



Proclamation

By the Governor of Alabama

WHEREAS, the men and woman of our Armed Forces continue to work together to protect and serve the citizens of the United States. Throughout our nation's history many of these patriots have given the ultimate sacrifice to protect our freedoms; and

WHEREAS, these fallen service members return home to their families where a folded flag represents the most solemn of rites; and

WHEREAS, citizens of Alabama should give pause and remember the sacrifice of our fallen patriots as well the children they have left behind; and

WHEREAS, Alabama is proud to be one of the select states in the United States that has honored Children of Fallen Patriots Day on May 13, thus, celebrating the past, present and future of Alabama's long-standing support for the children of our fallen patriots;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, Governor of Alabama, do hereby proclaim May 13, 2018, as

Children of Fallen Patriots Day

in the State of Alabama.



Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the Office of the Governor at the State Capitol in the City of Montgomery on the 20th day of April 2018.

Kay Ivey

Kay Ivey, Governor