

United States Senate

February 3, 2000

Mr. John D. Miller

Falls Of Rough, Kentucky 40119

Dear Mr. Miller:

Thank you for contacting me with your support for legislation to honor those Vietnam Veterans whose post-war deaths were attributed to their service in the Vietnam War. I appreciate hearing from you on this matter.

As you know, legislation has been introduced in the Senate on this matter. Senator Ben Nighthorse Campbell (R-CO) introduced Senate bill 1921 on November 16, 1999. It was referred to the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, of which I am not a member. Due to the lateness of this bill's introduction in the legislative session last year, it was not acted upon prior to adjournment of the Senate in late November 1999. However, it is still pending in the Senate, and I look forward to debating this legislation in the coming year.

Again, thanks for taking time to share your thoughts with me. Please keep in touch..

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Mitch McConnell". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Mitch" and last name "McConnell" clearly legible.

MITCH McCONNELL
UNITED STATES SENATOR

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