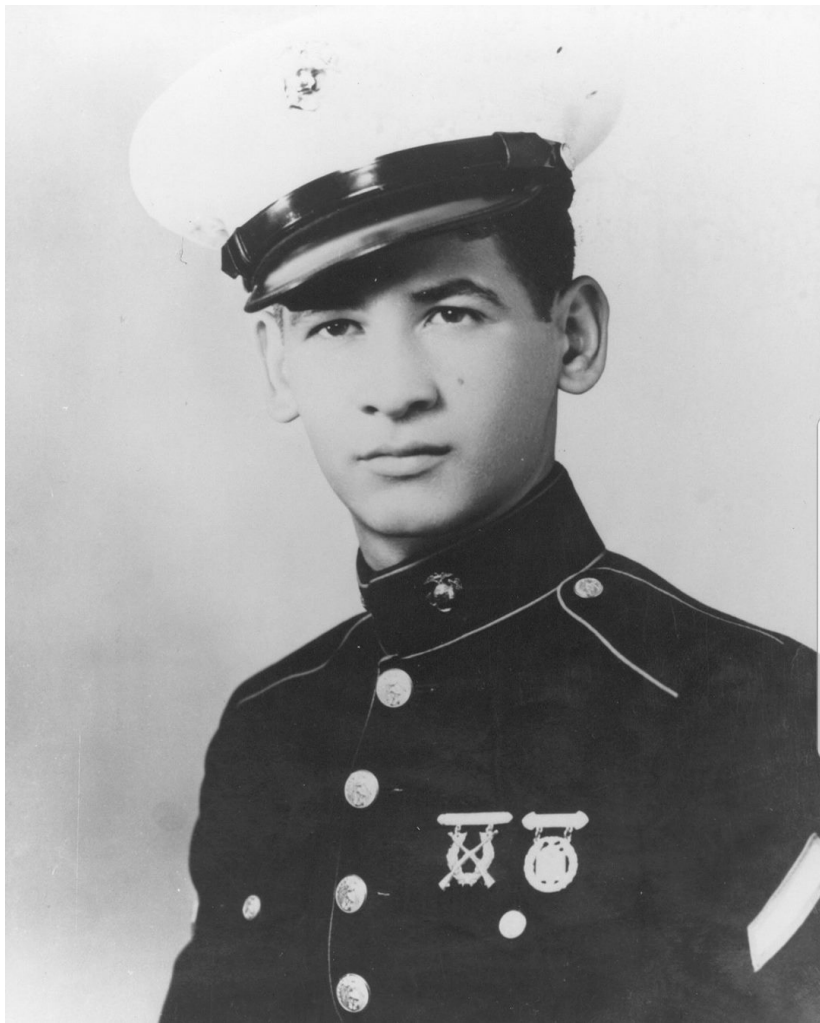


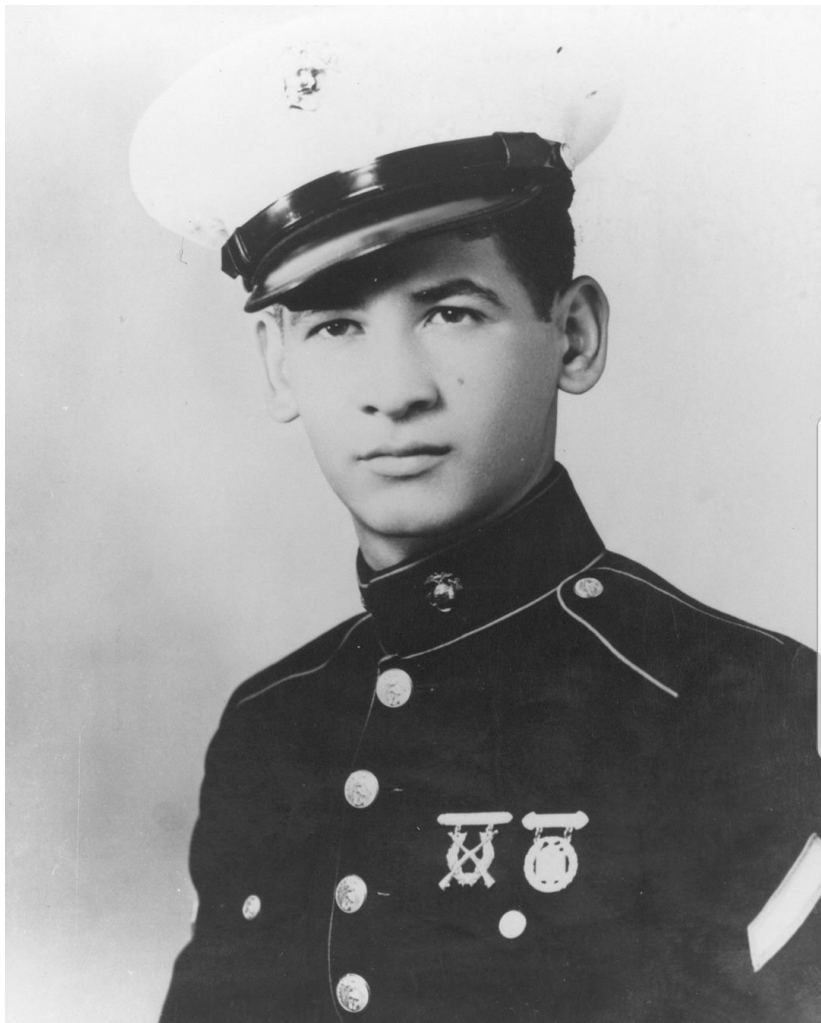
MEDAL OF HONOR DAY

Honor those who have gone above and beyond the call of duty.

Detachment 1347 takes great pride in carrying the legacy of their namesake - Private First Class Eugene Arnold Obregon, Medal of Honor Recipient (Korean War), SEMPER FIDELIS!



PFC Obregon (Nov 12, 1930 - Sep 26, 1950) is a United States Marine who was posthumously awarded the United States highest military decoration for valor - the MEDAL OF HONOR - for sacrificing his life to save that of a wounded comrade during the Second Battle of Seoul. On September 26, 1950, Private First Class Obregon was fatally wounded by enemy machine gun fire while using his body to shield a wounded fellow Marine. Continued to slide 3...



PFC. Obregon, of Mexican American descent, was born on Nov 12, 1930 in East Los Angeles, California. He attended Theodore Roosevelt High School in Los Angeles before enlisting in the United States Marine Corps on June 7, 1948, at the age of 17.

SEMPER FIDELIS!



Virginia LaCarra, holding the MEDAL OF HONOR, she was so proud of her brother, Medal of Honor Recipient, PFC Eugene A. Obregon. Please reflect on her spirit and person. SEMPER FIDELIS!