

# Arizona's Distinguished Shooters



## Distinguished Rifleman

1922 † Charles W. Harris – Prescott  
1923 † Daniel V. Brodhead – Arizona  
1923 † True B. Harmsen – Phoenix  
1923 † Edward McNamee – Phoenix  
1923 † Albert W. Mewhall – Arizona  
1924 † Crawford Buell – Arizona  
1924 † Cecil H. Cook – Prescott  
1924 † R. Elton Cook – Arizona  
1924 † George K. Robel – Arizona  
1927 † Morton C. Mumma, Jr. – Tucson  
1929 † George Parker – Amado  
1929 † **Harry N. Renshaw** – Nogales  
1938 † Lloyd Jenkins – Tucson  
1947 † William Dean Wilson – Teec Nos Pos  
1951 † **Harlan Carter** – Green Valley  
1953 Louis J. North – Sun City  
1955 † Francis J. Cannon – Phoenix  
1956 **Frederick W. Filkins** – Prescott  
1957 † Eugene F. Bayless, Jr. – Phoenix  
1957 † Robert Rutherford – Phoenix  
1957 Alan M. Dapp – Aguila  
1959 **Gasper Perry Defino** – Nogales  
1960 Charles Rodgers – Phoenix  
1960 † Louis Roninger – Phoenix  
1960 Middleton Tompkins – Prescott  
1961 Richard Thomson – Phoenix  
1962 Allen W. Harry – Littleton, CO  
1963 Taylor Bellsmith – Sun City  
1965 Edwin Pfeiffer – Raton, New Mexico  
1965 Johnnie Wilder – Phoenix  
90AF **Arlie Jones** – Glendale  
1967 **Elizabeth Espointour** – Mesa  
1967 Robert Jensen – Paradise Valley  
1968 **Martin Edmondson** – Col. Springs, CO  
1968 Charles Byers – Phoenix  
1968 Dean Oakes – Hereford  
1968 Richard Thompson – Phoenix

1969 Dale Fosjord – Mesa  
116AF Donald Moody – Tucson  
1971 Lloyd Van Sickle – Scottsdale  
1971 Howard Jensen – Phoenix  
1972 Franklin Behl – Peeples Valley  
1972 **William Meek** – Sahuarita  
1973 John C. Andres – Peoria  
1973 **Peter Church** – Black Canyon City  
1973 Albert Coats – Mesa  
123AF Joseph M. Decker – Glendale  
1975 Robert Burcher – Tucson  
1976 Walter H. Smith – Prescott  
1977 Joseph Felix – Florence  
1977 Hager Hollon – Mesa  
1978 Gregory Fallon – Tucson  
1978 Dominic Bakula – Tucson  
1980 John Zaborac – Sierra Vista  
1981 Ronald C. Fuchs – Glendale  
1981 **Richard S. Curtis** – Phoenix  
1982 Steven Merritt – Apache Junction  
157AF Terry Martino – Mesa  
163AF Audie Williams – Tucson  
170AF Richard Serreno – Tucson  
172AF Earl Hines – Cody, Wyoming  
1984 **Roger Yanez** – Phoenix  
1984 Arthur Glenn Pearce – Cottonwood  
1984 † William H. Harsha – Tucson  
1985 John R. Walker – Phoenix  
1985 Ronald Deradourain – Phoenix  
1985 Michael D. Harlow – Phoenix  
1985 Michael Irish – Tucson  
1986 David A. Milosevich – Sequim, WA  
1986 Lee R. McKinney – Rio Rico  
1986 Christopher M. Irish – Tucson  
1986 Scott A. Medesha – Apache Junction  
195AF Arnold Kruse – Tucson  
1987 † Norris W. Luebke – Phoenix

