

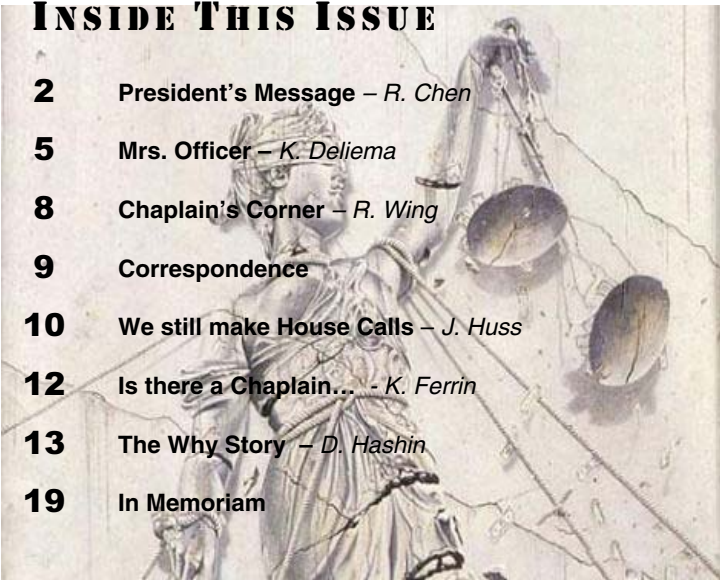
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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**RICHARD CHEN**  
*HBPOA President*

Over the last several months, we have seen Chief Rob Handy make much needed changes with a common sense approach. Most notably, he has sped up the hiring process and is earnestly trying to get us up to the budgeted Total Officer (TO) count of 212. Chief Handy has hired eight laterals, four academy grads and eight police recruits. Unfortunately, one of the recruits quit several days before the academy started. Apparently, he couldn't handle how "hard" the training staff was pushing him during the pre-academy. A second recruit quit after just 6 weeks of the academy. It's worthy to note that these recruits quit, they didn't fail out. It's an important distinction, because the academy is designed to weed out prospective recruits that aren't fit for the profession. Anyone can learn legal concepts and report writing. Even the art of interviewing and practical application of tactics can be taught. But performing under pressure isn't in everyone's DNA. If they can't handle a little "pressure" in the safe and controlled environment of the academy, it's better for all of us that they do quit. In real life, these people will vapor lock and be a liability or worse a casualty.

Not everyone is cut out to handle the diverse pressures that are put on today's police officers. In fact, very few are capable of doing the job. Few have the nerves to stand toe to toe with an angry mob on one call and a working knowledge of search and seizure to legally get in someone's pockets on the next. Paul Harvey's "The Policeman" comes to mind. He writes: "He, of all men, is once the most needed and the most unwanted... He must be such a diplomat that he can settle differences between individuals so that each will think he won. But...If the policeman is neat, he's conceited; if he's careless, he's a bum. If he's pleasant, he's flirting; if not, he's a grouch. He must make an instant decision which would require months for a lawyer to make. But...If he hurries, he's careless; if he's deliberate, he's lazy." No one is more scrutinized and Monday-morning quarterbacked than a police officer.

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These things are on my mind, because we have been in contract negotiations with the City for over nine months. We are six months without a contract. In the last three weeks, we had three separate stabbing incidents with multiple victims and two shootings. We are about to enter another event-filled summer with less cops than we had 25 years ago. Most cities have already achieved pre-recession staffing levels. Is public safety truly this City's #1 priority? I know many of you are frustrated with how long the negotiation process is taking. I thank you for your trust and patience. It will take as long as necessary to get you a fair contract. I know the inability to accrue CTO is maddening, but settling for more takeaways just to get CTO back is pointless.

