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Mr. Donald J. Trump
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Dear President-Elect Trump,

As the National Commander of the Catholic War Veterans of the U.S.A., Inc., and on behalf of all our members, I wish to extend my heartfelt congratulations on your electoral victory and election to the Office of the Presidency.

Throughout your campaign we witnessed your appeal to both Catholic and Evangelical voters by offering very specific promises. Specifically, we stand behind your willingness to nominate pro-life justices to the Supreme Court to sign new legislation to protect religious liberty, including the First Amendment Defense Act.

We are grateful for the promise you made to Catholic voters:

“As President, I promise that I will protect the rights of Catholics to live their faith, to serve their communities, and to act on their beliefs without fear. This approach one would think is just common sense. And I don’t care if people call it politically incorrect.”

Catholic War Veterans also welcomed your willingness to champion the cause for the men and women in our military, to increase their finances, training and numbers. Protection of American citizens is foremost in these tumultuous times. On the difficult issue of immigration, we applaud your desire to secure our borders, safeguard our citizens, and protect American workers. Properly applied, there need not be a conflict between a fair and just enforcement of our immigration laws, including a wall or fence, and the priority of treating every person, including families, with dignity. Bringing business and jobs back to the United States is also a major concern for all veterans, especially those returning from deployment.

This concern evolves into another priority - health care reform that is truly affordable, accessible, and respectful of the rights of conscience. We are confident your business leadership and expertise will bring about the hiring of workers, wage increases and a reduction of tax burdens upon the middle class.

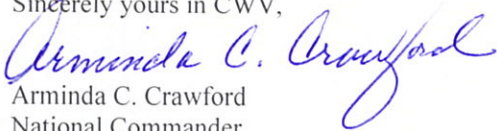
As you embark on this historic transition, the members of the Catholic War Veterans of the U.S.A., Inc., wish you the best of success as you assume this awesome responsibility.

We thank you for demonstrating respect for Catholics and for the crucial role the Catholic Church has played in building our country.

We look forward to working with you to advance the cause of life, family, and freedom, - which would truly make **AMERICA GREAT AGAIN**.

May God bless you and your family.

Sincerely yours in CWV,


Arminda C. Crawford
National Commander