

Those lost WILL NOT BE FORGOTTEN.

Memorial Day Observed Ceremony
Monday, May 27, 2024

8am Veterans Circle, Littleton Cemetery
10am City of Littleton WWII Memorial, Ketring Park

Opening: ----- Star Spangled Banner

Invocation: ----- American Legion Chaplain Mike Romero
Welcome: -----Veterans of Foreign Wars Harold Abney MC

IN FLANDERS FIELD -- American Legion Marsha Callan

IN WATERS DEEP ----- VFW Jim Marzonie

Honors: - Place Flowers: VFW ----- Marilyn Radulovich
AL Auxiliary—Vada Danforth

Amazing Grace: El Jebel Shrine Pipe Band

21 Gun Salute: All Veterans Honor Guard
Taps: Jack Grandman

SPEECHES:

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4666 Cmdr. Harold Abney
American Legion Post 103 Cmdr. Harry Giglio

MY PLEA: -----VFW Richard Swedberg

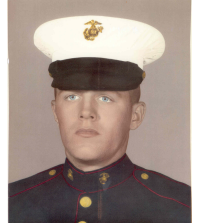
Americanism VFW Bill Baldaccini

Benediction: --- VFW Chaplain Jim Keller

God Bless America: ----- All present

MY PLEA

**“It is not a good feeling to have to kill,
But when your country’s in need you know you will,
We’ve been in Vietnam for several months now
And we’re hardly ready to take our bow.
We’ve seen some fellow marines go down
But I’m sure each one is heaven bound.
If my time is here to be
I ask a favor from you to me;
Answer my one and only plea;
Keep America Free.”**



Author: LCPL Patrick Joseph Hannon
August 3, 1946---September 4, 1966
Littleton Colorado
Vietnam Memorial Panel 10E, Line 67

IN FLANDERS FIELDS

**In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below.**

**We are the Dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset
glow, Loved, and were loved, and
now we lie In Flanders fields.**

**Take up our quarrel with the foe:
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, though poppies
grow In Flanders fields.**



By: Lieutenant Colonel John McCrae, MD (1872-1918)
Canadian Army