

OUR COUNTRY'S FINEST

SN Doran Bolduc	BM1 Bradley Brown
FC3 Jeffery Calkins	SN Mark Caouette
BM3 John Ciletta, Jr.	SN Brian Clinefelter
OS3 Antonio Daniels	ET2 Chris DeAngelis
IC3 James Dunlap	STGSN Steven Erwin
RM2 Jerry Farr	QMCS Vernon Foster
RMSA Dexter Grisset	FC3 William Hansen
GMG2 Daniel Homicki	OSSN Kenneth Janusik
OS1 Steven Kendall	EMCS Stephen Kiser
SM1 Ronnie Lockett	GM1 Thomas MacMullen
EW3 Charles Moller	SA Jeffrey Phelps
DS1 Randy Pierce	GMG3 James Plonsky
ET3 Kelly Quick	SMSN Earl Ryals
FCCS Robert Shippee	SMSN Jeffrey Sibley
OS3 Lee Stephens	TM2 James Stevens
ET3 Martin Supple	FC1 Gregory Tweady
SN Vincent Ulmer	EW3 Joseph Watson
ET3 Wayne Weaver II	OSSN Terance Weldon
IC3 Lloyd Wilson	

SHIPMATES FOREVER

USS STARK (FFG 31)

Remembering Shipmates Who Gave Their Lives on 17 May 1987



**Memorial Park
Naval Station Mayport, Florida
17 May 2012**



Naval Order of the United States

Memorial Order of Service

****Parade the Colors.....Color Guard**
Naval Station Mayport

****National AnthemNavy Band**
Navy Region Southeast

****Retire the Colors.....Color Guard**
Naval Station Mayport

***Invocation.....LCDR Jerome R. Cayangyang , CHC**
Naval Station Mayport

WelcomeCAPT Douglas F. Cochrane, USN
Commanding Officer, Naval Station Mayport

Scripture ReadingMr. Bernard Martin
GMM3, USS STARK [FFG 31] 1987

Scripture Reading.....Mr. John Kiser
Son of EMCS Stephen Kiser, killed May 17, 1987

Stark Coat of Arms.....Ms. Katy Stark
Grandniece of Admiral Harold R. Stark

Remarks to shipmates and families.....Dr. Arthur Conklin
DCA, USS STARK [FFG 31] 1987

“USS Stark Memorial Drive”.....Hon. Ronald J. Renuart
Florida State Representative, 18th District

Introduction of Speaker.....CAPT Peter Wynkoop, USN (Ret)
Commanding Officer, USS STARK [FFG 31] 1992-1994

RemarksRADM David Thomas, USN
Commander, Naval Surface Force Atlantic

****Tolling the Bell.....Mr. Tim Martineau**
MR3[DV], USS STARK [FFG 31] 1987

Mr. Peter K. Weber
Deck Division, USS STARK [FFG 31] 1987

***Wreath Laying..Families & CAPT Matthew E. Schellhorn, USN (Ret)**
OIC, HSL 32, DET 3, Embarked USS STARK [FFG 31] 1987

***Navy Hymn**

*Eternal Father, strong to save,
Whose arm hath bound the restless wave,
Who bidd'st the mighty ocean deep
Its own appointed limits keep,
O hear us when we cry to thee
For those in peril on the sea!*

*Eternal Father, guard our dead,
For whom their comrades bow their heads.
Receive them now their labor cease,
And grant them your Eternal peace.
Oh hear us as we lift our prayer,
And keep them in your loving care.*

*And when at length her course is run,
Her work for home and country done,
Of all the souls that in her sailed
Let not one life in thee have failed;
But hear from heaven or sailor's cry,
And grant eternal life on high!*

****Rifle Salute.....Honors Detail**
Naval Station Mayport

****Taps.....Navy Band**
Navy Region Southeast

***Benediction.....CAPT James F. Mennis, CHC, USN (Ret)**
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** Please Stand*

*** Military Salute*



**Florida Representative Ronald J. Renuart
COL, Army National Guard [ret]**

State Representative Ronald "Doc" Renuart was born, raised and educated in the great state of Florida. He is a descendent of a South Florida pioneer family that once owned a chain of 15 lumberyards located between Key West and Vero Beach. He has practiced internal medicine in the Jacksonville Beaches area for the past 18 years and is a past Chief-of-Staff of Baptist Medical Center Beaches.

Representative Renuart earned his bachelor's degree from the University of Florida and his osteopathic medical degree is from Nova Southeastern University in North Miami Beach. He completed his internal medicine residency with the University of Florida at what is now Shands Jacksonville in 1994.

As a Colonel in the Florida Army National Guard he served three combat tours including Iraq and Afghanistan. In 2007, he logged 120 flight hours in Blackhawk helicopters as a flight surgeon on and flew on 29 combat missions. In June 2010 he retired after 20 years of decorated service.

In 2005 Rep. Renuart was appointed to the State Medicaid Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committee by Governor Jeb Bush.

"Doc" Renuart was elected to the Florida House of Representatives in 2008 and subsequently re-elected in 2010. He is currently the Vice-Chair of the Health & Human Services Quality Subcommittee and serves on the Economic Affairs Committee, the Health & Human Services Committee, the Community & Military Affairs



**Rear Admiral David M. Thomas, Jr.
United States Navy**

Rear Admiral Thomas, a native of Norfolk, Virginia, graduated from the United States Naval Academy in 1981 and is a distinguished graduate of the Industrial College of the Armed Forces.

Assignments at sea included USS SHREVEPORT (LPD-12) as Main Propulsion Assistant and Navigator; Engineer Officer in USS ESTOCIN (FFG-15) and USS WILLAMETTE (AO-180); Flag Lieutenant to Commander, Second Fleet; Executive Officer in USS LEYTE GULF (CG-55); command of USS ROSS (DDG-71); and command of Destroyer Squadron Twenty-Six.

Ashore, Rear Admiral Thomas served in the Surface Warfare Junior Officer Assignment Branch of the Bureau of Naval Personnel; in the Personnel Plans and Policy Division of the Joint Staff; as Flag Secretary to Commander, Naval Surface Force, U.S. Atlantic Fleet; on the staff of the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations as Executive Officer to the Director of the 2001 Quadrennial Defense Review and Executive Assistant to the Director of Operations, Plans, and Policy (N3/N5); as Chief of Staff to Commander, Second Fleet.

Upon selection for Flag Officer, Rear Admiral Thomas has served as the Deputy Chief of Staff for Global Force Management and Joint Operations on the staff of Commander, U.S. Fleet Forces Command; as Commander, Joint Task Force, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; as Commander, Carrier Strike Group TWO; and his current assignment as Commander, Naval Surface Force Atlantic.

He has been awarded the Defense Superior Service Medal, the Legion of Merit, the Navy and Marine Corps Medal, and the Bronze Star Medal as well as various other personal and unit decorations.