

## Paul Glass awarded APS 50-year Medallion



Paul Glass grew up in St. Paul, Minnesota. He graduated from the University of Minnesota in 1960 with a degree in Political Science. Following graduation, he served in the U.S. Air Force for 26 years, retiring in 1986 as a Lt. Colonel. While in the military, Mr. Glass earned a degree in Languages from Yale University, a degree in History from the University of Maryland, and a Masters Degree in Business from the Air Force Institute of Technology.

Following his military service, Mr. Glass worked for the County of San Bernardino, California, retiring in 2002 as the Chief of Engineering and Operations for the County's Waste System Division.

Mr. Glass has been a collector since the fourth grade and has interests in the U.S., Canada, and the U.N. Currently, he is concentrating on the classic worldwide stamp issues (1840-1940). He is a life member of the American Philatelic Society (APS), and a member of the Board of Directors of the International Society of Worldwide Stamp Collectors.



He is an active member of the Nevada Stamp Study Society in Sparks, Nevada. He serves on the Board of Directors and Committee for the annual Greater Reno Stamp & Cover Show. From 2007 to 2011, he held the office of Treasurer. Mr. Glass is certified as a Boy Scout Merit Badge counselor and is the liaison to the APS for the local chapter. And just to keep a little busy Mr. Glass is listed in the APS estate advisory directory. He presented a local stamp club program last fall outlining the qualifications and duties to help family and heirs with stamp collection decisions.

In July, Paul Glass received his APS 50-year medallion at a meeting of the Nevada Stamp Study Society. The group picture was taken at the July 27 meeting with 29 members being present.

The Nevada Stamp Study Society meets on the 2nd and 4th Saturday from 10 a.m. to about noon. An auction is held at the first meeting of the month with up to 60 items on display. The second meeting of the month is consignment sales and an educational program. In January, a new website was established which received a Silver award in the 2013 APS web site competition for combined club/society and stamp show. Come visit us at <http://renostamp.org>.