



THE Honoring All Veterans MEMORIAL

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Engraved on our Hearts...
Engraved in Stone

**A Perfect Way to
 Show Your Appreciation
 for Those Who Have Served
 Our Country**

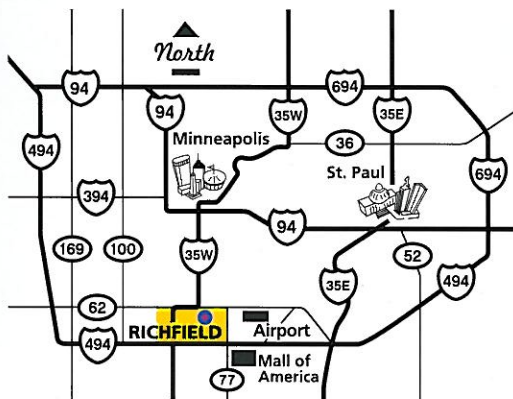
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Donations Welcome

To make a donation or to donate to the Sponsor-A-Vet fund, contact us at Honoring All Veterans Memorial, Inc., 7000 Nicollet Avenue, Richfield, MN 55423, or e-mail us at contact@richfieldveteransmemorial.org. Donations are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law.



The Memorial will be built in Veterans Memorial Park, 6400 Portland Avenue, conveniently located in Richfield, Minnesota.

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Please complete this form and detach. The engraving contribution is \$400 per name.

FIRST

MIDDLE INITIAL (optional)

LAST

Name of Person Being Honored (please print) _____

(maximum of 18 characters)

Branch of Service: (check one) ARMY NAVY USAF USCG USMC USMM

Special recognition: POW KIA MIA

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"...With confidence in our armed forces - with the unbounded determination of our people - we will gain the inevitable triumph - so help us God."

- President F.D. Roosevelt, 8th December 1941

The First Flag Raised Over Iwo Jima

On the morning of February 23, 1945, members of the 3rd Platoon, 28th Regiment, 5th Marine Division were given orders to climb and secure Mount Suribachi. Upon reaching the top, five Marines raised the American Flag over Iwo Jima. It was the first flag to be raised on Japanese soil - not the flag raised afterward which was made famous by photographer Joe Rosenthal. Among the five Marines, Chuck Lindberg is the last surviving flag-raiser from both flag-raising. After the war, he and his wife Vi moved to Richfield, Minnesota where they continue to reside today.



The first flag raising over Iwo Jima. Photo by Lou Lowery, 10 a.m., Feb. 23, 1945

The Honoring All Veterans Memorial

Honoring All Veterans Memorial, Inc., a non-profit organization, is erecting a monument to honor those

Americans who have served their country in the United States Military. The Memorial will be built in two phases. Phase One includes a bronze centerpiece depiction of Richfield resident Chuck Lindberg (pictured at left), granite tablets engraved with the names of U.S. veterans, and a flag display. The

Memorial will be built in Veterans Memorial Park, 6400 Portland Avenue, conveniently located in Richfield, Minnesota.

