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Dear Dave:

On behalf of the Superintendent, and the entire United States Naval Academy community, I want to thank you for your visit earlier this month. The response from the Midshipmen has been overwhelmingly positive and enthusiastic.

As you undoubtedly experienced, this is a remarkable group of young men and women, and it is a privilege to be able to be a part of their education and development as Navy and Marine Corps officers. Your experience as a Sailor, and the story you shared with them about overcoming profound challenges in your life, gave you credibility with the Midshipmen, and provided them with inspiration and encouragement for dealing with adversity in their lives. The challenges they will face in their lives and careers are impossible to predict, and we owe it to them to prepare them as conscientiously and comprehensively as possible. The time you spent with them, in groups both large and small, will leave a lasting impression on many of them.

Thank you again for your service to your country, both in and out of uniform. And thank you for sharing yourself with the Brigade of Midshipmen at the Naval Academy.

May God continue to bless you in your life and ministry.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Peter W. McGeary".

Peter W. McGeary
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