

Toooo Weeeettt..Attention on Deck...Now hear this...Standby to hear a message from the bridge.... "Saints *August* newsletter"...Arriving!

ALSO ON SAINTS WEBSITE



VA-163 SAINTS GRAM



KEEPING THE MEMORY ALIVE

Distance and time may separate us

but friendship and memories won't

Dedicated to those who have invested their lives to the cause of Freedom in America! God Bless our Men and Women who are (or Have) in any way or manner served to protect our Great Nation and the freedom we have.

And God Bless the United States of America.



2022

20th Year Edition

Established Nov 2002

VOL 1 Issue 234

“Yesterday is history, tomorrow is a mystery, today is God’s gift, that’s why we call it the present”

“Remember today is the tomorrow you worried about yesterday”

Stay Safe, Be Healthy, Be Well, Salute to all you heros

Military Enlistment Oath: I do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the Constitution Of The United States against **all enemies, foreign** and **domestic**; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States.





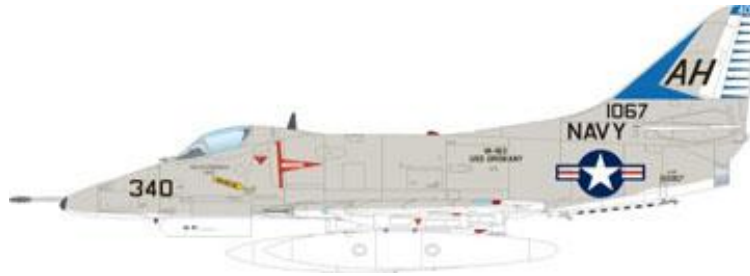


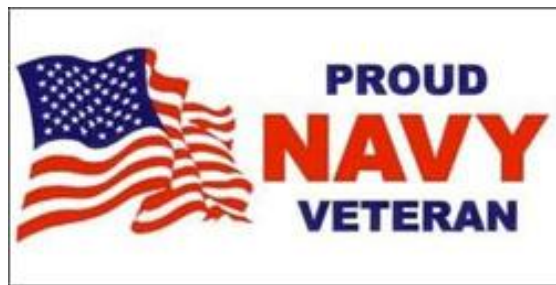
Patriot

pa·tri·ot *Noun*

[pey-tree-uhz, -ot or, esp. British, pa-tree-uhz]

A person who vigorously supports their country and is prepared to defend it against enemies foreign and domestic.





Standing the Watch



Ed Copher, Editor, "Saints Everlasting Keeper of the Flame"

"Keeper of the Flame"

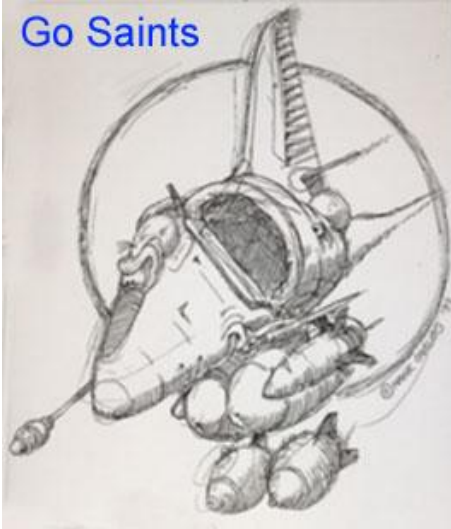
Memories glimmer and hide in the dim shadows
Daring us to ‘...catch me...if you can!’...
As time steadily treads its own meandering path,
It’s hard to trace old members of the clan.
Then someone steps up with lantern and blade
Shouting, “Let’s gather them in for us all, good neighbor!
We’ll bring forth those hidden in the shade, and
Share them with one and another!
“I’ll keep that flame high and the blade ever sharp,
That our friends may never be lost in the dark!”

ONCE A SAINT, ALWAYS A SAINT



Tailhook Navy







ATKRON 163



Saints Photos Website



<http://www.flickr.com/photos/va163saints/sets/>

Also on Saints website, PHOTOS section

Contains 80 Albums.... 4,832 Photos

View Counts as of 01 August 2022

“Over a million views”

1,116,834 views



“Saints Reunion Virginia Beach” 49 photos & 1 video

Click on link below

<https://www.flickr.com/photos/va163saints/albums/72157720165688053/with/51698826279/>

****Paid **\$76.00** to Flickr.com for Saints Photo website on 27 April 2022

*****SAINTS WEBSITE*****

THE WEBSITE HAS THE LATEST NEWSLETTERS AND ROSTER

Saints website www.va163.org password: *Saints4ever* **capital S**

31,222 Visitors since Mar 09

History, Latest Info, Photos, In Memoriam, Miscellaneous, Newsletters, Links, Recall Roster

