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The NSSAR Veterans Bugle

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National Society Sons of the American Revolution

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This Newsletter's focus includes: (1) Christmas 1776—The Battle that Saved the Revolution; (2) Information concerning President General Brock's proclamation on Wreaths Across America; and (3) a year-end listing of current VetCorps members. For details see contents on page 2.

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Christmas 1776: The Battle that saved the Revolution.

General Washington and his troops had been defeated in September; they were driven from Brooklyn to Manhattan, from Manhattan to north of New York City, around the Palisades and across New Jersey. They declined from 30,000 troops in September to 2,500 effectives on Christmas Day. Of the 2,500 one-third didn't have boots. They were wearing burlap bags wrapped around their feet and as they marched they left a trail of blood.

General Washington knew if they didn't win a victory soon the entire Army would disappear. So he had to do something desperate. He proposed to cross an icy river, at night in a snowstorm. Then march nine miles, in the dark to the City of Trenton, a village that had 800 German Troops—Professional Hessians. He was going to surprise them and capture them. It was a very dangerous plan.

Because it was harder to get there than they thought, they were four hours late. And yet, the sign of Divine Provenance was present. There was an enormous snowstorm coming from the North, behind them, pushing them toward Trenton. A storm so enormous that the Germans Troops said nobody could be out in this kind of weather. So they didn't post guard. They didn't muster at dawn as they normally would, because it was

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"The willingness with which our young people are likely to serve in any war, no matter how justified, shall be directly proportional to how they perceive veterans of earlier wars were treated and appreciated by our nation."

George Washington

"Badge over Glory" photo staged and taken by Chuck Sweeney 08 Oct 2011



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impossible. For Europeans it probably was impossible. But General Washington's troops were Americans. They were used to the American winter. They were used to deer hunting in the winter. They were used to traveling in the winter. This was just a terrible snowstorm. It wasn't a reason to stop.

*Washington's troop surprised the Germans, captured 800 of them at the cost of one American, and then ran for the river before the British could catch them. They crossed it successfully with their prisoners. Within two weeks 15,000 volunteers showed up, and Washington began driving the British across New Jersey. The revolution had been saved.**

** The information above was adopted from the YouTube presentation by Newt Gingrich entitled "Christmas Day 1776 George Washington 'Victory or Die.'" To view this YouTube presentation and hear Newt Gingrich's words, go::*

[YouTube](#)



Wreaths Across America

Proclamation



President General

Whereas: The Wreaths Across America story began over fifteen years ago when Morrill and Karen Worcester of the Worcester Wreath Company from Harrington, Maine began a tradition of placing wreaths on the headstones of our nation's fallen heroes at Arlington National Cemetery during the holidays; and

Whereas: Morrill Worcester was awarded the Gold Good Citizenship Medal by the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution for his patriotic service; and

Whereas: The mission of Wreaths Across America is to remember the fallen, honor those who serve and teach our children the value of freedom; and

Whereas: The wreath-laying ceremonies will be held concurrently across America on **Saturday, December 13, 2014**; and

Whereas: The National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution has endorsed and supports the Wreaths Across America program, and plans to participate in many of the 285 locations where ceremonies will be conducted on December 13th.

Therefore be it Further Resolved: That the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution supports the Wreaths Across America program and encourages all State Societies and Chapters to adopt and participate in this important patriotic program.

God bless the United States of America,

Lindsey Cook Brock
President General (2014-2015)

Year-end Summary of issued Certificates of Patriotism...



As of this date, 839 Compatriots have been processed into the World War II Veterans Corps. Of this number, 583 remain with us.* There are 118 Compatriots who are members of the Korean Service Veterans Corps; 358 Compatriots who are members of the Vietnam War Veterans Corps; and 22 Compatriots who are members of the Persian Gulf War Veterans Corps. The total number of Compatriots who remain with us in all four NSSAR Veterans Corps is 1081.

* Remain with us means the Compatriots have not passed-on and are in good standing as a result of having paid their annual dues.

A Grateful Nation Remembers Revisited...



