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On Veterans Day, we reflect on the tremendous debt of gratitude we owe the generations of brave men and women who have served our country in uniform. We also vow to pay back that debt by honoring our veterans' service and ensuring them access to quality care.

Throughout the course of American history, the brave members of our Armed Forces—on land, at sea, and in the air—have secured and defended the ideals of liberty upon which our country was built. As Commander in Chief, I am in awe of the strength and resilience of our heroic service members. Through their courageous service, they have proven time and again that the ideals of democracy ultimately triumph over the horrors of tyranny. The sacrifice of our patriots epitomize the eternal truth that freedom is never free.

As we mark the 100th anniversary of the armistice that ended World War I on November 11, 1918, we humbly express our everlasting appreciation to our veterans for their selfless sacrifice as champions of freedom. Our veterans have earned the utmost respect and admiration of this proud Nation. May God bless America's veterans and those currently serving in our military, and may He continue to bless the United States of America.

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