***Total cost for the Saints Website is **\$293.97 per year**

***** 14 March 2022 paid \$15.45 to "Active-Domain" website hosting for 1 year renewal*****

***5 OCT 2021 paid \$306.75 to "GoDaddy" website
hosting for 2 year renewal***

15 Jan 2022 paid \$120 to "Webmaster" for maintenance of site, annual renewal

01 March 2022 paid \$14.45 for "Domain Name" one year renewal

Any donations are appreciated

Ed Copher

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New Braunfels, TX 78130

Folks that have sent in "**website**" donations 2017-21: A big shout out... "Thank You"

Ken Adams

Raymond Baker

Dave Carey

Ed Chadwick

Dennis Dooley

David Farley

JC Ferris (2)

Bob Feuillerat

Earl Groff (3)

Tom Harwood

Bill Houk

Tom Kline (2)

Dale & Mary Landroth

Daniel Lestage (2)

George Lundy (2)

Roger Meyer

Pete Munro

Floyd Oakes

Richard Odegaard

MA Petty

John Roosen (2)

Seth Rossman (2)

Bill Sargent

Fritz Schroeder

John Shore (2)

James Thompson

Bill Tomko

Anthony Stabile

Lucille Stickle (4)

James Marcely (VA-164)

Steve Cutting (VA-164)

Tommy Wimberly (other)

Folks that have donated to the "Saints Flower Fund": Thank You

Flowers have been sent to the last 12 funerals

Ken Adams

Raymond Baker

Dennis Dooley

Earl Groff

John Roosen

Seth Rossman

Thomas Harwood

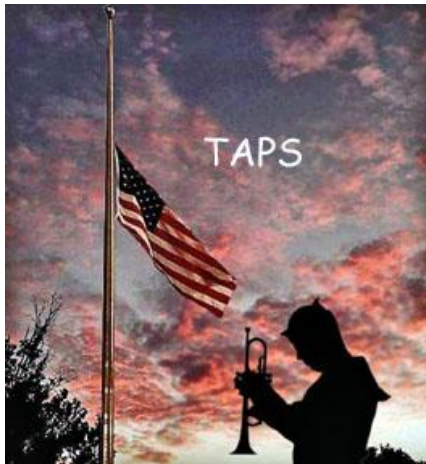
Griff Sexton

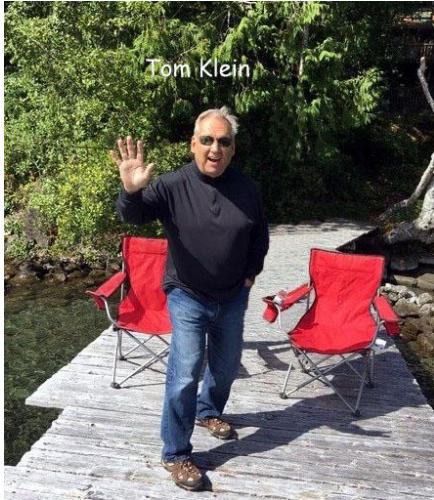
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Ed Chadwick

Daniel Lestage (2)

Lucille Stickley (3)





TAPS: <https://www.facebook.com/richard.niven.1/videos/1582752928788556/>

Thomas E. "Tom" Klein passed away: Rest in Peace, Slow Salute

Saints ATR-2, VA-163, 1965-68 (Electronics Technician)

Tom received his angel wings on 13 April 2022. He was forever proud of serving his country and being part of the VA-163 Saints Attack Squadron.

Obituary:

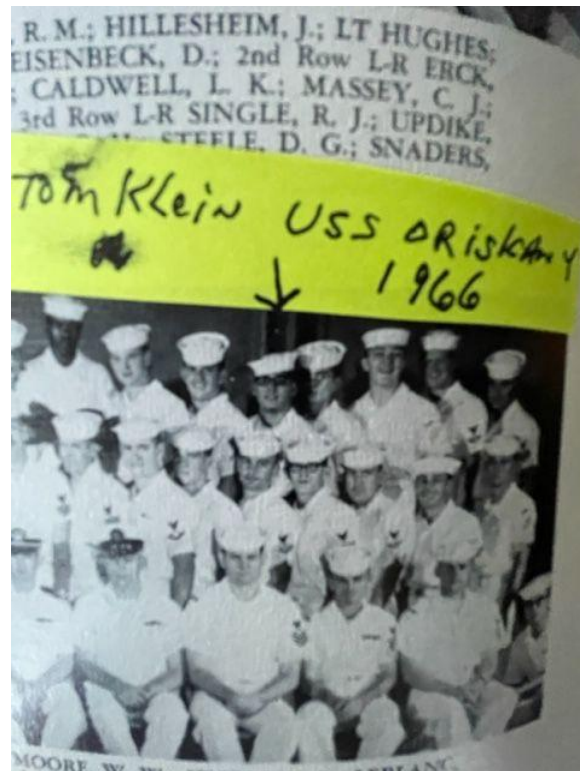
<https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/10715249>

Celebration of Life Thomas Eldred Klein 30 July 2022

Thank you to the Saints for the remembrance of Tom...the red, white and blue theme flowers were fantastic....our yard has 10 large American flags and your very thoughtful flowers makes it even more special.