Currently, we have 208 total officers: a chief, three captains, nine lieutenants, 26 sergeants and 1764officers. Though the six academy recruits are not sworn officers, they will hopefully add to our total once/if they graduate. We certainly won't make it to 212 by this summer. And even though the department is counting the six remaining academy recruits toward the 212, they won't be done with the academy and field training until early next year. The former chief allowed staffing levels to go beyond dangerously low. It will be our new chief's chore to convince city council to authorize a higher number of total officers. It should be a no-brainer with the Beach Boulevard and Edinger Avenue corridors booming with new businesses and apartments, not to mention Pacific City on the horizon.

Chief Handy has his hands full, but he is certainly moving the ship in the right direction. He is bringing fresh ideas to a culture that is rooted in "That's the way we've always done it." Chief Handy actually uses data to make decisions, rather than rumor and anecdote. So far he has shown fairness where there was favoritism and heavy handedness. He is beginning to reorganize the department to improve supervision and accountability. More changes are inevitable and there will be growing pains. But, he's willing to try new solutions without being wed to them. The POA will be working with the chief and his staff to modify our selection process

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# NATIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY TELECOMMUNICATOR WEEK

## National Public Safety Telecommunicator Week

Each year, the second full week of April is dedicated to the men and women who serve as public safety telecommunicators. It was first conceived by Patricia Anderson of the Contra Costa County (Calif.) Sheriff's Office in 1981 and was observed only at that agency for three years. Members of the Virginia and North Carolina chapters of the Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials (APCO) became involved in the mid-1980s. By the early 1990s, the national APCO organization

resolution also stated there were more than "500,000 telecommunications specialists," although other estimates put the number of dispatchers at just over 200,000. The Congressional figure may include support personnel and perhaps even those in the commercial sector of public safety communications.

Of course, you don't need NTW to honor your public safety dispatchers for excellence! You can write them a commendation, mention their "good job" at a shift briefing, or just give them a pat on the back. ♥



convinced Congress of the need for a formal proclamation. Rep. Edward J. Markey (D-Mass.) introduced what became H.J. Res. 284 to create "*National Public Safety Telecommunicator Week.*" According to Congressional procedure, it was introduced twice more in 1993 and 1994, and then became permanent, without the need for yearly introduction.

The official name of the week when originally introduced in Congress in 1991 was "*National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week.*" In the intervening years, it has become known by several other names, including "*National Public-Safety Telecommunications Week*" and "*International Public Safety Telecommunicator's Week.*" The Congressional

IT BECAME  
MY PROBLEM  
WHEN YOU DIALED  
911

Check out the historical photos posted in the basement hallway and the "old" communications consoles with the reel-to-reel tape machines recording the radio traffic.

# Dear Future Police Officer's Wife



## Mrs. Officer

**KIM DELIEMA**

*A wife of an HBPD officer*

I know how excited you must be to become a wife. It's all very wonderful and exciting. However, a wife is different to a police officer's wife. You will have to know a few things first. When you are "**Mrs. Officer,**" the standards are different. Your proud new last name holds much more weight. You will want to tell everyone your name but he may ask you not to. You will want to share what he does for a living because you are so proud, but others may not agree. When you meet new neighbors you will probably avoid telling them what your husband does for work because you never really know who you can trust, least of all your neighbors.

When you make new friends, you will take time before fully disclosing any details of his work because they may have a brother, sister, friend, or ex-spouse who is in the system or on the run from the law. Things like social media are hazardous to your family. You must ensure everything has private settings, never allow photos in his uniform to be on display, never display your real name and don't expect anyone else to understand why you do this. When you need to schedule things like date nights, family gatherings, vacations, birthdays, anniversaries, even weddings, always know there is a small

chance he won't be able to attend or the entire event will need to be rescheduled due to demands of the job. You will get used to going to such events alone, a semi "*single*" woman or mother. You will smile and assure everyone that he gets good days off most of the time but deep down know he won't really be home for a full weekend for a few weeks. He will work hours that mean you sleep alone, eat breakfast or dinner alone and put the kids to bed alone. The reward is a three or four day stretch of no work days but those are usually interrupted by court subpoenas or last minute overtime calls to work. I don't mean to sound negative, just truthful.

