2/25 Stryker Brigade Combat Team-Warrior

Memorial Dedication Ceremony

May 21st, 2009
Schofield Barracks, Hawaii

Remembering the Fallen

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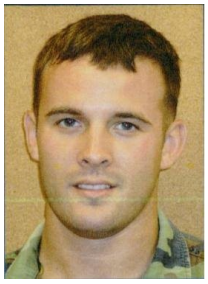

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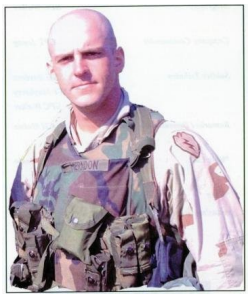
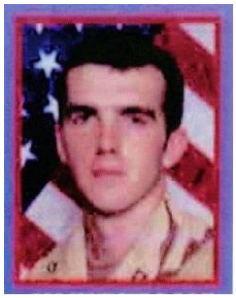

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Chaplain's Invocation

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National Anthem

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Explanation of Dedication Ceremony

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Commander's Comments

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Prayer of Blessing and Dedication

Unveiling of the Memorial

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Presentation of Maille Lei

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Moment of Silence
and
Rendering of Honors

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Commander's Closing Comments

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Reception

The Memorial Dedication Ceremony

The dedication of a memorial holds a long and honored place among warriors and the families who send forth their young people for service to our nation. The memorial links the selfless service of the Soldier, the sacrifice of the family, and the honor of the military unit.

The honor and glory accorded the warrior for his supreme sacrifice in offering his life for his country, is the last full measure of devotion to their country and its ideals, and in doing so we honor the family in this sacrifice. The war on terror represents the first true, extended test of the all volunteer Army's resolve since its inception. We have also chosen this location and memorial to honor our fallen and show our sincere appreciation for their support and deep respect for their sacrifice. This place will now become a place of reflection, a place to heal, a place to remember, and a place to gather and to honor, hence this day forth!

Soldier's Prayer

Lord, I pray this day for Courage, Courage to face and conquer my own fears...Courage to proudly hold the standard of my country in the face of all her enemies. I pray for Strength, Strength to perform my sacred duty with honor and dedication… Strength for my family and loved ones if I am called into 'harms way.' But most of all Lord, I pray for the protection of your Armor that I may stand wearing your Breastplate of Righteousness, buckle the Belt of Truth around my waist and carry your Shield of Faith. INTO YOUR LOVING ARMS I PLACE MY LIFE THAT YOUR WILL will be done.

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