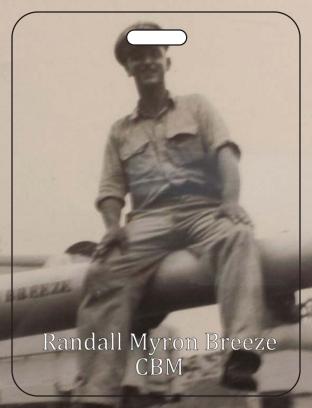


David enlisted at 19. He was one of the only crew members to be on the Herndon from the time of commissioning to decommissioning. After the war, he married Eleanor and had two children. He worked for the Iron Workers Union Local 11 in Newark for 37 years before retiring in 1985. He was a member of the Senior Citizens of Hanover Township and was a deacon for the First Presbyterian Church. He was a past patron of Eastern Star 61, Caldwell, a past master of the Vailsburg Lodge 278, a member of the Royal Arch Knights Templar No. 6, the Knights of the York Cross of Honour No. 4 of South Jersey and the Vasa Lodge 6 of Budd Lake. He was also a member of the Hanover Senior Bowling Club and a founding member of the USS Herndon Association. David died in 1997 at the age of 74.



Randall enlisted in 1930 at the age of 22. He served on a number of ships before boarding the Herndon upon commissioning. He married Muriel Joy Kuulei in 1944 and they had one daughter. Randall served in the Navy until 1950. He died in 1979 at the age of 71. Randall was buried with his gold plated pipe "Bo'sn" that was a gift from the crew at the last reunion he attended.