Groundbreaking for the Memorial is scheduled for May 28, 2007, with completion

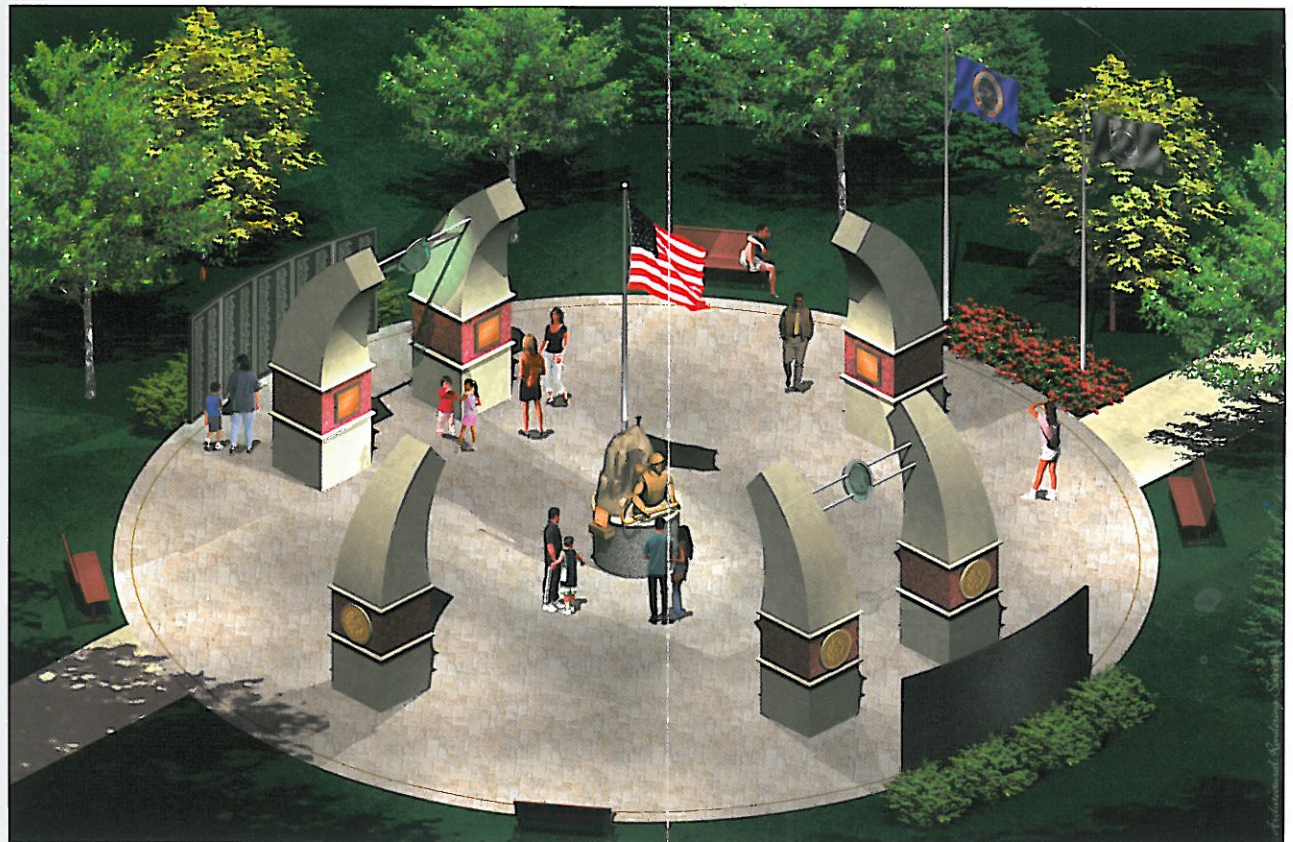
of Phase One expected about a year afterward. The proceeds from approximately 600 engravings are needed to finance completion of Phase One. The completion date depends on the number of engravings purchased.

Columns of Stone and the Capture of Light

Phase Two of the Memorial features six concrete columns that curve inward toward the center. Each column represents a branch of the armed forces and includes the official seal of each branch, placed within a granite inlay. Two glass prisms will be mounted between two sets of the columns to reflect sunlight onto the Memorial. The colorful reflected light is meant to honor our Veterans with a full day's remembrance (sunrise to sunset).

Memorial Engravings - A Gift Forever Engraved in Stone

The Honoring All Veterans Memorial is the perfect opportunity to individually recognize the contributions of those who have served our country in the military services. Become a part of the Memorial by having your name, or the veteran(s) of your choice, engraved on a granite memorial tablet. The names of all veterans are welcome on the memorial, active or retired, wartime or peacetime, full service or reserves, deceased or living and regardless of residency. The engraving contribution is \$400 per name. All proceeds will be applied to the cost of the Honoring All Veterans Memorial.



Conceptual rendering of The Honoring All Veterans Memorial. Designer, Travis Gorshe.