**The Soldier’s Creed**

I am an American Soldier.
I am a Warrior and a member of a team.
I service the people of the United States
and live the Army Values.

I will always place the mission first.
I will never accept defeat.
I will never quite.
I will never leave a fallen comrade.

I am disciplined, physically and
mentally tough, trained and proficient
in my warrior tasks and drills.
I always maintain my arms,
my equipment and myself.
I am an expert and I am a professional.
I stand ready to deploy, engage and destroy
the enemies of the United States
of America in close combat.
I am a guardian of freedom and
The American way of life.
I am an American Soldier.