

Veterans say

The weird thing with being a veteran, at least for me, is that you do feel better than most people.

You risked your life for something bigger than yourself. How many people can say that? You chose to serve.

Maybe you didn't understand American foreign policy or why we were at war. Maybe you never will. But it doesn't matter. You held up your hand and said, "I'm willing to die for these worthless civilians."

Phil Klay, "Psychological Operations"