



THE MEANING OF MEMORIAL DAY

Can you believe it is Memorial Day Weekend already?

If you don't recall why we have a Memorial Day, click on this link:

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Memorial_Day

If you do recall why we have Memorial Day, we hope you take a few moments over the weekend to contemplate the reason yourself and maybe even educate or remind someone else that may not understand or appreciate it. Explaining the significance to a child or young adult comes to mind.

Given our own busy and challenging lives, it may be easy for many folks to forget or take for granted what the Servicemen and Servicewomen have done and are doing to support or even maintain our daily opportunities. The "service" portion of the name is not a coincidence.

Additionally, it is appropriate to acknowledge the sacrifices endured by the immediate and extended families impacted by the service of their own family members. That may be some of you. As much as we must thank and honor the Servicemen and Servicewomen, we should also acknowledge and appreciate the immediate and extended families impacted. There will be way too many families that will not have the pleasure of sharing this weekend with a fallen or simply absent Serviceman / Servicewoman.

We hope that you consistently do what you can to support such individuals and spread the sentiment to others.

