



Wounded American Soldiers of World War II, June 6, 1944—Army Signal Corp Photo

TO HONOR THE DEAD... LET'S HELP THE LIVING

Never in history have so many given so much in defense of America—and asked so little in return.

To most Americans, World War II ended on VJ-Day. But for nearly 100,000 men confined to government hospitals—and for countless thousands of other disabled veterans whose minds and bodies bear the cruel scars of conflict—World War II will never be over. After 27 years of pain-racked experience and suffering, thousands of disabled AEF veterans of 1917-18 know this as the heart-breaking truth.

In the present difficult period of readjustment, the nationwide rehabilitation service of the Veterans of Foreign Wars is doing those things for veterans which the government is unable to do in their behalf—those things they cannot do for themselves.

The men who have given their lives—in times of war—to help make America a good country in which to live—in times of peace—sleep restlessly in their honored graves. Their souls will repose in peace only if we who live remain true to their memory; only if we who were

The increasing importance of veterans' affairs particularly commends the V. F. W. sale of Buddy Poppies this year. In supporting the V. F. W. National Home at Eaton Rapids, Michigan, this poppy sale gives the orphaned children of veterans an opportunity in life equal to that enjoyed by the average American child. These are both splendid purposes which recommend to all the wearing of a Buddy Poppy this year.

—Harry Truman

untouched by the brutality of war will never let ourselves forget how much we owe to those who did the fighting.

When you wear a Buddy Poppy on Memorial Day, America's disabled and needy veterans will know that your interest in their welfare is practical and sincere. Why is this true?

Because every penny of the proceeds of the annual sale of Buddy Poppies is devoted exclusively to veteran welfare and rehabilitation—and to the care and protection of homeless orphans of veterans.

As America's traditional "flower of remembrance," the Buddy Poppy is a symbol of our loyalty to that vast army of war veterans who must face the future with physical and economic handicaps.

Wear a Buddy Poppy on Memorial Day. Be counted among those who believe that practical and sympathetic assistance for the living—rather than imposing monuments—is the finest way to honor the vivid memory of America's hero dead.

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