

## LTC Greg Flick Class of 1974 Enshrined 2019



LTC (ret) Greg Flick was commissioned an Infantry Officer and graduated from Xavier University in 1974. While at XU, he was a member of both the Rifle Club and Pershing Rifles and was a Distinguished Military Graduate. He was selected for Cadet Troop Leadership Training the summer of his junior year and spent six weeks with the 509th Brigade Combat Team in Italy.

Greg's military and government service spans a 44-year career in the areas of counterterrorism, antiterrorism, Homeland Security, and disaster management. He has worked with the Departments of Defense, State and United Nations; trained ICE, FBI, CIA, and DEA agents, and developed guidelines for the employment and use of these agencies in joint civil-military contingency operations both domestically and abroad. He has had national security and personal protection advisory roles supporting Ambassadors and foreign government officials in Europe, Africa, Asia, and Australia.

During his twenty-year career, he served as Special Forces - Delta Team Operations Officer, Delta Force Team Commander, Delta Team training specialist to DEA agents and FBI Rescue Teams; Operations Plan Officer to the Joint Special Operations Commander; Chief of Combating Terrorism Branch and Chief Advisor on counterterrorism and antiterrorism program to the Commander, USPACOM, Admiral Larson. Greg was the Commander of the Delta Force team for the 1984 US Olympic Games in Los Angeles, California and provided security planning advisory support for the 1988 Olympics in Seoul, South Korean and the 1992 Olympics in Barcelona, Spain. He deployed in support of Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm and medically retired in 1994.

In retirement Greg worked for SAIC until 2018 as a homeland security consultant including staff positions as: Chief of Policy-Joint Interagency Task Force West; Deputy International Military Affairs; Anti-Terrorism Force Protection Specialist; Director, Peacekeeping and Disaster Management, Center of Excellence; Office Secretary of Defense Chief Assessment Coordinator and Policy Analyst, AFRICOM. He was a Fellow at Daniel K. Inouye Asia Pacific Security Studies (98).

Greg's volunteer activities include the Area Chair, University of Phoenix (Hawaii) where he works closely with prior and active military personnel and their spouses to help them in continuing their education. He also serves as Professor for Graduate and Undergraduate Business students. He has or currently serves as President of Castle Hills Homeowners Association, Commissioner of Aloha State Games, House District Chairman Windwood Oaha, and volunteers in his local church.

He is lifetime member and volunteer of Special Forces Association (SFA) and is active in several annual SFA fund raisers which provide financial aid to veteran families, honor guards for funerals, awards high school and college scholarships, and supports the local high school JROTC rifle team. Additionally, Greg is an active member of the Retired Officers Association, Commodores Association

Greg's military awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal-2, Army Commendation Medal-5, Army Achievement Medal, National Defense Service Medal w 1 Bronze Star; Southwest Asia Service Medal with Campaign Star; Army Overseas Service Ribbon; Joint Meritorious Unit Award-3; the Mongolian Order of the Polar Star; Special Forces Tab, Ranger Tab, Basic Airborne Qualification Badge; and Expert Infantryman Badge.

