



**ROLLING THUNDER®, INC. XXX  
FLAME OF FREEDOM  
RIDE TO INDIAN MEMORIAL  
ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY  
In honor of our Native American veterans**

**“RIDE FOR FREEDOM” pays homage to the Nation’s Veterans,  
particularly those still Prisoners of War/Missing In Action from all Wars**

**Saturday, May 27, 2017**

**9:00 am** Leave Hyatt Regency Crystal City

**10:00 am** Meet at the guard station (right side of the road)

We will leave the guard station and ride to the Indian Memorial where a Flame Ceremony will be conducted followed by a visit to the grave of Ira Hayes. A second Flame Ceremony will be conducted there.

Corporal Hayes was a Pima Indian who enlisted in the USMC early in WWII. He was made famous by taking part in the flag raising on Iwo Jima on 2/23/45 after being part of the initial invasion of the island on 2/19/45. The raising was photographed by Joe Rosenthal and has become one of the most famous images of WWII.

**Anyone wishing to participate in these ceremonies should meet  
at 8:45 am in the lobby of the Hyatt Regency Crystal City  
at the Flame of Freedom table.**

**Watch the information board in the lobby for any changes.**

**Everyone is welcome!**