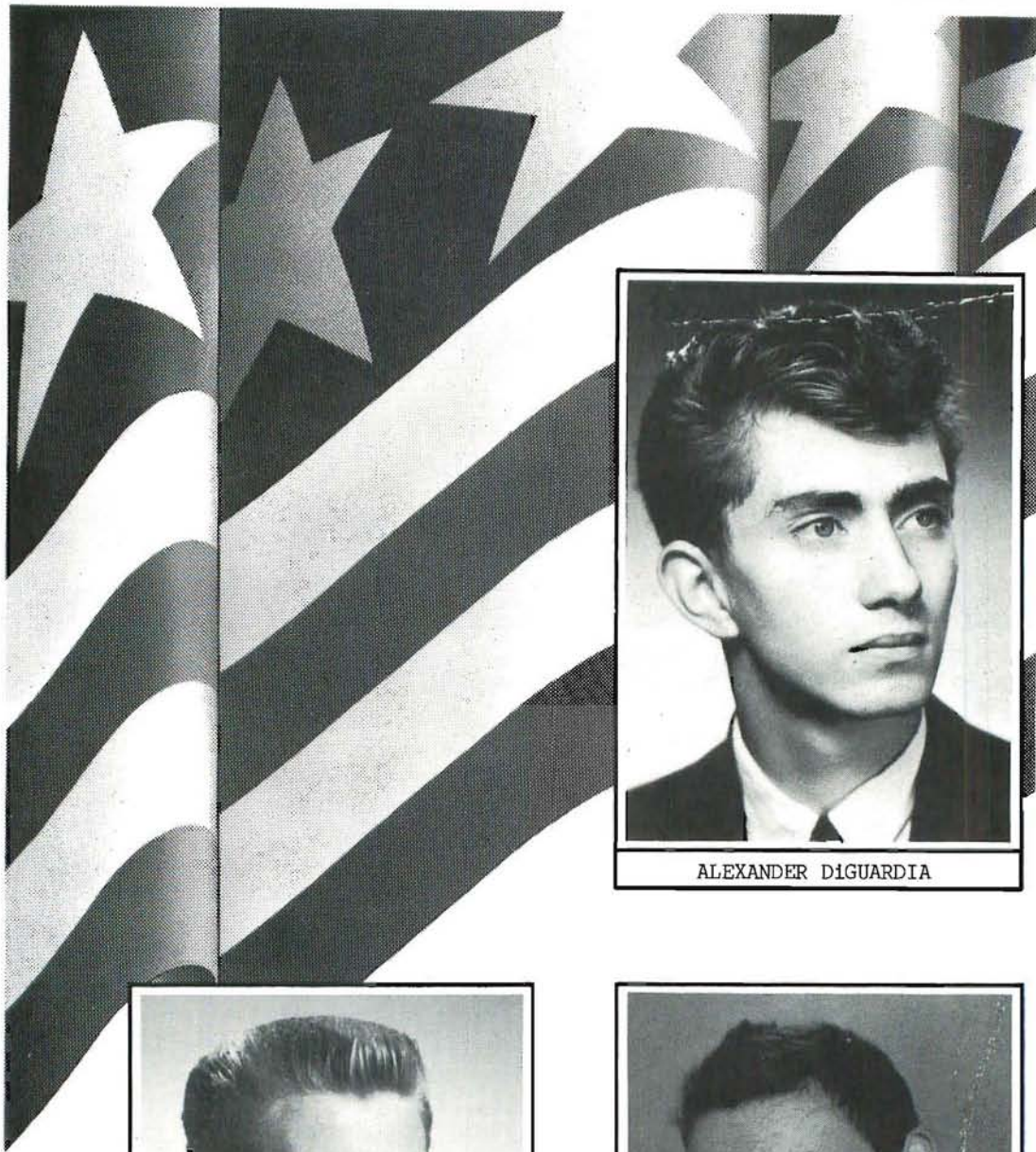
## THOMAS F. DREW, Sergeant

Sergeant Drew began serving on December 27, 1965 with the United States Army. He received his basic training at Fort Dix, New Jersey, where he was assigned to S Company, 2nd BCT Brigade. At Fort Gordon, Georgia, he was assigned to B Company 8th T Battalion, 3rd T Regiment, where he received advanced training. At Fort Benning, Georgia, he received airborne training with the 4th S Battalion. While in Vietnam, he was a rifleman, an automatic rifleman, and a fire team leader, with A Company, 1st Battalion, 327th Infantry. Born on August 22, 1946, he resided in Central Islip where he was a 1965 graduate of Central Islip High School. He received the Parachute Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Military Merit Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm, and the Good Conduct Medal. He was killed in action against the enemy on May 29, 1967, and was posthumously awarded the Bronze Star Medal.

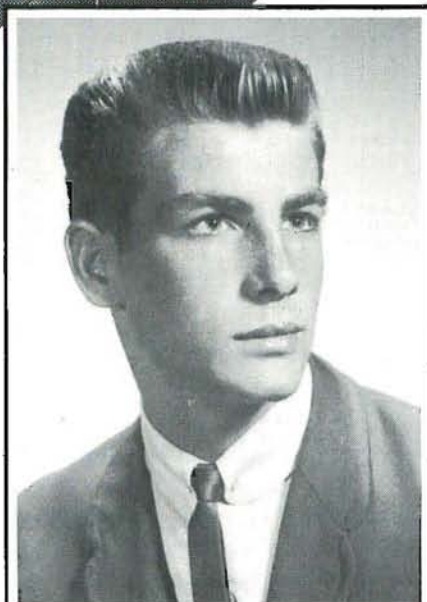
## KEVIN H. DUGAN, Specialist 4

Specialist 4 Dugan began serving in September of 1967 with the United States Army. While stationed in Vietnam, he was assigned to Headquarters Company, 23rd Artillery Group. Born on April 30, 1947, he resided in Blue Point, and was graduated from Seton Hall High School, Patchogue, in 1966. He is merited with the Overseas Ribbon, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He was killed in action against the enemy on September 17, 1968 in Vietnam. (Photograph unavailable.)

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ALEXANDER DIGUARDIA



MICHAEL G. DONOVAN III



THOMAS F. DREW



# MEMORIAL TO

## NICHOLAS H. FRITZ, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Fritz began serving in 1967 with the United States Army, Combat Engineers, and was stationed in Vietnam. He was born on January 28, 1948, and resided in Brentwood. He was graduated from Brentwood High School, and was attending Suffolk County Community College when he entered the service. He was killed in action against the enemy on March 1, 1968, and is survived by his father, George L., and his mother, Elisea.

## JOSEPH J. FUNK, Sergeant

Sergeant Funk began serving with the United States Army in 1967. He was stationed in Quin Hoi, and Song Be, Vietnam, and was assigned to B Company, 1st Battalion, 12th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division. Born on November 8, 1946, he resided in Bay Shore, was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale before entering the service. He is merited with the Purple Heart, and the Bronze Star Medal. He was killed in action against the enemy on January 20, 1969.

## LEWIS B. GAISER, 1st Lieutenant

1st Lieutenant Gaiser served with the United States Army with a tank division, and then with the infantry when he was stationed in Vietnam. Born on July 11, 1941, he resided in Sayville where he was graduated from Sayville High School. In 1965 he was graduated from Bucknell University and was employed as an accountant before he entered the service. Merited with the Purple Heart and the Bronze Star Medal, he was killed in action against the enemy on June 27, 1967. He was buried with full military honors in St. Ann's Cemetery, Sayville. He is survived by his wife, Mary Lou Jennings-Gaiser, his parents, his sister, Mabel G. Colson, and his twin brother, Ernest Jr.

## CRAIG B. GARIEPY, Sergeant

Sergeant Gariepy began serving with the United States Army in October of 1966, and was stationed in Vietnam. Born on March 28, 1944, he resided in Islip Terrace. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Parachutist Badge, the Expert Badge with Machine Gun bar, and the Marksman Badge with Automatic Rifle bar. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on June 24, 1967, and was posthumously awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action, a Purple Heart, and the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement by the United States Government. By the government of the Republic of Vietnam, he was posthumously awarded the Vietnam Military Merit Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm.

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NICHOLAS H. FRITZ



JOSEPH J. FUNK



CRAIG B. GARIEPY



LEWIS B. GAISER





# MEMORIAL TO

## BERNARDINO F. GENCHI, Specialist 5th Class/Warrant Officer

Specialist 5/c Genchi began serving with the United States Army on July 24, 1967. Born on October 22, 1945, he resided in Islip with his family, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1964. He was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1966, and was employed as a mechanic before he entered the service. He received training at Fort Wolters, Texas, and in Georgia, and was assigned to the 9th and 10th WOC Company, 1st Battalion, Troop Brigade in Vietnam where he held the rank of Warrant Officer. From September of 1968 through July of 1969, he actively participated in more than 25 aerial missions over hostile territory in support of counterinsurgency operations of combat ground forces of the Republic of Vietnam. He received the Military Merit Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Marksman Badge. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on July 22, 1969, and was posthumously awarded the Air Medal and the Bronze Star Medal.

## JOHN M. GIBBONS, Captain

Captain Gibbons began serving on September 21, 1967 with the United States Army and received his training at Fort Benning, Georgia. He was stationed at I Corps, Vietnam, and was assigned to the 174th Aviation Company, Assault Helicopter Company, 14th Aviation Battalion, Americal Division. Born on February 16, 1946, he resided in Bayport was graduated from Sayville High School in 1964, and was a student at SUNY at Oswego when he entered the Army. He is merited with the Purple Heart, the Air Medal with 24 Oak Leaf Clusters, the Air Force Commendation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Bronze Star Medal with 2nd and 3rd Awards for Heroism. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on February 12, 1970.

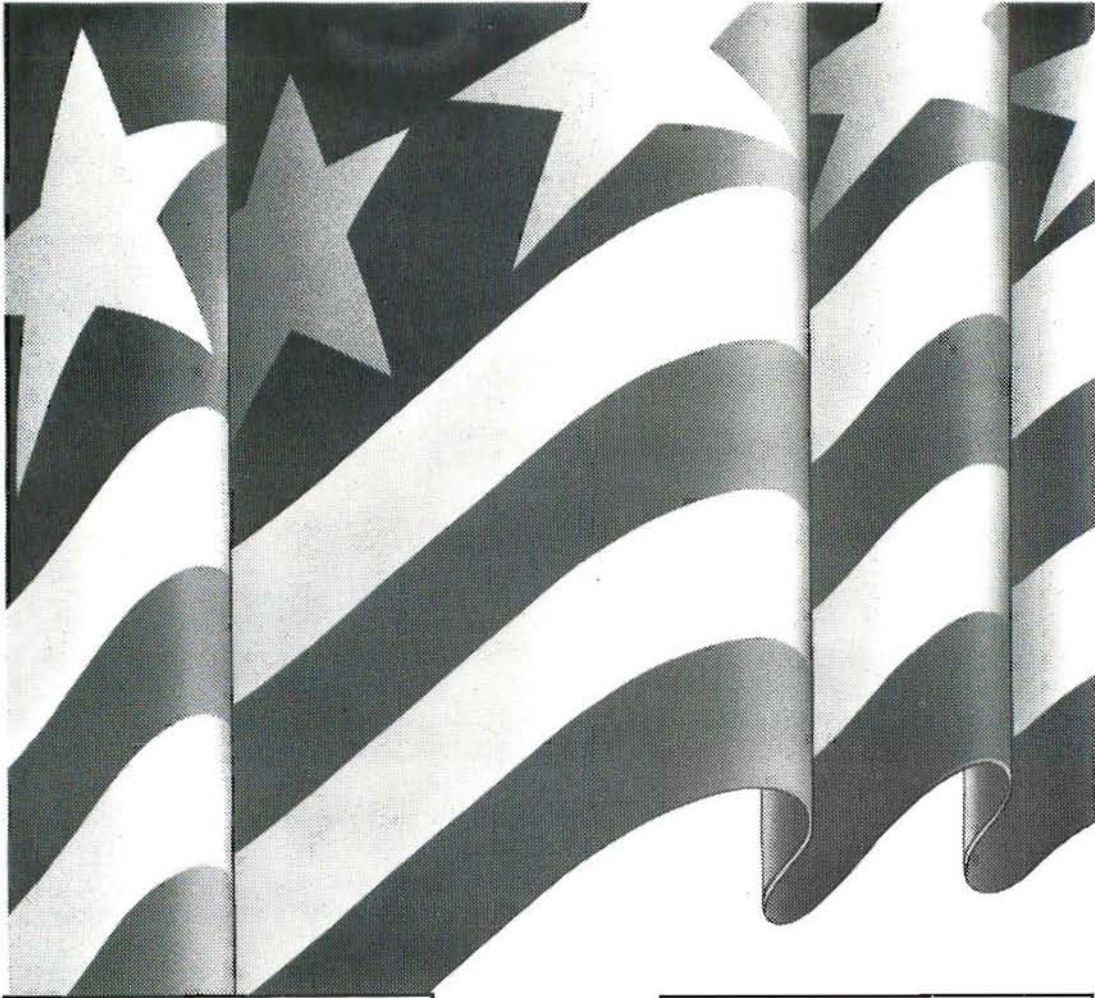
## WILLIAM T. GILROY, Aviation Structural Mechanic 3rd Class

Aviation Structural Mechanic 3/c Gilroy began serving with the United States Navy in 1966. He was born on November 12, 1947, and resided in Islip Terrace. He received the National Defense Service Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal, and was killed in an explosion on July 29, 1967 while stationed in the Gulf of Tonkin aboard the U.S.S. Forrestal, CVA-59. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSE A. GRANIOLA, JR., Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Graniola began serving in November of 1967. He was stationed in Vietnam with Headquarters Company, 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army. Born on June 22, 1944, he resided in Brentwood and attended Boys High School in New York City until 1960. He is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Parachute Badge, and the Rifle Marksman Badge. He was killed in action against the enemy on August 16, 1968. (Photograph unavailable.)

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JOHN M. GIBBONS



# MEMORIAL TO

## CHARLES R. GREENE, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Greene began serving with the United States Army in April of 1965, and was stationed in Vietnam. A resident of Lake Ronkonkoma, he was born on September 16, 1942. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Purple Heart, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Expert Rifle Badge, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and the Overseas Ribbon. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on August 8, 1966, and was posthumously awarded the Vietnam Military Merit Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm, by the government of the Republic of Vietnam. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN F. GREILING, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Greiling began serving on July 1, 1965 with the United States Marine Corps. He was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, in the Caribbean Sea, and in Vietnam, and was mainly assigned to Mortar Battery, 3rd Battalion, 12th Marines, 3rd Marine Division. Born on January 12, 1947, he resided in East Islip with his family. He was graduated from Brooklyn High School of Automotive Trades in 1965, and then entered the service. He received the Combat Action Ribbon, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Vietnam Military Merit Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Gallantry Cross Color), the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Marksman Badge, and the Purple Heart for a wound received in action against the enemy on September 10, 1966 in Vietnam, which resulted in his death.

## GARY A. GUASP, 2nd Lieutenant

Second Lieutenant Guasp began serving with the United States Army and received his basic training at Fort Benning, Georgia. He was assigned to C Company, 3rd Brigade, 82nd Airborne Division in Vietnam. Born on March 16, 1946, he resided in Brentwood with his family, and was graduated from Brentwood High School. He attended Lycoming College for two years before he entered the service. He is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, and a Purple Heart. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on May 5, 1968.

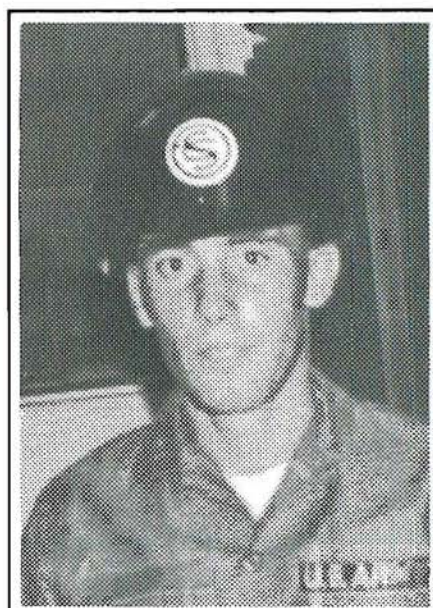
## JAMES P. HALEN, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Halen began serving in August of 1969 with the United States Army. He received training at Fort Gordon, Georgia, and was assigned to Headquarters Company, 1st Infantry Division in Vietnam. Born on April 4, 1949, he resided in Bay Shore, and attended West Babylon Schools. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Expert Rifle Badge, and the Rifle Marksman Badge. He was killed in action against the enemy on December 22, 1969, in Vietnam. The United States Government posthumously awarded him the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Medal, the Purple Heart, and the Good Conduct Medal. He was also posthumously awarded the Vietnam Military Merit Medal and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry by the government of the Republic of Vietnam. (Photograph unavailable.)

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JOHN F. GREILING



GARY A. GUASP



# MEMORIAL TO

## FREDERICK HOPSON, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Hopson served with the United States Army and was stationed in Vietnam. He was born on November 3, 1949, and resided in Islip. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on June 20, 1970. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN J. KEDENBURG, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5 Kedenburg began serving in the United States Army in January of 1966, and was stationed in Vietnam. Born on July 31, 1946, he resided in Central Islip, but was graduated from Baldwin High School in 1964. He received the Purple Heart, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Parachutist Badge. He was killed in action against the enemy on June 14, 1968. On that day, he was assigned to Command and Control Detachment North, Forward Operating Base 2, 5th Special Forces Group (Airborne), 1st Special Forces of the United States Army. While serving as advisor to a long range reconnaissance team of South Vietnamese irregular troops, Specialist Kedenburg's team was conducting counter-guerilla operations deep inside enemy-held territory. Before completing the day's mission, the team was attacked and surrounded by a battalion-sized North Vietnamese Army force. Assuming immediate command, Specialist Kedenburg and the team succeeded in breaking out of the enemy encirclement and moved to a location from which they would be extracted by helicopter from the thick, enemy-held jungle. Conducting a rear guard fight against the pursuing North Vietnamese, Kedenburg called for tactical air support and rescue helicopters, and the team was able to reach a pre-selected landing area with the loss of only one man, who remained unaccounted for. At the landing zone, Kedenburg deployed the team into a perimeter defense against the enemy force, and when the tactical air support arrived, he skillfully directed air strikes against the enemy, enabling the helicopters to hover over the area and drop the slings used to extract the team from the area. Once half of the team was removed, Kedenburg and the remaining three team members harnessed themselves into the sling on a second hovering helicopter. Before the helicopter was to lift them from the area, the team member who had been unaccounted for appeared in the landing zone. Specialist Kedenburg unselfishly and unhesitatingly gave up his place in the sling to the previously missing team member, and instructed the helicopter pilot to leave the area. He continued to engage the overwhelming enemy into the landing zone, killing six enemy soldiers before he was overpowered. His courage, leadership, and willing self-sacrifice enabled his small team to inflict heavy casualties on the enemy and escape almost certain annihilation. "For conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity in action at the risk of his life above and beyond the call of duty," Specialist 5 Kedenburg was posthumously awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor, and the Bronze Star Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)



## MY BEACH

*by Jack Flatley*

*My beach is peaceful  
Airy, chilly  
Only breaker noise today*

*Rusting, bared junk of war  
Jut from the dunes  
Too heavy for the scavengers of history*

*I walk the shoreline alone  
A nipping breeze salutes my senior years  
My thoughts are of another time*

*When I, the liberator  
Soppy wet with sweat and sea water  
Advanced across this shot up sand*

*On that embattled morning  
The sand crabs slipped away  
In awe of the mightiness of war  
And the rage of warring men*

*It happened in youthful times, so long ago  
The day dogged soldiers  
Shed the shielding steel of the lowered ramp  
And dashed to their destiny  
Over this very beach - now silent and special*

*Years of living the fiery, violent dream  
Have rolled by  
Stopping at this flashback  
Of uniforms and weapons  
Bodies trained, fit and strong  
Soon strewn about  
Consigned to the white crosses*

*Weathered and healed  
By the cadence of a relentless sea  
This sandy barrow of heroes past  
Keeper of the bones and empty brass  
Remains our honored sentry*

*The sand crabs have returned  
Generations beyond recollection  
Scurrying up from the surf  
Scarring the undulant alluvia*

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# MEMORIAL TO

## ROBERT C. KIMMEL, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Kimmel began serving with the United States Marine Corps and was stationed primarily in Quang Tri Province, Vietnam. Born on March 24, 1944, he resided in East Islip with his family, and was graduated from Seton Hall High School, Patchogue, in 1962. In 1966 he was graduated from Washington-Jefferson College, Pennsylvania. In Vietnam, he was assigned to Vietnam Marine Observation Squadron 6, and with Marine Aircraft Group 36. He received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Gallantry Cross Color), the Vietnamese Armed Forces Honor Medal, First Class, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the National Defense Service Medal, the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, and a Purple Heart for a wound received in action against the enemy in Vietnam on April 25, 1968, resulting in his death.

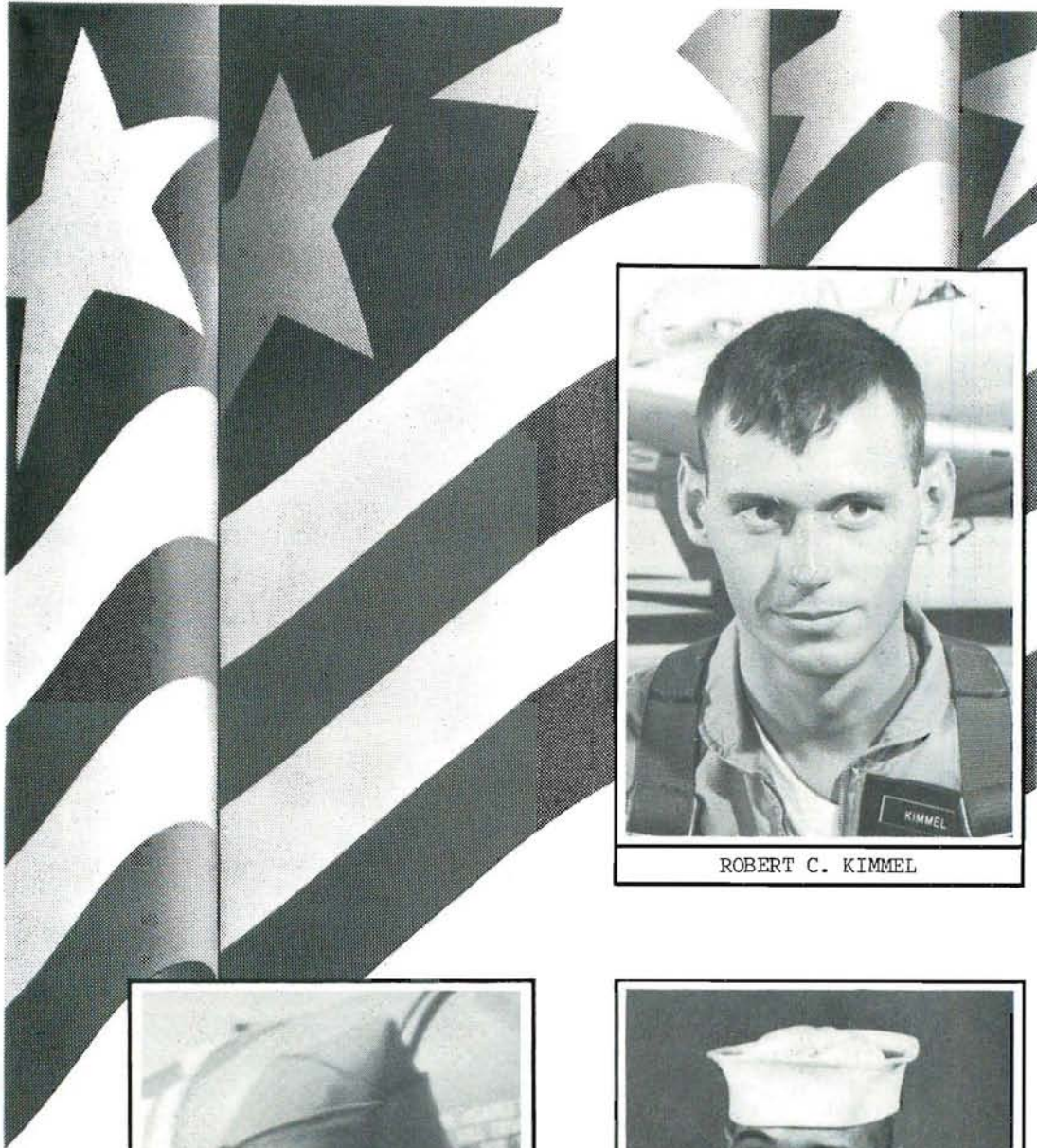
## EDWARD L. LaBARR,

Aviation Structural Mechanic Environmental 3/c LaBarr began serving with VF-11 of the United States Navy in October of 1964. Born on January 12, 1946, he resided in Brentwood where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964. He received the National Defense Service Medal. On July 29, 1967, he was killed in an explosion aboard the U.S.S. Forrester, CVA-59, in the Gulf of Tonkin.

## RICHARD P. LANCASTER, JR., Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Lancaster began serving in the United States Army on December 10, 1964. Born on January 16, 1943, he resided in Brentwood with his family where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1960. He had attended Pratt Institute in Brooklyn, New York, for two and a half years before he entered the service. He was assigned to the 3rd Reconnaissance Company while at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and with L Company, 2nd T Regiment while stationed at Fort Rucker, Alaska. He embarked from port at Travis Air Force Base, California, and arrived at port in Saigon, Vietnam, where he was assigned to A Company, 501st Aviation Battalion. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on February 20, 1966, and had received the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Expert Rifle Badge. He was posthumously awarded the Military Merit Medal by the government of the Republic of Vietnam, and the Air Medal with 1st and 2nd Oak Leaf Clusters by the United States Government.

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ROBERT C. KIMMEL



RICHARD P. LANCASTER



EDWARD L. LaBARR





# MEMORIAL TO

## JAMES LOSPINUSO, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Lospinuso began serving in the United States Army in 1961. Born on August 1, 1940, he resided in Central Islip where he attended Central Islip High School. Having served two tours of duty in Vietnam, he is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, three Bronze Loops, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Expert Rifle Badge with automatic rifle bar, and the Purple Heart. In addition to these medals, he received various awards for his outstanding driving record. On January 30, 1964, he was awarded a Certificate of Safety by the 7th Army for having driven 6000 accident-free miles with the 29th Transportation Battalion. On August 25, 1964, he was awarded the Certificate of Achievement again, by the 7th Army, for having driven more than 30,000 miles in Germany without any accidents or traffic violations. On December 5, 1965, he became a member of the Royal Order of Dragoneers while stationed with the 96th Transportation Company in Germany. On March 5, 1967, he received the Expert Driver's Certificate from the 1st Logistical Command, while he was assigned to the 10th Transportation Company. He was also stationed with E Company, 20th Infantry, 4th Transportation Command while in Vietnam. On January 10, 1972, he was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam. By the United States Government, he was posthumously awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service in connection with military operations against a hostile force from August of 1971 until January of 1972.

## WILLARD S. LUND, Warrant Officer/Helicopter Pilot

Warrant Officer Lund began serving in the United States Army in April of 1966. Born on September 30, 1946, he resided in Bayport, and attended Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, before he entered the service. He served as a helicopter pilot with the Army, and was stationed in Ethiopia from November 30, 1966 through June 29, 1967. In August of 1968, he was stationed in Vietnam, and he was killed in action against the enemy on March 18, 1969. Prior to his death, he had received the Air Medal, the Sharpshooter Badge, the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Pistol Marksman Badge, the Rifle Expert Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal.

## PAUL I. MAHER, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Maher began serving in the United States Marine Corps in 1963. Born on July 6, 1945, he resided in Hauppauge before he entered the service. He is merited with the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Gallantry Cross color), the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal for service in the Dominican Republic in 1965, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal for service from 1963 through 1966, the Presidential Unit Citation with ribbon bar which was awarded to the 3rd Marine Division for service in Vietnam from March of 1965 until September of 1967, the Combat Action Ribbon, and a Purple Heart for a wound received in action against the enemy in Vietnam on December 9, 1965. He also received a Purple Heart (Gold Star in Lieu of a Second Award) for a wound he received in action against the enemy in Vietnam on March 2, 1966, which resulted in his death. (Photograph unavailable.)

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WILLARD S. LUND



JAMES LOSPINUSO



# MEMORIAL TO

## ALBERT MARTIN, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Martin began serving in the United States Marine Corps in December of 1967. Born on March 10, 1948, he resided in Lake Ronkonkoma before he entered the service. He was stationed in Vietnam and participated in counterinsurgency operations primarily in the vicinity of Thau Thein Province. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He died as a result of a wound received in action against the enemy on February 23, 1968. By the Government of the United States, he was posthumously awarded the Purple Heart, and by the Government of the Republic of Vietnam, he was posthumously awarded the Military Merit Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM J. MacFARLANE, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c MacFarlane began serving on January 15, 1968 with the United States Marine Corps. Born on August 23, 1948, he resided in Brentwood with his family before he entered the service. He was stationed in Vietnam, and was assigned to H Company, Battalion Landing Team 2/26, 9th Marine Amphibious Brigade. He was killed in action in South Vietnam during an amphibious helicopter landing on January 13, 1969. He received the Purple Heart, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal.

## MERRIL H. MASIN, Captain

Captain Masin began serving with the United States Air Force on September 12, 1968. Born on November 26, 1945, he resided in Sayville where he was graduated from Sayville High School. He was attending the State University of New York when he entered the service. He was stationed at Taiwan CCK Air Force Base, and in Vietnam as well, and was assigned to the 311th Tactical Airlift Squadron, the IFFV Tactical Airlift Logistics Operation, and the 50th Tactical Airlift Squadron, PACAF. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on August 12, 1972. He is merited with the Purple Heart, the National Defense Service Medal, the Air Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, and the New York State Conspicuous Service Medal.

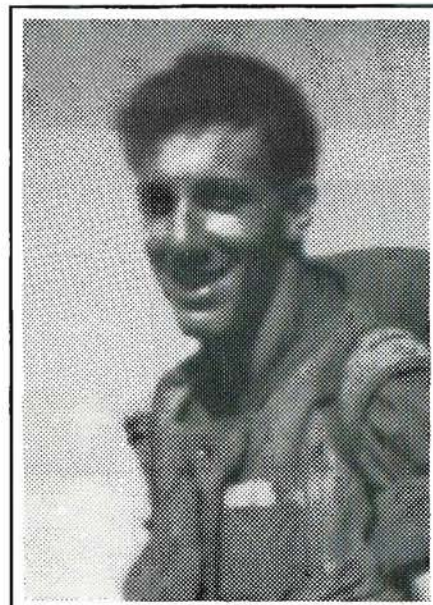
## GERALD MATTERA, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Mattera began serving in August of 1967 with the United States Army. He was stationed at Fort Polk, Louisiana, and in Vietnam, and was assigned to Headquarters, Americal Division. Born on July 7, 1947, he resided in Central Islip when he entered the service. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, and the Rifle Marksman Badge. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on June 6, 1968. (Photograph unavailable.)

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MERRIL H. MASIN



WILLIAM J. MacFARLANE



# MEMORIAL TO

## WILLIAM B. MONAHAN, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Monahan began serving in the United States Army in January of 1967, and resided in West Islip. He was stationed in Vietnam and was assigned to the Transportation Detachment of the United States Army. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on July 14, 1967, and had received the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. By the Government of the United States, he was posthumously awarded the Bronze Star Medal, and by the Government of the Republic of Vietnam, he was posthumously awarded the Military Merit Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH E. NESKE, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Neske began serving in September of 1968 with the United States Army. He was stationed primarily in Vietnam, and was assigned to D Company, 3rd Battalion, 21st Infantry, 196th Infantry Brigade. Born on May 21, 1949, he resided in East Islip where he was graduated from East Islip High School in 1967. He was killed in action against the enemy on March 7, 1969, and received the Bronze Star Medal, and the Purple Heart. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALAN P. PAGLIARONI, Specialist 4

Specialist 4/c Pagliaroni began serving in January of 1967 with the United States Army. He resided in Brentwood before he entered the service, and was graduated from Rondout Valley High School, Stone Ridge, New York, in 1966. He was stationed at Fort Gordon, Georgia, and in Vietnam, and was assigned to C Company, 7th Battalion, 2nd Brigade, with Headquarters Company, 25th Infantry Division, and with D Company, 2nd Battalion, 14th Infantry. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Marksman Badge, and a Purple Heart. He was killed in action against the enemy on May 3, 1968, and was posthumously awarded the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Purple Heart by the United States Government. He was also posthumously awarded the Military Merit Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry by the Government of the Republic of Vietnam. (Photograph unavailable).

## PAUL J. PESCE, Specialist 4

Specialist 4/c Pesce began serving on March 25, 1971 with the United States Army. He was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and was assigned to C Troop, 7th Squadron, 7th Cavalry, 17th Aviation Group, 1st Aviation Battalion. Born on January 11, 1951, he resided in West Islip where he was graduated from West Islip High School in 1970. He received the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Army Commendation Medal, and a Purple Heart, and was killed in action while serving as an aerial observer in a helicopter during a visual reconnaissance mission in Vietnam on April 19, 1972.

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PAUL J. PESCE



# MEMORIAL TO

## THOMAS F. POST, Corporal

Corporal Post began serving with the United States Army in August of 1967, and was stationed chiefly in Vietnam. Born on July 3, 1945, he resided in West Islip at the time he entered the service, and had attended Fairfield High School. He was assigned to Headquarters Company, Americal Division, and to A Battery, 6/11 Artillery of the United States Army while in Vietnam, and took part in the Vietnam Counter Offensive Phase III. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Rifle Marksman Badge. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on September 3, 1968. (Photograph unavailable.)

## STEVEN J. PRESCOTT, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Prescott began serving in November of 1967 with the United States Army. He was stationed primarily in Vietnam, and was assigned to the 9th Infantry Division. Born on April 19, 1946, he resided in Brightwaters, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1964. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Expert Rifle Badge, and the Sharpshooter Badge as well. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on May 8, 1968, and was posthumously awarded the Bronze Star Medal, the Purple Heart, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Good Conduct Medal by the United States Government. He was also posthumously awarded the Military Merit Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm, by the Government of the Republic of Vietnam. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN E. QUILLEN, JR., Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Quillen served in the United States Marine Corps, was stationed chiefly in Vietnam, and was assigned to the 1st Marine Division. Born on April 11, 1949, he resided in Islip with his family. He is merited with the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Civil Actions color, 1st Class), the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Gallantry Cross color), the Vietnamese Military Merit Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Gold Star, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm, the Combat Action Ribbon, the Vietnam Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, and the National Defense Service Medal. He also received the Presidential Unit Citation with ribbon bar which was awarded to the 1st Marine Division for service in Vietnam from September 16, 1967 through October 31, 1968, a Purple Heart for a wound received in action against the enemy in Vietnam on February 7, 1968, and a Purple Heart (Gold Star in lieu of a Second Award) for a wound he received in action against the enemy in Vietnam on April 20, 1968, which resulted in his death. (Photograph unavailable.)



## RECALL

*by Jack Flatley*

*Walk the sacred rows  
Tread softly  
Comrades sleeping here*

*Sounds and smells  
Of weapons and war  
In quiet memory*

*The battle . . . the healing  
And all in between  
Veiled in time*

*Yet clear  
As painted scenes  
In colors fast*

*A vision of faces  
In mask of battle  
Parade in thought*

*The bold, the lucky survive  
Somehow  
Then young, now old*

*The tuned mind, yet able  
The tired limbs, not now fit  
Wait the final muster*

*In, now, our times  
They fall  
One, and one*

*Of surer fate  
The toll of age  
And stress of earning*

*They join the silent ranks  
Under the long rows  
Of medallion bronze*

*No others allowed here . . .  
Only the brave*





# MEMORIAL TO

## CHRISTOPHER J. RICETTI, Corporal

Corporal Ricetti served with the United States Marine Corps in Vietnam, and was assigned to the 1st Marine Division. Born on August 6, 1948, he resided in Islip Terrace when he entered the service. He received the Expert Rifle Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Civil Actions color), the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Gallantry Cross color), the Vietnamese Armed Forces Honor Medal, 2nd Class, the Vietnam Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Combat Action Ribbon. He also received the Presidential Unit Citation with ribbon bar which was awarded the 1st Marine Division for service in Vietnam from September 16, 1967 through October 31, 1968. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on July 3, 1969. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK SARDINA, Sergeant

Sergeant Sardina began serving in October of 1966 with the United States Army. He was stationed in Vietnam, and was assigned to E Company, 2nd Battalion, 1st AIT Brigade, with A Company, 1st Battalion, 29th Infantry, and with Headquarters Company, Americal Division. Born on September 19, 1947, he resided in East Islip, and had attended the University of Illinois before he entered the service. He received the the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on February 28, 1968, and was posthumously awarded the Bronze Star Medal, the Purple Heart, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge, by the United States Government. By the Government of the Republic of Vietnam, he was posthumously awarded the Military Merit Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALAN F. SCHAEFER, Staff Sergeant

A career Marine, Staff Sergeant Schaefer began serving in March of 1954 with the Air National Guard. In September of 1955 he enlisted in the United States Marine Corps, and received training at Camp Geiger and at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina in January of 1956. In March of the same year he went to ET "A" School, USNTC, Great Lakes, Illinois, and in July he completed an Aviation Radio Repair Course in San Diego, California. By December of 1956, he was stationed with H & HS, MCAF, New River, North Carolina. In April of 1957 he completed ABC Defense School, Force Troops FMF, at Camp LeJeune. He reenlisted in the United States Marine Corps in September of 1958, and in January of 1959 completed an Aviation Radio Technician Course in San Diego. In September of 1959, he completed the U.S. Naval Instructors School, Class C1, in San Diego, and subsequently became an instructor BRC, (RFS), Comm. Mat. School Company, MCRD, San Diego, and by October of 1961, he became an instructor ARRS, Comm. Mat. School Company, also in San Diego. From 1962 through 1963, he was assigned to H & HS-1, MWHG, 1st Marine Air Wing, in Iwakuni, Japan. In December of 1963 he was stationed with MACS-6, Marine Corps Air Station, in Beaufort, South Carolina. In October 1963, he reenlisted in the Marine Corps, and by March of 1966, was stationed with the Marine Air Wing in Chu Lai, Vietnam. He was born on November 22, 1935, and was a resident of Bayport when he enlisted. He was graduated from Jamaica High School, and completed Marine Corps training classes for Air to Ground Communication Electronics as one of the top five in the course. In 1957 he married, and resided in East Islip. The father of four children, Alan, Karen Anne, Robert, and Lynda Ann, he was an active member of the Suffolk County Boy Scouts as a Merit Badge Advisor, he was a member

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of bowling leagues, and enlisted in Club Management Committee in Suffolk County. While in the service, he received the Pistol Sharpshooter Badge, the Rifle Expert Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Civil Actions color, 1st Class), the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Gallantry Cross color), the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal with two Bronze Stars for service from 1955 through 1958, from 1958 to 1961, and from 1961 through 1964. He also is merited with the Navy Unit Commendation Medal with ribbon bar which was awarded to the Marine Aircraft Wing 12 for service in Vietnam from May 7, 1965 through April 15, 1966, and the Presidential Unit Citation with ribbon bar which was awarded to the 1st Marine Aircraft Wing also for service in Vietnam from May 11, 1965 through September 15, 1967. On January 7, 1967, he died while being transported to the Philippines after injuries sustained in action against the enemy in Vietnam on Christmas Day 1966. In addition to his four children, he is survived by his wife, Alice.



ALAN F. SCHAEFER



# MEMORIAL TO

## DAVID SCOLNICK, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Scolnick began serving with the United States Marine Corps in 1968. Born on November 8, 1948, he resided in Brentwood where he was graduated from Brentwood High School, and attended Suffolk County Community College for one year. He was stationed mainly in Quang Tri Province, Vietnam, and was assigned to G Company, 2nd Battalion, 9th Marines, 3rd Marine Division. He received the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Gallantry Cross color), the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, the Combat Action Ribbon, and the Presidential Unit Citation with ribbon bar which was awarded to the 9th Marine Regiment, 3rd Marine Division for service in Vietnam from January 22 through March 18 of 1969. He also received the Purple Heart for a wound sustained in action against the enemy in Vietnam on April 26, 1969, which resulted in his death.

## ROBERT J. SEUFERT, Sergeant

Sergeant Seufert began serving in the United States Army in June of 1962. In September of 1962, he was stationed with Headquarters Company, 2nd MTB, 66th Armored Division, and in January of 1964, he was assigned to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, 35th Armored Battalion. He was also assigned to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2nd Battalion, 47th Infantry, 9th Infantry Division. From January of 1962 through May of 1964 he was stationed in Germany. From May of 1967 through October of 1967, he was stationed in Vietnam, and from October of 1967 through May of 1968, he was stationed in Korea. In May of 1970, he was stationed again in Vietnam. Born on July 7, 1939, he was a resident of Ronkonkoma and Central Islip. He attended elementary school in Munich, Germany, and received his high school diploma at the United States Armed Forces Institute, Madison, Wisconsin, in 1968. While in the service, he took part in the Vietnam Counter Offensive Phases II and III, and was also stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia, and at Fort Campbell, Kentucky. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Rifle Expert Badge, two Overseas Ribbons, the Purple Heart, and the Army Commendation Medal for service in Vietnam against a hostile force from May 24, 1967 through August 22, 1967. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on December 6, 1970, and was posthumously awarded the Bronze Star Medal by the United States Government. By the Government of the Republic of Vietnam, he was posthumously awarded the Armed Forces Honor Medal, 2nd Class. (Photograph unavailable.)

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DAVID SCOLNICK



# MEMORIAL TO

## LEONARD SELANIKIO, Captain

Captain Selanikio began serving in the United States Air Force in 1965. Born on May 21, 1942, he resided in West Islip with his family before he entered the service. He received training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, and on February 12, 1968 he began his tour of duty in Vietnam where he was assigned to the 345th Tactical Airlift Squadron of the United States Air Force. He participated in sustained aerial flight as a combat crew member, specifically as co-pilot, in Southeast Asia, accomplishing important missions under extremely hazardous conditions, including the continuous possibility of hostile ground fire. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, and the Rifle Marksman Badge. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on September 6, 1968, and was posthumously awarded the Air Medal and a Purple Heart by the United States Government.

## STEVEN G. SEYMOUR, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Seymour began serving in 1966 with the United States Marine Corps, as a Public Information Officer on Parris Island. Born on February 24, 1948, he resided in Brentwood where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1966. He was killed in an automobile accident on August 9, 1967, while serving patrol duty on Parris Island.

## ROBERT R. SHERIDAN, Specialist 5

Specialist 5 Sheridan began serving in the United States Army in March of 1963 and was stationed in Germany. Born on June 8, 1944, he resided in West Islip with his family, and attended West Islip High School through the 11th grade, and received his diploma while in the service. In September of 1965 he was discharged, and became employed with Grumman in Calverton until May of 1967 when he reenlisted. During his second tour of duty, he was stationed in Korea for 13 months, at Camp Carson, Colorado, for six months, and then in Chu Lai, Vietnam, where he was assigned to C Company, 2nd Battalion, 14th Infantry, 25th Infantry Division. He died two months later on June 8, 1969 of a blood disorder. He received the Bronze Star Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Imjin Scouts Certificate, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Sharpshooter Badge with Pistol bar, and the Marksman Badge with Rifle and Automatic Rifle bars.

## JOHN T. STIMSON, JR., Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Stimson began serving with the United States Army in April of 1968. He was stationed in Vietnam, and was assigned to B Company, 2nd Battalion, 47th Infantry, 9th Infantry Division. Born on May 28, 1943, he resided in East Islip when he entered the service, was graduated from Bay Shore High School, and SUNY at Farmingdale, and was employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation. He is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, and a Purple Heart. On October 31, 1968 he was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam.

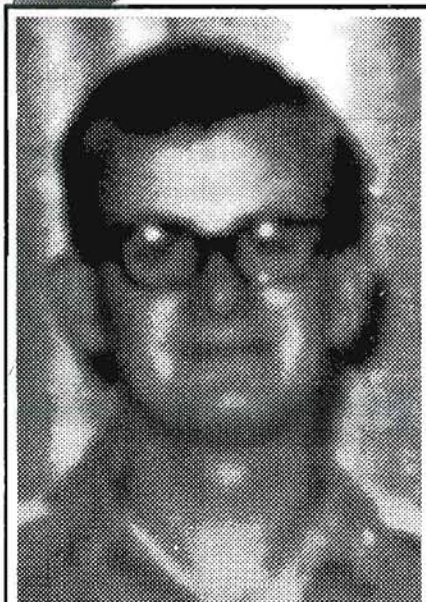
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LEONARD SELANIKIO



STEVEN G. SEYMOUR



JOHN T. STIMSON



ROBERT R. SHERIDAN



# MEMORIAL TO

## RONALD R. STOKES, Sergeant

Sergeant Stokes began serving in 1965 with the United States Marine Corps. He was stationed in Vietnam where he was assigned to the 9th Marine Regiment, 3rd Marine Division. He was born on June 2, 1948, and was a resident of Central Islip before he entered the service. He received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation (Gallantry Cross color), the Vietnam Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal for service from June 16, 1965 through December 16, 1967, the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal with ribbon bar which was awarded the 9th Marine Regiment, 3rd Marine Division for service in Vietnam from November 29, 1967 through January 12, 1968, and the Presidential Unit Citation with ribbon bar which was awarded to the 3rd Marine Division for its service in Vietnam from March 8, 1965 through September 15, 1967. He was also awarded the Combat Action Ribbon, and the Purple Heart for a wound received in action against the enemy in Vietnam on July 6, 1967. He was killed in action against the enemy on December 16, 1967, and was subsequently awarded the Purple Heart (Gold Star in lieu of a Second Award). (Photograph unavailable.)

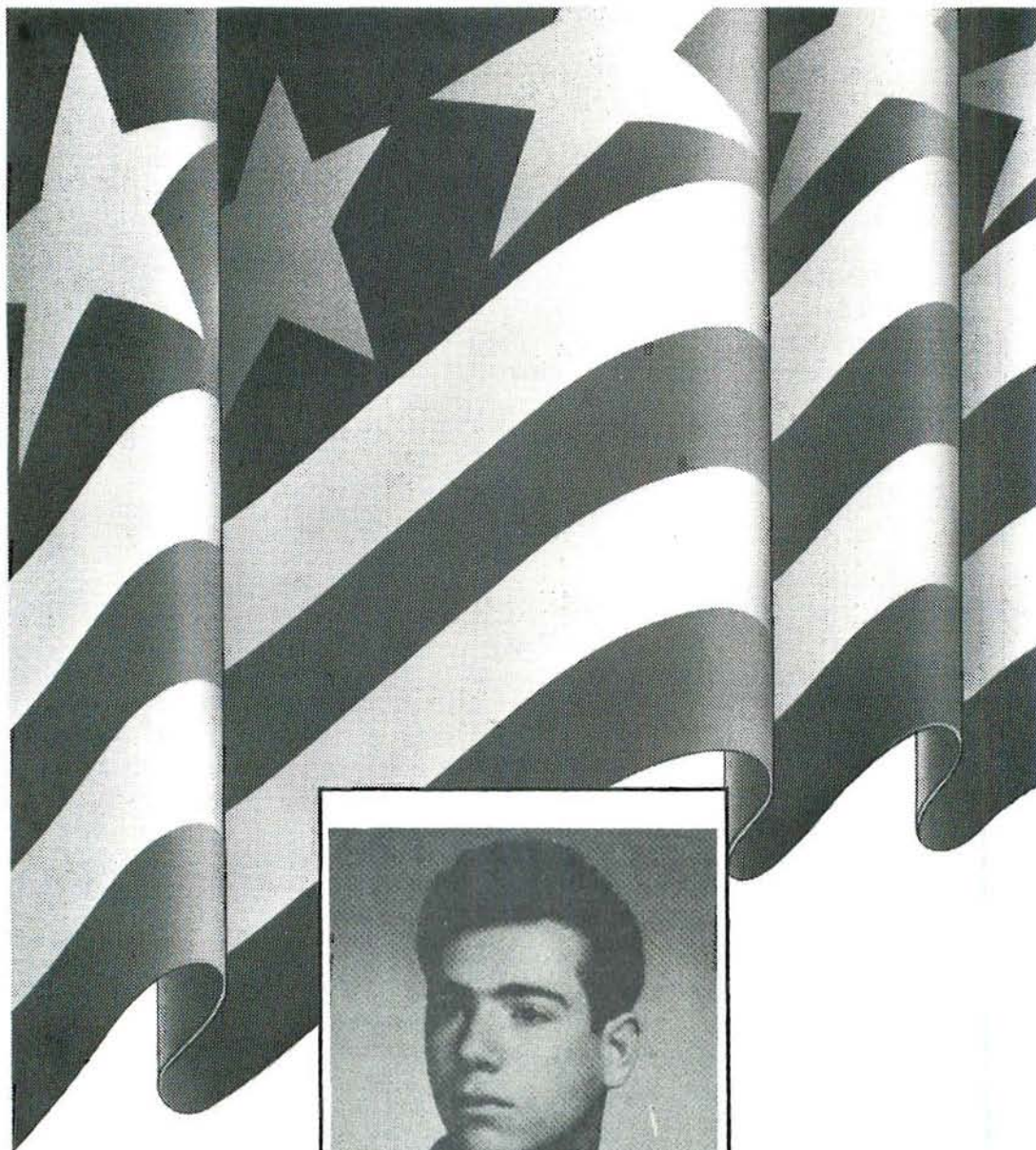
## FRANCIS V. TODARELLO, Corporal

Corporal Todarello began serving in the United States Army on August 17, 1967 at Fort Hamilton, New York. In February of 1968, he was stationed in Vietnam, and was assigned to the A Company, 1st Battalion, 52nd Infantry, Americal Division. Born on December 8, 1947, he resided in Oakdale where he was graduated from high school, and had attended Suffolk County Community College for one year. He received the Expert Rifle Badge, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Rifle Marksman Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge. On June 6, 1968, he died of a wound received in action during hostile ground action against the enemy in Vietnam. He was posthumously awarded the Bronze Star Medal, the Purple Heart, and the Good Conduct Medal by the United States Government. In addition, he was posthumously awarded by the Government of the Republic of Vietnam the Military Merit Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm.

## DONALD F. VAUGHAN, Specialist 5

Specialist 5/c Vaughan began serving in January of 1969 with the United States Army, and received his training at Fort Houston, Texas. From July of 1969 through December of 1969 he was stationed in Germany. From January of 1970 through November of 1970 he was stationed in Vietnam, and from January of 1971 through February of 1971, he was stationed again in Germany. In April of 1971, he was stationed in Vietnam, and was assigned to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 26th Engineer Battalion, 23rd Infantry Division. Born on December 28, 1948, he resided in Bay Shore, and was graduated from Copiague High School in 1966. He received the Vietnam Service Medal, two Overseas Ribbons, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. On October 28, 1971, while serving as a Medical Aidman, Specialist Vaughan drowned off the coast of Chu Lai, Vietnam, in an unselfish and heroic attempt to rescue a drowning person in the heavy, violent surf. He was posthumously awarded the Soldier's Medal by the United States Government, and Armed Forces Honor Medal, 2nd Class, by the Government of the Republic of Vietnam. (Photograph unavailable.)

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FRANCIS V. TODARELLO





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## JOSE A. VAZQUEZ, Specialist 4

Specialist 4 Vazquez began serving in the United States Army in November of 1965. He received training at Fort Carlson, Colorado. In August of 1966, he was stationed in Vietnam, and was assigned to B Company, 5th Battalion, 7th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division. Born on July 12, 1945, he resided in Bay Shore when he enlisted, and was graduated from high school in New York City in 1965. He received the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on November 1, 1966. By the United States Government, he was posthumously awarded the Purple Heart, and from the Government of the Republic of Vietnam he was posthumously awarded the Military Merit Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM S. WELLS, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Wells began serving in October of 1966 in the United States Army. He received basic combat training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, when he was assigned to E Company, 5th Battalion, 7th Brigade. He received advance training with E Company, 11th Battalion, 3rd Brigade, also at Fort Jackson, and while in Vietnam, he was assigned as a Rifleman with B Company, 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry 4th Infantry Division. He resided in Brentwood at the time he enlisted, but was graduated from Bellport High School, Bellport, New York in 1966. He received the Combat Infantry Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on May 20, 1967. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JACK W. WILKINSON, Construction Mechanic 1st Class

Construction Mechanic 1/c Wilkinson served in the United States Navy, and was stationed primarily in Phu Bai, Vietnam. Born on June 18, 1927, he resided in East Islip prior to entering the service. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and the Vietnam Certificate of Achievement as well. On August 30, 1967, he died at Gidhe Combat Base, Phu Bai, Vietnam, of wounds sustained from shrapnel during hostile action against the enemy. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM C. WILLIAMSON, Corporal

Corporal Williamson served in the United States Army and was stationed in Vietnam. Born on July 3, 1947, he was a resident of Central Islip at the time he entered the service. He is merited with the Parachutists Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Bronze Star Medal, and the Purple Heart. He was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam on March 30, 1969. (Photograph unavailable.)

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## EDWARD S. WISSIG, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Wissig began serving in the United States Air Force in 1965 at Kindley Air Force Base, Bermuda. Born on May 24, 1931, he resided in Lake Ronkonkoma at the time he enlisted, attended Samuel Gompers High School until 1948, and received his high school diploma in 1965. He was stationed in Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal with three Bronze Loops, the Air Force Good Conduct Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster, the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon with two Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Air Force Commendation Medal, and the Sharpshooter and Expert Rifle Marksman Badge. On February 12, 1971, he was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam. He was posthumously awarded the Purple Heart. He is survived by his wife, Marie, three daughters, Victoria, Patricia, and Mary, and two sons, George, and Edward. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS E. WYNNE, Sergeant

Sergeant Wynne began serving in March of 1969 with the United States Army, and was stationed in South Carolina as well as in Vietnam. Born on May 27, 1949, he resided in Bay Shore with his family when he enlisted, and was graduated from Brentwood High School. On February 20, 1970 he was killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam.





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The following are known Vietnam veterans who were killed in action against the enemy in Vietnam. Our attempts to obtain more information and photographs were unsuccessful.

JAMES P. McGRATH, U.S. NAVY  
FEBRUARY 1, 1967

DIONISIO SANCHEZ-ORTIZ, U.S. ARMY  
JANUARY 3, 1969

DAVID C. VAUGHN

ROBERT L. WILLIAMS, U.S. ARMY

DANIEL R. NIDDS, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Nidds served in the United States Army. He was born on August 23, 1948, and was a resident of West Islip at the time he entered the service. According to Vietnam veteran Joseph A. Macchio, Senior Director, Release Foundation for POW/MIA, Staff Sergeant Nidds was listed as "Missing in Action" on April 21, 1967, and is the only POW/MIA from the Town of Islip. Our efforts to obtain information from the National Records Service in St. Louis, Missouri, and from the New York State Division of Veterans Affairs in Hauppauge, have been inconclusive. According to lists obtained from the N.Y.S. Division of Veterans Affairs, however, Staff Sergeant Nidds was among those on the "List of casualties incurred by U.S. military personnel in connection with the conflict in Viet-Nam," and his death was recorded as October 31, 1973, "resulting from hostile action." (Photograph unavailable.)



## THE PASSING DAYS OF THE WAR VETERAN

*by Jack Flatley*

*The seasons change  
Outside my window  
My wheelchair wanders  
The halls through the night  
My books and papers  
Are scattered about me  
My pain will not go away*

*The visits are seldom  
Old friends pass on sadly  
The drawers hoard medals  
No longer held dear  
The drab and the blue  
Are musty forever  
My pain will not go away*

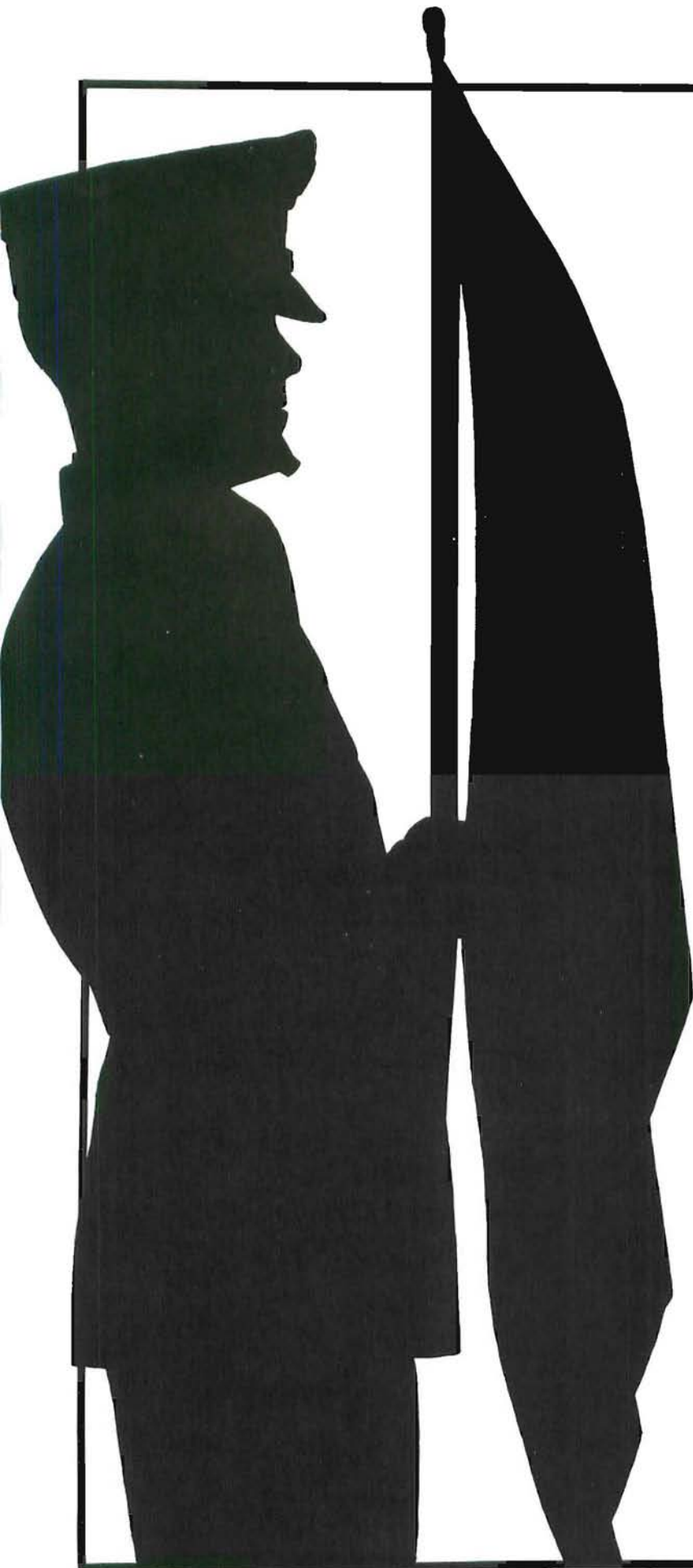
*My mind recalls  
The days of adventure  
The times of daring  
Of vigor and strength  
Our lines were straight  
We marched out in cadence  
I sit here in pain today*

*Those days grow dim  
The memory falters  
We served in battle  
Forgotten in time  
We ached we hurt  
We bled we loved  
Our day of glory has passed*

*My reason dwindles  
My thoughts are bewildered  
The hopeless life  
The endless despair  
Give up this struggle  
Sleep ever peaceful  
My pain draws the ending to me*

*Our strength  
Is in our comrades' devotion  
Old memories surround us  
In vision of tears  
We pass on the colors  
To the youth of our nation  
The day of their battle draws near*





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## THOMAS ABRAM, JR., Sergeant

Formerly of Bay Shore, and presently residing in East Islip, Mr. Abram was born on February 2, 1947, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1965. He served from 1966 until 1968 with A Company, 2nd Battalion, 7th Infantry, 25th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Cu Chi, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement. He has been employed as a Tractor Trailer Driver with Red Star Express Lines since his discharge from the service.

## ROBERT F. ABRAMS, Specialist 4th Class

Born on November 26, 1947, and a longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Abrams served with H Company, 459th Signal Battalion of the United States Army. He served principally in Nha Trang, Vietnam, from August of 1967 until April of 1969. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Overseas Ribbon, the Rifle Expert Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal while in the service.

## JOSEPH ACCOMANDO, JR., Radarman 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Accomando was born on November 2, 1948, and was graduated from Central Islip High School and New York Institute of Technology. He served aboard the U.S.S. Wrangell and aboard the U.S.S. Mauna Loa of the United States Army from October of 1967 until October of 1971, and was stationed chiefly in the Atlantic Ocean and the Mediterranean Sea. He is presently employed as a Suffolk County Police Officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ERNESTO ADRIANO, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Presently residing in Holbrook, and formerly of Rego Park, New York, Mr. Adriano was born on March 6, 1946, and attended Areilano University, Queensborough Community College, and Suffolk County Community College. He served from March of 1966 until March of 1973 with the Naval Air Facility, aboard the U.S.S. Enterprise, and with the Commander Amphibious Group #2 of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Meritorious Unit Commendation, and is presently employed as a data processing operation supervisor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN W. AGNITSCH, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist Agnitsch served from September of 1963 until September of 1966 with the Signal Support Command of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Richie, Maryland and earned the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. Born on August 12, 1945, and formerly of Central Islip, he settled in Holbrook. He attended Asmara American High School in Asmara, East Africa, and is currently employed as a New York City Firefighter.

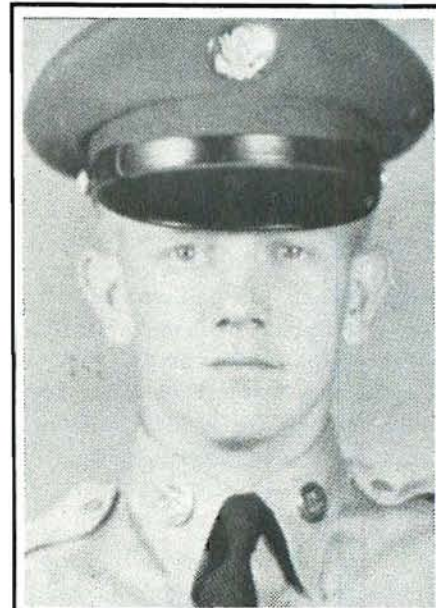
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THOMAS ABRAM, JR.



ROBERT F. ABRAMS



JOHN W. AGNITSCH



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## ANTHONY J. ALBANESE, E-5

Originally from Lindenhurst, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Albanese was born on March 1, 1949, and was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1967. He served from November of 1967 until November of 1971 with the United States Coast Guard aboard the Cutter Kukui, and aboard the Cutter Red Beech, and was stationed chiefly in the Pacific Ocean. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, and has been employed as a construction equipment operator since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## SANTO ALBANESE, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Presently residing in West Islip, Mr. Albanese was born on March 27, 1948, and was graduated from Thomas Edison Vocational High School in 1965, and from New York Institute of Technology in 1969. He served from 1969 until 1971 with the United States Navy, was stationed in Pearl Harbor, and received the Vietnam, and the National Defense Service Medals. He has been employed as a carpenter since his separation from the service.

## ANTHONY E. ALFANO, Machinist Mate 3rd Class

A 1963 graduate of Island Trees High School, Mr. Alfano was born on January 5, 1945, and resided in Bay Shore before making his home in Central Islip where he presently resides. He served from April of 1964 until February of 1968 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Camdus, AR-14, aboard the U.S.S. William C. Lawe, DD-763, and was stationed in Newport, Rhode Island, and in Mayport, Florida. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Naval Meritorious Reserve Medal. Following the service he was employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation, and is now employed as a supervisor for the New York State Department of Transportation.

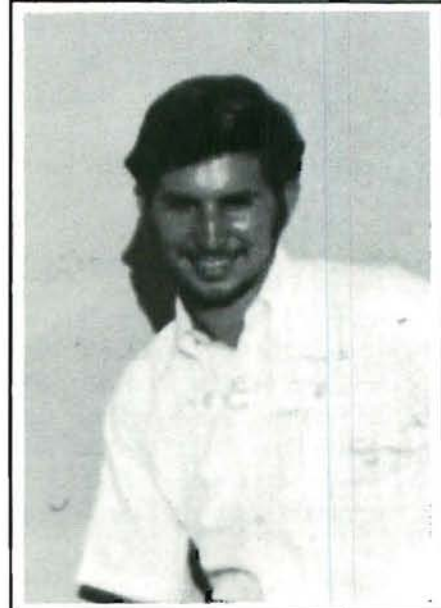
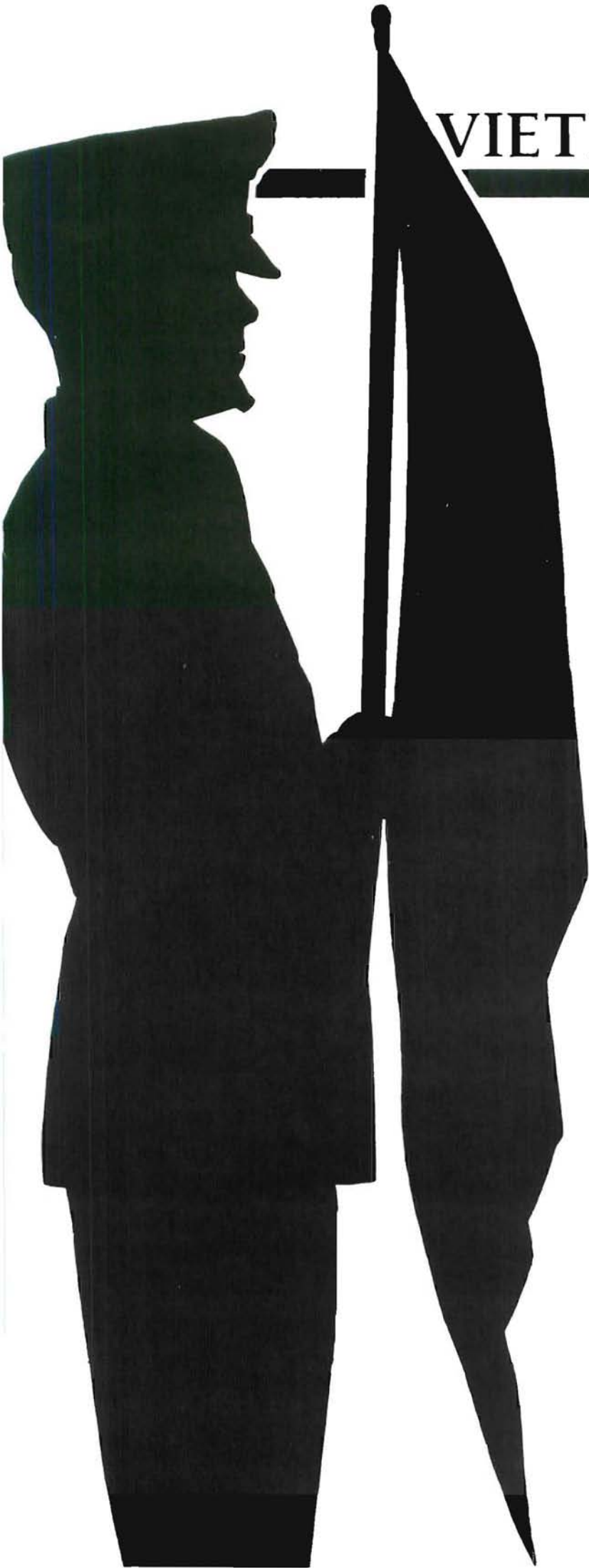
## CHARLES F. ALLISON, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Allison served with the 3rd Marine Division, 1st Marine Air Wing, H Squadron of the United States Marine Corps from January of 1964 until January of 1968, and was stationed chiefly in Da Nang and Chu Lai, Vietnam. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. A longtime resident of Bay Shore, he was graduated in 1963 from Brentwood High School, and is employed as a police officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH T. AMENITA, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Specialist Amenita served with B Battery, 2nd Battalion, 319th Artillery of the United States Army, primarily in Vietnam, from May of 1970 until January of 1972. A 1970 graduate of Brentwood High School, he is currently employed as a stairbuilder. (Photograph unavailable.)

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SANTO ALBANESE



ANTHONY E. ALFANO

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## ROY P. ANDERSON, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Originally from South Ozone Park, New York, and presently residing in East Islip, Mr. Anderson was born on March 17, 1946, and was graduated from Thomas Edison Technical High School in 1964, and in 1967 from SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from May of 1969 until March of 1971 with the Fleet Air Control and Surveillance Facility of the United States Navy, was stationed on North Island, San Diego, California, and earned the National Defense Service Medal. He has been employed as an electronic technician since his discharge from the service.

## WALTER R. ANDERSON, JR., Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of North Babylon, and born on February 14, 1949, Mr. Anderson settled in Bay Shore where he now resides. He served from January of 1968 until September of 1972 with the Army Air Defense Command, Nike Hercules, of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas, Travis Air Force Base, California, and at Camp Huston, South Korea. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the United Nations Expeditionary Medal. He was graduated from North Babylon High School in 1967, and is currently employed as a Communications Technician for AT & T Communications.

## KENNETH ANDEXSER, Sergeant

A Bay Shore resident at the time he served, Mr. Andexser was born on June 22, 1946, and presently resides in West Islip. He served from May of 1967 until February of 1969 with the 4th Engineer Battalion, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Pleiku, Vietnam. He earned the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, and the National Defense Service Medal. After the service he was employed as a carpenter. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CHARLES J. ANGELILLO, Specialist 5th Class

Born on July 20, 1945, and formerly of Ronkonkoma, Mr. Angelillo made his home in Bohemia. He served with H Company, 2nd Battalion, 60th Infantry, 9th Division, 15th Engineer Battalion of the United States Army from December of 1965 until November of 1967. He was stationed at Fort Dix, Fort Riley, and in Vietnam, and received the National Defense and the Vietnam Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. A 1963 graduate of Connetquot High School, he is currently employed as an auto mechanic.

## JOHN M. ANGELO, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist Angelo served from July of 1965 until May of 1967 with the 230th Transportation Company, was stationed chiefly in Vietnam, and earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on May 11, 1944, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he presently resides in Oakdale. He was graduated from Haaren High School in 1962, and became employed as an aircraft electrician for Grumman Aerospace Corporation following the service. He is currently employed as a New York City School Custodial Engineer.

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ROY P. ANDERSON



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JOHN M. ANGELO

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## MICHAEL A. ANNIBELL, Specialist 4th Class

Born on October 12, 1948, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Annibell made his home in Holbrook where he now resides. He was graduated from Erasmus Hall High School in 1966, and attended Kingsborough Community College. He served from April of 1968 until January of 1970 with the 528th Quartermaster Corps, and was stationed at Hue Phu Bai, Vietnam. He is currently employed with the United States Postal Service.

## STEVEN J. ANTONACCI, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Queens, New York, Mr. Antonacci was born on July 11, 1948, and resides in Sayville. He served from April of 1968 until November of 1969 with B Company, 516th Battalion, 1st Field Forces of the United States Army, and was stationed in Pleiku, Vietnam. He is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Meritorious Service Medal. He was graduated from Thomas Edison High School in 1967, and after the service was employed as a telephone engineer.

## ROBERT ANTONUCCI, Airman 1st Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Ronkonkoma, Mr. Antonucci was born on August 17, 1945, and was graduated from Morris High School, Bronx, in 1963. He served from September of 1963 until September of 1967 with the 12th Tactical Fighter Wing of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at McDill Air Force Base, Florida, Okinawa, Japan, and at Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam. He earned the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and has been employed as an Aircraft Mechanic for American Airlines since his discharge from the service.

## NEIL H. APPEL, Radarman 2nd Class

A longtime resident of Hauppauge, Mr. Appel served from August of 1969 until August of 1973 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Mullinix, DD-944, and was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia. He is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Combat Action Badge, the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## P.J. APPIGNANI, Specialist 5th Class

A 1959 graduate of Lindenhurst High School, Mr. Appignani was born on November 26, 1941. He resided in Lindenhurst, New York, before making his home in Bohemia where he presently resides. He served from November of 1966 until October of 1968 with H & H Battery, Division Artillery of the United States Army, was stationed in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and earned the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. He has been employed at the telephone company since his discharge.

## NICHOLAS J. ARENA, JR., Aviation Electrician

Born on August 27, 1946, and formerly of North Babylon, New York, Mr. Arena presently resides in Bayport. He was graduated from North Babylon High School in 1964, and is currently employed with New York Telephone Company. He served from September of 1965 until June of 1969 with the 86th Attack Squadron of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. America.

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## RAYMOND ARKIN, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist Arkin served from July of 1968 until July of 1970 with A Company, 2nd Battalion, 501st Infantry, 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army, primarily in Vietnam, and earned the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. Born on August 25, 1947, he resided in Brooklyn, New York, where he attended Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School and John Jay College of Criminal Justice. He resides in Holbrook and is employed as a police officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## PAUL ARNOLD, Personnelman 2nd Class

Formerly of Woodhaven, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Arnold was born on November 20, 1947, and was graduated in 1965 from Thomas Edison High School. He served from November of 1956 until February of 1969 with the Naval Support Activity Group of the United States Navy, primarily in the United States and in Vietnam, and earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals.

## THOMAS H. ARNOLD, Seaman

A 1967 graduate of Bay Shore High School where he resided before settling in East Islip, Mr. Arnold was born on July 3, 1948. He served aboard the U.S.S. Albert David, DE-1050, of the United States Navy, primarily in Long Beach, California and in Vietnam, from April of 1968 until March of 1970. He earned the National Defense Service Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal, and is currently employed as a letter carrier for the United States Postal Service.

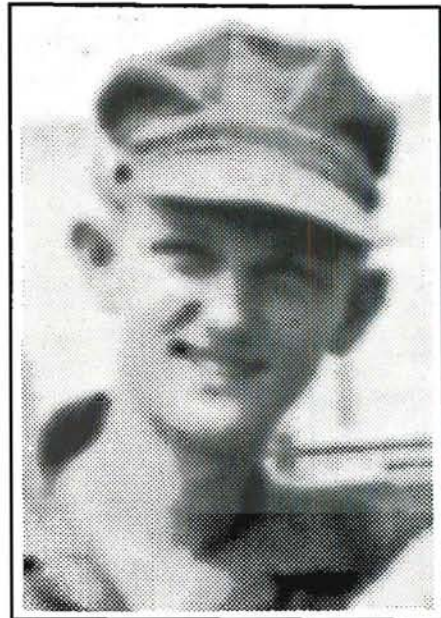
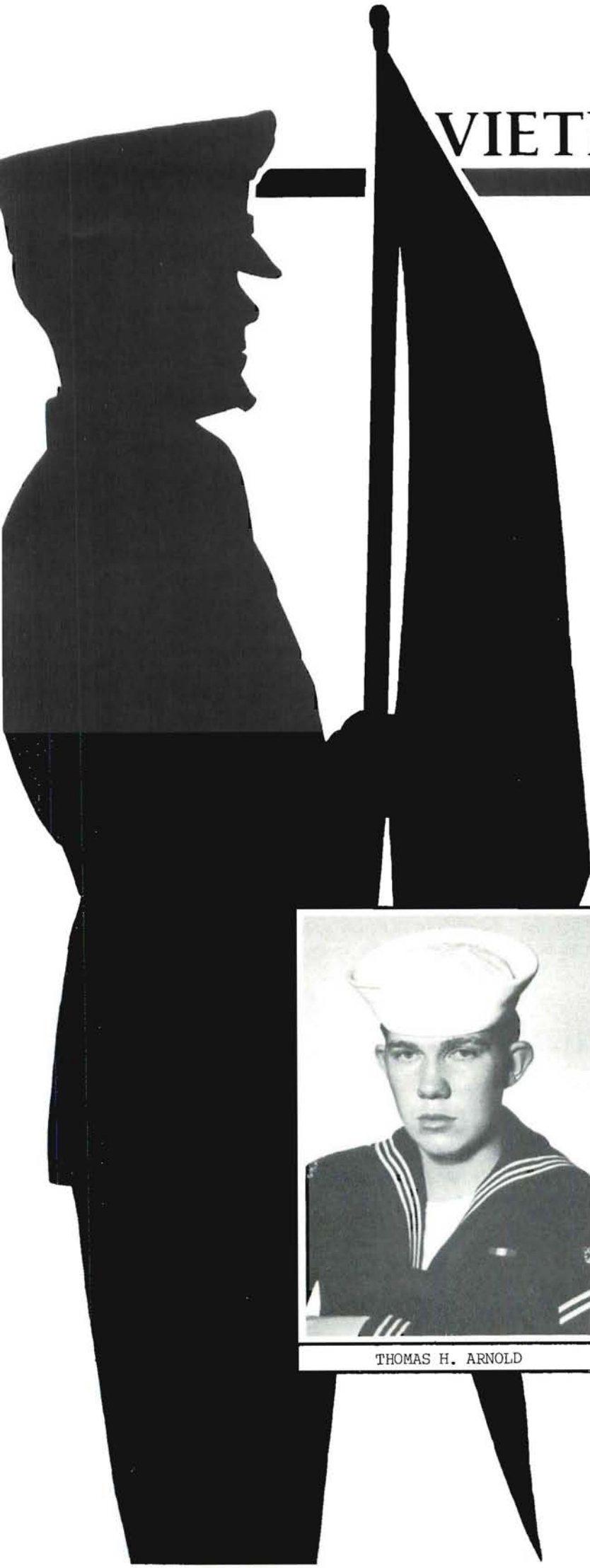
## VICTOR L. ARNOTT, Corporal

Corporal Arnett served from 1968 until 1980 with the 2nd Battalion, 2046th Platoon of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Okinawa, Japan, and at Nellis Air Force Base, Las Vegas. Born on October 25, 1949, he was graduated from Islip High School. He resided in Bay Shore at the time he enlisted, and was employed as a boatyard worker before the service. He joined the Air National Guard, Special Forces, Air and Sea Rescue Unit, and was killed in a parachute jump during maneuvers at Nellis Air Force Base on December 2, 1980.

## CHRISTOPHER ARPAIA, Aviation Electronic Technician 2nd Class

Born on July 16, 1949, and formerly of Islip, Mr. Arpaia has since made his home in Trinidad, California. He served with the United States Navy from May of 1968 until April of 1972, and was stationed at Cubie Point, Philippines, and Da Nang, Vietnam. He attended Islip High School, Grossmont Junior College, and Shasta College, and is currently employed as a salesman. (Photograph unavailable.)

# VIETNAM VETERANS



PAUL ARNOLD



THOMAS H. ARNOLD



VICTOR L. ARNOTT



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## MICHAEL H. ATHEARN, Sergeant

Originally from Portland, Maine, and presently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Athearn was born on April 12, 1947, and graduated high school while in the service. He served from January of 1964 until April of 1970 with A Company, 1st Battalion, 4th Marine Brigade of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Chu Lai, Vietnam, Cuba, and in the Panama Canal as well. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Navy Unit Citation, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars. After the service he became employed as an electrician. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT G. AUDETTE, Staff Sergeant

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Audette was born on September 20, 1948, and was graduated from North Babylon High School. He served from May of 1967 until October of 1973 with the United States Marine Corps with the VMFA #232 in Vietnam and Japan, and with the VMFA #251 in Beaufort, South Carolina. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm. He was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale, and has been employed as a Senior Electronic Technician for Republic Fairchild since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK AVINO, Specialist 4th Class

Born on May 19, 1949, and formerly of Lindenhurst, New York, Mr. Avino made his home in East Islip where he now resides. He served with the 52nd Signal Company of the United States Army, primarily at Fort Jackson, Fort Gordon, and in Vietnam as well, from March of 1969 until June of 1970. He attended Lindenhurst High School and is currently employed in construction.

## JORGE H. AYALA, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Specialist Ayala served from December of 1969 until February of 1972 with the 1st Cavalry, 10th Division, and the 10th Cavalry of the United States Army, and was stationed in Pleiku and An Khe, Vietnam. Born September 4, 1952, and originally from Brentwood where he attended Brentwood High School, he settled in Islip and is employed as a letter carrier for the United States Postal Service. He is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Berlin Airlift Device Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal as well.

## ROBERT AZIZ, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Aziz was born on August 31, 1942, and was graduated from Bushwick High School, Brooklyn, in 1960. He served from August of 1962 until August of 1965 with the 712th Punt. Medical Unit of the United States Army, was stationed principally at Fort Sam, Texas, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. After his discharge he was employed with the United States Postal Service, and is currently employed as a bridge and tunnel officer.

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FRANK AVINO



JORGE H. AYALA, JR.



ROBERT AZIZ

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## RICHARD BAARDBSEN, Sergeant

Sergeant Baardsen served from February of 1966 until February of 1970 with Troop D, 1st Squadron, 4th Cavalry, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam. He earned the Combat Infantry Badge, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Cluster, the Air Medal with five clusters, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Born on January 1, 1947, and formerly of Freeport, New York, he settled in Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from Freeport High School in 1965, and from Nassau County Community College, and is a retired Correction's Officer for the Nassau County Sheriff's Department. Currently, he is employed as a security officer in a Department store.

## WILLIAM M. BABINGTON, Sergeant

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Hauppauge, Mr. Babington was born on June 21, 1946, and was graduated from New Utrecht High School, Brooklyn, in 1964. He served from October of 1965 until October of 1968 with the 416th Signal Corps of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly at Fort Lee, Virginia, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal as well. After the service he was employed as an electrician, and is currently employed as a letter carrier for the United States Postal Service.

## ANTHONY BACARELLA, Sergeant

Sergeant Bacarella served from August of 1965 until January of 1969 with the 1878th Communications Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Eglin Air Force Base, Pleiku Air Force Base, and Pease Air Force Base. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. Born on October 3, 1944, and formerly of Massapequa, New York, he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated from Farmingdale High School in 1962 and from Nassau County Community College in 1965. After the service he became employed as a Teletype operator and is currently employed with an airline.

## ROBERT J. BACKA, Airman 1st Class

Born on July 15, 1943, and formerly of Hicksville, New York, Mr. Backa settled in Oakdale where he now resides. He was graduated from Hicksville High School in 1961 and from Electronic Computer Programming Institute in 1968. He served from January of 1962 until October of 1965 with the 51st Fighter Interceptor Wing, 2nd Detachment of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Tan Son Nhut Air Force Base, Saigon, Vietnam, and received the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal and the Distinguished Unit Citation. He resides in Oakdale and is employed as an electrician for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. (Photograph unavailable.)

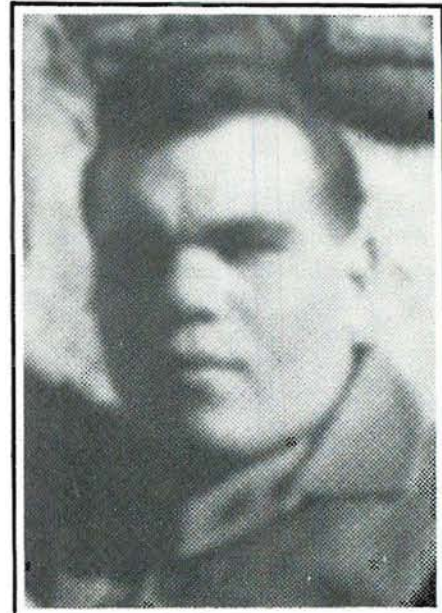
## EMANUEL BAGIELTO, Corporal

Originally from the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Bagielto was born on October 25, 1940, and was graduated from Cardinal Hayes High School in 1958. He served from January of 1959 until January of 1963 with H & S Company, 3rd Battalion, 6th Marines of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed principally at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He has been employed as a truck driver since his discharge from the service.

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RICHARD BAARSEN



WILLIAM M. BABINGTON



ANTHONY BACARELLA



EMANUEL BAGIELTO

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## CHARLES P. BAILEY, Captain

Captain Bailey served from April of 1969 until July of 1974 with the United States Air Force and was stationed primarily at Laughlin Air Force Base, Texas. Born on September 30, 1946, and formerly of Eden, New York, he settled in Sayville where he presently resides. He was graduated in 1964 from Eden Central High School, and in 1968 from Rutgers College. Since his separation from the Air Force he has been employed as an air traffic controller.

## KENNETH BAILEY, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Formerly of Blue Point, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Bailey was born on May 12, 1943, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1961. He served from March of 1966 until October of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Bennington, CVS-20, and earned the Meritorious Unit Commendation, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He is currently employed with the United States Postal Service.

## JOHN E. BAKER, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Baker was born on December 14, 1946, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1965. He served with B Battery, 6th Battalion, 71st Artillery, Military Police Division of the United States Army from December of 1966 until December of 1968, and was stationed in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam. He is merited with the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal, and has been employed in construction since his discharge from the service.

## EDWARD P. BALCEWICZ, Sergeant

Originally from Brookhaven, New York, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Balcewicz was born on October 7, 1946, and was graduated from Bellport High School in 1965. He served from December of 1965 until September of 1969 with the HMM 163, Marine Medium Helicopter Squadron, of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Quang Tri Province, and in Da Nang, Vietnam. He earned the Vietnam Service Medal, the Combat Air Crewman Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the good Conduct Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. After the service he became employed as an aircraft mechanic, and is currently employed as a computer systems analyst.

## CIRO BALZANO, Sergeant

Sergeant Balzano served from November of 1965 until November of 1967 with the 1st Infantry Division, 8th Battalion, 6th Artillery of the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on October 22, 1945, and was graduated from John Jay High School, Brooklyn. He currently resides in Brentwood and is employed as a truck driver. While in the service he earned the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

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CHARLES P. BAILEY



KENNETH BAILEY



JOHN E. BAKER



EDWARD P. BALCEWICZ



CIRO BALZANO

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## WALTER F. BANASZAK, JR., 1st Lieutenant

A Bayport resident at the time he served, Mr. Banaszak has since settled in Patchogue. Born on April 11, 1946, he was graduated from Bayport High School in 1965, received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1969 from Norwich University, his Master of Arts degree in 1976, and a Master of Science degree in 1980 from C.W. Post College. He served from February of 1970 until November of 1971 with the 1st Battalion, 36th Artillery of the United States Army, and was stationed in Oklahoma, and in Germany as well. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, and is currently employed as a teacher and guidance counselor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS M. BANKS, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on August 29, 1947, Mr. Banks resided in Richmond Hill, New York, before settling in Ronkonkoma where he presently resides. He was graduated from Richmond Hill High School in 1964, and attended John Jay College. He served from February of 1966 until October of 1969 with the 3rd Naval Construction Brigade, 5th Mobile Construction Battalion of the United States Navy Seabees. He was stationed at I Corps, and in Da Nang, Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Action Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He is currently employed as a New York City Police Officer.

## FRANK BANY, Sergeant

Sergeant Bany served from August of 1966 until August of 1970 with the 5th Marines, 1st Military Police Battalion, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed principally in Vietnam, and earned the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm. Born on June 17, 1947, and formerly of Ronkonkoma, he settled in Bohemia where he presently resides. He was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1965 and attended Suffolk County Community College and New York Institute of Technology.

## JOSEPH BARBARITO, Boatswain Mate 3rd Class

Originally from Astoria, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Barbarito was born on March 2, 1947, and was graduated from William C. Bryant High School in 1964. He served from December of 1964 until January of 1968 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Montrose, APA-212, and was stationed chiefly in San Diego, California. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He has been employed as an electrician since his discharge from the service.

## RICHARD BARCIA, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Elmont, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Barcia was born on November 4, 1946, and was graduated from Sewanhaka High School in 1964, and from Queensborough Community College in 1967. He served from April of 1968 until January of 1971 with the 57th Aviation Company, 52nd Aviation Battalion, 1st Aviation Brigade of the United States Army, and was stationed in Kontum, and AnKhe, Vietnam. While in the service he earned the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He became employed as a draftsman after the service, and is currently employed as a computer programmer. (Photograph unavailable.)

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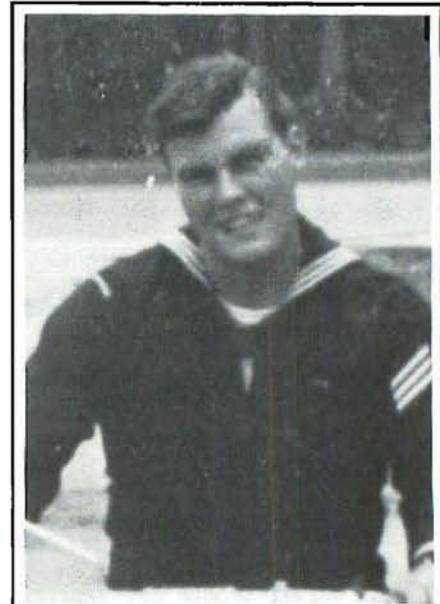
WALTER F. BANASZAK, JR.



THOMAS M. BANKS



FRANK BANY



JOSEPH BARBARITO



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## ASTON M. BARTH, Sergeant

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Barth was born on February 17, 1933, and resides in Central Islip. He served from 1952 until 1966 with the 1st RSSU, 565th Medical Company, 2nd Infantry, 1st Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany and Vietnam. He was graduated from high school in 1942, and attended Excelsion University for two years. He received various medals including the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and a Purple Heart.

## WILLIAM C. BARTO, Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Barto was born on November 13, 1948, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1966. He served with Headquarters, 509th Radio Research Group, Military Assistance Command of the United States Army from February of 1968 until February of 1971, and was stationed in Saigon, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He is currently employed as a technical illustrator for Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## EDWARD D. BARTON, Specialist 4th Class

Born on February 6, 1951, and formerly of Sayville, Mr. Barton settled in Stanhope, New Jersey, where he now resides. He served from March of 1971 until March of 1973 with the 171st Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Wainwright, Alaska. He is currently employed as a truck driver.

## ROBERT T. BARTON, Sergeant

Sergeant Barton served from November of 1965 until November of 1969 with the United States Marine Corps with the 8th Engineer Battalion, 2nd Marine Division at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, with the 11th Engineer Battalion, 3rd Marine Division in DongHa, Vietnam, with S Company, Headquarters Battalion at Camp Pendleton, California, and with the U.S. Naval Disciplinary Command at Portsmouth, New Hampshire. He earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Navy Unit Commendation Medal. Born on August 10, 1947, and formerly of New York City, he settled in Brentwood. He was graduated from Haaren High School in 1965, and is employed as a New York City Correction Officer.

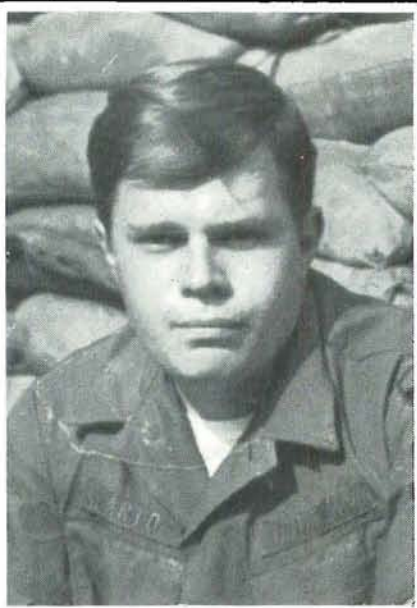
## LEROY E. BATORSKY, Petty Officer 2nd Class/Quartermaster

Originally from Patchogue, New York Mr. Batorsky was born on June 20, 1947, and was graduated from Patchogue-Medford High School in 1965. He settled in Sayville and is employed with New York Telephone Company. He served from March of 1966 until March of 1972 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Galveston, CLG-3, was stationed in Vietnam, and earned the National Defense Service Medal and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal.

## FEDELE T. BAUCCIO, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Bauccio served from November of 1968 until December of 1970 with A Battery, 1st Battalion, Headquarters Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed principally in Germany, and is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. A longtime resident of East Islip, he was born on October 12, 1947, and was graduated from Seton Hall High School in 1964, in 1968 from St. Bonaventure University, and in 1974 from C.W. Post College. He is currently employed as an administrator in Suffolk County.

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WILLIAM C. BARTO



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FEDELE T. BAUCCIO



LEROY E. BATORSKY

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## JEFFREY H. BAUER, Specialist 4th Class

A 1970 graduate of Brentwood High School, Mr. Bauer resided in Bay Shore before making his home in Islip Terrace. He served from January of 1971 until January of 1973 with the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. He was born on August 20, 1951, and graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1981, and is employed as an engineering associate. (Photograph unavailable.)

## KENNETH T. BAUERNFEIND, Airman

Born on May 15, 1948, and formerly of Great River, Mr. Bauernfeind settled in Mastic Beach, N.Y., where he presently resides. He was graduated from East Islip High School and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from June of 1967 until June of 1971 with the 1st Mobile Construction Group of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Da Nang Air Force Base, Vietnam. He is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Presidential Unit Citation. After the service he became employed as a manager for A & P Tea Company.

## JOSEPH L. BAUMANN, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Baumann served from January of 1968 until August of 1970 with the 596th Signal Company, 1st Signal Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in Phu Bai, Vietnam, and in Germany, and is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. Born on November 14, 1947, and originally from West Babylon, New York, he was graduated in 1965 from West Babylon High School, and attended Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute. He currently resides in Holbrook, and is employed as a senior EDP Communications Specialist.

## ROBERT C. BAUMBACH, Master Chief Petty Officer

A Bayport resident at the time he served, Mr. Baumbach has since made his home in Sayville. Born on April 1, 1936, he was graduated from Seton Hall High School, Patchogue, in 1953, and is employed as a quality assurance engineer. He served from February of 1954 until July of 1972, and is also a Korean veteran. He served aboard the U.S.S. Mount Olympus, AGC-81, aboard the U.S.S. Long Beach, CGN-9, aboard the U.S.S. Bigelow, DD-942, aboard the U.S.S. Farragut, DLG-6, aboard the U.S.S. Surfbird, ADG-383, and aboard the U.S.S. Washtenaw County, LST-1166, for a short time during his Korean tour of duty with this brother, Frederick. He received the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal.

## LEONARD BAYLIS, Quartermaster 2nd Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Baylis was graduated from Seward Park High School in 1956, and attended New York Institute of Technology for two years. He resides in Sayville and is a New York City Correction Officer. Born on November 1, 1940, he served from November of 1957 until August of 1966 aboard the U.S.S. Boston, U.S.S. Little Rock, U.S.S. Arneb, and aboard the U.S.S. Okinawa of the United States Navy, was stationed in the Caribbean and Mediterranean Seas, and earned the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

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KENNETH T. BAUERNFEIND



JOSEPH L. BAUMANN, JR.



ROBERT C. BAUMBACH

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## VICTOR E. BEAN, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Bean was born on February 10, 1951, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1969. He served from January of 1971 until October of 1972 with H Company, 2nd Infantry Battalion, 8th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army, was stationed primarily at Fort Hood, Texas, and in Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal. He is employed as a computer operator.

## EDGAR BEAUMONT, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Baldwin, New York, and currently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Beaumont was born on June 1, 1944, and was graduated from Baldwin High School in 1962. He served from May of 1966 until May of 1968 with the 2nd Airlift Platoon, 189th Assault Helicopter Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Pleiku and the Central Highlands of Vietnam, and is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal and the Air Medal. After the service he became employed as a florist and is now employed as a truck driver.

## CHARLES BECK, JR., Heavy Equipment Operator 3rd Class

Born on February 16, 1949, formerly of Ronkonkoma, Mr. Beck settled in Bayport where he now resides. He served from February of 1968 until December of 1969 with the Pacific Fleet of the United States Navy Seabees, was stationed in California, in Hue City and Da Nang, Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He was graduated from Sachem High School in 1967, attended Suffolk County Community College, and is employed as a heavy equipment operator.

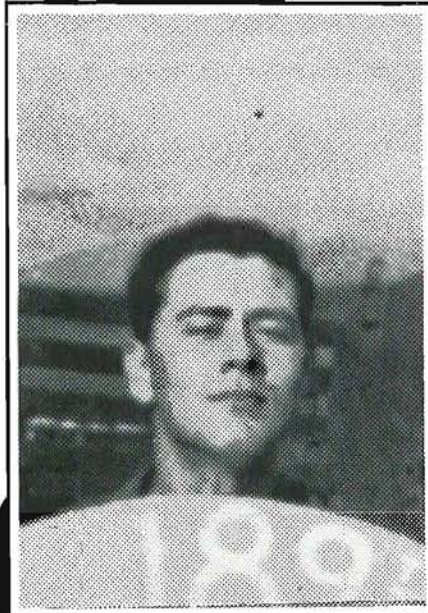
## ALAN M. BEDOR, Corporal

Corporal Bedor served from May of 1966 until February of 1970 with the Headquarters Regiment, 12th Artillery, 3rd Marine Division, 2nd Medical Battalion, 2nd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and earned the Combat Action Badge, a Purple Heart, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. Born on April 29, 1948, and originally from Central Islip, he made his home in Coram where he now resides. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD P. BEETSTRA, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Deer Park, New York, and currently residing in Holbrook, Mr. Beetstra was born on March 10, 1948, and was graduated from Deer Park High School in 1966. He served from February of 1968 until February of 1971 with the 45th Transportation Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and received the National Defense Service Medal and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. He is employed with Heliare Welding.

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EDGAR BEAUMONT



VICTOR E. BEAN



RICHARD P. BEETSTRA



CHARLES BECK, JR.

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## JOHN P. BEGLEY, Airman 1st Class

Airman 1/c Begley served from July of 1974 until May of 1978 with the 803rd Squadron, 18th Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Arizona, Korea, Japan, and Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, and the Rifle Marksman Badge. Born on July 21, 1956, he resided in Central Islip where he was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1974, and has since settled in Bay Shore. He was graduated in 1980 from Suffolk County Community College, and is employed as a physical therapist.

## THOMAS O. BEGLEY, Technical Sergeant

A veteran of Korea as well as Vietnam, and formerly of Memphis, Tennessee, Mr. Begley was born on December 31, 1930, and resides in Bay Shore. He served in the United States Air Force from December of 1950 until September of 1972, and was stationed in the Far East, Southeast Asia, North Africa, Europe, and Alaska. He is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal.

## JOHN L. BELFORD, JR., Ensign/Lieutenant

Formerly of Bay Shore, and currently residing in Brightwaters, Mr. Belford was born on August 15, 1941, was graduated from Chaminade High School, Mineola, New York, from Holy Cross College, Massachusetts, and from Columbia University, School of Law. He served from June of 1963 until June of 1965 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Davis, DD-937, and was stationed at Newport, Rhode Island. He currently practices law.

## FRANK K. BELLING, Senior Chief Petty Officer

A Korean veteran as well as a Vietnam veteran, Mr. Belling was born on December 3, 1925, and was graduated from St. Mary's High School in 1943. During his Korean tour of duty he served with the U.S. Naval Amphibious Construction Battalion #2 of the United States Navy. During his Vietnam tour, he served with the U.S. Naval Recruiting Service in New York City, and in Bay Shore, and with the U.S. Naval Construction Battalion Center, Davisville, Rhode Island. His years of service span from May of 1946 until May of 1967, and he is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Antarctic Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. Prior to the service he was a U.S. Merchant Marine, and after his tours of duty, he became employed as a letter carrier for the United States Postal Service.

## PAUL BENDER, Specialist 5th Class

Born on February 23, 1944, and formerly of Livingston, New Jersey, he settled in Bohemia and is a psychologist. He served from August of 1966 until August of 1968 with the 11th Infantry Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in I Corps Region, Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal. He attended Norwood High School in Massachusetts, and Springfield College. (Photograph unavailable.)

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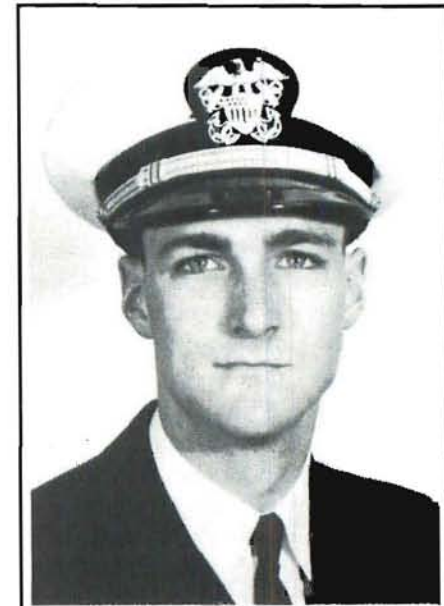
JOHN P. BEGLEY



THOMAS O. BEGLEY



FRANK K. BELLING



JOHN L. BELFORD, JR.





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## ROGER W. BENDER, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, and born on January 24, 1947, Mr. Bender settled in Islip and is employed as an air traffic controller. He was graduated from Christopher Columbus High School, Bronx, and received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Berkley-Clarmont. He served from March of 1966 until December of 1969 aboard the U.S.S. Iwo Jima of the United States Navy, was stationed in the South China Sea, and is merited with the Vietnam Campaign Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES F. BERG, Captain

Formerly of Westbury, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Berg was born on November 6, 1944, and was graduated in 1961 from Eastern Military Academy, Huntington, New York. In 1965 he was graduated from Fordham University, and in 1968 from St. John's University, School of Law. He served from July of 1968 until July of 1970 with the 58th Medical Battalion in Vietnam, and with the 36th Medical Battalion in Texas. He received the Bronze Star Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal, and is an attorney.

## THOMAS G. BERGER, Specialist 5th Class

Born on April 24, 1947, and originally from Springfield Gardens, New York, Mr. Berger was graduated from Thomas A. Edison High School in 1964, and from Queensborough Community College in 1973. He served from June of 1966 until June of 1968 with C Company, 227th Aviation Battalion, 1st Air Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed at Ft. Eustis, Ft. Stewart, and in Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Air Medal with "V" Device, the Action Combat Badge, and the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. He resides in East Islip and is employed as a bus mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

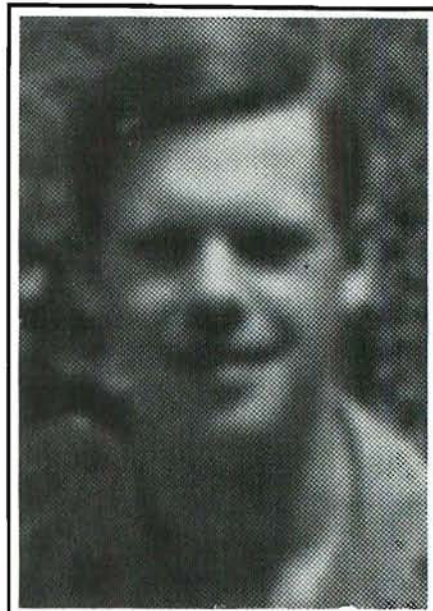
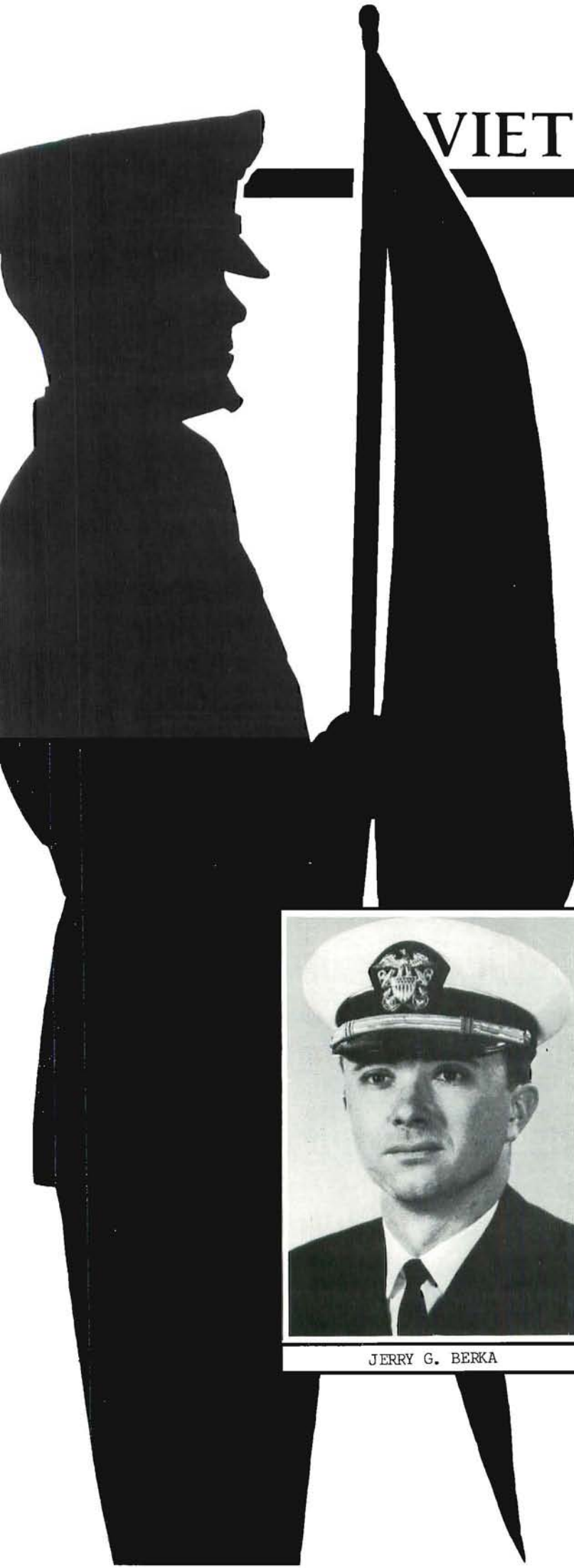
## JERRY G. BERKA, Lieutenant

Lieutenant Berka served from October of 1966 until August of 1969 with the Judge Advocate General Corps of the United States Navy, was stationed at Newport, Rhode Island, and in the 3rd Naval District, New York. Born on May 7, 1942, he resided in Bay Shore before making his home in Brightwaters. He was graduated as the Valedictorian of the class of 1959 of Bay Shore High School, and graduated Cum Laude in 1963 from Wesleyan University, Connecticut. In 1966 he was graduated from Cornell University, School of Law, and is currently a member of Cornell Law Review. While in the service he was a graduate of the U.S. Naval Justice School and served as a certified trial and defense counsel in all courts martial, and as a certified military judge. He is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, and has a law practice in Bay Shore.

## WILLIAM J. BERKA, Machinist Mate 3rd Class

A 1962 graduate of Bay Shore High School, Mr. Berka resided in Bay Shore before making his home in Massachusetts where he has served as a Chief Petty Officer with the U.S. Coast Guard since 1971. He served from December of 1963 until December of 1967 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Elokomin, AO-55, a fleet oiler of the United States Navy, was stationed at Norfolk, Virginia, and had cruises in the North Atlantic Ocean, and in the Mediterranean and Caribbean Seas as well. He received the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal.

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JAMES F. BERG



JERRY G. BERKA



WILLIAM J. BERKA

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## LOWELL H. BERKOWITZ, Petty Officer 3rd Class

A resident of West Babylon where he was graduated from Babylon High School in 1964, Mr. Berkowitz settled in Bay Shore. He served from September of 1964 until August of 1968 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Okinawa, LPH-3, a helicopter carrier of the United States Navy, and was stationed in San Diego, California, and off the coast of Vietnam. He was born on May 6, 1946, and became employed as an IBM operator after the service. Currently, he works for the Long Island Rail Road.

## LOUIS M. BERNARD, Airman 2nd Class

Airman 2/c Bernard served from May of 1961 until May of 1965 with the 42nd Fighter Wing, Strategic Air Command of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Sawyer Air Force Base, Michigan, and is merited with two Presidential Unit Citations, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon. Born on June 10, 1942, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from Eli Whitney High School in 1959. He currently resides in Brentwood and is employed with United Parcel Service.

## KENNETH BEYER, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from North Bellmore, New York, and presently residing in Ronkonkoma, Mr. Beyer was born on July 19, 1945, and was graduated from Calhoun High School, Merrick, New York, in 1963. He served from November of 1965 until August of 1967 with the 40th Signal Battalion and with the 36th Signal Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Qui Nhon, CuiChi, and Tay Nin, Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Vietnam Commendation Medal. After the service he became employed as a machinist and is now a systems analyst.

## RAYMOND S. BIANCO, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Franklin Square, New York, and now residing in Ronkonkoma, Mr. Bianco was born on September 23, 1945, was graduated in 1963 from Sewanhaka High School, Floral Park, New York, and attended Pratt Institute of Technology, Brooklyn, New York. He served from July of 1966 until July of 1968 with the 48th Transportation Group of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Long Binh, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Vietnam Campaign Medal. He became employed as a warehouse and sample manager after the service.

## PETER G. BIZZOCO, Specialist 5th Class

Born on October 8, 1945, and originally from Queens, New York, Mr. Bizzoco made his home in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as an EDP Operations Supervisor. He was graduated from Jamaica High School in 1964, and from Empire State College in 1981. He served from May of 1966 until May of 1968 with B Battery, 2/4 Artillery, 9th Division of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in South Vietnam, and earned the Sharpshooter Award, the Vietnam Campaign Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star.

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LOUIS M. BERNARD



LOWELL H. BERKOWITZ



KENNETH BEYER



RAYMOND S. BIANCO



PETER G. BIZZOCO

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## PERRY BLACKBURN, Specialist 4th Class

A 1965 graduate of Central Islip High School, Mr. Blackburn resided in Central Islip before making his home in East Islip. He served from December of 1965 until October of 1967 with A Company of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Pleiku, Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge and a Purple Heart. He has been employed as a bayman since his separation from the service.

