



The American Legion
Benefits Department

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THE AMERICAN
LEGION

John D. Sample
2900 E. Apache St.
Tulsa, Ok 74110



*****DO NOT BEND*****
IMPORTANT CARD ENCLOSED

3 Easy Ways to Join!

#1

Return the Activation Form in the enclosed envelope.

OR

#2

Call 1-888-805-6180

OR

#3

Go to www.legion.org/mailoffer

THE AMERICAN LEGION MEMBERSHIP ACTIVATION FORM

<<PKG CODE>>

From: **John D. Sample, 2900 E. Apache St, Tulsa, OK 74110**



Yes, I stand strong. Please activate my American Legion benefits as a member of The American Legion — and rush me my FREE Gift!

I am enclosing my <<\$XX>> check payable to **The American Legion**.

I am charging my dues to a credit card; please see back.

Join online: Visit www.legion.org/mailoffer and enter your temporary membership number: <<999999999>>

With this signature, I verify that I have served or am still serving honorably on active duty. (Please check boxes for your dates of service to the right and sign below.)

X _____
Signature

If address above is not correct, please cross out and make corrections on back.

- Eligibility Dates**
- AUG 2, 1990 - OPEN
 - DEC 20, 1989 - JAN 31, 1990
 - AUG 24, 1982 - JUL 31, 1984
 - FEB 28, 1961 - MAY 7, 1975
 - JUNE 25, 1950 - JAN 31, 1955
 - DEC 7, 1941 - DEC 31, 1946

- Branch of Service**
- U.S. ARMY
 - U.S. MARINES
 - U.S. NAVY
 - U.S. AIR FORCE
 - U.S. COAST GUARD
 - U.S. MERCHANT MARINE (WWII only)

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John,

In honor of your military service, you are entitled to a free Branch of Service Pocket Knife, plus these exclusive benefits.

Dear <<John D. Sample>>,

It has come to my attention that you are not receiving benefits that you may be eligible for as a wartime veteran.

If you served your country during the periods of time listed on the Membership Activation Form above, it is an honor for me to invite you to join The American Legion — our country's largest wartime veteran's service organization.

As an American Legion member, you have easy access to and you help support a highly trained network of Veterans Service Officers — whose mission is to help all veterans obtain the full VA medical, educational, and insurance benefits you are eligible for now ... and in the future.

Simply fill out the Membership Activation Form above, along with your first year's membership, a special introductory offer of <<\$XX>>, and start saving money on everything from insurance to prescription drugs to rental cars.

I am looking forward to receiving your activation form and calling you a fellow "Legionnaire."

Serving those who served,

Daniel S. Wheeler
National Adjutant

P.S. When you return your Membership Activation Form and join more than 2 million fellow veterans as a member of The American Legion, I will rush you your FREE gift.

The American Legion is proud to offer you these exclusive benefits for your honorable service to the nation:

- Branch of Service Pocket Knife** - In honor of your military service, we want to send you this pocket knife, emblazoned with your Branch of Service, that you can use with pride every day.
- VA Benefit Assistance** - Need guidance or assistance with VA benefits? Our Department Service Officers help thousands of veterans a year to receive tens of thousands of dollars in well deserved benefits.
- Monthly Magazine** - Every single month *The American Legion Magazine* brings you stories, updates, entertaining articles, and important news of interest to veterans and their families.
- The Voice for Veterans** - Who fights for you in Washington, D.C., when it comes to issues of critical concern to veterans? The American Legion, that's who—supporting improved active-duty pay and housing and the best possible VA medical care.
- Member Discount Programs** - Why spend more than you have to when The American Legion can save you money on:
 - ★ Auto Rentals
 - ★ Financial & Insurance
 - ★ Medical
 - ★ Moving & Relocation
 - ★ Post Discounts
 - ★ Travel & Lodging
 - ★ And Much More (see additional member benefits information on back)

Special Introductory Offer: <<\$XX>>



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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Credit Card Information:

Visa MasterCard Discover AMEX

Account No. _____ Exp. Date _____

Signature _____ Date _____ Security Code _____

Date of Birth: _____ Phone Number: _____
MM/DD/YYYY

Email Address: _____

Male: Female:

Please Make Any Address Corrections Here if Necessary:

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

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SUMMARY OF MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

Assistance With Your Veteran Benefits



BENEFIT ASSISTANCE -

The American Legion helps all veterans obtain full medical, career, and education benefits, as well as assistance in preparing VA claims applications.



VETERANS' REPRESENTATION -

The American Legion is the nation's largest and most effective advocate in Washington, D.C., for veterans, troops, and their families. The American Legion fights every day on Capitol Hill and across the country for a quality VA health-care system, improved benefits processing, and a decent quality of life for active-duty military personnel.



ACCREDITED SERVICE OFFICERS -

The American Legion has nearly 3,000 trained experts in veteran benefits nationwide. Visitors of www.legion.org can search online for the service officer nearest to them.



CAREER OPPORTUNITIES FOR VETERANS -

The American Legion works closely with numerous employers, lenders, and agencies, including the Department of Labor and the Small Business Administration, to produce hundreds of career events across the country each year. The Legion is also the nation's leading advocate for veteran entrepreneurs and job candidates who have service-connected disabilities.