You will hesitate to share what your husband does for a living as people will bombard you with questions about the law, traffic tickets and how to get out of a fix-it ticket. There will be times when you can't remain silent as people around you bash the police and their reasons for enforcing the law. You will get angry and feel responsible to talk for him because he is likely at home trying to sleep or working hours extra after a long 12-hour shift and can't defend himself against every ignorant person. You will feel a greater sense of fear when you turn on the news and hope not to see anything reported in the city he works. You will check your phone multiple times during his shift and panic if a few hours have passed with no response. Your instinct will be to get angry but when he finally calls or texts all you can do is smile and feel grateful he is ok. It will become normal to discuss the day's events which likely include suicide, domestic violence, fatal car accidents, gun fire and drug addicts. You will need to remind him not to speak of these things in front of young kids as they soak in everything.

When you marry Mr. Officer you will become part of a larger family, a family of law enforcement that goes back generations and spans across the country. You will feel a connection amongst people you have nothing in common with other than they too have a loved one who wears a badge and gun. You will watch

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*Mrs. Officer - Continued from previous page.*

the news with a different perspective. You will cry and grieve for days when an officer is killed in the line-of-duty and pray and hope it can never be your face on that news screen. You will proudly support him in his endeavors because, deep down, you both know his intentions are good and people need him more than you do when he puts on that uniform. You will be so proud of him and probably fail to say so because life catches up to you and when he is home there is so much to do.

My advice to you is to listen, to be patient, to carve out time in the short time he is home and make memories. You will need a thick skin, a good bottle of wine and some good girlfriends to be at your side when he can't be. You will be a part of something that is always bigger than the both of you because that badge and gun carry more weight than you can ever fully realize. You are one of the lucky ones, a woman who will walk by his side and play the most important role in his life as he does the hardest job that no one else wants to do. Your kids will be proud knowing their dad helped people every single day he worked and will say "get bad guys" as he walks out the door.

Congratulations Miss Officer, (the future Mrs. Officer) I wish you both all the best and know you are the most important thing behind the badge. ♥



*President's Message - Continued from page 3.*

for specialties and auxiliary duties. We will be exploring a specialty rotation that will develop the skills and expertise of officers while allowing for movement within the department.

I was in a briefing last week when an officer said, "A lot of common sense changes are being made around here. We're not used to that. It's going to take time to adjust." Much was lost over the last several years, most notably, our morale and the sense of family. I have confidence that Chief Handy will build back that trust between administration and the rank and file through collaboration and mutual respect. ♥



**Napping is great; kids need 'em and adults love 'em. A nap or siesta is a great way to jumpstart the second half or your day or shift.**

Have you ever wondered why fire stations have those big, soft, comfy lounge chairs in their TV rooms? Exactly!

So, the city and department heads in a very progressive move to keep up with many private companies are now offering us, their employees – snooze breaks! Yes, a concept that is long over due. As many of us have agreed with this tradition especially when we visit Latin countries and do as they do, snooze.

Beginning earlier this year, the Affordable Care Act allowed employers to tie a greater portion of workers' health insurance premiums to participation in wellness programs. Napping, to be tied into any wellness program would be a win-win for all of us.



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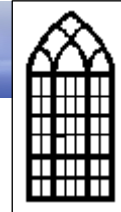
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***“And if one member suffers, all the members suffer with it; or if one member is honored, all the members rejoice with it.”***

*(1 Corinthians 12:26)*

## WE ARE FAMILY

**ROGER WING**  
HBPD Police Chaplain

**A**s I was on the way to the Western Med Burn Unit with two of our other Chaplains to visit the son of one of our officers and his family, I was struck by how true this Bible passage is to our HBPD family. A member of our department was in need and many of you in the HBPD were gathering around the family to offer support, encouragement and prayers. That's what a close family does. When one member of the family goes through difficult times, other members of the family rally to provide support. It's a natural result of love and relationship. This is such an important element of our life that Paul devotes a whole chapter to it in 1 Corinthians 12 and it's an important principal throughout Scripture. The Police Department has a unique bond and relationship among its members that is hard to explain and even harder for others to understand – it just exists. In the last month alone, there have been two members of our family that needed that love and support and our department showed that unity and caring in force.