## PHILIP R. BLOCK, Sergeant

Sergeant Block served from September of 1963 until August of 1968 with the 377th Combat Defense Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Tan Nhut Son Air Force Base, and Bien Hoa Air Force Base, Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Rifle Marksmanship Ribbon, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal with three oak leaf clusters. Born on October 10, 1944, and originally from the Bronx, New York, he settled in Brentwood where he now resides. He was graduated from Roosevelt High School, Bronx, in 1961, and has been employed with New York Telephone Company since his discharge from the service.

## STEVEN D. BLOXSOM, Petty Officer 1st Class

Originally from Central Islip where he was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1965, Mr. Bloxsom has since made his home in Virginia. Born on December 12, 1947, he has been employed in the shipyard business since the service. He served from September of 1966 until June of 1980 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Bushnell, and the U.S.S. Alamo, was stationed in the Western Pacific Ocean, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

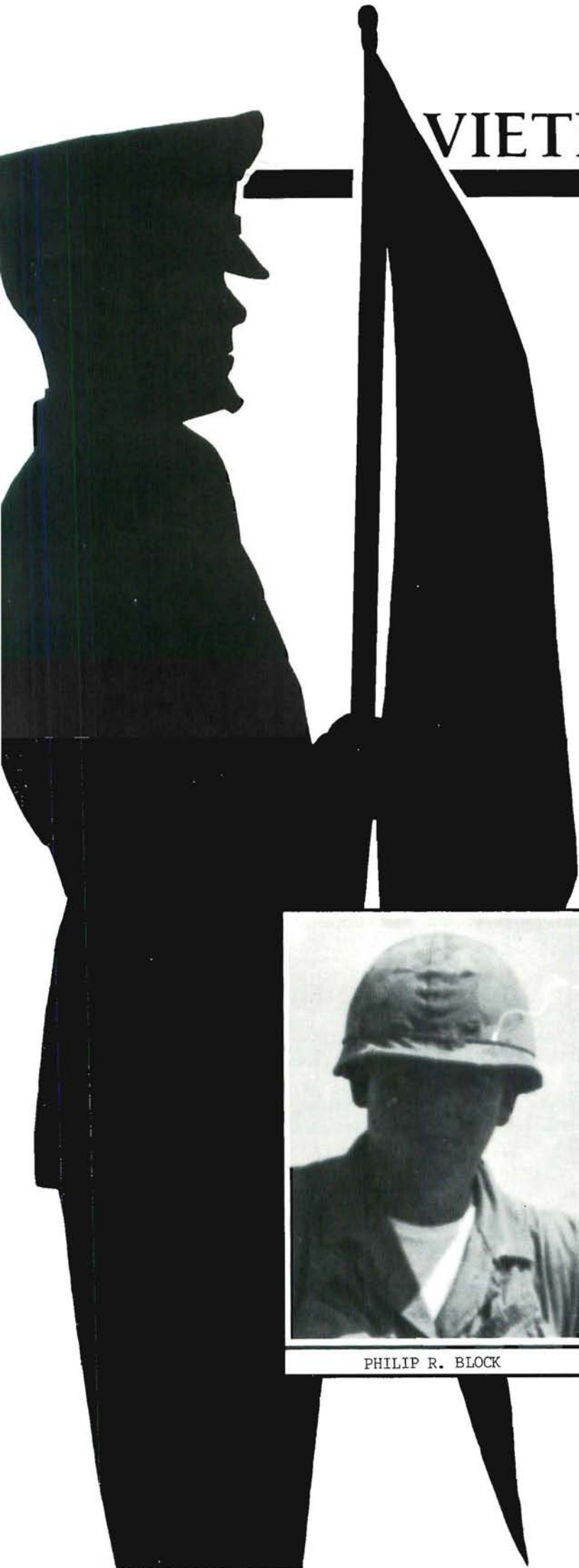
## JOHN A. BLYDENBURG III, Petty Officer 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Blydenburg was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1969 and is currently employed as a diesel mechanic. He served from April of 1970 until April of 1974 aboard the U.S.S. Owesco, a weather ship, with the Weather Patrol, Search and Rescue of the United States Coast Guard, was stationed principally in the North Atlantic Ocean, and off Long Island Sound, and received the Good Conduct Medal.

## FRANK BOELKE, Seaman

Seaman Boelke served from December of 1966 until December of 1968 aboard the U.S.S. Page County, and on the U.S.S. Washoe County of the United States Navy, and was stationed in the South China Sea and in Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation Ribbon, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resided in Bayside, New York, where he was graduated from Bayside High School in 1965. Currently, he is employed as a plumber and resides in Sayville. (Photograph unavailable.)

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PERRY BLACKBURN



PHILIP R. BLOCK



JOHN A. BLYDENBURG III

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## WINFIELD A. BOERCKEL, Lieutenant Junior Grade

Lieutenant Junior Grade Boerckel served from February of 1966 until June of 1969 with the United States Coast Guard Conifer at Portsmouth, Virginia, and with the 3rd Coast Guard District Office, Governor's Island, New York. Originally from Baldwin, New York, and presently residing in West Islip, he was graduated from Baldwin High School in 1960, from St. John's University in 1964, and from Michigan State University, Graduate School of Business in 1965. He was born on February 11, 1943, and is employed as a railroad manager.

## MARTIN W. BOLLER, JR., Seaman

Originally from New York City, where he was graduated from George Washington Vocational High School in 1967, Mr. Boller was born on July 27, 1949, and resides in Brentwood. He served from September of 1967 until October of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Goldsborough, DDG-20, and was stationed in the Far East. After the service he was employed as a gas station attendant, and is now employed as a supervisor for a maintenance company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CHARLES J. BOLTE, Sergeant

Sergeant Bolte served from September of 1966 until September of 1968 with C Company, 1st Battalion, 28th Infantry, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army and was stationed in Quan Loi, and Phouc Vihn, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge. Originally from Holbrook, New York, he was born on March 19, 1946, and was graduated from Sachem High School in 1966. Currently, he is employed as an auto technician and resides in Accord, New York.

## GARY BONGERS, Specialist 5th Class

Born on June 8, 1945, and formerly of Valley Stream, New York, Mr. Bongers made his home in Brentwood and is employed as a police officer. In 1984 he received his Bachelor of Science degree from New York Technical Institute. He served from November of 1965 until November of 1968 with the 86th Engineers Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and in Phu Loi and Ben Cat, Vietnam, and received the Armed Forces Commendation Medal.

## FRANKLIN C. BONNICI, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist Bonnici served from February of 1966 until November of 1967 with the 60th Infantry, 9th Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in the Delta Region, Southern Saigon, Vietnam, and earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal. Born on October 14, 1945, he resided in the Bronx, New York, and attended Evander Childs High School. Currently, he resides in Holbrook and is employed as a printer.

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WINFIELD A. BOERCKEL



CHARLES J. BOLTE



FRANKLIN C. BONNICI



GARY BONGERS



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## LAWRENCE BOOTHE, Sergeant

Sergeant Boothe served from June of 1965 until June of 1968 with the 3rd Battalion, 4th Marine Regiment of the 3rd Marine Division, FMF Pacific, of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and received a Purple Heart, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam and the National Defense Service Medals, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Formerly of Wantagh, New York, he was born on February 21, 1945, and was graduated from Spaulding High School, Vermont, in 1963. He resides in Sayville and is an insurance agent with a New York City brokerage firm.

## KENNETH A. BORGS, Sergeant

Born on June 11, 1946, and a 1964 graduate of West Babylon High School, Mr. Borgs is formerly of West Babylon, and currently resides in Bay Shore. He served with the Crash Rescue Squadron of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed principally in Chu Lai and An Wa, Vietnam, from June of 1964 until June of 1968, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal.

## DENNIS BORLAND, (Rank Unknown)

Mr. Borland served from January of 1963 until October of 1964 with the United States Air Force and was stationed in Vietnam. He was born on November 22, 1944, and resided in Brentwood. He passed away on July 12, 1982 at Veterans Hospital, Northport. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM R. BORTHWICK, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Borthwick was born on November 8, 1951, was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1969, and received an Associate's degree in Business Administration in 1981 from Suffolk County Community College. He served from April of 1971 until April of 1974 with C Company, 504th Military Police Battalion, with the 560th Military Police Company, 3rd Platoon, and with the 615th Military Police Company of the United States Army. He was stationed primarily in Da Nang, Vietnam, and received the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. After the service he became employed as a cook at the Central Islip Psychiatric Center, and is currently a police officer.

## CHARLES BOSCH, Sergeant

A 1964 graduate of Connetquot High School, and a longtime resident of Bohemia, Mr. Bosch was born on August 12, 1946, and is currently employed as a contracts administrator. He served from October of 1966 until October of 1967 with the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment of the United States Army and was stationed in Xuan Loc, Vietnam.

## WALTER BOYCE, JR., Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Bellmore, New York, Mr. Boyce was born on June 4, 1947, was graduated from W.C. Mepham High School in 1965, and received his Associate's degree in Computer Science from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1973. He served from August of 1966 until August of 1968 with the 220th Reconnaissance Aircraft Company in Vietnam, and with the U.S. Continental Army Command Headquarters at Fort Monroe, Virginia. He received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Air Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Islip and is employed as a computer systems analyst. (Photograph unavailable.)

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LAWRENCE BOOTHE



KENNETH A. BORGS



CHARLES BOSCH



WILLIAM R. BORTHWICK

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## CRAIG BOYER, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Boyer was born on April 25, 1950, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1968, from SUNY at Brockport in 1974, and in 1979 from SUNY at Stony Brook. He served from April of 1969 until January of 1971 with C Company, Army Medical Center of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly at Camp Kue, Vietnam. He is currently employed as a teacher.

## RICHARD A. BRACH, Radioman/Petty Officer 3rd Class

Originally from Seaford, New York, Mr. Brach was born on June 30, 1942, was graduated from W.C. Mepham High School in 1961, and resides in Bayport. He served from September of 1962 until July of 1966 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Alamo, and was stationed in Japan as well as in Vietnam. He is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal and a Purple Heart. After the service he was employed as an installer for New York Telephone Company, and is now a special records clerk with New York Telephone.

## RICHARD W. BRADY, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Brady served with the 610th Transportation Company of the United States Army, was stationed at Red Beach, Da Nang, and Han Au, Vietnam, and in West Germany from November of 1968 until November of 1971, and is merited with the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Expert Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. Originally from Bay Shore where he was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1968, he was born on July 29, 1950, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He resides in Central Islip, and is employed by the Public Safety Division of the Town of Islip.

## JOHN BRAGG, Aviation Machinist Mate 3rd Class

Born on September 18, 1954, he resided in Wayne, Pennsylvania, and is a 1973 graduate of Radnor High School. He served from August of 1974 until August of 1980 with the Naval Air Station, Attack Squadron of the United States Navy, was stationed principally in Lemoore, California, and received the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed by Federal Express. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD H. BRANDT, Captain

Captain Brandt served from December of 1962 until January of 1970 with the 6th Tactical Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed mainly at Hickam Air Force Base, Hawaii, and at Charleston Air Force Base, South Carolina. He is merited with the Air Medal, the Combat Readiness Medal, the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with two Oak Leaf Clusters, the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Expert Marksmanship Ribbon, and the Republic of Vietnam Commendation Medal. Born on June 3, 1940, and originally from Speonk, New York, he was graduated from Seton Hall High School in 1958, and from Providence College in 1962. Currently, he is employed as a pilot for American Airlines.

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CRAIG BOYER



RICHARD A. BRACH



RICHARD H. BRANDT



RICHARD W. BRADY

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## BRYAN BRAUER, Boatswain Mate/Seaman

Formerly of Northport, New York, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Brauer was born on May 5, 1947, and was graduated from Liberty High School, Liberty, New York, in 1964. He served from January of 1965 until March of 1968 with the Continental Pacific 3rd Fleet of the United States Navy, and was stationed mainly in Da Nang, Vietnam. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. After the service he was employed as a baker, and is now a tractor-trailer driver.

## JAY R. BREIT, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Breit served from November of 1965 until November of 1967 with the 335th Assault Helicopter Squadron, 145th Combat Aviation Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Bien Hoa, Pleiku, Dak To, and Tuy Hoa, Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on October 16, 1945, he resided in Huntington Station, New York, before making his home in West Islip. He was graduated from Walt Whitman High School in 1962, and is currently employed as a Postal clerk for the Islip Post Office.

## JAMES D. BRENNAN, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Brennan was born on May 9, 1946, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964. He served with the 35th Artillery of the United States Army from November of 1965 until 1967, and was stationed principally in Munich, Germany. He earned the Rifle Expert Badge while in the service, and is now employed by the Long Island Rail Road.

## BLYNN B. BRETON, Sergeant

Sergeant Breton served from November of 1968 until May of 1970 with the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed chiefly in Chu Lai, Vietnam. Originally from West Islip where he was graduated from West Islip High School in 1968, he was born on March 8, 1950, and attended Curry College, Milton, Massachusetts. Currently, he resides in Vallejo, California, and is employed in security.

## THOMAS E. BRITTON, Senior Master Sergeant

Born on March 28, 1943, and originally from Oneida, New York, Mr. Britton was graduated from Oneida High School in 1961, and from Community College of the Air Force in 1981. He served from August of 1961 until May of 1983 with the Air Defense Command, Tactical Air Command, the United States Air Force Security Service at the Air Force Operational Test and Evaluation Center of the United States Air Force. He was stationed in Idaho, New York, New Mexico, as well as in Labrador, Thailand and Japan. He received two Meritorious Service Medals, two Armed Forces Commendation Medals, two Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the American Defense Service Medal, seven Good Conduct Medals, three Outstanding Unit Citations, and the Expert Marksman Ribbon. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as a logistics engineer.

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BRYAN BRAUER



JAY R. BREIT



THOMAS E. BRITTON



JAMES D. BRENNAN



BLYNN B. BRETON

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## DOUGLAS L. BROADHURST, Sergeant

Sergeant Broadhurst served from August of 1968 until August of 1972 with the 2875th Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed principally at Tachikawa Air Force Base, Japan, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Born on July 15, 1949, he resided in Massapequa Park, New York, before making his home in Bohemia where he now resides. He was graduated from Alfred G. Berner High School in 1967, and attended Nassau County Community College from June of 1967 until August of 1968.

## STANLEY H. BROBSTON, Lieutenant

Lieutenant Brobston served with the 112th Attack Squadron aboard the U.S.S. Kittyhawk, of the United States Navy, from 1959 until 1965, was stationed primarily in the West Pac Region of the Far East, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal. Born on April 28, 1937, and originally from Baxley, Georgia, he was graduated from Appling County High School in 1954, and in 1958 from Georgia Southern College. In 1977 he was graduated from New York University. He resides in Brentwood and is employed as a teacher.

## JOHN P. BROCK, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Oakdale, Mr. Brock was born on August 8, 1951, and was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1970. He served from January of 1971 until March of 1972 with A Company, 4th Battalion, 60th Artillery, MAC V, of the United States Army, and was stationed in Pleiku, Vietnam. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He is employed as a Heavy Equipment Operator for the Town of Islip.

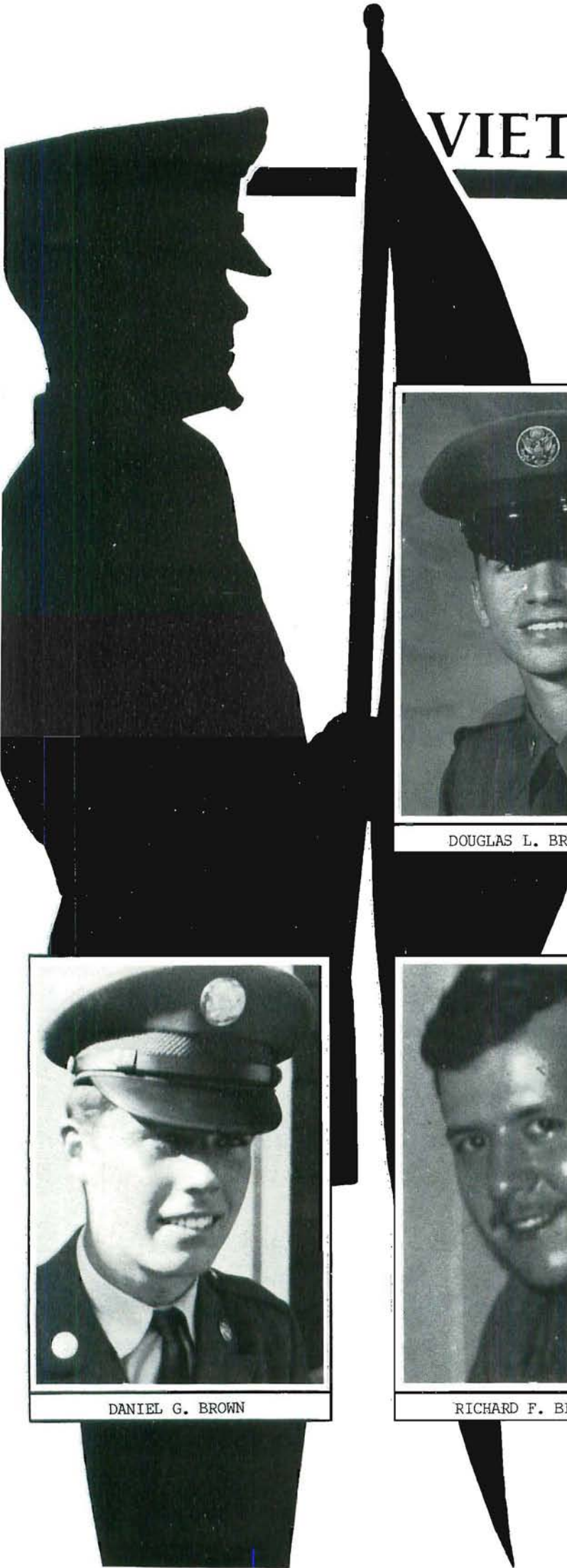
## RICHARD F. BRODOWSKI, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and currently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Brodowski was born on April 1, 1949, and was graduated from Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School in 1966. He served from March of 1969 until February of 1971 with the H & H Company, 1st Signal Brigade of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Vietnam. He received the Bronze Star Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He has been employed as a tractor trailer driver for King Kullen Supermarkets.

## DANIEL G. BROWN, Specialist 5th Class

Born on May 23, 1949, and originally from Bayport, Mr. Brown was graduated from James Wilson Young High School, Bayport, in 1967, and in 1976 from Northport School of Radiologic Technology, VA Hospital, Northport. He served from September of 1968 until September of 1971 with Headquarters, I Corps, G3, while in Korea, and with the United States Army Casualty Division while in Vietnam. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Expert Rifle Badge. While serving in Korea, he helped sponsor and maintain an orphanage in a local village with the support of his family. He resides in Patchogue, and is employed as an X-ray technician.

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DOUGLAS L. BROADHURST



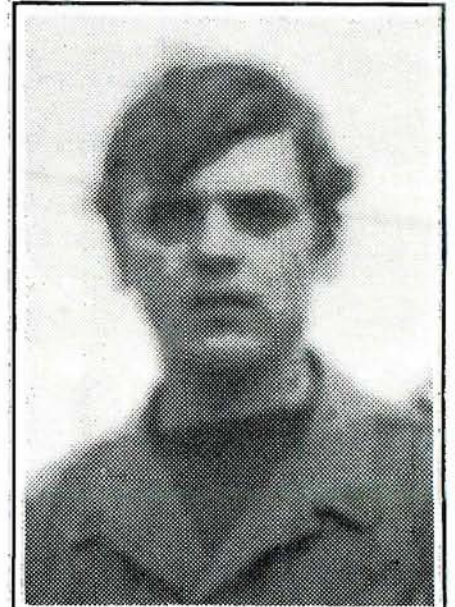
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## DENNIS M. BROWN, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Bayport, New York, where he was graduated from James Wilson Young High School in 1969, Mr. Brown was born on March 28, 1951, and resides in Shirley, New York. He served from January of 1971 until January of 1973 with the 521st Military Police Company of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Belvoir, Virginia. He has been employed as a carpenter since his discharge from the service.

## EDWARD M. BROWN, Lieutenant Colonel

Lieutenant Colonel Brown served from April of 1955 until August of 1976 with the United States Army, primarily in Qui Nhon, Da Nang, and Saigon, Vietnam, and is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Meritorious Service Medal. Born on July 19, 1932, and originally from Northfield, Vermont, he was graduated from John Fitch High School in 1950, and in 1954 from Norwich University. He resides in Sayville and is Senior Army Instructor at LaSalle Military Academy.

## GEORGE E. BROWN, Specialist 4th Class

Born on August 14, 1947, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from W.E. Grady Vocational High School in 1965, he settled in Bohemia and is a mechanic for New York Telephone Company. He served with A Company, 720th Military Police Battalion of the United States Army from June of 1967 until June of 1969, and was stationed in Long Binh, Vietnam. (Photograph unavailable.)

## SAMUEL W. BROWN, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Brown served from January of 1959 until October of 1967 with the 8th A & E Maintenance Squadron, (PACAF), of the United States Air Force, and was stationed chiefly in Ubon Air Force Base, Thailand. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Outstanding Unit Award, and the Air Force Longevity Service Award. Born on September 3, 1939, he resided in South Carolina before making his home in Brentwood where he now resides. He was graduated from Burke High School in 1958, from Suffolk County Community College in 1982, and from New York City College in 1986. He is a stock/bond research supervisor.

## PETER J. BROWNE, Communication Technician 2nd Class

Formerly of New Hyde Park, New York, and presently residing in Sayville, Mr. Browne was born on June 9, 1946. He was graduated from Floral Park Memorial High School in 1964, and from Queens County Community College in 1972, and is employed as a commercial insurance agent. He served from June of 1967 until June of 1970 with the United States Navy at the United States Naval Facility in Da Nang, Vietnam, and was also stationed in Florida and Montana. He received the Presidential Unit Citation, the National Defense Service Medal, the Combat Action Ribbon, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, a Purple Heart, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal as well.

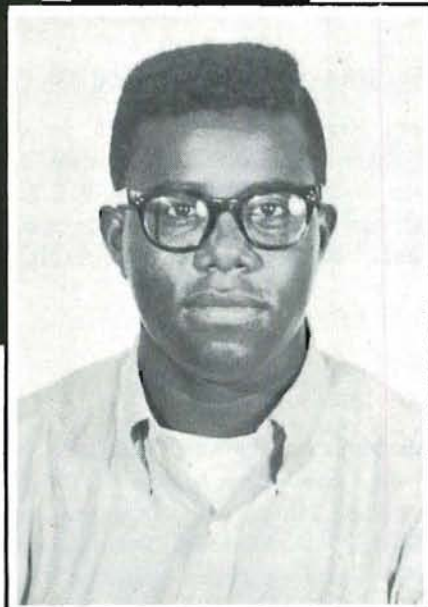
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## TIMOTHY BROSNAN, Sergeant

Sergeant Brosnan served from February of 1964 until February of 1968 with the United States Marine Corps aboard the U.S.S. Iwo Jima, and was stationed in the Phu Bai, and Dong Ha areas of Vietnam. He received the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Presidential Unit Citation, and the Rifle Marksman Badge. Born on January 26, 1946, he resided in Williston Park, New York, before making his home in Holbrook where he presently resides. He was graduated from Herricks High School in 1963, and from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1978. He is employed as a Local #25 electrician.

## THOMAS E. BRUCKWER, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Bruckwer was born on June 12, 1944, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1962. He served from July of 1965 until June of 1967 with B Battery, 2nd Battalion, 73rd Artillery, 3rd Armored Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Germany, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal and the Rifle Expert Badge. He is employed as a driver for United Parcel Service.

## ALAN W. BUCKHOLZ, Specialist 4th Class

Born on February 2, 1947, and originally from Hicksville, New York, Mr. Buckholz was graduated from Hicksville High School in 1965, from Nassau County Community College in 1977, and is attending New York Institute of Technology. He served from July of 1966 until May of 1968 with the 7th Battalion, 15th Artillery, Headquarters Battery of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly at Phu Cat Air Force Base, Vietnam, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. He is employed as a draftsman.

## ROBERT BUCKLES, Boiler Technician 3rd Class

Originally from Astoria, New York, Mr. Buckles was born on June 24, 1945, and was graduated from William Cullen High School in 1963. He served from June of 1967 until April of 1969 with the 14th Destroyer Squadron, aboard the U.S.S. Power, DD-839, of the United States Navy, was stationed in the North and South Vietnam coastal waters, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal. He resides in West Islip and is employed in the motion picture industry.

## JAMES P. BUCKMAN, Private 1st Class

A 1967 graduate of Sayville High School, Mr. Buckman was born on October 12, 1947, and is a longtime resident of Sayville. He served from August of 1967 until September of 1968 with the 52nd Light Infantry of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Vietnam, and received the Combat Infantry Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He is presently attending St. Joseph's College.

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ROBERT BUCKLES



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## CARL BUDREWICZ, Sergeant

Sergeant Budrewicz served from July of 1968 until June of 1970 with C Troop, 3rd Squadron, 17th Air Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed in Zian, Vietnam, and is merited with the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Air Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. Born on August 14, 1948, and originally from Queens, New York, he was graduated from East New York Vocational and Technical High School in 1967. He resides in Ronkonkoma and is employed as a manager.

## SALVATORE BUONOMO, Seaman/Gunners Mate

Originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Buonomo was born on September 21, 1948, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1967. He served from May of 1969 until February of 1973 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Newport News, CA-148, and was stationed in Vietnam and South America. He received the Combat Action Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He was graduated from Suffolk County Community College in 1983, resides in West Islip, and is employed at the Connetquot River State Park. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DENNIS BURDGE, Radarman 3rd Class

Born on April 30, 1947, and formerly of Minehill, New Jersey, Mr. Burdge was graduated from Dover High School in 1965, and now resides in Bay Shore. He served from July of 1965 until July of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Ticonderoga, CVA-14, and was stationed in the Tonkin Gulf, Saigon, and the South China Sea. He is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He is employed as a construction worker.

## EDWARD R. BURGER, Boilertender 2nd Class

Formerly of Queens, New York, and presently residing in Ronkonkoma, Mr. Burger was born on September 18, 1943, and was graduated from Andrew Jackson Vocational High School in 1961. He served from July of 1961 until April of 1971 with the United States Navy, and was stationed in the Tonkin Gulf, and Da Nang, Vietnam. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. He is employed as an electrician.

## BRENDAN T. BURKE, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Burke served from July of 1968 until July of 1971 with B Company, 7th Motor Transportation Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Quang Tri, and Da Nang, Vietnam. He received various service awards including the Combat Action Ribbon. Born on November 25, 1946, and originally from Staten Island, New York, he resides in Bayport and is a director of personnel. He was graduated in 1964 from St. Peters Boys High School, and from Marist College, Poughkeepsie, New York, in 1968.

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CARL BUDREWICZ



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DENNIS BURDGE



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## DAVID F. BURNS, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Burns was born on January 17, 1949, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1967. He served from June of 1968 until April of 1970 with the 82nd Airborne Division, 12th Cavalry, 1st Air Cavalry Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly at I Corps, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He is employed as a tree surgeon.

## DONALD BURTON, Sergeant

Sergeant Burton served from August of 1960 until April of 1968 with the United States Air Force with the 497th Reconnaissance Technical Squadron in Germany, and with the 3535th Navigator Training Wing in California, and received the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon and the Marksmanship Badge. Born on January 15, 1942, he resided in Alabama before making his home in Bay Shore. He was graduated from Dumbar High School, Birmingham, Alabama, in 1959, and in 1970 from the Art School of the Society of Arts and Crafts, Detroit, Michigan. He is employed as an industrial photographer.

## JOSEPH BUSCEMI, Private 1st Class

Originally from East Islip, Mr. Buscemi was born on May 23, 1946, was graduated from East Islip High School in 1964, and from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1979. He served from December of 1965 until September of 1967 with the 506th Field Department, 277th Battalion, 570th Supply Company of the United States Army. He resides in Selden and is employed as a truck driver.

## JOSEPH R. BUSCH, Damage Controlman 2nd Class

A 1968 graduate of Bay Shore High School, Mr. Busch resided in Bay Shore before making his home in Sayville where he presently resides. He served from August of 1968 until February of 1972 with the Communication Station of the United States Navy, was stationed chiefly in Rota, Spain, and received the Good Conduct Medal and the Presidential Unit Citation. He was graduated from the University of New Orleans in 1976, and is employed in engineering. (Photograph unavailable.)

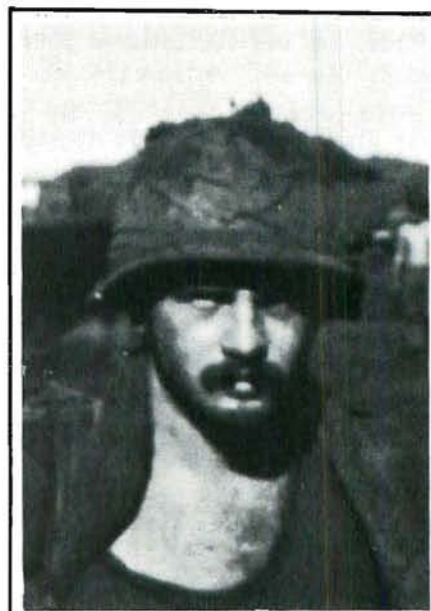
## RICHARD L. BUZEN, Captain

Captain Buzen served from September of 1966 until November of 1971 with A Company, 229th, 1st Air Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Sam, Texas, and in Vietnam, and received a Purple Heart. Born on December 16, 1944, and formerly of East Williston, New York, he resides in Holbrook and is employed in marketing/sales. He was graduated from Wheatley High School, Westbury, New York, and from Delaware College, Doylestown, Pennsylvania. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS E. BYRNE, Private 1st Class

Born on August 2, 1942, and formerly of Long Island City, Mr. Byrne resides in Islip Terrace and is a deputy sheriff. He served from November of 1963 until November of 1966 with the Europe Headquarters Command of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in German, and is merited with the Expert Rifle Badge and the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

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DAVID F. BURNS



DONALD BURTON



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## GEORGE T. BYRNES, Airman 1st Class

Originally from East Islip where he was graduated from East Islip High School in 1962, Mr. Byrnes was born on April 13, 1943, and resides in Patchogue. He served from October of 1962 until October of 1966 with the 552nd Wing, 963rd Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at McCalan Air Force Base, California, and Ton Nhut Son Air Force Base, Vietnam. He received the Air Medal, the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He is currently employed as a beer salesman for Clare Rose, Inc. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN CABRERA, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Cabrera was born on April 16, 1948, and made his home in Brentwood where he now resides. He served from November of 1967 until November of 1970 with the 1st Infantry Division, Engineers, of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam and Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Sharpshooter Badge, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He attended Bronx Vocational High School, and is employed as a heavy equipment operator, in engineering.

## EARL CAHN, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Cahn served from April of 1969 until April of 1973 with the 23rd Field Maintenance Group, 552nd Detachment of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas, as well as in Thailand and Korea. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Air Medal, the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. Born on September 25, 1949, and originally from Central Islip, he attended Islip High School and Suffolk County Community College. He resides in Bellport and is employed at the Central Islip Psychiatric Center. (Photograph unavailable.)

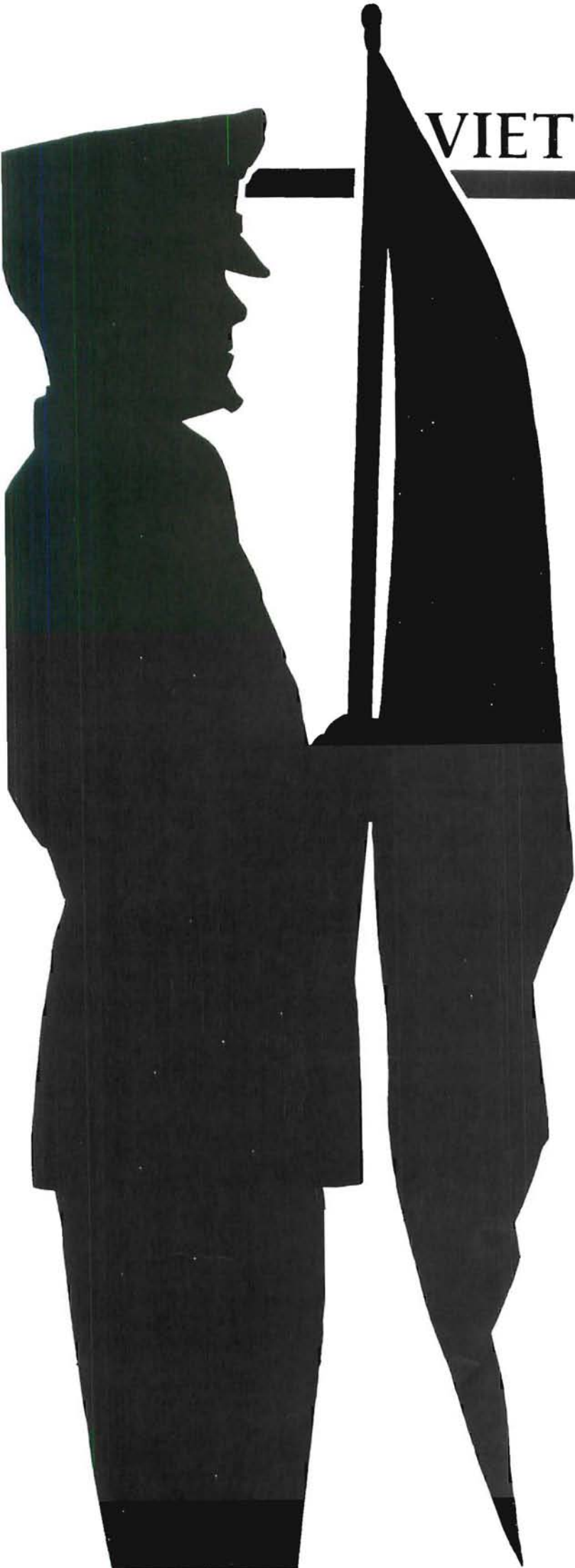
## ANTHONY M. CAMPANELLI, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Campanelli was born on May 24, 1947, and was graduated from Deer Park High School in 1965, and in 1972 from Suffolk County Community College. He served from July of 1967 until July of 1973 with the 3rd Brigade, 1st Infantry Division, B Company, 1st Battalion, 28th Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed in Lai Khe, Loc Ninh, and Phuac Vinh, Vietnam. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He is employed as a salesman.

## MICHAEL N. CAMPANELLI, Staff Sergeant

Born on January 31, 1946, and originally from East Meadow, New York, Mr. Campanelli settled in West Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from East Meadow High School in 1964, and from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1966, and is employed as a manager for New York Telephone Company. He served from 1966 until 1970 with the Military Airlift Command, and with the 26th Tactical Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at McGuire Air Force Base, New Jersey, and at Ramstein Air Force Base, West Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Marksman Badge, and the Presidential Unit Citation. (Photograph unavailable.)

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ANTHONY M. CAMPANELLI

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## WALTER J. CAMPBELL, JR., Seaman Recruit

A 1972 graduate of Brentwood Ross High School, Mr. Campbell was born on April 26, 1954, and resided in Brentwood until he settled in Flushing, New York, where he resided before he passed away. He served from June of 1972 until December of 1974 with the Infantry Gun Crews and the Seamanship Specialty of the United States Navy, was stationed in the Philippines, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal.

## WILLIAM J. CAMPION, Sergeant

Sergeant Campion served from March of 1968 until March of 1970 with H Company, Transportation Battalion, 1st Army of the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Expert Rifle Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Marksman Badge, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Bronze Star Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, and the Vietnam Civil Actions Badge. Born on February 23, 1948, he resided in Hicksville before making his home in Brentwood where he now resides. He is employed as a steel salesman.

## VINCENT J. CANDURRA, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Born on September 21, 1949, and originally from Brentwood, Mr. Candurra was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1967, and from Suffolk County Community College in 1979. He served from March of 1969 until March of 1973, primarily on the West Coast, with the Commander Carrier Division #3 of the United States Navy, and is merited with the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Citation. He resides in Selden and is employed with the Brentwood Water District. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CHARLES CAPOLINO, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Farmingdale, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Capolino was born on August 11, 1944, and was graduated from Farmingdale High School in 1963. He served from October of 1964 until 1966 with the Special Unit, FAIO attached to the 7th Army, Europe Field Army Inspector's Office of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Frankfurt, Germany. After the service he was employed as a mail clerk for the Department of the Army, and currently owns his own trucking company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DOMINICK CAPONE, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Inwood, New York, Mr. Capone was graduated from Lawrence High School in 1963. He served with the 173rd Aviation Battalion Brigade, 1st Battalion, 503rd Infantry of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and in Vietnam from 1965 until 1968. He is merited with the Parachutist Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, a Purple Heart, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Air Force Commendation Medal. He currently resides in East Islip.

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WALTER J. CAMPBELL, JR.



WILLIAM J. CAMPION



DOMINICK CAPONE

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## FREDERICK A. CAPPELLETTI, Petty Officer 1st Class

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Cappelletti was born on March 10, 1929. A Korean Veteran as well, he served with Destroyers, DD-823, DD-776, DD-692, DD-758, ARL-30, AR-6, AS-34, APD-54, TF-117, and RPD-54, of the United States Navy from 1947 until 1952, and then from 1959 until 1974. A 1946 graduate of Central Islip High School, he is employed as an electronics technician. He received many awards including the Navy European Occupation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Navy Commendation Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Combat Action Ribbon, and the Vietnamese Medal of Valor.

## FRANK A. CAPUTO, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from Abraham Lincoln High School in 1969, Mr. Caputo was born on May 27, 1951, and resides in Bohemia. He served from January of 1969 until November of 1971 with the 1st Infantry Division, 3rd Battalion, H Company of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Augsburg, Germany, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. He is currently a United States Postal Police Officer.

## ANTHONY CARACCIOLO, Aviation Mechanic Hydraulics 3rd Class

A 1963 graduate of Islip High School, Mr. Caracciolo was born on July 11, 1942, and is a longtime resident of Islip. He served from March of 1964 until March of 1966 with the United States Navy, was stationed in Key West, Florida, and is merited with a Unit Citation. He had been employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation since his separation from the service.

## CARL CARBONARO, Specialist 4th Class

Born on November 17, 1946, and originally from East Meadow, Mr. Carbonaro was graduated from W.T. Clarke High School in 1964, from SUNY at Oneonta in 1968, and in 1976 from C.W. Post. He served from July of 1969 until February of 1971 with the 4th Administration Company, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Pleiku, An Khe, and Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and earned the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. He currently resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a State Personnel Administrator.

## JOHN A. CARBONE, Sergeant

Sergeant Carbone served from January of 1967 until November of 1968 with the 561st General Supply Company of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Pleiku and South Vietnam, and is merited with the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on September 13, 1946, and originally from the Bronx, New York, he was graduated from James Monroe High School in 1965. He resides in Bay Shore and is employed as an accounting clerk.

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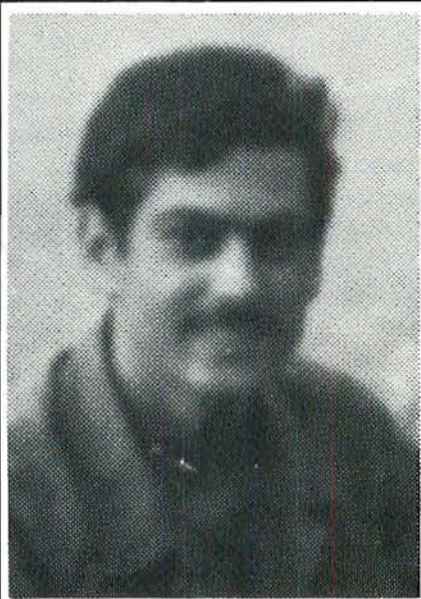
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JOHN A. CARBONE

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## ANTHONY M. CARBUTO, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Carbuto served from October of 1969 until July of 1971 with the Military Assistance Team #87, III Corps, MACV, of the United States Army, was stationed in Ben Luc District, and Long An Province, Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal. Born on January 17, 1947, he resided in Glen Cove, New York, before making his home in Brentwood where he now resides. He was graduated from Glen Cove High School in 1965, and in 1969 received his Bachelor of Business Administration degree from Hofstra University. He is employed as a director of operations.

## RONALD T. CARDENAS, Sergeant

Sergeant Cardenas served from July of 1965 until June of 1969 with the 1st Marine Aircraft Wing of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Air Crew Wings, 15 Air Medals, a Purple Heart, and the Good Conduct Medal. He was born on January 23, 1948, and resided in Brooklyn, New York, before making his home in Bay Shore where he now resides. He was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1965, and is employed as an IBM Computer Repairman.

## ROBERT F. CARDINAL, Sergeant

A 1969 graduate of Lynbrook High School, Lynbrook, New York, where he resided before settling in West Islip, Mr. Cardinal was born on June 12, 1951. He served from April of 1970 until February of 1974 with the 456th and the 56th Field Maintenance Squadrons of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Nam Kom, Phemon, Thailand, and in Beale, California, as well. He has been employed as a machinist since the service.

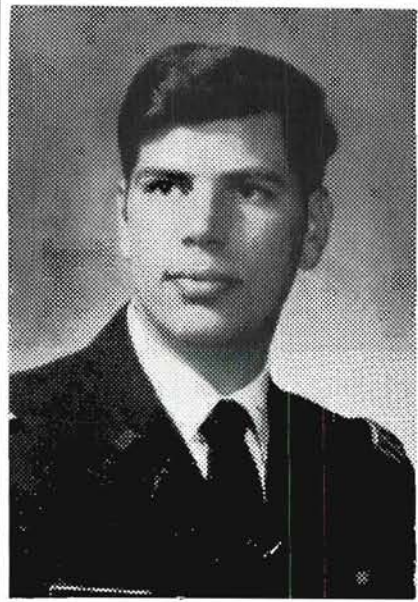
## BRUCE H. CARLSON, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Carlson served from August of 1966 until June of 1969 with the 124th Transportation Company, USARPAC, of the United States Army, was stationed in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Bronze Star Medal. Originally from Massapequa, New York, he was graduated from Pascack Valley Regional High School in 1960, and from Ricker College in 1964. He was born on July 10, 1942, and currently resides in Hauppauge. He is employed as a dispatcher for an oil company.

## JOHN E. CARLSON, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Carlson was born on April 18, 1951, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1968. He served with the 314th Squadron of the United States Air Force principally in Saigon and at Tan Nhut Son Air Force Base, Vietnam, from 1970 until 1971. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal as well. He is employed with Newin's Bay Shore Ford Dealership.

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ANTHONY M. CARBUTO



RONALD T. CARDENAS



ROBERT F. CARDINAL



BRUCE H. CARLSON



JOHN E. CARLSON



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## RICHARD D. CARLSON, Specialist 4th Class

A 1965 graduate of West Islip High School, and a longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Carlson also attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from February of 1968 until January of 1970 with H Company, American Division of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Chu Lai, Vietnam. He is employed as a Clerk for American Express.

## ROBERT D. CARMAN, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on April 3, 1955, and originally from Sayville, Mr. Carman was graduated from Sayville High School in 1973. He served from September of 1973 until August of 1977 with the Repair Division of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Richard E. Byrd, DDG-23, and received the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed as a maintenance mechanic for the Long Island Lighting Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## EDWARD CARNEY, Aviation Ordnanceman 3rd Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and presently residing in Hauppauge, Mr. Carney was born on May 17, 1946, and is a 1963 graduate of Most Holy Trinity High School, and a 1977 graduate of New York Institute of Technology. He served with the 212th Attack Squadron of the United States Navy, primarily aboard the U.S.S. Hancock. He is a Detective for the New York City Police Department. (Photograph unavailable.)

## EDWARD N. CARNEY, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Carney served from January of 1968 until January of 1971 with the 526th Military Intelligence Group of the United States Army, and served as an Intelligence Advisor to the 2nd Infantry Division of the Army of the Republic of South Vietnam. He was stationed with I Corps, Quang Ngai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. Born on April 26, 1947, and originally from Patchogue New York, he was graduated from Sachem High School in 1965, from Suffolk County Community College in 1971, and in 1974 received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Dowling College. He resides in Oakdale and is employed as a reinsurance underwriter/consultant. (Photograph unavailable.)

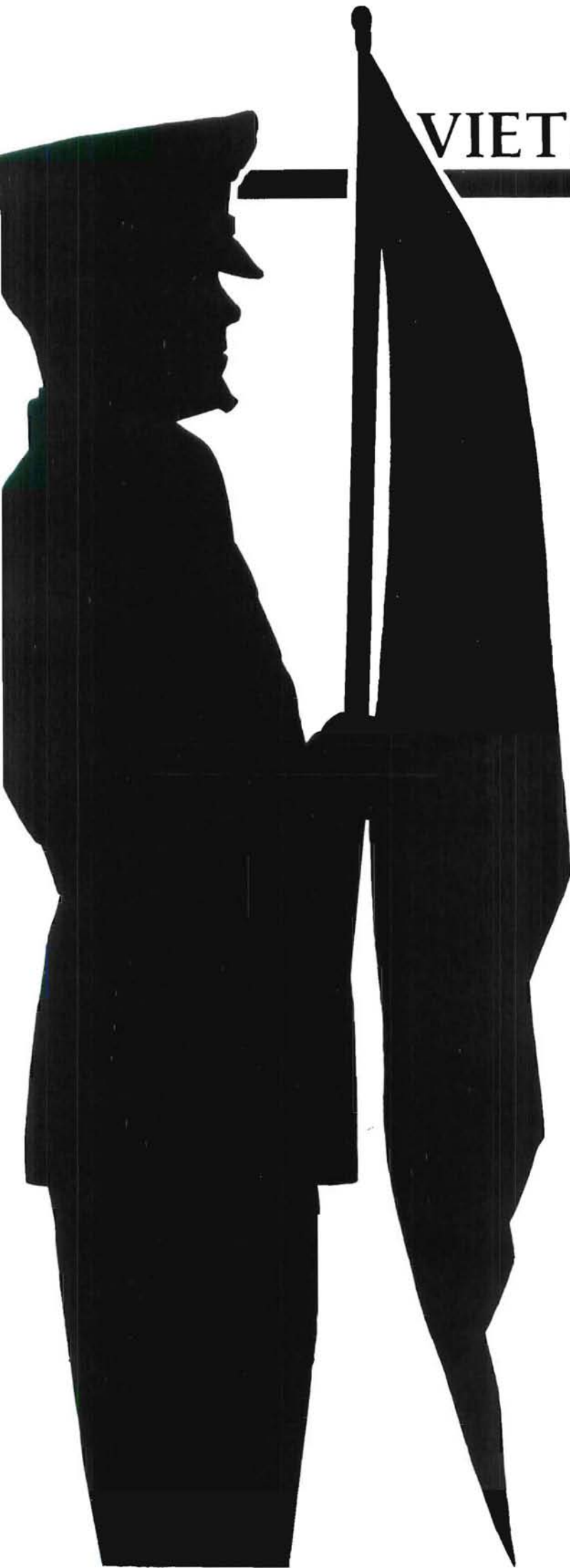
## DAVID CARRO, Aviation Electronic Technician 2nd Class

Formerly of Islip, Mr. Carro was born on May 30, 1950, and was graduated from Copiague High School in 1968. He served from April of 1969 until April of 1973 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Midway, VA-115, and was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam. He resides in Islip Terrace and is employed in electronics with Grumman Aerospace Corporation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES C. CARROLL, Specialist 4th Class

Presently residing in West Islip, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Carroll was born on May 7, 1951. He served from March of 1971 until November of 1972 with the Military Advisory Command in Vietnam, with the United States Army, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal. He was graduated from Bishop Loughlin High School in 1969, and is employed with the United States Postal Service. (Photograph unavailable.)

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RICHARD D. CARLSON

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## COSIMO J. CASCIO, Dental Technician

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Cascio was born on February 1, 1955, and was graduated from Brentwood Ross High School. He served from July of 1973 until July of 1977 with the Medical Unit of the United States Navy, and was stationed at New River Air Force Base, North Carolina. After the service he became a nursing assistant at the Northport Veterans Hospital, Northport, New York. He passed away on February 20, 1980. (Photograph unavailable.)

## PETER CASSESE, Private

Private Casseese served from October of 1961 until October of 1963 with the 3rd Army of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly at Fort McClellan, Alabama, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Born on March 12, 1938, he resided in Middle Village, New York, before settling in Oakdale where he now resides. He was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades, and from RCA Electronics Institute. He is a signalman for the Long Island Rail Road.

## ARTHUR P. CASSIDY, (Rank Unknown)

Formerly of Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Cassidy settled in Brentwood. He was graduated from Brooklyn Academy in 1969, from Berckley Clarmont in 1978, and from New York Institute of Technology in 1980. He served with the United States Army from April of 1970 until March of 1972 with the Military Advisory Committee in Ben Tre, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Air Medal, and a Purple Heart. After the service he was employed as a driver. (Photograph unavailable.)

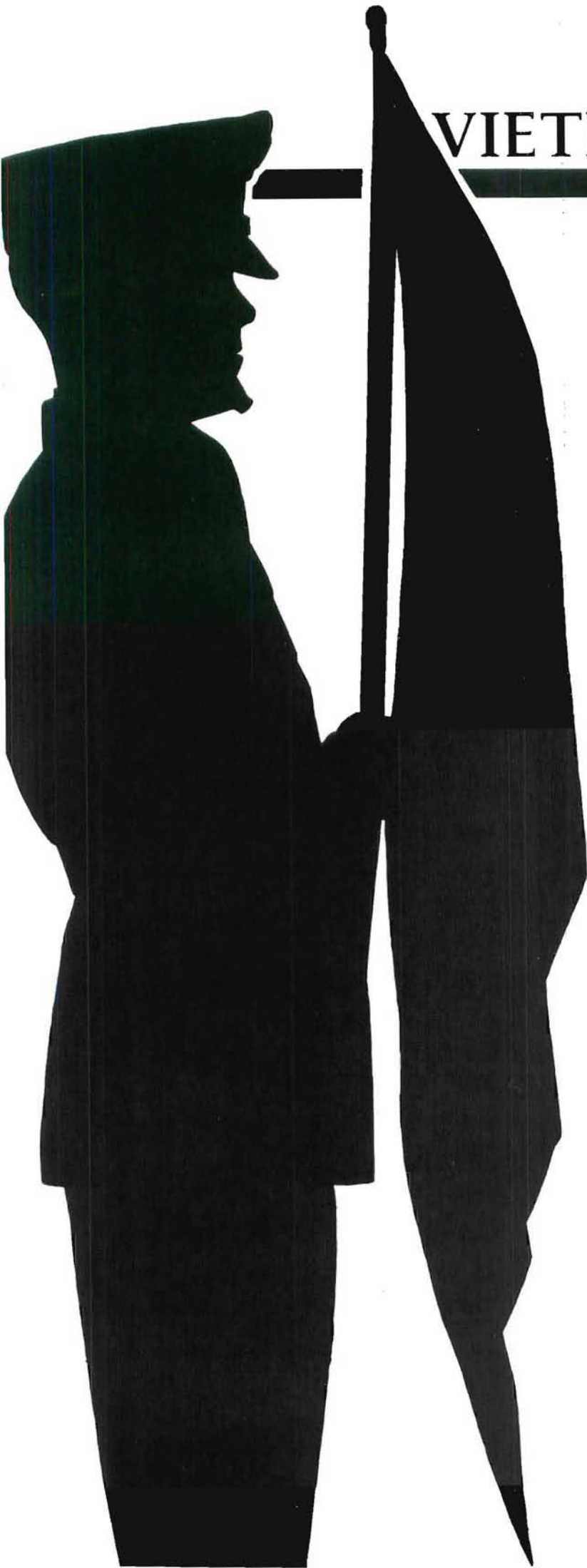
## JOHN J. CASSIDY, JR., 1st Lieutenant

Born on November 20, 1942, and a longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Cassidy was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1960, and in 1964 from C.W. Post College. He served from 1964 until 1967 with B Company, 3rd Reconnaissance Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed mainly in Chu Lai, Phu Bai, and Qui Nhon, Vietnam. He is merited with various awards including the Silver Star, two Bronze Star Medals, and a Purple Heart. He has been employed as a school administrator since his discharge from the service.

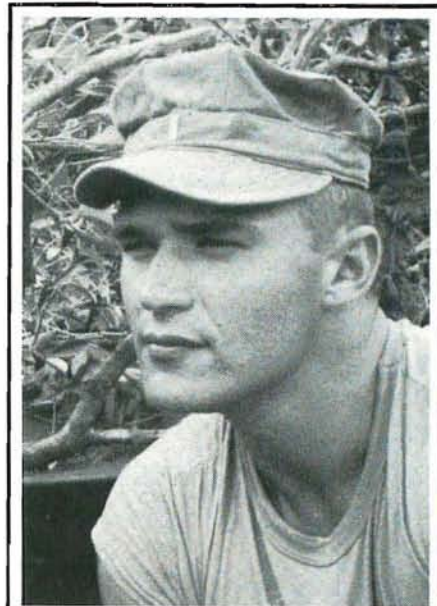
## GERARD F. CASTAGNA, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Staten Island, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Castagna was born on July 23, 1944, and was graduated from Tottenville High School, Staten Island. He served from September of 1963 until September of 1966 with the 197th Detachment of the Army Signal Corps of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Ohio. Following the service he became employed as a mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

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PETER CASSESE



JOHN J. CASSIDY, JR.

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## CARLO CASTORO, Captain

Captain Castoro served from 1964 until 1970 with D Company, 229th Aviation Battalion, 1st Air Cavalry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Germany, and in Vietnam, and received many awards including Air Medals, the Bronze Star Medal, and three Distinguished Flying Crosses. Originally from Plainview, New York, he was born on February 10, 1943, was graduated from Center Moriches High School in 1958, from Miami Norland College, Florida, in 1960, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He resides in Hauppauge and is self-employed.

## JOHN A. CATALANO, Private 1st Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Catalano was born on January 26, 1949, and attended Brentwood High School. He served from June of 1968 until June of 1970 with the 5th Mechanical Division of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge. He has been employed as a mechanical operator since his discharge from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HENRY E. CELENTANO, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Islip, and born on March 4, 1947, Mr. Celentano made his home in East Islip where he now resides. He attended Islip High School, and is employed as a cook for Southside Hospital. He served from September of 1968 until May of 1970 with C Company, 3rd Battalion, 10th Infantry, 5th Army of the United States Army, and was stationed in Cam Rahn, Qui Nhon, Quang Ngai, Chu Lai, and Da Nang, Vietnam. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, a Purple Heart, the Vietnam Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## TERRANCE P. CERULLO, Hospital Corpsman 1st Class

Born on July 10, 1953, and originally from East Islip where he was graduated from East Islip High School in 1972, Mr. Cerullo has since made his home in Woodshole, Massachusetts. He has been serving since 1972 with the United States Coast Guard, and received the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. He was graduated from Georgetown University in 1977, and from Radiology School at Norfolk, Virginia, in 1979, and is a certified radiologist, Petty Officer 1/c, assigned to a base hospital in Cape May, New Jersey.

## JOSEPH J. CERVENKA, Able Bodied Electrician 1st Class

A Korean veteran as well, Mr. Cervenka was born on March 23, 1935, and is a longtime resident of East Islip. He served from November of 1952 until November of 1972 aboard the U.S.S. Randolph, CVS-15, and aboard the U.S.S. America, CVA-66, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Texas, New Jersey, and Cuba. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He attended the East Islip schools from 1941 until 1951, and received his high school equivalency diploma while in the service. He is employed as a truck driver.

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CARLO CASTORO



TERRANCE P. CERULLO



JOSEPH J. CERVENKA

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## WILLIAM CERVENKA, Electrician Mate 1st Class

Originally from Bohemia, and currently residing in Bayport, Mr. Cervenka was born on October 6, 1942, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1960. He served from November of 1962 until October of 1966 with the United States Coast Guard aboard the cutter U.S.S. Rockaway, WAGO-377, and was stationed in the North Atlantic where he conducted weather patrols, searches, and rescues. He received the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal, and is employed as a lineman for the Long Island Lighting Company.

## WILLIAM J. CHAPMAN, Specialist 5th Class

Born on January 21, 1947, and formerly of Westbury, New York, Mr. Chapman was graduated from Carle Place High School in 1965, and from SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from May of 1967 until May of 1970 with the 25th S & T Battalion, 25th Infantry Division, 41st Surgical Hospital, Fort Sam, Texas, and in Cu Chi, Vietnam as well. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as an air conditioning and heating serviceman.

## JOHN CHESNOWITZ, Sergeant

Sergeant Chesnowitz served from November of 1966 until August of 1968 with the 75th Heavy Equipment Company of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia, and in Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. He was born on July 3, 1947, was graduated from Francis Lewis High School in 1965, and attended Suffolk County Community College for two years. Originally from Flushing, New York, he has since made his home in Ronkonkoma, and is employed with the New York City Department of Sanitation.

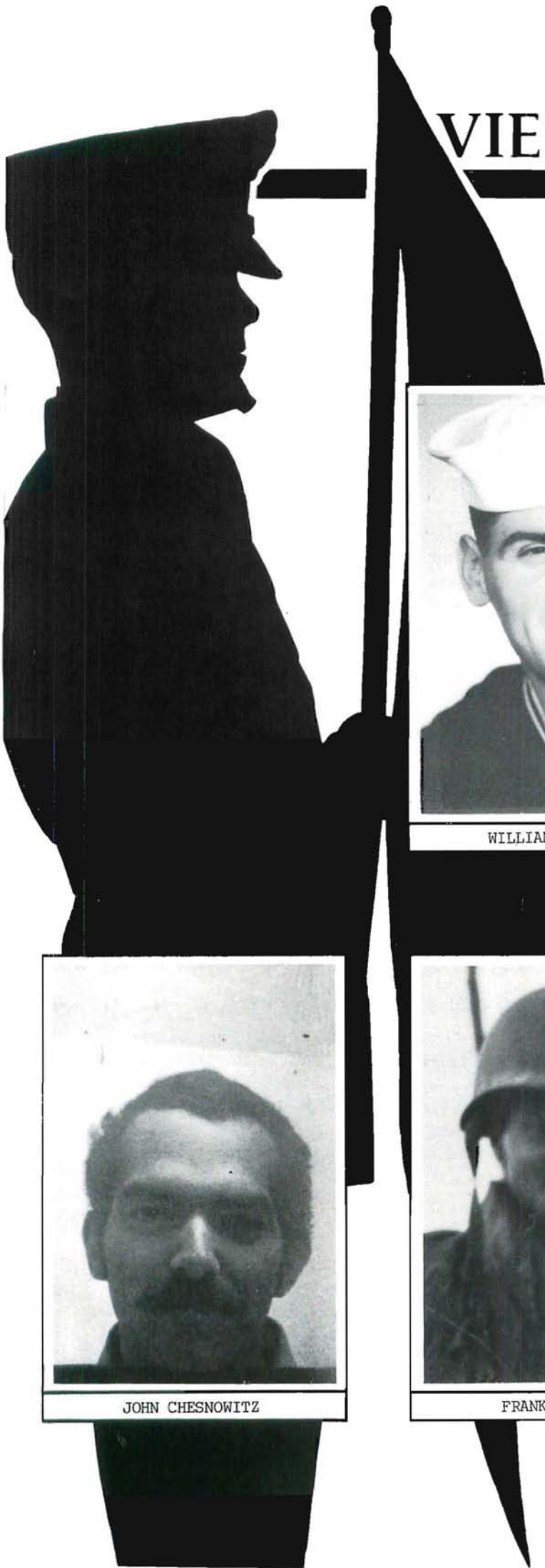
## FRANK CHVATAL, Specialist 4th Class

A 1963 graduate of West Islip High School, Mr. Chvatal was born on September 23, 1945, and resides in East Islip. He served from June of 1968 until May of 1969 with A Battery, 2nd Battalion, 35th Artillery of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, Fort Benning, Georgia, and Nui Dat, Vietnam. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. He has been employed in business since his discharge from the service.

## CIRO N. CICCARELLI, Corporal

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Ciccarelli was born on April 24, 1945, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964. He served with H & S Company, 1st Battalion, 9th Marines, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from February of 1966 until February of 1968, and was stationed primarily in Vietnam. He is employed as an electronic technician.

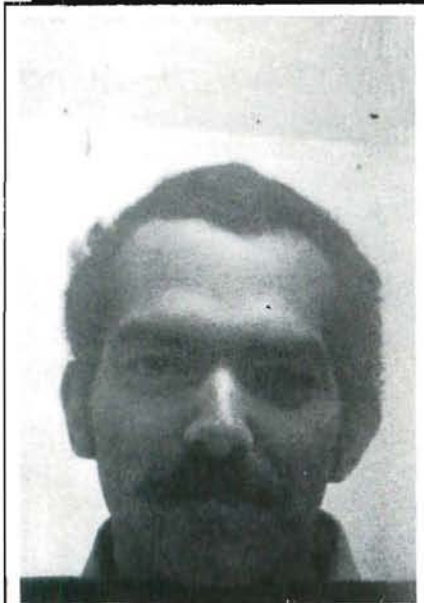
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## ANTHONY CICERONE, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. Cicerone was born on June 6, 1944, and was graduated from Evander Childs High School in 1962. He served from August of 1965 until August of 1967 with A Battery, 8th Battalion, 7th Artillery of the United States Army, was stationed mainly at Fort Bliss, Texas, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed in banking. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CHRISTOPHER CIOFFI, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Cioffi served from November of 1965 until November of 1967 with H & S Company, Supply Battalion, 2nd FSR, of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and is merited with the Sharpshooter Badge, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on September 1, 1945, and originally from Elmont, New York, he was graduated from Elmont High School in 1963. He currently resides in Holbrook, and is employed with the New York City Fire Department. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT CLARK, Specialist 5th Class

Born on December 16, 1947, and originally from Lindenhurst, New York, Mr. Clark was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1966, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale for one year. He served from October of 1966 until October of 1969 with B Company, 937th Group, Engineer Battalion as a support unit to the 4th and 25th Infantries of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and earned the Good Conduct Medal, two Vietnam Service Medals, and the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Holbrook and is employed with Local #1536, timberman union. (Photograph unavailable.)

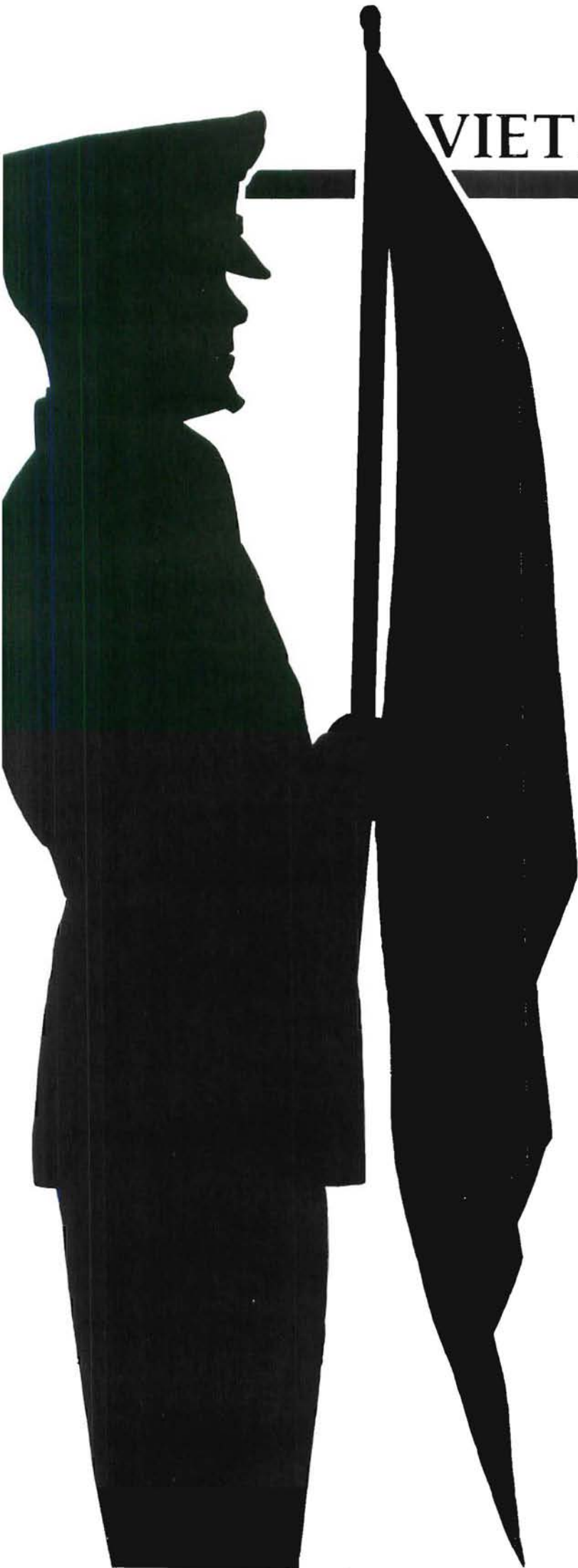
## DONALD CLEARY, Disbursement Clerk 3rd Class

Currently residing in Brentwood, and formerly of Lindenhurst, New York, where he was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1960, Mr. Cleary was born on July 10, 1943, and was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1968. He served with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Mispillion, AO-105, and aboard the U.S.S. Kennebec, AO-36, from March of 1962 until June of 1966, was stationed in the Far East, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. He became an airline employee following the service.

## CRAIG CLEMENS, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Formerly of Hicksville, New York, where he was graduated from Hicksville High School in 1973, Mr. Clemens was born on May 1, 1955, and resides in Bay Shore. He served from August of 1973 until August of 1976 with the Aircraft Crash and Salvage Crew aboard the U.S.S. Midway, CVA-41, of the United States Navy, was stationed primarily at the Port at Yokoska, Japan, and received the National Defense Service Medal. He was graduated from Suffolk County Community College in May of 1986, and has been employed as a nurse since the service.

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DONALD CLEARY



CRAIG CLEMENS

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## ROBERT T. CLIFFORD, Specialist 4th Class

Born on February 7, 1944, and originally from East Williston, New York, Mr. Clifford was graduated from Chaminade High School, Mineola, New York, in 1962, from St. John's University in 1965, and in 1972 he received his Master of Business Administration, also from St. John's. He served from March of 1966 until February of 1968 with the 4th Battalion, 10th Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily at Fort William D. Davis, and in the Panama Canal Zone. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge. He resides in Bohemia and is employed as a public accountant.

## ROBERT E. CODNER, Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Codner was born on March 31, 1948, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1966. He served from August of 1967 until August of 1970 with the 178th Maintenance Company, 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Camp Evans, and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. He has been employed as a plumber since his separation from the service.

## EDWARD G. COFFEY, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Coffey served from November of 1970 until August of 1974 with the 377th Security Police Squadron of the United States Air Force at Tan Nhut Son Air Force Base, Vietnam, as well as in Massachusetts and Montana, and earned the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. Born on April 11, 1952, and a longtime resident of Oakdale, he was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1970, and from Suffolk County Community College in 1976. He is currently employed as a U.S. Deputy Marshal. (Photograph unavailable.)

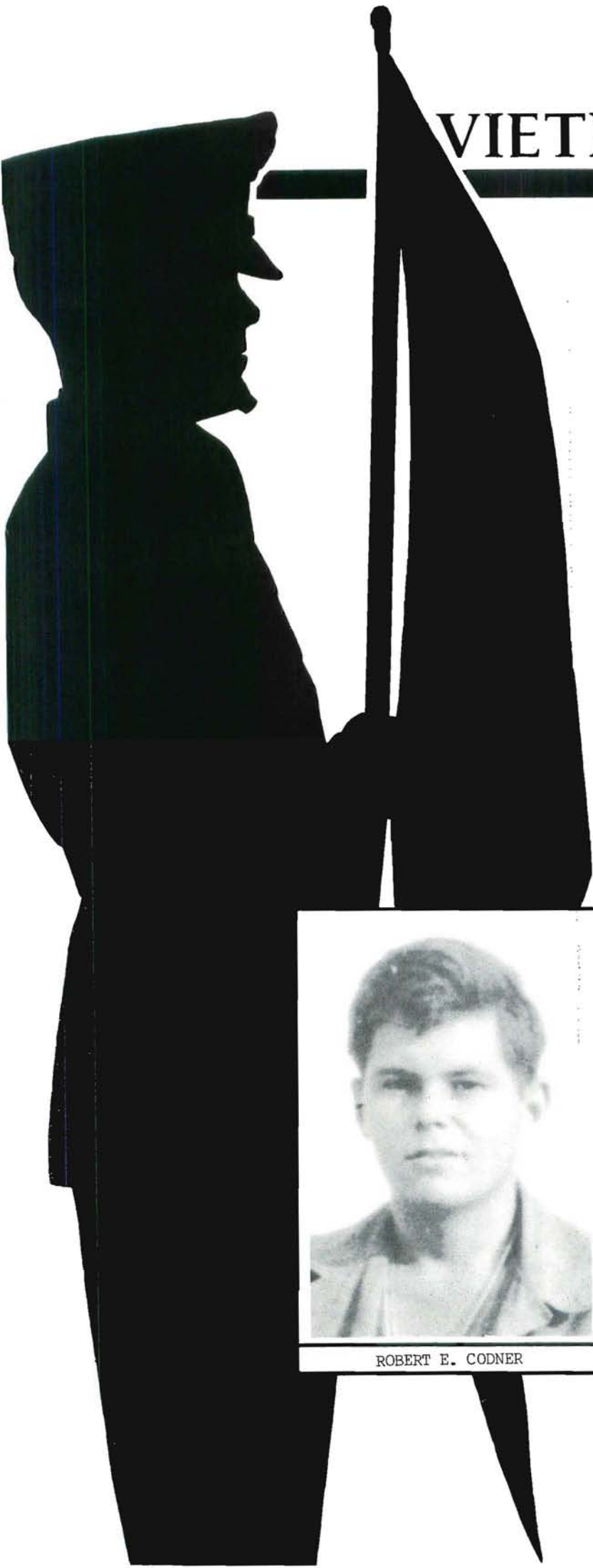
## SEAN M. COFFEY, E-5

Mr. Coffey was born on January 14, 1953, and is a longtime resident of East Islip. He attended East Islip High School and received his equivalency diploma while in the service. He served from March of 1970 until May of 1974 with the United States Coast Guard, was stationed in Oakland, California, and Boston, Massachusetts, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Pistol Sharpshooter Badge. He became employed as a material handler after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## STEPHEN L. COFFINO, Sonar Technician 3rd Class

Originally from North Massapequa, New York, Mr. Coffino was born on December 29, 1943, and was graduated from Weldon E. Howitt High School, Farmingdale, New York, in 1961. He served with the United States Navy from January of 1966 until October of 1969, and was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Sproston, DD-577, and aboard the U.S.S. Radford, DD-446, in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. He received the Vietnam Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Combat Action Ribbon as well. He resides in Central Islip and is employed as a Senior Computer Operator, Data Systems, with Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

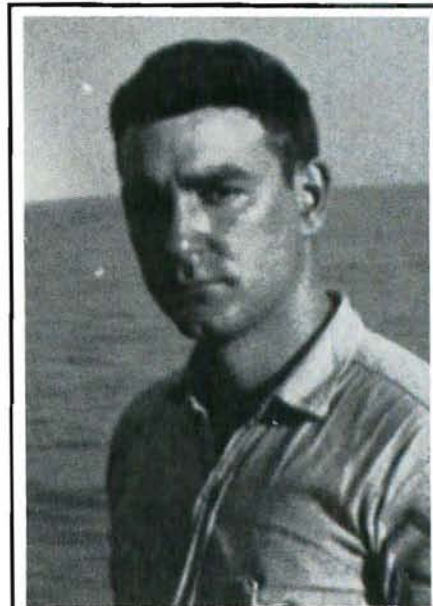
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STEPHEN L. COFFINO



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## IRVING "BUD" A. COHEN, Hospital Corpsman 2nd Class

Originally from Valley Stream, New York, where he was graduated from Valley Stream Central High School in 1963, Mr. Cohen was born on September 11, 1945, and resides in East Islip. He served from May of 1966 until July of 1970 with the 7th Fleet, Medical Logistics, aboard the U.S.S. Sanctuary of the United States Navy, and with the III MAF in Da Nang, Vietnam. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal as well. He also attended Nassau County Community College, and is employed in psychiatric nursing at Northport Veterans Hospital, Northport, New York.

## STEPHEN P. COHN, Captain

Captain Cohn served from October of 1966 until June of 1971 with the 203rd Reconnaissance Airplane Company, 1st Aviation Brigade, 5th U.S. Army Flight Detachment, of the United States Army, Corps of Engineers, and was stationed at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, and in Bong Son and An Khe, Vietnam. Born on February 26, 1946, and originally from Garden City, New York, where he was graduated from Garden City High School in 1963, he was graduated in 1973 from Embry Riddle Aeronautical University. He resides in Oakdale and is employed as a marketing representative. While in the service he received the Army Aviator Badge, the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Medal with 14 Oak Leaf Clusters, the Sharpshooter Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He has been serving in the National Guard since 1980.

## LOUIS A. COLARULLO, Sergeant

Born on October 12, 1948, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Colarullo was graduated from Nazareth High School, Brooklyn, in 1966, and in 1977 from New York City Community College. He served from July of 1966 until July of 1970 with the VMA-AW #242, MAG #11, 1st MAW, of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed at Cherry Point, North Carolina, and in Da Nang, Vietnam, and is merited with the Meritorious Unit Award, the Combat Action Ribbon, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, and the Good Conduct Medal as well. He resides in Hauppauge, and is employed as an engineer.

## FRANKLIN R. COLE, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Cole served from 1968 until 1970 with G Company, Airborne Ranger Unit, 75th Infantry, A Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, the Air Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and a Purple Heart. Born on November 29, 1948, he resided in Westbury, New York, before making his home in East Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from W.T. Clarke High School in 1966, and in 1974 from Nassau County Community College. He also served with the National Guard and the Air Force Reserves, from 1970 until 1982.

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## WILLIAM A. COMBE, JR., Lithographer 3rd Class

Born on January 13, 1947, and originally from Hicksville, New York, where he was graduated from Hicksville High School in 1964, Mr. Combe made his home in Brentwood where he now resides. He was graduated from Nassau County Community College in 1975, and in 1977 from New York Institute of Technology, and is a certified public accountant. He served from May of 1966 until February of 1970 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Fechteler, DD-870, and aboard the U.S.S. Bryce Canyon, AD-36. He also served in the reserves from February of 1970 until May of 1972.

## ARTHUR L. COMSTOCK, Technical Sergeant

Technical Sergeant Comstock served from March of 1958 until May of 1978 with the 12th Combat Police Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Spain, and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, and the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. Born on February 29, 1940, he resided in Brooklyn, New York, where he attended Brooklyn Technical High School from 1954 until February of 1958. He resides in Brentwood and is employed in computer repair. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE S. CONE, Petty Officer 1st Class

A Korean veteran as well, Petty Officer 1/c Cone served from 1966 until 1970 during his Vietnam tour of duty with the Mobile Construction Battalion #74 of the United States Navy Seabees, was stationed in Da Nang, Cam Ho, Chu Lai, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Unit Commendation Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. Born on June 3, 1928, he is originally from the Bronx, New York, where he attended Bronx Vocational and Technical High School. He resides in West Islip, and is employed as a laborer.

## PAUL C. CONK, Structural Mechanic Hydraulics 3rd Class

Formerly of Brentwood, and currently residing in Central Islip, Mr. Conk was born on June 16th, and attended Brentwood High School. He served from June of 1968 until March of 1972 with the Helicopter Attack Squadron #3 of the United States Navy, was stationed in Binh Thuy, Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He has been employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation since his separation from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

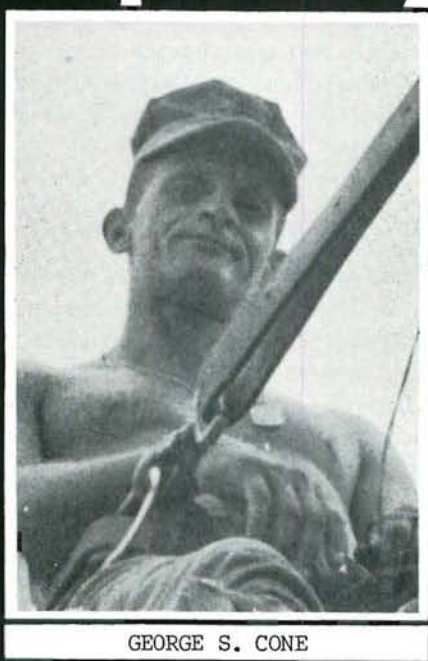
## ROBERT E. CONLAN, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Originally from Wantagh, New York, Mr. Conlan was born on February 10, 1943, and was graduated from St. Agnes Cathedral High School in 1960 and from Nassau County Community College in 1962. He served from March of 1964 until March of 1970 with the United States Navy, and was stationed mainly in Qui Nhon, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resides in Holbrook and is employed as an industrial caterer.

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WILLIAM A. COMBE, JR.



GEORGE S. CONE



ROBERT E. CONLAN



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## TIMOTHY CONNELLY, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Connelly served from February of 1969 until November of 1970 with the 167th Signal Company, 54th Signal Battalion, 1st Field Forces, IFFV, of the United States Army, and was stationed in An Khe, Pleiku, and Dak To, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge as well. Born on October 29, 1948, he is a longtime resident of Bay Shore. He received his equivalency diploma while in the service, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale for three years. He became employed as a photographic processor after the service, and is currently an automotive equipment operator.

## RAYMOND CONNOR, Corporal

Born on February 14, 1947, and originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Connor was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964, and attended St. John's University for one year. He served from May of 1966 until May of 1969 with M Company, 3rd Battalion, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly in Da Nang, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and qualified for the Rifle and Pistol Expert Badges. He resides in Brentwood and is employed as a salesman. (Photograph unavailable.)

## STEPHEN J. CONNOR, Corporal

Originally from Brentwood where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964, Mr. Connor was born on November 21, 1946, and also attended New York Institute of Technology. He served from March of 1966 until March of 1968 with B Company, 7th Combat Engineer Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Phu Bai, and Da Nang, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. He resides in Warwick, New York, and is employed as a New York City Firefighter.

## ALAN R. COOK, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Cook was born on June 22, 1946, was graduated from Brooklyn High School of Automotive Trades in 1964, and currently resides in Central Islip. He served from September of 1964 until September of 1966 with the 173rd Assault Helicopter Company of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and in Lai Khe, Vietnam, and earned the National Defense Service Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He has been employed as an independent truck driver since his discharge.

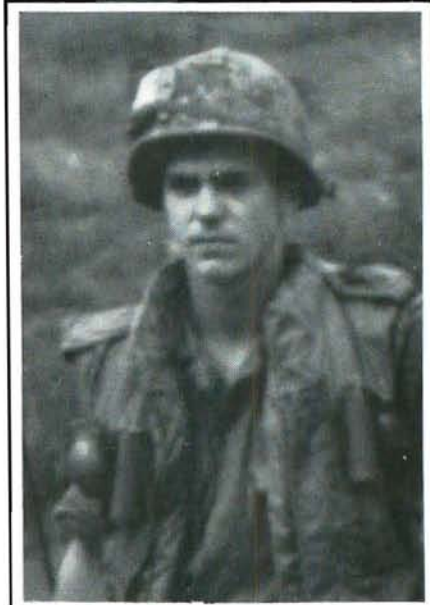
## PATRICK F. CORBETT, Construction Electrician 3rd Class

A 1962 graduate of Alexander Hamilton Vocational High School, Mr. Corbett was born on December 31, 1944, attended Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute from 1963 until 1967, and also attended Con Edison schools. He served from February of 1968 until December of 1969 with the Mobile Construction Battalion #8 of the United States Navy, was stationed at Port Hueneme, California, and received the Combat Infantry Badge, as well as various campaign medals. He resides in West Islip, and is employed as a cable splicer for Con Edison.

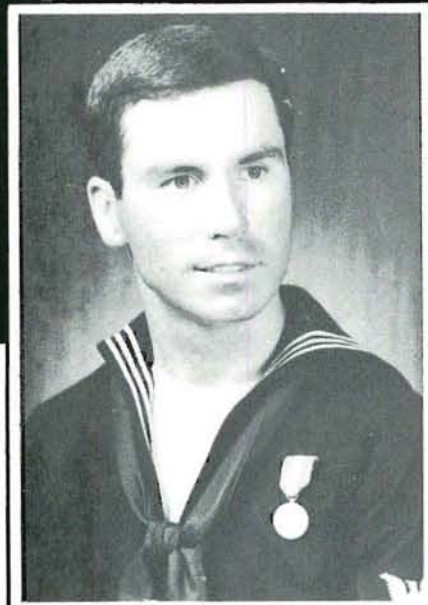
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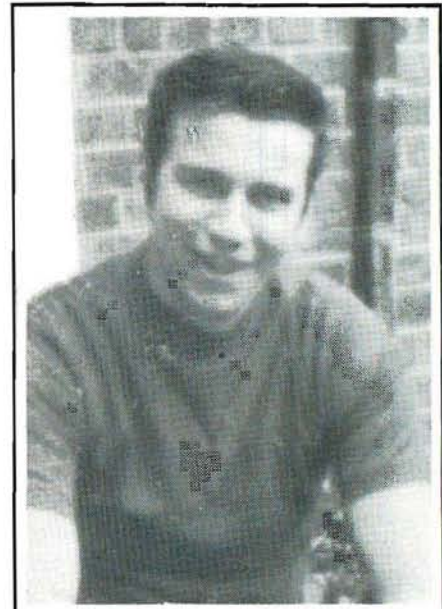
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## ARTHUR CORMIER, Senior Master Sergeant

Senior Master Sergeant Cormier served with the United States Air Force and in 1965 was taken as a prisoner of war until his release in 1972. He resided in Bay Shore with the late Eileen Cormier, who gained recognition during the 1960s for her efforts to help free American prisoners of war in Vietnam. She passed away in March of 1986. (Photograph and further biographical information was not available.)

## GERALD CORONA, Ships Serviceman 3rd Class

Originally from Rochester, New York, where he attended Monroe High School, Mr. Corona was born on January 28, 1939, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale for one year. He served from February of 1956 until February of 1965 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Neptune, ARC-2, the U.S.S. Diamond Head, AE-19, the U.S.S. Interpreter, AGR-14, and aboard the U.S.S. Henderson, DD-785, and was stationed in Maryland, Virginia, and in California. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. He resides in Sayville and is employed as a park maintenance man at Heckscher State Park.

## PATRICK J. CORRIGAN, Sergeant

Born on January 6, 1944, and formerly of New York City, Mr. Corrigan was graduated from George Washington High School, resides in Sayville, and is employed as a bridge and building inspector for the Long Island Rail Road. He served from January of 1965 until 1971 with the 3rd Shore Party, C Company, 3rd Marine Division, attached to various outfits, of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Presidential Unit Citation, and a Purple Heart as well.

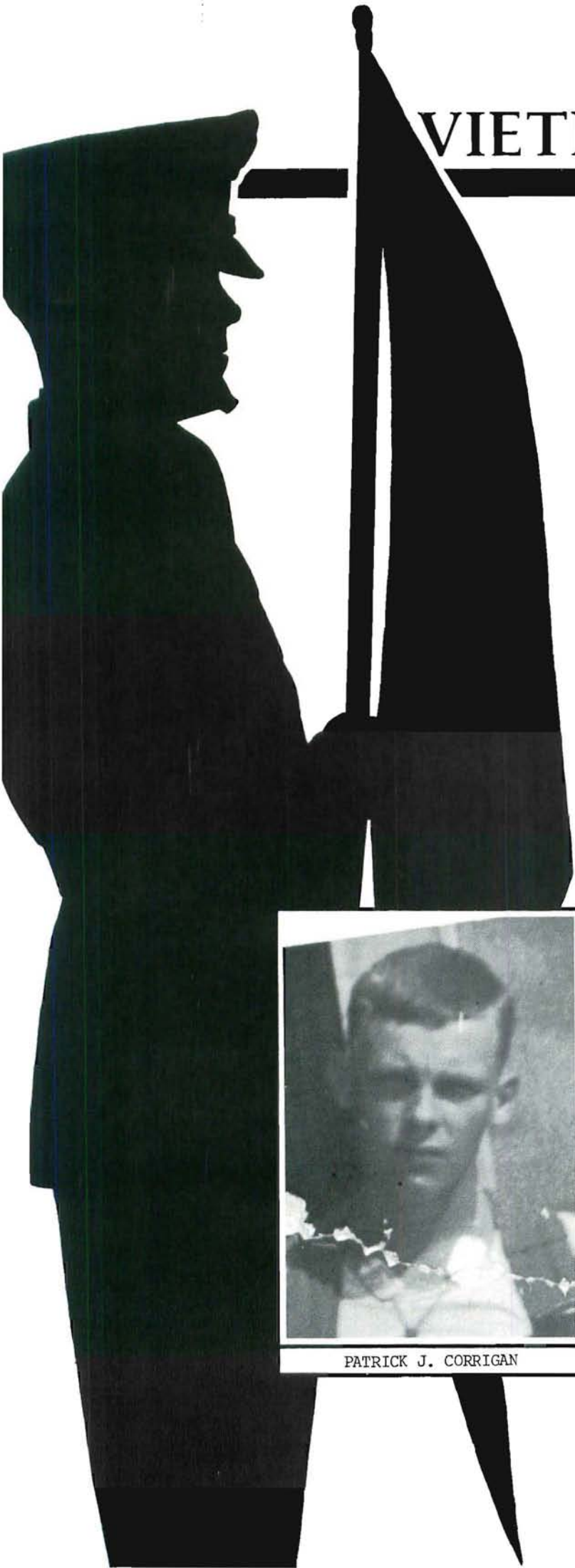
## ROBERT J. COSGROVE, Sergeant

Sergeant Cosgrove served with the United States Army from June of 1965 until May of 1967, was stationed in Tan Son Nhut, Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Sharpshooter Badge. Born on March 20, 1944, and originally from Elmwood Park, New Jersey, he settled in Islip, and is now employed as the vice president of manufacturing for Eagle Brass Co. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH S. COSTELLO, Sergeant

Sergeant Costello served from March of 1967 until December of 1970 with the 64th F.I.S., 56th Special Operations Wing, 633rd Aircraft Maintenance Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed chiefly at Da Nang Air Force Base, Pleiku Air Force Base, and Nakhon Phanom Air Force Base, Vietnam. He received the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he attended Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades. He was born on December 25, 1948, and resides in Brentwood. He is employed as a technician for Western Electric.

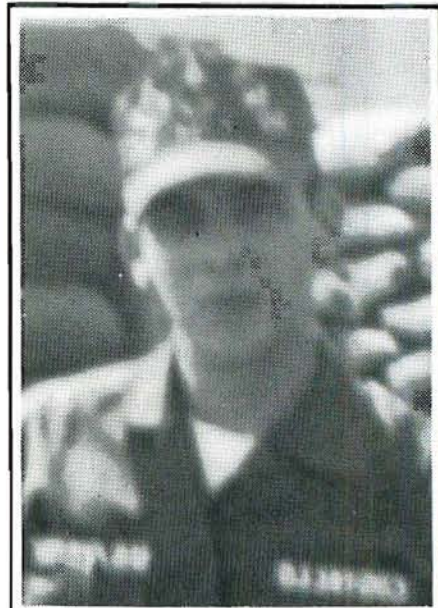
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GERALD CORONA



PATRICK J. CORRIGAN



JOSEPH S. COSTELLO

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## ANTHONY F. COTIGNOLA, Sergeant

Sergeant Cotignola served from September of 1966 until September of 1968 with C Company, 2nd Battalion, 16th Infantry of the United States Army, was stationed in South Carolina, New Jersey, and Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement. Born on September 15, 1947, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School in 1964. He resides in Islip, and is employed as an export agent.

## ANTHONY P. COTRONEO, Sergeant

Born on December 23, 1948, and originally from Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Cotroneo attended Grover Cleveland High School, and resides in Holbrook. He served from 1968 until 1970 with the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal, two Purple Hearts, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He has been employed with the United States Postal Service prior to and following his tour of duty in Vietnam.

## THOMAS J. COUGHLAN, JR., Aviation Electricians Mate 3rd Class

Formerly of Bay Shore, and presently residing in Holtsville, Mr. Coughlan was born on September 11, 1949, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1968. He served from May of 1968 until May of 1974 with the Helicopter Attack Light #3 of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Binh Thuy, Vietnam. After the service he became employed as an electrician, and is now employed with thermal control.

## RAYMOND CRADDOCK, Sergeant

Sergeant Craddock served with the 1st Logistical Command of the United States Army in Vietnam, and is merited with the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on December 23, 1947, and originally from Massapequa Park, New York, he was graduated from high school in 1966. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed as a carpenter.

## DENNIS CRAWFORD, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Crawford was born on June 30, 1948, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1967. He resides in Holbrook and is employed as a mechanic. He served from April of 1968 until April of 1970 with C Company, 8th Battalion, 4th Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal as well.

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## ROBERT CRAWFORD, Petty Officer 1st Class

Originally from West Islip, Mr. Crawford was born on June 22, 1952, and was graduated from St. John the Baptist High School, West Islip, in 1970. He attended Olympic College, Bremerton, Washington, and was graduated from the Center for Degree Studies, Scranton, Pennsylvania, in 1979. He served from July of 1970 until July of 1978 with the Strategic Weapons Facility of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Hunley, AS-31, and was stationed in Guam, South Carolina, and Washington. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, two Good Conduct Medals, as well as a letter of Commendation, and a letter of Appreciation. He resides in Islip and is employed as a stonemason with Local #84.

## JOSEPH T. CRAWSON, JR., Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Crawson was born on December 9, 1947, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1965. He served from August of 1967 until July of 1970 with A Company, 361st Signal Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. After the service he became employed as a paint and wallpaper consultant.

## KENNETH W. CRAY, Sergeant

Sergeant Cray served with B Company, 20th Combat Engineers Battalion attached to the 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army from December of 1966 until September of 1968, was stationed in Pleiku and the central highlands of Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Born on July 5, 1946, he resided in Lambertville, New Jersey, and was graduated from South Hunterdon Regional High School, New Jersey, in 1964. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as an offset printer.

## ALBERT CRISOSTOMO, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Centereach, New York, and presently residing in Islip Terrace, Mr. Crisostomo was born on September 4, 1950, and attended Sachem High School. He served from February of 1971 until April of 1972 with the 101st A Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed principally in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and earned the Combat Infantry Badge, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and a Certificate of Appreciation as well. After the service he became employed as a furniture maker, and is currently employed with the Town of Islip's Department of Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Affairs.

## TOM R. CRIST, JR., Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Crist served from September of 1968 until October of 1974 with the 1882nd Communications Squadron, and the 1914th Communications Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Holloman Air Force Base, New Mexico, in Delaware, and Phan Rang, Vietnam, and received the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. Born on July 6, 1949, he resided in Westwood, New Jersey where he was graduated from Westwood High School in 1968. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is employed as an air traffic controller.

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## GEORGE N. CROCCO, Specialist 6th Class

Originally from Lynbrook, New York, and born on October 8, 1941, Mr. Crocco was graduated from Calhoun High School, North Merrick, New York, and attended Nassau County Community College for two years. He served from 1967 until 1968 with the Da Nang Support Command of the United States Army, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and the Medal of Honor. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is an agent for Scandanavian Airlines.

## DONALD CRONIN, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Cronin served from November of 1965 until October of 1967 with the 568th Medical Company of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Carson, Colorado, and Phan Rang, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. Born on September 6, 1945, he was graduated from Islip High School in 1964, and attended Suffolk County Community College for one year. He resided in Jamaica, New York, before settling in East Islip where he now resides. He has been employed with the United States Postal Service since his separation from the Army.

## JAMES P. CRUICKSHANK, Sergeant

A longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. Cruickshank was born on September 3, 1950, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1968. He served from October of 1969 until August of 1971 with the 25th Division, 4th Brigade, 9th Battalion, and the 101st Airborne, 327th Infantry of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Vietnam, and received various awards. He is employed with the Long Island Lighting Company.

## ROBERT J. CUCE, Sergeant

Born on August 23, 1950, and originally from Bohemia, Mr. Cuce was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1968. He served from May of 1970 until January of 1972 with E Battery, 41st Artillery attached to the 101st Airborne Division, of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Dong Ha, Vietnam, and is merited with the Expert Rifle Badge, a Silver Star, a Purple Heart, and the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. He resides in Islip Terrace and is employed as a data processing supervisor.

## LEO W. CUNNINGHAM, Signalman 3rd Class

A 1967 graduate of Lindenhurst, High School, Mr. Cunningham resided in Lindenhurst before settling in Islip Terrace where he now resides. He was born on December 16, 1949, and was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1974, and from New York Institute of Technology in 1978, and is employed as a police officer. He served from December of 1967 until January of 1971 with the 7th Fleet of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Blue, DD-744, and aboard the U.S.S. Isle Royale, AD-29, and was stationed at the Naval Communication Station in Guam, and in Long Beach, California.

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DONALD CRONIN



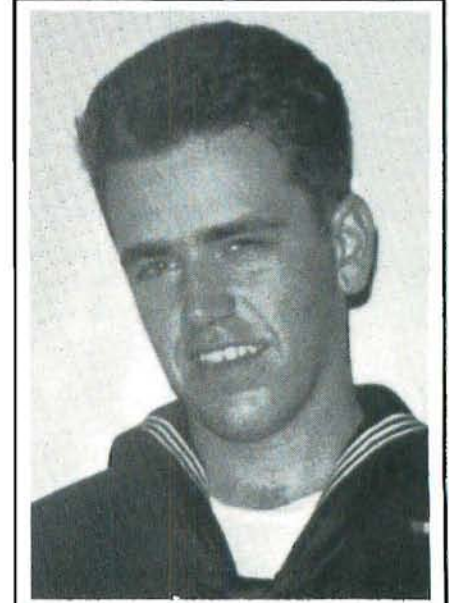
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## ROBERT A. CZINA, Specialist 4th Class

Born on November 19, 1945, and a resident of Oakdale, Mr. Czina was graduated from Van Buren High School, and received his Bachelor of Arts degree in Music Education from Wagner College, Staten Island, in 1972, and in 1977 received his Master of Science degree in Special Education, also from Wagner College. He served from September of 1966 until June of 1968 with the 7th Administrative Company, 7th Infantry Division, 8th Army, Special Services of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Expert Pistol Badge, and the Expert Rifle Badge as well. He is employed as a teacher. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM J. D'AGOSTINO, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. D'Agostino was born on August 15, 1950, attended Half Mile High School in Central Islip, and received his high school diploma while in the service. He served from 1969 until 1971 with the 8th Army, 5th P.M. Unit of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and is merited with the Overseas Ribbon and received service medals as well. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CHRISTOPHER B. DAHL, Sergeant

Originally from Great River, Mr. Dahl was born on May 7, 1946, and resides in East Islip. He was graduated from East Islip High School in 1966, attended Dowling College for two years, and SUNY at Farmingdale for three years. He served from September of 1966 until June of 1970 with the 78th Fighter Wing Combat Support, and the 6314th Combat Support Wing of the United States Air Force, was stationed in the Pacific Ocean near Asia, and received the Squadron Airman of the Month Award in 1969, as well as the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. He is employed as an equipment operator for the Town of Islip, and has been involved with various veterans groups such as the American Legion, AMVETS, and Vietnam Veterans of America.

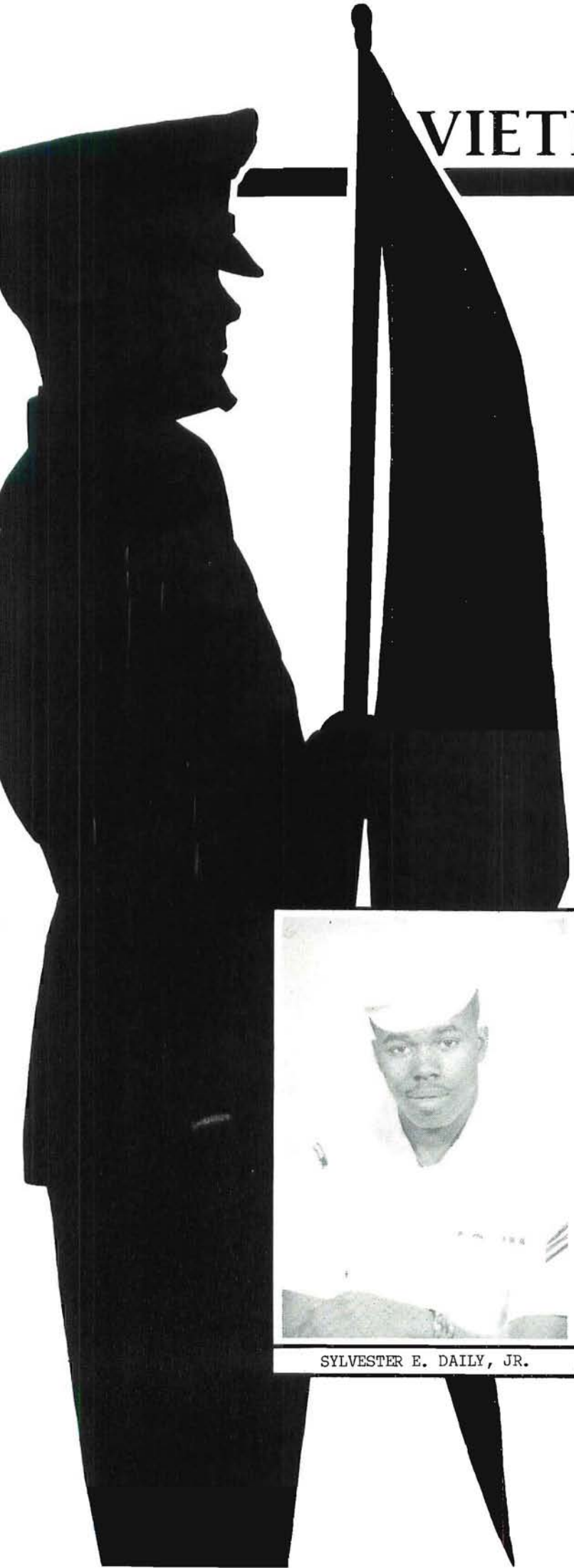
## SYLVESTER E. DAILY, JR., Signalman 2nd Class

Signalman 2/c Daily served from August of 1965 until April of 1969 with the In Shore Under Sea Warfare Group #1 (IUWG 1, WESTPAC 2), of the United States Navy, was stationed mainly in South Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Born on January 25, 1947, he has resided in Bay Shore since the time he enlisted, and was graduated from Newtown High School in 1965, and from Suffolk County Community College in 1971. He is employed as a Suffolk County Police Officer.

## LOUIS F. DAMBROSIO, Sergeant

A 1966 graduate of East Islip High School, Mr. Dambrosio was born on September 13, 1945, and is a longtime resident of East Islip. He served from August of 1966 until August of 1970 with the 416th Tactical Fighter Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in New York, California, Maryland, and in Vietnam, and earned the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. He has been self-employed since his separation from the service.

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LOUIS F. DAMBROSIO

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## ANTHONY J. D'AMICO, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from East Islip, Mr. D'Amico was born on December 11, 1947, and resides in Islip Terrace. He was graduated from East Islip High School in 1965, attended Suffolk County Community College, and is employed as a route driver for Queens Farms Dairy. He served from May of 1966 until May of 1968 with A Battery, 8/6 Artillery, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Lei Khe, Vietnam, and at Fort Meade, Maryland, and is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster.

## LAWRENCE P. D'ANGELO, Corporal

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. D'Angelo was born on March 14, 1950, attended Brentwood High School, received his equivalency diploma after the service, and attended Suffolk County Community College for one year. He served from July of 1967 until May of 1970 with the Force Logistics Command, Provisional Rifle Company and Supply Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in the area of Da Nang, Vietnam. He received the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Action Ribbon, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He has been employed as a local and interstate tractor trailer and charter bus driver.

## CHARLES A. DANISCH, Specialist 5th Class

Sergeant Danisch served from January of 1964 until November of 1966 with the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Greely, Alaska, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. Born on February 23, 1942, and originally from Islip Terrace, he made his home in Bayport where he now resides. He was graduated from East Islip High School in 1959, and from the University of Dayton, Ohio, in 1963. He has been employed as a financial analyst since his separation from the service.

## BRUCE K. DARROCH, Specialist 4th Class

Born on April 22, 1954, and a longtime resident of Bohemia, Mr. Darroch was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1972, and from John Jay College in 1980. He served from August of 1972 until February of 1976 with the First Armored Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Nurnberg, West Germany, and received the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal.

## SAMUEL R. DASSLER, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Dassler served from April of 1966 until April of 1968 with M Company, 3rd Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, and is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal. Originally from Northport, New York, where he was graduated from Northport High School in 1959, he was born on July 30, 1941, and was graduated from Clarkson College of Technology in 1964. He resides in Bohemia and is employed as a ground water engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

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## WADE A. DAVIDSON, JR., Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Patchogue, New York, where he was graduated from Patchogue High School in 1964, Mr. Davidson was born on August 7, 1945, and resides in Holbrook. He served with the 20th Preventive Medical Unit, 44th Medical Brigade of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Sam, Texas, and in Bien Hoa, Vietnam, from November of 1965 until November of 1968. He received the Army Commendation Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. He is employed as a peace officer for New York State. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT P. DAVIS Sergeant

Sergeant Davis served from September of 1968 until August of 1971 with the 5th Aviation Group of the United States Army, was stationed principally in Vietnam, and is merited with the Air Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. Born on April 12, 1950, he resided in Sayville where he was graduated from Sayville High School in 1968. He presently resides in Bay Shore, and is employed in sales.

## ROBERT R. DEACON, Lance Corporal

Born on September 21, 1954, and originally from North Babylon, New York, Mr. Deacon made his home in Bayport where he currently resides. He was graduated from North Babylon High School, and from Morrisville College, New York, and is employed as a truck driver. He served from May of 1975 until April of 1977 with the Naval Air Station of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed on North Island, and in San Diego, California. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RAYMOND B. DEAN, Private 1st Class

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Dean was born on September 5, 1944, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1963. He served from July of 1965 until July of 1967 with the 283rd Medical Detachment of the United States Army, was stationed in Saigon, and near Long Binh, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for heroic achievement, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, the Air Medal with five Oak Leaf Clusters, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Air Crew Medal. He was employed with the Town of Islip's Highway Department, and had passed away on October 3, 1972.

## JOSEPH H. DeANGELIS, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. DeAngelis was born on June 20, 1948, and was graduated from Christopher Columbus High School, Bronx, in 1966. He served from September of 1966 until September of 1969 with H Battery, 3rd Battalion, 80th Artillery while in Germany, and with the 248th Supply Company of the United States Army, while stationed in Vietnam. He received the National Defense and the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. He resides in Brentwood and is employed as a retail clerk.

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ROBERT P. DAVIS



JOSEPH H. DeANGELIS



RAYMOND B. DEAN



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## DOMINICK DeCRESCENZO, Specialist 4th Class

Born on June 24, 1948, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. DeCrescenzo was graduated from John Jay High School in 1967. He served from April of 1968 until March of 1970 with the 503rd Transportation Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Heidleberg, Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge as well. He resides in Islip and is employed as a sanitation worker for New York City.

## JOSEPH DeFALCO, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Ozone Park, New York, Mr. DeFalco was born on September 19, 1944, was graduated from East New York Vocational and Technical High School in 1962, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from October of 1965 until July of 1967 with the 215th Airborne, B Company, 1st Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed in An Kai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the Air Crew Medal. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is employed as an aircraft mechanic.

## JEFFREY D. DEL GIORNO, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Brentwood, New York, where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1968, Mr. DelGiorno was born on July 17, 1950, and resides in Holbrook. He served from April of 1970 until October of 1971 with the Americal Division, 1st Battalion, 82nd Artillery, D Battery of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and earned the Bronze Star Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal.

## JOHN DEL MARE, Corporal/Airman 1st Class

Corporal/Airman 1/c DelMare served with the United States Marine Corps from December of 1958 until March of 1965 and was stationed at Cherry Point, North Carolina. He served with the United States Air Force from March of 1965 until September of 1966 with the 3535th Bomb Training Wing, at Mather Air Force Base, California. His tours of duty also included Port Lyautey, Morocco, and Da Nang, Vietnam, and he received the Vietnam Service Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal while in the Marine Corps. While in the Air Force, he received the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon, the Outstanding Unit Award, and three meritorious promotions as well. Born on July 21, 1940, he resided in Massapequa Park, New York, where he was graduated from Massapequa High School in 1958. He also attended the University of North Carolina. He resides in Islip, and has been employed as an airline dispatcher, real estate manager, and as an automotive service manager since his separation from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## PAT A. DEL PRETE, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant DelPrete served from May of 1965 until May of 1967 with the Headquarters, I Corps of the United States Army, was stationed at Camp St. Barbara, South Korea, and received the Good Conduct Medal. While in South Korea, he worked undercover for the C.I.D. gathering information on Korean nationals dealing in black market trade. Born on May 30, 1943, and originally from Commack, New York, he was graduated from Benjamin Franklin High School, New York. He resides in Hauppauge, and is employed with the Highway Department of the Town of Huntington.

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DOMINICK DeCRESCENZO



JOSEPH DeFALCO



JEFFREY D. DEL GIORNO



PAT A. DEL PRETE, JR.

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## EMIDIO J. DeMARCO, Specialist 4th Class

A 1956 graduate of Andrew Jackson Vocational High School, Mr. DeMarco was born on April 11, 1939, and resided in Malvern, New York, before making his home in Ronkonkoma. He served from August of 1963 until August of 1965 with A Battery, 3rd Missile Battalion, 65th Artillery of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Davisville, Ohio. After the service he became employed as a radar repairman.

## DENNIS F. DENAULT, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Denault served from March of 1964 until March of 1966 with B Battery, 2nd Battalion, 32 Artillery of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal. Born on May 19, 1942, he resided in West Islip where he was graduated from West Islip High School in 1961. He resides in Bay Shore and is employed as an airline customer service agent. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN C. DENEHAN, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Islip, Mr. Denehan was born on August 16, 1946, and made his home in Copiague where he now resides. He served from November of 1967 through December of 1969 with D Company, 4th Battalion, 3rd Infantry, 11th Brigade, 23rd Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Chu Lai-Phu, Son-Tra, and Bong-Quang Ngai, Vietnam, and is merited with a Purple Heart, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Army Medal for Valor, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Currently, he is a volunteer for one of the Long Island Veterans Outreach Centers.

## WAYNE DENNISTON, Sergeant

Sergeant Denniston served with the 4th Signal Battalion of the United States Army from March of 1965 until February of 1968, was stationed mainly in Germany, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Born on December 3, 1944, and originally from Amityville, New York, he was graduated from Amityville High School in 1962. He resides in West Islip and is employed as a driver for Macy's.

## SALVATORE DePETRO, Buck Sergeant

Formerly of Staten Island, New York, Mr. DePetro was born on February 18, 1945, and was graduated from high school in 1963. He served from November of 1965 until November of 1967 with the 1st Cavalry, 15th Transportation Company, D Company of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in An Khe, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and two Overseas Bars as well. He resides in West Islip, and is employed as a repairman for New York Telephone Company.

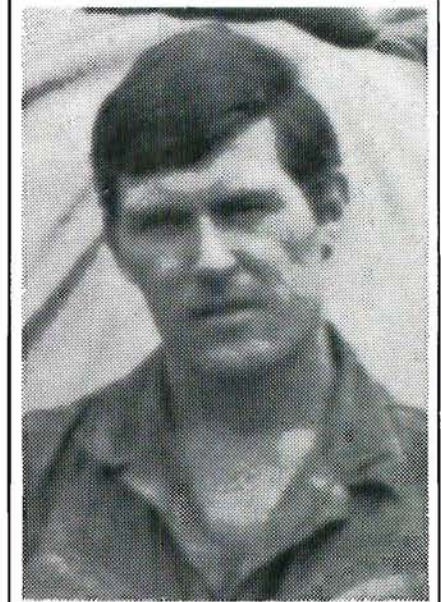
## ALFRED F. DePOLA, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal DePola served from October of 1960 until October of 1964, with the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Hawaii and at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Born on February 17, 1942, he resided in Brooklyn, New York, and was graduated from Franklin K. Lane High School in 1960. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed as a United Airlines Airport Agent.

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EMIDIO J. DeMARCO



JOHN C. DENEHAN



WAYNE DENNISTON



ALFRED F. DePOLA



SALVATORE DePETRO

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## LOUIS A. DeSANTIS, Sergeant

Sergeant DeSantis served with the 100th Strategic Air Command of the United States Air Force, from April of 1968 until January of 1972, and was stationed in Tucson, Arizona, Thailand, and Vietnam as well. Born on December 11, 1948, he was originally from Valley Stream, New York, where he was graduated from Valley Stream High School in 1967. He was also graduated from the University of Arizona in 1972, and in 1976 from Queensborough Community College. He resides in East Islip, and is employed in insurance.

## RICHARD N. DeSANTIS, Gunners Mate 2nd Class

Originally from Massapequa, New York, where he was graduated from Plainedge High School in 1965, Mr. DeSantis was born on September 23, 1947, and made his home in Bay Shore where he now resides. He served from July of 1966 until January of 1970 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Implicit, MSO-455, and with the River Division #533, and R.A.I.D. #71, was stationed in the Mekong Delta, South Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Navy Commendation Medal, and a Purple Heart as well. He was employed as a storeroom manager after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## NEIL DeVIVO, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c DeVivo served from March of 1966 until March of 1968 with the 3rd Battalion, 3rd Marines of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and received the Presidential Unit Citation, and a Purple Heart. Originally from Bay Shore, and currently residing in West Islip, he was born on January 30, 1945, and was graduated from Delahanty High School in 1962. He attended St. John's University, and has been employed with the New York City Department of Sanitation since his discharge from the service.

