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### **Mission Statement**

We are mothers, stepmothers, grandmothers, foster mothers and female legal guardians who have children serving in the military, guard or reserves, or children who are veterans. We support each other and our children while promoting patriotism. Our organization focuses on our mission every single day and will never, ever, forsake our troops, our veterans or the families of our Fallen Heroes.

We have nearly 6,000 members from over 200 Chapters throughout the nation.

### **What We Do**

#### 2017-2018 Fiscal Year Statistics

##### [2017-2018 Form 990 EZ](#)

Members 5794

Associates/Dads 1376

VAVS 114

Convention attendees 229

Income \$ 4,199,289.00

Expenses \$ 3,890,547.00

In-Kind Donations \$ 435,704.60

Grants \$ 515,956.50

Donations \$ 2,002,581.00

Banners 181

Care Packages 45707

Letters/Cards 123225

Ceremonies 539

Speeches 626

Parades 269

Homecomings 226

Veteran Events 1044