



Missing In America Project

“Because That’s What We Do”

Honorable Vets have earned some rights
But the best among a few,
Is to be laid to rest by caring folks
Folks just like me and you.

And so today we find ourselves
Beneath a sky of blue,
Bidding farewell to a veteran
Because that’s what we do.

No one was there to claim him
When a labored, last breath he drew,
So today we are his family
Because we are veterans too.

We kept searching til we found him
Using methods tried and true,
Now we gather here to honor him
Because that’s what we do.

Neither Summer’s heat nor Winter’s chill
Will discourage our gallant crew,
From saluting our fallen veteran
And our Red, White and Blue

Now the day is done and we’ll all go home
And await tomorrow anew,
And be thankful to have honored a veteran
Because that’s what we do.

Respectfully submitted
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