

Why Do We Place Bricks?

When men and women protect our freedom, we stand ready to recognize their courage and strength. A personalized Brick of Honor provides a visual demonstration of your commitment to the brave men and women who have guarded our freedom for generations.

A Brick of Honor is a lasting tribute that honors the service of an individual veteran. All bricks are personalized and placed on Monument Circle surrounding the iconic Soldiers and Sailors Monument.

A \$125 tax-deductible donation to the Indiana War Memorials Foundation enables a brick honoring your veteran to be placed in the center of our great state. The brick will be engraved with your service member's name, rank, branch of service, and dates of service.

BRICKS OF HONOR

Share your commemoration of a veteran with 1.5 million annual visitors to the Monument.

- **Each brick** represents a tax-deductible charitable contribution.
- **Brick of Honor souvenir bricks** may be purchased as mementos and a constant reminder of the brick placed on Monument Circle.

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About Us

Indiana War Memorials Foundation, Inc. (IWMF) supports the **Indiana War Memorials Commission (IWMC)** in honoring the valor, history, and sacrifice of Hoosier Veterans. The Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization providing financial, communications, and programming support for preserving and promoting the monuments, artifacts, and parks managed by the Commission. Through this work, IWMF empowers and engages many generations to participate and be inspired by the brave service of Hoosier Veterans.

The Indiana War Memorial Plaza Historic District includes a 30,000 square foot museum, three parks, four fountains, and 25 acres of monuments, statues, and sculptures in the heart of downtown Indianapolis.

IWMC manages these properties in pursuit of its primary mission: to commemorate the valor and sacrifice of the United States Armed Forces and to honor Hoosier Veterans and Indiana's role in our nation's conflicts.

You can visit indianawarmemorials.org to read inspiring stories, find events and learn more about Indiana's magnificent monuments and memorials. Visitors enjoy the five-block district, which includes green spaces to reflect on the true meaning of freedom. Come see these amazing Hoosier treasures.



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Bricks Honoring American Veterans

**A Personal Remembrance of Service
in the Heart of Indianapolis**

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Commemorate and honor.

Ordering a Brick

A commemorative brick may be ordered online at bricksofhonor.org or by mailing the completed form with payment.

The donor may request a specific quadrant (N, S, E, W, NE, SE, NW, or SW) on Monument Circle. In addition, a small dedication ceremony on Monument Circle for friends and family may be requested. For ceremonies, we request the Veteran's discharge papers (DD2-14) be provided by the family whenever possible. Please note these requests with your order.

Bricks typically take 2-4 months to prepare and install; additionally, weather must be consistently above 50 degrees to be placed. Upon installation of the Brick of Honor, an official certificate from the Indiana War Memorials will be sent indicating where the brick was laid on Monument Circle, along with a photo of the brick. If the brick is to be given as a gift, a presentation certificate can be provided upon request while the brick is being processed, engraved, and installed.

Souvenirs of your veteran's Brick of Honor may be purchased for \$50. Souvenir bricks—3" x 1.5" x .5" with engraving—serve as a memento of service and a reminder of the brick placed on Monument Circle.

Who is Eligible?

Any past or present member of an American military service branch with honorable service is eligible to have a brick placed commemorating their service. Brick donations are accepted from individuals, families, or organizations, but bricks only honor an *individual's* service.



Brick Order Form

- ☐ **\$125.00** Brick placed on the Circle
- ☐ **\$175.00** Brick placed on the Circle and a souvenir brick (*shipped to certificate address*)
- ☐ **\$ 50.00** Souvenir only

Veteran's Information

Limit 18 characters per line—we will edit if necessary.

Veteran's Name

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Dates and Unit

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Rank and Branch

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Donor and Payment Information

All information is required. Checks are accepted.

Donor Name _____

Email _____

Phone (_____) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ ZIP Code _____

Credit Card No. _____

CVV _____ Exp _____ / _____

Brick Certificate Information

Certificate will be mailed when the brick is placed. To mail the certificate to a different address, please enter it below:

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ ZIP Code _____

Additional Requests

(i.e. specific quadrant location; ceremony request)

Send completed form and payment to:

Indiana War Memorials Foundation, Inc.

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