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Dear Mr. Barker,

Thank you for your letter of encouragement regarding current and past efforts to build a Korean War Veterans Memorial. Your reputation as a primary mover of this concept and one sincerely dedicated to this cause is well known. Not only did you deposit the very first contribution toward the building of a Memorial to honor our veterans in December of 1984, but many remember - and laud - your persistence in walking the Halls of Congress, enlisting a sufficient number of co-sponsors to ensure passage of the Florio Bill. That bill laid the foundation for our efforts to date.

Carrying that torch - and, proudly - has resulted in site selection (the Memorial will be located on the Mall, directly across the Reflecting Pool from the Vietnam Memorial); and the start of a nationwide, open-design competition to determine the final design of the Memorial (registrations will close December 16; final selection is scheduled for June of 1989). Thus far, more than \$2.5 million has been added to your original \$10 donation; our fundraising efforts will continue until we reach the required \$6 million goal.

As Chairman of the Korean War Veterans Memorial Advisory Board, I salute your efforts at laying the cornerstone of this magnificent project. Your continued support - and that of thousands of others who have contributed time, money, and encouragement - will be rewarded when the last goal is met and the Memorial dedicated, a lasting tribute to all who served. You are right, Mr. Barker, Korea will not be a Forgotten War!

Sincerely,


General R.G. Stilwell, USA Ret.
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