



Leaving home is only the beginning
of the incredible challenges they face.

A REQUEST WE CAN'T REFUSE

They've left their families, given up the comforts of home and placed their lives on the line for you and me. They endure hardship, loneliness and hostility in some of the most dangerous regions of the world. Yet our Troops aren't complaining — or demanding our sympathy. They are asking for God's Word and crying out for hope.

We must not ignore their urgent pleas. **And American Bible Society will not.** Our tradition of delivering God's Word to America's Service Members dates back to 1817.

Through nine wars and numerous military actions since, we've ministered to our Troops with God's Word. And today our ministry is more critical than ever.



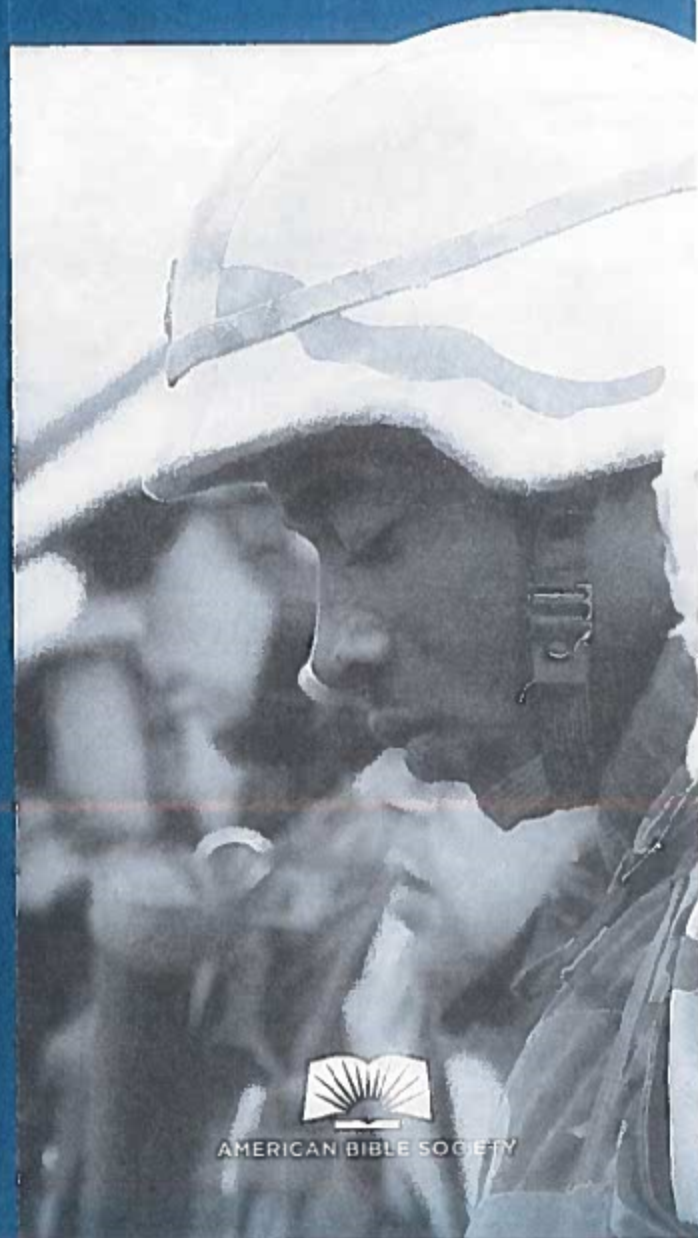
When our Service Members
have God's Word, they are
able to experience peace
where there is none.



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BIBLES FOR OUR TROOPS



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**"WE HAVE BEEN
OUT OF BIBLES
FOR A WHILE NOW,
AND THE SOLDIERS
ARE STARVING
FOR GOD'S WORD."**

— Army Chaplain

THE NEED GROWS DAILY

Each month, American Bible Society receives requests for thousands of Bibles from all branches of the military. With help from Armed Forces Chaplains, we help provide Scriptures directly to Troops in need. And the need is overwhelming.

