

I walked up the gangway on a bitter cold morning, (went thru boot camp so quick they didn't have enough *Peacoats* for all of us). I was put in the Fire Control and Radar division as I had just completed a gunnery school in Norfolk, VA. However I wound up becoming a Cook & Baker as the results of doing KP and I knew I would eat good if I struck to being a cook, as another fellow also named Roberts was a 2nd class cook. He liked the way I worked. I really think he was a little prejudiced because of the name. At any rate it turned out better for me.

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