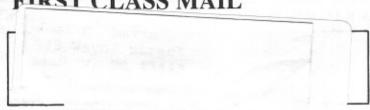


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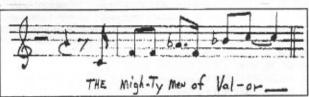
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How do you like the new masthead? Apparently we will be the first Veterans group not only to have an official march, but also the first to use a piece of the music as our logo. If you play the measure, you will hear THE MIGHTY MEN OF VAL-OR. Let us know how you like having this masthead.

THIS IS A SPECIAL EDITION!

and we ask you to read it carefully. Highlights include these stories:

- The Petition Of Grievance -- Dick Adams, has said it very clearly in his letter just above. Full text of the petition starts just below this story.
- AMERICA'S FORGOTTEN VICTORY -- KOREA. The banner head on this page came from Dick Adams; doesn't it sound better than The Forgotten War?
- Mighty Men of Valor -- our own official March. We need ALL OF YOU to join in buying the tape; read the full story; send in the order form and check list. See page 6.
- A new and special post office box has been established in Washington, D.
 C. for incoming donations to the Memorial. See how you -- and all your friends and neighbors -- can honor A Korean Veteran. See page 5.
- A petition for you and your friends to sign. See loose insert page.
- A form for discussion of this action with the print media. See page 6.
- Use your Credit Card to make your reservation NOW for the reunion; and use your Credit Card to pay for your hotel and travel arrangements as well as to buy from the KWVA Quartermaster.
- You can use your Credit Card to pay your membership dues.
- We are calling for thousands of veterans - from all wars - to march into Washington, D.C. and assemble on the Mall July 27. . .to silently protest to our government its failure to act positively and to tell us the truth about our Missing In Action. Will you join us there?

PETITION FOR REDRESS OF GRIEVANCES UNDER A GRANT OF RIGHT FOLLOWING THE FIRST AMENDMENT OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

THE KOREAN WAR VETERANS ASSOCIATION, INC. A Not-For- Profit Corporation
Richard Adams, President
P.O. Box 127
PETITIONERS

Carruthers, California 93609

TO: THE HONORABLE GEORGE BUSH RESPONDENTS PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

COMES NOW THE PETITIONERS AND PRAYS FOR RELIEF FROM THE GRIEVANCES BELOW LISTED AS FOLLOWS;

A. THE OFFICE OF THE PETITION FOR REDRESS OF GRIEVANCES

The office of a petition for redress of grievances recognizes that we, the citizens of the United States, are in fact the government of the United States, and that our duly elected and appointed officials are servants

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AMERICA'S
FORGOTTEN
VICTORY
- KOREA!

Dear fellow veterans ...

There are the remains of five (5) identified American service men in North Korea. The North Korea government has made it known to this veteran, in a New York meeting January 30th, 1989, that for over a year and a half they have been willing to return the remains to the proper authorities of the United States. Why hasn't this been done?

When the Armistice was signed on July 27th, 1953 the agreement provided that:

All prisoners who died in captivity were to be immediately released to their native land's Grave Registration Unit; thus the United States was to have sent people to North Korea to exhume and return the remains. Why has this never been done?

We understand upon good authority that there are the remains of between 1000 and 3000 Americans who died while Prisoners of War in North Korea, which could and should be identified and returned to the United States. Because of the inaction of our government for 36 years, I don't think the Korean War Veterans and the citizens of the United States are willing to remain dormant any longer on this subject, I know I'm not.

Your Association has sent a Petition of Grievance to President George Bush, telling him we are not interested in striking out on our own and becoming a part of a problem, but we plan to give a vibrant voice in the political scene to bring this matter to a close and to seek out the truth wherever it may be found; also we would appreciate the opportunity to work with our elected officials in bringing this matter to a head.

DICK ADAMS, President

DICK ADAMS, President Korean War Veterans Association

P.O. Box 127, Caruthers, Calif. 93609 (209) 864-3196, after 5 P.M. Pacific Coast Time. (209) 268-1869, Office.

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NOTE TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS: Pres. Dick Adams has called for a Board Meeting on MONDAY July 24 at 10 a.m. — make your reservation accordingly.

REUNION STARTS JULY 25 AND ENDS AT NOON JULY 28

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If you want to borrow the KWVA flag for parades, etc. Contact Headquarters.

YOU WROTE IT ...

NOTE: as space permits, we intend to publish those letters coming first to our editorial desk. We intend also to see that every letter gets an answer in one way or another, from officers, directors, etc.

NOW! Special airline prices for KWVA Reunion. 5% off lowest fare when available or 40% off any fare that is listed.

AL RUDY, Quartermaster, has the info on arrangements.
Call him at (305) 454-4098 6 p.m. - 11 p.m. to get the 800 number to make your reservations. Right now these airlines have agreed: Delta, United, TWA, Piedmont, USAir, Continental, and American. We are talking with Northwest, PanAm, and Eastern.

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HERE IS AN EXCITING OPPORTUNITY TO OWN one of the finest! Every KWVA member will be contacted and asked to help this project TO RAISE MONEY FOR THE MEMORIAL FUND.

If you have not received your chances yet, please contact TOM MAINES, 1st Vice President KWVA; 1801 Saw Mill Run Blvd.; Pittsburg, Pa 15210.

AN IGNORANT PERSON
IS ONE WHO DOES NOT KNOW
SOMETHING YOU LEARNED YESTERDAY.

1989 COMING EVENTS

Sat. Apr. 29, 0700: Kor-Amer Jaycees

Fund Raising Dinner, Alexandria, Va. Mon. May 1, Over 1,000 entries due for design competition.

Mon. May 15, KWVMAB begins judging for design competition.

Thu. June 1, KWVMAB announces winners of design competition.

Wed. June 14, 1000: KWVA ceremony celebrating winning design. Sun. June 25, KWVA Dept. of Fla. Fund Raising Dinner.

Mon. Jul. 24, 0900; KWVA Reunion; Board of Directors Meeting.

Tue. Jul. 25, 0900: KWVA Reunion Sign-in and Registration.

Tue. Jul. 25, 1000: KWVA Reunion; Press Conference.

Wed. Jul. 26, 1000:KWVA Reunion; Annual Meeting.

Wed. Jul. 26, 1800: KWVA Reunion; Dinner and Gala.

Thur. Jul. 27, 0730: KWVA Reunion; Breakfast (Don't be late).

Thu. Jul. 27, 1000: KWVA Reunion; Bell Ringing throughout land.

Thu. Jul. 27, 1000: KWVA Reunion; Arlington Cemetery Ceremony.

Thu. Jul. 27, 1200:KWVA Reunion; Luncheon at Korean Memorial Site.

