



## **NAVAL ORDER OF THE UNITED STATES NEW YORK COMMANDERY**

**Monday, 5 February 2024**  
**Reception: 1130 hrs, Luncheon 1200 hrs**

**Racquet & Tennis Club**  
**370 Park Avenue**  
**New York City**



**Bill Sestrom**  
***Board Member***

**Hudson Valley Honor Flight**  
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Bill Sestrom enlisted in the US Army in 1963. He was an Honor Graduate of the United States Army Ordnance Guided Missile School (USAOGMS) in Huntsville, Alabama. While stationed in Germany, he joined Special Forces and served with the 10<sup>th</sup> SF Group in Bad Tölz, Germany. He then served several TDY assignments in Southeast Asia with a Long-Range Reconnaissance Patrol (LRRP) detachment.

Bill is an accomplished guitarist and played in a popular band during his Army service in Germany. After his military service Bill took a position selling recording equipment and attended Westchester Community College. He has held various IT positions with the Poughkeepsie Journal, a nonprofit organization, and is a Wireless Zone Verizon franchise owner.

In 2011, Bill was asked to accompany some World War II Veterans to Washington, DC to visit the war memorials. In short order after that first bus trip, an organization began to form around this concept. Today that organization has become the Hudson Valley Honor Flight which, to date, has flown 31 missions and taken over 2,000 Veterans to Washington, DC.

Mark Giordano, head of Big Apple Honor Flight, will accompany Bill at the luncheon.



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\_\_\_\_\_ **Monday, 5 February 2024 for \_\_\_\_\_ People**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Enclosed is a check for \_\_\_\_\_**

**\$80.00 per person**

**Please make your check payable to: NOUS - NYC**

*Reservation or cancellation should be made by Thursday 1 February 2024.*

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