

# Lima Co. 3/5 Reunion



**VIETNAM 1966-1971**

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## SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA



**EMBASSY SUITES BY HILTON SCOTTSDALE RESORT**

**SEMPER FIDELIS**

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If you have an **e-mail address** and you don't get the Roster updates and Newsletter via e-mail, send me your e-mail address to save postage. **Get your e-mail address.**

You can always get on the internet for Lima 3/5. To get on the internet it is

**[limathreefive.org](http://limathreefive.org)**

There are a lot of things that you can see. Company Roster, Legacy Roster, Purple Hearts, Legacy Purple Hearts, Operations, Command Chronicals, Memorial, KIA Memorial, Newsletters, and Stories.

This is really good. A lot of the Newsletters have been reading.

Our Reunion will be in June 7th to 11th in Scottsdale, Arizona.

I hope we get a nice Reunion. Last year we only had 22 Lima 3/5 guys. At the Reunion this year I hope we have more.

It will be our 38th Reunion this year. We have had a lot of guys all passed away now, but I hope we can always get to the 40th Reunion in 2 more years. I hope we will have 30 are more guys at the Reunion this year.



# SCOTTSDALE REUNION ORDER FORM

**Advance orders only    Pick up at the Reunion  
Send order by May 1, 2023**

**Polo Shirts are Maroon Moisture Wicking, with the USMC Logo embroidered on the Front left breast and the Vietnam Ribbon on the left sleeve.**

Polo Shirt S, M, L, XL . . . . . \$23 ea. Size\_\_\_\_ Qty\_\_\_\_ . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Polo Shirt XXL, XXXL . . . . . \$26 ea. Size\_\_\_\_ Qty\_\_\_\_ . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**T-Shirts are Maroon with Silk Screened 3/5 Logo on the Front left breast.**

T-Shirt S, M, L, XL . . . . . \$20 ea, Size\_\_\_\_ Qty\_\_\_\_ . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt XXL, XXXL . . . . . \$22 ea. Size\_\_\_\_ Qty\_\_\_\_ . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Hats are Maroon with Logo on the Front and VSM ribbon on the Back**

Hats are adjustable . . . . . \$18 ea. . . . . Qty\_\_\_\_ . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**\$10.00 Postage for shirt order if not attending Reunion . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Total Shirt & Hat Order . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Pre-Pay Banquet Dinner \$50 Per Adult . . . . . # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$50 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(Children under 12 Free)**

**General Fund . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Total Shirts & Hat Order . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Total for 2023 Scottsville Reunion . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**I need the Order Form by May 1st so I can order the shirts & hats.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ St \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to  
Dan Nordmann**

**Send Order Form to:**

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# 2023 SCOTTSDALE, AZ REUNION



## Embassy Suites by Hilton Scottsdale Resort

5001 N Scottsdale Road  
Scottsdale, AZ 85250

**1-800-648-4020**

Room Rates June 7th to 11th 2023

## Hospitality Room June 7th to 11th, 2023

Wednesday thru Sunday

Order Phone  
1-800-648-4020

**You have to register before  
Sunday May 9th**

## Room Rates are \$129.00

Plus 14.02% Tax - Aprox \$147.00

**Order by Phone**

**1-800-648-4020**

**Use Group Name**

**Lima Company Reunion**

**Register before Sunday  
May 9th**

### *2023 Lima 3/5 Reunion Scottsdale, Arizona*

The 2023 Lima Co. 3/5 Reunion (Viet Nam 1966-71) will be held June 7-11, 2023 at the Embassy Suites by Hilton Scottsdale Resort located at 5001 N. Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85250. The room rate is \$129 per night for two guests plus state and local taxes (currently 14.02 % subject to change). An additional charge of \$15 will be added to triple occupancy and \$30 will be added for quadruple occupancy for each additional adult in a guest room. For our reunion, a daily resort fee of \$25 dollars per room per night, which is subject to tax has been waived. This room rate is offered three days pre/post our reunion based on the hotel's group room availability. The hotel does not provide a shuttle to and from Sky Harbor Phoenix International Airport.

To make your reservation please call **1-800-362-2779**. **Be sure to refer to the Lima Company Reunion to secure this special group rate. The cut-off date for receipt of reservations will be May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023.** ANY RESERVATION REQUEST AFTER THIS DATE IS SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY AND WILL BE OFFERED AT THE PREVAILING RATE. In short, be sure to make your reservation for the reunion by the cut-off date.

