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Dear Admirals

Nov. 30, 1990

In one of your recent columns, I believe you mentioned that you were both Destroyer Shippin.

On the off chance that you may not have heard of "The Tin Can Sailor", I am enclosing two applications for membership. The all too brief time I spent on the destroyer Bronson, I count as the most remembered time of my 64 1/2 years. I believe it still though the Tin Can Sailor News letter sends quarterly.

Please, if you are already member, have a member of your office staff pass on the application. Over 12,000 destroyer men are members.

Sincerely

Joe Zimmmer SC 2

Jim Zimm
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P.S. I read you in the Conservative Chronicle

I WANT TO BE A MEMBER OF THE MOST IMPORTANT U.S. NAVY OUTFIT IN THE WORLD --

TIN CAN SAILORS, INC.

The organization is made up of present and former Destroyer men and Destroyer Boosters. Tin Can Sailors is home based at Battleship Cove, Fall River, Massachusetts on board the USS Joseph P. Kennedy, Jr. (DD-850) the first U.S. Navy destroyer that has been preserved and opened to the public for visitation. Some 150,000 people a year visit the four fighting ships at Battleship Cove.

We are building a museum and a library on the Kennedy that will tell the story of the destroyer and the contributions of the men who sail them - this will be your story. We need income from you to make your destroyer museum and library a reality. You are proud of your service or your interest in the "greyhounds of the sea." Many \$ are needed to preserve the destroyer for posterity. The destroyer is not just another surface ship but has her own special identity. Tin Can Sailors are special.

Get your annual membership in so we can keep moving ahead. Roust your shipmates out of their recliners and backyard lawn chairs and get them signed up, too. We've got a big job to do and we've just started.

We'll supply contributors with red, white and blue Tin Can Sailors membership cards. This will give you and your immediate family free admission to the Kennedy and the other three fighting ships at Battleship Cove. You will also receive later a free subscription to the Tin Can Sailors newsletter. We'll also help you trace your shipmates. National reunions are held each year. We don't have dues because dues are not approved as a tax deduction by the IRS. Contributions are approved. Make your check payable to:

"TIN CAN SAILORS INC"

Honor Membership Contribution	\$1000
Life Membership Contribution.....	\$ 500
Trustee Membership Contribution.....	\$ 250
Sponsor Membership Contribution.....	\$ 100
Regular Membership Contribution.....	\$ 50
Special Family Membership Contribution.....	\$ 25
Normal Membership Contribution.....	\$ 10

Detach and send to me and Thanks,
Edward J. Ward, executive secretary, Battleship Cove, Fall River, Mass. 02721

PLEASE PRINT

Name _____ Wife's Name _____

Home Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Occupation or type of business _____ Position _____

Give the name of your ship(s) [4 limit] _____

Dates served on each _____

Navy rank or rate _____

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NAME

ADDRESS

STATE

ZIP



E. R. ZUMWALT, JR.
ADMIRAL, U. S. NAVY (RET.)

26 April 1990

Joe Zimmer

Dear Joe:

Many thanks for your letter of March 30. I attach a copy of my earlier recruitment for Tin Can Sailors, Inc. by Quentin Miller.

All best wishes to you.

Sincerely,


E. R. Zumwalt, Jr.

1500 Wilson Boulevard
Arlington, Virginia 22209
703/841-8960

Attachment

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Name Elmo Russell Zumwalt, Jr Wife's Name Mouza C Zumwalt
 Home Address 1500 Wilson Blvd City Arlington State VA Zip 22209
 Occupation or type of business Consultant Position President
 Give the name of your ship(s) (4 limit) USS Phelps (DD 360) USS Robinson (DD 582) USS Sawflay (DD 465)
USS Tillis (DD 748) USS Arnold J. Isbell (DD 865)
USS Dewey (DLG 14)
 Dates served on each _____
 Navy rank or rate Admiral

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