

Interview on experiences in World War II

Rutan was drafted into the Navy in 1944 and served until 1946 in the Naval Air Assembly & Repair. Interviewed by Steve Germes on Oct 2, 2007, Rutan talked about military experiences in the Second World War. The 2005 Kansas Legislature passed a bill funding the WWII Veterans Oral History grant program. This transcript is from one of the nine community institutions that received these grants. The transcript from the interview is presented here; the original video copy of the interview is available through the Greater Barber County Historical Action Assn and through the Kansas State Historical Society.

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