



*I am an American Airman: Wingman, Leader, and Warrior.  
I will never leave an Airman behind, I will never falter, and I will not fail.*

### 924 Tradition

An old 924th tradition is that friends who have not seen or heard from each other for long periods of time never question their friendship. These friendships resume at the same time they left off regardless of distance and time between them. We call these friends "**Family**".



*Once an Outlaw, Always an Outlaw*



**OUTLAW MONTHLY BULLETIN**



*ALSO ON 924 WEBSITE*

*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

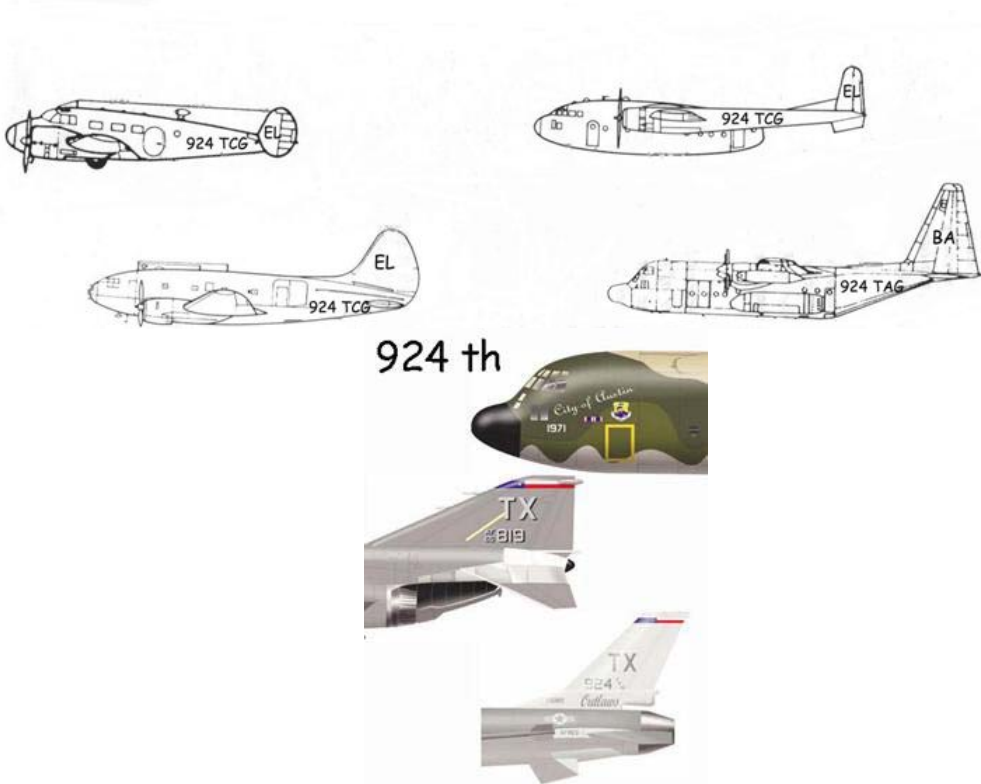
protect our Great Nation and the freedom we have. And God Bless the United States of America



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Ed Copher, Editor, "924 Keeper of the Flame"



## Birds of a Feather...Flock Together



Listen to music as you read the newsletter

**Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy:** The Andrew Sisters

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qafnJ6mRbgk> then click on the Minimize minus sign (-) at the top right corner of your screen. It will then go back to the newsletter with music playing. When finished listening to music, go to desktop home page, on the bottom tool bar, right click [The Andrew Sisters...](#) then select *close*.

**The Warrior Song:** Marching Snare Drums

[http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ITs6a0ORdQU&feature=player\\_embedded](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ITs6a0ORdQU&feature=player_embedded)

**Ghost Riders in the Sky:** Johnny Cash

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Mynzbmrtp9I>

**Run Through the Jungle:** CCR

[http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ebl0cMyyw\\_M](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ebl0cMyyw_M)

Courtesy of the Red, White and Blue: Toby Keith  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5PXSK3iDeAI>

American Soldier: Toby Keith  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2hLBukcFJoY>

Ballad of the Green Breds...1966: SSGT Barry Sadler  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m5WJJVSE\\_BE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m5WJJVSE_BE)

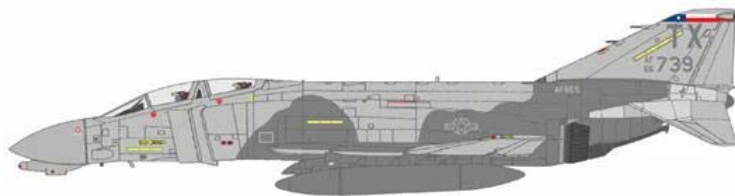
America, The Land I Love: James Rogers [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=\\_JCCyjZs3hY](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_JCCyjZs3hY)



