

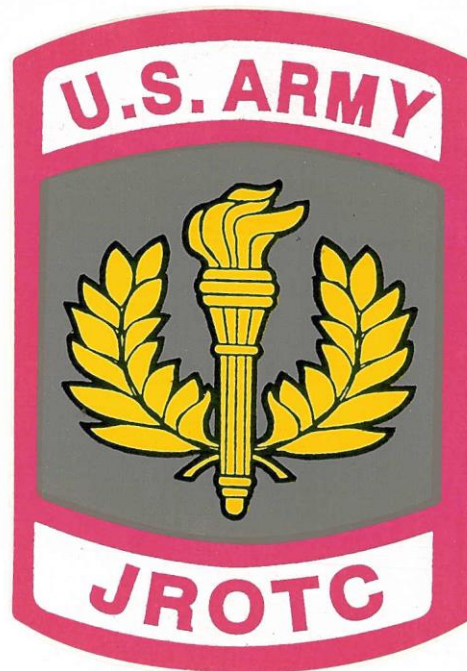


**VETERANS DAY PROGRAM  
AT FALCONS LANDING  
NOVEMBER 10, 2023**



# **PRESENTATION OF COLORS**

**ARMY JUNIOR ROTC UNIT  
SEAHAWK BATTALION  
SOUTH LAKES HIGH SCHOOL**



# THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE



# NATIONAL ANTHEM



# INVOCATION

## CHAPLAIN JEFF PAYNE



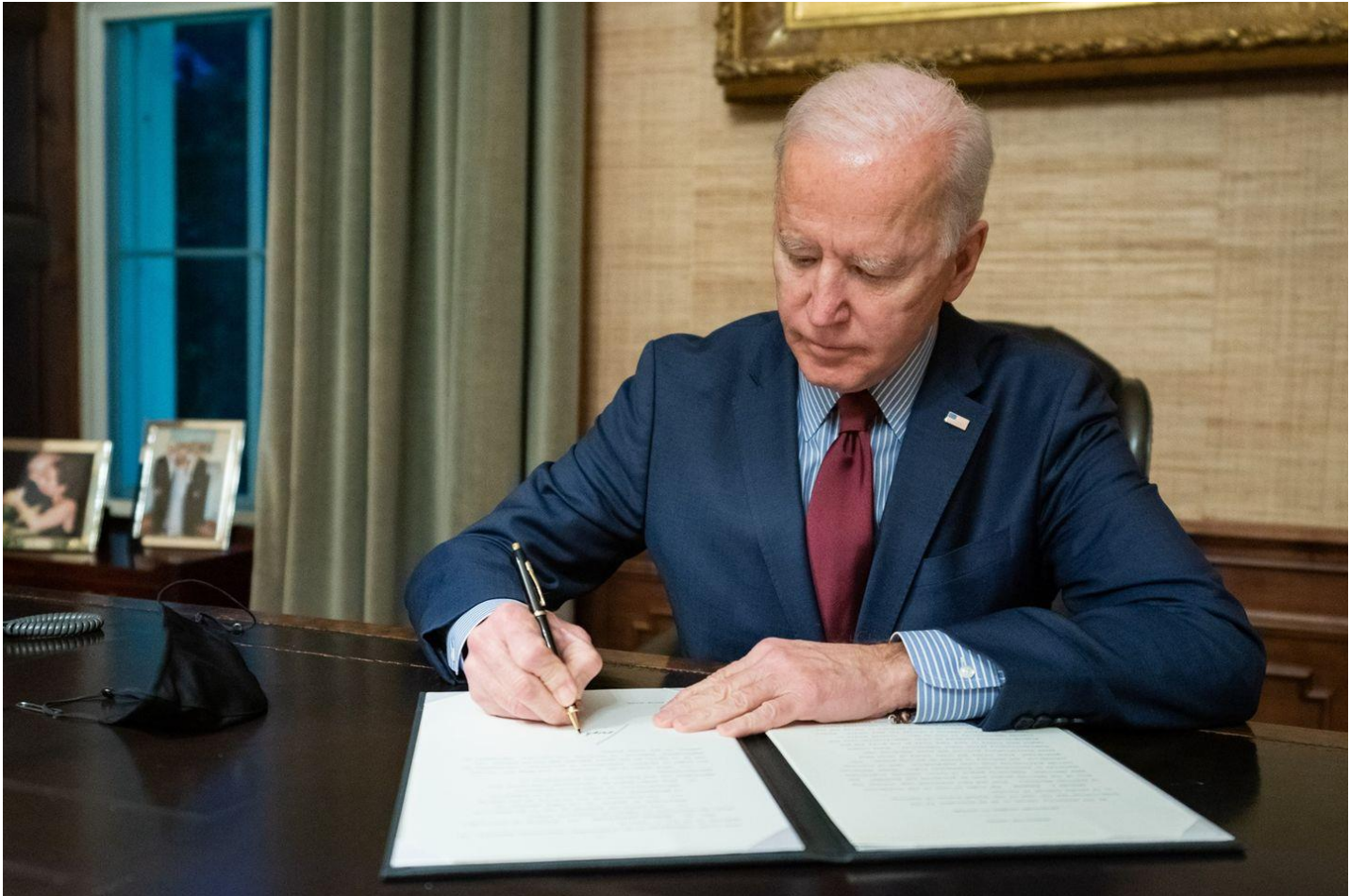




# HISTORY OF VETERANS DAY



# A PROCLAMATION ON VETERANS DAY, 2023



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**“SOME PEOPLE LIVE AN ENTIRE LIFETIME AND WONDER IF THEY HAVE EVER MADE A DIFFERENCE IN THE WORLD, BUT THE MARINES DON’T HAVE THAT PROBLEM.” *RONALD REAGAN***