## CHARLES DEYHLE, Sergeant

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Deyhle was born on July 31, 1947, was graduated from Sanford H. Calhoun High School, Merrick, New York, in 1965, and from Long Island University in 1970. He served from February of 1971 until February of 1973 with A Company, 124th Signal Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Colorado Springs, Colorado, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He has been employed as a insurance claims supervisor since his separation from the Army. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ANTHONY J. DIAZ, Sergeant

Born on March 14, 1944, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Diaz was graduated from Aviation High School in 1962, and attended New York City Community College for three years. He served from July of 1968 until July of 1970 with A Company, Edgewood Arsenal Chemical Corps of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Maryland, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge. He currently resides in Brentwood and is employed as a sales manager. (Photograph unavailable.)

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LOUIS A. DeSANTIS



NEIL DeVIVO

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## ARMOND T. DIAZ, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on August 22, 1952, and originally from Elmont, New York, Mr. Diaz was graduated from Sewanhaka High School, Floral Park, New York, in 1970. He served from October of 1970 until March of 1974 with the 5th Division of the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Newport News, CA-148, and was stationed in the Caribbean and Mediterranean Seas, and in the Far East. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Combat Action Ribbon, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Navy Unit Commendation Medal. He resides in Islip, and became employed as a stockman for vending machines after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS DIBBLE, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Dibble was born on October 31, 1950, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1968. He served with B Company, 1st Battalion, 7th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army, from March of 1970 until December of 1971, was stationed primarily in Bien Hoa, South Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Medal, and two Army Commendation Medals. He became employed as a manufacturing supervisor for Dayton T. Brown, Inc., after his separation from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT DICE, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Central Islip, and born on December 29, 1944, Mr. Dice was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1963, in 1965 from Cobleskill Agricultural and Technical College, Cobleskill, New York, and from SUNY at Farmingdale, in 1979. He served from October of 1965 until October of 1967 with the 540th Transportation Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Qui Nhon, Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, and the Rifle Expert Badge. He currently resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as a pharmacy technician.

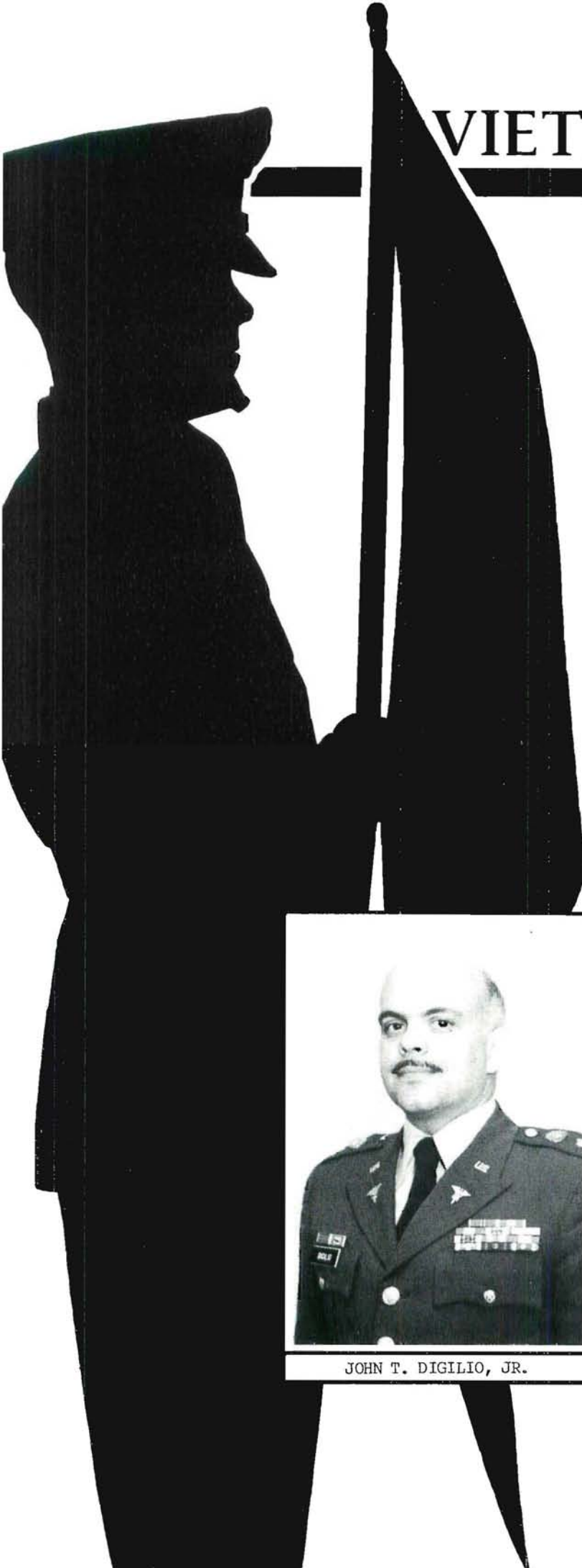
## THEODORE DIEUMEGARD, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Dieumegard served with Headquarters Battery, 4th Infantry Division Artillery, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army, from February of 1966 until January of 1969, was stationed mainly in Dak To, Kontum Province, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Medal for Heroism, and the Air Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster. Born on February 21, 1944, and originally from Copiague, New York, where he was graduated from Copiague High School in 1962, he resides in Bay Shore, and is employed as a carpenter.

## JOHN T. DIGILIO, JR., Lieutenant

A 1962 graduate of Bay Shore High School, Mr. Digilio was born on October 18, 1944, and is a longtime resident of Bay Shore. He served from September of 1969 through August of 1971 with the 95th Evacuation Hospital, (Semimobile), of the United States Army, was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam, and earned the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Meritorious Unit Citation, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Conspicuous Service Cross, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm. He was graduated from LaSalle College in 1967, from Wagner College in 1969, and is employed as a health care administrator.

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ROBERT DICE



JOHN T. DIGILIO, JR.



THEODORE DIEUMEGARD



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## JOHN DILEO, Machinist Mate 2nd Class

Originally from West Babylon, New York, where he was graduated from West Babylon High School in 1968, Mr. Dileo was born on April 18, 1950, and resides in Holtsville. He served from November of 1968 until November of 1972 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Bradley, DE-1041, and aboard the U.S.S. Osborn, DD-846, and was stationed primarily in San Diego, California. He earned the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, and the Combat Action Ribbon. He is employed as a mechanic for Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## RONALD J. DILEO, Sergeant

Born on May 13, 1946, and originally from Floral Park, New York, Mr. Dileo was graduated in 1964 from Floral Park Memorial High School, in 1973 from Nassau County Community College, and from New York Institute of Technology in 1978. He served from February of 1966 through May of 1969 with the Security Police Unit at Niagara Air Force Base, and with the 821st Combat Security Police Squadron of the United States Air Force at Phan Rang Air Force Base, and Tuy Hoa Air Force Base, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal. He resides in East Islip, and is a Sergeant with the Nassau County Police Department.

## ALLAN DILLENBECK, Boatswain Mate 2nd Class

A 1965 graduate of Long Beach High School, Long Beach, New York, Mr. Dillenbeck was born on August 27, 1947, and resided in Point Lookout, New York, before making his home in West Islip. He served from March of 1966 until March of 1970 with Squadron #1 of the United States Coast Guard, and with the 11th and the 13th Divisions in Vietnam. He was stationed in Atlantic City, New Jersey, Short Beach, New York, Shinnecock, New York, and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Navy Commendation Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He is employed as a New York City Firefighter. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALFRED DiMARTINO, Senior Master Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. DiMartino was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades in 1939, and is currently employed as an Inspector for Republic Aviation, and as an Electrical Contractor Building Plans Examiner for the Town of Islip. Born on October 28, 1922, and a World War II and Korean veteran as well, he served from 1942 until 1953 with the 514th Military Airlift, 335th Troop Carrier of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly at Mitchell Field, Long Island. He is merited with the Meritorious Service Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Air Force Commendation Medal.

## RALPH J. DiMASI, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c DiMasi served from August of 1966 until August of 1968 with Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Transportation School Brigade of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Eustis, Virginia. Formerly of Islip Terrace, and presently residing in Holtsville, he was born on June 25, 1946, and attended Thomas A. Edison High School. He is employed as an engineer for the Long Island Rail Road.

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RONALD J. DILEO



JOHN DILEO



ALFRED DIMARTINO



RALPH J. DIMASI

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## GEORGE DINTSBER, Boatswain Mate 3rd Class

Formerly of Queens, New York, Mr. Dinstber was born on December 29, 1944, received his equivalency diploma while in the Navy, and attended LaGuardia College for one year. He served from 1962 through 1966 with the Destroyer Escort #400 of the United States Navy, was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Hissem in the coastal waters of South Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed with the New York State Correction Department.

## MICHAEL W. DiPRESSO, Infantryman

Currently residing in Bayport, Mr. DiPresso served as an infantryman with the United States Army from August of 1970 until August of 1971 with D Company, 2/27th Infantry attached to the 25th Infantry Division from August of 1970 until December of 1970. He then served with D Company, 198th Infantry attached to the Americal Division, from December of 1970 through August of 1971.

## FREDERICK C. DITZLER, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Wantagh, New York, Mr. Ditzler was born on November 2, 1944, and was graduated from Wantagh High School in 1972. He served from August of 1965 until August of 1967 with the Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 5th Infantry Division (Mechanized) Artillery of the United States Army, was stationed mainly at Fort Carson, Colorado, and recieved the Good Conduct Medal. He is employed as an electrician, and resides in Islip.

## JOHN E. DOBBS, Airman 1st Class

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Dobbs was born on February 2, 1949, was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1969, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from 1969 until 1972 with the Tactical Fighter Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in New Mexico, Japan, Korea, Thailand, and Vietnam. He is employed with the Town of Islip's Economic Development Office.

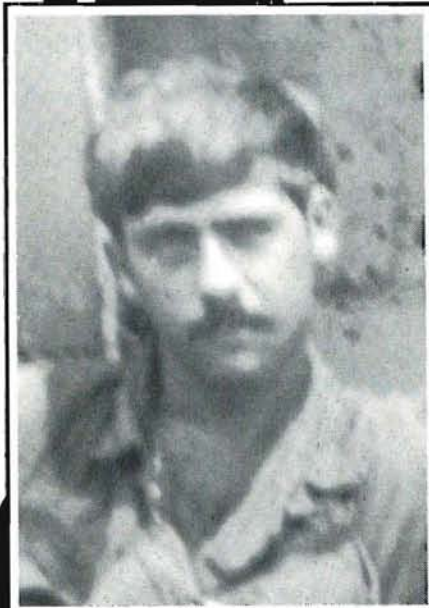
## KEITH W. DOBBS, Seaman Apprentice

Born on March 14, 1952, and originally from Central Islip where he was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1971, Mr. Dobbs resides in Selden, New York. He is employed as a part-time dispatcher and patrolman for the Town of Islip, Special Services Division, and also works for McPhilben Lighting, in Farmingdale. He served from July of 1971 through July of 1974 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Butte, AE-27, and was stationed at Norfolk, Virginia, in the Mediterranean Sea, and in Vietnam. He earned the Good Conduct Medal and two Vietnam Service Medals. (Photograph unavailable.)

## KEVIN J. DOBBS, Petty Officer 3rd Class/Radioman

A graduate of Central Islip High School, Mr. Dobbs was born on March 14, 1952, and currently resides in Mastic, New York. He served with the United States Navy from June of 1971 until June of 1975 aboard the U.S.S. Fiske, the U.S.S. Joseph P. Kennedy, the U.S.S. Coontz, and aboard the U.S.S. Donald B. Beary. He was stationed in Charlestown, Massachusetts, at Newport, Rhode Island, and at Norfolk, Virginia, and received the Vietnam Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. After the service he became employed with the Suffolk County Department of Public Works. (Photograph unavailable.)

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MICHAEL W. DIPRESSO



GEORGE DINTSBER



JOHN E. DOBBS



FREDERICK C. DITZLER

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## THOMAS A. DOBBS, Communications Technician 3rd Class

A 1969 graduate of Central Islip High School, Mr. Dobbs was born on June 28, 1950, and made his home in Shirley, New York, where he now resides. He served from July of 1969 until May of 1973 with the United States Navy, was stationed in Japan and Alaska, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, as well as Unit Citations. He is employed with the New York State Department of Transportation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALFRED N. DOBLER, Machinist Mate

Originally from Islip, and currently residing in Gordon, Georgia, Mr. Dobler was born on July 3, 1949, was graduated from Islip High School in 1968, and in 1975 from Suffolk County Community College. He served from 1970 until 1974 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Fiske, DD-842, and was stationed mainly at Newport, Rhode Island. He was honorably discharged, and is employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## BRUCE M. DOCHNAHL, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Dochnahl served from January of 1970 until November of 1971 with the 1st Battalion, 9th Marines, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in the Philippines, Japan, and Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam and the National Defense Service Medals. Born on December 7, 1949, he resided in East Islip where he attended East Islip High School. He resides in Islip, and is a locksmith.

## CHARLES R. DOCHNAHL, Sergeant

Sergeant Dochnahl served with D Company, 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry, 4th Infantry Division in Vietnam, and with B Company, 5th Battalion, 11th Infantry, 5th Infantry Division, at Fort Carson, Colorado, from May of 1968 until May of 1970. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Air Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge. Originally from East Islip, he was born on August 19, 1948, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1967. He resides in Old Bridge, New Jersey, and is employed as a supervisor of structures for Amtrak Railroad.

## CLIFFORD J. DOCHTERMANN, JR., Corporal

Born on March 17, 1945, and originally from Amityville, New York, where he was graduated from Amityville High School in 1962, Mr. Dochtermann made his home in East Islip where he currently resides. He served from 1965 until 1967 with the Receiving Company at Fort Ord, California, where he was stationed, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal and the Sharpshooter Badge. He attended Suffolk County Community College, and is employed as a carpenter.

## EDWARD J. DOERRBECKER, Airman 1st Class

Formerly of Carle Place, New York, Mr. Doerrbecker was born on January 4, 1942, was graduated from Carle Place High School in 1961, and in 1977 from Suffolk County Community College. He served from November of 1961 until November of 1965 with the TAC Command, 242nd Maintenance Company of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Da Nang Air Force Base, Vietnam, and earned the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award. He resides in Sayville and is a conductor for the Long Island Rail Road.

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ALFRED N. DOBLER



BRUCE M. DOCHNAHL



CHARLES R. DOCHNAHL



CLIFFORD J. DOCHTERMANN, JR.



EDWARD J. DOERRBECKER

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## DANIEL J. DOHERTY, Sergeant

Sergeant Doherty served from October of 1962 until October of 1964 with the 1/503rd Infantry, 173rd Airborne Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in Japan and Thailand, and is merited with Paratrooper Wings. He was born on August 14, 1942, and resided in Astoria, New York, before making his home in Central Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from William C. Bryant High School in 1960, and is employed as a cargo agent. (Photograph unavailable.)

## KENNETH S. DOLAN, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Bay Shore, and currently residing in Islip, Mr. Dolan was born on October 2, 1949, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1967, and attended Suffolk County Community College for two years. He served from June of 1971 until June of 1973, mainly with the 1st Air Mobile Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed in Colorado and in Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Air Medal. He is employed as a stationary engineer.

## STEPHEN A. DOLAN, Corporal

Corporal Dolan served from June of 1970 through May of 1972 with the 1st Battalion, 9th Marines, Headquarters Company of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed mainly in Okinawa, Japan. Born on September 20, 1950, he was graduated from General Douglas MacArthur High School, Levittown, New York, in 1968, attended SUNY at Farmingdale for two years, and in 1976 was graduated from New York Institute of Technology. He resided in Wantagh, New York, until he settled in East Islip. He has been employed with Fairchild Republic Company since his separation from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM A. DOLAN, JR., Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Dolan was born on March 20th, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1965. He served from August of 1966 through August of 1968 with Headquarters Battery, 4th A.D. Artillery, and was stationed in Zirndorf, Germany. He was graduated from a computer programmer school in 1966, and was employed as a maintenance mechanic after the service.

## HENRY J. DOLNY, Sergeant

Formerly of Brightwaters, and currently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Dolny was born on September 10, 1948, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1966, and from Empire State College in 1976. He served with the 1st Air Cavalry Division, A Company, 2nd Battalion, 7th Cavalry of the United States Army, from January of 1969 until July of 1970, and was stationed primarily in South Vietnam and Cambodia. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, and the Vietnam Service Medal as well. After the service he became employed as a court clerk.

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KENNETH S. DOLAN



HENRY J. DOLNY



WILLIAM A. DOLAN, JR.



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## LORAN J. DOMAGALA, E-5

Originally from Bay Shore where he was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1966, Mr. Domagala was born on March 27, 1948, and resides in New Canaan, Connecticut. He served from February of 1967 until February of 1971 with the United States Coast Guard, aboard the U.S.C.G.C. Dallas, WHEC-716, and aboard a river patrol boat of the United States Coast Guard, was stationed mainly in the Mekong Delta, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. He became employed in steel construction and excavation after his discharge from the service.

## PAUL T. DOMAGALA, Health Services Technician

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Domagala was born on October 7, 1950, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1968. He served from March of 1969 until March of 1973 with the United States Coast Guard aboard the U.S.C.G.C. Eagle, was stationed at the Naval Hospital in San Diego, California, and with the District Headquarters, Governors Island, New York. He received the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. He is employed by Entenmann's Bakery, is a volunteer firefighter, and a lifetime member of the Bay Shore-Brightwaters Rescue Ambulance. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM S. DOMAGALA, Specialist 4th Class

A 1964 graduate of Bay Shore High School, Mr. Domagala was born on January 19, 1947, and is a longtime resident of Bay Shore. He served from December of 1966 until December of 1968 with the 611th Ordnance Company, 191st Ordnance Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam. He was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1966, and has been employed as a plant operator of the Long Island Lighting Company since his separation from the service.

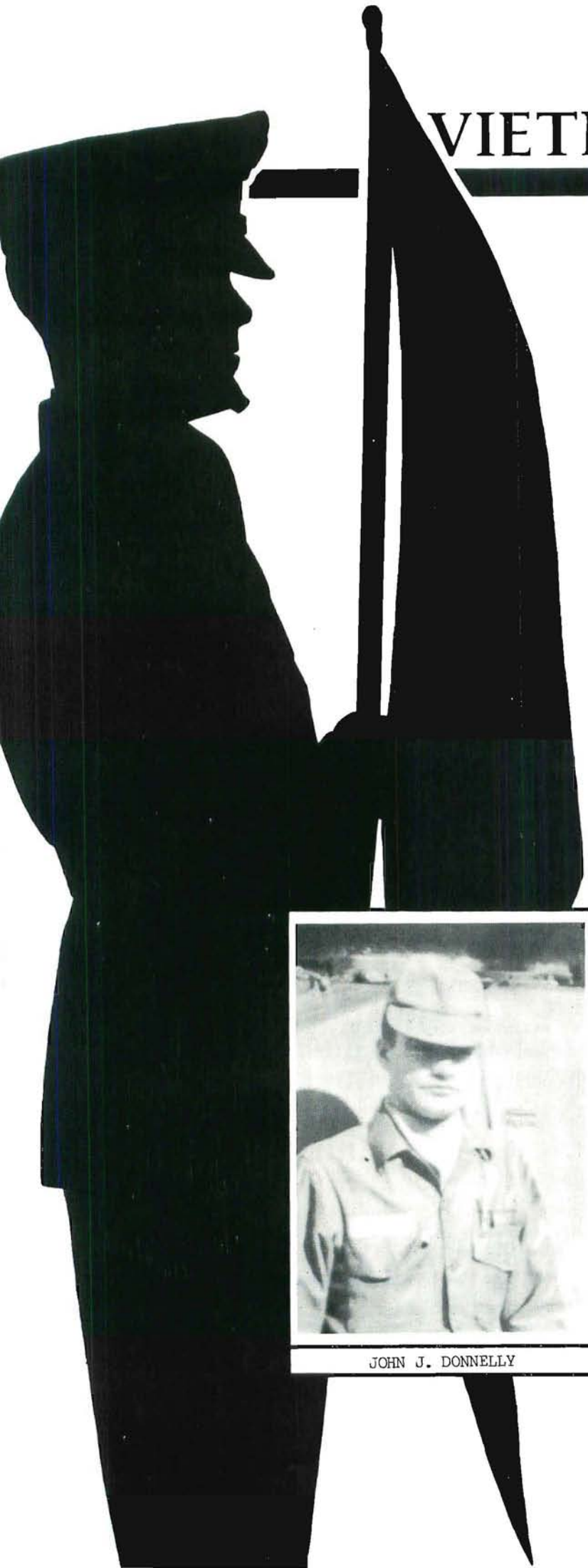
## JOSEPH P. DOMIANO, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Domiano served from May of 1966 until May of 1970 with Detachment #1, 428th Tactical Fighter Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed primarily at Nellis, Air Force Base, and Takhli Air Force Base. Born on March 11, 1945, and originally from Valley Stream, New York, he was graduated in 1963 from Valley Stream Central High School, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale. He resides in Hauppauge and is employed with the fleet service of an airline. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN J. DONNELLY, Specialist 5th Class

Born on November 1, 1940, and originally from Oakdale, Mr. Donnelly has since settled in Holbrook where he now resides. He served from March of 1966 until February of 1968 with C Company, 3rd Battalion, 37th Armor, 4th Armored Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Erlangen, Germany, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Rifle Marksman Badge, and the Pistol Expert Badge. He received his high school equivalency diploma while in the service, and became employed as a tile setter's helper, Local #88, after his discharge.

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LORAN J. DOMAGALA



JOHN J. DONNELLY



WILLIAM S. DOMAGALA

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## GREGORY L. DONOGHUE, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Oakdale, Mr. Donoghue was born on April 17, 1947, was graduated from Holy Cross High School in 1964, and in 1974 from Long Island University. He served from January of 1967 until January of 1971 with the 6921st Security Wing, and the 6940th Technical Training Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Misawa, Japan, and San Angelo, Texas, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Presidential Unit Citation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD J. DONOHUE, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Woodside, New York, Mr. Donohue was born on July 22, 1944, and was graduated from Machine and Metal Trades High School in 1963. He served from August of 1965 until July of 1967 with the 632nd Division, H.E.M. Company of the United States Army, was stationed mainly at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and in Saigon, Vietnam, and received the National Defense and the Vietnam Service Medals, the Bronze Star Medal, and the Marksman Badge. He resides in Bay Shore, and has been employed as a maintainer for the New York City Transit Authority since his dishcharge from the service.

## ALBERT J. DORING, Sergeant

Sergeant Doring served from August of 1967 until August of 1971 with the 20th Tactical Air Support Squadron, while in Da Nang, Vietnam, with the 35th Field Maintenance Squadron in Phan Rang, Vietnam, and with the 777th Tactical Airlift Squadron at Pope Air Force Base, North Carolina. His tour of duty also included Mildenhall Air Force Base, England, and Bardufoss Air Force Base, Norway, and he earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the American Defense Service Medal, the Marksmanship Badge, and the Good Conduct Medal as well. Born on June 10, 1948, he is originally from Copiague, New York, where he was graduated from Copiague High School in 1966. He resides in Islip, and is employed in sales.

## ALLAN M. DORMAN, Corporal

Born on March 31, 1951, and formerly of Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Dorman made his home in Ronkonkoma where he now resides. He served with the 1st Battalion, 26th Marines, and also with the 27th Marines of the United States Marine Corps, from May of 1967 through March of 1970, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with five campaign medals. He was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School, and has been employed as a construction worker, and with the United Parcel Service.

## LAWRENCE A. DOS SANTOS, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Dos Santos served from February of 1966 until February of 1968 with I Company, 3rd Battalion, 2nd Marines, 2nd Marine Division, and with C Company, 1st Battalion, 4th Marines, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and in Vietnam as well. Born on May 16, 1946, and originally from Levittown, New York, he was graduated from Division Avenue High School in 1964, from Nassau County Community College in 1969, and in 1972 from SUNY at Fredonia. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is an employment interviewer.

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GREGORY L. DONOGHUE



RICHARD J. DONOHUE



ALBERT J. DORING



ALLAN M. DORMAN



LAWRENCE A. DOS SANTOS

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## RICHARD DOUCET, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Richmond Hill, New York, Mr. Doucet was born on November 15, 1946, was graduated from Newtown High School in 1965, from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1967, and in 1970 from Texas A & M University. He served from May of 1970 until January of 1972 with the 304th Signal Battalion, C Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and received the Good Conduct Medal and the Korean Service Medal. He resides in Oakdale and is employed as a service manager.

## WILLIAM P. DOWLING, Specialist 4th Class

Currently residing in Central Islip, and formerly of Hicksville, New York, where he was graduated from Hicksville High School in 1965, Mr. Dowling was born on October 20, 1947, and was graduated from the School of Visual Arts in 1967. He served from April of 1968 until November of 1969 with C Company, 173rd Airborne Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Bong Son, and the central highlands of Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal. He has been employed as a technical illustrator prior to and following the service.

## JOHN S. DOWNS, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Downs served with B Company, 2nd Battalion, 133rd Infantry of the United States Army from February of 1963 until February of 1969, and was stationed mainly at Fort Carson, Colorado. Originally from Uniondale, New York, where he was graduated from Uniondale High School in 1961, he was born on December 6, 1943. He resides in Sayville, and is employed as an insurance adjuster. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD DRAGELAND, Sergeant

Sergeant Drageland served from February of 1966 until February of 1970 with the 5010th Air Force Hospital, with the Malcom Grow Air Force Hospital, and with the 12th Hospital of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Fairbanks, Alaska, Washington, D.C., and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Outstanding Unit Award with two Oak Leaf Clusters, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on November 29, 1946, he attended Fort Hamilton High School in Brooklyn, where he resided before making his home in Brentwood. He currently resides in East Islip, and is an airline worker.

## CHRISTOPHER F. DRAKE, Specialist 4th Class

A 1968 graduate of Bay Shore High School, Mr. Drake was born on July 8, 1949, resided in Brightwaters, and was graduated from Lincoln College, Lincoln, Illinois. He served from October of 1970 until April of 1972 with the 121st Signal Corps of the United States Army, and was stationed principally at Fort Riley, Kansas. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed as an insurance adjuster.

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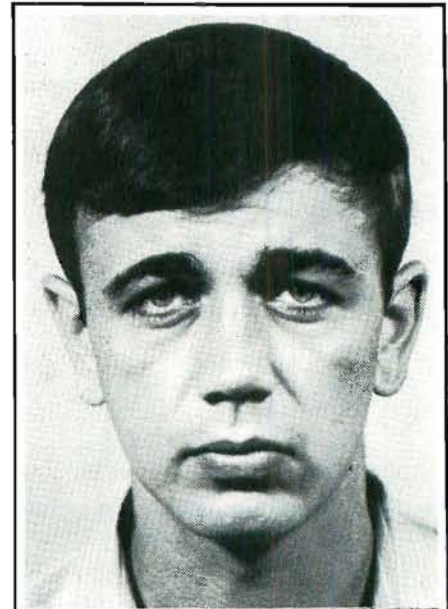
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CHRISTOPHER F. DRAKE



RICHARD DOUCET

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## EMMETT T. DRAKE, III, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Drake served with C Battery, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines of the United States Marine Corps from January of 1968 until August of 1969, and was stationed mainly in Da Nang, Vietnam. He received the Purple Heart, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Born on March 2, 1946, he resided in Brightwaters, and is a 1963 graduate of Bay Shore High School. He was also graduated from Southampton College, and currently resides in Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## KENNETH R. DRAYTON, Specialist 5th Class

Born on December 3, 1942, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Drayton was graduated from Rainbow City High School, Panama, and received his Bachelor of Arts degree from John Jay College of Criminal Justice in New York. He served from June of 1966 until June of 1968 with the 7th Battalion, 15th Artillery, S Battery of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and in Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal, and the Meritorious Service Medal. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is a police officer for the New York City Transit Police.

## LAWRENCE DRISCOLL, Private 1st Class

Private Driscoll served from May of 1970 through January of 1972 with the 17th Cavalry, Americal Division of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Chu Lai, and Da Nang, Vietnam, and is merited with the Purple Heart and the Army Commendation Medal. Born on March 6, 1950, and originally from Central Islip, he was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1968. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed as a security officer.

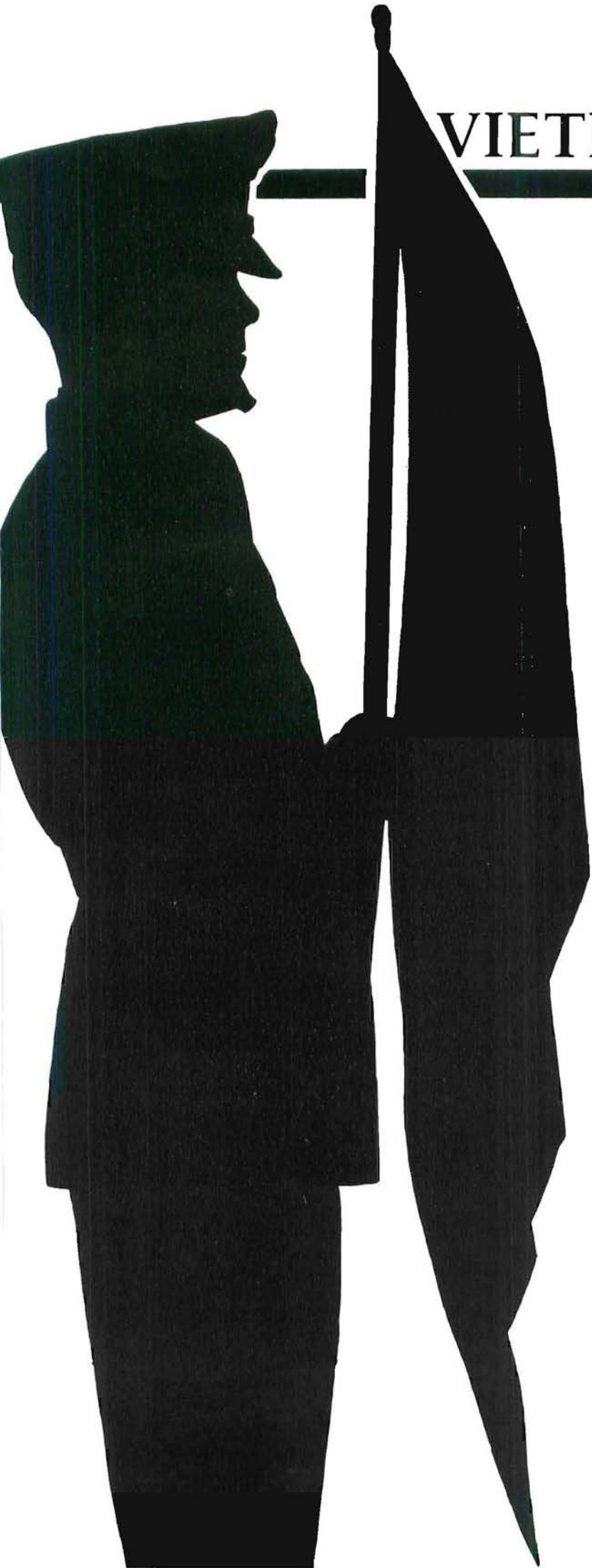
## JOHN W. DU BOIS, Lieutenant Junior Grade

Originally from Bayport, Mr. DuBois was born on March 7, 1942, was graduated from Bayport-Blue Point High School in 1960, and from SUNY at Plattsburgh in 1964. He served from September of 1964 until June of 1967 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Chipola, AO-63, and aboard the U.S.S. Elkhorn, AOG-7, was stationed in Hawaii as well as in Vietnam, and received several awards. He currently resides in Corpus Christi, Texas, and is employed as a Branch Manager for E.F. Hutton & Co. (Photograph unavailable.)

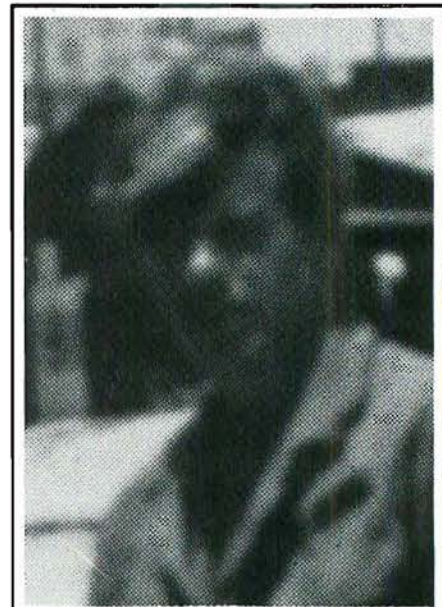
## THOMAS J. DUBRITZ, Sergeant

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from Fort Hamilton High School in 1967, Mr. Dubritz was born on September 16, 1949, and was graduated from Brooklyn College in 1977. He served from September of 1969 until March of 1972 with Headquarters & Headquarters Company, 4th Brigade, 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Hood, Texas, with the 5th Army. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal and the Soldier of God Citation Award. He is employed as an insurance contract specialist, and resides in Holbrook. (Photograph unavailable.)

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KENNETH R. DRAYTON



LAWRENCE DRISCOLL



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## DENNIS J. DUDLEY, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Dudley was born on July 17, 1950, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1969, and in 1970 from SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from September of 1970 until September of 1977 with the 6168th Combat Support Group at Taegu Air Force Base, Korea, and is merited with the Air Force Commendation Medal. He also served from November of 1979 until November of 1983 with the Air National Guard, and is currently an instructor for Suburban Technical School, Hauppauge.

## THOMAS R. DUFFY, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Petty Officer 3/c Duffy served from August of 1963 until August of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Frank E. Evans, DD-754, and was stationed in Long Beach, California, and in the Tonkin Gulf, Vietnam. He received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, and the National Defense Service Medal. He was born on May 6, 1946, and resided in West Islip where he was graduated from West Islip High School. He attended Renssalaer Polytechnic Institute, currently resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a truck driver.

## THOMAS DUGAN, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Originally from Brentwood, Mr. Dugan was born on January 1, 1954, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1972. In 1978 he received his Associate's degree from Tidewater Community College, his Bachelor of Business Administration in 1980 from Dowling College, and his Master of Business Administration in 1985, also from Dowling College. He served with the 75th Attack Squadron, aboard the U.S.S. Saratoga of the United States Navy from August of 1973 until July of 1977, and was stationed in Virginia Beach, Virginia, and in Mayport, Florida. He received the Distinguished Service Medal, and a letter of commendation. He is an accountant, and resides in Bay Shore.

## RAYMOND N. DUKARM, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Dukarm served from February of 1968 until December of 1969 with the 5th Communication Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on September 19, 1949, he resided in Lake Grove, New York, was graduated from Smithtown High School in 1967, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He resides in Holbrook, and is employed as an equipment operator.

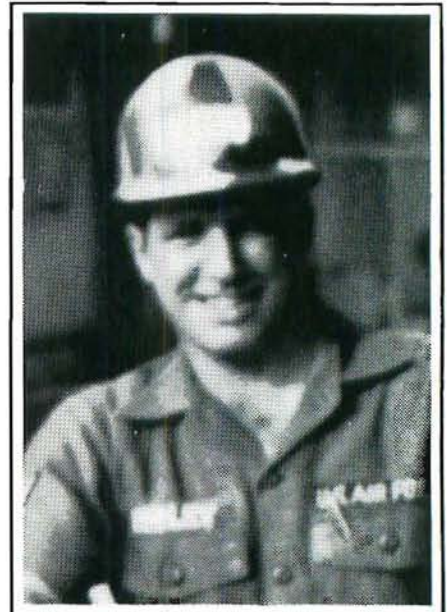
## MARCIAL B. DUMLAO, HMC/E-7

Born on August 22, 1931, Mr. Dumlaio resided in the Philippines at the time he served, and has since settled in Bohemia. He served aboard the U.S.S. Boyd, DD-454, West PAC, 3rd Marine Division, FMF PAC, of the United States Navy from January of 1954 through May of 1973. He was stationed in Korea, and as well as in Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals. He attended Botolan High School in the Philippines, and the University of Santo Thomas, Manila, Philippines, and is currently employed as a medical technologist. (Photograph unavailable.)

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THOMAS R. DUFFY



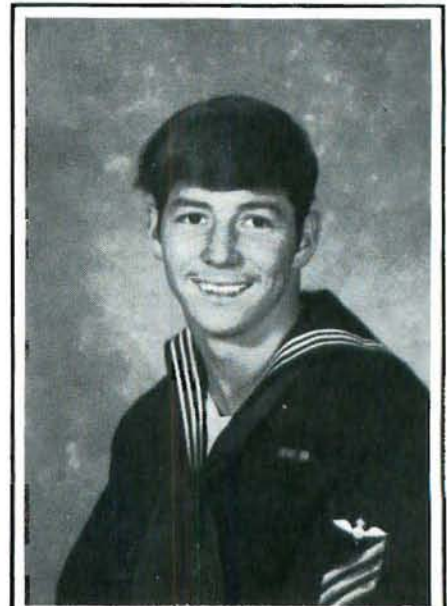
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## ANDREW DUSANENKO, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from East Meadow, New York, where he was graduated from East Meadow High School in 1965, Mr. Dusanenko was born on December 25, 1947, and was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1971. He served from August of 1967 until August of 1970 with the 1st Aviation Brigade of the An Khe Army Airfield Command, and was stationed in An Khe and Lai Khe, Vietnam. He resides in Bay Shore, and is a serviceman for Eastman Kodak Company.

## HAROLD J. DYCKA, Specialist 4th Class

A 1964 graduate of Copiague High School, Copiague, New York, Mr. Dycka was born on December 4, 1946, and is originally from Copiague. He served from October of 1966 until October of 1968 with the 3rd and the 7th Cavalry, A Troop of the United States Army, was stationed in Schwienfurt, Germany, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in West Sayville, and is employed as a stained glass artisan.

## RICHARD DZIEPAK, Sergeant

Sergeant Dziejpak served with the 1st Cavalry Division, 1st Brigade, 8th Battalion, D Company of the United States Army, from January of 1965 until January of 1967, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and is merited with the Parachutists Wings and the Air Medal. Born on July 25, 1944, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from St. John Kanty Prep High School in 1961, and attended New York Institute of Technology for three years. He is a police officer with the New York City Police Department, and resides in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

## STEVEN L. EASON, Sergeant

Sergeant Eason served from July of 1964 until August of 1970 with the 2/27, 25th Infantry Division Wolfhounds of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, Fort Hood, Texas, Hawaii, and in Vietnam as well. He received the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and a Purple Heart. Originally from Hempstead, New York, where he was graduated from Hempstead High School, he was born on April 2, 1946, and also attended Nassau County Community College. He is employed with the Nassau County Medical Center, and resides in Central Islip.

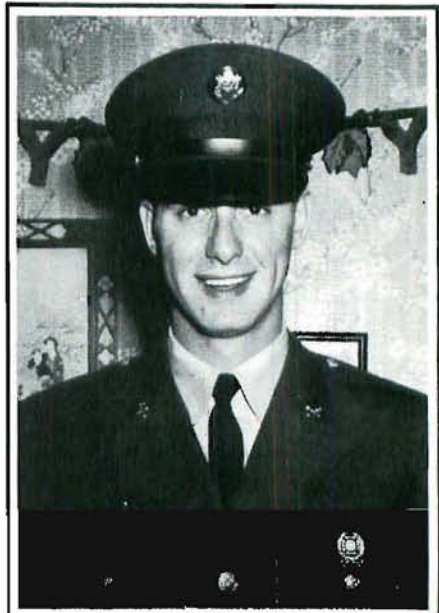
## ALLAN S. ECCLESTON, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Bay Shore, Mr. Eccleston was born on December 3, 1951, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1969. He served from March of 1970 until November of 1971 with the 1st Cavalry Division, 1st Battalion, 8th Cavalry, E Reconnaissance Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam. He is merited with the Army Commendation Medal, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and a Purple Heart. He resides in Port Jervis, New York, and owns a retail floor covering store.

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ANDREW DUSANENKO



HAROLD J. DYCKA



ALLAN S. ECCLESTON



STEVEN L. EASON

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## THOMAS F. EDWARDS, Constructionman

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Edwards was born on June 30, 1941, was graduated from Fort Hamilton High School, Brooklyn, in 1959, and in 1975 from New York Institute of Technology. He served from June of 1965 until June of 1967 with the MCB #7 of the United States Navy, was stationed in Spain and Vietnam, and is merited with the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Marine Combat Insignia. He resides in Islip and is a New York City Police Officer.

## ROBERT EERLAND, Engineman 3rd Class

Born on August 13, 1949, Mr. Eerland resided in Dix Hills, New York, and was graduated from Commack North High School in 1969. He served with the United States Coast Guard from July of 1969 until July of 1973, aboard the U.S.C.G.C., Cook Inlet, WHEC-384, was stationed mainly in Cam Rahn Bay, Saigon, Vietnam, and received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He is employed as a mechanic, and resides in Islip.

## GEORGE K. EGBERT, Chief Engineman

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Egbert was born on April 18, 1928, and attended Bay Shore High School from 1942 until 1946. A Korean veteran as well as a Vietnam veteran, he served primarily in Vietnam from March of 1946 until September of 1968, aboard the U.S.S. Neosho, aboard the U.S.S. Elokomin, and aboard the U.S.S. Sea Leopard of the United States Navy. He received the Good Conduct Medal during his Korean tour of duty, and since his discharge has been employed as a Technical Analyst for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. (Photograph unavailable.)

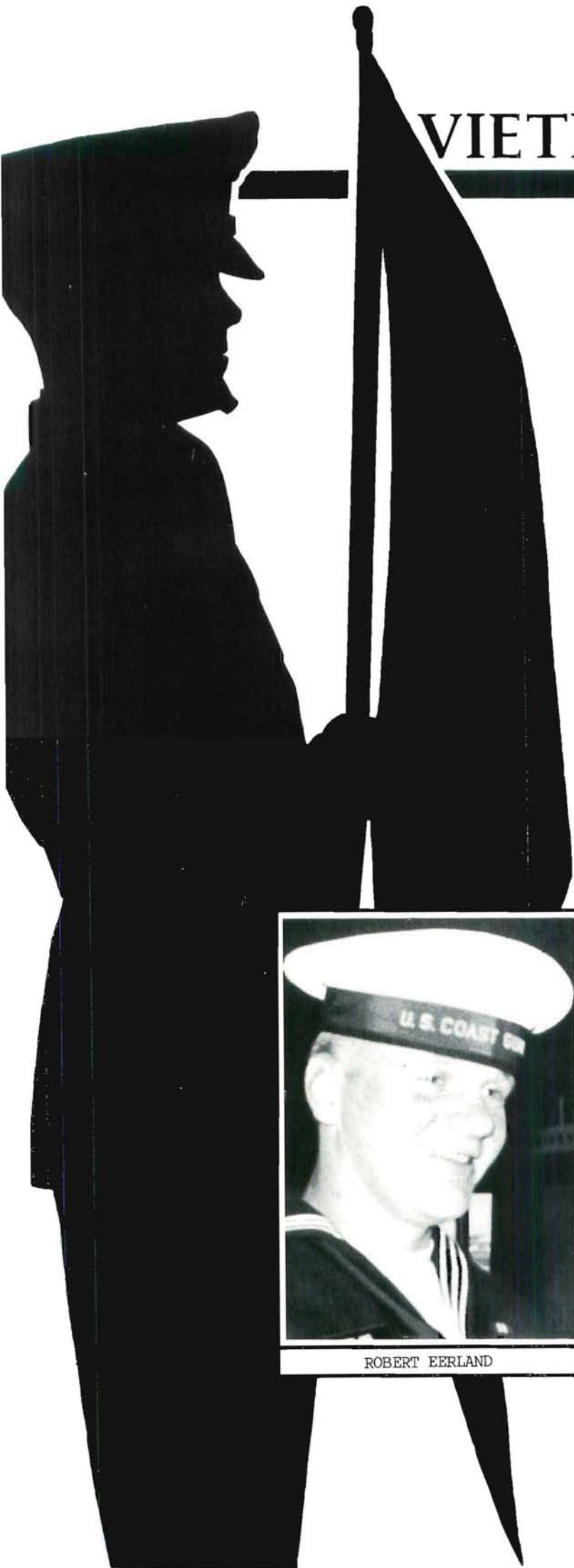
## PHILIP EHNES, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Ehnes served from August of 1965 until August of 1967 with the 4th Transportation Command, MAC-V, of the United States Army, was stationed overseas, and is merited with two Air Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Air Crewman's Badge. Born on June 19, 1944, and originally from New York City, he resided in Bay Shore for 17 years, and is employed as a sheet metal mechanic.

## JOHN R. ELARDI, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Lindenhurst, New York, where he was graduated from Lindenhurst High School, Mr. Elardi was born on February 9, 1946, and resides in Bay Shore. He served from December of 1965 until October of 1967 with A Company, 2nd Battalion, 3rd Infantry, 199th Infantry Brigade of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, Fort Benning, Georgia, and in Vietnam as well. He has been employed as a stock clerk for American Airlines since his separation from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

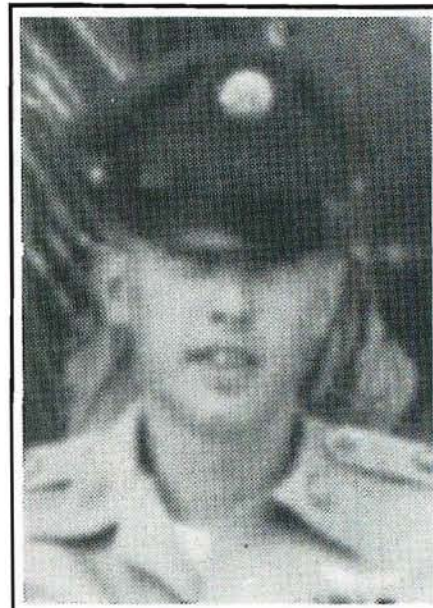
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THOMAS F. EDWARDS



ROBERT EERLAND



PHILIP EHNES

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## CHARLES W. ENNIS, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Born on December 19, 1947, and originally from North Babylon, New York, where he was graduated from North Babylon High School in 1967, Mr. Ennis made his home in East Islip. He served from July of 1968 until July of 1969 with the 1st Air Cavalry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam. He received the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Expert Rifle Badge, the Pistol Marksman Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He attended Suffolk County Community College, and is employed as a printer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## EDMUND M. ERCOLE, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Originally from Westbury, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Ercole was born on October 4, 1943, and was graduated in 1961 from W.T. Clarke High School, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from October of 1961 until October of 1964 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Sandoval, APA-194, was stationed in the Caribbean and Mediterranean Seas, in South America and in Latin America, and is merited with the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He also served in the United States Naval Reserves from October of 1964 until January of 1984. He is employed as a supervisor for the Long Island Lighting Company.

## ROBERT A. ERDMAN, Specialist 5th Class

A 1968 graduate of Connetquot High School, Mr. Erdman was born on April 24, 1950, and resided in Ronkonkoma before making his home in Bohemia. He served from December of 1969 until October of 1971 with H&H Company, 1/5020 Infantry, 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Camp Hochmuth, Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and the Rifle Expert Badge. He also attended SUNY at Farmingdale, and is employed as a mechanic.

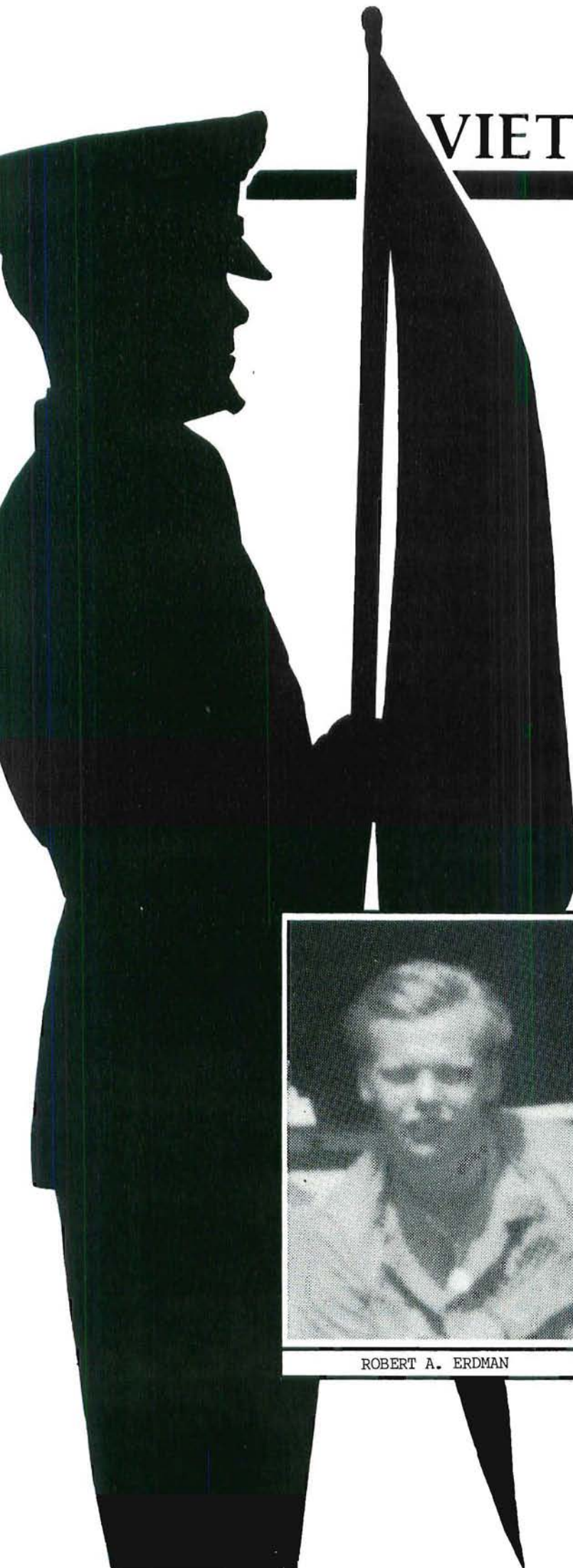
## KARL K. ERIKSEN, Radioman 2nd Class

Formerly of Babylon, New York, where he was graduated from Babylon High School in 1966, Mr. Eriksen was born on March 26, 1948, and was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1978. He served from July of 1966 until April of 1970 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Clark County, LST-601, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed as an electronic technician for 3M Company.

## JAMES ERVIN, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Ervin served from October of 1960 until October of 1968 with the 801st Headquarters Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed mainly at Lockbourne Air Force Base, Ohio, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. He was born on February 6, 1941, and resided in South Carolina before making his home in Bay Shore. He was graduated from Schofield High School in 1960, received his Bachelor of Science degree from Adelphi University in 1973, his Master of Science degree in 1975 from C.W. Post College, and his Master of Arts degree in 1976 from SUNY at Stonybrook. He is employed as a teacher for the Bay Shore Union Free School District. (Photograph unavailable.)

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EDMUND M. ERCOLE



ROBERT A. ERDMAN



KARL K. ERIKSEN





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## JOSE ESCUDERO, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Originally from New York City, Mr. Escudero was born on January 29, 1944, and made his home in Bay Shore where he now resides. He began serving in June of 1964 with the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Saigon, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Parachutists Badge, the Rifle Expert Badge, three Overseas Ribbons, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He has been employed as a mechanic since his separation from the service.

## KENNETH G. EURING, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Euring served with the 301st Air Refueling Wing of the United States Air Force from January of 1966 until May of 1969, and was stationed mainly at Lockbourne Air Force Base, Ohio. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on June 28, 1946, he resided in West Sayville and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1965. He currently resides in East Islip and is employed as an aircraft mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RODNEY E. EVE, Sergeant

Born on August 23, 1947, Mr. Eve resided in Lindenhurst, New York, where he was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1965. He served from May of 1968 until May of 1970 with the 7th Armored Squadron, 17th Air Cavalry, 1st Aviation Brigade of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Pleiku and Qui Nhon, Vietnam. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Army Commendation Medal, the Air Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. In 1967 he was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale, received his Bachelor of Business Administration from Hofstra University in 1976, and in 1980 received his Master of Business Administration, also from Hofstra. He resides in West Islip, and is employed as a bank representative. (Photograph unavailable.)

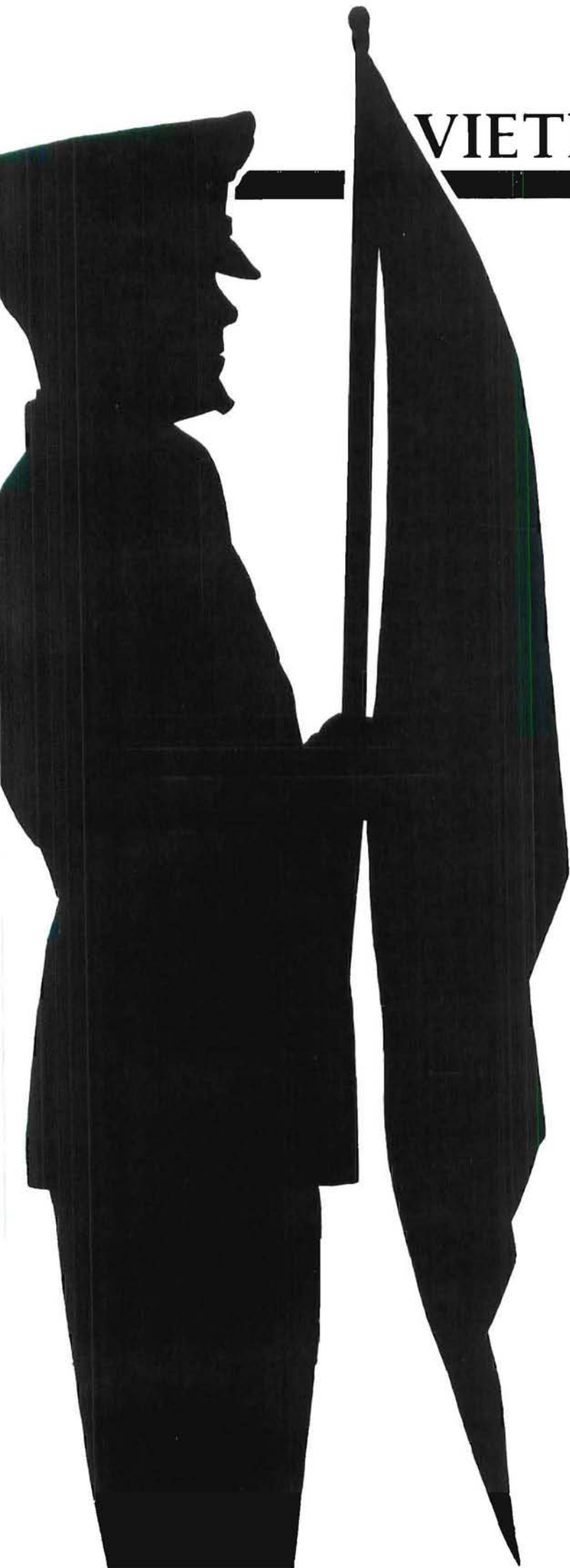
## RICHARD C. FABY, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Faby served from January of 1968 until January of 1970 with the 1st Battalion, 16th Infantry, 1st Infantry Division, and with the 5th Battalion, 60th Infantry, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Air Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge. Originally from West Babylon, New York, he was graduated from West Babylon High School in 1965, and also attended Suffolk County Community College. He was born on May 22, 1947, resides in Bay Shore, and is employed with New York Telephone Company.

## JOHN FALLON, Aviation Electricians Mate 3rd Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, where he was graduated from Cardinal Hayes High School in 1961, Mr. Fallon was born on March 30, 1944, and resides in West Islip. He was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale, attended New York Institute of Technology, and is employed as an electronic technician for 3M Company. He served from February of 1963 until February of 1967 with the United States Navy, was stationed in California, and Florida, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

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JOSE ESCUDERO, JR.



RICHARD C. FABY, JR.

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## DOMINICK L. FANELLI, Sergeant

Originally from Astoria, New York, Mr. Fanelli was born on February 15, 1945, and was graduated from Long Island City High School in 1962. He served from May of 1963 until August of 1966 with the 3560th Platoon Training Wing, 12th Ordnance Maintenance Squadron, 557th Tactical Fighter Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Texas, Thailand, and in Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is employed as an aircraft mechanic.

## LOUIS R. FANELLI, Electronics Specialist 4th Class

Born on October 16, 1946, Mr. Fanelli resided in Astoria, New York, before making his home in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He served with the United States Army from July of 1966 until July of 1968, was stationed in Bremerhaven and Frankfurt, Germany, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, as well as a Letter of Commendation, and a Letter of Appreciation. He was graduated from Long Island City High School in 1966, and is employed as an account executive.

## THOMAS J. FANNING, Corporal

Corporal Fanning served from August of 1966 through April of 1970 with the M.A.B.S.-11 of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed chiefly in Da Nang, Vietnam. Born on January 8, 1948, and originally from Uniondale, New York, where he was graduated from Uniondale High School, he settled in West Islip, and is employed as a mechanic.

## WILLIAM J. FANNING, Corporal

Formerly of Oakdale, and presently residing in Holtsville, Mr. Fanning was born on July 2, 1949, and was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1967. He served with the 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines, K Company of the United States Marine Corps, from November of 1967 until November of 1971, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and earned the Vietnam Service Medal, the Combat Action Ribbon, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He is currently Director of Operations for Barrie House Coffee Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES D. FARRELL, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Farrell served from November of 1967 until November of 1969 with C Battery, 6th Battalion, 15th Artillery, 23rd Artillery Group of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and in Vietnam, and received the Army Commendation Medal. Born on June 25, 1948, he resided in Bayport where he was graduated from Bayport-Blue Point High School in 1966. He attended Suffolk County Community College, resides in Latham, New York, and is employed as a lineman for New York Telephone Company.

## THOMAS J. FARRELL, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bayport, Mr. Farrell was born on February 5, 1947, was graduated from Bayport-Blue Point High School in 1965, and in 1976 from Suburban Technical Institute. He served from July of 1966 until July of 1969 with the 25th Infantry Division, 3rd Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry. He is employed as a computer engineer.

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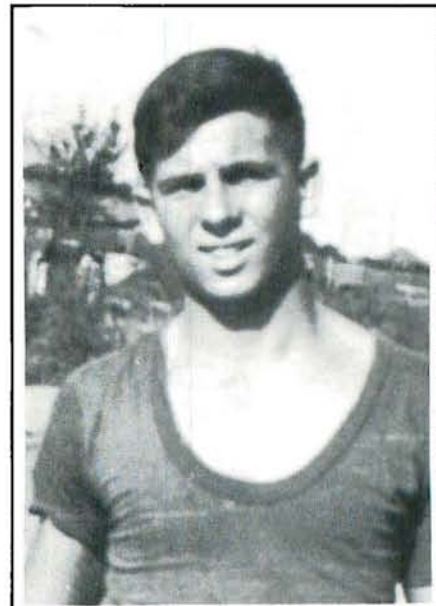
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THOMAS J. FARRELL

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## JAMES FARRLLEY, Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of Ronkonkoma, Mr. Farrlley was born on January 20, 1948, was graduated from Seton Hall High School in 1965, and in 1967 from Suffolk County Community College. He served from May of 1968 until December of 1969 with the 1st Administration Company, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters. He is employed as a delivery driver for the United Parcel Service.

## JOSEPH FASS, Machinist Mate 2nd Class

Originally from Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Fass was born on April 6, 1943, and was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School in 1961. He served with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Enterprise, CVA-65, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in West Islip and has been employed with the New York City Department of Sanitation for 15 years.

## THOMAS J. FEDERICO, JR., Buck Sergeant

Born on August 16, 1945, and a longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Federico was graduated from East New York Vocational and Technical High School. He began serving in July of 1963 with the Naval Mobile Construction Battalion #4 of the United States Navy, was stationed in Chu Lai, and Da Nang, Vietnam, during his Vietnam tour of duty, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He is still in the Navy. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN T. FELDBUSCH, Rank Unknown

A resident of Sayville, and a graduate of Sayville High School, Mr. Feldbusch was born on August 14, 1950. He served until May of 1970 with the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Rexburg. He passed away on July 14, 1970. (Photograph unavailable.)

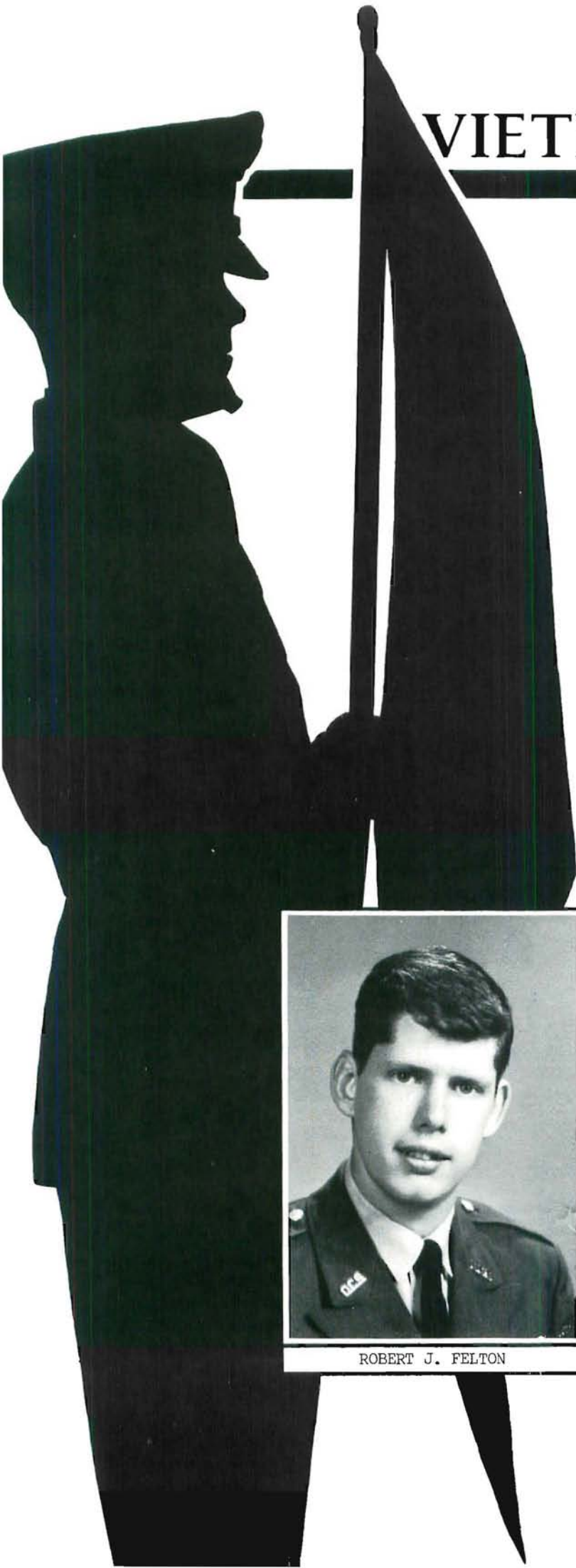
## RICHARD FELEPPA, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Feleppa served from February of 1964 until February of 1966 with C Company, 26th Battalion, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, as well as in Kansas at Fort Riley, and at Fort Gordon, Georgia. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge. Born on August 19, 1944, he resided in Glen Cove, New York, and was graduated from Glen Cove High School in 1962. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and had been a Letter Carrier for the United States Postal Service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT J. FELTON, Lieutenant

Lieutenant Felton served from September of 1966 until September of 1968 with B Troop, 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and the Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, a Purple Heart, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on May 16, 1947, he resided in Deer Park, New York, was graduated from Deer Park High School, attended SUNY at Farmingdale, Queens College, and New York University, resides in Bay Shore, and is employed with New York Telephone Company.

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JAMES FARRLEY



ROBERT J. FELTON



JOSEPH FASS

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## ERNEST R. FENTON, Lieutenant

Originally from Islip, where he was graduated from Islip High School in 1964, Mr. Fenton was born on June 24, 1946, and was graduated from Clarkson College of Technology in 1968. He served from July of 1968 until January of 1972 with the United States Navy Seabees Construction Battalion #3, Stat Team 0313, was stationed in Kien Phong Province, Vietnam, and is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation. He resides in Topsfield, Massachusetts and is employed in computer sales. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN R. FENTON, Major

Born on June 24, 1946, Mr. Fenton resided in Islip, where he was graduated from Islip High School in 1964. He has served since July of 1968, and during his Vietnam tour served with the HMM-161, 1st Marine Medium Helicopter Squadron #161, of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Vietnam, and aboard the U.S.S. Iwo Jima, and received the Navy Commendation Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal. In 1968 he was graduated from SUNY at Cortland. He is currently a pilot in the United States Marine Corps, and resides in Irvine, California.

## RAYMOND FERNANDEZ, Corporal

Corporal Fernandez served from April of 1966 until March of 1969 with A Company, 1st Battalion, 26th Marines, and with H&S Company, 1st Battalion, 26th Marines, and also with S Company, Headquarters Battalion, 1st Marine Division of the United Marine Corps, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with two Presidential Unit Citations. Born on August 21, 1946, he resided in New York City where he was graduated from Central Commercial High School in 1965. In 1978 he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College, and from New York Institute of Technology in 1981. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as an assistant vice president for Citibank. (Photograph unavailable.)

## BERNARD FERRACANE, Sergeant

Sergeant Ferracane served with the United States Air Force from December of 1962 through September of 1966, was stationed in Texas, Tennessee, Japan and Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on October 24, 1943, was graduated from New Utrecht High School in 1960, and currently resides in East Islip. He is employed as an appliance mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WINSTON F. FEURTADO, Lieutenant

Formerly of Quincy, Massachusetts, where he was graduated from North Quincy High School in 1961, Mr. Feurtado was born on June 1, 1943. He served with the United States Navy from May of 1966 through October of 1970 with the Communications Department aboard the attack aircraft carrier, Kitty Hawk, CVA-63, and with the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations at the Pentagon, Washington, D.C. He received the National Defense Service Medal, and two Presidential Unit Citations. In 1965 he was graduated from Bentley College of Accounting and Finance, and in 1970 from American University, Graduate School, Washington, D.C. He resides in Oakdale, and is the Director of Finance and Comptroller for the Town of Islip.

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JOHN R. FENTON



WINSTON F. FEURTADO



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## DONALD L. FIALA, Radioman 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Fiala was born on June 21, 1948, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1967. He served from July of 1967 until April of 1971 with the Naval Communication Station, Stockton, California, and with the Beachmasters Unit #1, Western Pacific Division of the United States Navy, was stationed in Japan and California, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. He is employed with Fairchild Republic Company.

## RAYMOND E. FIFIELD, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Born on January 9, 1947, and a longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Fifield was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1966. He served with the Reliable 14th Transportation Battalion, Mission 1st Highlanders, 604th Transportation Company of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Pleiku, Vietnam. He has been employed as a cable splicer for New York Telephone Company since his separation from the service.

## LUIS E. FIGUEROA, Sergeant

Sergeant Figueroa served with A Company, 4th Battalion, 12th Infantry, 199th Infantry Brigade of the United States Army, from February of 1966 until February of 1968, and was stationed mainly in Long Bien, South Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on January 2, 1945, he resided in San German, Puerto Rico, before making his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He was graduated from Warren Harding High School, Bridgeport, Connecticut, in 1964, and is employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## JAMES J. FINKLE, Sergeant

Originally from Central Islip, Mr. Finkle was born on January 3, 1950, was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1968, and in 1976 from the University of Maine. He served from July of 1968 until July of 1972 with the United States Air Force, was stationed in Korea, Thailand, Vietnam, Okinawa, and in Arizona, and is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation. He resides in Smithtown, New York, and is employed as a town manager.

## THOMAS J. FINN, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Jericho, New York, Mr. Finn was born on November 25, 1941, and was graduated from Carle Place High School in 1960. He served from October of 1966 until November of 1968 with the 69th Signal Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Phu Bai, Vietnam, and received the Expert Rifle Badge. He resides in West Islip and is employed as an electrical technician for the Long Island Lighting Company.

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DONALD L. FIALA



RAYMOND E. FIFIELD, JR.



LUIS E. FIGUEROA



JAMES J. FINKLE



THOMAS J. FINN

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## JOHN P. FIUMANO, Engineman 3rd Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Fiumano was born on January 21, 1948, was graduated from Erasmus Hall High School in 1965, and in 1980 from C.W. Post College. He served from August of 1969 until October of 1970 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Bugara, SS-331, and was stationed mainly at Port Loma, California. He currently resides in West Islip and is the President of International Media Concepts, Inc. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DAVID FITTON, Private 1st Class

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Fitton was born on October 24, 1937, and was graduated from Massapequa High School. He served from September of 1961 until September of 1963 with the 3rd Infantry Division, 3rd Medical Battalion, C Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Germany. He has been employed as a mason contractor since his separation from the service.

## RICHARD FLATLEY, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Flatley served from August of 1967 until April of 1969 with the 1st Marine Division, 5th Marines, and with H&S Company, 1st Medical Battalion, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal with two Service Stars, the Combat Action Ribbon, and the Meritorious Unit Citation. Originally from Sayville, he was born on July 7, 1949, and was graduated from Connetquot High School and from Dowling College. He resides in California, and is employed as supervisor of Juvenile Hall, Probation Department of the Sheriff's Department, Sonoma County, California.

## JOHN M. FLEIG, Electricians Mate 3rd Class

Born on November 30, 1952, Mr. Fleig resided in Islip, and was graduated from St. John the Baptist High School in 1970. He served from October of 1971 until October of 1975 with the United States Coast Guard, and was stationed in Virginia, and New York. He passed away on August 4, 1976.

## ROBERT V. FLEMING, Specialist 5th Class

A 1962 graduate of Bayport High School, Mr. Fleming was born on July 4, 1944, and is a longtime resident of Bayport. He served with I Company, 2nd Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He is currently a carpenter foreman for the Long Island Railroad.

## RAYMOND P. FLILLER, JR., Sonarman 2nd Class

Formerly of Farmingdale, New York, Mr. Fliller was born on January 17, 1945, and was graduated from Plainedge High School in 1963. He served from February of 1965 until February of 1969 with the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Intrepid, CVS-11, was stationed mainly in the South China Sea, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He is employed as a director of operations, and resides in Bay Shore.

# VIETNAM VETERANS



DAVID FITTON



RICHARD FLATLEY



JOHN M. FLEIG



ROBERT V. FLEMING



RAYMOND P. FLILLER, JR.

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## DONALD FLIPPEN, JR., Corporal

Corporal Flippen served from May of 1968 through March of 1970 with the 9th Marines, of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed principally in Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, the Combat Action Ribbon, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Born on November 28, 1948, he resided in Bay Shore and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1967, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He resides in Brentwood, and is a therapy aide for Pilgrim Psychiatric Center.

## JAMES T. FLYNN, Sergeant

Originally from Brightwaters, and presently residing in Islip, Mr. Flynn was born on April 13, 1947, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1965, and in 1969 from Georgetown University. He served from May of 1970 until January of 1972 with A Company, 5/46 Infantry, 198th Infantry Brigade, Americal Division of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Chu Lai, Vietnam. He received the Combat Infantry Badge, the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal. He has been employed in restaurant management since his discharge from the service.

## JOHN L. FODROWSKI, Specialist 4th Class

Born on July 4, 1946, Mr. Fodrowski resided in Queens Village, New York, and was graduated from Delahanty High School, Jamaica, New York, in 1964. He served from May of 1966 until May of 1968 with A Battery, 2nd and 4th Artillery, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Kansas, Tennessee, and in Vietnam as well. He is a lineman for New York Telephone Company, and resides in Brentwood.

## JAMES FOLLMER, Boatswain Mate 3rd Class

Formerly of Bay Shore, Mr. Follmer was born on March 18, 1947, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1965. In 1977 he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College, and also attended Dowling College. He served with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Henry B. Wilson, DDG-7, was stationed mainly off the coast of Vietnam, and is merited with three Bronze Star Medals, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Combat Action Ribbon, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as a mental hygiene therapy aide.

## GEORGE FONTAINE, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Fontaine served from October of 1966 until October of 1968 with A Company, 519th Military Police Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly at Fort Dix, New Jersey. Originally from Rockville Centre, New York, where he was graduated from South Side Senior High School in 1965, he was born on January 11, 1947, and currently resides in West Islip. He has been a police officer since his separation from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

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JAMES T. FLYNN



DONALD FLIPPEN, JR.



JOHN L. FODROWSKI



JAMES FOLLMER

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## WILLIAM A. FORAN, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Originally from Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Mr. Foran was born on June 5, 1949, and was graduated from William H. Hall High School, West Hartford, Connecticut, in 1967, and from Central Connecticut State College, New Britain, Connecticut, in 1975. He served with B Company, Naval Mobile Construction Battalion #5, of the United States Navy, was stationed at Port Hueneme, California, and in South Vietnam, from December of 1967 until October of 1970. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resides in Hauppauge and is employed as an assistant bond manager with Hartford Insurance Group.

## GARY W. FORD, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Ford served from June of 1967 until March of 1969 with the 44th A.P.U., II Field Forces of the United States Army, was stationed in Long Binh, Vietnam, and received the Army Commendation Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal. Born on May 9, 1947, and originally from Glen Head, New York, he was graduated from St. Dominic High School, Oyster Bay, New York, in 1965, from St. John's University in 1966, and in 1970 from Bridgeport University. He is employed as an electrician and resides in East Islip.

## RICHARD J. FORD, Sergeant

Sergeant Ford served from November of 1969 until November of 1972 with the Marine Air Squadron, REN #4, MABS II, MAG II, 3rd Marine Air Wing, and Marine Air Group #16, of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed chiefly in Vietnam. He earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Meritorious Unit Citation, the Vietnam Civil Action Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Queens, New York, he was born on March 20, 1950, and was graduated from Thomas A. Edison High School in 1969. He resides in Sayville and is employed as New York City Firefighter.

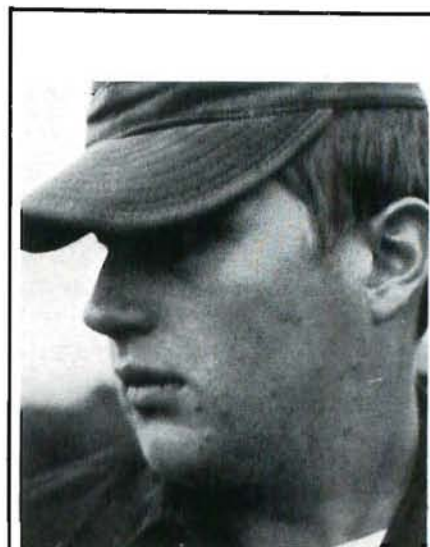
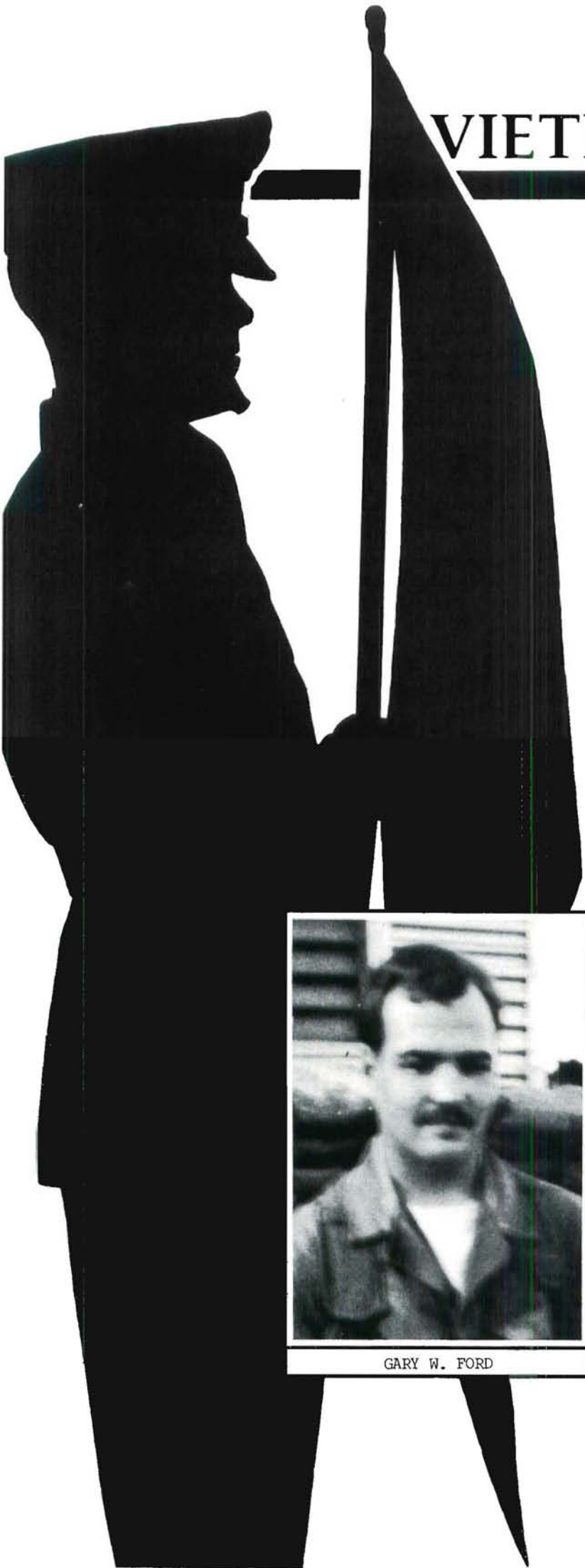
## WILLIAM T. FORD, Specialist 4th Class

Born on July 16, 1944, and originally from Great River, Mr. Ford was graduated from East Islip High School in 1962. He served from September of 1965 through September of 1967 with the 5th RRW and 82nd Airborne of the United States Army, and was stationed in Thailand and the surrounding areas. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as a receiving clerk. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRASER P. FORDE, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Hempstead, New York where he was graduated from Hempstead High School in 1961, Mr. Forde was born on November 24, 1943, and was graduated from Hofstra University in 1965. He served from October of 1965 until September of 1967 with the 33rd Infantry Platoon Scout Dog of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Pleiku, Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Overseas Ribbon, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He has been employed in banking since the service, and currently resides in Central Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

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WILLIAM A. FORAN



GARY W. FORD



RICHARD J. FORD



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## NICHOLAS FORLANO, JR., Petty Officer 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Forlano was born on October 9, 1949, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1968. He served from February of 1969 until November of 1970 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Coontz, DLG-9, and was stationed mainly in San Diego, California. He is merited with the Vietnam Expeditionary Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Combat Infantry Medal. He has been employed in construction since his separation from the service.

## MICHAEL FORREST, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Brentwood, and currently residing in Bohemia, Mr. Forrest was born on November 8, 1946, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964. He served from August of 1966 until August of 1968 with the 537th P.S.C. of the United States Army, was stationed in Bien Hoa, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and an Overseas Ribbon. He has been employed as a tree trimmer since his discharge from the Army. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CLAYTON E. FOUNTAIN, JR., Aviation Ordnanceman

A 1968 graduate of Bay Shore High School, Mr. Fountain was born on January 9, 1949, and resided in Bay Shore before making his home in Central Islip where he currently resides. He served with the Air Anti Submarine Squadron #28 aboard the U.S.S. Wasp, aboard the U.S.S. Intrepid, and aboard the U.S.S. Saratoga of the United States Navy, from June of 1968 until April of 1974, and was stationed principally at the U.S. Naval Air Station, Quonset Point, Rhode Island. He earned the Navy Unit Commendation Medal and the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal while in the service. Following his discharge he became employed with the Department of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs of the Town of Islip.

## JOHN J. FOX, Sergeant

Sergeant Fox served from August of 1968 through March of 1972 with the Tactical Airlift Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed mainly at Son Tra Air Force Base, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Central Islip, he was born on September 14, 1949, and was graduated from Half Mile Road High School in 1968. He resides in Ronkonkoma.

## WALTER D. FOX, Specialist 4th Class

Born on January 26, 1946, Mr. Fox resided in Hicksville, New York, before making his home in Bay Shore where he now resides. He served from March of 1967 until March of 1969 with the 57th Transportation Company of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Dong Ha, Vietnam. He has been employed as an operating engineer since the service.

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NICHOLAS FORLANO, JR.



CLAYTON E. FOUNTAIN, JR.



JOHN J. FOX



WALTER D. FOX

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## KEVIN D. FOY, Corporal

Corporal Foy served from April of 1968 until March of 1970 with the 1st Battalion, 11th Marines of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Vietnam. Originally from Valley Stream, New York, where he was graduated from Valley Street North High School, he was born on April 4, 1948. He was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale, and is employed as a heavy equipment mechanic. He currently resides in Central Islip.

## ROLAND FRANK, Sergeant

Originally from Brentwood where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1969, Mr. Frank was born on December 3, 1951, and was graduated from New York Institute of Technology in 1981. He served from March of 1971 until December of 1974 with the United States Air Force Medical Center at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio. He is employed as a medical technologist and resides in Ronkonkoma.

## ROBERT S. FREDERICK, Lieutenant

Lieutenant Frederick served with the United States Marine Corps, and was believed to be the first to be wounded in action in Vietnam from this area. He was wounded in May of 1966, and resided in Sayville. (Photograph unavailable.)

## PETER J. FREEMAN, Master Sergeant

Sergeant Freeman served with the 377th Combat Support Group of the United States Air Force, from October of 1964 until October of 1968, and was stationed at Chanute Air Force Base, Illinois, Suffolk County Air Force Base, New York, and at Tan Son Nhut Air Force Base, Vietnam. He is merited with the Air Force Commendation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam and the National Defense Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on July 9, 1943, he resided in California before making his home in Islip. He was graduated from Cudahy High School, Cudahy, Wisconsin, in 1961, attended City College, San Francisco, California, and Suffolk County Community College, was graduated from Dowling College in 1972, and received his Master of Arts degree in 1977 from Adelphi University. He is employed as a teacher for the Lindenhurst Public Schools.

## ROBERT A. FREEMAN, Master Sergeant

A Korean veteran as well as a Vietnam veteran, Mr. Freeman was born on June 22, 1934. Residing in Whitefield, Maine, during the Korean era, he currently resides in Brentwood. He served from December of 1951 until June of 1972, with the United States Air Force in New Hampshire, and the Philippines during his Korean tour of duty, and in Maine, Oklahoma, New York, Texas, Alaska, Thailand, and Germany during his Vietnam tour of duty. During the Korean years he earned the United Nations Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and a Korean Service Medal. During his Vietnam years he received two Air Force Commendation Medals, one with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, a Vietnam Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation as well. He attended Gardiner High School, Gardiner, Maine, and was employed with the United States Postal Service after his discharge.

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KEVIN D. FOY



ROLAND FRANK



ROBERT A. FREEMAN



PETER J. FREEMAN

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## SALVATORE FREGA, Specialist 4th Class

Born on August 6, 1945, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, where he attended Bushwick High School, Mr. Frega resides in Bay Shore and is employed with the New York City Department of Sanitation. He served from November of 1965 until November of 1967 with C Company, 4th Infantry Division, 2nd Battalion, 8th Infantry of the United States Army, was stationed in Pleiku, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and the Vietnam Service Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons.

## THOMAS FRIEL, Corporal

Corporal Friel served from August of 1966 until April of 1969 with the 2nd Battalion, 26th Marines, G Company of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in North and South Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. He also served with the 6th Fleet during his Mediterranean Cruise from April until September of 1967. Born on January 28, 1949, he is a longtime resident of Ronkonkoma. He has been employed with the New York City Department of Sanitation since the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN K. FRIEMAN, JR., Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Frieman was born on August 5, 1945, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1963. He served from May of 1966 until April of 1969 with the 523rd Military Police Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Saigon, Vietnam. He is merited with the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, three Overseas Ribbons, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. After the service he became employed as a paper salesman.

## ROBERT FRITZSCHE, Airman 1st Class

Originally from Islip Terrace, Mr. Fritzsche was born on January 21, 1941, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1960. He served with the 20th Tactical Fighter Wing of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Wethersfield, England. He is employed as a mechanic for Eastern Airlines, and resides in Bayport. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES R. FRULLO, Disbursing Clerk 3rd Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Frullo was born on April 21, 1946, and was graduated from St. John's University in 1972. He served from February of 1964 until September of 1967 with the U.S. Naval Supply Depot in Subic Bay, Philippines, was stationed also in North Carolina and Rhode Island, and received the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Bohemia. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRED FUCALORO, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Fucaloro served from April of 1970 until April of 1972 with the 117th Aviation Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Long Binh, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct and Vietnam Service Medals. Born on October 18, 1950, he was graduated from Bishop Reilly High School in 1968, and resided in Bayside, New York. He is employed in commercial banking, and resides in Holbrook.

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SALVATORE FREGA



JOHN K. FRIEMAN, JR.



ROBERT FRITZSCHE



JAMES R. FRULLO



FRED FUCALORO

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## FRANK G. GABRELUK, JR., Technical Sergeant

A 1960 graduate of Islip High School, Mr. Gabreluk was born on November 19, 1942, and attended the University of Maryland, and the University of Oklahoma. He served from June of 1960 until February of 1968 with the Headquarters 12th Tactical Fighter Wing of the United States Air Force, was stationed mainly in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal and the Air Force Commendation Medal. He resides in Washington, and is employed in customer service with United Airlines.

## THOMAS GAILES, Lieutenant

Lieutenant Gailes served with the United States Navy from July of 1958 until January of 1979, aboard the U.S.S. Robert E. Lee, SSBN-601, and aboard the U.S.S. Simon Lake, AS-31, and received the Joint Commendation Medal, and the Navy Achievement Medal. Born on December 13, 1940, and originally from Connecticut, where he was graduated from Connecticut Regional High School, Falls Village, in 1958, he made his home in Bohemia. After the service he became employed as a vessel inspector for a Wall Street commodity firm.

## ERNEST N. GAISER, JR., Captain

Originally from Sayville, and currently residing in West Sayville, Mr. Gaiser was born on July 11, 1941, and graduated from Sayville High School in 1959, and in 1963 from Allegheny College. He served from March of 1964 through March of 1969 with the 22nd Bomb Wing of the United States Air Force, was stationed principally at March Air Force Base, California, and earned various Air Medals. He has been employed as a commercial pilot since his separation from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## BRUCE GALLAGHER, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Gallagher served with the 4252nd AEMS of the United States Air Force from October of 1963 until June of 1971, and was stationed at Kadena Air Force Base, Okinawa, as well as in Guam and Thailand. Born on November 17, 1944, and originally from Islip where he was graduated from Islip High School in 1962, he settled in Bay Shore. In 1977 he was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale, and from New York Institute of Technology in 1980. After the service he became employed as a finance analyst for Fairchild Republic Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD GALLOSE, Sergeant

Originally from Franklin Square, New York, Mr. Gallose was born on April 21, 1947, and was graduated from Sewanhaka High School in 1965. He served from April of 1966 until April of 1970 with the 523rd Tactical Fighter Squadron, with the 388th Tactical Fighter Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed mainly in Cam Rahn Bay, and Phan Rang, Vietnam. He resides in Sayville, and is a police officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

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FRANK G. GABRELUK, JR.



THOMAS GAILES



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## RICHARD J. GAMACHE, Machinist Mate 3rd Class

Formerly of East Islip, and currently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Gamache was born on June 8, 1948, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1966. He served from October of 1966 through October of 1970 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Robert L. Wilson, DD-847, was stationed in the Mediterranean Sea, in Vietnam, and in the Orient, and is merited with Overseas Ribbons. He has been employed as an auto mechanic since his separation from the service.

## NEFTALI GARCIA, JR., Airman

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Garcia was born on November 15, 1949, and attended Brentwood High School. He began serving in October of 1968 with the United States Air Force, and was stationed primarily at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas. He received an Honorable Discharge, and is employed as an electrician. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT B. GARCIA, Buck Sergeant

Buck Sergeant Garcia served from February of 1968 until February of 1971 with the United States Army, with the 54th Ordnance Company in Vietnam, and with the 144th Ordnance Company in Germany. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on August 5, 1950, and originally from Ronkonkoma, he settled in Islip where he now resides. He attended Connetquot High School, and after the service became employed with the Maintenance Department of the Town of Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CHRISTOPHER GARDNER, Sergeant

Originally from East Islip where he was graduated from East Islip High School in 1966, Mr. Gardner was born on January 12, 1948, attended SUNY at Farmingdale, and L.A. Wilson Technical School, Deer Park, New York, from 1978 until 1981. He served from 1968 until 1970 with the 240th Assault Helicopter Company, 1st Aviation Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Bearcat, South Vietnam, and received the Army Commendation Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the National Defense and the Vietnam Service Medals, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, as well as the Rifle Marksman Badge. He resides in Bayport, and is employed as an aircraft mechanic for the Federal Aviation Administration.

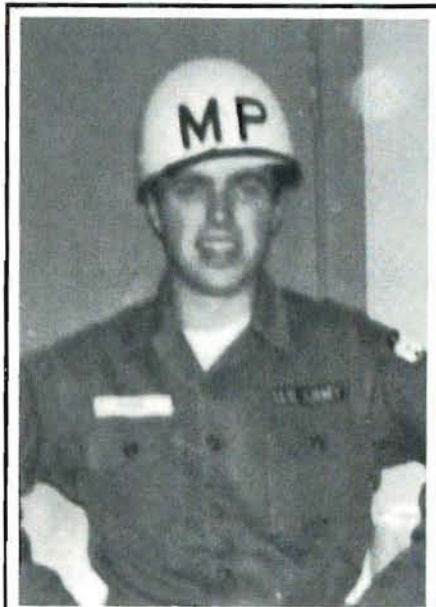
## LEE G. GARSH, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Born on September 10, 1946, and formerly of Bay Shore, Mr. Garsh was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1964, and attended C.W. Post College. He served from 1968 until 1969 with the Mobile Construction Battalion #53, C Company of the United States Navy, and was stationed mainly in Da Nang, and Vinh Dahy, Vietnam. He resides in Vermont, and is a developer/general contractor. (Photograph unavailable.)

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RICHARD J. GAMACHE



CHRISTOPHER GARDNER

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## JOSEPH C. GARVEY, Sergeant

Sergeant Garvey served from June of 1968 until June of 1970 with the 1st Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and Fort Jackson, New York, as well as in Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from East Northport, New York, where he was graduated from Northport High School in 1965, he was born on June 28, 1947, and in 1975 was graduated from Hofstra University. He resides in Sayville and is employed as a director of accounting. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JACK GEBEL, Specialist 4th Class

Born on October 10, 1945, and originally from Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Gebel was graduated from Queens Vocational High School in 1962. He served with Headquarters Company, 5th Corps of the United States Army, from February of 1964 until January of 1967, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and in Frankfurt, Germany. After the service he became employed as a marketing director, and currently resides in Holbrook.

## JOHN R. GEBEL, Sergeant

Originally from Copiague, New York, where he was graduated from Copiague High School in 1965, Mr. Gebel was born on December 4, 1946. He served from September of 1965 until July of 1969 with the HMM #363 of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly at I Corps, South Vietnam, and received the Purple Heart, the Air Medal, Combat Action Badge, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Navy Unit Citation. He has been employed as a driver for the United States Postal Service, and resides in West Islip.

## RALPH T. GENOVA, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Genova served from September of 1964 until March of 1966 with the SU #1 Supply Company, 3rd Service Battalion, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and in Da Nang and Chu Lai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal. Born on February 22, 1944, and originally from Hicksville, New York, he was graduated from Bethpage High School in 1962, and from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1964. He is a designer engineer, and resides in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RONALD GEORGE, Aviation Yeoman/Boatswain Mate

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. George was born on December 12, 1942, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1961. He served from 1961 through 1967 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Essex, CVS-9, MATS, was stationed in Cuba and Rota, Spain, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He is currently employed as a custodial engineer at Central Islip High School.

## GARY GERARD, Radioman 3rd Class

Radioman 3/c Gerard served from May of 1970 until May of 1974 with the United States Navy, and was stationed mainly in Morocco. A longtime resident of West Sayville, he was born on November 13, 1949, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1968. Following the service he became employed as a wirer and solderer, as a lab technician, and currently owns a company. (Photograph unavailable.)

# VIETNAM VETERANS



JACK GEBEL



JOHN R. GEBEL



RONALD GEORGE

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## ROBERT A. GIANNINI, Specialist 4th Class

A 1968 graduate of East Islip High School, Mr. Giannini was born on July 16, 1950, and resided in Great River before making his home in South Dayton, New York. He served from May of 1970 until December of 1971 with the Air Traffic Control Battalion, A Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Phu Bai and Bien Hoa, Vietnam. He received the Army Commendation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Bronze Star Medal. Before the service he was employed with the Suffolk County Department of Social Services, and after the service became employed in the auto repair business.

## DOMINICK GIGLIO, Corporal

Corporal Giglio served from April of 1966 through March of 1969 with the 4th Marine Regiment, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly at Northern I Corp, and is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Navy Achievement Medal with Combat "V". Originally from North Babylon, New York, where he was graduated from North Babylon High School in 1963, he was born on April 18, 1945. He currently resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as a driver for United Parcel Service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## PAUL E. GILBERT, Lieutenant Junior Grade

Born on March 15, 1944, Mr. Gilbert resided in Brightwaters, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1962, and in 1966 from Wesleyan University. He is an episcopal minister, and resides in Northeast Harbor, Maine. He served from September of 1966 until October of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Meadowlark, MSC-196. (Photograph unavailable.)

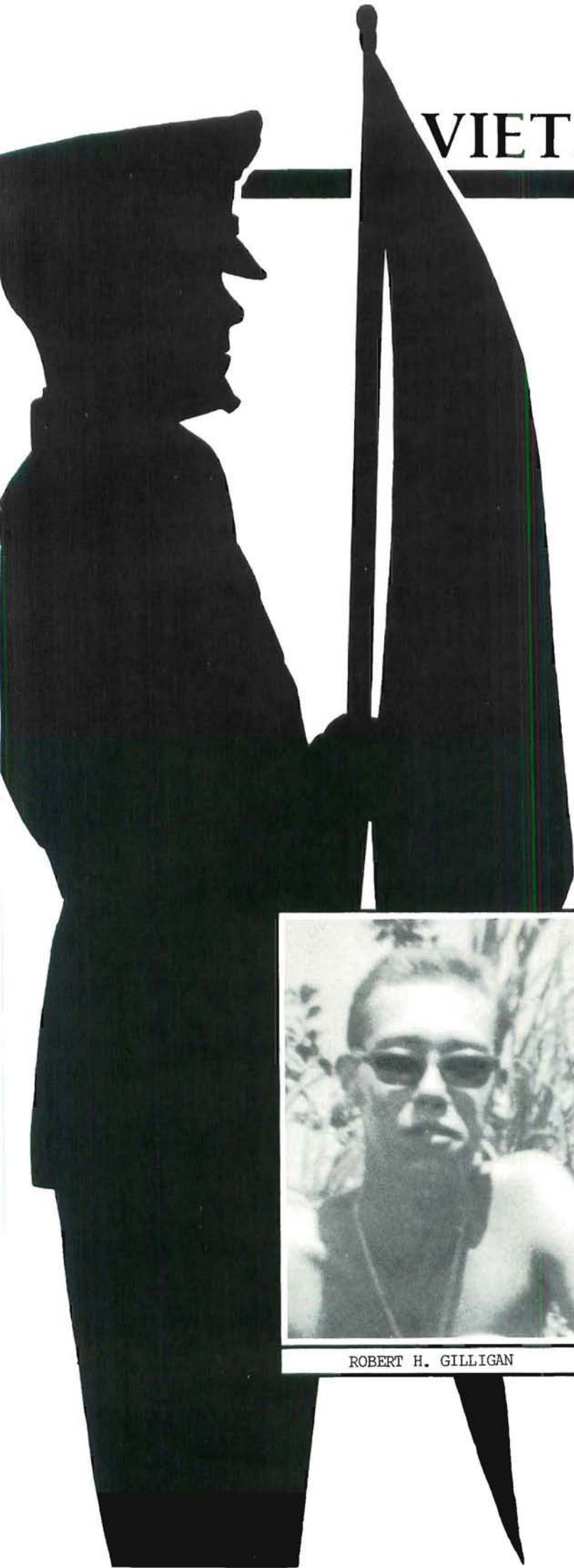
## ROBERT H. GILLIGAN, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Gilligan served from November of 1966 through August of 1968 with the 4th Infantry Division, 1st of the 14th Battalion, of the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam. Originally from West Sayville, he was born on June 21, 1947, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1966. He resides in Bayport, and is a lineman for New York Telephone Company.

## JOSEPH P. GILMARTIN, JR., Electronic Technician

Originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. Gilmartin was born on January 16, 1943, and attended Cardinal Hayes and DeWitt Clinton High Schools. He served from November of 1960 until June of 1981 with the United States Navy, and was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Manley, the U.S.S. Page County, LST-1076, the U.S.S. Krishna, ARL-24, and aboard the U.S.S. Pyro, AE-24. He is merited with the Sharpshooter Badge, the Meritorious Unit Citation, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Combat Action Ribbon, the Medal for Humane Action, and also a Certificate of Appreciation from then, President Richard Nixon. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a wirew/ assembler for Harris Corporation.

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ROBERT A. GIANNINI



ROBERT H. GILLIGAN



JOSEPH P. GILMARTIN, JR.

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## JUDITH H. GILMARTIN, Airman 1st Class

Originally from Hollis, New York, Mrs. Gilmartin was born Judith A. Geyda on January 19, 1945, and was graduated from Jamaica High School in 1962. She served from January of 1963 until December of 1965 with the United States Air Force at Keesler Hospital, Biloxi, Mississippi, and received two Unit Citations. Following the service she became employed as a nursing assistant. Since then, she has been employed as a clerk, a civil servant, as a lab worker, and in general office duties. She currently resides in Brentwood. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN A. GILSON, Specialist 4th Class

Born on August 15, 1946, Mr. Gilson resided in Valley Stream, New York, where he was graduated from Valley Stream High School in 1965. He served from February of 1966 until February of 1968 with the 2nd Field Force, 1st of the 83rd and 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He resides in Islip, and is employed as an engineer.

## LEWIS GIORDANO, Corporal

Corporal Giordano served with the MABS #15, 1st Marine Air Wing, 1st Engineer Battalion, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Japan and Vietnam. He was born on June 25, 1950, and resided in Bay Shore before making his home in Bohemia where he presently resides. He was graduated from Islip High School in 1968, and is currently employed as a heavy equipment mechanic.

## RICHARD D. GLEN, Corporal

Currently residing in Sayville, Mr. Glen was born on October 21, 1946, and resided in Merrick, New York, where he was graduated from Sanford H. Calhoun High School in 1965. He served from October of 1966 until October of 1968 with the 3rd Battalion, 9th Marines, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly in the Demilitarized Zone, and received the Presidential Unit Citation, the Vietnam Combat Ribbon, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He attended Adelphi Business School in Mineola, New York, from 1965 until 1966, and then again from 1968 until 1969. After the service he became a court reporter, and is now a senior court reporter.

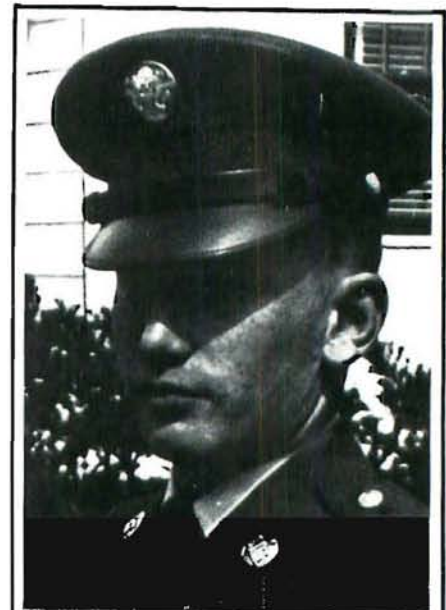
## RAYMOND M. GLOVER, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Formerly of Babylon, New York, Mr. Glover was born on July 31, 1947, and attended Dowling College, New York Institute of Technology, and Suffolk County Community College. He served from August of 1966 until July of 1968 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Forrestal, CVA-59, and was stationed mainly in Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resides in Islip, and is a lineman for the Long Island Rail Road.

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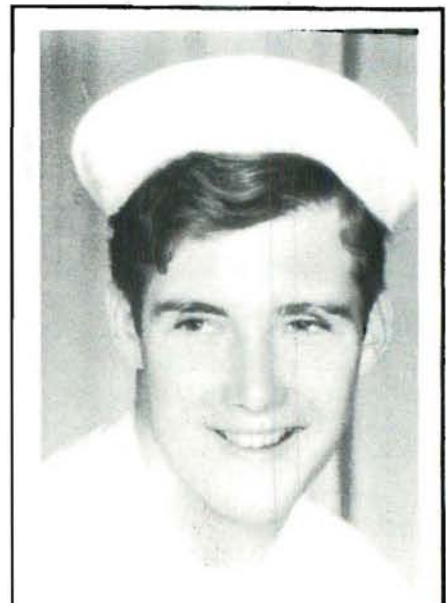
LEWIS GIORDANO



JOHN A. GILSON



RICHARD D. GLEN



RAYMOND M. GLOVER



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## ROBERT E. GNUTZMAN, Specialist 4th Class

Born on August 17, 1950, and originally from Huntington Station, New York, Mr. Gnutzman was graduated from Huntington High School in 1968, attended the University of Nebraska for two years, and also attended Suffolk County Community College. He served with the United States Army from December of 1970 through September of 1972, was stationed at Fort Gordon, Georgia, where he received Military Police training, and at Fort Ritchie, Maryland. He is merited with the Pistol Marksman Badge, and a Service Medal. After the service he became employed as a security guard, and currently resides in Bay Shore.

## MICHAEL GOLDBERG, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Bay Shore, and currently residing in Ronkonkoma, Mr. Goldberg was born on January 17, 1944, was graduated from W.T. Clarke High School in 1961, and is presently employed as a nuclear medicine technologist. He served from 1965 until 1967 with the 77th Heavy Equipment Maintenance Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Germany, and received the Overseas Ribbon. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ENRIQUE GONZALEZ, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Gonzalez served from July of 1966 until 1970 with C Company, 1st Engineer Battalion, 2nd Platoon of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed mainly in Da Nang and Chu Lai, Vietnam. Born on March 7, 1946, he is a longtime resident of Brentwood, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1966. After his discharge he returned to the service and is currently stationed at Fort Lewis, Washington.

## PHILIP GOUDELIAS, Specialist 4th Class

A 1967 graduate of Brentwood High School, Mr. Goudelias was born on September 21, 1948, and resided in Brentwood before making his home in Holbrook where he now resides. He served from May of 1968 until May of 1970 with C Company, 39th Engineer Unit of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in the Mekong Delta, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star. He was employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation after the service, and is currently a production line technician for Estee Lauder.

## DONALD H. GOULD, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Patchogue, New York, Mr. Gould was born on May 29, 1942, and was graduated from West Islip High School in 1961, and in 1971 from Hofstra University. He served from November of 1966 until August of 1968 with the 2nd Battalion, 94th Artillery, S Battery, attached to Battery Headquarters of the United States Army, was stationed at Camp Carol near the Demilitarized Zone, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal. He is employed as a sales executive, and resides in West Islip.

## LOUIS C. GOYETTE, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Goyette served from January of 1968 until January of 1970 with the United States Army, received the Expert Rifle Badge, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on October 25, 1947, and originally from Sayville where he was graduated from Sayville High School in 1966, he currently resides in Blue Point, and is a conductor for the Long Island Rail Road.

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ENRIQUE GONZALEZ



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DONALD H. GOULD



LOUIS C. GOYETTE

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## JOSEPH W. GRANT, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. Grant was born on June 18, 1943, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from May of 1964 until May of 1967 with B Company, 93rd Signal Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Expert Rifle Badge, and the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Holbrook and is employed as a signal maintainer.

## VICTOR E. GRANT, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Grant served from April of 1968 until May of 1970 with the 1st Marine Air Wing of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Chu Lai and Da Nang, Vietnam, and at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and received the Good Conduct Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Bay Shore where he was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1966, he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College in 1977, and attended New York Institute of Technology for one year. He currently resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a Mental Health Therapy Aide. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MICHAEL GRASSO, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Grasso served with the 23rd Tactical Air Support Squadron of the United States Air Force, from January of 1969 until November of 1972, was stationed chiefly in Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, the Rifle Sharpshooter, Rifle Expert, and Rifle Marksman Badges, and the Air Medal. Originally from Brentwood, he was born on February 16, 1949, was graduated from Aviation High School in 1967, and in 1968 from SUNY at Farmingdale. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as an aircraft mechanic.

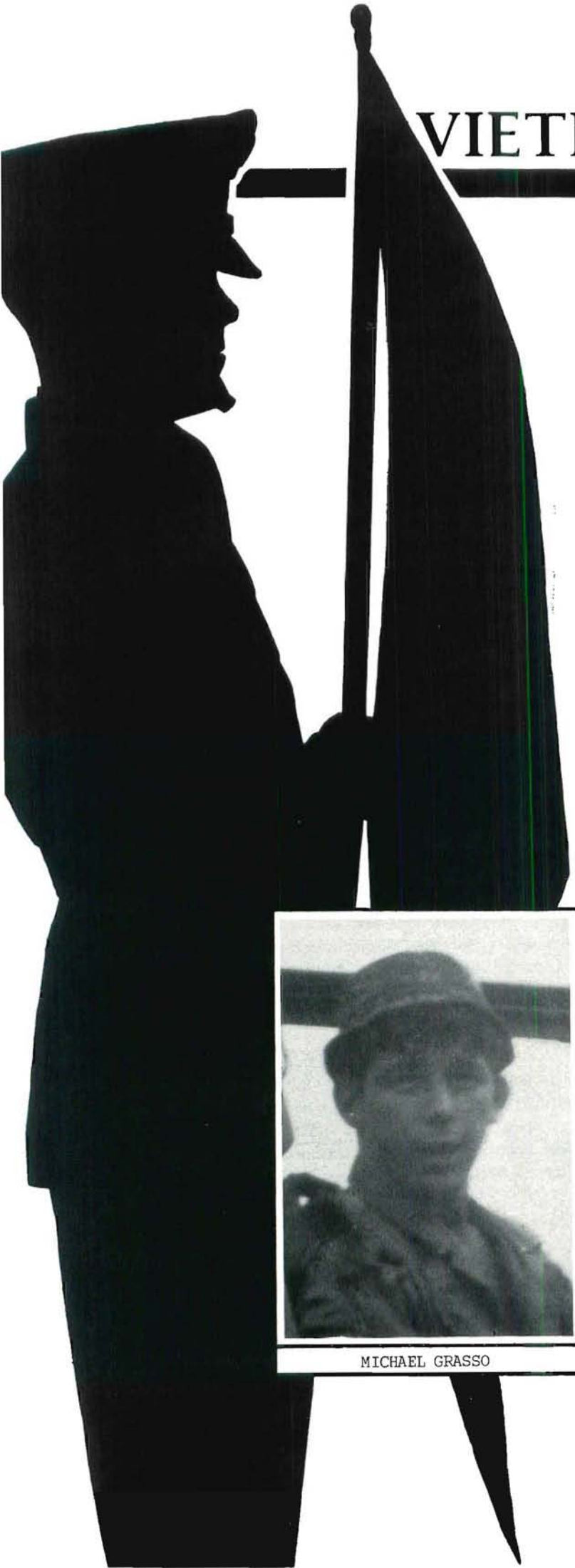
## TIMOTHY E. GRAUER, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Lindenhurst, New York, where he was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1970, Mr. Grauer was born on March 2, 1951, and was graduated from Suffolk County Community College in 1976. He served from January of 1971 until January of 1973 with C Company, 1st Battalion, 2nd Brigade, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Kansas and Germany, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. He has been a police officer since the service, and currently resides in Brentwood.

## REYNOLDS C. GRAVES, Captain

Captain Graves served from March of 1971 until March of 1975 with the 1st Marine Division, Headquarters Company, Headquarters Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly at Camp Pendleton, California, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. Originally from New York City, he was born on August 25, 1945, was graduated in 1963 from Mountain Lakes High School, New Jersey, from John Hopkins University in 1967, and from Fordham University, School of Law in 1970. He resides in Oakdale and practices law. (Photograph unavailable.)

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JOSEPH W. GRANT



MICHAEL GRASSO



TIMOTHY E. GRAUER

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## STEVEN M. GRAY, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Brentwood where he was graduated from Brentwood High School, Mr. Gray was born on January 10, 1946. He served from 1967 through 1968 with the 175th Helicopter Company, 150th Transportation Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Vietnam, and is merited with the Air Medal. Currently, he is employed as a mechanic and resides in Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## VITO P. GRAZIANO, Specialist 5th Class

Born on December 4, 1942, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, where he attended Boys High School, Mr. Graziano made his home in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He served from September of 1967 until 1969 with the 199th Infantry of the United States Army, and received the Bronze Star Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Vietnam Medal of Honor. He has been employed in banking since his separation from the service.

## JAMES GREENE, Petty Officer 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Greene was born on June 21, 1946, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1966. He served with the United States Navy for more than three years, aboard the U.S.S. Pyro, and the U.S.S. Markab, was stationed mainly in California, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal. He has been employed with Entenmann's Bakery, Inc., since his discharge from the service.

