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Before graduating from SSSHS I joined the Naval Reserve. My first ship was homeported in Hawaii and my first foreign port was Yokosuka, Japan all before year's end of 1963. Since '63 I've visited many Asian nations, and lived in the Philippines for several months. I lived in Saigon in 1969 and 1970 while serving with the Naval Forces, Vietnam. I also lived in Germany for four years and visited many European countries while there. I've been homeported and lived in Hawaii, San Francisco, San Diego, Bremerton, Washington, Norfolk, Virginia and lived in Florida while attached to a Naval Auxiliary Air Station. I attended Navy schools in San Diego, San Francisco and Memphis, Tennessee. Ships have taken me to the Western Pacific, Northern Pacific, through the Panama Canal into the Caribbean, South America into the North Atlantic and into the Mediterranean and to Northern Europe.

In addition to Navy schools I graduated from the University of Maryland and San Diego State University. The Navy even sent me to a couple classes at Stanford. Lucky me!

Since Navy retirement I've lived in Hawaii with my lovely wife, Christie Wolf.

Living here in Hawaii I've continued working on and building recreational sailboats and I've built a home and started a cabin. I've done a lot of community work with associations, taught sailing for the YMCA and helped start a local Yacht Club.

Sailing, running and bicycling were great passions but my last marathon was in 1990. Luckily I can still ride bikes without the usual age related aches and pains. I continue to sail and hope to do a Mexico cruise later this year.

Hope to see you at the reunion!!!