# VETERANS STATISTICS

## 2023

### VETERANS TODAY

US---19,162,000

Virginia---713,344

Loudoun---20,751

Falcons Landing---394

### BATTLE DEATHS

WWII---291,557

Korean---33,739

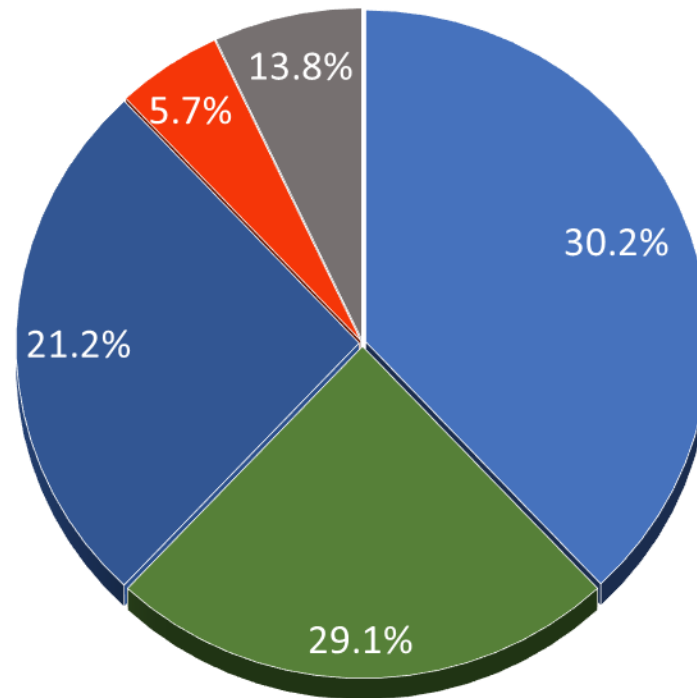
Vietnam---47,434

Gulf War---148

GWOT---7008

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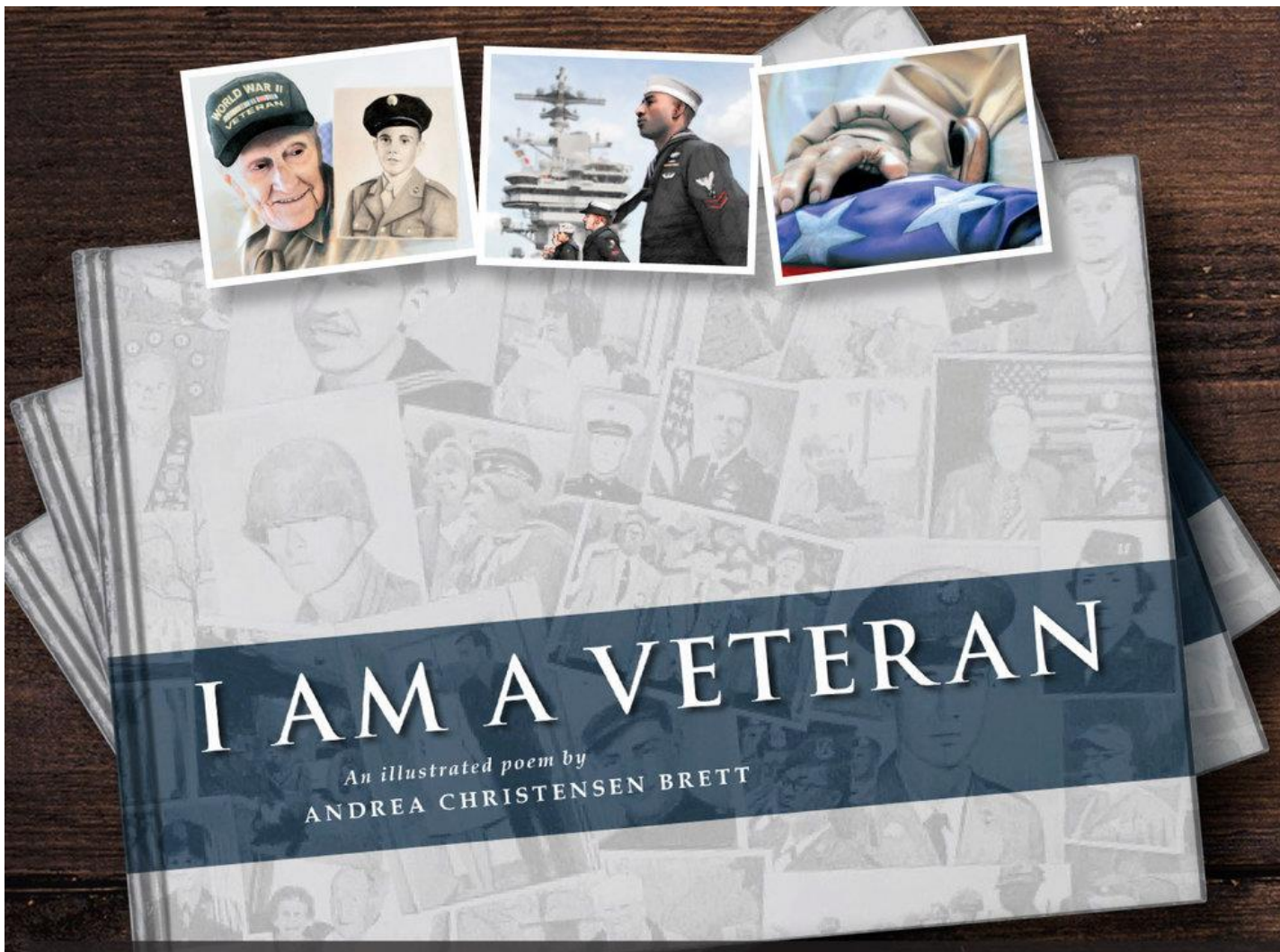
SERVICE	NUMBER
AIR FORCE	138
NAVY	97
ARMY	133
MARINES	26
DOD/OTHERS	63



■ Air Force ■ Army ■ Navy ■ Marines ■ DOD/Other

# I AM A VETERAN

by Andrea Christensen Brett





# ARMED FORCES MEDLEY





***WE HONOR YOU TODAY***

**BY SUSAN R. SMITH**

**NARRATED BY HOWARD SCHUE**



# **DON HUGHES**

## **LIEUTENANT GENERAL, USA, USAF (RET)**



**"...everyone in the armed services can stand a little taller because the American people have realized that service to the country...is an honorable profession." Hawaiian Falcon, June 3rd, 1981.**





# **BENEDICTION**

## **MAX JOHNSON**



# ECHO TAPS



# AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL

## CLAIRE CROSBY



**America,  
the Beautiful**



# **GOD BLESS OUR VETERANS**





# VETERANS DAY



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