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2015

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# Army Ball

CELEBRATING 240 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE NATION

*"Thank You for Your Service"*

Greater Los Angeles Chapter,  
Association of the  
United States Army

**Saturday, 30 May 2015**

## **The Queen Mary**

The Grand Ballroom  
1126 Queen's Way  
Long Beach, California 90802

## **We are serious about our Soldiers!**

Thousands of Soldiers from Southern California have deployed to Iraq and Afghanistan over the long decade of war in those countries. These are our own local Heroes – men and women who've left their jobs, their families, and their lives behind to serve our country. These Soldiers – and their families – have sacrificed more than most can ever imagine.

There are serious issues facing them as they return home: unemployment, homelessness, as well as the physical and mental strain of long deployments. They are just plain worn out!

The Greater Los Angeles Chapter of the Association of the United States Army is deeply committed to helping resolve these challenges. We're providing emergency financial assistance to families, getting homeless Veterans into transitional housing and jobs, hosting training classes and workshops, providing holiday gifts for military families in need, and many other family programs.

But sometimes all our Soldiers want is a night out... a time to relax, be honored for their service, and have a good time with their spouse or significant other. ***That's what "Give A Soldier A Night Out" is all about.***

This is an opportunity for a grateful community to Honor them - Remember them - Salute them! Give them a bit of rest and relaxation (a.k.a. "fun!").

It is through the generous donations of individuals, companies, and other groups that we are able to host these brave men and women to the annual Army Birthday Ball in Long Beach. We can assure you this night means a lot to them. The request for seats always far outstrips the donated seats available. We wish that all of you could see the joy on their faces as they dance the night away or the pride they show when asked to stand and be recognized by all present in the ballroom. They wear their uniforms with such honor.

The annual Army Birthday Ball this year will be held Saturday, 30 May at the legendary Queen Mary in Long Beach. Your donation can make it possible for a local Soldier to celebrate in style. ***Please consider making a donation for our Soldiers. You can donate \$25, \$50, \$100 or more. Every donation makes a difference! Please consider sharing this with your employees so that they have the opportunity to make personal donations. We have found many people are looking for a way to say "Thank You."***

The GLAC/AUSA Army Birthday Ball is once again shaping up as a spectacular event. Always elegant – and always fun. A four-star dinner, entertainment, followed by dancing. Miss California will again be with us.

By the way - Why don't you buy a seat for yourself as well? It will be a special evening, spent in the company of Heroes.

We hope that you can join us in Long Beach on **Saturday, May 30th** at the Queen Mary, Long Beach. Reception begins at 6:30 p.m. followed by dinner at 7:15 p.m.

Donations can also be made on line!

**For more information, please visit our website: [www.ausa.org/glac](http://www.ausa.org/glac)**

Thank you for Honoring our Soldiers

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# "Give a Soldier a Night Out" Donation Form

**Yes, I would like to say, "Thank You For Your Service!"**

I would like to give a Soldier a special night out at the **Army Birthday Ball on Saturday, 30 May 2015** as my personal way of saying "Thank you" for serving our country.

## My tax deductible donation is:

- One Table for 10 Soldiers (\$1750)
- One Couple (\$350)
- One Soldier (\$175)
- \$100
- \$50
- \$25

## Payment Options

- Check Enclosed     American Express     MasterCard     VISA

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Card Holder's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount To Be Paid: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name (as it appears on card): \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to: GLAC AUSA

Payments can be emailed to: [john.ventimiglia@boeing.com](mailto:john.ventimiglia@boeing.com)

or mailed to:

John Ventimiglia, Chapter Treasurer

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Donations to organizations exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501 (c) (1) are Deductible in accordance with Internal Revenue Code, Section 170  
The GLAC AUSA Tax ID Number is 53-019336

# Be a part of one of So Cal's premier military events – The Annual Army Birthday Ball!



Please join us as we celebrate the 240<sup>th</sup> birthday of the United States Army  
Saturday, 30 May 2015 aboard The Queen Mary, Long Beach Harbor

The cost for reception, dinner, entertainment and dancing:

- One Table for 10 (\$1750)  
 One Couple (\$350)  
 One Seat (\$175)

Note: if purchasing a table, you can share your table with some of our local Soldiers or wounded warriors.  
Please indicate how many seats at your table you would like to donate to our heroes: \_\_\_\_\_.  
(These seats are tax deductible.)

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