

STATE OF ARKANSAS
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS COME -- GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, this year and next, we commemorate the sixtieth anniversary of the close of World War II; and

WHEREAS, World War II liberated millions of people from oppression and tyranny; and

WHEREAS, outstanding service performed in the defense of freedom's cause in time of wars is a most noble expression of citizenship; and

WHEREAS, it is vital that we pay tribute to the veterans of World War II who sacrificed dearly for the freedoms of others; and

WHEREAS, today, the sacrifice of these brave World War II heroes inspire a new generation of veterans fighting the global war on terrorism;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mike Huckabee, acting under the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Arkansas, do hereby proclaim and urge all citizens of Arkansas to acknowledge the courage and sacrifice of our World War II Veterans through appropriate ceremonies and programs to show our appreciation for these great American heroes

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Arkansas to be affixed this 13th day of October, in the year of our Lord 2004.



MIKE HUCKABEE, GOVERNOR



CHARLIE DANIELS, SECRETARY OF STATE