Thu, Jul. 27, 1800: KWVA Reunion; Open Cash Bar. Thu, Jul. 27, 1900: KWVA Reunion; Banquet.

Fri. Jul. 28, 0800: KWVA Reunion; Breakfast,

Fri. Jul. 28, 0900: KWVA Reunion; Open Discussion of Reunion.

Fri. Jul. 28, 1200: KWVA Reunion; Adjournment.

Fri. Jul. 28, 1400: Visitations of UNF Embassies.

Fri. Jul. 28, 2000: Concert by Service Band.

Sat. Jul. 29, National Fund Raising Dinners throughout land.

Wed. Sept. 13, Inchon Fund Raising Dinner; Sheraton Washington.

Sat. Nov. 11, 1500: Veteran's Day Ceremonies at Memorial Site.

UPDATE: MEMORIAL DESIGN

Three million dollars of the six million needed has been raised and we are striving to raise the balance this year. As soon as six million is raised the American Battle Monuments Commission will seek bids for contracts and begin construction. Over 1,000 applications for designs have been filed. On June 14, 1989 (Flag Day) KWVA has reserved the memorial site for joint (with all veterans associations) celebration of the winning design.

During the summer, the several official governmental boards will sign off on the design, and by fall, providing the money has been raised, the design will be approved and construction will have begun.

QUARTERMASTER ADDENDA:

For those who have "back ordered" on their T-Shirts and watches; we had to change manufacturers and ran into delays; you will get your order. . . . And for those FOUR missing orders: they do not apply to your back orders, we are talking about what happened last year . . . Official complete "uniform" for KWVA of blazer and overseas cap is worn with white shirt, navy blue tie, black shoes. That will be preferred at the Arlington ceremony, although you have your choice to wear a beret . . . The overseas cap is the same style worn during the war; with high peaks front and back; dark navy blue with logo on left side.

AND you should know that the American flag presented and now flying on the memorial site in D.C. came from KWVA.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY A KWVA FLAG---Contact Al Rudy, Quartermaster. He will have a 4' x 6' flag made, w/our logo both sides, etc.; to include staff, floor stand, and parade bolt holder. Estimated cost about 500-500 dollars; battle streamers will be added cost. All American made.

KEEP IT SHORT!

YOUR COOPERATION is requested; when sending articles for the Newsletter, please make your remarks clear, concise and non-rambling. We reserve the right to edit if it becomes necessary to accommodate who writes. Thank you

PLEASE SEND IN YOUR RESERVATION FOR THE REUNION. You can pay \$55 down (per adult) and balance of \$50 (per adult) upon arrival. Use check, money order, Visa or Mastercard.

HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED. . . especially from you. The records of membership, donations, quartermaster orders, mail address, Letters To The Editor -- and a lot of other items -- Require that we know how to spell your name correctly. Please. . . **PRINT** your name above or near your signature. Thank You.

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of the aforesaid citizens, representing each such citizen. The concept of sovreign immunity is a recognition of this fact, but in the final analysis no public servant is immune from the obligation of complete performance of his duties. This petition is thus conceived, with the expectation that the grievances set forth below will be promptly and completely resolved.

B. THE PARTIES

1. The petitioner is a not-for-profit corporation duly qualified in the State of New York and is, as the name suggests, an organization of men and women who were in the armed service of The United States during from June 25, 1950, when the Korean War began, and January 31, 1955, the official end of said war. The matters subject to this petition were formally brought to the attention of Petitioners on January 29, 1989.

2. The respondent is the highly esteemed President of the United States and who did not cause the grievances complained of and who would not have any specific knowledge of the grievances set forth below. HOWEVER, upon the taking of the oath of office on and after January 20, 1989, The President did assume the responsibility for resolving the below listed grievances, which grievances have been existant, without resolution for these past 36 years.

C. THE GRIEVANCES

1. THERE ARE THE REMAINS OF FIVE IDENTIFIED AMERICAN SERVICEMEN IN NORTH KOREA. THE NORTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT HAS MADE IT KNOWN THAT THEY WOULD RETURN THE REMAINS TO THE PROPER AUTHORITIES OF THE UNITED STATES. WE BELIEVE THIS SHOULD BE IMMEDIATELY ACCOMPLISHED.

2. WE UNDERSTAND UPON GOOD AUTHORITY, AND VERILY BELIEVE IT TO BE TRUE, THAT THERE ARE THE REMAINS OF BETWEEN 1,000 AND 3,000 AMERICAN SERVICEMEN WHO DIED WHILE PRISONERS OF WAR IN NORTH KOREA, WHICH COULD, AND SHOULD, BE IDENTIFIED AND RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES. WE BELIEVE THIS SHOULD

BE ENERGETICALLY AND IMMEDIATELY PURSUED.

3. IT IS REPORTED THAT AT ONE TIME THERE WERE 389 AMERICAN SERVICEMEN MISSING AND UNACCOUNTED FOR, IT IS PETITIONERS' INFORMATION THAT PERHAPS AS MANY AS 100 OF THESE MISSING AMERICAN SERVICEMEN MAY STILL BE

ALIVE AND BEING HELD PRISONER.

4. ONE OF OUR MEMBERS, ROBERT DUMAS, HAS BEEN PURSUING THE ABOVE GRIEVANCES SINCE 1953, WHEN IT WAS REPORTED THAT HIS BROTHER, ROGER DUMAS, WAS SEEN ALIVE IN PRISONER OF WAR CAMP 5, IN APRIL, 1953, BUT WAS NOT RETURNED WHEN THE REPATRIATION OF PRISONERS TOOK PLACE IN AUGUST, 1953. WE BELIEVE THAT EVERY EFFORT SHOULD BE MADE TO RECOVER ROGER DUMAS AND THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES SHOULD REIMBURSE ROBERT DUMAS FOR HIS EFFORTS AND EXPENSES, AS WE SHALL SET FORTH BELOW.

D. THE FACTS

1. The Korean War began with the attack upon South Korea by the North Korean Government in the early hours of June 25, 1950. On or about November 10, 1950, Pvt. Roger Dumas' company surrendered when it ran out of ammunition. Dumas was seen alive during the month of April, 1953.

2. The Armistice Agreement, signed on July 27, 1953, by the military leaders of The United Nations Command, China and North Korea provided for the return of all combatants, but this was not done. The

document provided that:

a. All Prisoners of War who wanted repatriation would be returned to their native country within 45 days of the signing of the agreement. Thus Roger Dumas, if alive, was to have been returned by

September 15, 1953. He was not repatriated.

b. All Prisoners of War who did not wish to return to their native land were to be released to the custody of troops from the nation of India, who in turn, would have custody of said prisoners until each POW was safely placed in another nation. This was to be done within 45 days or by September 15, 1953. Thus, had Roger Dumas, if alive, not wished to return to the United States, he would have been in the custody of India. He was not among this group.

c. Some 21 American troops did not wish repatriation and

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remained in the Far East. Roger Dumas was not among this group of

d. Those prisoners who died in captivity were to be immediately released to their native land's grave registration unit. Thus the United States was to have sent people to North Korea to exhume the graves and return the remains. This has never been done to our knowledge.

