

In Memoriam



Navy League of the United States Palm Beach Council

Dr. Chuck Moore
Captain, U.S. Navy
WW-2 Veteran
Combat Surgeon - Vietnam

June 1925 – April 2017



Dr. Charles L. (Chuck) Moore – faithful Palm Beach Navy Leaguer and proud member of the Eagles veterans lunch group passed away at home April 20 in hospice care, with his angel June at his side.

Chuck had such a varied and successful career that it would take a book or two to describe.

Who else could connect these dots? Distinguished Graduate of U.S. Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, Washington Redskins team physician, founding executive and later Chief of Surgery and later Chairman of the Board of JFK Medical Center, WW2 Navy veteran and volunteer return to service as combat surgeon in Vietnam, USMC consultant to Surgeon General of the Navy, 10 years on Palm Beach County Trauma Advisory Board and recently Medical Advisory Board member for U.S. 22nd Congressional District.

Learning of Ken Lee's misspent youth in the pool halls of Indiana, Chuck said, "you know I have Jackie Gleason's pool table." And indeed, The Hustler's personal pool table is in Chuck's den, along with pictures of Jackie Gleason, Willie Mosconi, Bob Hope and others.

Chuck's uniform includes a Purple Heart ribbon. He and close friend Jim Lea, who passed away just 2 months ago, together had more medals than we could count. We couldn't be prouder of members such as these.

Sailor, rest your oars – you have reached the shore. Rest in Peace, Shipmate !!



We lost two gems in two months – both were scalawags, physicians, warriors and gentlemen

1:30 visiting/2:00 service – Sunday Apr 23rd – Dorsey Funeral Home 3041 Kirk Rd Lake Worth, FL