## JOSEPH M. GREENE, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Greene served with the United States Army from July of 1968 until July of 1971 with the 549th Military Police Company while stationed in the Panama Canal Zone, with the 563rd Military Police Company while stationed at Fort Hamilton, New York, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Born on February 5, 1948, and a longtime resident of Bay Shore, he was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1966. Following the service he became a telephone company operator.

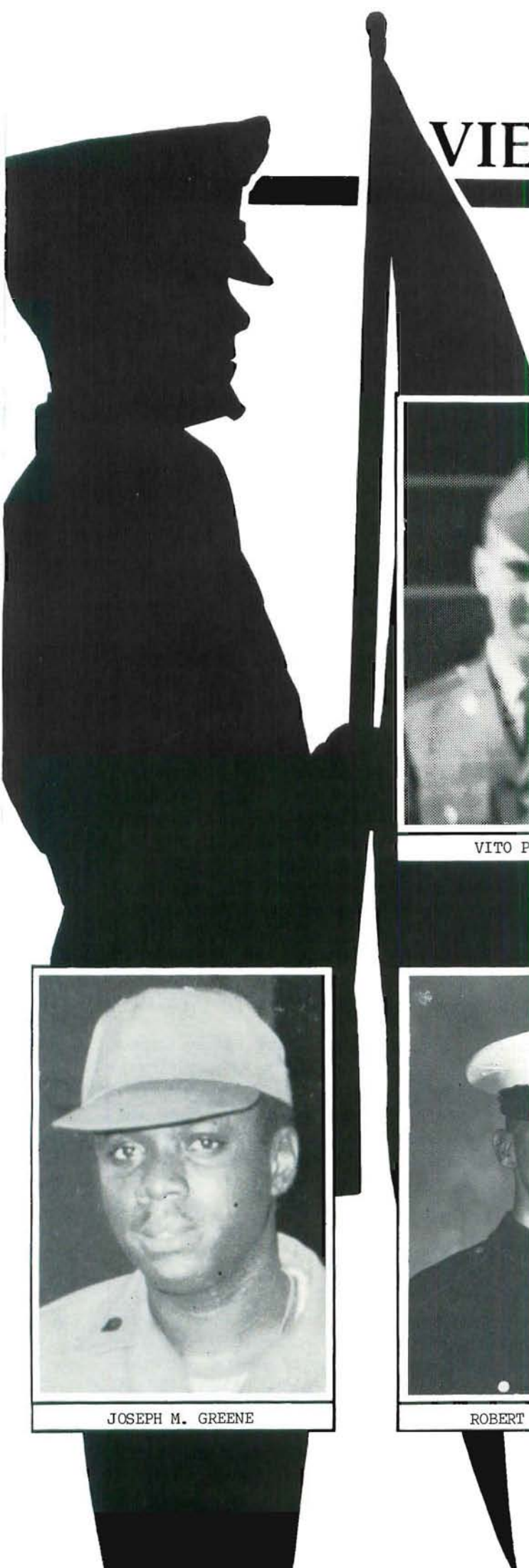
## ROBERT W. GREILING, Corporal

Corporal Greiling served from November of 1967 through November of 1973 with K Company, 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in North and South Carolina, California, and in Vietnam, and received two Purple Hearts. Originally from East Islip, he was born on August 12, 1949, and attended Halsey and Bushwick High School. After the service he became employed as a cook.

## STANLEY R. GREY, Sergeant

Formerly of Rockville Centre, New York, Mr. Grey was born on September 25, 1946, was graduated from Worcester Academy, Massachusetts, in 1964, in 1971 from the University of Maryland, and in 1977 from New York University. He served from October of 1966 until September of 1969 with the United States Army, with the 4th Transportation Command in Saigon, Vietnam, with the United States Army Traffic Management Agency-Central Europe in Frankfurt, Germany, and received various Service Medals. He resides in Hauppauge, and is employed as an electronics executive.

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VITO P. GRAZIANO



JAMES GREENE



JOSEPH M. GREENE



ROBERT W. GREILING



STANLEY R. GREY

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## FRANK GRIECO, E-3

Formerly of Astoria, New York, and currently residing in West Islip, Mr. Grieco was born on January 8, 1947, and was graduated from Long Island City High School in 1964. He served from July of 1967 until April of 1969 with the 4th Battalion, 9th Infantry, 24th Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Tay Ninh, South Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal and a Purple Heart. He has been employed as a splicer for Con Edison since his separation from the service.

## WILLIAM T. GRIMES, Petty Officer 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Central Islip High School, Mr. Grimes was born on July 4, 1951, was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1969, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from November of 1969 until November of 1971 with the United States Navy with the Submarine Service of the North Atlantic Fleet, aboard the U.S.S. Daniel Boone, and was stationed mainly in Holly Lock, Scotland. Following his discharge he became a cook.

## JOSEPH K. GROGAN, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Grogan served from September of 1970 until April of 1972 with the 39th Engineering Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on March 7, 1949, and originally from Queens Village, New York, he was graduated from Holy Cross High School, Flushing, New York, in 1967, and from Queensborough Community College in 1978. He resides in Islip, and is employed as a computer specialist.

## EDWARD A. GROSS, Corporal

Corporal Gross served with H & S Battalion, FLC, 1st FSR, of the United States Marine Corps, from September of 1967 until September of 1969, was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Combat Action Ribbon. Originally from Hempstead, New York, where he was graduated from Hempstead High School in 1965, he was born on March 30, 1945. He is employed as a truck driver, and resides in Islip Terrace.

## JOHN T. GROSSKURTH, Corporal

A 1972 graduate of Central Islip High School, and a longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Grosskurth was born on June 30, 1954. He served from November of 1972 until October of 1975 with the 3rd Marine Division, 8th Communication Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed on Okinawa, and in North Carolina. He is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge. Currently, he is employed as a heavy vehicle repairman for the Town of Islip.

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FRANK GRIECO



WILLIAM T. GRIMES



JOSEPH K. GROGAN



JOHN T. GROSSKURTH



EDWARD A. GROSS



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## ANGELO "SKIP" GUARINO, Aviation Machinist Mate

Originally from Lynbrook, New York, Mr. Guarino was born on September 24, 1948, was graduated from Lynbrook High School in 1966, and attended the Academy of Aeronautics. He served from May of 1968 until February of 1972 with Project Trim, Heavy Attack Squadron #21, VAH-21, of the United States Navy, was stationed in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and in the Ho Chi Min Trail, Cambodia, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Navy Unit Commendation Medal. He resides in Bay Shore, and is a retail store manager.

## LEO W. GUGEL, Steelworker 3rd Class

Born on November 10, 1946, Mr. Gugel resided in Leeds, New York, before making his home in Central Islip. He was graduated from Catskill High School in 1965, and is employed as a bus driver. He served from September of 1965 until October of 1969 with the United States Navy Mobile Construction Battalion #7, and the U.S. Navy Seabee Drill Team, and earned the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Distinguished Service Medal.

## ANTHONY GULLE, Seaman

A longtime resident of Oakdale, Mr. Gulle was born on May 27, 1946, and was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1964. He served from 1965 until 1968 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Caroline County, LST-525, was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam, and earned the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He is employed as an electrician. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HUGH GUNDER, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Gunder served with the 6th AG DPU of the United States Army, was stationed on Okinawa, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Born on August 8, 1945, he resided in Flushing, New York, where he was graduated from Francis Lewis High School in 1964. He was graduated from New York Institute of Technology in 1977, resides in Holbrook, and is a New York City Police Officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES F. GURNEY, Sergeant

A 1966 graduate of East Islip High School, and a longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Gurney was born on October 7, 1947, and is employed in construction. He served from April of 1967 until July of 1970 with the Communication Company, Headquarters Battalion, 2nd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam. He received the Combat Action Ribbon, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry.

## GEORGE R. GUNZL, Sergeant

Sergeant Gunzl served from June of 1964 until March of 1968 with D Company, 1st Battalion, 26th Marines, Battalion Helicopter Assault Team of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Iwo Jima, and earned the Bronze Star Medal, three Purple Hearts, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Formerly of New York City, he was born on February 21, 1947, and was graduated from Samuel Gompers High School in 1964, and from New York Institute of Technology in 1977. He resides in Sayville and is employed with the United States Postal Service.

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ANGELO "SKIP" GUARINO



LEO W. GUGEL



JAMES F. GURNEY



GEORGE R. GUNZL

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## JOSEPH M. HACKETT, Staff Sergeant

Originally from New York City, where he was graduated from George Washington High School in 1963, Mr. Hackett was born on October 9, 1945, and attended John Jay College of Criminal Justice. He served from February of 1964 until February of 1969 with the Military Airlift Command of the United States Air Force, was stationed in North and South Thailand, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Expert Rifle Badge, and the Combat Infantry Badge. He resides in Islip Terrace, and following the service became employed with the New York City Police Department, and was in training school for New York Telephone Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM HAGEN, Disbursing Clerk 3rd Class

Born on June 12, 1937, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Hagen attended New York School of Printing for two years, and currently resides in Lake Ronkonkoma. He served from January of 1955 until October of 1963 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Albany, CG-10, was stationed mainly in Boston, Massachusetts, and received the Good Conduct Medal. After the service became employed as a maintenance mechanic, and is now the director of maintenance at Smithtown General Hospital. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM P. HALAGARDA, Sergeant

Sergeant Halagarda served with the 43rd Organizational Maintenance Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Little Rock Air Force Base, Arkansas, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Born on September 20, 1947, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from Aviation High School in 1964, and in 1979 from Suffolk County Community College. He is an aircraft mechanic for American Airlines, and resides in Holbrook.

## JOHN T. HALL, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Hall served from 1969 through 1971 with the 92nd Assault Helicopter Company of the United States Army. Originally from Bay Shore, he attended Brentwood High School, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School. He also attended Harrisburg Community College, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and New York School of Music. He was born on September 19, 1950, resides in LeMoyné, Pennsylvania, and is a professional musician and guitar instructor.

## JOSEPH M. HALL, Lance Corporal

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Hall was born on October 29, 1948, attended Central Islip High School for three years, and received his equivalency diploma in 1970. He served from 1967 until 1970 with the 1st Battalion, 4th Marine Regiment, 3rd Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in the Pacific and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal and the Combat Action Ribbon. He has been employed as a security guard since his discharge from the service.

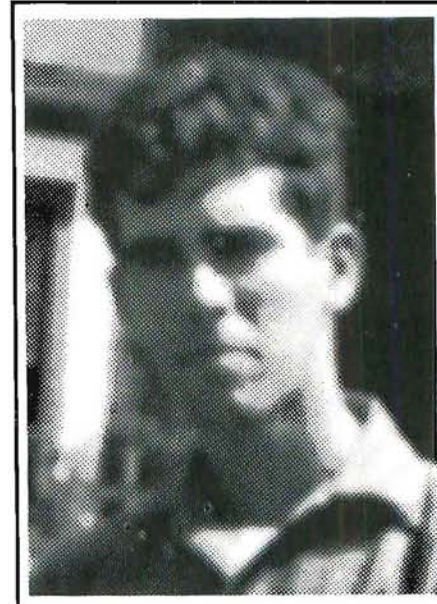
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WILLIAM P. HALAGARDA



JOSEPH M. HALL



JOHN T. HALL

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## RICHARD K. HALLOCK, Sergeant

Sergeant Hallock served from September of 1969 until April of 1972 with the 543rd Military Police Company of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly at Fort Knox, Kentucky. Born on September 5, 1949, and originally from Hicksville, New York, he was graduated from Hicksville High School in 1967, and in 1978 from Suffolk County Community College. He resides in Holbrook, and is a banker. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE W. HAMAN, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Bayport, Mr. Haman was born on June 15, 1948, and was graduated from Bayport-Blue Point High School in 1967, and in 1979 from Suffolk County Community College. He served from April of 1968 until April of 1970 with the 101st Airborne Division, 3rd Battalion, 506th Infantry of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Phan Theit, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, a Purple Heart, as well as Service Medals. Prior to and following the service he was employed as a conductor for the Long Island Rail Road. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MARK J. HAMMER, Sergeant

Originally from San Jose, California, Mr. Hammer was born on December 13, 1950, was graduated from Del Mar High School, Campbell, California, in 1968, and in 1972 from the State University of San Jose, California. He served from July of 1972 through July of 1978 with H Company, 5th Battalion, 1st Brigade, Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly at Fort Ord, California, and at Fort Gordon, Georgia, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Bay Shore and is employed as a business executive. (Photograph unavailable.)

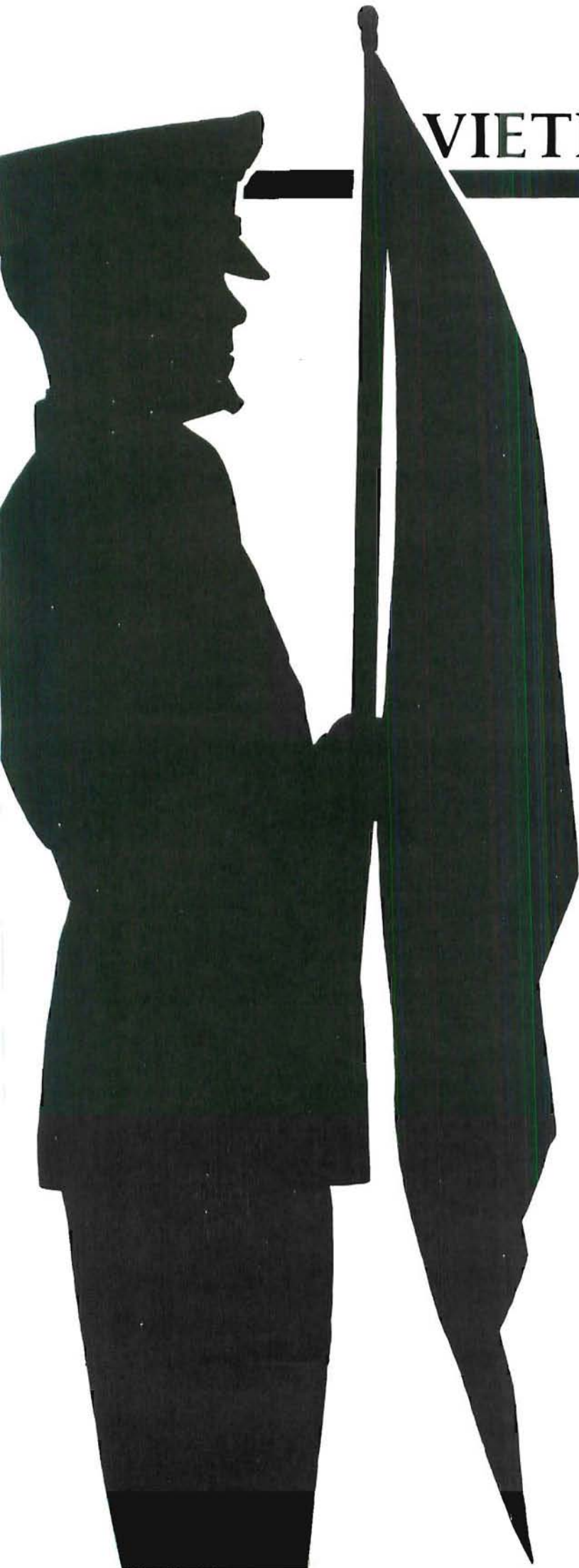
## RICHARD W. HAMMOND, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Hammond served from May of 1967 until 1968 with I Company, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, and a Purple Heart as well. Originally from Sayville, he was born on October 30, 1948, and was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1966. He resides in Islip, and is employed in construction.

## JOHN L. HANNA, Seaman (Submarine Qualified)

Born on June 10, 1947, and originally from New Hyde Park, New York, Mr. Hanna was graduated from Herricks Senior High School in 1965, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale, and Adelphi University. He resides in Holbrook and is employed in banking. He served from March of 1966 until March of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Hardhead, SS-365, and aboard the U.S.S. Theodore Roosevelt, SSBN-600, and was stationed principally in New London, Connecticut. While in the service he received the National Defense Service Medal, and a Letter of Commendation. (Photograph unavailable.)

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RICHARD W. HAMMOND

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## EDWARD C. HANNAN, JR., Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Staten Island, New York, where he was graduated from St. Peter's High School in 1958, Mr. Hamman was born on December 4, 1940. In 1963 he was graduated from St. Hyacinth's in Massachusetts, from Manhattan College in 1968, and attended SUNY at Stony Brook. He served from January of 1965 until January of 1967 with the 1st Logistics Command, and the 937th Engineer Battalion, Headquarters Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Tan Son Nhut and Qui Nhon, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal. He is an English teacher at Brentwood High School, and resides in Brentwood.

## ALLEN J. HANSEN, Petty Officer 3rd Class/Mineman

Born on July 24, 1951, Mr. Hansen lived in Syosset, New York, before making his home in Brentwood where he now resides. He was graduated from Syosset High School in 1969, and is employed as a supervisor for Doubleday & Company in New York City. He served from August of 1969 until February of 1972 with the United States Navy, was stationed in South Carolina, Italy, and Scotland, and received the Meritorious Unit Commendation, the National Defense Service Medal, the Expert Pistol and Expert Rifle Badges. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MICHAEL HARDY, Aviation Electronic Technician Navigation

Formerly of Flushing, New York, Mr. Hardy was born on October 11, 1944, was graduated from Flushing High School, from Suffolk County Community College in 1973, and in 1982 received his Bachelor of Science degree from Empire State College. He served from 1961 until 1966 with the Fighter Squadron VF-194 of the United States Navy, was stationed in Vietnam and aboard the U.S.S. Bon Homme Richard. He resides in Bay Shore, and became employed as a biomedical technician, a certified engineer technician, and as a clinical engineer following the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DANIEL A. HARGRAVES, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Hargraves was born on November 3, 1947, and was graduated from West Islip High School in 1966. He served from March of 1966 until March of 1969 with the 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Quang Tri, Vietnam. Following the service he became employed as a parts counterman for a new car dealership. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RUSSELL A. HARLAN, Corporal

Corporal Harlan served from January of 1967 until January of 1970 with the Marine Barracks of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly on Okinawa, Japan, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Huntington Station, New York, he was born on May 12, 1948, was graduated from Walt Whitman High School in 1966, and attended New York Institute of Technology. He resides in Holbrook, and is a police officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

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EDWARD C. HANNAN, JR.



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## DONALD R. HARRING, Specialist 5th Class

Born on November 5, 1939, and originally from Elmhurst, New York, Mr. Harring was graduated from Tottenville High School in 1959, attended Hunter College for two years, and was graduated from New York Transit Police Academy in 1966, where he was first in a class of 200, and received the highest academic awards. He served from May of 1962 until August of 1965 with H Company, 307th Engineer Battalion, 82nd Airborne Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and the Dominican Republic, and is merited with the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. He currently resides in Islip Terrace, and is a Sergeant with the New York City Transit Police.

## RICHARD E. HARRISON, Sergeant

Sergeant Harrison served from December of 1974 until December of 1978 with the MCAS-38, and the MCAS-18 of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed on the East and West Coasts, on Okinawa, Japan, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Bay Shore, he was born on June 20, 1956, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1974. He resides in Central Islip, and is employed as a production manager.

## CHARLES HARTMANN, JR., Aviation Structural Mechanic 3rd Class

Originally from Uniondale, New York, where he was graduated from Uniondale High School in 1962, Mr. Hartmann was born on October 5, 1944, resides in Bay Shore, and is employed with Fairchild Republic Company. He served from September of 1962 until February of 1966 with the Patrol Squadron #31, (VP-31) of the United States Navy, was stationed on North Island, San Diego, California, and received a Letter of Appreciation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT M. HARVEY, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Harvey served with the 245th Psychological Operations Company of the United States Army in Pleiku, Vietnam, and with the 3rd Special Forces Group at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, from January of 1965 until January of 1967. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, as well as Letters of Commendation. Originally from Lindenhurst, New York, he was born on January 13, 1943, and was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1960. In 1964 he received his Bachelor of Science degree from Norwich University, and his Master of Science degree from New York Institute of Technology in 1971. He resides in West Islip, and is a department manager for Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## DENNIS HAUGHNEY, Private 1st Class

A longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. Haughney was born on September 30, 1939, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1959. He began serving in May of 1963 with B Company, 3rd Battalion, 6th Infantry, Berlin Command of the United States Army in Berlin, Germany. Following the service he became employed as a plumbing and heating contractor.

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RICHARD E. HARRISON



DONALD R. HARRING



ROBERT M. HARVEY



DENNIS HAUGHNEY

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## RALPH D. HAUSER, Sergeant

Sergeant Hauser served from 1965 until 1969 with the 388th Civil Engineers of the United States Air Force, primarily in Thailand, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, and the Outstanding Unit Award. Originally from Islip, he was born on May 3, 1946, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1965. He resides in Bohemia and is employed as a coastguardsman.

## JOHN P. HAYES, Engineman 1st Class

Born on September 8, 1939, Mr. Hayes is a longtime resident of West Islip. He served from October of 1956 until December of 1977 with the United States Navy, and received the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Combat Action Ribbon, and the Good Conduct Medal. After his discharge he became employed with the New York State Department of Transportation.

## ROBERT W. HECKER, Sergeant

Originally from East Northport, New York, Mr. Hecker was born on April 3, 1950, and is a 1968 graduate of Northport High School. He served with the 235th Aviation Company, 334th Attack Helicopter Company, and F Troop, 4th Cavalry of the United States Army from February of 1970 through March of 1972. He was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, and the Army Commendation Medal. After the service he became employed as an auto parts salesman. He currently resides in Holbrook.

## HERBERT J. HEFFER II, Sergeant

Sergeant Heffer served from November of 1967 through November of 1971 with the 536th Tactical Airlift Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Vung Tau, Phan Rang, and Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and received the Air Force Commendation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and Crew Chief of the Month Award as well. Born on December 2, 1947, and originally from Commack, New York, where he was graduated from Commack High School in 1967, he attended Suffolk County Community College and is employed with the United States Postal Service. He resides in Brentwood.

## ALBERT "BUZZ" HEIN, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Bay Shore, Mr. Hein was born on May 14, 1947, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1965, and resides in Herndon, Virginia. He served from February of 1966 until February of 1969 with the 98th Maintenance Battalion of the United States Army in Chu Chi, Vietnam, and earned the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. After the service he became employed as a building engineer with Sears Roebuck & Co.

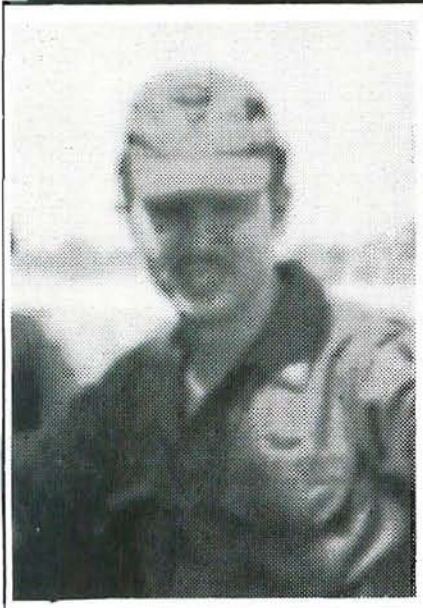
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HERBERT J. HEFFER II



ALBERT "BUZZ" HEIN

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## JOHN R. HEINTZ, JR., 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Heintz served from June of 1966 until June of 1970 as a Forward Observer for F Company, 2nd Battalion, 3rd Marine Division, and as Battery Commander with B Battery, 1st Battalion, 12th Marines, of the United States Marine Corps. He was stationed in Quang Tri and Dong Ha, Vietnam, and survived the siege of Khe Sahn, Vietnam, during the 1968 TET Offensive. He is merited with the Combat Action Ribbon, the National Defense Service Medal, the Navy Commendation Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Vietnam Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, and the New York State Conspicuous Medal of Valor. Originally from Henrietta, New York, he was born on May 29, 1945, and was graduated from Notre Dame High School, Utica, New York, in 1963. He received his Bachelor's degree from SUNY at Oswego in 1967, and his Master's Degree from Hofstra University in 1974. He lives in Bayport, and is a school administrator and teacher.

## PETER M. HENESY, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Originally from Babylon, New York, Mr. Henesy was born on January 17, 1951, and was graduated from North Babylon High School in 1969. He served from June of 1971 until June of 1973 with the Construction Battalion Unit #411 of the United States Navy Seabees, and was stationed at Port Hueneme, California, Keflavik, Iceland, and at Norfolk, Virginia. After the service he became employed as a carpenter, and currently resides in Islip Terrace. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT J. HENKE, Specialist 5th Class

Born on March 16, 1950, and formerly of Islip Terrace, Mr. Henke was graduated from East Islip High School in 1968, and attended New York Institute of Technology for one year. He served from July of 1970 until April of 1972 with D Troop, 229th Assault Helicopter Battalion, 1st Air Cavalry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Bien Hoa Air Force Base, Vietnam. He received the Air Crew Wings, the Army Commendation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in East Islip, and is a New York City Police Officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

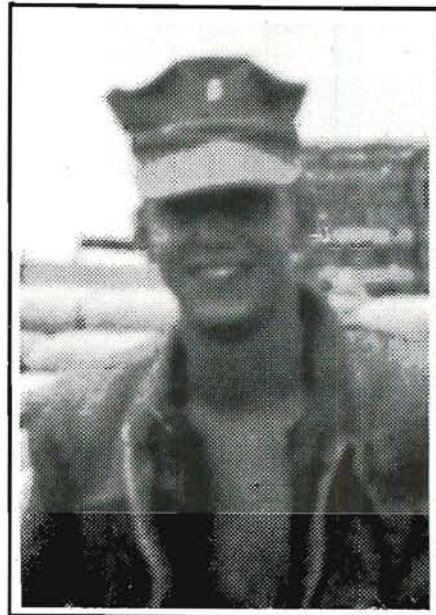
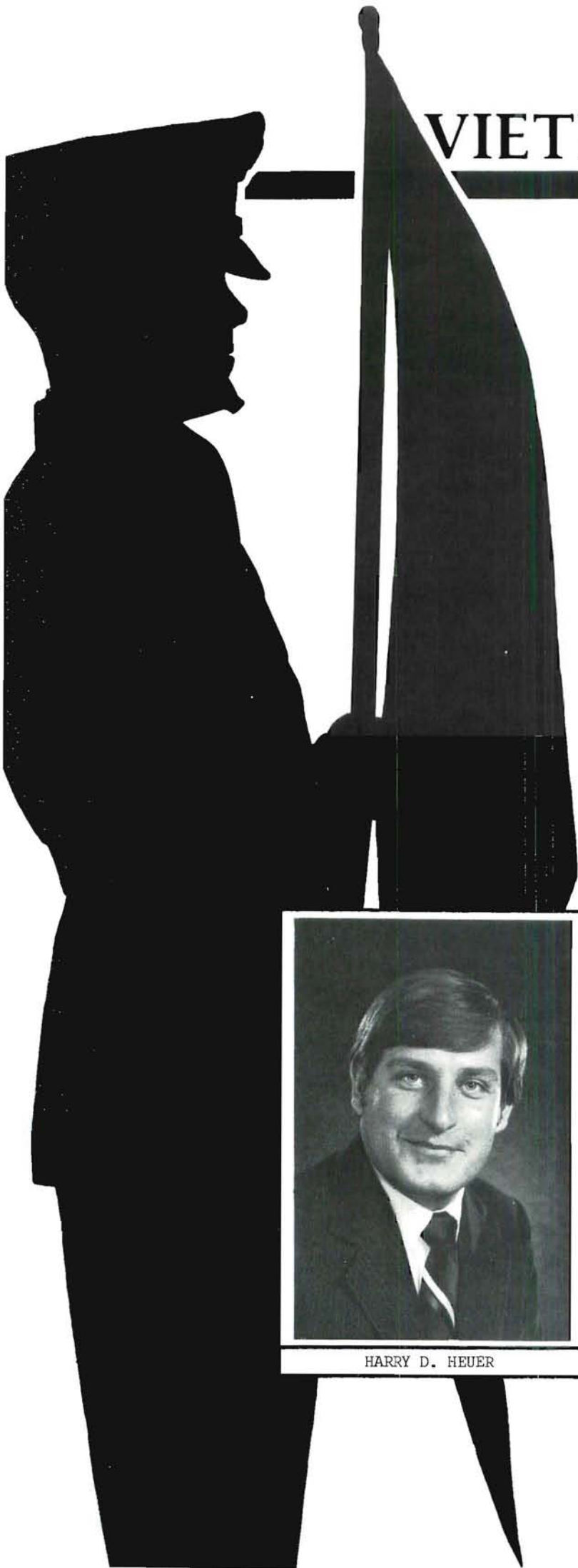
## MICHAEL C. HENRIQUEZ, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Henriquez served from December of 1966 until November of 1969 with the 1st Signal Brigade, and with the Phu Lam Signal Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Phu Lam, Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from New York City, he was born on May 8, 1946, and was graduated from Eastern Military Academy in 1965, and attended Eastern Kentucky University. He resides in Brentwood, and is a senior account administrator for IBM Corporation.

## HARRY D. HEUER, Fire Control Technician

Formerly of Islip Terrace, Mr. Heuer was born on May 3, 1948, was graduated from East Islip High School in 1966, from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1968, and from New York Institute of Technology in 1978. He served from 1966 until 1972 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Cromwell, DE-1014, and was stationed at Newport, Rhode Island. He resides in Victor, New York, and after the service became a service representative for Eastman Kodak.

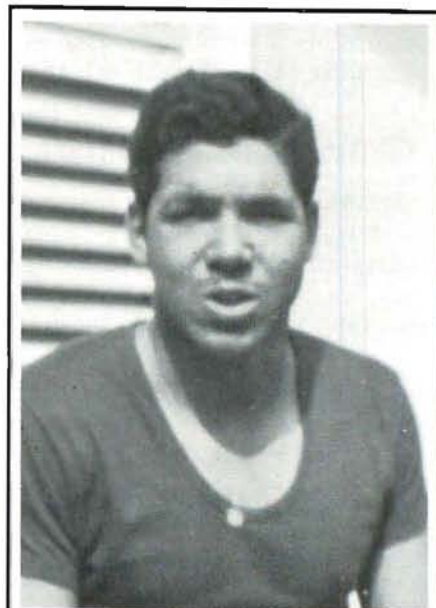
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JOHN R. HEINTZ, JR.



HARRY D. HEUER



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## ROBERT HEUTHE, Sergeant

Originally from Lindenhurst, New York, Mr. Heuthe was born on October 16, 1947, and attended Lindenhurst High School. He served from October of 1965 until October of 1969 with the 374th Radio Research Company, 4th Infantry Division, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, the Meritorious Unit Citation, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. After the service he became self-employed, and he currently resides in Bay Shore.

## FRANCIS X. HICKEY, Captain

Captain Hickey served from February of 1969 until March of 1972 with the Americal Division, 12th Aviation Group, 123rd Aviation Battalion, B Company of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Bronze Star Medal, 32 Air Medals, and the Army Commendation Medal. Originally from Southampton, New York, he made his home in Brightwaters where he presently resides. Born on May 19, 1945, he was graduated from Charles E. Gorton High School in 1963, and in 1968 from Hofstra University. Following the service he became employed as a supervisor for Johnson & Johnson.

## DAVID K. HIGGINS, Hospital Corpsman 3rd Class

Born on February 12, 1946, Mr. Higgins resided in Islip where he was graduated from Islip High School in 1963, and currently resides in Selden, New York. He served with H & G Company, 2nd Battalion, 4th Marines of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang, Chu Lai, Phu Bai, and Quang Tri, Vietnam, from February of 1964 until February of 1967, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and two Purple Hearts as well. After the service he became employed as a machinist, with an oil burner service, and finally as a letter carrier for the United States Postal Service.

## ROBERT T. HILDEBRANDT, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Hildebrandt served from August of 1964 until August of 1966 with the H & H Company, 197th Infantry Brigade, 3rd Army of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly at Fort Benning, Georgia, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Marksman Badge, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the National Defense Service Medal. Originally from Islip, he was born on November 28, 1940, attended Boys High School, was graduated from Islip High School in 1958, attended Lehigh University for three years, and in 1964 was graduated from Adelphi University. He currently resides in East Islip, and is employed with the Group Insurance Issue Unit of Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

## ROGER HILDRETH, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Hildreth served from October of 1966 until March of 1969 with the 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and in Khe Sahn and Da Nang, Vietnam. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Formerly of East Islip, he was born on August 3, 1949, and attended Central Islip High School. He is employed as a truck driver, and resides in Islip.

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ROBERT HEUTHE



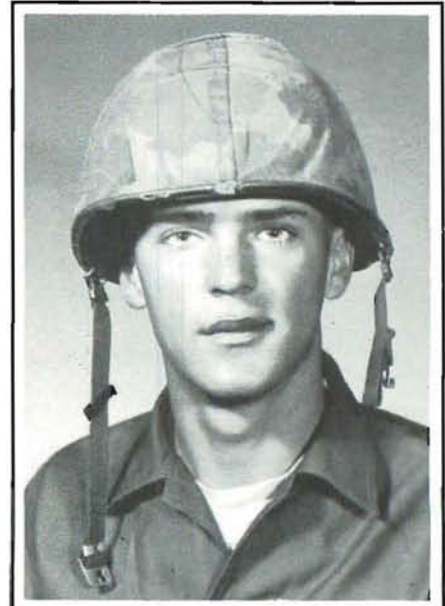
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## ALBERT E. HILL, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Centereach, New York, Mr. Hill was born on October 29, 1945, and was graduated from Newfield High School in 1963, and from Suffolk County Community College. He served from November of 1965 until October of 1967 with the 568th Medical Company, 61st Battalion, 43rd Group, 44th Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in Phan Rang, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resides in West Islip, and is employed as a computer programmer/analyst. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT D. HINDS, Chief Warrant Officer

Born on February 3, 1942, and originally from New Castle, California, Mr. Hinds made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He served from July of 1960 until September of 1983 with the River Divisions #543 and #551 of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Dubuque, LPD-8, and the U.S.S. Coral Sea, CV-43, and was stationed in Da Nang, Thuey Non, and from the Gulf of Tonkin to Saigon, Vietnam. He recieved the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, two Commendation Medals, the Combat Action Ribbon, and a Purple Heart. Following the service he became employed as a maintenance night supervisor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## EDWARD J. HINZ, Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Hinz was born on January 2, 1945, and attended Central Islip High School. He served from May of 1967 until May of 1969 with H Company, 2nd Battalion, 8th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division, Air Mobile, of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Gordon, Georgia, and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, and two Overseas Ribbons. After the service he became employed as an automotive mechanic for the Town of Islip.

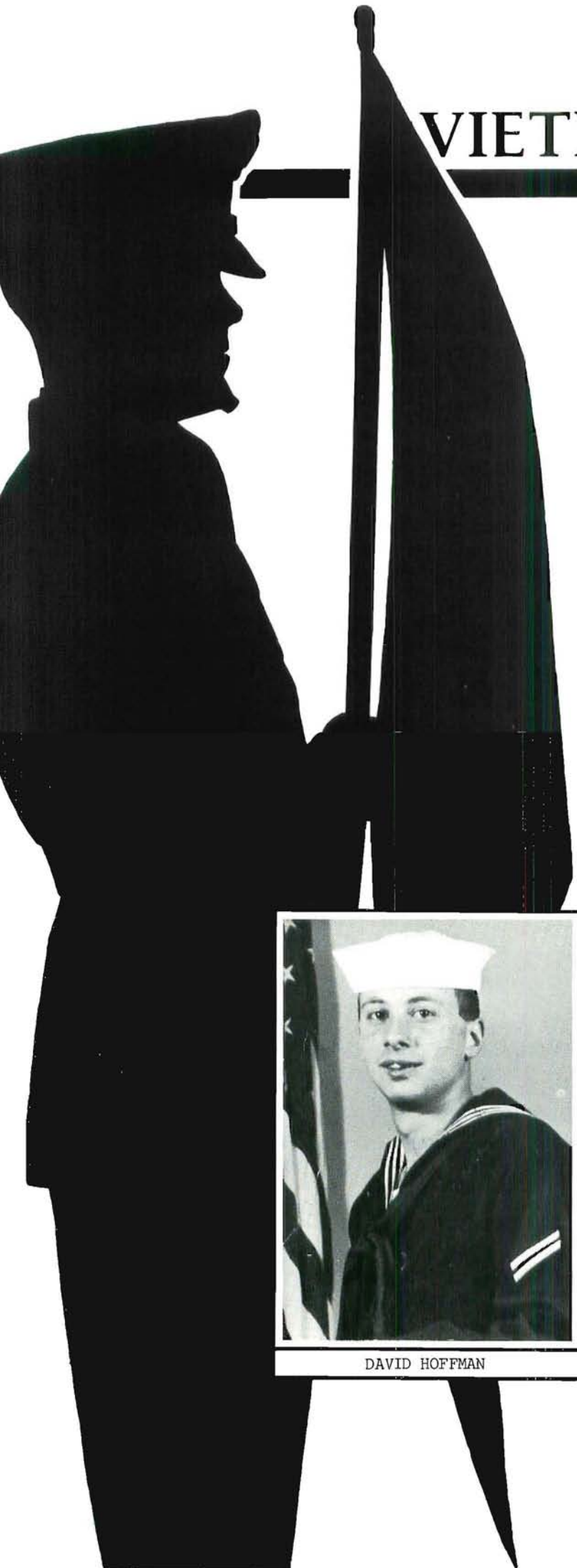
## DAVID HOFFMAN, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Petty Officer 2/c Hoffman served from 1968 through 1972 with the VAW #121 of the United States Navy, was stationed mainly in the Mediterranean Sea, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Commack, New York, where he was graduated from Commack High School in 1965, he was born on April 9, 1948. He resides in Central Islip, and is employed as a home improvement contractor.

## DANIEL G. HOLBROOK, Hull Technician 3rd Class

Mr. Holbrook was born on April 16, 1953, is a longtime resident of Sayville, and was graduated from Sayville High School. He served from July of 1972 until July of 1975 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Intrepid, CUS-11, and aboard the U.S.S. Gilmore, AS-6, and was stationed overseas, primarily in Sardinia, Italy. Following the service he became employed as a factory foreman.

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EDWARD J. HINZ



DAVID HOFFMAN



DANIEL G. HOLBROOK

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## DANIEL D. HOLMES, Machinist Mate 3rd Class

Originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Holmes was born on July 10, 1946, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1964. He served from July of 1964 until July of 1967 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Navasota, AO-106, and was stationed in the Subic Bay and the South China Sea. He resides in Brightwaters, and is employed with the Long Island Lighting Company.

## RICHARD HOMAN, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Homan served from December of 1965 until December of 1967 with the 25th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Gordon, Georgia, at Fort Benning, Georgia, at Scofield Barracks, Hawaii, and in Vietnam as well. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, two Overseas Ribbons, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on March 5, 1946, and attended William E. Grady High School for three years. He resides in Bay Shore, and has been employed as a warehouseman since the service.

## GARY HOROWITZ, Captain

Captain Horowitz served from June of 1970 until June of 1981 with the 41st Tactical Airlift Squadron, 317th Tactical Airlift Wing, MAC, of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Pope Air Force Base, North Carolina, Rheinman Air Force Base, France, in Korea and England as well, and is merited with the Distinguished Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Air Force Junior Officer of the Year Award for 1979. Originally from Sayville, he was born on May 28, 1952, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1970, and from the Air Force Academy in 1974. He currently resides in Chapel Hill, North Carolina. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS HORMANN, Sergeant

Formerly of Brentwood, Mr. Hormann was born on March 5, 1949, was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1967, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served with B Company, 2nd Battalion, 47th Infantry, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army from 1968 until 1970, was stationed in Behn Phuc, and the Mekong Delta, Vietnam, and is merited with four Army Commendation Medals, one for heroism, three Bronze Star Medals, one also for heroism, and two Purple Hearts. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed with the Brentwood School District.

## WILLIAM E. HOUNSELL, Specialist 4th Class

Born on September 5, 1943, Mr. Hounsell resided in Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from John Jay High School in 1961. He served from May of 1965 until May of 1967 with the 15th Medical Battalion, B Company, 1st Air Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in An Khe, Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Combat Medical Badge, the Overseas Ribbon, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He became employed as an elevator mechanic after the service, and currently resides in West Islip.

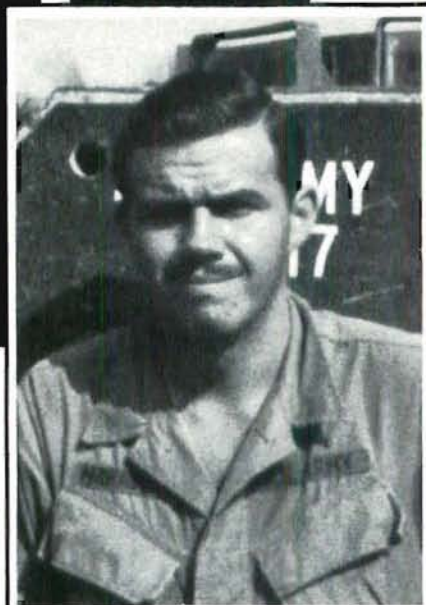
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## EDWARD HUETHER, Petty Officer 2nd Class

A 1963 graduate of East Islip High School, Mr. Huether was born on January 23, 1945, and resided in East Islip before making his home in Islip Terrace. He served from July of 1963 until September of 1968 with the United States Navy, was stationed in the Pacific Ocean, and at Pearl Harbor, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He is employed as the District Manager for United Technologie.

## JOHN R. HUISMAN, Radarman 2nd Class

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Huisman was born on September 4, 1942, and was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School in 1960, and in 1978 from New York Institute of Technology. He served with the United States Navy from June of 1961 until June of 1965, aboard the U.S.S. Cambria, APA-36, and aboard the U.S.S. Suffolk County, LST-1175. He was stationed at Norfolk, Virginia, and in the Mediterranean and Caribbean Seas, and is merited with the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. After the service he became employed with AT & T, and then with the New York City Police Department. (Photograph unavailable.)

## KENNETH R. HUNDT, Chief Warrant Officer 2nd Class

Born on September 20, 1949, and originally from Islip, Mr. Hundt was graduated from Islip High School in 1967, and attended Parks College for two years. He served from August of 1970 until February of 1976 with F Troop, 4th Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and in Hawaii, and received the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Medal with "V" device, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Army Aviation Badge, the Pistol Expert Badge, and the Distinguished Flying Cross. He resides in Rochester, New York, and is a Sergeant with the helicopter unit of the New York State Police.

## RICHARD J. HUTTER, Aviation Electronics Radarman 2nd Class

Originally from Ridgewood, New York, where he was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School in 1962, Mr. Hutter was born on December 18, 1944, and attended New York City College for three years. He served with Attack Squadron #75 of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Independence, CVA-62, and was stationed in Virginia Beach, Virginia. He is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Navy Unit Commendation Medal. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and after the service became employed as a field engineering representative for Honeywell, Inc.

## THOMAS A. HYER, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Hyer served from July of 1969 until July of 1975 primarily with the 44th Medical Brigade, 3rd Field Hospital of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, Fort Sam, Texas, and in Saigon, Vietnam. He received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal. Originally from Jackson Heights, New York, he was born on November 8, 1949, was graduated from William C. Bryant High School in 1968, and attended Queensborough Community College as well. He resides in East Islip, and is employed with New York Telephone Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

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EDWARD HUETHER



KENNETH R. HUNDT



RICHARD J. HUTTER

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## TRICE HYER, Captain

Born Trice Domenici on April 22, 1947, Mrs. Hyer is originally from Gardner, Massachusetts, and was graduated from Gardner High School in 1965. She was graduated from Nazareth College, Rochester, New York, in 1967, and from the University of Rochester, School of Nursing in 1969. She served from June of 1969 until June of 1972 with the United States Army Nurse Corps at the 3rd Field Hospital in Saigon, Vietnam, and was also stationed at Fort Sam, Texas, Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and at Fort Devens, Massachusetts. While in the service she received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Medal of Military Merit, the Bronze Star Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal. She resides in East Islip, and is a registered nurse.

## RONALD IADANZA, Sergeant

Sergeant Iadanza served from July of 1965 until September of 1967 with the 1st D Battalion, 13th Assault Helicopters of the United States Army, was stationed in Can Ton, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, two Air Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry. Originally from Lynbrook, New York, he was born on July 3, 1944, and was graduated from Richmond Hill High School. After the service he became employed as a truck driver, and currently resides in Ronkonkoma.

## ROBERT G. IMMEL, Captain

Originally from Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Immel was born on November 28, 1945, was graduated from Newtown High School in 1963, attended Queensborough Community College, and New York City College. He served from December of 1965 until November of 1968 with the 517th L.E. Company, 36th Engineer Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in various places in Vietnam, and received a Purple Heart, the Army Commendation Medal with "V" device, and the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement. He resides in West Sayville, and is employed as an airport sales agent.

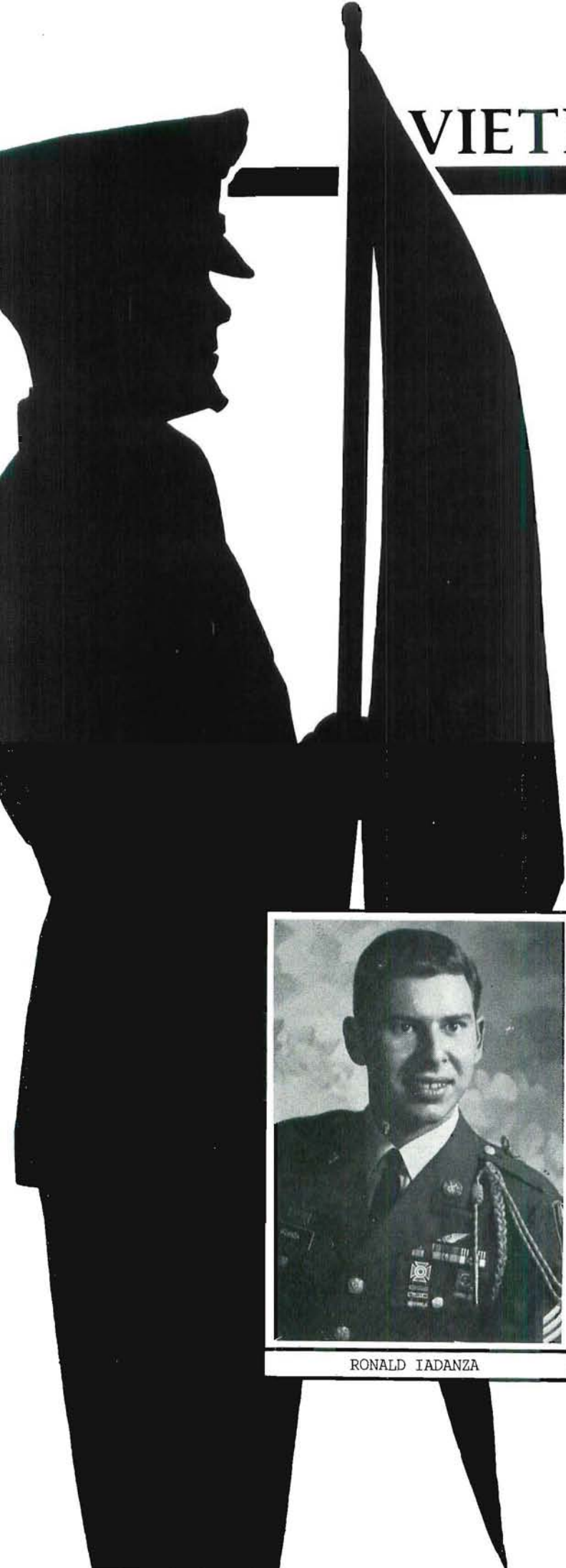
## EDWARD L. INDELICATO, Specialist 5th Class

A 1963 graduate of Central Islip High School, Mr. Indelicato was born on December 9, 1945, and was graduated from Suffolk County Community College in 1966. He resided in Islip Terrace before making his home in Richmond, Virginia, where he now resides. He served with the 137th Construction Engineers of the United States Army from May of 1966 until May of 1968, was stationed in Bon Son, Vietnam, and earned the United Nations Service Medal. He is employed with the United States Postal Service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT J. INGENITO, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Petty Officer 3/c Ingenito served from April of 1966 until February of 1970 with the United States Navy and with the 1st Dental Company, C Medical Battalion, 2nd Battalion, 3rd Marines of the United States Marine Corps in Vietnam. He is merited with the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, three Presidential Unit Citations, the Navy Commendation Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Originally from Sayville, he was born on January 22, 1947, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1964, from Stockton State College, New Jersey, in 1976, and from Ocean County College in 1971. He resides in Pine Beach, New Jersey, and is employed with the Government. (Photograph unavailable.)

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TRICE HYER



RONALD IADANZA



ROBERT G. IMMEL



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## THOMAS M. INMAN, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Holbrook, Mr. Inman was born on July 25, 1950, attended Sachem High School, received his equivalency diploma in the service, and attended New York Institute of Technology. He served from October of 1967 until September of 1970 with D Company of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Long Binh, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He currently resides in North Babylon, New York, and is employed as a police officer for the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GUY F. IPPOLITO, Specialist 5th Class

Born on May 28, 1941, Mr. Ippolito resided in Seaford, New York. He was graduated from Seaford High School in 1959, and in 1963 from New York University. He served with the United States Army, with the 5th Army at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, and with the 8th Army in Seoul, Korea, from October of 1963 until October of 1966. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a Nassau County Police Officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## CLIFFORD D. JACKSON, SR., Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Blue Point, Mr. Jackson was born on May 8, 1944, was graduated from Bayport-Blue Point High School in 1962, and in 1966 from Rider College. He served from September of 1967 until August of 1969 with the Americal Division, 23rd Administration Company of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Army Commendation Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters, and the Good Conduct Medal. He is employed as a controller, and resides in Bay Shore.

## EUGENE J. JACOBSEN, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Jacobsen served from October of 1966 until August of 1968 with the 260th Military Police Company, 83rd Ordnance Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in Korea. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on July 14, 1946, was graduated from Delahanty High School in 1964, and attended Pace College for two years. He resides in Islip Terrace, and after the service became employed as a stock records clerk.

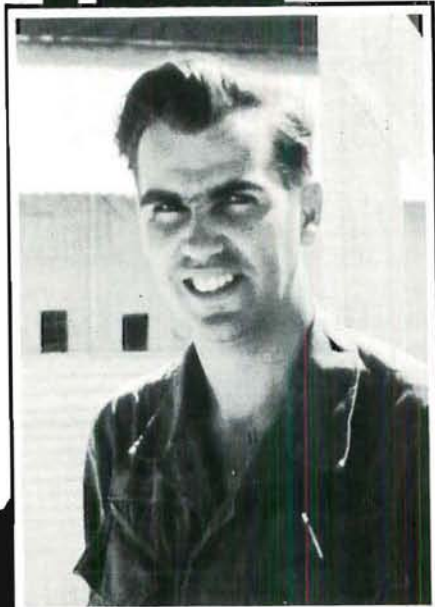
## NEIL A. JAFFE, Sergeant

Sergeant Jaffe served with the 39th ARRS of the United States Air Force from June of 1966 until June of 1970, and was stationed at Langley Air Force Base, Virginia, and in Tuy Hoa, Vietnam. Born on February 7, 1948, and originally from the Bronx, New York, he was graduated from William H. Taft High School. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed with Pan American Airlines.

## MICHAEL C. JANTZ, Jr., Specialist 4th Class

A 1962 graduate of W.C. Mepham High School, Mr. Jantz was born on November 2, 1944, and resided in East Quogue, New York, before settling in West Islip. He served from January of 1963 until January of 1966 with H Company, 2nd Battalion, 503rd Infantry, and with A Company, 1st Battalion, 501st Airborne, 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army. He was stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, and Okinawa, Japan. He has been employed with the Long Island Rail Road since his separation from the service.

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CLIFFORD D. JACKSON, SR.



EUGENE J. JACOBSEN



MICHAEL C. JANTZ, Jr.



NEIL A. JAFFE

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## BRADFORD C. JAWORSKI, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Jaworski served from 1968 through 1972 with the United States Air Force, and was stationed mainly with Special Services Offices. He was born on May 19, 1943, and resided in Bethpage, New York, before making his home in Holbrook where he now resides. He was graduated from Hicksville High School in 1961, and from Ithaca College in 1966. He is employed as a teacher. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES J. JERNIGAN, Sergeant

Originally from Brentwood, where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1970, Mr. Jernigan was born on September 16, 1952, and was graduated from Suffolk County Community College in 1983. He served from February of 1971 until February of 1972 with the 509th Bomb Wing, 2nd Air Force, Strategic Air Command of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Pease Air Force Base, and is merited with the Outstanding Unit Citation, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Good Conduct Medal, and a Marksman Badge as well. He resides in Central Islip, and is employed as a medical technician.

## ROLAND D. JIMENEZ, Petty Officer 3rd Class

A 1964 graduate of Brentwood High School, Mr. Jimenez was born on March 3, 1947, and resided in Bay Shore before settling in Brentwood where he currently resides. He served with the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Wasp, CVS-18, from 1964 until 1970, was stationed mainly in Boston, Massachusetts, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. He attended SUNY at Farmingdale, and is employed in banking as a vice president.

## RAUL JIMINEZ-CINTRON, Private 1st Class

Born on May 13, 1944, and originally from Cayey, Puerto Rico, Mr. Jimenez-Cintron was graduated from Benjamin Harrison High School, Cayey, in 1962, and attended John Jay College of Criminal Justice for two years. He served from March of 1963 until 1965 with C Company, 46th Medical Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Heilbronn, Germany, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Expert Rifle Badge, and the Marksman Rifle Badge. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is a Sergeant for the New York City Police Department.

## ROBERT J. JIRINEC, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of East Islip, and a 1961 graduate of East Islip High School, Mr. Jirinec was born on July 11, 1943. He served from April of 1965 until April of 1967 with the 809th Engineer Construction Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed principally in Thailand, and received a Rifle Badge. He currently resides in Medford, New York, and is employed as a carpenter.

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JAMES J. JERNIGAN



ROLAND D. JIMENEZ



RAUL JIMINEZ-CINTRON



ROBERT J. JIRINEC

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## CHRISTOPHER JOHN, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Islip Terrace, Mr. John was born on October 20, 1944, was graduated from East Islip High School in 1962, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from September of 1965 until June of 1967 with the 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Dien, Vietnam, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, and two Overseas Ribbons. He is employed with the Long Island Rail Road, and resides in Sayville.

## ANDREW JOHNSON, Captain

Captain Johnson served from July of 1966 through January of 1972 with the 196th Assault Helicopter Company, Americal Division, of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Rucker, Alabama, and in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal, the Distinguished Flying Cross, and a Purple Heart as well. Born on November 15, 1946, and originally from Long Island City, New York, he was graduated from Power Memorial Academy in 1964, and in 1966 from Queensborough Community College. He resides in Holbrook, and is employed as a supervisor for United Parcel Service.

## PETER B. JOHNSON, Staff Sergeant

Born on August 9, 1946, and originally from Bay Shore where he was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1964, Mr. Johnson was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1975, and currently resides in Mesa, Arizona. He served from November of 1965 until July of 1969 with the 76th Military Airlift Squadron, 437th Military Airlift Wing, was stationed in Charleston, South Carolina, and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Expert Medal in Marksmanship. He was employed as a manager for a dry cleaning establishment before and after the service.

## RUSSELL P. JOHNSON, Sergeant

Sergeant Johnson served with the 4252nd OMS of the United States Air Force from September of 1967 until September of 1971, was stationed mainly at Kadena Air Force Base, Okinawa, Japan, and received the Good Conduct Medal and the Presidential Unit Citation. Originally from Brentwood, he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1967, and in 1982 from Georgia Military College. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is serving as a Sergeant 1/c in the United States Signal Corps.

## WALTER F. JOHNSON, Engineman 2nd Class (Submarine Qualified)

Formerly of Massapequa Park, New York, Mr. Johnson was born on January 5, 1946, was graduated from Massapequa High School in 1963, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale, Suffolk County Community College, and Delehanty Technical Institute. He served from January of 1964 until January of 1969 with the United States Navy Submarine Service, aboard the U.S.S. Pickerel, SS-524, and was stationed in the western Pacific Ocean and the South China Sea. He resides in Oakdale and is employed as a steamfitter for Local #638.

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ANDREW JOHNSON



CHRISTOPHER JOHN



RUSSELL P. JOHNSON



PETER B. JOHNSON



WALTER F. JOHNSON

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## WALTER J. JOHNSON, Specialist 5th Class

Born on September 28, 1947, and originally from East Islip, Mr. Johnson was graduated from East Islip High School, from Suffolk County Community College, and attended Concord State University, West Virginia. He served from November of 1967 until November of 1970 with the 52nd Combat Aviation Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, two Overseas Ribbons, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resides in Islip and is employed with the Suffolk County Water Authority.

## DANIEL C. JOHNSON, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Originally from New York City, Mr. Johnston was born on October 31, 1953, and was graduated from Cardinal Hayes High School, Bronx, New York. He served with the United States Navy from January of 1972 until January of 1978 aboard the U.S.S. Barry, DD-993, and aboard the U.S.S. Boulder, LST-1190, was stationed at Little Creek, Arkansas, and in Greece, and earned the Meritorious Unit Commendation and the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Bay Shore, and after the service became employed as a tool grinder. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT E. JOLLEY, E-2/E-3

Mr. Jolley was born on December 2, 1951, was graduated from T.R. Robinson High School, Florida, where he resided before making his home in Holbrook where he now resides. He served from July of 1970 until November of 1979 with the 1882nd Communications Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Phan Rang, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, and the Air Force Commendation Medal. Following the service he became employed as a bio-medical engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

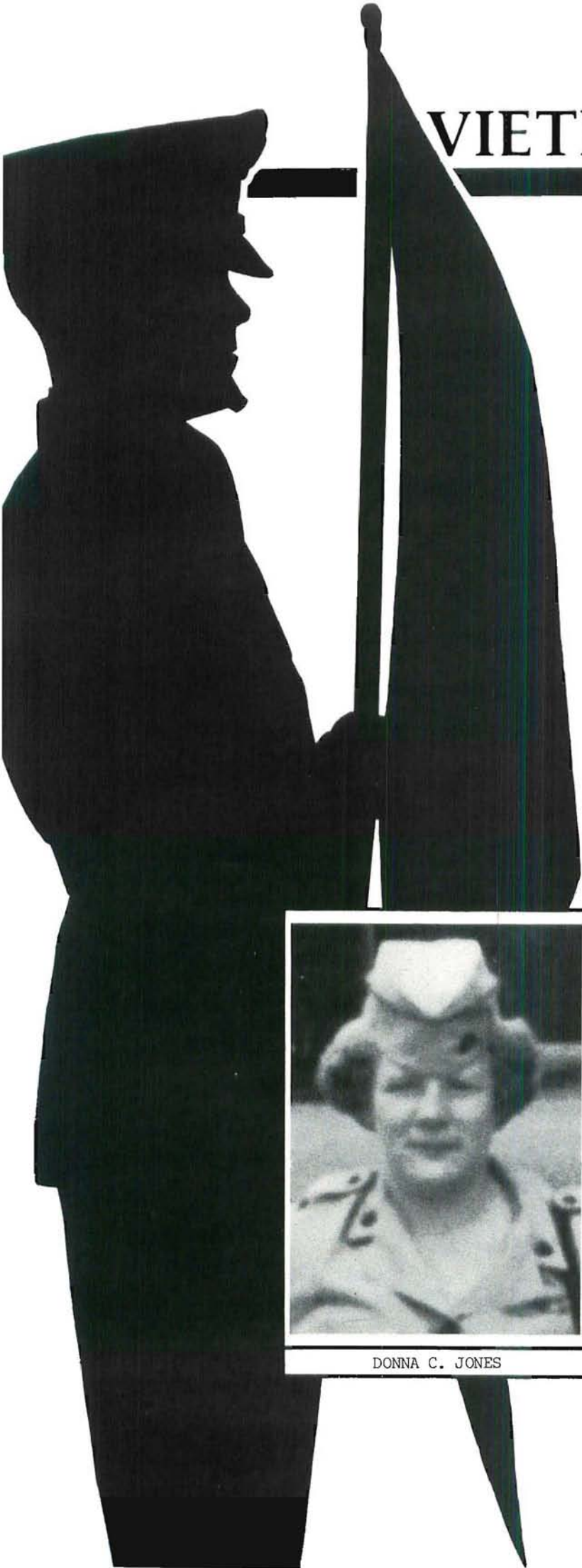
## DONNA C. JONES, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Jones served from May of 1968 until May of 1970 with the Woman Marine Company, S Company of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly in Albany, New York, and in Georgia, and received the Good Conduct Medal. She was born Donna Cole on February 17, 1949, and resided in Oneida, New York, before settling in Central Islip where she now resides. She was graduated from Oneida High School in 1967.

## JOHN L. JONES, Sergeant

Sergeant Jones served with the 5th FSR, 5th Marine Division, 3rd FSR, 3rd Marine Division, 4th FSR, 4th Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Albany, New York, and in Georgia, and is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, and the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from New York City, he was born on June 2, 1949, and attended Dewitt Clinton High School, Bronx, New York, and received his equivalency diploma while in the service. He resides in Central Islip, and is employed as a security agent and a burglar alarm repairman.

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WALTER J. JOHNSON



DONNA C. JONES



JOHN L. JONES



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## GARY JOYCE, Sergeant

Sergeant Joyce served with K Company, 75th Airborne Rangers, 4th Infantry Division, and with the 61st Military Police Company, 1st Signal Battalion of the United States Army from August of 1968 until January of 1971, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and is merited with two Bronze Star Medals, the Air Medal, two Army Commendation Medals, a Purple Heart, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Parachutist Badge as well. Originally from Hauppauge, he was born on January 16, 1949, and was graduated from Seton Hall High School in 1966. He also attended Southampton College for one year, and received his Associate's Degree from Suffolk County Community College. He resides in Holbrook, and after the service became employed with AER Lingus Airlines. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK J. JUDICE, Machinist Mate/Fireman

Formerly of West Islip, Mr. Judice was born on October 21, 1946, and attended John Adams High School, South Ozone Park, New York, and received his equivalency diploma while in the service. He served from January of 1966 until October of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Amphion, AR-13, and aboard the U.S.S. Wasp, CVS-18, was stationed in the North Atlantic Ocean and in the Mediterranean Sea, and received the National Defense Service Medal. He is employed as a construction worker with Local #1298, and resides in Bay Shore.

## GARY P. JUDICE, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Judice was born on March 23, 1948, and was graduated from West Islip High School in 1966. He served with E Company, 3rd Battalion, 1st Infantry Brigade, Americal Division of the United States Army, from January of 1967 until December of 1968, and was stationed primarily in Duc Pho, Vietnam. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal. He has been employed as a machine operator. (Photograph unavailable.)

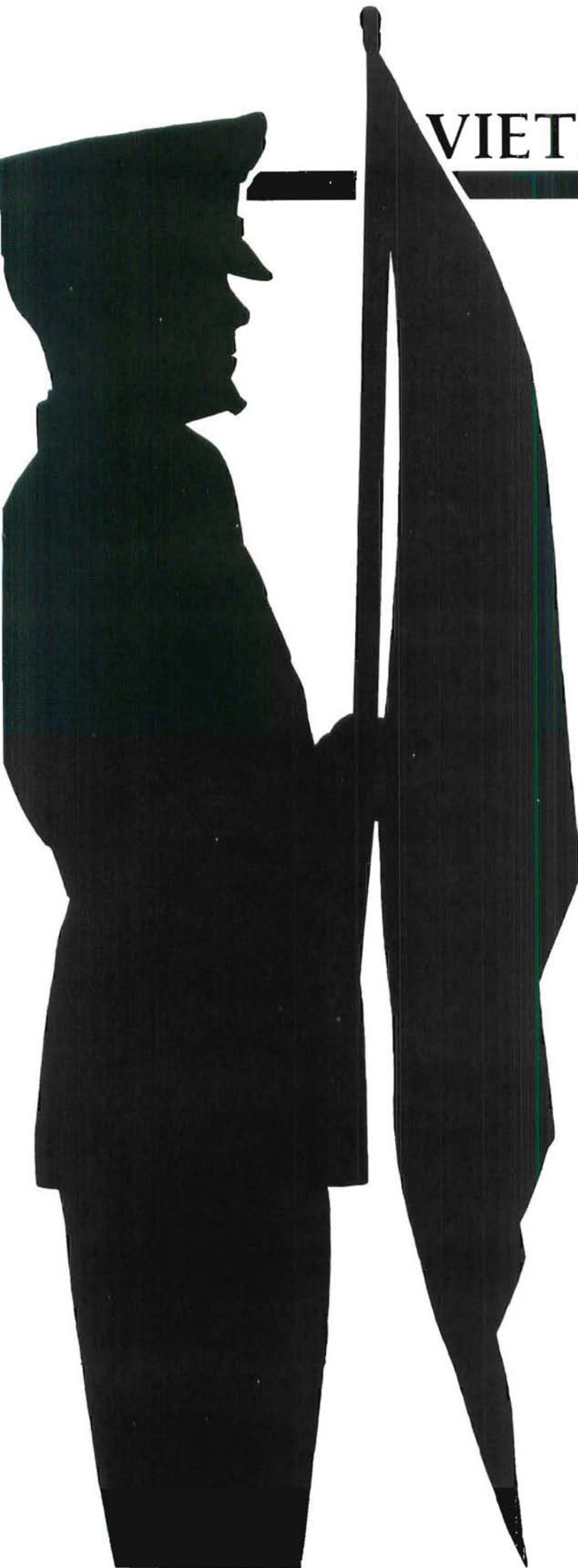
## JOHN C. JULIAN, Sergeant

Sergeant Julian served from November of 1969 until November of 1970 with the 355th Combat Support Group of the United States Air Force while stationed at Takahli Royal Thai Air Force Base, Thailand, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Outstanding Unit Award, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Marksman Badge. Born on September 12, 1948, he resided in Lake Ronkonkoma, was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1968, and in 1974 from Monroe Community College. Following the service he became Deputy Sheriff of Monroe County, New York, and currently resides in Coram, New York.

## MICHAEL JULIANO, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from West Babylon, New York, where he was graduated from West Babylon High School in 1966, Mr. Juliano was born on March 22, 1949. He received his Bachelor of Business Administration from Dowling College in 1972, and in 1976 received his Master of Business Administration from Adelphi University. He served from August of 1968 until May of 1970 with the 1st Air Cavalry, 1st Battalion, B Company of the United States Army making more than 25 air assaults, and earned a Purple Heart, the Air Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal. He became employed as a marketing manager, and currently resides in Holbrook. (Photograph unavailable.)

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FRANK J. JUDICE



JOHN C. JULIAN

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## GERALD M. JUNE, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Bolivar, New York, where he was graduated from Bolivar Central School in 1966, Mr. June was born on October 24, 1946. He served from 1967 through 1968 with the 54th Artillery Group, 1st Battalion, 83rd Artillery of the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam. He resides in Holbrook, and is employed with New York Telephone Company.

## WARD R. KAHN, Yeoman 2nd Class

Yeoman 2/c Kahn served from November of 1968 until August of 1970 with the United States Naval Mobile Construction Battalion #1 of the United States Navy, was stationed in Davisville, Rhode Island, and in Phu Bai, Da Nang, and Saigon, Vietnam. He is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Expert Rifle Badge, the Naval Reserve Meritorious Service Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation with Gallantry Cross and Palm, and the Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation for Civil Actions with Palm. Originally from Sayville, he was born on March 9, 1946, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1964, and in 1973 from Dowling College. He resides in Elmira, New York, and is an Investigator for Chemung County Office of Child Support Enforcement.

## JOSEPH V. KALACHIK, JR., 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Kalachik served with the United States Army Air Support Command from January of 1969 until November of 1970, was stationed in Saigon, Vietnam, and is merited with the Joint Service Commendation Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and the Bronze Star Medal. Originally from Uniondale, New York, he was born on October 10, 1946, and was graduated from Chaminade High School, Mineola, New York, in 1964, and from Niagara University in 1968. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed in data processing. (Photograph unavailable.)

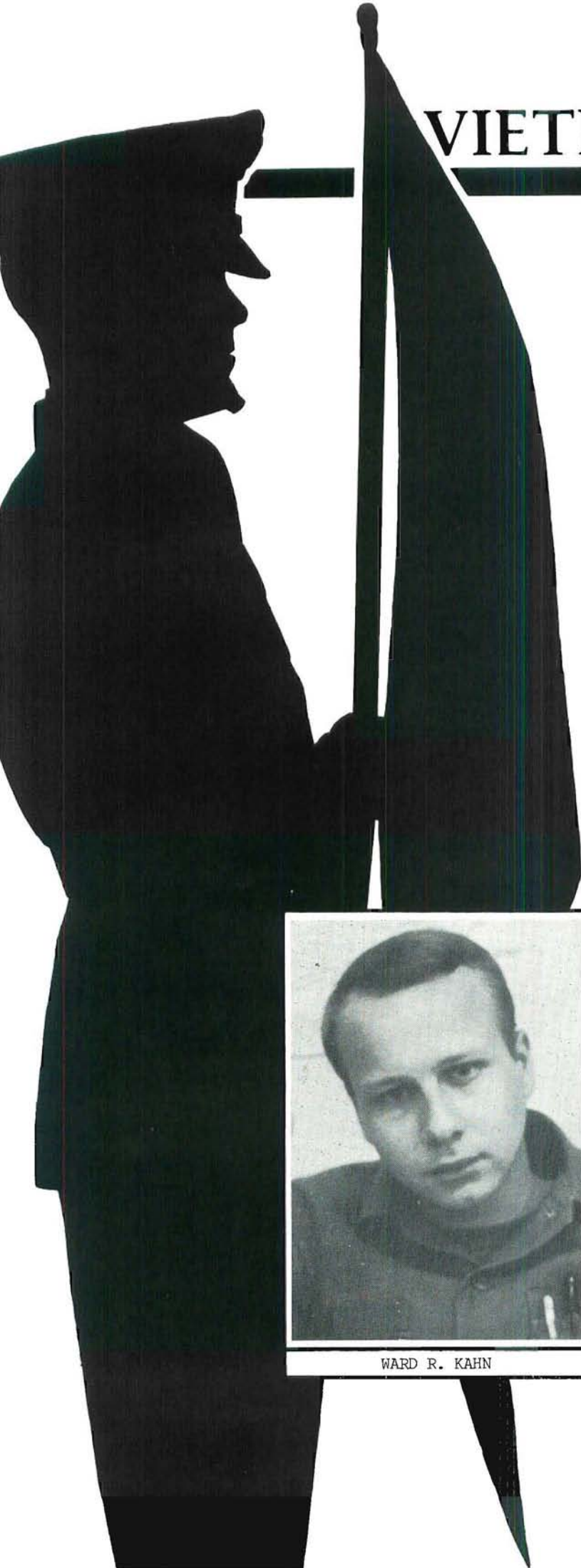
## GERALD J. KALINOWSKI, Specialist 5th Class

Born on December 9, 1945, and formerly of Fairfield, Connecticut, Mr. Kalinowski was graduated from Fairfield College Prep School in 1963, and from Dowling College in 1976. He served from September of 1965 until September of 1968 with the 125th ATC of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Kontum, Vietnam, and received the Army Commendation Medal. He resides in Sayville and is an Air Traffic Controller for the Federal Aviation Administration.

## JAMES R. KAMPE, Boiler Technician 2nd Class

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Kampe was born on July 1, 1953, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1972, and has been employed as an engineer. He served from July of 1972 until November of 1976 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Mullinix, DD-944, was stationed at Norfolk, Virginia, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

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GERALD M. JUNE



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GERALD J. KALINOWSKI

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## JOSEPH L. KAMPE, Senior Chief Machinist Mate

Originally from Sayville, where he was graduated from Sayville High School in 1963, Mr. Kampe was born on March 22, 1945. He served from February of 1964 until December of 1983 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Piedmont, AP-17, in the Submarine Base, Pearl Harbor, and aboard the U.S.S. Claude Jones, DR-1033, in San Diego, California. He is merited with the Navy Commendation Medal, the Navy Achievement Medal, four Good Conduct Medals, the National Defense Service Medal, the Expert Pistol Badge, a Surface Warfare Pin, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. He resides in National City, California, and is employed as a ship's superintendent for SDI, San Diego, California.

## WILLIAM G. KAMPE, Airman 1st Class

Currently residing in Eastport, New York, and formerly of Sayville, Mr. Kampe was born on November 24, 1951, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1970, and from SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from July of 1971 until July of 1977 with the 102nd Aero Medical Evacuation Squadron, 106th Air Refueling Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Sheppard Air Force Base and Westhampton Air Force Base. After the service he became employed as a truck driver. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GARY KASHANSKY, Sergeant

Sergeant Kashansky served from November of 1967 until June of 1970 with the Headquarters Division Artillery, Americal Division of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the Army Commendation Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster, the Vietnam Service Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on October 8, 1946, was graduated from Thomas Jefferson High School in 1965, and attended Brooklyn College and Queensborough Community College. He resides in Holbrook, and has been employed as a logistics coordinator for the United States Postal Service.

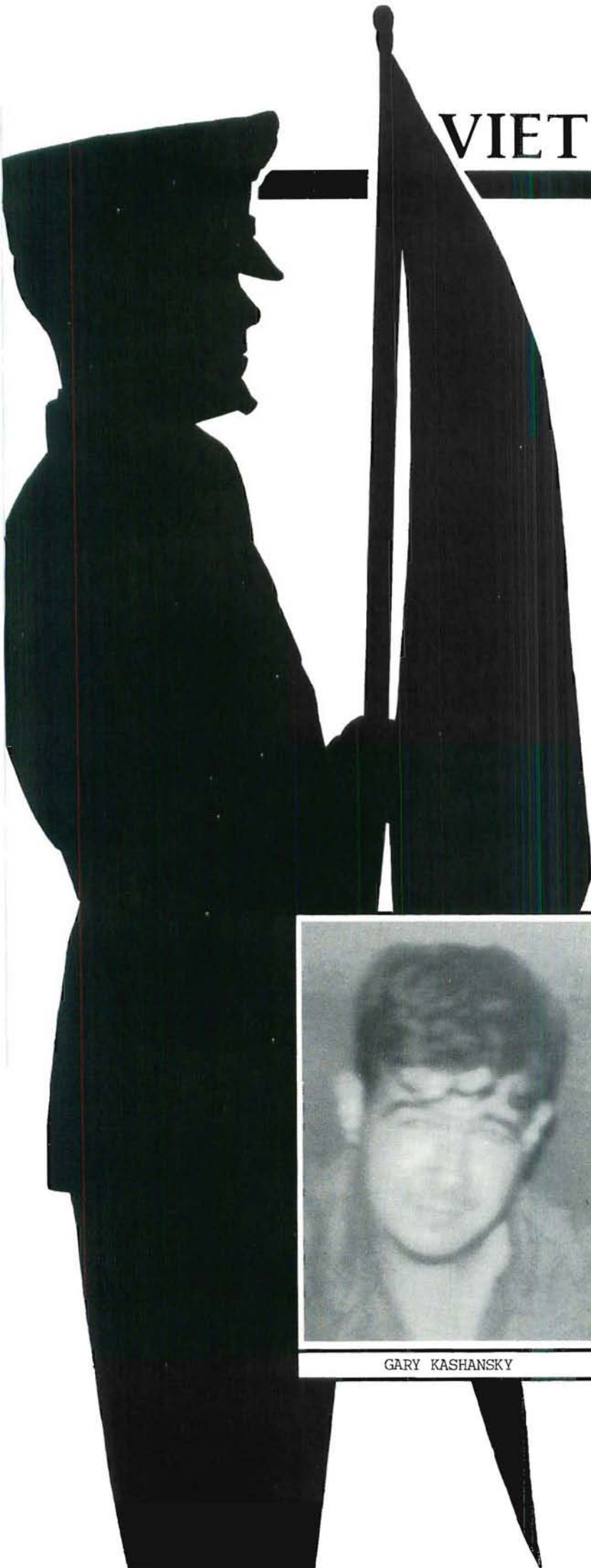
## JOSEPH KASS, Boiler Technician 2nd Class

Born on October 28, 1950, Mr. Kass resided in Floral Park, New York, was graduated from Martin Van Buren High School in 1968, and in 1983 from Queensborough Community College. He served from April of 1970 until April of 1974 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Bowen, DE-1079, and was stationed in Newport, Rhode Island, and in Charleston, South Carolina. He made his home in Holbrook where he now resides, and is employed as a stationary engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD G. KASTNER, Corporal

Corporal Kastner served from September of 1967 until March of 1970 with the 3rd Marine Division, 3rd Engineers Battalion, B Company of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Quang Tri and Dong Ha, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, and the Combat Action Badge as well. Originally from the Bronx, New York, he was born on August 14, 1949, and was graduated from Alfred E. Smith High School, Bronx, in 1967. He resides in Bay Shore and is employed as an operating engineer.

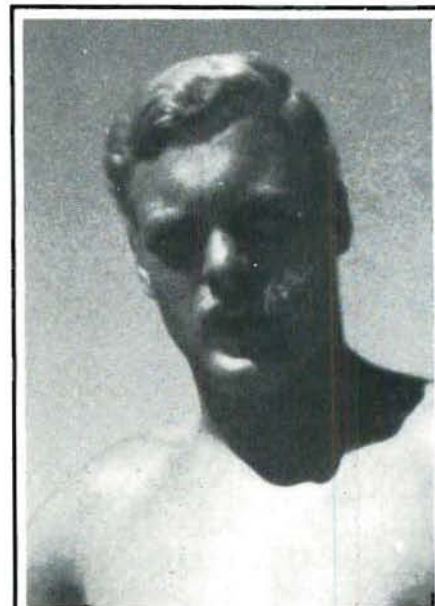
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JOSEPH L. KAMPE



GARY KASHANSKY



RICHARD G. KASTNER

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## MATTHEW KAVANAUGH, Specialist 4th Class

Born on February 27, 1948, and originally from Central Islip, Mr. Kavanaugh was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1967, and attended C.W. Post College. He served from June of 1967 until June of 1970 with A Detachment, 27th Maintenance Battalion, 1st Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with two Vietnam Service Medals, and the Army Commendation Medal. He resides in Ridge, New York. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN J. KEANE, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Keane served from September of 1968 until September of 1970 with the United States Army, at Hunter Army Airfield in Georgia, and with the Military Airlift Command, in Manheim, Germany, and received the Good Conduct Medal, two Rifle Expert Badges. Originally from Rosedale, New York, he was born on September 25, 1946, and was graduated from Andrew Jackson High School in 1964. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed with aircraft supply for Overseas National Airways, at John F. Kennedy International Airport, Jamaica, New York.

## DONALD J. KEARNEY, Commander

Commander Kearney served with the United States Medical Corps at the U.S. Naval Hospital in St. Albans, New York, and with the U.S. Naval Hospital in San Diego, California, from 1965 until 1975. Formerly of Babylon, New York, he was born on February 19, 1941, and was graduated from Seton Hall High School in 1958, from Mount St. Mary's College in Maryland in 1962, and in 1966 from Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He was a medical doctor after the service, and resided in Bay Shore. He passed away on February 7, 1979. (Photograph unavailable.)

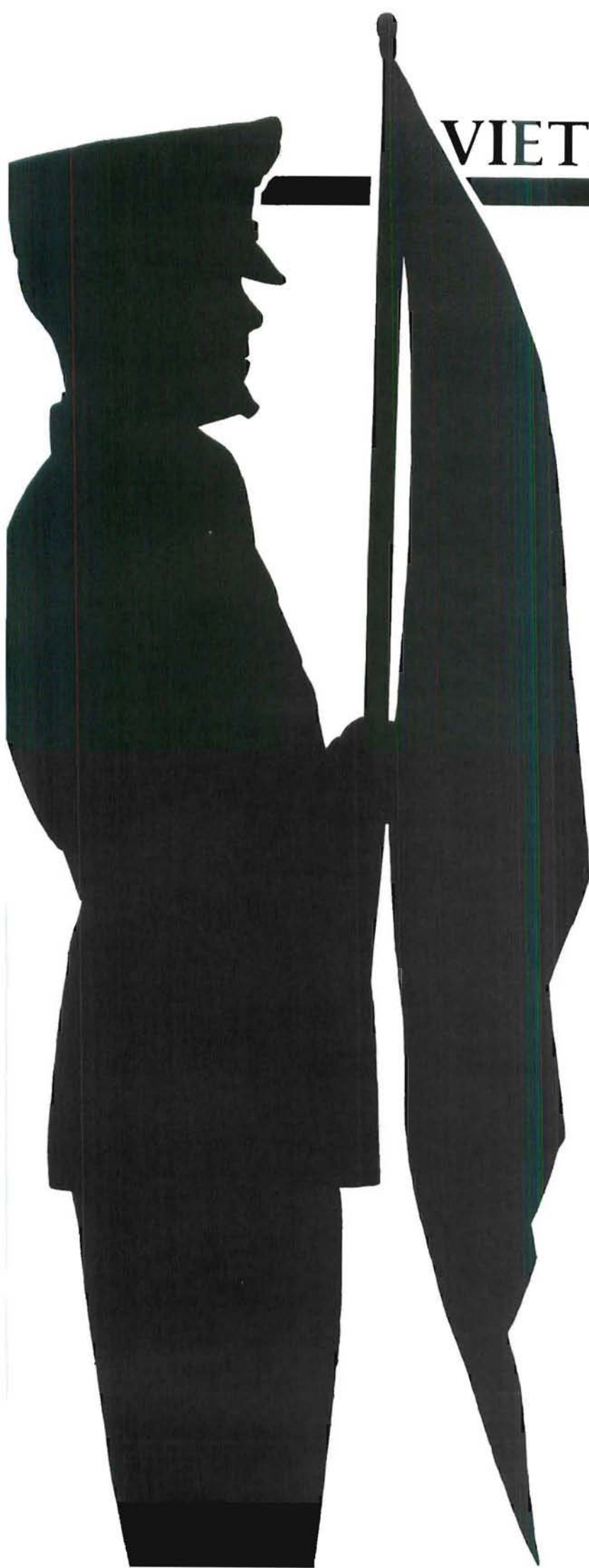
## CURT KEELY, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Freeport, New York, Mr. Keely was born on December 13, 1946, was graduated from Freeport High School in 1964, and in 1966 from SUNY at Morrisville. He served from September of 1966 until September of 1969 with the 1st Brigade, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Phouc Vinh, and Quan Loy, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster, and the Vietnamese Armed Forces Honor Medal. He has been employed as a landscape contractor since his separation from the service, and currently resides in Hauppauge. (Photograph unavailable.)

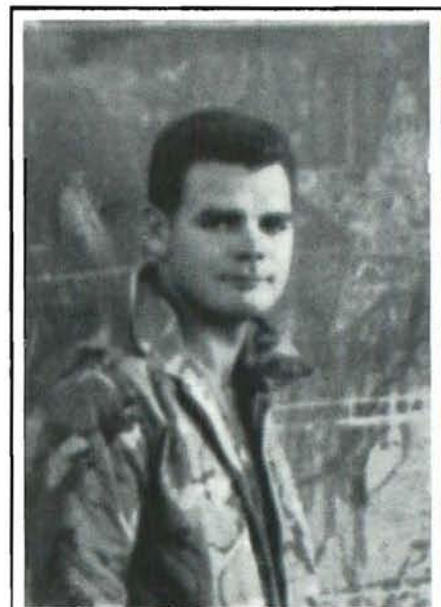
## MICHAEL C. KEENA, Specialist 4th Class

Mr. Keena was born on January 1, 1943, is originally from Queens, New York, and was graduated from Far Rockaway High School in 1960. He served with E Troop, 1st Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed at I Corps and in the Central Highlands of Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the New York Conspicuous Service Award, and three Purple Hearts as well. Following the service he became a deckhand and captain on a tug boat. He currently resides in Hauppauge.

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JOHN J. KEANE



MICHAEL C. KEENA



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## EDWARD J. KELLER, JR., Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Islip Terrace, Mr. Keller was born on May 11, 1945, was graduated from East Islip High School in 1963, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from October of 1965 until October of 1967 with C Battery, 2nd TAB, 25th Artillery, 7th Army of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Germany, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Oakdale, and has been employed as a sales engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## KENNETH J. KELLER, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Keller served from November of 1965 until November of 1967 with C Battery, 35th Field Artillery of the United States Army, was stationed in the 3rd Corps area, and received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals. Born on May 7, 1946, and originally from Bay Shore, he made his home in Bohemia where he currently resides. He was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964, and is employed as a project control supervisor.

## GERARD C. KELLEY, JR., Petty Officer 3rd Class

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Kelley was born on May 3, 1947, was graduated from West Islip High School in 1965, and in 1969 from SUNY at Morrisville. He served from May of 1970 through April of 1974 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Compass Island, was stationed at New London, Connecticut, and the Brooklyn Navy Yard, and is merited with the Sailor of the Month Award, and a Letter of Commendation. Following the service he became employed as coordinator of restaurants for Bloomingdale's in New York City.

## WILLIAM M. KELLS, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Kells served with Headquarters & Headquarters Company, 2nd Battalion, 1st Infantry, 196th Light Infantry Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in Tay Ninh and Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal with "V" device. Originally from Ridgewood, New York, he was born on August 19, 1944, and was graduated from Brooklyn Automotive Trades High School in 1962. He resides in West Islip, and is a tractor trailer driver.

## WILLIAM J. KELLY, Electronic Technician 2nd Class

A 1969 graduate of West Islip High School, and a longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Kelly was born on January 12, 1951, and was graduated in 1978 from Suffolk County Community College. He served from November of 1969 until October of 1978 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Belknap, DLG-26, was stationed in Southern Europe, South America, Cuba, and Norfolk, Virginia, and earned the Good Conduct Medal. He is employed as an electronics engineer.

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GERARD C. KELLEY, JR.



KENNETH J. KELLER



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WILLIAM J. KELLY

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## PETER C. KELSCH, Sergeant

Sergeant Kelsch served from October of 1967 until October of 1969 with the 198th LIB, Americal Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge. Originally from Bellrose, New York, he was born on November 15, 1947, was graduated from Martin Van Buren High School, and from New York Institute of Technology. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed in banking.

## TED A. KEMPF, Sergeant

A 1963 graduate of Sachem High School, Mr. Kempf was born on October 3, 1945, resided in Bohemia, and was graduated from Clarkson College in 1967. He served from June of 1968 until June of 1972 with the Flight Test Center, 6510th Test Wing of the United States Air Force, was stationed mainly at Edwards Air Force Base, California, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Air Force Outstanding Unit Citation, and the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon. He resides in Amherst, New York, and is an engineer with the Long Island Lighting Company.

## MARK KENEDY, Sergeant

Originally from Bay Shore, and currently residing in Brightwaters, Mr. Kenedy was born on May 2, 1945, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1964, and from Suffolk County Community College. He served with Headquarters Company, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Dong Tam, Vietnam, and received the Distinguished Service Cross. After the service he became self-employed. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD KENEHAN, Private

Private Kenehan served with B Company, 2/35 Infantry, 4th Division Task Force of the United States Army, from February of 1968 until March of 1970, was stationed chiefly in the Central Highlands in Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge. A longtime resident of Islip Terrace, he was born on February 9, 1948, and is employed with the United States Postal Service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## EDWARD F. KENNEDY, Boatswain Mate 3rd Class

Born on November 10, 1948, Mr. Kennedy resided in West Babylon, New York, where he was graduated from West Babylon High School in 1967. He settled in East Islip where he now resides, and is employed with the Suffolk County Sheriff's Department. He served from July of 1967 until April of 1971 with the 3rd Division of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Long Beach, CGN-9, was stationed in the western Pacific Ocean, and is merited with the Presidential Unit Commendation Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT C. KENNEDY, JR., 1st Lieutenant

Originally from Niagara Falls, New York, Mr. Kennedy was born on April 27, 1939, was graduated from Niagara Falls High School in 1957, from Yale University in 1961, and is employed as a director of advertising. He served from March of 1962 through August of 1966 with the 4601st Support Squadron, Detachment #4, 41st Air Division, with the 4626th Support Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Maine, New York, and Japan. He resides in Oakdale. (Photograph unavailable.)

# VIETNAM VETERANS



PETER C. KELSCH



TED A. KEMPF

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## FRANCIS D. KERN, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Hempstead, New York, where he was graduated from Hempstead High School in 1962, Mr. Kern was born on July 14, 1944, received his Bachelor of Science degree from SUNY at Fredonia in 1966, and his Master of Arts degree in 1970 from the University of Iowa. He served from October of 1967 until October of 1969 with Headquarters Company, 3rd Battalion, 70th Armor, 24th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Augsburg, Germany. He resides in Bohemia, and is employed as a teacher.

## GARY J. KERN, Specialist 5th Class

A 1967 graduate of West Islip High School, Mr. Kern was born on June 24, 1949, and resided in Bay Shore before settling in Islip Terrace where he currently resides. He served from 1969 until 1970 with B Battery, 139th Artillery, 24th Corps. of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Vietnam. He has been self-employed in security systems since his discharge from the service.

## PATRICK H. KERN, Sergeant

Sergeant Kern served from April of 1967 until April of 1973 with the Maintenance Battalion, Force Logistic Command of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang and Phu Bai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Kew Gardens, New York, he was born on January 1, 1950, and was graduated from Richmond Hill High School in 1967. Following the service he became employed as an installer for Western Electric, and is now a signal inspector for the Long Island Rail Road. He resides in Holbrook.

## STANLEY L. KESSLER, Corporal

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Kessler was born on March 10, 1942, and was graduated from James Madison High School in 1960. He served from February of 1960 until February of 1964 with Headquarters Company, H & S Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Virginia, South Carolina, and Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and received the Rifle Expert Badge, the Pistol Expert Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. He resides in Holtsville, and is employed as a photographer.

## WILLIAM KESSLER, Specialist 5th Class

Born on August 16, 1948, and originally from North Babylon, New York, where he was graduated from North Babylon High School in 1966, Mr. Kessler made his home in Sayville, and has been employed with the Suffolk County Police Department since 1979. He served from November of 1967 until July of 1969 with A Company, 369th Signal Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Vietnam. He is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, and two Army Commendation Medals.

# VIETNAM VETERANS



FRANCIS D. KERN



GARY J. KERN



WILLIAM KESSLER



PATRICK H. KERN



STANLEY L. KESSLER

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## JACK KIES, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Seaford, New York, where he was graduated from Seaford High School in 1968, Mr. Kies was born on December 17, 1949, and was graduated from Dowling College in 1976. He served from June of 1968 until June of 1970 with the 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army, was stationed at I Corps in northern Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal. He resides in Sayville and is employed as an air traffic control specialist.

## DAVID O. KINDBERG, Yeoman 2nd Class

Born on April 19, 1943, Mr. Kindberg resided in Tiltonsville, Ohio, before making his home in West Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from Manchester Community College, Manchester, Connecticut, in 1973, and received his Bachelor of Science degree from Long Island University in 1985. He served with the Naval Emergency Ground Defense Forces of the United States Navy, was stationed chiefly at the United States Naval Base in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, from April of 1960 through April of 1964, and received the Navy/Marine Expeditionary Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Expert Rifle Badge, and the Good Conduct Medal. He is employed as a district manager for Con Edison.

## JAMES V. KING, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant King served from November of 1966 until November of 1970 with B Company, 3rd Military Police Battalion, FMF, of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed mainly in Da Nang, Vietnam. Born on October 31, 1947, he resided in West Sayville, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1966. He resides in Sayville, and is employed with the Long Island Lighting Company.

## ROBERT O. KLAUM, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Mineola, New York, where he was graduated from Mineola High School in 1968, Mr. Klaum was born on September 29, 1949, resides in West Islip, and is employed as an elevator repairman. He served from 1969 through 1971 with the 179th Direct Support Unit, 1st Aviation Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Qui Nhon and Da Nang, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Expert Rifle Badge, and an Overseas Ribbon.

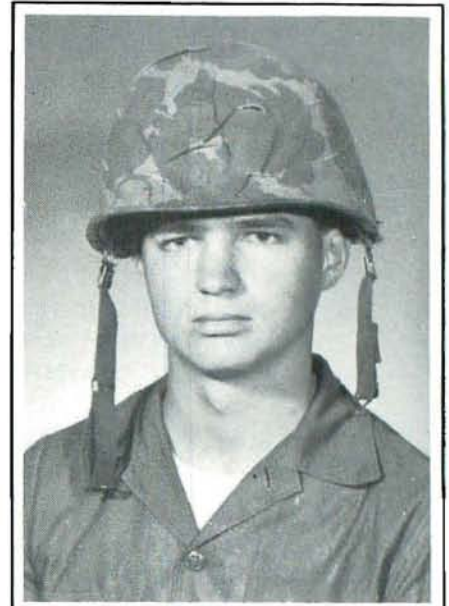
## BARRY J. KLECAN, Airman 1st Class

Private 1/c Klecan served from November of 1960 until November of 1964 with the 52nd Fighter Squadron Group of the United States Air Force, was stationed chiefly in Westhampton, New York, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Bay Shore, he was graduated from Islip High School in 1960, and from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1975. He resides in Islip, and is a Budget Analyst for Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

# VIETNAM VETERANS



JACK KIES



JAMES V. KING, JR.



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ROBERT O. KLAUM



BARRY J. KLECAN



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## JOHN J. KLECAN, Shipfitter/Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on July 27, 1948, Mr. Klecan resided in Bay Shore, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1967. He served from August of 1967 until 1971 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Penobscot, an ocean tug, in Bainbridge, Maryland, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. He made his home in Islip where he now resides, and is employed with the Long Island Lighting Company.

## JOSEPH P. KLECAN, Quartermaster/Petty Officer 2nd Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Klecan was born on April 13, 1953, was graduated from Islip High School in 1971, and in 1977 from Foothill College. He served from October of 1971 until November of 1975 as a member of the Gold Crew aboard the Fleet Ballistic Missile Nuclear Submarine, U.S.S. George Washington Carver, 656, of the United States Navy, and was stationed in the north Atlantic Ocean. After college, he became employed as a computer supervisor for Hewlett Packard.

## RONALD J. KLECAN, Aerographer 3rd Class

A 1964 graduate of Islip High School, Mr. Klecan was born on June 2, 1946, and attended the University of Scranton, Pennsylvania. He served from February of 1966 until February of 1970 with the United States Coast Guard, and was stationed on an icebreaker in the Antarctic, and in the North and South Poles. He resides in St. John, Virgin Islands, and is employed as a marine mechanic.

## JOSEPH KLEINPETER, Boatswain Mate 2nd Class

Originally from Islip where he attended Islip High School, Mr. Kleinpeter was born on July 28, 1946, and made his home in Center Moriches where he now resides. He served from October of 1963 through February of 1968 with the Coast Guard Squadron #1, 11th Division of the United States Coast Guard, was stationed mainly in the Gulf of Siam, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and a Purple Heart. After the service he became employed in aircraft construction and maintenance.

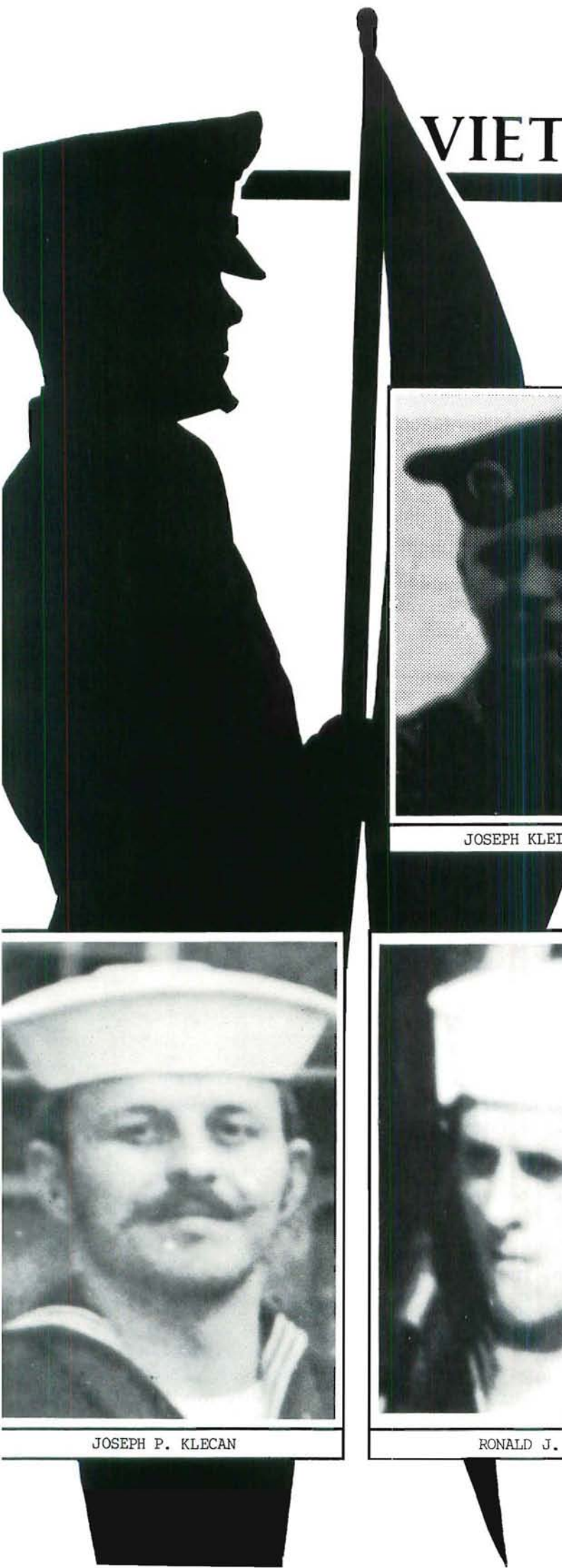
## FRANK W. KLEMISH, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Klemish served from March of 1964 until March of 1966 with B Battery, 4th Battalion, 43rd Artillery, of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Richardson, Alaska, at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and at Fort Gordon, Georgia, and received the Good Conduct Medal, and the Expert Marksman Badge. A longtime resident of Islip, he was born on February 17, 1942, was graduated from Islip High School in 1960, and is currently a New York State Police Officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH R. KLEMISH, JR., Corporal

Corporal Klemish served with Instructor Company A of the United States Army Southeastern Signal Corps School from March of 1962 until March of 1964, and was stationed at Fort Gordon, Georgia. A longtime resident of East Islip, he was born on December 25, 1938, was graduated from East Islip High School in 1957, and in 1959 from SUNY at Farmingdale. After the service he became an electronic technician for Republic Aviation Corporation, and is now an electronic technician for Brookhaven National Laboratories.

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JOSEPH KLEINPETER



JOHN J. KLECAN



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JOSEPH R. KLEMISH, JR.

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## MICHAEL A. KNECHT, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Islip where he was graduated from Islip High School in 1966, Mr. Knecht was born on September 26, 1948, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from May of 1968 until December of 1969 with B Battery, 1st Battalion, 31st Artillery, 7th Infantry Division, 8th Army of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly with the 7th Division at Camp Casey, Korea, and received the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge as well. He currently resides in Bayport, and is a letter carrier for the United States Postal Service.

## STEPHEN G. KNEUER, Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of Holbrook, Mr. Kneuer was born on April 5, 1948, and was graduated from Sachem High School in 1965. He served from November of 1965 until August of 1968 with the 815th Engineering Construction Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Pleiku, Vietnam. He has been employed as a machinist since his separation from the service.

## ROBERT KNOCKENHAUER, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Knockenhauer served from March of 1969 until January of 1971 with the 198th Light Infantry Brigade, Americal Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and a Purple Heart as well. Originally from North Babylon, New York, he was born on November 11, 1948, and was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1976, from SUNY at Farmingdale, School of Criminal Justice in 1978, received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1980 from Adelphi University, and in 1982, received his Master of Arts degree, also from Adelphi University. He resides in East Islip, and has been employed as a police officer and as a teacher.

## CHARLES W. KNOWLTON, Gunners Mate 3rd Class

Born on October 30, 1957, and a longtime resident of Ronkonkoma, Mr. Knowlton was graduated from Connetquot High School, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from November of 1974 until November of 1984 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Chowanoc, ATF-100, and aboard the U.S.S. Concord, AFS-5, and was stationed primarily in the western Pacific Ocean and in the Mediterranean Sea. He has been employed with the New York City Fire Department since his separation from the service.

## NORMAN R. KNOWLTON, Radioman 3rd Class

Radioman 3/c Knowlton served from November of 1972 until September of 1979 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Chowanoc, ATF-100, and aboard the U.S.S. Coral Sea, and is merited with the American Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Evacuation Medal, the Mayaquez Rescue Medal, and the Expert Pistol Badge. Born on November 18th, and a longtime resident of Ronkonkoma, he was graduated from Connetquot High School, from Suffolk County Community College, and attended Chapman College. He passed away on September 3, 1979.

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MICHAEL A. KNECHT



STEPHEN G. KNEUER



ROBERT KNÖCKENHAUER



NORMAN R. KNOWLTON



CHARLES W. KNOWLTON

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## FRED KOLLOS, JR., Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Islip Terrace, Mr. Kollos was born on April 3, 1948, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1966, and in 1969 from Suffolk County Community College. He served with D Company, 31st Engineer Battalion of the United States Army from October of 1969 until April of 1972, was stationed in South Carolina, Vietnam, and Weisbaden, Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge. Following the service he became employed as an electronic technician.

## MARTIN S. KOLODEY, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from West Islip where he was graduated from West Islip High School in 1966, Mr. Kolodey was born on March 28, 1948, and made his home in Bay Shore where he now resides. He served from May of 1967 until May of 1970 with the 191st Assault Helicopter Company, 1st Aviation Brigade, 609th Transportation Company, 10th Aviation Group of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia, and in Vietnam as well. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Air Crewman Badge, the Air Medal with 1st through 19th Oak Leaf Clusters, the Army Commendation Medal, two Rifle Sharpshooter Badges, and two Overseas Ribbons. He is employed as an electrician.

## ALEXANDER S. KORECKI, Sergeant

Sergeant Korecki served from March of 1968 until March of 1970 with A Company, 728th Military Police Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and the Pistol Sharpshooter Badge as well. Originally from the Bronx, New York, he was born on July 22, 1947, was graduated from Christopher Columbus High School in 1965, and attended New York Institute of Technology for three years. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is an electronics repair technician.

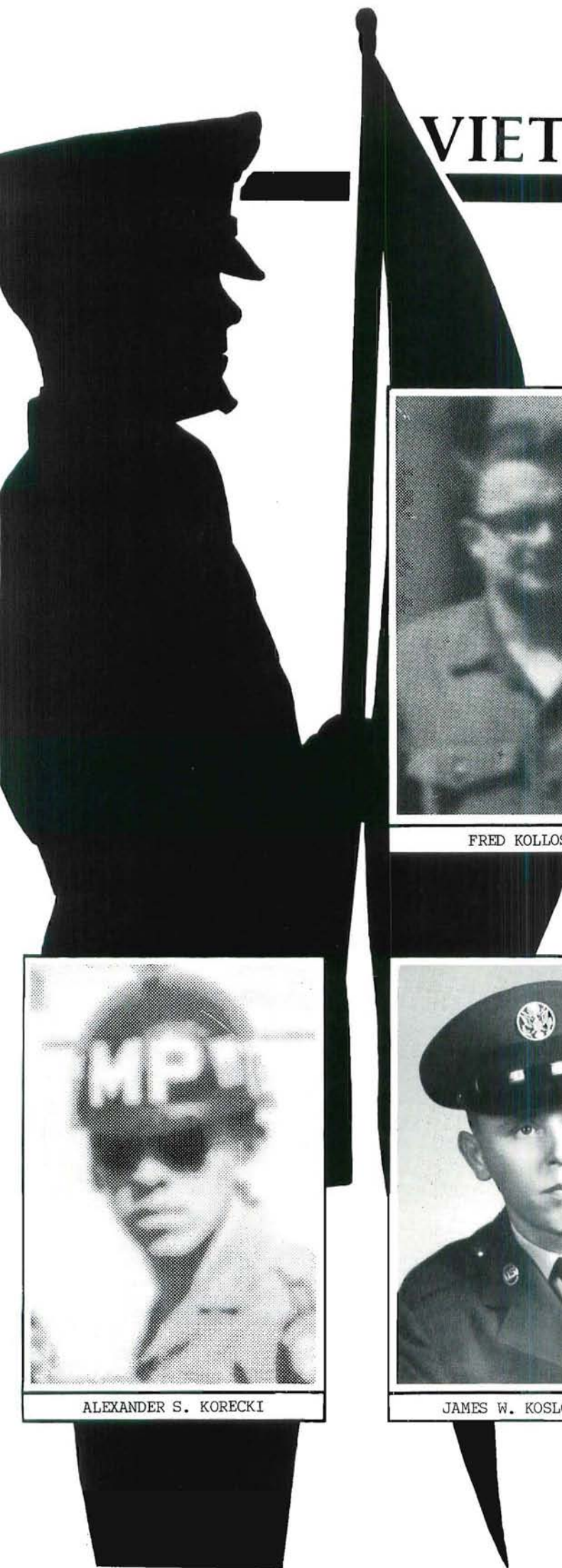
## JAMES W. KOSLOSKY, JR., Airman 1st Class

Born on June 6, 1946, Mr. Koslosky resided in Levittown, New York, and was graduated from Island Trees High School in 1963. He served from August of 1963 until August of 1967 with the 416th Bomb Wing, Strategic Air Command, 416th OMS, 8th Air Force of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Griffiss Air Force Base, Rome, New York, and received the Rifle Expert Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. He resides in Holtsville, and is an aircraft mechanic for United Airlines.

## DOUGLAS KOWALSKI, Seaman

Seaman Kowalski began serving in April of 1963 with the 133rd Company, 22nd Battalion, 2nd Regiment of the United States Navy, and was stationed in the Great Lakes region in Illinois. Originally from Hempstead, New York, he was born on October 16, 1944, was graduated from Uniondale High School in 1963, and is attending Suffolk County Community College where he is studying criminal justice. He resides in West Sayville, and is employed as a communications repairman. (Photograph unavailable.)

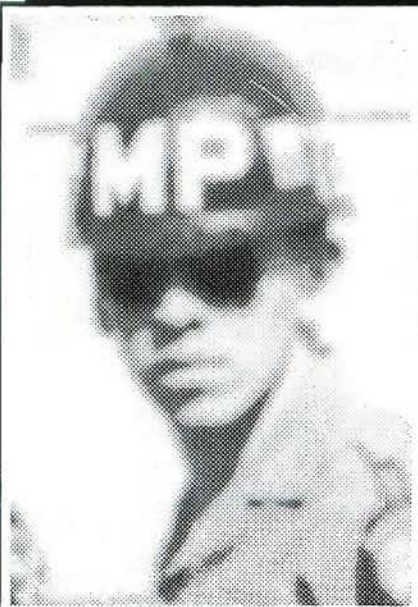
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DOUGLAS KOWALSKI

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## GEORGE W. KUHN, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from West Islip where he was graduated from West Islip High School in 1964, Mr. Kuhn was born on April 14, 1947, and made his home in Bohemia. He served from January of 1966 until January of 1969 with the 661st Transportation Company of the United States Army, was stationed principally in Munich, Germany, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge. He is employed as an aircraft mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROMAN C. KWARTA, Sergeant

Sergeant Kwarta served with A Company, 4th Battalion, 47th Infantry Brigade, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army from July of 1968 until July of 1969, was stationed chiefly in South Vietnam, and in the Mekong Delta region, and received the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Air Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and a Purple Heart. Originally from Queens, New York, he was born on February 13, 1948, and was graduated from Andrew Jackson High School in 1967. He resides in Holbrook, and is employed with the United States Postal Service.

## JAMES A. LABUN, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Labun was born on July 17, 1941, was graduated from Schenck High School, East Millinocket, Maine, in 1959, and from New York University in 1965. He served from August of 1965 until August of 1967 with the H & H Company, 2nd Battalion, 12th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division, Air Mobile, of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in An Khe, Vietnam, and earned the Good Conduct Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He has been employed as a computer field engineer since his separation from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

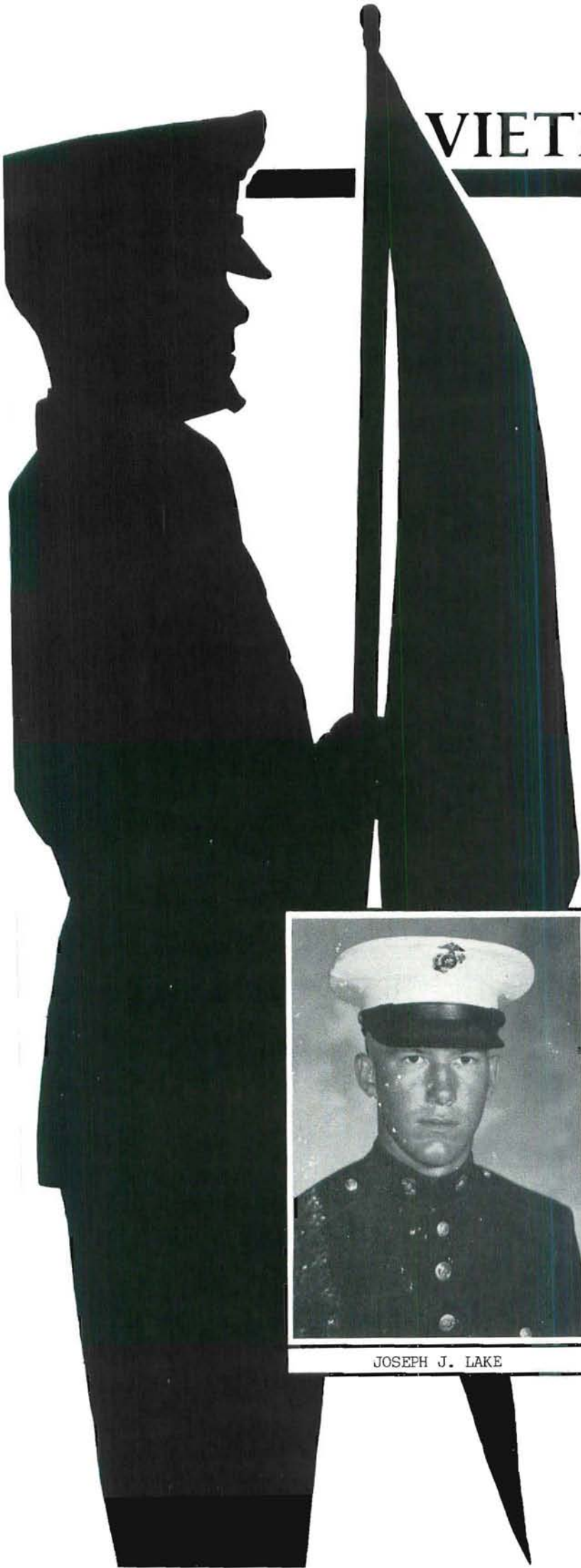
## PAUL J. LAGRANGE, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Lagrange served from April of 1967 until January of 1969 with the 1st of the 83rd Artillery of the United States Army, was stationed in various parts of Vietnam, and received a Letter of Commendation. Originally from Oakdale, he was born on August 6, 1943, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School. Following the service he became employed as a Royal Crown Cola Distributor, and currently resides in East Islip.