GRIEVANCE NUMBER ONE

THERE ARE THE REMAINS OF FIVE IDENTIFIED AMERICAN SERVICEMEN IN NORTH KOREA. THE NORTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT HAS MADE IT KNOWN THAT THEY WOULD RETURN THE REMAINS TO THE PROPER AUTHORITIES OF THE UNITED STATES. WE BELIEVE THIS SHOULD BE IMMEDIATELY ACCOMPLISHED.

- 1. There are presently in North Korea the remains of five United States servicemen that are available for immediate return. Their names have been released to the public. Officials of North Korea informed officials of the Korean War Veterans Association these remains will be returned to the United States upon request of the United States.
- 2. Pursuant to the Armistice Agreement the United States upon application to the Peoples Republic of North Korea, should delegate a graves registration unit, who with appropriate officials of the State Department, would then travel to North Korea and take custody of the remains.
- 3. The Korean War Veterans Association has an airplane available to recover these remains and would like to participate in the recovery of our comrades-at-arms. The aircraft would be supplied without cost to the
- 4. The remains would be delivered to the appropriate unit which is now set up in Hawaii. We wish to work with our government to accomplish this mission, which mission should be completed before the end of May,

GRIEVANCE NUMBER TWO

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1. Several thousand American Servicemen died in captivity. Some of the remains will never be found, for some were buried in river beds or like places where the graves were destroyed. There are other grave sites that are known to us and the remains are available for return.

2. As we recover the five identified remains, we must make the effort to recover those other remains still available to a graves registration party. The Petitioner has the capability of providing the transportation necessary to recover these bodies and the interest to provide whatever

assistance may be necessary to accomplish this task.

3. The best evidence available to the Korean War Veterans Association is that there are between one thousand and three thousand identifiable remains of American Servicemen at recognizable locations in North Korea. It is our further understanding that the United States Government has made the location of these cemeteries known to the North Korean Government.

4. Again, the petitioner will be pleased to furnish the transportation for this task without cost to the United States Government. Again our membership desires a speedy conclusion to the recovery of our deceased comrades, and wish to work closely with the respondent and begin the recovery prior to July, 1989.

GRIEVANCE NUMBER 3

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1. Of all the issues in the POW-MIA matters this is the most Please see PETITION on page 4

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troubling. On December 10, 1948, the United States and all but eight other nations agreed to the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, to supplement the United Nations Charter, adopted in September, 1945, these documents clearly set forth the desire of all free men that the human was not to be mistreated by any government. War is horrible enough, but that those who fought should be enslaved after the war ended is clearly unacceptable.

2. The issue of missing, but alive, American Servicemen is puzzling for there are those who are adamant that some 389 of our comrades-at-arms were not returned following the close of the Korean War. Robert Dumas is certain that a number of our people are still alive in North Korea and there is other evidence that our servicemen were taken from North Korea to China to Russia during the Spring of 1953. It is possible that if the latter is true, our servicemen could have been lost in the turmoil that was in Russia during the last half of that year.

3. If there are no such servicemen being held captive and still alive (and that is a possibility) then the fraud upon the American People has been maintained by those perpetuating the myth in a horrible 36-year hoax. We need to find out. We are advised by the Pentagon that they cannot find proof of any such prisoners, while there is a significant body of our populace who believe the North Koreans and Chinese did withhold prisoners and that some are alive today which number is reported to be one hundred.

4. The North Korean representatives to the United Nations meet periodically with peoples such as Robert Dumas. Another group meeting with the North Koreans are representatives of the Chosin Few,an association of Korean War Veterans who fought their way free from the Yalu River in the winter of 1950.

5. Petitioner, and its officers, are under extreme pressure by our

membership to bring this matter to a proper conclusion.

- 6. Petitioner, and its officers, wish to work with the respondent and his designated officers, to bring this long-festering matter to a proper conclusion. We believe the North Korean, Chinese, and Russian governments would work with the United States and South Korea to either release any POW still being held, if such people are being held; or, in the alternative, to allow a complete inspection and allow the United States Government and the several veterans associations to be satisfied to the veterans' satisfaction.
- 7. The solution is truth, given to the American Citizens in a clear and cogent manner, together with a simple plan of action, whatever it might be. We would be pleased to discuss such a plan with you, or appropriate senior officials. Please be advised that the Korean War Veterans who are members of the petitioner, are not interested in striking out on our own and become a part of the problem. Nor are we willing to remain dormant. We plan to give a vibrant voice in the political scene to bring this matter to a close and seek out the truth where it may be found. We would appreciate the opportunity to work with our elected and appointed officials in this matter.
- 8. It should be clear that this Petition is but one voice of anger and concern that American Citizens have been held, and continue to be held, without right by nations refusing to honor the Universal Declaration of Human Rights adopted by the United Nations on December 10, 1948. We wish to be a part of the current effort to cease this reprehensible practice be it in Korea nearly two score years ago. . . or in the Middle East today.

GRIEVANCE NUMBER FOUR

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WHERE IS ROGER DUMAS?

1. One of the missing, unrepatriated prisoners of war is Roger Dumas. When last seen he was alive, albeit ill. He should have been repatriated in April, 1953, as an injured soldier in Operation Little Switch. This was the agreement in force at the time between the warring parties. if he died between April and August, 1953, then his remains should have been returned during August, 1953. If he was alive on July 27, 1953, he should have been repatriated in Operation Big Switch. He was not returned alive or

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dead. Petitioner's members have read some of the documents now possessed by Roger's brother Robert Dumas, as well as the report of a federal trial in Connecticut. We ask that the Department of Defense, State Department and the Department of Justice make available to Petitioner's representative all the records now existent concerning Roger Dumas, and work with us to present an appropriate demand to have Roger Dumas produced forthwith either alive or dead.

2. Robert Dumas made a deathbed promise to his mother in 1959 to find his brother. He has made this quest his life work and expended 36 years in this endeavor. He reports that he has expended great sums in this quest. He suffers physically for his efforts. He has, until now, been put off by his government.

3. We would be pleased to work with the Department of Justice to provide the necessary documents and provide sworn testimony to support our claim for Robert Dumas' compensation. We would most appreciate the efforts of the Department of Veterans Affairs or the National Institutes of

Health to reduce or cure the ailments these tragic events have caused.