Please thank all...you have truly touched my heart.

Linda



Saint Wally Spain issues:

After all these years, Wally is finally receiving his VA disability claim payments. He appreciates phone calls from all Saints, 434-203-4758 or 434-250-0204





Saints/Ghostriders in Las Vegas 2014



Ron Tardio's birthday: Submitted by Tony Chibbaro

A copy of the email I sent to my Children and oldest Grandson - ALL know who Ron Tardio was and that he saved my life!!

ALL - (7/25) would have been **Ron Tardio's** 79th birthday - he died at age 23 in the ship fire on 26 Oct 1966.

Forever etched in my memory is Ron pulling the curtain of my bunk, shaking me, telling me - "Tony, it's really bad, you have to get up" - and before I could say a word to Ron, he unknowingly ran out of the bunk room aft towards the fire - died in the fire of smoke inhalation. The same would have happened to me IF not for . . . a 'mid-watch' on the Bridge . . . at the encouragement of CDR Juntilla, CIC Officer (he died in the fire) . . . I wanted to transfer to CIC from COMM.

Had I not had that "mid-watch" of 4 hours on the Bridge (in addition to the 12 hours I'd already stood in Communications during the previous day 10/25) - getting to my bunk about 0430 hours 10/26 - was tired - did hear the alarm "fire, fire" - but turned over to go back to sleep - lots of "coincidences" - just wasn't my time "to buy the farm".

IF you Google Search - "Ron Tardio" - his picture shows up on 'The Virtual Wall.org'.

I sure am very thankful for ALL seven of my Family . . . thankful for Ron getting me to get up to save my life.



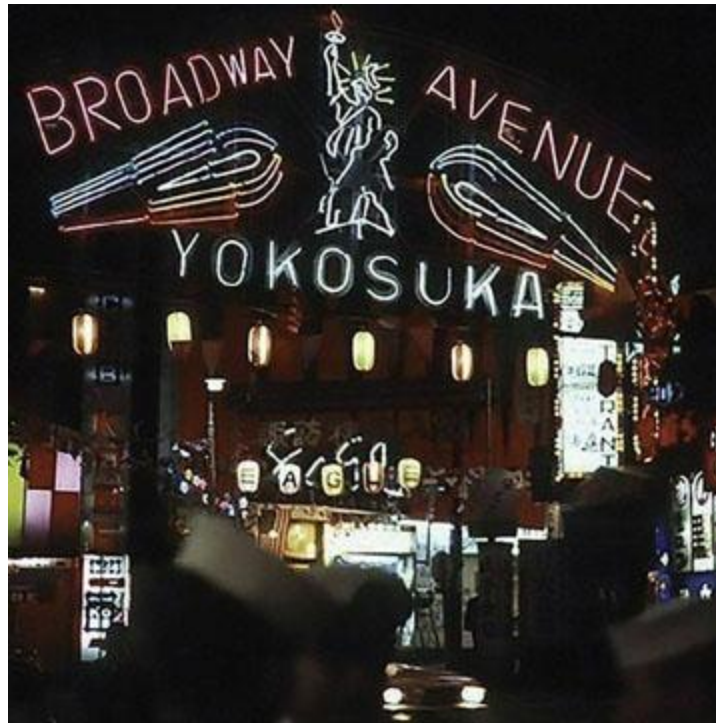
Anniversary of the Forrestal Fire:

At about 10:50 (local time) on July 29, 1967, a Mk-32 "Zuni" rocket, from an F-4B Phantom II, accidentally fired causing a fire on the flight deck of the USS Forrestal (CVA-59), as it was engaged in combat operations in the Gulf of Tonkin. The blaze eventually destroyed 21 aircraft, killed 134 sailors, injured 161 others, and utterly ravaged the ship – damages exceeded US\$72 million (equivalent to \$500+ million today). It was one of the worst post WWII disasters suffered by the Navy. Today marks the 55th anniversary of the sad event.



