

## Commanders, Escort Squadrons

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command of USS MARSH (DE-699) and USS L. E. SWENSON (DD-729). His other former assignments include that of Director of Training, Staff, Commanding General, Armed Forces Special Weapons Project, Sandia Base; Coordinator, Electronics program in the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations; and head, Combat Direction Systems Branch of Surface

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CAPT V. F. Kuntz  
ComCortRon FOURTEEN

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CDR C. A. Sander  
ComCortRon TEN

Type Warfare Division of OpNav.

CDR Sander, a 1940 graduate of the Naval Academy, has served in several destroyers and has held

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USS HARTLEY (DE-1029)

Played a key role in rescue operations in the BONITAS disaster

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## Escorts

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### U.S.S. HARTLEY

The USS HARTLEY (DE-1029) just had her first birthday. She was commissioned 26 June 1957 at Philadelphia Naval Shipyard.

The HARTLEY recently played a key role in rescue operations in the BONITAS disaster. Acting as Rescue Area Commander, the HARTLEY picked up seven bodies of Italian merchant sailors, after 16 hours of frantic search operations, mostly at night and in 30-foot seas.

Commanding Officer is LCDR Charles N. Crandall, Jr., USN, a 1944 graduate of the Naval Academy.



LCDR Charles N. Crandall, Jr.  
USS HARTLEY

command of USS CALDWELL (DD-605) and USS McCAFFERY (DDE-860). He also served on the Staff, Commander Amphibious Force, Atlantic; Surface War Type Division, Amphibious Warfare Branch, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations; and Staff, Commander Allied Forces Southern Europe, Training Division.

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