



AFA/AEF Almanac

Compiled by Frances McKenney, Assistant Managing Editor

Chapters of the Year

YEAR	RECIPIENT(S)
1953	San Francisco Chapter
1954	Santa Monica (Calif.) Area Chapter
1955	San Fernando Valley (Calif.) Chapter
1956	Utah State AFA
1957	H.H. Arnold Chapter (N.Y.)
1958	San Diego Chapter
1959	Cleveland Chapter
1960	San Diego Chapter
1961	Chico (Calif.) Chapter
1962	Fort Worth (Tex.) Chapter
1963	Colin P. Kelly Chapter (N.Y.)
1964	Utah State AFA
1965	Idaho State AFA
1966	New York State AFA
1967	Utah State AFA
1968	Utah State AFA
1969	(no presentation)
1970	Georgia State AFA
1971	Middle Georgia Chapter
1972	Utah State AFA
1973	Langley (Va.) Chapter
1974	Texas State AFA
1975	Alamo Chapter (Tex.) and San Bernardino (Calif.) Area Chapter
1976	Scott Memorial Chapter (Ill.)
1977	Thomas B. McGuire Jr. Chapter (N.J.)
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1979	Brig. Gen. Robert F. Travis Chapter (Calif.)
1980	Central Oklahoma (Gerrity) Chapter
1981	Alamo Chapter (Tex.)
1982	Chicagoland-O'Hare Chapter (Ill.)
1983	Charles A. Lindbergh Chapter (Conn.)
1984	Scott Memorial Chapter (Ill.) and Colorado Springs/Lance Sijan Chapter (Colo.)
1985	Cape Canaveral Chapter (Fla.)
1986	Charles A. Lindbergh Chapter (Conn.)
1987	Carl Vinson Memorial Chapter (Ga.)
1988	Gen. David C. Jones Chapter (N.D.)
1989	Thomas B. McGuire Jr. Chapter (N.J.)
1990	Gen. E.W. Rawlings Chapter (Minn.)
1991	Paul Revere Chapter (Mass.)
1992	Central Florida Chapter and Langley (Va.) Chapter
1993	Green Valley Chapter (Ariz.)
1994	Langley (Va.) Chapter
1995	Baton Rouge (La.) Chapter
1996	Montgomery (Ala.) Chapter
1997	Central Florida Chapter
1998	Ark-La-Tex Chapter (La.)
1999	Hurlburt Chapter (Fla.)
2000	Wright Memorial Chapter (Ohio)
2001	Lance P. Sijan (Colo.)

Profiles of AFA Membership

As of June 2001 (Total 143,407)

59%	One-year members	
11%	Three-year members	Of AFA's service members (who account for about 10 percent of USAF total strength):
30%	Life Members	63% are officers
		37% are enlisted
20%	Active duty military	63% are officers
48%	Retired military	37% are enlisted
16%	Former service	Of AFA's retired military members:
6%	Guard and Reserve	73% are retired officers
6%	Patron	27% are retired enlisted
2%	Cadet	
2%	Spouse/widow(er)	

AFA "Member of the Year" Award Recipients

State names refer to winner's home state at the time of the award.

YEAR	RECIPIENT(S)	YEAR	RECIPIENT(S)
1953	Julian B. Rosenthal (N.Y.)	1977	Edward A. Stearn (Calif.)
1954	George A. Anderl (Ill.)	1978	William J. Demas (N.J.)
1955	Arthur C. Storz (Neb.)	1979	Alexander C. Field Jr. (Ill.)
1956	Thos. F. Stack (Calif.)	1980	David C. Noerr (Calif.)
1957	George D. Hardy (Md.)	1981	Daniel F. Callahan (Fla.)
1958	Jack B. Gross (Pa.)	1982	Thomas W. Anthony (Md.)
1959	Carl J. Long (Pa.)	1983	Richard H. Becker (Ill.)
1960	O. Donald Olson (Colo.)	1984	Earl D. Clark Jr. (Kan.)
1961	Robert P. Stewart (Utah)	1985	George H. Chabbott (Del.) and Hugh L. Enyart (Ill.)
1962	(no presentation)	1986	John P.E. Kruse (N.J.)
1963	N.W. DeBerardinis (La.) and Joe L. Shosid (Tex.)	1987	Jack K. Westbrook (Tenn.)
1964	Maxwell A. Kriendler (N.Y.)	1988	Charles G. Durazo (Va.)
1965	Milton Caniff (N.Y.)	1989	O.R. Crawford (Tex.)
1966	William W. Spruance (Del.)	1990	Cecil H. Hopper (Ohio)
1967	Sam E. Keith Jr. (Tex.)	1991	George M. Douglas (Colo.)
1968	Marjorie O. Hunt (Mich.)	1992	Jack C. Price (Utah)
1969	(no presentation)	1993	Lt. Col. James G. Clark (D.C.)
1970	Lester C. Curl (Fla.)	1994	William A. Lafferty (Ariz.)
1971	Paul W. Gaillard (Neb.)	1995	William N. Webb (Okla.)
1972	J. Raymond Bell (N.Y.) and Martin H. Harris (Fla.)	1996	Tommy G. Harrison (Fla.)
1973	Joe Higgins (Calif.)	1997	James M. McCoy (Neb.)
1974	Howard T. Markey (D.C.)	1998	Ivan L. McKinney (La.)
1975	Martin M. Ostrow (Calif.)	1999	Jack H. Steed (Ga.)
1976	Victor R. Kregel (Tex.)	2000	Mary Anne Thompson (Va.)
		2001	Charles H. Church Jr. (Kan.)

