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Medal of Valor



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MISSION

The South Bay Police and Fire Memorial Foundation is a non-profit 501(c)(3), tax ID 95-4507403, dedicated to providing financial support for families of fallen or disabled police and fire personnel from the nine South Bay cities. The Foundation includes the Cities of El Segundo, Gardena, Hawthorne, Hermosa Beach, Inglewood, Manhattan Beach, Palos Verdes Estates, Redondo Beach and Torrance.

HOW YOUR SUPPORT MAKES THE DIFFERENCE

Quite often in life, sincere appreciation of human kindness is only best realized when tragedy lands on one's own doorstep. It's at that time the thoughtful acts by others can resonate in ways that words cannot fully explain. The South Bay Police & Fire Memorial Foundation is this embodiment. It ties public safety professionals and community benefactors to a fundamental focus of simplistic care and provision when suffering families and survivors need it most. The last three years alone have presented my Department with inordinate line-of-duty losses. Through this, the SBP&F Foundation provided the families of fallen Police Officer Andrew Garton and fallen Sergeant Leonard Luna, a source to draw both emotional and fiscal comfort from. This support by brethren in service and by the gracious community stakeholders brings a feeling of closeness and security at the time when those need it most. The Hawthorne Police Department commends all those who undertake the annual duties of shouldering this great foundation's existence. We take great pride in being foundational stakeholders and contributors, and humbly appreciate those times when we, ourselves, have been unfortunate recipients. Inclusive of all though, we witness the value that the SBP&F Foundation represents to all of our agencies, our region and most of all, to the survivors who carry on with a load far greater than ourselves. Thank you for being there for all of us.

Robert Fager - Hawthorne Police Department

The Police Officers and Firefighters Memorial Foundation was a tremendous blessing to my husband, Rabindranath 'Ravi' Derenoncourt, an Inglewood Police Officer, and me. It helped us to pay the mortgage and keep a roof over our heads for when my husband returned home after two months of hospitalization. The generous donation by the Police & Fire Fighters Memorial Foundation made to our family brought me to tears; it is a kind gesture in a devastating time. Your assistance relieved so much stress about our finances and it allowed me to focus on Ravi's recovery. During the critical time he was in ICU, the donation allowed me to be at my husband's bedside as I had to take an unpaid leave of absence from work. Thank you for having such a wonderful foundation!

The Derenoncourt Family - Inglewood Police Department

In 2006 a Redondo Beach firefighter's wife of over 23 years was diagnosed with Stage 4 lung cancer. By June of 2007 she required the full time care of their daughter and him along with Hospice care. His wife passed away at home on November 7, 2007 in the company of her family. With the help from the Police and Fire Memorial Foundation, his daughter was able to return to the University of Oregon where she was able to complete her degree and graduate on time.

Joe Leonardi - Redondo Beach Fire Department

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The 44th Annual Medal of Valor Awards luncheon will be held on Thursday, May 24, 2018 at 11am for the reception and 12pm for the awards luncheon, at the Torrance Marriott Hotel, 3635 Fashion Way, Torrance. This annual event is given in appreciation of the exemplary service provided by the South Bay Police and Fire agencies and provides special recognition to those who have performed acts of bravery that go beyond the call of duty. Please join us in honoring this year's award recipients.

Medal of Valor

El Segundo Police Department - Officer Jeff Darringer
 Inglewood Police Department - Officer Peter Lopresti
 Inglewood Police Department - Officer Brian Kowan

Distinguished Service

El Segundo Police Department - Sergeant Tony de la Rambelje	Inglewood Police Department - Officer Jonathan Rivers
Hawthorne Police Department - Sergeant Larry Grajeda	Inglewood Police Department - Officer Andrew Little
Hawthorne Police Department - Officer Anthony Barlin	Inglewood Police Department - Officer Alvaro Ruiz
Hawthorne Police Department - Officer Matthew Manley	Inglewood Police Department - Officer Ray Noriega
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Life Saving

Hawthorne Police Department - Officer Jack Cunningham	Hermosa Beach Police Department - Officer Everett Faulk
Hawthorne Police Department - Officer Michael Murray	Hermosa Beach Police Department - Detective George Brunn
Hawthorne Police Department - Officer Andrew Salcido	Inglewood Police Department - Officer Mychal Blaylock
Hawthorne Police Department - Officer Ian Elliott	Inglewood Police Department - Officer Henry Morgan
Hawthorne Police Department - Officer Jason Moulton	Torrance Police Department - Detective Stephen Kim
Hermosa Beach Police Department - Officer Matthew Rushton	Torrance Police Department - Detective Eric Bernier

We look forward to seeing you at this special event celebrating the first responders of our community.

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