

## RK Winters Jr.

R.K. Winters, Jr., Air Force, Security Forces, Senior Airman and Army National Guard, Military Police, Specialist. He served during the Iraqi Freedom era and is a veteran of Enduring Freedom Veteran. His career highlight was helping fellow Oklahomans after the 2013 Moore tornado and meeting the President. He is also a living history enthusiast, portraying Soldiers from WWII to Vietnam at patriotic parades/related ceremonies and a volunteer for the Midwest City Veterans Memorial.



## Jesse Kirkham

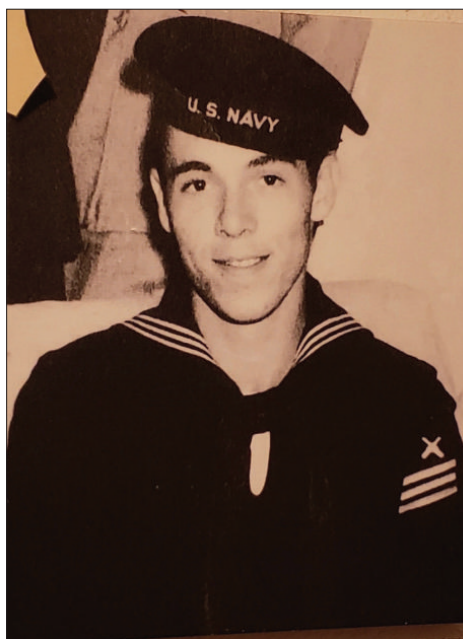
Jesse D. Kirkham served in the U.S. Marines 4 years, U. S. Army 2 years (after being medically discharged), and then civil service 31 years. Jesse has been married to the love of his life Verna for 63 years this December. They had 3 children, 8 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. He is the most loyal, dedicated, and hard working person you will ever meet. He has amazing stories about his time in the service and every base they lived/stayed at. He will put his county and family first. Jesse will always show what it means to be an American.



## Bobby Clark

Bobby D. Clark - joined the U.S. Navy in 1947 at the age of 17 and fought in the Korean War as a GMSN (Gunner's Mate Seaman) until 1952. He was aboard the USS TOLEDO -CA 133, a Baltimore Class Heavy Cruiser and the Destroyer John R Craig (DD-885)

Bob and wife Wanda lived in Midwest City for 68 years where they raised their family. In 1984 Bob and son, Allen Clark started Clark Construction Co. In 2013 Bob had the honor of building the Midwest City Veterans Memorial at the Joe B Barnes Regional Park. Bob still resides in Midwest City.



## William Shaffner

Senior Master Sergeant William Shaffner is the Air Force Senior Enlisted Leader for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Joint Communications Squadron, Joint Communications Support Element, MacDill AFB, Florida. In this role, he directs full spectrum operations and maintenance for 75 joint tactical communicators across five military branches, delivering rapidly deployable airborne tactical communications in direct support of Joint Special Operations Task Force, Joint Forces Headquarters, and all Geographic Combatant Commands.

Sergeant Shaffner is from Choctaw, Oklahoma and enlisted in the Air Force Jan 2000. Since basic and technical training, he has worked in a variety of cyberspace support, intelligence support, and developmental positions and has experience with base level communications, tactical communications, various intelligence, reconnaissance, & surveillance intelligence systems including the AN/GSQ-163 FALCONER and AN/GSQ-272 SENTINEL weapon systems, and 4 years as an Academy Military Training NCO at the United States Air Force Academy. Prior to his current position, he served as the Cyber Operations Flight Chief, Grand Forks AFB, ND.

Finally, Sergeant Shaffner as has an extensive background as a 97E, Human Intelligence Collector, for the



United States Army, where he was selected as part of a 50-member team that deployed to Iraq in order perform interrogations of high-level insurgents; collecting intelligence throughout various theater interment facilities in support of OIF/OEF.

## Fernandez Caillou

Lance Cpl. Fernandez Caillou, of Choctaw, graduated from Choctaw High School in September 2019 at 17 and left for boot camp Dec. 16, 2019. He has been in U.S. Marine Corps for two years as a 7212 Low Altitude Air Defense Gunner. He provides low altitude, surface to air weapons fires, and when task-organized, provides command and control, and forces for ground security in defense of the Marine Air Ground Task Force Commander's designated vital areas. Caillou is currently stationed in Camp Pendleton California, and



will be heading to the Marine Raider Training Center next year for Marine Forces Special operations command to tryout.