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Dear Fellow Patriot,

Did you receive the special set of all occasion cards I sent to you a few weeks ago? They were designed just for patriotic friends like you who believe in protecting and honoring our veterans.

I sent your gift because I believe you deserve some recognition. Thank you for remembering our active duty military and wounded veterans. **Thank you for supporting the brave warriors who fight for our freedom!**

They need your help now more than ever ...

I know you realize how difficult life is for young men and women returning from war. The transition from battlefield to civilian life is often paved with job loss, medical nightmares and mental trauma. Is this the homecoming these selfless heroes deserve?

Definitely not!

You can help ensure that severely wounded veterans, struggling military families and the children of fallen heroes get the resources they need when times are hardest. All it takes is a gift to The American Legion. Can I count on you to step forward today?

Your gift makes such a difference. Everyone is watching their pennies these days. Believe me, we're all in the same boat. But it just doesn't seem right to cut corners at the expense of our veterans.

If you can manage a contribution today, any amount you send will help. I'll make sure that your gift is used to:

- **Pay for groceries, childcare, clothing** and more for military families whose lives are in chaos due to sudden and recurring deployments, through our Temporary Financial Assistance program (TFA).
- **Welcome home Active Duty, National Guard and Reserve veterans** through the Heroes to Hometowns program. This community-based program offers direct assistance to

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transitioning veterans who are trying to understand and access their earned benefits through the Department of Veterans Affairs. The assistance we are able to offer -- thanks to the support from people like you -- helps to smooth their transition from military service.

- **Protect the children of military families** with The American Legion Legacy Scholarship Fund. Providing for the education of children whose mother or father made the ultimate sacrifice in war is our civic duty.

Your cards are a gift given to you with no strings attached. And I've even enclosed a set of matching stickers as an additional gift. I just wanted to thank you for your loyal support. I can't depend on everyone like I can depend on you and that really means something.

I hope I can count on hearing from you soon.

If this letter and your contribution have crossed in the mail, please disregard this reminder. Instead, please accept my most sincere thanks on behalf of every veteran and military family touched by your kindness.

Thank you and may God bless you and your family.

Sincerely,



William A. Pease
National Development Director
The American Legion

P.S. I hope you received your all occasion cards and matching stickers in good shape. Will you please help us protect and honor our fellow veterans and military families with a gift to The American Legion today? We really need your help!



FREEDOM ISN'T FREE

Yes! I want to reaffirm my commitment to The American Legion and will support the important programs and services that benefit our veterans and their families. Enclosed is my gift of:

\$XX \$XX \$XX \$XX

Mr. John D. Sample
6201 E. 43rd St.
Tulsa, OK 74135

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Please make check payable to:
The American Legion

Use enclosed envelope or
mail to:
The American Legion
P.O. Box 21016, Tulsa, OK
74121-1016

Thank you!



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PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE?

- Please send me information on supporting our veterans with a bequest to The American Legion in my will.
- I have already included The American Legion in my will.

- I have included a check.

Please make check payable to: The American Legion.

Use enclosed envelope or mail to: P.O. Box 21016, Tulsa, OK 74121-1016

- Please charge my credit card.



Card Number: _____ Amount: \$ _____

Signature: _____ Expiration Date: _____



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