

rison are in postgraduate school in Monterey.

**Bill Frost** graduated from Duke Law School this year and was in Newport for Naval Justice School in the Fall. He is now assigned to the Legal Service Support Office at Camp Lejeune. That should keep him busy. **Chris O'Connor** is stationed at Freiburg, Germany, at the university there on the Olmsted program. **Gary Beaver** is stationed at Cherry Point and is Chief Trial Counsel at the Joint Law Center there after a year on the job. A '64 grad, R.B. Richey, is organizing an Alumni Chapter in the Raleigh, Durham, Chapel Hill area and would like to hear from any other grads who might live in this area. His address is 10100 Earthstone Ct., Raleigh NC 27609.

**Stan Gray** and his wife had their second child this Spring and named him Stanley Gray II. **Fred Kinkin** finished Dept. Head School and is homeported out of Norfolk. **Jim George** recently received his SWOS pin while serving as a Supply Officer. **Stan Gray** is stationed at Marine Barracks, 8th & I, DC.

**David Harding**, his wife and new baby boy, Philip, are living in Bowie, Maryland. David is working for a company in Annapolis called Aeronautical Radio, Inc. He recently received a promotion to manager of air/ground communication projects. He is in charge of the section which provides facilities for data and voice radio communications to commercial aircraft in flight and on the ground.

**Bob Kennedy** is stationed at the Naval Research Lab in Washington. He and his wife, Teresa, just had their second child in May. **Jim Lochry** and **Dempsey Butler** have graduated from Naval Postgraduate School. **Chuck August** is stationed at the Naval Weapons Center in Dahlgren, Virginia, and **Jay Casey** is stationed at Pensacola as an NFO instructor. **Pete Finley** is an instructor in VP-31 at Moffett Field, and **Juno Jameson** is an instructor in VS-41 at San Diego. **Floyd Houston** is attached to the CINFACFLT staff in Honolulu. **Mike Reed** left the Navy in May to work for Texas Instruments in Dallas and married Susan Callahan in July. **Mike Trueblood** is in the Civil Engineering Corps and is working on his master's degree at the University of Pennsylvania. **Fred Vogt** is stationed at Newport News and is attached to a new construction Los ANGELES-class submarine. **Dave Jensen** and **Peter Green** are attached to VX-1 in Pax River. **Dave Gates** is at the Naval Research Lab in Washington and **Dennis Grimes** has a staff job in San Diego with COMNAVAIRPAC. **Mark Gardner** is an instructor pilot in Milton, Florida, and **Ray Simmons** is a liaison officer for NASA in Washington.

**Dave Armitage** finished prototype and is now the electrical officer in USS ENTERPRISE in Alameda, with a spot promotion to lieutenant commander. At least he doesn't have to take any grief from airdale LCdrs. about movie selection. He bought a 35' sailboat and lives aboard it. **Everett McNair** received a medical discharge (diabetes) and is working for a company called Siecor as a fiber optics consultant in Hickory, North Carolina. He travels a lot and is excited about his new job. **Ray Cook** is a stock control officer in USS JOHN F. KENNEDY. **Keith Kaniut** is an instructor with VT-19 in Meridian, Mississippi. He was married in August in Birmingham, Michigan, to the former Mary Ellen Racey. **Bill Hartman** has moved to Minnesota and is working in project engineering for the Northern Ordnance Division of FMC. **Henry Rouse** is finishing his final year of law school.

**Mark Finley** sent a picture from a get-together last Spring at his house in Orlando, Florida. Top row, l. to r. Mark Finley, Sam Locklear, and Jeff



Top: Mark Finley, Sam Locklear, Jeff Reinhart; below: Owen Thorpe, Dave Schubert, Eric Johnson

**Reinhart**; bottom, Owen Thorpe, Dave Schubert and Eric Johnson. Mark has taken a job with Baltimore Gas and Electric at Calvert Cliffs. **Sam Locklear** is at prototype school in New York. Jeff Reinhart is teaching at Nuclear Power School in Orlando and **Owen Thorpe** has taken a job with Westinghouse. **Dave Schubert** is working on a submarine in the shipyards in Virginia and **Eric Johnson** is at prototype school in Orlando.

Hope you all have a Merry Christmas and please drop me a picture and a Christmas card when you read this column.

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Merry Christmas or Happy Hanukkah, (you know who you are) —

OK OK, there were some problems with the postal service. I am sorry, but it seems that the original address that was assigned to this complex was changed. You see, being the definitive young executive of the '80s means buying a trendy townhouse in a new development within a short drive to the heart of Kansas City. I really ought to go into real estate. Well first we got this really chic address, "Summit Court"; unfortunately the developer forgot to coordinate it with the Postmaster, so we were not on the grid system they use here. As a result, for about a month the mail around here was not delivered, even after we complained it was only sporadic at best. That finally resulted in giving us a new address on their system so we are finally getting all our mail. So, Po, you can start sending those blackmail checks again.

I did get a letter from the editor of *Shipmate*, Wes Hammond, that was only two months late getting here: it talked about people that were missing. These are people that need to update their address with *Shipmate* so they can receive their monthly issue. This column will not be too long on my side, but next month I can promise a long one due to the return to Annapolis for Homecoming.

The other day I received a surprise on my answering machine. **Sam Willet** has also settled

down in KC and is also now a Hallmark employee. '79 will be running the card industry in no time. We got together for an evening of brews. I think Sam was pretty entertained by my friends. You too can visit Peyton Place; just give me a week's notice.

In another small world encounter, **Kevin O'Sullivan**, formerly of 10th company, is living in Tulsa time as a petroleum engineer. We now know who to blame for high gas prices! He updated me on his life since Navy. He graduated in '79 from the U. of Missouri. He worked for Phillips Petro until '81 and then went independent for a year. He has been with the Oklahoma Petroleum Consultants since. His wife is an RN working the OR with an open heart surgery team and her name is Karen. Kevin had a serious brush with mortality in a car accident in '82, but is now doing well. Kevin is staying in touch with quite a few people and extends his welcome to any visitors to the greater Tulsa metropolitan area.

**Glynn Firmin** wrote from San Antonio and would like to hear from **Greg Darroca**. He also recently saw **Eric 'Scooter' Berry** in Germany. Scooter is flying F-4s. Glynn did not mention what he was doing. I also heard from Suzanne Meader.



Survival Training for Tom Wittenschlaeger and Bill Meader

She enclosed the picture of **Tom Wittenschlaeger** and **Bill** cooling out in their pool. Bill and Suzanne are living in the most beautiful city in the world, San Diego. Tom works in Tinseltowne for Hughes. He and Sue have a son, Tommy. Suzanne did not say whether she and Bill had any little ones. Bill is an instructor at San Diego State University for the serious party. Sounds like fun to me and the picture definitely makes one year for warmer climes. This is a great winter scene don't you think? Because of the delay in publishing, I can honestly say that tomorrow was wonderful and so will/was/is Homecoming. Karen and I send our best to all of you for a safe and happy holiday! Larry K.

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Hello '80!

Well, it's been a long time. I guess everyone thought Woody was writing the column again. I'll try and do better — on to the news. **Monte Burke** called — he presently is dating **Curly Culp's** sister. **Denny (D-Street)** is actually getting married! Monte says she's from '82 but no official photos yet. (And Huck said it would never happen.) Also making the news is **Roy Bott**. Roy has a new duty