As you may recall in the 11 November 2014 issue of **The NSSAR Veterans Bugle**, we paid tribute to our World War II Veterans Corps members with words authored by Tom Brokaw in his book **The Greatest Generation**. “Every generation has its share of men who fully lived the art of manliness. But there may never have been a generation when the ratio of honorable men to slackers was higher than the one born between 1914 and 1929. These were the men and women that grew up during the Great Depression. They are those who went off to fight the Big One. And they are the men and women who came home from that war and built the nations of the Western World into economic powerhouses. They knew the meaning of sacrifice, both in terms of material possessions and of real blood, sweat, and tears. They were humble men and women who never bragged about what they had done or been through. They were loyal, patriotic, and level-headed. They were our Greatest Generation.”

During early November, the NSSAR Vice Presidents General, in keeping with the Presidents General’s initiative to ensure each living World War II Veterans Corps Compatriot has an opportunity to be remembered on Veterans Day 2014, issued a request that each state president under his purview honor as appropriate the Compatriots listed on the electronic “Grateful Nation Remembers” Certificates that were sent their way.

Many thanks to the members of **The Greatest Generation** for their service to country; and many tanks to the Compatriots in the Chain of Command who honored the men of **The Greatest Generation** during this past Veterans Day.

Korea: The First Undeclared War—Forgotten, Unknown, and Unfinished.



Yet we remember and say thank you for your service to country. The current 118 NSSAR members of the Korean Service Veterans Corps are listed below according to their State Society.

Korean Service Veterans Corps as end of 2014

ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
91	159663	Herbert	W.	Norton, Jr.	AL
118	189283	Timothy	D.	Prater	AZ
67	151452	Bruce		Fitzpatrick	CA
69	174882	Hal	D.	Hichborn	CA
71	152453	James	L.	Wallace	CA
72	158750	Richard	E.	Adams	CA
73	145702	William	R.	Purcell	CA
82	189384	Marcus	A.	Deemer, Jr.	CA
104	183525	Gary	D.	Jensen	CA
20	145011	Paul	A.	Palmer	CT
59	180130	Theodore	C.	Sweeney	CT
60	160170	Clarence	R.	Grebey	CT
93	117292	Douglas	R.	Crandall	CT
105	143845	James	E.	Newton	CT
55	120230	Howard	F.	Horne	DE
115	188809	Matthew	J.	Barlow, Jr.	DE
3	185050	Hans	F.	Hunt	FL
6	157005	David	F.	Kitchen, Jr	FL
10	166346	William	A.	Roberts	FL
12	181419	Eugene	R.	Wright	FL
13	172888	Ralph	W.	Crews	FL

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ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
17	115343	John	T.	Bittner, Jr.	FL
18	182541	George	W.	Sparks	FL
19	158494	William	E.	Thomas	FL
21	168241	William	M.	Fuller	FL
22	97141	John	D.	Tinny	FL
23	156482	Richard	A.	Brownell	FL
25	156504	John	H.	Dame	FL
26	184148	Robert	H.	Rogers	FL
27	134002	Roland	G.	Downing, PhD	FL
28	161692	Daniel	W.	Stebbins	FL
29	73355	Carl	K.	Hoffmann	FL
34	159700	Jack	D.	Crandall	FL
40	164064	Charles	L.	Day, Jr	FL
41	178074	Kenneth	R.	Dunn	FL
42	179243	James	E.	Echlin	FL
43	179484	Duane	G.	Finch, Sr	FL
47	186279	Benjamin	H.	Warren	FL
54	157372	Lindsey	C.	Brock	FL
68	171749	Michael	E.	Garevy	FL
74	107259	Norman	S.	Ashworth	FL
75	168251	John	E.	Moore, Sr.	FL

