

To Whom It May Concern:

Paula Coffman has been working very hard to have a bridge that will honor her son, SrA Derek Scott Martin. While I never met this young man I know his mother. I understand why she is doing this. As a mother of a son who also lost his battle with PTSD it's very important to us that our sons are remembered for what they did, NOT how they died! Often our sons are overlooked and not honored, because of how they died. Mrs. Coffman is a sweet lady who only wants her son remembered for the person that he was, not a number! This would mean alot to her, and also to his children!

Thank you,

Stephanie Maner