



Because of the VFW's Free Call Days on Christmas and New Year's, I got to hear my wife's voice, talk to my kids, my parents and even my grandparents!

Thanks for telling me about the Free Call Days!



Sure! I use them every month! The next Free Call Day is on Jan. 22nd!

VFW Operation Uplink & Free Call Days

- Operation Uplink was originally created in 1996 and has distributed over 11 million free phone cards to active duty military and hospitalized veterans
- In 2006, Operation Uplink broadened its focus to expand with technology and become a communication tool for even more of America's defenders by providing 24-hour Free Call Days through MWR (SPAWAR) internet cafés in Iraq, Afghanistan and Kuwait
- In 2009, Operation Uplink expanded to providing two Free Call Days each month and now includes calls from military DSN lines so that active-duty troops stationed world-wide can participate and stay connected with loved ones
- To date, Operation Uplink's Free Call Days have connected over 6.3 million calls
- Operation Uplink also provides virtual PINs in lieu of phone cards. Virtual PINs work from DSN lines and provide 100 minutes of talk time. Virtual PINs can be requested through Operation Uplink at uplink@vfw.org
- Watch for the next month's Supporting Our Troops email for more VFW troop and veteran support program information!