WHEREFORE, WE RESPECTIVELY PRAY FOR THE RELIEF SUGGESTED ABOVE, AND FURTHER RESERVE THE RIGHT TO ADD TO THIS PETITION AS THE EXIGENCIES DEMAND, AS OUR ABSOLUTE RIGHT UNDER THE FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES.

KOREAN WAR VETERANS ASSOCIATION, INC. (SIGNED) BLAINE P. FRIEDLANDER
Blaine P. Friedlander, Esquire; Counsel
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Falls Church, Virginia 22043
(202) 560-4716

WHERE IS ROGER DUMAS?

by Blaine P. Friedlander, Counsel KWVA #1027

KWVA, as all veterans organizations, has a MIA-POW committee. Our committee is chaired by Warren Avery. Warren has worked closely with Robert Dumas to locate his brother Roger and the 389 MIAs. On January 30, 1989, Warren and Robert, together with President Dick Adams went to New York and met with three North Korean UN Observers. The discussion was limited, by direction of the North Koreans, to the identified remains of five American Soldiers. The North Koreans have offered to return these remains, but have attached strings unacceptable to the United States and South Korea, and the bodies remain in North Korea. In addition to the five bodies, and the 389 MIA, there remains in North Korea, the remains of between 1,000 and 3,000 of our comrades-in-arms, unidentified and unreturned.

Your KWVA associates have recognized that there are many people attempting to recover the remains and locate the MIA. We estimate that there may be as many as 100 still alive and still captive. All of us know that no organization has been successful and the problem of POW-MIA encompasses World War II, Korea, Viet Nam and Lebanon (kidnapping) today.

Our national government seemingly takes no action and the frustration is so great that individuals are taking the law into their own hands. Bob has met with the North Koreans nine times, and representatives of the Chosin Few have met over a dozen times, including Pammunjon. Nothing has happened.

Elsewhere in this newsletter you will find a formal petition for redress of grievances pursuant to the First Amendment of the United States Constitution, a petition for you and your friends to sign, a form for discussion of this action with the print media, a form for TV and radio, and a form for donations to our Korean War Veterans Memorial. These five forms will start the action. KWVA will not work on its own to secure information or release, but will follow the proper channels.

PETITION FOR REDRESS OF GRIEVANCES. This has been formally presented to the President of the United States through the new Department of Veterans Affairs and will let President Bush know we want this matter solved. Let it be clear that the evidence is starting to come in that as early as 1955, Americans who were released from the Russian Gulag (Slave Labor Camps) reported hearing about American soldiers made slave laborers of the Russians. I now have the names of three such prisoners and am attempting to reach them for further information. In February, 1956, issue of readers Digest at page 48, John H. Noble, wrote about hearing of Korean War GI's being held in the Gulag system in Russia.

The Gulag system changed after Stalin's death on March 5, 1953. "Operation Little Switch" occurred in April, 1953, as the Russian Government changed and there was a need for peace. Beria, Stalin's chief of the prison system, was not above taking hostages and it is a possibility

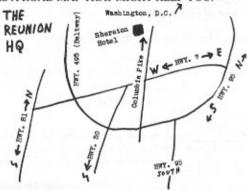
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PLAN NOW TO ATTEND REUNION

DATES ARE 25 - 28 July 1989. There are details on another page . Take note that parking for vans and RVs is limited; we suggest you call the Sheraton National Hotel at 1 800-468-9090 and talk it over. If you are in Virginia, call 1-800-541-5000. The hotel has ample normal parking facilities for other autos.

National Airport is closest to the hotel; shuttle service is available. If you arrive at Dulles or Baltimore International, please consult your travel agent for shuttle need. The nearest subway station is the Pentagon--at that point you can walk outdoors and catch a shuttle bus to the hotel.

HERE IS A ROAD MAP THAT MIGHT HELP YOU:



TO HONOR A KOREAN WAR VETERAN

There were 5,500,000 men and women who are veterans of the Korean War. They served their nation from June 25, 1950 until January 30, 1955. One Million, Five Hundred Thousand served in Korea, but the service of others in the United States or in Berlin or in Alaska was no less vital, and helped this nation survive one of the most destructive of wars. Seventy-five per cent of those on the front lines in Korea were wounded.

A memorial is being built and funds for the construction are needed. If 300,000 people each donate only Ten (\$10.00) Dollars the goal of \$6,000,000.00 will be reached, for \$3,000,000 has already been collected.

All contributions for the memorial are earmarked exclusively for the Korean War Veterans Memorial and will be deposited in a special, interest earning escrow account with the Treasurer of the United States and invested in accounts guaranteed by the United States Government. All funds are administered under the oversight of Congressional committees.

Your check should be made payable to the KOREAN WAR VETERANS MEMORIAL FUND. Please place the letters "KWVA" on the lower left corner of your check (on the memorandum line). Your check is tax-deductible.

Please send your check or money order to:

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I am honored to contribute my check or money order of \$10.00 (or more) to the Korean War Veterans Memorial in the Nation's Capital in honor of

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KEEP THE M-1 RAFFLE TICKETS MOVING, said KWVA First Vice President TOM MAINES. He added: "Ask your friends, neighbors-everybody--to but a ticket. It's easy. . .most will not say no. If they do not like guns, ask them to donate it, if won, to a museum. . .or we will send the CASH in place of the rifle.

"Our project to date is successful. . .but today we need more cash, not bullets. Veteran - - the Memorial will be completed but only with your help."

WHERE IS --- from page 4

that he did just that! It is not improbable that he held our troops as hostage, when he was arrested on June 26, 1953, and was interrogated Russian style until his death on December 24, 1953. During the month of June, 1953, the slave laborers, including Noble, participated in a rebellion of the slaves. There are other details, but this should arouse your curiosity to the point that you will join this quest.

If the American people had heeded the cries of 1955, the history of the world would now be different. The Petition for Redress of Grievances is notice to our government that the Korean War Veterans are beginning the drive for answers and the recovery of bodies, live and dead, from Russia, China and North Korea. . . and forthwith.

WHAT CAN YOU DO?

1. COPY THE INDIVIDUAL PETITION. Take it to your veterans' or civic meetings; take it to the shopping centers; take it to your church; take it with you and get it signed. Then send it to me, and I will take it to the proper government official. As you are getting the petition signed, I will be working with the government to get the answers we have deserved for the past 30 years. Did you know, for example, the Russian law forbid the keeping of American Prisoners of War. The winds of change in the USSR are such that we have great hopes that we can now receive the truthful answer, but we need for our government to know that we, the citizens are greatly interested. This is what you can do.

2. RADIO STATION FORMS. Go to the public affairs officer of your local radio stations, even the ones you do not listen to. Tell them of our program and ask their help in discussing it. If they have a talk show, offer to participate, or we will be glad to prepare someone to be on their

show. Report each conference or contact to us, using the form.

