

## To Our Nations and Continents We Appreciate You!

I want to apologize as American Citizen for any mistreatment; you have encountered from U.S. (Americans). We are not to stereotype and pre-judge people. Just like we are not all bad people with destructive behavior. Not all people in the nation and continents are bad people with destructive behavior. Can I just go down memory lane about the people I have been friends with for years and the encounters I have had with people from other nations and continents. When I was growing up in the 80's and 90's. Yes I enjoyed school except for math class. But the number 1 thing we enjoyed as American students was having a foreign exchange student. We embraced learning about other culture, we ate lunch, played with them at recess ~~and~~ grew to love ~~them~~ and became best friends with ~~them~~ some of them. I have had many good memory with people from other nations and continents. For instance my first pay roll job was delivering newspapers in New Jersey. Many of you was my customers. My second pay roll job was McDonald ~~my~~ many of you was my co-worker and customers. My most favorable moment was when I was a ~~Army JROTC~~ Army JROTC Student. This was



was my very first military ball. I wanted to look outstanding and beautiful for myself, because I cannot say for my date. My classmate Sean and I was best friends. Nevertheless my dad took me to this little store in ~~Brownsville~~ Browns Mills, NJ. When I walked in I seen Vietnamese people. The little lady treated me like she knew me all my life. Oh my God she was so sweet and caring. She said come here sweetie. We are going to make you beautiful. The first attire, she picked out. She said me don't like for you. So she went to pick something else. She came out with a long white gown, black gloves and some beautiful black heels. I went to the dressing room. Once upon my ~~completion~~ completeness of being dressed, I came out. My dad and her said oh my God you are beautiful. I ~~felt~~ fell in love with this lady character. She was so friendly. I begin to go visit her at that store just about every week buying other products. Mainly I wanted to just make sure she was ok. Later on I learned that it would be another business that captivated my heart with their service. Little did I know it would be walking distance from house in Pemberton, NJ. This Chinese <sup>restaurant</sup> ~~place~~ was located in the place we called the bunkhouse. As we had pass it many times riding by it. I took upon myself to walk to it one day.



As I was walking, I was gambling in my mind to myself. I bet that this Chinese restaurant is not as good as the one in Bainbridge, GA. The Chinese people in had become my best friends. They knew me all the way through. When I ~~walked~~ walked in they knew exactly what I was going to order. We talked about everything. Nevertheless, so I walked into the new Chinese restaurant. I hadn't ~~to~~ changed my clothes, I still had on my Army JROTC dress uniform. The lady and gentleman said to me, Are you military. I said no Sir and Ma'am. I am Junior Reserve Officer Training Corp. I am planning on going to basic training hopefully this summer. Then there was a pause - because they were admiring my uniform - asking questions about my merits and my ~~position~~ <sup>duties</sup> as a private 1st class. I ordered my food and went to sit. The customers were coming in slow that particular day. So they had a lot of free time on their hand. They came over and sat at the table with me. I complimented them on how good the food was. (It was delicious, yummy!) We talked about the military, Army JROTC, my dreams, long/short term goals and hobbies. Every week when I had a free opportunity I would go eat and talk to them. Moving along I've worked for Indian people at a couple of hotels. I served ~~a lot~~ a lot of



Because you are special to me. To the one  
 I met in foster care, my Hispanic sister Magalena;  
 I value you. I don't know where you are today.  
 Maybe one day we will come across each other  
 pathway again. I love you. I couldn't have made  
 it in foster care if it wasn't for Magalena. We  
 encouraged each other. When I had to leave her  
 I cried. I want to leave you with this final word  
 to our nations' and continents. If our country  
 people has offended you in any type of way. Please  
 forgive us. Because we want to live in peace  
 with others. We looking forward to no  
 more conflicts or bombings. Today I want to  
 say you are valuable to us. Thank you for the  
 service you brings to our country America. It  
 could be a friendly Hello or when we come to  
 visit you. Thank you for your kindness.

you are valuable. We appreciate you

Thank you - Continents and nations

Africa	Algeria	Belize	<del>Canada</del> Cay
Antarctica	Andorra	Benin	Cayman Islands
Asia	Angola	Bermuda	Central American Republic
Australia	Anguilla	Bhutan	of Colombia
Europe	Antigua and	Bolivia	Comoros
North America	Barbuda	Bosnia-Herzegovina	
South America	Argentina	Botswana	
Afghanistan	Aruba	Brazil	
Albania	Azerbaijan	British Antarctic Territory	
	Bahamas	British Indian Ocean Territory	
	Bahrain	Brunei	
	Barbados	Bulgaria	continue
	Belarus	Burkina Faso	
	Belgium	Burman	
		Burundi	
		Cambodia	
		Cameroon	
		Canada	
		Cape Verde	



You are valuable - We appreciate you  
 Thank you - continents and nations

Estonia	Isle of Man	Micronesia	Puerto Rico
Ethiopia	Israel	Moldova	Qatar
Faeroe Islands	<del>Italy</del>	Monaco	Romania
Falkland Islands	Italy	Mongolia	Russia
Fiji	Jamaica	<del>Monte</del>	Rwanda
Finland	Japan	Montserrat	Saint Helena
France	Jersey	Morocco	Saint Kitts-Nevis
Gabon	Jordan	Mozambique	St. Lucia
The Gambia	Kazakhstan	Myanmar	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Georgia	Kenya	Nagorno-Karabakh	San Marino
Germany	Kiribati	Namibia	São Tomé & Príncipe
Ghana	North Korea	Nauru	Saudi Arabia
Gibraltar	Kosovo	Nepal	<del>Sey</del> Seychelles
Great Britain	Kuwait	Netherlands	Senegal
Greece	Kyrgyzstan	New Caledonia	Serbia
Greenland	Laos	New Zealand	Sierra Leone
Guatemala	Latvia	Nicaragua	Singapore
Guinea	Lebanon	Niger	Slovenia
Guinea Bissau	Lesotho	Nigeria	Solomon Islands
Guyana	Liberia	Niue	South Africa
Haiti	Libya	Northern Island	Spain
Honduras	Liechtenstein	Northern Mariana Islands	Sri Lanka
Hong Kong	Lithuania	Norway	Sudan
Hungary	Luxembourg	Oman	Suriname
Iceland	Macau	Pakistan	South Georgia & The South Sandwich Islands
India	Macedonia	Palau	Swaziland
Indonesia	Madagascar	Palestinian Aut.	Sweden
Iran	Malawi	Panama	Switzerland
Iraq	Malaysia	Papua New Guinea	Syria
Ireland	Maldives	Paraguay	Tajikistan
	Mali	Peru	Tanzania
	Malta	Philippines	Thailand
	Marshall Islands	Pitcairn Island	Tibet
	Mauritania	Poland	Togo
	Mauritius	Portugal	Tonga
	Mexico		Trinidad & Tobago



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Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Turks & Caicos Islands  
Tuvalu  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
~~United States of America~~  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Vatican City State  
~~Venezuela~~  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
British Virgin Islands  
Western Sahara  
Western Samoa  
Yemen  
Yugoslavia  
Zaire  
Zambia  
~~Zimbabwe~~  
Zimbabwe

Congo  
Chad  
Chile  
China, People's Republic of  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Republic  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Republic  
East Timor  
Eastern Europe  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea