

U.S.S. DAVIS



"For conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity at the risk of his life above and beyond the call of duty as Commanding Officer of USS WALKE, engaged in a detached mission in support of minesweeping operations to clear the waters for the entry of our heavy surface and amphibious forces preparatory to the invasion of Lingayan Gulf, Luzon, Philippine Islands, January 6, 1945." Commander Davis was post humously awarded the Medal of Honor. . . . This was the man for whom our ship is named.

Commissioning



COMMANDER BALL, REAR ADM. WM. HOWARD, MRS. DAVIS, VICE ADM. LIBBY, REAR ADM. SNACKENBERG.

COMMANDER BALL, MRS. DAVIS AND HER SONS WITH PICTURE OF COMMANDER DAVIS.