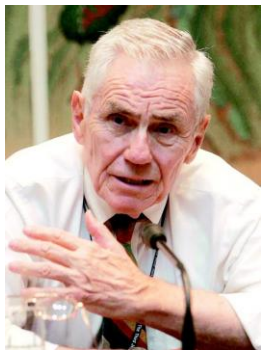


***RETIRED MEN'S ASSOCIATION OF GREENWICH, Inc. (RMA)
invites you to attend its meeting, on Wed. March 25, 2015.
First Presbyterian Church, Lafayette Pl., Greenwich.***

AMBASSADOR DONALD P. GREGG

NORTH KOREA: THE PERPETUAL OUTSIDER



Ambassador Donald Gregg has devoted 43 years of service to the United States in the fields of intelligence and remains actively involved on matters of public affairs and policy. He is widely acknowledged as the consummate diplomatic professional, with a deep understanding of Asia and the Korean peninsula. For the last 33 years, he has been **one of** America's top officials responsible for following and analyzing North and South Korea, and setting policy in the region. He has visited North Korea six times, most recently in 2014. He will provide his personal and professional insights about North Korea, which has long been, and remains, an enigma on the world political scene, and the prospects of peace.

After his work for the US government, he served 16 years as President, Chairman, then Chairman Emeritus of The Korea Society in New York City, and in 2012 was appointed Chairman of the Pacific Century Institute, a position he still holds.

After graduating from Williams College in 1951, he began a 31-year career with the CIA, serving in CIA Intelligence posts in Japan, Burma and then Vietnam during the height of the Vietnam War. He was special assistant to the Ambassador of Korea; in charge of intelligence activities and Asian policy under National Security Director Brzezinski; and National Security Advisor to Vice President George H.W. Bush, travelling to 65 countries.

He was U.S. Ambassador to the Republic Of Korea from 1989 to 1993, a period of frequent transition of governments and confrontation with North Korea. Among his many honors are the Secretary of Defense Medal for Outstanding Public Service, the Distinguished Service Award from the American Committees on Foreign Relations and a decoration from the prime minister of Korea.

His book *Pot Shards, Fragments of a Life lived in CIA, the White House and the Two Koreas*, published in 2014, takes readers on a journey through Northeast and Southeast Asia and the corridors of power in Washington, D.C. It is a significant contribution to the record of the U.S. experience in the Far East written by a major player. He will sign copies of his book if you bring one along to this important presentation.

RMA meetings are free and open to the public; no reservations are required. Please plan to arrive around 10:45 for our social break (coffee and cake), followed by our speaker at 11:00. Meetings are held at the First Presbyterian Church in Greenwich. For additional information, call Bernard Schneider, 203-698-2558; bgsesq@gmail.com.