

Sergeant Eugene Williams, United States Army, age 24, from Highland, NY, Fort Stewart. He died on March 29, 2003.

Staff Sergeant George Edward Buggs, United States Army, age 31, from Barnwell, SC, Fort Stewart. He died on April 3, 2003.

Private First Class Wilfred Daveyrussell Bellard, United States Army, age 20, from Lake Charles, LA, Fort Stewart. He died on April 4, 2003.

Specialist Daniel Francis Cunningham Jr., United States Army, age 33, from Lewiston, ME, Fort Stewart. He died on April 4, 2003.

Private Devon Dimilo Jones, United States Army, age 19, from San Diego, CA, Fort Stewart. He died on April 4, 2003.

Sergeant First Class Paul Ray Smith, United States Army, age 33, from Tampa, FL, Fort Stewart. He died on April 4, 2003.

Staff Sergeant Stevon Alexander Booker, United States Army, age 34, from Apollo, PA, Fort Stewart. He died on April 5, 2003.

Staff Sergeant Lincoln Daniel Hollinsaid, United States Army, age 27, from Malden, IL, Fort Stewart. He died on April 7, 2003.

First Lieutenant Jeffrey J. Kaylor, United States Army, age 24, from Clifton, VA, Fort Stewart. He died on April 7, 2003.

Private First Class Anthony Scott Miller, United States Army, age 19, from San Antonio, TX, Fort Stewart. He died on April 7, 2003.

Specialist George A. Mitchell Jr., United States Army, age 35, from Rawlings, MD, Fort Stewart. He died on April 7, 2003.

Sergeant Henry Levon Brown, United States Army, age 22, from Natchez, MS, Fort Stewart. He died on April 8, 2003.

Sergeant First Class John Winston Marshall, United States Army, age 50, from Los Angeles, CA, Fort Stewart. He died on April 8, 2003.

Private First Class Jason Michael Meyer, United States Army, age 23, from Swartz Creek, MI, Fort Stewart. He died on April 8, 2003.

Staff Sergeant Robert Anthony Stever, United States Army, age 36, from Pendleton, OR, Fort Stewart. He died on April 8, 2003.

Private First Class Marlin Tyrone Rockhold, United States Army, age 23, from Hamilton, OH, Fort Stewart. He died on May 8, 2003.

Sergeant Michael Tyron Crockett, United States Army, age 27, from Soperton, GA, Fort Stewart. He died on July 14, 2003.

Specialist Joel Lin Bertoldie, United States Army, age 20, from Independence, MO, Fort Stewart. He died on July 18, 2003.

Private First Class Charles Marques Sims, United States Army, age 18, from Miami, FL, Fort Stewart. He died on October 3, 2003.

Specialist Andrew Lee Tuazon, United States Army, age 29, from Chesapeake, VA, Fort Stewart. He died on May 10, 2004.

Captain James F. Howard, United States Army, age 21, from Springfield VA, Fort Stewart. He died on April 2, 2003.

Specialist Matthew George Boule, United States Army, age 22, from Dracut, MA, Fort Stewart. He died on April 2, 2003.

Chief Warrant Officer Four Eric Nders Halvorsen, United States Army, age 40, from Bennington, VT, Fort Stewart. He died on April 2, 2003.

Chief Warrant Officer Two Scott Jamar, United States Army, age 32, from Abilene, TX, Fort Stewart. He died on April 2, 2003.

Sergeant Michael Francis Pederson, United States Army, age 26, from Flint, MI, Fort Stewart. He died on April 2, 2003.

Chief Warrant Officer Three Eric Allen Smith, United States Army, age 41, from Rochester, NY, Fort Stewart. He died on April 2, 2003.

Specialist Ryan Gene Carlock, United States Army, age 25, from Macomb, IL, Fort Stewart. He died on September 9, 2003.

Private Gregory Paul Huxley Jr., United States Army, age 19, from Forestport, NY, Fort Stewart. He died on April 6, 2003.

Private Kelley Stephen Prewitt, United States Army, age 24, from Birmingham, AL, Fort Stewart. He died on April 6, 2003.

Sergeant Terry Wayne Heminway, United States Army, from Willingboro, NJ, Fort Stewart. He died on April 10, 2003.

