



AFA/AEF Almanac

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 Chapter (Colo.)
2002	Eglin Chapter (Fla.)

Profiles of AFA Membership

As of June 2002 (Total 141,117)

58%	One-year members	
11%	Three-year members	Of AFA's service members (who account for about seven percent of USAF total strength):
31%	Life Members	65% are officers 35% are enlisted
18%	Active duty military	
48%	Retired military	
16%	Former service	Of AFA's retired military members:
6%	Guard and Reserve	74% are retired officers 26% are retired enlisted
7%	Patron	
3%	Cadet	
2%	Spouse/widow(er)	

AFA "Member of the Year" Award Recipients

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

YEAR	RECIPIENT(S)	YEAR	RECIPIENT(S)
1953	Julian B. Rosenthal (N.Y.)	1978	William J. Demas (N.J.)
1954	George A. Anderl (Ill.)	1979	Alexander C. Field Jr. (Ill.)
1955	Arthur C. Storz (Neb.)	1980	David C. Noerr (Calif.)
1956	Thos. F. Stack (Calif.)	1981	Daniel F. Callahan (Fla.)
1957	George D. Hardy (Md.)	1982	Thomas W. Anthony (Md.)
1958	Jack B. Gross (Pa.)	1983	Richard H. Becker (Ill.)
1959	Carl J. Long (Pa.)	1984	Earl D. Clark Jr. (Kan.)
1960	O. Donald Olson (Colo.)	1985	George H. Chabbott (Del.) and Hugh L. Enyart (Ill.)
1961	Robert P. Stewart (Utah)	1986	John P.E. Kruse (N.J.)
1962	(no presentation)	1987	Jack K. Westbrook (Tenn.)
1963	N.W. DeBerardinis (La.) and Joe L. Shosid (Tex.)	1988	Charles G. Durazo (Va.)
1964	Maxwell A. Kriendler (N.Y.)	1989	O.R. Crawford (Tex.)
1965	Milton Caniiff (N.Y.)	1990	Cecil H. Hopper (Ohio)
1966	William W. Spruance (Del.)	1991	George M. Douglas (Colo.)
1967	Sam E. Keith Jr. (Tex.)	1992	Jack C. Price (Utah)
1968	Marjorie O. Hunt (Mich.)	1993	Lt. Col. James G. Clark (D.C.)
1969	(no presentation)	1994	William A. Lafferty (Ariz.)
1970	Lester C. Curl (Fla.)	1995	William N. Webb (Okla.)
1971	Paul W. Gaillard (Neb.)	1996	Tommy G. Harrison (Fla.)
1972	J. Raymond Bell (N.Y.) and Martin H. Harris (Fla.)	1997	James M. McCoy (Neb.)
1973	Joe Higgins (Calif.)	1998	Ivan L. McKinney (La.)
1974	Howard T. Markey (D.C.)	1999	Jack H. Steed (Ga.)
1975	Martin M. Ostrow (Calif.)	2000	Mary Anne Thompson (Va.)
1976	Victor R. Kregel (Tex.)	2001	Charles H. Church Jr. (Kan.)
1977	Edward A. Stearn (Calif.)	2002	Thomas J. Kemp (Tex.)

Air Force Association National Chairmen of the Board



Edward P. Curtis
1946-47



Jimmy Doolittle
1947-49



C.R. Smith
1949-50



Carl A. Spaatz
1950-51



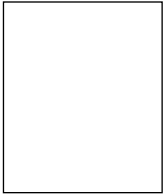
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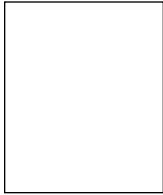
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1952-53



