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Dear fellow *Patriot* and supporter of America's law enforcement,

On Thursday July 23rd, 2009 at approximately 9:15pm, Border Patrol Agent Robert "Junior" Rosas was tracking a group of suspected smugglers along the US / Mexican border near Campo, California, when he was shot and killed during an ambush. Agent Rosas had radioed for backup from other nearby agents and when his partners arrived on scene they found him suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. Agent Rosas was 30 years old when he was murdered and left behind his loving wife, his 2-year-old son and 11-month-old daughter, serving his country and protecting our families.

Today, as you read this, his killer remains at large and his family and friends are left with a huge void in their lives.

"Sacrifice" is a word that means different things to different people. For Agent Rosas, "sacrifice" meant nights away from his family. "Sacrifice" meant staying alert when most of us were asleep. In the cold, on the border, preserving our freedom and protecting America from terrorists, drug smugglers and those that wish us harm. "Sacrifice" ultimately meant dying alone, in a uniform that stands for all of us. For the Rosas family, the word "sacrifice" has become a meaning all of its own. A devoted wife without her husband and two small children who will grow to know their father only as a memory and the honor his life carried and the justice he passionately pursued. Class 19 of the Palomar Police Academy is taking up the cause again and dedicating their year of service in the honor and memory of Agent Robert Rosas and is asking for your gracious support in assisting his wife and children and their fight to bring Robert's killer to justice.

On **Saturday May 15th, 2010**, Class 19 of the Palomar Police Academy, along with the Hallowed Few Motorcycle Club, will be hosting the **7th Annual Officer Down Memorial Motorcycle Rally** at the Palomar Police Academy, located at 182 Santar Place in San Marcos. To date this annual event has raised more than \$125,000.00 for the children of California law enforcement officers killed in the line of duty. While none of us can bring these fathers and heroes back to their families, together we can be a positive force in the lives of their young children and show the world that we will not stand idly by as those who are sworn to protect our society and our nation are cut down in the prime of their lives.

At our 7th Annual Officer Down Memorial Motorcycle Rally, we will be holding a raffle of donated items to help raise funds for the trust established for Agent Rosas' children and would sincerely appreciate any help you could offer our effort by donating any goods or services you feel would be appropriate. No contribution is too small and we graciously accept any help you could offer in support. 100% of all proceeds go to Agent Rosas' children. Contributions of any type can be mailed to the following address:

Palomar Police Academy – Attn: Officer Damian Jackson
182 Santar Place San Marcos, CA 92069 - **Tax ID # 95-6094128**

I can't thank you enough in advance for your time and consideration of our event. Your donation will help make the difference in the lives of children.

With humble respect,

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