

GEORGE W. BUSH

February 10, 2021

Petty Officer Second Class Michael J. Little United States Navy Reserve

Dear Mike:

Thank you for your service in the United States Armed Forces. I am proud to have served as your Commander in Chief, and I am pleased to join your family, friends, and colleagues in recognizing your career and accomplishments.

Throughout history, the dedicated men and women of our military have protected our citizens and preserved the ideals that make our country strong. Their courage and sacrifice have inspired countless people and have helped shape America's character.

On behalf of a grateful Nation, I thank you for your contributions to our security and to the cause of peace and freedom. Your service, patriotism, and selfless devotion have helped advance the universal hope of liberty at home and around the world.

Laura and I send our best wishes for health and happiness in the years ahead. May God bless you, and may God continue to bless America.

Sincerely,

George W. Bush