



I will never leave an Airman behind, I will never falter, and I will not fail



924th



Once an Outlaw, Always an Outlaw

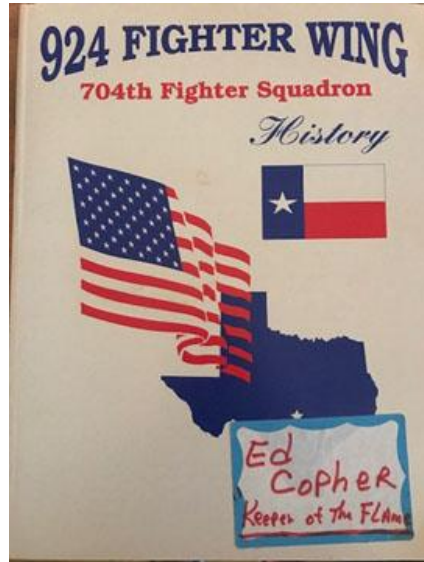


OUTLAW MONTHLY BULLETIN



2021

19th Year Edition (Established March 2002)



Stay Safe, Be Strong, Be Healthy, and Be Well





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.

My Oath of Enlistment has No expiration date!

Ed Copher, Editor, "924 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

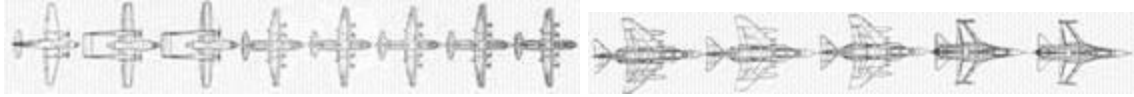
Shouting, "Let's gather them in for us all, good neighbor!

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!"



Please join the 924 Facebook page:

Go to Facebook groups, search for: **924th TFG**

Ed Copher is the page administrator, and will approve your joining

924 Photo Albums

38 Albums....2115 Photos

Click here: <http://www.flickr.com/photos/924outlaws/sets/>

Click on each photo to enlarge

Newest Album: **“20 Year Reunion”**

200 Photos

View counts as of 02 June 2021

since July 2007

Total Photo Views

606,345 views

www.Flickr.com charges \$63.95 per year to keep the **OUTLAW Photo Albums** on their website.

******01 April 2021: PAID \$63.95 annual Flickr photo site fee**

OUTLAW WEBSITE:

www.924tfg.com password: outlaws all lower case

24,922 Visitors since Jan 09

[History](#), [Latest Info](#), [Photos](#), [In Memoriam](#), [Miscellaneous](#), [Newsletters](#), [Links](#), [Recall Roster](#)

*****Total cost for the 924 Website is \$293.97 per year**

04 March 2021 paid: \$14.45 for “Domain Name Registration” annual one year renewal

4 Sept 2019 paid: GoDaddy website hosting for 2 year renewal: \$286.34

30 Jan 2021 paid: Webmaster Maintenance Fee \$120 p/year

Jim Houston, **Webmaster** for www.924tfg.com, fee for maintaining the 924 website.

It is only \$10 a month (\$120 p/year).

*****NOTE:** all *donations* are appreciated

Ed Copher

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New Braunfels, TX 78130



924 FLOWER FUND



The purpose is to send a nice flower arrangement to all 924th funerals. *Each arrangement cost over \$100.* The ribbon will read; **"924th BAFB"**. A flower arrangement has been sent to the last **65** funerals.

*Jim Chapman is the POC for collecting funds and sending the flowers.
jchapman90@austin.rr.com*

Send donations to: Make out check to Jim Chapman

Jim Chapman

145 Oak Ridge Dr.

Cedar Creek, TX 78612

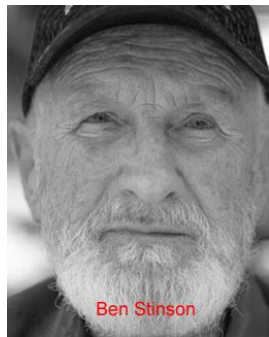
*****NOTE:** *No donations needed at this time for flower fund.*





Benny Stinson passed away:

704 FS airfield manager, flowers were sent by 924 flower fund



Obituary:

<https://www.beckchapels.com/obituary/benny-stinson>



Lt Col Frank Herbert: 704th TAS, Ellington AFB

Submitted by Marvin Christian. I received word from Bob Herbert that his dad, Lt Col Frank J Herbert, passed away last January from a non COVID illness. I had no idea Frank was having health issues. Bob said he & his wife flew in from Ohio to see about him and finally talked him into going to the emergency room where he was admitted and passed away the next day. He was originally from Ohio and his wife was in a nursing home there so Bob could look after her, and she passed away last November. Per his wishes he was cremated and there will be a Celebration of Life in September. Frank was a member of the 704th TAS flying C-119 and later the C-130 aircraft, he was a superb pilot, retired from NASA and he & I worked together to plan and support the annual 446th dinner each year. Frank was a good friend and we will obviously miss him and his contribution to the annual dinner he was so dedicated to.

