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We are excited about your shoot! Let us tell you about what to expect and some ideas about what to bring.

We will start with photographing the service member in their full dress uniform – this is an important picture so please be sure you bring the FULL DRESS UNIFORM that has all the ribbons, pins, ropes, etc. as well as the correct shirt, hat and shoes. We know that the military has certain standards when it comes to published photographs of service members so we ask that you take extra time to make sure you have everything they need.

The next photograph will be of the service member called “COMBAT READY” - in their dress down uniform (camies, etc.). We suggest that you bring everything that is military issued. (we can use anything and we like to get creative and have options.)

Next we will take a family photo. The service member will change into civilian clothes and of course if you have children, they will be in these. This is also where we like to be creative – for instance, if you are Cowboys fans and you have jerseys, bring them. Don't worry, if you can't think of anything, just bring outfits that embody your personalities (it can be a dress, jeans, it's totally up to you).

The last shot is for military wives. It is called the “angelic wife shot” - this is something he will show his friends when they ask what his wife looks like. It may be only of your face or it may be full body. I suggest bringing several options and we will pick something out on the day of the shoot. (Don't forget heels!)

This is a template of what shots we will be doing. There will be others, especially if you have children. On the day of the shoot, we will add in all kinds of things to make sure you have some amazing photographs!

Here is a recap of what to bring:

PACKING LIST:

- ◆ FULL DRESS UNIFORM (including ribbons, hat, shoes, belt, shirt, etc.)
- ◆ Dress down uniform with all components (helmet, body armor, boots, etc.)
- ◆ Casual civilian clothes for both of you and your children (jeans, dress, heels)
- ◆ Any special clothing (matching sports jerseys, suit/ball gown, anything you think would work to be creative).
- ◆ Meaningful items (letters, jewelry, teddy bear, etc.)

Please feel free to contact us with ANY questions! Have a great time at your session!

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