Arthur F. Kelly
1953-54



George C. Kenney
1954-55



John R. Alison
1955-56



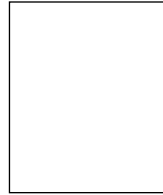
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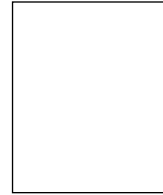
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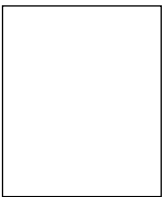
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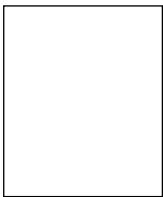
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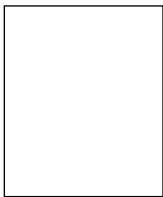
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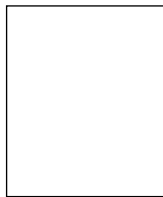
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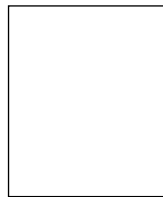
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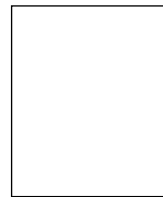
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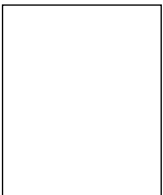
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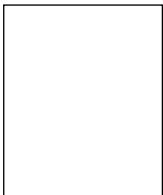
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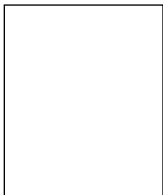
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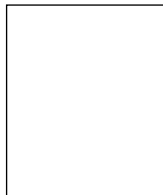
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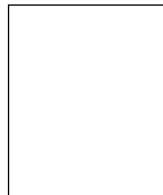
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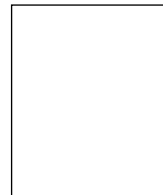
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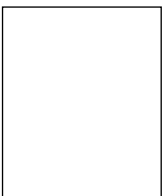
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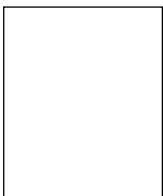
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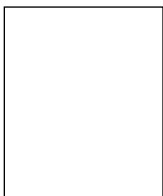
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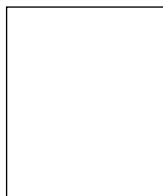
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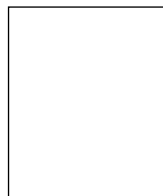
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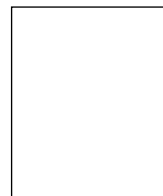
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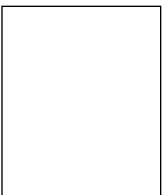
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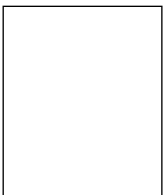
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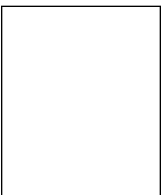
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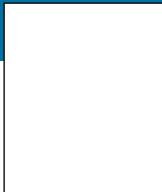
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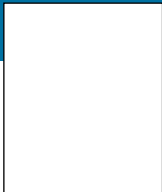
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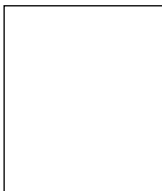
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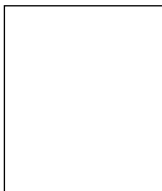
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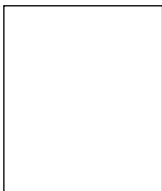
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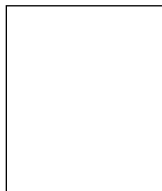
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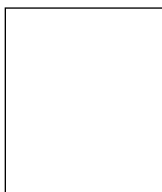
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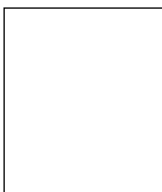
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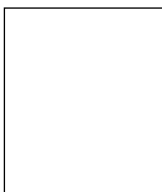
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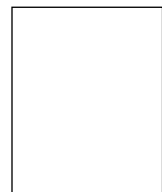
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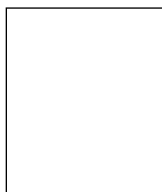
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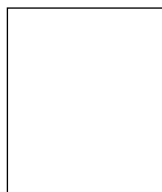
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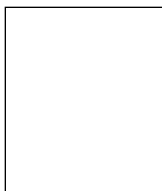
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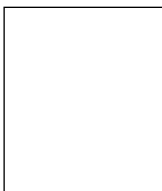
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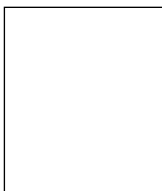
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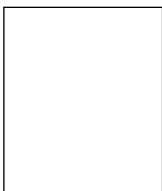
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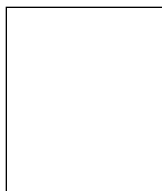
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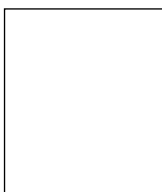
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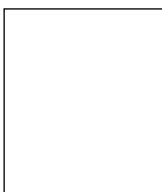
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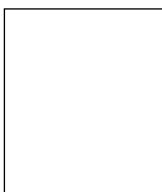
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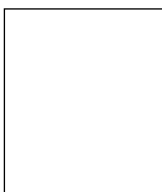
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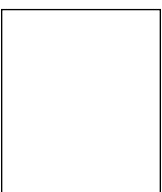
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2000-02