The biblical principal that Paul gives us in verse 12 of 1 Corinthians 12 is ***“For as the body is one and has many members, but all the members of that one body, being many, are one body”*** There's a oneness and unity that can only develop through a mutual respect that develops into a relationship and then grows into a brotherly love that we have for one another. Paul goes on in the next chapter to speak about this love as the greatest of all gifts and that a life without love for one another profits nothing. He goes on to say that love ***“bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.”*** And that's the love that shows itself when we rally around one of our family that is going through an exceptionally difficult time. Nothing lifts us up when we're grieving, depressed or hurting like family and friends gathering around to demonstrate their love, care, support and encouragement. It's not necessarily

saying anything, but just being there, offering a hug and telling them you love them and are there for them.

Over the years that I have been a HBPD Chaplain, I have seen this principal of family, love and support exhibited time after time as one of our own has gone through a significant difficulty in their life or family. And when that need develops, the troops just naturally come together. If at all possible, they drop what they're doing and gather around to just be there in presence and prayer. It's a unique relationship and a tremendous blessing to know that each of you have that support network ready and waiting in a time of need. In Proverbs 17:17 we're told that a ***“friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for adversity.”*** And that's the bond that exists among the HBPD family.

*“That's What Friends Are For”* is an old song written by Burt Bacharach and Carole Bayer Sager that contains the following words.

*Knowing you can always count on me, for sure  
That's what friends are for  
For good times and bad times  
I'll be on your side forever more  
That's what friends are for*

What a gift from the Lord to have a family like the HBPD that we can count on in our lives. ***“But there is a friend who sticks closer than a brother”*** and that's the Lord. So, even after everyone leaves and you're all alone, the Lord is always present and available to come alongside and provide the peace and comfort that passes all understanding. And it's a lasting comfort and peace that surpasses anything the world can offer.

Be blessed and be safe. ♥



# Correspondence...

COMMENTS, KUDOS, COMPLAINTS



## Email

### Alfred A. "Bud" Moorman

I want to thank all of you for your thoughts and prayers for our family regarding the Passing of my father in-law and Brian's grandpa 'Bud' Moorman. Bud has been a vital part of our family and he will be greatly missed. He came into my life at the age of 16 when I began dating his daughter, and my wife, Janie. He has helped to shape me as a person and a father. He became a true second father after I lost my dad. He was the ultimate provider for his family and I, along with my family, are in debt to him for everything he has done for us. Since he has been a role model for me for the past 38 years his passing has been devastating to our family.

He was extremely supportive of law enforcement over the years, which created a special bond for Brian and me. He was so proud of his family and reeled in all of their accomplishments. Since, he was as a Navy Veteran; "Taps" were played by the Navy at his service. It was incredible. My mother-in-law was presented with a folded flag at the service which made me melt knowing what he had done for this country.

I probably could go on and on telling stories of how much he meant to all of us but this note of gratitude would never end.

I want to thank the P.O.A. for sending such a beautiful arrangement to the ceremony. It stood out amongst all the other arrangements which made me very proud to be a member. My mother-in-law, Anne, could not believe that our P.O.A. and all the HBPD officers would recognize Bud for what he has meant to our family and his country with such generosity.

Thank you to HBPD, HBPOA, and all those who showed such sympathy to our family.

With the utmost gratitude from me, my family and my mother-in-law, Anne.

*Don Drake*  
Police Officer, HBPD

## Note Card

### Thank you

On behalf of my family and siblings, I wish to say thank you to the men and women of the POA and the department for all of your support in way of telephone calls, cards, texts and donations in the memory of our mother, and grand-mother, and great grand-mother, Marie E. Huss.

