





National Wreaths Across America Day Saturday, December 18, 2021

We hope you will join the Asbury Park Rotary Club in honoring over 850 military men and women who are laid to rest at Mount Calvary Cemetary and Hamilton Cemetary in Neptune.

This year we are participating in program that for every two wreaths purchased we will get one wreath free.

Wreath	1 wreath	\$15
Family	4 wreaths	\$60
Small Business	10 wreaths	\$150
Corporate	100 wreaths	\$1500

WREATH CEREMONY

Saturday, December 18, 2021 12:00 P.M Veterans Memorial Park 703 Old Corlies Ave, Neptune, N.J. Wreath Laying immediatley folliowng at Mt Calvery Rt 66 Neptune and Hamilton Methodist Cemetary 837 Old Corlies Ave ,Neptune *open to the public.*

On behalf of the volunteers and military families who honor our veterans laid to rest at Mount Calvary Cemetary and Hamilton Cemetary, thank you for your supporting this patriotic cause. Remember, Honor, Teach.

Respectfully, Dina M Blackwood Location Coordinator Dinabwood@aol.com Group ID #NJ0146

> Donate online@ <u>www.wreathsacrossamerica.org/NJ0146</u> or mail checks payable to <u>Wreaths Across America</u> Rotary Club of Asbury Park PO Box 512 Asbury NJ 07712

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DID YOU KNOW...

December 1992 in Harrington, Maine, when wreath maker Morrill Worcester found himself with a surplus of 5,000 wreaths during the holiday season. Worcester saw the surplus as an opportunity to pay tribute to our country's veterans and with the help of Maine Senator Olympia Snowe, arranged for the wreaths to be placed at Arlington National Cemetery. This annual tribute to our country's veterans has continued ever since, touching the lives of millions of veterans' families and volunteers and growing in scope through the years.

In 2007, the Worcester family along with veterans and volunteers formed the non-profit organization Wreaths Across America to continue and expand their efforts at Arlington National Cemetery and to support those around the country who wished to do the same. Wreaths Across America's mission is simple: **Remember** the fallen, **Honor** those that serve, and **Teach** the next generation about the value of freedom. Morrill's wife, Karen, has served as the organization's volunteer Executive Director since the nonprofit was created and today oversees what has become a massive volunteer organization that continues to grow. In 2017 alone, Wreaths Across America and its national network of volunteer's place over 1.5 million veterans' wreaths at 2100 locations in all 50 U.S. states, at sea, and abroad.