Chick-fil-A in Carrollton, TX May 2016



**924th Air Force Reserve**  
The Unit That Refuses to Disband





## 924 Photo Albums *(Sets)*

**37 Albums....1915 Photos**

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

*Click on each photo to enlarge*

**View counts as of 02 September 2016, since July 2007**

**Photos**

319,582 views

**Photo stream**

16,032 views

**Albums**

17,365 views

**Total**

**352,979 views**

[www.Flickr.com](http://www.Flickr.com) charges \$24.95 per year to keep the **OUTLAW Photo Albums** on their website.

**\*\*Paid the one year fee on 15 Nov 2015\*\***

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## OUTLAW WEB SITE:

[www.924tfg.com](http://www.924tfg.com) (password: *Outlaws*)...O is capital

**16,305 Visitors** since Jan 09

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

### 924th Webmaster Says....



**\*\*\*\*Total cost for the website is \$151.97 per year**

**\$183.95 to renew GoDaddy website hosting for 2 years (paid 10 Sept 2015)**

**\$80.00 to renew Domain Name (924tfg.com) for 2 years (paid 07 Mar 2016)**

**\$29.26 to renew Domain Provider for 2 years (paid 27 Mar 2016)**

**\$10.00 to renew Domain Protector for 2 years (paid 27 Mar 2016)**

**\$25.00 to renew Outlaw Flicker Photo site for 1 year (paid 15 Nov 15)**

*Donations are appreciated*

Ed Copher  
242 Toye Blvd  
Canyon Lake, TX 78133

### 924 Website and Photos site FEES:

*Jim Houston, Palm Coast FL, is the 924 webmaster, designed the website, and does all the updates etc.*

**Website Hosting:** Provided by **GoDaddy** at a cost of **\$183.95** for two years (*Paid up until 10 Sept 17*)

**Domain Name:** Provided by **Internet Domain Name Services** ([www.idns.ae](http://www.idns.ae)) an annual charge for keeping the [www.924tfg.com](http://www.924tfg.com) is \$40 p/yr, paid for 2 years

(Paid up until 15 Mar 2018)

**Domain Provider:** Provided by **Active Domain** \$15 p/year, paid for 2 years (Paid up until 31 Mar 18)

**Domain Protector:** Provided by **Whoisproof** \$5 p/year, paid for 2 years (Paid up until 31 Mar 2018)

**Photos Site:** 924 Photos on the **Flicker site** is \$25 p/yr (Due 15 Nov of each year)



## **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 **43** funerals.

*Jim Chapman is the POC for collecting funds and sending the flowers.* [jchapman90@austin.rr.com](mailto:jchapman90@austin.rr.com)

**Send donations to:** Make out check to **Jim Chapman**

Jim Chapman

145 Oak Ridge Dr.

Cedar Creek, TX 78612



Reunion page on Facebook: [924 FW Military Reunion](#)

**924 Reunion for 2016:** (Notice the date **9.24**)

\*\*\*\*NEW\*\*\*\*

**FRIDAY.... 23 SEPT – A MEET AND GREET**

**PLACE:** **CAMP MABRY – BLUE BONNET HOUSE AND PAVILION**, Austin, TX 78703

Bldg 42 Blue Bonnet House (MAP will be coming very soon)

BYOB / Lite Appetizers

**TIME:** 1830 – 2400

**SATURDAY... 24 Sept:**

**Date:** 24 Sept 2016

**Time:** 11:00am – 6:00pm

**Location:** Charles Johnson American Legion Post 76 (MoPac & 1<sup>st</sup> Street, North side of Lake)

**Address:** 404 Atlanta Street, Austin, TX 78703

**Dress:** Casual

**Map:** <http://venuecenter.com/tx/austin/charles-johnson-house-american-legion>

\*\*\*\*\*All details and info is on [Facebook.com](#) view the “924 FW Military Reunion” page\*\*\*\*\*

**24 SEPTEMBER – 924 REUNION**

More information coming out next week!