3. TELEVISION STATION FORMS. Go to the public affairs officer of your local television stations. Tell then of our program and ask their help in discussing it. If they have a talk show, offer to participate, or we will be glad to prepare someone to be on their show. Bill Arnold and Carroll Huffman of Roanoke, Va. have gotten the KWVA into over 20 markets with a public service announcement. We would be glad to assist your local station with this. We are now working on programs that will receive media attention on a national basis. Report each conference or contact to us, using the form.

4. NEWSPAPERS. Go to the managing or executive editor of your local newspaper. Tell them of our program and ask their help in discussing it. Ask the editor to assign a reporter who could work with you in keeping up with this story. Report each conference or contact to us, using the form.

5. THE KOREAN WAR VETERANS MEMORIAL. This matter is important for it represents an opportunity to bring the matter before the public. Half the monies needed have been raised and our small organization has had a significant role. Of the three million raised, KWVA has donated \$20,000.00 directly. One member wrote the letter to Dear Abby that resulted in \$350,000 in donations, and other members volunteered to open the mail. You will meet this member at the Reunion. Several members worked on the promotion that sent public service announcements to over 20 major television stations. This raised over another \$50,000.00

If you go into your community as suggested above and ask your friends to send in the form (which you should copy), enclosing a \$10 (or more) check or money order (no cash, please) we could raise three million dollars quickly. If we can reach only 4,000,000 of the 240,000,000 citizens, we should be able to have 300,000 citizens to recognize one of the 4,700,000 Korean War Veterans still alive or 800,000 now deceased. If you get 300,000 people to make a donation to thank a Korean War Veteran, then we will send a certificate to the donor of thanks and a certificate to the Korean Veteran.

One further thought: If the government officials, both in the United States and abroad see the American People want a memorial and want some answers as to the MIA and POW we increase our chances of getting answers. As we used to say in Korea, and other spots, "You had best believe your participation will make a great difference." As you will find out during the Reunion, you made a hell of difference during the Korean War, no matter where you served.

KEEP IT SHORT!

YOUR COOPERATION is requested; when sending articles for the Newsletter, please make your remarks clear, concise and non-rambling. We reserve the right to edit if it becomes necessary to accommodate who writes. Thank you

PLEASE SEND IN YOUR RESERVATION FOR THE REUNION. You can pay \$55 down (per adult) and balance of \$50 (per adult) upon arrival. Use check, money order, Visa or Mastercard.

OPERATION SOAR

WE MARCH TO GARY, OUR OWN DRUMMER

KWVA is now marching to the beat of our own march, THE MIGHTY MEN OF VALOR composed by Gary Burke who has given the march and a major portion of the royalties to the KWVA. We are the only veterans group with its own march. Gary wrote this to honor the living and dead veterans of the Korean War, and dedicated it as the Official March of the Korean War Veterans Association.

Gary's father, Lloyd "Scooter" Burke, is a member of KWVA and a Korean War Congressional Medal of Honor recipient. Gary is a professional composer who also has written the music for many television commercials.

It will be first heard at a performance of the West Springfield High School Symphonic Band on Monday, May 15. At that time the march will be recorded for KWVA, as well as being shown on local (and perhaps national) television. Plans are being made to have an Army band play the march on the site of our memorial on June 14.

Arrangements have been made so that a tape recording will be available about June 9, 1989. The printed cover on each cassette (the "J-Card") will be autographed by Gary.

Richard Adams, KWVA President, has heard the march and is of the opinion that Gary Burke's Mighty Men of Valor ranks among the magnificent marches of John Philip Souza. Gary played the march for Dick on a piano, via landlines, but Dick was able to pick up the subtle oriental threads among the thunderous percussions. Dick then rendered his judgement about the superb quality of the piece; his comment said it all: "It's Great! It's ours!"

YOU CAN BUY A COPY

The limited first edition will be made available to KWVA members and friends at a price of \$7.00 per copy starting now, with all the profit going to KWVA.

To get your copies of the tape send your check or money order to Richard Adams on the order form on this page. Dick will record the order and bank the money, sending a mailing label to Al Rudy, Quartermaster. When the shipment comes to Al in early June, the Department of Florida under the command of Emmett Benjamin will be detailed to get your tapes in the mail.

YOUR HELP IS NECESSARY

The KWVA will be able to march to the bank to the tune of The Mighty Men of Valor and march back again with a healthy profit, but we have to first sell the tapes.

In addition, Gary is advising how to sell the sheet music, and as of this date we have a potential market with the local school, college and community bands. The music has been arranged for symphonic bands in the form of The Mighty Men of Valor; marching bands in the form of Fanfare and Militare From The Mighty Men of Valor; and herald trumpets in the form of Fanfare To The Mighty Men of Valor.

If you like the tape you ordered, then present it to the bands in your area and write to KWVA and we will have someone, maybe you, get back to your bands.

The sale of The Mighty Men of valor is conducted pursuant to the copyright laws of the United States which gives KWVA 85% of the royalty paid for any presentation, plus all of the profits from sales of tapes or sheet music. The marketing department of KWVA is planning other sales approaches. See Order Form in column at right.



ANOTHER HARD WORKER

Dear Stan: Please put this in our newsletter:

The last 3 weeks I Have been running around town. Collecting for our National Memorial in Washington. All I did was to make copies of our Greybeard.

I make about 60 at one time. Hand them out to people I see. Tell it like it is. So far I have sent \$1380.00 to Harry Wallace. Also I tell the people, that myself and fellow veterans appreciate the contribution.

--ERWIN L. BECKWITH; #0318; 17

Church La.; East Hampton. LI; New York

ORDER FORM AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE SALE OF TAPES for THE MIGHTY MEN OF VALOR

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE SALES OF THE TAPES

- Copy the form and hand one to each person wishing to order. The tapes would make good gifts to friends and relatives.
- 2. Make a list of those you would wish to contact, then contact them.
- Check your local radio station. If they wish to promote the tape, then contact Dick and the KWVA will arrange for a tape.
- Contact your local schools, colleges and communities music programs for sale of tape cassettes.
- Send us the name of your local papers and we will send them a press release.
- Contact your local library and have them add the tape to their cassette collection.
- 7. If you have other ideas let us know.

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A new Book: "HEARTBREAK RIDGE" by Arnold L. Hinshaw is available through Quartermaster; see item 44. Also now in stock is a KWVA license plate holder; see item 24

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Other

A dog has lots of friends because he wags his tail instead of his tongue.

We do accept donations for postage--please send to the KWVA Treasurer

BILL SMYERS; 20509 Elgin Ave.; Lemoore, Cal. 93245 and mark it POSTAGE DONATION. Thank You.

