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**TO:** National Executive Committee

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**FROM:** Barry A. Jesinoski, National Adjutant

**DATE:** May 30, 2024

**SUBJECT:** Death of Retiree William Conroy

It is with regret that I advise you of the death of retiree William H. Conroy Jr., who died on May 13, 2024. He was 75.

After graduating from Wellston High School in St. Louis, Bill was drafted into the Army in 1968. As a result of combat wounds in Vietnam, he lost his right leg and left foot. He received the Purple Heart and a Bronze Star with valor. He was discharged from service in 1971.

Bill joined DAV in 1972 and was a life member of Chapter 13 in Lakewood, Colorado. He began his career with DAV as a national service officer apprentice in the Denver office in 1975. He retired as the NSO supervisor for that office in 1998.

Bill is survived by his wife Ruth, daughter Ashley, son Dan, mother Alice, and siblings Mag and Tom.

A military committal service will take place Thursday, June 13, at 10 a.m. at Fort Logan National Cemetery in Denver. A memorial service and celebration of life will follow starting at noon at Three Trees Chapel in Littleton, Colorado. Remembrances may be expressed here.

We are immensely thankful for Bill's contributions and are proud of his accomplishments. DAV grieves along with his family and the countless veterans and families he served through our sacred cause. May he rest in peace.

Barry A. Jesinoski National Adjutant

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