AFA's Regions, States, and Chapters

These figures indicate the number of affiliated members as of June 30, 2002. Listed below the name of each region is the region president.

<p>CENTRAL EAST REGION 13,189 Thomas G. Shepherd</p> <p>Delaware 712 Delaware Galaxy 534 Diamond State 178</p> <p>District of Columbia 729 Nation's Capital 729</p> <p>Maryland 2,851 Baltimore* 862 Central Maryland 428 College Park Airport 136 Thomas W. Anthony 1,425</p> <p>Virginia 8,519 Danville 62 Donald W. Steele Sr. Memorial 3,537 Gen. Charles A. Gabriel 1,258 Langley 1,754 Leigh Wade 159 Northern Shenandoah Valley 225 Richmond 589 Roanoke 307 Tidewater 399 William A. Jones III 229</p> <p>West Virginia 378 Brig. Gen. Pete Everest 86 Chuck Yeager 292</p> <p>FAR WEST REGION 15,082 Michael J. Peters</p> <p>California 14,053 Antelope Valley 529 Bob Hope 1,066 Brig. Gen. Robert F. Travis 1,126 C. Farinha Gold Rush 1,655 Charles Hudson 118 David J. Price/Beale 569 Fresno* 378 Gen. B.A. Schriever Los Angeles 671 General Doolittle Los Angeles Area* 1,632 Golden Gate* 833 High Desert 262 Maj. Gen. Charles I. Bennett Jr. 332 Monterey Bay Area 286 Orange County/Gen. Curtis E. LeMay 949 Palm Springs 504 Pasadena Area 409 Robert H. Goddard 853 San Diego 1,071 Tennessee Ernie Ford 810</p> <p>Hawaii 1,029 Hawaii* 998 Maui 31</p>	<p>FLORIDA REGION 11,748 Bruce E. Marshall</p> <p>Florida 11,748 Brig. Gen. James R. McCarthy 402 Cape Canaveral 1,257 Central Florida 1,589 Col. H.M. "Bud" West 297 Col. Loren D. Evenson 619 Eglin 1,745 Falcon 445 Florida Highlands 353 Gainesville 312 Gen. Nathan F. Twining 549 Gold Coast 452 Hurlburt 640 Jerry Waterman 1,304 John C. Meyer 325 John W. DeMilly Jr. 357 Miami 379 Pensacola 158 Treasure Coast 181 West Palm Beach 384</p> <p>GREAT LAKES REGION 9,686 James E. Fultz</p> <p>Indiana 1,799 Central Indiana 456 Columbus-Bakalar 110 Fort Wayne 275 Grissom Memorial 180 Gus Grissom 151 Lawrence D. Bell Museum 310 Lester W. Johnston 31 Southern Indiana 187 Terre Haute-Wabash Valley 99</p> <p>Kentucky 801 Gen. Russell E. Dougherty 521 Lexington 280</p> <p>Michigan 2,237 Battle Creek 188 James H. Straubel 850 Kalamazoo 319 Lake Superior Northland 168 Lloyd R. Leavitt Jr. 204 Mid-Michigan 88 Mount Clemens 317 PE-TO-SE-GA 103</p> <p>Ohio 4,849 Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker Memorial* 752 Frank P. Lahm 576 Greater Cincinnati 286 North Coast* 378 Steel Valley 235 Wright Memorial* 2,622</p> <p>MIDWEST REGION 9,227 W. Graham Burnley Jr.</p> <p>Illinois 3,567 Chicagoland-O'Hare 1,392 Heart of Illinois 58 Land of Lincoln 401</p>	<p>Richard W. Asbury 217 Scott Memorial 1,499</p> <p>Iowa 684 Gen. Charles A. Horner 253 Lancer 158 Northeast Iowa 102 Richard D. Kissing 171</p> <p>Kansas 921 Contraails 73 Lt. Erwin R. Bleckley 586 Maj. Gen. Edward R. Fry 262</p> <p>Missouri 2,171 Earl D. Clark Jr. 390 Harry S. Truman 617 Ozark 255 Spirit of St. Louis 909</p> <p>Nebraska 1,884 Ak-Sar-Ben 1,605 Lincoln 279</p> <p>NEW ENGLAND REGION 4,482 David T. Buckwalter</p> <p>Connecticut 903 Flying Yankees 157 Gen. Bennie L. Davis 194 Gen. George C. Kenney 178 Lindbergh/Sikorsky 199 Sgt. Charlton Heston 175</p> <p>Massachusetts 2,185 Boston 141 Maj. John S. Southrey* 186 Minuteman 352 Otis 193 Paul Revere 748 Pioneer Valley 175 Taunton 188 Worcester* 202</p> <p>New Hampshire 864 Brig. Gen. Harrison R. Thyng 436 Pease 428</p> <p>Rhode Island 298 Metro Rhode Island 235 Newport Blue & Gold 63</p> <p>Vermont 232 Burlington 232</p> <p>NORTH CENTRAL REGION 4,343 Gary H. Olson</p> <p>Minnesota 1,278 Gen. E.W. Rawlings 1,031 Richard I. Bong 