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Dear Jim Campbell, Mike Thompson, and all the members of the organization.

Words really can't express our gratitude for all you do to make the Honor Flight so special! My husband was on the Labor Day Honor Flight, and he enjoyed it tremendously. It takes awhile to mentally and emotionally process this whirlwind trip. There are so many people to thank for this once in a lifetime experience.

The Board of Directors, and all those working on the Honor Flight - helpers, support people, those taking care of the business end, and volunteers who worked so hard to make everything "mesh." Those who lined up the entertainment, Jan Wendland for making all the Honor Flight plaques, and individually personalized plaques for her "Edgar boys". Ghidryzi Construction for donating the wonderful hotel rooms and amenities, 2510 for catering the banquet and ladies luncheon, the helpers and volunteers who took care of and entertained the spouses while their husbands were on the flight, the school children who wrote to the Veterans, those who donated for the Post Flight lunch and drinks, and those who raised money by having Pancake Brunches, Races, etc. The guardians who accompanied the Veterans, the Honor Guards, Veteran organizations, and motorcycle riders who always show up for the Homecomings, those who made and donated the comfort packages, etc. ^{Union Photography too!}

I'm sure I'm leaving someone out - there are just so many good people who still care. Jim said he now has closure over his time spent in the military, and feels good about his service. Your group is great - you have restored our faith in humanity! You're not divided by party lines, just all working together as Americans for the good of our country. An amazing group of people - and a trip we'll never forget.

Sincerely,

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