

AC-119 Association POLICY: Honorary Life Certificates

From: Michael Drzyzga [drzyzga513@hotmail.com] **Sent:** Fri, Aug 28, 2015 5:17 PM **To:** Wayne Laessig; Larry Fletcher **Subj:** RE: AC-119 - Bob Knapic May Attend!!

Since 2010, after Gus and Doug surrounded me with a two-ended squeeze play to take on the Secretary's position, any type of new life member receives a Cert' and Life Member Card. I believe from recent comments from Bill P., that he designed the Certs (it IS his style) and that Jim A. used that. In 2005, when I became Life No 215, I did NOT receive a cert. Jim A admitted that at times he just did not send them.

I'll have FOUR made for St. Louis!!!! Mike

From: gadvocate@sbcglobal.net **To:** fletch12@charter.net; Drzyzga513@hotmail.com **Date:** Fri, 28 Aug 2015 12:51:46 -0700 **Maybe we ought to prepare Certificates for all the ones attending & keep a log of who gets them in the MCL.**

Pam Seiferd – KIA Tom Lubbers' sister

Bob & Glenna Knapic – KIA Bernie Knapic's son & wife

Lee Jordan – KIA Meredith "Andy" Anderson's daughter

Mike, do you have any records showing who we issued a certificate to? Thanks! Wayne

From: Michael Drzyzga [drzyzga513@hotmail.com] **Sent:** Fri, Aug 28, 2015 5:10 PM **To:** Wayne Laessig; Larry Fletcher **Re Certs: Cancell my intent to call Jim Alvis. I'll have two Honorary Life Certs prepared for Bob and Glenna. Mike**

From: Michael Drzyzga [drzyzga513@hotmail.com] **Sent:** Fri, Aug 28, 2015 5:06 PM **To:** Larry Fletcher; Wayne Laessig **Wayne, Larry: Bob Knapic is Honorary LIFE no. 121., in 2003.**

There was a time when Jim Alvis stopped providing Life certificates, he only sent Life Membership Cards. The only way to know for sure would be to ask Jim A. if he has records from 12 yrs ago, or ask Bob directly. I suggest 1st that I'll ask Jim A. if he knows. Based on his reply, we can take the next step. Mike

From: Wayne Laessig [gadvocate@sbcglobal.net] **Sent:** Fri, Aug 28, 2015 12:43 PM **To:** 'Larry Fletcher'; 'Michael Drzyzga' **Bob was one of our first KIA Family Honorary Members. I don't know for sure that he received a certificate. Secretaries have handled those in the past. The attached message seems to indicate he got an Honorary Life Member "card". I think it would be good to give him a certificate. We also chose to designate Glenna Knapic (Bernie's wife) as an Honorary Member. Recommend we do one for her & ask Bob if he wants to send it to her, or us. I'm not sure she's still alive but her snail mail Newsletters aren't being returned, so.... Here's what's in the MCL:**

Knapic Bob 12803 Connelli Dr, Overland Park, KS 66213-3248 bknapic@wmsinc.net 913-481-8749 C913-685-1705

Honorary Life 121 17 KIA Kin Son of Lt Col Bernie Knapic KIA Shadow 76, 10/11/1969 Tan Son Nhut

Knapic Glenna 7216 Ashburton Dr, Knoxville TN 37909-3713 **Honorary Life 269** 17. KIA Kin Wife of Lt Col Bernie

Knapic KIA Shadow 76, 10/11/1969 Tan Son Nhut 31-May-08

Thanks! Wayne

From: Larry Fletcher [fletch12@charter.net] **Sent:** Fri, Aug 28, 2015 12:07 PM **To:** Wayne Laessig; Michael Drzyzga **Subj:** Re: AC-119 - Bob Knapic May Attend!! **Wayne & Mike, Is Bob Knapic an Honorary Member? If so, did he receive an Honorary Certificate? If Bob is not an Honorary Member, shouldn't we make him an Honorary and present him with a certificate if he does attend the M&G? Fletch Sent from my iPhone**

On Aug 27, 2015, at 5:55 PM, Wayne Laessig <gadvocate@sbcglobal.net> wrote: Bob, that will be fantastic! You'll be in good company! We'll have two other KIA families represented. Pam Seiferd, Tommy Lubbers' sister, and Lee Jordan, Meredith Anderson's daughter & her hubby Tim joining us. Tommy was the AC on Shadow 78 & Meredith was the Nav. They flew around the same time frame as your Dad on Shadow 76. It will be good to see you again! Please let me know if you need any help with Reunion sign ups, hotel, or anything! Thanks! Wayne

From: Bob Knapic [bknapic@wmsinc.net] **Sent:** Sat, Aug 22, 2015 9:26 AM **To:** Wayne Laessig **Hi Wayne, Bob Knapic here. I'm going to try to make the Friday evening social event at the reunion. Thought I'd give you a heads up. Hope all is well. Bob**