

DEAR LAVFW, POST MEMBERS, AUXILIARY MEMBERS and all guests who may be reading this memo.

The Sisters of the Ladies Auxiliary have lost one of their precious new lights of the future. This past April 23, 2010 Amanda Rose Miller was taken from us at the young age of twenty-four. Amanda was the grand daughter of Martha Miller, Life member of LAVFW 8191 and the beloved daughter of Marvin and Donatina E. Miller. Amanda joined the U.S.Navy in September 2003, the same year she graduated from high school. She served our country proudly as a Seabee in Iraq in 2007 and came home, attended college and graduated from Fort Bellvoir, VA, the only female in her graduating class, in 2009. This young lady excelled in being physically fit and won several trophies in which she bested her male counterparts. She was also a certified Crossfit Trainer entering in several competitions. She was a beautiful glowing, vibrant young lady and will be sadly missed by her family, extended service family and all her friends.