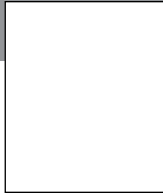
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Edward P. Curtis
1946-47



Jimmy Doolittle
1947-49



C.R. Smith
1949-50



Carl A. Spaatz
1950-51



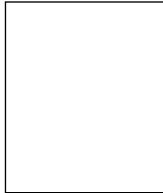
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1951-52



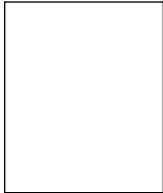
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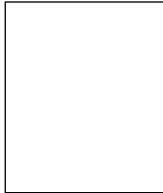
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1953-54



George C. Kenney
1954-55



John R. Alison
1955-56



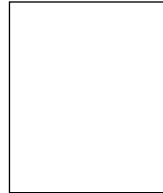
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1956-57



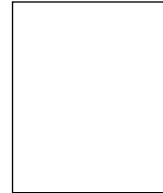
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1957-58



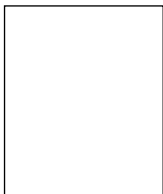
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1958-59



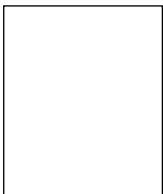
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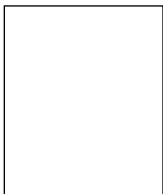
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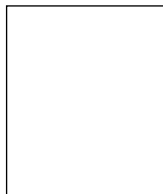
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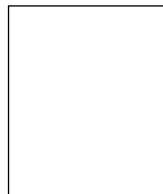
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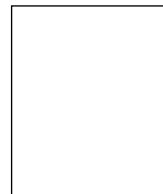
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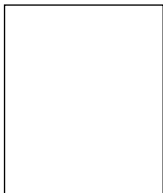
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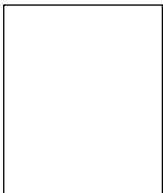
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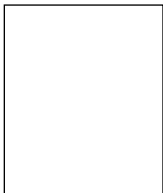
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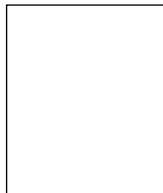
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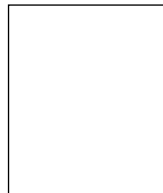
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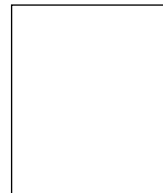
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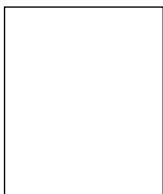
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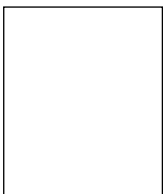
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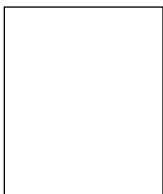
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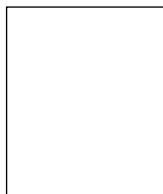
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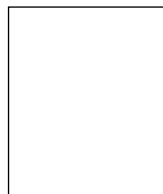
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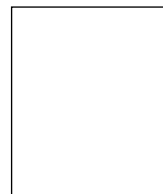
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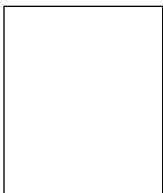
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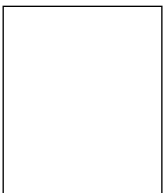
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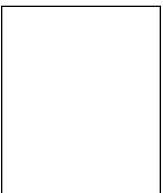
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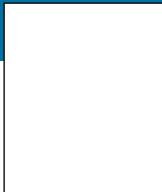
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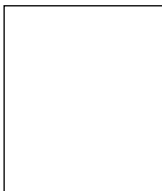
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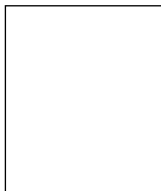
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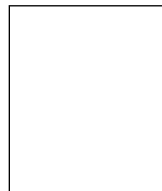
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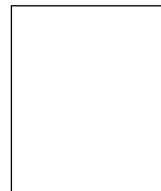
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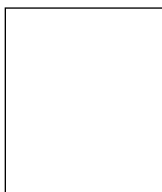
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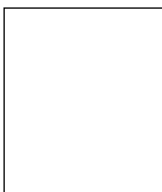
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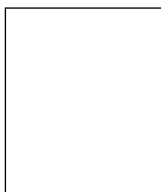
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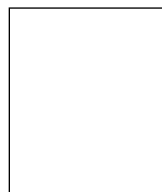
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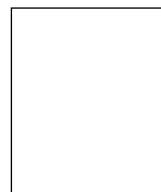
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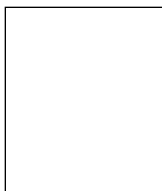
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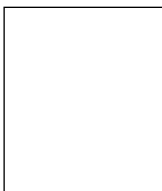
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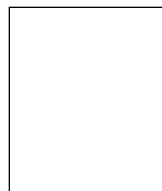
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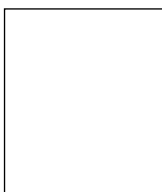
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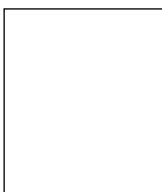
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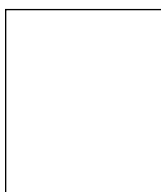
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AFA's Regions, States, and Chapters

