

Missouri State Society Daughters of the American Revolution
Proudly Honors

Patriot of the Month

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Robert "Bob" Meyer

United States Army

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Bob graduated from high school in Iowa, in 1964. After graduation, he worked at a manufacturing plant and then an electronics store.

In February, 1966, Bob entered the United States Army and was sent to Fort Leonard Wood for basic training. After his basic training, he was sent to Fort Eustis, which is near Newport News, Virginia. There he was trained as a marine/amphibian engineer for water craft. He used that training (officially called United States Marine Maintenance Activity) while he served in Vietnam for 365 days. Returning state-side, he became an instructor in a training school at Fort Story, Virginia.

While in service, Bob attained the rank of E-5 (Specialist 5). He received the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Medal, Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Presidential Unit Citation Medal.

After his discharge in February 1969, Bob returned to Iowa, where he worked in a print shop for 29 years, working his way from bindery to supervisor.

Bob married Donna in 1990, and between them they have two boys and two girls and four grandchildren. They moved to southern Missouri, in 1998, where Donna has a chiropractic practice. Bob is her office manager.

Bob is a life member of his local Veterans of Foreign Wars post and serves the post as Senior Vice Commander.

Rachel Donelson Daughters are very proud to honor and recognize Robert "Bob" Meyer as Patriot of the Month for his dedication, patriotism and service to our great nation.