247</p> <p>Montana 447 Big Sky 348 Treasure State 99</p> <p>North Dakota 612 Gen. David C. Jones 279 Happy Hooligan 143 Red River Valley 190</p> <p>South Dakota 550 Dacotah 245 Rushmore 305</p> <p>Wisconsin 1,456 Billy Mitchell 576 Capt. William J. Henderson 528 Madison 352</p> <p>NORTHEAST REGION 8,968 Karl Miller</p> <p>New Jersey 2,480 Aerospace Founders 65 Brig. Gen. E. Wade Hampton 177 Brig. Gen. Frederick W. Castle 184 Hangar One 133 Highpoint 115 Hudson* 80 John Currie Memorial 87 Mercer County 222 Passaic-Bergen* 199 Sal Capriglione 140 Thomas B. McGuire Jr. 819 Union Morris 259</p> <p>New York 3,404 Albany-Hudson Valley* 428 Chautauqua 69 Forrest L. Vosler 398 Francis S. Gabreski 309 Gen. Carl A. "Tooney" Spaatz 236 Gen. Daniel "Chappie" James Jr. Memorial 134 Genesee Valley 240 Iron Gate 212 L.D. Bell-Niagara Frontier 417 Lloyd Schloen-Empire 150 Nassau Mitchel 359 Queens 251 Thomas Watson Sr. Memorial 201</p> <p>Pennsylvania 3,084 Altoona 62 Brandywine 167 Eagle 67 Greater Pittsburgh* 425 Joe Walker-Mon Valley 138 Lehigh Valley 277 Liberty Bell 651 Lt. Col. B.D. "Buzz" Wagner 130 Mifflin County* 106 Olmsted 367 Pocono Northeast 225 Total Force 180 York-Lancaster 289</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	5,751	SOUTHEAST REGION	9,574
Steven R. Lundgren		Rodgers K. Greenawalt	
Alaska	990	Georgia	4,286
Edward J. Monaghan	747	Carl Vinson Memorial	1,812
Fairbanks Midnight Sun	243	Dobbins.....	1,739
		Lt. Col. Philip Colman	64
Idaho	215	Savannah.....	344
Snake River Valley	215	South Georgia.....	327
		North Carolina	3,009
Oregon	1,189	Blue Ridge.....	392
Bill Harris	149	Cape Fear.....	222
Portland*.....	787	Kitty Hawk.....	77
Willamette Valley	253	Piedmont.....	493
		Pope.....	592
Washington	3,357	Scott Berkeley.....	576
Greater Seattle.....	1,181	Tarheel.....	657
Inland Empire.....	772		
McChord.....	1,404	South Carolina	2,279
		Charleston.....	644
ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGION	7,085	Columbia Palmetto.....	433
Craig E. Allen		Ladewig–Shine Memorial.....	216
		Strom Thurmond.....	409
Colorado	5,057	Swamp Fox.....	577
Gen. Robert E. Huyser	146		
Lance P. Sijan	2,831	SOUTHWEST REGION	8,429
Long's Peak.....	278	William A. Lafferty Jr.	
Mel Harmon.....	173		
Mile High.....	1,629	Arizona	4,468
		Barry Goldwater.....	191
Utah	1,591	Cochise.....	94
Northern Utah.....	643	Frank Luke.....	1,127
Salt Lake.....	449	Phoenix Sky Harbor	1,222
Ute–Rocky Mountain.....	499	Prescott.....	204
		Richard S. Reid.....	156
Wyoming	437	Tucson.....	1,474
Cheyenne Cowboy	437		
		Nevada	2,027
SOUTH CENTRAL REGION	7,945	Dale O. Smith	445
Frederick A. Zehrer III		Thunderbird.....	1,582
		New Mexico	1,934
Alabama	2,140	Albuquerque.....	1,292
Birmingham.....	432	Fran Parker.....	391
Montgomery.....	1,342	Llano Estacado.....	251
Tennessee Valley.....	366		
		TEXOMA REGION	15,979
Arkansas	1,252	M.N. "Dan" Heth	
David D. Terry Jr.	856		
Ouachita.....	136	Oklahoma	3,046
Razorback.....	260	Altus.....	413
		Central Oklahoma (Gerrity)	1,557
Louisiana	1,346	Enid.....	567
Ark–La–Tex.....	911	Tulsa.....	509
Maj. Gen. Oris B. Johnson	435		
		Texas	12,933
Mississippi	1,240	Abilene.....	452
Golden Triangle.....	409	Aggieland.....	216
Jackson.....	207	Alamo.....	4,276
John C. Stennis	624	Austin.....	1,140
		Concho.....	320
Tennessee	1,967	Dallas.....	1,020
Chattanooga.....	157	Del Rio.....	166
Everett R. Cook.....	467	Denton.....	415
Gen. Bruce K. Holloway.....	628	Fort Worth.....	2,058
H.H. Arnold Memorial	185	Gen. Charles L. Donnelly Jr.	428
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AFA's Overseas Chapters

