Gold Star Families: 50 Years Later

The CCSU Veterans History Project teamed with nonfiction writing students at Central Connecticut State University to gather stories from Gold Star families that lost a son, brother, or husband in Vietnam. Many have never shared their stories in public before.

Now, 50 years later, Connecticut citizens have a chance to see and feel the power of the Gold Star families' stories, which the CCSU student converted into a six-panel traveling exhibit that opens on July 11-12 at the CT Air National Guard base at 100 Nicholson Road, E. Granby, CT 06026. The exhibit will travel the state after the Vietnam 50th event in July. For questions, contact Professor Mary Collins at collinsmae@ccsu.edu.

Traveling exhibit schedule listed on the reverse side.
Most ask about the soldiers that died, but “Gold Star Families: 50 Years Later,” honors the families left behind.

**Traveling Exhibit Schedule:**

- **Windsor Public Library**
  July 13 to August 31

- **Connecticut’s Old State House**
  Hartford, September 2 to October 21

- **Silas Bronson Library**
  Waterbury, October 23 to December 11

- **Wolcott Public Library**
  December 14 to February 1

- **Terryville Public Library**
  February 3 to March 23

- **CCSU Elihu Burritt Library**
  New Britain, March 25 to May 13