

*War may be hell...
but home ain't exactly heaven, either.*

*When a Soldier comes home from
war, they find it hard...*



...to listen to his son whine about being bored.



*...to keep a straight face when
people complain about potholes.*

...to be tolerant of people who complain about the hassle of getting ready for work.





...to be understanding when a co-worker complains about a bad night's sleep.



...to control his panic when his wife tells him he needs to drive slower.

*...to be grateful that he fights
for the freedom of speech.*



*...to be silent when people pray
to God for a new car.*



*...to be compassionate
when a businessman
expresses a fear of flying.*





...to not laugh when anxious parents say they're afraid to send their kids off to summer camp.

*...to not ridicule someone
who complains about hot weather.*



...to control his rage when a colleague gripes about his coffee being cold.





...to remain calm when his daughter complains about having to walk the dog.

*...to be civil to people
who complain about
their jobs.*





*...to just walk away when
someone says they only get
two weeks of vacation a year.*



*...to be happy for a
friend's new hot tub*



...to be forgiving when someone says how hard it is to have a new baby in the house.



*...to not punch a wall
when someone says
we should pull out
immediately.*



*The only thing harder than
being a Soldier...*

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"A Proud Army Wife"



is loving one.

*A gentle reminder to
keep your life in perspective.*

*And when you meet one of our
returning Soldiers,
please remember what they have been
through and show them*

compassion and tolerance.

Thank you.

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