

**PAUL A. STADER**  
**Captain, United States Navy**

Captain Stader attended the United States Naval Academy graduating in 1988. He selected the USS HARRY W HILL (DD 986) based in San Diego for his first assignment.

Subsequent sea duties included CICO of USS COWPENS (CG 63) in San Diego; Operations Officer of USS CURTIS WILBUR (DDG 54) in Yokosuka, Japan; Operations Officer of USS YORKTOWN (CG 48) in Pascagoula; Executive Officer of USS GETTYSBURG (CG 64) in Mayport; Commanding Officer of USS ROSS (DDG 71) in Norfolk; and Commanding Officer of USS HUE CITY (CG 66).

Captain Stader's shore duty assignments included Naval Postgraduate School (Masters of Science in C41); Department Head Detailer in Millington, TN; Aide to the Chief of Naval Operations, and action officer at SOCOM in Tampa. During this tour, he deployed to Bagram, Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. In his most recent shore assignment, Captain Stader was Head, Washington DC Placement Branch at Navy Personnel Command in Millington, TN.

He is married to the former Jennie Lee De Gaglia of Ft Lauderdale, FL and they reside in Jacksonville, Florida.