

# Operation Healing Angel for our Wounded Heroes

## What is Operation Healing Angel?

It is a support program for our wounded heroes and their caregivers who are heroes too. We provide letters and other gifts to wounded soldiers. We also include cards for military staff who have a lot on their minds and hearts when working with our wounded. They are our heroes too.

## Where will my letters be sent?

There are several hospitals where cards are sent, including Landstuhl in Germany (where many American wounded are), Tampa FL, and sites in Hawaii.

## I want to help! How can I get involved?

Write a letter. It's that easy.

Then just send your letters to us. We will send them from our headquarters in a group, just as you made them: still sealed in your envelopes...

To help us get them into the right hands... please label your letters:

- For a Nurse
- For a Doctor
- For a Tech
- For a Wounded Hero



## I need some more guidance.

Please make your cards personal, with photos or postcards of your hometown and yourself or family when possible; this helps the heroes feel your hugs and visualize who you are.

Help us make cards for our wounded soldiers and the staff caring for them.

If it feels right for you, please include spiritual messages or humor as many of our troops need a morale boost and appreciate both.

Please make sure to write a message. Just signing your name is too impersonal!

## Can I include a gift with my card?

Great ideas for gifts are:

- Soft large comfy socks
- Lotion
- Small bibles or torahs
- Small books
- Neck pillows that you can blow up or buy that look like a half a donut
- Pens that nurses can hang around their necks
- Chocolate
- Pocket calendars or agendas
- Pens that actually write well!
- Small dry erase boards for communicating with dry erase markers
- Small statues (like angels), framed photo, or plaque to lift spirits
- Small flashlights to have by bedside (with batteries)
- Travel size games/cards

We can use your help with postage! It costs \$11.95 per box to send the items and cards to our wounded heroes.

Thank you so much for your interest. We accept Operation Healing Angel Cards & Gifts anytime during the year.

**Kids make great cards! Encourage the kids in your life to participate in the project too.**

## Please send cards to:

**Operation Healing Angel  
Homefront Hugs USA  
1850 Brookfield Drive  
Ann Arbor, MI 48103**