

## Join The DAV:

IMAGINE a world without hope for disabled veterans. Imagine a nation where veterans returned from war without the benefits we enjoy today. Imagine disabled veterans having to endure every hardship on their own, without the hope of being able to support their families.

For the majority of sick and injured veterans of World War 1, the fight for life that began on the battlefield had really only begun when they returned home. But they had each other and that was enough.

In 1920 before there was a VA health care system, reintegration counseling or vocational rehabilitation, they came together to form the Disabled American Veterans.

What DAV members have learned over the better part of a century is that the fight for fair treatment for veterans was one that had to be fought for by every generation that served and sacrificed.

When you signal your intent to become a member of the DAV, you stand with every veteran who faces an uncertain future as a result of war-time service-connected disabilities.

What the future will hold for the generation of veterans returning from Iraq and Afghanistan is uncertain. What challenges future veterans will face as a result of their service is unknown.

But when you join the DAV and stand up with your fellow veterans, you make it clear that you will continue the fight to ensure the nation lives up to its obligations for its fighting men and women. Your membership ensures you are aware of the key issues we all face, and puts you in the fight to maintain the benefits we've earned through service and sacrifices.

Please join your local DAV, beyond standing with 1.2 million of your fellow disabled veterans; your membership in the DAV gives you the opportunity to receive legislative updates, making it easy for you to contact your elected leaders to share your concerns on the issues that impact veterans.

You also receive a free subscription to the DAV National and State of Michigan publications.

If you do decide to join, (Which we sincerely hope you do), enclosed is an application for membership to join the DAV. The cost of membership is based on age which is noted on the application. The minimum payment is \$40.00; however, we are hoping you consider becoming a Full Life Member. Please complete the application and return it to:

Disabled American Veterans Department of Michigan 17779 E. Fourteen Mile Rd. Fraser, MI 48026

Thank you for your consideration to join the DAV.

## -IFE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Purple Heart Recipient Check all that apply: VA disability rating? E-Mail Sponsor's Last Name/Code City Date of Enlistment Mo./Day/Yr. Street Address Last Name Please fill this application out to the best of your ability. If additional information is available, include it in an additional letter. installments following a minimum \$40 down payment: follows and may be paid in interest-free Life membership is permanent. Life membership dues are as Social Security Number: Disability Discharge \_% (0-100%) Campaign Medal. Branch of Service First Chapter Preference State Ex POW Zip Code Date of Discharge Mo./Day/Yr. Date of Birth Mo./Day/Yr. Spouse's First Name ≧ Militarily Retired □ ≥ O Ti Signature ☐ Charge my credit card RETURN TO: Membership Department Expires Mo./Yr. Credit Card Number ☐ My check is enclosed for: \$ 888 in the amount of: Cincinnati, OH 45250-5550 P.O. Box 145550 DAV National Headquarters **VISA** Age 40 and under...\$250 Age 41-60......\$230 Age 61-70.....\$180 Age 71-79.....\$140 Age 80 and over....Free Telephone DISCOVER