## JOSEPH J. LAKE, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Lake served from August of 1971 until August of 1973 with the 1st Marine Air Wing, MABS-15, MAG-15, of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam, and Nam Phong, Thailand, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Originally from Ronkonkoma, he was born on January 3, 1953, and was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1971. In 1978 he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College, and from SUNY at Stony Brook, School of Nursing, in 1981. He resides in Columbia, Maryland, and is a registered nurse with the United States Nurse's Corps.

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ROMAN C. KWARTA



JOSEPH J. LAKE



PAUL J. LAGRANGE



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## THOMAS J. LALLY, Specialist 4th Class

Mr. Lally resided in Wantagh, New York, before making his home in Sayville where he presently resides. He served from February of 1969 until March of 1970 with the 1st Air Cavalry, B Company, 2nd Battalion, 5th Cavalry, Infantry Guard Platoon, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and in Vietnam. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Army Commendation Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, a Purple Heart, the Vietnam and the National Defense Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. He was graduated from Archbishop Molloy High School in 1966, and from Nassau County Community College, and is employed with the Long Island Rail Road.

## TERENCE G. LAMB, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Merrick, New York, where he was graduated from S. H. Calhoun High School, Mr. Lamb was born on December 31, 1947. He attended St. John's University, and SUNY at Farmingdale, and is currently employed as a lab technician. He served from March of 1968 until January of 1970 with the 25th Military Police Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Dan Tieng and Tay Ninh, Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resides in East Islip.

## PETER LAMBERT, Specialist 5th Class

Born on June 28, 1947, and originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Lambert was graduated from Islip High School in 1965, and attended Suffolk County Community College for one year. He served from 1967 until 1969 with Headquarters Company, 196th Light Infantry, Aviation Section-Helicopters, of the United States Army, was stationed in Chu Lai and Da Nang, Vietnam, and earned the Air Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He resides in Oakdale, and is employed as a marina manager. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH LAMONT, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Lamont served from October of 1973 until October of 1976 with the 609th TCADS of the United States Army, and was stationed in Savannah, Georgia. Born on November 26, 1954, and originally from Islip, he was graduated from Islip High School in 1972. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is employed with Sedco Systems, Melville, New York.

## BOB LANBERG, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, where he was graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School in 1965, Mr. Lanberg was born on November 16, 1947. He served from February of 1966 until March of 1969 with B Company, 1st Marines, 1st Battalion of the United States Navy, was stationed at the U.S. Naval Hospital in St. Albans, New York, and in Da Nang, Vietnam, and is merited with the Purple Heart. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a traffic manager.

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THOMAS J. LALLY



TERENCE G. LAMB



JOSEPH LAMONT, JR.



BOB LANBERG

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## RONALD J. LANCIA, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, where he was graduated from Samuel Gompers High School in 1966, Mr. Lancia was born on May 22, 1948. He served from July of 1967 until July of 1970 with the 22nd Signal Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Korea. He currently resides in Central Islip.

## ADAM J. LANE-WEBER, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Petty Officer 3/c Lane-Weber served from November of 1963 until October of 1967, with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Chipola, AO-63, was stationed at Pearl Harbor, Vietnam, the Philippines, Japan, and China, and is merited with the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Miller Place, New York, he was born on June 7, 1945, was graduated from Earl L. Vandermuellen High School in 1963, from Suffolk County Community College in 1971, and in 1973 from SUNY at Farmingdale. He resides in Islip, and is employed as a truck driver. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DONALD G. LANG, Specialist 4th Class

Born on February 4, 1942, and formerly of Brightwaters, Mr. Lang was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1959, received his Bachelor of Business Administration in Management from Adelphi University in 1969, and in 1972, he received his Master's degree in Economics from SUNY at Stony Brook. He served from February of 1964 until February of 1966 with Headquarters, Atlantic Area Installation Command of the United States Army, was stationed in the Caribbean Sea and in the Panama Canal Zone, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and the Overseas Ribbon. He resides in Sayville and is the purchasing director for the Town of Islip.

## ALTON J. LANGEN, Corporal

Corporal Langen served with the 1st Battalion Post Office, 380th Armament and Electronics Maintenance, Strategic Air Command of the United States Army and of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Inchon, Korea, and in the United States. A Korean veteran as well, he served from November of 1954 until November of 1956, and then from August of 1963 until September of 1964. He received Good Conduct Medals during both tours of duty. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on March 6, 1936, and received his high school equivalency diploma while in the service, in 1956. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a welder.

## FRANK W. LANGMAN, Lieutenant Colonel

Lieutenant Colonel Langman has been serving with the Headquarters Military Assistance Command of the United States Army since November of 1963. During his Vietnam tour of duty, from June 1968 until July of 1969, he was stationed in Saigon, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Joint Service Commendation Medal, and the Meritorious Service Medal. Originally from Islip, he was born on October 19, 1941, was graduated from Seton Hall High School, Patchogue, New York, in 1959, and in 1963 from the University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio. In 1974 he received his Masters degree in Accounting from Syracuse University.

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## JAMES P. LANGMAN, Specialist 4th Class

Born on January 21, 1944, Mr. Langman resided in Islip before making his home in Miller Place, New York, where he now resides. He was graduated from Seton Hall High School, Patchogue, New York, in 1962, and is employed as a plumber. He served with the 173rd Airborne Brigade, C Company, 4th Battalion, 503rd Infantry, Paratroopers, of the United States Army, from June of 1965 until June of 1967, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal.

## JOHN A. LAPPAS, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Petty Officer 2/c Lappas served from February of 1966 until November of 1969 with the Auxiliary Fleet of the United States Navy off the coast of Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from the Bronx, New York, he was born on December 16, 1948, and received his high school equivalency diploma while in the service. He resides in Islip, and is a master plumber.

## KLAUS D. LAROCCA, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Uniondale, New York, Mr. Larocca was born on May 10, 1940, and was graduated from Portiers American High School, France. He served from May of 1962 through May of 1965 with the 3rd Army of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Gordon and Fort Benning, Georgia, and in Turkey. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and a Letter of Commendation. He currently resides in Brentwood, and is employed as an electronic technician supervisor.

## JEFFREY W. LARSEN, Specialist 4th Class

Born on September 22, 1945, Mr. Larsen resided in Huntington Station, New York, was graduated from Walt Whitman High School, and attended Kent State University. He served from 1968 until 1970 with the 101st Airborne of the United States Army, and was stationed at Camp Evans. He resides in Brentwood. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT LASCHER, Corporal

Corporal Lascher served from April of 1966 until August of 1969 with the 1st Battalion, 3rd Marine Division, B Company of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Hawaii, and in Vietnam, and received the Navy Achievement Medal. Originally from Oceanside, New York, he was born on December 25, 1946, and was graduated from Oceanside High School in 1965. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed with a telephone company.

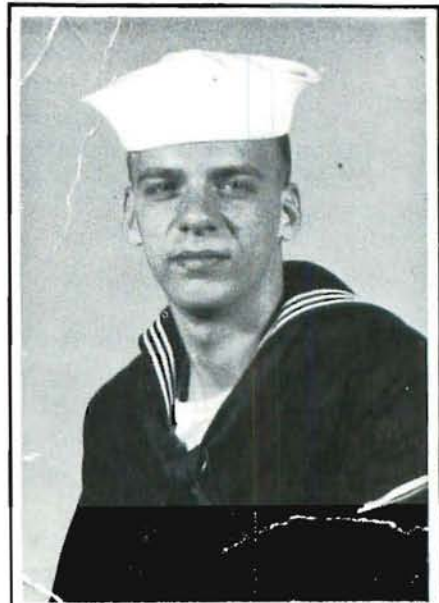
## DOMINICK LaSORSA, Sergeant

Sergeant LaSorsa served with the 12th Supply Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Phu Cat Airbase, Vietnam, and in the Central Highlands, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Air Force Commendation Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge. Born on February 3, 1950, and formerly of Islip Terrace, he was graduated from East Islip High School in 1968. He currently resides in Brooklyn, New York. (Photograph unavailable.)

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JAMES P. LANGMAN



JOHN A. LAPPAS



KLAUS D. LAROCCA



ROBERT LASCHER

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## THOMAS LAWN, Platoon Sergeant

A resident of Islip Terrace at the time he served, Mr. Lawn has since settled in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. He was born on April 6, 1927, and served from September of 1950 until October of 1980 with the 237th Maintenance Company, 65th GS Battalion of the United States Army while in Korea, and with the 65th GS Battalion of the United States Army while in Vietnam. He was stationed primarily at Fort Totten, New York, Fort Dix, New Jersey, Fort Meade, Maryland, Fort Knox, Kentucky, and in Quang Tri, Vietnam. A Korean veteran as well as a Vietnam veteran, he is merited with the Good conduct Medal and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. He attended high school in Ireland, and has been employed as a mechanic since his separation from the service. (Photograph - see Korean section.)

## GORDON LAWRENCE, Corporal

Formerly of North Massapequa, Mr. Lawrence was born on December 5, 1948, was graduated in 1967 from Farmingdale High School, and in 1978 from Adelphi University. He served with the 7th Marine Division, 1st Division of the United States Marine Corps, from October of 1969 until September of 1971, was stationed in Da Nang and Quang Nam Province, Vietnam, and received a Purple Heart. He resides in Bay Shore.

## KENNETH R. LEBOHNER, Airman 1st Class

Airman 1/c Lebohner served from February of 1960 until November of 1963 with the United States Air Force with the 6922nd Radio Group while stationed on Okinawa, Japan, with the Headquarters of the U.S. Air Force Security Service while stationed in San Antonio, Texas, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Rockville Centre, New York, he was born on July 24, 1937, was graduated from Southside High School, Rockville Centre, in 1956, and from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1959. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed as a traffic signal electrician.

## RICHARD LEE, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, where he was graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School in 1965, Mr. Lee was born on June 25, 1946, and in 1972 was graduated from Delhi Agricultural and Technical College. He served from June of 1966 until May of 1968 with B Company, 84th Artillery of the United States Army, and was stationed in various parts of Vietnam. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a senior analyst for Manufacturers Hanover. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT W. LEHRFELD, Specialist 5th Class

Born on November 5, 1944, Mr. Lehrfeld resided in Bay Shore, attended West Islip High School for four years, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1963. He served from June of 1963 until July of 1969 with the 593rd Signal Company, 69th Signal Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed at Tan Son Nhut Air Force Base, Vietnam. Following the service he became employed with New York Telephone Company, and currently resides in Islip.

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GORDON LAWRENCE



KENNETH R. LEBOHNER



ROBERT W. LEHRFELD



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## MICHAEL C. LEHRON, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Lebron served from January of 1973 until January of 1977 with the 1st Marine Air Wing, HMS #36, HMM #165, aboard the U.S.S. Hancock, with the Military Advisory Group #13, Squadron #13, H & MS and VMA, 242nd Air Wing, and with the 3rd Marine Air Wing of the United States Marine Corps. He was stationed in Vietnam, El Toro, California, and Okinawa, Japan, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, the Sea Deployment Ribbon, the Humanitarian Sea Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, and the Combat Action Ribbon. Originally from Central Islip where he was graduated from Central Islip High School, he was born on August 17, 1954. He also attended the University of Maryland, Los Angeles Pierce College, and Los Angeles Mission College. He resides in San Fernando, California, and is employed as a lineman for Los Angeles Water and Power Company.

## WILLIAM R. LEIGH-MANUELL, Sergeant

A longtime resident of West Sayville, Mr. Leigh-Manuell was born on February 4, 1952, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1970, and from Suffolk County Community College in 1977. He served from September of 1972 until September of 1974 with the 545th Ordnance Company, 15th Ordnance Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Knox, Kentucky, and in Munster, Germany, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. He has been employed as a firefighter since his separation from the service.

## CHARLES LEIMEISTER, Airman 1st Class

Born on November 13, 1936, Mr. Leimeister attended Newtown High School for three years, and made his home in Central Islip where he now resides. He served from 1966 until 1968 with the United States Air Force, and with the United States Army from 1970 until 1973, with the 377th Combat Support Group of the United States Air Force, and was stationed mainly at Tan Son Nhut Air Force Base, Vietnam. Before the service he was employed as a personnel interviewer.

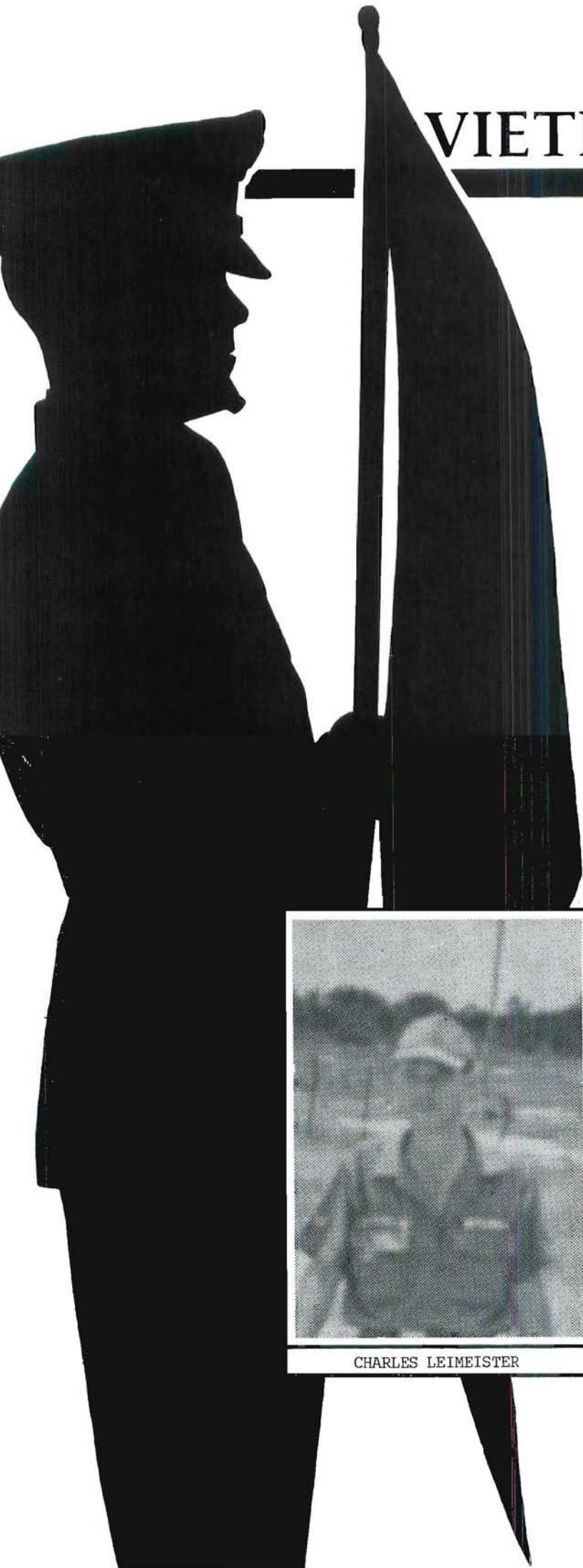
## RALPH M. LELIA, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Lelia served from May of 1966 until May of 1968 with the 9th Infantry Division, 11th Armored Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Flushing, New York, he was born on July 24, 1946, and was graduated from Msgr. McLancy Memorial High School in 1964. He resides in West Islip, and is employed as a salesman. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ERICH A. LEMPIN, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Central Islip, Mr. Lempin was born on September 3, 1949, was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1967, attended Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute for four years, and was graduated from St. John's University in 1977. He served from February of 1971 until January of 1974 with the United States Army Medical Company at Seneca Army Depot, Romulus, New York, was stationed also in Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, and was named Soldier of the Month. He resides in West Islip, and is employed as a pharmacist. (Photograph unavailable.)

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MICHAEL C. LEHRON, JR.



CHARLES LEIMEISTER



WILLIAM R. LEIGH-MANUELL

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## JOSEPH C. LENZ, Signalman/Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on November 26, 1945, Mr. Lenz resided in Bethpage, New York, and was graduated from Plainedge High School, Massapequa, New York, in 1964. He served from December of 1963 until February of 1968 with the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Rainier, AE-5, and was stationed in San Francisco, California, and in the Gulf of Tonkin, Vietnam. He settled in Central Islip where he now resides, and is employed with New York Telephone Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN D. LEONHARDT, Sergeant

Sergeant Leonhardt served from December of 1968 until April of 1971 with B Company, 44th Signal Battalion, Military Advisory Group, Advisory Team #5 of the United States Army, was stationed in Phu Loi, Quan Loi, and Lam Son, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Air Crewman's Medal with 1st Oak Leaf Cluster, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Citation as well. Originally from Deer Park, New York, where he was graduated from Deer Park High School in 1967, he was born on August 21, 1949. He was graduated in 1976 from New Jersey College of Medicine and Dentistry, and in 1982 from Kettering College of Medical Arts. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed with the Long Island Jewish-Hillside Medical Center as a physician assistant in the surgery department.

## ROLAND J. LEVASSEUR, Corporal

Corporal Levasseur served with the VMF-121 of the United States Marine Corps from June of 1962 until September of 1966, and was stationed chiefly in Iwakuni, Japan. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from Bishop Loughlin Memorial High School in 1961, he was born on October 17, 1944. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a New York City Firefighter.

## JAMES C. LEWIS, Sergeant

Originally from Seaford, New York, Mr. Lewis was born on November 10, 1946, and was graduated from General Douglas MacArthur High School in 1964. He served from September of 1964 until August of 1968 with H & S Company, 3rd Marine Amphibious Force of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Quantico and Yorktown, Virginia, at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and in Da Nang, Vietnam as well. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resides in Central Islip, and is employed with the Long Island Lighting Company.

## GREGORY G. L'HOMMEDIU, Corporal

Corporal L'Hommedieu served from August of 1966 until August of 1969 with the 1st Battalion, 3rd Marines, 3rd Motor Transport Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Khe Sahn and Hue, Vietnam, and is merited with a Purple Heart, the Navy Achievement Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Originally from East Islip where he attended East Islip High School, he was born on February 22, 1949, and received his equivalency diploma while in the service. He attended Suffolk County Community College, and after the service became employed as a Suffolk County Police Officer. He currently resides in East Patchogue, New York.

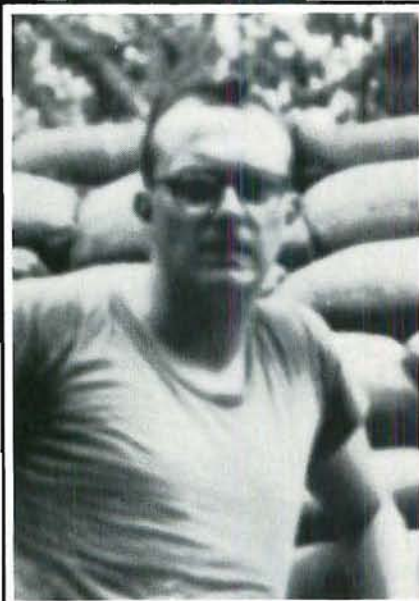
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## FRANK A. LIBSCHIK, Hospital Corpsman 3rd Class

Originally from Franklin Square, New York, Mr. Libschik was born on June 29, 1945, and was graduated from Sewanhaka High School in 1963, attended Nassau County Community College for three years, and also attended SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from September of 1963 until November of 1967 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Amphion, AR-13, and was stationed at St. Albans Naval Hospital where he received a Letter of Commendation. He currently resides in Ronkonkoma, and is director of marketing and sales for Hygeia Medical Supply.

## NATALE A. LICATA, Corporal

Corporal Licata served from May of 1966 until May of 1968 with the 9th Division, 2nd of the 4th Artillery, and with the 25th Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in the Delta Region and Northern Region of Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Marksman Badge, and two Overseas Ribbons. Born on June 27, 1945, and formerly of Queens Village, New York, he was graduated from Thomas A. Edison High School in 1963. He is employed as a warehouseman, and resides in Bay Shore.

## STEPHEN L. LICATA, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Licata was born on December 4, 1947, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1966. He began serving in January of 1968 with the 595th Signal Corps of the United States Army, and was stationed at Dion Army Base, Vietnam. He is employed as a computer operator.

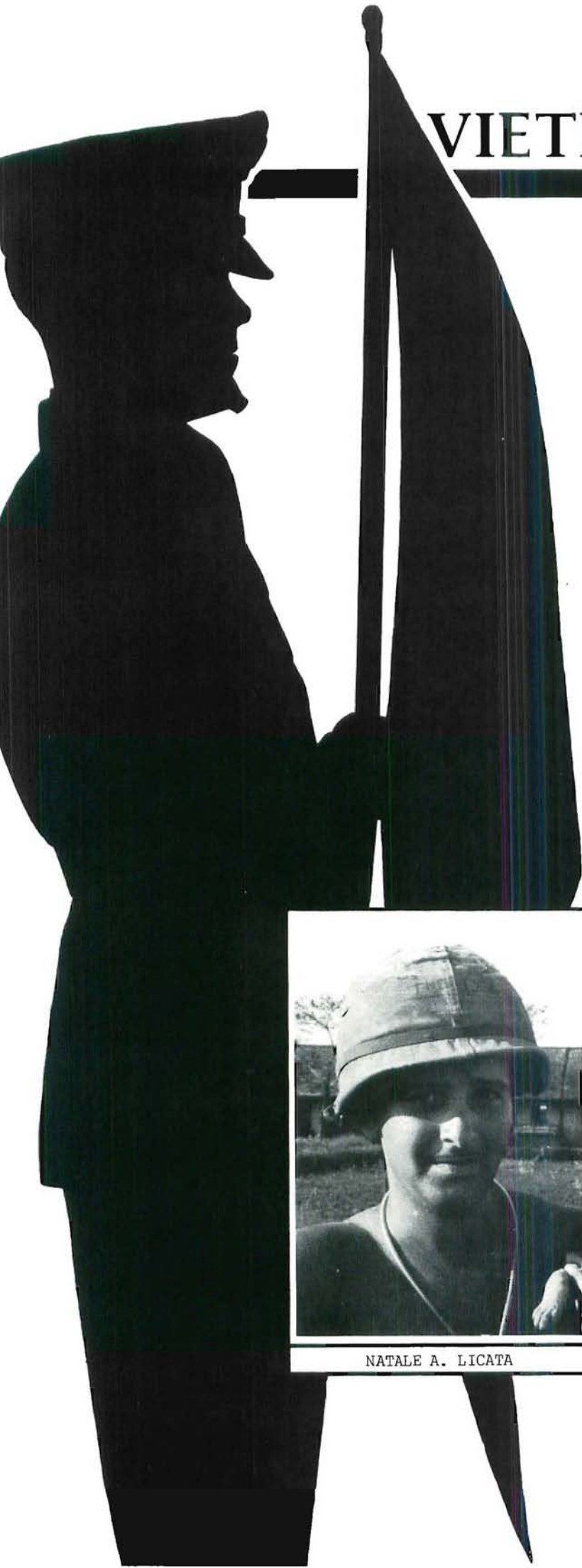
## JOSEPH R. LIENAU, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Lienau served from July of 1970 until June of 1972 with the 3rd Shore Party Battalion, 2nd Battalion, 9th Marines, 2nd Battalion, 7th Marines, 5th Amphibious Brigade of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in California and in the western Pacific Ocean, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Born on May 8, 1952, and originally from Bellrose, New York, he attended Martin Van Buren High School. He is employed as a New York City Policeman, and resides in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN S. LINCKS, Specialist 4th Class

Born on January 27, 1946, and formerly of Jackson Heights, New York, Mr. Lincks was graduated from St. Agnes High School in 1963, and from New York Institute of Technology in 1978. He served from May of 1966 until May of 1968 with the 55th Military Police Company, 7th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Korea. He currently resides in West Islip, and is employed as a carpenter. (Photograph unavailable.)

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FRANK A. LIBSCHIK



NATALE A. LICATA



STEPHEN L. LICATA

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## STEPHEN P. LINDHURST, Machinist Mate 2nd Class

A 1971 graduate of Sayville High School, Mr. Lindhurst was born on May 9, 1953, and resided in West Sayville before making his home in Mobile, Alabama, where he now resides. He served from April of 1972 through April of 1978 with the 6th Fleet of the United States Navy, and spent four years aboard the U.S.S. Auisworth, and two years aboard the U.S.S. Canopus, was stationed in the Antarctic, and in the Arctic Oceans, in the Mediterranean Sea, and Spain as well. Following the service he became employed as a radiological control monitor.

## FRANK R. LINDSTROM, Specialist 4th Class

Currently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Lindstrom was born on November 8, 1945, and was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1963. He served from December of 1965 until December of 1967 with the 212th Combat Support Battalion, 40 miles south of the Demilitarized Zone under the 3rd Marine Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Phu Bai and Hue, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal. He has been employed with Con Edison in New York City since his separation from the service.

## JOHN A. LITTIG, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Littig served with the 42nd Transportation Company, 7th Army of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Mannheim, Germany, from May of 1962 until April of 1965. Originally from New Jersey, he was born on August 5, 1944, and was graduated from Belleville High School, Belleville, New Jersey. He resides in Islip, and owns a sheet metal plant.

## THOMAS A. LITTLETON, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Littleton was born on June 25, 1946, attended Brentwood High School, and Lewis A. Wilson Automotive and Technical High School. He served from September of 1966 until September of 1969 with the United States Army Mortuary in Saigon, Vietnam, and is merited with the Rifle Expert Badge, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He resides in East Islip, and is employed as a chauffeur for New York Telephone Company.

## WILLIAM A. LOEFFLER, Sergeant

Born on August 10, 1949, and originally from East Meadow, New York, where he was graduated from East Meadow High School in 1967, he made his home in Sayville where he currently resides. He served from January of 1968 until January of 1971 with the 82nd Airborne, B Troop, 4/68 Armored Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and Fort Knox, Kentucky, and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, two Unit Citations, and the Bronze Star Medal. He is the owner of Cat-Repair in Sayville. (Photograph unavailable.)

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STEPHEN P. LINDHURST



FRANK R. LINDSTROM



THOMAS A. LITTLETON



JOHN A. LITTIG



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## DAVID S. LONG, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Long was born on December 12, 1946, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1965, and in 1972 from SUNY at Stony Brook. He served from December of 1966 until September of 1968 with the 52nd Signal Battalion, attached to the 7th Army Infantry, Military Advisory Committee, of the United States Army, was stationed in IV Corps, in the Mekong Delta, and Tien Giang Tactical Zone, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense and the Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Signal Corps Insignia. After his discharge he became a teacher. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE LOPER, Private 1st Class

Originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Loper was born on August 13, 1948, and was graduated in 1966 from Brentwood High School. He served from July of 1966 until July of 1968 with the 81st Marine Division, 1st Hospital Company of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly in Chu Lai and Da Nang, Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal as well. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a construction equipment operator.

## JOSEPH A. LoPINTO, Airman

Airman LoPinto served from December of 1967 until April of 1970 with the 216th Attack Squadron of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Coral Sea, was stationed in the Gulf of Tonkin, Vietnam, and earned the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Formerly of Islip, he was born on May 6, 1949, and attended Islip High School. Currently, he resides in Staten Island, New York, and is employed with Brooklyn Union and Gas Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH LORE, Sergeant

Sergeant Lore served with the 1st Army of the United States Army from September of 1966 until September of 1968, and was stationed mainly at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey. He was born on December 11, 1946, and is originally from Flushing, New York. He was graduated from Bayside High School in 1964, received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1973 from Dowling College, and in 1979 he received his Master's degree in Professional Studies from C.W. Post College. He resides in Bohemia and is self-employed.

## CHARLES A. LORENZ, SR., Airman 2nd Class

Born on December 19, 1942, and originally from Islip, Mr. Lorenz received his equivalency diploma in 1961. He served from February of 1960 until July of 1967 with the Helicopter Rescue, Helicopter Mechanic, of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Westover Air Force Base, Massachusetts, and at Suffolk County Air Force Base, Westhampton Beach, New York, and received the Air Crewman's Badge, and the Air Force Rescue Badge. He resided in Islip Terrace, and was employed as a diesel mechanic following the service. He passed away on October 2, 1981.

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GEORGE LOPER



CHARLES A. LORENZ, SR.



JOSEPH LORE

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## GEORGE A. LORENZ, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Lynbrook, New York, where he was graduated from Lynbrook High School in 1969, Mr. Lorenz was born on June 29, 1950, and made his home in Islip Terrace where he now resides. He served from September of 1969 until September of 1971 with the 8th Battalion, 15th Artillery of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. He is currently employed as a firefighter.

## GEORGE H. LORENZ, Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Lorenz was born on August 7, 1946, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1966. He served from October of 1966 until October of 1968 with the 508th Motorpool of the United States Army, and was stationed in Virginia. Following the service he became a mechanic, and is now a truck driver as well.

## GERARD LOUGHLIN, Specialist 4th Class

Born on January 10, 1951, Mr. Loughlin resided in Brentwood where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1969. He served with the United States Army from March of 1970 until January of 1972, was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and at Fort Meade, Maryland, and was chosen as a Soldier of the Month. After the service he became employed as an assistant store manager, and currently resides in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

## PETER LOUGHLIN, Sergeant

Sergeant Loughlin served from March of 1966 until March of 1968 with the 1st D Company, 1st Cavalry Infantry of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Air Medal. Originally from Central Islip, he was born on October 12, 1945, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1963. He currently resides in West Sayville.

## THOMAS LOWE, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Central Islip, Mr. Lowe was born on February 11, 1948, was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1966, and in 1978 from Suffolk County Community College. He served from March of 1970 until June of 1972 as a medic with A Company, 4th Battalion, 3rd Infantry, 198th Brigade of the United States Army, and with the 3rd Field Hospital in Saigon, and was stationed in Chu Lai, Vietnam, as well. He is merited with the Combat Medical Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Prior to and following the service he was employed as a recreation therapist at the Central Islip Psychiatric Center. He resides in Islip.

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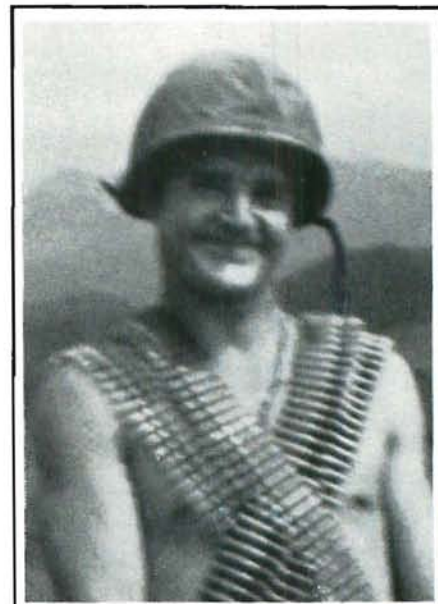
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## GENE LOWERY, Corporal

Corporal Lowery served from December of 1962 until January of 1967 with M Company, 3rd Battalion, 7th Marine Regiment, 1st Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed at Camp Pendleton, California, at Camp Swab, Okinawa, and in Chu Lai, Vietnam as well. He is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Originally from Bayside, New York, he was born on November 18, 1944, and was graduated from Bayside High School. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed with Pan American Airlines.

## VINCENT A. LUCCHESI, Specialist 4th Class

Born on May 8, 1945, and formerly of Brentwood where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1963, Mr. Lucchesi made his home in Soddy-Daisy, Tennessee. He served from January of 1964 until December of 1967 as a helicopter mechanic with the United States Navy, and was stationed at Ellyson Field, Pensacola, Florida. After his discharge he became employed with Bell Telephone System. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HAROLD M. LUSKY, Captain

Captain Lusky served with the Military Advisory Committee of the United States Army from July of 1956 until October of 1967, was stationed in Pleiku and Saigon, Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal. Originally from Los Angeles, California, he was born on April 30, 1939, was graduated from Fairfax High School, Los Angeles, in 1956, and in 1960 from the United States Military Academy at West Point, New York. Following the service he became employed as a construction manager. He currently resides in Hauppauge. (Photograph unavailable.)

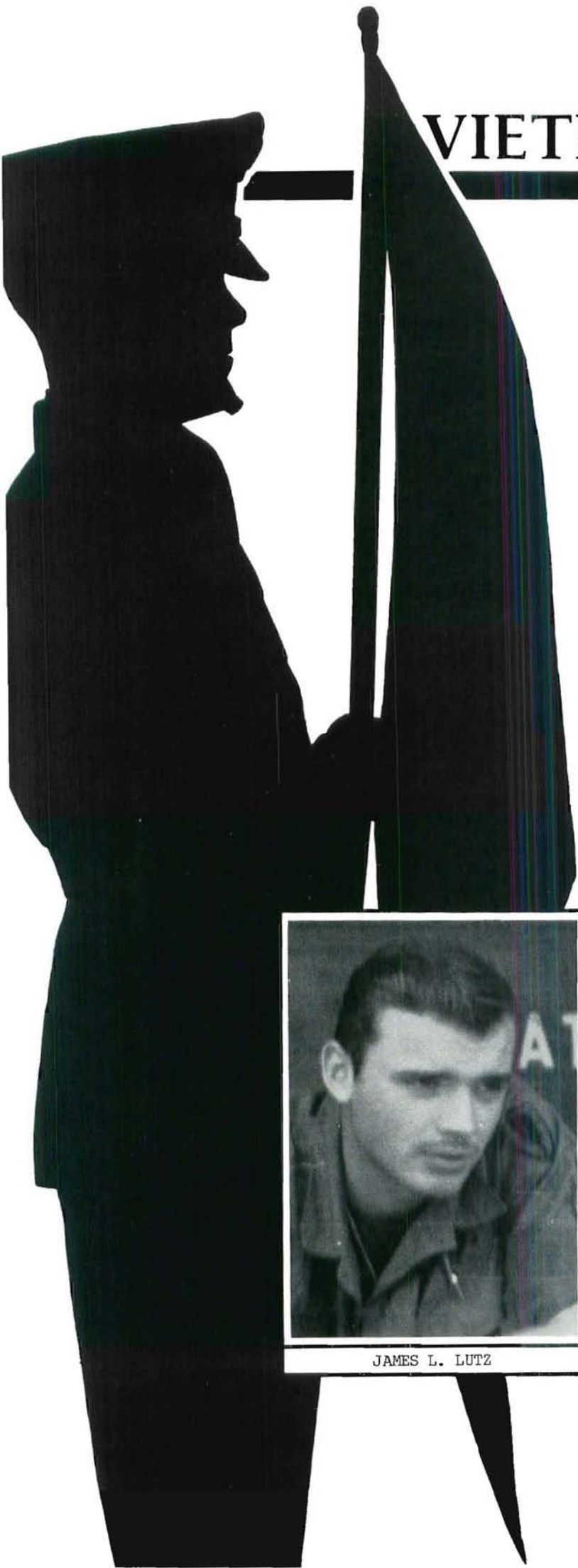
## JAMES L. LUTZ, Sergeant

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Lutz was born on January 19, 1949, and was graduated from St. Augustine's High School, Brooklyn, in 1967. He served from May of 1968 until May of 1971 with the 185th Air Reconnaissance Squadron of the United States Army, was stationed in Ban Me Thout, Central Highlands, in Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Air Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge as well. He resides in Brentwood, and has been employed as a Technical Representative with Honeywell Inc., since September of 1972.

## JOHN R. LYONS, Sergeant

Sergeant Lyons served from April of 1967 until April of 1971 with the 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed stateside in the Carolinas, as well as in Chu Lai and Da Nang, Vietnam. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. Originally from Baldwin, New York, where he was graduated from Baldwin High School in 1966, he was born on February 1, 1948, and made his home in Bay Shore where he currently resides. He is employed as a letter carrier with the United States Postal Service.

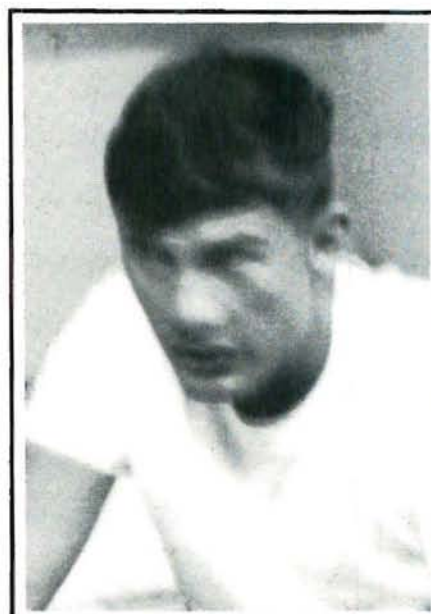
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JAMES L. LUTZ



JOHN R. LYONS

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## JOSEPH A. MACCHIO, Sergeant

Sergeant Macchio served from January of 1968 until February of 1970 with the 2/35th Infantry, 4th Infantry Division, 3rd Army Armored Cavalry, Military Advisory Committee of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Pleiku, II Corps Area, Vietnam. He is merited with the Vietnam Armor Award, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Army Accomodation Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Combat Infantry Badge, and a Purple Heart. A longtime resident of Bay Shore, he was born on March 8, 1948, and was graduated from Brentwood High School. Prior to the service he was employed as a letter carrier for the United States Postal Service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD MacDOUGALL, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on July 10, 1943, Mr. MacDougall resided in Elmont, New York, was graduated from Sewanhaka High School in 1961, and from Queens County Community College in 1975. He served from May of 1965 until May of 1968 with the United States Navy, was stationed at Floyd Bennett Naval Air Station, Brooklyn, New York, and received the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Bohemia, and is employed in finance credit.

## GEORGE W. MACHIN, Engineman/Petty Officer 2nd Class

Originally from Freeport, New York, Mr. Machin was born on May 17, 1947, and was graduated from Freeport High School in 1965. He served with the River Assault Squadron #11, aboard Armored Troop Carrier #6, The Peacemaker, of the United States Navy, was stationed chiefly in the Mekong Delta, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and the Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Navy Unit Commendation Medal. He is a Nassau County Police Officer, and resides in Sayville.

## THOMAS A. MACK, Sergeant

Sergeant Mack served from April of 1968 through March of 1970 with the 1st Infantry Division, 2nd Battalion, 28th Infantry, C Company, of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, and in Lai Khe, Vietnam. He received two Bronze Star Medals with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, the Army Commendation Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Good Conduct Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the New York State Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, a Unit Citation, and a Purple Heart as well. Originally from Franklin Square, New York, he was born on February 19, 1944, and was graduated from Sewanhaka High School, Floral Park, New York. He became employed as a linotype operator after the service, and currently resides in Ronkonkoma.

## JEROME W. MACKESY, Specialist 5th Class

A resident of Babylon, New York, at the time he served, Mr. Mackesy was born on September 28, 1947, and was graduated from St. Leonard's High School, Brooklyn, New York. He served from September of 1967 until September of 1969 with the 8th Battalion, 6th Artillery, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Dian and Lai Khe, Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and the Bronze Star Medal. He became employed as a freight conductor for the Long Island Rail Road after the service, and he currently resides in West Islip.

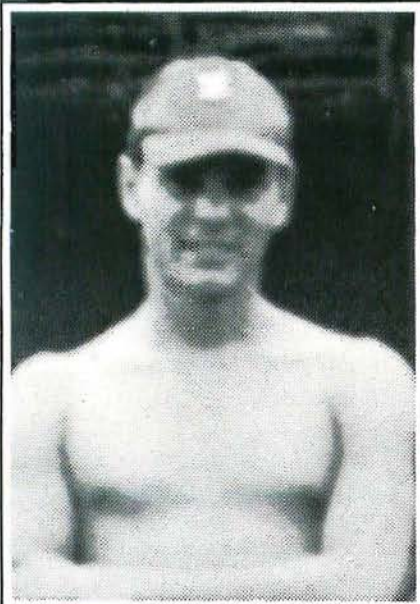
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## ARTHUR G. MACKIE, Sergeant

Originally from Huntington, New York, where he was graduated from Huntington High School in 1967, Mr. Mackie was born on July 3, 1949, and was graduated from New York Institute of Technology. He served from August of 1968 through July of 1972 with Detachment I, 56th Special Operations Wing of the United States Air Force, was stationed mainly at Dover Air Force Base, Udorn, Thailand, and at Holloman Air Force Base. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Air Medal. He resides in West Islip, and is employed as an aircraft technician.

## TERRY P. MAGIONCALDA, Sergeant

Sergeant Magioncalda served from November of 1964 until July of 1968 with the 212th Military Police Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and in Korea, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and numerous Unit Citations for outstanding service in Vietnam. Formerly of Woodhaven, New York, he was born on January 2, 1945, and was graduated from Franklin K. Lane High School in 1962. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is employed as an assistant signalman for the Long Island Rail Road.

## WILLIAM MAGLIO, Electronic Technician

Born on March 12, 1946, Mr. Maglio resided in Mineola, New York, where he was graduated from Mineola High School in 1962. In 1974 he was graduated from Nassau County Community College, and from New York Institute of Technology in 1977. He served from May of 1965 until May of 1969 with the United States Coast Guard attached to the United States Navy operating under the command of the 7th Fleet. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Navy Unit Commendation Medal. Following the service he became employed as a data processing manager, and then as a plant manager. He currently resides in Holbrook. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM MAHER, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from Fort Hamilton High School in 1960, Mr. Maher was born on August 11, 1942, and attended St. Francis College for one year. He served from November of 1964 until August of 1966 with the 557th Military Police Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Tan Son Nhut, Vang Tau, and Na Be, Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Holbrook, and is a New York City Police Officer.

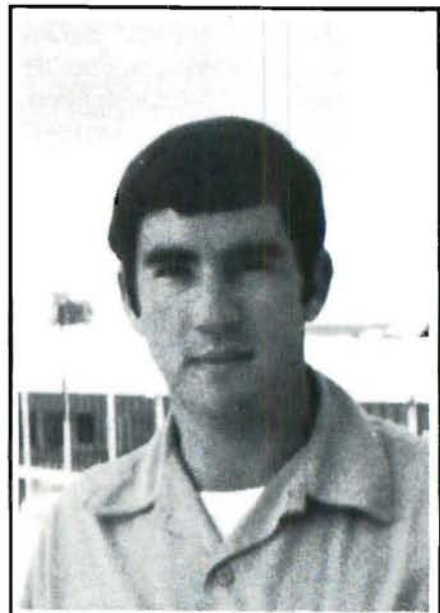
## WILLIAM MAHLER, Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Mahler was born on April 27, 1948, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1967, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from 1968 until 1971 with the Americal Division, 437th Medical Detachment of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Sharpshooter Badge as well. Following the service he became employed as a lab technician.

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TERRY P. MAGIONCALDA



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## BRIAN F. MAHONEY, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Mahoney served from July of 1964 until August of 1968 with K Company, 3rd Battalion, 26th Marines, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Khe Sahn, I Corps, Vietnam. He earned the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, two Bronze Star Medals, and a Purple Heart as well. A longtime resident of Bay Shore, he was born on July 5, 1946, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1964. He has been a Suffolk County Police Officer since his separation from the service.

## ANTHONY C. MAIELI, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Islip Terrace, Mr. Maieli was born on April 3, 1950, and was graduated from East Islip High School. He served from June of 1969 until November of 1971 with the 377th Military Airlift Command of the United States Air Force, was stationed primarily in Saigon, Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He has been employed as a mechanic since before serving in the Air Force.

## RALPH MAISONET, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Maisonet served with the 1st Force Reconnaissance Company, FMF, Pacific, and with the 2nd Force Reconnaissance Company, FMF, Atlantic, of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. He received the Presidential Unit Citation, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, the Basic Parachute Insignia, the Navy-Marine Corps Parachute Insignia, and the Combat Action Badge. Originally from Patchogue, New York, he was born on November 6, 1946. He is a truck driver for the United States Postal Service, and currently resides in Hauppauge.

## ROBERT J. MAJESKI, Specialist 4th Class

Born on December 3, 1943, Mr. Majeski resides in Ronkonkoma, and is a New York City Firefighter. He served from July of 1965 until June of 1967 with the 577th Engineers Battalion, and with the 42nd Engineers Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Long Binh, An Loc, and the Mekong Delta of Vietnam. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MICHAEL G. MALACH, Seaman

Originally from Lindenhurst, New York, Mr. Malach was born on November 21, 1945, and was graduated from West Babylon High School in 1962. He served from 1963 until 1967 with the 1st Division of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Cadmus, was stationed mainly at Newport, Rhode Island, and received the Gold Star Sailor Award. He now resides in East Islip, and is employed as a general manager for a Ford warehouse.

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BRIAN F. MAHONEY



ANTHONY C. MAIELI



MICHAEL G. MALACH



RALPH MAISONET, JR.

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## HECTOR L. MALAVE, Corporal

Corporal Malave served from December of 1968 until July of 1970 with A Company, 1st Engineers Battalion, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Vietnam, and earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Combat Action Badge, the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry. Originally from Caguas, Puerto Rico, he was born on February 10, 1943, and attended Brentwood High School. He currently resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as a carpenter. He is a Sergeant in the United States Army Reserves.

## WILLIAM D. MALTZAN, Sergeant

Sergeant Maltzan served from June of 1966 until October of 1969 with the 1st Security Police Squadron, and the 12th Security Police Squadron of the 7th Air Force, of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Selfridge Air Force Base, Michigan, and in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and is merited with the Air Force Commendation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Sayville where he was graduated from Sayville High School in 1961, he was born on June 12, 1943, and was graduated in 1976 from Johnson Bible College, Knoxville, Tennessee. He resides in Yale, Michigan, and is employed as a bank teller for Michigan National Bank, Port Huron, Michigan.

## THOMAS E. MANIKAS, Sergeant

Originally from Shelter Island, New York, Mr. Manikas was born on April 24, 1944, was graduated from Shelter Island High School in 1962, and in 1964 from Leicester Junior College, Leicester, Massachusetts. He served from January of 1965 through October of 1968 with the 831st Civil Engineering Squadron, with the 1961st Communication Group of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Clark Air Force Base, in the Philippines, and at A. George Air Force Base, Victorville, California. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the Overseas Ribbon, the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Outstanding Unit Award, and the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon. He resides in Bayport, and is employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## DOUGLAS P. MANSMANN, Private

Private Mansmann served from February of 1970 until April of 1973 with the Force Logistic Command, H & S Battalion, Truck Company, 1st FSR/FLC of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam, and is merited with the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star. A longtime resident of Central Islip, he was born on January 5, 1950, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1968. After the service he became employed as a truck driver, and is currently a welder.

## ALDO S. MARANO, Specialist 4th Class

Born on July 19, 1943, and originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. Marano was graduated from Theodore Roosevelt High School in 1962. He served with A Company, 51st Signal Battalion, 8th Army of the United States Army from April of 1967 until February of 1969, and was stationed primarily in Seoul, Korea. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed as a mechanic.

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HECTOR L. MALAVE



THOMAS E. MANIKAS



WILLIAM D. MALTZAN



DOUGLAS P. MANSMANN



ALDO S. MARANO

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## JOHN MARATEA, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of East Islip where he was graduated from East Islip High School, Mr. Maratea was born on July 10, 1947, and made his home in Islip Terrace where he now resides. He served from September of 1966 until September of 1968 with the 69th Signal Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Bien Hoa, Vietnam. Before and after the service he has been employed as a sanitation worker. (Photograph unavailable.)

## VICTOR J. MARCIAL, Specialist 4th Class

Sergeant Marcial served from December of 1965 until September of 1967 with the 101st Airborne Division, 502nd Infantry, B Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Phan Rang, Vietnam, and earned the Vietnam Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on May 31, 1945, he resided in Brentwood where he attended Brentwood High School. He currently resides in Bayport, and is a district sales manager for a petroleum company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## IRA E. MARDER, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Bayside, New York, where he was graduated from Bayside High School in 1963, Mr. Marder was born on October 16, 1945, and was graduated from New York City Community College in 1972. He served from May of 1966 until May of 1968 with the 4th Army Medical Laboratory of the United States Army in San Antonio, Texas. He resides in Oakdale, and is an optician.

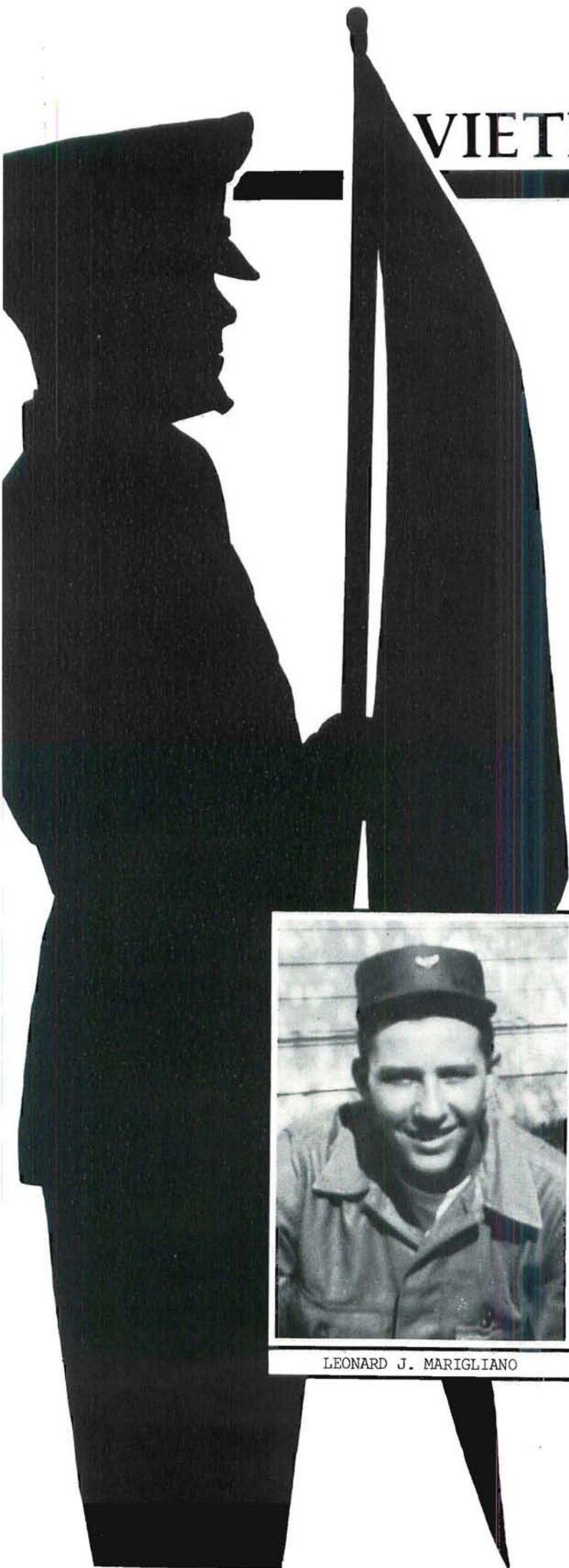
## LEONARD J. MARIGLIANO, Airman 2nd Class

Airman 2/c Marigliano served from June of 1961 until June of 1965 with the 497th Bomb Wing, Strategic Air Command, of the United States Air Force, was stationed chiefly at Dow Air Force Base, Maine, and at Clark Air Force Base in the Philippines, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Marksmanship Badge. Born on April 30, 1944, he resided in Cambria Heights, New York, was graduated from Archbishop Molloy High School in 1961, and in 1979 from Suffolk County Community College. He made his home in Sayville, and is employed with the Long Island Lighting Company.

## ROBERT MARRA, Sergeant

Sergeant Marra served with Headquarters Company, 7th Battalion, 199th Light Infantry Brigade of the United States Army from December of 1965 through October of 1967, and was stationed at Long Binh, and Bien Hoa, Vietnam. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. Originally from Hempstead, New York, he was born on September 9, 1946, and was graduated from Uniondale High School, Uniondale, New York, in 1964. He resides in Sayville and is employed as an electrician.

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IRA E. MARDER



LEONARD J. MARIGLIANO



ROBERT MARRA



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## RICHARD F. MARSELLA, Sergeant

Born on June 17, 1945, Mr. Marsella resided in Levittown, New York, before making his home in Central Islip where he presently resides. He was graduated from Division Avenue High School in 1963, in 1978 from New York Institute of Technology, in 1979 from Long Island School of Scientific Hypnosis, was graduated from Adelphi University in 1980, and in 1981 from the New School for Social Research. He served from April of 1966 until February of 1968 with the 3rd Battalion, 39th Infantry, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Rach Kien, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He has been employed as a photographer since his separation from the service.

## CHARLES MARSHALL, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Marshall served from August of 1968 until March of 1970 with the United States Army Headquarters Area Command in Saigon, Vietnam, and earned the Army Commendation Medal, and was named Soldier of the Month in November of 1969. Born on September 2, 1945, he resided in West Hempstead, New York. He was graduated from Martin VanBuren High School, Queens, New York, in 1963, and from St. John's University, Jamaica, New York, in 1967. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed as an insurance agent.

## DONALD MARSHALL, Technical Sergeant

A Korean veteran as well as a Vietnam veteran, Sergeant Marshall served from June of 1953 until May of 1963 with the 320th Troop Carrier Squadron, 41st Fighter Interceptor Squadron, 5th Special Forces of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Korea, Japan, Guam, England, California, South Carolina, Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos, and West Africa. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, and a Purple Heart as well. Born on August 9, 1935, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he made his home in Brentwood where he currently resides. He was graduated from Boys High School, and from Villanova College, Pennsylvania. Following the service he became employed as Chief Fiscal Officer for the New York City Human Resources Administration, Department of Juvenile Justice, and is presently employed as Director of Property and Food Management at Spofford Juvenile Center.

## ANTHONY MARSICANO, Sergeant

Sergeant Marsicano served from June of 1958 until December of 1966 with the Helicopter Medium Marine #162, 1st Marine Air Wing of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang, Phu Bai, and Khe San, Vietnam, and received the Air Medal with three stars. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from Manual Training High School in 1958, he was born on November 11, 1940, and made his home in Bay Shore where he now resides. He is employed as an aircraft mechanic.

## DENNIS P. MARTIN, Sergeant

Originally from Rosedale, New York, Mr. Martin was born on April 25, 1944, was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1962, and in 1977 from New York Institute of Technology. He served from January of 1966 until December of 1967 with the 8th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Germany. He resides in Bay Shore, and is an engineer for New York Telephone Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

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RICHARD F. MARSELLA



CHARLES MARSHALL



ANTHONY MARSICANO



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## JAMES A. MARTIN, Sergeant

Sergeant Martin served from September of 1967 until April of 1969 with the Americal Division, 196th Light Infantry, 4th Battalion, 31st Infantry Division, B Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Army Commendation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from the Bronx, New York, where he was graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School in 1964, he was born on February 13, 1947, and was graduated from Bronx Community College in 1966. He resides in Bay Shore, and is in the New York National Guard.

## JAMES J. MARTIN, Sergeant

Originally from Brentwood, Mr. Martin was born on December 4, 1948, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1966. In 1978 he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College, and from Southampton College in 1980. He served from May of 1968 until May of 1970 with the 6th Battalion, 31st Infantry, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, as well as in Colorado, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal and two Bronze Star Medals. He resides in East Islip, and is an accountant.

## JOSEPH MARTIN, Sergeant

Born on April 1, 1947, Mr. Martin resided in Wantagh, New York, was graduated from Seaford High School, attended Nassau County Community College, the University of New Mexico, and the University of California. He served from July of 1966 until July of 1970 with the 12th Tactical Fighter Wing, and 37th Tactical Fighter Wing, Special Forces of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Da Nang, Pleiku, Phan Rang, Da Lat, Phu Cat, and Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam. He received the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Force Commendation Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Vietnam Service and National Defense Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Parachutist Badge, and a Purple Heart as well. He resides in Holbrook, and is a Nassau County Police Officer.

## LAWRENCE E. MARTIN, Damage Controlman 2nd Class

Formerly of Sayville, Mr. Martin was born on June 5, 1950, was graduated from Sayville High School, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from June of 1970 until June of 1974 with the United States Coast Guard aboard the U.S.C.G.C. Tamaroa, WMEC-166, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He is employed in construction, and resides in Holbrook.

## MONTE T. MARTIN, Sergeant

Sergeant Martin served from January of 1970 until January of 1974 with the United States Air Force, was stationed in Michigan, Massachusetts, and Vietnam, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, and the Marksman Badge as well. Born on July 17, 1950, he resided in North Babylon, New York, where he was graduated from North Babylon High School in 1969. He resides in Central Islip, and has been employed as a carpenter. (Photograph unavailable.)

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## ROBERT R. MARTIN, Specialist 4th Class

Born on October 2, 1948, Mr. Martin resided in West Sayville before making his home in Bayport where he now resides. He was graduated from Sayville High School in 1966, from Suffolk County Community College in 1980, and attended New York Institute of Technology. He served from May of 1968 until May of 1970 with D Company, 2nd Battalion, 501st Infantry, 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Phu Bai, Vietnam, and is merited with various medals including two Bronze Star Medals, and a Purple Heart. He is employed in data processing operations.

## WILLIAM B. MARTIN, Sonar Technician 3rd Class

Originally from Danvers, Massachusetts, Mr. Martin was born on November 14, 1946, and was graduated from St. John's Prep High School, Danvers, in 1963. He served from April of 1964 through April of 1970 with the Commander Antisubmarine Warfare Force, with the Atlantic Fleet of the United States Navy, was stationed at the U.S. Naval Facility, in Grand Turk, and received the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a heavy construction mechanic/welder.

## HUGO A. MARTINEZ, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Martinez served from November of 1963 until November of 1965 with the 2nd Battalion, 44th Artillery of the 4th Army of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge. Originally from New York City, he was born on November 29, 1940, and was graduated in 1968 from RCA Institute, from Pace College in 1971, and in 1982 he received his Bachelor of Science degree from New York Institute of Technology. He resides in West Islip, and is an electronics engineer.

## JOHN J. MARTZ, Master Sergeant

Master Sergeant Martz served with the 39th Air Rescue Squadron of the United States Air Force from February of 1955 until May of 1975, and was stationed in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam. While serving in the Air Rescue and Recovery Services in Vietnam, Cambodia, and Laos, he received the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal, the Army and the Air Force Good Conduct Medal, and the Outstanding Unit Award. Originally from Reading, Pennsylvania, he was born on March 22, 1936, and was graduated from Reading Senior High School, Reading, and from Suffolk County Community College. He resides in Islip, and is an electronic technician at Hauppauge High School.

## VITO J. MARZOVILLA, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Marzovilla served from September of 1964 until December of 1968 with the 831st Combat Support Group of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Hubon-Korat, Thailand, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Air Medal, the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, the Rifle Sharpshooter and Expert Marksman Badges, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on June 17, 1945, and originally from Flushing, New York, he was graduated from Chelsea Vocational High School, New York City, in 1964. He currently resides in Islip, and following the service was employed with Braniff International Airlines.

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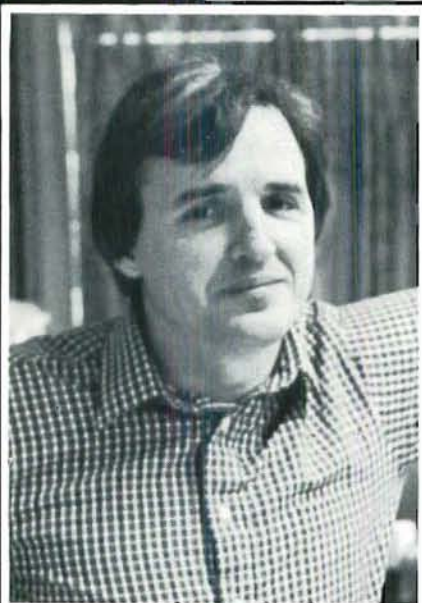
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## GEORGE W. MASON, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Mason served from March of 1962 until March of 1965 with the 3rd Force Service Regiment, Maintenance Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in California and Okinawa, Japan, and is merited with the Rifle Expert Badge, and the Pistol Expert Badge. Originally from Bay Shore, he was born on November 4, 1942, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1961. He currently resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a building air conditioning and heating mechanic.

## RONALD MASSA, Sergeant

A 1966 graduate of Bay Shore High School, Mr. Massa was born on June 12, 1947, and resided in Bay Shore before making his home in Coral Springs, Florida. He served from January of 1967 until December of 1968 with B Troop, 1st Squadron, 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment of the United States Army, was stationed in the southern area of Vietnam, and received a Purple Heart with three Oak Leaf Clusters, the Army Commendation Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Following the service became employed as an industrial caterer. He currently resides in Centereach, New York. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM M. MASSINGER, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from East Northport, New York, Mr. Massinger was born on October 20, 1943, was graduated from Northport High School, and attended New York Institute of Technology for one year. He served from November of 1960 until November of 1969 with the United States Navy Divers, was stationed principally in Da Nang, Vietnam, and is merited with two Good Conduct Medals, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Navy Unit Citation. Following the service he became employed as a welder, and currently resides in Bayport.

## THOMAS E. MASTERS, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Masters served with K Battery, 4th Battalion, 13th Marines of the United States Marine Corps from October of 1966 until December of 1969, was stationed primarily in the Demilitarized Zone, and earned a Purple Heart, the Presidential Unit Citation, and various campaign medals as well. Born on December 8, 1947, and formerly of Wantagh, New York, he was graduated from General Douglas MacArthur High School in 1966. He resides in Islip, and is an engineer for the Long Island Rail Road.

## HECTOR MATOS, Specialist 4th Class

Born on June 11, 1947, Mr. Matos resided in Brentwood where he was graduated from Brentwood High School. He served from December of 1966 until December of 1968 with C Troop, 3rd Squadron, 5th Cavalry, 9th Division, 3rd of the 5th Company, 1st Marine Division, of the United States Army attached to the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in the Mekong Delta, and the Demilitarized Zone in Vietnam. He is merited with the Sharpshooter Badge, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and three Bronze Star Medals. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed in management.

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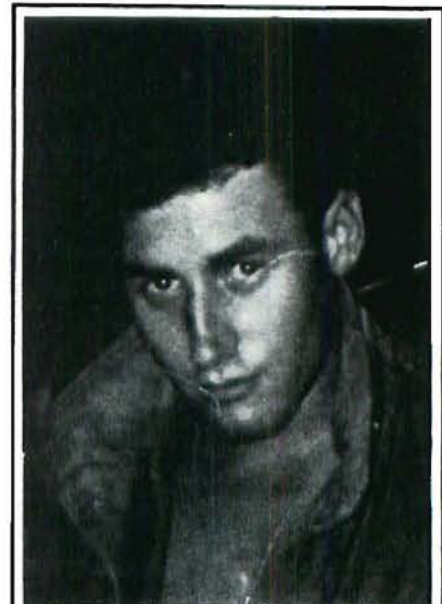
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## RUBEN MATOS, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Matos was born on June 30, 1944, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1963. He served with the United States Navy from April of 1964 until April of 1966, aboard the U.S.S. Wasp, CVS-18, was stationed in the North Atlantic Ocean, and in the Caribbean and Mediterranean Seas, and received the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Brentwood and is a Suffolk County Police Officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## PETER H. MATZELLE, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Matzelle was born on July 25, 1949, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1968. He served with A Company, 27th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division of the United States Army from October of 1968 until September of 1970, and was stationed at Fort Knox, Kentucky, West Germany, and in Vietnam as well. He is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and a Purple Heart. Following the service he became employed in printing.

## RONALD L. MAURIELLO, Specialist 4th Class

Born on October 17, 1946, Mr. Mauriello resided in East Islip where he was graduated from East Islip High School in 1964, and was graduated from Suffolk County Community College in 1981. He served from August of 1966 until August of 1968 with the 571st Ordnance Company of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, in Germany, France, and England, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Sharpshooter Badge, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is employed with the Highway Division of the Department of Public Works of the Town of Islip.

## BERNARD V. MAXWELL, Sergeant

Sergeant Maxwell served from July of 1965 until July of 1971 with the United States Army, 188th Service Company which constructed highways, bridges, and helicopter landing areas, was stationed principally in Pleiku, Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on July 28, 1944, he is a longtime resident of West Islip. He was graduated from William Cullen Bryant High School, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale for two years. He is employed as chief custodian for the West Islip Public School District. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ANDREW McANALLY, JR., Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. McAnally was born on August 21, 1945, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1964. He attended SUNY at Plattsburgh, and Suffolk County Community College, and has been employed as a fence contractor. He served from January of 1968 until December of 1970 with the 60th Ordnance Company of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas, and in Long Binh, Vietnam, and received the Army Commendation Medal.

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PETER H. MATZELLE



RONALD L. MAURIELLO



ANDREW McANALLY, JR.

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## PATRICK W. McARTHUR, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Bay Shore, Mr. McArthur was born on May 17, 1944, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1963, and in 1978 from Suffolk County Community College. He served from October of 1963 until April of 1969 with the 119th Helicopter Assault, 1st Combat Aviation Brigade, 223rd Aviation Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in Pleiku, Nha Trang, and Qui Nhon, Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He became employed with Fairchild Republic Company after the service, and currently resides in Brentwood.

## STEPHEN C. McARTHUR, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal McArthur served from June of 1962 until July of 1965 with the 2nd Battalion, 10th Marines, and with Headquarters Company, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed chiefly on Okinawa, Japan, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Born on February 1, 1945, and formerly of Rosedale, New York, he was graduated from St. Pascal Baylon High School in 1962, from Suffolk County Community College in 1975, and in 1977 from New York Institute of Technology. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is a New York City Police Officer.

## DANIEL J. McATEER, JR., Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. McAteer was born on December 23, 1948, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1966. He attended John Jay College and C.W. Post College, and became a New York City Police Officer following the service. He served from March of 1971 until March of 1973 with the 555th Military Police Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, Fort Meade, Maryland, and in the northeastern United States. He received many commendations from the New York City Police Department and from the United States Army for outstanding service. He passed away on September 10, 1983.

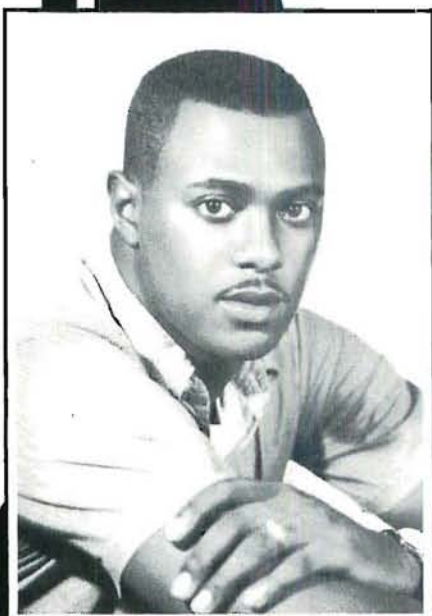
## BRIAN McAULIFFE, Electronic Technician/Seaman

Born on November 8, 1951, and originally from Oakdale, Mr. McAuliffe was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1969, from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1975, and in 1977 from Rochester Institute of Technology. He served from March of 1971 until March of 1973 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Talbot, DEG-4, was stationed at Newport, Rhode Island, and made various cruises around South America. He currently resides in Bohemia, and is an account supervisor for an advertising agency. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM J. McBREEN, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Central Islip, Mr. McBreen was born on September 30, 1950, and made his home in Jupiter, Florida, where he currently resides. He was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1968, and following the service became employed as an automotive mechanic. He served from August of 1969 until February of 1972 with the 73rd Aviation Company, 1st Aviation Brigade of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and in Long Tanh, Vietnam as well.

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PATRICK W. McARTHUR



STEPHEN C. McARTHUR



WILLIAM J. McBREEN



DANIEL J. McATEER, JR.

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## THOMAS P. McBRIDE, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant McBride served from June of 1968 until June of 1972 with the United States Air Force, with the 410th Bomb Wing, Strategic Air Command at K.I. Sawyer Air Force Base, with the 307th Bomb Wing, Strategic Air Command at V-Tapao, Thailand, and with the 380th Bomb Wing at Plattsburgh Air Force Base, New York. During his tour of duty he served for four years as a flight line mechanic and crew chief aboard a KC-135 tanker aircraft carrier. He is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Maspeth, New York, he was born on April 3, 1949, and was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School in 1966. After the service he became employed as an electrician for the Long Island Rail Road. He currently resides in East Islip.

## PATRICK M. McCAFFERY, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from West Islip, where he was graduated from West Islip High School in 1966, Mr. McCaffery was born on May 11, 1948, and attended Suffolk County Community College for one year. He served from June of 1966 until June of 1970 with the 1/12th Infantry, 4th Division, with the 3/39th Infantry, 9th Division, 119th Assault Helicopter Company, and with the 175th Assault Helicopter Company of the United States Army. He was stationed in the central highlands and the Mekong Delta region of Vietnam, and is merited with the Air Medal with "V" device, and the Air Medal with 39th Oak Leaf Clusters, as well as a Purple Heart. He resides in Bohemia and is employed as a lineman for New York Telephone Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

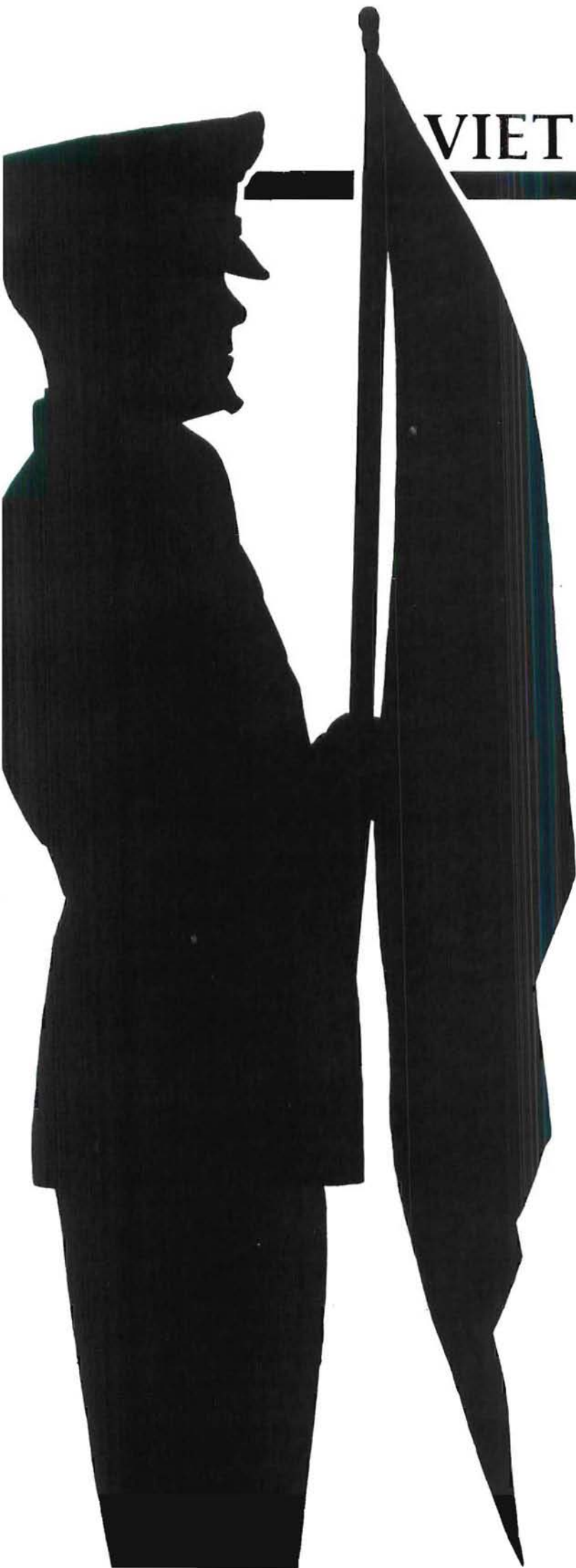
## KEVIN P. McCANN, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal McCann served with G Company, 2nd Battalion, 8th Marine Regiment, 2nd Marine Division, FMF, of the United States Marine Corps from October of 1971 until October of 1973. He was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and received the Rifle Marksman Badge. Born on October 14, 1953, and formerly of Bay Shore, he was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1971. He resides in Mastic Beach, New York, and is employed as an independent truck driver.

## JAMES McCAZZIO, Sergeant

Sergeant McCazzio served from September of 1969 until July of 1971 with H & H Company, 1st Battalion, 5th Infantry, 1st Cavalry Division, Air Mobile, of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Hood, Texas, and in the Mekong Delta, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Good Conduct Medal. Formerly of West Babylon, New York, he was born on February 28, 1948, was graduated in 1965 from St. Agnes High School, New York City, and in 1969 from St. John's University. Following the service he became employed as a United States Postal Clerk. He currently resides in East Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

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THOMAS P. McBRIDE



KEVIN P. McCANN

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## MICHAEL McELHINNEY, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on August 7, 1949, and originally from West Sayville, Mr. McElhinney was graduated from Sayville High School in 1967, received his Bachelor of Business Administration degree from Dowling College in 1976, and in 1981, he received his Master's degree from the University of Northern Colorado. He served from February of 1968 until September of 1971, and again since August of 1977 with the United States Navy aboard APL-30, and was stationed in Dong Tam, and Camail, Vietnam. He is merited with the Combat Action Badge, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resides in North Branford, Connecticut, and is a Weapons Controller for the United States Air Force.

## WILLIAM J. McELHINNEY, Lieutenant Commander

Lieutenant Commander McElhinney served from June of 1960 until August of 1964, and since February of 1966 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Hermitage, LSD-34, and was stationed off the coast of South Vietnam with the Marine Amphibious Forces. He was born on April 19, 1941, is originally from West Sayville, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1958, and attended St. Francis College and St. Leo College. He now resides in Oxnard, California.

## JOHN F. McELWEE, JR., Airman 1st Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. McElwee was born on August 9, 1947, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1965. He served from August of 1965 until November of 1968 with the United States Air Force, where he was a radio repairman of flightline installments and a troubleshooter of communications navigational equipment while making flights over Bangkok, Thailand. He was stationed at Kessler Air Force Base, and Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. Following the service he became employed with the United States Treasury Department, and then as a therapy aide at Pilgrim State Hospital. He passed away on September 5, 1984.

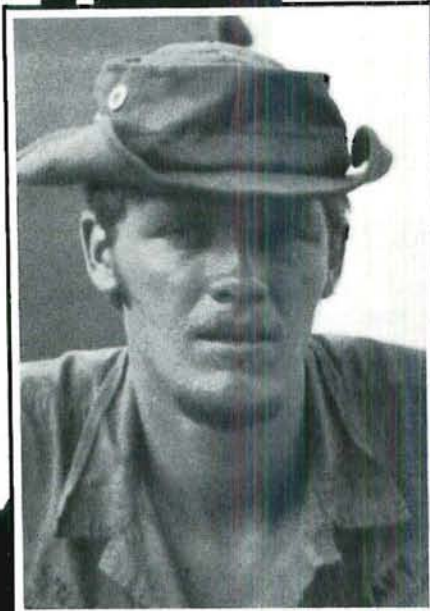
## FRANCIS McEVOY, Sergeant

Originally from Baldwin, New York, Mr. McEvoy was born on February 7, 1947, was graduated from Baldwin High School in 1965, and in 1982 from New York Institute of Technology. He served from June of 1967 until June of 1970 with the Military Advisory Corps Team #98 of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Bien Hoa, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, the Army Commendation Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. After his discharge he became a police officer. He currently resides in West Sayville.

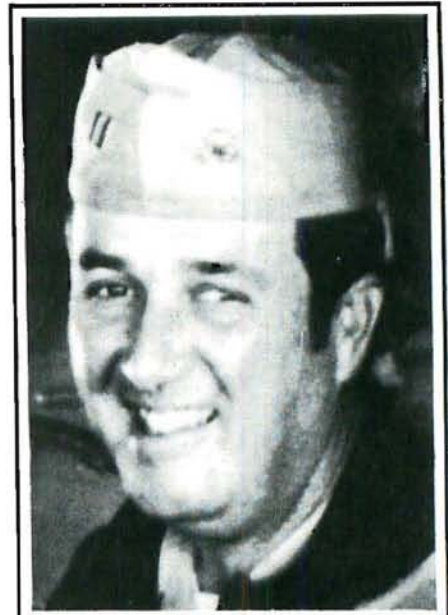
## BERNARD McGANN, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c McGann served from February of 1963 until February of 1966 with the United States Signal Command of the U.S. Army in Japan, and with the United States Infantry School of the U.S. Army at Fort Benning, Georgia. Born on June 16, 1943, and originally from New York City, he attended Power Memorial High School, received his equivalency diploma in 1965 while in the service, and was graduated from Adelphi University in 1979. He became employed with the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey as a terminal services agent, and currently resides in Brentwood. (Photograph unavailable.)

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MICHAEL McELHINNEY



WILLIAM J. McELHINNEY



JOHN F. McELWEE, JR.



FRANCIS McEVOY



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## THOMAS McGANN, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Jericho, New York, Mr. McGann was born on December 10, 1940, was graduated from W.C. Mepham High School, Bellmore, New York, in 1958, and received his Bachelor of Business Administration degree in 1973 from Adelphi University. He served from October of 1966 until October of 1969 with the United States Army in the Office of the Adjutant General in Heidleburg, Germany, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He is employed in insurance, and resides in Holbrook. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD P. McHUGH, Seaman

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. McHugh was born on May 23, 1954, and was graduated from Brentwood-Sonderling High School. He served from May of 1974 until July of 1974 with the Base Drill Team, Company #919, 24th Battalion, Special Unit of the United States Navy, was stationed in the United States, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. He received an Honorable Discharge, and became an assistant manager for a McDonald's restaurant.

## PAUL McKELLER, SR., Gunners Mate

Gunners Mate McKeller served from 1959 until 1965 with the United States Coast Guard aboard the U.S.C.G.C. Owasco, was stationed on Fire Island, Short Beach, and Harkers Island, North Carolina, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Monroe, Louisiana, he was born on March 12, 1941, and was graduated from Ouchitau High School, Monroe. Currently, he resides in Bay Shore, and is employed with Sears Roebuck & Company.

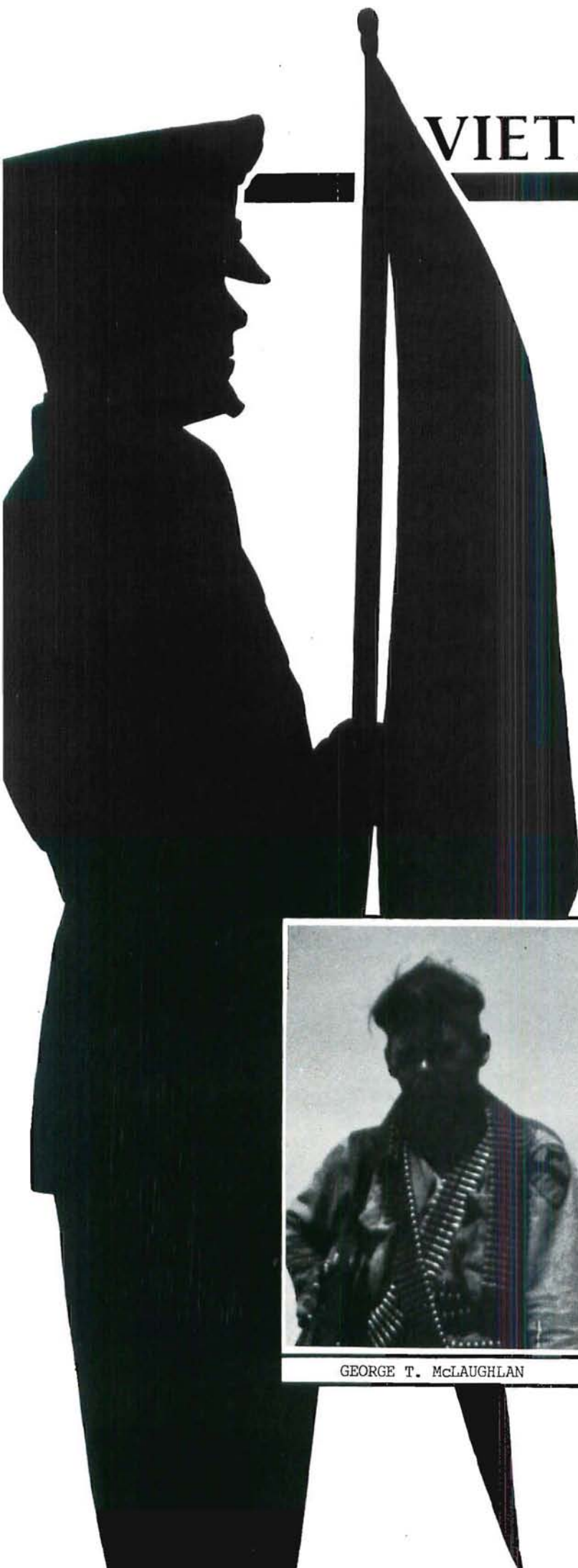
## GARY "DOG" McKNIGHT, Corporal

Corporal McKnight served with F Troop, 17th Cavalry, 196th Light Infantry Brigade, Americal Division of the United States Army from March of 1969 until October of 1970. He was stationed at I Corps, Tam Ky, Que Son Valley, Pineapple Forest, Thang Binh, Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge and the Army Commendation Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster. Born on June 4, 1949, and originally from West Babylon, New York, where he was graduated from West Babylon High School in 1967, he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College in 1974. He resides in Holbrook, and is a counselor at the Long Island Vietnam Veterans Outreach Center, Babylon, New York. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE T. McLAUGHLAN, Specialist 4th Class

Born on October 28, 1950, Mr. McLaughlan resided in Bayport before making his home in West Sayville where he now resides. He was graduated from Soquel High School, Soquel, California, and is currently employed as a refrigeration and air-conditioning mechanic. He served from April of 1971 until April of 1972 with C Company, 1st Battalion, 7th Air Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Xuan Loc, Lon Bien, Bien Hoa, and in the Mekong Delta, Vietnam. He received the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and two Bronze Star Medals.

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RICHARD P. McHUGH



GEORGE T. McLAUGHLAN



PAUL McKELLER, SR.

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## JAMES E. McLAUGHLIN, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Farmingdale, New York, where he was graduated from Farmingdale High School in 1963, Mr. McLaughlin was born on September 1, 1944, settled in Holbrook, and is employed as a lithographer. He served from July of 1965 until May of 1967 with H & H Battalion, 2nd Battalion, 20th Artillery, 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly at An Khe, Pleiku, and Qui Nhon, Vietnam.

## GARY McLaurin, Airman 1st Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. McLaurin was born on July 11, 1954, and was graduated from Bellport High School and Winfield College. He served from May of 1974 until March of 1977 with the 3711th BMTS of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, and at George Air Force Base, California, and received an Honorable Discharge. Following the service he became employed as a telephone operator.

## JAMES K. McLaurin, Yeoman 3rd Class

Yeoman 3/c McLaurin served from September of 1972 until June of 1975 with the 7th Fleet of United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Mars, AFS-1, was stationed in Vietnam, and received an Honorable Discharge. A longtime resident of Bay Shore, he was born on August 22, 1952, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1971, from Iona College in 1972, and College at New Rochelle, New York, in 1978.

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JAMES E. McLAUGHLIN



JAMES K. McLAURIN



GARY McLAURIN

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## RICHARD E. McNISH, Communication Technician

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from William E. Grady High School, Mr. McNish was born on March 7, 1945, and made his home in Brentwood where he now resides. He served from December of 1962 until May of 1966 with the Naval Communications Station of the United States Navy in San Miguel, Philippines, and received the National Defense Service Medal. Following the service he became employed as a telecommunications manager. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN McWILLIAMS, Corporal

Corporal McWilliams served from June of 1968 until December of 1969 with H Company, 2nd Battalion, 5th Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed principally in An Hoa, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Originally from Massapequa Park, New York, he was born on March 16, 1950, and was graduated from Alfred G. Berner High School in 1967. He resides in Islip Terrace and is a conductor for the Long Island Rail Road.

## TIMOTHY MEAGHER, Seaman

Born on March 6, 1950, Mr. Meagher resided in Smithtown, New York, before settling in Bay Shore where he currently resides. He was graduated from Hauppauge High School in 1968, and following the service became employed as a truck driver. He served from January of 1969 until December of 1972 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Shark, SSN-591, and was stationed chiefly at Norfolk, Virginia. (Photograph unavailable.)

## KENNETH W. MEBUS, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Mebus served from October of 1966 until October of 1970 with the 8th Civil Engineering Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in the Pacific, primarily at Ubon Air Force Base, Thailand, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Marksman Badge, and the Outstanding Unit Citation. Originally from Islip, where he was graduated from Islip High School in 1966, he attended SUNY at Plattsburgh, and became a refrigeration and air-conditioning mechanic after the service. He currently resides in East Islip.

## THOMAS H. MEBUS, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Mebus has served with the 388th Combat Support Group of the United States Air Force since August of 1971, and was stationed mainly at Korat Royal Thai Air Force Base, Thailand. He received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm, the Outstanding Unit Award with valor, and the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star. Born on December 22, 1952, and originally from Islip where he was graduated from Islip High School in 1971, he is still serving in the United States Air Force and is stationed at Clark Air Force Base in the Philippines.

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JOHN McWILLIAMS



KENNETH W. MEBUS, JR.



THOMAS H. MEBUS

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KAREN McLaurin, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant McLaurin served from May of 1973 until January of 1984 with the United States Army at Fort Ord, California, and is merited with the Army Achievement Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Overseas Ribbon, and the National Defense Service Medal. Born on January 5, 1954, and a longtime resident of Bay Shore, she was graduated from Bay Shore High School, from Clark College, Atlanta, Georgia, and from Baylor University, Waco, Texas. She became employed as a medical technologist after her discharge.

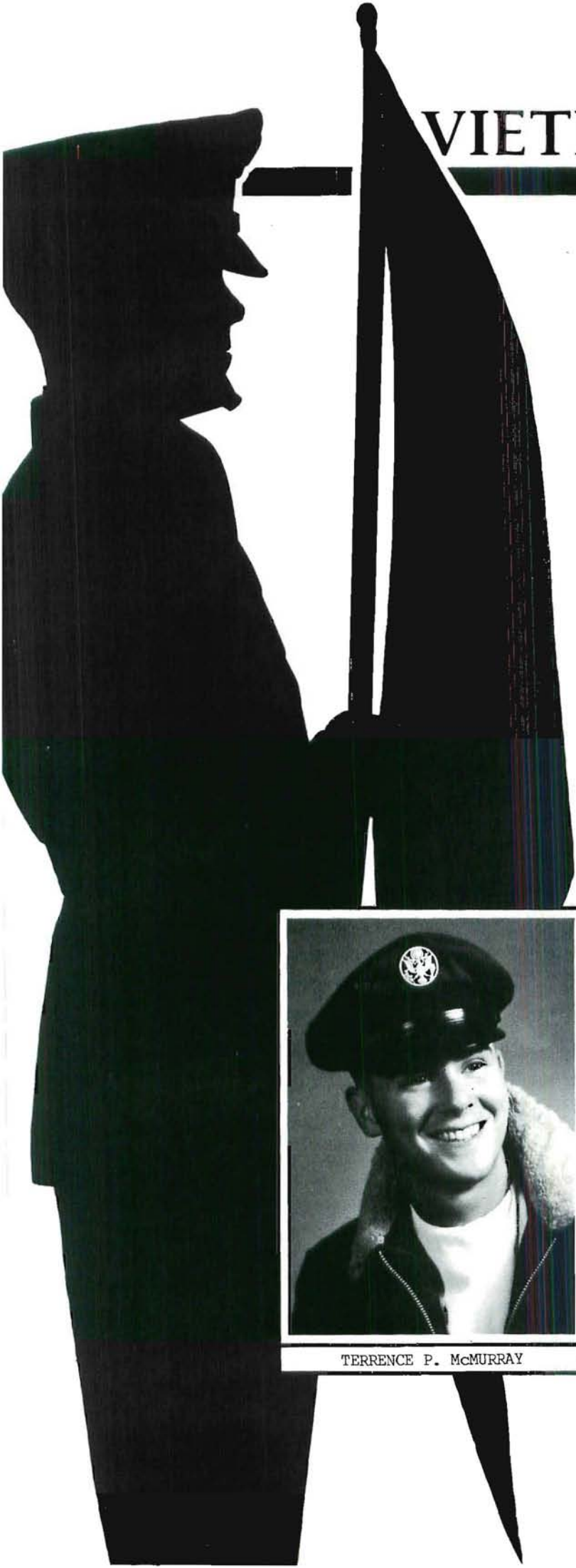
THOMAS E. McLOUGHLIN, Lance Corporal

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from John Jay High School, Mr. McLoughlin was born on February 10, 1946, and made his home in West Islip where he presently resides. He served from March of 1968 until July of 1969 with the 1st Battalion, 7th Marines, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly in Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Navy Commendation Medal, the Combat Action Ribbon, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He was a carpenter prior to the service, and after his discharge resumed his work as a carpenter.

TERRENCE P. McMURRAY, Airman 1st Class

Airman 4/c McMurray served from May of 1963 until May of 1967 with the 463rd Troop Carrier Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Langley Air Force Base, Virginia, and in Tan Son Nhut, Vietnam, and earned the Air Medal, the Distinguished Unit Citation, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on April 7, 1944, and formerly of Woodside, New York, he was graduated from W.C. Bryant High School, and from Teterboro Aeronautics Academy, New Jersey. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is an aircraft mechanic.

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KAREN McLAURIN



TERRENCE P. McMURRAY



THOMAS E. McLOUGHLIN



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## RICHARD MEEHAN, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Levittown, New York, Mr. Meehan was born on July 12, 1946, was graduated from St. Mary's High School, Manhasset, New York, in 1964, and in 1971 from Manhattan College. He served from June of 1971 until June of 1973 with the 472nd Military Police Company of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly at Fort Wainwright, Fairbanks, Alaska. He currently resides in East Islip and is an E-Zc Operations Project Engineer for Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## MICHAEL R. MELE, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Mele served from October of 1969 until September of 1971 with I Company, 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed principally in Da Nang, Vietnam. He received the Combat Action Ribbon, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Navy Unit Citation, and a Purple Heart as well. Formerly of West Islip, he was born on October 20, 1945, and was graduated from Brooklyn Vocational and Technical High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1962. In 1968 he was graduated from Oklahoma University, and has been an architect prior to and following his tour of duty in Vietnam. He resides in San Diego, California.

## JOHN MELITA, Corporal

Corporal Melita served with the 2nd Battalion, 11th Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from September of 1966 until September of 1970, and was stationed in Da Nang and An Hoa, Vietnam. Born on September 23, 1948, and originally from Bay Shore where he was graduated from Bay Shore High School, he made his home in Holtsville where he currently resides. Following the service he became employed as a driver and as a bartender. (Photograph unavailable.)

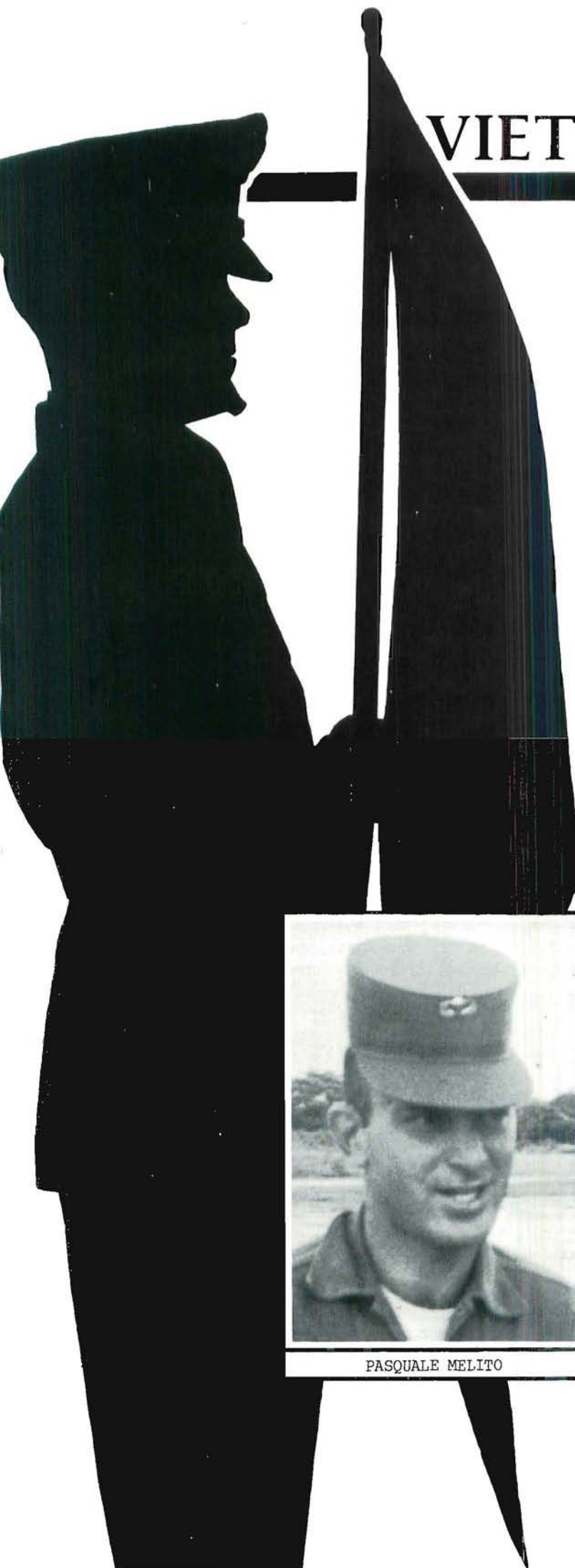
## PASQUALE MELITO, Private 1st Class

Born on November 3, 1941, Mr. Melito resided in Hicksville, New York, attended Westbury High School, and received his equivalency diploma while in the service. He served from March of 1962 until February of 1964 with the 508th Airborne of the United States Army, was stationed in the Panama Canal Zone, and at Fort Amadon, Panama, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Sharpshooter Badge. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a supervisor for a sign and paint shop.

## CARLOS MENDEZ-VEGA, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Mendez-Vega was born on April 20, 1947, and was graduated from Roosevelt High School, from Bronx Community College, and from John J. College. He served from June of 1966 until June of 1969 with the 1st Army, 382nd Personnel Service Company of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly at Fort Devens, Massachusetts. He received training in Code of Conduct, Military Justice, Geneva Convention, CBR Training, Civil Affairs, Non Judicial Punishment, Sabotage and Espionage, Survival Escape and Evasion, Emergency Medical Treatment, and Republic of Vietnam Training. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, two Overseas Ribbons, and Tet "Counter Offensive". Following the service he became employed as a bank clerk, and currently resides in Brentwood. (Photograph unavailable.)

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RICHARD MEEHAN



PASQUALE MELITO



MICHAEL R. MELE

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## ARTHUR R. MENGER, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Petty Officer 3/c Menger served from July of 1966 until July of 1969 with the 162nd Fighter Squadron of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Ticonderoga, was stationed in California, and in the Gulf of Tonkin, Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Navy Unit Commendation Medal. Originally from East Islip where he was graduated from East Islip High School in 1966, he was born on July 12, 1948, and attended Dowling College. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is employed as an engineer for New York Telephone Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM V. MERCANTO, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Mercanto was born on September 28, 1947, and was graduated from Abraham Lincoln High School, Brooklyn, in 1966. He served from March of 1968 until February of 1970 with Headquarters, 46th Engineer Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Phuoc Vinh, and Long Binh, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and two Rifle Expert Badges. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is employed as a technician.

## HENRY A. MERENGUELLI, Specialist 5th Class

Born on August 3, 1948, Mr. Merenguelli resided in Bay Shore, and was graduated from Brentwood-Sonderling High School in 1967. He served from December of 1967 until November of 1970 with the 51st Maintenance Company of the United States Army, was stationed mainly at Can Tho, Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Central Islip, and is a security officer for the Brentwood Public School District. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DOUGLAS R. MERRING, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Merring served from May of 1965 until May of 1967 with the 4th Battalion, 41st Artillery, 7th Army, S Battery of the United States Army, was stationed in Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Sharpshooter Badge. Originally from Astoria, New York, where he was graduated from William C. Bryant High School in 1962, he settled in Hauppauge where he now resides. He is employed as a tractor mechanic foreman.

## CLINTON MERZ, JR., Electricians Mate 2nd Class

Formerly of Massapequa Park, New York, Mr. Merz was born on March 25, 1942, and was graduated from Massapequa High School in 1959. He served from February of 1964 until February of 1968 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Ranger, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. He currently resides in Central Islip.

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WILLIAM V. MERCANTO



DOUGLAS R. MERRING



CLINTON MERZ, JR.

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## PAUL D. MESSINA, Aviation Electrician

Originally from New Hyde Park, New York, Mr. Messina was born on July 15, 1940, was graduated from Sewanhaka High School in 1959, and in 1977 from New York Institute of Technology. He served from December of 1960 until December of 1964 with the 26th Air Anti Submarine Squadron of the United States Navy, and was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Randolph in the Atlantic Ocean and at Norfolk, Virginia. After his discharge he resided in Brentwood and was employed as an electronics technician for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. He resides in Holbrook, and is a Sergeant in the Suffolk County Police Department.

## KENNETH H. METTY, Specialist 5th Class

Born on November 21, 1944, Mr. Metty resided in Ridgewood, New York, where he was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School in 1962. He served from August of 1962 until August of 1965 with A Battery, 4th Missile Battalion, 44th Artillery of the United States Army while stationed in Korea, and with C Battery, 3rd Missile Battalion, 5th Artillery of the United States Army while stationed in Bristol, Rhode Island. He was also stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and Fort Bliss, Texas, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a cargo representative for Varig Brazilian Airlines at John F. Kennedy International Airport, Jamaica, New York.

## RICHARD E. MEYER, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Meyer served from June of 1967 until April of 1971 with the United States Air Force with the 437th MAW while stationed in Charleston, South Carolina, and with Detachment #13, Air and Sea Rescue Unit while stationed in Osan, Korea, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter and Expert Marksman Badge, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, and the Air Force Commendation Medal. Born on May 7, 1945, and originally from Middle Village, New York, he was graduated from Brooklyn Vocational and Technical High School, from Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, from the Academy of Aeronautics, and from Florida State University. He resides in West Islip, and is an aircraft maintenance supervisor for Trans World Airlines.

## FREDRIC J. MEYERS, Communications Technician 2nd Class

Formerly of Richmond Hill, New York, Mr. Meyers was born on May 27, 1944, and was graduated from Woodrow Wilson Vocational High School in 1962. He served from July of 1962 until August of 1966 with the United States Naval Security Group, was stationed in Kami Seya, Japan, and Agana, Guam, and received the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as a Q.C. Manager for STS Inc., in Hauppauge.

## JOEL MEYERS, Sergeant

Sergeant Meyers served from February of 1965 until October of 1968 with the 11th Bomb Wing, Strategic Air Command, 432nd Reconnaissance Technical Group, 4444th Reconnaissance Technical Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Saigon, Vietnam, and Udorn, Thailand, and earned the Expert Marksman Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and two Outstanding Unit Awards. Born on February 11, 1946, and originally from Bellerose, New York, he was graduated from Martin Van Buren High School in 1965. He resides in Central Islip, and is employed as a purchasing construction operation manager.

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KENNETH H. METTY



PAUL D. MESSINA



RICHARD E. MEYER



JOEL MEYERS



FREDRIC J. MEYERS

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## PETER MICALI, Specialist 4th Class

A 1964 graduate of Roosevelt High School, Bronx, New York, where he resided before making his home in West Islip, Mr. Micali was born on May 19, 1945, and is the owner of an Italian deli and catering business. He served from February of 1966 through February of 1968 with D Company, 2nd Battalion, 8th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, Fort Polk, Louisiana, Fort Dix, New Jersey, as well as in An Khe, Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Action Badge, the Air Medal, and a Vietnam Combat Certificate.

## DENNIS R. MICHALEK, Sergeant

Sergeant Michalek served with A Company, 2nd Battalion, 60th Infantry, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army from 1969 until 1971, was stationed chiefly in Cambodia and in Vietnam, and received the Presidential Unit Citation, the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Medal, the Army Accommodation Medal, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medal, and the U.S. Vietnam Service Medal. Born on January 27, 1947, and originally from Bay Shore, he was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1965. He resides in Uniondale, New York, and is employed as a production control planner.

## JAMES R. MICHELS, E-5

Formerly of Holtsville, Mr. Michels was born on February 3, 1944, was graduated from West Babylon High School, West Babylon, New York, in 1962, and has made his home in East Islip where he currently resides. He served from May of 1968 until February of 1970 with MCB #4, B Company of the United States Navy, and was stationed in Dien Bon, Vietnam. Following the service he became employed in construction. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD MIGLINO, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Miglino served from December of 1965 until December of 1967 with the 45th Finance Section of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Kaiserslautern, Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. Originally from Blue Point, he was born on December 31, 1943, and was graduated from Seton Hall High School, Patchogue, New York, in 1962, and from Suffolk County Community College in 1964. He resides in Holbrook, and is employed as an accounts clerk.

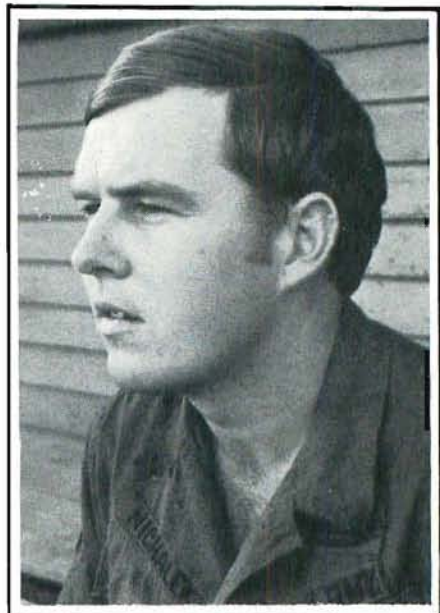
## GERALD G. MIGNON, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Richmond Hill, New York, where he was graduated from Richmond Hill High School in 1967, Mr. Mignon was born on May 6, 1949, and attended Suffolk County Community College for one year. He served from April of 1969 until April of 1971 with the 29th Signal Group, AMSF-T, Combat Support Unit of the United States Army, was stationed principally in Bangkok, Thailand, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He is employed with the Long Island Rail Road, and resides in Brentwood.

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PETER MICALI



DENNIS R. MICHALEK



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RICHARD MIGLINO



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## LOUIS C. MILANO, Sergeant

Sergeant Milano served from February of 1963 until February of 1966 with the 1st Infantry Division, C Company, 28th Regiment, 2nd Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Ben Cat, Vietnam, and is merited with the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Vietnam Service Medal. Originally from Bay Shore, he was born on February 10, 1943, and was graduated from Brentwood High School. He currently resides in Bohemia, and is a store manager for a Waldbaum's Supermarket.

## RUSSELL A. MILANO, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Milano served from January of 1968 until August of 1969 with the 1st Tank Battalion, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam, and is merited with the Navy Accommodation Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement. Formerly of North Bellmore, New York, he was born on August 22, 1949, and was graduated from Calhoun High School, Merrick, New York, in 1967. He is a clerk for Fairchild Republic Company, and resides in Brentwood.

## PETER MILITELLO, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, where he was graduated from St. Helenas High School in 1964, Mr. Militello was born on February 14, 1946, and made his home in West Islip where he now resides. He served from December of 1965 until October of 1969 with the Patrol Squadron #16 of the United States Navy, was stationed at the Naval Air Station at Sangley Point, Philippines, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Air Medal. He is employed as a Supervisor with the New York City Department of Sanitation.

## BOYD F. MILLER, Private 1st Class

Born on July 12, 1948, Mr. Miller resided in North Babylon, New York, and was graduated from North Babylon High School. He served from May of 1967 until March of 1968 with the 3rd Marine Division, FMF, M Company, 3rd Battalion, 3rd Infantry of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Cam Lo, Geo Lin, and Contien, Vietnam, and earned the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Marksman Badge, and a Purple Heart. He resides in Central Islip, and is employed as an automotive glass mechanic.

## EDWARD W. MILLER, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Miller served from January of 1964 until December of 1967 with the Army Security Agency of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Devens, Massachusetts, and in the Panama Canal Zone, and is merited with the Expert Rifle Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, and a Letter of Commendation. Originally from Bellmore, New York, he was born on February 11, 1943, and was graduated from W.C. Mepham High School in 1960. He attended Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute for one year, and SUNY at Farmingdale for two years. He has been employed in electronics, and resides in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

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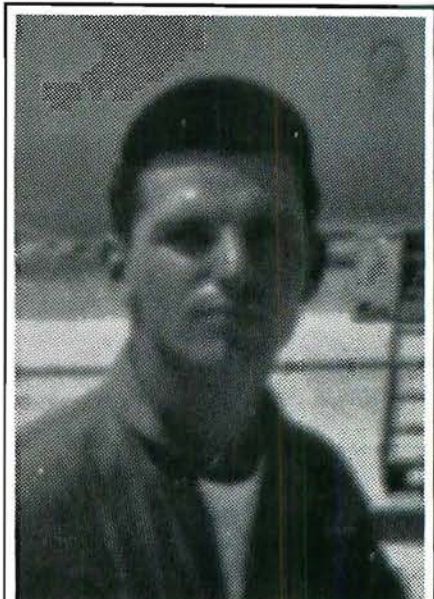
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BOYD F. MILLER



PETER MILITELLO

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## HAROLD F. MILLER, Fire Control Technician 2nd Class

Originally from Valley Stream, New York, where he was graduated from South High School in 1963, Mr. Miller was born on May 29, 1944, attended the Academy of Aeronautics, and Nassua County Community College. He served from September of 1962 until July of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Joseph P. Kennedy, Jr., DD-850, was stationed at Newport, Rhode Island, and in the North Atlantic Ocean with the 6th Fleet. He currently resides in Bay Shore, and is the owner of Action Automotive in Syosset. (Photograph unavailable.)

## LEWIS D. MILLER, Master Sergeant

A Korean veteran as well as a Vietnam veteran, Mr. Miller was born on February 28, 1931, and currently resides in Central Islip. He served with the 648th Squadron, H Company of the United States Air Force primarily at Langley Air Force Base, Mitchel Air Force Base, and Hickam Air Force Base, from March of 1948 until September of 1968, and is merited with the Armed Forces Commendation Medal and the Joint Service Commendation Medal. He attended South Otselic High School, South Otselic, New York, where he formerly resided, attended SUNY at Stony Brook from 1968 until 1970, and New York City College from 1974 until 1976. After his discharge he became employed as a teacher. (Photograph - see Korean section.)

## MICHAEL L. MILLER, Construction Mechanic 3rd Class

Formerly of Islip, where he was graduated from Islip High School in 1967, Mr. Miller was born on November 7, 1949. He served from October of 1968 until October of 1970 with the CBMU #302, Detachment India, of the United States Navy Seabees, was stationed chiefly in Ben Luc, Vietnam, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals. He resides in Islip Terrace and has been employed as a mechanic.

## MICHAEL L. MILLER, Sergeant

Sergeant Miller served from 1966 until 1970 with the Strategic Air Command of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Dow Air Force Base, Maine, and Barksdale Air Force Base, Louisiana. Born on August 30, 1947, and originally from Mineola, New York, he was graduated from Mineola High School in 1965, and attended Dowling College for three years. He has been employed as a supervisor for the Long Island Rail Road, and currently resides in West Sayville.

## ROBIN J. MILLER, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Miller served with the 388th Helicopter Transportation of the United States Army from November of 1966 until August of 1968, was stationed in Vung Tau, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal and the Army Commendation Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters. Originally from West Islip, where he was graduated from West Islip High School in 1966, he was born on August 8, 1947. He resides in Bay Shore, and is employed as an automotive mechanic.

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MICHAEL L. MILLER



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ROBIN J. MILLER

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## STEFAN MILLER, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Miller served from July of 1963 until September of 1966 with E Company, 2nd Battalion, 9th Marine Regiment of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam, and aboard the U.S.S. Princeton of the United States Navy, and is merited with the Rifle Expert Badge, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, and the Navy Unit Citation. Formerly of Syosset, New York, where he was graduated from Syosset High School in 1962, he was born on February 21, 1944, and was graduated from Hofstra University in 1969. He currently resides in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS H. MILLER, Corporal

Corporal Miller served with Headquarters Battalion, 9th Marine Regiment, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps from May of 1974 until May of 1976. He was stationed chiefly at Camp Schwab, Okinawa, Japan, and was also assigned to Detachment V during the Vietnam evacuation aboard the U.S.S. Pioneer Contender of the United States Navy from April through May of 1975 in Vung Tau, Vietnam. Originally from Islip Terrace, he was born on May 14, 1955, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1973. He is employed as a roofer, and resides in Bayport.

