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Hosted by: AMVETS POST 52, New Baltimore MI

GOLD STAR FAMILY MEMORIAL

POKER RUN

**PROCEEDS FOR GOLD STAR FAMILY
MEMORIAL MONUMENT**

Date: Saturday September 26, 2020

**Start: Wolverine Harley-Davidson End: AMVETS Post 52
Bikes & Autos Welcome!!!**

Registration: 10:30am – 12:00am

Last Bike/Auto: In by 5:00pm

Registration Fee: \$15 (Bike/Driver); \$10 (Rider/Passenger)

**CASH PRIZES
BEST & WORST HAND**

**50/50 RAFFLE
FOOD SERVED AT
6:00PM**

**CHINESE RAFFLE
DOOR PRIZES**

For Participants Only

WHAT DOES GOLD STAR MEAN?

The term "Gold Star" describes a family member who has lost a loved one in military service. It also applies to "Next of Kin" families who lost a loved one in other than combat operations.

The Gold Star first made an appearance during World War I after being placed over a service flag's blue star when a service member was killed in combat. The Gold Star signified the family's pride in the loved one's sacrifice rather than the mourning of their personal loss.

Many Gold Star families wear the Gold Star lapel pin to signify their pride. The lapel pin displays a Gold Star with a purple background surrounded by a gold wreath and first made its appearance during World War I.

The Gold Star Family Memorial was created by Medal of Honor Recipient Hershel "Woody" Williams to remember those families who have made the ultimate sacrifice. To learn more about the memorial, please visit our Gold Star Families Memorial Monument web page.

"Dying for freedom isn't the worst thing that can happen. Being forgotten is." Georgie Carter-Krell (Mother of Posthumous Medal of Honor Recipient Pfc. Bruce W. Carter, USMCD - Florida)

Gold Star Families Memorial Monument

Initially the Foundation's goal was to establish a Gold Star Families Memorial Monument in Woody's home state of West Virginia. Once that monument was complete, a new mission became clear to Woody and those at the Hershel "Woody" Williams Medal of Honor Foundation to establish these monuments in as many communities as possible in all 50 states.

A new Gold Star Families Memorial Monument (GSFMM) honoring the families of servicemen and women who sacrificed their lives while serving in the military is currently being planned in the township of Clinton, Michigan.

Proposed site location:

Clinton Township Office

40700 Romeo Plank

Clinton Township MI 48038

This is why the foundation needs our help. Please take part in the AMVETS Post 52 Poker Run September 26 2020. *Thank You!*