HE MUST HAVE HEARD YOU, RICHARD

HI STAN; Of all or almost all of my combat experiences, WWII, Korea & Nam; the ones I seem to recall best had some humor to them, some pretty wry humor, pathetic, too! I rewrote this to make it more brief and hope it can still be to the point:

On the move out of the Perimeter Breakout, Hq. Btry 555th FA set into a dry creek bed position, so the Survey Sec. backed their 3/4's into the bank. I had to go to a NCO's meeting in the mess area. Sgt. Trexler our FO Liaison Sgt. with the 5th Inf Regt was with us and he dug a huge foxhole just in the rear of my truck. When I got back, all the available places for foxholes had been taken. I had to go down about 20 yards and dig mine. After chow we all bedded down, 2 on the floor of the 3/4 ton and rank has its privileges, Trexler on one seat and I on the other.

About 2 AM, flat trajectory "incoming". Me out of my sack and into the first foxhole, Trexler behind me. All the time we were fired upon, Trexler kept jabbing me "Who'se in here with me". After the shelling let up and we accounted for everyone, Trexler sez why didn't you answer me and I replied that I was talking to someone a lot more important than him

Another little piece of stuff: at our July reunion, THE MARINES will really love "Sheraton National". (101st A/B Assn has used this place on occasion); one block north is the entrance to Henderson Hall Marine Brks and then 1/2 block in is the largest, newest and best Service Exchange Department Store in the area. Should be EM NCO or OFFICER MESS in there somewhere!

--RICHARD F. LEWIS; P.O. Box 751; Shepherdstown, W. Va. 25443-0751

PLEASE RENEW YOUR DUES!

HERE'S A REMINDER FROM MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN (Harry Wallace, P.O. Box 12205; Baltimore, Md. 21281) WHEN RENEWING YOUR DUES . . .

It is not necessary to fill our another application form.

Just make your check payable to KWVA and on the lower left, mark it "RENEWAL" plus your membership number. That will help stop getting more than one membership number . . . in the past, several of you have received different numbers . . . and it is KWVA policy that your number will be used ONLY ONE TIME; it will not be used again after you resignation or death.

AND PLEASE REMEMBER that annual dues are now \$15.00-but the biggest change is that dues now run from one year FROM THE DATE OF YOUR PAYMENT and become due again one year later. Your help will be appreciated — and in this issue of Greybeard there is an application blank — fell free to make as many copies as you want for distribution to the public.

.. our goal is each member sign up SIX.

DONATIONS FOR THE MEMORIAL FUND

are being sent to the Battle Monuments Commission in Washington, D.C. The KWVA office in Baltimore also is receiving donations for forwarding; the following listing is of amounts received in March 1989:

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WHERE ARE THEY?

Your Graybeards newsletter was returned and we don't know where you are: (or have you sent in your dues?)

Lenoise Bowman; Lakeland, Fla. John S. Granger; Lakeland, Fla. John F. Murray; Springfield, Mo. Paul Minichuk; Naples, Fla. Carl Tand; N. Miami Bch, Fla. Webb Jones, Jr.; Anderson, CA. Charles J. Little; Lawrenceville, Ga. Bert M. Johnson; Grand Prairie, TX. John Siens; Rapid City, SD. Gerald G. Barrett; St. Francis, Wi.. Benjamin F. Wilson; Honolulu William Hancock; San Antonio, TX.

TAPS

MICHAEL N. PAPILLO, SR.; Dover, Del. HOWARD B. LOWE, JR.; Brattleboro, VT. MAURICE MORNINGSTAR; N. Dakota; Life Member; March 19, 1989. EUGENE M. EARLY; Ill.; Dec. 2, 1988; Army. JOSEPH GOCZ; N.J.; Nov. 20, 1987. WM. J. VONESH; Arlington Heights, Ill.

A COMMENT!

Someone once said "In war there are no victories, only survivors". We who survived the Korean War have nothing to be ashamed of. Our performance in the field was second to none. From Pusan to the Yalu, on Old Baldy or Pork Chop Hill, in the Punch Bowl or at the Chosin Reservoir, where ever we were, we stood tall and we got the job done. We have nothing to be ashamed of. We suffered from the cold, the heat, the hunger, the disease and death all around us, and still we got the job done. We have nothing to be ashamed of. Those who served during the Korean War deserve their place in history. They paid their dues and must not be forgotten. It is time for us to regroup, strengthen our lines and advance. It is the duty of we survivors to carry on this battle. Our memorial will be built, of this I have no doubt. We who survived must see that this job also gets done. "IF NOT FOR THE SURVIVORS, WHO THEN TO CARRY ON THE BATTLE, OR CARE."

--BILL BOOKER, #0017; Director; '86-'89

TO THE LADIES

Dear Editor,

Last year my husband and I attended a reunion for the Korean War Combat Veterans in Colorado Springs, Colorado. To say I was inspired is putting it mildly.

This year I am serving as Department President of Florida, Ladies Auxiliary Military Order of the Purple Heart. Several of our National Commanders gave us a mandate to support the Korean War Memorial Fund. This year at our Mid Year Conference, School of Instruction, a class was given "Korea The Forgotten War". Having interviewed Col. Dutch Nelson, Ret. K.W.V.A. member of Colorado there was plenty of information to share with our members. Several of our Units have already donated and others have plans to donate to the Memorial Fund.

As a K.W.V.A. member may I say, that if the women would get behind the Memorial Fund Drive the time of its completion would be shortened considerably. Men, ask your ladies to solicit funds from their auxiliaries, scouts, fraternal organizations etc. Don't just ask, make copies of the donation pledge on the back of the newsletter and distribute. Female K.W.V.A. members, wives, daughters, and granddaughters of our K.W.V.A. members ---- We've got what it takes, Let's do it!

---Sincerely, AMY CARAFANO; 1893 183rd Ave. Rd.; Silver Springs, Fl. 32688; President-L.A.M.O.P.H.; K.W.V.A. Member; Dept. of Florida.

YES, KWVA IS FOR ALL ON DUTY THEN ...

"I just sent a check to KWVA National Memorial Fund; It was my war too. But after reading your newsletter (March 1989), I can see that the KWVA is for those that served in Korea during the "Police Action".

"I served two years in Germany, and one year in the States during that time. The hard time was in Korea from June 1950 to March 1953; but we all went where we were sent. The KWVA is missing a large potential by ignoring those who served other than in Korea.

--"NORMAN SCHWARZ; 7901 Oakwood Rd., Glen Burnie, Md. 21061 (CPL, U.S.A., Ret.)"