These figures indicate the number of affiliated members as of June 30, 2001. Listed below the name of each region is the region president.

<p>CENTRAL EAST REGION 13,252 Thomas G. Shepherd</p> <p>Delaware..... 768 Delaware Galaxy 570 Diamond State..... 198</p> <p>District of Columbia..... 811 Nation's Capital..... 811</p> <p>Maryland..... 2,844 Baltimore* 833 Central Maryland 413 College Park Airport..... 147 Thomas W. Anthony..... 1,451</p> <p>Virginia 8,459 Danville 59 Donald W. Steele Sr. Memorial 3,539 Gen. Charles A. Gabriel 1,238 Langley..... 1,777 Leigh Wade..... 153 Northern Shenandoah Valley..... 213 Richmond..... 547 Roanoke 319 Tidewater..... 383 William A. Jones III..... 231</p> <p>West Virginia 370 Brig. Gen. Pete Everest 88 Chuck Yeager..... 282</p> <p>FAR WEST REGION 15,707 Rich Taubinger</p> <p>California..... 14,666 Antelope Valley 523 Bakersfield..... 110 Bob Hope..... 1,124 Brig. Gen. Robert F. Travis..... 1,180 C. Farinha Gold Rush 1,825 David J. Price/Beale 592 Fresno* 388 Gen. B.A. Schriever Los Angeles 754 General Doolittle Los Angeles Area* 1,689 Golden Gate* 836 High Desert 270 Maj. Gen. Charles I. Bennett Jr. 354 Monterey Bay Area..... 293 Orange County/Gen. Curtis E. LeMay..... 983 Palm Springs..... 521 Pasadena Area 400 Robert H. Goddard..... 933 San Diego..... 1,085 Tennessee Ernie Ford 806</p> <p>Hawaii 1,041 Hawaii* 1,001 Maui..... 40</p>	<p>FLORIDA REGION 11,908 David R. Cummock</p> <p>Florida..... 11,908 Brig. Gen. James R. McCarthy 421 Cape Canaveral 1,323 Central Florida 1,599 Col. H.M. "Bud" West..... 286 Col. Loren D. Evenson 657 Eglin..... 1,770 Falcon..... 452 Florida Highlands..... 362 Gainesville 316 Gen. Nathan F. Twining..... 527 Gold Coast..... 472 Hurlburt..... 588 Jerry Waterman 1,345 John C. Meyer 338 John W. DeMilly Jr. 359 Miami 387 Pensacola 151 Treasure Coast..... 173 West Palm Beach..... 382</p> <p>GREAT LAKES REGION 9,716 W. Ron Goerges</p> <p>Indiana..... 1,736 Central Indiana 456 Columbus-Bakalar 104 Fort Wayne 264 Grissom Memorial 169 Gus Grissom..... 145 Lawrence D. Bell Museum..... 285 Lester W. Johnston..... 41 Southern Indiana 181 Terre Haute-Wabash Valley 91</p> <p>Kentucky 793 Gen. Russell E. Dougherty 512 Lexington 281</p> <p>Michigan..... 2,284 Battle Creek 214 Huron 103 James H. Straubel..... 858 Kalamazoo 304 Lake Superior Northland 170 Lloyd R. Leavitt Jr. 138 Mid-Michigan 87 Mount Clemens..... 312 PE-TO-SE-GA..... 98</p> <p>Ohio..... 4,903 Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker Memorial* 763 Frank P. Lahm 561 Greater Cincinnati 237 North Coast* 389 Steel Valley 249 Wright Memorial* 2,704</p> <p>MIDWEST REGION 9,470 W. Graham Burnley</p> <p>Illinois 3,529 Chicagoland-O'Hare 1,382 Heart of Illinois 40 Land of Lincoln..... 382</p>	<p>Richard W. Asbury..... 