

Subject: Fwd: Gone West  
Date: 9/8/2015 2:08:09 P.M. Pacific Daylight Time  
From: vsikora

Griffins,

Received this from Granny and Shredder. A well said message from the American Airline union, and a great picture of two best friends.

Siko

Begin forwarded message:

**From: AA777FB**  
**Subject: Fwd: Gone West**  
**Date:** September 8, 2015 at 10:56:21 AM PDT  
**To: vsikora**

Vic, This is a blast from our Union about Warf. Could you send it on to the Griffins?

Thanks, Granny

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From: [lax-reps@alliedpilots.org](mailto:lax-reps@alliedpilots.org)  
To: AA777FB  
Sent: 9/8/2015 10:37:19 A.M. Pacific Daylight Time  
Subj: Gone West



It is with a heavy heart that I share the news of the loss of one of our union's finest aviators and truest friends. Soon to be Airbus Captain Chris Seher, also a recently retired Lt. Colonel with the Fresno Air National Guard flying F-16's, passed away in a tragic accident while boating in Shoreline Village in Long Beach. Chris lived a pilot's dream. On his days off, he often flew his RV-8 alongside his father's RV-8 out of Reno-Stead Airfield. Chris' Father, Scott Seher, is a retired American Airlines captain and a retired Colonel from the Reno Air National Guard. Before flying RV-8s together, Chris and his father flew F-4 Phantoms together. Before Scott's retirement, Chris and his father had the opportunity to crew the S-80 together out of SFO.

Chris spent over 27 years defending our country; and nearly 17 years flying American Airlines passengers safely home to their families. Now our family mourns his loss. Those of us who had the privilege to get to know Chris will remember him as not only a steadfast friend, but a great leader. Chris is survived by his parents, Scott and Trisha Seher, his fiancé, Gina Cafarelli, and his many, many friends who all considered him a best friend.

God's speed, brother. I'm sure as I write this you're already full afterburner with your hair on fire, testing the boundaries of that Great Unknown.

--Captain James Williams, on behalf of Chris and his countless friends and admirers.



Siko,  
Thought you and the guys might be interested in what an American Airlines union representative (APA) and friend had to say about Warf. Difficult to accept a friend who so enjoyed life and all that it had to offer, is gone.

God Speed Warf.  
Shredder

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