



Steve receiving the Purple Heart Award



Steve and his family

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Meet Our New Military Makeover Family

Introducing the Wojciks of Strum, Wisconsin

Decorated military veteran Sgt. Steven Wojcik had served four years of active duty with the U.S. Marine Corps when an IED exploded among vehicles in his convoy in Iraq. The serious injuries he sustained in the attack led this loving husband and father to an honorable discharge and medical retirement in 2005. His sterling service record included many commendations, including the Purple Heart for injuries sustained in combat, the Meritorious Service Medal and National Defense Service Medal.

After leaving the Marine Corps, Steven has continued his military service, putting in another sixteen years in the Army Reserve, earning the Army Achievement Medal and the Army Accommodation Medal. Steven's remarkable drive to serve, sacrifice and ensure public safety has carried him into a career with the Wisconsin State Police.

Like many veterans, Steven deals with chronic pain, both physical and mental, and has recently opened up about his ongoing struggles with PTSD. Steven endured numerous injuries during his military career and has had operations on his shoulder and back, leaving him in a constant state of pain and numbness. His first back surgery was in 2011, in which part of his vertebrae was shaved down; he also underwent two spinal fusion procedures in 2017.

When Steven met his wife Terri in 1999, she recalls knowing immediately that his blood runs red, white and blue to the core. The Wojciks have three daughters: Alyca, 19, Amberlee, 16, and Alyson, 13. Steven is passionate about providing his family a memorable place to live and grow. Terri says she hopes this makeover will put Steven at ease and help show how grateful his country and his family are for his service.

"We need him in our lives now and forever," Terri said.

Our Military Makeover team can't wait to give the Wojciks a hand up and relieve them of the burden of updating their home. From remodeling their kitchen to bringing their finished basement into the 21st century, this will be a Military Makeover to remember.



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