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The men who raised the flag on Iwo Jima Joe Rosenthal's iconic photo from Feb. 1945 * 76-Years Ago



Corporal, Ira Hamilton Hayes, (Pima) and five other U.S. Marines were photographed on February 23, 1945 by Joe Rosenthal.

Three of the six Marines depicted in the photograph, Sergeant, Michael Strank, Corporal, Harlon Block, and Private First Class, Franklin Sousley were killed in action over the next few days. The three surviving flag-raisers were Corporals Rene Gagnon, Ira Hayes, and Harold Schultz.

Hayes was born on January 12, 1923 at Sacaton on the Gila River Indian Reservation in south central Ari-

zona. He died on January 23, 1955 at

THE PRICE OF FREEDOM

American Revolution
(1775-1783)
4,435 Casualties

War of 1812
(1812-1815)
2,260 Casualties

World War I
(1917-1918)
116,516 Casualties

World War II
(1941-1945)
405,399 Casualties

Korean War
(1950-1953)
36,574 Casualties

Vietnam War
(1964-1975)
58,220 Casualties

Desert Shield/Desert Storm
(1990-1991)
383 Casualties

Enduring Freedom/Iraqi Freedom
(Oct 2001-)
6,775 Casualties



A day to Honor the Navajo Code Talker's legacy

INDIAN-COUNTRY-TODAY By Ramona Emerson; A Diné filmmaker and writer originally from Tohatchi, New Mexico



Seated right to left: Navajo Code Talkers Peter MacDonald, John Kinsel and Thomas H. Begay, attend the ceremony in their honor. They are among the last living Navajo Code Talkers who served in WW II. (Photo by Ramona Emerson)



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Vietnam Veterans Memorial, The “Wall of Faces” A Memorial to the 58,220 (As of May 2018)

Fund won permission from Congress to build the Veterans Education Center at The Wall.

The Veterans Education Center was to include a photograph of every service member killed in Viet Nam and the more that 6,600 killed fighting the War on Terrorism.,

However, in 2019 the funding efforts fell short of the \$115-125 million needed to construct the facility and the project was dropped.

In 2014, Janna **Livsay** Hoehn currently living in Hawaii and a former resident of Hemet, CA became involved in the Viet Nam Memorial Education Center Project in 2014 in her adopted State of Hawaii with the collection of photographs of the Native Hawaiians that lost their lives or were Missing in Action during the Viet Nam War.

Upon completion of her collection of the photographs of Native Hawaiians she turned her attention to the American Indians and Alaskan Natives.

Having grown up in the small town of Hemet in east Riverside County

Southern California and going to school with many of the American Indians from the near by Soboba, Cahuilla and Santa Rosa Indian Reservations she took on the challenge of collecting the photographs of the 232 American Indians and Alaskan Natives that were killed or MIA in Viet Nam.

Her dedication and commitment didn't end with the collection of the photographs. In way of example, she noticed that Joseph Pink, who went to school in San Jacinto another small town next to Hemet, was not listed as an American Indian and because she knew Joe in high school she gathered the evidence of his tribal affiliation to insure his name was listed.

And although the Veteran Memorial Education Center will not be built the “Wall of Faces” can be viewed in the internet at the Wall of Faces website. Type in Wall of Faces, click on Advanced search and a form will come up. Type in the name of the person you are looking for or type a city, or a county or a state to see all of that areas photos.

PALA BAND OF MISSION INDIANS

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Mr. Pink is honored on Panel 28E, Row 56 of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial.

Full Name: JOSEPH PATRICK PINK
Wall Name: JOSEPH P PINK
Date of Birth: 10/17/1947
Date of Casualty: 10/23/1967
Home of Record: SAN JACINTO
State: CALIFORNIA
County of Record: RIVERSIDE
Branch of Service: U.S. ARMY
Rank: SP4
Casualty Country: SOUTH VIETNAM
Unit: D COMPANY, 5TH BATTALION, 7TH CAVALRY REGIMENT, 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION

MORONGO BAND OF MISSION INDIANS



Mr. Lyons is honored on Panel 3E, Row 19 of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial.

