

MAY 27, 2017 9:45 A.M.
THE NATIONAL VIETNAM WAR MUSEUM
12685 MINERAL WELLS HWY. (HWY. 180)
1 MILE EAST OF MINERAL WELLS, TX

Join us as we honor the 8 men, whose names were added to the Vietnam Memorial Wall in Washington last year, by adding their names to our replica Memorial Wall.

PFC Michael G. Frey, Army, Florissant, MO,
Panel 21W Row 115

SP4 James S. McGough, Army, Fort Dodge, IA,
Panel 04W Row 045

SP5 Jimmy L Smith, U.S. Army, Wasco, IL,
Panel 17W Row 092

LCPL Jeffrey R. Barber, USMC, Denver, CO, Panel 21W Row 001

LCPL Chester A. Lederhouse Jr, USMC, Ramsonville, NY,
Panel 19E Row 125

PFC Lee A. Rawn, USMC Lake Worth, FL, Panel 16E Row 056

LCPL John D. Stenhouse, USMC, Spokane, WA, Panel 58W Row 010

ENC Leonard Outlaw, Coast guard. Grandy, NC, Panel 03W Row 052

These nine service members will have their status changed from MIA to KIA:

Donald G. Carr; MAJ, USA; San Antonio, TX, Panel 3W, Row 101

Richard C. Clark; LT, USN; Tacoma, WA, Panel 28E, Row 59

Kenneth L. Cunningham; SSGT, USA; Ellery, IL, Panel 17W, Row 33

Rodney L. Griffin; SGT, USA; Centralia, MO, Panel 11W, Row 85

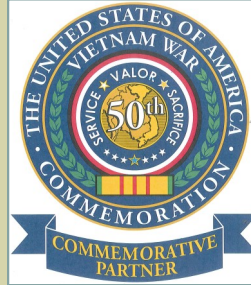
Billy D. Hill; SFC, USA; Fallon, NV, Panel 35E, Row 6

James W. Holt; MSGT, USA; Hot Springs, AR, Panel 37E, Row 84

Edwin E. Morgan; CMSGT, USAF; Salisbury, NC, Panel 6E, Row

Bunyan D. Price Jr.; SSGT, USA; Belmont, NC, Panel 11W, Row 87

Dale W. Richardson; MAJ, USA; Cashton, WI, Panel 11W, Row 87



Visit our Vietnam Memorial Wall replica!

Our Building Fund has passed the half-way point \$500,000+. Please help us build with your donations. Join the Builders Club with a one time donation of \$10,000.00

Program of Activities

(Times are approximate.)

- 08:00 - Gates open; vendors set up,
- 09:45 - Patriot Guard Arrives - Join us to welcome them.
- 10:00 - Welcome - Jim Messinger
- 10:05 - Invocation - BG James Spivey USA Ret Museum Chaplain.
- 10:10 - Post colors - Color Guard VFW District 21
- 10:15 - Pledge of Allegiance
- 10:20- National Anthem - Monica Harvey, Lil Sis
- 10:25 - Welcome Home Monica Harvey, Lil Sis
- 10:30 - Introductions: Sponsors, special guests, museum board & volunteers, and Master Gardeners.
- 10:35 - Introduction of Guest Speaker
- 10:40 - Remarks by Guest Speaker - Captain Odditt USCG, LTC Charlie Zinger USMC
- 11:00 - Recognition of the MIA status change. Recognition of additions. Closing comments. Ceremony will close with rifle salute and taps. But first, Don Payne will sing "More than a Name on the Wall"
- 11:15 - The Army Song - Raising the U.S. Army flag; Marine Hymn, raising of the Marine flag Coast Guard Song, Raising of the Coast Guard Flag Unveiling of the updated Memorial Wall panels
- 11:20 - Rifle Salute - VFW District 21
- 11:30 - Taps - Joey Blue
- 11:45 - Visit the Wall, our vendors, and the Visitor Center. Current Exhibit - POW Camps of the Vietnam War.

Sponsorships Available!

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Sponsorship opportunities:

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Navy Cross \$250 (4 seats included)

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Reserved Seating Available

A limited number of reserved seats at the front of the big tent with an excellent view of ceremony are available for only \$50. To order, please send a check or credit card info to: The National Vietnam War Museum, P.O. Box 146, Mineral Wells, TX 76068.