Ok Folks we’re getting closer. I thank all of you for reaching out to folks **as of now we have 152**

**Updated list of Attendees:** as of 01 Sept

Adams, Ed & Belinda  
Allcorn, Richard & Jane  
Amburgey, Mary Ann & Keith  
Anderson, Jeff  
Anthony, Marcus & Maria  
Arrowood, Alan & Ingrid  
Baker, Steve  
Bass, Sam  
Batsell, Michael

Blanco, Armando & Honey  
Block, Ron & Honey  
Bradley, John  
Breux, Vickie  
Brown, Bob  
Burke, Jeff  
Carr, David  
Cartwright, Jerry  
Chaney, Danny  
Copher, Ed & Stella Holley  
Deutsch, Frank  
Dowdey, George  
Ellis, Mark & Guest  
Facundo, Victor & Honey  
Foote, Dan & Judy  
Gardner, Bill & Michele  
Garza, Greg  
Greenblum, Richard  
Grevin, Tammie & Jon  
Gulley, John & Pam  
Harris, William  
Harrison, Henry & Debbie  
Herndon, Gwen  
Hester, Donna  
Howlett, Claudia  
Hull, Richard & Marilyn  
Huston, Chad  
Johnson, Lois & Gary  
Johnson, RD & Beth Ann  
Kadlubar, Jerry  
Kaiser, Linda  
Kidd, Martha  
Koym, Charlie & Zala  
Krueger, Tatia  
Kubin, Jerome & Barbara  
Kubin, Stan  
Laube, Diane  
Le Crouix, LeaAnn  
Lee, Ron  
Linsley, Beverley Anderson & Guests  
Lopez, Pat & Deb  
Lynd, Karon & Phil  
Manley, Mark  
McClelland, Mark  
Mitchell, Danny & Waylene  
Mitchell, Tom & His Honey  
Nottingham, Jack & Mary  
O'Conner, Janet  
O'Neil, Mike & Amy  
Oren, Johanna  
Palmer, Richard & Honey  
Pfahles, Gregory & Gaylyn  
Pope, Kenny  
Reeh, Brent & Patty  
Reese, Norman & Son  
Renfro, Mark & Rhonda  
Rogers, Andrew  
Rusk, Alan  
Russo, Helen & Guest  
Samfield, Emily  
Schwartz, Ray J.  
Small, Darol  
Smith, Dean  
Snell, Warren  
Stanton, Jerry & Honey  
Staton, Bill  
Stephens, Robin  
Stewart, Dina  
Stover, Beth  
Taylor, John & Honey



Thomas, Ron & Wally  
Thompson, Walt & Christel  
Titus, Joe & Kara  
Torruella, Charlie & Guest  
Trapuzzano, Greg & Janet  
Vallesquez, Joe & His Honey  
Voeltz, Jeff & Elaine  
Walter, Dennis & Audrey  
Watson, Paul & Edward  
Weeks, Butch & Christine  
Williams, Mike  
Williams, Patty  
Williamson, James & Patsy  
Williamson, Tom & Vickie  
Wollek, Susie & Don  
Wright, Bruce & Ellen  
Ybarra, Dianna & Honey

**Send dues to:**

**Make Check payable to:** 924th FW Military Reunion

**Mail to:** 924th FW Military Reunion

c/o Lois Johnson  
P. O. 17212  
Fort Worth, Texas 76102

More to come!

Contact info: [gljohnson09@att.net](mailto:gljohnson09@att.net)

Still working on providing more hotels but here's a start for those of you traveling in:

**Camp Mabry** has some limited lodging for \$40. It's their drill weekend [512-782-5500](tel:512-782-5500)

**Hotels:**

Hyatt Regency Hotel  
208 Barton Spring Road  
Austin, TX 78704  
512-477-1234  
\$135 Rate w/Government ID

La Quinta Inn & Suites  
4424 S Mopac Expy  
Austin, TX 78735  
**Phone:** (512) 899-3000  
\$139.00 Rate w/Military ID

**POC:** Henry Harrison, Johanna Oren or Lois Fontenot Johnson [gljohnson09@att.net](mailto:gljohnson09@att.net) [214-215-5701](tel:214-215-5701)

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**924 Quarterly Luncheon in Austin:**

**Date:** on hold until after the Reunion

**Time:**

**Location:** Golden Corral Buffet & Grill (12509 North Lamar Blvd. **Austin, Texas**)

Point of contact: Mark A. Ellis [papasmurfellis@gmail.com](mailto:papasmurfellis@gmail.com) (C) [478-714-9035](tel:478-714-9035)



**924 Deaths:** Submitted by Marvin Christian

Just found out that **Bob Sult** and **Paul Chaput** passed away last March.  
Please have Jim Hudson add their names to the departed list.  
Below are their obituaries. Both were Navigators in the C-119 and C-130.