Full Name: WILLIAM JOHN LYONS
Wall Name: WILLIAM J LYONS
Date of Birth: 7/27/1940
Date of Casualty: 11/4/1965
Home of Record: BANNING
State: CALIFORNIA
County of Record: RIVERSIDE
Branch of Service: U.S. ARMY
Rank: 1LT
Casualty Country: SOUTH VIETNAM
Unit: C COMPANY, 1ST BATTALION, 7TH CAVALRY REGIMENT, 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION

CHINOOK INDIAN NATION

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Mr. Stevens was an American diplomat and lawyer who served as the U.S. Ambassador to Libya. He was killed when the U.S. consulate in Benghazi, Libya, was attacked on September 11, 2012.

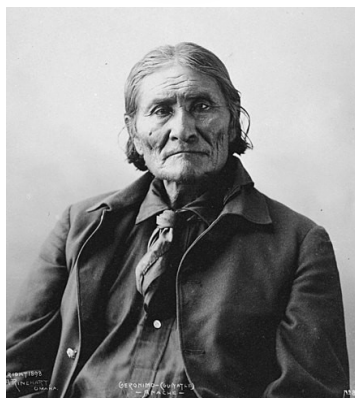
Full Name: JOHN CHRISTOPHER STEVENS
Date of Birth: 4/18/60
Date of Casualty: 9/11/12
Home of Record: GRASS VALLEY
State: CALIFORNIA
County of Record: NEVADA COUNTY
Branch of Service: U.S. DEPT OF STATE
Rank: AMBASSADOR
Casualty Country: LIBYA

JAMUL INDIAN VILLAGE A KUMEYAAY NATION



Mr. Mesa is honored on Panel 42W, Row 48 of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial.

Full Name: JAMES GREGORY MESA
Wall Name: JAMES G MESA
Date of Birth: 9/24/1948
Date of Casualty: 9/30/1968
Home of Record: JAMUL
State: CALIFORNIA
County of Record: SAN DIEGO COUNTY
Branch of Service: U.S. ARMY
Rank: PFC
Casualty Country: SOUTH VIETNAM
Unit: C COMPANY, 2ND BATTALION, 35TH INFANTRY REGIMENT



Geronimo, Apache



Chief Joseph, Nez Perce



Photo right: Smiling President Trump at the White House shaking hands with Peter McDonald former Navajo Tribal Chairman next to an unidentified Navajo Code Talker.

Photo below is a Navajo Code Talker and photos of him that appear on the cover of many books.



Veteran Navajo Code Talkers stand for the National Anthem

“I am bringing a distant nation against you.
An ancient and enduring nation. A people whose language you do not know, whose speech you do not understand.”



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Sitting Bull
Lakota, C 1831-1890

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Pres. Benito Juarez
Zapotec, 1806-1872



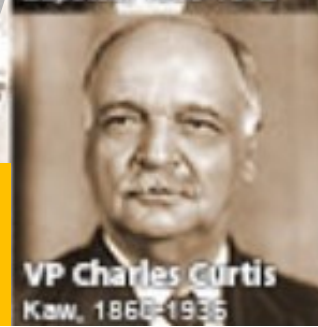
Standing Bear
Ponca, 1824-1908



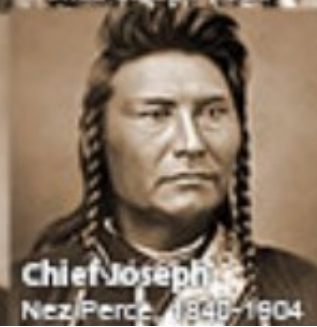
Geronimo
Apache, 1829-1909



Chief Dan George
Tahltan, 1899-1981



VP Charles Curtis
Kaw, 1860-1936



Chief Joseph
Nez Perce, 1840-1904



Adam Castillo
Cahuilla, 1885-1953



Tecumseh
Shawnee, 1768-1813



Cino Matawee
Kumeyaay, C. 1810-1910

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Congressional Medal of Honor America Indians Recipients

MY VIEW By *Ernie C. Salgado, Jr.*

Armistice Day or Veterans Day, Memorial Day and D-Day have special meanings to the millions American patriots: Armistice Day is the name that was given to the holiday celebrated in the United States on November 11 before it was renamed Veterans Day by Congress in 1954. ‘

Memorial Day because it is the day we pay our respects to all the veterans that were killed in action and to those that have passed on.

