



SUSAN MARTIN

- WALMART PEOPLE OPERATIONS LEAD
- STORE #1834 – GRANTS PASS, OREGON
- SERVED IN THE NAVY FOR SEVEN YEARS, INCLUDING THE FIRST DESERT STORM
- BEEN WITH WALMART 10 YEARS

TIME CODE (INTERVIEW STYLE) 00:01-00:39

I think the most important thing that veterans can do to support each other is just be there to listen and be there to understand. There are going to be some that don't handle coming back from war very well, and there's some that are going to be the rocks. And you need to attach yourself – just like at Walmart you attach yourself with strong leadership — as a veteran, you need to come back and attach yourself to strong veterans that have been through it and have lived through it and have come through it. And you're going to find some of those people at Walmart. We are here, we are here for you, we are here to help you and we are here to get you through the most trying time that you're going to have coming back to American soil.

TIME CODE (INTERVIEW STYLE) 00:40-01:06

Don't lose faith, and stand strong. There's something out there for everybody, and if you want a job at Walmart, come get a job at Walmart! Cause we will take care of you, and you'll get all this credit for working for our country. We will be there for you, we will support you, we will give you education for free. That's paid for 100% for store employees – we pay for college. And we will take care of you and get you where you want to go.

TIME CODE (INTERVIEW STYLE) 01:07-01:30

I believe that Walmart is a great resource for veterans for many reasons. Not just so that you have a paycheck, but it's for your future. There's a lot of people that have come from the military, and came to Walmart, and now are CEOs and are up at Home Office making some really important calls for our company. Walmart evolves with the times always, and we're always on the forefront.