

PROCLAMATION

To all whom the presents shall come, GREETINGS:

When in the course of global affairs, it becomes necessary for a people to answer the call to duty, to serve their nation selflessly, to forfeit their aspirations for the betterment of our country, we express our deepest gratitude. As their service is a debt that may never be fully repaid, we are humbled to extend our acknowledgement and thanks to all our service members, now and forever, to be preserved in the sanctity of this proclamation.

WHEREAS, through peacetime and war, from MCRD Parris Island to the Chosin Reservoir, from Fort Benning to the Korengal Valley, your sacrifices are known. We see and honor the contributions you and your family have made in both the past and the present.

WHEREAS, the men and women who have fought for our country have relentlessly displayed their courage, vigilance, selfless dedication, and bravery for the betterment of our everyday lives and safety. These men and women who have, or continue to serve in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, Coast Guard, and Space Force.

WHEREAS, the sacrifices that all veterans have made for our country are not only presented when in uniform, but the invisible wounds they carry to this day. These individuals' courage will not go unnoticed, for as we will honor their great support for America, and how they continue to lead our communities with integrity.

THEREFORE, on this day, October 28, 2025, we pause to reflect through prayer and public ceremony the sacrifices of our Service Members, past and present. Personally, we honor every veteran for their bravery, sacrifice, courage, and selflessness for the benefit of our country.

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