

What Veterans Day Means To Me Pitney Reverer

What does veterans day mean to me? Veterans day is to celebrate the people who fought and died for the country.

The military has been going since June 14, 1775 that means the military has been going for 250 years. The first

Veterans day was on November 11, 1919. To all the veterans who

are listening, thank you for doing the duty some aren't brave enough to do. I am

so very thankful for you. I could never be so brave.

Veterans day is a day to thank the ones who tried and did.

Veterans served for freedom.

Veterans are the reason I have rights, I can go to school and even

write this essay. Veterans day is always on November 11.

Veterans day is on November 11 because of the armistice that

ended World War 1 on the eleventh hour of the eleventh

day of the eleventh month in 1918. Armistice means truce. Armistice

is a very meaningful word.

Armistice is the reason this country has freedom and rights.

I interviewed ~~staff~~ sergeant first class James Crawford. SFC Crawford served in the United States Army. SFC Crawford served from 1993 to 2015.

He was in the military for 22 years.

He had a total of 6 deployments.

He went to Bosnia twice, between 1996 and 1997, once Kosovo in 2002 and 3 back to back

deployments in Iraq 2004 -

2010 (42 months total in Iraq)

SFC Crawford sacrificed

years of his life with his

young family to serve his

country. He missed ~~birthdays~~, Birthdays and many holidays.

many of his sacrifices come

with the losses of. The losses

still effect him to this day.

Staff Sergeant James Crawford

is the perfect example of a

veteran (in my opinion). He

was very humble. I asked him

about awards but he decided

not to say, instead he said

"There are soldiers who

gave much more than I. They

deserve to be recognized,

not me!" Thank you ~~staff~~

SFC ~~Sergeant~~ James Crawford

for all you and your brothers

gave and sacrificed for our freedom.