Paul J. Kozak, Jr.

Personal Biography

Born 1948 in the city of Newark and raised in Mountainside, New Jersey.

Joined the United States Marine Corps in November 1966 and started training March 1967.

Arrived in Vietnam September 1967, and was severely wounded 12 months later. As a result of those wounds and a long recovery, I was retired from the Marine Corps January 1970.

In 1971 attended Deep Sea Diving Training at Commercial Diving Center in Wilmington,
California. Later I was employed by Caldwell Diving Company out of Toms River, New Jersey
as a Commercial Divers Tender, and worked under water construction for the next 12 years.

November 1988, I started working for Vetwork, a veterans outreach program as an Assistant Manager. Some months later I was given the job of Director until I retired.

I am now a part-time employee at Vetwork and help out where ever needed.

I am the proud father of 3 mighty fine sons which makes my life worth living.

That's my story.