238 Scott Memorial 1,487</p> <p>Iowa 681 Gen. Charles A. Horner 250 Lancer 158 Northeast Iowa 100 Richard D. Kisling..... 173</p> <p>Kansas 990 Contrails..... 72 Lt. Erwin R. Bleckley 647 Maj. Gen. Edward R. Fry 271</p> <p>Missouri..... 2,198 Earl D. Clark Jr. 425 Harry S. Truman 626 Ozark 258 Spirit of St. Louis..... 889</p> <p>Nebraska 2,072 Ak-Sar-Ben 1,767 Lincoln 305</p> <p>NEW ENGLAND REGION 4,796 Eugene M. D'Andrea</p> <p>Connecticut 915 Flying Yankees 145 Gen. Bennie L. Davis 190 Gen. George C. Kenney 72 Lindbergh/Sikorsky..... 204 Northern Connecticut..... 132 Sgt. Charlton Heston 172</p> <p>Maine..... 346 Eastern Maine 212 Maj. Charles J. Loring Jr. 78 Southern Maine 56</p> <p>Massachusetts..... 2,221 Boston 143 Laurence G. Hanscom 144 Maj. John S. Southrey* 187 Minuteman 311 Otis 181 Paul Revere 719 Pioneer Valley..... 175 Taunton 170 Worcester* 191</p> <p>New Hampshire..... 834 Brig. Gen. Harrison R. Thyng 412 Pease..... 422</p> <p>Rhode Island 252 Metro Rhode Island 216 Newport Blue & Gold 36</p> <p>Vermont..... 228 Burlington..... 228</p> <p>NORTH CENTRAL REGION 4,420 Gary H. Olson</p> <p>Minnesota 1,306 Gen. E.W. Rawlings..... 1,049 Richard I. Bong..... 257</p> <p>Montana..... 498</p>	<p>Big Sky 382 Treasure State..... 116</p> <p>North Dakota 653 Gen. David C. Jones..... 298 Happy Hooligan 141 Red River Valley 214</p> <p>South Dakota..... 583 Dacotah 250 Rushmore..... 333</p> <p>Wisconsin 1,380 Billy Mitchell..... 580 Capt. William J. Henderson 470 Madison 330</p> <p>NORTHEAST REGION 9,146 Raymond "Bud" Hamman</p> <p>New Jersey 2,562 Adm. Charles E. Rosendahl 129 Aerospace Founders 63 Brig. Gen. E. Wade Hampton 182 Brig. Gen. Frederick W. Castle 172 Hangar One..... 130 Highpoint 91 Hudson* 71 John Currie Memorial 28 Mercer County 229 Passaic-Bergen* 198 Sal Capriglione 90 Teterboro-Bendix..... 26 Thomas B. McGuire Jr. 843 Tri-County..... 51 Union Morris 259</p> <p>New York..... 3,538 Albany-Hudson Valley* 426 Chautauqua 71 Colin P. Kelly..... 250 Forrest L. Vosler 239 Francis S. Gabreski 314 Gen. Carl A. "Tooe" Spaatz 246 Gen. Daniel "Chappie" James Jr. Memorial 135 Genesee Valley..... 251 Iron Gate 198 L.D. Bell-Niagara Frontier 425 Lloyd Schloen-Empire 160 Nassau Mitchel 380 Queens 247 Thomas Watson Sr. Memorial 196</p> <p>Pennsylvania 3,046 Altoona 64 Brandywine..... 173 Eagle 62 Greater Pittsburgh* 436 Joe Walker-Mon Valley..... 129 Lehigh Valley 253 Liberty Bell 660 Lt. Col. B.D. "Buzz" Wagner 127 Mifflin County* 113 Olmsted..... 368 Pocono Northeast..... 215 Total Force..... 170 York-Lancaster 276</p>
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*These chapters were chartered prior to Dec. 31, 1948, and are considered original charter chapters; the Maj. John S. Southrey Chapter of Massachusetts was formerly the Chicopee Chapter; the North Coast Chapter of Ohio was formerly the Cleveland Chapter.