**Paul Chaput** Obit: [http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/houstonchronicle/obituary.aspx?n=paul-chaput&pid=177992771&fhid=17905&eid=sp\\_shareobit](http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/houstonchronicle/obituary.aspx?n=paul-chaput&pid=177992771&fhid=17905&eid=sp_shareobit)

**Bob Sult** Obit: <http://obits.dignitymemorial.com/dignity-memorial/obituary.aspx?n=Robert-Sult&lc=2220&pid=179522274&mid=6875748>

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**Dane Bruce Passed Away:** Submitted by Mary Ann Cleek [marycleek@gmail.com](mailto:marycleek@gmail.com)

I recently found out that Dane Bruce, former 924 Senior Recruiter, passed away Dec 28, 2015. Not sure of the circumstances. Jack Tooley or Wanda Underwood may know.

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924 Old Timers recent pics:

Ski



Marty Baldwin



Lou Godfrey



Dave Gibbons



“Lord” Dillard 83<sup>rd</sup> Birthday

Victor Facundo 83<sup>rd</sup>





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**Reserve Retirement:** <http://askjune.military.com/2010/07/new-rules-about-guard-and-reserve-retirement.html>

**Reserve Retirement Point Chart:** *(before age 60 folks only)*

Reserve Personnel Contact Center 1-800-525-0102 or via the virtual Personnel Center-Guard Reserve website at <https://arpc.afrc.af.mil/vPC-GR/>

Go to the AFRC link and it will direct you to Air Reserve Personnel Center-**Retirements/Separations**.

Everything you need including the point chart for 2010.

**Reserve Benefits:** [http://www.militarybenefits.com/military\\_reserve.html](http://www.militarybenefits.com/military_reserve.html)

**Reserve Benefits and other Information:**

[http://search.military.com/search?q=Reserve+and+Guard+Newsletter&search\\_string=&site=military&client=military&proxystylesheet=military&output=xml\\_no\\_dtd&access=p&filter=1&entqr=3&tabname=military&words=Reserve+and+Guard+Newsletter&dne=&rad=50&x=55&y=11&ie=UTF-8&ip=172.30.3.185&sort=date%3AD%3AL%3Ad1&oe=UTF-8&ud=1&start=0](http://search.military.com/search?q=Reserve+and+Guard+Newsletter&search_string=&site=military&client=military&proxystylesheet=military&output=xml_no_dtd&access=p&filter=1&entqr=3&tabname=military&words=Reserve+and+Guard+Newsletter&dne=&rad=50&x=55&y=11&ie=UTF-8&ip=172.30.3.185&sort=date%3AD%3AL%3Ad1&oe=UTF-8&ud=1&start=0)

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**OUTLAW Newsletters in Archives:** *To view the last 12 months newsletters*

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Go to [www.yahoo.com](http://www.yahoo.com) (click on the link in blue)

On the Yahoo home page, select **Sign-In** (top right side)

Type in Yahoo ID: [afreserves924th@yahoo.com](mailto:afreserves924th@yahoo.com)

Type in Password: **outlaws** (lower case)

After Signed In, back on the Yahoo home page, select **MAIL** (left side bar)

When you get into the mail box, select **Inbox** (on left side bar)

Select the newsletter that you want to view.

To get out of Mail, under the top toolbar, find **Yahoo!** click on that to get back to the Yahoo home page.

**NOTE:** The newsletter is being sent as an “Attachment” to the email.

To open the attachment, click on the large blue square box with 4 lines in the middle.

**ALSO:** When you get to the Yahoo Home Page, if you are already signed in to a different yahoo account.

Then you must sign out of that account, and then sign in to: [afreserves924th@yahoo.com](mailto:afreserves924th@yahoo.com) **outlaws**

**“ALSO”**

**Newsletters are on 924 Website:** *Past month's newsletters*

Go to 924 Website, click on **Newsletters**, password (**Outlaws**)

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### **\*\*\*Websites of Interest\*\*\***

“Boot Camp” Into the Wild Blue Yonder”

<http://www.cnet.com/pictures/into-the-wild-blue-yonder-u-s-air-force-basic-training-pictures/?ftag=ACQ63afa6d>

#### **FACEBOOK PAGES:**

**AF Reserve Page:**

<https://www.facebook.com/airforcereserve>

**United States Air Force Veterans Page:**

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

**You Know You Are an Air Force Mechanic when...**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/109677762396385/>

**US Air Force CrewChiefs:**

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

**Last QF-4 Drone Shoot down video:**

<https://www.facebook.com/alice.clasen/posts/10206918187743717>

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**Neat Austin Video:**

<https://www.facebook.com/alice.clasen/posts/10206918187743717>

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**AF Bombers Make History:** Aug 16