And **D-Day** has a special meaning to me because my dad, Ernest Salgado, Sr. and Sam Powvall from the Puma Indian Reservation were together on June 6, 1944 for the invasion of Normandy, France then later at the “**Battle of the Bulge**” and on into Berlin, Germany.

Memorial Day and D-Day are only days apart and many American patriots view them as one. We often hear of the ‘**greatest generation**’ in reference to Memorial Day on May 29 dating back to the civil war and D-Day in reference to the WW II military invasion of Normandy, France on June 6, 1944 that let to the occupation of Berlin, Germany and the end of WWII in Europe.

Even less notice is the contributions of the American Indian Warriors courage and commitment in the many military conflicts of the Nation over the past 245-years.

Why is this? Especially since American Indians have voluntarily participated in every military effort to establish and defend this land and people for all America.

The American Indians courage and achievements examples from both theaters of WW II is well documented but too often historically ignored.

Over 2,000 American Indians from Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona trained and fought as part of the Army’s 45th Infantry Division best known as the “**Thunderbirds**”. They saw almost two years of combat in Italy and Central Europe.

During World War II, the U.S. military recruited American Indian from several different Tribes from trough out the country for their unique tribal languages for usage as a battlefield code.



Joe Morris, Code Talker

Although many American Indian Tribes were used as “**Code Talker**,” such as the Assiniboine, Choctaw, Cherokee, Comanche, Meskwaki, and Seminole to name a few the Navajo “**Code Talkers**” became

the most celebrated and publicized of the radio units. They were assigned to the U.S. Marines Corps.

Six American Indians were awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor in recognition for their bravery and many other distinguished themselves as well.

The six Congressional Medal of Honor recipient were: Lt. Ernest Childers Lt. Jack Montgomery, Lt. Van Barfoot, John Resse Jr., Ron Harmon and Ernest Edwin Evens.

Lt. Ernest Childers (Muscogee Creek)



Childers was born February 1, 1918 in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, A (Creek).

He attended and graduated from the Chilocco Indian Agricultural School in north-central Oklahoma. ***He was the first American Indian to earn the Medal of Honor since the Indian Wars of the 19th century.***

He first distinguished himself in Sicily, Italy where he was awarded a battlefield commission. Later in Italy, unaided and despite severe wounds, he destroyed three German machine gun emplacements.

Childers reached the rank of lieutenant Colonel before retiring from the Army in 1966. He died at age 87 and was buried at Floral Haven Memorial Gardens in his birthplace of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

First Lt. Jack Montgomery (Cherokee).



Lt. Jack C. Montgomery, earned the Medal of Honor in World War II for service in Italy. He graduated from same school as Childers, the Chilocco Indian Agricultural School in north-central Oklahoma.

During the Anzio, Italy military Campaign he single-handedly attacked a German stronghold killing eleven of the enemy and taking thirty-three prisoners. Lt. Jack *Montgomery graduated from the University of Redlands, California.*

Pfc. John Resse Jr. (Comanche)



Resse was from Pryor, Oklahoma.

On February 9, 1945 he was serving as a private first class in the Philippines when an attack on the Paco Railroad Station hit and Reese and fellow soldier Private Cleto L. Rodriguez went ahead of their unit, took a position closer to the station, and began firing on the Japanese defenders.

Together they killed over eighty Japanese soldiers before a shortage of ammunition forced them to turn back. Reese was killed while trying to return to the American lines; he was posthumously awarded the Medal of Honor eight months later, on October 19, 1945. Private Rodriguez survived the battle and was also awarded the Medal of Honor

Coronel Van Barfoot (Choctaw).



Barfoot was also at the Anzio Campaign in Italy where he knocked out two machine gun nests and captured seventeen prisoners.

He then went on to defeat three German tanks and carried two of his wounded men to safety. These exploits reinforced the “warrior” image.

Barfoot had been awarded a combat field commission prior to his action in Italy. He went on to serve in Korea and Vietnam and retired as a Coronel.

After his retirement from the Army he moved to a retirement community in Henrico County, Virginia to be near his daughter.

In mid 2009, the homeowners’ association (HOA) of the Sussex Square, where Barfoot lived ordered him to remove the flagpole from which he flew the U.S. flag.

