

**The Okinawa Diary of Russ Hannah, Signalman USN  
Sometimes called "Flags" or "Skivvy Waver".  
The events recorded here were written the best way I know  
how. Grammar mistakes included.  
It is what it is.  
This small piece of World War 2 history is dedicated to.**

**My deceased wife Florence Rita Riemer Hannah.  
Sixty two years of love together.**

**All the Hannah's**

**Ancestor Wm. E Quinn. Great-grandfather. USN Civil War Gun  
Boats, Mississippi Squadron, Battle for Vicksburg.**

**Ancestor Arthur L Hargreaves. Grandfather, Cruiser Great  
White Fleet. USS converted yacht Aphrodite. Sub Chaser  
World War 1.**

**Victor Zacksher, Brother-in-law. Destroyer USN (Pacific).  
World War2**

**Willard Roy Baird, Brother-in-law. Destroyer.**

**Gordon Hannah Nephew, USN Atomic Submarine. (Retired)  
Commander Naval Reserve.**

**Special Friend James Bauernfeind, New Jersey State Park  
Police. Bosun Mate USN and his Motto "Go Navy."**