TOP-RANKED MEMBER MAGAZINE -

You'll receive a full year's subscription to *The American Legion Magazine*, the nation's most widely circulated publication for veterans and top-ranked magazine, among all titles, for readership. Each issue is packed with the features, commentaries, interviews, military history, photos, and more of interest to America's veterans.

Added Medical Benefits



DISCOUNT PRESCRIPTION DRUG PROGRAM -

Members and dependents receive special savings through CVS/Caremark.



DISCOUNTS ON HEARING AIDS -

Members, family, and extended family are eligible for hearing care discounts from Amplifon Hearing Health Care. Benefits include: low-price guarantee; access to over 3,900 locations nationwide; over 2,000 models; free 60-day trial period; free multi-year supply of batteries (160 cells).

Insurance



LIFE INSURANCE THROUGH MUTUAL OF OMAHA -

Members aged 45-85 are eligible for guaranteed issue whole life policies. (May not be available in all states).



USAA -

Provides a full range of financial products including: insurance, banking, investments, and financial advice. As an American Legion member, you are eligible to join. There are no membership fees to join USAA, and when you sign up, your eligible family members can join USAA as well.

Auto Rental, Relocation, & Travel



AUTO RENTALS - Members can receive special discounts with ALAMO, NATIONAL, and ENTERPRISE.



NORTH AMERICAN VAN LINES AND ALLIED VAN LINES -

Preferred savings on interstate (state-to-state) moving and in-transit storage..



GOV VACATION REWARDS -

Members can get the best discount available on travel including airfare, hotel, car rental, vacation packages, cruises, and more.



VETERANS HOLIDAYS -

This program offers members the opportunity to rent a furnished condominium for 2-8 people, for an entire week, for less than they would pay for a single hotel room.



MOTEL 6 - Members receive a preferred discount at any of the 1,100 pet-friendly Motel 6 locations in the U.S. and Canada.



BEST WESTERN - Members receive a preferred discount at any of the 1,100 pet-friendly Motel 6 locations in the U.S. and Canada.



WYNDHAM HOTEL GROUP - American Legion members will receive a preferred discount at more than 2,100 North American Best Western locations. Members are also eligible for free enrollment in Best Western Service Rewards®.



Retail Discounts



OFFICE DEPOT/OFFICE MAX - Members receive significant discounts on over 93,000 items online or in-store with a purchasing card printable online. Next day delivery is free on purchases of \$50 or more for American Legion members.



LIFESTATION - Members can receive special discounted rates on a medical alert system and a free extra item.

The American Legion makes every attempt to reach qualified veterans with our offer for membership. Because privacy laws prevent us from being absolutely certain that you are a qualifying veteran, you may have received this offer in error. If this is the case, please accept our sincere apology.

NOTE: These discount offers are valid at participating locations and are not valid with any other discounts or special prices. The American Legion does not guarantee any discounts.



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THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE



John D. Sample

Temporary Membership Number

<<9999999999>>



You served your country, and The American Legion is here to serve you.
For assistance, or with questions, call toll-free:

Customer Service
Number:

1-888-805-6180

Enjoy this **FREE GIFT** as thanks
for your service and to welcome
you to The American Legion.

Join online: Visit www.legion.org/mailoffer and enter
your temporary membership number.

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**SELECT YOUR BRANCH OF
SERVICE ON YOUR REPLY FORM**

**PROUD TO HAVE SERVED IN
THE U.S. ARMED FORCES**



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**ARMY • MARINES
NAVY • AIR FORCE
COAST GUARD**



Dear Fellow Veteran,

It was a privilege to work on your behalf and help you with your VA claim. We have helped thousands of veterans like you fight for the benefits they earned serving our great nation.

In The American Legion ... veterans help veterans. That is the simple truth ... but our impact is far from simple. Legionnaires help veterans, disaster victims, military personnel, children in need, college-bound students, future leaders, and patriotic citizens who stand for our flag and honor those who fought for all it means.

That is why we need YOU to join us now. Why does your membership matter?

A homeless veteran who sought help from the Legion's Veterans Crisis Command Center in Fayetteville, NC, received immediate help with his VA claim. He wrote, "I didn't have a lot of faith in what was going on. But someone did help me out, and I want you all to know that in my bank account this morning was my \$11,000 retro check. I can now move me and my son out of my vehicle, and I can buy my son a healthy meal."

In rural Colorado, a post-9/11 Marine Corps veteran and single father raising a 7-year-old son with muscular dystrophy was on the brink of losing his home to mold infestation. His American Legion post stepped in. Through Legion volunteerism and generosity, the veteran's home is now being rebuilt for him and his son.

When a young Illinois mother's Iraq War veteran fiancé died unexpectedly, she was left with two small children and limited resources. The American Legion's Temporary Financial Assistance was there to help pay for the family's housing and get them on their feet again.

These are just a few examples of how you can help your fellow veterans and why it is so critical that ALL eligible veterans belong to The American Legion ... for just like on the battlefield ... there is strength in numbers.

I hope you were pleased with the service you received from The American Legion and that you will consider joining us to ensure that the Legion is there for other veterans in need of our help.

Please stand with us and make The American Legion stronger! Please join TODAY.

For God and Country,

Daniel S. Wheeler
National Adjutant
The American Legion

P.S. We serve all veterans, regardless of membership status. If you have a VA Claim still pending we will work on your behalf regardless of your decision to join The American Legion.

URGENT PLEASE RUSH



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STAMP
HERE



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