



Golden  
Eagles

## ***Congratulations***

on your retirement as a United Airlines Pilot...

**A**nd thank you on behalf of all coworkers and retirees for your many years of dedicated service. We know that retirement is a major life change which can present questions and challenges that we can help you with. We are the Golden Eagles, retired or senior working pilots originally from the former airlines that comprised Continental Airlines before our merger with United Airlines, but now welcoming pilots from either of the merger partners.

## **Our Mission**

**I**s to provide a valuable resource of old and new friends who share information, memories, common concerns and fellowship with other retired and senior working pilots. We provide social gatherings that have a simple common purpose; to provide a means to communicate and share time and fellowship with other senior and retired pilots regardless of background airline.

## **The Golden Eagles**

**O**rganization has no labor or political positions, but exists to maintain friendships from our working years. One of the greatest rewards of an airline flying career is the many friendships that one makes. Upon retirement one of the disappointments is losing contact with so many of these fellow pilots. Joining the Golden Eagles can preserve old friendships while building new ties to be enjoyed during the years ahead. We provide a warm welcome to all new members, and exist simply to provide the means to maintain contact with and share news with our friends. Occasionally, we can assist members with travel or other questions, or interface with the company.

## **Events**

**T**he Golden Eagles encourage and facilitate reunions in various locations, determined by members in that region. There is also a series of Local Area Chapters that meet on a frequent basis for breakfast, lunch or other short duration gatherings. Currently, we have several chapters in the Houston area, one in the Texas Hill Country, Denver and the East coast.



## Our Website

[www.thegoldeneagles.org](http://www.thegoldeneagles.org)

Is a digital interface, providing a wealth of helpful information including contact and photo rosters, current and past issues of our Golden Contrails magazines, and an archive of past "blast mail" notices, in addition to a repository of photo and video memorabilia.

## Membership

Every pilot, age fifty and over, from any pre-merger subsidiary airline of United Airlines is cordially invited to become a member of the Golden Eagles. Membership is offered to Retired or over age 50 active pilots of United or Continental Airlines. There is a one time ONLY fee of \$35 to join with no further dues.

**Please complete the online membership application form located on our website:**

[www.thegoldeneagles.org](http://www.thegoldeneagles.org)

**Under the Quick Links, on the HOME page.**



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