VETERANS LEGACY MEMORIAL:
FAMILIES HONORING VETERANS

Every Veteran has a story—a legacy of courage, service, and sacrifice—that deserves to be remembered, not just today, but forever. VA's Veterans Legacy Memorial (VLM) is the nation's largest digital platform dedicated to the memory of more than 10 million Veterans. VLM makes it easy to share, remember, and connect those experiences.

How can I use VLM to honor my Veteran?

VLM honors Veterans who have passed away with online memorial pages. Individual Veteran profile pages are populated with military service and cemetery information.

Family and friends can use VLM's interactive features to contribute to their Veteran's profile page:

- Add photos
- Share military and life timelines
- Submit tributes or memories
- Upload historical documents
- Share biographical information

Which Veterans are on the VLM site?

VLM memorializes Veterans interred in VA national cemeteries, VA-funded state, tribal, and territory Veterans cemeteries, military-managed cemeteries, American Battle Monument Commission cemeteries, National Park Service cemeteries, and private cemeteries within and outside the United States. For private cemeteries, VLM includes Veterans interred since 1996 who received a VA-provided headstone, flat marker, niche cover, or medallion.

Pete Ladowicz, U.S. Navy Veteran and Carrie Ladowicz, spouse

How do I find my Veteran on VLM?

1) Visit www.va.gov/remember and type in your Veteran's last name.
2) Additional fields can narrow your search. Filters can also be used to search by first name, service branch, date of death, country/state/territory, or cemetery.
3) If you have more specific information about your Veteran, advanced search provides additional options not found in the basic search for adding a middle name, date of birth, war period, and decorations.

Scan here to start exploring VLM
www.va.gov/remember

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