

Join Us in Our Mission

Remember ★ Honor ★ Teach



★ **December 16, 2023** ★

National Wreaths Across America Day

Help TOVA honor local heroes!

Sponsor a wreath today to be placed on a veteran's grave this December at Florida National Cemetery.

Scan the QR code
to make a donation online or visit

www.wreathscrossamerica.org/FL1154



#ServeAndSucceed



OUR MISSION:

Remember, Honor, Teach.

Remember the fallen. Honor those who serve. Teach the next generation the value of freedom.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

FISCAL YEAR 2022

(July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022)

TOTAL REVENUE PER 990
\$30,867,081

TOTAL EXPENSES PER 990
\$31,275,595

More than \$20million redistributed to non-profit and civic organizations since 2007.

EMPLOYEE INFORMATION:

TOTAL STAFF: 41

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“SERVE AND SUCCEED”

National Wreaths Across America Day

Saturday, Dec. 16, 2023

Volunteers can get involved at any of the 3,700+ participating locations in all 50 states, Puerto Rico, and on foreign soil.



Join us and over 2 million volunteers nationwide in placing wreaths on veterans' headstones. Invite your family and friends to an experience you will never forget, as we take a break from the hustle and bustle of the holiday season to honor our service men and women and their families.

For a complete list of participating locations, visit WreathsAcrossAmerica.org

2022 RECAP

- 2.7 million veterans' wreaths were placed in total across the country at 3,702 participating locations. More than two million volunteers helped place wreaths, a third of whom were children.
- At Arlington National Cemetery specifically, the Wreaths Across America program saw 68 tractor trailers deliver over 275,000 veterans' wreaths that were placed by nearly 28,000 volunteers.
- Over 644 truckloads of wreaths were delivered across the country by hundreds of volunteer professional truck drivers driving donated equipment and fuel from approximately 296 transportation partners.

WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

1. Sponsor a Wreath

Honor veterans in your local community by sponsoring a wreath that will be placed on a veteran's grave. You choose the location. Groups can get involved as a fundraising project.

2. Add a New Location

Coordinate a wreath-laying ceremony at a cemetery or veteran's memorial in your town. Determine if this location is already participating by checking our website. We have resources to help you plan your ceremony.

3. Start a Sponsorship Group

Your civic, nonprofit, school or other group can help raise wreath sponsorships for Arlington or your local cemetery. A portion of the funds can be returned to help your group. We offer resources and assistance to ensure your success.

4. Volunteer

Volunteer to place wreaths on a veteran's grave at any of our more than 3,700 participating locations. Involve your friends and family to honor our service men, women and families.

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GIVING OPPORTUNITIES

Every \$17 places a wreath to honor our veterans.

- Donation of trucking and transportation of wreaths
- Give your employees time to participate on National Wreaths Across America Day.

“We are not here to ‘decorate graves.’ We are here to remember not their deaths, but their lives.” — Karen Worcester