Thank you and God Bless



Col Lee Graves Memorial Services: The last 924 TFW Commander

12 June 2021

St Phillips United Methodist Church

16321 S Great Oaks Dr.

Round Rock, Texas 78681

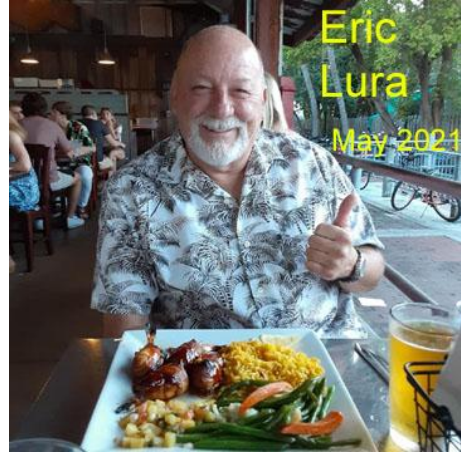
Missing man formation flyby after service.



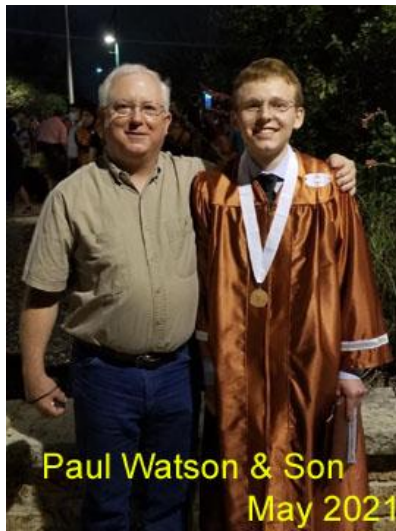




Eddie
Whitefield



Eric
Lura
May 2021



Paul Watson & Son
May 2021



Korea

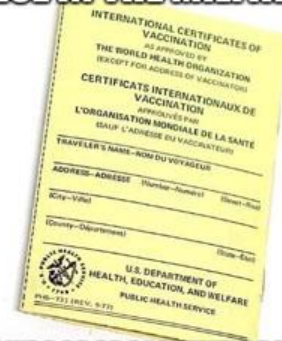


Veterans Benefits Newsletter:


<https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USVAVBA/bulletins/2d79376>



IF YOU HAD ONE OF THESE IN THE MILITARY....



YOU'RE PROBABLY IMMORTAL!! SO MANY SHOTS, DUNNO HALF OF WHAT THEY GAVE ANY OF US!! 🤔🤔

VETERAN'S CREED

I AM A VETERAN. I HAVE SEEN AND DONE THINGS YOU MAY NOT UNDERSTAND.

I AM A WARRIOR.

I WILL NEVER ACCEPT DEFEAT.

I WILL NEVER QUIT AND I WILL NEVER LEAVE A FALLEN BROTHER OR SISTER.

IF THEY ARE HURT, I WILL CARRY THEM.

IF I CAN'T CARRY THEM, I WILL DRAG THEM.

I WILL HELP THEM FACE THEIR ENEMIES, TO INCLUDE THE DEMONS FROM WITHIN.

THEY ARE MY BROTHERS & MY SISTERS.

I AM A VETERAN



*****Websites of Interest*****

BOMBS AWAY!

Bergstrom History video:

https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=ks87G3hrocM&fbclid=IwAR3Dg0pglrMkeRGV0TDI-bV_Tot9IMrMmvlTcsQ52-L2o6t2vJtMFmjAqlc

Is your rifle clean:

https://m.youtube.com/results?search_query=is+your+rifle+clean+

Air Force Singing Sergeants, Lee Greenwood:

<https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=gs0fxy8rHo8>

Austin 1965-1995:

[DO YOU REMEMBER AUSTIN \(BACK IN THE GOOD OLD DAYS\).avi](DO YOU REMEMBER AUSTIN (BACK IN THE GOOD OLD DAYS).avi)

Video of Austin in 1970's & 80's

<https://www.onlyinyourstate.com/texas/austin/1960s-video-austin/?fbclid=IwAR1-MxMwnMe70bKzcKqZ6exdTHdn9UHNLDhR-IIHMNR93YNZ-FxghaOnFI>

High Flight by John Denver:

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

[Video of Austin, done by Jimmy Fallon:](#) Around Austin & UT

Turn up the sound...great

<https://www.facebook.com/31732483895/posts/10157936267183896?vh=e&d=n&sfns=mo>

[Videos and Photos from 20 Year Reunion:](#) 23-24 Sept 2016

1. Friday Night Video of event that was held at Camp Mabry: **4:40 min video**

<https://m.facebook.com/groups/175270462542104?view=permalink&id=1054743661261442>

2. Saturday Video at the Reunion: **18:27 min Video**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/175270462542104/>

3. Photos: **200 pictures**

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/924outlaws/sets/>



924 RECALL ROSTER

Known Whereabouts: (647 Names)

Revised 02 June 2021

New & Changed Addresses:

See website roster

Complete Roster can be found on the 924th website

www.924tfg.com

Password: **Outlaws...** "all lower case"

Will email the Roster upon request



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

Dat...Dat...Dhat's all folks