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ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
92	150989	Robert		Dannerman	FL
94	131669	Rollin	L.	Bauchspies, Jr.	FL
106	190677	Kenneth	L.	Aubrey	FL
2	184574	Donald	M.	Breed	GA
9	159728	Paul	I.	Prescott	GA
30	184229	Eugene	L.	Warren	GA
32	183383	John	M.	House	GA
35	160480	Thomas	R.	Davis	GA
36	130998	Charles	H.	Dayhuff, III	GA
38	129395	Robert	F.	Galer	GA
44	163649	Charles	H.	Lindsey	GA
46	172800	William	M.	Slayton	GA
48	159762	Bloise	A.	Hill	GA
50	144945	Edward	C.	Hackney	GA
53	162722	Lenis	C.	Tarpley	GA
56	146658	Gordon	B.	Ragan	GA
65	162723	Donald	R.	Anderson	GA
76	178031	Jack	L.	Zuker	GA
85	178713	Justin	M.	Reese III	GA
107	146657	Charlie	A.	Newcomer III	GA
49	186645	Robert	P.	Bissell	IA
111	189032	James	M.	Telford	ID
116	184537	Ned	M.	Barker	ID
1	159325	James	C.	Arnold	IN
4	146839	Terry	R.	Johnson	IN
5	153642	Glen	M.	Killey	IN
7	172153	Paul	G.	Konkle	IN
8	113858	John	H.	McGath	IN
11	185163	Bobby	E.	Smiley	IN
14	167950	Merlin	E.	Mundy, Jr	IN
15	179826	Clyde	C.	James	IN
113	122506	John	E.	Hoyt	IN
24	185510	Robert		Arter	KS
51	132683	Harvey	L.	Hampton	KY
83	175870	Joe	H.	Noffsinger	KY
95	159377	Carl	D.	Black	KY
96	150249	Harold		Boggs	KY
97	102538	Everett	L.	Coleman	KY
98	126934	Warder	R.	Harrison	KY
99	158721	Thomas	A.	Howard	KY

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ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
100	114832	William	J.	Manby	KY
101	165391	William	H.	Park	KY
112	158090	Alfred	E.	Coleman	KY
62	178991	Truman		Maynard	LA
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33	146147	David	N.	Appleby	MO
45	179699	Charles	G.	McMillan	MO
63	159613	Walter	A.	Glen	MO
64	163977	Loren	C	Boline	MO
84	161760	Romie	E.	Carr	MO
77	180508	Bobby	Jay	Ervin	NC
114	182047	Terry	L.	Fowler	NC
89	190136	Allerton	L.	Bonney, Jr.	NH
78	166186	Leonard	C.	Becker	NV
16	148070	John	L.	Ackerman	OH
31	148509	Marlin		Lovensheimer	OH
37	171026	William	C.	Fast, Jr	OH
39	162557	Donald	C.	McGraw, Jr	OH
57	187264	Wayne	H.	Weber	OH
117	180066	Robert	D.	Cutter	OH
52	184656	Charles	H.	Seibert	PA
61	183399	Larry	L.	Ridgway	PA
86	187095	Robert	W.	Bloch	PA
80	130617	Stanley	A.	Evans, Sr.	TN
108	172626	Archie	A.	Collins	TN
109	184049	Arthur	H.	McReynolds	TN
79	178314	Terry	L.	Holden	TX
58	149845	Clyde	W.	Spence, Jr.	VA
66	161057	Robert	J.	Barberie	VA
81	187830	Roy	L.	Adams	VA
87	162647	Allen	L.	Lewis	VA
88	95646	Steven	F.	Kercher	VA
90	14154	David	E.	Cook	VA
110	155392	William	P.	Schneider	VA
102	136291	Alfred	E.	Cummings	WV
103	185612	Joseph	H.	Quick	WV

Freedom is not free!

Vietnam War Veterans Corps Compatriots—A Grateful Nation Thanks and Honors you.



*America...
In the spring
Returns a stranger
To an unstrange
land.
But will you know
Who I am.
Vietnam 1961-1975*



The current 358 NSSAR members of the Vietnam War Veterans Corps are listed below according to their State Society.

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ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
3	138085	Larry	P.	Cornwell	AL
160	160238	Robert	G.	Nivens	AL
265	176016	Bruce	A.	Buehler	AL
266	185939	Fred	J.	Baker	AL
16	159304	Charles	B.	Pickette	AL
255	177657	Robert	L.	Anderson, Jr.	AL
328	187671	Curtis	F.	Bedsole	AL
179	155269	Richard	H.	Wells	AL
335	98145	John	L.	Dwyer	AL
178	161897	Mark	A.	Steetle	AL
157	162348	EuGene	C.	Smith	AR
180	184207	Russell	F.	Self, Jr.	AR
126	183781	Peter	W.	Morish	Australia
147	172207	Jimmie	L.	Bodenhamer	AZ
251	156162	Lance	D.	Dickinson	AZ
142	100366	Michael	E.	Barger	AZ
63	170060	George	A.	Lipphardt, Sr.	AZ
257	188010	Eddie	W.	Zuleger	AZ
181	162686	David	A.	Swanson	AZ
283	165912	Stephen	J.	Miller	AZ
42	165701	Carl	M.	Claus	CA
45	181936	Gary	N.	Overby	CA
72	170526	Joseph	E.	Miller	CA