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Biographical Information on our Guest Speakers

Lt. Colonel Charlie Zinger USMC (RET)

Charlie earned a Bachelor's degree from the University of Dallas and achieved the rank of Lt. Col. in the United States Marine Corps, retiring in 1992 after more than 23 years of service (eight-and-a-half active and fifteen in the Reserves). As an AH-1J Cobra pilot, he flew more than 100 combat missions in North Viet Nam supporting Operation MARHUK in 1972-1973 with HMA-369. His recruiting career began when he was assigned to Recruiting Station Dallas as Officer Selection Officer in 1977. His personal decorations include the Single Mission Air Medal, Strike/Flight Air Medal w/ numeral 10, Navy Achievement Medal w/ Combat V and Meritorious Unit Commendation among others. His recruiting career began when he was assigned to Recruiting Station Dallas as Officer Selection Officer in 1977.

Charlie Zinger has more than 35 years of business experience with small, medium and large sized companies in multiple industries. His primary area of focus has been in Staffing/Talent Acquisition, Recruitment Process Outsourcing (RPO) and Career Coaching. He has spent his last seven years as a Vice President with Career Management Partners (CMP), a boutique Outplacement Services firm based in Richardson, TX.

Prior to CMP, Charlie was Director of Employment & Recruiting – LOGCAP IV for DynCorp International, leading a team of recruiters and HR administrators in support of US Military operations in Southern Afghanistan.

Before DynCorp, he was VP of Client Services for Hyrian, a small RPO company, where he was responsible for the post-sales environment for RPO client/partners. Additionally, he participated in the business development process as a Staffing SME.

Prior to Hyrian, Charlie served three years as VP of Employment Services for Concentra (a \$1.1 billion Occupational Medicine healthcare industry leader), where he led a team of recruiters in filling more than 4,000 positions in one year while also managing complex vendor and client relationships.

Charlie's experience extends well beyond RPO and Healthcare. During his career, he has also worked as VP Staffing for two Fortune 500 companies (EDS – a major technology innovator, and ACS – a business process outsourcing company).

Although the primary focus of Charlie's business career has been talent acquisition, he spent ten years at EDS working in operations as part of the company's Call Center/Help Desk organization. As a Division VP, he lived and worked for three and a half years in Europe where he had EMEA-scope responsibilities for new business development, as well as operations oversight for six Opel Customer Assistance Centers in as many European countries.

Captain Kevin Oditt USCG

Chief of Prevention at the Eighth Coast Guard District.

Captain Kevin Oditt is currently serving as the Chief of Prevention at the Eighth Coast Guard District. Captain Oditt is a 1992 graduate of the U.S. Coast Guard Academy where he earned a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering. Captain Oditt's previous operational assignments include Coast Guard Cutter's ALERT and VIGOROUS, Marine Inspector at Marine Safety Office Port Arthur, TX, Chief of Inspections at Marine Safety Office Tampa, FL, and Chief of Prevention at Sector Long Island Sound, New Haven, CT.

Captain Oditt served at Coast Guard Headquarters in the office of Design and Engineering Standards, Port Security Directorate, Staff Chief for the Deputy Commandant for Operations, and Division Chief in the Office of Commercial Vessel Compliance.

Captain Oditt earned advanced degrees from the University of Michigan in Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering, and Manufacturing and the Marine Corps War College in Strategic Studies.

Don Payne Special Guest Singer

Don was drafted into the Army and reported to duty on 23 November 1963, which interestingly enough, was the day after President Kennedy was assassinated in Dallas. He applied and went to flight school (helicopter) in 1965 and served in Vietnam from June 1966-June 1967, all with A Co., 229 AAHB in the 1st Cav. He was a Warrant Officer out of flight school and later received a direct commission in Vietnam, as well as a Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star, & Air Medal.

He has done several concerts for charities, friends/family, military gatherings, & especially on Veterans Day. If asked, he will tell you his motivation and satisfaction he receives from his musical talent is doing it for the veterans. However, they are the hardest ones to do as you can imagine, due to the camaraderie and experiences you've had with them. Emotions can sometimes come out. He will tell you that the best of all was when he was in Vietnam: "Naturally, in the Central Highlands, we had no entertainment, so I was it, good or bad!! Somehow, we found a guitar, and It was great for me to be able to bring a bit of music, fun & relaxation; that for a short time, took our minds off the war."