NORTHWEST REGION 5,996	SOUTHEAST REGION 9,634
Steven R. Lundgren	Zack E. Osborne
Alaska 1,026	Georgia 4,265
Anchorage 763	Carl Vinson Memorial 1,862
Fairbanks Midnight Sun 263	Dobbins 1,731
Idaho 359	Lt. Col. Philip Colman 52
Magic Valley 107	Savannah 316
Snake River Valley 252	South Georgia 304
Oregon 1,203	North Carolina 3,028
Bill Harris 149	Blue Ridge 382
Portland* 758	Cape Fear 221
Willamette Valley 296	Kitty Hawk 77
Washington 3,408	Piedmont 493
Greater Seattle 1,183	Pope 658
Inland Empire 791	Scott Berkeley 582
McChord 1,434	Tarheel 615
ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGION	South Carolina 2,341
7,284	Charleston 678
Boyd Anderson	Columbia Palmetto 432
Colorado 5,235	Ladewig-Shine Memorial 222
Gen. Robert E. Huyser 153	Strom Thurmond 398
Lance P. Sijan 2,953	Swamp Fox 611
Long's Peak 280	SOUTHWEST REGION 8,598
Mel Harmon 176	Scotty Wetzel
Mile High 1,673	Arizona 4,530
Utah 1,594	Barry Goldwater 190
Northern Utah 659	Cochise 109
Salt Lake 443	Frank Luke 1,139
Ute-Rocky Mountain 492	Phoenix Sky Harbor 1,232
Wyoming 455	Prescott 177
Cheyenne Cowboy 455	Richard S. Reid 157
SOUTH CENTRAL REGION 8,417	Tucson 1,526
Billy M. Boyd	Nevada 2,044
Alabama 2,478	Dale O. Smith 456
Birmingham 423	Thunderbird 1,588
Mobile 272	New Mexico 2,024
Montgomery 1,407	Albuquerque 1,323
Tennessee Valley 376	Fran Parker 432
Arkansas 1,299	Llano Estacado 269
David D. Terry Jr. 913	TEXOMA REGION 16,537
Ouachita 133	M.N. "Dan" Heth
Razorback 253	Oklahoma 3,096
Louisiana 1,463	Altus 452
Ark-La-Tex 1,006	Central Oklahoma (Gerrity) 1,581
Maj. Gen. Oris B. Johnson 457	Enid 571
Mississippi 1,206	Tulsa 492
Golden Triangle 351	Texas 13,441
Jackson 199	Abilene 498
John C. Stennis 656	Aggieland 216
Tennessee 1,971	Alamo 4,406
Chattanooga 145	Austin 1,297
Everett R. Cook 468	Concho 362
Gen. Bruce K. Holloway 632	Dallas 1,050
H.H. Arnold Memorial 193	Del Rio 171
Maj. Gen. Dan F. Callahan 533	Denton 385
	Fort Worth 2,102
	Gen. Charles L. Donnelly Jr. 496
	Ghost Squadron 144
	Heart of the Hills 173
	Northeast Texas 462
	Panhandle AFA 315
	Permian Basin 115
	San Jacinto 1,249

AFA's Overseas Chapters

CHAPTER	LOCATION
	United States Air Forces in Europe (USAFE)
Charlemagne	Geilenkirchen, Germany
Dolomiti	Aviano AB, Italy
Lufbery-Campbell	Ramstein AB, Germany
Spangdahlem	Spangdahlem AB, Germany
United Kingdom	Lakenheath, UK
	Pacific Air Forces (PACAF)
Keystone	Kadena AB, Japan
Miss Veedol	Misawa AB, Japan
Tokyo	Tokyo, Japan
	Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe (SHAPE)
Gen. Lauris G.	Mons, Belgium
Norstad	

AFA's First National Officers and Board of Directors

This panel of officers and directors acted temporarily until a representative group was democratically elected by membership at the first National Convention, in September 1947.

