

## DARE TO DREAM



Everyone meet Howard and Orville. These are two of our four veterans that live in Parker Place! Howard served in the Navy along with Orville, for most of their young adult lives. A few days before Memorial Day, Howard had told me how he wanted to go to the Sullivan Brother's museum in Waterloo and how it would be great to bring the other veterans! I asked the other two, but they weren't feeling up to going out and about, which is okay, we keep them pretty busy! So I went and asked Orville, and he said "YES"! He was so excited! So I also got a few other's to come along that had husbands that served in the US Armed Forces. First we all went to Godfather's Pizza, one because Howard's son used to manage it, and two Orville LOVES pizza!

When we got the museum, Orville got his wheelchair and Howard got a hold of him and away they went! I followed them most of the time and they would explain the different planes, wars, and clothing. It was truly fascinating the different parts of the world and the scary times they lived through. Once we sat down and started to reminisce about our day, Orville and Howard both looked at me, with smiles ear to ear and said this was one of the best days they ever had! It's the little things that can change their lives and I know they won't ever forget this. I even got them little dog tags to remember our fun day!

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