Margie Alfonso - RESUME

I have always stood for transparency, righteousness, and excellence on the local, national, and international level. My involvement in God, Family and Country Issues began in 1978.

- * President of Tulsa Eagle Forum, for four years.
- * Served on President Reagans Economic Recovery Tour, with Senator Strom Thurmond, and Senator Don Nickles.
- * Served on President Reagan's Central American Task Force raising awareness of the Marxist movement in North America as well as Central and South America. I was thanked by Pres. Reagan and Vice Pres. Bush for the commercial I wrote in support of funding the Freedom Fighters in Nicaragua and appearing as a guest on Contact America Radio to explain the crisis in Central America and introducing the commercial.
- * Received two certificates of appreciation from General Daniel Graham for work and dedication done at High Frontier, President Reagan's Strategic Defense Initiative.
- * Coordinate the National Conference on HIV/AIDS for the Reagan White House which resulted in achieving my goal of HIV testing, which is still used today worldwide.
- * Served on two former Tulsa AIDS Commissions under Mayor Crawford and Mayor Randell.
- *Brought Col. Donald Burke M.D. from Walter Reed Army Hospital to the OK House and Senate to gain support for HIV/AIDS testing.

I am no stranger to protecting and educating our children.

- * For years I have been involved in the literacy movement nationwide.
- * My music The Anthem of Literacy, "Reading" has been performed at numerous literacy events, The Center For The Book at the Library of Congress, Reagan Library, Bell Telephone Pioneers video to promote their book bank, Barnes and Nobel Manhattan Children's Bookstore, and was played for two years on the children's channels of three domestic airlines and three foreign airlines.
- * I was recommended in 1987 and 1989 to White House, Presidential Personel for a position on Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention by Congressmen, Henry Hyde, William Donnermeyer, Dan Burton, Bob Dornin, and Senators Don Nicols, Strom Thurmond, and Jesse Helms.
- * I was a delegate to the Republican National Convention 1984, 1988 and 2020.
- * I am an ASCAP songwriter and publisher and have written Christian and Patriotic Songs. As the Constitution is the God given Foundation of our nation, I composed a song, I Stand By My Country in 1987, which was accepted by the Bicentennial Commission of the United States Constitution. In 2012 it was made ito a video using the U.S. Army Combat Files from Afghanistan 2010 and 2011 to honor those who served in that 20 year war.

* In 1991 it became part of an album titled a Letter from Home, which was the foundation of my music and poetry ministry to numerous military bases. The video is currently traveling with the Vietnam Wall, Through the Eyes Vietnam Museum.

From:

J. McGuire - Tulsa All Veterans Association:

Margie Alfonso attended our All-Veterans Association Meeting. We played Margie's music video during the opening 'I Stand by My Country.

Margie Alfonso has had a music and poetry ministry to the armed forces since Desert Storm. Additionally, her music has aired on Armed Forces Radio Network, and <u>soldiersradio.com</u>. Performed at Churches, Driller Stadium, Orlando Convention Center, The Bob Hope Hollywood U.S.O., Blue Star Mothers Event, The Reagan Library, The Library of Congress, and other patriotic events.

Received: The George Washington Honor Medal from the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge, for the song, and The Green Beret Foundation, Special Forces Unit Award for the music video. Originally written for and accepted by the Bicentennial Commission of the United States Constitution. - Jim McGuire

There is a 5th verse not in the video:

Let us all now come together

And make the pledge we need

Our country bound in Godly unity

To strive and work for higher goals

With blessings from above

To conquer strife and hatred with our love.

Blessings - Margie Alfonso I Stand By My Country, https://youtu.be/UFa0PzZJrAg .

A Letter From Home on YouTube Vocal: Meg Alfonso Lyrics MargieAlfonso 5th verse not in the video: Let us all now come together And make the pledge we need Our country bound in Godly unity To strive and work for higher goals With blessings from above To conquer strife and hatred with our love. Blessings - Margie Alfonso I Stand By My Country, https://youtu.be/UFa0PzZJrAg

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