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ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
69	157824	James	E.	Mattern, Sr.	CA
68	140748	John	W.	Davis	CA
58	108939	Howard	A.	Johnson, Jr.	CA
43	170169	Denis	C.	Poole	CA
259	184572	David	J.	Hutchinson	CA
75	86933	Hammond	M.	Salley	CA
128	183671	Robert	F. H.	Brown	CA
149	176780	Linn		Malaznik	CA
356	170526	Joseph	E.	Miller	CA
66	180862	Jerald	M.	Ferrell	CA
136	176771	James	S.	Beatty	CA
182	188525	Douglas	A.	Milliken	CA
293	187021	Steven	R.	Stallings	CA
207	183132	Keith	J.	Bickley	CA
129	174887	Johnnie	D.	Humphrey	CA
32	183825	Douglas		Keefauver	CA
140	183826	James	W.	Klingler	CA
144	184364	Richard	M.	Dexter	CA
57	927779	Paul	S.	Foote	CA
208	179795	George	T.	Gentry, Jr.	CA
46	149408	Wylie	F.	Richard	CA
253	167973	Owen	R.	Stiles	CA
348	141921	Lowell	A.	Clark	CO

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ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
125	163463	William	J.	Fillingim	CO
267	187524	Jordan	A.	Brown	CO
183	187616	Jimmie	L.	Myers	CO
336	171422	Thomas	R.	Hoffman	CO
26	114860	Dick	P.	Marsh	CO
61	183058	John	R.	Harrison	CT
268	186482	Larry	J.	Thon	CT
54	87459	Peter	D.	Webster	CT
59	168945	John	R.	Cutler	CT
17	135035	Kenneth	D.	Roach	CT
38	180130	Theodore	C.	Sweeney	CT
1	151304	Stephen	A.	Leishman	DE
357	167696	James	K.	Blakeslee	DE
139	1700162	Claude	S.	Farmer, Jr.	FL
301	153865	Billy		Peters	FL
102	167467	Frank	H.	Dunagan, Sr.	FL
103	169588	Harold	C.	Hanson	FL
95	143118	Joseph	M.	Motes	FL
101	158605	Terry	R.	Silvester	FL
96	150378	Charles	T.	Hough	FL
91	159702	Richard	A.	Baxter	FL
97	138900	Frederick	A.	Rall	FL
105	168625	Benjamin	G.	Martin	FL
223	172335	John	H.	Matthews	FL
222	156482	Richard	A.	Brownell	FL
104	118620	Jon	F.	Lowdermilk	FL
312	142404	Richard	M.	Lyon, Jr.	FL
93	174158	Bobbie	G.	Overcash	FL
295	190677	Kenneth	L.	Aubrey	FL
294	184782	Don	E.	Bresett	FL
100	132960	John	E.	Cahoon, Jr.	FL
20	167667	Charles	T.	Sweeney	FL
85	175070	Oscar		Patterson III	FL
86	96834	Gregory	T.	Scotten	FL
87	174280	Henry	D.	Goss	FL
88	151916	George	E.	McCabe, Jr.	FL
89	173202	Raymond	J.	Judd	FL
90	158845	Edward	M.	Duvall	FL
285	190064	Pactrick	J.	Nieman	FL