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1987 **Derrick Martin** – Mesa  
1987 Vaughn A. Sieweumptewa – Second Mesa  
1987 Roger M. Whitney – Tucson  
1988 Rick Smart – Tucson  
1988 † Jeffrey Clegg – Phoenix  
1988 Kelly S. Neal – Tucson  
1988 Kelly McDowell – Yuma  
1988 Kevin M. Landers – Mesa  
1988 Gregory Gamboa – Florence  
1988 **Albert J. Turner** – Tonopah  
1989 Ronald J. Fuchs – Chandler  
1989 **James Musser** – Glendale  
1989 James F. Landers – Mesa  
1989 Nancy H. Tompkins – Prescott  
1990 Jerome J. Twibell – Georgia  
1990 **Robert H. Vangene** – Mesa  
1990 Charles R. Fryer – Phoenix  
1991 Richard A. Piper – Mesa  
1991 Diane Andres – Peoria  
1991 **Leonard E. Hall** – Tucson  
1991 Rufus J. Moore – Pinon  
1992 Allen J. Elliott – Florence  
1992 **German A. Salazar** – Phoenix  
1992 † **Brad S. Mundell** – Phoenix  
1992 Thomas R. McCowan – Prescott  
1993 Thomas A. Shumaker – Clifton  
1994 Robert C. Yaussy – Flagstaff  
1994 James P. Carter – Nebraska  
1994 Steven H. Vankirk – Mesa  
1995 Frank A. Lucero – Holbrook  
265AF Robert Swisher – Phoenix  
1996 **Todd Bensley** – Las Cruces, NM  
1996 Nez Rongero – Mesa  
1996 James R. Evenson – Mesa  
1997 Craig Piper – Mesa  
1997 **Fred Stansbury** – Phoenix  
1998 **Steve Reiter** – Tucson

1998 Ronald Smith – Phoenix  
1998 Danielle Abbott – Mesa  
1999 **Scott Follmer** – Strawberry  
1999 Harland Peelle – Leesburg, Virginia  
2000 Tom Albanito – Glendale  
2000 Liana L. Bombardier – Phoenix  
2000 **Isaac A. Smith** – Tucson  
2001 William E. Poole – Scottsdale  
2001 Lawrence E. Weidell – Casa Grande  
2001 James H. Denovcheck – Tucson  
2001 Jack Allen – Bonner Co., Idaho  
2002 **Robert J. Pirisky** – Tucson  
2002 Phillip E. Hayes – Glendale  
2002 Sherri Gallagher – Prescott  
2002 Jeffrey Kellow – Queen Creek  
2003 Eric Smith – Chino Valley  
2003 John P. Salazar – Flagstaff  
2004 Justin D. Skaret – Tucson  
2005 Fredric D. Fadeley – Phoenix  
2005 Timothy W. Hibbs – Casa Grande  
2005 Daniel A. Rodriguez – Tucson  
2006 William J. Gibson – Tucson  
2006 David A. Johnson – Tucson  
2007 Gregory I. Swanson – Phoenix  
2007 Tyler Rico – Tucson  
2008 John Kuhns – Chandler  
2008 Andrew Swazey – Phoenix  
2008 Cecil Rico – Tucson  
2009 Tomas Gonzalez – Prescott

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## Distinguished Pistol Shot

