



*Mrs John H Jones Jr*

I am proud to make this contribution to the:

"Never Forgotten Honor Flight" in Memory of John H. Jones, Jr.

John was never able to participate in the Honor Flight - he passed away on July 2, 2020 from complications related to Alzheimer's disease.

John enlisted in the army post college graduation. He was given the rank of Captain as a JAG officer. He was on duty in Ft. Riley, Kansas when the Dodge County Draft



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Board Rep knocked on his Mom's door and demanded to see John. That was a bit of a shock to John's Mom and even bigger shock to the fellow from the Draft Board to learn John was already in uniform and working!

Early in 1970 John volunteered to go to Vietnam. He was stationed @ Long Binh and had a 500 mile jurisdiction from Cam Ranh Bay to Can Tho Binh Thuy. He spent a lot of time in choppers and on some of the smaller five bases. He was in country for a year and a day. He returned to the States and was assigned to Ft. Belvoir in Virginia as a Master Instructor Military Law & Ethics.



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He enjoyed his time at Fort Belvoir and had plenty of stories to share about his "students". He described them as the real heart and soul of the Army.

He was released from Active Duty and returned to Wisconsin in 1974, where he resumed his job as a trial attorney at Wausau Ins.

He contacted the local Army Reserve's and continued with them until March 1984, when he was Honorably Discharged with the rank of Major.

John was very proud of his time in the military - called it his "grow-up" time. He would be pleased to



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Know that his family is honoring his memory by sponsoring fellow veterans for the Never Forgotten Honor Flight.

It is truly a wonderful program and we've heard so many great stories from very grateful Vets -

Thank you -

Cheryl Jones

