

## **Memorial Day**

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Independence is being used,  
commercially and emotionally  
to make collars  
the very thing none died for in any war.

Maybe the Old West was.

But not Iwo, Tarawa, Guam, Truk, Manila, Omaha Beach.

And that enemy didn't sacrifice their life for money either.

The dead, the poorest paid, too young.

But how to remember them?

I don't know

But in faith, I honor them this day and always,  
hopefully not alone.