Found new Saint: Ernest "Larry" Desha: Added to roster





Sasebo



Dead Men Flying

A Remembrance

BOOK



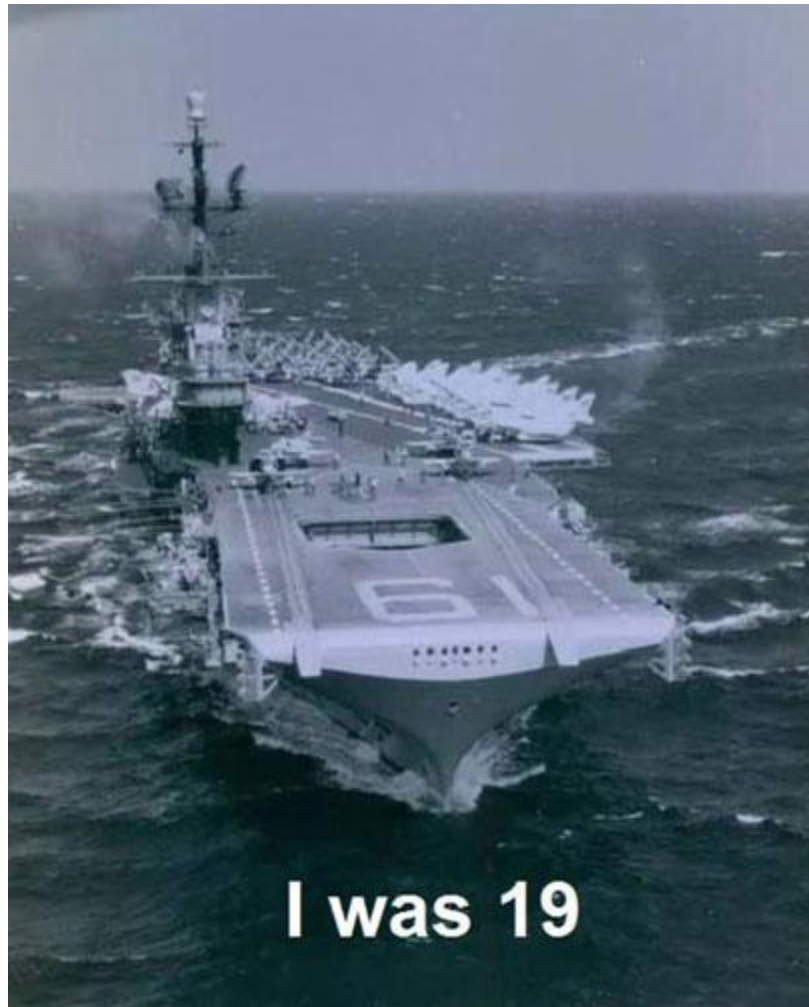
Going to War in the A-4
Rolling Thunder over Hanoi



