

**FIFTH COAST GUARD DISTRICT MILITARY FUNERAL HONORS (MFH)
REQUEST FORM FOR COAST GUARD VETERANS**

Email all MFH requests to d05-smb-military-funeral-honors@uscg.mil
Military Funeral Honors Duty Cell Phone: 757-617-4971 (texts accepted)

MFH Coordinator: CWO Jessica Cramer (757) 686-4116

***For Verification, Proof of Honorable service documentation such as a DD-214 or
Discharge Certificate MUST Accompany this Request***

After emailing, please follow up with a phone call to confirm receipt

*Verification of service can be obtained from the Veterans Administration at 1-800-827-1000 or online at
www.archives.gov/veterans/military-service-record

**FOR FUNERAL HONORS FOR MERCHANT MARINE VETERANS,
contact the U.S. Navy at 866-203-7791 or go to
www.cnic.navy.mil/funeral_honors**

General	Information
FUNERAL INFO: Date/Time Honors Desired:	Check One: _____ Cremation Service _____ Funeral Service _____ Other (i.e. Memorial service)
NAME OF DECEASED:	Rank/Rate:
	Date of Death:
Location of Funeral or Service	
_____ Cemetery _____ Funeral Home	_____ Chapel _____ Other: (Explain)
Name of Facility:	Point of Contact:
Address:	Phone:
City/State/Zip:	Next of Kin to receive flag/Relationship:
Mortuary / Funeral Home Information	
Name of funeral home:	Phone:
Director/Point of Contact:	Email:

By law the Coast Guard will provide a two (2) person team to play TAPS and present the flag to next of kin.

**IF THE FAMILY WISHES ARE FOR FULL HONORS THEY MUST
CONTACT A LOCAL VETERANS GROUP OR NATIONAL GUARD TO
HELP. THE COAST GUARD DOES NOT HAVE A DEDICATED HONOR
GUARD TO PROVIDE FULL HONORS.**

At a minimum we need **at least 48 hours** advance notification to coordinate the Military Funeral Honors.

****This form is for funeral honors taking place in the states of DE, MD, VA, NC, and
PARTS of WV, PA, NJ ****