1929 † **Harry N. Renshaw** – Nogales  
1938 † **Harlan Carter** – Green Valley  
1940 † Lee Echols – Phoenix  
1940 † Arnold L. Meloche – Phoenix  
1949 † Raymond Nielsen – Mesa  
1951 † Norman R. Adair – Yuma  
1953 † William D. Yazzie – Chinle  
1953 Arthur G. Snyder – Arizona  
1954 **Frederick W. Filkins** – Prescott  
1955 **Gasper Perry Defino** – Nogales  
031AF **Edwin L. Teague** – Mesa  
1958 **Nelson H. Lincoln** – Flagstaff  
1957 William C. Joyner – Tucson  
1957 † **Elmer Bill Hilden** – Yuma  
1960 Ray McKnight – Tucson  
1966 † **Donald C. Nygord** – Prescott  
1967 † Thomas Mataya – Phoenix  
1969 **Leonard E. Hall** – Tucson  
1969 Douglas Bronson – Tempe  
1971 **Sallie Carroll** – Ash Fork  
1971 Carl Shrader – Flagstaff  
1972 **Steve Reiter** – Tucson  
1972 † George Sprague – Yuma  
1974 James Swanson – Phoenix  
1976 John Frye – Mesa  
1976 Luis Olivas – Tempe  
1977 Donald Kling – Gilbert  
1978 **Roger Yanez** – Phoenix  
1978 Everett Turner – Arizona  
1979 **Ruby E. Fox** – Parker  
218AF Dennis Bridge – Tucson  
1980 Frank Glenn – Phoenix  
1985 **James Musser** – Glendale  
1986 Terry Bronson – Tempe  
1986 † Ronald Morency – Glendale  
1988 † Jim Baltisberger – Phoenix  
1989 **Isaac A. Smith** – Tucson

1989 John S. Zurek – Chandler  
1991 **Albert J. Turner** – Tonopah  
1993 Kent Smith – Phoenix  
1993 Anibal Chincilla – Tucson  
1994 Chuck Jones – Flagstaff  
1995 **German A. Salazar** – Phoenix  
1995 Fritz Ficke – Tucson  
1996 **Derrick Martin** – Mesa  
1997 **Fred Stansbury** – Phoenix  
1997 † **Brad S. Mundell** – Phoenix  
1999 **Scott J. Follmer** – Strawberry  
2000 **Robert J. Pirisky** – Tucson  
2000 Gary A. McIntire – Show Low  
2000 Dale E. Brandon – Sun City  
2000 Donald R. Plante – Gilbert  
2004 Kevin Moore – Gilbert  
2006 Jon Milan – Phoenix  
2007 William W. Weldon – Snowflake  
2008 Allen M. Young – Yuma

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## **Distinguished International Shooter**

1929 † **Harry N. Renshaw** – Nogales  
1958 **Nelson H. Lincoln** – Flagstaff  
1967 **Edwin Teague** – Mesa  
1970 **Sallie L.E. Carroll** – Ash Fork  
1970 † **Elmer Bill Hilden** – Yuma  
1973 **Steve Reiter** – Tucson  
1973 **Arlie Jones** – Glendale  
1974 **Ruby E. Fox** – Parker  
1975 **Ernest J. Vande Zande** – Mesa  
1977 John Anderson – Phoenix  
1979 † **Donald C. Nygord** – Prescott  
1982 **Todd Bensley** – Las Cruces, NM  
1989 **Martin Edmondson** – Col. Springs, CO  
1992 **William Meek** – Sahuarita  
1999 † **Elaine S. Proffitt** – Mesa  
2007 Emily Blount – Tucson

## **Distinguished Smallbore Prone Rifleman**

1966 † George J. Stidworthy – Prescott  
1973 **Ernest J. Vande Zande** – Mesa  
1975 Mary E. Sparling – Tucson  
1978 **David P. Avril** – Glendale  
1983 † **Brad S. Mundell** – Phoenix  
1993 Robert E. Holtzman – Scottsdale  
2004 **German A. Salazar** – Phoenix  
2004 **Cynthia L. Estep** – Puyallup, Wash.  
2007 **Richard S. Curtis** – Phoenix  
2009 **Peter Church** – Black Canyon City

## **Distinguished Smallbore Position Rifleman**

1968 **Elizabeth Espointour** – Mesa  
1970 **Robert H. Vangene** – Mesa  
1973 Richard A. Bassett – Sun City West  
1975 **Ernest J. Vande Zande** – Mesa  
1976 Larry P. Spoden – Sun City West  
1977 **David P. Avril** – Glendale  
1977 † **Elaine S. Proffitt** – Mesa  
1986 Haven J. Williams – Surprise  
2000 **Cynthia L. Estep** – Puyallup, Wash.