Navy Chaplain Jerry Cox' wrote, "We put a literature rack inside our dining facility . . . **The Bibles are placed in the rack in the morning and by lunchtime they are gone!**"

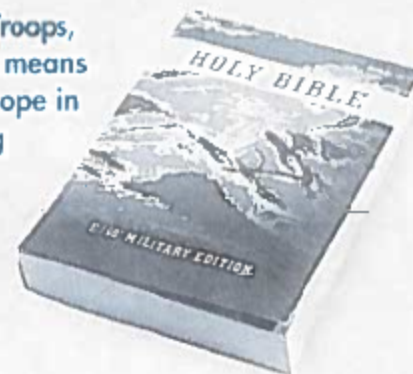
We simply must not allow men and women who have sacrificed so much for us to be deprived of the message of hope. And there is something you can do to help: **For just \$5 each, you can help provide a Bible for an American hero.**

THE SOLUTION THAT LASTS FOR ETERNITY

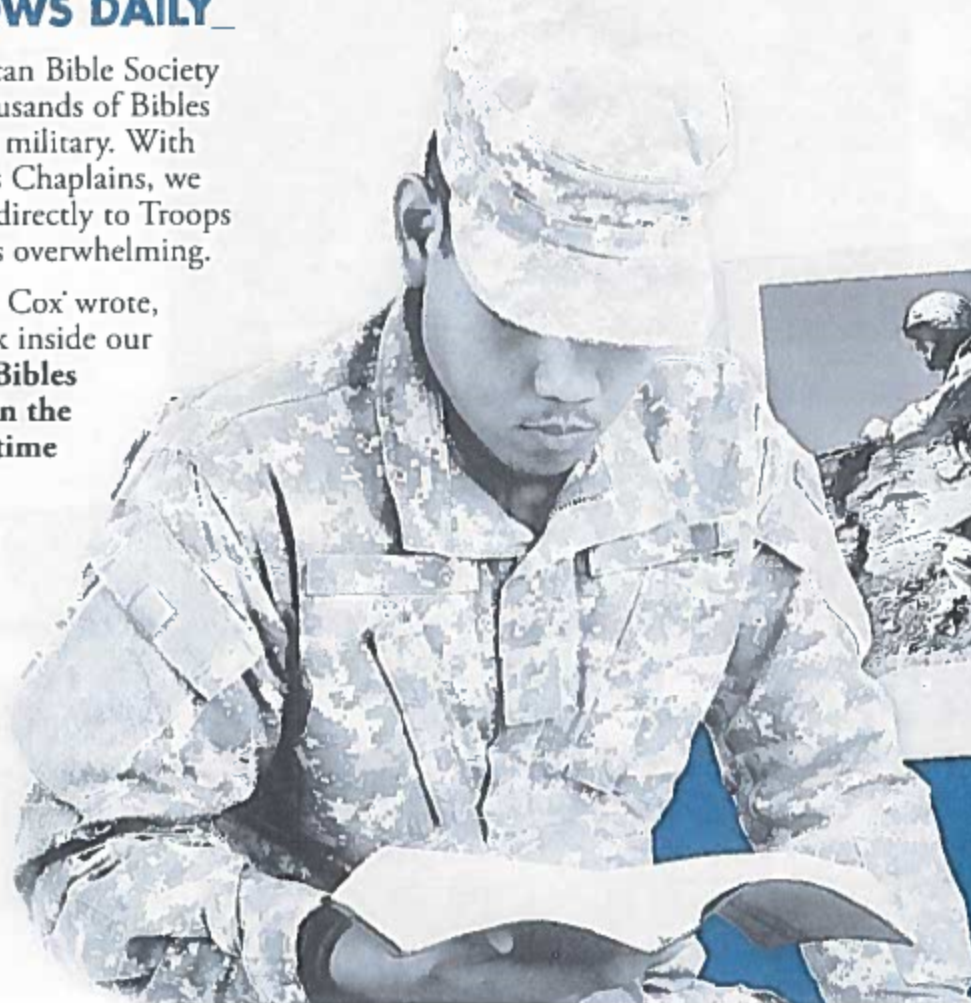
In Scripture, our Troops find hope, comfort and strength to do their difficult jobs. Corporal Laurie Schwartz' writes, **"Having God's Word to rely on for daily guidance is what helps keep me from despair."**

Lieutenant Charles Vick', an Iraq War Veteran, adds: "A man's relationship with God tends to grow a lot closer during an experience like war. The Bibles gave us strength and courage throughout the deployment."

For our Troops,
the Bible means
lasting hope in
troubling
times.



Troop Members like Lieutenant Vick know all too well that any day could be their last. We must share God's Word with them while we can. Your gift today will help American Bible Society place God's Word into the hands and hearts of thousands of Troops, and the difference you help make will last for eternity!



**Names have been
changed for privacy.*

**They risk their lives for our
country — for you and for me.
Let's show our appreciation by
helping to give them God's Word.**