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Stevens Point, WI

Never Forgotten Honor Flight  
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Gentlemen:

Your letter of Sept. 11 recapped far better than I could the events and happenings of our trip to Washington D.C.. In behalf of my wife Pat, my eldest son Mark (who was my Guardian), and myself - THANK YOU SO MUCH!!!

It did take a couple days for this 91 year old to recover but I did and I still marvel over how you so efficiently kept all those wheel chairs MOVING. That took a lot of planning as well as experience - I couldn't have managed without that wheel chair although here at my retirement home I use only a walker. Gave my son a work out and certainly we got to know each other better than ever - thanks again for scheduling us together.

You pulled it off - the Mail Call came as a complete surprise! Very emotional and sure took me back in time when "mail call" was the highlight of the day - my family sure kept me in the dark:-). The entertainment also "took us back" to our courtship and service days.

I have a cousin who was in action in the Korean War. He is reluctant but if he had a mailing direct from you on just what to do, it would help. His address is:

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Thank you and may God continue to bless the wonderful NFHF organization.

Very sincerely,



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