

## WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA DECEMBER 16, 2017

Let it be known that one of the initiatives of the Sons of The American Revolution is to honor ALL veterans, living and deceased. Memorial Day is the springtime day on which we formally participate as a nation for those who have passed. Near the start of winter, we can do this with the national **Wreaths Across America**.

Following on the heels of Thanksgiving and preceding the holiday season, it is appropriate we take a few minutes to reflect on our good fortune to be in this country amidst wealth beyond the imagination of those who created the living document that is our country and heritage. We all can find our brothers, fathers, uncles, aunts, cousins, or other relatives, friends and fellow countrymen who served us and are now resting in National and other cemeteries across the country.

On December 16<sup>th</sup>, take a moment or more to remember that we owe a debt of gratitude to those who served us, for without their sacrifices we would not have been able to keep the Republic that our Founders gave us. The **Wreaths Across America** programs at National Cemeteries or other cemeteries where veterans rest, allows each of us an opportunity to personally thank our relatives and friends by placing a wreath at someone's grave in memory of all, for as long as we remember, their lives are real to each of us.

Grateful for all we have,

*Larry T. Guzy*

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