Mike "Mule" Mullane

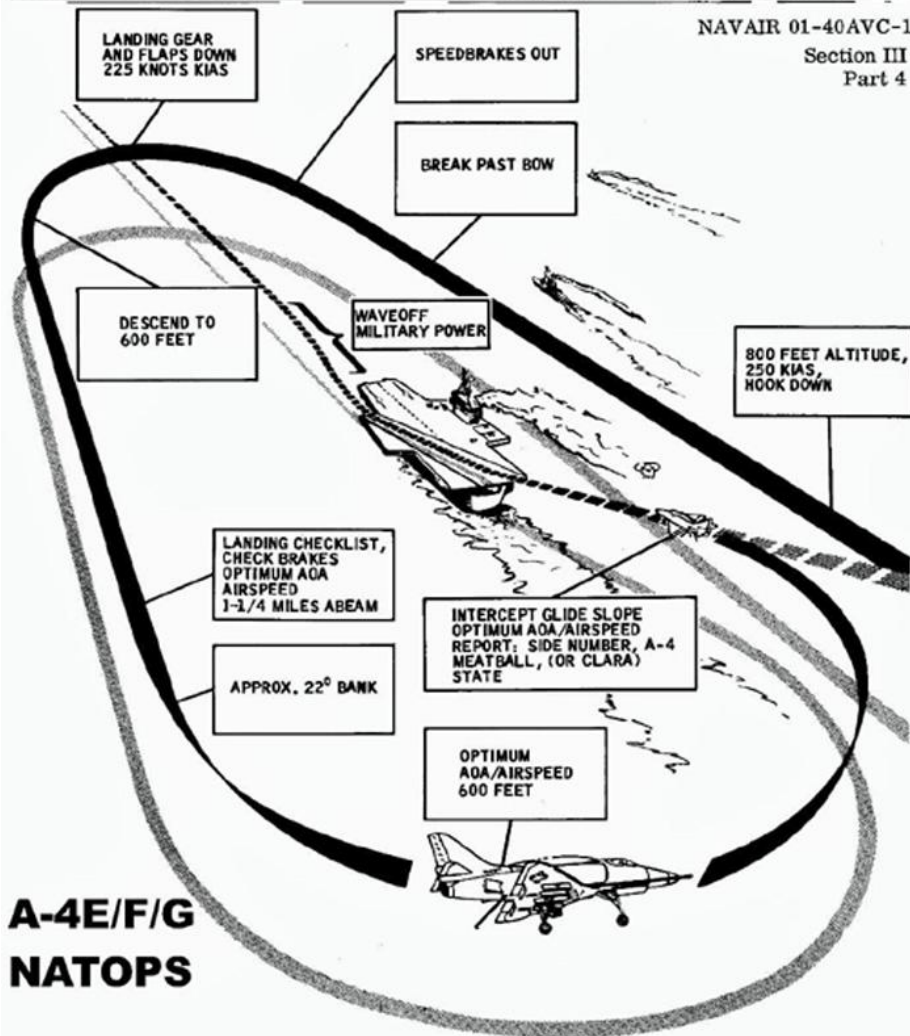


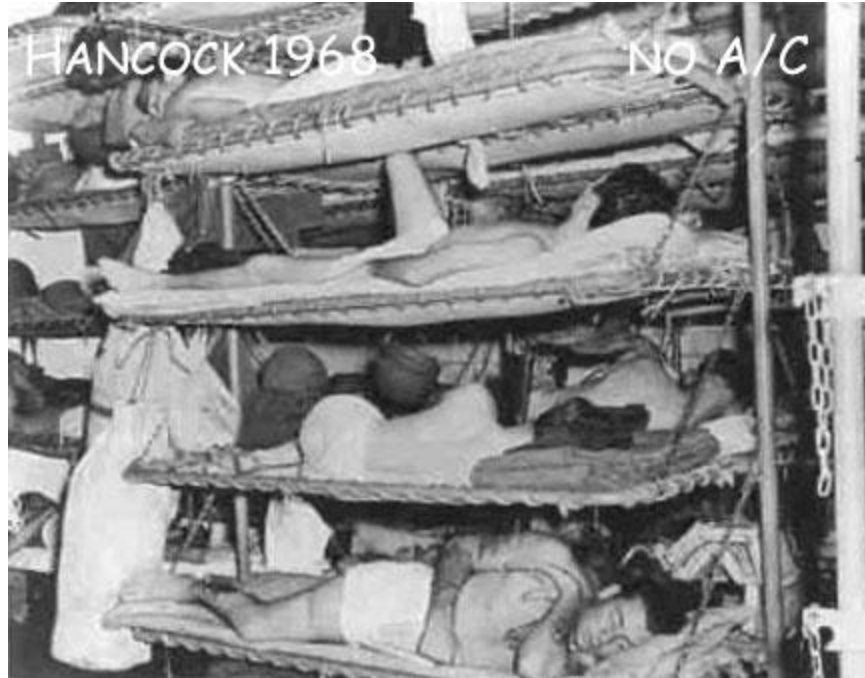




Typical Carrier-Landing Pattern

NAVAIR 01-40AVC-1
Section III
Part 4





**A MAN MAY GET OUT
OF THE NAVY**



**BUT THE NAVY
NEVER GETS OUT OF
THE MAN**

USS Hancock **CV/CVA-19**

Fighting Hannah



U.S.S. HANCOCK CV-19

WORLD WAR II

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 WILLIAM W. ANDERSON, USN
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 EDWIN W. BARNETT, 1ST
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VF-51
 ODR DONALD M. BERRY

VF-55
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 LDCR FRED A. BERRY

VF-211
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 LDCR WILLIAM B. BERRY

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 2ND DONALD C. BERRY
 LDCR. BOBBY L. BERRY

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 LT. DONALD L. BERRY
 2ND DONALD C. BERRY

