

## NO VETERAN LEFT BEHIND

**NICK PAZ** serves as the International Human Rights Advocate at Repatriate Our Patriots (ROP). Nick is a passionate advocate for Veterans' rights with a strong Military background.

Nick served on Active Duty from 2007 to 2013 in the United States Army, assigned to the 101<sup>st</sup> Airborne Division, 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion-327 Infantry. He deployed as an Infantryman to Iraq in 2007-09 during the surge in the Sunni Triangle, and to the Kunar River Valley, Afghanistan as a Platoon Lead Scout Sniper in 2010-11.

Nick has over five years of experience assisting Deported Veterans in Mexico and Central America with a deep understanding of the unique challenges faced by Latin



American Veterans who have been deported from the United States. Nick works in collaboration with but not limited to; <u>The Department of Veterans Affairs</u> General Counsel, The Director for Immigrant Military Members Initiative (<u>IMMVI</u>) at the Department of Homeland Security, <u>Immigrant Defenders</u>, <u>Public Counsel</u>, <u>ACLU</u> and, many other non-profit organizations who share the mission of bringing every deported Veteran home and stop future deportation.

Nick's work to ensure that deported Veterans receive the support and resources needed to lawfully return to the United States and successfully reintegrate back into society have been instrumental to the successful repatriation of over twenty deported Veterans since 2019 and has increased awareness of the challenges faced by veterans after deportation.

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