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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
MiG Alley.....	Osan AB, South Korea
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
1969	(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
2002	Gen. Richard B. Myers, USAF, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff

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
1993	Daniel M. Tellep, chairman and CEO, Lockheed
1994	Kent Kresa, CEO, Northrop Grumman
1995	C. Michael Armstrong, chairman and CEO, Hughes Aircraft
1996	Harry Stonecipher, president and CEO, McDonnell Douglas
1997	Dennis J. Picard, chairman and CEO, Raytheon
1998	Philip M. Condit, chairman and CEO, Boeing
1999	Sam B. Williams, chairman and CEO, Williams International
2000	Simon Ramo and Dean E. Wooldridge, missile pioneers
2001	George David, chairman and CEO, United Technologies
2002	Sydney Gillibrand, chairman, AMEC; and Jerry Morgensen, president and CEO, Hensel Phelps Construction

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.

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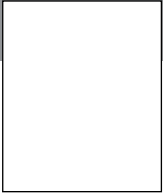
1986	Caspar W. Weinberger, Secretary of Defense
1987	Edward C. Aldridge Jr., Secretary of the Air Force
1988	George P. Schultz, secretary of state
1989	Ronald W. Reagan, former President of the United States
1990	John J. Welch, assistant secretary of the Air Force (acquisition)
1991	George Bush, President 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.)
2002	Rep. James V. Hansen (R-Utah)

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
Nathan H. Mazer	2002	17

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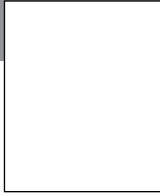
**W. Randolph
Lovelace II**
1963-64



