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**Meet some of our Veterans  
who have completed the  
Camp Hope  
Residential Program  
within the last 30 days!  
CLICK IMAGE**



## MESSAGE FROM OUR DIRECTOR

### So Much More

Moments of crisis, the psych ward at the VA, and the court systems are very “normal” situations when we first meet a Veteran who enters our groups or residential program at Camp Hope. Intersecting their life at such a critical time is only the beginning of our work. There is so much more.

The last phase of the program at Camp Hope, which is roughly 1/3 of the program, is dedicated to transitioning to the civilian world. This includes working with our staff to write a workable plan for their future and actually begin to implement the plan while still in residency. Many volunteers from the professional world assist with resume writing, mock interviews, applying for college or launching their own business. But there is so much more.

To accomplish their goals and a successful transition, we work hard to make sure each graduate has the following in place: 1) a plan for their own safety and emotional stability, 2) housing, 3) transportation, 4) enrolled in school or successfully employed, 5) if applicable, assisting in transitioning the veteran back into their family. It's a beautiful thing to see so many people from varied backgrounds coming together, giving their time and sharing their knowledge, experience and networking on behalf of our Veterans. But, there is so much more.

Through the past few years we have been privileged to furnish several apartments for Veterans who had nothing, and automobiles so they have transportation to get to school or their new job. Thanks to our National Spokesman, Michael Berry, along with Gringo's, Joe Myers Ford and Jos. A. Bank, we will be collecting gently used suits, ties, belts and shoes next Friday, April 12 so our Veterans have the wardrobe they need. It's going to be a memorable day that will assist us in changing the lives of hundreds of Veterans. We have a great community across the country who constantly find ways to serve and support for which we are deeply grateful.

We hope to see many of you on the 12th or some of the other upcoming events supporting this organization. Thanks to all who support the PTSD Foundation of America through prayer, volunteering and financial support. We've helped many with your help, yet there is so much more!

**David Maulsby, Executive Director**

## CAMP HOPE ONGOING NEEDS



Camp Hope is always in need of many items to include, Grocery, Toiletries, Supplies, Gift Cards, & **VOLUNTEERS!**

- Bottled Water
- Paper Towels
- Hand Soap
- Scrubber Sponges
- Daycare Volunteers
- Hangers for new residents

One of our goals when a veteran graduates from our program is to ensure he has a job, a place to live, and a vehicle. As you can imagine having a vehicle makes finding a job and then a place to live much easier. If you would like to donate a car or truck in good working order to help one of our veterans please **CLICK TO DONATE!**

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## SERVICE SPOTLIGHTS

### GRATEFUL FOR ANOTHER DONATED VEHICLE!



With the assistance of the team another Veteran/Graduate of Camp Hope received a donated vehicle. He is currently working at Rice University a job he obtained through the connection we have developed here at Camp Hope. Thank you to all who had a hand in helping this Veteran!

### FIRST AMERICA HOMES

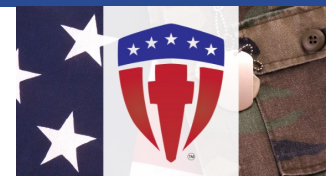


Thanks to our friends at @1stAmericaHomes This is the second year for them to provide generous support of our Veterans! **#RoadtoHope**

**GET INVOLVED NOW**

## IN THE NEWS

Mar. 06, 2019 - 3:24 - Secretary Robert Wilkie says the executive order to battle veteran suicide will help open up resources to those who are in most need of them. **Veterans Affairs secretary: Every day 20 American veterans take their own lives**



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**DON'T FORGET TO JOIN DAVID MAULSBY**

## Clay Shoot & Fundraiser

04.05.19 | American Shooting Center, Houston, Texas

## Mangled Digits Crawfish Boil

04.06.19 | 4-11PM | Galveston, Texas

## Republic BBQ - Suits For Veterans

04.12.19 | 11AM - 9PM | Stafford, Texas

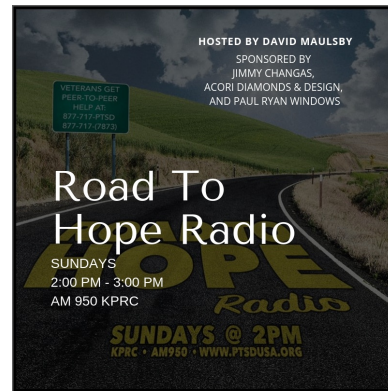
## Bigass Crawfish Bash 5.0

04.20.19 | 11AM - 11PM | Gulf Greyhound Park Simulcast  
& Event Ctr

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

## SUNDAY'S ON AM 950 KPRC

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## FOLKS MAKING A DIFFERENCE AT CAMP HOPE - THANK YOU!



Iron Order Motorcycle Club BBQ Event



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## HELP US HELP OTHERS

### Support Our Veterans When You Shop

AmazonSmile donates to PTSD Foundation of America  
[smile.amazon.com/ch/20-3864341](https://smile.amazon.com/ch/20-3864341)



Randalls Good Neighbor Program  
Good Neighbor Number: 13621



Kroger Community Awards Program  
NPO Number: SD792



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### 20 Veterans / Active Duty Military take their own lives EVERY DAY

- 1 in 5 OIF/OEF veterans are diagnosed with PTSD
- PTSD linked to marriage and family problems
- PTSD linked to veteran unemployment
- PTSD linked to veteran homelessness
- PTSD increases risk of suicide

Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) is a timeless problem affecting our military veterans in pandemic proportions.

**GET MORE INFO**

### *In Memory Of*

NDI Fernando Almazan; Charles Willard Armstrong; Ronnie Bennett; Anthony Borrromeo; Army Vet. Justin Connolly; David Randolph Draper; Michael R Gaynor; Matthew Wayne Henry; Bobby Hobbs; Master Sergeant USAF William Holmes; Larry G. Irving, Sr.; Joe C. Johnson; John Kane; Emil Edward Koakcik; Walter Logan; Bill Matheny; Fabum Murray; Raymond Pavlovich; James Plummer; Kendall Riggs; Mick Simpson; Matthew Wayne Scully; Richard Tomkins; Harry Trostle; Michael Christopher Ukaj; Vance Rae Weckworth; Louis West; Nicholas James Wright; Jesse Wright; Andrew North; Seth Witherup; Beth Taylor; James Squyres; Austin Shilling; Krista K. Reyna; Jim Rawlinson; Joseph Powers; Robert K. Nixon; Kyle Nickels; Sean Arleigh Moore; Tyler Blake Latta; Jack

Landstad; Marvin W. Howell; Richard Allen Hauser; Adam Casey Furr; Dale Fultz; Denver Lee Ford, Sr.; Bill Crosby Jr.; Jack Chiles; Robert Breauz, Jr.; Bradley Blue;

### *In Honor Of*

Carolyn Cross; Baker & Connelly; Dennis & Kara Cruse; John Dunphy; Sgt. Mgr. Fogarty; Mollie London; Michael R. Gaynor; William Glen, USMC, Semper Fi; Thomas Tadson & Emily Gonzalez; Reuben Chip Santos; Daryl Watson & Family

**EVERY LITTLE BIT HELPS! THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

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