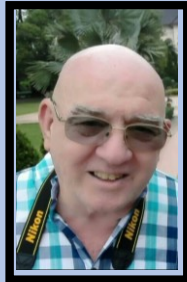


“Ocean Joss”



Spotlight on Thailand

By

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James Richard Henderson (**Jim**) has been a follower of “**Ocean Joss**” more or less from its creation, but our association dates back much longer to when we sailed together as apprentices with the Bank Line Ltd in the mid – 1960s.

Jim had a varied career at sea after Bank Line Ltd., having served as a deck officer with John Manners – Hong Kong, Jamaica Banana Producers, and Cunard Brocklebank, before leaving the Merchant Navy in 1971 to take up a shore appointment in London with Mobile Shipping. In his capacity as a senior executive in the shipping industry Jim has mostly lived and worked for a long period in various overseas locations including Tokyo, Kuwait, and lastly Dubai, where he resided for more than 20 years engaged by the Dubai Dry-Dock Company.

Jim has since retired and is enjoying his retirement in tropical Thailand. Thanks for your support, Jim.



A younger Jim when a deck officer with Bank Line.