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ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
94	147345	Christopher	J.	Reader	FL
119	88621	William	T.	Moore, Jr.	FL
109	157248	David	J.	Kelsey, Sr.	FL
284	131669	Rollin	L.	Bauchspies, Jr.	FL
108	148106	Gerald	E.	Meeks	FL
107	178381	William		McPherson	FL
106	182683	Jay	F.	Jewett	FL
113	120431	Jim	R.	Armitage	FL
114	150918	Roger	W.	Shurtleff, Jr.	FL
115	119817	Donald	D.	Slesnick II	FL
116	161934	Douglas	H.	Bridges, Sr.	FL
117	181952	Larry	E.	Hall	FL
118	168095	Robert	D.	Reeves II	FL
111	139353	John	R.	Bond	FL
143	183232	William	B.	Julian	FL
31	185721	Ronald	C.	Cormier	FL
124	171201	Earle	S.	Bushnell	FL
34	118434	William	J.	Gladwin, Jr.	FL
112	180140	Raymond	F.	Wess	FL
98	180652	James	C.	Weatherbee	FL
198	188738	Stephen	P.	Brook	FL
199	150989	Robert		Danneman	FL
120	166346	William	A.	Roberts	FL
121	185675	John	R.	Vetter	FL
200	181990	John	A.	Randel, Jr.	FL
201	177243	James	C.	Wade	FL
122	146892	James	M.	Wearn	FL
123	179384	Ronald	C.	Irons	FL
110	165228	Hardy	W.	Bryan III	FL
99	166733	Martin	M.	Burdick	FL
73	162723	Donald	R.	Anderson	GA
184	140146	Gale	E.	Haught, Jr.	GA
185	187776	Anthony	F.	Lett	GA
186	149576	Lloyd	B.	Schnuck, Jr.	GA
187	185102	William	R.	Lechner	GA
138	130998	Charles	Hal	Dayhuff, III	GA
141	161181	Newton	W.	Chewning	GA
151	135117	Robert	V.	Blackwell	GA
153	182276	Richard	C.	Daniel	GA

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ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
156	159762	Bloise	A.	Hill	GA
76	84363	William	G.	Yarborough, Jr.	GA
50	112593	J.	Craig	Honaman	GA
83	82217	David	R.	Titus	GA
77	171308	William	C.	Lusk	GA
78	184229	Eugene	L.	Warren	GA
224	184613	Jack	P.	Dugger	GA
225	155314	Cliff	J.	Judkins III	GA
256	161968	David	G.	Jessel	GA
260	178712	Justin	M.	Reese III	GA
269	153693	Virgil	W.	Palmer	GA
79	169236	James	W.	Lynch	GA
81	181421	Jared	W.	Ogden	GA
39	159732	Jackson	W.	Guest	GA
349	130274	Bert	S.	Harp, Jr.	GA
22	172343	Robert	M.	Wylie	GA
15	175077	Thomas	M.	Owen	GA
13	181575	Martin	W.	Kabel	GA
315	150557	Swight	G.	Harley, Sr.	GA
314	164111	Daniel	B.	Olds	GA
313	167353	James	D.	Crawford	GA
351	183234	Burnet	R.	Quick	GA
350	162822	Thomas	M.	Owens	GA
159	188199	Russell	F.	Redding	GA
306	191387	David	L.	Tyler	GA
296	184339	Sidney	D.	Turner	GA
210	178081	Harold	E.	Goodrich	IA
297	178895	David	M.	Lamb	IA
64	184537	Ned	M.	Barker	ID
282	182895	Francis	L.	Huntley	ID
352	190613	Seal	C.	Seal	ID
74	172484	Charles	M.	James	ID
308	189032	James	M.	Telford	ID
307	190781	Gary	R.	Huntley	ID
316	178397	Ronald	L.	Peck	IL
145	178037	James	E.	Miller	IL
189	187186	Donald	H.	Marlowe	IL
134	131356	Donald	A.	Sharer	IN
82	179823	Ronald	D.	Knight	IN

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ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
317	184240	Merle	F.	Barnett	IN
33	170348	Nicholas	J.	Schultz	IN
131	167950	Merlin	E.	Mundy, Jr.	IN
133	169070	Paul	W.	Schoonmaker	IN
130	118636	Donald	R.	Counts	IN
135	163612	Stephen	H.	Johnson	IN
310	167083	Vernon	L.	Samuelson	IN
358	183808	James		Teegardin	IN
209	187195	Gary	C.	Steinhardt	IN
329	95981	Robert	E.	Phillips	IN
7	159325	James	C.	Arnold	IN
188	185162	Rodney	M.	Sherard	IN
56	147744	Michael	L.	Mullenix	IN
84	185992	Rickey	L.	Winters	IN
24	170992	Ronald	E.	Burkhart, Sr.	IN
25	184241	Dennis	L.	Noel	IN
27	184240	Merle	F.	Barnett	IN
132	180346	Richard	K.	Farlow	IN
288	173773	Charles	S.	Owen	KS
52	170543	Allen	C.	Dillavou	KS
287	187252	Wayne	T.	Nighbert, Sr.	KS
270	185510	Robert		Arter	KS
28	147804	Peter	O.	Grassl	KS
2	136966	James	D.	Sympson	KY
226	142038	David	B.	Marshall	KY
309	158090	Alfred	E.	Coleman	KY
299	114832	William	J.	Manby	KY
286	114832	William	J.	Manby	KY
337	190856	James	S.	Cambron	KY
67	176295	Charles	L.	McNeely	LA
36	178991	Truman		Maynard	LA
353	189652	Wayne	A.	Johnson	MA
150	149330	Stephen	L.	Watts	MA
152	188506	Michael	T.	Phillips	MA
154	131254	Douglas	B.	Stuart	MD
65	136104	Robert	D.	Tackitt	MD
330	175371	Michael	B.	Crow	MD
331	178172	Terry	R.	Grove	MD
332	191270	Paul	E.	Parish	MD

