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## Home for the Holidays

Often times, as we are spending time with our friends and family around the holidays, our beloved veterans are overlooked. As we move closer to the holidays including Christmas and the New Year, it is a great time to think about our troops that are overseas and send them a card, care packages or you can even adopt a soldier for the holidays if you are able to do so.

There are many active duty military personnel that are not going to be able to spend their holidays with their loved ones as they are busy protecting our freedoms, even our freedom to enjoy and celebrate our holidays. As a nice gesture send a care package, adopt a soldier, or even volunteer to help our soldiers that are not able to be with their own friends and family.

December 7<sup>th</sup> is National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day. We as a nation recognize the atrocity at Pearl Harbor 78 years ago where more than 3,500 Americans lost their lives or were wounded. Some of the veterans of World War II are still alive today and many live in our district and throughout Wisconsin.

As you are sending and receiving packages around the holidays, please keep in mind that it is important to ensure that your packages are safe and secure. December 4<sup>th</sup> is National Package Protection Day that reminds all of us to be sure to be conscious that around this time of year packages are more likely to be stolen from your front porch. Some easy solutions for this include checking daily for packages, use package tracking solutions, have packages delivered to your workplace, or require a signature upon delivery.

Please consider taking a moment and visit the United States Department of Defense's website at <https://dod.defense.gov/Resources/Community-Resources/carepackages/> or for cards use at <https://military-missions.org/care-packages/cards/> to find resources through which you can send care packages and cards to our troops!

As always, feel free to contact my office with questions, comments, or concerns.

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