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H.H. Arnold Award Recipients

Until 1986, AFA's highest Aerospace Award was the H.H. Arnold Award. Named for the World War II leader of the Army Air Forces, it was presented annually in recognition of the most outstanding contributions in the field of aerospace activity. In 1986, the Arnold Award was redesignated AFA's highest honor to a member of the armed forces in the field of National Security. It continues to be presented annually.

YEAR	RECIPIENT(S)
1948	W. Stuart Symington, Secretary of the Air Force
1949	Maj. Gen. William H. Tunner and the men of the Berlin Airlift
1950	Airmen of the United Nations in the Far East
1951	Gen. Curtis E. LeMay and the personnel of Strategic Air Command
1952	Sens. Lyndon B. Johnson and Joseph C. O'Mahoney
1953	Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg, former Chief of Staff, USAF
1954	John Foster Dulles, secretary of state
1955	Gen. Nathan F. Twining, Chief of Staff, USAF
1956	Sen. W. Stuart Symington
1957	Edward P. Curtis, special assistant to the President
1958	Maj. Gen. Bernard A. Schriever, commander, Ballistic Missile Division, ARDC
1959	Gen. Thomas S. Power, commander in chief, Strategic Air Command
1960	Gen. Thomas D. White, Chief of Staff, USAF
1961	Lyle S. Garlock, assistant secretary of the Air Force
1962	A.C. Dickieson and John R. Pierce, Bell Telephone Laboratories
1963	The 363rd Tactical Reconnaissance Wing, TAC, and the 4080th Strategic Wing, SAC
1964	Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, Chief of Staff, USAF
1965	The 2nd Air Division, PACAF
1966	The 8th, 12th, 355th, 366th, and 388th Tactical Fighter Wings and the 432nd and 460th Tactical Reconnaissance Wings
1967	Gen. William W. Momyer, commander, 7th Air Force, PACAF
1968	Col. Frank Borman, USAF; Capt. James Lovell, USN; and Lt. Col. William Anders, USAF, Apollo 8 crew (No presentation)
1970	Apollo 11 team (J.L. Atwood; Lt. Gen. Samuel C. Phillips, USAF; and astronauts Neil Armstrong, Col. Edwin E. Aldrin Jr., USAF, and Col. Michael Collins, USAF)
1971	John S. Foster Jr., director of defense research and engineering
1972	Air units of the Allied Forces in Southeast Asia (Air Force, Navy, Army, Marine Corps, and the Vietnamese Air Force)
1973	Gen. John D. Ryan, USAF (Ret.), former Chief of Staff, USAF
1974	Gen. George S. Brown, USAF, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff
1975	James R. Schlesinger, Secretary of Defense
1976	Sen. Barry M. Goldwater
1977	Sen. Howard W. Cannon
1978	Gen. Alexander M. Haig Jr., USA, Supreme Allied Commander, Europe
1979	Sen. John C. Stennis
1980	Gen. Richard H. Ellis, USAF, commander in chief, Strategic Air Command
1981	Gen. David C. Jones, USAF, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff
1982	Gen. Lew Allen Jr., USAF (Ret.), former Chief of Staff, USAF
1983	Ronald W. Reagan, President of the United States
1984	The President's Commission on Strategic Forces (the Scowcroft Commission)
1985	Gen. Bernard W. Rogers, USA, Supreme Allied Commander, Europe
1986	Gen. Charles A. Gabriel, USAF (Ret.), former Chief of Staff, USAF
1987	Adm. William J. Crowe Jr., USN, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff
1988	Men and women of the Ground-Launched Cruise Missile team
1989	Gen. Larry D. Welch, Chief of Staff, USAF
1990	Gen. John T. Chain, commander in chief, Strategic Air Command
1991	Lt. Gen. Charles A. Horner, commander, US Central Command Air Forces and 9th Air Force
1992	Gen. Colin L. Powell, USA, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff
1993	Gen. Merrill A. McPeak, Chief of Staff, USAF
1994	Gen. John Michael Loh, commander, Air Combat Command
1995	World War II Army Air Forces veterans
1996	Gen. Ronald R. Fogleman, Chief of Staff, USAF
1997	Men and women of the United States Air Force
1998	Gen. Richard E. Hawley, commander, Air Combat Command
1999	Lt. Gen. Michael C. Short, commander, Allied Air Forces Southern Europe
2000	Gen. Michael E. Ryan, Chief of Staff, USAF
2001	Gen. Joseph W. Ralston, commander in chief, US European Command

John R. Alison Award Recipients

Established in 1992, the John R. Alison Award is AFA's highest honor for industrial leadership.

