OUR COMMUNITY SALUTES

Ft. Worth, Texas

A NIGHT IN YOUR HONOR JANUARY 14, 2022



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Our Community Salutes (OCS) is a non-profit, tax-exempt, 501(c)(3) organization. It was created in 2009 in New Jersey to recognize and honor high school seniors (and their parents/guardians) who plan to enlist into the military after high school graduation. OCS also provides future service members and their families with access to educational resources and connects them with military support groups.

What started as one OCS ceremony in southern New Jersey has now spread across the nation. These events are planned and conducted independently in each community by volunteers, including military veterans, high school and college educators, local businesses, community leaders, and active duty military personnel. Our Community Salutes DFW has been honoring future service members in the DFW area since 2021.

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Program



Welcome

Invocation

National Anthem

2022 Gen. Colin Powell Award Recipient

U.S. Army Certificates

U.S. Navy Certificates

U.S. Marine Corps Certificates

U.S. Air Force Certificates

Texas National Guard Certificates

Service Songs

Farewell

2022 General Colin Powell Award Recipient

Kristen Washok



Kristen Washok is a long-time educator, serving over 20 years as a public-school teacher. Currently, she teaches 11th and 12th grade English at L.D. Bell High School in the HEB ISD. Kristen has two Master's degrees: an MEd in Educational Leadership and an MEd in Curriculum Development and Instructional Design. She has a great passion for learning and continuously works to improve her craft.

Kristen specializes in working with disadvantaged student populations, believing that building mentoring relationships with students is the most effective way to help them change their own lives. For the last eleven years, she has also supervised student teachers to help them become the strong teachers of tomorrow.

In addition to teaching, Kristen has spent the last two years as an English curriculum writer for her district.

Kristen says that she could have not accomplished these things without the support of her two children, her husband, and her mother. Coming from a family with three generations having served in the Navy, a stepdaughter on active duty in the Navy, and a daughter-inlaw on active duty in the Army, Kristen knows the great value of military service.

U.S. Army



Majeda Bahiya Adeoluwa Balogun Jocelyn Delgado Adam Griffin Hayden Holinbaugh Marquise McClendon Tyler Rose Malachi Smith Tyrese Taylor Tamia Wilkerson

U.S. Navy



Nestor Andrade Grace Jones Kam Love Jaykob Matthew Nathan Reeves Cayden Robinson Seth Skinner

U.S. Marine Corps



Diamond Berry Anthony Burboa Brian Byrne Eli Lopez Kayleb Moore Jose Nelmidaleon Zachary Price John Rupp Hannah Stephens Nathan Wyatt

U.S. Air Force



Miguel Camarillo Janie Flores Mason Harwell Tanner Keetch Brennan Lotz Sarah Martinez Dillon Morrow Adam Reed Corbin Shell Braydon Welch Sten Wheeler Natalie Whitaker



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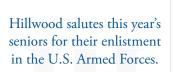
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Service Songs

United States Army & Guard

March along, sing our song, with the Army of the free. Count the brave, count the true, who have fought to victory. We're the Army and proud of our name! We're the Army and proudly proclaim: First to fight for the right, And to build the Nation's might, And The Army Goes Rolling Along. Proud of all we have done. Fighting till the battle's won, And the Army Goes Rolling Along. Then it's hi! hi! hev! The Army's on its way. Count off the cadence loud and strong; For where'er we go, You will always know That The Army Goes Rolling Along.

United States Navy

Anchors Aweigh, my boys, Anchors Aweigh. Farewell to foreign shores, we sail at break of day, of day. Through our last night ashore, drink to the foam, Until we meet once more Here's wishing you a happy voyage home!

United States Marine Corps

From the halls of Montezuma To the shores of Tripoli We will fight our country's battles In the air, on land and sea. First to fight for right and freedom, And to keep our honor clean. We are proud to claim the title of, United States Marines.

United States Coast Guard

From Aztec Shore to Arctic Zone, To Europe and Far East, The Flag is carried by our ships In times of war and peace; And never have we struck it yet In spite of foemen's might, Who cheered our crews and cheered again For showing how to fight.

Chorus:

We're always ready for the call, We place our trust in Thee. Through surf and storm and howling gale, High shall our purpose be. "Semper Paratus" is our guide, Our fame, our glory too. To fight to save or fight and die, Aye! Coast Guard we are for you!



United States Air Force & Guard

Off we go, into the wild blue yonder, Climbing high into the sun. Here they come zooming to meet our thunder, At 'em boys, give 'er the gun. Down we dive, spouting our flame from under, Off with one hell-uv-a roar! We live in fame or go down in flame, Nothing'll stop the U.S. Air Force.

