

Dear Philadelphia Vietnam Veterans Memorial Society:

This Christmas was a little brighter this year for our family, because of Mr. John Kozin, who was the sponsor for my family's Christmas dinner. Mr. Kozin brought my mother, Elizabeth (a homebound disabled widow), a Christmas dinner with all the trimmings and dessert. He also included a gift card inside of the Christmas card that he included with the package.

My father -- now deceased -- served in the Marine Corps for five and a half years, and he valued the time that he was able to serve his country. My mother, and our entire family, appreciate all that our service men and women sacrifice in order to keep this great land of ours "the land of the free and home of the brave".

Thank you for aiding our family in our time of need; you've given way more than we could ever hope to thank you.

Happy holidays, and a joyous and peaceful new year,

Erica