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From: Department of Texas District 17 Chaplain M. John Foy Day
To: Department of Texas State Chaplain Dr. Al Love, DMin
Department of Texas District 17 Commander Johnny Vasquez
Subj: Chaplain Report

Good Morning Brother Al and Johnny,

The following is the Chaplain Report for the period of July – December 2020:

I have travelled to the following District campaigning for State Chaplain

Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 24, and 28.

I have completed 3 mailings during this half year on the campaign with one more going out near Easter.

The above Districts member were given a Soldiers' Bible (a total of 750) upon my visit except D-18 due to the fact that I ran out and the order didn't come in time for their respective meeting.

In between visiting the Districts on the weekends, I was able to fulfill the following:

- 1) Continuously working with the Veteran Inmate at the Montgomery County Sheriff Office via zoom meetings;
- 2) Bi-Monthly zoom meeting with Veterans in the 359th District Court and the Veterans Treatment Courts;
- 3) Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program;
- 4) Patriot's Pen Scholarship Program;
- 5) Citizenship Teacher of the Year Program;
All three consisting of 3 School Districts, 84,000 students enrolled along with Home Schooled and Christian School Student participating. Unfortunately, due to the Conus Virus this year, my numbers were at a low-participants and the students not at the schools until mid-October;
- 6) Teaching the Americanism Program via the Veterans Air Station interview and telling the story of "I Love America" VFW Sponsored coloring Storybook.
As in the past 5 years, I was able to teach over 900 plus children (each year) in their classroom and this year, wasn't able to get an actual count on how many watched the program, although folks from around the State said their children enjoyed the storybook. I had it enlarged to show on the air.
- 7) Assisted in the United States Marine Corps Toys for Tots, delivering and collecting boxes weekly, helped with distribution of Toys, and cleanup of the building prior to turning back to the owners;
- 8) Prepared (2 times) meals for the Montgomery County Sheriff Office Deputies;
- 9) Delivered clothing items to the Conroe House of Prayers to restock the shelves for the upcoming winter months;
- 10) Prepared, cooked, baked for the Homeless Thanksgiving Meal for 40 this year;

- 11) Worked OPERATION BLUE ELF with the Montgomery County Sheriff Office distributing toys for Christmas;
- 12) Distributed Stuff animals to Houston (D-4), San Antonio (D-20), Conroe (D-17), Dallas (D-3), and Laredo (D-18) for less fortunate children in the community;
- 13) Purchased 1000 Christmas Cards, 100 blankets and 50 pillows for my special project in which the Veterans in POD 7 at the Montgomery County Sheriff Office help sign each card, wrapped each blanket or pillow to give out to the homeless which was shared with D-4, D-17, and D-18 respectively;
- 14) Filled in numerous times conducting VPRs and/or the Prayers
- 15) Continuously working on the Veterans Memorial Commission Park as the first Chaplain and Commissioner.

I will be requesting to visit the following District for the period of January to June 2021:

Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 29, and 30.

Break down:

Jan – Districts 19, 21, 29, and Mid-Winter Convention;

Feb – Districts 1, 2, 6, and 17;

Mar – Districts 4, and 10;

Apr – Districts 3, 5, 8, 14, 17, and 30;

May – Districts 12, 16, and 20; and

Jun – State Convention.

I wished that I could have done more traveling out towards the west.

Just looking to fulfill my Chaplain Duties abroad and always having fun doing so.

Respectfully submitted.

For the Veterans, I am

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Department of Texas District 17 Chaplain.