Laurence S. Kuter
1964-66



Walter J. Hesse
1966-69



J. Gilbert Nettleton Jr.
1969-73



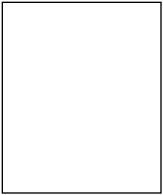
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Barry M. Goldwater
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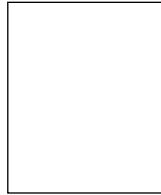
George D. Hardy
1986-89



James M. Keck
1989-94



Walter E. Scott
1994-97



Thomas J. McKee
1997-98



Michael J. Dugan
1998-2000



Jack C. Price
2000-02

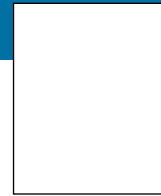
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John B. Montgomery
1963-64



Lindley J. Stiles
1964-66



B. Frank Brown
1966-67



Leon M. Lessinger
1967-68



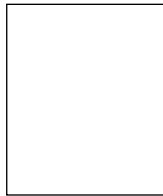
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1968-71



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1971-73



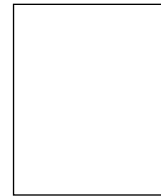
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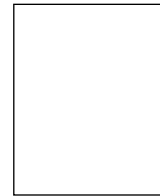
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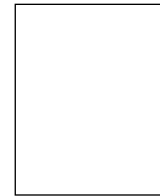
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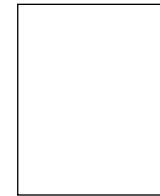
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1984-86



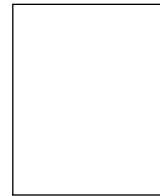
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1986-87



James M. Keck
1988-89



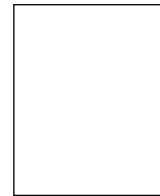
Gerald V. Hasler
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Thomas J. McKee
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Walter E. Scott
1997-98



Jack C. Price
1998-2000

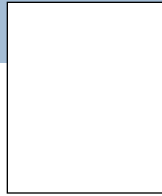


Richard B. Goetze Jr.
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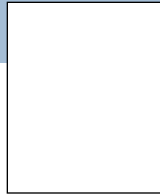
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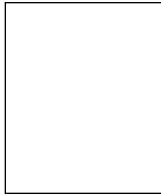
Willis S. Fitch
1946-47



James H. Straubel
1948-80



Russell E. Dougherty
1980-86



David L. Gray
1986-87



John O. Gray
1987-88



Charles L. Donnelly Jr.
1988-89



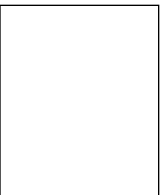
John O. Gray
1989-90



Monroe W. Hatch Jr.
1990-95



John A. Shaud
1995-2002



Donald L. Peterson
2002-

AFA Membership

Year	Total	Life Members
1946	51,243	32
1947	104,750	55
1948	56,464	68
1949	43,801	70
1950	38,948	79
1951	34,393	81
1952	30,716	356
1953	30,392	431
1954	34,486	435
1955	40,812	442
1956	46,250	446
1957	51,328	453
1958	48,026	456
1959	50,538	458
1960	54,923	464
1961	60,506	466
1962	64,336	485
1963	78,034	488
1964	80,295	504
1965	82,464	514
1966	85,013	523
1967	88,995	548
1968	97,959	583
1969	104,886	604
1970	104,878	636
1971	97,639	674
1972	109,776	765
1973	114,894	804
1974	128,995	837
1975	139,168	898
1976	148,202	975
1977	155,850	1,218
1978	148,711	1,541
1979	147,136	1,869
1980	156,394	2,477
1981	170,240	3,515
1982	179,149	7,381
1983	198,563	13,763
1984	218,512	18,012
1985	228,621	23,234
1986	232,722	27,985
1987	237,279	30,099
1988	219,195	32,234
1989	204,309	34,182
1990	199,851	35,952
1991	194,312	37,561
1992	191,588	37,869
1993	181,624	38,604
1994	175,122	39,593
1995	170,881	39,286
1996	161,384	39,896
1997	157,862	41,179
1998	152,330	41,673
1999	148,534	42,237
2000	147,336	42,434
2001	143,407	42,865
2002	141,117	43,389

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-

AFA National Treasurers

W. Deering Howe	1946-47
G. Warfield Hobbs	1947-49
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-