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ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
80	178567	Tilghman		McCabe, Jr.	MD
338	191795	David	L.	Frederick, Sr.	MD
148	183279	John	H.	Daly III	MI
261	185997	Stephen	L.	Latchaw	MI
205	160432	William	O.	Larson	MN
4	146147	David	N.	Appleby	MO
202	161760	Romie	E.	Carr	MO
227	167948	Harold	T.	Sentman	MO
213	179430	Charles	M.	Schmidt	MO
14	153204	Daniel	R.	McMurray	MO
211	186646	John	S.	Bugg	MO
212	161760	Romie	E.	Carr	MO
190	155433	David	D.	Leighr	MO
191	135512	John	C.	Cox	MS
9	157717	Gerald	P.	Brent	MS
289	170667	James	G.	Brumit	NC
193	185169	James	F.	James	NC
41	167447	James	H.	Wood	NC
196	164237	William	H.	Pryor, Jr.	NC
197	153522	Charles	W.	Alligood	NC
194	178054	Connie	G.	Funderburk	NC
40	176586	Doyle	E.	Campbell	NC
35	169101	Clarence	K.	Wilson	NC
271	182049	Larry	J.	Fowler	NC
228	182980	Thomas	G.	Frith	NC
11	140772	Franklin	N.	Horton	NC
8	156853	Richard	D.	Bishop	NC
195	182981	Daniel	W.	Wagner	NC
21	175135	Ronald	B.	Wheatley	NH
250	133792	Walter	F.	Baker	NM
163	166186	Leonard	C.	Becker	NV
49	169404	James	L.	Graver	NV
214	184146	Dennis	H.	Fink	NY
272	182700	Randall	L.	Groff	OH
273	176853	Tom		Moe	OH
162	187468	Turner	L.	Wilkerson III	OH
161	15194	William	R.	King	OH
339	185379	Philip	A.	Guilliams	OH
231	150108	Charles	S.	Wilke	OH