## WILLIAM MILLER, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Jackson Heights, New York, Mr. Miller was born on September 9, 1947, was graduated from Delehanty High School in 1965, and in 1979 from Brooklyn College. He served from November of 1966 through November of 1969 with the 1st Air Cavalry, 228th Aviation Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in An Khe, Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal, and the Air Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster. He resides in East Islip and is a product service manager for Goodyear Tire Company.

## RICHARD A. MINORI, Private 1st Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Minori was born on October 24, 1947, and was graduated from Brentwood High School. He served from January of 1967 until January of 1969 with Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, 10th Infantry of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Davis, Alabama, and in the Panama Canal Zone, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Expert Rifle Badge, and the Pistol Sharpshooter Badge. He became employed with the Brentwood Water District of the Town of Islip after the service. He passed away on January 27, 1973.

## JOHN MIRABELLA, Construction Mechanic 3rd Class

Born on January 9, 1949, Mr. Mirabella resided in Central Islip, where he was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1967. He served from December of 1967 until October of 1971 with the MCB #7 of the United States Navy Seabees, was stationed in Dung Ha and Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Action Ribbon, the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Expert Rifle Badge, and the Fleet Marine Combat Operation Insignia. He is employed as a carpenter, and resides in Bay Shore.

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THOMAS H. MILLER



WILLIAM MILLER



RICHARD A. MINORI



JOHN MIRABELLA

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## RICHARD A. MISKOVSKY, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Hicksville, New York, where he was graduated from Hicksville High School in 1967, Mr. Miskovsky was born on April 18, 1946. In 1967 he was graduated from Voorhees Technical Institute, and was graduated from Suffolk County Community College. He served from October of 1967 until August of 1970 with the 1st Signal Brigade, Phu Lam Signal Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Phu Lam, Vietnam, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. He resides in Holbrook, and is employed as an engineer for New York Telephone Company.

## RONALD F. MISTRETTA, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Mistretta was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1968, and was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale, and SUNY at New Paltz. He served from 1968 through 1969 with the Special Troops of the United States Army, went to the U.S. Army Engineers School and instructed in demolition while in the service. He was stationed at Fort Belvoir, Washington, and in Long Binh, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and the Sharpshooter Badge. He resides in Brookline, Massachusetts, and is a professor at Boston University.

## VINCENT J. MOGAVERO, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Mogavero served from December of 1964 until December of 1966 with the USAIC Troop Command, 139th Military Police Company, 3rd Army of the United States Army, was stationed primarily at Fort Benning, Georgia, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and the Pistol Sharpshooter Badge. Born on January 19, 1942, and originally from Manhasset Hills, New York, he was graduated from Holy Cross High School, Flushing, New York, in 1959, and attended St. John's University for one year. He resides in Hauppauge and is an assistant treasurer for a banks automated delivery system.

## JOSEPH P. MOLFETTO, (Rank Unknown)

Born on March 1, 1946, and originally from Ozone Park, New York, Mr. Molfetto was graduated from Thomas A. Edison High School in 1964, and attended John Jay College, and Suffolk County Community College. He served from February of 1966 until January of 1968 with C Company, 2nd Battalion, 15th Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Germany. He currently resides in Ronkonkoma, and is a New York City Fire Lieutenant.

## PATRICK MOLFETTO, Airman

Airman Molfetto served from August of 1969, until August of 1973 with the United States Navy aboard VP-30, was stationed in Maryland, and in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. Originally from Ozone Park, New York, he was graduated from John Adams High School in 1970, and attended Suffolk County Community College for two years. He is employed as a truck driver, and resides in Holbrook.

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RONALD F. MISTRETTA



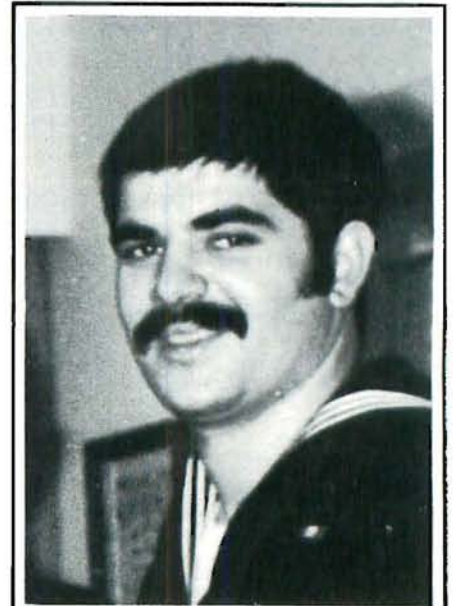
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## ROGER MOODY, Sergeant

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Moody was born on March 2, 1947, and was graduated from West Islip High School in 1966. He served from June of 1966 until July of 1969 with the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Langley Air Force Base, Virginia, Grand Island, Nebraska, and in Vietnam as well. Following the service he became employed as a printer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES J. MOON, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on June 1, 1948, and a resident of Islip Terrace at the time he served, Mr. Moon was graduated from East Islip High School, and became employed as a welder after the service. He served from October of 1967 until October of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Wasp, and was stationed in Ouanset Point, Rhode Island, and in the Mediterranean Sea as well. He passed away on July 28, 1981.

## WILLIAM MOON, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Islip Terrace, Mr. Moon was born on March 6, 1947, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1966. He served from November of 1966 until November of 1968 with C Company, 46th Engineer Battalion, 149th Engineer Group of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, and in Long Binh, Vietnam as well. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal, the Sharpshooter Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. He is employed as a carpenter and resides in Islip.

## JAMES P. MORAN, Specialist 4th Class

A 1963 graduate of Seton Hall High School, Patchogue, New York, Mr. Moran was born on June 24, 1945, and is a longtime resident of Ronkonkoma. He served from October of 1965 until October of 1967 with the United States Army, was stationed in White Sands, New Mexico, and received the Air Medal, the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the National Defense the Vietnam Service Medals. He attended college in California, and became employed as an automotive mechanic after his discharge.

## JOSEPH A. MORAN, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Moran served from 1965 until 1967 with the United States Army, and was stationed in Pleiku and Qui Nhon, Vietnam. He was born on November 19, 1941, and resided in Ronkonkoma prior to and following his tour of duty in Vietnam. He was graduated from Sayville High School, and after his discharge had various jobs. He passed away on February 24, 1974.

## RUSSELL F. MORAN, Quartermaster

Quartermaster Moran served with the United States Navy from August of 1968 until April of 1970 aboard the U.S.S. Wasp, CVS-18, was stationed in the north Atlantic Ocean, and in the Mediterranean Sea, as well as in Europe, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the Congressional Unit Citation. Born on July 6, 1946, he was graduated from Holy Cross High School in 1964, in 1968 from Iona College, and in 1979 from Kent Law School, Chicago. Formerly of Whitestone, New York, he resides in East Islip, and has a law practice. (Photograph unavailable.)

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ROGER MOODY



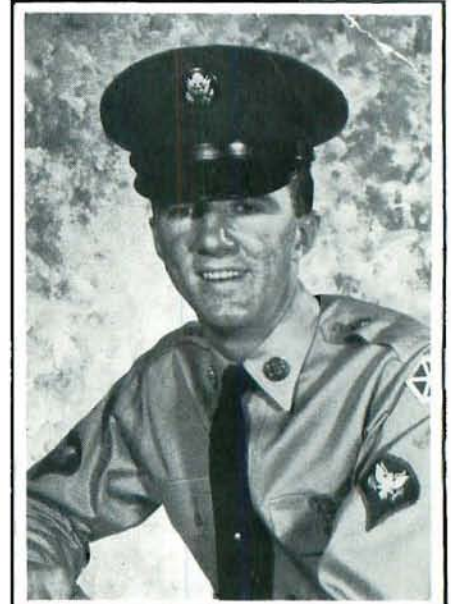
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JOSEPH A. MORAN

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## DENNIS J. MORGAN, Corporal

Corporal Morgan served from October of 1967 until April of 1969 with M Company, 3rd Battalion, 7th Regiment, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Quang Nam Province, Vietnam. He is merited with the Silver Star, the Bronze Star, the Navy Commendation Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge with Valor, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and four Purple Hearts. Originally from Rosedale, New York, he was born on October 26, 1948, and was graduated from Springfield Gardens High School. Following the service he became employed as a diesel mechanic. He resides in West Islip.

## J. BRIAN MORRISSEY, Sergeant

Formerly of Sayville, Mr. Morrissey was born on September 4, 1946, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1965. He served from June of 1967 until June of 1969 with A Company, 3rd Battalion, 12th Infantry, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Dak To, Vietnam. After his separation from the service he became employed in retail sales. He currently resides in Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## PAUL G. MOSCHETTI, Communications Technician 2nd Class

Originally from Syosset, New York, where he was graduated from Syosset High School in 1967, Mr. Moschetti was born on August 28, 1949, and made his home in Holbrook where he now resides. He served from October of 1969 until August of 1975 with the United States Navy, was stationed in Japan, and the Aleutian Islands near Alaska, and received the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal as well. He is employed as a communications manager.

## HOWARD MOSS, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Moss served from September of 1966 through August of 1968 with the 511th Engineer Company, 35th Engineer Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in the Central Highlands, Ahn Kah, Da Nang, Hue, and Quang Tri Province, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and two Overseas Ribbons. Born on October 25, 1946, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from Brooklyn Automotive Trades High School in 1964, and from SUNY at Farmingdale. He is employed as a national accounts purchasing manager, and resides in Holbrook.

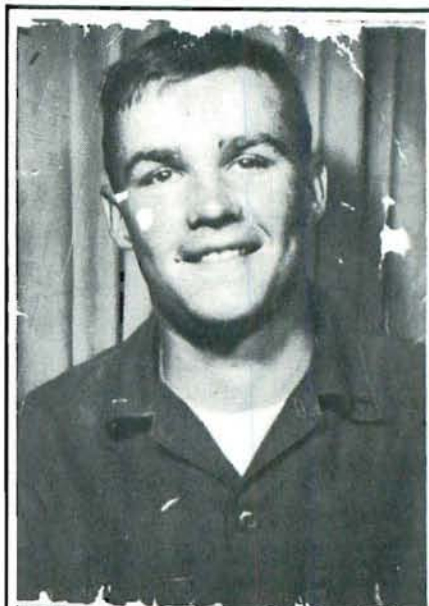
## HARRY J. MOTSCHENBACHER, Specialist 4th Class

Born on October 24, 1944, and formerly of Hicksville, New York, where he was graduated from Hicksville High School in 1962, he settled in Hauppauge and is employed in insurance. He served from March of 1966 until March of 1968 with the 2nd Battalion, 20th Artillery, 1st Cavalry Division, Airmobile Unit of the United States Army, was stationed in An Khe, and Bong Son, Vietnam, and received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Air Crew Member Badge.

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## RONALD G. MUCKSTADT, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Muckstadt served from November of 1953 until November of 1955 with the 606 AC & W Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Korea, as well as stateside in Massachusetts. Formerly of Floral Park, New York, where he was graduated from Sewanhaka High School, he was born on August 30, 1929, and received his Bachelor of Science degree from Fordham University, and his Master of Business Administration from Hofstra University. He is an advertising executive, and resides in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

## PETER J. MUFFALETTO, Captain

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Muffaletto was born on October 12, 1948, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1966. In 1968 he was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale, from Embry-Riddle Aeronautics University in 1970, and from New York Chiropractic College in 1981. He served from February of 1971 until August of 1977 with the 30th MAS of the 438th MAW of the United States Air Force, was stationed mainly at McGuire Air Force Base, New Jersey, and is a honor graduate from the Air Force pilot training school. He is a chiropractor, and resides in New Hampshire. (Photograph unavailable.)

## VINCENT P. MULHERN, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Born on September 8, 1949, Mr. Mulhern was a longtime resident of Brentwood where he attended Brentwood High School. He served from June of 1968 until June of 1970 with the United States Army, was stationed in the United States as well as in Vietnam, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal, and a Purple Heart. Following the service he became employed by Entenmann's Bakery. He passed away on July 12, 1982.

## COLIN D. MULLEN, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Mullen served from September of 1974 until September of 1977 with the 82nd Military Police Company, 82nd Airborne Division of the United States Army, was stationed principally at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and received the Army Commendation Medal. A longtime resident of Oakdale, he was born on November 16, 1955, was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1974, and in 1980 he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JORGE MUÑIZ, Sergeant

Sergeant Muñiz served from October of 1966 until October of 1968, and then from August of 1970 until August of 1973 with the 2nd Battalion, 16th Infantry, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in the Iron Triangle, South Vietnam, Cambodia, and Laos, and is merited with two Bronze Star Medals, the Bronze Service Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and a Purple Heart. Originally from the Bronx, New York, he was born on February 24, 1947, was graduated from Dodge High School in 1964, and in 1966 from John Jay College of Criminal Justice. He resides in Bay Shore, and is a New York City Correction Officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

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VINCENT P. MULHERN, JR.

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## GEORGE J. MUNKENBECK, JR., Lieutenant

Lieutenant Munkenbeck served from July of 1963 until February of 1972 with the United States Coast Guard aboard the U.S.C.G.C. Glacier, WAGB-4, was stationed in the Pacific, Arctic, and Antarctic Oceans, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Antarctic Service Medal, and the U.S. Coast Guard Achievement Medal. Originally from Bellmore, New York, where he was graduated from W.C. Mepham High School, he was born on October 5, 1945, and was graduated from the United States Coast Guard Academy, New London, Connecticut. Following the service he became employed as a railroad inspector, and then as a merchant seaman. He currently resides in West Sayville.

## THOMAS MUNNELLY, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Originally from Seaford, New York, Mr. Munnely was born on September 6, 1952, was graduated from Alfred G. Berner High School in 1970, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from December of 1971 until December of 1974 with the United States Navy attached to the Submarine Squadron #16, and was stationed in Rota, Spain, aboard the U.S.S. Oak Ridge, ADRM-1. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is a cargo handler for American Airlines.

## CLYDE E. MURRAY, JR., E-7

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Murray was born on August 21, 1948, was graduated from West Islip High School and SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from May of 1968 until April of 1970 with C Company, 5th Battalion, 198th Infantry, Americal Division of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the Air Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, and a Purple Heart as well. Following the service he became employed as a credit manager, and is currently a court officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM F. MURRAY, Specialist 4th Class

A 1961 graduate of Bay Shore High School, and a longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Murray was born on January 27, 1944, and attended Dowling College. He served with the United States Army, with the 51st Signal Battalion in Korea, and with the 4th Artillery Detachment in Germany, from February of 1963 until February of 1966. He is merited with the Rifle Expert Badge, and received top secret security clearance as well. After the service he became employed with the United States Postal Service.

## WILLIAM H. MURRAY, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on June 8, 1947, Mr. Murray was graduated from Brooklyn High School of Automotive Trades. He served from June of 1964 until May of 1968 with the United States Navy Repair Division aboard the U.S.S. Intrepid, CVS-11, was stationed in the Gulf of Tonkin, Vietnam, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Navy Unit Commendation Medal. He resided in West Islip when he began serving, and has since made his home in Central Islip. Following his discharge he became employed as a truck driver.

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THOMAS MUNNELLY



GEORGE J. MUNKENBECK, JR.



WILLIAM F. MURRAY



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## JOSEPH MURSKO, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Originally from Ridgewood, New York, Mr. Mursko was born on December 4, 1947, and was graduated from Bushwick High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1966, and in 1976 from Queensborough Community College. He served from July of 1966 until January of 1970 with the United States Navy, was stationed in Alameda, California, and Yankee Station, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, and the Korean Service Medal. He currently resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed with the New York City Department of Sanitation. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GERARD MYERS, Radioman 3rd Class

Born on March 4, 1947, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from Erasmus Hall High School, Mr. Myers made his home in Bay Shore, and is employed with New York Telephone Company. He served with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Uvalde, AKA-88, was stationed chiefly in the Caribbean and Mediterranean Seas, and received the National Defense Service Medal and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH J. NAGY, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Nagy was born on May 26, 1944, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1962. He served with the United States Army from June of 1965 until June of 1967 with the 1st Infantry Division, 4th Cavalry while in Bien Hue, Vietnam, and with Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division while at Fort Hood, Texas. He is merited with the Air Medal with Silver Oak Leaf Cluster, the Air Crewman Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Expert Rifle Badge, and the National Defense Service Medal. Following the service he became self-employed.

## KENNETH J. NAGY, Sergeant

Sergeant Nagy served from February of 1964 until June of 1968 with M Company, 3rd Battalion, 26th Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, at Camp Pendleton, in the Philippines, in Cuba, Jamaica, Puerto Rico, and Vietnam. He received the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge. Originally from Hooversville, Pennsylvania, he was born on April 8, 1946, and was graduated from Forbes High School in 1964. He resides in Hauppauge, and is a truck driver.

## SALVATORE S. NAPOLITANO, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Napolitano served from October of 1968 until April of 1972 with the 93rd Fighter Wing, 56th Fighter Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Taegu Air Force Base, Korea, and in Thailand, and is merited with the Air Force Commendation Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on May 11, 1950, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from John Jay High School in 1968, he received his Bachelor of Business Administration from Baruch College in 1978, and in 1980 he received his Master of Business Administration from Adelphi University.

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JOSEPH J. NAGY



KENNETH J. NAGY



SALVATORE S. NAPOLITANO

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## ROBERT D. NECCI, Specialist 5th Class

Born on April 5, 1947, Mr. Necci resided in South Ozone Park, New York, was graduated from Msgr. McClancy Memorial High School in 1965, and in 1966 from Cathedral College. He served from December of 1966 until October of 1969 with Headquarters and Service Battery, 3rd Battalion, 319th Artillery, 173rd Airborne, was stationed chiefly in Bon Son, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Pistol Sharpshooter Badge, and two Overseas Ribbons. He resides in Bohemia, and is employed in air freight.

## THOMAS NEGRON, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, where he attended Morris High School, Mr. Negron was born on January 2, 1946. He served from January of 1966 until November of 1967 with the 3rd Battalion, 60th Infantry, C Company, 9th Infantry Division, and with the 4th Battalion, 31st Infantry, 196th Light Infantry Brigade of the United States Army. He was stationed in the Mekong Delta and Dong Tam regions of Vietnam, and received various awards which include the Combat Infantry Badge and a Purple Heart. He resides in Brentwood.

## PETER E. NEHLSSEN, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Nehlsen served from March of 1966 until March of 1968 with F Company, 2nd Battalion, 3rd Marine Regiment of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly at I Corps, and is merited with a Purple Heart. Originally from Brentwood, where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964, he was born on January 27, 1946, attended Suffolk County Community College, and was graduated from New York Institute of Technology in 1977. He resides in West Sayville, and is employed in the Bureau of Special Operations of the Nassau County Police Department.

## JOHN R. NELSON, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Ronkonkoma, Mr. Nelson was born on August 13, 1944, and was graduated from Sachem High School in 1962. He served from February of 1963 until February of 1966 with the 23rd Special Warfare Aviation Detachment of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Vung Tau, Vietnam. Following the service he became employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation. He currently resides in Calvert City, Kentucky.

## MICHAEL A. NELSON, Specialist 4th Class

A 1964 graduate of Brentwood High School, Mr. Nelson was born on August 18, 1946, and resided in Brentwood before making his home in Lake Grove, New York, where he now resides. He served from December of 1965 until December of 1967 with the 155th Transportation Company of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Vietnam. After his discharge he became employed with the Brentwood Water District. (Photograph unavailable.)

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ROBERT D. NECCI



THOMAS NEGRON, JR.



PETER E. NEHLSSEN



JOHN R. NELSON

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## WILLIAM E. NEUBAUER, Captain

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Neubauer was born on January 19, 1947, was graduated from West Islip High School in 1965, and attended the University of Connecticut, and New York Institute of Technology. He served from November of 1967 until February of 1972 with the 101st Aviation Battalion, and with the 158th Aviation Battalion, 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Camp Evans, Phu Bai, Northern I Corps in Vietnam, and in Germany. He is merited with four Distinguished Flying Crosses, the Bronze Star Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, and the Air Medal with 57 Oak Leaf Clusters. Following the service he became a Suffolk County Police Officer.

## KENNETH J. NEVOR, Sergeant

Sergeant Nevor served from December of 1965 until December of 1967 with B Company, 1st Battalion, 18th Infantry, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Tay Ninh, Long Binh, Phuoc Long, and Binh Duong, Vietnam, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Rifle Expert Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Brentwood, he was born on May 12, 1946, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964. He received his Associate's degree from Suffolk County Community College in 1971, his Bachelor's degree from New York Institute of Technology in 1978, and in 1980 he received his Master of Science degree from Long Island University, C.W. Post Center. He is employed in electronic engineering, aerospace/defense, and resides in Islip.

## JOHN A. NEWHOUSE, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Newhouse served with the 11th Tactical Reconnaissance Squadron of the United States Air Force from July of 1966 until July of 1970, was stationed at Andrews Air Force Base, Maryland, Udorn Air Force Base, Thailand, and Homestead Air Force Base, Florida, and is merited with the Air Force Commendation Medal. A longtime resident of Bayport, he was born on March 2, 1946, and was graduated from James Wilson Young High School, Bayport. He is employed with the Town of Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALLEN L. NICHOLLS, Captain

Captain Nicholls served from December of 1967 until January of 1971 with the Advisory Team #96, Delta Military Assistance Command of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Can Tho, Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Hempstead, New York, he was born on January 22, 1944, and was graduated from Ralph J. Osgood High School, Kings Park, New York, in 1961. In 1967 he received his Bachelor of Business Administration degree from Hofstra University, and his Master of Business Administration degree from Adelphi University in 1979. He resides in West Islip and is an accountant. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM A. NICHOLS, Sergeant

Formerly of West Islip, where he was graduated from West Islip High School in 1966, Mr. Nichols was born on July 17, 1948. He served from March of 1967 until March of 1971 with the 460th Field Maintenance, 36th Tactical Airlift Wing of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Saigon, Vietnam. Following the service he became employed as a mechanic, and currently resides in Oakdale.

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WILLIAM E. NEUBAUER



WILLIAM A. NICHOLS



KENNETH J. NEVOR

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## MICHAEL A. NICOSIA, Sergeant

Originally from Kings Park, New York, Mr. Nicosia was born on February 3, 1948, and was graduated from Kings Park Senior High School, Kings Park. He served from January of 1968 until December of 1970 with the 355th Tactical Fighter Wing of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Takhli Royal Thai Air Force Base, Thailand, and is merited with the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal and the Presidential Unit Citation. Following the service he became employed as an elevator mechanic, and currently resides in Oakdale.

## RUSSELL A. NICOTRI, Airman 2nd Class

Airman 2/c Nicotri served from October of 1959 until November of 1963 with the Air Defense Command of the United States Air Force at Tyndill Air Force Base, Florida, with the 49th Tactical Fighter Wing in Germany, and received the Good Conduct Medal. Born on August 11, 1941, and formerly of Deer Park, New York, he was graduated from Babylon High School in 1959. He resides in Brentwood, and is a driver for United Parcel Service.

## ODD P. NILSEN, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Nilsen served with C Company, 54th Infantry of the United States Army from July of 1968 until July of 1969, was stationed chiefly in Pleiku, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal. Formerly of Deer Park, New York, he was born on August 8, 1941, was graduated from Babylon High School in 1959, and from Rider College in 1963. After the service he became employed as a salesman, and now resides in West Islip.

## JOSEPH R. NOA, Sergeant

Sergeant Noa served from February of 1971 until March of 1973 with the 366th Avionics Maintenance Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Mt. Home Air Force Base, Idaho. Originally from West Hempstead, New York, he was born on July 1, 1951, and was graduated from Malverne High School. He attended Adelphi University, and was graduated from SUNY at Stony Brook in 1982. Following his discharge he became employed as an electronic technician, and currently resides in Ronkonkoma. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DANIEL J. NOCHER, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Amity Harbor, New York, Mr. Nocher was born on August 23, 1950, and was graduated from Copiague High School, Copiague, New York, in 1968. He served from June of 1970 until June of 1971 with the 20th Transportation Company, and with the 520th Maintenance Battalion, 165th Transportation Company of the United States Army. He was stationed in Chu Chi and Phu Lai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Army Accomodation Medal, and the Sharpshooter Badge. After the service he became employed as an aircraft mechanic. He currently resides in Central Islip.

## ROBERT E. NOCITO, Sergeant

A longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. Nocito was born on November 7, 1947, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1966. He served with the United States Air Force from June of 1966 until April of 1970 with the 42nd Civil Engineering Squadron, Strategic Air Command, at Loring Air Force Base, Maine, and with the 804th Civil Engineering Squadron, Strategic Air Command, at Grand Forks Air Force Base, North Dakota.

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MICHAEL A. NICOSIA



RUSSELL A. NICOTRI



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DANIEL J. NOCHER, JR.



ROBERT E. NOCITO



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## VINCENT NOFI, Specialist 4th Class

Born on November 10, 1942, Mr. Nofi was graduated from Lafayette High School in 1960, and made his home in East Islip where he presently resides. He served from June of 1964 until June of 1966 with B Battery, 5th Battalion, 73rd Artillery of the United States Army, was stationed principally in Erlanger, West Germany, and is merited with the Missile-Rifle Sharpshooter Badge and the Good Conduct Medal. He is employed as a service technician for Brooklyn Union and Gas Company.

## JOHN G. NOHOWEC, Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Nohowec was born on May 24, 1949, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1968. He served from August of 1969 until February of 1972 with the 18th Engineer Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in Phu Bai and Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the Army Accomodation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Bronze Star Medal. He is employed as a baker for Entenmann's Bakery.

## ROBERT NOSCHESE, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Central Islip, Mr. Noschese was born on July 3, 1944, and attended Central Islip Schools. He served from July of 1965 until July of 1967 with C Company, 1st Medical Battalion, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Jackson, and Fort Tilden, New York, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, and in Vietnam. He is merited with the Air Combat Medal, the Combat Medical Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Hauppauge, and is employed as a tractor trailer driver.

## RONALD NUCATOLA, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Nucatola served from February of 1969 through February of 1971 with the 11th Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the Army Commendation Medal, and Sharpshooter Badges as well. Originally from Bayside, New York, he was born on November 25, 1948, and was graduated from Francis Lewis High School in 1965. He currently resides in East Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ABEL NUNES, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Mineola, New York, Mr. Nunes was born on September 7, 1943, and received his high school equivalency diploma while in the service, in 1963. He served from November of 1961 until November of 1967 with the United States Army, was stationed in Tan Son Nhut, and Saigon, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Brentwood, and is a manager in electronic field engineering.

## GREGORY J. NUOVO, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Nuovo served from October of 1967 through May of 1969 with the 16th and 17th Combat Aviation Groups of the United States Army, was stationed in Da Nang and Nha Trang, Vietnam, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal. Originally from New Hyde Park, New York, he was born on November 14, 1945, was graduated from Great Neck South High School in 1963, attended Nichols College, and in 1971 was graduated from Hofstra University. He resides in Brentwood, and is a financial accounting manager.

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VINCENT NOFI



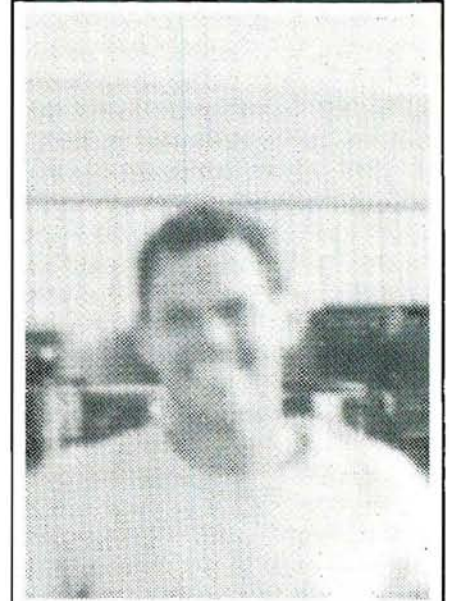
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## ROBERT T. OAKES, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Farmingdale, New York, Mr. Oakes was born on November 7, 1948, and was graduated from Farmingdale High School in 1967, from Nassau County Community College in 1972, and in 1975 from C.W. Post College. He began serving in April of 1970 with H Company, 75th Infantry attached to the 1st Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed in Phuoc Vin and Ben Cat Vietnam, at Fort Dix, New Jersey, Fort Polk, Louisiana, and Fort Knox, Kentucky, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal. He currently resides in West Islip, and is employed as a general manager for U-Freight Systems.

## CLYDE OAKLEY, Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Oakley was born on May 13, 1947, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1965. He served from September of 1966 until September of 1968 with the 4th Battalion, 60th Artillery, 1st Field Forces of the United States Army, was stationed in Pleiku and Dak To, Vietnam, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, two Rifle Sharpshooter Badges, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and an Overseas Ribbon. He is employed as a contractor.

## GEORGE OAKLEY, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Oakley served from May of 1969 until April of 1971 with the 3rd Battalion, 187th Brigade, 101st Airborne Airmobile Division of the United States Army, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Parachute Badge, the Air Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Bronze Star Medal, a Purple Heart, and the Rifle Marksman Badge. A longtime resident of Sayville, he was born on October 27, 1949, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1967, from Suffolk County Community College in 1975, and in 1978, he received his Bachelor of Science degree from Southampton College. He is employed as a general contractor.

## GUY J. O'BRIEN, Specialist 4th Class

Born on October 14, 1945, Mr. O'Brien resided in New York City, and was graduated from Bishop DuBois High School in 1963. He also attended Pace University, and Suffolk County Community College. He served from February of 1965 until February of 1967 with the 1st Infantry Division, 1st Battalion, 7th Artillery of the United States Army, was stationed in Bien Hoa, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as a telephone equipment installer.

## JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Corporal

Corporal O'Brien served from December of 1964 until July of 1969 with the 3rd Force Reconnaissance Company, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed primarily at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and at Camp Smith, Hawaii, as well as in Vietnam, and is merited with the Silver Star Medal, the Navy Unit Citation, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, and a Purple Heart. Originally from Oceanside, New York, he was born on December 13, 1947, attended Oceanside High School, and received his equivalency diploma in Hawaii in 1967. Following the service he became employed as a driver. He currently resides in Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

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CLYDE OAKLEY



ROBERT T. OAKES



GUY J. O'BRIEN



GEORGE OAKLEY

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## JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Sergeant

Sergeant O'Brien served from October of 1966 until October of 1968 with C Company, 3rd Battalion, 12th Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Pleiku, Vietnam. Originally from East Meadow, New York, where he was graduated from East Meadow High School in 1965, he attended Nassau County Community College and SUNY at Farmingdale. He was born on November 21, 1947, and currently resides in Bay Shore. Following the service he became employed as an electrician. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN M. O'BRIEN, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. O'Brien was born on April 20, 1948, and was graduated from West Islip High School in 1966. He served from April of 1968 until March of 1970 with A Company, 15th Transportation Company, 1st Air Cavalry of the United States Army, and was stationed in Long Thanh, Phu Bai, and Cu Chi, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry. He has been employed with the Long Island Rail Road since his discharge from the service.

## JAMES M. OCCHIUZZO, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Occhiuzzo was born on June 25, 1944, attended W.E. Grady High School, Brooklyn, SUNY at Farmingdale, and was graduated from Suburban Technical Institute, Hempstead, New York. He served from November of 1964 until September of 1966 with B Company, 1st Battalion, 16th Infantry, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Lai Khe, Vietnam, and is merited with Combat Infantry Badge, as well as various Vietnamese battle ribbons. He currently resides in Brentwood, and is employed as an import inspections supervisor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## NICHOLAS O'CONNELL, Radioman 2nd Class

Radioman 2/c O'Connell served from October of 1965 until September of 1969 with the United States Coast Guard aboard the U.S.C.G.C. Winnebago, was stationed in the coastal waters of South Vietnam, and received various awards including the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Formerly of West Sayville, he was born on December 24, 1947, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1965, and attended Suffolk County Community College for two years. He resides in Islip, and is employed as a cargo agent. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT O'CONNOR, Private 1st Class

A 1964 graduate of West Islip High School, Mr. O'Connor was born on August 16, 1944, and is a longtime resident of West Islip. He served from July of 1965 until November of 1966 with Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 28th Infantry, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Medical Badge, the Bronze Star Medal, and a Purple Heart as well. Following the service he became employed as a salesman. (Photograph unavailable.)

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JOHN M. O'BRIEN

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## RAYMOND V. O'DONNELL, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c O'Donnell served from June of 1968 until June of 1970 with the 981st Military Police Company of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Ban Me Thuot and Tur Hoa, Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Bayport, where he was graduated from Bayport High School in 1966, he was born on May 26, 1948. He was graduated from Central Connecticut State College in 1976, and in 1978 from Rutgers University Graduate School. He currently resides in Blackwood, New Jersey, and is employed as an industrial security specialist. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT J. ODWAZNY, Private

Private Odwazny served with C Company, 4th Battalion, 3rd Infantry, 11th Brigade of the United States Army from February of 1969 until October of 1970, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. A longtime resident of Sayville, he was born on April 30, 1948, and attended Sayville High School. Following the service he became employed as a sanitation worker, and continued to live in Sayville until he passed away on May 4, 1974.

## GEORGE M. O'HARA, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Elmont, New York, where he was graduated from Elmont Memorial High School in 1964, Mr. O'Hara was born on February 5, 1947, and made his home in Bay Shore where he now resides. He served from July of 1966 until July of 1968 with the 1st Air Cavalry, Airmobile of the United States Army, was stationed in Phu Bai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Air Medal, the Air Crewmans Badge, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the Army Accommodation Medal, and a Purple Heart as well. Following the service he became employed as a structural assembler, and then as an automotive mechanic.

## THOMAS E. O'KEEFE, Sergeant

Sergeant O'Keefe served from June of 1967 through June of 1973 with the 1st and 3rd Marine Divisions, 3rd Bridge Company, and with the 3rd Engineers of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Dong Ha, Vietnam. He received the Combat Action Ribbon, the Sharpshooter Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from East Islip, he was born on January 31, 1948, he was graduated from East Islip High School. After his discharge he became employed as a milkman. He currently resides in Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK A. OLIVIERI, Specialist 4th Class

Born on October 28, 1945, Mr. Olivieri resided in Franklin Square, New York, and was graduated from Sewanhaka High School in 1964. He is employed as a butcher, and resides in West Islip. He served from November of 1965 until November of 1967 with the United States Army, was stationed in Saigon, Ben Hoa, and Chou Lon, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

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ROBERT J. ODWAZNY



GEORGE M. O'HARA



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## JOSEPH OLIVIERI, Sergeant

Sergeant Olivieri served with the 7th Army, 1st Battalion, 73rd Armored Division of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Korea, from December of 1965 until November of 1967. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from St. Augustine High School in 1959, he was born on June 30, 1945, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale for one year. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed as a telephone installer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM J. OLSEN, Staff Sergeant

Formerly of Bethpage, New York, Mr. Olsen was born on September 14, 1948, and was graduated from Plainedge High School in 1966. He served from November of 1967 until November of 1971 with the 443rd Organizational Maintenance Squadron, Military Airlift Command of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Oklahoma and Kansas, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Currently, he resides in Holbrook, and is a police officer.

## LEE A. OLSON, Radarman 2nd Class

Originally from Valley Stream, New York, Mr. Olson was born on August 19, 1946, was graduated from Valley Stream Central High School in 1964, and attended Nassau County Community College. He served from September of 1966 until June of 1970 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Clarion River, the U.S.S. Merrick, the U.S.S. Bexar, and the U.S.S. Okinawa, and was stationed in California, Japan, and Vietnam as well. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Navy Unit Commendation Medal. He resides in West Sayville, and is a computer programmer. (Photograph unavailable.)

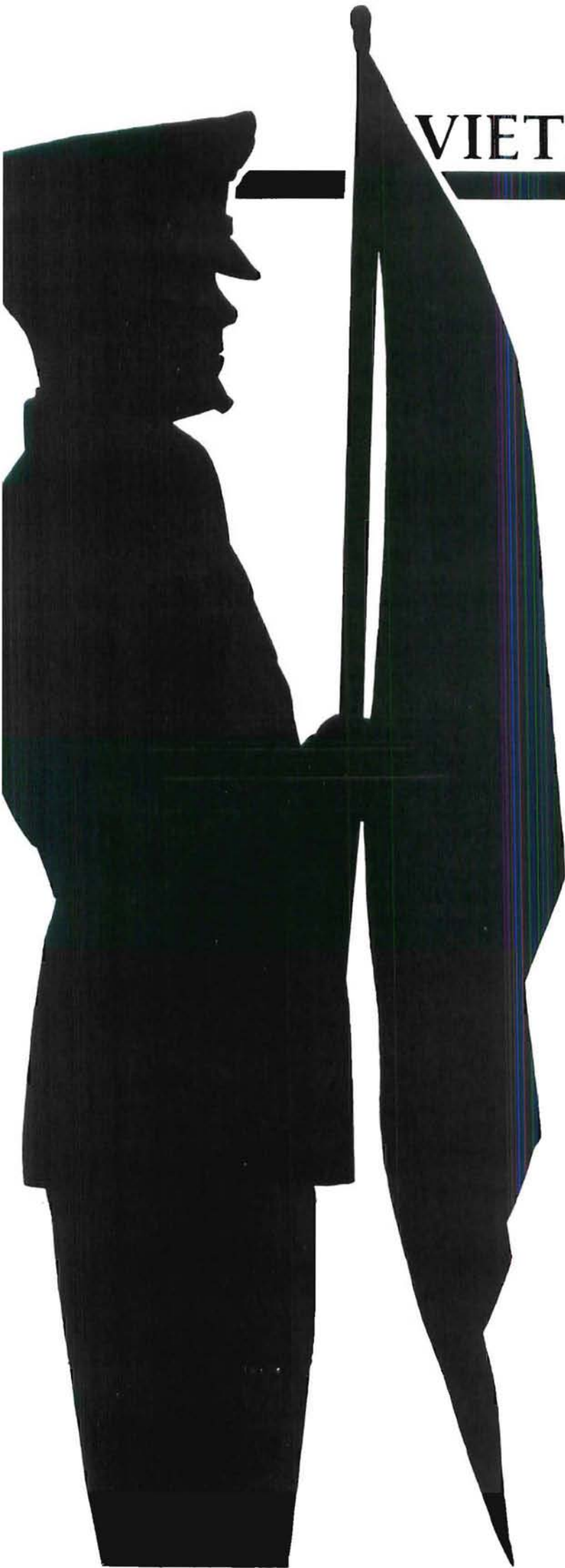
## IGNAS OLSZEWSKI, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Olszewski served from May of 1969 until March of 1971 with the 104th DDT Company, 79th Engineer Group, 1st Combat Engineer Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in Long Binh, and the Mekong Delta, Vietnam, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Formerly of Port Washington, New York, he was born on July 24, 1949, and was graduated from Paul D. Schreiber High School, Port Washington, in 1967. He is employed as a truck driver, and resides in Ronkonkoma.

## CLINTON R. O'NEILL III, Specialist 4th Class

Born on February 2, 1948, Mr. O'Neill resided in Valley Stream, New York, before making his home in Holbrook where he presently resides. In 1965 he was graduated from St. Agnes Cathedral High School, received his Associate's degree from Nassau County Community College in 1971, and in 1974 he received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Queens College. He served from May of 1968 until May of 1970 with the 197th Field Artillery Battalion, was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and in Dau Tieng and Phu Loi, Vietnam. While in the service, he received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Army Achievement Medal. He is currently the postmaster of the Holbrook Post Office. (Photograph unavailable.)

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WILLIAM J. OLSEN



IGNAS OLSZEWSKI

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## JOHN H. ORT, E-7

Originally from Sayville, Mr. Ort was born on November 7, 1949, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1968. He has been serving since January of 1969, and during his Vietnam tour of duty was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Thomas Jefferson, SSBN-618, of the United States Navy. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal, the Overseas Ribbon, the Navy Achievement Medal, and the Navy Unit Commendation Medal. He currently resides in Uncasville, Connecticut.

## MICHAEL J. ORT, Chief Warrant Officer

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Ort was born on September 2, 1947, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1965, and in 1974 received his Master of Business Administration from Dowling College. He served from November of 1968 until February of 1971 with the 117th Assault Helicopter Company, 12th Combat Group of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Army Commendation Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, and 23 Air Medals.

## ROBERT L. ORT, E-5

A 1966 graduate of Sayville High School, Mr. Ort was born on October 21, 1948, and resided in Sayville before making his home in Muncy, Pennsylvania. He served with the 6th Fleet of the United States Navy from April of 1967 until February of 1971, was stationed in the Mediterranean Sea, and in England, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. Following the service he became employed as a welder.

## WILLIAM J. ORT, JR., Sonar Technician 2nd Class

Originally from Sayville, Mr. Ort was born on May 31, 1955, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1974, and in 1982 from Williamsport Area Community College. He served from April of 1975 until June of 1977 with the Gold Crew of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Henry L. Stimson, SSBN-655, was stationed in Charleston, South Carolina, San Diego, California, and Rota, Spain, and is submarine qualified. He became a computer technician for Wang Labs, Inc. following the service, and he currently resides in Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

## RAUL A. ORTIZ, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Ortiz served from 1964 until 1966 with the 578th Signal Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Maryland, and in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal, and National Defense Service Medal. Originally from New York City, he was born on May 20, 1943, and attended Charles E. Hughes High School, New York. He is employed as a cable television technician, and resides in Central Islip.

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MICHAEL J. ORT



JOHN H. ORT



WILLIAM J. ORT, JR.



RAUL A. ORTIZ



ROBERT L. ORT

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## RICHARD ORTIZ, Sergeant

Sergeant Ortiz served from November of 1966 until November of 1968 with the 3rd Battalion, 60th Infantry, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Colorado and in Vietnam, and earned the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal. Originally from West Islip, where he was graduated from West Islip High School in 1966, he made his home in Bay Shore where he presently resides. (Photograph unavailable.)

## VINCENT ORTIZ, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Ortiz served with the 2nd Battalion, 26th Marines, E Company of the United States Marine Corps from August of 1966 until April of 1969. He was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born in July 24, 1948, and originally from New York City, he was graduated from George Westinghouse Vocational and Technical High School in 1963, and in 1977 from New York Institute of Technology. After the service he became a jeweler, and then a police detective. He currently resides in Brentwood. (Photograph unavailable.)

## KEVIN B. O'SHEA, Airman 2nd Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. O'Shea was born on April 5, 1942, and was graduated from Xavier High School in 1960, and in 1968 from Manhattan College. He served from January of 1961 until May of 1964 with the United States Air Force, was stationed in Samsun, Turkey, and with Headquarters, 6901st Special Communications Group in Zweibruecken, Germany. He resides in Holbrook, and is a certified public accountant.

## MICHAEL T. O'SHEA, First Gunner 3rd Class

Born on March 26, 1946, Mr. O'Shea resided in North Massapequa, and was graduated from Plainedge High School in 1963. He served from May of 1964 until May of 1968 with the 7th Fleet aboard the U.S.S. Richard B. Anderson, DD-786, was stationed in the Pacific Ocean, and in Vietnam, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals. After his discharge he became employed in sales. He resides in Bayport. (Photograph unavailable.)

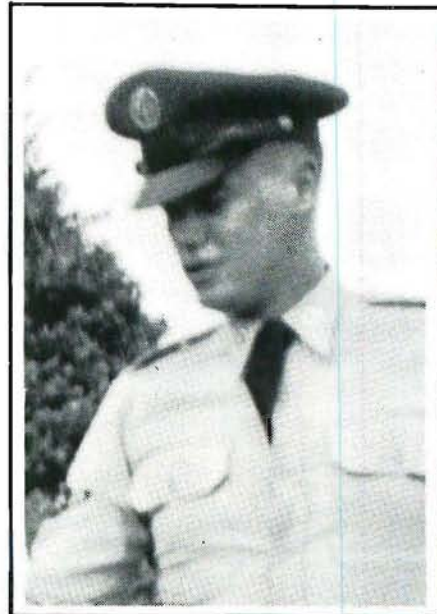
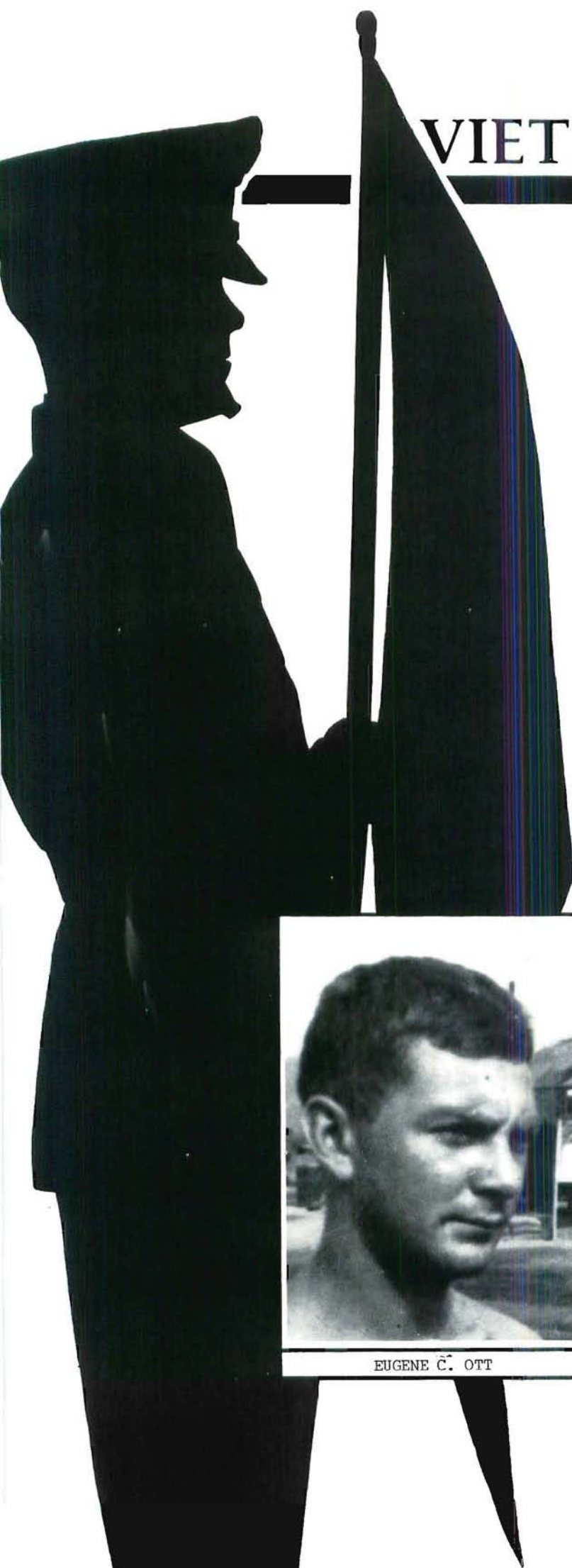
## EUGENE C. OTT, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Ott served from July of 1968 until November of 1969 with the 9th Engineer Battalion, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang, Cam Khi, and Chu Lai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Navy Accommodation Medal, the Combat Action Badge, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Deer Park, New York, he was born on December 23, 1947, and attended Half Hollow Hills High School. He resides in Central Islip, and is a head custodian.

## HUGH "SANDY" H. OTT, 1st Lieutenant

Formerly of Brightwaters, Mr. Ott was born on December 27, 1944, was graduated from Bay Shore High School, and from Adelphi University. He served from September of 1967 until June of 1970 with Headquarters Company, 11th Combat Transportation Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Cat Lai, Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal, two Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medals, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, and the Unit Citation. He resides in Bay Shore, and is a research marketing manager.

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KEVIN B. O'SHEA



EUGENE C. OTT



HUGH "SANDY" H. OTT

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## ARNOLD M. OWEN, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Owen served from February of 1966 until February of 1969 with T Platoon, A Battery, 1st L.A.A.M. Battalion of the United States Marine Corps was stationed chiefly at I Corps, north of Da Nang, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal. Originally from Queens, New York, he was born on June 10, 1940, and was graduated from Newtown High School. He currently resides in Sayville, and is a conductor for the Long Island Rail Road.

## ROBERT OXFORD, Disbursing Clerk

Originally from New Hyde Park, New York, where he was graduated from Herricks High School in 1964, he was born on December 31, 1945, and was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1966. He served from 1967 until 1968 with the North Atlantic Fleet of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Essex, CVS-9, was stationed in the Mediterranean Sea and in Northern Europe, and received the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Sayville, and is the vice president of a bank.

## JOHN PANCETTI, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Pancetti served from 1966 until 1968 with D Company, 2nd Battalion, 8th Infantry, 4th Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Pleiku, and Qui Nhon, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Meritorious Unit Citation, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal. Originally from Howard Beach, New York, he was born on August 10, 1946, and was graduated from Thomas A. Edison High School in 1965. He resides in Hauppauge, and is employed as an electrician.

## VINCENT PANETTIERI, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Panettieri was born on April 26, 1942, was graduated from Erasmus Hall High School, and attended Brooklyn Community College and Teterboro School of Aeronautics. He served from November of 1966 until November of 1969 with the 125th ATC Company of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, Fort Knox, Kentucky, Fort Rucker, Alabama, and in Vietnam as well. He received the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He is employed as a sales supervisor, and resides in Oakdale.

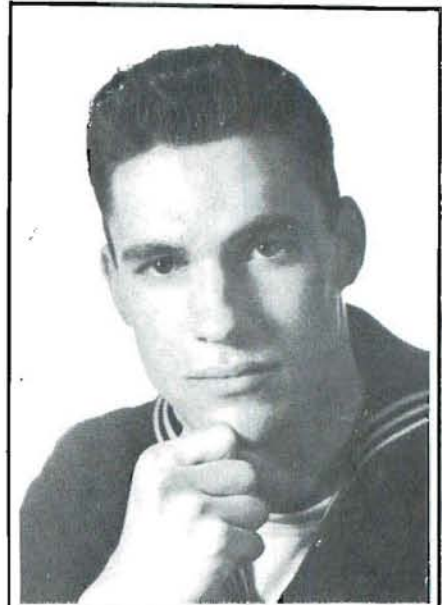
## JOSEPH A. PAPAGNI, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Petty Officer 3/c Papagni served from July of 1964 until July of 1967 with the 7th Fleet of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Abnaki, ATF-96, was stationed primarily in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, and is merited with the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. Born on July 26, 1946, and originally from East Islip, he was graduated from East Islip High School in 1964, and from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1971. He currently resides in Holbrook, and is employed with the Long Island Lighting Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

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ARNOLD M. OWEN



ROBERT OXFORD



JOHN PANCETTI



VINCENT PANETTIERI



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## KENNETH J. PAPE, Radarman

Originally from Islip, Mr. Pape was born on May 16, 1943, was graduated from Islip High School in 1961, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from 1962 until 1964 with the 6th Fleet of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Terrebonne Parish, LST-1156, and was stationed at the U.S. Amphibious Base in Little Creek, Virginia. Following the service he became employed as a serviceman and as a musician. He resides in Sayville. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT A. PAPOCCHIA, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Papocchia served from September of 1966 until September of 1969 with the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Quan Loi, Vietnam. Formerly of Woodhaven, New York, he was born on May 22, 1944, and was graduated from Franklin K. Lane High School in 1962. He became employed as a truck driver after the service, and currently resides in Islip Terrace.

## GENE PARRINGTON, Corporal

Corporal Parrington served from December of 1967 until December of 1970 with C Company, 1st Battalion, 4th Infantry, and with E Company, 2nd Battalion, 7th Infantry of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Khe Sahn, Quang Tri, and Dong Ha, Vietnam, and is merited with a Letter of Commendation, and two Purple Hearts. Originally from Oakdale, he was born on December 1, 1950, was graduated from LaSalle Military Academy in 1967, and made his home in Sayville where he now resides. He became employed as a carpenter and a laborer following his separation from the service.

## RONALD PAUKNER, Staff Sergeant

Born on May 7, 1947, Mr. Paukner resided in Sayville, where he was graduated from Sayville High School in 1965. He served from April of 1966 until November of 1969 with the Air Training Command, with the Pacific Air Force of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Kessler Air Force Base, Mississippi, at Webb Air Force Base, Texas, and in Ubon, Thailand. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He attended Suffolk County Community College, and is currently a computer technician. He now resides in Bellport, New York.

## DAVID J. PAULIK, Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. Paulik was born on June 8, 1944, was graduated from East Islip High School in 1962, and in 1972 from SUNY at Stony Brook. He served with the 540th Group, Combat Engineers, 9th Engineer Battalion of the United States Army from October of 1966 until August of 1968, was stationed mainly in Aschaffenburg, Germany, and received Letters of Achievement, and the Soldier of Quarter 540th Group. He is currently a science teacher. (Photograph unavailable.)

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ROBERT A. PAPOCCHIA



GENE PARRINGTON



RONALD PAUKNER

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## FRED PEARL, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Pearl served from June of 1965 until June of 1968 with C Company, 4th Armored Division, 4th Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Germany, and received various divisional citations. Originally from New York City, he was born on February 12, 1947, and was graduated from Seward Park High School in 1965. He currently resides in Holbrook, and is a banker.

## MARCELIN P. PECHIN, JR., Petty Officer 1st Class

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Pechin was born on February 24, 1944, and was graduated from West Islip High School. He served from July of 1964 until March of 1970 as an Intercommunications Electrician with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Enterprise, CVA-65, was stationed in Subic Bay, California, and earned the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. After the service he became a nuclear plant operations supervisor, and is now an instructor.

## EUGENE PERCIAVALLE, Staff Sergeant

Originally from New York City, Mr. Perciavalle was born on March 9, 1946, was graduated from Benjamin Franklin High School in 1964, and in 1965 from New York City College. He served with the 1st Mobile Communications Group of the 13th Air Force of the United States Air Force from October of 1965 until February of 1969, was stationed in the Philippines, Thailand, Vietnam, Japan, Korea, and Hawaii, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Expert Marksman Badge, and two Unit Citations. He lives in Great River, and is an advertising executive. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD C. PECKHOLDT, E-5

A 1965 graduate of Brentwood High School, and a longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Peckholdt was born on May 29, 1947. He served from June of 1965 until June of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Independence, CVA-62, was stationed in Europe and Vietnam, and received the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, and the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals. He became employed as head custodian for the Bethpage School District.

## ROBERT P. PEDERSEN, Sergeant

Sergeant Pedersen served from June of 1969 until March of 1973 with the 3rd Mobile Communications Group of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Osan, and Taegu, Korea, and Taiwan, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. A longtime resident of Holbrook, he was born on October 28, 1949, and was graduated from Sachem High School in 1967. He is a clerk with the United States Postal Service.

## DON PERLOW, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Oceanside, New York, Mr. Perlow was born on July 16, 1948, was graduated from Oceanside High School, attended Nassau County Community College and New York Institute of Technology. He served from May of 1968 until May of 1970 with the Military Police Unit assigned to the Atomic Energy Commission of the United States Army, was stationed in Texas and New Mexico. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is a Nassau County Police Officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

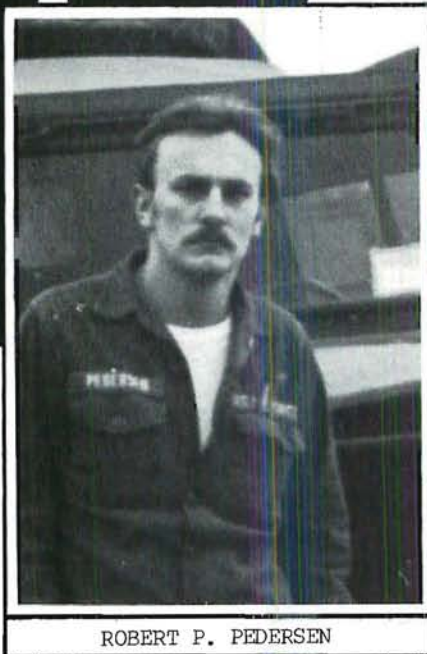
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FRED PEARL



MARCELIN P. PECHIN, JR.



ROBERT P. PEDERSEN



RICHARD C. PECKHOLDT

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## THOMAS PERRONE, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Medford, New York, Mr. Perrone was born on June 29, 1946, and was graduated from Newfield High School in 1964. He served from December of 1965 until September of 1967 with the 116th Transportation Company of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, two Rifle Expert Badges, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He is employed as a hydraulics mechanic, and resides in Bay Shore.

## WILLIAM G. PERRY, Petty Officer 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Perry was born on April 8, 1944, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1962. He served with the United States Navy from October of 1962 until October of 1966, aboard the U.S.S. Constitution, and the U.S.S. Hornet, and was stationed in the Pacific Ocean near Japan, and in the Gulf of Tonkin, Vietnam. He received the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, and the Navy Unit Citation. Following the service he became employed with the United States Postal Service.

## JOSEPH W. PETERSON, Specialist

Born on September 11, 1946, Mr. Peterson resided in West Islip, and was graduated from West Islip High School. He attended Berkeley College, and the State University of California, and is employed as a Proposal Planner for Western Electric. He served from August of 1969 until August of 1970 with Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas, as well as in Long Din and Saigon, Vietnam, and served as a chauffeur, a computer operator, a motor transportation operator, and as an equipment operator. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Expert Hand Grenade Badge, and the Rifle Marksman Badge. He currently resides in San Jose, California.

## JOSEPH A. PEZZULLO, Captain

Captain Pezzullo served with the 41st Civil Affairs Company of the United States Army from March of 1965 until April of 1967, was stationed primarily in Nha Trang, Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal. Originally from Queens, New York, he was born on March 20, 1941, was graduated from the University of Rhode Island in 1962, in 1964 from St. John's University, and in 1980 from C.W. Post College. He currently resides in West Islip, and is a school administrator. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HENRY J. PFISTER, JR., Seaman

Seaman Pfister served from June of 1968 until June of 1972 with the United States Coast Guard aboard the U.S.C.G.C. Owasco in New London, Connecticut, and aboard the U.S.C.G.C. Half Moon in Governors Island, New York. Born on July 8, 1948, he resided in Lindenhurst, New York, where he was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1967. He resides in East Islip, and is employed as a national service manager. (Photograph unavailable.)

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THOMAS PERRONE



WILLIAM G. PERRY



JOSEPH W. PETERSON

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## FREDERICK C. PIAZZA, Fire Control Technician 3rd Class

Born on May 21, 1945, and originally from Farmingville, New York, Mr. Piazza was graduated from Massapequa High School in 1963, and from Nassau County Community College in 1965. He served from September of 1965 until October of 1967 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. King, DLG-10, was stationed in San Diego, California, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals. He resides in Oakdale, and is an electrical designer.

## RICHARD J. PICONE, JR., Captain

Captain Picone served from September of 1966 until July of 1970 with the Military Advisory Command, Teams #42 and #46 of the United States Army, and was stationed in Binh Dinh and Kontum Provinces of Vietnam. Formerly of Bellmore, New York, he was born on September 11, 1946, was graduated from Sanford H. Calhoun High School, Merrick, New York, in 1964, and in 1973 from Nassau County Community College. He resides in West Sayville, and is an air traffic control specialist at Long Island MacArthur Airport. (Photograph unavailable.)

## VITO N. PILLA, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Pilla served from February of 1968 through September of 1969 with the 25th Infantry Division, 1st of the 5th Mechanized, B Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Cu Chi, Trung Lap, and Dao Tiang, Vietnam, and is merited with two Purple Hearts, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Army Commendation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Formerly of Islip Terrace, he was born on January 23, 1948, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1966. In 1982 he was graduated from Dowling College, and went on to study law at Western State University, School of Law, in California. He currently resides in East Islip.

## JON B. PILLSWORTH, Boatswain Mate 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Pillsworth was born on January 1, 1951, and was graduated from Islip High School. He served from July of 1971 until July of 1975 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Camdon, AOE-2, was stationed at Long Beach, California, and in Washington, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Navy Unit Commendation. Following the service he became employed as a veterans administrator at V.A. Medical Center, Northport, New York.

## ARTHUR J. PINNER, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Originally from Levittown, New York, Mr. Pinner was born on October 17, 1946, and was graduated from Island Trees High School in 1963. He served from December of 1965 until October of 1969 with the Heavy Attack Squadron of the United States Navy, was stationed in the Gulf of Tonkin, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He is employed as an oil burner technician, and resides in Holbrook.

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JON B. PILLSWORTH



FREDERICK C. PIAZZA



VITO N. PILLA



ARTHUR J. PINNER



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## FRANKLIN T. PINTER, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Pinter served from July of 1971 until July of 1974 with the Army Movements Control Agency of the United States Army, was stationed in Oberursel, West Germany, and received the Army Commendation Medal. Born on December 11, 1949, and originally from Brightwaters, New York, he made his home in Oakdale where he now resides. He was graduated from Cranwell Preparatory School in 1967, and in 1971 from Cornell University. He is a financial consultant. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RONALD PIZZO, Sergeant

Sergeant Pizzo served with the 366th SPS K-9 Corps of the United States Air Force from January of 1967 through January of 1971, and was stationed at the 804th Security Police Squadron at Grand Forks, North Dakota, and in Da Nang, Vietnam. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Good Conduct Medal, the Outstanding Unit Citation, the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon, and the Expert Marksman Badge as well. Originally from West Islip, where he was graduated from West Islip High School in 1966, he was born on December 12, 1947. He currently resides in Ronkonkoma, and is an airport security guard at Long Island MacArthur Airport.

## ANDREW M. PLAGE, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Plage was born on May 10, 1947, was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1966, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from February of 1967 through February of 1969 with the Troop A, 1st Squadron of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. He has been employed with the Suffolk County Water Authority prior to and following the service.

## VINCENT R. PLATIA, Airman 3rd Class

Born on June 12, 1945, and a longtime resident of Ronkonkoma, Mr. Platia was graduated from Sayville High School in 1963. He served with the United States Air Force from September of 1963 until March of 1965, and was stationed at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, and at Rome Air Force Base, New York. Before and after the service he was employed as a fueler at Long Island MacArthur Airport. He passed away on March 5, 1972.

## WILLIAM F. PLEVIK, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Bay Shore, and currently residing in Islip, Mr. Plevik was born on July 13, 1946, was graduated from Bay Shore High School, and attended Franklin Institute of Boston for two years. He served from April of 1968 until April of 1970 with D Company, 75th Support Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Quang Tri and Dong Ha, Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He is employed as a manager. (Photograph unavailable.)

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VINCENT R. PLATIA



RONALD PIZZO



ANDREW M. PLAGE

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## WALTER P. PLOTZ, Airman 1st Class

Airman 1/c Plotz served from April of 1966 until December of 1969 with the United States Air Force, with the 4453rd CCTW in Arizona, with the 388th TAC Fighter Wing, and 49th TAC Fighter Squadron in Thailand. He is merited with the Rifle Expert Marksmanship Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Formerly of Wantagh, New York, where he was graduated from Wantagh High School in 1965, he was born on August 28, 1946, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He currently resides in Bayport, and is a program manager of military spare parts.

## REIN PODRANG, Specialist 4th Class

Born on January 17, 1942, Mr. Podrang resided in Copiague, New York, and was graduated from Copiague High School in 1961, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale. He made his home in Bay Shore, and is employed as an electronics assembly supervisor. He served from February of 1964 until January of 1966 with D Company, 864th Engineer Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Wolters, Texas, and in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and received the Rifle Expert Badge, the Drivers Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH V. POLI, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Poli served from April of 1968 until March of 1970 with the 137th Ordnance Company of the United States Army, was stationed on Okinawa, and the Ryukyu Islands, Japan, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Formerly of Astoria, New York, he was born on November 25, 1948, and was graduated from St. Agnes High School, New York City, in 1966. He resides in West Islip, and is a communications supervisor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK POLIZZI, Sergeant

Sergeant Polizzi served with the United States Army from October of 1967 until October of 1969, with the 25th Infantry, B Company, 2nd Battalion, 14th Infantry while in Cu Chi, Vietnam, and with D Company, 3rd Battalion, 3rd BCT Brigade at Fort Dix, New Jersey. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, and currently residing in Bay Shore, he was born on August 31, 1945, and was graduated from Aviation High School, Queens, New York, in 1963. He is employed as an aircraft mechanic.

## RICHARD A. POST, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from West Babylon, New York, where he was graduated from West Babylon High School in 1965, Mr. Post was born on July 19, 1947, and is currently employed as a corporate president. He served from September of 1966 until September of 1968 with the 273rd Aviation Company of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and in Vun Tau, Vietnam, and earned the Good Conduct Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal.

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WALTER P. PLOTZ



FRANK POLIZZI



RICHARD A. POST

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## PHILLIP J. POTESTIO, Sergeant

Sergeant Potestio served with the 1st Army Band, with the 297th Army Band, 1st Army of the United States Army, from June of 1963 until June of 1966, was stationed at Fort Jay, Governors Island, and at Fort Hamilton, Brooklyn, New York, and received the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and the National Defense Service Medal. Born on September 5, 1940, and originally from Jackson Heights, New York, he was graduated from Seward Park High School in 1958, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He also attended New York College of Music, and participated in various ticker tape parades and events in and around New York City. He presently resides in Holbrook, and is a broker on Wall Street.

## EDWARD F. POWERS, Boatswain Mate/Petty Officer 3rd Class

Originally from Franklin Square, New York, Mr. Powers was born on March 2, 1951, and was graduated from North Valley Stream High School in 1969, and from Nassau County Community College in 1974. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is a licensed practical nurse. He served from April of 1969 until April of 1973 with the United States Coast Guard, was stationed at the Coast Guard Station on Galloo Island, Sackets Harbor, New York, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, a Certificate of Appreciation from former President Nixon, and received an Honorable Discharge as well.

## THOMAS A. POWERS, Specialist 5th Class

Born on October 8, 1945, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Powers attended William E. Grady Vocational High School, and became employed as a truck driver. He served from November of 1967 until July of 1969 with the United States Army, with Headquarters Company, 1st Army while in Vietnam, with the 2nd Division, 23rd Infantry while stationed in the Demilitarized Zone in Korea, and received the Imjin Scouts Award. He currently resides in West Islip.

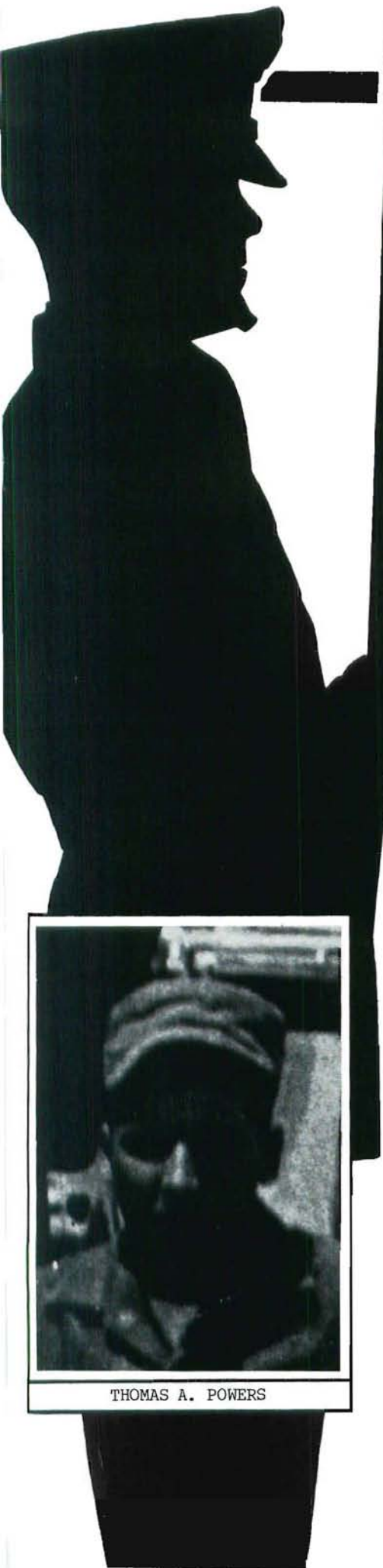
## GERALD POYERD, Sergeant

Sergeant Poyerd served with E Company, 2nd Battalion, 1st Infantry, 196th Infantry Brigade, 23rd Infantry Division of the United States Army, from October of 1967 until September of 1969, and was stationed in the Que Son Valley in Vietnam. He is merited with the Army Commendation Medal, the National Defense and the Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement. Originally from Staten Island, New York, he was born on December 25, 1947, and was graduated from St. Peter's High School in 1965. In 1971 he was graduated from Staten Island Community College, and in 1973 from the University of Washington. He resides in West Islip, and after the service became employed as a federal immigration officer.

## ROBERT R. PRALL, Captain

Captain Prall served from August of 1964 until August of 1967 with the 1st Marine Division, and with the Military Assistance Command of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed mainly in Thang Binh and Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the Navy Commendation Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement. Born on January 27, 1943, and originally from Bayport, he was graduated from Bayport High School in 1960, and in 1964 from Marietta College. He resides in Dennis, Massachusetts, and is a bank officer.

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PHILIP J. POTESTIO



EDWARD F. POWERS



THOMAS A. POWERS



GERALD POYERD



ROBERT R. PRALL

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## STEWART M. PRESSER, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Presser was born on May 8, 1943, and was graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School in 1961. In 1967 he was graduated from New York University, and is the director of patient accounting at Presbyterian Hospital in New York City. He served from January of 1968 until January of 1970 with A Company, 10th Battalion, 2nd Basic Combat Training Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, and received the Good Conduct Medal. He currently resides in West Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## VINCENT J. PRESTI, Specialist 4th Class

Born on April 16, 1952, Mr. Presti resided in Rosedale, New York, before making his home in West Islip where he now resides. He served from September of 1972 until September of 1975 with Attack Squadron #45 of the United States Navy, was stationed primarily at the Naval Air Station, Jacksonville, Florida, in Lakehurst, New Jersey, and in Bermuda. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Pistol Marksman Badge, and the Pistol Sharpshooter Badge. He was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1970, and attended Stockton College, New Jersey. He became employed as a conductor for the Long Island Rail Road after the service.

## JOSEPH A. PRESUTO, Staff Sergeant

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Presuto was born on October 3, 1945, and was graduated from Brentwood High School. He served from 1964 until 1969, and from 1971 until 1974, mainly with the 3rd Squadron, 17th Armored Air Cavalry of the United States Army. He was stationed in Tay Ninh Province, and Dian, Vietnam, and is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal with seven Bronze Service Stars, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement. He is employed as a mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

## EDWARD R. PRICE, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Levittown, New York, Mr. Price was born on September 2, 1949, and was graduated from Island Trees High School, Levittown, in 1968. He served with the 101st Airborne Division, 1st Battalion, 502nd Infantry of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the Air Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. After his discharge, he became employed as a truck driver, and currently resides in Bay Shore.

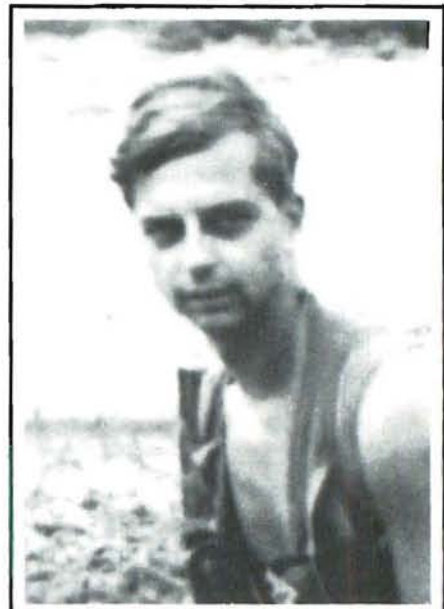
## ARNOLD PUGH, Specialist 4th Class

Sergeant Pugh served from May of 1970 until March of 1974 with the Strategic Air Command, Air Force Systems Command, 416th Bomber Wing of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, at Griffiss Air Force Base, New York, at Utapao Air Force Base, Thailand, and at Eglin Air Force Base, Florida. He is merited with the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on August 29, 1950, and originally from the Bronx, New York, he was graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School in 1968. He attended Bronx Community College, was graduated from Universal Systems Institute in 1970, and after the service he became employed as a tabulation trainee. He resides in Brentwood. (Photograph unavailable.)

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VINCENT J. PRESTI



EDWARD R. PRICE



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## JOSEPH PUTTAGIO, Sergeant

Sergeant Puttagio served with the 553rd OMS Squadron of the United States Air Force from June of 1967 until March of 1971, and was stationed chiefly in Korat, Thailand. Originally from Valley Stream, New York, he was born on July 22, 1948, and was graduated from Valley Stream Central High School, Valley Stream, in 1966. He resides in Holbrook, and is employed as an aircraft mechanic.

## THOMAS J. PYATT, Seaman Recruit 1st Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. Pyatt was born on February 12, 1945, and made his home in Bay Shore where he now resides. He was graduated from William Howard Taft High School, Bronx, and has held various jobs after the service. He served from September of 1963 until October of 1963 with the United States Navy, and was stationed in the Great Lakes, Illinois.

## RONALD A. QUAGLIATA, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Quagliata served from September of 1965 until July of 1969 with B Company, 1st Light Anti Aircraft Missile Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on February 25, 1947, and originally from Brentwood, he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1965. He became employed in the construction department of the Long Island Lighting Company after the service, and he presently resides in Tucson, Arizona.

## GARY F. QUIGLEY, Specialist 5th Class

Born on November 11, 1948, Mr. Quigley resided in Lindenhurst, New York, and was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1966. He served from February of 1969 until November of 1970 with the United States Army Special Troops Group, and was stationed principally in Heidelberg, Germany. He made his home in East Islip where he currently resides, and is employed as an electrician.

## TOM RABENO, Sergeant

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from William E. Grady Vocational and Technical High School in 1965, Mr. Rabeno was born on March 10, 1948, and was graduated from Staten Island Community College in 1973. He served with the 438th Aerial Port Squadron of the United States Air Force from September of 1965 until September of 1969, was stationed in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, Okinawa, Japan, at McGuire Air Force Base, New Jersey, at Otis Air Force Base, Massachusetts, and at Suffolk County Air Force Base, New York. He is merited with the Air Force Commendation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, and the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Bay Shore, and is a real estate broker. (Photograph unavailable.)

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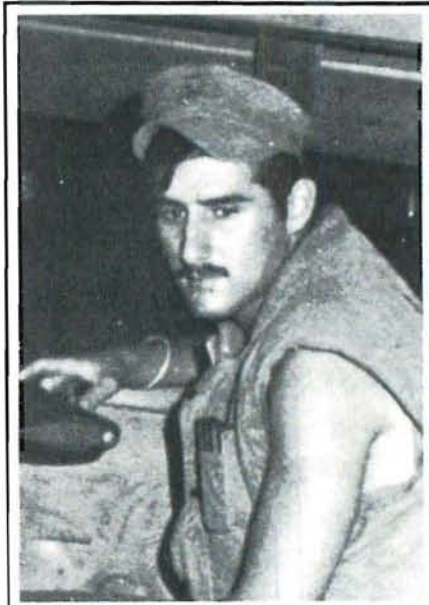
JOSEPH PUTTAGIO



THOMAS J. PYATT



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RONALD A. QUAGLIATA

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## MICHAEL D. RADICE, Sergeant

Originally from Brightwaters, New York, Mr. Radice was born on August 11, 1946, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1964, and in 1968 from C.W. Post College. He served from October of 1968 until October of 1970 with A Company, 2nd Battalion, 3rd Brigade, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Dian and Lai Khe, Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, two Battle Stars, the Bronze Star Medal, two Army Commendation Medals, the Air Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and a Purple Heart as well. Following the service he became employed in computer systems marketing, and currently resides in Carrollton, Texas. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS K. RAFFERTY, Chief Petty Officer

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Rafferty was born on June 30, 1948, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1966. He has been serving with the Submarine Command of the United States Navy since March of 1967, has been stationed in Groton, Connecticut, Vallejo, California, and in Norfolk, Virginia, and received the Good Conduct Medal.

## JOSE A. RAMOS, Corporal

Corporal Ramos served from July of 1963 until June of 1967 with H & S Company, 3rd AT Battalion, 3rd Marine Division, FMF, of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam, and is merited with the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on June 11, 1943, and formerly of New York City, he was graduated from George Washington High School in 1962. He resides in Bay Shore.

## EDWARD S. RASKIN, Major

Major Raskin served with the staff of the Judge Advocate, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army from December of 1965 until April of 1970, and was stationed primarily in Pleiku, Vietnam. Originally from North Babylon, New York, he was born on October 21, 1940, and was graduated from Babylon High School. He was graduated from Hofstra University, from Brooklyn Law School, and currently practices law. He now resides in Sayville. (Photograph unavailable.)

## TOD F. RATH, Specialist 4th Class

Born on July 2, 1946, Mr. Rath resided in Baldwin, New York, where he was graduated from Baldwin High School in 1964. He made his home in East Islip where he now resides, and is employed as a wholesale paper distributor. He served from October of 1966 until August of 1968 with B Company, 14th Engineering Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in Dong Ba Thien, Bao Loc, Dai Quay, and Quang Tri, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, two Rifle Sharpshooter Badges, and two Overseas Ribbons.

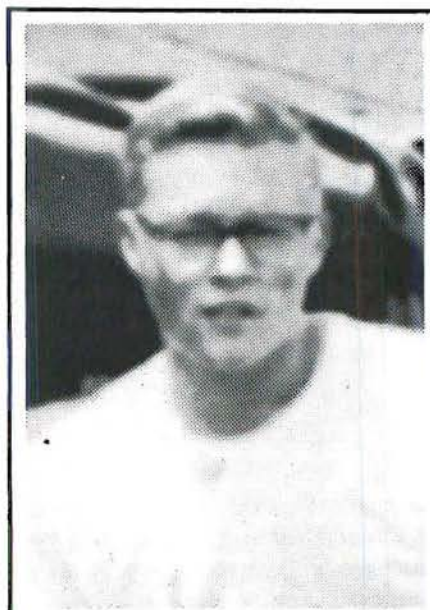
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THOMAS K. RAFFERTY



JOSE A. RAMOS



TOD F. RATH

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## ROBERT RATNER, Gunners Mate Missiles 1st Class

Born on January 13, 1951, Mr. Ratner resided in Central Islip where he was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1968, and attended SUNY at Oswego. He served from April of 1969 until April of 1975 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Worden, DLG-18, and was stationed in Yokosuka, Japan, and in the Gulf of Tonkin, Vietnam. He received the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Meritorious Unit Citation, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Following the service he became the owner of a hardware store, and currently resides in Mastic, New York.

## SANFORD RATZAN, Captain

Captain Ratzan served from July of 1967 until July of 1969 with the 3rd Field Hospital of the United States Army, was stationed in III Corps, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal. Originally from Riverdale, New York, he was born on June 9, 1940, and was graduated from Stuyvesant High School, New York City, in 1957. In 1961 he was graduated from Hamilton College, and from Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons, in 1965. He resides in East Islip, and is an orthopedic surgeon. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOSEPH F. REABER, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Brentwood, Mr. Reaber was born on July 3, 1945, was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1963, and in 1966 from the Academy of Aeronautics. He served from August of 1967 until August of 1970 with the United States Army, was stationed in Korea, and at Fort Lee, Virginia, and received an Honorable Discharge. He became a driver for United Parcel Service following the service, and currently resides in Jupiter, Florida.

## RONALD J. REDMOND, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Redmond served from March of 1964 until February of 1966 with the Combat Engineers of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, at Fort Benning, Georgia, and at Camp Casey, Korea. Born on November 14, 1941, and formerly of Central Islip, he was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1959. He resides in Sayville, and is employed with the Long Island Lighting Company.

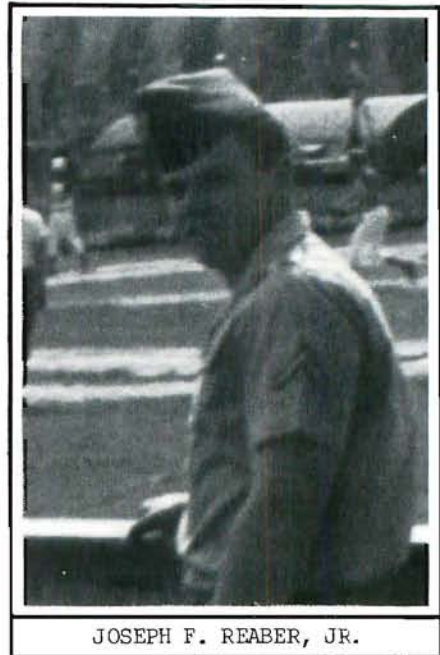
## JAMES V. REECE, Airman 1st Class/Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Texarkana, Texas, Mr. Reece was born on April 10, 1937, and was graduated from Macedonia High School in 1955. In 1960 he was graduated from Adjutant General School, from Stenotype Academy of New York in 1964, and from Adelphi Business School of Shorthand Reporting in 1977. He served with the United States Air Force from April of 1956 until March of 1960 with the 48th Transportation Group at McCord Air Force Base, and with the United States Army from March of 1960 until March of 1963 with H Company, 8th Infantry Division in Bad Kreuznach, Germany. He was stationed also at Fort Eustis, Virginia, and Tacoma, Washington, and is merited with the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Rifle Marksman (Carabine) Sharpshooter Badge, and Good Conduct Medals. Following the service he became a clerk with the Internal Revenue Service. He currently resides in Bay Shore, and is a principal clerk with the Town of Islip.

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ROBERT RATNER



JOSEPH F. REABER, JR.



RONALD J. REDMOND



JAMES V. REECE

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## PHILIP J. REICHENBERGER, JR., Damage Controlman 3rd Class

Originally from Huntington, New York, Mr. Reichenberger was born on December 7, 1941, and made his home in Bay Shore where he now resides. He served from January of 1958 until December of 1965 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Pyro, AE-24, with the U.S. Fleet Activity #3912, in Sasebo, Japan, and aboard the U.S.S. Nespelen, AOG-55, and was stationed with the Pacific Fleet. After the service he became employed with the East Meadow Public Schools, and is currently employed with the New York City Transit Authority.

## ALBERT F. REICHERT, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Reichert served from July of 1968 until July of 1972 with the United States Air Force, was stationed at Osan Air Force Base, Korea, and at Bergstrom Air Force Base, Texas. Formerly of Ridgewood, New York, he was born on October 2, 1949, and was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School in 1967. He resides in Bay Shore, and is a package driver for the United Parcel Service.

## RALPH REID, Specialist 4th Class

Born on October 5, 1948, Mr. Reid resided in the Bronx, New York, and has since made his home in West Islip where he now resides. He was graduated from Evander Childs High School in 1963, and in 1979 from York College. He served from March of 1967 until November of 1968 with the Military Advisory Command of the United States Army, and was stationed in Traincompound, Bien Hoa, III Corp, Vietnam. Following the service he became employed as a nuclear medicine technologist.

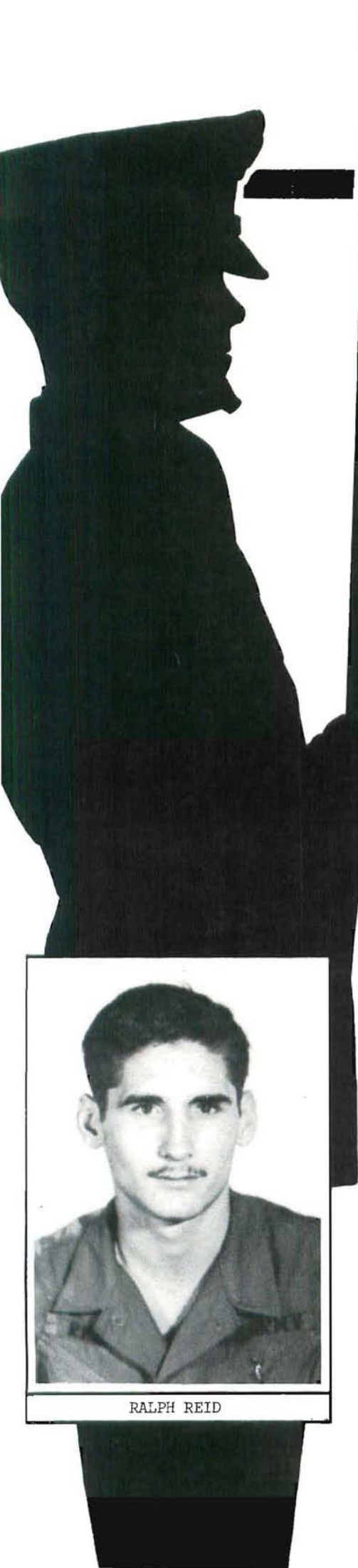
## BOB REILLY, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Reilly served from November of 1965 until November of 1967 with the 3rd Battalion, 12th Infantry, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Pleiku, Vietnam, and in Colorado Springs, Colorado, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal. Originally from Lindenhurst, New York, where he was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1964, he was born on January 31, 1946, and in 1983 was graduated from Suffolk County Community College. After his discharge he became an assistant engineer. He resides in Bohemia.

## JAMES J. REILLY, JR., Seaman

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Reilly was born on March 22, 1947, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1965. He served from July of 1965 until July of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Newport News, CA-148, was stationed in the waters of Vietnam, and received the Navy Commendation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, and the Combat Action Badge. After the service he became a printer. He passed away on November 12, 1976.

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PHILIP J. REICHENBERGER, JR.



ALBERT F. REICHERT



RALPH REID



JAMES J. REILLY, JR.



BOB REILLY



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## JOHN P. REILLY, Lieutenant

Lieutenant Reilly served from March of 1956 until November of 1959, and from July of 1962 until May of 1965, with the United States Navy as an aerial navigator and hurricane hunter, was stationed in Newfoundland, Iceland, Europe, and the Caribbean, and received Navigators Wings in 1958. Originally from Little Neck, New York, he was born on July 14, 1934, and was graduated from Marianist Preparatory High School in 1951, received his Bachelor of Science degree in Education from Fordham University in 1956, and in 1972, he received his Master's degree from Queens College. He resides in East Islip, and is a teacher in the Brentwood School District.

## PHILIP F. RENDA, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Ozone Park, New York, Mr. Renda was born on September 30, 1948, was graduated from Eastern District High School, Brooklyn, New York, in 1966, and from Pace University. He served from April of 1968 until November of 1969 with A Company, 99th C&S Battalion, 3rd Brigade, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Dong Tam, South Vietnam. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, two Overseas Ribbons, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm and with 1st Oak Leaf Cluster, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. He resides in Holtsville, and is employed with the United States Postal Service.

## PATRICK M. RENNER, ATN 3rd Class

Born on April 5, 1948, Mr. Renner resided in East Farmingdale, New York, attended Farmingdale Senior High School, received his diploma while in the Navy, and was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1972. He served from May of 1965 until May of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Kitty Hawk, CVA-63, was stationed in the South China Seas, and is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation and the Navy Unit Citation. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## JEFF RETTALIATA, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Rettaliata served from October of 1967 until October of 1969 with C Company, 62nd Engineer Battalion, the only combat land clearing unit in Vietnam, of the United States Army, Corps of Engineers, and was stationed at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, Fort Campbell, Kentucky, as well as in Zion, Tay Ninh, and Bien Hoa, Vietnam. He received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and the Bronze Star Medal. Originally from Babylon, New York, he was born on February 22, 1945, was graduated from Babylon High School in 1963, and in 1967 from Georgetown University. Following the service he became employed as a stock broker with Dean Witter Reynolds, Inc. He presently resides in Bay Shore.

## MANFRED C. REUSTLE, Boiler Technician 2nd Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Reustle was born on February 11, 1955, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1974. He served with the United States Navy from 1974 until 1978, was stationed with the Pacific Fleet aboard the U.S.S. Coral Sea, CV-43, and is merited with the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. After the service he became employed as a stationary engineer and a contractor. (Photograph unavailable.)

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JOHN P. REILLY



PHILIP F. RENDA



PATRICK M. RENNER



JEFF RETTALIATA

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## MICHAEL REVAK, E-3

Originally from Woodside, New York, Mr. Revak was born on November 21, 1939, and was graduated from high school in Hauptschaile Gmunden, Austria, in 1954. He served from September of 1963 until August of 1965 with the 39th Signal Battalion, 178th Signal Company, Detachment #6 of the United States Army, was stationed in Ban Me Thout, Vietnam, and received an Honorable Discharge. He resides in Sayville, and is employed as a machinist.

## BRUCE A. REYNOLDS, Corporal

A longtime resident of Bayport, Mr. Reynolds was born on April 16, 1946, was graduated from James Wilson Young High School in 1965, and from Suffolk County Community College. He served with the 4th Battalion, 12th Marines, and with the 2nd Battalion, 3rd Marine Division, 1st Marines of the United States Marine Corps, from January of 1966 until January of 1970, and was stationed in Da Nang, Chu Lai, Quang Nam, and Trung Phan, Vietnam. He is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Combat Action Badge as well. He is employed with a utility company.

## ROBERT J. REYNOLDS, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Reynolds served from August of 1970 until August of 1972 with the 37th Signal Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Can Tho, and Da Nang, Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. A longtime resident of Brentwood, he was born on January 9, 1950, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1968. After the service he became employed with New York Telephone Company.

## JOHN RICETTI, Chief Warrant Officer 3rd Class

A resident of Great River since 1977, Mr. Ricetti was born on January 6, 1922, and resided in Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades in 1940. In 1953 he was graduated from the University of Maryland, and was employed as an electronic specialist and an administrator after the service. A World War II and Korean veteran as well, he served from January of 1940 until January of 1964 with the 7th Photo Reconnaissance Group, 8th Air Force of the United States Air Force, and with the United States Army, with the Military Aid Group in Athens, Greece, with the White House Signal Agency, and with the 104th Signal Group in Europe. His tours of duty included Japan, Germany, Greece, and Washington, D.C. as well. He is merited with the Air Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal.

## DENNIS M. RICE, Corporal

Corporal Rice served from June of 1969 until April of 1971 with the 1st Battalion, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on August 1, 1951, and was graduated from Sheepshead Bay High School in 1968. He became employed as a yardmaster for the Long Island Rail Road after the service. He now resides in Brentwood. (Photograph unavailable.)

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MICHAEL REVAK



BRUCE A. REYNOLDS



ROBERT J. REYNOLDS



JOHN RICETTI



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## DORKIN RIGGINS, JR., Sergeant Major

A Korean veteran as well as a Vietnam veteran, Mr. Riggins was born on January 1, 1932. Originally from Columbus, Georgia, and presently residing in Central Islip, he was graduated from Radcliff High School, Columbus, in 1948. During his Korean tour of duty he served with K Company, 3rd Battalion, 24th Regiment, 25th Infantry Division of the United States Army. During his Vietnam tour of duty he served with the 1st Administration Company, 1st Infantry Division, also of the United States Army. He served from January of 1949 until March of 1975, and was stationed in Georgia, Virginia, New York, New Jersey, France, Korea, and Vietnam. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, two Bronze Star Medals, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Army Commendation Medal, and a Purple Heart. After the service he was employed as a supervisor of Job Corps, and as a supervisor for the United States Postal Service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## KEVIN D. RILEY, First Gunner 3rd Class

Originally from Jamaica, New York, Mr. Riley was born on March 8, 1948, and was graduated from Thomas Edison High School. He served from July of 1967 until July of 1973 with the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Enterprise, CVAN-65, and was stationed primarily in Southeast Asia. He is merited with the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. After the service he became employed as an electrician. He now resides in West Islip.

## WAYNE E. RIS, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Ris served from March of 1971 until March of 1973 with C Company, 6th Battalion, 172nd Infantry Brigade, Airborne, of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, Fort Polk, Louisiana, and Fort Wainwright, Arkansas, and is merited with Airborne Wings. Born on March 2, 1951, and originally from Bayport, he was graduated from LaSalle Military Academy in 1969, and attended Providence College. He currently resides in Sayville, and is employed with the Town of Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

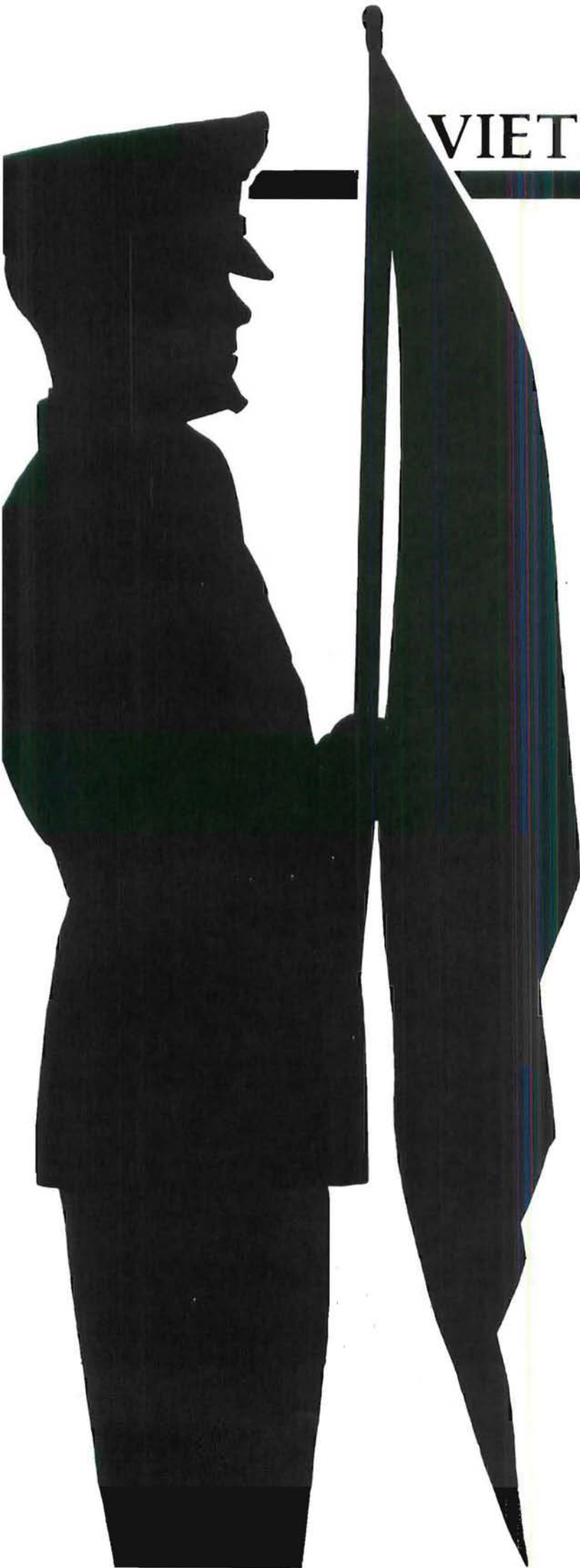
## HENRY W. RITZMANN, JR., Petty Officer 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Ritzmann was born on July 24, 1949, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1968, and attended Suffolk County Community College for two years. He served from November of 1968 until December of 1970 with the United States Coast Guard, Airborne Search and Rescue, was stationed in the United States, and received the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ANDREW D. RIVAS, Corporal

Corporal Rivas served with the 1st Marine Division, 5th Marines, F Company of the United States Marine Corps, from 1968 until 1970, and was stationed primarily in Quang Tri Province. He is merited with the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, a Purple Heart, the Navy Achievement Medal with Combat "V", the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Meritorious Mast, the Rifle and Pistol Expert Badges, and the Combat Action Badge. A longtime resident of West Islip, he was born on May 29, 1949, and was graduated from West Islip High School in 1968.

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KEVIN D. RILEY



ANDREW D. RIVAS

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## HENRY RIVERA, Airman 1st Class

Formerly of Jamaica, New York, Mr. Rivera was born on April 19, 1945, attended John Adams High School, and received his diploma in 1966 while in the service. He served from April of 1963 until March of 1967 with the 315th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Tan Son Nhut Airfield, Saigon, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Air Force Commendation Medal. He currently resides in Bay Shore, and is employed as an aircraft mechanic for Lockheed Aircraft Service at John F. Kennedy International Airport.

## JOHN A. RIVERA, Sergeant

Sergeant Rivera served with the 565th Transportation Company, 1st Logistics Command of the United States Army from October of 1965 until December of 1967, was stationed primarily in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, four Overseas Ribbons, the Rifle Marksman Badge, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Bay Shore, he was born on July 12, 1944, attended Brentwood High School, and received his diploma while in the service. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a maintenance mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

## LOUIS E. RIVERA, Sergeant

Originally from Shirley, New York, Mr. Rivera was born on October 31, 1946, and was graduated from Longwood High School in 1966. He attended Central Texas College, graduated in 1983 from Island Drafting School, and is employed as an electrical draftsman. He served from August of 1968 until January of 1980 with the 258th Military Police Company at Fort Polk, Louisiana. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

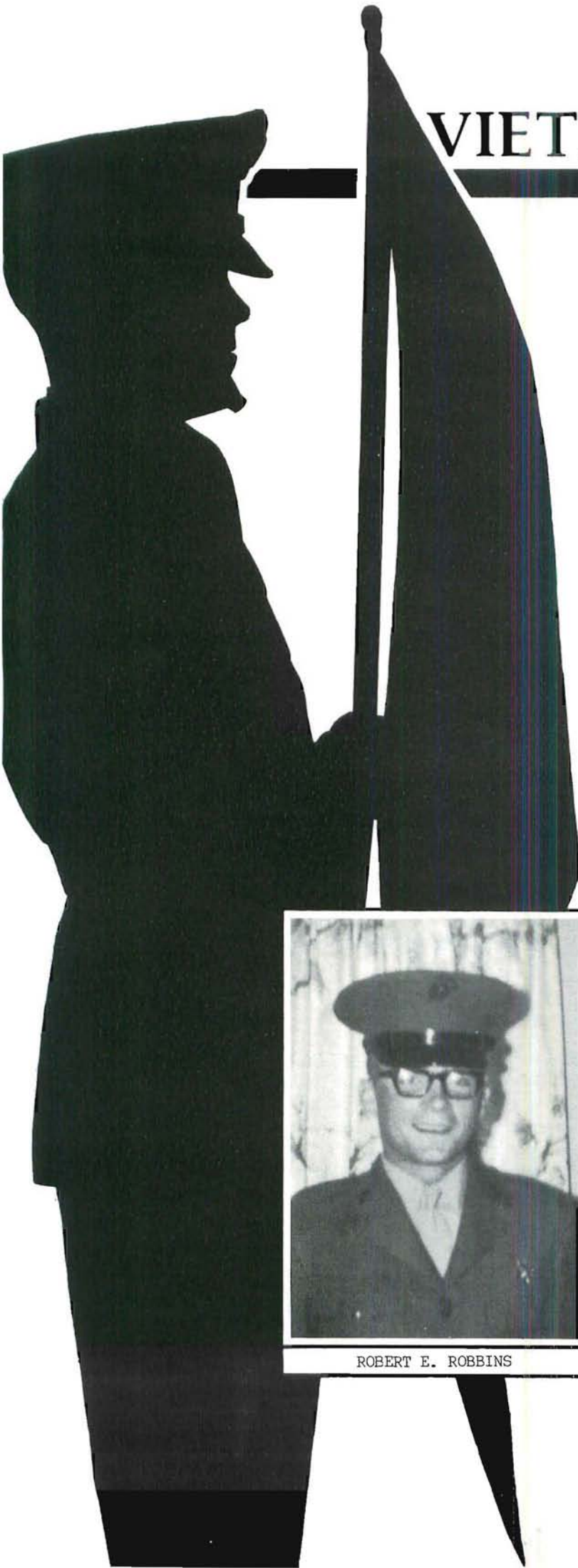
## ROBERT E. ROBBINS, Corporal

Corporal Robbins served from February of 1964 until August of 1967 with the 2nd Battalion, 5th Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Chu Lai, Con Thien, and An Hoa, Vietnam. Formerly of Jackson, Michigan, where he was graduated from Jackson High School in 1964, he was born on August 25, 1946, and was graduated from Michigan State University in 1971. He currently resides in Islip Terrace.

## JOHN ROBERTSON, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Robertson served with the 483rd CAMS, the 483rd AMS, and the 483rd FMS, of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Cam Rahn Bay, Na Trang, Hon Tre, Tui Hua, Phan Rang, and Ban Me Thout, Vietnam. He began serving in April of 1961, and is currently a Special Agent at the Air Force Office of Special Investigations. Originally from Central Islip, he was born on January 3, 1942, was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1959, attended Manhattan College, the University of Maryland, the University of South Carolina, and was graduated from the University of Nebraska in 1975. He resides in Denver, Colorado.

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HENRY RIVERA



ROBERT E. ROBBINS



JOHN ROBERTSON



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## MARTIN L. ROBILLARD, Sergeant

Sergeant Robillard served from November of 1967 until December of 1969 with the 355th and the 309th Tactical Fighter Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Thailand and Vietnam, and is merited with two Presidential Unit Citations. Formerly of East Islip, he was born on November 21, 1947, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1966. After his discharge he became employed as an aircraft mechanic, and currently resides in Central Islip.

## HUGH K. RODDEN, JR., Communications Seaman

Originally from New Hyde Park, Mr. Rodden was born on June 11, 1947, was graduated from Herricks High School in 1965, and received his Bachelor of Science degree in Social Sciences from Adelphi University. He served with the United States Navy with the Communication Signal Division aboard the U.S.S. Ranger, CVA-61, and was stationed in the Gulf of Tonkin, Vietnam. He received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Navy Unit Commendation. He currently resides in Sayville, and is a New York City Firefighter. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALVAN L. RODENHIZER, Corporal

Corporal Rodenhizer served from September of 1967 until May of 1970 with B Company, 2nd Battalion, 7th Cavalry, and with C Company, 227th Assault Helicopter Battalion, 1st Air Cavalry Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Camp Evans, and in Phuoc Vinh, Vietnam, and is merited with the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, and a Purple Heart. Born on August 23, 1949, he resided in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, where he was graduated from Northeast High School. He made his home in Oakdale where he now resides, and following the service he enlisted in the United States Coast Guard, and served until 1982. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROGELIO RODRIGUEZ, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Rodriguez was born on January 2, 1940, was graduated from East New York Vocational High School in 1959, and in 1961 he was graduated from Fort Rucker Aviation School, Alaska. He resides in Brentwood and is employed with the New York City Transit Authority. He served from March of 1961 until March of 1964 with 93rd Transportation Company, Helicopters, of the United States Army, was stationed in Da Nang, Huey, Soctrang, and Saigon, Vietnam, and received the Sharpshooter Badge, and the Good Conduct Medal.

## RUBEN RODRIGUEZ, Specialist 4th Class

A 1954 graduate of Brooklyn High School of Automotive Trades, Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Rodriguez was born on March 10, 1936, and made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. He served with the United States Army from August of 1961 until July of 1963, was stationed in Tan Son Nhut, Vietnam, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, and the Rifle Marksman Badge. He is employed as a senior planner.

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MARTIN L. ROBILLARD



ROGELIO RODRIGUEZ



RUBEN RODRIGUEZ



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## BLAKE L. ROGERS, Sergeant

Formerly of Bay Shore, Mr. Rogers was born on October 11, 1952, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1970. He settled in Brentwood, where he currently resides, and following the service became employed as a machinist. He served from November of 1970 until August of 1974 with the 432nd Combat Support Group of the United States Air Force, and was stationed mainly in Udorn, Thailand. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD ROLL, Seaman

Seaman Roll served from March of 1965 until December of 1969 with the United States Coast Guard aboard the U.S.C.G.C. Edisto, an ice breaker, and aboard the U.S.C.G.C. Duane, a weather cutter, and was stationed principally in Boston, Massachusetts. A longtime resident of Brentwood, he was born on August 11, 1946, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1965. He has been a mechanic since his separation from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM ROMBAUTS, JR., Corporal

Corporal Rombauts served from March of 1966 until March of 1968 with B and C Company, 1st Battalion, 4th Marines, 3rd Marine Division, FMF, of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Phu Bai and Dong Ha, Vietnam, and at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Rifle Expert Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation. Born on November 14, 1946, he was graduated from West Babylon High School in 1964. He resided in West Babylon before making his home in East Islip, and has been self-employed since his discharge from the service.

## ANTHONY J. RONDELLO, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Rondello served with B Company, 728th Military Police Battalion of the United States Army, from January of 1968 until December of 1969, was stationed in Korea, and at Fort Lewis, Washington, and received the National Defense Service Medal and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. Originally from North Massapequa, New York, he was born on April 19, 1946, and was graduated in 1963 from Farmingdale High School, Farmingdale, New York. In 1967 he was graduated from Hofstra University, and is currently a special agent with the U.S. Treasury Department. He now resides in Islip Terrace.

## ANDRES R. ROSADO, Airman 2nd Class

Originally from Hauppauge, Mr. Rosado was born on November 16, 1939, was graduated from Hauppauge High School in 1958, and attended New York Community College for one year. He served from December of 1959 until October of 1963 with the 1001st Air Supply Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Andrews Air Force Base, Washington, D.C., at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and received an Honorable Discharge as well. He resides in Central Islip, and is a youth program supervisor at Pilgrim State Psychiatric Center.

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WILLIAM ROMBAUTS, JR.



ANTHONY J. RONDELLO



ANDRES R. ROSADO

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## ROBERT E. ROSATI, Airman

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Rosati was born on October 30, 1955, was graduated from St. Anthony's High School in 1973, attended New York Institute of Technology and Suffolk County Community College. He became employed with New York State after the service. He served from April of 1974 until December of 1974 with the 341st Missile Support Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, and at Malmstrom Air Force Base, Montana, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DONALD R. ROSE, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Rose served from October of 1963 until October of 1965 with the 2nd Armored Division of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly at Fort Hood, Texas. Born on January 10, 1941, he was graduated from Wantagh High School in 1958, and in 1975 from Dowling College. Originally from Wantagh, New York, he settled in Holbrook, and has been employed as an expediter since his separation from the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HOWARD ROSENFELD, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. Rosenfeld was born on November 12, 1946, was graduated from James Monroe High School in 1964, and attended Bronx Community College from 1965 until 1966. He served from July of 1966 until August of 1968 with the 226th Military Police Company, and with the 521st Military Police Company of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Harrison, Indiana, and received the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle and Pistol Expert Badges. He is a New York City Police Officer, and resides in West Sayville. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JERRY A. ROSS, Specialist 4th Class

Born on November 7, 1951, Mr. Ross resided in Islip Terrace, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1969. He served from April of 1971 until March of 1974 with the 492nd Signal Company, Berlin Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Berlin, Germany, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Armed Forces Occupation Medal. He became employed as a warehouse supervisor after the service, and currently resides in Islip.

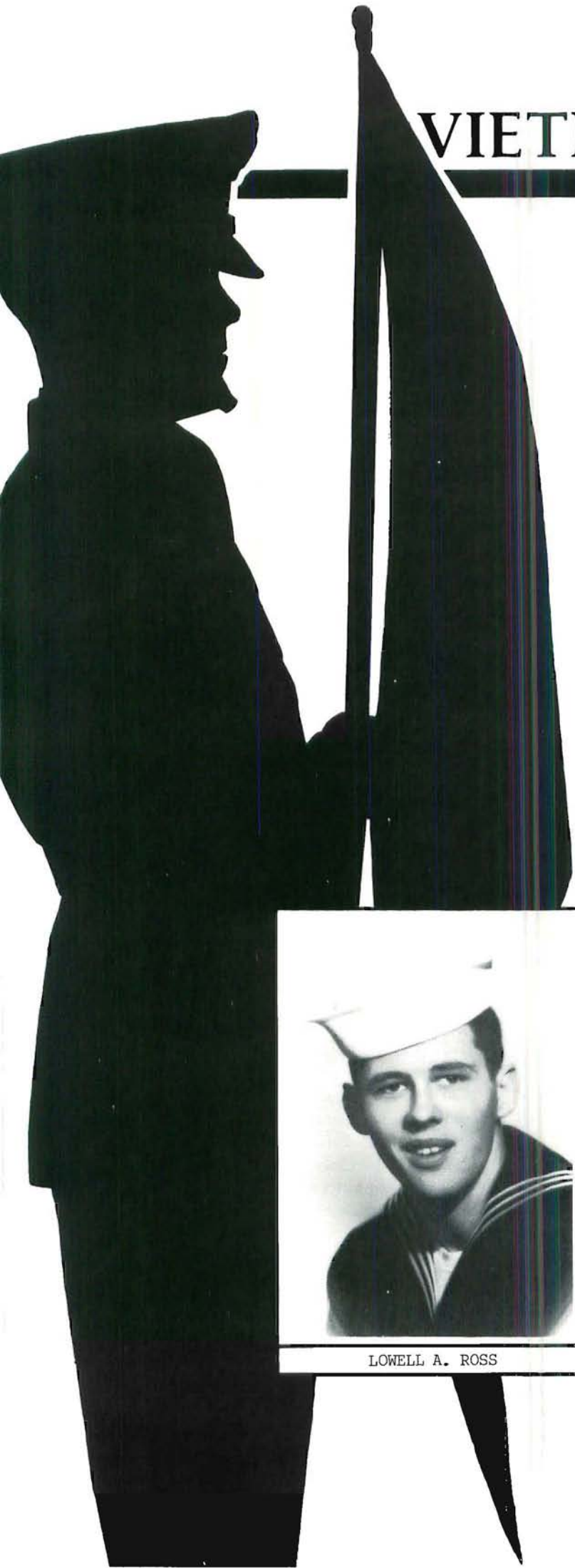
## LOWELL A. ROSS, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Formerly of Bay Shore, and presently residing in Lake Ronkonkoma, Mr. Ross was born on September 7, 1945. He served from November of 1965 until November of 1969 with the United States Navy Seabees, and was stationed in Vietnam. After his discharge he became employed in plumbing and construction.