NORMAN --KWVA does not bar those who served other than in the country of Korea. On the contrary, we actively solicit ALL veterans, wherever they served, on active duty from June 25, 1950- January 31, 1955. We appreciate your letter and thoughts. Also, we support the Chosin Few and their special international memorial; Two Memorials are not two too many.

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Korean War Veterans Assoc.; P.O. Box 516; Dania, Florida 33004 Atten. Al Rudy

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1	KWVA: Window Decal, 4" x 3"	1	\$1.00	
2	KWVA Shield Patch 33/4" x 4", With Korean Campaign and Presidential R.O.K. Ribbons	2	\$5.00	
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31	"The Forgotten War"; by Clay Blair.	\$25.00
32	The Congressional Medal Of Honor, Korea; the names, the deeds	\$5.00
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CO-APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

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NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER #1

P.O. Box 991418; Redding, CA 96099

The Korean War Veterans Association, Northern California Chapter No. 1, originally started September 13, 1986 as the Redding Chapter. The first meeting was called by Ken Green and was attended by 14 veterans and 10 wives. Our current officers are: Ken Green, President; LeRoy Neuenfeld, Vice-President; Bob Crews, Secretary; Jack Tolbert, Treasurer; Jack Daniel, Chaplain; Bill Osenga, Historian; Wesley Muncy, Quartermaster.

Chapter members participated in several parades in 1987 and 1988 to make people aware of the fact there still is no memorial for Korean War Veterans and to make them aware of the Korean War Veterans Association and our chapter. We are especially proud to have won several trophies, including a first place trophy for our entry in the 4th of July Parade held in Weaverville last year. This is a large parade with an enthusiastic crowd which comes from great distances to see this particular parade. Other parades entered were in Anderson, Cottonwood, Millville, Red Bluff and Redding. This year we also plan to attend parades in Burney and Sacramento.

Other activities which members have taken part in include:

- 1. Korean War Veterans Association booth at the Mt. Shasta Mall in Redding to promote our association and a memorial for Korean Vets. We took in \$68.00, plus \$26.40 donated by the Reno, Nevada Chapter of the Chosin Few. Among the interesting people we met while manning this booth were a member of the British Korean Veterans Association and his wife who were visiting in Redding. They told us England already had a monument for the Korean War Veterans and that they had attended the dedication which was also attended by the Queen.
- Anderson Fair where applications for the Korean War Veterans Association were handed out.
- Santa Clara Korean celebration wherein Korean people of the community hosted an all-day program honoring all Korean War Veterans.
- 4. Mini convention of Chosin Few in Reno which they invited us to attend. This was such a successful event that another one is planned for July 27-29 this year.
- Christmas parties in 1987 and 1988 were enjoyed by those present, and Christmas carols were sung. We also had a lot of fun in a gift exchange where gifts had to be opened and could be stolen by other members.
- In October of 1988, many of us enjoyed spending the day on a boat trip on Shasta Lake. Barbecued steak with all the trimmings was served.
- Veterans memorial service held November 11, 1988 at the Civic Center in Redding.
- Dick Adams, our national president, and his wife, Mary Ann, joined us for dinner at our June 1988 meeting. Dick has since become a member of our chapter.

FROM TEXAS TO FLORIDA

"The Department of Florida in "LATE NEWS" wonders if they have the first husband/wife team members in KWVA?" They fail to indicate their date of membership, so here is ours for an answer to their query. Roy E. Ator - Member #2897 (June 20, 1988) Margaret J. "JUNE" Ator - Member #2898 (June 20, 1988) June and I are members-at-large, in that a Department of Texas is yet to be chartered.

"We enjoy every issue of THE GREYBEARDS and read each article with interest. We are active in promoting the KWVA through our contacts as active members of The American Legion and the VFW.

"I have noted with some concern that all of the unit patches and other memorabilia advertised or offered for sale are for Army, Air Force, and Marine groups. It is my firm belief that as a member of various U.S. NAVY deployed units of Task Force 77, we contributed to the efforts of our "in-country" forces. My service was aboard the USS SOUTHERLAND (DDR-743) and the USS EVERETT (PF-8) in the Yellow Sea and the Sea of Japan during much of 1952 & 53. I was pleased to notice in this issue the listing of a book on "The Sea War in Korea". I feel sure that the recognition of our Naval Forces will help with the membership growth and the attainment of the worthy goals of our young organization."

--ROY E. ATOR; Route 1, Box 175, Lipan, Texas 76462-9508; (817) 646-3139

PLEASE SEND YOUR news, photographs, reports, questions, etc. to STAN HADDEN, editor; P.O. Box 131; Harpers Ferry, W. V. 25425 Phone: 304-535-2259.

REUNIONS, AND WILL YOU HELP

THE ASSOCIATION OF exp.O.W.s OF THE KOREAN WAR; reunion 25-30 July 1989. Evansville, IND. For information, write: FRED HERRMANN, Chairman; 6925 Little Schaefer Road; Evansville, IND. 47712 - - or phone (812) 426-5603 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. - - or (812) 425-6464 after 5 p.m.

23rd INF REGT, 2nd INF DIV - - Korean War Branch, 15th annual reunion on 12 - 15 July, 1989 at Hickory, N.C. Info: Contact W. W. Woods; 1902 Buckthorn Lane; Reston, Va. 22091.

ARMY AMPHIBIOUS, 532nd ENGR BOAT & SHORE REGT: in Korea 1950 -53. Our 37th reunion will be held Sept. 2-3, 1989 at Chancellor Hotel & Convention Center; 1501 South Neil St., Champaign, III. 61820. Contact Dennis J. Gunning; 1210 Centennial Drive; Champaign, III. 61821; or phone 217-352-3383.

32nd INF REGT, KOREAN WAR - - Reunion at Mt. Laurel, N.J.; Budget Motor Lodge; 14 - 15 - 16 - 17 September 1989. Please contact Chester L. Bair; 1022 Howell Ave.; Brookville, FLA 34601.

U.S.S BOXER, CV/CVA/CVS-21, LPH-4 is holding a reunion of all former shipmates, carrier air groups, and U.S. Marines, in Milwaukee, Wisconsin on September 7, 8, 9, 10, 1989. For further information, please contact our Michigan director, EARL DUNCAN; 3309 Vincent Road; North Street, Michigan 48049; (313) 982-5437.

7th CAVALRY REGIMENT KOREA 1950-51 REUNION - - June 14 - 16 1989. Holiday Inn North, Nashville, Tenn. 37207. (230 W. Trinity Lane & I-65 North. Exit 87B Tel. 1-615-226-0111).

Contact Roy E. Allen; 2601 Hixon Rd.; Chillicothe, Ohio 45601; Tel. 614-884-4791. OR Ecton J. Plaisance, Jr.; Rt. 5 Box 230; Cut Off, La. 70345; Tel. 1-504-493-3835.

