



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
WALTER REED ARMY MEDICAL CENTER
WALTER REED HEALTH CARE SYSTEM
WASHINGTON, DC 20307-5001

October 4, 2010

Office of the Chaplain

Mr. William J. Crean
Attn: Philadelphia Vietnam Veterans
Memorial Society
842 Waterford Drive
Delran, New Jersey 08075-2220

Dear Mr. Crean & Members:

Thank you for your thoughtful gift of phone cards for our Wounded Soldiers to enjoy at Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington, D.C. Your gifts help assist us tremendously in our caring for our Wounded Warriors and their Families and staff.

As our nation is at war and her Soldiers are deployed across the globe, your contribution to the health and welfare of those who serve our nation and their Families is a special gift indeed. I hope you know the positive impact your act of kindness, encouragement, and remembrance has had on our Soldiers, their Families and staff.

Please accept the thanks of the Department of Ministry and Pastoral Care on their behalf. As a team of Chaplains who minister to the Wounded Soldiers of Operation Enduring Freedom (Afghanistan) and Operation New Dawn (Iraq) everyday, it was our privilege to pass on your gift to our recovering Soldiers and their Families.

As you enjoy life and all that it brings you daily, and I pray that you will remember one soldier's appreciation of your service that went "above and beyond" the call of duty and will not be soon forgotten. You exemplify the best that America has to offer. God bless you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Ko", written over a horizontal line.

JOSEPH H. KO
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