# Soldier Dogs for Independence

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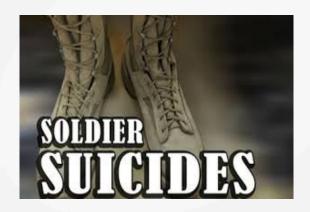
## WE HAVE YOUR SIX!!

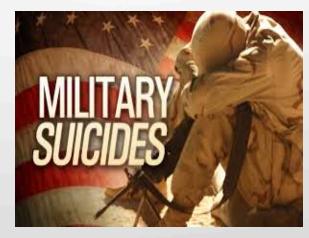


#### 22 Veterans Everyday & 1 Active Duty









## PROBLEM!!





## **SOLUTION!!!**

Rescue Dogs!!





#### Mission Statement Soldier Dogs for Independence gives

struggling Veterans a chance to improve the quality of their lives by providing them with a rescued shelter dog. Together they bond, train, and help each other become a service dog team and an active part of the community again. Soldier Dogs provides both the Veteran and the service dog a second chance at the life they both deserve

#### **HOW We HELP**

Each veteran and their dog will join our 24 week training program. With the help of local dog behavioral trainer and evaluator with a combined 30 years of experience, and volunteers, the veteran will train their Soldier Dog. After completing the 24 week program, they are eligible to take the AKC Canine Good Citizen Test, and the Public Access Test required by Assistance Dogs International.

Giving a veteran freedom = Priceless

#### Personal Testimonials

### Question & Answers

# THANKYOU!!