<http://www.stripes.com/news/bombers-make-history-with-first-simultaneous-pacific-operation-1.424587>

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**Great photos and military humor:**

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

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**F-16 Video:**

<https://www.facebook.com/AeroSedifer/videos/811129082355383/>

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**AF Video:**

<https://www.facebook.com/USairforce/videos/10155003120774989/>

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**F-4 Video:**

<https://www.facebook.com/F4Phorever/videos/852842178149627/>

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**Neat 1960-70's video of Austin: Can you remember these places????**

<http://www.onlyinyourstate.com/texas/austin/1960s-video-austin/>

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**Davis-Monthan AFB Tucson - BONE YARD 360 DEGREE PANORAMIC**

*Its mind boggling how many planes are here. And to think of the cost of them when new? Notice some of them are missing parts, nose, wings etc.*

*You can zoom, tilt, enlarge and scan the image to see every corner of it.*

<https://www.aerialsphere.com/spheres/arizona/tucson/boneyard/1/>

This is a most interesting place. They all flew in, so at one time they were all obviously airworthy. Many are being cannibalized to supply parts to our air force as well as foreign countries. It is said to be the only government agency that actually makes money. Could be. Anyway, it's an unimaginable collection. Also right across the freeway there is another notable air museum called PIMA. It too is a worthwhile stop. Unbelievable! Some countries don't even have an air force this large and this is our junk yard - more or less.

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[http://m.ebay.com/itm/391292805183?roken=cUgayN&\\_mwBanner=1](http://m.ebay.com/itm/391292805183?roken=cUgayN&_mwBanner=1)

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**Randolph AFB weekly news:** The Wingspread

<https://www.facebook.com/JBSARandolph/posts/10153205932557842:0> and <http://ow.ly/Rs4Ns>

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**Airman's Magazine:**

**Aviation Buffs:**

Even if you are not into this you might want to pass this treasure trove on to others who are.  
Click on any of the blues:

- [Aviation](#) [Pioneers](#)
  - [World](#) [War I Aces](#)
  - [Hall](#) [of Fame of the Air](#)
  - [WW2](#) [European Theater \(ETO\)](#)
  - [WW2](#) [Pacific Theater \(PTO\)](#)
  - [WW2](#) [US Marine Corps](#)
  - [WW2](#) [US Navy Aces](#)
  - [WW2](#) [Mediterranean \(MTO\)](#)
  - [WW2](#) [German Aces](#)
  - [Korean](#) [War Aces](#)
  - [Russian](#) [Aces](#)
  - [Vietnam](#) [Era Aces](#)
  
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    - [WW2](#) [Ships](#)
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**John Wayne and the Pledge of Allegiance**

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3Jf3MQpfBc>

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**Great Music Video:** Military/Miami Dolphin Cheerleaders

The Miami Dolphin cheerleaders sent the US Troops in Afghanistan a music video and they sent one back...mimicking them almost to perfection. SO cool!!! Plus the Soldiers light off a four point deuce mortar as a point of punctuation. Soldiers win...hands down!!!

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O7zdr-82WAo>

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**Virtual Aircraft Encyclopedia:**

<http://www.aviastar.org/index2.html>

**General Dynamics F-16:** [http://www.aviastar.org/air/usa/general\\_f-16.php](http://www.aviastar.org/air/usa/general_f-16.php)

**McDonnell-Douglas F-4 Phantom II:** [http://www.aviastar.org/air/usa/mcdonnell\\_phantom.php](http://www.aviastar.org/air/usa/mcdonnell_phantom.php)

**Lockheed C-130 Hercules:** [http://www.aviastar.org/air/usa/lok\\_hercules.php](http://www.aviastar.org/air/usa/lok_hercules.php)

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**RAO BULLETIN Update, 01 Sept 2016**

Read the **Articles** go to the web site at: [http://post\\_119\\_gulfport\\_ms.tripod.com/rao1.html](http://post_119_gulfport_ms.tripod.com/rao1.html)



**924 RECALL ROSTER**

Known Whereabouts: (689 Names)

Revised 02 September 2016

**New & Changed Addresses:**

*See website roster*

**Complete Roster can be found on the 924th website**

[www.924tfg.com](http://www.924tfg.com)

(Password: *Outlaws*)...**O** is capital  
*Will email the Roster upon request*



Outlaw low level, at range near Corpus Christi

*Da...Dat...Dhat's all folks*