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**OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF  
VETERANS AFFAIRS**

# CELEBRATING WOMEN VETERANS

**Wednesday, June 12, 2019**

Did you serve in the military? Are you a veteran?  
What is a veteran?

Let us help you determine your veteran status AND let us help you obtain any available veteran benefits!

On June 12, 2019, we are celebrating women who have served in the military. Regardless of branch, regardless of active duty, national guard or reserve status, we are celebrating women who have previously served in the military! If you served, join in celebrations across the state!

If you do NOT know if you are a veteran, contact a woman service officer as soon as possible.

Visit [okvets.ok.gov](http://okvets.ok.gov) for a listing of accredited veteran service officers. Look for your county, if there's not a woman listed, look for a neighboring county. ODVA has women service officers accessible in ALL areas of the state, in rural and metro areas.

You can also email your questions to:  
[okwomenvets@odva.okgov](mailto:okwomenvets@odva.okgov)

An accredited woman service officer will reply, it is a confidential and direct access email conversation with a woman officer.

Make plans to attend the June 12th Resource Fair in Del City! Bring your DD214, or we can help you get one! Come and visit with VA personnel, explore VA benefits available to you! [www.va.gov](http://www.va.gov)

**WOMEN VETERANS**

**RESOURCE FAIR**

**JUNE 12, 2019**

**DEL CITY, OK**

**COMMUNITY CENTER**

**10AM-2PM**



## STATE OF OKLAHOMA VETERAN REGISTRY

**BEGINS SUMMER  
2019, CHECK YES  
I SERVED!**







From April 18th through April 21st  
Oklahoma State University to host



## THE WALL THAT HEALS

VIETNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL REPLICA & MOBILE EDUCATION CENTER



A PROGRAM OF THE VIETNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL FUND  
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# THE WALL THAT HEALS VIETNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL REPLICA & MOBILE EDUCATION CENTER

Oklahoma State University-Intramural fields  
West of Colvin Center on Hall of Fame Avenue

**April 18-21, 2019**

More info: 405-744-1390 or [militaryveterans@okstate.edu](mailto:militaryveterans@okstate.edu)

Durant Multi Sports Complex  
1920 OK Hwy 78 South, Durant OK

**May 9-12, 2019**

More info: 580-920-3642 or email [3valleymuseumok@gmail.com](mailto:3valleymuseumok@gmail.com)

# Women listed on the Wall

**1st Lt. Sharon Ann Lane**, from Canton OH. On the Wall at 23W 112

Lt. Lane died from shrapnel wounds when the 312th Evac at Chu Lai was hit by rockets on June 8, 1969. She was a month short of her 26th birthday. Posthumously awarded the Vietnamese Gallantry Cross with Palm and the Bronze Star for Heroism.

**2nd Lt. Pamela Dorothy Donovan**, from Allston, MA. On the Wall at 53W 043

Became seriously ill and died on July 8, 1968, 26 years old. Assigned to the 85th Evac. in Qui Nhon.

**Lt. Col. Annie Ruth Graham**, from Efland, NC. On the Wall at 48W 012

Chief Nurse at 91st Evac. Hospital, Tuy Hoa. She suffered a stroke in August 1968, evacuated to Japan where she passed away. She was 52, a veteran of both WWII and Korea.

**Capt. Mary Therese Klinker**, from Lafayette, IN. On the Wall at 01W 122

Flight nurse assigned to Clark Air Base in the Phillipines, was on a C-5A Galaxy which crashed on April 4 outside Saigon while evacuating Vietnamese orphans. She was 27, posthumously awarded the Airman's Medal for Heroism and the Meritorious Service Medal.

**2nd Lt. Carol Ann Elizabeth Drazba**, from Dunmore PA. On the Wall at 05E 046

Assigned to the 3rd Field Hospital in Saigon, died in a helicopter crash on Feb 8, 1966, 22 years old.

**1st Lt. Elizabeth Ann Jones**, from Allendale SC. On the Wall at 05E 047

Assigned to the 3rd Field Hospital in Saigon, died in a helicopter crash on Feb 8, 1966, 22 years old.

**Capt. Eleanor Grace Alexander**, from Westwood NJ. On the Wall at 31E 008

Stationed at the 85th Evac, was returning to Qui Nhon from helping a hospital in Pleiku, killed in plane crash on Nov 30, 1967, 27 years old. Posthumously awarded Bronze Star.

**1st Lt. Hedwig Diane Orlowski**, from Detroit Mi. On the Wall at 31E 015

Stationed at the 67th Evac in Qui Nhon, was returning from helping a hospital in Pleiku, killed in plane crash on Nov 30, 1967, was 23 years old. Posthumously awarded Bronze Star.







## Women in Military Service for America Memorial

The Women's Memorial is located at the Ceremonial Entrance to Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, VA, and is directly across Memorial Bridge from the Lincoln Memorial at the end of Memorial Drive. The Memorial houses an Exhibit Gallery, Hall of Honor, Gift Shop, Theater, Upper Terrace, Court of Valor and, the heart of the Memorial, a computerized Register containing more than 258,000 women's stories. Admission to the Memorial is absolutely free. Register your story today!  
[www.womensmemorial.org](http://www.womensmemorial.org)

**SEE YOU SOON!**



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