



Warren Kenneth Watson, Jr. Co L-2

Warren is a "confirmed" bachelor, but with that certain gleam in his eye, it is doubtful if he will be that way very long. His only trouble was with the Social Science Department, and his favorite pastime ins drinking cokes and listening to popular records. "Boodles" has always had an interest for the military, and plans to make a career out of it.

Born – 21 Feb 1939, Lansing, MI.

To USMA – Came from Stillwater, OK. Appointed by the National Guard. Nickname – "Boodles".

Died – 22 May 2013 (age 74) at Enid, OK. Buried at IOOF Cemetery, Norman, OK.

Military Awards – Distinguished Flying Cross, 17 Air Medals, 2 Air Force Commendation Medals.

Schooling – MBA Degree, International American University, Master's Degree in Electrical Engineering, University of Florida, Master's Degree in Operations Research, Florida Tech University.

Family - Wife – Lore Watson – 5 daughters (Kim, Pam, Sally, Becky and Cindy) – 13 grandchildren.

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Warren served on active duty in the Air Force for 23 years, retiring in 1984, with the rank of Major. His first assignment after pilot training was with the 917th Air Refueling Squadron. He then served in Korea (Pilot, 504th Tactical Air Squadron), Vietnam (Pilot, 506th Air Squadron, 101st Airborne Division), (Pilot, 915th Air Refueling Squadron, Los Angeles, CA (International American University), 12th Civil Engineering Squadron), Gainesville, FL (University of Florida), (381st Civil Engineering Squadron), Oklahoma City (Engineer Manager and Program Manager), Tinker Air Force Base, OK (Air Logistics Center), (5th Bomber Wing).

After retiring from active duty in the Air Force, Warren worked as an Electrical Engineer and Senior Reliability Engineer with the Harris Corporation. Warren passed away on 22 May 2013, from Parkinson's disease and multiple system atrophy.