

2nd Battalion 2nd Marines “Warlords”

OPERATION WARLORDS HOMECOMING!

Dear Family and Friends:

The families and friends of the 2nd Battalion 2nd Marines, aka “Warlords”, look forward to that day when we finally get to celebrate our Marines safe return from Afghanistan! The goal of Operation Warlords Homecoming is to make it possible for every one of our Marines to return from war, walk into his barracks, and find a wonderful surprise...a basket on his bed filled with his own sheets, blanket, pillow, toiletries, snacks, and “Welcome Home” cards and letters. Of course, the USMC provides the necessities for our troops, but as families and grateful Americans, we want our Warlords to have fresh new sheets, blankets, and pillows. For 7 months, our men have lived in the most primitive surroundings, sleeping in a sleeping bag on 2 inch plywood without a pillow, fully clothed, and often wearing hats and gloves to try to stay warm. After this long and strenuous deployment, we believe they deserve to come home to a bed with all of the comforts which we take for granted every day and which they have gone without while defending our freedom.

This project will take the help, talent, and support of many as we need supplies for approximately 700 Marines to make Operation Warlords Homecoming successful. Monetary contributions and/or donated items of any amount are appreciated. Below is a list of items we need to make our Marines’ homecoming special:

- **Extra long twin sized sheet sets & pillow case (white or beige)**
- **Twin sized blankets (white or beige)**
- **Pillows**
- **Bath towels & washcloths**
- **Laundry Baskets**
- **Shampoo**
- **Bar soap**
- **Deodorant**
- **Toothbrushes and toothpaste**
- **Travel size Q-tip boxes**
- **Nail clippers**
- **Tweezers**
- **Small pack of razors**
- **Shaving Cream**
- **Laundry Detergent (1 box per room)**
- **4 pack toilet paper (1 box per room)**
- **Chips, cookies, candy, and gum**
- **Soft drinks**

All monetary donations need to be made out to **Operation Warlords Homecoming**

We genuinely appreciate your care and support of our Marines.

Sincerely,

The 2/2 Warlords Family & Friends

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