THE NATIONAL PURPLE HEART HALL OF HONOR



The National Purple Heart Hall of Honor is a New York State Historic site administered by the New York State Park Commission. Dedicated on November 10, 2006, the Hall's mission is to collect, preserve, and share with the public the stories of Purple Heart recipients. It is the first and only facility in the nation dedicated to honoring this country's Purple Heart recipients.

The Purple Heart is one of the most recognized and respected medals awarded to members of the U.S. armed forces who are killed or wounded by enemy action, and The Hall of Honor is dedicated to those



recipients of this award who paid that price for our freedom.



The primary way in which Purple Heart recipients are honored is through enrollment in The Roll of Honor electronic database which is accessible in The Hall's main gallery and on its website, <u>www.thepurpleheart.com</u>. Because there is no comprehensive list of recipients upon which to draw, however, Purple Heart recipients are encouraged to become members of the Roll of Honor by completing an enroll form and submitting it to the National Purple Heart Hall of Honor. Family members and friends may also enroll Purple Heart recipients, living or deceased, by completing an enrollment form and providing supporting evidence.

Enrollment forms can be down loaded from the website listed above, by contacting the National Purple Heart Hall of Honor, or by visiting your local Veterans Services Officer. Enrollment is voluntary and free of cost.

Help us honor and preserve the stories of these deserving men and women by enrolling them today in the National Purple Heart Hall of Honor.



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