All guest rooms are two (2) room suites (500 sq. ft.). Each basic guest room will include internet access, two bottles of water daily. The venue includes self-parking, use of resort bicycles, 10% off any purchase of \$50 or more in the hotel restaurant, and free local and toll free phone calls. The Embassy Suites accepts and awards Hilton Honors Points. In addition, we'll have access to complimentary full cooked to order breakfast daily, a complimentary evening reception, and a complimentary 24 hour state of the art fitness center. Tony Van Reusen is this year's reunion host. Feel free to call him at 661-331-6485 should you have any questions. Tony Van Reusen sent this.

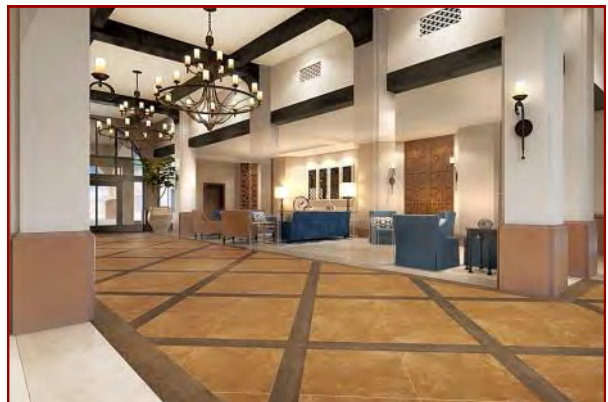
# 2023 SCOTTSDALE, AZ REUNION

The Phoenix/Scottsdale area offers a variety of attractions and activities including golf, shopping and hiking. The following are available during your reunion visit:

**Taliesin West-Frank Lloyd Wright Desert Workshop** (60 minute tour)  
**Southwest Wildlife Conservation Center** – Arizona desert wildlife  
**Old Town Scottsdale**-Shops, Art Galleries, horse cart tours, restaurants  
**McDowell Sonoran Preserve** –Gateway Loop trail; slightly challenging bring water  
**McCormick-Stillman Railroad Park** –McCormick Ranch  
**Pinnacle Peak Park**- Hiking  
**Butterfly Wonderland**  
**Western Spirit: Scottsdale Museum of the West**  
**Tom's Thumb Trailhead** –challenging hiking  
**Scottsdale Fashion Square**-Medium to high end shopping and restaurants  
**Penske Racing Museum** –Scottsdale –lots of racing cars on display  
**Odysea Aquarium**  
**Kirkland Commons** – Line stores and restaurants  
**Phoenix Zoo**  
**Papago Park**-hiking trails  
**Main Street Arts District**- Scottsdale  
**Talking Stick and Arizona Casinos**  
**Great Wolf Lodge Water Park**  
**Heard Indian Museum**-Downtown Phoenix

As you can tell, lots to do and see while you attend this year's reunion, so be sure meet the reservation deadline with the Embassy Suites. See you in Scottsdale.

Tony Van Reusen sent this too.





# 2022 FREDERICKSBURG REUNION



# **TED CRISP**

## **They got caught**

In the rear company supply area some of the boys were into illegally sending military ordinance home. We were out in the field and heard how they did this until they got caught. When a Marine got killed in action the supply clerk would send a letter to his buddy back in the states and give him the dead Marine's address. His buddy would send the killed in action marine a large care package. After it arrived at the Company supply it would be marked return to sender. But not till after the clerk would gently open the package, remove the contents and pack in a disassembled M16 automatic rifle, reseal it. Then it was on its way back to the United States.

## **Bored Marines get in trouble. Stupid!**

## **Air Conditioning**

Whenever we returned to our Company rear area for resupply and hot food we would be housed in large tents with cots to sleep on. Hot during the day, but bearable during the night. On the other hand the officers in our Company would stay in a wood style building complete with electricity and air conditioning, stereo and a television. They would not allow any of us lower ranking Marines to spend time in their air conditioned area unless we were there on business which was hardly ever. One day one of our privates was walking past a large USMC generator that ran to supply our company's electrical needs. He noticed the generator had on it a switch that said 110 volt, 220 volt or 440 volt. He moved the switch to the 440 volt position which caused a massive surge in electricity too all the 110 volt designed lines thus causing the officers air conditioning, stereo and television and wiring to burn up. I believe it took a week for maintenance to repair all of it. The officers had to go a week without air conditioning sweltering in the summer heat just like the rest of us grunts.

**Life is sometimes hard.**



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