



**VADM Troy M. SHOEMAKER USN (Ret.)**  
 “Shoe”

Hometown: St. Petersburg, FL

Date Commissioned/Source:  
 26 May 1982 USNA (Systems Engineering)

Dates on Active Duty: 26 May 1982 – 1 Mar 2018

Date of Designation: 6 Jul 1984

Total Flight Hours: 4140

Carrier/Ship Landings: Fixed Wing 1066

Approximate Flight Hours:  
 Jet: 4079, Prop: 68, VF/VA: 3789, VT: 290, Helo: 19)

Combat Missions: 32 (F-18)

Commands:  
 CO, Strike Fighter Squadron 105  
 CO, Strike Fighter Squadron 106  
 Commander, Carrier Air Wing 17  
 Commander, Carrier Strike Group NINE  
 Commander, Carrier Strike Group THREE  
 Commander, Naval Air Forces, Atlantic  
 Commander, Naval Air Forces, Pacific

Awards:  
 Distinguished Service Medal  
 Legion of Merit (6)  
 Defense Meritorious Service Medal  
 Meritorious Service Medal (4)  
 Strike/Flight Air Medal (w/ numeral “2”)



### **Duty Assignment Chronology**

07/78-05/82	U.S. Naval Academy, Midshipman
09/82-03/83	VT-3, NAS Whiting Field, FL (T-34C), Student Pilot
04/83-12/83	VT-19, NAS Meridian, MS (T-2C), Student Pilot
01/84-07/84	VT-7, NAS Meridian, MS (TA-4J), Student Pilot
08/84-04/85	VA-174, NAS Cecil Field, FL (A-7E), Replacement Pilot
05/85-10/88	VA-105, NAS Cecil Field, FL (A-7E), JO Pilot/LSO, USS <i>Forrestal</i>
11/88-03/91	VA-122, NAS Lemoore, CA (A-7E), Instructor Pilot/LSO
04/91-10/91	VFA-106, NAS Cecil Field, FL (F/A-18C), Replacement Pilot Training
10/91-09/92	CVW-3, NAS Oceana, VA (F/A-18C), CAG LSO, USS <i>John F Kennedy</i>
09/92-08/95	VFA-105, NAS Cecil Field, FL (F/A-18C), Department Head, USS <i>Dwight D Eisenhower</i>
09/95-01/96	Chief of Naval Operations, Washington, DC, Naval Aide to the Vice Chief
02/96-12/97	U.S. Pacific Command, Honolulu, HI, Aide-de-Camp to the Commander
01/98-08/98	VFA-106, NAS Cecil Field, FL (F/A-18C), Replacement Pilot Training
09/98-02/01	VFA-105, NAS Cecil Field, FL (F/A-18C), XO/CO, USS <i>Enterprise</i> , USS <i>Harry S Truman</i>
03/01-09/02	Navy Personnel Command, PERS-43, Millington, TN, Head, Aviation Combat Placement (PERS-433)
10/02-03/04	VFA-106, NAS Oceana, VA (F/A-18C), Commanding Officer
04/04-08/04	Combined Air Operations Center, Al Udeid Air Base, Qatar, Battle Watch Captain
09/04-01/05	VFA-106, NAS Oceana, VA, (F/A-18E/F), Replacement Pilot Training

### Duty Assignment Chronology continued

02/05-03/07 CVW-17, NAS Oceana, VA (F/A-18C/E/F),  
Deputy and Commander, USS *John F  
Kennedy*, USS *George Washington*

04/07-06/07 Armed Forces Staff College, Norfolk, VA

07/07-09/08 U.S. Pacific Fleet, Honolulu, HI, Executive  
Assistant to the Commander

09/08-04/11 Navy Personnel Command, Millington,  
TN, PERS-4, Assistant Commander, NPC for  
Career Management

05/11-10/12 Carrier Strike Group NINE, USS *Abraham  
Lincoln* (F/A-18F), Commander

10/12-05/13 Carrier Strike Group THREE, USS *John C  
Stennis*, Commander

06/13-12/14 Naval Air Forces, Atlantic, Norfolk, VA,  
Commander

01/15-01/18 Naval Air Forces, Pacific, Coronado, CA,  
Commander

### **Summary of Post Military Work**

(1) 11/18-Present Vice President, F-35 Customer Programs,  
Lockheed Martin Aeronautics Company, Fort Worth, TX

### **Memberships**

- (1) Life member of Tailhook Association.
- (2) Life member of USNA Alumni Association.

### **Personal**

- (1) Wife Peggy, amazing partner on our Navy journey since 1987, married in Sep 1989.
- (2) Blessed with two daughters, Lucy (17 Jan 1999), graduated from University of Wisconsin, Madison (2022) and Grace (5 Jun 2000), Colorado State University.
- (3) Too cheap to buy coffee mugs & t-shirts, so managed all three fleet tours (JO, DH, XO/CO) in the Gunslingers. Six months in Washington, DC in 35 years (sorry Nasty), and privileged to command two CSGs on back-to-back deployments.

