



Mark Wise, LtGen USMC (Ret.)
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Hometown: Amarillo, TX.

High School and College Career:
 Juanita High School, Kirkland, WA
 University of Washington, Seattle, WA
 Naval War College, Newport, RI

Dates on Active Duty: June 13, 1986 – August 31, 2022

Date Commissioned/Source:
 13 June 1986, NROTC

Date of Designation: October 7, 1988

Total Flight Hours: 3894.2

Carrier/Ship Landings: Fixed Wing 364

Approximate Flight Hours:
 Jet: (3712.6) Prop: (149.7)
 VMFA: (2934.6) VT: (289.3) Helo: (31.9)

Combat tours:

Aug 90 – Mar 91	Gulf War/Iraq (VMFA-333)	94
Apr 93 – Aug 93	Bosnia (CVN-71)	16
Dec 94 – Mar 95	Iraq (58th FS)	41
Apr 96 – Jun 96	Iraq (58th FS)	23
Nov 97 – Mar 98	Iraq (CVN-73)	19
Jun 09 – Jul 10	Afghanistan (Ground)	1A

Combat missions: (129) F/A-18C, (64) F-15C

Commands:
 VMFA-122
 MAG-12
 MCWL
 3d MAW
 Deputy Commandant for Aviation



Awards:
 Air Medal 8 w/ V
 Air Medal Single Mission
 Bronze Star (Combat/not flight related)

Duty Assignment Chronology

06/86-12/86	Student, The Basic School, MCB Quantico, VA
05/87-10/87	VT-2, NAS Whiting aviation basic training T-34C.
10/87-10/88	VT-21/VT-23, NAS Meridian, MS jet training pipeline, T-2C, TA-4J.
10/88-10/89	VFA-125, NAS Lemoore, CA, F18 FRS student, F-18A.
10/89-03/92	VMFA-333, MCAS Beaufort, SC, F/A-18A
03/92-05/94	VMFA-312, MCAS Beaufort, SC, F/A-18C
05/94-07-94	95FS, 1stFS Tyndall AFB, FL, F-15C
07/94-07/96	58th FS, Eglin AFB, FL, F-15C
07/96-08/98	VMFA-251, Beaufort, SC, F/A-18C
08/98-01/99	MAG-31, MCAS Beaufort, SC, F/A-18A/C/D
01/99-08/01	HQMC AVN, Pentagon
08/01-04/03	VMFA-312, MCAS Beaufort, SC, F/A-18C
04/03-11/04	VMFA-122, MCAS Beaufort, SC, F/A-18C
11/04-06/05	MAG-31, MCAS Beaufort, SC, F/A-18A/C/D
06/05-06/06	Naval War College, Newport, RI
06/06-07/09	MAG-12, MCAS Iwakuni, Japan F/A-18A/C/D
07/09-07/10	Kabul, Afghanistan, IA
07/10-07/11	HQMC AVN, Pentagon
07/11-07/13	MCWL, MCB Quantico, VA
07/13-07/14	3d MAW, MCAS Miramar, CA F/A-18A/C/D
07/14-07/16	USFJ, Yakota AB, Tokyo, Japan
07/16-07/18	3d MAW, MCAS Miramar, CA F/A-18A/C/D
07/18-07/20	CD&I, MCB Quantico, VA
07/20-07/22	HQMC AVN, Pentagon

Summary of Significant Career Events

- (1) Deployed to Saudi Arabia for Operation Desert Shield/ Desert Storm 8 months after joining my first fighter squadron.
- (2) Graduated from MAWTS-1, WTI In the fall of 1991 shortly after returning from Desert Storm.
- (3) Graduated from the Navy Fighter Weapons School, Top Gun immediately after joining VMFA-312 as their Pilot Training Officer
- (4) Deployed with first Carrier Deployment of VMFA-312, CVW-8, CVN-71 as the USMC re entered TACAIR integration deployments in 1993.
- (5) Deployed four times with the 58th FS for Alert Deployments in Iceland and follow on Desert Storm deployments bringing new tactics back to USMC aviation with weapons systems just coming on line such as AIM-120.

Personal

- (1) We have chosen a somewhat nomadic lifestyle in the years since retirement first traveling the country in our RV for 3 years covering most of the USA. We then decided to buy a 52' sailing catamaran on which we live now and travel the east coast and Caribbean.