

ALABAMA STATE VETERANS MEMORIAL CEMETERY SPANISH FORT ALABAMA

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DEAR VETERAN FAMILY

THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING TO PLACE YOUR BELOVED VETERAN AT THE ALABAMA STATE VETERANS MEMORIAL CEMETERY AT SPANISH FORT. OUR CEMETERY IS A NEW FACILITY, SPEAKS FOR ITSELF IN BEAUTY AND SETTING AND HAS ALREADY BECOME WELL KNOWN AS A FINAL RESTING PLACE

THIS CEMETERY IS A PROPERTY OF AND OPERATED BY THE ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS. IT IS A STATE VETERANS CEMETERY, THE FIRST ONE IN ALABAMA ALTHOUGH THERE ARE MANY IN OTHER STATES. SOUTH ALABAMA VETERANS WORKED MANY YEARS TO BRING ABOUT THIS FACILITY AND WE ARE VERY PROUD OF SO BEAUTIFUL A PLACE.

LOCAL VETERANS AND VETERAN ORGANIZATIONS SHARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF PROVIDING MILITARY HONORS WITH REGIONAL MILITARY BASES. AS YOU KNOW NOW, NOT ONLY IS EVERY INTERMENT AN EVENT BUT THERE ARE MANY LOCAL AND NATIONAL EVENTS CELEBRATING VETERANS AND THIS CEMETERY IS THE BACKBONE OF MANY OF THOSE EVENTS. NO VETERAN BURIED HERE WILL EVER BE LONELY, OR LACK FOR RECOGNITION.

WE ARE WRITING YOU AS THE MAIN SUPPORT ORGANIZATION. THE ALABAMA CEMETERY FOUNDATION, AN ORGANIZATION OF VETERANS. OUR WORK IN BEHALF OF THE VETERANS INTERRED HERE TAKES MANY FORMS. WE PARTICIPATE IN INDIVIDUAL BURIAL CEREMONIES, HONORING VETERANS ONE BY ONE. WE PLAN AND HOLD COMMEMORATIVE EVENTS AND NATIONAL HOLIDAY CELEBRATIONS. WE COLLABORATE WITH BATTLESHIP PARK AND VETERANS SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS ON ALL KINDS OF EVENTS. WE ARE A PRIVATE NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION, FUNDED BY PRIVATE DONATIONS AND DONATIONS FROM VETERANS GROUPS.

WE ARE WRITING TO YOU BECAUSE WE WANT TO GIVE YOU AN OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ACTIVITIES OF THE FOUNDATION. MANY FAMILIES LOOK FOR A WAY TO HELP THE CEMETERY. WE WELCOME AND APPRECIATE YOUR FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTION. WE HAVE A SPECIAL PROGRAM WHERE WE RECOGNIZE YOUR DONATION BY ENROLLING YOUR LOVED ONE IN OUR "VETERANS ROLE OF HONOR" THERE IS NO AMOUNT OR TIME REQUIREMENT. FOR THOSE WISHING TO TAKE A MORE SUBSTANTIAL ROLE, OUR TAX NUMBER IS 46-3998821. OUR WEBSITE IS www.ArlingtonSouth.org WE APPRECIATE EVERY ONE WHO WANTS TO HONOR THEIR LOVED ONE BY SUPPORTING THE FOUNDATION.

AGAIN, WE ARE PROUD TO HAVE YOUR LOVED ONE HERE WITH US AND WE ASSURE YOU THAT YOU WILL ALWAYS BE PROUD TO HAVE THEM IN THE ALABAMA STATE VETERANS MEMORIAL CEMETERY. THANK YOU SO VERY MUCH.