

Bonjour Voyageurs and Dames,

It is my hope that all are strong and well. Isn't it wonderful to experience gatherings with friends and family again? Let us hope the downward trend of this disease continues to spiral in that direction.

Before continuing on, "Happy Veteran's Day!" To all of our Voyageurs and Dames who courageously, and willingly served our country.

When you really think about what a veteran, he/she is; the simplest thing that comes to my mind is unselfish. Just take a minute and think about it. Unless the veteran was drafted, he volunteered. All veterans made the choice of leaving their home(town) of family, friends, and loved ones. They risked their lives treading unknown dangerous soil in foreign lands, or even succumbed to dreadful mishaps at home. Veterans understand "freedom is not free" yet they risk their lives for the sound of freedoms bell to forever ring.

I salute my fellow Veterans and spouses who held down the fort at home and abroad. When the campaign was over, you were there for those returning home. You read, researched, and aided those in need of help because for some, there were other deep underlying wounds.

You fought "the issues" bringing awareness to those invisible wounds such as TBI, PTSD, Depression, Blue Water, Agent Orange to name only a few. Thank you!

I urge you to do a "Buddy call" or salute a Vet this Veteran's Day.

Pour Dieu et le Pays  
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