

JOUETT'S THIRD

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COMMANDER NICHOLAS BROWN, USN

Born in Providence, Rhode Island, on 1 July 1932, Commander Brown attended Groton School and three years of Harvard University before entering the U.S. Naval Academy in 1952. Graduating with distinction in 1956, he was then ordered to duty as First Lieutenant aboard the USS MITSCHER (DL-2) out of Newport, Rhode Island. Tours followed on the staff of COMCRUDESFLT 4 in Norfolk, and then in Sasebo, Japan, as Executive Officer of USS WIDGEON (MSC-208), Commanding Officer of USS ESTERO (AKL-5), and Commanding Officer of USS PEACOCK (MSC-198).

In 1962 he was selected as an Olmsted Scholar and took a master's degree in International Relations at the Institute of Political Studies of the University of Paris.

Commander Brown then went back to sea, first as Operations Officer and then as Executive Officer of USS INGRAHAM (DD-694), homeported in Newport, R.I. INGRAHAM formed part of the first destroyer squadron to be deployed from the East Coast to the waters off Vietnam. Ordered in 1967 to London as NATO Infrastructure Officer on the staff of Commander in Chief, U.S. Naval Forces Europe, he was subsequently assigned as Flag Secretary to the CinC.

His last assignment prior to reporting to JOUETT in October 1969 was as aide and Flag Lieutenant to the Commander in Chief, Pacific, at Honolulu.