

**Legacy Life Member**  
**Explanation of Benefits**  
 Available to all Life Members

**CONTRIBUTION**

<b>Plan</b>	<b>Bronze</b>	<b>Silver</b>	<b>Gold</b>
All Ages/Fee	\$400	\$800	\$1,200

**MEMBER INCENTIVES**

<b>Benefits</b>	<b>Bronze</b>	<b>Silver</b>	<b>Gold</b>
Plated Engraved Life _ Member Card	X	X	X
Lapel Pin	X	X	X
Hat Pin	X	X	X
Distinctive Emblem & _ Supply Line for Legacy _ Life Members	X	X	X
Emblem & Supply Discounts _ (For Personal Use Only)	5%	10%	15%
Framed Certificate for _ Legacy Life Membership	X	X	X
Increased level of no-cost _ AD&D Insurance	\$2,000	\$3,500	\$5,000
Recognition on Internet & _ Convention Program	X	X	X
Recognition at Kiosks at _ Memorial Building in _ Washington, D.C. and _ Museum at National _ Headquarters	X	X	X
Special Plaque		X	X
Lifelong Memories Discount		50% off _ Stripe _ Package	50% off _ Star _ Package
Personalized Brick at _ Centennial Plaza			X
Annual Endowment: Post	\$6.00	\$12.00	\$18.00
Annual Endowment: Dept.	\$6.00	\$12.00	\$18.00

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What  
**LEGACY**  
 will you leave?

Announcing a new way for members to  
**LEAVE THEIR MARK...**



**LEGACY LIFE MEMBERSHIP**





Dear Fellow Life Member,

I'm writing to tell you about an exciting level of membership called Legacy Life Membership—and why it is so important for both you and the VFW.

As the name suggests, Legacy Life Membership enables current Life Members to leave a lasting mark (a legacy, if you will) on this great organization by helping to ensure that we continue to "honor the dead by helping the living."

Let me explain how it works: Legacy Life Members select from 3 levels of membership (Gold, Silver or Bronze), each offering its own packages of prestigious benefits. You can review each level's exclusive benefits by referring to the Legacy Life Member Explanation of Benefits on the reverse side of the acceptance form.

Once activated, and this is the important part, an annual endowment will be made—in your name—to the VFW that will help support your post, your department and the organization.

After you've read the enclosed information, I hope you'll consider becoming a Legacy Life Member. Your financial contributions to the Legacy Life Member program are tax deductible to the maximum extent allowed by law. Just fill out the attached Acceptance Form and return it to the address provided. If you have any questions regarding Legacy Life Membership, please contact the VFW Membership Department at 816-756-3390 and we will be glad to tell you more.

By becoming a Legacy Life Member, your support for the VFW will be forever honored.

Thank you.  
Sincerely,

*Allen "Gunner" Kent*

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Adjutant General

P.S. As a Legacy Life Member, future generations will know you not only for the sacrifices you made as a veteran but for the contributions you made as a member. That's a legacy to be proud of.

To become a Legacy Life Member online visit [www.vfw.org](http://www.vfw.org), click on "member benefits" in the left column then click "legacy life membership."

*"Legacy Life Membership seems like the next step in doing my duty."*

*"A small sacrifice to make for ensuring vets a better tomorrow."*

*"The legacy I leave matters to me and my family, and now to future veterans."*

LEGACY LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACCEPTANCE FORM

Life Member No. \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security No. \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Last) \_\_\_\_\_ (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (Middle) \_\_\_\_\_

Address (Street) \_\_\_\_\_ (City) \_\_\_\_\_ (State) \_\_\_\_\_ (Zip) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Business or Cell) \_\_\_\_\_ (E-Mail) \_\_\_\_\_

Bronze \$400     Silver \$800     Gold \$1,200  
 Check     Visa     MasterCard     Discover     Amex     Installation Plan

Expiration Date: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

Upon my demise  make a One-Time Endowment or  continue the Annual Endowment (See Terms and Conditions - item #5 for explanation.)

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

You must be a current Life Member of the VFW. Instructions:

1. Complete the Acceptance Form.
2. Check the level: Bronze, Silver or Gold. You may upgrade your Legacy level at any time by paying the difference to your desired level.
3. Payment options: Check or Credit Card - payment in full.
4. Installment option: Purchase an Installment Legacy Life Membership by making four equal payments. The first payment must accompany this form and be equal to 1/4 of the level being purchased. (Bronze \$100, Silver \$200 and Gold \$300). The remaining balance will be billed by National Headquarters quarterly.
5. Choose the endowment:
  - a. One-time Endowment payment: Upon your death, the principle amount of your Legacy will be paid in equal amounts to your Post, Department and the National organization, as applicable.
  - b. Annual Endowment: the Legacy level payment will continue annually after your death.
6. Sign your full name.
7. Enclose check, money order or credit card information for payment.
8. Mail this card, a check, money order or credit card information to:
 

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