360+ Military survivors grieve the death of their military loved one who served in the United States Coast Guard.

Survivors by duty status of their fallen Coast Guardsman:
- 32% Active Duty
- 24% Retired
- 1% Veteran
- 43% Unknown at time of intake

Survivors grieving the death of their Coast Guardsman who died by:
- 5% Accident
- 26% Illness
- 49% Suicide and suspected suicide
- 19% Other includes non-combat related, non-hostile, homicide, or unknown at time of intake

Survivors by relation to their fallen Coast Guardsman:
- 33% Sibling
- 8% Parent(s)
- 18% Significant other
- 10% Child
- 31% Extended family, friends, or battle buddy

264 Coast Guard survivors connected with other military survivors at TAPS virtual and in-person program in 2020

$449,744+ In education benefits for Coast Guard military survivors in 2020

910+ Coast Guard survivor connections with TAPS in 2020

Connect Survivors 24/7
800.959.TAPS (8277) or TAPS.org/JoinTAPS

Connect at our Seminars
TAPS.org/Seminars

Join the Mission
Volunteer to be a Military Mentor
TAPS.org/MilitaryMentor

Hear from Military Survivors
Read articles from military survivors, archives of virtual connections, and survivor webinars at TAPS.org/Stories

Grief Support and Training
For professionals, casualty representatives, and survivors, resources are available for free at TAPS.org/Institute

Connect with us on social!
/f/TAPS
/TAPS
/in/TAPS
IN 2020, TAPS WELCOMED 7,583 NEW SURVIVORS GRIEVING THE DEATH OF 3,006 MILITARY LOVED ONES

Since 1994, TAPS has provided comfort and hope 24/7 through a national peer support network and connection to grief resources for all those our military members loved and left behind. TAPS programs and services are available to all survivors regardless of the duty status at the time of death, or the relationship to the deceased.

IN HONOR OF ALL WHO SERVED AND DIED

2020 YEAR IN REVIEW

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Average number of new survivors connected with TAPS each day in 2020

1,265,131+
Minutes providing comfort, care, and resources to all those grieving the death of a military loved one

$180M+
Worth of educational benefits identified for survivors by TAPS

$3.9M+
In retroactive benefits secured for military survivors

50,220+
TAPS Magazines, care packages, remembrance cards, and meaningful messages sent to survivors

14,035
Unique survivors received emotional support from TAPS

50,426+
Military survivors attended TAPS virtual and in-person programs

701+
Military Mentors volunteered 55,000+ to support a grieving military child

14,039
Attendees at TAPS Institute for Hope and Healing® webinars and training courses

CONNECT WITH US ON SOCIAL!

Call the Military Survivor Helpline 24/7
800.959.TAPS(8277)
TAPS.ORG