First Sergeant Joe Jesus Garza, United States Army, age 43, from Robstown, TX, Fort Stewart. He died on April 28, 2003.

Sergeant Todd James Robbins, United States Army, age 33, from Hart, MI, Fort Stewart. He died on April 3, 2003.

Sergeant First Class Randall Scott Rehn, United States Army, age 36, from Longmont, CO, Fort Stewart. He died on April 3, 2003.

Specialist Donald Samuel Oaks Jr., United States Army, age 20, from Erie, PA, Fort Stewart. He died on April 3, 2003.

Private First Class Jeremiah David Smith, United States Army, age 25, from Independence, KS, Fort Stewart. He died on May 27, 2003.

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## FALLEN HEROES

SPEECH OF

### HON. MAURICE D. HINCHEY

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Thursday, May 20, 2004*

Mr. HINCHEY. Mr. Speaker, I rise for Memorial Day to remember our fallen soldiers. On this day, we remember the outstanding men and women who gave their lives in service to this country, and to them we owe our deepest gratitude and respect. No words can express the immeasurable debt that we owe these brave people; we must never take for granted the freedom that their sacrifices made possible. This freedom manifests itself every day, all over the world, in countries where democracy has flourished because of the commitment of our service members.

I also commend and thank the World War II veterans living in the 22nd District of New York, which I proudly represent. This spring marks the opening and dedication of the World War II Memorial in Washington, DC as well as the 60th anniversary of the D-Day forces landing on the beaches of Normandy, France. For these two significant events, our entire country takes time to reflect and thank those people involved.

The new memorial is a fitting tribute to the sacrifices that were made by members of our military during World War II, as well as by their families. I only wish that the World War II Memorial had been created sooner, so that more of the people this memorial commemorates could have been on hand to be thanked

and honored by it. But we remember these citizens with our thoughts and with the tokens of appreciation placed on the memorial. The hundreds of thousands of people who came to Washington to witness the historic dedication provide evidence of the high esteem in which we hold these ordinary Americans who accomplished extraordinary things.

On this Memorial Day, we remember the fallen soldiers of all wars fought in our country's history, and humbly thank them for making the ultimate sacrifice to ensure our future.

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HONORING THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE DEPTFORD TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT NAVAL JUNIOR ROTC CADETS

### HON. ROBERT E. ANDREWS

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, June 4, 2004*

Mr. ANDREWS. Mr. Speaker, it is my honor to rise before you today to congratulate the members of the Deptford Township School District Naval Junior ROTC for their commitment to citizenship, leadership, and community. On June 8, 2004, the Deptford Naval Junior ROTC will hold a ceremony to honor these dedicated cadets, and several exemplary individuals will be receiving awards of distinction. I ask that my colleagues in the House of Representatives join me in congratulating the following individuals who will be recognized at Tuesday's award ceremony: Johnathan Rivera and John Porteous will receive the Military Order of the World Wars Leadership Award, which is awarded to the individuals who best exemplify the spirit of ROTC leadership; Cadet Petty Officer Third Class Christine D'Ottaviano will receive the Military Order of the World Wars Award, which is awarded to the individual who has demonstrated outstanding accomplishment and service to the ROTC Unit; Cadet Petty Officer Second Class Andrew Horvat will receive the Stephen Decatur Jr. Award, awarded to an outstanding junior cadet; Cadet Petty Officer Second Class Sherri Baskerville and Adam Kucera will receive the Military Officers Association of America Award, which is awarded to the individuals who have demonstrated exceptional potential for military leadership; Cadet Petty Officer Second Class Jacob Callahan will receive the National Sojourners Award, which is awarded to the most outstanding cadet with patriotism; Cadet Petty Officer Second Class Adam Kalb will receive the Order of Daedalians Award, which is awarded to the individual who has demonstrated scholastic and leadership excellence with a desire to pursue a military career; and Cadet Petty Officer Second Class Travis Hanson will receive the American Veterans (AMVETS) JROTC Award, which is awarded to an individual with a positive attitude, outstanding personal appearance, dependability, and sound judgment.

The Junior ROTC program serves our great nation by training the future leadership of our armed forces and fostering the development of our youth into contributing and responsible members of society. All of the cadets of the Deptford Township School District Naval Junior ROTC are to be commended for their commitment and outstanding achievement.