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Dr. Hector P. Garcia Founder American GI Forum of the U.S/ Corpus Christi, Texas

It is wonderful to hear that you and your family have planned on a trip to Italy. I know that your wife's family will be delighted to see you. This is something with the help of God will forever live in your memory. You have rightfully deserved such a trip and much more, for only too many of us know the hours of sincere dedication, browbeating, y toda la alma, that you have given to our people, so that we might enjoy all the liberites given us. Your dream of a more proud people has long last seen a light, and it is almost difficult to express the joy that is felt to be witnessing the change in our people. You, Dr. Garcia did plow the path, we must constantly continue to make it fruitful. Since a young girl I have watched your untiring efforts, witnessed defeats in a sense, but with your corageous style came out victorious. Perhaps I have never found the proper time to actually express to you the inspiration and guiding light which you have been in life, and I thank you.

Have a good time we'll hold the fort.

Con todo carino,

Fran Flores

National Auxiliary Chairman American GI Forum of the U.S.