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The Burleson Public Library wants photos of your veterans for Operation Remember.

Operation Remember is a project of the City of Burleson that works to archive the personal histories of Burleson's veterans and present their stories in a way that encourages every generation to learn more about our veterans' contributions to our country and our community. Currently, Veterans Memorial Plaza (at the corner of Renfro Street and I-35) displays approximately 1,500 Bricks for Veterans which include the name of the veteran, the branch of service, and any conflict during which the veteran served. A newly redesigned interactive kiosk helps visitors find bricks and also includes additional information about each veteran, such as photos, biographies and even excerpts from veteran interviews.

"Many of Burleson's veterans who have bricks don't have any personal information listed in the on-site kiosk," said Sara Miller, library services manager at the Burleson Public Library. "We would like to see more of that information on display for visitors, so we are asking local families to contribute photos and biographies of their veterans so they can be included. You can learn so much when you look up a veteran and read more about their personal history, listen to them talk about their time in the service or see their photographs. We have some amazing veterans in our community."

If you have a family member or loved one with a brick at Veterans Memorial Plaza, submitting additional information is easy. You can submit two photos and/or a short personal biography to [veterans@burlesontx.com](mailto:veterans@burlesontx.com) or you can bring them to the Burleson Public Library at 248 S.W. Johnson Avenue. Representatives from Operation Remember will also be at the City's annual Military Veteran Tribute on Nov. 7 to scan photos and accept biographies.

If you would like to purchase a brick, please visit the Burleson Public Library or go to [www.burlesonlibrary.com](http://www.burlesonlibrary.com). Bricks are \$15 each. For more information, please call the Burleson Public Library at 817-426-9207.