

MILITARY FUNERAL HONORS

Honoring Those Who Served

The rendering of Military Funeral Honors is a way to show the nation's deep gratitude to those who, in times of war and peace, have faithfully defended our country. This ceremonial paying of respect is the final demonstration a grateful nation can provide to the veteran's family.

Information about Military Funeral Honors

<https://www.tn.gov/military/programs-benefits/military-family-programs/funeral-honors.html>

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Air Force

1-615-660-8237

1-800-531-5803

Coast Guard

202-795-6637 (office)

202-372-8488/8323 (fax ATTN: Casualty Chief, PSC-PSD-FS)

571-266-2375 (24/7 duty cell)

Marine Corps

1-866-826-3628

Navy

1-904-542-1536

What can the family of an eligible veteran expect?

By law, military units are required to provide, at a minimum, a two-person uniformed detail to present the core elements of the Funeral Honors ceremony. The core elements of the funeral honors ceremony, which will be conducted are:

- **Playing of Taps**
- **Flag folding**
- **Flag presentation**

The veteran's parent Service representative will present the flag.