



**Make the Holidays
Bright for our
Homeless Veterans!**

**Give a Gift to a
Veteran this Holiday!**

The Midwest Shelter for Homeless Veterans is in need of gift cards for our veteran residents this 2017 holiday season. Our veterans have limited resources and giving gift cards allows them the experience of shopping for themselves, something we all take for granted. How it works:

- We are asking for gift cards valued at \$25
- The most useful gift cards are for these places:
 - Grocery stores
 - Gas stations
 - Big box stores
 - Department stores

MSHV is a non-profit agency based in Wheaton that provides veterans and their families with housing and supportive services that lead to self sufficiency. Over 400 veterans and their families are assisted each year by MSHV with housing, case management, employment services, and help with basic needs.

MSHV will be collecting holiday gift cards through December 22nd. Gift cards can be mailed or dropped off to our administrative office at:

MSHV
433 S. Carlton Ave.
Wheaton, IL 60187

If you have any questions, please contact Lynne Rowe at lynne@mshv.org or 630-871-8387 ext. 613





Wish List

Due to the generosity of so many, we are not accepting clothing donations at this time.

Thank you!

Current Needs

(* = We Are or Almost Out Of)

Food (We Cannot Accept Out of Date Food)

- Protein (e.g. Canned Chicken, Beef, Beef Stew, Peanut Butter)
- Instant Meals (e.g. Hamburger Helper, Tuna Helper, Pasta Meals)

General

Miscellaneous

- Wheaton Lawn Stickers
- ***50 Gallon Garbage Bags**

Linens (*New Please*)

- ***Sheet Sets (Queen)**
- ***Pillows**

Office Supplies

- Postage stamps
- Avery Labels #5160 (Address)

Gift Cards (*For the Holidays*)

- PACE bus passes
- ***Gas Cards**
- ***Target**
- ***Walmart**
- ***Grocery Stores**

When dropping off your donated items, please consider a financial donation designated for the Freedom Commissary to help cover operational costs, allowing us to continue providing household & personal items free of charge to Veterans and their families.
Thank you!