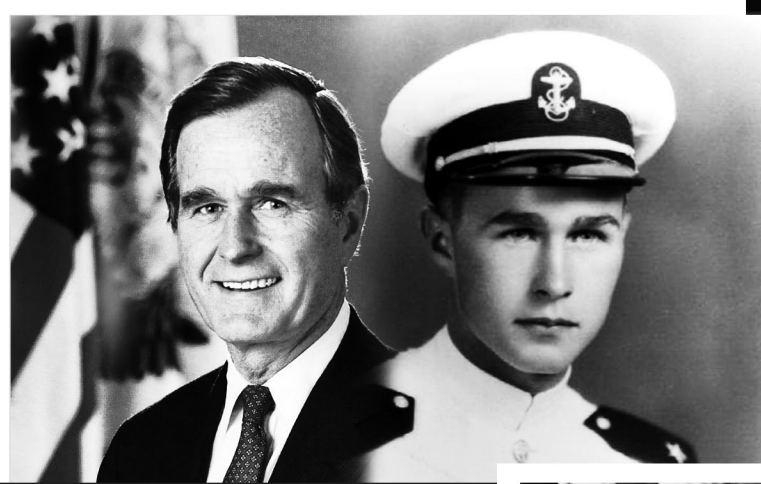


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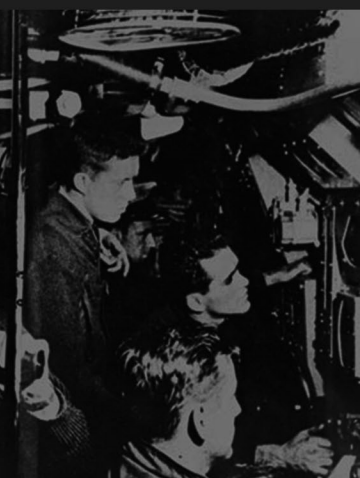


GEORGE H.W. BUSH

FLEW TORPEDO BOMBERS FROM THE DECK OF THE USS SAN JACINTO, EARNING A DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS AND NUMEROUS AIR MEDALS BEFORE BEING SHOT DOWN BY ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE DURING WWII.

JIMMY E. CARTER JR.

IS THE ONLY PRESIDENT TO GRADUATE FROM THE UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY. HE WENT ON TO BE SELECTED FOR SERVICE IN NUCLEAR SUBMARINES BY ADMIRAL HYMAN G. RICKOVER.



GERALD R. FORD

SERVED IN NINE COMBAT OPERATIONS. ACHIEVED THE RANK OF LIEUTENANT COMMANDER. NEXT-GENERATION CLASS OF AIRCRAFT CARRIERS IS NAMED IN HIS HONOR.

RICHARD M. NIXON

HEADED UP A SERIES OF NAVY CARGO HANDLING UNITS AROUND THE PACIFIC DURING WORLD WAR II, ACHIEVING THE RANK OF COMMANDER IN THE NAVAL RESERVE DURING WWII.



LYNDON B. JOHNSON

TOOK A LEAVE OF ABSENCE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO SERVE IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC, EARNING A SILVER STAR WHILE FLYING AS AN OBSERVER ON A B-26 BOMBING MISSION DURING WWII.

JOHN F. KENNEDY

EARNED THE NAVY AND MARINE CORPS MEDAL AFTER SAVING THE LIVES OF HIS CREW FOLLOWING THE SINKING OF THE PT-109 DURING WWII.

