

All, a hearty “THANK YOU!” to EVERYONE who made yesterdays’ occasion truly special. Together (55th WG, 55th WG ASSN, alums, family and friends—even passers-by the Museum 😊)--TOTAL estimates approximately 50-60 attendees), we made it a much appreciated, traditional affair and celebratory way to start 2025. A crisp salute goes to Col “A-Ron” Gray who addressed the crowd following a group photo op (attached)--successfully tying in the WG’s heritage and former leaders; as well as, an update on the WG’s pending organizational transition at Offutt. SPOT ON! Another notable observance, was active-duty participation—by many accounts, a record-breaking presence. Finally, MANY thanks to the behind-the-scenes team who prepped the Museum, prepared the “grazing table”/drinks and cleaned up--despite a day change to accommodate Pres Carter funeral services and Nebraska’s bone chilling cold. Will definitely be a feature in our next VIDEMUS OMNIA Newsletter. I earlier challenged all to “spread the word” on our time-honored tradition—and the *Fightin’ Fifty-fifth*, once more, DELIVERED!

Joe