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230	172218	Gary	L.	Duffield	OH
229	180510	Ervin		Dalton	OH
215	172825	Thomas	H.	Romine	OH
354	180066	Robert	D.	Cutter	OH
340	191809	Samuel	D.	Gilkison	OH
55	177478	Michael		Nelson	OK
319	166765	Thomas	W.	Hayes	OK
60	169319	William	R.	Melton	OK
203	179886	Jimmy	D.	Gray	OK
158	187573	Jerome	E.	Larsen	OR
30	162464	Eugene	D.	Melvin	OR
216	169339	Richard	C.	Stover	PA
37	183399	Larry	L.	Ridgway	PA
262	184658	Charles	H.	Seibert	PA
252	172620	Joseph	B.	Henson, Jr.	SC
217	167083	Vernon	L.	Samuelson	SC
305	182710	John		Milne III	TN
302	172626	Archie	A.	Collins	TN
232	163553	John	T.	McLain	TN
304	187981	Randy	H.	Fox	TN
342	184392	Harold	E.	Thornton	TN
204	182993	William	M.	McClure	TN
218	181853	Robert	L.	Butler	TN
341	186134	Lawrence	F.	McDaris, Jr.	TN
166	184893	Philip	Z.	Horton III	TN
274	188413	Gifford	L.	Ewers	TN
290	184036	William	L.	Hogue	TN
164	187487	Jerry	L.	Venable	TN
62	18305	Austin	M.	Seay	TN
303	176335	Carrell	V.	Deacon	TN
165	163553	John	T.	McLain	TN
47	182988	John	G.	Bennett	TN
167	130617	Stanley	A.	Evans, Sr.	TN
355	129931	George	S.	Ison	TN
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219	161456	Steven	M.	Stewart	TN
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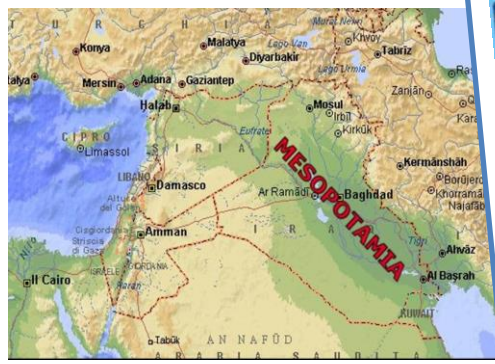
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155	138188	Nathan	E.	White, Jr.	TX
343	176613	Harold	A.	Davenport	TX
275	189367	Robert	E.	Smith	TX
345	190979	Gilbert		Villarreal	TX
344	192335	John	M.	Hamlin	TX
320	190979	Gilbert		Villarreal	TX
18	146567	Stephen	W.	Rohrbough	TX
279	170928	Jack	A.	Apperson	VA
233	152439	Gary	L.	Ellis	VA
298	155392	William	P.	Schneider	VA
168	95646	Steven	F.	Kercher	VA
169	174117	Thomas	M.	Taimi	VA
276	178644	Paul	A.	Chase	VA
170	186079	Gary	L.	Gillette	VA
171	171567	Richard	J.	Flickling	VA
237	183035	Stuart	W.	Kramer	VA
19	169834	John	E.	Sweeney	VA
278	150588	James	M.	Compton	VA
192	168848	George	R.	Corbett	VA
263	163852	Mark	P.	Siegel	VA
23	147555	Lawrence	E.	McKinley	VA
238	179544	Howell	C.	Sasser, Sr.	VA
277	178646	Joel	K.	Chase	VA
264	95646	Steven	F.	Kercher	VA
254		Kent	S.	Webber	VA
236	176734	Peter	G.	Knight	VA
44	166738	James	C.	Dunn, Jr.	VA
70	170798	Charles	B.	Fegan	VA
291	176138	Ronald	M.	Losee	VA
258	162647	Allen	L.	Lewis	VA
71	184962	Richard	P.	Munro, Jr.	VA
347	191042	Robert	H.	White	VA
346	191162	Thomas	E.	Carnell	VA
53	105681	Stephen	E.	Wilson	VA
280	181064	James	R.	McCullough	VA
48	87668	Kenneth	E.	Jenkins	VA
29	149845	Clyde	W.	Spence, Jr.	VA
12	136032	Andrew	M.	Johnson	VA
334	86465	Pat	M.	Stevens IV	VA

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321	180970	William	L.	Akers, Jr.	VA
322	105110	Howard	E.	Bartholf	VA
292	181064	James	R.	McCullough	VA
127	161057	Robert	J.	Barberie	VA
206	188898	John	R.	Terry	VA
220	14154	David	E.	Cook	VA
6	154354	Robert	L.	Bowen	VA
92	173691	Peter	M.	Davenport	VA
137	87892	John	T.	Burch, Jr.	VA
323	185552	Floyd	S.	West	VA
325	163837	Airell	B.	Jenks	VT
324	183660	odney	E.	Croft	VT
51	183423	Robert	W.	Mays	VT
318	178632	John	R.	Whitworth	VT
5	169064	Herman	C.	Brown	VT
175	154974	Frank	A.	Pearce, Jr.	WA
281	186653	John	F.	Russell	WA
239	188180	Gary	G.	Hanna	WA
172	177727	William	R.	O'Neal	WA
174	187994	Harold	L.	Steenbergen	WA
176	187842	Arthur	W.	Dolan	WA
173	179472	Robert	D.	Parrish	WA
177	168889	Eric		Oxendorf	WI
10	188854	Phillip	J.	Hall	WI
300	178336	Ronald	O.	Barnes	WV
327	184315	John	S.	Downs	WV
221	186142	Richard	W.	Cox	WV
326	178330	Jerry	L.	Barnes	WV
333	183430	Charles	E.	Johnson	WY

The VRC Webpage Update... The VRC continues in its process to partner with the Saramana Chapter, FLSSAR, in sharing data bandwidth on their website. The intent is to place information on a web homepage so Compatriots can readily view rapidly changing Veterans Corps information. To view our progress go: http://saramanasar.org/VRC_Webpage.html.

