

Raymond Giehl, Jr.

- 1. What Year were you National Commander? 2007-2008**
- 2. How old were you? 49**
- 3. How many visits were you able to make? 25**
- 4. Did you have a favorite visit? Why? Where? Pearl Harbor Day Ceremony, Most moving event I have ever attended**
- 5. What was the highlight of your year? Again the chance to attend the Annual Pearl Harbor Day Ceremony. I would have never believed how moving and unbelievable one event can be, gives a whole new feeling for America's fighting men & women, then & now. Plus my son was there with us to experience it.**
- 6. Would you run for National Commander again? Yes, I really enjoyed my time.**
- 7. What would you say to a Blue Capper that wants to someday be a National Commander? Don't forget where you came from, even with that Gold Cap on we are all Blue Cappers. Remembering that will take you far.**
- 8. What was your main project for the year? Veterans, Established Veteran's Assistance Day, an idea from a Blue Capper in Michigan.**
- 9. What was your motto and or theme? "Making A Difference" Tell them who we are, Tell them what we do, Tell them why we do it.**
- 10. As of 2014-2015 how many years have you been a member? 38**
- 11. Why did you join the S.A.L? My father was an American Legion member and I joined as a charter member when the Post formed a Squadron.**
- 12. What was your membership goal? Was it achieved? Not sure, but it was achieved.**
- 13. What was your CWF Goal? Was it achieved? Again not sure, but it also was achieved**
- 14. Are you still active in the S.A.L.? Absolutely at every level. Hard to give up your favorite hobby!**