## STEVEN L. ROSSETTI, Petty Officer 3rd Class

A 1970 graduate of East Islip High School, Mr. Rossetti was born on December 21, 1952, is a longtime resident of East Islip, and is employed as a repair technician. He served from August of 1970 until August of 1974 with the United States Navy, and was stationed aboard the U.S.S. John Willis, DE-1027, aboard the U.S.S. Corry, DD-817, aboard the U.S.S. Francis Marion, APA-249, and aboard the U.S.S. Newport News, CA-148. He earned the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Good Conduct Medal.

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JERRY A. ROSS



LOWELL A. ROSS



STEVEN L. ROSSETTI

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## WILLIAM J. ROULETTE, JR., Petty Officer 3rd Class

Originally from Bellmore, New York, Mr. Roulette was born on July 13, 1951, and was graduated from J.F. Kennedy High School, Bellmore, in 1969. He served from October of 1970 through October of 1972 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Shreveport, LPD-12, and was stationed mainly in Norfolk, Virginia. He currently resides in Bayport, and is employed with the Long Island Lighting Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROGER M. ROTH, Sergeant

Sergeant Roth served from May of 1966 until May of 1969 with the United States Army, was stationed in Inchon, Korea, and Korat, Thailand, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. Formerly of Greenwich, Connecticut, he was graduated from Metuchen High School, New Jersey, in 1964, and made his home in East Islip where he now resides. After the service he became employed as a service manager for an automotive dealership. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ARTHUR J. ROWLAND, JR., Chief Warrant Officer 2nd Class

A longtime resident of Bohemia, Mr. Rowland was born on March 2, 1951, was graduated from St. Alberts High School in 1969, in 1977 from New York Institute of Technology, and became employed as a mathematics teacher for Riverhead High School. He served from August of 1969 until October of 1971 with A Company, 158th Aviation Battalion, 101st Infantry of the United States Army, was stationed in I Corps, Quang Tri, Vietnam, and earned the Air Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry.

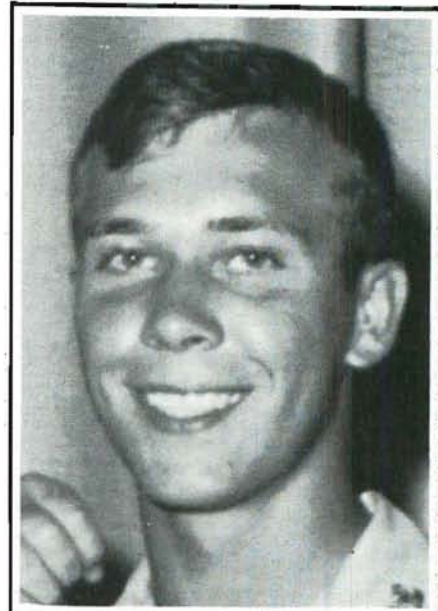
## RICHARD RUDAKIEWICH, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Rudakiewich served from August of 1967 until August of 1969 with the Americal Division, E Company, 21st Infantry, 3rd Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in areas west of Chu Lai, Da Nang, and the Demilitarized Zone in Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Meritorious Service Medal. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on June 3, 1947, was graduated from St. Francis Preparatory High School in 1965, and in 1978 from New York Institute of Technology. He is a New York City Police Officer, and resides in Ronkonkoma.

## FRANK RUGGIERI, Specialist 5th Class

Born on November 12, 1943, Mr. Ruggieri resided in Hicksville, New York, and was graduated from Jericho High School in 1961. He currently resides in West Islip, and is employed as a systems technician. He served from February of 1966 until February of 1969 with the United States Army, Strategic Command, Long Range Battalion North, and was stationed in Pleiku and the Central Highlands in Vietnam.

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ARTHUR J. ROWLAND, JR.



RICHARD RUDAKIEWICH



FRANK RUGGIERI



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## CHARLES RUNZA, Sergeant

Sergeant Runza served from March of 1968 until June of 1970 with A Company, 2nd Battalion, 60th Infantry, 9th Division of the United States Army primarily in the Mekong Delta, and Tan Tru, Vietnam, and received the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Bronze Star Medal, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Expert Marksman Badge, and the Combat Infantry Badge. Born on March 2, 1948, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from Bushwick High School, Brooklyn. He now resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a carpenter. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE J. RUT, Sergeant

Formerly of Islip, and currently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Rut was born on April 20, 1947, was graduated from Islip High School in 1965, and is currently employed with Hauppauge Record Manufacturing, Ltd. He served from 1965 until 1969 with the Tiger Flight/Security Police of the United States Air Force, and was stationed primarily at Tuy Hoa Air Force Base, Vietnam, as well as in Georgia and California.

## RAYMOND E. RUTON, Sergeant

Originally from Flushing, New York, where he was graduated from Flushing High School in 1960, Mr. Ruton was born on December 1, 1942, and made his home in Bohemia where he now resides. He served from July of 1967 until March of 1969 with D Company, 1st Battalion, 8th Air Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed in the demilitarized zone in Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. He has been employed as a plumber prior to and following the service.

## JEROME A. RYAN, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Ryan served from May of 1972 until January of 1976 with the 432nd SPS of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Taklu Air Force Base, and Udorn Air Force Base, Thailand. Born on August 8, 1953, and originally from Brentwood, he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1971, received his Associate's degree in accounting from Suffolk County Community College in 1979, from Police Science School in 1980, and is attending C.W. Post College to obtain his Bachelor's degree in accounting. He currently resides in Bohemia, and is a Suffolk County Police Officer.

## JOSEPH F. RYAN, Lance Corporal

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Ryan was born on March 30, 1955, was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1974, and is employed as a foreman at Entenmann's Bakery. He served from August of 1974 until August of 1976 with the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia, and at Camp Pendleton. (Photograph unavailable.)

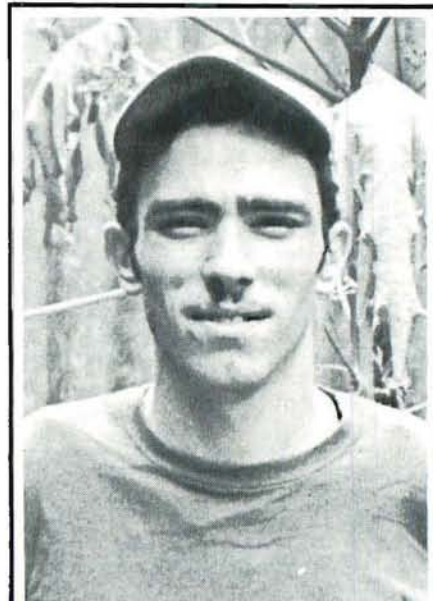
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GEORGE J. RUT



RAYMOND E. RUTON



JEROME A. RYAN, JR.

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## STEPHEN RYAN, Sergeant

Originally from East Orange, New Jersey, where he was graduated from C.J. Scott High School in 1964, Mr. Ryan was born on March 30, 1946, and was graduated from Marietta College, Ohio in 1970. He served from August of 1966 until August of 1968 with the 1st Aviation Company, 53rd Aviation Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Rucker, Alaska, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the American Defense Service Medal. He currently resides in West Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALFRED E. RYDER, Sergeant

Sergeant Ryder served from November of 1966 until August of 1968 with the 6th Battalion, 11th Artillery, 11th Infantry, Americal Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Scofield Barracks, Hawaii, and in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Overseas Ribbon as well. Formerly of Wyandanch, New York, he was born on November 30, 1940, and completed his high school education while in the service. He currently resides in Bay Shore, and is self-employed.

## STEPHEN RYDER, JR., Seaman

Born on February 1, 1945, Mr. Ryder resided in North Babylon, New York, before making his home in Bay Shore where he now resides. He served from February of 1962 until May of 1966 with the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Neches, AO-47, was stationed in San Francisco, California, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal. He was graduated from North Babylon High School, attended a commercial air-conditioning and refrigeration school in Farmingdale, and became employed as an appliance repairman. (Photograph unavailable.)

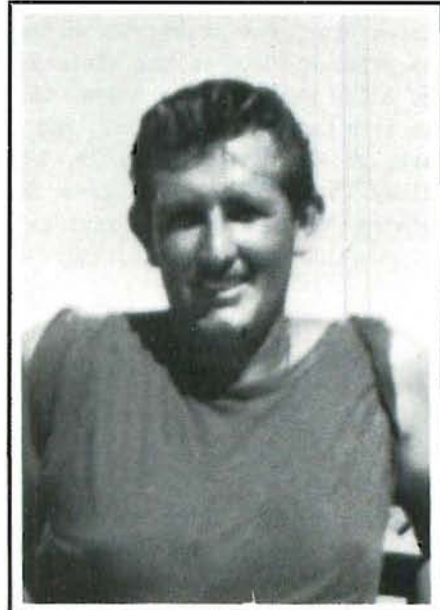
## ROBERT L. SABATO, Commissaryman 3rd Class

Formerly of Astoria, New York, Mr. Sabato was born on October 28, 1942, and was graduated from High School of Industrial Arts in 1959. He served from April of 1960 until July of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Reaper, MSO-467, was stationed in Qui Nhon, Vietnam, and is merited with two Good Conduct Medals, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Cuban Crisis Medal. He now resides in Bay Shore.

## JEFFREY P. SABOL, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Sabol served from September of 1970 until April of 1972 with the 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Wurzburg, Germany. Originally from Massapequa Park, New York, he was born on May 21, 1948, and was graduated from Massapequa High School in 1966. In 1969 he was graduated from Nassau County Community College, and in 1975 from Hofstra University. He is an accountant, and resides in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

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ALFRED E. RYDER



ROBERT L. SABATO

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## JOHN A. SABOLENKO, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Sabolenko served from June of 1967 until March of 1969 with B Company, 4th Battalion, 3rd Infantry, 11th Light Infantry Brigade, Americal Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Chu Lai, Duc Pho, and My Lai, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Rifle Expert Marksman Badge, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Army Commendation Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. Originally from Valley Stream, New York, he was born on July 29, 1948, was graduated from Valley Stream Central High School, Valley Stream, in 1966, from Suffolk County Community College in 1978, and attended Hofstra University. He resides in Brentwood, and is a Relay Technician for the Long Island Lighting Company.

## PETER SALVA, Airman 1st Class

Airman 1/c Salva served with the United States Air Force from August of 1963 until August of 1967, was stationed in Bien Hoa, and Nha Trang, Vietnam, and in Udorn, Thailand, and received the Vietnam Service Medal. Born on March 18, 1946, he resided in Mineola, New York, where he was graduated from Mineola High School in 1963. In 1969, he was graduated from the Academy of Aeronautics. He resides in Bohemia, and is an aircraft mechanic.

## THOMAS SANTIAGO, Corporal

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Santiago was born on November 16, 1947, and was graduated from East New York Vocational and Technical High School in 1966. He served from December of 1967 until December of 1973 with B Battery, 1st and 92nd Artillery, 1st Field Forces of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Pleiku, Vietnam. He made his home in Bayport where he presently resides. (Photograph unavailable.)

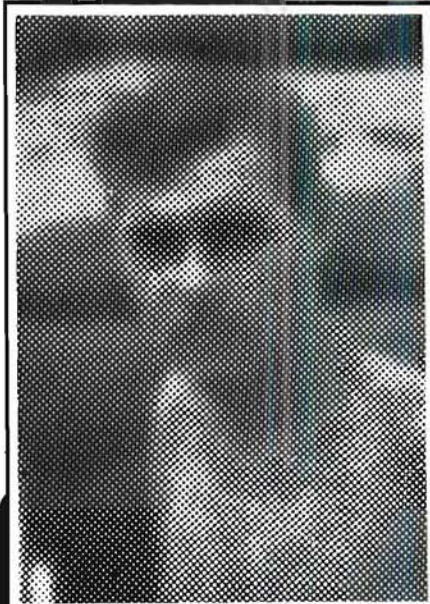
## ANTHONY SANTIAGO-MURPHY, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Santiago-Murphy was born on December 21, 1952, and was graduated from Brentwood High School. He served with A Company, 1st Battalion, 50th Infantry, 2nd Armored Division of the United States Army, from July of 1971 until August of 1974, was stationed mainly at Fort Hood, Texas, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. After the service he became employed as a food service worker, and is now a forman for a linen distributor.

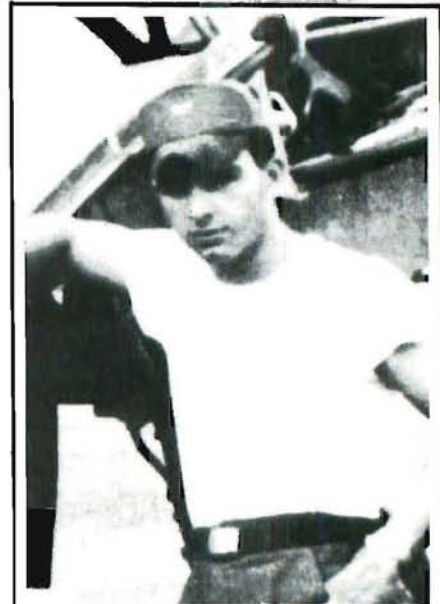
## JOSEPH C. SANTOMARTINO, Corporal

Corporal Santomartino served from December of 1965 until December of 1968 with Headquarters and Supply Battalion, Fleet Marine Force of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Okinawa, Japan, and in Vietnam, and received the Presidential Unit Citation. Born on April 19, 1945, he was graduated from North Babylon High School, North Babylon, New York, in 1963, from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1975, and in 1978 from New York Institute of Technology. He is a longtime resident of Bay Shore, and is a police officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

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JOHN A. SABOLENKO



PETER SALVA



ANTHONY SANTIAGO-MURPHY



JOSEPH C. SANTOMARTINO

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## CHARLES SANTOS, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Santos was born on July 7, 1948, attended Thomas Jefferson High School, and received his high school diploma in Boston, Massachusetts. He served from September of 1968 until September of 1970 with F Troop, 8th Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal and two Vietnam Service Medals. He is employed as a sheet metal mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN SAPIENZA, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Petty Officer 3/c Sapienza served from 1967 until 1973 with the Air Development Squadron #8, Patrol Squadron #30, of the United States Navy, was stationed in the Patuxent River, Maryland, and received a Letter of Appreciation in Public Affairs, and the National Defense Service Medal as well. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he was born on July 19, 1949, was graduated from New Utrecht High School in 1967, and in 1978 from New York Institute of Technology. He resides in Holbrook, and is a New York City Police Officer.

## GEORGE J. SARNO, Lithographer 3rd Class

A 1964 graduate of Brentwood High School, Mr. Sarno was born on March 13, 1947, and is a longtime resident of Brentwood. He served from March of 1966 until December of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Providence, CLG-6, and was responsible for the Commander of the 7th Fleet, as well as the U.S.S. Providence's printing requirements. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with six Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Combat Action Badge, and received an Honorable Discharge as well. Following the service he became employed as a reproduction cameraman and an offset pressman.

## EDWARD F. SAULNIER, SR., Sergeant

Sergeant Saulnier served with the United States Navy from 1960 until 1963, aboard the U.S.S. Vulcan, AR-5, and with the United States Army from 1963 until 1966, with the 116th Transportation Company. His tours of duty included Okinawa, Japan, and Qui Nhon, and Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and he is merited with the two Rifle Marksman Badges, the Pistol Marksman Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals. Formerly of West Babylon, New York, he was born on February 1, 1943, and was graduated from Manhattan High School of Aviation Trades in 1960. He currently resides in East Islip, and is employed as a mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

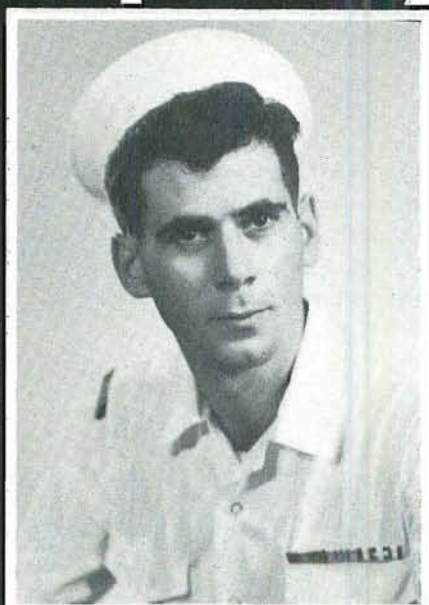
## LAWRENCE E. SAWICKI, Seaman

Born on August 23, 1947, and a longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Sawicki was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1965, and is currently employed as an administrative assistant on Wall Street. He served from June of 1965 until October of 1968 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Bigelow, DD-942, and was stationed primarily off the coast of Vietnam. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal.

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JOHN SAPIENZA



GEORGE J. SARNO



LAWRENCE E. SAWICKI



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## WILLIAM F. SAWTELLE, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of East Islip where he attended East Islip High School, Mr. Sawicki was born on October 22, 1947, and made his home in Islip where he currently resides. He served from 1967 until 1969 with B Company, 27th Engineer Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam. After the service he became employed as a state worker.

## LEONARD A. SBINOWITZ, E-6

Born on November 6, 1942, Mr. Sbinowitz resided in Brooklyn, New York, where he attended James Madison High School, and received his equivalency diploma in 1959. He served from November of 1959 until May of 1982 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Ranger, VRC-50, was stationed in Asia for 11 years, specifically in the Philippines, and is merited with three Meritorious Unit Commendation Medals, four Good Conduct Medals, the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and three Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medals. He now resides in Bay Shore.

## ANTHONY F. SCADUTO, Boilerman 2nd Class

Originally from Lindenhurst, New York, Mr. Scaduto was born on May 3, 1945, and was graduated from Lindenhurst High School, and from Suffolk County Community College. He served from September of 1964 until October of 1968 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Noa, DD-841, was stationed in Mayport, Florida, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. He currently resides in Oakdale, and is employed as a manager of inventory control. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ANTHONY J. SCADUTO, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Scaduto served from July of 1967 until August of 1969 with the 2nd Radio Battalion, Force Troops of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed mainly at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. Born on November 1, 1949, and originally from Central Islip, he was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1967, and in 1979 from New York Institute of Technology. He resides in Stony Brook, and is a police officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WALTER W. SCHAEFER, Sergeant

Sergeant Schaefer served from June of 1966 until June of 1970 with the 509th Strategic Air Command and with the 483rd Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Pease Air Force Base, New Hampshire, and in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Bay Shore, he was born on January 24, 1947, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1966. Following the service he became employed with United Parcel Service in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and currently, he resides in Williamstown, New Jersey.

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WILLIAM F. SAWTELLE



WALTER W. SCHAEFER



LEONARD A. SBINOWITZ

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## WILLIAM L. SCHAEFER, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Schaefer was born on April 25, 1946, was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964, and is currently employed as a pasteurizer. He served from December of 1965 until December of 1967 with the 625th Supply and Service Company, and was stationed primarily in An Khe, Vietnam.

## ALLAN M. SCHARF, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Scharf served with Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2nd Battalion, 502nd Infantry, 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Ord, California, and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge. Originally from New Jersey, he was born on November 4, 1942, was graduated from Theodore Roosevelt High School, Bronx, New York, and from Bernard Baruch College, New York City. He resides in Bay Shore, and is an accountant.

## DONALD E. SCHINN, Specialist 4th Class

Born on June 27, 1949, Mr. Schinn resided in Central Islip where he was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1968. He served from February of 1969 until September of 1970 with B Company, 123rd Aviation Battalion, Americal Division, attached to Headquarters Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, a Purple Heart, two Army Commendation Medals, and two Overseas Ribbons. He now resides in Brentwood, and is employed as a machinist.

## GEORGE Z. SCHNEIDER, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Schneider was born on October 2, 1944, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1962, from Suffolk County Community College in 1971, and in 1972 from SUNY at Stony Brook. He served from March of 1966 until March of 1969 with the United States Army, was stationed in Tan Son Nhut, Vietnam, and received the Army Commendation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Ronkonkoma.

## KENNETH R. SCHNELL, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Schnell served from December of 1965 until December of 1967 with the United States Army, Advisory Group, IV CTZ, Military Advisory Command Team #96, Security Platoon, and was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, Fort Polk, Louisiana, and in Can Tho, Vietnam. He is merited with the Certificate of Achievement Award, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on March 4, 1946, and originally from Central Islip where he attended Central Islip High School, he made his home in Islip Terrace where he now resides. He is employed as a therapy aide. (Photograph unavailable.)

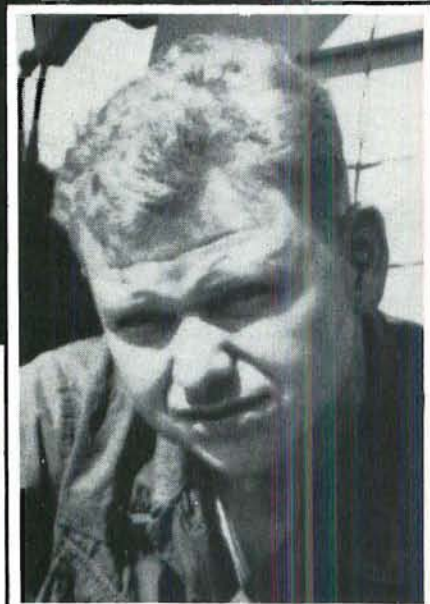
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## ARTHUR R. SCHNITTGER, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Islip Terrace, Mr. Schnittger was born on February 24, 1946, was graduated from East Islip High School in 1964, and in 1973 from SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from December of 1965 until November of 1967 with Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Military Police Platoon, 199th Infantry Brigade of the United States Army, and was stationed in Thu Duc and Bien Hoa, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal as well. Following the service he became employed as a refrigeration mechanic, and then as a maintenance supervisor.

## NEIL SCHOELERMANN, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Smithtown, New York, and presently residing in Hauppauge, Mr. Schoelermann was born on April 26, 1948, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1966. He served from 1967 until 1970 with the 423rd Repair Parts Company in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and with the 530th Supply and Service Battalion at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. He was also stationed at Fort Lee, Virginia, and in Na Trang, Vietnam. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. After his discharge he became employed as Suffolk County buildings and grounds worker. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALAN L. SCHORTEMAYER, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Schortemeyer served from November of 1965 until September of 1967 with A Battery, 1st Battalion, 8th Field Artillery, 25th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Cu Chi, Vietnam, and received various awards. Born on July 12, 1944, he resided in Islip, where he was graduated from Islip High School. After the service he became a newspaper routeman, and he currently resides in Oakdale.

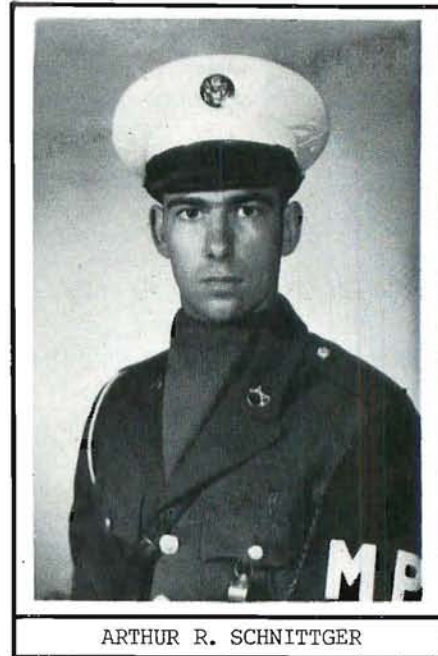
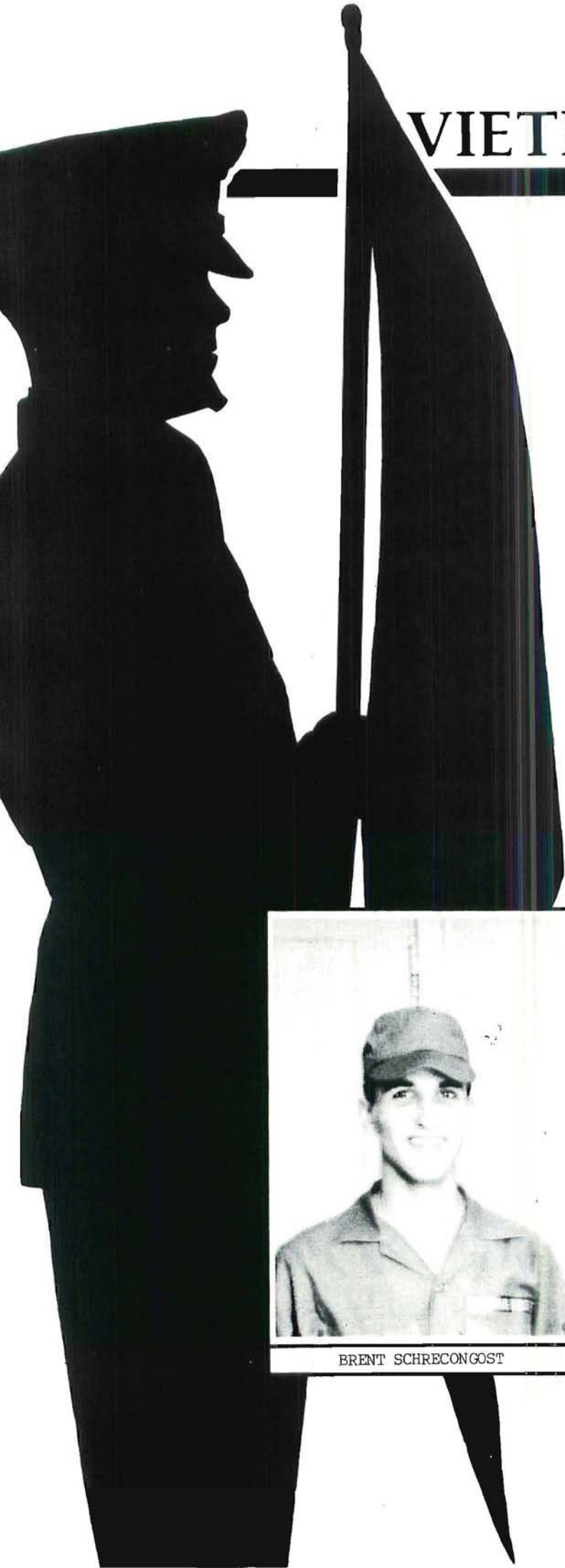
## ROY R. SCHRANER, Sergeant

Sergeant Schraner served from May of 1968 until May of 1970 with C Company, 12th Cavalry of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Bronze Star Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and the Air Medal. Originally from New Hyde Park, New York, he was born on October 19, 1948, was graduated from Herricks High School in 1967, and is currently employed as a printer. He resides in Ronkonkoma. (Photograph unavailable.)

## BRENT SCHRECONGOST, Sergeant

Originally from Wantagh, New York, Mr. Schrecongost was born on January 31, 1947, was graduated from General Douglas MacArthur High School in 1965, and in 1967 from SUNY at Farmingdale. He currently resides in West Islip, and is a service representative for International Business Machine Corporation. He served from September of 1967 until April of 1971 with the 1961st Communications Group, Detachment #6 of the United States Air Force, and was stationed Nebraska, Texas, and the Philippines.

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ARTHUR R. SCHNITGER



BRENT SCHRECONGOST



ALAN L. SCHORTEMAYER

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## LOUIS S. SCHULLER, Sergeant

Originally from Central Islip, Mr. Schuller was born on December 4, 1947, and attended Central Islip schools. He served from October of 1966 until October of 1970 with the 2876th Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Da Nang, Saigon, and Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam. He became employed as a telecommunications specialist after the service, and currently resides in Islip Terrace.

## BRUCE G. SCHULTZ, Corporal

Corporal Schultz began serving in September of 1967 with the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed primarily in Vietnam. He was born on April 19th, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1967. He was graduated from the University of Richmond, Virginia, and became a teacher after his discharge. He resided in Hauppauge until he passed away on July 7, 1974.

## GARY G. SCHUMACHER, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Sayville, and presently residing in Amityville, New York, Mr. Schumacher was born on May 16, 1942, was graduated from Massapequa High School, Massapequa, New York, and from SUNY at Cortland. He began serving in November of 1966 with the 18th Engineer Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in Dong Ba Thin and Qui Nhon, Vietnam, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal. After his discharge he became a salesman. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HERMAN P. SCHUSTER, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Schuster served from August of 1969 until August of 1970 with the 54th Signal Battalion, B Company, of the United States Army Signal Corps, mainly as a Radio Relay Platoon Leader, and was stationed in II Corps area of Vietnam. He received the Bronze Star Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal for Meritorious Service. He was born on September 20, 1945, and resided in Islip where he was graduated from Islip High School in 1963. In 1968 he received his Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering from Hofstra University, and is currently employed as a safety engineer. He resides in East Islip.

## STEPHEN H. SCHUSTER, Lieutenant Junior Grade

Born on June 14, 1940, and originally from Flushing, New York, Mr. Schuster was graduated from St. John's Preparatory High School in 1957, and in 1961 from St. John's University. He currently resides in Oakdale, and is a real estate appraiser and consultant. He served from August of 1961 until February of 1965 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Grant County, LST-1174, and aboard the U.S.S. Okinawa, LPH-3, was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia, and in the Caribbean Sea, and received the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal.

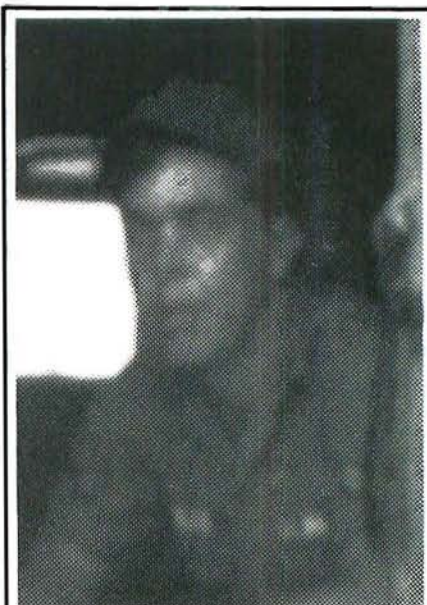
## JULIAN H. SCHULTZ, Captain

Captain Schwartz served from February of 1966 until March of 1968 with the 1st Army of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Hamilton. He was born on January 21, 1935, resided in North Massapequa, was graduated from Jamaica High School in 1952, from Allegheny College in 1956, and in 1962 from the University of Leiden. He resides in East Islip and is a physician. (Photograph unavailable.)

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BRUCE G. SCHULTZ



LOUIS S. SCHULLER



STEPHEN H. SCHUSTER



HERMAN P. SCHUSTER



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## ANTHONY J. SCIARPELLETTI, Boatswain Mate 3rd Class

Born on May 24, 1948, Mr. Sciarpelletti resided in Yonkers, New York, and was graduated from Yonkers High School in 1966. He made his home in Sayville where he presently resides, and is an automotive mechanic for a Ford dealership. He served from March of 1967 until December of 1970 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Kearsarge, CVS-33, aboard the U.S.S. Hornet, CVS-12, and aboard the U.S.S. Coral Sea, and was stationed with the 7th Fleet, primarily in the Gulf of Tonkin, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal.

## JOSEPH A. SCINTO, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Petty Officer 2/c Scinto served from July of 1964 until July of 1968 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Carolina County, LST-525, was stationed in the Philippines, Guam, and Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. Originally from North Babylon, New York, he was born on June 12, 1946, and was graduated from North Babylon High School in 1964. In 1976 he was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale, and in 1978 from New York Institute of Technology. He currently resides in Oakdale, and is a New York City Firefighter. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANK SCONZO, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Sconzo was born on July 3, 1944, attended John Jay High School, and received his equivalency diploma while in the service. He served from August of 1965 until August of 1967 with Headquarters Company, 937th Engineer Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in Qui Nhon and Pleiku, Vietnam. He received the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Overseas Ribbon, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Rifle Marksman Badge as well. After the service he became employed with the United States Postal Service, and currently resides in Brentwood.

## DAVID SCROGHAM, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Scrogam was born on March 3, 1947, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1965. He served from June of 1966 until June of 1968 with the MCB #133 of the United States Navy Seabees, and was stationed chiefly in Da Nang, Vietnam. He made his home in Tolland, Connecticut, where he now resides, and is employed in telecommunications.

## MICHAEL A. SEAMAN, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Petty Officer 3/c Seaman served from 1966 until 1970 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Ogelthorpe, AKA-100, with the Assault Craft Unit #2, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. Born on April 27, 1946, and originally from Amityville, New York, where he attended Amityville schools, he settled in Brentwood where he presently resides. He became employed as a carpet installer with Local #2287 after the service.

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ANTHONY J. SCIARPELETTI



FRANK SCONZO



DAVID SCROGHAM



MICHAEL A. SEAMAN

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## PAT T. SECCAFICO, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Seccafico served from October of 1966 until March of 1969 with E Company, 1st Engineer Battalion, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Hood, Texas, and in Dion, South Vietnam. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, and the Combat Infantry Badge. Formerly of Bay Shore, he was born on July 6, 1947, and was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1965. In 1979 he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College. He now resides in Sayville, and is a land surveyor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILFREDO SEDA, Sergeant

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, Mr. Seda was born on October 6, 1951, was graduated from Grant High School in Sacramento, California, and currently resides in East Islip. He served from November of 1970 through November of 1974 with the 366th FMS, 20th TASS, 2951st CLSS, of the United States Air Force, was stationed primarily in Da Nang, Vietnam, and received the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal.

## WILLIAM L. SEEBALD, JR., Specialist 4th Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, where he was graduated from Morris High School, Mr. Seebald, was born on May 25, 1944, and made his home in Brightwaters where he now resides. He served from August of 1965 until May of 1967 with the 593rd Signal Company, 69th Signal Battalion, 1st Signal Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Saigon, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, as well as the Good Conduct Medal. He is employed as a technician.

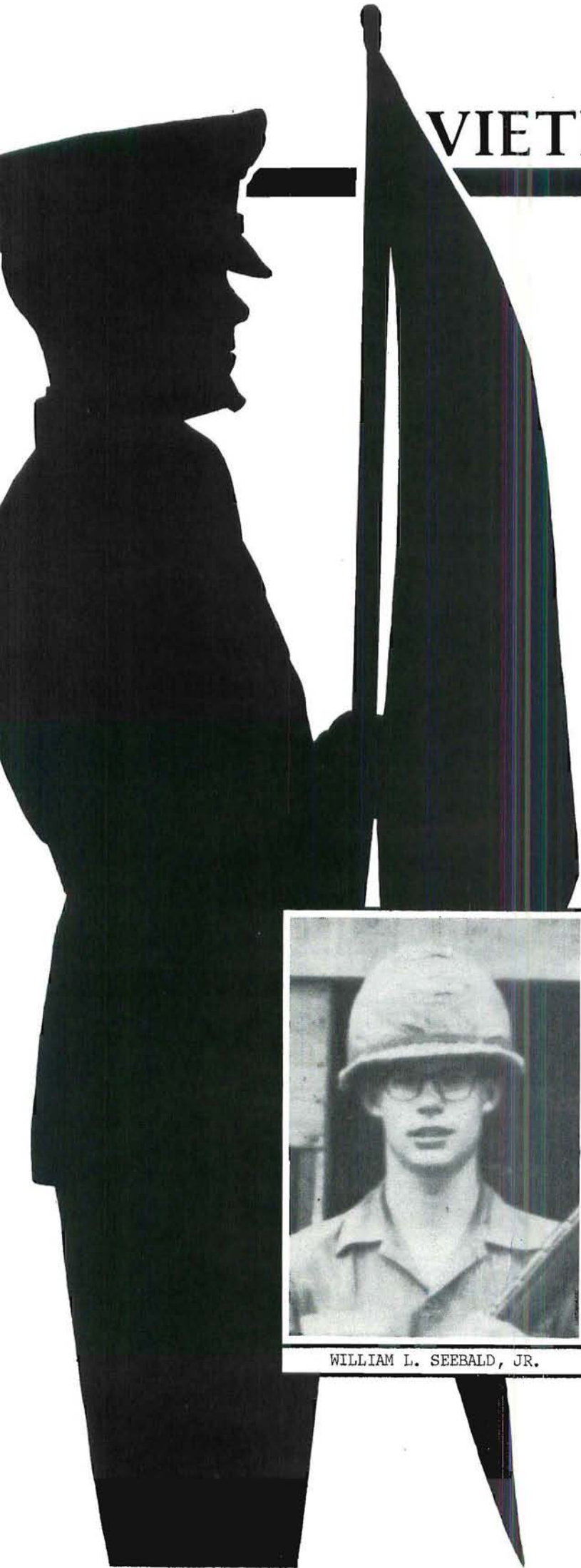
## GARY E. SENINGEN, Specialist 5th Class

Born on April 30, 1941, Mr. Seningen resided in Valley Stream, New York, where he was graduated from Valley Stream High School in 1959. In 1966 he was graduated from Brown University, and is currently employed as a staff manager for Metropolitan Life Insurance Company in New York City. He served from May of 1968 until October of 1969 with the 237th Maintenance Detachment, 237th Maintenance Company, 1st Logistics Command of the United States Army, was stationed in Dong Ha, Vietnam, where he supported Army and Marine units along the Demilitarized Zone. He is merited with the Army Commendation Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He now resides in Holbrook. (Photograph unavailable.)

## HENRY "HANK" SENTOWSKI, Sergeant

Sergeant Sentowski served from March of 1962 until March of 1965 with the Special Forces, Green Berets, 7th Special Forces Group, was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and is merited with the Parachutist Badge. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on December 4, 1943, was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School, Brooklyn, in 1961, and from SUNY at Brockport. He currently resides in Hauppauge, and is a supervisor for a Genovese Drug Store.

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WILFREDO SEDA



WILLIAM L. SEEBALD, JR.



HENRY "HANK" SENTOWSKI

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## FRANK SERSO, Specialist 4th Class

Born on July 20, 1947, Mr. Serso resided in Ozone Park, New York, and was graduated from John Adams High School in 1965. He made his home in Holbrook, and is a Wall Street Research Supervisor. He served from October of 1966 until October of 1968 with C Company, 198th Light Infantry Brigade, Americal Division of the United States Army, was stationed principally in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal.

## MICHAEL J. SEVERSON, Colonel

Colonel Severson served from May of 1962 until October of 1967 with the Marine Medium Helicopter Squadrons #261 and #362 of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang and Key Ha, Vietnam, and received 23 Air Medals, the Presidential Unit Citation, and three Navy Unit Citations. Originally from Cambridge, New York, he was born on July 21, 1943, and was graduated from Cambridge Central High School in 1961. In 1963 he was graduated from the Academy of Aeronautics, and is employed as part of an airline flight crew. He now resides in Bayport, and continues to serve in the Marine Corps Reserves.

## WILLIAM J. SEYMOUR, Sergeant

Sergeant Seymour served from July of 1965 until May of 1968 with the United States Army, with the 725th Maintenance Battalion, 25th Infantry Division while stationed in Cu Chi, Vietnam, and with the 299th Combat Engineers while serving in Pleiku, Vietnam. He alone was responsible for the maintenance and assurance that the roadways of Brave Company's area were able to handle the daily traffic, and conducted mine sweeping operations daily. Under enemy fire on many occasions, he and his mine sweep team were ambushed many times near Vo Dinh, Vietnam. For his expertise and professional knowledge of speedy repairs to bridges and highways, he received the Bronze Star Medal. He is also merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, and an Overseas Ribbon. A longtime resident of Brentwood, he was born on October 15, 1942, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1960. In 1970 he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College, and is currently Captain Security Supervisor of the New York State Supreme Court.

## NICHOLAS SGAGLIONE, Signalman/Seaman

Originally from Bay Shore, Mr. Sgaglione was born on April 10, 1954, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1972. He served from June of 1972 until September of 1974 with the 2nd and 6th Fleets of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Shreveport, LPD-12, was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia, and Europe, and received the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Bohemia, and is a Suffolk County Police Officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DANIEL R. SHANNON, Radioman 3rd Class

Formerly of Islip where he was graduated from Islip High School in 1966, Mr. Shannon was born on July 16, 1948. He served from 1967 until 1971 with the Mobile Riverine Force attached to the 9th Infantry Division of the United States Navy, was stationed in Dong Tang, Vietnam, and is merited with the Navy Commendation Medal with Combat "V", the Vietnam Service Medal, the Pistol Expert Badge, and the Presidential Salutation. He resides in Gardner, Massachusetts, and is a purchasing agent for Collier-Keyworth Co.

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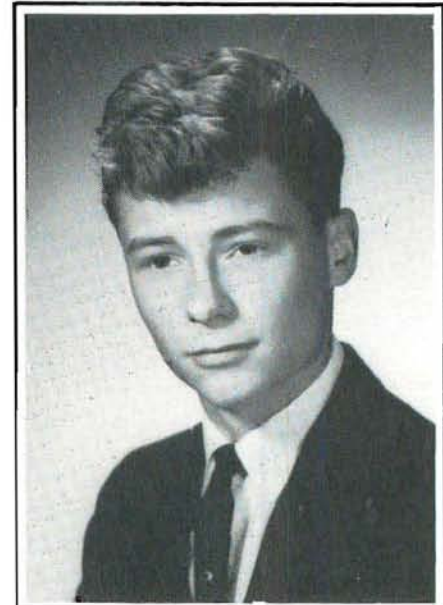
FRANK SERSO



MICHAEL J. SEVERSON



WILLIAM J. SEYMOUR



DANIEL R. SHANNON



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## DONALD P. SHANNON, Specialist 4th Class

Born on August 18, 1950, Mr. Shannon resided in Islip, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1969. He served from 1970 until 1972 as a Medic with the 1st and 12th Cavalry of the United States Army. He made his home in Worcester, Massachusetts, where he presently resides, and is a registered nurse.

## DONALD A. SHEA, Airman 1st Class

Airman 1/c Shea served from January of 1973 until September of 1975 with the Tactical Air Command, Air to Air Missile, of the United States Air Force, was stationed in North Carolina, and Colorado, and is merited with the Marksman Badge. A longtime resident of East Islip, he was born on October 9, 1954, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1972. After the service he became employed as a machinist, and is currently a tool maker. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS P. SHEA, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Shea was born on May 25, 1949, and made his home in East Islip where he now resides. He served from June of 1966 until June of 1969 with the 42nd Scout Dog Platoon, 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Duc Pho, Chu Lai, and Phu Bai, Vietnam, and received Air Wings, and the Combat Infantry Badge. He is employed as an elevator mechanic.

## WILLIAM C. SHEPHERD, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Shepherd made his home in Holtsville where he currently resides. He served from August of 1968 until August of 1970 with the United States Air Force, held a selection chief position, was responsible for the supervision of a worldwide telecommunications installation, and was stationed primarily in Washington, D.C.

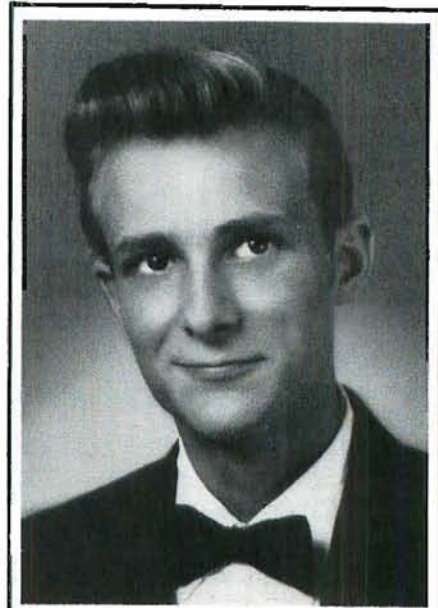
## WARREN P. SHEPHERD, (Rank Unknown)

Mr. Shepherd is a longtime resident of Bay Shore, and attended the Bay Shore schools. He served from August of 1968 until February of 1969 with the United States Air Force. (Photograph unavailable.)

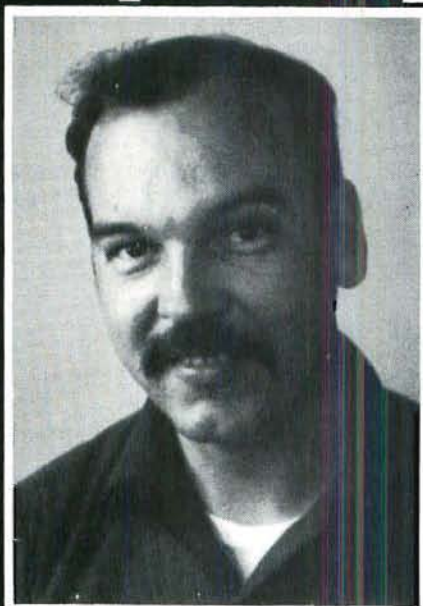
## PAUL SHEPPARD, Sergeant

Sergeant Sheppard served from November of 1964 until October of 1968 with the 301st AEMS of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Chanute Air Force Base, Illinois, at Lockbourne Air Force Base, Ohio, and at Kadena Air Force Base, Okinawa. A longtime resident of Central Islip, he was born on September 1, 1943, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1961. Following the service he became employed as an electronic technician. (Photograph unavailable.)

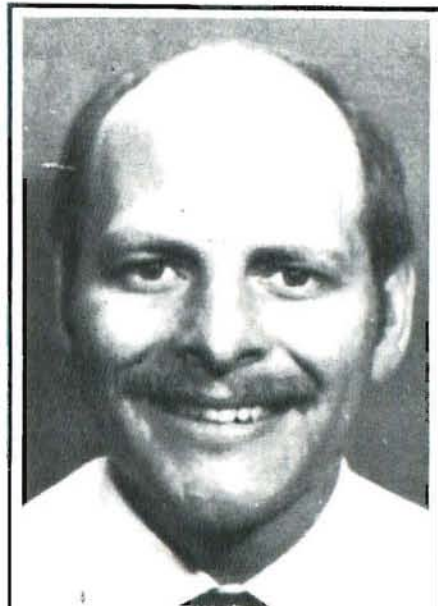
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DONALD P. SHANNON



THOMAS P. SHEA



WILLIAM C. SHEPHERD



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## RONALD J. SHEPPARD, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Originally from Central Islip, Mr. Sheppard was born on October 27, 1949, was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1967, and in 1974 from Shippensburg University. He served from November of 1967 until October of 1971 with the United States Navy, and was stationed in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, Argentina, Newfoundland, and Rota, Spain. He made his home in Newville, Pennsylvania, where he currently resides, and is an accountant.

## BILL SHINKLE, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on May 31, 1947, Mr. Shinkle resided in Copiague, New York, where he was graduated from Copiague High School. He settled in Islip, and is a radioman. He served from June of 1964 until May of 1968 with the Mobile Inshore Undersea Warfare Surveillance Team #12 of the United States Navy, was stationed throughout the Pacific Ocean, and received an Honorable Discharge. (Photograph unavailable.)

## EDWARD H. SIEMER, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Siemer served from October of 1965 until May of 1967 with A Battery, 6th Battalion, 27th Artillery of the United States Army, was stationed in Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. Originally from New York City, he was born on April 12, 1946, and was graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School in 1964. In 1976 he was graduated from New York Institute of Technology where he studied Criminal Justice. He was a New York City Police Officer, and his dream of becoming a member of the Federal Bureau of Investigation was thwarted due to an injury suffered during a pursuit, and one which caused him to retire from the Force. He was a valued member of the Suffolk Chapter of Vietnam Veterans of America, spending much time pushing for legislation that would benefit his fellow veterans. He resided in West Islip until he passed away on February 20, 1985.

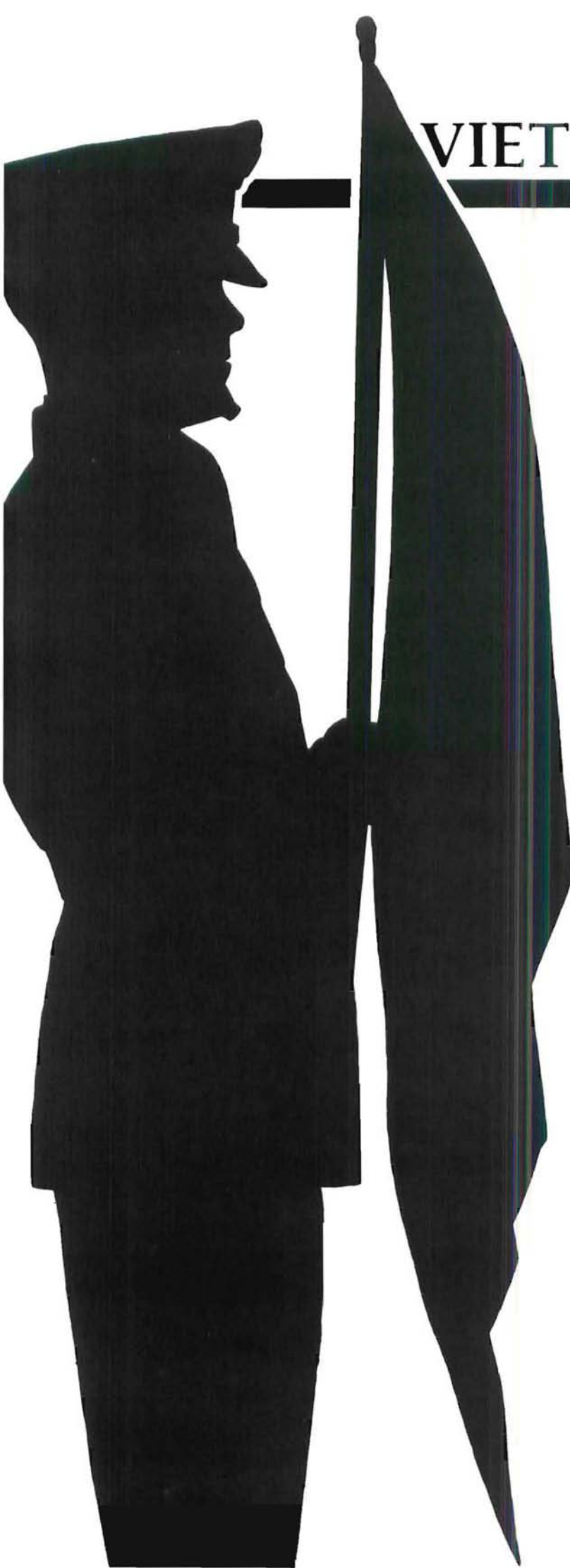
## SANTO SIENA, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Siena served from October of 1965 until October of 1968 with the 8th Engineer Battalion, 1371st Combat Engineers of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he was born on November 1, 1946, and was graduated from Eli Whitney High School in 1965. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is employed with the United States Postal Service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ANTON F. SIEVERS, Airman

Formerly of Islip, Mr. Sievers was born on June 29, 1947, and was graduated from Sachem High School in 1967. He made his home in East Islip where he presently resides, and is an aerospace worker for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. He served from March of 1968 until December of 1970 with the AV Fuels Division of the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Kitty Hawk, CV-63, and was stationed in the western Pacific Ocean. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Navy Unit Citation. (Photograph unavailable.)

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RONALD J. SHEPPARD



EDWARD H. SIEMER

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## THOMAS J. SILAS, JR., Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Silas served from January of 1969 until February of 1972 with the 173rd A Battalion, C Company, and Headquarters Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Sha Rang Valley, and I Corps, Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, Jump Wings, and the Bronze Star Medal. Born on November 3, 1951, and originally from Brentwood, he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1968, and from York College. He currently resides in Central Islip, and is a nurse's aide. (Photograph unavailable.)

## BRIAN SILLIK, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Garden City, New York, Mr. Sillik was born on August 28, 1944, was graduated from Garden City High School in 1962, and in 1978 from Suffolk County Community College. He served from August of 1966 until August of 1968 with the 174th Aviation Company, 1st Aviation Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in Duc Pho, Vietnam. He presently resides in East Islip, and is a salesman.

## JOSEPH D. SILVERSTEIN, Machinist Mate 1st Class

Machinist Mate 1/c Silverstein served from July of 1965 until July of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. George C. Marshall, SSBN-654, and aboard the U.S.S. Greenling, SSN-614, and was stationed in New London, Connecticut, Holy Loch, Scotland, and Rota, Spain. He is submarine qualified, and received the Good Conduct Medal, and two Navy Unit Citations. Originally from Elmont, New York, he was born on February 13, 1947, he was graduated from Sewanhaka High School, in Floral Park, New York. He resides in Hauppauge, and is employed in waste water treatment. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD D. SILVERTHORN, Specialist 5th Class

Born on July 7, 1944, and formerly of North Babylon, Mr. Silverthorn was graduated from North Babylon High School in 1962, and in 1967 from Concord College, West Virginia. He now resides in Islip, and is an accountant. He served from January of 1968 through September of 1969 with the 2nd Squadron, 1st Cavalry, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Pleiku, Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Army Commendation Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the New York State Conspicuous Service Award.

## DON SIMONS, Technical Sergeant

Technical Sergeant Simons served from June of 1964 until June of 1972 with the 438th Military Airlift Wing, 1st Special Operations Squadron, with the 56th Combat Support Group, 305th Air Refueling Wing of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at McGuire Air Force Base, New Jersey, Grissom Air Force Base, Indiana, in Incirlik, Turkey, Bien Hoa, Vietnam, and Ubon, Thailand. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the Air Force Commendation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Selden, New York, he was born on September 8, 1946, was graduated from Newfield High School in 1964, and in 1981 from SUNY at Farmingdale. He resides in Bay Shore, and is an aircraft mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

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BRIAN SILLIK



RICHARD D. SILVERTHORN

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## TIMOTHY E. SIMMONS, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Simmons served from October of 1974 until October of 1978 with the Medium Marine Helicopter Squadron #264 of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed at the Marine Corps Air Station in New River, and in Jacksonville, North Carolina, and received the Good Conduct Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal. Formerly of Grand Island, New York, he was born on September 17, 1956, was graduated from Grand Island High School in 1974, and received his Bachelor of Science degree in Aircraft Maintenance Engineering from Parks College, Missouri, in 1981. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is an engineer for Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

## ROBERT F. SINGER, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Singer served with A Company, 11th Engineering Battalion of the United States Marine Corps from November of 1965 until November of 1967. He was stationed in Dong Ha, Conthien, Giolinh, and Khe Sahn, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Brentwood, where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1963, he was born on June 21, 1945, and made his home in Bohemia where he currently resides. He is now a mechanic for the Town of Islip's Department of Public Works.

## THOMAS SITONE, Engineman 2nd Class

A longtime resident of Brightwaters, Mr. Sitone was born on March 27, 1948, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1966, and is now employed as an oil burner mechanic. He served from June of 1967 until November of 1970 with the United States Navy, and was stationed principally in Da Nang, Vietnam.

## ROBERT L. SLACK, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Babylon, New York, Mr. Slack was born on September 26, 1949, was graduated from St. Anthony's High School, Smithtown, New York, in 1967, and in 1976, he was graduated from Duquesne University, Pennsylvania. He served from December of 1971 until April of 1975 with the General Support Group of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Belgium, and received the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Brightwaters, and is an accountant.

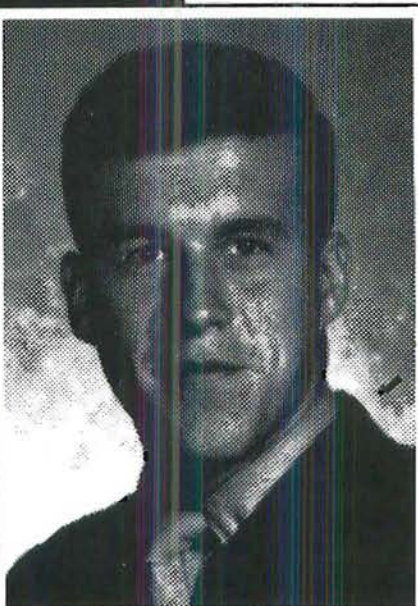
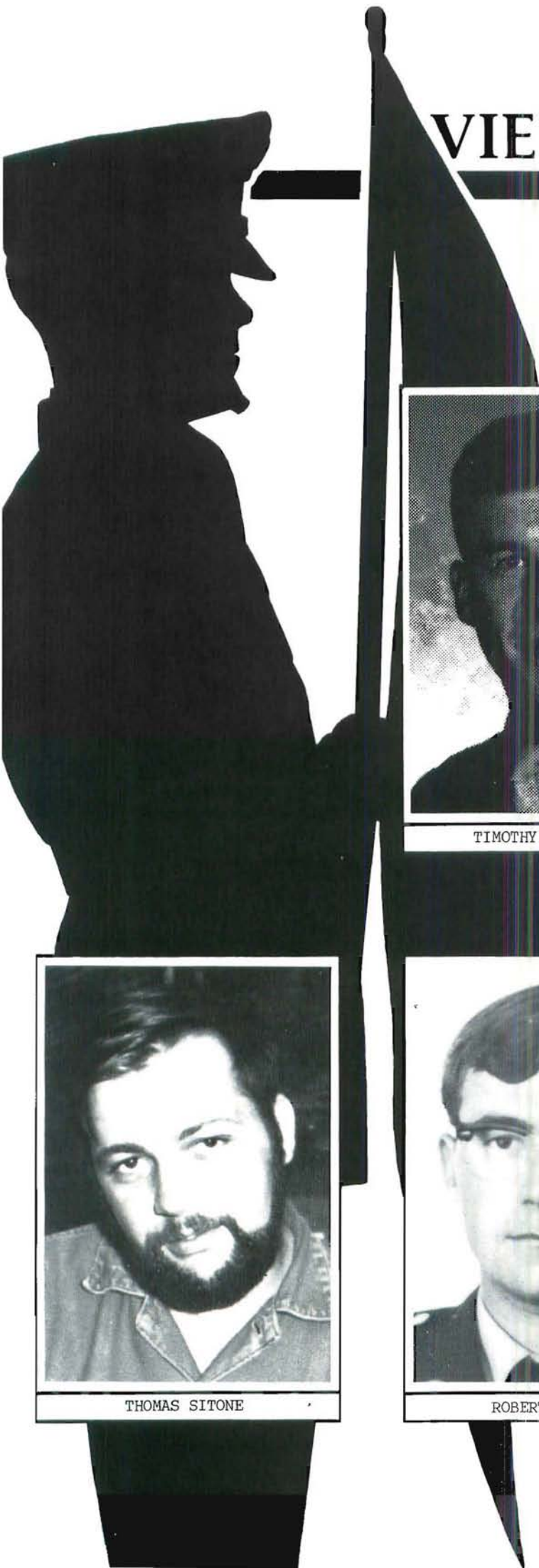
## FRANK J. SLAVIK, JR., Sergeant

A 1966 graduate of Islip High School, and a longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Slavik was born on August 21, 1948, and is now employed as a construction equipment operator. He served from May of 1968 until March of 1970 with A Company, 54th Signal Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed principally in Nha Trang, Vietnam.

## JOHN L. SLEZIA, JR., Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Central Islip, Mr. Slezia was born on November 25, 1951, was graduated from Bayside High School in 1969, and settled in Dallas, Texas, where he now resides. He served from June of 1970 until July of 1975 with the Military Advisory Command of the United States Army, was stationed in Saigon, Vietnam, and at Camp Zama, Japan, and is merited with two Army Commendation Medals. After the service he became employed as an electronics product test engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

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TIMOTHY E. SIMMONS



ROBERT F. SINGER



THOMAS SITONE



ROBERT L. SLACK



FRANK J. SLAVIK, JR.

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## BARRY R. SMITH, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Formerly of Sound Beach, New York, Mr. Smith was born on March 21, 1944, was graduated from Earl L. Vandermuelan High School in 1961, and in 1980 from Suffolk County Community College. He presently resides in Holbrook, and is an electrician. He served from March of 1967 until October of 1970 with the United States Navy Seabees Naval Support in Da Nang, Vietnam. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DONALD W. SMITH, Specialist 5th Class

Born on April 9, 1945, and originally from East Northport, New York, where he was graduated from Northport High School in 1962, he attended C.W. Post College and Dowling College, and settled in Bayport where he currently resides. He served from December of 1965 until September of 1967 with A Company, 2nd Mechanized Battalion, 22nd Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Tay Ninh and Dau Tieng, Vietnam. He is employed as a program manager in electronic communications. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANCIS L. SMITH, JR., Private 1st Class

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Smith was born on July 20, 1941, and was graduated from Islip High School in 1960. He served from December of 1963 until December of 1965 with the 1st Supply and Transportation Battalion, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army at Fort Riley, Kansas. He also served at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, and, as a member of the Big Red One of the 1st Infantry he was sent overseas to Bien Hoa, Vietnam, where he supplied food rations and supplies to military units at the front lines. He received the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and following the service became employed as a stock clerk for Grumman Aerospace Corporation. In July of 1984 he was elected and installed as Commander of the Rusy-Bohm Post #411, American Legion of Islip.

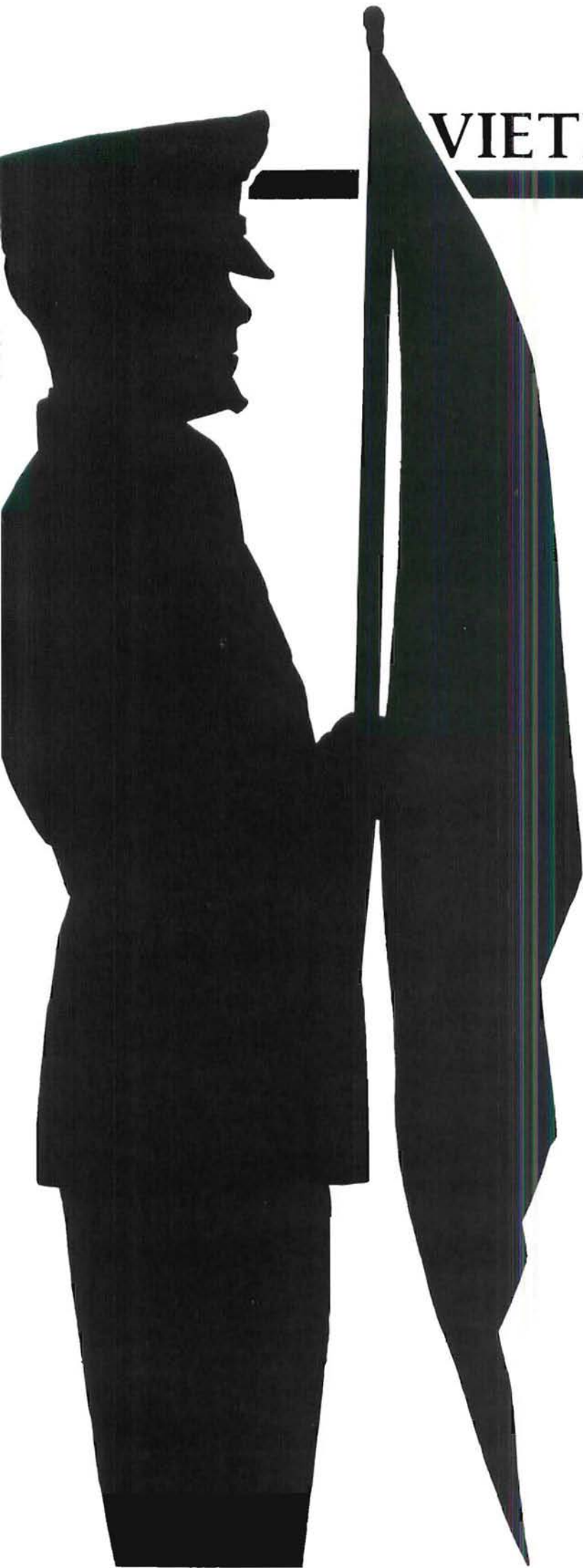
## JEFFREY W. SMITH, Captain

Captain Smith served with the United States Army from September of 1963 until September of 1973 with Project Counter III with the 506th Field Depot, and Project Counter IV with the U.S. Army Depot in Long Binh, Vietnam. He was also stationed in Qui Nhon and Saigon, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal for Meritorious Service. Born on January 6, 1942, he resided in Sayville and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1959. In 1963, he was graduated from Norwich University, Vermont, and is currently employed as a systems analyst. He resides in Northfield, Ohio.

## LEROY J. SMITH, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Central Islip where he was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1961, Mr. Smith was born on June 21, 1943, was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1974, and in 1976 from New York Institute of Technology. He served from December of 1962 until December of 1965 with the 121st Evacuation Hospital in Korea, and with the 502nd Administration Company, 2nd Armored Division of the United States Army at Fort Hood, Texas. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, and several Unit Commendation Medals. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is a police officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

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FRANCIS L. SMITH, JR.



JEFFREY W. SMITH



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## PAUL M. SMITH, Captain

Captain Smith served from October of 1968 until October of 1969, and from September of 1971 until June of 1972, with the United States Army, and the United States Air Force, respectively, with C Company, 2nd Platoon, 3rd of the 5th Armored Cavalry, 9th Infantry Division, and with the 114th Assault Helicopter Company. He was stationed in the Ashua Valley, I Corp, the Demilitarized Zone in Vietnam, and in IV Corp, Vin Long, and Can Tho, also in Vietnam. He is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Air Medal, and the Army Accommodation Medal. Originally from Oklahoma, he was born on July 27, 1947, and was graduated from high school in 1965. In 1976, he was graduated from LaSalle College, Pennsylvania, and following the service became a helicopter pilot. He now resides in West Islip.

## RODGER M. SMITH, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Originally from Oakdale, Mr. Smith was born on July 14, 1943, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1961, and attended Allegheny College and Dowling College. He served from May of 1964 until May of 1968 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Ponchatoula, AO-148, and was stationed in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, and in the South China Sea. He made his home in Bethesda, Maryland, where he currently resides, and is employed as a painting contractor. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THOMAS J. SMITH, Sergeant

Sergeant Smith served with the 1916th Communications Squadron of the United States Air Force from March of 1970 until March of 1974, and was stationed mainly at Pease Air Force Base, New Hampshire. Formerly of West Sayville, he was born on May 11, 1949, was graduated from Sayville High School in 1967, and in 1981 from New York Institute of Technology. He resides in Bay Shore, and following the service became employed as an engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

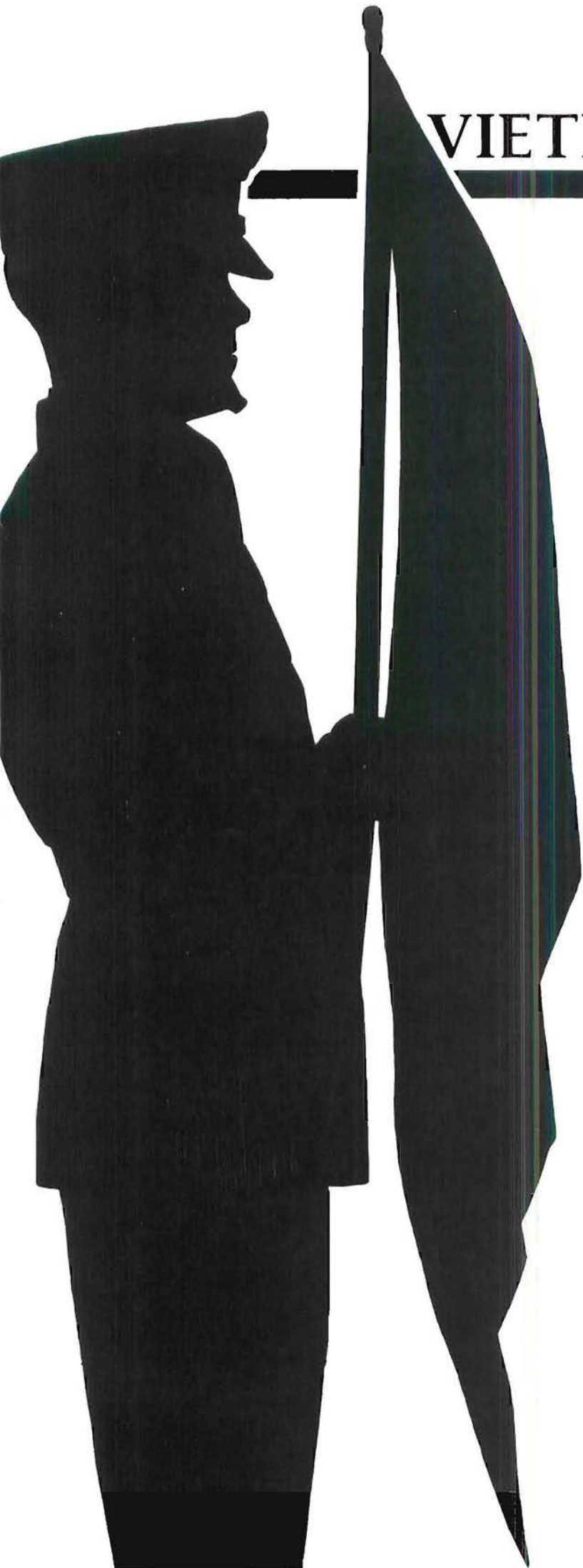
## GIOVANNI SMUNDIN, Sergeant

Born on August 19, 1939, Mr. Smundin resided in Bay Shore, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1958, and from St. Francis College. He served from June of 1959 until August of 1978 with the United States Army, was stationed in Germany, Italy, and Korea, and is merited with two Army Commendation Medals, five Good Conduct Medals, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Islip, and is a correction officer for the Suffolk County Sheriff's Office.

## PETER A. SNEED, Communications Technician 2nd Class

Formerly of Pennsylvania, Mr. Sneed was born on August 18, 1947, and was graduated from Newfield High School, Centereach, New York, in 1967. He received his Bachelor of Science degree in 1977 from SUNY at Old Westbury, and was graduated from Hunter College in 1979. He served from May of 1967 until June of 1969 with the Naval Security Group of the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Oxford, AGTR-1, was stationed in the Philippines, and received the Vietnam Service Medal. He resides in Sayville now, and is employed in urban planning. (Photograph unavailable.)

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PAUL M. SMITH



GIOVANNI SMUNDIN

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## DAVID L. SOLANO, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Solano served from July of 1972 until July of 1982 with the 4200th Test and Evacuation Squadron, 380th Avionics Maintenance Squadron, Strategic Air Command, 1st Combat Communications Group of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Plattsburgh Air Force Base, New York, and in Weisbaden, Germany. He received the Air Force Commendation Medal, the Meritorious Unit Service Award, and the Master Technician Award. Originally from Bay Shore, he was born on October 6, 1954, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1972. He was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale, is employed as a systems engineer, and resides in Central Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## WILLIAM J. SOLIMINE, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Rosedale, New York, Mr. Solimine was born on March 14, 1947, was graduated from Archbishop Molloy High School in 1964, and attended St. John's University. He served from October of 1966 until September of 1968 with the 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Dien, Vietnam, and earned the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement. He resides in Sayville, and is as a programmer analyst.

## LOUIS SOLIS, JR., Chief Shipfitter 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Solis was born on December 17, 1949, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1967. He served from March of 1969 until May of 1973 with the United States Navy, was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia, and Newport, Rhode Island, and received the National Defense Service Medal. He had been employed as a grounds keeper for a school district. He passed away on July 10, 1978.

## PHILLIP J. SOLLA, Private 1st Class

Private 1st Class Solla served from August of 1966 until August of 1968 with the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, and at Valley Forge General Hospital, Pennsylvania. Formerly of Lindenhurst, New York, where he was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1960, he was born on October 1, 1942. In 1964 he was graduated from Palmer College of Chiropractic, and is now a chiropractor. He resides in Bay Shore.

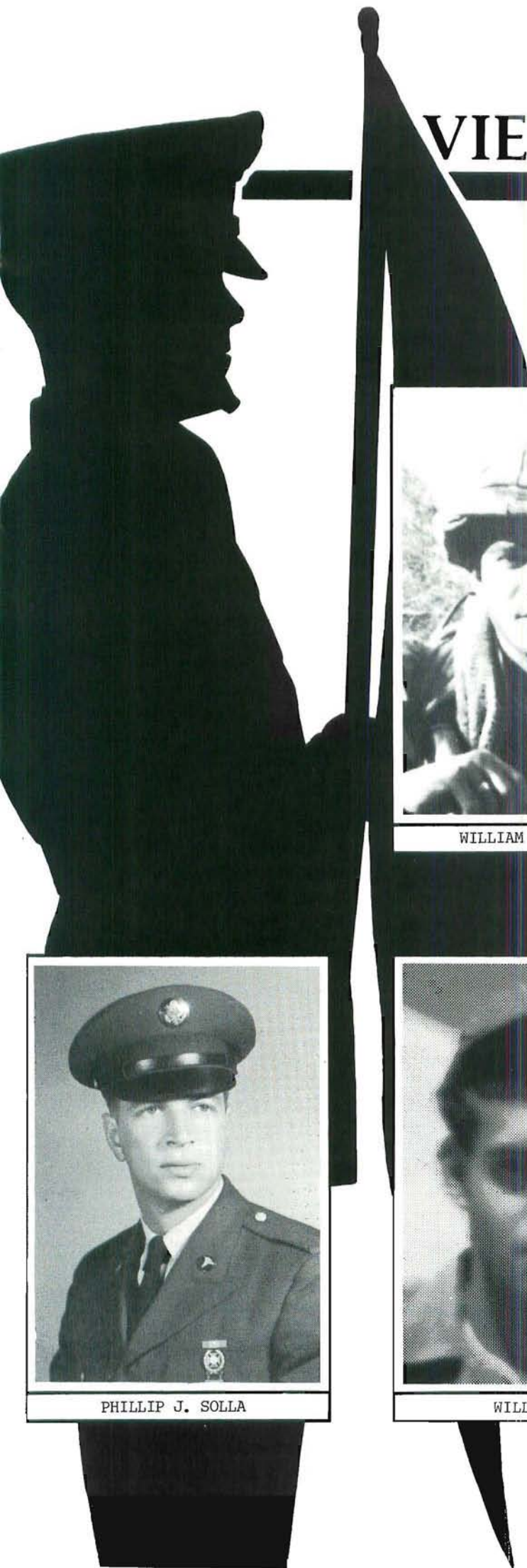
## WILLIAM SOSA, Airman 2nd Class

Airman 2/c Sosa served from July of 1962 until July of 1968 with the 824th Civil Engineer Squadron of the United States Air Force. Born on February 2, 1943, and originally from the Bronx, New York, he attended Haaren High School from 1959 through 1961. He is employed with the New York City Transit Authority, and resides in Brentwood.

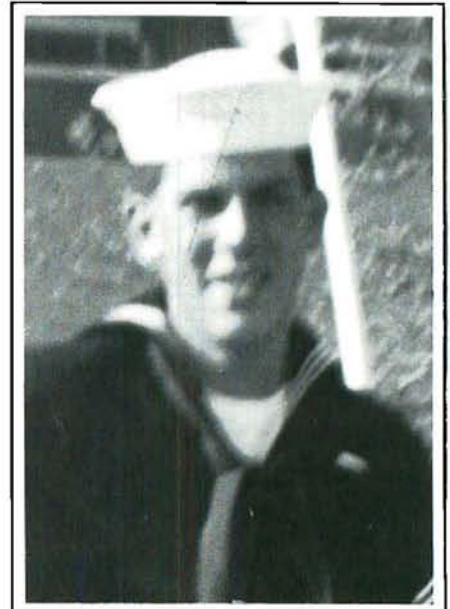
## JORGE L. SOTO, Specialist 4th Class

Born on November 23, 1947, Mr. Soto resided in Brooklyn, New York, and now resides in Bay Shore. He was graduated from Seward Park High School, and is employed as a railroad clerk with the New York City Transit Authority. He served from July of 1968 until March of 1969 with the 40th Ordnance Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and two Overseas Ribbons.

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WILLIAM J. SOLIMINE



LOUIS SOLIS, JR.



PHILLIP J. SOLLA



WILLIAM SOSA



JORGE L. SOTO

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## MICHAEL A. SPACCAFORNO, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Spaccaforno served from February of 1966 until February of 1968 with the 3rd Battalion, 9th Marines, 3rd Marine Division, FMF, WESTPAC, of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Da Nang, Phu Phi, and Dong Ha, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, two Presidential Unit Citations, and the Naval Unit Commendation Medal. Originally from Springfield Gardens, New York, he was born on July 16, 1947, was graduated from Andrew Jackson High School in 1965, and in 1969 from Delehanty School of Drafting. He resides in West Islip, and is the owner and president of Plate Glass Company.

## JOSEPH P. SPAIN, JR., Staff Sergeant

Sergeant Spain served with the 1st Cavalry, 8th Regiment, 3rd Battalion of the United States Army primarily in the Far East and in Europe, from May of 1949 until June of 1973. A Korean veteran as well as a Vietnam veteran, he is merited with three Armed Forces Commendation Medals, the Bronze Star Medal, and three Purple Hearts. Originally from Illinois, and presently residing in Holbrook, he was born on February 29, 1932, and was graduated from Decator High School, Decator, Illinois.

## ARTHUR J. SPINA, Captain

Formerly of Bellrose, New York, Mr. Spina was born on January 11, 1947, was graduated from Martin VanBuren High School in 1964, and in 1978 from Suffolk County Community College. He served from September of 1966 until January of 1971 with the Headquarters Area Command of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Saigon, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal and the Meritorious Service Award. He currently resides in Brentwood, and is a lieutenant with the New York City Fire Department.

## RONALD STANCAVAGE, Sergeant

Sergeant Stancavage served with the 723rd Maintenance Battalion, Americal Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Formerly of Plainview, New York, where he attended Plainview High School, he was born on December 1, 1942, and was graduated from Mt. St. Michael Academy in 1960, and attended Hofstra University and SUNY at Farmingdale. He resides in West Islip, and is a tractor trailer driver.

## HOWARD W. STAPLE, Specialist 4th Class

Born on August 16, 1946, Mr. Staple resided in East Hills, New York, was graduated from Roslyn High School in 1964, and from Catan Rose Institute of Art in 1966. He served from March of 1966 until January of 1969 with the United States Army, with the Signal Corp General Staff while stationed at Fort Monroe, Virginia, and with the 8th Psychological Operations Battalion while stationed in II Corp, South Vietnam. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and following the service he became employed as an interior designer. (Photograph unavailable.)

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MICHAEL A. SPACCAFORNO



JOSEPH P. SPAIN, JR.



RONALD STANCAVAGE



ARTHUR J. SPINA

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## PAUL J. STASKY, Damage Pipefitter 3rd Class

Formerly of Uniondale, New York, Mr. Stasky was born on January 30, 1950, was graduated from Uniondale High School in 1968, and attended New York Institute of Technology for more than two years. He served from October of 1968 until October of 1972 with the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Boxer, LPH-4, and with the Defense Communications Agency, was stationed at Norfolk, Virginia, Washington, D.C., and Fort Ritchie, Maryland, and received the National Defense Service Medal. He resides in Holbrook and is a police officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## SIDNEY R. STEINBERG, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Steinberg served from November of 1965 until September of 1967 with the 6th Battalion, 29th Artillery, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Tuy Hoa and Pleiku, Vietnam, and received an Honorable Discharge. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on May 18, 1945, was graduated from Sheepshead Bay High School in 1963, and in 1973 from Bernard Baruch College. He is employed as a controller, and resides in Holbrook.

## DANIEL J. STELLABOTTE, Yeoman 3rd Class

Born on June 20, 1947, Mr. Stellabotte resided in Valley Stream, New York, where he was graduated from Valley Stream High School in 1965. He made his home in Sayville, and in 1968 was graduated from Long Island Technical Institute. He became employed as a draftsman after the service, and is currently a supervisor and manufacturing engineer. He served from July of 1968 until April of 1970 with the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Richard L. Page, DEG-5, and was stationed chiefly in the Mediterranean Sea, and along the East Coast of the United States. (Photograph unavailable.)

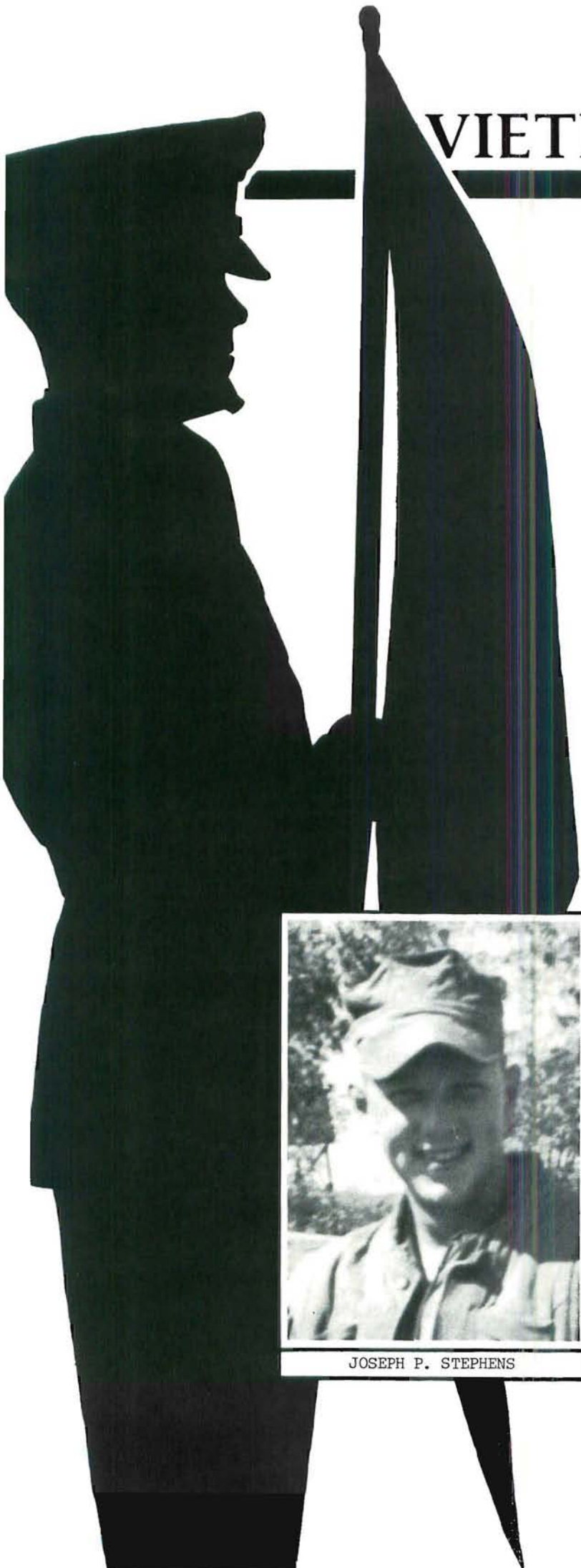
## RICHARD W. STENSEN, Sergeant

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Stensen was born on October 3, 1949, was graduated from Islip High School in 1967, became employed with Grumman Aerospace Corporation after the service, and in concrete masonry. He served from April of 1969 until September of 1973 with the 56th Combat Support Group, 18th Special Operations Squadron, and the 606th Special Operations Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Southeast Asia, and is merited with the Air Medal, a Purple Heart, and a Certificate of Appreciation from former president, Richard M. Nixon. He passed away on June 21, 1982.

## JOSEPH P. STEPHENS, Sergeant

Sergeant Stephens served from October of 1966 until April of 1969 with the 2nd Battalion, 3rd Marines, H & S Company of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Da Nang, Dong Ha, Khe Sahn, Phu Bai, and Quang Tri, Vietnam. He received the Navy Achievement Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on March 10, 1948, and formerly of Richmond Hill, New York, he was graduated from Richmond Hill High School in 1965, and attended New York Institute of Technology for three years. He resides in East Islip, and is a police officer.

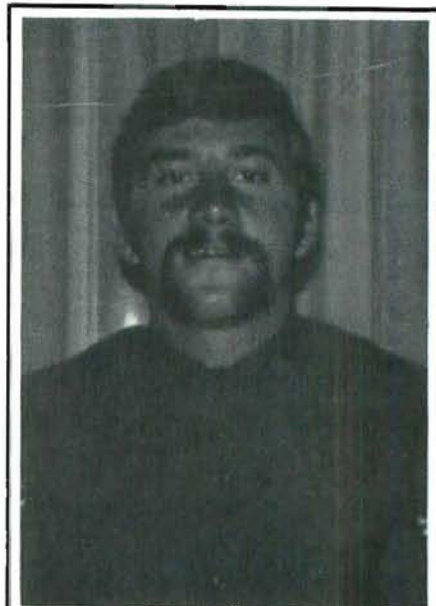
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SIDNEY R. STEINBERG



JOSEPH P. STEPHENS



RICHARD W. STENSEN



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## HARRY G. STERLING, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Sterling served from January of 1964 until January of 1966 with Headquarters Troop, 4th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily at Bien Hoa Air Force Base, Vietnam. Originally from Northport, New York, he was born on November 12, 1941, attended Northport High School, and received his equivalency diploma while in the service. He resides in Holbrook, and is employed as a tractor trailer driver.

## MARVIN L. STERN, Captain

Captain Stern served from July of 1961 until July of 1963 with the 816th Medical Group, Strategic Air Command, of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Altus, Oklahoma, and is merited with the Unit Commendation Medal and the Strategic Air Command Individual Certificate of Appreciation. Born on August 3, 1937, and formerly of the Bronx, New York, he was graduated from New York University in 1957, and in 1961 from Columbia University. He resides in Islip, and has a dental practice. (Photograph unavailable.)

## STEVEN A. STERNLICHT, Captain

Originally from Flushing, New York, Mr. Sternlicht was born on November 24, 1942, was graduated from Martin VanBuren High School in 1960, from Hofstra University in 1964, in 1967 from St. John's University, School of Law, and received his Master of Business Administration in Finance from Loyola College in 1971. He served from March of 1968 until March of 1972 with the Judge Advocate General's Corps of the United States Army Claims Service, was stationed at Fort Holabird and Fort Meade, Maryland. He received the Army Commendation Medal. He resides in West Islip, and practices law.

## JAMES H. STEVENS, Radioman/Petty Officer 3rd Class

Born on April 12, 1944, and formerly of Albertson, New York, Mr. Stevens was graduated from Herricks High School in 1963, and attended RCA Institute for electronic technology for one year. He currently resides in Bay Shore, and became employed as a security operations manager in New York City after the service. He served from August of 1963 through August of 1967 with the 2nd, 6th, and 7th Fleets of the United States Navy, and conducted geographical surveys of the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, and the South China and Mediterranean Seas. He is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal.

## JOHN D. STEVENS, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Bayport, Mr. Stevens was born on July 13, 1948, and was graduated from Bayport High School in 1969. He served with C Battery, 8th Battalion, 3rd Air Defense Artillery of the United States Army, from April of 1970 until January of 1972, was stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and on Okinawa, Japan, and is merited with the Air Defense Certificate of Achievement and the National Defense Service Medal. After the service he became employed with the Town of Islip, Division of Marine Affairs, and is now a district representative for the Bayport Fire District.

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HARRY G. STERLING



STEVEN A. STERNLICHT



JAMES H. STEVENS



JOHN D. STEVENS

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## ROBERT J. STEWART, Sergeant

Sergeant Stewart served from May of 1967 until May of 1969 with B Company, 3rd Battalion, 7th Infantry, 199th Infantry Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in the Mekong Delta, Saigon, Vietnam, and participated in the 1968 TET Offensive. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Valorous Unit Award, and the Combat Infantry Badge. Originally from Shirley, New York, he attended William Floyd High School, Shirley, and received his diploma while in the service. He now resides in Central Islip, and is an automotive upholsterer.

## RALPH A. STILE, Builder 2nd Class

Born on January 8, 1944, Mr. Stile resided in Masspeth, New York, and was graduated from John Adams High School in 1961. He attended New York City College, and SUNY at Farmingdale, made his home in Central Islip, and is employed as a carpenter for the Long Island Rail Road. He served from October of 1962 until March of 1967 with D Company, Mobile Construction Battalion #3 of the United States Navy Seabees, was stationed in California, Guam, Thailand, and Okinawa, Japan, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT STOGDALE, Sergeant

A Korean veteran as well, Sergeant Stogdale served in the United States Army, Navy, and Air Force, with the 24th Infantry Division, 366th Supply Squadron, and the 52nd Fighter Group, in England, Japan, Korea, and in Vietnam, from October of 1946 until January of 1968. He is merited with the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon, the Armed Forces Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals. Born on July 23, 1929, he resided in Virginia before making his home in Holbrook, and is employed as a welder for U-Haul Company.

## EDWARD J. STOLL, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Stoll served with the 7th Air Force, of the United States Air Force from March of 1969 until December of 1972, was stationed at Tan Son Nhut Air Force Base, Saigon, Vietnam, in Thailand, and stateside in Texas, Illinois, and in the Carolinas. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on May 23, 1949, and formerly of Holbrook, he was graduated from Sachem High School in 1968. He resides in Bohemia, and is a correction officer in the Suffolk County Sheriff's Department.

## THOMAS J. STOLL, Sergeant

Originally from Bohemia, Mr. Stoll was born on June 23, 1953, was graduated from Sachem High School in 1971, and settled in Patchogue, New York, where he currently resides. He served from June of 1971 through May of 1974 with the 91st Security Police Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Minot Air Force Base, North Dakota, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Marksman Badge, and the Unit Citation.

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ROBERT STOGDALE



ROBERT J. STEWART



THOMAS J. STOLL



EDWARD J. STOLL, JR.

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## CRAIG STRANSKY, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Jamaica, New York, Mr. Stransky was born on November 25, 1947, and was graduated from Jamaica High School in 1965. He resided in Brightwaters, settled in East Islip, and is the owner of a trucking company. He served from September of 1967 until June of 1969 with the 1st Battalion, 502nd Infantry, 101st A Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in I Corp, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and three Purple Hearts.

## AUGUST F. STRAUSS, Specialist 5th Class

Currently residing in Brentwood, and formerly of Whitestone, New York, Mr. Strauss was born on July 18, 1948, and was graduated from Thomas Edison Vocational and Technical High School. He served from April of 1968 until November of 1969 with the 624th Supply and Service Company, 266th Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Long Binh, Vietnam, and received the Army Commendation Medal. He is employed as a retail store manager. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RONALD W. STRUCK, Specialist 4th Class

Born on September 23, 1949, and originally from Sayville, Mr. Struck was graduated from Sayville High School in 1968. He served from April of 1969 until November of 1970 with F Company, Troop Command of the United States Army, was stationed in Long Binh, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. He resides in Washington, and is a shell fisherman. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GARETH B. STYLE, Sergeant

Sergeant Style served with F Troop, 8th Cavalry, Americal Division of the United States Army, from September of 1967 until September of 1970, was stationed mainly in Chu Lai, Vietnam, and received the Air Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal. Originally from West Sayville, he was born on August 15, 1949, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1967. In 1976 he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College, and in 1978 from SUNY at Stony Brook. He resides in Blue Point, and following the service became employed as an operating room orderly at Southside Hospital, Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

## FRANCIS T. SULLIVAN, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Sullivan served from 1968 until 1969 with C Company, 1st Battalion, 11th Infantry Brigade, 5th Mechanized Division of the United States Army, was stationed principally in Quang Tri, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, and a Purple Heart. Born on March 4, 1948, and formerly of Woodside, New York, he was graduated from William C. Bryant High School. He made his home in Islip Manor where he now resides. (Photograph unavailable.)

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CRAIG STRANSKY

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## LAWRENCE V. SULLIVAN, Sergeant

Sergeant Sullivan served from November of 1968 until November of 1972 with the United States Air Force, was stationed in Missouri, Texas, Can Tho, and Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam, and is merited with the Air Force Commendation Medal. Formerly of Lake Ronkonkoma, he was born on March 11, 1949, attended Connetquot High School, and was graduated from Sachem High School in 1968. He resides in West Sayville, and is an engineer for the Long Island Rail Road.

## WILLIAM SULLIVAN, Sergeant

Originally from North Babylon, New York, where he was graduated from North Babylon High School, Mr. Sullivan was born on December 25, 1942, and was graduated from Suffolk County Community College. He resides in West Islip, and is employed in data processing. He served from March of 1966 until March of 1968 with the 2nd Battalion, 30th Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed primarily in Germany.

## JOHN SUOZZI, Specialist 4th Class

Born on July 12, 1946, Mr. Suozzi resided in Deer Park, New York, and was graduated from Deer Park High School in 1964. He made his home in East Islip where he now resides, and is employed as a receiving manager. He served from May of 1966 until May of 1968 with B Company, 2nd Battalion, 60th Infantry, 9th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in the Mekong Delta, Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Army Accommodation Medal.

## GARY M. SUTPHEN, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Sutphen served from February of 1967 until February of 1970 with the 610th CS Engineer Company of the United States Army, was stationed principally in Cam Rahn Bay and Da Lat, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. Originally from Massapequa, New York, he was born on July 12, 1947, and was graduated from Massapequa High School in 1966. He settled in Bayport, and is employed as a sheet metal mechanic with Local Union #28.

## BRIAN L. SVEDBERG, Sergeant

Formerly of Bay Shore, Mr. Svedberg was born on October 5, 1948, was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1966, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from July of 1966 until June of 1970 with the 20th Field Maintenance Squadron, 20th Tactical Fighter Wing of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Weathersfield, England, as well as in Turkey, Libya, Spain, Italy, and Norway. He resides in Holtsville, and is an air-conditioning mechanic. (Photograph unavailable.)

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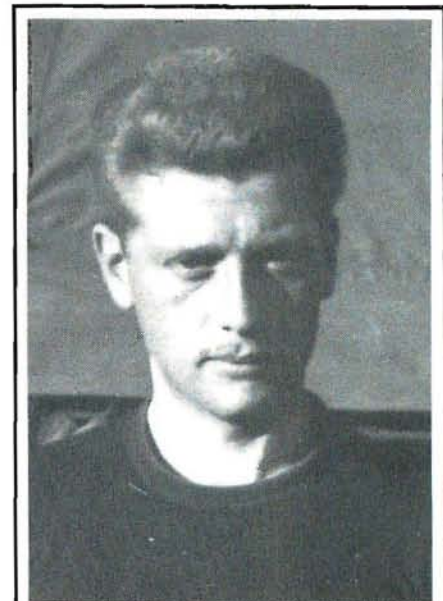
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JOHN SUOZZI



GARY M. SUTPHEN



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## ROBERT J. SWANDA, Petty Officer 2nd Class

Born on January 24, 1950, Mr. Swanda resided in Levittown, New York, was graduated from Division Avenue High School, Levittown, in 1968, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from August of 1968 until May of 1974 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Edson, DD-946, and was stationed in San Diego, California, as well as in Cambodia, and Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal. He resides in Bohemia, and is an engineering assistant.

## STANLEY J. SWARTOUT, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Swartout served with the 605th Air Direct, Huey Gunships Support, Door Gunner, of the United States Army, from June of 1967 until June of 1970, and was stationed in Phu Loi, South Vietnam. He received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Citation. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on June 3, 1950, and was graduated from New York School of Printing. Following the service he became a heating and air-conditioning apprentice. He now resides in East Islip.

## ROBERT H. SWEEZEY, Staff Sergeant

A longtime resident of Sayville, Mr. Swezey was born on March 19, 1948, and was graduated from Sayville High School in 1966. In 1977 he was graduated from Merced College, California. He served from July of 1967 until January of 1974 with the United States Air Force. He received his basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, served with the 306th Bomb Wing at McCoy Air Force Base, Florida, and then was stationed with the Military Advisory Command Headquarters in Saigon, Vietnam. He is merited with the Air Force Commendation Medal, and the Joint Service Commendation Medal.

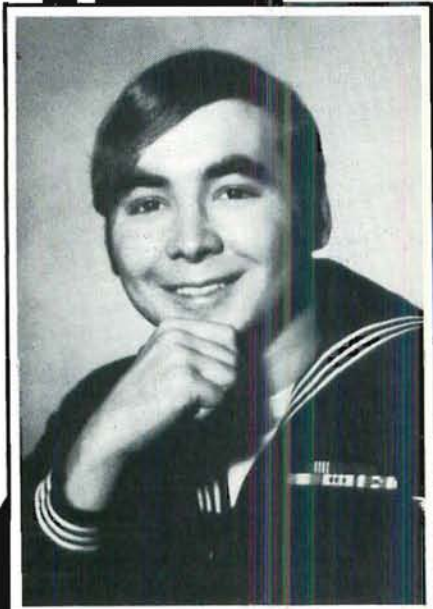
## CHARLES SWETLAND, Corporal

Corporal Swetland served with E Company, 2nd Battalion, 12th Division, 3rd Marine Division, Artillery Unit of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed north of Hue, Vietnam, and received the Presidential Unit Citation and a Purple Heart. A longtime resident of Brentwood, he was born on July 12, 1947, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1966. After the service he became employed as a dairy manager.

## PETER J. SZCZEBAK, Master Sergeant

Originally from Massachusetts, Mr. Szczebak was born on July 20, 1938, and was graduated from Technical High School, Springfield, Massachusetts, in 1956. In 1961 he attended the G.E. Apprentice Program in Syracuse, New York, and was graduated from Syracuse University. He currently resides in Islip Terrace, and is a senior engineer maintainability for Fairchild Republic Company. He began serving in February of 1956 with the 104th Tactical Fighter Group, RRPS/Iran, and with the 106th ARRG of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Massachusetts, North Dakota, Alaska, New York, France, and Iran. He is merited with the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon, National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, and the Sharpshooter and Expert Marksman Badges. (Photograph unavailable.)

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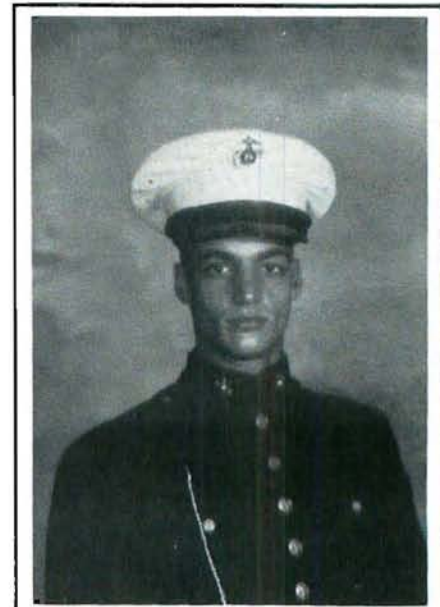
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CHARLES SWETLAND

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## NICHOLAS TAMBURELLO, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Brentwood, Mr. Tamburello was born on October 23, 1946, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964. He served from January of 1966 until January of 1969 with the Strategic Command of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Detrick, Maryland, and in Da Nang, Vietnam, and received the Sharpshooter Badge and the Good Conduct Medal. Following the service he became employed as an electronic technician. He currently resides in Smithsburg, Maryland.

## MICHAEL C. TAPPY, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Tappy served from June of 1966 until June of 1968 with the 553rd Engineer Company, Float Brigade, 18th Engineer Battalion, 1st Army, of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Rifle Marksman Badge. Born on October 25, 1946, and formerly of Elmhurst, New York, he was graduated from Newtown High School. He resides in West Islip, and is employed with the United States Postal Service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JEFFREY V. TEGER, Specialist 4th Class

Born on May 30, 1947, Mr. Teger resided in Brooklyn, New York, where he was graduated from Midwood High School in 1965. He attended Kingsborough Community College, and New York University, and became employed in retail management after the service. He served from March of 1967 until March of 1969 with Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, 23rd Infantry, 25th Infantry Division, Reconnaissance Unit, of the United States Army, and was stationed from Saigon to Tay Ninh, Vietnam. He received the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Army Commendation Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Sharpshooter and Expert Badges, and two Purple Hearts. He currently resides in Holbrook. (Photograph unavailable.)

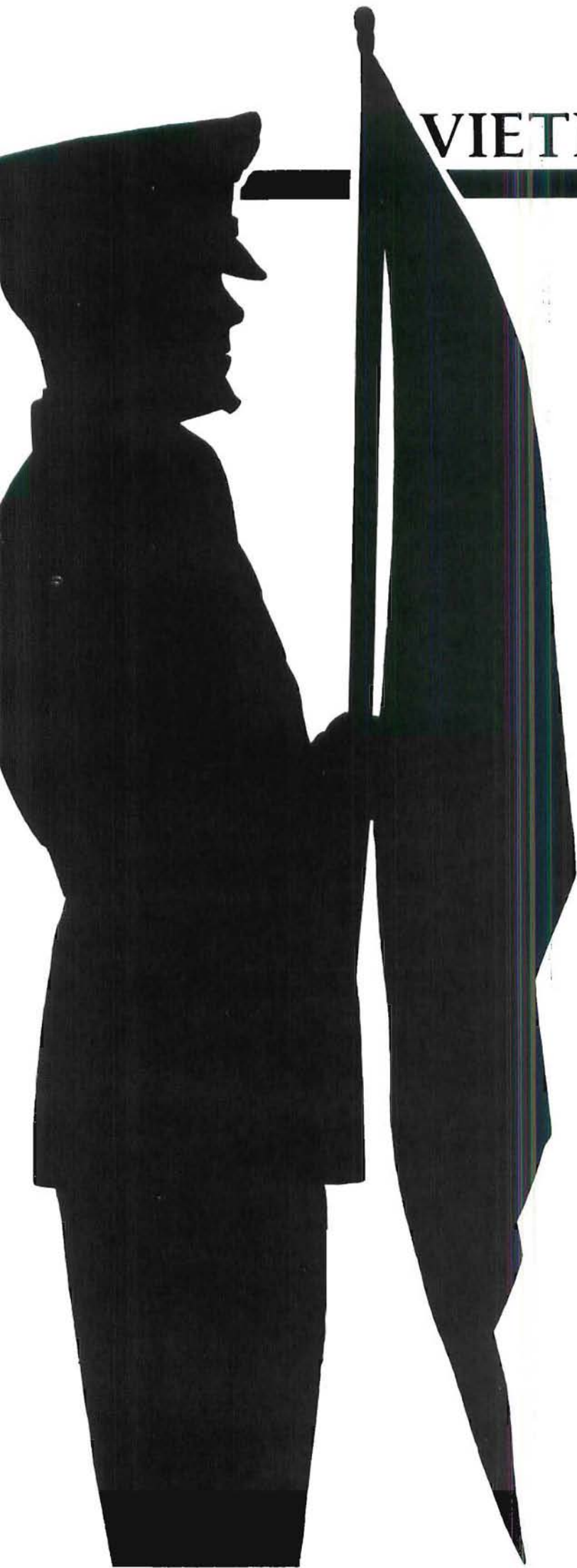
## EDWARD TELLIER, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Melbourne, Florida, Mr. Tellier was born on September 10, 1949, and was graduated from Satellite High School, Satellite Beach, Florida, in 1967. He served from September of 1969 until April of 1971 with the 58th Medical Battalion, Headquarters Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Long Binh, Vietnam. He resides in Holbrook, and has been employed as a customer service agent for U.S. Air, Inc., in LaGuardia Airport. (Photograph unavailable.)

## LARRY TERRACINO, Boatswain Mate 3rd Class

Boatswain Main 3/c Terracino served from 1963 until 1967 with the 6th Fleet of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Montrose, APA-212, was stationed primarily in the South Pacific, and is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation and the Vietnam Service Medal. Born on May 4, 1944, he resided in Seattle, Washington, where he was graduated from Franklin High School in 1962. He currently resides in Ronkonkoma. (Photograph unavailable.)

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NICHOLAS TAMBURELLO

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## KEN TERRY, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Terry served from November of 1966 until August of 1968 with the Headquarters Battery, 5th Battalion, 2nd Artillery of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Patchogue, New York, he was born on November 6, 1947, and was graduated from Patchogue High School in 1965. He resides in Bayport, and is employed with New York Telephone Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## THEODORE TERZAKOS, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Astoria, New York, Mr. Terzakos was born on October 7, 1947, was graduated from Long Island City High School in 1966, and settled in Bay Shore where he presently resides. He served from September of 1966 through August of 1968 with the 25th Infantry Division, Artillery, of the United States Army, was stationed mainly in Cu Chi, Vietnam, and received the Vietnam Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and the National Defense Service Medal. He is employed as a painting contractor.

## STEPHEN TETA, Specialist 4th Class

Born in January 21, 1948, Mr. Teta resided in Astoria, New York, and attended Bryan High School, Woodside, New York. He made his home in Islip Terrace, and is employed with New York Telephone Company. He served from January of 1968 until January of 1970 with Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 16th Infantry, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Lai Khe, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, and two Overseas Ribbons.

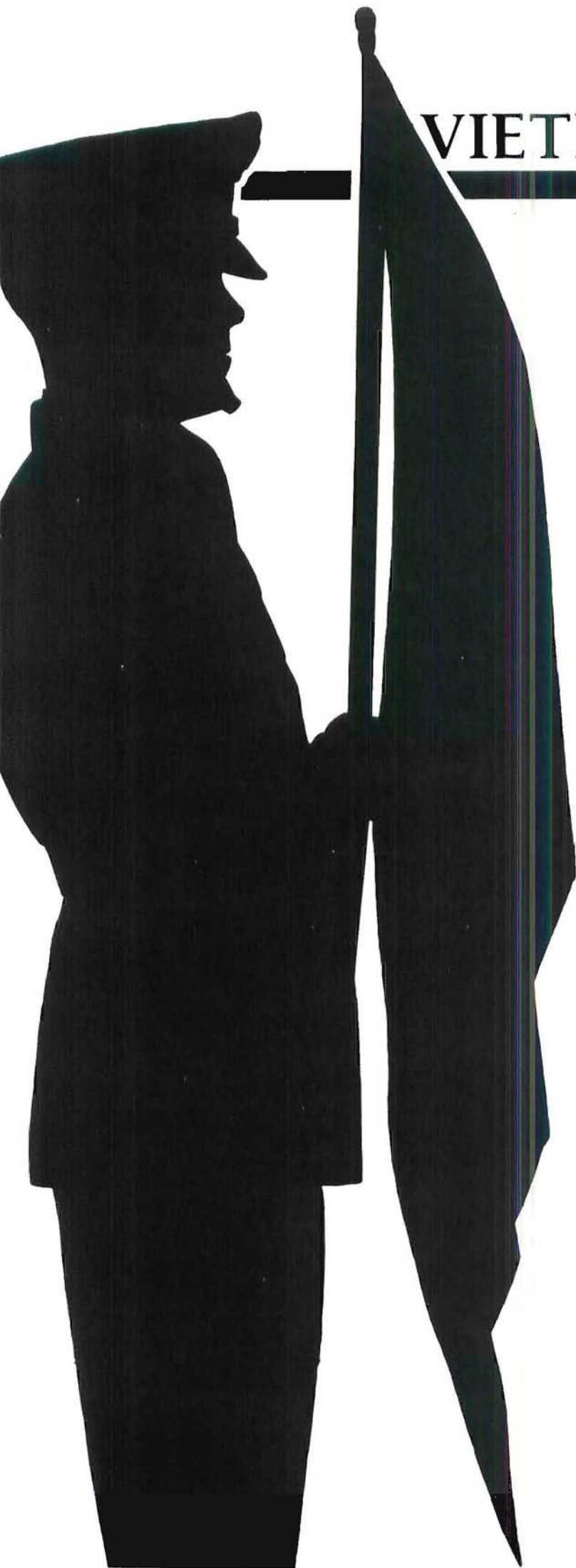
## RUSSELL J. TEUSCHLER, Corporal

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Teuschler was born on July 7, 1948, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1967. He served from December of 1967 until December of 1969 with C Company, 1st Battalion, 7th Marines, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam. He received the Presidential Unit Citation, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Combat Action Ribbon. He became a house painter after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT THOMAS, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Thomas service from December of 1965 until March of 1968 with the 1st Battalion, 1st Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Vietnam, North Carolina, and in California. Originally from Lindenhurst, New York, he was born on May 16, 1946, and was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1964. He resides in Oakdale, and is a technician for New York Telephone Company.