VA-215
 LDCR WILLIAM B. BERRY
 2ND DONALD C. BERRY

VA-216
 LT. FRANK L. BERRY

VFP-63
 LT. VICTOR P. BERRY
 LT. DONALD L. BERRY
 LTJG. THOMAS E. BERRY

"... BUT O FOR THE TOUCH OF A VANISH'D HAND,
 AND THE SOUND OF A VOICE THAT IS STILL!"...
 TENNYSON

GRATEFULLY DONATED BY THE USS HANCOCK CV-CVA-19 ASSOCIATION

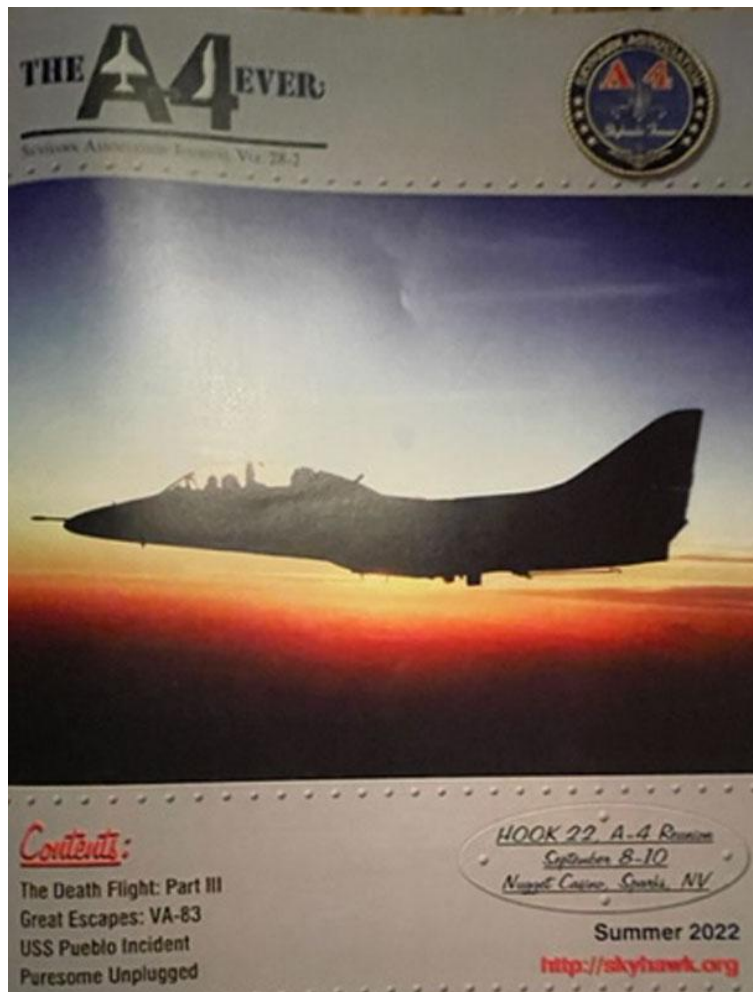
Memorial plaque on display aboard the USS Yorktown at Patriots Point, South Carolina for Hancock's dead and missing. (Courtesy of Edmund O'Neil)



Fighter jet blows off USS Truman during bad weather

I thought you would be interested in this story I found on MSN: Fighter jet blows off USS Truman during bad weather -

<https://www.msn.com/en-us/news/world/fighter-jet-blows-off-uss-truman-during-bad-weather/ar-AAZq0zv?li=BBnb7Kz>





[Join the "VA-163 Saints" Facebook group:](#)

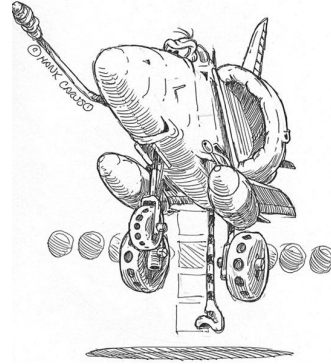


Please join the "**VA-163 Saints**" Facebook group. Updates on reunions etc. and other interesting Saints postings. You can post pictures and other info for others to enjoy. Just go to Facebook Groups and search for **VA-163 Saints**.

Ed Copher is the group administrator and will approve your joining.



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The Skyhawk Association has 797 members, 14 Saints are members

Home page: Click here: [Home Page | The Skyhawk Association](#)

VA-163 page: [VA-163 | The Skyhawk Association](#)

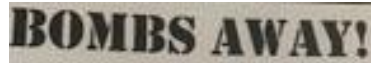
YouTube page: [Skyhawk Association - YouTube](#)

Please join the Skyhawk Association. A great Quarterly Magazine, allot of A-4's and Saints articles.

Only \$30 per year.

To Join: <http://skyhawk.org/>

Websites of Interest



[How Blue Water Navy Ships were exposed to Agent Orange - BLUE WATER NAVY ASSOCIATION](#)

<https://www.bwnvva.org/how-blue-water-navy-ships-were-exposed-to-agent-orange.html>

Oriskany Websites: USS Oriskany (CVA 34) 25 Sep 1950 / 20 Sep 1979 Stricken from Navy List 1989. Sold 9 Sep 1995, but the contractor defaulted. Repossessed by the Navy and contract terminated 30 Jul 1997. Sunk off the coast of Florida 17 May 2006 for use as an artificial reef. Click on the ship name for a complete history.

1. Great Oriskany Photos from Dive Shop Pensacola: www.mbtdivers.com
2. The best pictures of the reefing. Going to her final resting place:
<http://www.irishmansoftware.com/Oriskany.htm>
3. Oriskany Reunion Association: www.ussoriskany.com
4. Video of Big O going under:
<http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=-1401279762745553286&q=oriskany>
5. Patriot Media "The Mighty O": <http://patriotmediainc.com>
- 6.32 Oriskany Dive Video & Photos: http://www.oriskanycharterboats.com/oriskany_photos.htm
7. Diving Oriskany Reef, 25 March 2007: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9l-wYnIBZis>
8. Oriskany Cruise Books on CD's: A. <http://glewis.us/obooks.htm>
B. <http://navysite.de/cruisebooks/cv34-67/index.html>
C. <http://navysite.de/cruisebooks/cv34-67/index.html>
9. Oriskany 1967 Vietnam Combat Cruise, DVD sale:
http://www.cv41.org/GRS/uss_oriskany_67/index.html

