

# **MISSING IN AMERICA PROJECT**

## **VETERAN RECOVERY PROGRAM**



#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### 2 Idaho Unclaimed Veterans and 1 Veteran Dependent to Receive Military Funeral Honors

Twin Falls, Idaho (March 3, 2022) – The MISSING IN AMERICA PROJECT will conduct its first mission in Twin Falls, Idaho by honoring two veterans whose remains have been in the care of the Twin Falls Coroner's office yet remained unclaimed. We will also honor one of the veteran's dependent wife.

Services will be conducted with full military honors for the following veterans at 1:00 p.m., Friday, April 8<sup>th</sup>, at the Snake River Canyon National Cemetery, 1585 E Elm St, in Buhl, ID.

#### Committal Shelter

Arthur John Phelps (1920-1998) US Navy, 1946-1963, WWII and Korean Anne Irene Phelps (1927-2003) wife of Arthur John Phelps Lewis Bryant Wall Jr (1913-2000) US Navy, 1944-1945, WWII

The purpose of the MISSING IN AMERICA PROJECT is to locate, identify and inter the unclaimed cremated remains of veterans through the joint efforts of private, state and federal organizations; to provide honor and respect to those who have served this country, by securing a final resting place for these forgotten heroes. MIAP is a non-profit, 100% volunteer organization. For more information, visit www.miap.us.

Service Details:

Date:	April 8, 2022
Place:	Twin Falls City Park
Address:	400 Shoshone St E, Twin Falls, ID, 83301
Line Up Time:	12:00 am
Transfer of Urns:	12:30 pm
Departure Time:	12:30 pm
Place of Interment:	Snake River Canyon National Cemetery
Address:	1585 E Elm St, in Buhl, ID 83316
Time:	1:00 pm

Government officials, the public, and the media are invited to attend. If you are attending, RSVP to Coleen Florke at the email shown in the contact information. All COVID-19 guidelines in place for each location will be strictly enforced. If you are over the age of 65 and/or have underlying medical conditions, we ask that you take all necessary precautions and advisements by the State of Idaho or refrain from attending the service this year.

For information and/or pre-event media coverage: Coleen Florke – MIAP State Coordinator <u>miap.id.cflorke@gmail.com</u>