Memorial Day in the USA

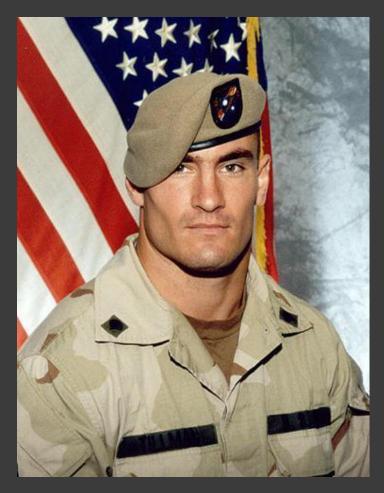


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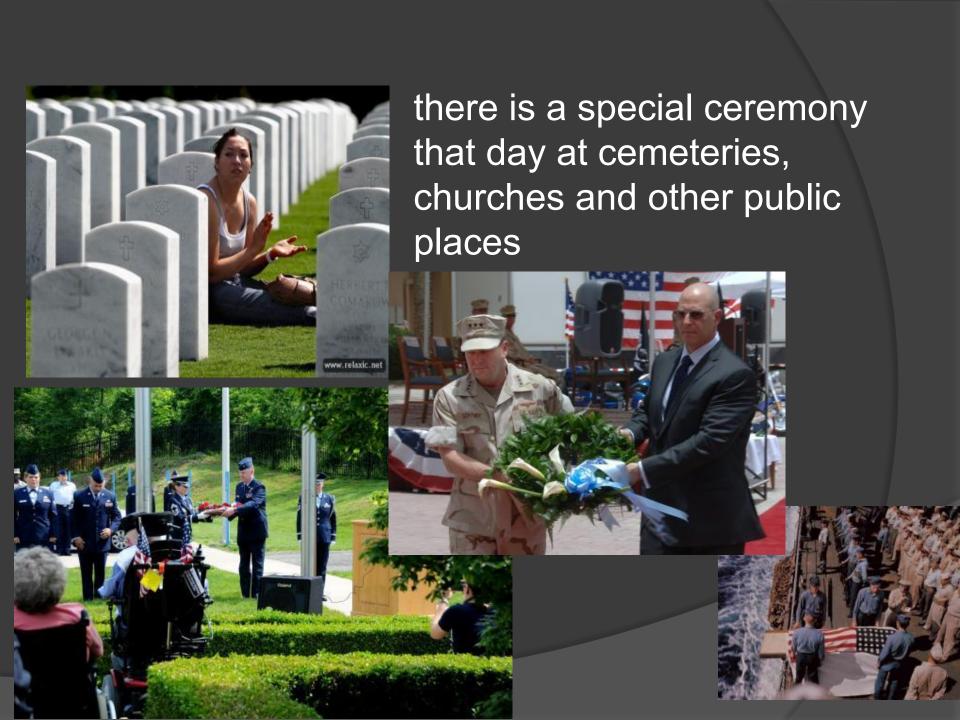


This festival is celebrated every year on the last Monday in May Memorial Day is a national holiday of the United States.



holiday dedicated to American soldiers who died in wars







General John Logan on May 5 eighteen hundred and sixtieth year officially proclaimed Memorial Day...





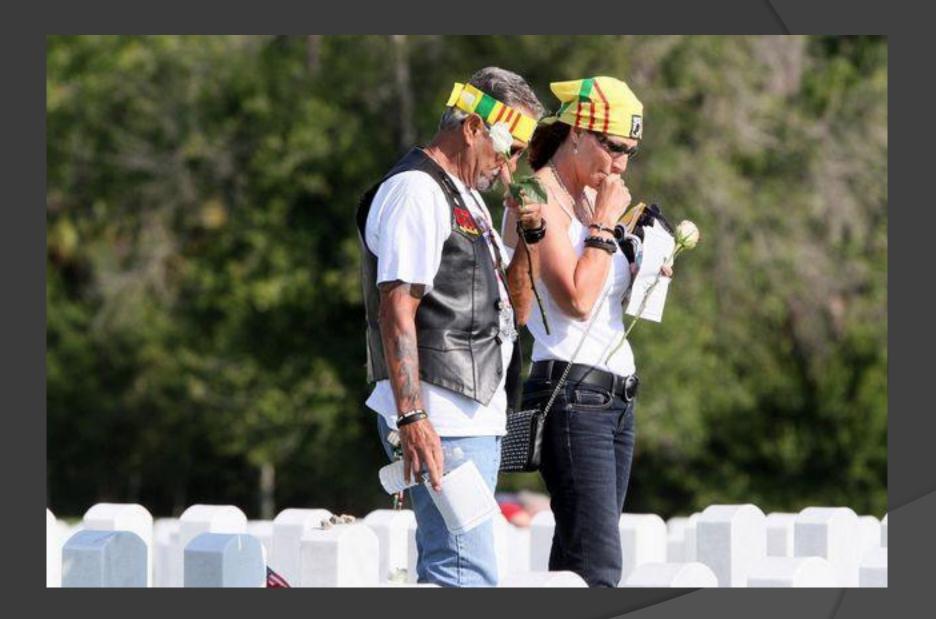


Parade takes place after the official ceremony



















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The gravestones at Arlington National Cemetery are graced by U.S. flags on Memorial Day.

Observed by	United States
Туре	Federal (and most U.S. states)
Significance	Honors men and women who have died in military service
Date	Last Monday in May
2009 date	May 25, 2009
2010 date	May 31, 2010
Observances	visiting cemeteries