We are grateful to all of you, especially for your friendships.

*Jeff Huss*  
Police Officer, HBPD



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CALIFORNIA AND THE NATION



## **HBPOA 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

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## **CA Peace Officers' Memorial Ceremony**

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## **National Police Week**

MAY 11-17

WASHINGTON, DC

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## **Badges For Life Fitness Games**

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# WE STILL MAKE

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

JEFF HUSS

*HBPOA Dinosaur Member*



**R**ecently, we had an incident that caused a partial evacuation of the police department due to a suspicious device. That is a bit out of the ordinary, but not unlike what has happened in police stations across the nation. Suspicious devices need not be delivered to us; we'll make a house call to you to deal with the matter. No need to create a bigger problem with you transporting something that you think we need to deal with.

This is just one aspect that you, Mister or Misses John Q. Public feel that you need to personally come to the police department for us to handle your problem. News flash, stay at home, be comfortable and we'll make a house call to you. Have lunch, watch TV, and do yard work. We might need additional documentation or collect evidence to support your criminal investigation, which you might leave at home if you came to the police department.

Not all matters will require a police report. A few examples are non-injury traffic accidents, insurance companies might say so, but our policy dictates otherwise. Internet crimes maybe handled online by filing an incident report with – [www.IC3.gov](http://www.IC3.gov). If you have not loss anything financially in an attempted scam, you are lucky and have beat the odds, congratulations.

The desk officer has his attention divided often between telephone calls, walk-ins, and you, a person that is trying to report an incident that is important to you. Unfortunately it is not necessarily very private in the lobby of the police department.

Yes, we prioritize calls and it might be an hour or two before we get to you. Why wait in the police lobby, possibly being uncomfortable, hoping to have your call handled there, thinking you are doing us a favor and making it more convenient, only to have interruption after interruption? Your privacy is better served at home. You may take advantage of the department's online crime reporting eServices to

# HOUSE CALLS

report a crime, add to it via a supplemental report or actually adding additional information to a report that you filed with an officer. Check it out -- [www.hbpd.org](http://www.hbpd.org) – eServices – Online Crime Reporting.

So, before you think you need to come to the police department, maybe a telephone call will answer your question and save you gas and valuable time. We'll still provide you with great service either way, but be comfortable while you receive it. ♥



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# IS THERE A CHAPLAIN AVAILABLE TO RESPOND?

KENT FERRIN

*Sergeant - Chaplain Program*

**As a matter of fact there is!** We actually have four chaplains and one is on call every day of the week. You may have run into a chaplain during a station visit, at a scene where someone died or was seriously injured, or simply as a partner in your car for a few hours. Maybe you even went to the annual Chaplain's Dinner at First Christian Church, won a prize, and enjoyed a quick meal, "*on the house,*" so to speak.

Historically, chaplains have played a huge role in the military, police, and fire world. Did you know that five chaplains were awarded the prestigious military Medal of Honor over the years for their actions in combat? What about the fire chaplain that was awarded the highest life saving medal during 9/11 after he went back into the falling towers to care for the injured. He never made it out alive. And did you know that the movie "Saving Private Ryan" was loosely based on a true story about a soldier and a chaplain? Pvt. Ryan's real name was Frederick Niland. A chaplain from the 501<sup>st</sup> Airborne, Father Sampson, learned that Niland's three brothers had died in combat and he arranged to get Frederick home.

I remember as a younger officer the only person I wanted in my police car was a partner of my choice or a crook in the back seat with handcuffs on. It wasn't that I thought the department chaplain was going to cramp my style, I just didn't consider the chaplains as a resource. Times were different back then and if you had a death notification you just did it yourself, regardless of your experience or maturity. Back then (I can say that now) no one said anything about how mental trauma affected you, and real men weren't allowed to cry. As you know a lot has changed over the years and the chaplain program has evolved into a necessary resource.