To address your questions or concerns email Chuck Sweeney at VetCorps@sar.org.

SW Asia War Service



Never
give in!
Never
give in!
And
never,
ever
forget!

Thank you Persian Gulf War Veterans!

History will show that the SW Asia Veterans of the Sons of the American Revolution fought in Mesopotamia—a strategic focal point which includes a significant part of the Fertile Crescent that is often considered the cradle of civilization and the birthplace of writing and the wheel.

Yes, we fought there recently, not once but twice. First it was the Persian Gulf War (2 August 1990 – 30 November 1995). Then it was the Iraq War (20 March 2003 – 18 December 2011). And soon the presidential decision earlier this week to expand the U.S. fight against militants of the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant will have “boots on the ground” fighting there once more. Geopolitical reasoning makes it so.

“Mesopotamia has been the strategic focal point of the region for millennia. Its resources affect countries far away. The dividing line between the Shiite and the Sunni worlds runs through its center – indeed, through its capital. Iraq's Kurdish provinces rest uneasily between Turkey and Iran and indigenous adversaries within Iraq. It cannot be in the American interest to leave the region....” (Henry Kissinger, Op Ed The Washington Post, Wednesday, February 3, 2010.)

The current 22 NSSAR members of the Persian Gulf War Veterans Corps are listed below according to their State Society.

Persian Gulf War Veterans Corps end 2014

ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
13	181360	Daniel	B.	McLaughlin	CA
12	180734	Ronald	D.	Stark II	FL
3	167667	Charles	T.	Sweeney	FL
6	166247	Frederick	U.	Bowers III	FL
7	188599	Terry	N.	Friend	FL
8	146486	Leslie	P.	Matheson	FL
9	140720	James	M.	McGarity III	FL
11	179384	Ronald	C.	Irons	FL
22	146486	Leslie	P.	Matheson	FL
21	190608	Andrew	M.	Lindenmuth	FL
10	170686	James	Y.	Gaskins	FL

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ID	NSSAR #	First Name	MI	Last Name	State
14	181421	Jared	W.	Ogden	GA
15	183383	John	M.	House	GA
16	157491	John	R.	McDonald	GA
20	157491	John	R.	McDonald	GA
1	155305	George	H. W.	Bush	Ky
5	177590	George	K.	Strunk	NC
4	153289	Paul	R.	Callanan	NC
18	171648	David	E.	Davis	TN
17	131356	Don	A.	Sharer	TX
19	174117	Thomas	M.	Taimi	VA
2	86465	Pat	M.	Stevens, IV	VA

The NSSAR Veterans Multi-Corps Survey Form

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Place an "x" in the box or boxes below and the appropriate dates of service for the NSSAR Veterans Corps you wish to join and for which you wish to receive a Certificate of Patriotism signed by the President General.

World War II Veterans Corps.	☐	WW II Service dates from:		to	
Korean Service Veterans Corps.	☐	Korean Service dates from:		to	
Vietnam War Veterans Corps.	☐	RVN War Service dates from:		to	
Persian Gulf War Veterans Corps.	☐	First Gulf War dates from:		to	

Name: NSSAR #
Address: Phone #
City: State: Zip+4:
State Society: Chapter:
Email Address:
Service Branch during your service: Rank held at end of your service:

List all Medals, Awards, and/or Decorations as shown on your DD-214 or Discharge Papers.

Mail Certificate of Patriotism to me. ☐ Present: @ Fall Leadership Conf. ☐ @ Spring Ldrship Conf. ☐ @ Congress ☐

Chapter President or his designee's Endorsement: I certify that I am familiar with the policy presented in Volume V of the NSSAR handbook concerning the awarding of the SAR War Service and Military Service Medals, to include the requirement for proof of service. Further, I certify that the subject Compatriot is a member in good standing, that his discharge was other than dishonorable, and that his discharge papers indicate he is entitled to purchase and wear all the medals, awards, and/or decorations listed in the box immediately above this endorsement.

Chapter President Signature: Date signed:
The typed signature above is my authorized signature.
Email Address: Chapter:

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