

Misty 99 Biography, Ron Standerfer



Name: Ronald Standerfer

Nickname: Ron

Date of Birth: 1 Jan 1935

Highest Military Grade held: Colonel, 06

Home Town: Bellevue, IL

Education

1. Civilian:

University of Illinois

2. Military:

Aviation Cadets

UPT

Advanced Fighter Training (F-100), Luke AFB

A-7D transition

MANY TDY courses

Units assigned (Dates – Unit - Aircraft, if applicable):

Ron's 27-year Air Force career spanned the cold war years between 1954-1981.

He flew a variety of high performance fighters incl F-100, F-102, F-105, F-4 and A-7, and flew over 200 missions in Viet Nam where he was shot down/recovered in 1969.

He retired as a full colonel after tours in the Pentagon and TAC Headquarters in Virginia.

Decorations:

Silver Star (2)

Air Medal (13)

Purple Heart