10. Oriskany Information and History/Pictures:
<http://www.pnj.com/newsfiles/oriskany/index.shtml>
11. Oriskany model: <http://www.motionmodels.com/ships/cv/>
12. USS Oriskany Photo Galleries:
<http://www.flickr.com/photos/7437991@N08/galleries/72157622440145584>
13. USS Oriskany History 1972: <http://www.ussoriskany.com/id17.html>
14. USS Oriskany digital Cruise Book Project <http://glewis.us/obooks.htm>
15. Oriskany 1970...Flight Ops:
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mXaKTJIVxHM&feature=email> 10 min
16. Oriskany Memorial Dive for Saint Ralph Bisz: Saints logo patch placed on Oriskany, 20 Sept 2010 <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YqNETwJvF3A> 7:13 min video
17. Oriskany Dive to put Saint Larry Spear's ashes to rest on Oriskany: 03 Dec 2010
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aBnOkCrDnQo> 7:25 min video
18. Saints Video on YouTube: Dennis Lund video filmed on the Oriskany including the Oriskany fire! <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DJ5ykZjRaIM>
19. Tour of Duty photo site: 3000 photos, some Saints
<https://www.flickr.com/groups/435090@N22/>
20. USS Oriskany Fire & Sinking: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IS2uky8K5Jk> 42 min video
21. 1963 TOUR OF THE USS Oriskany: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e92t7kgV_Ws & <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k9Mh975VCII>
22. O Boat Sinking Video: 24. <http://trib.al/t69QQT4>
23. Oriskany Video: With F-4's https://youtu.be/e92t7kgV_Ws
24. USS Oriskany Alumni: "facebook page" and gallery has some great photos. Go to Facebook to join the group
25. **[Oriskany Dive video, to the Brig:](https://www.facebook.com/groups/28616026909/permalink/10157960059966910/)** 6 Dec 2021
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/28616026909/permalink/10157960059966910/>
26. **[Oriskany Dive video, to the XO's stateroom and Officers Mess:](#)** 31 Oct 2021

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/28616026909/permalink/10157960065921910/>

Oriskany Fire, Life Magazine

Life Magazine, November 25, 1966

“A Carrier’s Agony — Hell Afloat”

An approximate **15 page article with photos** detailing the tragedy at sea. Click below for complete article:

<http://www.ussoriskany.us/Oriskany/LifeNR.pdf>

Oriskany in Western Pacific

<https://youtu.be/CuznRX9Pa9k>

Oriskany Flight Ops and Unrep:

[https://catalog.archives.gov/id/85461\]\(https://catalog.archives.gov/id/85461\)](https://catalog.archives.gov/id/85461](https://catalog.archives.gov/id/85461))

Oriskany on YouTube video:

<https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=6l8DIJA5DU0&feature=share&fbclid=IwAR210YA4tzW4VITm58zt0aerctBQCmhNBOOrT9okW6Brb7V0Jmzlh9RNEP1g>

From Ed Chadwick: Pilot Down

Interestingly in 1967, we lost several men and aircraft in 1967 on an attempted rescue of one Navy pilot. Orders came down immediately that no more high threat rescues would be allowed. It’s possible that the reactions of many of us may have eventually altered that “no rescue” policy.

<http://www.pilotsofamerica.com/forum/showthread.php?t=42816>

Oriskany Video from 1966:

https://catalog.archives.gov/id/85461?fbclid=IwAR3-cX6vMpSSO_o0yaSvozse5MfRLnf0VBaByznNGVWA3_U4WZ8OXNJjUGY

Blue Angels:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eVxpCHqXQoI>

TA-4 inflight video:

https://instagram.com/skyhawk518?utm_medium=copy_link

Ed Copher Oriskany Fire Interview: Done at Virginia Beach on 5 Nov, 30 min video
[ED COPHER RAW INTERVIEW https://f.io/oxWyqbJo](https://f.io/oxWyqbJo)

Huggin the Deck video: 54 min video

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eSgDIS5I9s8>

John Shore 1965-66 WestPac Video:

<https://youtu.be/pWeBAyWifP8>

USS Hancock: Scotty Moore - The USS Hancock ("Hannah")

http://scottymoore.net/USSHancock.html?fb_action_ids=620396487990408&fb_action_types=og.likes&fb_source=other_multiline&action_object_map=%7B%22620396487990408%22%3A325920780869208%7D&action_type_map=%7B%22620396487990408%22%3A%22og.likes%22%7D&action_ref_map=%5B%5D#NASNI

Lots of Oriskany Info:

<http://www.navsource.org/archives/02/34.htm?fbclid=IwAR0Onwxj0QPhQRFLCmZ6wzytPb9D9YpRVSIB2Ea6cKhhUKm2gP0SECiqj-k>