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THEODORE TERZAKOS



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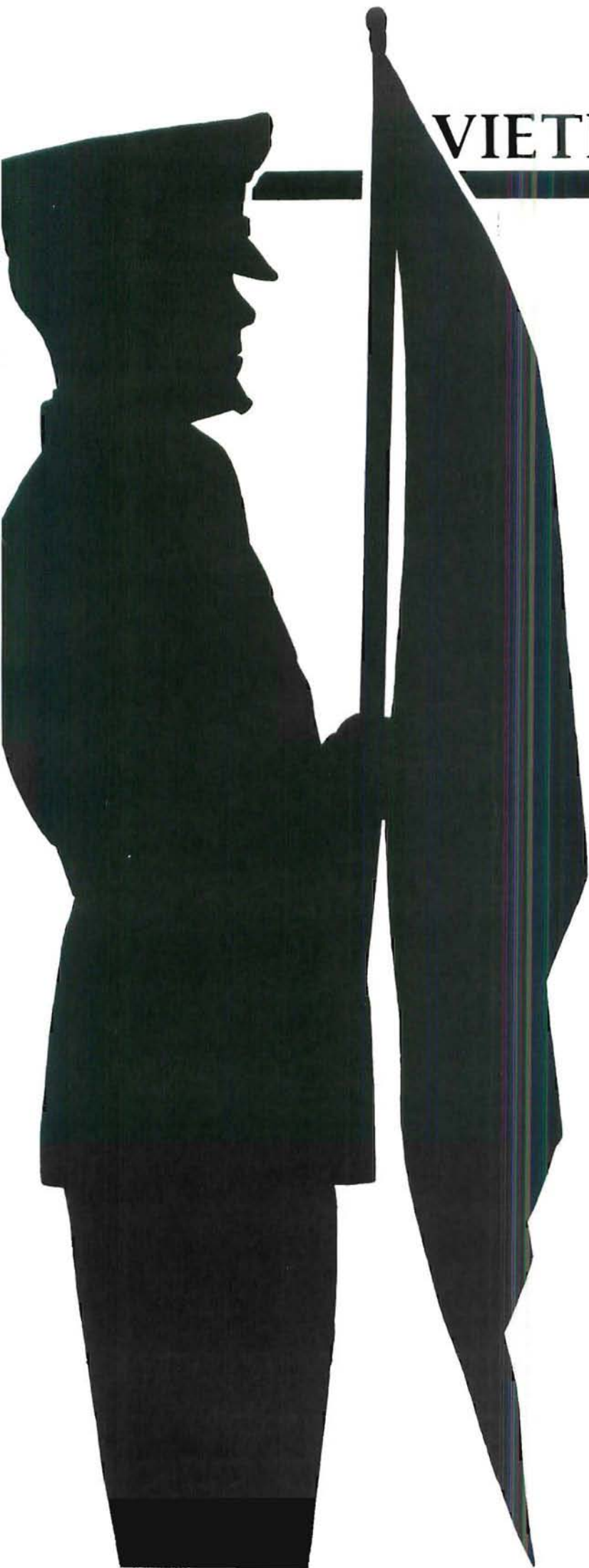
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## THOMAS B. THOMAS, Chief Master Sergeant

A veteran of World War II, Korea, and Vietnam, Chief Master Sergeant Thomas began serving in the United States Air Force at the age of 15. Born on October 3, 1930, he resided in Bay Shore where he attended Bay Shore High School. At the age of 13, he passed the physical for enlistment in the United States Merchant Marines. Because he was underage he did not enter the Merchant Marines as his parents would not sign the papers granting their permission. In 1945, he enlisted in the United States Air Force with his good friend, Harry Carney, also of Bay Shore. Both men received basic training in the same outfit at Kessler Field, Biloxi, Mississippi, went on to be trained as radio technicians at Scott Field, Illinois, and were stationed with the 5th Air Force in Korea. By the time he was 17 years old, Thomas had attained the rank of Staff Sergeant. In 1959, with the rank of Master Sergeant and a non-commissioned officer in charge in the property accounting section, he achieved the highest score ever recorded in the United States Air Force on his test (7 level, AFSC 64174) in this particular category. By December 1, 1955, at the age of 25, he had attained a permanent grade of Master Sergeant. In 1961, at the age of 30, he had attained the permanent grade of Senior Master Sergeant. On April 1, 1964, at the age of 33, he attained the permanent grade of Chief Master Sergeant, and is believed to have been the youngest man to attain this rank in the United States Air Force while in the service. On March 31, 1966 he retired from the Air Force at Patrick Air Force Base, Florida, at the age of 35. While in the service he was graduated from Officer Candidate correspondence course in February of 1958, from Supply Officer course in August of 1961, in October of 1961 from Budget Officer course, and from Personnel Counseling course in December of 1961. He also attended Air University, United States Air Force Extension course institute, and received a degree in Social Studies. He had been stationed in Japan, Korea, Vietnam, England, and in various locations in the United States as well. During his career he received the Occupation Medal of Japan, the Korean Service Medal with four Bronze Service Stars, the United Nations Service Medal, the Outstanding Unit Award, the Air Force Commendation Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters, the Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal (6 awards), the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon (4 awards), the American Defense Service Award, and the Small Arms Expert Ribbon as well. He passed away on October 23, 1973.

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THOMAS B. THOMAS



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## THOMAS A. THOMASEN, JR., Petty Officer 2nd Class

Petty Officer 2/c Thomasen served from July of 1969 until July of 1973 with the United States Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Shangri-La, CVA-38, and was stationed primarily in the Gulf of Tonkin, Vietnam. Originally from Bay Shore, he was born on May 16, 1951, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1969. He became a seaman after the service, and currently resides in Bayport. (Photograph unavailable.)

## DOUGLAS TINN, Airman

Originally from Farmingdale, New York, where he was graduated from Farmingdale High School in 1968, Mr. Tinn was born on November 18, 1949, resides in Ronkonkoma, and is an installer for New York Telephone Company. He served from April of 1970 until July of 1973 with the V2 Division of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Saratoga, and was stationed in the Gulf of Tonkin, Vietnam. He is merited with the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal.

## RAPHAEL J. TOMICH, Lieutenant Commander

Lieutenant Commander Tomich served from July of 1963 until December of 1966 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Okinawa, LPH-3, and was the officer-in-charge of Beachmaster Unit #2 during a six-month Mediterranean Cruise. He was stationed in Little Creek, Virginia, and is merited with the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. Born on January 15, 1942, he resided in East Rockaway, New York, was graduated from St. Agnes Cathedral High School in 1959, and in 1963 from St. John's University. He resides in Sayville, and is a salesman for New York Telephone Company.

## FRANK B. TOOKER, Sergeant

Sergeant Tooker served from 1963 until 1967 with the Communication Section, H & S Company, 1st Battalion, 9th Marines of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam. Formerly of Huntington Station, New York, where he attended Walt Whitman High School, he was born on June 24, 1945, and settled in Ronkonkoma where he now resides. He is currently a New York City Firefighter. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JULIO C. TORO, Specialist 4th Class

Born on March 1, 1947, Mr. Toro resided in Brooklyn, New York, before making his home in Islip Terrace where he presently resides. He was graduated from East New York Vocational and Technical High School in 1965, attended New York City Community College and Kingsborough Community College, and is now employed as a supervisor for a foreign brokerage firm. He served from July of 1966 until August of 1968 with the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment, 2nd Squadron, C Company of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Knox, Kentucky, and in Vietnam, and received the Combat Infantry Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and a Purple Heart as well.

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DOUGLAS TINN



RAPHAEL J. TOMICH



JULIO C. TORO

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## WILLIAM TORRACA, Specialist 5th Class/Staff Sergeant

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Torraca was born on April 20, 1950, was graduated from Samuel Gompers Vocational and Technical High School, Bronx, New York, in 1968, and attended Herbert H. Lehman College, Bronx. He served from August of 1969 until August of 1971 with the 91st Evacuation Hospital, M\*A\*S\*H, of the United States Army, and was stationed in Chu Lai, Vietnam. In June of 1973 he resumed his military career with the United States Air Force, and was stationed in the Philippines, Korea, and currently serving in Spain. He is merited with the Rifle Expert Badge, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal (Army), the Vietnam Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal (Air Force), the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon, and the Presidential Unit Citation. After serving in Vietnam, he became an assistant dietician.

## ENIO TORRES, Specialist 4th Class

Born on January 14, 1939, Mr. Torres resided in the Bronx, New York, was graduated from Seward Park High School in 1960, and made his home in West Islip where he presently resides. He served from October of 1961 until October of 1963 with E Company, 1st Airborne Battle Group, 501st Infantry, 3rd Army of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, and received the Parachutist Badge, the Pistol, Rifle, and Automatic Rifle Expert Badges, and achieved 1st Class Gunner (machine gun). He is currently employed as a worker for the New York City Department of Sanitation.

## JORGE L. TORRES, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Torres was born on February 23, 1948, and was graduated from Aviation High School in 1966. He served from January of 1967 until January of 1970 with the 205th Assault Support Helicopter Company of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Phu Loi, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resides in Brightwaters, and is a telephone repair technician.

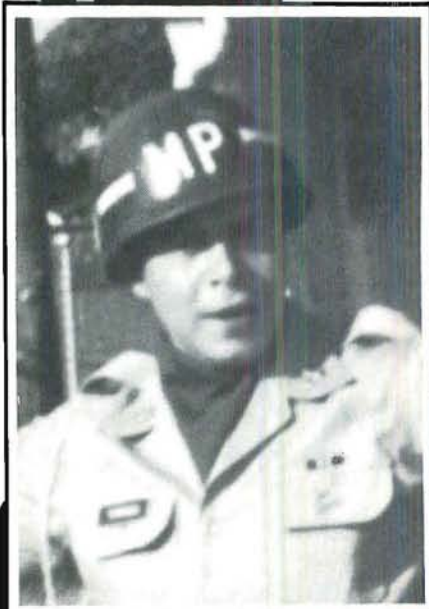
## MICHAEL A. TOSNER, Sergeant

Sergeant Tosner served from January of 1974 until July of 1977 with the United States Air Force, with the 351st Missile Security Squadron while stationed at Whitman Air Force Base, Montana, and with the 52nd Security Police Squadron while at Spangdahein Air Force Base, Germany. He was also stationed at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. A longtime resident of Bay Shore, he was born on June 26, 1954, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1973. He attended Suffolk County Community College, and is a New York City Police Officer.

## DENNIS R. TOTINO, Sergeant

Formerly of the Bronx, New York, and presently residing in Brentwood, Mr. Totino was born on January 18, 1941, and was graduated from Mt. St. Michael High School in 1958. He attended New York University for one year, and was graduated from New York Institute of Credit in 1968. He served from July of 1961 until July of 1967 with the United States Air Force Security Service, was stationed in Asia Minor, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the Expert Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, and a NATO Badge. He has been employed as a credit analyst. (Photograph unavailable.)

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WILLIAM TORRACA



ENIO TORRES



JORGE L. TORRES



MICHAEL A. TOSNER



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## DANIEL J. TRICOCHÉ, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from the Bronx, New York, Mr. Tricoche was born on November 6, 1944, was graduated from Roosevelt High School in 1962, and in 1978 from Suffolk County Community College. He served from November of 1966 until October of 1968 with Headquarters and Headquarters Company, was stationed in Brussels, Belgium, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. He resides in Holtsville, and is employed in sales. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GEORGE TRIMIGLIOZZI, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Petty Officer 3/c Trimigliozzi served from July of 1966 until April of 1970 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Talladega, APA-208, was stationed mainly in Long Beach, California, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, as well as the Good Conduct Medal. Born on May 4, 1947, and formerly of North Massapequa, New York, he was graduated from Farmingdale High School in 1965. He resides in Islip, and after the service became employed with the Sanitation Department of the Town of Oyster Bay. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT TRIPPTREE, JR., Sergeant

Sergeant Triptree served with I Company, 3rd Battalion, 9th Marines of the United States Marine Corps from July of 1965 until July of 1969, and was stationed North of Dong Ha, and in Khe Sahn, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Combat Action Ribbon, the Sharpshooter Badge, and a Purple Heart. Formerly of Sayville where he was graduated from Sayville High School in 1965, he was born on September 4, 1946. He made his home in West Sayville, and became involved in the restaurant business after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## LOUIS TROCCHIO, Corporal

Corporal Trocchio served from 1967 until 1969 with D Company, Troop Command of the United States Army, was stationed in Long Binh, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry. Born on February 18, 1946, he resided in Brooklyn, New York, and attended Brooklyn Manual High School. He resides in West Islip, and is employed with Entenmann's Bakery. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JEFFREY A. TRUAX, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Brentwood, Mr. Truax was born on January 12, 1950, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1968. He settled in Huntington, New York, where he currently resides, and became a sales manager for Macy's after the service. He served from December of 1968 until June of 1972 with the 8th RRFS, 509th Radio Research Group, Military Advisory Command of the United States Army, and was stationed in Northern I Corp, and in Phu Pui, Vietnam. He received the Vietnam Service Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, and the Grenade Expert Badge.

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JEFFREY A. TRUAX

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## EDWARD T. TRUHLAR, Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. Truhlar was born on June 14, 1946, and was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1963. He attended Hofstra University, and is a police officer. He served from March of 1966 until March of 1968 with Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3rd Battalion, 6th Infantry of the United States Army, and was stationed in Berlin, Germany. He is merited with the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Army of Occupation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Expert Infantry Badge, and is also a weapons expert and helicopter qualified.

## JOSEPH J. TRUHLAR, Lieutenant

Lieutenant Truhlar served from June of 1962 until August of 1966 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. San Pablo, AGS-30, the U.S.S. Randolph, CVS-15, the U.S.S. Wasp, CVS-9, the U.S.S. Waller, DDE-466, and aboard the U.S.S. Suffolk County, LST-1173. He received the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Navy Expeditionary Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. Born on December 8, 1940, and a longtime resident of East Islip, he was graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School in 1958. In 1962 he received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Columbia University, his Master of Science in 1968 from Hofstra University, another M.S. degree from Hofstra in 1973, a Professional Diploma in 1974, and in 1986 he received his Doctorate of Education, also from Hofstra. He became an educator after the service, and is currently a police officer.

## ANTHONY TUFANO, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Tufano was born on January 1, 1948, attended John Jay High School, received his diploma while in the service, and attended John Jay College of Criminal Justice. He resides in Brentwood, and is a New York City Police Officer. He served from September of 1966 until September of 1969 with the 1st Cavalry Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in An Khe, Vietnam, and in Bamberg, Germany, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, the Unit Citation, and a Purple Heart as well.

## RAYMOND TUHEY, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Tuhey served from February of 1964 until February of 1966, with the 1098th Medium Boat Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Qui Nhon, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal. Born on January 17, 1945, and formerly of Hicksville, New York, where he was graduated from Hicksville High School in 1963, he settled in Ronkonkoma where he now resides. He is employed as a mechanic.

## PETER TULIPAN, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Queens Village, New York, Mr. Tulipan was born on June 1, 1943, was graduated from Martin VanBuren High School in 1962, and attended New York Institute of Technology for three years. He served from January of 1966 until November of 1967 with the 180th Aviation Company, 10th Combat Aviation Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in Cam Rahn Bay and Tuy Hoa, Vietnam. He earned the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Rifle Expert Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. He resides in Islip, and is a police officer.

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EDWARD T. TRUHLAR



JOSEPH J. TRUHLAR



ANTHONY TUFANO



RAYMOND TUHEY



PETER TULIPAN



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## MARTIN TULKOP, Sergeant

Sergeant Tulkop served from January of 1967 until December of 1970 with the 22nd Air Force Data Processing Headquarters Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Travis Air Force Base, California. Born on November 5, 1947, and originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from Thomas Jefferson High School in 1965. He resides in Bohemia, and is a computer programmer. (Photograph unavailable.)

## KURT H. TUMMEL, SR., Specialist 4th Class

Originally from North Babylon, New York, where he was graduated from North Babylon High School in 1966, Mr. Tummel was born on April 19, 1948, and made his home in West Islip where he now resides. He served from December of 1966 until November of 1969 with the Signal Corps, A Company, 447th Signal Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam. Following the service he became employed with a telephone company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JOHN H. TURULL, Yeoman 3rd Class

Yeoman 3/c Turull served from January of 1963 until February of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Seneca, AT-91, aboard the U.S.S. Sheldrake, AG-19, and aboard the U.S.S. Chukawan, AO-100, was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal and Honorable Discharge as well. He was born on September 28, 1943, resided in Brooklyn, New York, and was graduated from Eastern District High School in 1962. He attended New York City Community College, and currently resides in East Islip.

## DANIEL H. TUSHENSKE, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Bay Shore, Mr. Tushenske was born on January 5, 1948, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1967. He served from February of 1968 until November of 1971 as a communications specialist with the 92nd Engineer Battalion of the United States Army, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal. He resides in West Islip, and is a prototype wireman. (Photograph unavailable.)

## SYLVESTER W. UHL, JR., Corporal

Corporal Uhl served from October of 1968 until October of 1971 with C Company, 1st Battalion, 26th Infantry, I Company, of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed primarily north of Da Nang, Vietnam, and received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Action Badge, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on July 18, 1950, he resided in Brooklyn, New York, and was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School in 1968. Following the service, he became employed as a steel worker, and he presently resides in Brentwood. (Photograph unavailable.)

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JOHN H. TURULL

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## HARRY J. UMANSKY, Damage Controlman 3rd Class

Born on August 31, 1948, Mr. Umansky resided in East Islip, attended East Islip High School, and received his diploma while in the Navy. He served from October of 1965 until August of 1969, and then from January of 1973 until November of 1975, with the United States Navy, with the Naval Security Intelligence Support Activity, in Da Nang, Vietnam, and with the Support Activity, in Chu Lai, Vietnam. He earned the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Navy Accommodation Medal, the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, and the Navy and Presidential Unit Citations. He resides in West Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

## GARY UNDT, Specialist 5th Class

A longtime resident of Blue Point, Mr. Undt was born on April 27, 1948, and was graduated from Bayport-Blue Point High School. He served from January of 1968 until September of 1970 with the Military Police Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Long Binh, Vietnam, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal. He became employed in electronics after the service.

## GEORGE A. URIBE, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Uribe served from February of 1966 until November of 1967 with the 592nd Transportation Unit, 57th Battalion, 500th Group, 1st Logistic Command of the United States Army, and was stationed in Cam Rahn Bay, and Phan Rang, Vietnam. He received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Unit Citation. He resided in East Northport, New York, when he entered the service, and attended Aviation High School in Queens, New York, but was graduated from Sayville High School. Born on September 16, 1943, he attended Adelphi University, Suffolk County Community College, and Dowling College. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is the owner of Island Delivery in Ronkonkoma.

## JOSEPH N. VANDERBECK, Sergeant

Sergeant Vanderbeck served with D Company, 5th Battalion, 2nd Brigade of the United States Army, from 1968 until 1970, and was stationed at Fort Gordon, Georgia. A longtime resident of Brightwaters, he was born on December 31, 1947, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1965. In 1967 he was graduated from Culinary Institute of America, and is now a chef.

## ARNOLD VAN PATTEN, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Amityville, New York, Mr. VanPatten was born on April 30, 1943, and was graduated from Amityville Memorial High School in 1960. He served from May of 1966 until May of 1968 with the 1st Aviation Brigade, 11th Aviation Battalion, 128th Assault Helicopter Company of the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam. He is merited with the Air Crewman Badge, the Good Conduct Medal, the Air Medal with two Bronze Stars, the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resides in Bay Shore, and is a service technician for New York Telephone Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

# VIETNAM VETERANS



GARY UNDT



GEORGE A. URIBE



JOSEPH N. VANDERBECK



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## CHARLES R. VAN PELT, (Rank Unknown)

A longtime resident of Central Islip, Mr. Van Pelt was born on November 26, 1955, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1974. He served from August of 1974 until August of 1976 with the United States Navy, and was stationed primarily in North Carolina. While in the service, he received the Good Conduct Medal.

## VINCENT L. VAN WYEN, Corporal

Corporal Van Wyen served from April of 1963 until April of 1967 with B Company, 1st Battalion, 1st Marines, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang and Phu Bai, Vietnam, and is merited with a Purple Heart. Born on January 11, 1945, and originally from West Sayville, he was graduated from New York Military Academy in 1962. Following the service he became employed as a mechanic, and he currently resides in Tucson, Arizona.

## DOMINGO VASQUEZ, JR., Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Vasquez served with A Company, 1st Battalion, 8th Cavalry of the United States Army from November of 1967 through November of 1969, and was stationed in the Demilitarized Zone in Vietnam. He received the Combat Infantry Badge, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Air Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on February 7, 1946, and was graduated from Woodrow Wilson High School. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed in data processing.

## RICHARD VASTOLA, Specialist 4th Class

Born on May 2, 1943, and a longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Vastola was graduated from Brentwood High School. He served from February of 1965 until February of 1967 with the 10th Transportation Unit of the United States Army, and was stationed in Cam Rahn Bay, Vietnam. After the service, he became employed in real estate.

## FERNANDO L. VAZQUEZ, Airman 1st Class

Airman 1/c Vazquez served from October of 1968 until June of 1970 with the 355th Field Maintenance Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Takhli, Thailand, and received the United States Service Medal. A longtime resident of Bay Shore, he was born on October 15, 1950, was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1968, and also attended Dowling College. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ANTHONY VATTIATO, Boatswain Mate 3rd Class

Originally from Brentwood, where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1964, Mr. Vattiato was born on March 6, 1947, and was graduated from Suffolk County Community College in 1978. He served from February of 1966 until November of 1969 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Chevalier, DD-805, was stationed along the coast of Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal with three Bronze Service Stars, and the Navy Unit Commendation Medal. He resides in Holtsville, and is the postmaster of the Bellport Post Office.

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CHARLES R. VAN PELT



VINCENT L. VAN WYEN



DOMINGO VASQUEZ, JR.



RICHARD VASTOLA



ANTHONY VATTIATO

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## VICTOR R. VELEZ-TORRES, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Velez-Torres served from July of 1959 until July of 1967 as a radio and navigational aids maintenance person with the 1st Air Command Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed at Bien Hoa and Pleiku Air Force Bases, Vietnam, and at Udorn Air Force Base, Thailand. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on October 18, 1940, and was graduated from Aviation High School in 1959. He resides in Bay Shore, and after the service became employed as an installer for New York Telephone Company.

## HAROLD L. VELLIA, Staff Sergeant

A longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Vellia was born on March 24, 1947, attended Midwood High School, Brooklyn, New York, and was graduated from West Islip High School in 1965. He served from July of 1966 until May of 1976 with the 1st Marine Air Wing of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam, and in Japan, and received the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry. Following the service he became employed in sales.

## ROBERT J. VERITO, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Verito served with the 529th Signal Company of the United States Army, from July of 1961 through July of 1963, was stationed in Florida, Colorado, Washington, and France, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Born on October 30, 1942, he was graduated in 1960 from New Utrecht High School in Brooklyn, New York, where he resided before settling in Bay Shore. He is employed as a mason tender for Local Union #23.

## GIULIO A. VERRELLI, Corporal

Corporal Verrelli served from September of 1965 until September of 1968 with C Company, 1st Marine Division, 1st Shore Party Battalion of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed primarily in Da Nang, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. Formerly of Smithtown, New York, he was born on June 12, 1945, was graduated from Thomas A. Edison High School in 1963, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He resides in Holtsville, and is employed with the Long Island Rail Road.

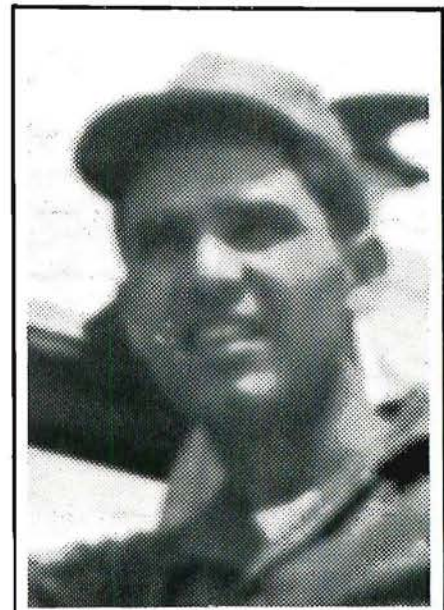
## ROBERT N. VERTUCCI, Airman

Originally from Queens, New York, Mr. Vertucci was born on June 20, 1949, and was graduated from Eastern District High School in 1968. He served from October of 1968 until October of 1972 with the VA-52 Air Squadron of the United States Navy, was stationed in the Gulf of Tonkin, and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the National Defense Service Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal, and the Combat Action Ribbon as well. He resides in West Sayville, and is employed with the Long Island Rail Road. (Photograph unavailable.)

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HAROLD L. VELLIA



VICTOR R. VELEZ-TORRES



ROBERT J. VERITO



GIULIO A. VERRELLI



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## JOSEPH J. VINCENTI, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Bethpage, New York, where he was graduated from Bethpage High School in 1967, Mr. Vincenti was born on September 6, 1949. He served from October of 1968 until June of 1970 with B Company, 1st Battalion, 61st Infantry, 1st Brigade, 5th Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Army Commendation Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, the Bronze Star Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, two Overseas Ribbons, and a Purple Heart as well. He resides in Brentwood, and is a shipping clerk for General Motors Corporation.

## MICHAEL J. VIROSTEK, Sergeant

Sergeant Virostek served from June of 1964 until June of 1967 with D Company, Weapons Platoon, 1st Battalion, 1st Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, and was stationed in the Carolinas, California, and in Da Nang, Chu Lai, and Phu Bai, Vietnam. He received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Vietnam Service Medal, the United States Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Navy Unit Commendation Medal, and two Purple Hearts. Formerly of Brentwood, he was born on August 26, 1943, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1962. He resides in West Sayville, and is a cable splicer for New York Telephone Company.

## ROBERT J. VOGT, Sergeant

Born on October 28, 1947, and formerly of Staten Island, New York, Mr. Vogt was graduated from New Dorp High School, Staten Island, in 1966. He resides in Islip Terrace, and is a police officer for the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey. He served from August of 1967 until April of 1969 with Headquarters Battery, 2nd Battalion, 94th Artillery of the United States Army, was stationed at Camp J.J. Carroll in Quang Tri, Vietnam, and is merited with the Army Commendation Medal.

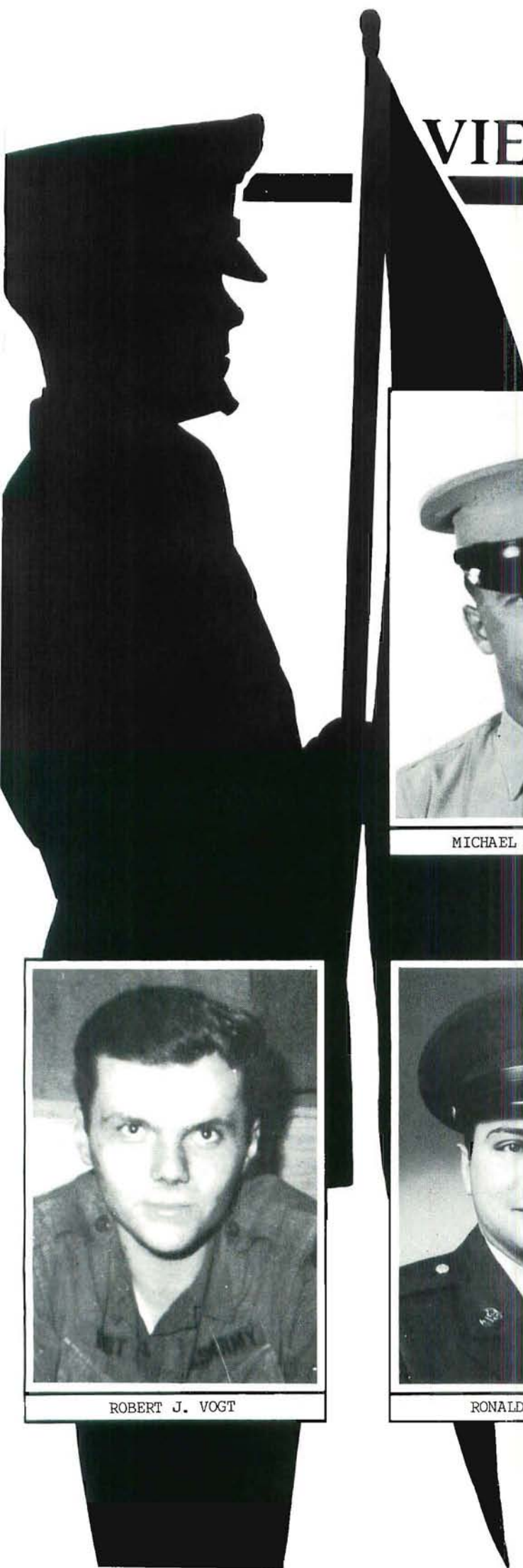
## EDWARD J. VOLAVKA, JR., Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Volavka was born on June 10, 1942, was graduated from Islip High School in 1960, from Suffolk County Community College in 1973, and in 1977 from Dowling College. He served from May of 1964 until May of 1966 with the 69th Signal Battalion and the 41st Signal Battalion of the United States Army. He was stationed at Fort Eustis, Virginia, and in Cam Rahn Bay and Nha Trang, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal. He is employed as a lineman for the Long Island Lighting Company.

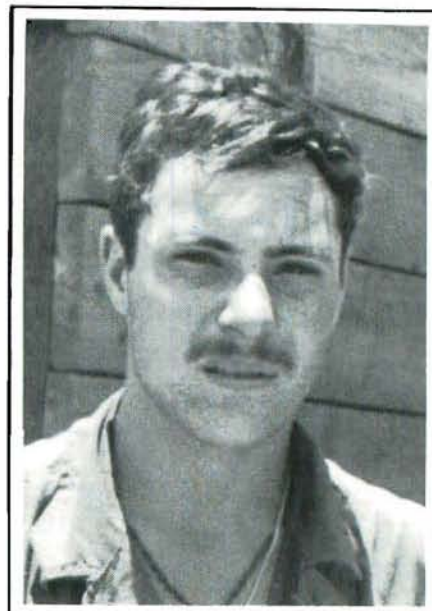
## RONALD M. VOLPE, Specialist 5th Class

Specialist 5/c Volpe served from 1968 until 1971 with the 630th Ordnance Company, 184th Ordnance Battalion, 1st Logistic Command of the United States Army, and was stationed in the Central Highlands of Vietnam. Originally from Babylon, New York, he was born on January 11, 1944, and made his home in Brentwood where he presently resides. Following the service, he became an assembler for Fairchild Republic Company.

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MICHAEL J. VIROSTEK



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## RAUL R. VOSGERICHIAN, Specialist 5th Class

Born on February 12, 1949, and formerly of Bay Shore, Mr. Vosgerichian was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1965, and attended the University of Maryland and SUNY at Farmingdale. He served from July of 1966 until July of 1968 with Headquarters and Service Battalion, 24th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed chiefly in Munich, Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Selden, New York, and is a commercial painter.

## ROGER V. VOSGERICHIAN, Corporal

Corporal Vosgerichian served from October of 1965 until November of 1967 with the 7th Marines of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Vietnam, and received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Born on June 9, 1944, He resided in Bay Shore, and was graduated from Plattsburgh High School in 1960. He disappeared shortly after his discharge from the service, and has been missing since.

## KENNETH VOSSELMAN, Sergeant

Sergeant Vosselman served with C Company, 3rd Battalion, 187th Infantry, 101st Airborne Division of the United States Army from 1969 until 1971, was stationed in Hue and Phu Bai, Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, the Air Medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Originally from Elmont, New York, he was born on June 3, 1949, was graduated from Elmont Memorial High School in 1967, and attended Nassau County Community College and SUNY at Farmingdale. He resides in Holbrook, and is a police officer.

## EDWARD A. VUOLO, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Bay Shore, Mr. Vuolo was born on September 15, 1948, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1966. He served from May of 1968 through December of 1969 with the Headquarters Special Troops, Data Service Center of the United States Army, was stationed in Long Binh, Vietnam, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Army Commendation Medal, two Overseas Ribbons, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Unit Citation, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Palm. He resides in Georgia, and is a credit manager.

## EDWARD E. VYSKOCIL, Sergeant

Sergeant Vyskocil served from August of 1972 through July of 1974 with A Company, 97th Signal Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Manheim, Germany, and received the Mechanic and Repairman Badge. Born on August 23, 1953, he resided in North Bellmore, New York, and was graduated from W.C. Mephram High School in 1971. In 1983 he was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale, and is a plumber. He currently resides in Islip Terrace. (Photograph unavailable.)

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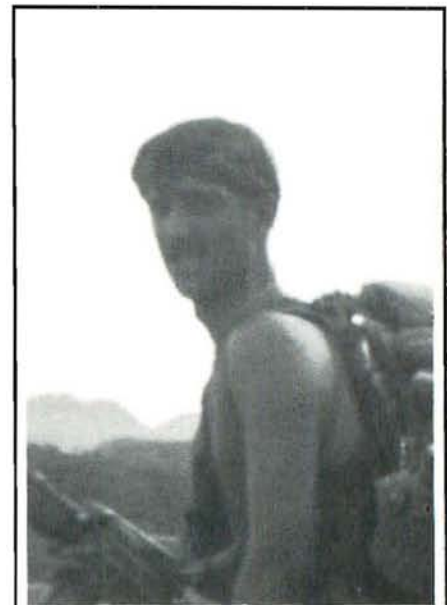
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RAUL R. VOSGERICHIAN



EDWARD A. VUOLO



KENNETH VOSSELMAN

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KENNETH J. WAGEMANN, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Franklin Square, New York, Mr. Wagemann was born on August 17, 1942, was graduated from Sewanhaka High School, and attended C.W. Post College for three years. He served from January of 1966 until January of 1968 with the 591st Transportation Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Ilisheim, Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. He resides in Holbrook, and following the service became employed in banking. (Photograph unavailable.)

MICHAEL A. WAGNER, Private

Private Wagner served from January of 1974 until January of 1976 with C Battery, 6th Battalion, 56th ADA of the United States Army, was stationed primarily in Germany, and received the National Defense Service Medal. A longtime resident of Brentwood, he was born on September 13, 1954, and was graduated from Brentwood High School. After the service he became a taxi driver/dispatcher. He passed away on January 28, 1986.

THOMAS F. WAGNER, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Wagner was born on September 25, 1952, was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1970, and attended Suffolk County Community College. He served from November of 1970 until July of 1972 with the 69th Ordnance Company, Southern European Task Force of the United States Army, and was stationed chiefly in Italy. He is employed in construction. (Photograph unavailable.)

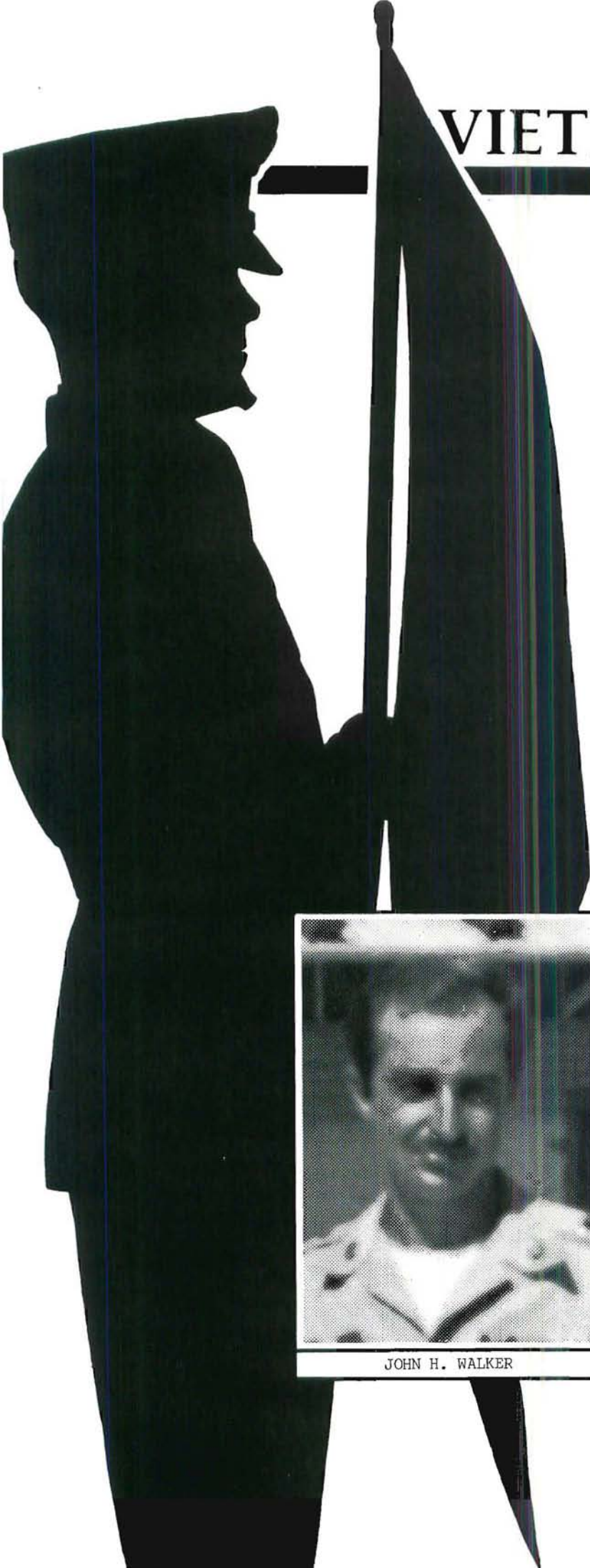
JOHN H. WALKER, Sergeant

Sergeant Walker served with the 2nd Battalion, 19th Artillery, 1st Air Cavalry of the United States Army, from October of 1967 until June of 1969, was stationed mainly in Quang Tri and Tay Ninh, Vietnam, and is merited with the Bronze Star Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Formerly of Copiague, New York, he was born on November 9, 1944, and was graduated from Copiague High School in 1963. He currently resides in Bayport, and is employed as a draftsman.

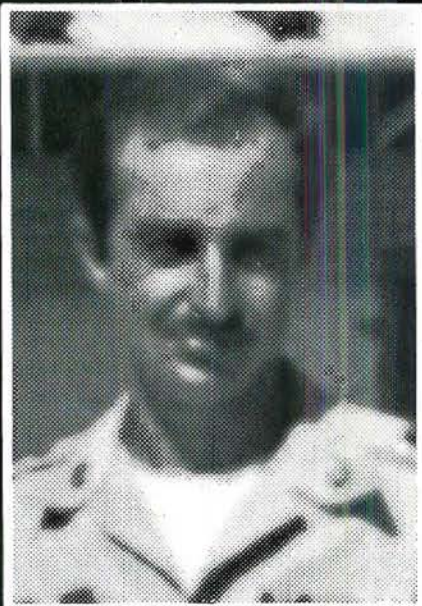
ANGUS M. WALL, JR., Petty Officer 2nd Class

Born on December 4, 1951, Mr. Wall resided in Long Beach, New York, and was graduated from Long Beach High School in 1969. In 1982 he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College, attended New York Polytechnic Institute, and is an electronic technician. He served from November of 1970 until October of 1976 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Holland, AS-32, was stationed in the Atlantic Ocean, and received the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal.

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MICHAEL A. WAGNER



JOHN H. WALKER



ANGUS M. WALL, JR.

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## KENNETH WALL, Sergeant

Sergeant Wall served from January of 1965 until October of 1968 with the United States Air Force, with the 53rd Weather Reconnaissance, Detachment #2, with the 57th Reconnaissance for B-52 missions, and with the 9th Field Maintenance for SR-71 operations. He was stationed in Georgia, California, and the Philippines, and received the Presidential Unit Citation and the Distinguished Unit Citation. Born on March 4, 1946, and formerly of Lindenhurst, New York, he was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1964. He resides in West Islip, and is a cargo handler for Eastern Airlines. (Photograph unavailable.)

## LUKE WALSH, Molder 3rd Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Walsh was born on January 31, 1945, and was graduated from Alexander Hamilton Vocational and Technical High School in 1962. He served from August of 1965 through August of 1968 with E Division of the United States Navy, and was stationed in South Carolina, Guam, and Scotland. He resides in Central Islip, and is employed in security systems.

## THOMAS R. WALSH, AT 3rd Class

Born on October 24, 1942, Mr. Walsh resided in Massapequa Park, New York, was graduated from Massapequa High School in 1961, and made his home in Oakdale where he presently resides. He served from November of 1961 until February of 1966 with the 211th Fighter Squadron of the United States Navy, was stationed at the Mirimar Naval Air Station and aboard the U.S.S. Hancock, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal and the Vietnam Service Medal. Following the service he became employed as an electronic technician for Grumman Aerospace Corporation.

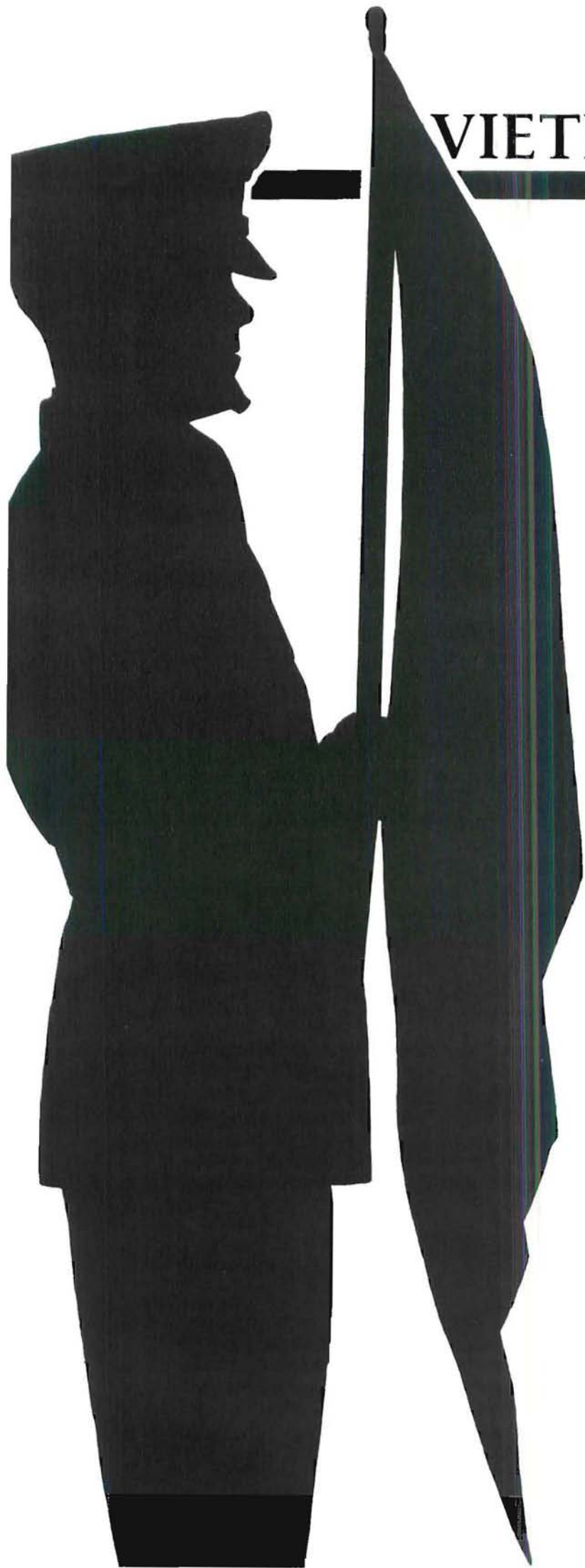
## WILLIAM F. WALSH, Airman 2nd Class

Airman 2/c Walsh served from June of 1960 until May of 1964 with the United States Air Force, was stationed in Springfield, Massachusetts, and in Saigon, Vietnam, and received the Good Conduct Medal and the Southeast Asia Campaign Medal. Originally from Brooklyn, New York, he was born on April 15, 1943, was graduated from William E. Grady Vocational High School, and attended SUNY at Farmingdale. He currently resides in Hauppauge, and is employed with Pan American Airlines. (Photograph unavailable.)

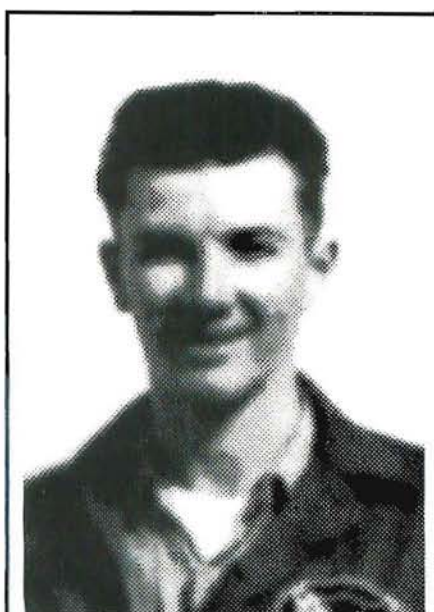
## WILLIAM J. WALSH, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Walsh served with A Battery, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines of the United States Marine Corps, from July of 1966 through May of 1969, and was stationed in Hue, Phue Bai, Khe Sahn, Vietnam, as well as in Cuba and the Mediterranean Sea. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Presidential Unit Citation with one Bronze Service Star, the Combat Action Ribbon, and the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge. Born on June 15, 1947, he resided in East Islip, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1966. He was graduated from GTE Sylvania Technical School in 1973, became employed as an alarm serviceman for Honeywell Inc. after the service, and currently resides in Islip Terrace. (Photograph unavailable.)

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LUKE WALSH



THOMAS R. WALSH



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## EDWARD W. WALTERS, JR., 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Walters served from November of 1966 through August of 1968 with the 51st Cavalry Platoon, 3rd Battalion, 1st Air Cavalry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed near Da Nang, Vietnam. He received the Bronze Star Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Medal of Honor, and the New York State Conspicuous Service Cross. Formerly of Central Islip, he was born on October 31, 1943, and was graduated from Central Islip High School in 1961. In 1965 he received his B.S. degree from Bowling Green State University, his M.A. degree from Adelphi University in 1970, and in 1975, he received his Professional Diploma from Hofstra University. He resides in Blue Point, and is a school administrator.

## DAVID A. WARDEN, JR., Petty Officer 2nd Class

Born on March 7, 1947, and formerly of Baldwin, New York, he made his home in West Islip, and is employed as an electronic technician. He served from February of 1965 until October of 1968 with the United States Navy, and was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Haddo, SSN-604. (Photograph unavailable.)

## H. WILLIAM WARNER III, 1st Lieutenant

First Lieutenant Warner served with the 1st Battalion, 11th Infantry, 5th Division of the United States Army from October of 1966 until July of 1969, and was stationed in Quang Tri, Vietnam. Formerly of Massapequa, New York, he was born on December 22, 1941, and was graduated from Massapequa High School in 1959. In 1966 he was graduated from Southern Illinois University. He resides in Brightwaters, and is employed in telecommunications. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ERNEST W. WARREN, Chief Petty Officer

A Korean veteran as well as a Vietnam veteran, Mr. Warren was born on November 28, 1933, and has resided in West Islip since 1965. He served from January of 1952 until June of 1971 aboard the U.S.S. Alshain, AKA-55, the U.S.S. Prevail, AGS-20, the U.S.S. Hermitage, LSD-34, the U.S.S. Grant County, LST-1174, the U.S.S. Hickman County, LST-825, the U.S.S. Clarke County, LST-601, and aboard the U.S.S. Simon Lake, AS-33, of the United States Navy. He was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia, Valley Stream, New York, and in San Juan, Puerto Rico. After his discharge he became employed as an appliance repairman for Sears Roebuck and Company. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ROBERT WARREN, Staff Sergeant

A longtime resident of Brentwood, Mr. Warren was born on April 29, 1951, and was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1969. He served from December of 1970 until January of 1983 with the 169th Signal Company, 1st Signal Brigade, 2nd, 71st, and 38th Brigades, 235th Signal Detachment of the United States Army. He was stationed in Korea, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, and in New Haven, Connecticut, and is merited with four Good Conduct Medals, the Army Commendation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

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EDWARD W. WALTERS, JR.

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GERALD R. WASIK, Electrician's Mate 2nd Class

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Wasik was born on August 30, 1948, and was graduated from Eli Whitney Vocational High School in 1966. He served from June of 1967 until March of 1971, with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Samuel N. Moore, DD-747, and aboard the U.S.S. Leonard F. Mason, DD-852, was stationed in South Vietnam, and in the Gulf of Tonkin, Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resides in Holbrook, and is a signal maintainer for the New York City Transit Authority.

EDWARD J. WEBER, Specialist 4th Class

Born on May 11, 1944, Mr. Weber resided in Queens, New York, before making his home in West Islip where he now resides. He served from June of 1965 until May of 1967 with the 85th Evacuation Hospital of the United States Army, was stationed in Qui Nhon, Vietnam, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Following the service he became a deckhand, and is currently a captain.

RICHARD K. WEBER, Corporal

Corporal Weber served from April of 1968 until March of 1970 with the 15th MABS, the 15th MAG, and the 1st MAW, of the United States Marine Corps, was stationed in Japan, and is merited with the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Rifle Expert Badge. Originally from Amityville, New York, he was born on March 29, 1948, and was graduated from Amityville High School. He currently resides in Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

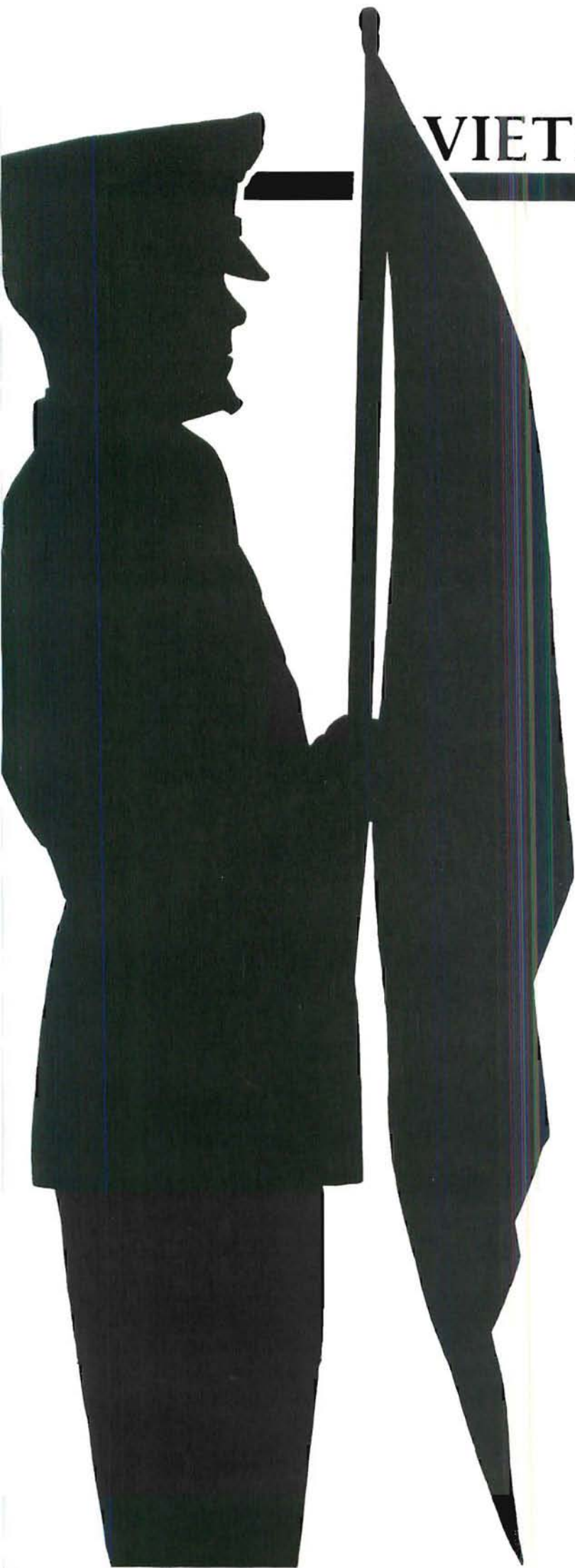
ARTHUR T. WEISSER, Sergeant

Sergeant Weisser served from January of 1968 until August of 1969 with the 196th LIB, C Battery, 3rd Battalion, 82nd Artillery, Americal Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in the Que Son Valley and I Corps, in Vietnam. Formerly of Islip, he was born on October 23, 1947, attended Suffolk County Community College, and New York University. He presently resides in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

ALAN WELLS, Personnelman 3rd Class

Formerly of Wantagh, New York, where he was graduated from Wantagh High School, Mr. Wells was born on May 22, 1945, and attended Nassau County Community College. He served with the United States Navy from October of 1963 until September of 1967 aboard the U.S.S. Vancouver, LPD-2, and was stationed in the South China Sea. With more than 13 assault landings on Vietnam, he received the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He resides in Sayville, and is a police officer. (Photograph unavailable.)

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GERALD R. WASIK



EDWARD J. WEBER

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## CHARLES W. WENDEL, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Wendel served from August of 1970 until April of 1974 with the 315th Combat Support Group of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Phan Rang, Vietnam, Korat, Thailand, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, and is merited with the Airman of the Quarter Award and the Air Force Commendation Medal. Born on March 17, 1950, and formerly of Copiague, New York, he was graduated from Copiague High School in 1968, received his Associate's degree in Political Science from SUNY at Farmingdale in 1970, and also attended John Jay College of Criminal Justice. He resides in Holbrook, and is a police detective.

## RICHARD J. WERNER, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Brentwood, where he was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1965, Mr. Werner was born on August 14, 1947, resides in West Islip, and became employed in maintenance after the service. He served from December of 1967 until January of 1969 with the 1st Field Force, 3rd Battalion, 6th Artillery Group of the United States Army, was stationed in Pleiku, Co Tum, Dak To, and Khe Sahn, Vietnam, and received the Bronze Star Medal, the New York State Conspicuous Service Cross, and the Good Conduct Medal. (Photograph unavailable.)

## ALLEN R. WESTBY, Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of East Islip, Mr. Westby was born on November 1, 1946, and was graduated from East Islip High School in 1964. He served from January of 1966 until January of 1968 with the 554th and the 553rd Engineer Companies of the United States Army, and was stationed at Fort Gordon, Georgia, at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, at Fort Lewis, Washington, and in Vietnam as well. He is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, and the Overseas Ribbon. He became an equipment technician for New York Telephone Company after the service.

## WILLIAM R. WEYRICK, Specialist 4th Class

Born on May 20, 1947, and a longtime resident of West Islip, Mr. Weyrick attended Ithaca College, Ithaca, New York. He served from 1969 until 1971 with the 369th Signal Battalion of the United States Army Signal Corps, was stationed at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, and in Vietnam, and received the Overseas Ribbon and the Vietnam Service Medal. Following his discharge, he became employed as a driver, and then in sales.

## RICHARD G. WHITAKER, Specialist 4th Class

Specialist 4/c Whitaker served from February of 1964 until March of 1982 with C Company, 6th Battalion, 2nd Regiment, 2nd Infantry Division of the United States Army, and was stationed in Europe and Asia. Originally from Kingston, New York, he was born on September 17, 1942, was graduated from Kingston High School in 1960, and in 1966 from college. He currently resides in Bay Shore, and is a restaurant manager.

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CHARLES W. WENDEL



ALLEN R. WESTBY



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## KENNETH C. WHITE, Specialist 5th Class

Formerly of Lindenhurst, New York, Mr. White was born on July 6, 1944, was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1962, and in 1964 he was graduated from St. Petersburg Jr. College. He served from July of 1965 through July of 1967 with the United States Army, with the Army Pictorial Center, Camera Branch in Long Island City, and was stationed also in Alaska, South America, and Vietnam. He resides in West Islip, and is a director and cameraman.

## THOMAS J. WHITE, Specialist 5th Class

Born on November 25, 1948, and originally from Central Islip, Mr. White was graduated from Central Islip High School. He currently resides in Bayport, and following the service became an entertainer. He served from December of 1968 until January of 1970 with the 241st Medical Unit, 44th Medical Brigade, 61st Medical Battalion of the United States Army, and was stationed mainly in I Corp, Vietnam. He is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, two Rifle Marksman Badges, the United States Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, two Overseas Ribbons, a Purple Heart, and received Letters of Appreciation for performance as a combat medic under the most adverse conditions in Vietnam.

## WALTER S. WHITLOCK, JR., Airman 1st Class

Airman 1/c Whitlock served from February of 1963 until July of 1966 with the United States Air Force, with the 3720th Basic Military School and the 3320th Technical School while stationed in Texas, with the 463rd Organizational Maintenance Squadron while stationed in Virginia, and with the 51st Organizational Maintenance Squadron while stationed on Okinawa, Japan. He is merited with the Small Arms Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. A longtime resident of Brightwaters, he was born on June 24, 1944, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1962. He is employed as a data processing analyst.

## WILLIAM F. WILDER, JR., Corporal

Corporal Wilder served with Headquarters Battalion, 3rd Marine Division, and with H & S Company, 3rd Tank Battalion, 3rd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps, from July of 1968 through April of 1970. He received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Combat Action Badge, the Rifle Marksman Badge, and the Good Conduct Medal. Born on August 6, 1947, and formerly of Island Park, New York, he was graduated from Oceanside High School in 1967. He resides in East Islip, and is a correction officer.

## NEAL R. WILLARD, E-6

Originally from Bolivar, New York, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Willard was born on October 28, 1934, and was graduated from Bolivar Central High School. He served with the United States Navy from December of 1951 until February of 1971. His tours of duty included San Diego, California, Guam, Long Beach, California, Midway, Rota, Spain, Naples, Italy, and Norfolk, Virginia. A Korean veteran as well, he is merited with two Bronze Star Medals, the Armed Forces Commendation Medal, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, and a Silver Star. Following his discharge from the service he became employed as a truck driver, and then as a typewriter repairman.

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THOMAS J. WHITE



WILLIAM F. WILDER, JR.



WALTER S. WHITLOCK, JR.



KENNETH C. WHITE



NEAL R. WILLARD





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## ALEXANDER W. WILLIAMS, Yeoman 2nd Class

Yeoman 2/c Williams served from November of 1966 until February of 1970 with the Naval Support Activity of the United States Navy, was stationed in Saigon and Nha Be, Vietnam, and in the Subic Bay, Philippines. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal. Born on October 25, 1948, he resided in Brentwood, was graduated from Brentwood High School in 1966, and in 1980 from Dowling College. He currently resides in Patchogue, New York, and is employed in banking.

## WILLIE L. WILLIAMS, SR., Communication Specialist 4th Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Williams was born on February 22, 1943, and was graduated from Jim Hill High School in 1961. In 1980 he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College, in 1984 from Dowling College, and is now a business finance administrator. He served from April of 1965 until April of 1967 with the 919th Combat Engineers Company, assigned to the 11th Armored Cavalry Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed in Xuan Loc, Bien Hoa, Tay Ninh, Phuac Binh, Vietnam, and is merited with the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal and a Purple Heart.

## MELVILLE WILLIAMSON, Specialist 4th Class

Born on March 25, 1947, Mr. Williamson resided in North Massapequa, New York, before making his home in Sayville where he now resides. He was graduated from Farmingdale High School in 1965, and is a maintenance mechanic for the Town of Islip, Department of Aviation and Transportation. He served from July of 1966 until June of 1968 with the 7th Battalion, 15th Artillery of the United States Army, and was stationed in Bong Son, Phu My, and Dak To, Vietnam.

## ROGER E. WILLINGHAM, Specialist 5th Class

Originally from Bridgehampton, New York, Mr. Willingham was born on May 11, 1948, was graduated from Judge John Handley High School, Winchester, Virginia, and from SUNY at Farmingdale, in 1981. He served from March of 1968 until March of 1971 with the the United States Army, with H & H Company, 5th Transportation Command, 1st Logistics Division while stationed in Qui Nhon, Vietnam, and with the 1st Infantry Division, at Fort Riley, Kansas. He earned the Army Commendation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He resides in West Islip, and is an electrician. (Photograph unavailable.)

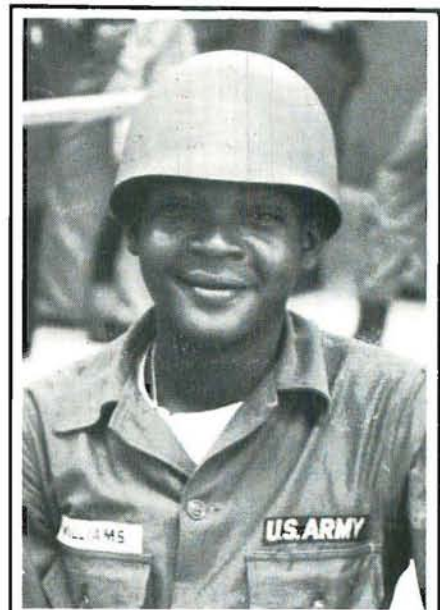
## CLARENCE B. WILSON, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Wilson was born on October 6, 1943, and attended high school in Gambia, Panama Canal Zone. He served from November of 1967 until August of 1969 with H & H Company, 223rd Aviation Battalion, 223rd Combat Support Aviation Battalion of the United States Army, was stationed primarily at Fort Gordon, Georgia, and received the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and two Overseas Ribbons. He resides in Central Islip, and is self-employed.

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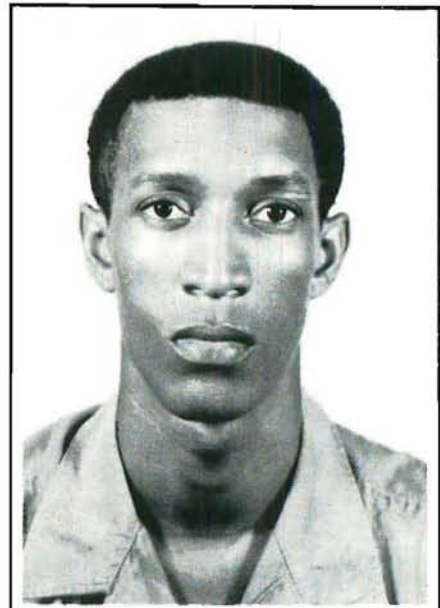
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WILLIE L. WILLIAMS, JR.



MELVILLE WILLIAMSON



CLARENCE B. WILSON

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## JAMES M. WILSON, Private 1st Class

Private 1/c Wilson served from May of 1966 through June of 1968 with the 82nd Airborne Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and in Vietnam, and is merited with the Parachute Badge, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Bronze Star Medal. Born on May 22, 1945, he was graduated from Ayden High School, Ayden, North Carolina. He resides in Bay Shore, and is a driver for United Parcel Service.

## BYRON E. WITHJACK, Engineman 3rd Class

Originally from Athens, New York, Mr. Withjack was born on January 4, 1947, and was graduated from Coxsackie High School, Athens, in 1965. He attended SUNY at Farmingdale, and Rochester Institute of Technology, both for one year, and is currently a plumber. He served from July of 1966 until July of 1968 with the 1088th Reconnaissance Delta River Patrol, AGTR-3 Communications of the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Oriskany, CVA-34, and was stationed in the Mekong Delta of Vietnam. He is merited with the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He resides in West Sayville.

## PAUL E. WITTKE, Sergeant

Sergeant Wittke served from August of 1966 until March of 1970 with the 95th Combat Support Group, Strategic Air Command, of the United States Air Force, was stationed in Texas, Mississippi, Indiana, and in Canada, and received the National Defense Service Medal and the Air Force Commendation Medal. Born on June 24, 1947, and originally from Lindenhurst, New York, he was graduated from Lindenhurst High School in 1965. In 1966 he was graduated from the Institute of Computer Technology, from Suffolk County Community College in 1980, and in 1982 from Empire State College. Following the service he became employed as a pressman, and currently resides in Bay Shore. (Photograph unavailable.)

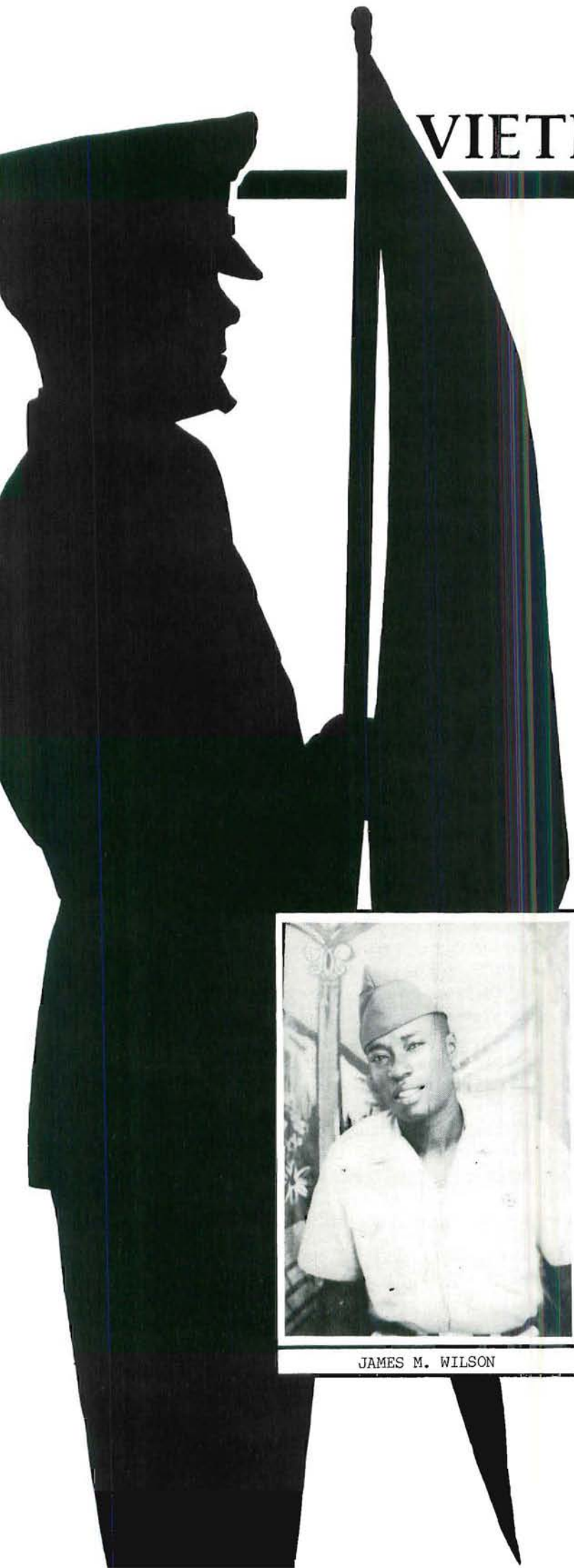
## RICHARD WOLTMAN, Specialist 4th Class

Formerly of Rockville Centre, New York, Mr. Woltman was born on October 27, 1941, was graduated from Oceanside High School, Oceanside, New York, from SUNY at Morrisville, and is employed with New York Telephone Company. He served from January of 1964 until January of 1966 with B Company, 2nd Battalion, 1st Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed at Fort Devens, Massachusetts, and at the Michelin Rubber Plantation in South Vietnam. He received the Army Commendation Medal with Combat "V" for Heroic Achievement. He resides in Hauppauge.

## STEPHEN M. WOZNIAK, Sergeant

Sergeant Wozniak served from May of 1969 until May of 1973 with the 322nd Civil Engineering Squadron of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Cigli Air Force Base, Izmir, Turkey, at Rhine-Main Air Force Base, West Germany, and is merited with the Good Conduct Medal. Born on September 8, 1946, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, he was graduated from Delahanty High School, from St. John's University, and is now an accountant. He resides in East Islip. (Photograph unavailable.)

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JAMES M. WILSON



RICHARD WOLTMAN

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## GREGORY J. WROBLOWSKY, (Rank Unknown)

Gregory J. Wroblowsky served with the United States Army, and was a resident of West Islip at the time he entered the service. He passed away on June 5, 1975.

## WALTER M. WROBLOWSKY, Petty Officer 3rd Class

Originally from West Islip, Mr. Wroblowsky was born on January 6, 1946, was graduated from West Babylon High School, attended SUNY at Albany for one year, Hofstra University for two years, and New York Institute of Technology from 1981 until 1985. He served from 1967 until 1971 with the United States Navy, and was stationed in Ha Tien, Seh Flot, Bien Thuy, Vietnam, and San Diego, California. After his discharge he became a truck driver, and currently resides in Islip.

## ROBERT F. WUND, Sergeant

Sergeant Wund served from 1966 until 1968 with B Company, 1st Battalion, 20th Infantry, 11th Infantry Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in I Corps, Vietnam, and is merited with the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Bronze Star Medal. Born on August 27, 1947, and a longtime resident of Central Islip, he was graduated from Evander Childs High School, New York City. He became a metal lather after the service.

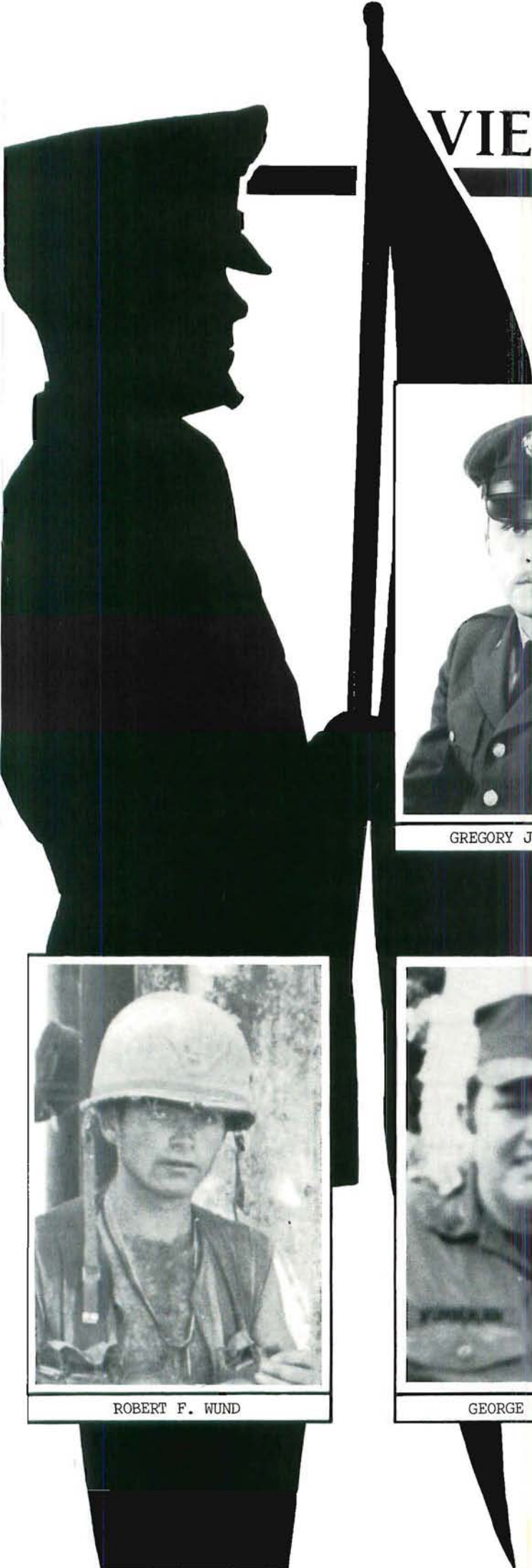
## GEORGE WUNDERLICH, Sergeant

Sergeant Wunderlich served with the United States Marine Corps from September of 1958 until March of 1970. He was stationed at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot on Parris Island, South Carolina, with the 2nd Marine Air Wing at Cherry Point, North Carolina, with the Marine Corps Base, in Quantico, Virginia, with the 1st and the 3rd Marine Divisions on Okinawa, Japan, with the 3rd Marine Air Wing in Vietnam, with the 5th Marine Division at Camp Pendleton, California, and Vietnam, and then was attached to the 5th Mechanized Division of the United States Army "Red Devils" in Quang Tri, Vietnam. He was with the New York State Army National Guard from 1971 until 1976, and has been a member of the United States Navy Reserves for the past nine years. He is merited with the Presidential Unit Citation, the Combat Action Ribbon, the Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal, the Navy Unit Citation, the Vietnam and National Defense Service Medals, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Originally from Plainview, New York, he was born on September 9, 1941, and was graduated from Plainview High School. He resides in Ronkonkoma, and is a heavy equipment operator for Brookhaven National Laboratories.

## ROBERT "BOB" WUNSCH, Sergeant

Formerly of Maspeth, New York, Mr. Wunsch was born on March 16, 1947, was graduated from Grover Cleveland High School in 1964, and from Voorhees Technical Institute in 1965. He served from October of 1966 until October of 1969 with the 134th Quartermaster Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Qui Nhon, Vietnam, and received the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Sharpshooter Badge, and the Vietnam Service Medal. He resides in Hauppauge, and is a New York City Correction Officer.

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GREGORY J. WROBLOWSKY



WALTER M. WROBLOWSKY



ROBERT F. WUND



GEORGE WUNDERLICH



ROBERT "BOB" WUNSCH

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## ROBERT C. WYATT, JR., Builder 3rd Class

Originally from Bay Shore, where he was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1965, Mr. Wyatt was born on May 17, 1947, was graduated from the University of Rhode Island in 1974, and made his home in Rockville, Maryland, where he now resides. He served from July of 1967 until May of 1969 with the Mobile Construction Battalion #7 of the United States Navy Seabees, with the Chaplain's Corps, Special Assignment, and with the Civic Action Group. He received the highest civilian award from Vietnam. He is employed as a branch manager of an asbestos abatement firm. (Photograph unavailable.)

## RICHARD A. WYMBS, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Wymbs served from 1970 until 1974 with the United States Air Force as an Instructor of Health Care Sciences at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, was also stationed in California, and received an Honorable Discharge. Born on March 7, 1947, and formerly of New York City, he was graduated from Manhattan Preparatory High School in 1965, from Upstate Medical College, Syracuse University in 1978, and in 1984 from Mercy College. After the service he became employed as a microbiologist, and is currently a software analyst. He resides in West Islip.

## JOSEPH J. YABROUDI, Corporal

Corporal Yabroudi served with the United States Marine Corps from August of 1964 through August of 1968 with the Motor Transport Platoon, H & S Company, Force Logistics Support Command, B Battalion, 5th Marine Division, and was stationed mainly in Chu Lai and Da Nang, Vietnam. He is merited with the Good Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Rifle Expert Badge, and two Vietnam Service Citations. Originally from Sayville, he was born on August 21, 1946, and was graduated from Connetquot High School in 1964. He resides in Bohemia, and is a cable splicer for New York Telephone Company.

## DAVID R. YARNES, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Yarnes served from March of 1967 until March of 1971 with the 456th Field Maintenance Squadron, 14th Division, Strategic Air Command, of the United States Air Force, was stationed at Beale Air Force Base, California, Okinawa, Japan, Thailand, and in the Philippines. He received the Good Conduct Medal and the Presidential Unit Citation. Born on October 18, 1947, he resided in Elmont, New York, and was graduated from Sewanhaka High School in 1965. In 1980 he was graduated from Nassau County Community College, and currently resides in Brentwood.

## ANTHONY YOUNG, Staff Sergeant

A veteran of both Korea and Vietnam, Staff Sergeant Young served with the United States Army from September of 1950 until August of 1974. He was born on March 14, 1933, and resided in Brooklyn, New York, before settling in Brentwood where he presently resides. He was graduated from Boys High School, New York, and from Mercy College, Bronx, New York. He is merited with the Bronze Star Medal and a Purple Heart, and became employed as a counselor for Veterans Administration after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

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RICHARD A. WYMBS



DAVID R. YARNES



JOSEPH J. YABROUDI



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## CHARLES A. YOUNGINER, Sergeant

Born on September 20, 1942, and formerly of Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Younginer was graduated from Rosenwald High School in 1960. He served from February of 1967 until February of 1969 with B Company, 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry, 4th Infantry Division of the United States Army, was stationed in Dak To and Pleiku, Vietnam, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Combat Infantry Badge. He resides in Brentwood, and is employed with the New York City Transit Authority.

## GEORGE ZAFFUTO, Sergeant

Sergeant Zaffuto served from March of 1965 through October of 1968 with the United States Air Force, was stationed at Allbrook Air Force Base in the Panama Canal Zone, and at Da Nang Air Force Base, Vietnam. He received various awards including the Rifle Sharpshooter and Expert Rifle Badges, the Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. A longtime resident of Bay Shore, he was born on April 11, 1944, and was graduated from St. Francis Preparatory High School in 1962. Following the service he became employed as an automotive, truck, and heavy equipment mechanic.

## TERRY ZAPF, Chief Warrant Officer 2nd Class

Originally from Syracuse, New York, Mr. Zapf was born on October 9, 1942, and made his home in Islip where he now resides. He received his Bachelor of Science degree from Embry Riddle Aeronautical University, his Master of Science degree from Hofstra University, and is now a photography instructor. He served from January of 1968 until April of 1971 with the 134th Assault Helicopter Company of the United States Army, was stationed in Phu Hiep, II Corp, Vietnam, and finished his tour of duty at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, where he taught instrument flight rules. He is merited with several Air Medals and the Bronze Star Medal.

## ROBERT ZAYAS, Electrician Mate

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Zayas was born on December 5, 1950, and was graduated from Brentwood High School. He served from April of 1970 until November of 1973 with the United States Navy with the Naval Undersea Research and Development Center in California, and was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Ticonderoga, CVS-14, mainly in the western Pacific. He received the Vietnam Service Medal and the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. He became an electrician and a refrigeration mechanic after the service.

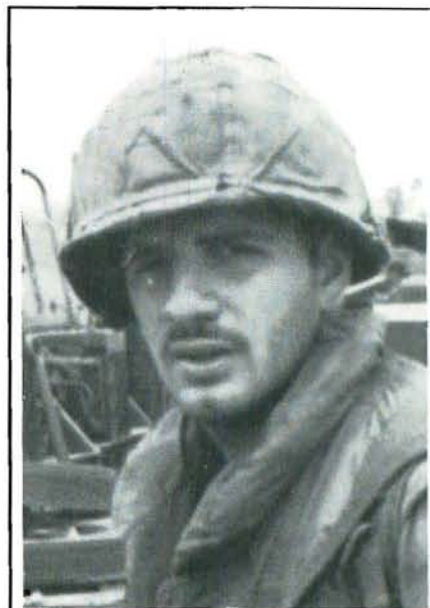
## RALPH ZANCHELLI, Engineman 3rd Class

Formerly of Franklin Square, New York, Mr. Zanchelli was born on February 9, 1944, and was graduated from Valley Stream High School, Valley Stream, New York, in 1962. In 1974 he was graduated from SUNY at Farmingdale, and in 1981 from New York Institute of Technology. He served from October of 1963 through October of 1965 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Bennington, CVS-20, and was stationed at Long Beach, California, Japan, China, the Philippines, along the coast of Vietnam, in the Pacific Ocean, and the South China Sea. He is merited with the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. He resides in Bay Shore, and following the service became a district manager for L.I. Press, a Suffolk County Police Officer, and a Suffolk County Police Detective. (Photograph unavailable.)

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CHARLES A. YOUNGINER



GEORGE ZAFFUTO



TERRY ZAPP



ROBERT ZAYAS



RALPH ZANCHELLI

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## CHRISTOPHER R. ZEGEL, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Zegel served from May of 1966 until December of 1969 with the 20th Tactical Air Support Squadron of the United States Air Force, and was stationed in Da Nang, Vietnam during the TET Offensive of 1968. A longtime resident of West Sayville, he was born on February 25, 1947, and was graduated from Sayville High School. He became an electrician after the service.

## JOHN J. ZELENKA, Corporal

A longtime resident of Bayport, Mr. Zelenka was born on July 27, 1943, and was graduated from Bayport High School. He served from August of 1962 through July of 1968 with Communication Company, Headquarters Battalion, 2nd Marine Division of the United States Marine Corps at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, and received the Rifle Sharpshooter Badge, the Pistol Expert Badge, and the Good Conduct Medal. Following his separation from the Marine Corps, he became a Highway Foreman for Town of Islip, Department of Public Works.

## LAWRENCE E. ZELLERS, Specialist 4th Class

Born on December 21, 1955, and a longtime resident of Islip, Mr. Zellers attended Islip High School and received his diploma in 1976 from Kaiserslautern American High School. He served from October of 1973 until October of 1977 with the United States Army, Troop Command, 2nd General Hospital as an orderly, and also served as sports director of youth activities. After the service he became employed as a machinist.

## THOMAS R. ZELLERS, Specialist 4th Class

Originally from Islip, and presently residing in Bay Shore, Mr. Zellers was born on August 9, 1954, and attended Islip High School. He served from October of 1973 until October of 1976 with the CSC 1/33 Armored Battalion, 2nd Brigade of the United States Army, was stationed in Gelmhousen, West Germany, and is merited with the National Defense Service Medal. He became employed with Grumman Data Systems Corporation after the service. (Photograph unavailable.)

## MICHAEL ZEMSER, Yeoman 2nd Class

Yeoman 2/c Zemser served from October of 1961 until May of 1966 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Barbel, SS-580, was stationed in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, and performed submarine duty. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense and Vietnam Service Medals, the Sharpshooter Badge, and the Meritorious Service Award Ribbon. Formerly of Queens, New York, he was born on February 2, 1943, was graduated in 1960 from Far Rockaway High School, and in 1974 from New York Institute of Technology. He currently resides in East Islip, and is a New York City Police Detective.

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LAWRENCE E. ZELLERS



JOHN J. ZELENKA



MICHAEL ZEMSER



CHRISTOPHER R. ZEGEL

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## PETER ZENDT, Quartermaster 3rd Class

A longtime resident of Bay Shore, Mr. Zendt was born on January 4, 1946, and was graduated from Bay Shore High School in 1964. In 1968 he was graduated from the University of Miami, and became a marketing representative after his separation from the service. He served from November of 1968 until August of 1972 with the Severn Naval Station at Annapolis, Maryland, Boat Division of the United States Navy, and was stationed primarily in Annapolis. He received a Letter of Commendation.

## JAMES A. ZIGROSSER, Quartermaster 3rd Class

Quartermaster 3/c Zigrosser served from April of 1969 until January of 1971 with the United States Navy aboard the U.S.S. Bradley, DE-1041, and was stationed on the West Coast and in the western Pacific. He spent six months off the coast of Vietnam performing various tasks assigned to the U.S.S. Bradley. Born on June 20, 1949, he resided in Bayport, and was graduated from James W. Young High School, Bayport, in 1968. He made his home in Sayville where he currently resides, and following the service became employed as a Water Treatment Operator for the Suffolk County Water Authority. (Photograph unavailable.)

## JAMES L. ZIX, Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant Zix served with the United States Air Force from October of 1971 until November of 1979 with the 313th Tactical Airlift Wing, the 363rd Tactical Reconnaissance Wing, the 366th Tactical Airlift Command Fighter Wing, and with the 3501st Recruiting Group, and was stationed in Kansas, South Carolina, Idaho, and New York. While in the Air Force he served as a photographer, military historian, and radio and television narrator and producer, and is merited with two Air Force Commendation Medals and the Tactical Air Command Historian Award. Born on November 19, 1952, and formerly of Northport, New York, he was graduated from Northport High School in 1969. He attended Suffolk County Community College, was graduated from the University of Kansas in 1973, and in 1985, he received his Bachelor of Science degree from St. Joseph's College. He resides in Sayville now, and is a computer marketing engineer. (Photograph unavailable.)

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PETER ZENDT

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The following are the names of known Vietnam veterans.  
Inquiries to obtain information were unanswered.

Abbate, James	Ball, Russell	Bohnenberger, Alfred
Abrahamson, Frans	Ball, William	Bonaimo, Edward
Abrams, John	Ballweg, Robert	Bongers, Leonard
Abrams, Walter	Banks, Robert	Bonica, Ronald
Abruzzo, Carl	Barbara, Lawrence	Bonilla, Noel
Ackert, Harry	Barbaris, Alfred	Bonito, Robert
Adamo, John	Barkey, Thomas	Bonnelli, William
Adams, Richard	Barnett, Gerhard	Bonvicino, William
Addeo, William	Baroncini, Lawrence	Booke, Johnathan
Ahlert, Thomas	Barral, Henry	Boone, Charles
Ahlquist, Robert	Bartlett, Raymond	Bottego, Frank
Ahrens, Robert	Bartholomew, Mario	Boulanger, Roland
Alamia, Ignazio	Basso, Richard	Boyajian, Paul
Albers, Ralph	Battaglia, Leonard	Boylan, Donald
Albert, Thomas	Battista, Leonard	Bracero, Ventura, Jr.
Alemaghides, William	Bauer, Robert	Bradley, John
Alfano, Michael	Baumann, John	Branca, Raymond
Alfano, Richard	Baxter, Arthur	Braunschweiger, Allen
Allar, Thomas	Baylis, Richard	Braverman, Joel
Allen, Thomas	Becker, Robert	Braxton, William
Alley, Larry	Beckerman, Peter	Breitenbucher, John
Alston, John	Beeker, William	Brennan, John
Alu, Patrick	Begy, Thomas	Brennan, Vincent
Amarando, Vincent	Belfi, Joseph	Brett, Jerold
Ambrose, Kevin	Belin, Gerald	Bright, Robert
Ambrose, Richard	Bellew, James	Brinkworth, Henry
Amodio, Michael	Belmonte, Richard	Brinson, Alexander
Anastasi, Michael	Bencivenga, Angelo	Brooks, George
Andersen, Carl	Bender, John	Brosnan, Timothy
Andersen, James	Beniquez, Eusebio	Brothers, Robert
Andersen, Thomas	Bennett, John	Brown, Doyle M., Jr.
Anderson, Russell	Benz, Brian	Brown, Herbert
Andersson, Roderick	Beresford, Thomas	Brown, James
Andrus, Alan	Berger, Edward	Brown, Jeffrey
Anneceilli, Arthur	Berger, Phillip	Brown, John
Antos, William	Beringer, Michael	Brown, William
Anziano, Paul	Bernard, Lawrence	Brown, Joseph
Appiaris, Michael	Bernichon, Paul	Bruderman, Gerard
Archer, Richard	Bernstein, Norman	Brunetto, Frank
Arey, Stephen	Bertolino, Joseph	Bruno, Herbert
Arnao, Matthew	Bertone, Joseph	Bruno, Joseph
Arnold, George	Bertot, Antonio	Bryant, Michael
Aromando, Edward	Betz, Kenneth	Buchanan, Alexander
Arthur, Kenneth	Bevers, Theodore	Buchanan, Salvatore
Asterita, Robert	Bidetti, Joseph	Budd, Walter
Aurecchione, Michael	Blondo, Michael	Buonomo, Robert
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Azzariti, Salvatore	Birch, Henry	Burke, Kevin
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Bagarella, Frank	Bobal, Michael	Burns, Korin
Baillie, Robert	Boeger, Alfred	Bush, Raymond
Baker, Harold	Boehm, Kenneth	Butler, James
Baker, Steve	Boesch, William	Byrne, Edward



Cabrera, Lincoln  
Cafuoco, Dominick  
Cahill, John  
Calandriello, Michael  
Callaway, Robert  
Calleja, Luis  
Callies, Michael  
Camerano, Nicholas  
Caminske, Lloyd  
Campbell, Robert  
Campos, Wilfredo  
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Canfora, Joseph  
Cannata, John  
Cannini, Anthony  
Cantalupo, Robert  
Capasso, Robert  
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Cardinale, Anthony  
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Carlucci, John  
Carney, Philip  
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Carrara, Louis  
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Casper, Eugene  
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Centoducati, Vincent  
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D'Amato, Ralph  
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Darrohn, Clayton  
Daubaras, John  
Davis, George  
Davis, Richard  
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DeFeo, George  
DeFerrari, John  
Degen, Warren  
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DeGirolamo, Joseph  
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Deis, John  
Delaney, John  
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DeVivo, Anthony  
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DiBrienza, Robert



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 DiFranzo, Charles  
 DiGiovanni, Robert  
 DiMattei, Peter  
 Dimino, Anthony  
 Dinoia, Ralph  
 DiPaola, Paul  
 DiScalfani, Jack  
 Dispennette, William  
 Distadio, George  
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A view of Hong Kong Mountain from the 167th Signal Company of the United States Army. (Photograph by Tim Connelly.)





Photograph of US Highway 19, An Khe pass to Quin Nhon, Vietnam, 1970. (Photograph by Tim Connelly.)



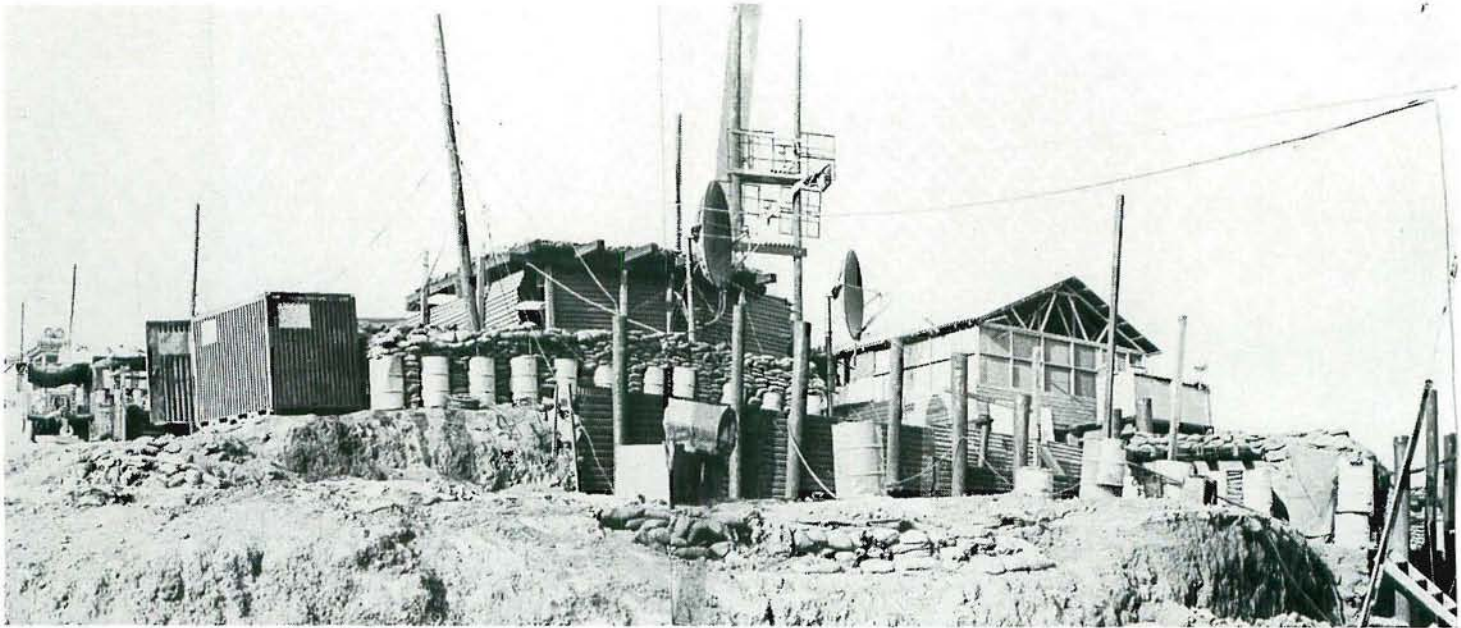
Another view of US Highway 19, An Khe, Vietnam. (Photograph by Tim Connelly.)



Photograph of chopper pad in An Khe, Vietnam. (Photograph by Tim Connelly.)



A view from Hong Kong Hill, An Khe, Vietnam, overlooking U.S. Base, 4th Infantry in 1970. (Photograph by Tim Connelly.)



Photograph of the 54th Signal Battalion atop Dragon Mountain, Pleiku, Vietnam. (Photograph by Tim Connelly.)



Long Binh Jail, 1970. (Photograph by Tim Connelly.)



**BEIRUT  
AND  
GRENADA  
VETERANS**



# ADDRESS BY THE PRESIDENT TO THE NATION

The Oval Office

October 27, 1983

8:00 p.m. EDT

THE PRESIDENT: My fellow Americans, some two months ago we were shocked by the brutal massacre of 269 men, women and children, more than 60 of them Americans, in the shooting down of a Korean airliner.

Now, in these past several days, violence has erupted again, in Lebanon and Grenada. In Lebanon, we have some 1,600 Marines, part of a multinational force that's trying to help the people of Lebanon restore order and stability to that troubled land. Our Marines are assigned to the south of the city of Beirut, near the only airport operating in Lebanon. Just a mile or so to the north is the Italian contingent and not far from them, the French and a company of British soldiers.

This past Sunday, at 22 minutes after 6 Beirut time, with dawn just breaking, a truck, looking like a lot of other vehicles in the city, approached the airport on a busy, main road. There was nothing in its appearance to suggest it was any different than the trucks or cars that were normally seen on and around the airport. But this one was different. At the wheel was a young man on a suicide mission. The truck carried some 2,000 pounds of explosives. But there was no way our Marine guards could know this. Their first warning that something was wrong came when the truck crashed through a series of barriers, including a chain-link fence and barbed wire entanglements. The guards opened fire; but it was too late. The truck smashed through the doors of the headquarters building in which our Marines were sleeping and instantly exploded. The four-story concrete building collapsed in a pile of rubble.

More than 200 of the sleeping men were killed in that one hideous, insane attack. Many others suffered injury and are hospitalized here or in Europe.

This was not the end of the horror. At almost the same instant, another vehicle on a suicide and murder mission, crashed into the headquarters of the French peace-keeping force, an eight-story building, destroying and killing more than 50 French soldiers.

Prior to this day of horror, there had been several tragedies for our men in the multinational force, attacks by snipers and mortar fire had taken their toll. I called bereaved parents and/or widows of the victims to express on behalf of all of us our sorrow and sympathy.

Sometimes there were questions. And now many of you are asking: Why should our young men be dying in Lebanon? Why is Lebanon important to us?

Well, it's true, Lebanon is a small country, more than five-and-a-half thousand miles from our shores on the edge of what we call the Middle East. But every President who has occupied this office in recent years has recognized that peace in the Middle East is of vital concern to our nation and, indeed, to our allies in Western Europe and Japan. We have been concerned because the Middle East is a powder keg; four times in the last 30 years, the Arabs and Israelis have gone to war. And each time, the world has teetered near the edge of catastrophe. The area is key to the economic and political life of the West. Its strategic importance, its





energy resources, the Suez Canal, and the well being of the nearly 200 million people living there -- all are vital to us and to world peace. If that key should fall into the hands of a power or powers hostile to the free world, there would be a direct threat to the United States and to our Allies.

We have another reason to be involved. Since 1948, our Nation has recognized and accepted a moral obligation to assure the continued existence of Israel as a nation. Israel shares our democratic values, and is a formidable force an invader of the Middle East would have to reckon with.

For several years, Lebanon has been torn by internal strife. Once a prosperous, peaceful nation, its government had become ineffective in controlling the militias that warred on each other.

Sixteen months ago, we were watching on our T.V. screens the shelling and bombing of Beirut which was being used as a fortress by P.L.O. bands. Hundreds and hundreds of civilians were being killed and wounded in the daily battles. Syria, which makes no secret of its claim that Lebanon should be a part of a greater Syria, was occupying a large part of Lebanon. Today, Syria has become a home for 7,000 Soviet advisors and technicians who man a massive amount of Soviet weaponry, including SS-21 ground-to-ground missiles capable of reaching vital areas of Israel.

A little over a year ago, hoping to build on the Camp David Accords which had led to peace between Israel and Egypt, I proposed a peace plan for the Middle East to end the wars between the Arab states and Israel. It was based on U.N. resolutions 242 and 338, and called for a fair and just solution to the Palestinian problem, as well as a fair and just settlement of issues between the Arab states and Israel.

Before the necessary negotiations could begin, it was essential to get all foreign forces out of Lebanon to end the fighting there. So, why are we there? Well, the

answer is straightforward: to help bring peace to Lebanon and stability to the vital Middle East. To that end, the multinational force was created to help stabilize the situation in Lebanon until a government could be established and a Lebanese army mobilized to restore Lebanese sovereignty over its own soil as the foreign forces withdrew. Israel agreed to withdraw as did Syria, but Syria then reneged on its promise. Over 10,000 Palestinians who had been bringing ruin down on Beirut, however, did leave the country.

Lebanon has formed a government under the leadership of President Gemayel. And that government, with our assistance and training, has set up its own army. In only a year's time, that army has been rebuilt. It is a good army composed of Lebanese of all factions.

A few weeks ago, the Israeli army pulled back to the Awali River in southern Lebanon. Despite fierce resistance by Syrian-backed forces, the Lebanese army was able to hold the line and maintain a defensive perimeter around Beirut.

In the year that our Marines have been there, Lebanon has made important steps toward stability and order. The physical presence of the Marines lends support to both the Lebanese government and its army. It allows the hard work of diplomacy to go forward. Indeed, without the peacekeepers from the U.S., France, Italy, and Britain, the efforts to find a peaceful solution in Lebanon would collapse.

As to that narrower question -- What exactly is the operational mission of the Marines? The answer is, to secure a peace of Beirut, to keep order in their sector, and to prevent the area from becoming a battlefield. Our Marines are not just sitting in an airport. Part of their task is to guard that airport. Because of their presence, the airport has remained operational. In addition, they patrol the surrounding area. This is their part -- a limited, but essential part -- in the



larger effort that I've described.

If our Marines must be there, I'm asked, why can't we make them safer? Who committed this latest atrocity against them and why?

Well, we'll do everything we can to ensure that our men are as safe as possible. We ordered the battleship New Jersey to join our naval forces offshore. Without even firing them, the threat of its 16-inch guns silence those who once fired down on our Marines from the hills. And they're a good part of the reason we suddenly had a cease-fire. We're doing our best to make our forces less vulnerable to those who want to snipe at them or send in future suicide missions.

Secretary Shultz called me today from Europe, where he was meeting with the Foreign Ministers of our allies in the multinational force. They remain committed to our task. And plans were made to share information as to how we can improve security for all our men.

We have strong circumstantial evidence that the attack on the Marines was directed by terrorists who used the same method to destroy our Embassy in Beirut. Those who directed this atrocity must be dealt justice. And they will be. The obvious purpose behind the sniping and, now, this attack was to weaken American will, and force the withdrawal of U.S. and French forces from Lebanon. The clear intent of the terrorists was to eliminate our support of the Lebanese government, and to destroy the ability of the Lebanese people to determine their own destiny.

To answer those who ask if we're serving any purpose in being there, let me answer a question with a question. Would the terrorists have launched their suicide attacks against the multinational force if it were not doing its job? The multinational force was attacked precisely because it is doing the job it was sent to do in Beirut. It is accomplishing its mission.

Now, then, where do we go from here?

What can we do now to help Lebanon gain greater stability so that our Marines can come home? Well, I believe we can take three steps now that will make a difference. First, we will accelerate the search for peace and stability in that region. Little attention has been paid to the fact that we've had special envoys there working, literally, around the clock to bring the warring factions together. This coming Monday in Geneva, President Gemayel of Lebanon will sit down with other factions from his country to see if national reconciliation can be achieved. He has our firm support. I will soon be announcing a replacement for Bud McFarlane who was preceded by Phil Habib. Both worked tirelessly, and must be credited for much if not most of the progress we've made.

Second, we'll work even more closely with our allies in providing support of the government of Lebanon, and for the rebuilding of a national consensus.

Third, we will ensure that the multinational peacekeeping forces, our Marines, are given the greatest possible protection. Our Commandant of the Marine Corps, General Kelley, returned from Lebanon today and will be advising us on steps we can take to improve security.

Vice President Bush returned just last night from Beirut and gave me a full report of his brief visit.

Beyond our progress in Lebanon, let us remember that our main goal and purpose is to achieve a broader peace in all of the Middle East. The factions and bitterness that we see in Lebanon are just a microcosm of the difficulties that are spread across much of that region.

A peace initiative for the entire Middle East, consistent with Camp David Accords and U.N. Resolutions 242 and 338, still offers the best hope for bringing peace to the region.

Let me ask those who say we should get out of Lebanon: If we were to leave Lebanon now, what message would that send



to those who foment instability and terrorism?

If America were to walk away from Lebanon, what chance would there be for a negotiated settlement producing a unified democratic Lebanon?

If we turned our backs on Lebanon now, what would be the future of Israel? At stake is the fate of only the second Arab country to negotiate a major agreement with Israel. That's another accomplishment of this past year, the May 17th Accord signed by Lebanon and Israel.

If terrorism and intimidation succeed, it will be a devastating blow to the peace process and to Israel's search for genuine security. It won't just be Lebanon sentenced to a future of chaos. Can the United States, or the free world, for that matter, stand by and see the Middle East incorporated into the Soviet bloc? What of Western Europe and Japan's dependence on Middle East oil for the energy to fuel their industries? The Middle East is, as I've said, vital to our national security and economic well being.

Brave young men have been taken from us. Many others have been grievously wounded. Are we to tell them their sacrifice was wasted? They gave their lives in defense of our national security every bit as much as any man who ever died fighting in a war. We must not strip every ounce of meaning and purpose from their courageous sacrifice.

We're a nation with global responsibilities. We're not somewhere else in the world protecting someone else's interests. We're there protecting our own.

I received a message from the father of a Marine in Lebanon. He told me, "In a world where we speak of human rights, there is a sad lack of acceptance of responsibility. My son has chosen the acceptance of responsibility for the privilege of living in this country. Certainly in this country one does not inherently have rights, unless the responsibility for these

rights is accepted." Dr. Kenneth Morrison said that while he was waiting to learn if his son was one of the dead. I was thrilled for him to learn that his son Ross is alive and well and carrying on his duties in Lebanon.

Let us meet our responsibilities. For longer than any of us can remember, the people of the Middle East have lived from war to war with no prospect for any other future. That dreadful cycle must be broken. Why are we there? What a Lebanese mother told one of our Ambassadors, that her little girl had only attended school two of the last eight years. Now, because of our presence there, she said her daughter can live a normal life. With patience and firmness, we can help bring peace to that strife-torn region -- and make our own lives more secure. Our role is to help the Lebanese put their country together, not to do it for them.

Now I know another part of the world is very much on our minds, a place much closer to our shores: Grenada. The island is only twice the size of the District of Columbia with a total population of about 110,000 people.

Grenada and a half dozen other Caribbean islands here were, until recently, British colonies. They are now independent states and members of the British Commonwealth. While they respect each other's independence, they also feel a kinship with each other and think of themselves as one people.

In 1979 trouble came to Grenada. Maurice Bishop, a protege of Fidel Castro, staged a military coup and overthrew the government which had been elected under the Constitution left to the people by the British. He sought the help of Cuba in building an airport, which he claimed was for tourist trade, but which looked suspiciously suitable for military aircraft, including Soviet-built long-range bombers.

The six sovereign countries and one remaining colony are joined together in what they call the "Organization of Eastern



Caribbean States." The six became increasingly alarmed as Bishop built an army greater than all of theirs combined. Obviously, it was not purely for defense.

In this last year or so, Prime Minister Bishop gave indications that he might like better relations with the United States. He even made a trip to our country and met with senior officials of the White House and the State Department. Whether he was serious or not, we'll never know. On October 12th, a small group of his militia seized him and put him under arrest. They were, if anything, more radical and more devoted to Castro's Cuba than he had been.

Several days later, a crowd of citizens appeared before Bishop's home, freed him, and escorted him toward the headquarters of the military council. They were fired upon. A number, including some children, were killed and Bishop was seized. He and several members of his cabinet were subsequently executed, and a 24-hour-shoot-to-kill curfew was put in effect. Grenada was without a government, its only authority exercised by a self-proclaimed band of military men.

There were then about 1,000 of our citizens on Grenada, 800 of them students in St. Georges University Medical School. Concerned that they would be harmed or held as hostages, I ordered a flotilla of ships, then on its way to Lebanon with Marines -- part of our regular rotation program, to circle south on a course that would put them somewhere in the vicinity of Grenada in case there should be a need to evacuate our people.

Last weekend, I was awakened in the early morning hours and told that six members of the Organization of Eastern Caribbean States, joined by Jamaica and Barbados, had sent an urgent request that we join them in a military operation to restore order and democracy to Grenada.

They were proposing the action under the terms of a treaty, a mutual assistance pact that existed among them. These small, peaceful nations needed our help. Three of

them don't have armies at all, and the others have very limited forces. The legitimacy of their request, plus my own concern for our citizens, dictated my decision. I believe our government has a responsibility to go to the aid of its citizens, if their right to life and liberty is threatened. The nightmare of our hostages in Iran must never be repeated.

We knew we had little time and that complete secrecy was vital to ensure both the safety of the young men who would undertake this mission, and the Americans they were about to rescue. The Joint Chiefs worked around the clock to come up with a plan. They had little intelligence information about conditions on the island. We had to assume that several hundred Cubans working on the airport could be military reserves. As it turned out, the number was much larger and they were a military force. Six hundred of them have been taken prisoner, and we have discovered a complete base with weapons and communications equipment which makes it clear a Cuban occupation of the island had been planned.

Two hours ago we released the first photos from Grenada. They included pictures of a warehouse of military equipment -- one of three we've uncovered so far. This warehouse contained weapons and ammunition stacked almost to the ceiling, enough to supply thousands of terrorists. Grenada, we were told, was a friendly island paradise for tourism. Well, it wasn't. It was a Soviet-Cuban colony, being readied as a major military bastion to export terror and undermine democracy. We got there just in time.

I can't say enough in praise of our military -- Army Rangers and Paratroopers, Navy Marine and Air Force personnel -- those who planned a brilliant campaign, and those who carried it out. Almost instantly, our military seized the two airports, secured the campus where most of our students were, and are now in the mopping-up phase. It should be noted that in all the planning, a top priority was to



minimize risk, to avoid casualties to our own men and also the Grenadian forces as much as humanly possible. But there were casualties, and we all owe a debt to those who lost their lives or were wounded. They were few in number, but even one is a tragic price to pay.

It's our intention to get our men out as soon as possible. Prime Minister Eugenia Charles of Dominica -- I called that wrong, she pronounces it Dominica -- she is Chairman of OECS. She's calling for help from Commonwealth nations in giving the people their right to establish a constitutional government on Grenada. We anticipate that the Governor General, a Grenadian, will participate in setting up a provisional government in the interim.

The events in Lebanon and Grenada, though oceans apart, are closely related. Not only has Moscow assisted and encouraged the violence in both countries, but it provides direct support through a network of surrogates and terrorists. It is no coincidence that when the thugs tried to wrest control over Grenada, there were 30 Soviet advisors and hundreds of Cuban military and paramilitary forces on the island. At the moment of our landing, we communicated with the governments of Cuba and the Soviet Union and told them we would offer shelter and security to their people on Grenada. Regrettably, Castro ordered his men to fight to the death and some did. The others will be sent to their homelands.

You know, there was a time when our national security was based on the standing army here within our borders and shore batteries of artillery along our coasts. And, of course, a Navy to keep the sea lanes open for the shipping of things necessary to our well-being.

The world has changed. Today, our national security can be threatened in far away places. It is up to all of us to be aware of the strategic importance of such places and to be able to identify them. Sam Rayburn once said that freedom is not something a nation can work for once and win forever. He said it's like an in-

surance policy; its premiums must be kept up to date. In order to keep it, we have to keep working for it and sacrificing for it just as long as we live. If we do not, our children may not know the pleasure of working to keep it, for it may not be theirs to keep.

In these last few days, I have been more sure than I've ever been that we Americans of today will keep freedom and maintain peace. I've been made to feel that by the magnificent spirit of our young men and women in uniform and by something here in our nation's capital. In this city, where political strife is so much a part of our lives, I've seen Democratic leaders in the Congress join their Republican colleagues, send a message to the world that we're all Americans before we're anything else, and when our country is threatened, we stand shoulder to shoulder in support of our men and women in the Armed Forces.

May I share something with you I think you'd like to know? It is something that happened to the Commandant of our Marine Corps, General Paul Kelley, while he was visiting our critically injured Marines in an Air Force hospital. It says more than any of us could ever hope to say about the gallantry and heroism of these young men; young men who serve so willingly so that others might have a chance at peace and freedom in their own lives and in the life of their country.

I'll let General Kelley's words describe the incident. He spoke of a "young Marine with more tubes going in and out of his body than I have ever seen in one body."

"He couldn't see very well. He reached up and grabbed my four stars, just to make sure I was who I said I was. He held my hand with a firm grip. He was making signals and we realized he wanted to tell me something. We put a pad of paper in his hand -- and he wrote 'Semper fi.'"

Well, if you've been a Marine or if, like myself, you're an admirer of the Marines, you know those words are a battle cry, a greeting, and a legend in the Marine



Corps. They're Marine shorthand for the motto of the Corps -- "Semper Fidelis" -- "always faithful."

General Kelley has a reputation for being a very sophisticated general and a very tough Marine. But he cried when he saw those words, and who can blame him.

That Marine, and all those others like him, living and dead, have been faithful to their ideals, they've given willingly of themselves so that a nearly defenseless people in a region of great strategic importance to the free world will have a chance someday to live lives free of murder and mayhem and terrorism. I think that young Marine and all of his comrades have given every one of us something to live up to. They were not afraid to stand up for their country or, no matter how difficult

and slow the journey might be, to give to others that last, best hope of a better future. We cannot and will not dishonor them now and the sacrifices they've made by failing to remain as faithful to the cause of freedom and the pursuit of peace as they have been.

I will not ask you to pray for the dead because they're safe in God's loving arms and beyond need of our prayers. I would like to ask you all -- wherever you may be in this blessed land -- to pray for these wounded young men and to pray for the bereaved families of those who gave their lives for our freedom.

God bless you and God bless America.

-- President Ronald Reagan

# MEMORIAL TO BEIRUT VETERAN

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## JEFFREY BOULOS, Lance Corporal

Lance Corporal Boulos entered the United States Marine Corps on September 27, 1982. Born on February 10, 1963, he was a resident of Islip where he was graduated from Islip High School in 1981. In 1982, he was graduated from Suffolk County Community College and then entered the service. He was assigned to Weapons Company, 1/8 Dragons, 24th MAU, Detachment M, and was stationed in Beirut, Lebanon, as part of a multinational force on a peacekeeping mission in an effort to help bring peace and restore stability in the Middle East. He received the Certificate of Second Honorman, and the Good Conduct Medal, as well as a Purple Heart from the United States Navy and Marine Corps. On October 23, 1983, he died along with more than 200 of his fellow marines in a terrorist bombing on their barracks.

# MEMORIAL TO GRENADA VETERAN



## KENNETH J. BUTCHER, Machinist Mate 1st Class

Machinist Mate 1/c Butcher began serving in January of 1976 with the United States Navy. Born on December 20, 1956, he resided in West Islip where he was graduated from West Islip High School in 1975. Prior to entering the service, he was employed with Macy's in Bay Shore. While in the Navy, he was assigned primarily to Seal Team 6, Naval Special Warfare Group 2, and was stationed mainly in Virginia Beach, Virginia. He belonged to part of a section of the Navy whose operations and locations were kept secret. On October 23, 1983, he was killed in a parachute drop during the invasion of the island of Grenada. He received various medals, and is survived by his wife, Lee, who lived just outside the base in Virginia where Machinist Mate 1/c Butcher was assigned. In addition to his wife, he is also survived by his mother, Patricia, two brothers, Keith and Kevin, and two sisters, Kerry and Kathy.