



Dwayne Williams

Daggett Chapter Speaker August 4, 2018

- Grandson: Austin Williams
- Born: Greenville; raised in Littlefield, Tx
- Neighbor: Waylon Jennings
- Graduated from Seminole High School
- Entered US Army 1965; Vietnam 66-67 Vihn Long, Mekong Delta
- Petroleum Helicopters 1969-1973
- Bell Helicopter International (1974-1979) Chief Pilot for Advanced flight training in Iran
- Bell Helicopter Textron Inc. (1979-2005)
- Chief Pilot (rose to Chief Pilot)
- Notable Programs:
 - Conducted first flights in 12 models
 - Conducted helicopter aerobatics on the 680 rotor system
 - Model 609 tilt rotor flights leading to the V-22 tilt rotor
 - Flew the Bell Corporate Jet for chase flights of tilt rotor
- After retirement at Bell, became Chief Pilot for MD Helicopters in Arizona from 2006-2012
- In 2012 – became an NVG pilot for Aerodynamics (present)
- 2016 – Received the “Wright Brothers Master Pilot Award” for 50 years as an FAA certified pilot.

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