40th DIVISION, 223RD INF RGT, reunion July 27-30; New Orleans, La. Contact Dick Toal, 508 Tarrson Blvd.; Lady Lake, FLA. 32659

"JUST SAY CHARGE IT"

Now you can do just that. . .just say charge it when you want to purchase merchandise through the Quartermaster, make donations to the Memorial Fund, pay membership dues, or pay for this year's annual reunion in July.

REMEMBER... our new Korean War Veterans Association VISA Credit Card will be available by the first of April, so check out the ad in this issue of the newsletter, fill out the application, and upon approval we can even transfer your current balance from another credit card to your new card. The revenue from the card goes toward the Memorial Fund, as discussed in our January newsletter.

The Annual Percentage Rate will be 17.9% and the Annual Fee will be \$15.00. The APR is different than originally stated; however, this will generate additional income for the Memorial Fund. . .while you still receive a very competitive interest rate.

If you have any questions concerning the new credit card or need additional information, contact; Al Rudy, Quartermaster for KWVA, at P.O. Box 516; Dania, Florida 33004; or phone 305-456-6633.

YOUR PRESENCE IS VITAL! Be in Washington, D. C. on July 25-28. Come to the reunion. . .attend the Memorial Service at Tomb Of The Unknowns. Meet at Memorial Site on the Mall on July 27 to let America know that YOU DO CARE! If you need more information, call Stan at 304-535-2259. See the Official Notice page.

AS YOU CAN SEE... we are getting more news than we can print. We apologize to you if your story has not yet appeared because we are back-storing for the day when we become a veterans giant among giants and can afford the money to put out a really big publication.

Meantime, we point out that New York City has put in a great deal of effort towards erecting their own Memorial. Irwin Schwartz, executive director of the New York Korean Veterans Memorial Commission, told us about it -- but somehow none of his information material has arrived. You New York veterans, please contact him.

And the Veterans Affairs and Capitol Planning Commissions of Des Moines, Iowa, have unveiled their plan for erecting and dedicating their own memorial which was completed in the summer of 1988. I desire to enroll in, and become a member of the KOREAN WAR VETERANS ASSOCIATION, INC.: To organize, promote and maintain for benevolent and charitable purposes an association of persons who have seen honorable service during the Korean War at any time between June 25, 1950 and January 31, 1955 both dates inclusive, and of certain other persons; the particular qualifications for membership to be set forth in the By-Laws of the Korean War Veterans Association, Inc. Annual Reunion and Memorial Service is held on 27 July at Arlington Cemetery to commemorate signing of the cease-fire and to remember our fallen comrades.

MAIL THIS SECTION TO

Korean War Veterans Association, Inc. P.O. Box 12205 Baltimore, Maryland 21281





Annual dues \$15.00 renewable on anniversary date Lifetime Membership \$150.00 (or six equal monthly payments of \$25.00)

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Your cooperation is requested in signing, along with at least nine other people, the below Petition. After it is completed, please send it to Blaine P. Friedlander; 2341 Dale Drive; Fall Church, Virginia 22043; Phone (202) 560-4716.

MAKE AS MANY COPIES AS YOU WANT

KOREAN WAR VETERANS ASSOCIATION: PETITION FOR REDRESS OF GRIEVANCES

THE HONORABLE GEORGE H. W. BUSH PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES THE WHITE HOUSE; WASHINGTON, D.C.

Recently you received a Petition for Redress of Grievances from the Korean War Veterans Association. We, the undersigned, have read the Petition and subscribe to its tenets.

We respectfully request that the United States work with the Korean War Veterans Association, as well as all interested Veterans Groups and citizen to the following ends:

- 1. Recover the five identified remains now in North Korea;
- 2. Recover the 1000-3000 unidentified remains now in North Korea, or other places;
- 3. Locate, determine the fate of 389 servicemen missing in action, and recover them, alive or dead; and
- 4. Tell the American people where Roger Dumas is, and to recover Roger.

We appreciate the fact that your administration is not involved in the creation of the problem, but yours is the only administration we have, and we do look to you for a prompt and complete solution.

Respectfully submitted.

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OFFICIAL NOTICE JULY 25-26-27-28, 1989 OFFICIAL NOTICE

A wreath-laying ceremony will be conducted at the Tomb Of The Unknowns at 10 a.m., 27 July 1989. Immediately afterward, a Memorial Service will be held in the Amphitheater in remembrance of our fallen comrades; and those 8,177 men Missing In Action, and the 389 prisoners-of-war still unaccounted for.

This year's Reunion Fee is \$105.00 per person (adult). This fee covers Wednesday and Thursday breakfasts; Wednesday dinner; Thursday banquet; bus fare to Arlington Cemetery; our flowers, etc. There will be a separate Cash

Bar just before the banquet.

25 JULY 1989, TUESDAY

Sign-in registration starting 9 a.m.

26 JULY 1989, WEDNESDAY

Annual business meeting 10:00 a.m.

Dinner 6 p.m.

Awards to be presented.

27 JULY 1989, THURSDAY

28 JULY 1989, FRIDAY

Breakfast 7:30 a.m. Sharp. (Don't be late)

Board buses about 9:00 a.m. - -exact time will be announced.

Arlington Cemetery ceremony starts 10:00 a.m.

There is a possibility of a trip afterward to the Memorial Site on the Mall.

Open Cash Bar 6-7 p.m.

Banquet 7 p.m.

Breakfast 8:00 a.m.

Open discussion of this year's reunion.

Adjournment.

IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND THE REUNION - - please fill out the below attendance registration form and return it to the Korean War Veterans Association with your attendance fee. Upon receipt of your attendance form and payment, we will mail you a hotel card for your reservation along with a hotel brochure of particulars.

There are 400 rooms reserved at the SPECIAL RATE of \$62.00 (single or double) per day. Other rooms are available and plentiful. In order to receive this special rate you must use this KWVA procedure and form. CUT OFF DATE

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There will be a Hospitality Room serving refreshments Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Donation of a bottle will be appreciated. Should you also wish to make a financial donation (regardless if you attend or not) it will help offset the additional cost of this year's reunion.

PLEASE MAIL CUT HERE

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Your KWVA	
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Mail to: Korean War Veterans Association (REUNION) P.O. Box 12205 Baltimore, Maryland 21281

Your Name:_____(Please Print) (Please Print) Address:

Spouse Name:____

_____No WIFE; Yes Yes No I WILL ATTEND

Reunion Fee of \$ at \$105.00 per person (adult) enclosed; Check number_____

PAYMENT PLAN: I enclose \$55 (for each adult) now and will pay balance upon arrival.

MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Korean War Veterans Association; noted "For Reunion

Operating fund donation of \$ __enclosed; Check number_____

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