Even though the HOA by-laws didn’t forbid flagpoles, the HOA ruled Barfoot, would not be allowed to use it “*for aesthetic reasons.*”

Barfoot then aged 90, contested the order, and re-

ceived support from politicians, including Virginia Senators Mark Warner and Jim Webb, White House Press Secretary Robert Gibbs and Sean Hannity at Fox news.

The HOA dropped its request on December 8, 2009

Sergeant Ron W. Harmon (Creek)



Harmon joined the Army in his home town in Pixley, California.

On July 1, 1944, he was serving as a Sergeant in Company C, 362nd Infantry Regiment, 91st Infantry Division. On that day, near Casaglia, Italy he single-handedly attacked three German positions which were firing on a friendly platoon.

He destroyed one position and despite being wounded on his approach, continued to silence another. He was killed while attacking the third position.

He was posthumously awarded the Medal of Honor a year later on October 2, 1945. Harmon was buried at the Florence American Cemetery in Florence, Italy.

Comdr. Ernest E. Evens (Cherokee/Creek)



Evens was born in Pawnee, Oklahoma.

He graduated from the United States Naval Academy in 1931.

In 1941 he was assigned to the destroyer Alden, and was serving on her in the East Indies when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941.

He became commanding officer of Alden on March 14, 1942, and held that position until July 7, 1943. While serving on Alden he participated in operations in and around Australia, New Guinea and the Dutch East Indies.

On October 25, 1944 as commanding officer of the U.S.S. Johnston, against major units of the Japanese fleet during the battle off Samar he was first to lay a smokescreen and to open fire on a vastly superior force



es in number, firepower and armor as they rapidly approached.

Comdr. Evans gallantly diverted the powerful blasts of hostile guns from the lightly armed and armored carriers under his protection, launching the first torpedo attack when the Johnston came under straddling Japanese shell-fire.

Undaunted by damage sustained under the terrific volume of fire, he unhesitatingly joined others of his group to provide fire support during subsequent torpedo attacks against the Japanese.

Outshooting and outmaneuvering the enemy as he consistently interposed his vessel between the hostile fleet units and our carriers despite the crippling loss of engine power and communications with steering aft, battled furiously until the Johnston, burning and shuddering from a mortal blow, lay dead in the water after 3 hours of fierce combat.

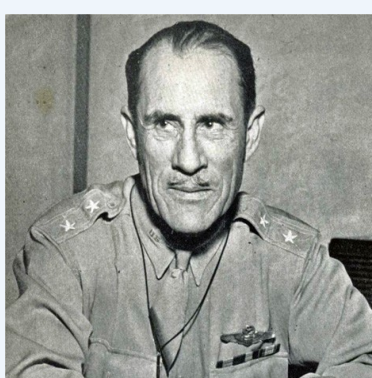
Seriously wounded early in the engagement, Comdr. Evans, by his indomitable courage and brilliant professional skill, aided materially in turning back the enemy during a critical phase of the action.

He was posthumously awarded the Medal of Honor.

OTHER AMERICAN INDIAN HEROS

Maj. Gen. Clarence Tinker, (Osage)

A career pilot, was the highest ranking Indian in the armed forces at the beginning of the war. He died leading a flight of bombers in the Pacific during the Battle of Midway.



Admiral Joseph J. "Jocko" Clark, (Cherokee) was the first American Indian to graduate from Annapolis, participated in carrier battles in the Pacific and became an admiral.



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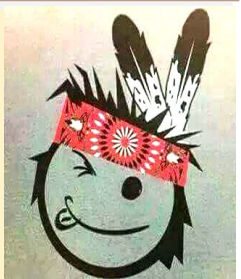
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"America is just like an insane asylum. There is not a soul in it will admit they are crazy." - Will Rogers,

Rogers was an enrolled member of the Cherokee Nation.
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AN INDIAN, AN AFRICAN AMERICAN
AND A MEXICAN WALK INTO A BAR...



