

**MILITARY SERVICE
AND
CAMPAIGN MEDALS**

U.S. Army 1976-1996, Retiree 20 years
271st Aviation Company (ASH) 1977-1978
USA Postal Group, Europe, 1st Personnel Command,
Heidelberg, Germany
NATO School (SHAPE), Oberammergau, Germany
Various Deployments in Persian Gulf/Middle East,
US Central Command
Korean Defense Service Medal
Meritorious Service Medal
Army Commendation Medal
Joint Service Commendation Medal
Joint Service Achievement Medal
Army Achievement Medal
Army Good Conduct Medal (6th Award)

CIVIC PARTICIPATION

Legion of Honor, Chapel of Four Chaplains
Member, American Legion Post 314, Lehighton, PA
Gold Legacy Life Member, Veterans of Foreign Wars
of the United States
Life Member, Military Order of the Cootie,
Conococheague #72
Master Mason, Cumberland Valley Lodge 315,
Shippensburg, PA
32d Degree, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite
Consistory, Valley of Harrisburg, PA

AWARDS & RECOGNITION

Post Commander, 1996-1997, 1997-1998, 1998-1999
“All State 1996-1997, 1998-1999”
VOD/Patriots Pen Chairman, 1995 to Present
Quartermaster, 2000 to Present
“All State 2000-2004, 2006-2009”

District 18 Commander, 2002-2003
“All State & All American”
Quartermaster, 2003 to Present
“All American District QM 2008-2009”
Deputy Inspector, 2001-Present
District Inspector, 2007-2008

State Employment Chairman 2002-2005
Central Area Membership Chairman, 2005-2006
State Inspector, 2006-2007
State Membership Chairman, 2007-2008
POW/MIA Chairman 2009-2011
State National Military Services Chairman, 2011-2015
State Patriot Pen Chairman 2015-2016
Investigation Committee for various VFW Post
Trusteeships for 4 Posts

National Aide-de-Camp, 1996-1998, 2000-2006,
2015-2016
National Special Aide-de-Camp 2005-2006, 2012-
2013
National Assistant Inspector General 2006-2007
National Deputy Chief of Staff 2009-2010
Member, National Military Services Committee 2011-
2015

**Durff-Kuhn
VFW Post 6168
&
District 18
Proudly Endorse
Wrayburn D. “Kelly”
Reinsmith**



**Candidate for
Department of PA
Junior Vice Commander**

2018-2019

Wrayburn D. "Kelly" Reinsmith served twenty (20) years with the United States Army in various assignments to the United States, Germany and Korea. He comes to the VFW through his service in Korea from 1977 to 1978 with the 271st Aviation Company (Assault Support Helicopter) in Camp Humphreys, Korea. He is presently employed with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Human Services at the Franklin County Assistance Office in Chambersburg, PA.

Kelly served as a Unit Clerk and Avionics Mechanic with the 243d Aviation Company, Fort Lewis, Washington. While at Fort Lewis, he also served as Personnel Staff NCO with the 10th Aviation Battalion (Combat) and was the first Personnel Staff NCO with the 9th Air Cavalry Attack Brigade of the 9th Infantry Division. After that, he headed overseas and served as Administrative NCO with the U.S. Army Postal Group, Europe, 1st Personnel Command, Schwetzingen, Germany. Kelly then was assigned as Communications Specialist and Shift Supervisor in the Communications Directorate with United States Central Command at MacDill AFB, Tampa, Florida. During his tenure with USCENCOM he was deployed on Bright Star 85 to Cairo, Egypt along with other deployments within the Middle East and Persian Gulf.

He then served as Personnel Staff NCO and Mailroom Supervisor with the NATO School in Oberammergau, Germany.

His final assignment with the U.S. Army was Personnel Staff NCO with the U.S. Army ROTC Instructor Group, Dickinson College, Carlisle, PA. He retired from the U.S. Army on July 1, 1996 with twenty years distinguished service. His awards and decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal, Joint Service Commendation Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Joint Service Achievement Medal, Good Conduct Medal, Korean Defense Service Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Overseas Service Ribbon, and Expert Marksmanship Badge with M-16 Rifle bar. Following his retirement he was determined 10% disabled by the Veterans Administration.

Kelly joined Shippensburg's Durff-Kuhn VFW Post 6168 in 1995 and began working his way through the chairs in 1996. He served as Post Commander from 1997 to 2000. Kelly also served as VOD and Patriot Pen Chairman from 1996 to present. He saw that the Post was designated as a '100th Anniversary Post and chaired the 100th Anniversary Committee that conducted all the required activities and celebrations during the 100th Anniversary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States. He currently serves as the Quartermaster at his Post.

He was awarded 'All State Post Commander 2000-2001, 2001-2002. He also received the Legion of Honor Award, Chapel of Four Chaplains in May 2001.

Kelly is married to Kathy Jo McMillion Reinsmith and they reside in Shippensburg, PA. Kathy Jo is also very active with the Auxiliary and is a Past Department President, 2007-2008. Kelly is a Gold Legacy Life Member of Durff-Kuhn VFW Post 6168, Life Member, Conococheague Pup Tent 72, Military Order of the Cootie, Life Member of Scotland School for Veterans Children and a Life member of the VFW National Home for Children. Kelly is also a member of the American Legion, Cumberland Valley Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of PA and has his 32nd degree with the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Consistory, Valley of Harrisburg, PA.

Kelly's hobby since he retired from the Army, is participating in 1000 Yard Bench Rest Shooting and Competition.

I ask for your vote to become the next State Jr. Vice Commander of the Department of PA. Elect experience, dedication and commitment by voting Comrade Reinsmith.



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