

Name Smith William K.  
LAST FIRST Female: Last name when in service

Birth date 19 20 Birth Place New Sharon, Iowa Yr moved to LW 1997

**MILITARY HISTORY**

Branch Navy Entry date and Location 6/7/43 - U.S. Naval Academy Rank Midshipman  
*V.-7(A.S)*

Disch. date & location 12/12/45 - USMPC (2) New York, NY. Rank USNR.  
*Lieut(JG)(DE)*

Military Speciality Engineering & Diving Officer - Submarine - U.S.S. CDD

**Theatre of Operation, Unit**

**United States**

**Overseas**

U.S. Naval Academy

Southwest Pacific Fleet - Submarine

Key West, FL - Sub. Training

Operations - Bases - Fremantle, Ausf.

New London, Conn. Sub. Training

Guam and Hawaii.

**AWARDS/ CITATIONS**

Asiatic-Pacific Ribbon (1 star)

Philippine Liberation Ribbon (1 star)

American Theater Ribbon

Victory Ribbon - World War II

**SPECIAL/UNUSUAL SERVICE AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

Qualified in Submarines (Dolphin)

Four successful War Patrols each receiving the  
submarine combat insignia

**Post WWII Reserve Duty, Location and Activity**

(Please submit additional Korean or Vietnam duty on separate sheet)

Date Oct. 4, 2001