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Team NFHF,

Please find included a donation in honor of my stepfather, Richard Ormond, participating in Mission #53 on 22 September 2025. Rick served honorably in Vietnam. He is a tremendous husband to my mother, a great father, and an excellent role model with over 40 years as a Boy Scout of America troop leader/Scout Master. I am very thankful for the Honor Flight program and truly embrace its mission statement: to celebrate America's veterans by inviting them to share in a day of respect, gratitude and honor at our nation's memorials. As a recent Air Force Medical Service retiree, I enjoyed broad-based community/American support throughout my 26-year career – the widely unpopular and divisive Vietnam conflict unfortunately did not often provide similar support for many of its brave and self-sacrificing service members.

Thank you for what you do for our nation's veterans!

Regards,



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