1992	Norman R. Augustine, chairman, Martin Marietta Corp.
1993	Daniel M. Tellep, chairman and chief executive officer, Lockheed Corp.
1994	Kent Kresa, chief executive officer, Northrop Grumman Corp.
1995	C. Michael Armstrong, chairman and chief executive officer, Hughes Aircraft
1996	Harry Stonecipher, president and chief executive officer, McDonnell Douglas Corp.
1997	Dennis J. Picard, chairman and chief executive officer, Raytheon Co.
1998	Philip M. Condit, chairman and chief executive officer, Boeing Co.
1999	Sam B. Williams, chairman and chief executive officer, Williams International Co., LLC
2000	Simon Ramo and Dean E. Wooldridge, missile pioneers
2001	George David, chairman and chief executive officer, United Technologies Corp.

W. Stuart Symington Award Recipients

Since 1986, AFA's highest honor to a civilian in the field of National Security has been the W. Stuart Symington Award. The award, presented annually, is named for the first Secretary of the Air Force.

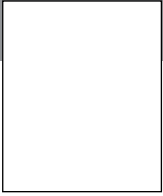
YEAR	RECIPIENT
1986	Caspar W. Weinberger, Secretary of Defense
1987	Edward C. Aldridge Jr., Secretary of the Air Force
1988	George P. Schultz, secretary of state
1989	Ronald W. Reagan, former President of the United States
1990	John J. Welch, assistant secretary of the Air Force (acquisition)
1991	George Bush, President of the United States
1992	Donald B. Rice, Secretary of the Air Force
1993	Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.)
1994	Rep. Ike Skelton (D-Mo.)
1995	Sheila E. Widnall, Secretary of the Air Force
1996	Sen. Ted Stevens (R-Alaska)
1997	William Perry, former Secretary of Defense
1998	Rep. Saxby Chambliss (R-Ga.) and Rep. Norman D. Dicks (D-Wash.)
1999	F. Whitten Peters, Secretary of the Air Force
2000	Rep. Floyd Spence (R-S.C.)
2001	Sen. Michael Enzi (R-Wyo.) and Rep. Cliff Stearns (R-Fla.)

Gold Life Member Card Recipients

Awarded to members whose AFA record, production, and accomplishment on a national level have been outstanding over a period of years.

Name	Year	Card No.
Gill Robb Wilson	1957	1
Jimmy Doolittle	1959	2
Arthur C. Storz Sr.	1961	3
Julian B. Rosenthal	1962	4
Jack B. Gross	1964	5
George D. Hardy	1965	6
Jess Larson	1967	7
Robert W. Smart	1968	8
Martin M. Ostrow	1973	9
James H. Straubel	1980	10
Martin H. Harris	1988	11
Sam E. Keith Jr.	1990	12
Edward A. Stearn	1992	13
Dorothy L. Flanagan	1994	14
John O. Gray	1996	15
Jack C. Price	1997	16

Aerospace Education Foundation Chairmen of the Board



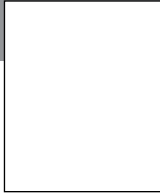
**W. Randolph
Lovelace II**
1963-64



Laurence S. Kuter
1964-66



Walter J. Hesse
1966-69



J. Gilbert Nettleton Jr.
1969-73



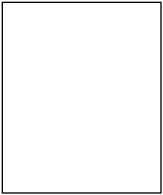
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1973-75



Barry M. Goldwater
1975-86



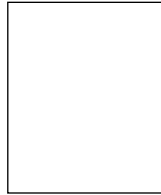
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1986-89



James M. Keck
1989-94



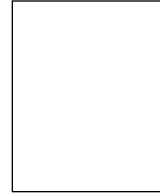
Walter E. Scott
1994-97



Thomas J. McKee
1997-98



Michael J. Dugan
1998-2000



Jack C. Price
2000-

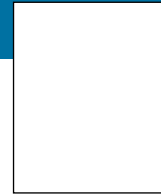
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John B. Montgomery
1963-64