The ironic thing for me is that it was a chaplain, and a great friend that pointed out behavior in me that was consistent with PTSD. I was "that guy" that would never have believed it could happen to me. Thanks to that chaplain's awareness I got the

necessary help and I am a better man for it. The point of me putting that out there was to show others that the relationship I shared with the chaplain was the key. There was no judgment, no preaching, just love for a friend who was cop. Our chaplains are focused on building relationships with employees of HBPD. They are focused on being a resource and a friend for those of you (and for your families) that dedicate your lives to the sometimes messy business of policing the great City of Huntington Beach. So, when you see them roaming the station halls or in uniform at a scene, introduce yourself, and get to know them. Lt. Seitz and I have encouraged them to do the same. I have included their names, photographs, and contact information should you wish to get a hold of them ***for anything.*** ♥



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# THE WHY STORY...

## *Reasons for the HB 9/11 Memorial*

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**H**untington Beach 9/11 Memorial: to honor the past, serve the present, and secure the future.

On September 11, 2011, after receiving two pieces of steel from the World Trade Center buildings, both the presidents of the police officers' foundation and fire fighters' association made a commitment to build a memorial encompassing that steel in Huntington Beach. The reasons for such a commitment were to honor the past, serve the present, and secure the future.

On the morning of September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks struck the United States at the World Trade Center Twin Towers in New York, the Pentagon in our nation's capital, and the foiled hijacking of United Airlines Flight 93 in the skies over Shanksville, Pennsylvania. Although these attacks occurred on the East Coast, they changed the lives of all Americans forever. In an instance, the passengers on those planes became warriors fighting to save lives of people they did not know, as shown with United Airlines Flight 93. The lives of thousands were lost or injured simply because they were going about their daily business. In the terror and mayhem, countless acts of courage, bravery, unselfishness, and love took place as people from all backgrounds risked and lost their lives trying to save others. Heroes should never be forgotten but honored and remembered for generations. Our memorial, by its design, will do that.

Today, years after the attack, people's lives and families are still affected. People continue to grieve for their loved ones that were lost and will continue to do so. Our memorial will help serve their needs by offering a place for reflection; showing that their loved one's lives will not be forgotten. It may help ease their pain, give them support and raise their spirits because it will show that we as a community do care and will never forget the sacrifice their loved one's made. The memorial will draw attention for people who work, conduct business, or visit City

Hall, if only for a few moments, back to remembering what had happened to our country and it's citizens on the day of the terrorist attack. It will help people to never forget and give them a place to show honor to our fallen heroes. It will remind them to cherish life that is fleeting and uncertain.

Our future lies in the youth of today. From grade school though high school, the students today were either not born or only a few years of age when the attacks on September 11, 2001, took place. Our memorial will offer a free tool for teachers to use to help students connect and learn about our country's history and those people who died heroes. They will be able to see a large scale of the Twin Towers that was lost, actual steel that came from them, and the names of all the airline flights that were involved in the attacks inlaid on the sides of the Pentagon base. Railings around the base will support plaques that will tell our story from the attacks on September 11, 2001, to how and why the memorial was created. This experience will be available to all our schools both in town and throughout our surrounding communities so that we can secure those future generations will never forget.

If you are interested in more information about the memorial or how you can help, please visit [www.BuildingToRemember.com](http://www.BuildingToRemember.com) or call the HBPOA Office at 714-842-8851. ♥



# Doughnut Day

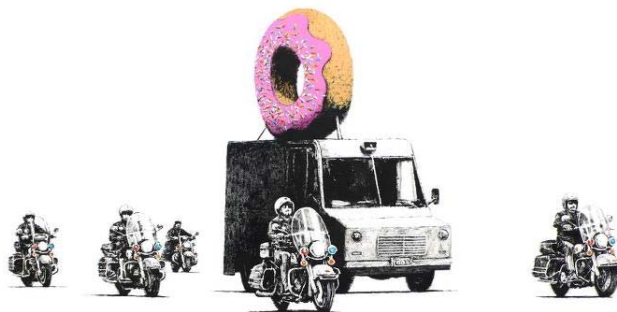
June 6, 2014 in the USA

National Doughnut Day is celebrated on June 06, 2014, succeeding the Doughnut Day event created by The Salvation Army in 1938 to honor the women who served doughnuts to soldiers during World War I. This June observance takes place on the first Friday of June each year and celebrates the doughnut, also known as "donut".

