

HALL OF ACHIEVEMENT

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Class of 1982

Nick's fondest memories are his five years as a varsity wrestler. He attended the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis and again was part of the wrestling team there. Upon graduation, he was commissioned in the Navy and served in the Persian Gulf in support of Desert Shield. Serving on a guided missile frigate, he coordinated the destruction of eight Iraqi drifting mines while serving a second tour supporting Desert Storm. Enrolled in the Naval Post-Graduate School, he is graduating with a Master of Science doing his thesis in meteorology and physical oceanography. Nick has been awarded numerous medals and ribbons, including the Combat Action Ribbon for his meritorious service. Presently a Lieutenant Commander, Nick resides with his wife and two children in Virginia Beach.

"He who does not risk, cannot win." – John Paul Jones