A-4 Skyhawk Wikipedia:

https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Douglas_A-4_Skyhawk?fbclid=IwAR0ICpJW03arF1pU2JU3uv5vccB2Y4S9_UXVE_mmsKY7KuXYttPrc0oH2UM

Amazing Carrier Landing:

https://fb.watch/8szS_yQV97/

Website on the A-4 Skyhawk with much interest as I am very keen to commission and publish further books on this beautiful and iconic aircraft. More on us can be gleaned here:

<https://www.fonthill.media/products/phantom-pilot>

If you are interested in possibly connecting and discussing a proposal on the A-4 Skyhawk or a pilot/ground crew memoir, please do not hesitate to contact me. j.slater@fonthillmedia.com via fonthill.onmicrosoft.com

Oriskany Amature flight deck videos: From Facebook

1. <https://www.facebook.com/groups/28616026909/permalink/10157816002016910/>
2. <https://www.facebook.com/groups/28616026909/permalink/10157815770641910/>

3. <https://www.facebook.com/groups/28616026909/permalink/10157815786321910/>

Landing on Oriskany Video:

https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=gm2jT6Ftn3E&feature=youtu.be&fbclid=IwAR23MVLfw69KhDsQ9A5BFS3tAEGzT_dBFHtHXMHL-GsiBh7TUxnRSdL-1Cs

A-4 Inflight Crash video:

<https://fb.watch/8jyVi92eJh/>

Oriskany Sinking video:

<https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=F2-Aew7SMO8&fbclid=IwAR2xrucXr7I2laUx8SM98-IIDXp>

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Vietnam Memorial Wall Faces:

154 service members with names inscribed on The Wall were born on Oct. 23. Their photos are spotlighted today on the Wall of Faces. Every day, the Wall of Faces changes to honor those who were born on that day. Join us in remembering them today and each of the 58,279 service members with names inscribed on The Wall. Search The Wall here: vmf.org/wall-of-faces

Oriskany Video Clip:

<https://youtu.be/-UbU3iMj4zw>

Petula Clark, Sailor 1961

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4-r0ngPEHkg>

Oriskany in Bridges of Toko-Ri:

https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=bIFuGFBw_yI

Sailor Song 1961

<https://m.youtube.com/watch?feature=share&v=4-r0ngPEHkg>

Veterans Benefits Newsletter from the VA:

<https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USVAVBA/bulletins/27794cb>

Military Aircraft photos:

<http://www.doyletics.com/tidbits/militaryadvice.pdf>

Oriskany Dive 9 Feb 2020:

<https://vimeo.com/390358620>

Blue Angels A-4 Video:

<https://www.navalhistory.org/2020/01/24/how-the-navy-got-a-hit-recruiting-video-from-van-halen>

High Flight by John Denver:

<https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=1xNGgWNRUf8#>

F-18 Parking on Flightdeck:

<https://fbwat.ch/1vthAlcaGlvADom4>

A-4 Launch 1962:

<https://www.facebook.com/100026351565698/posts/312902602931456?d=n&sfns=mo>

I Stand:

<https://www.youtube.com/embed/2eBxVxO0nh4>

Blue Angels In Flight:

https://www.wearethemighty.com/blue-angels-cockpit-footage?utm_source=facebook&utm_medium=social&utm_campaign=Evergreen&utm_term=Veterans&utm_content=blue-angels-cockpit-footage

Blue Angels Cockpit...

[WATCH: BLUE ANGELS - Footage Inside the Cockpit](#)

Saints WestPac 1965-66 Video:

Saint John Shore had his 8 mm movies converted to a DVD. He said it only took him 50+ years to get it put together. I took the DVD and uploaded it to YouTube.com. What a task for this rookie YouTube user, took many hours, first had to convert the DVD to Mp3, and that took hours of work. Then upload to YouTube took many steps to get accomplished. Click on the link below to view on YouTube.

LINK address: <https://youtu.be/bwuTIK544cQ>

Oriskany Sinking Article & photos:

<https://fighterjetsworld.com/naval/the-u-s-navy-blows-up-aircraft-carrier-sets-world-record-that-still-stands/10506/>

181 Pictures from Oriskany, including inaction Fire photos:

No need to log in.

<https://genelewis.smugmug.com/SLIDE-GALLERY-FROM-JAMON-KENT-PH2/>

NAS Lemoore April 1968:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5sRIO4kvjVE&feature=youtu.be>

SAINTS ONBOARD (260 Names)

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New or changed address:

Admiral Compton has a new home phone number: 334 654 5060. His son David has moved to Demopolis and is the best source to get information on or to the Skipper. David's phone number is 571-286-6161 and email dtcompton3@gmail.com

See website roster

Please advise if you have any additions or corrections.

Complete Muster Call can be found on the Saints website –

www.va163.org password, *Saints4ever* **capital S**



Happy trails to you....until we meet again.....<https://g.co/kgs/3FJhs4>