Lindley J. Stiles
1964-66



B. Frank Brown
1966-67



Leon M. Lessinger
1967-68



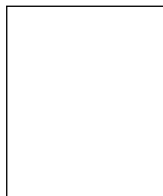
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1968-71



Leon M. Lessinger
1971-73



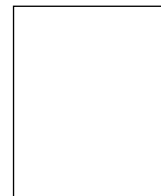
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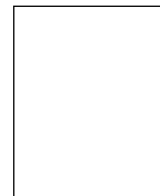
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Don C. Garrison
1981-84



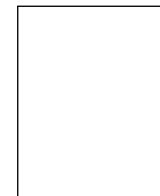
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1984-86



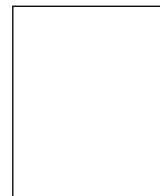
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1986-87



James M. Keck
1988-89



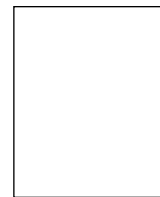
Gerald V. Hasler
1989-94



Thomas J. McKee
1994-97



Walter E. Scott
1997-98



Jack C. Price
1998-2000



Richard B. Goetze Jr.
2000-

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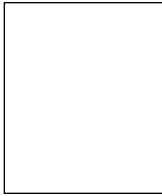
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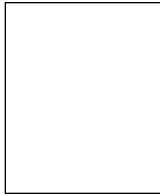
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1948-80



Russell E. Dougherty
1980-86



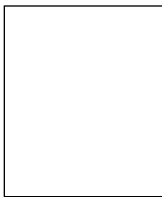
David L. Gray
1986-87



John O. Gray
1987-88



Charles L. Donnelly Jr.
1988-89



John O. Gray
1989-90



Monroe W. Hatch Jr.
1990-95



John A. Shaud
1995-

AFA National Secretaries

Sol A. Rosenblatt	1946-47
Julian B. Rosenthal	1947-59
George D. Hardy	1959-66
Joseph L. Hodges	1966-68
Glenn D. Mishler	1968-70
Nathan H. Mazer	1970-72
Martin H. Harris	1972-76
Jack C. Price	1976-79
Earl D. Clark Jr.	1979-82
Sherman W. Wilkins	1982-85
A.A. "Bud" West	1985-87
Thomas J. McKee	1987-90
Thomas W. Henderson	1990-91
Mary Ann Seibel	1991-94
Mary Anne Thompson	1994-97
William D. Croom Jr.	1997-2000
Daniel C. Hendrickson	2000-

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W. Deering Howe	1946-47
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Benjamin Brinton	1949-52
George H. Haddock	1952-53
Samuel M. Hecht	1953-57
Jack B. Gross	1957-62
Paul S. Zuckerman	1962-66
Jack B. Gross	1966-81
George H. Chabbott	1981-87
William N. Webb	1987-95
Charles H. Church Jr.	1995-2000
Charles A. Nelson	2000-

Year	Total	Life Members	Year	Total	Life Members
1946	51,243	32	1974	128,995	837
1947	104,750	55	1975	139,168	898
1948	56,464	68	1976	148,202	975
1949	43,801	70	1977	155,850	1,218
1950	38,948	79	1978	148,711	1,541
1951	34,393	81	1979	147,136	1,869
1952	30,716	356	1980	156,394	2,477
1953	30,392	431	1981	170,240	3,515
1954	34,486	435	1982	179,149	7,381
1955	40,812	442	1983	198,563	13,763
1956	46,250	446	1984	218,512	18,012
1957	51,328	453	1985	228,621	23,234
1958	48,026	456	1986	232,722	27,985
1959	50,538	458	1987	237,279	30,099
1960	54,923	464	1988	219,195	32,234
1961	60,506	466	1989	204,309	34,182
1962	64,336	485	1990	199,851	35,952
1963	78,034	488	1991	194,312	37,561
1964	80,295	504	1992	191,588	37,869
1965	82,464	514	1993	181,624	38,604
1966	85,013	523	1994	175,122	39,593
1967	88,995	548	1995	170,881	39,286
1968	97,959	583	1996	161,384	39,896
1969	104,886	604	1997	157,862	41,179
1970	104,878	636	1998	152,330	41,673
1971	97,639	674	1999	148,534	42,237
1972	109,776	765	2000	147,336	42,434
1973	114,894	804	2001	143,407	42,865