Attention: Many American doughnut stores offer free doughnuts on National Doughnut Day. In 2009, both independent doughnut shops and large national franchises offered free doughnuts in the United States. National Doughnut Day started as a fund raiser for Chicago's The Salvation Army. Their goal was to help the needy during the Great Depression, and to honor The Salvation Army "Lassies" of World War I, who served doughnuts to soldiers.

A doughnut or donut is a type of fried dough confectionery or dessert food. Doughnuts are popular in many countries and prepared in various forms as a sweet snack that can be homemade or purchased in bakeries, supermarkets, food stalls, and franchised specialty outlets. They are usually deep-fried from flour dough, and shaped in rings or flattened spheres that sometimes contain fillings. Other types of batters can also be used, and various toppings and flavorings are used for different types.

The two most common types are the toroidal ring doughnut and the filled doughnut, a flattened sphere injected with fruit preserves, cream, custard, or other sweet fillings. A small spherical piece of dough may be cooked as a doughnut hole. Doughnut varieties are also divided into cake and risen type doughnuts. Other shapes include rings, balls, and flattened spheres, as well as ear shapes, twists and other forms. (With material from: Wikipedia) ♥



Has the JFA traveled with you recently? Submit your photo holding a recent issue of the JFA with another law enforcement officer or at a related law enforcement site. Printed submission will receive a cup of java on us.



'KEEP SMILING GAVIN' - We would like everyone to keep Gavin in your hearts and prayers for a speedy recovery.







## California's Fallen...

Source: [www.camemorial.org](http://www.camemorial.org) | [www.ODMP.org](http://www.ODMP.org)

### Line-of-Duty Deaths – 2014

♥ Detective Sergeant Tom Smith  
Bay Area Rapid Transit PD

♥ Police Officer Nicholas C. Lee  
Los Angeles PD

♥ Officer Brian Law  
CHP – Fresno Area Office

♥ Deputy Ricky Del Fiorentino  
Mendocino County SD

♥ Officer Juan Gonzalez  
CHP – Fresno Area Office

♥ Motor Officer Christopher Cortijo  
Los Angeles PD

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**2014 California Peace Officers' Memorial Ceremony**

Candlelight Vigil – Sunday, May 4, 2014 | Enrollment Ceremony – Monday, May 5, 2014

**National Police Week**

May 11 – 17, 2014



RSVP - Volunteer  
Huntington Beach PD  
**Christopher "Chris" Maddy**  
1940-2014

Family of our Department Family  
Karin Reed  
**Peggy Joyce Rijkschroeff**  
1933 - 2014

Family of our Department Family  
Jeff Huss  
**Marie E. Huss**  
1920 - 2014

Family of our Department Family  
Craig & Julie Reynolds  
**Jeffrey Reynolds**  
1970 - 2014

Family of our Department Family  
Don & Brian Drake  
**Alfred "Bud" Moorman**  
1927 - 2014

Family of our Department Family  
Chuck Wright  
**Frances Nadine Wright**  
1915 - 2014



### Nationally...

Source: [www.odmp.org](http://www.odmp.org)



### 2014 Firefighters

Source: [usfa.dhs.gov](http://usfa.dhs.gov)

Nationally: 34 101  
CALIFORNIA - 1 3

### 2014 Line of Duty

Deaths: 29  
CALIFORNIA – 6

### 2013 Line of Duty

Deaths: 105  
CALIFORNIA – 10

### 2012 Line of Duty

Deaths: 125  
CALIFORNIA – 2



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