

A Big Thank You

Remembering *America's True Heroes*

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"No one should forget what they've done," says Nicholas Rider of the veterans profiled in his book, *America's True Heroes*. "I firmly believe that without these brave people America wouldn't be as we know it today—they deserve our thanks, and the book is my way of doing that."

Nicholas dedicated the book to his heroes—his vet grandfather, John Henry, and grandmother June. "They never run out of hugs, encouraging words or treats," he says. Since the book's publication, Nicholas has appeared on local radio stations and at books signings and even received a thank-you letter from President Bush. He's a member of the Civil Air Patrol and working to earn his pilot's license.

Does he plan to write a follow-up book? You bet! "My next book will probably be about Vietnam vets or maybe a series on World War I." You can receive a copy if you write to Nicholas Rider and send a check or money order for \$20, plus \$3 shipping and handling to:

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