...JUST KIDDING! IT'S
JUST THREE WHITE LIBERALS

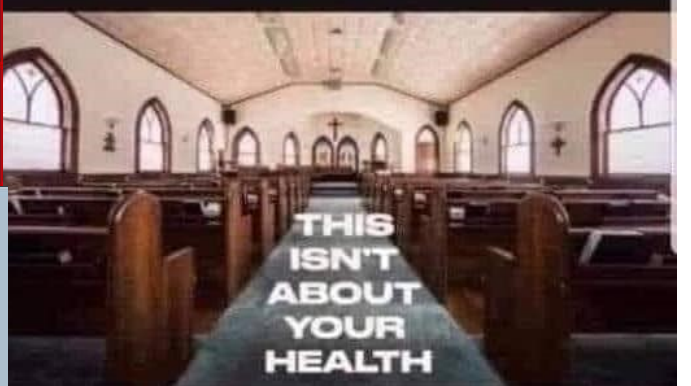


Eric Trump Has Run a Charity Golf Event For St. Jude's Children's Cancer Center For A Decade. It's Averaged \$2 Million Per Year. On It's WORST Year 84% went to Charity & Only 16% Went For Costs To Run The Tournament



In 2014 The Clinton Foundation Charity Took In \$91.3 Million. Per Their IRS Filing, Only 5.7% Of That Money Made It To Actual Charities. 94.3% Went To "Salaries & Benefits," & "Other Costs."

WHICH DID THE FAKE NEWS MEDIA ACCUSE OF PROFITING OFF OF THE CHARITY? ERIC TRUMP, OF COURSE.



TEXAS HOUSE VOTES TO BAN TRANSGENDER STUDENTS FROM GIRLS SPORTS



R.I.P. America !!! You went soft on discipline. You raised the cost of living so high that both parents are always at work, rather than spending time with their children. You took God out of schools. Parents were told 'No you can't discipline your kids'. Kids had rights blah, blah, blah. Well. America!! You shall reap what you sow, and we have lost a whole generation and turned them into selfish, disrespectful brats who have no respect for people, property or authority! Things need to change!

The Coming Week

- Monday: I'm sorry. We can not allow you in the store without a mask.
- Tuesday: I'm sorry. To cut down the spread of the virus, we will no longer take cash.
- Wednesday: I'm sorry. We can not approve your purchase without proof of vaccination.
- Thursday: I'm sorry. Your credit card record shows you have reached your monthly allotment of gasoline.
- Friday: I'm sorry. Your credit limit has been reduced to \$50 due to the offensive comment you made on Facebook.
- Saturday: I'm sorry. Your credit card can not be used until you complete your Social Principals training.
- Sunday: I'm sorry. We show you tried to use your credit card to make a contribution to your church so your card has been deactivated.

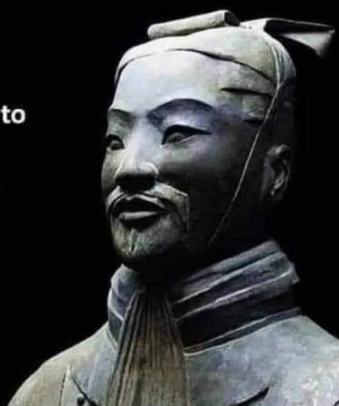
Nothing says, "We're lying our ass off," quite like saying "We're going after the rich!" and then wanting to know everyone's bank account activity over \$600.

THE DEMOCRATS HAVEN'T BEEN THIS UPSET SINCE



THE REPUBLICANS TOOK THEIR SLAVES AWAY

An evil enemy,
will burn his own nation to the ground...
to rule over the ashes.
Sun Tzu



"Much of the social history of the Western world, over the past three decades, has been a history of replacing what worked with what sounded good."

- Thomas Sowell

Why would bacteria on Mars be considered "proof of life" when a heartbeat on Earth isn't?

I've always wondered why liberals were referred to as the Left & conservatives as the Right

Then I found this Bible verse...

"The heart of the wise inclines to the right, but the heart of the fool to the left"

-Ecclesiastes 10:2



WHY DOES TOILET PAPER NEED A COMMERCIAL?



WHO IS NOT BUYING THIS?

Think About It -
Laugh For The Day

The federal government, which has "Tomahawk" cruise missiles and "Apache," "Blackhawk," "Kiowa" and "Lakota" helicopters - and used the code name "Geronimo" in the attack that killed Osama bin Laden, officially objects to the name of the Washington Redskins.

Really?

DOES MONICA LEWINSKY



STILL WORK HERE???

NO!



BUT I DO BIG BOY!



REMEMBER, FOLKS:
IT DOESN'T MATTER
WHAT TRUMP ACTUALLY
SAID. ALL THAT MATTERS
IS WHAT WE TELL YOU
HE REALLY MEANT.

