



A WELCOME HOMECOMING

Smith's Heating and Air Conditioning ensures the comfort of a hero and his family.

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After earning numerous medals for keeping his nation safe during his service in the military, Staff Sgt. Robert Wright was awarded with a warm thank you from one South Carolina based Lennox dealer.

Wright had served more than 13 years in the Air Force, including multiple tours in Iraq and Afghanistan, before he was diagnosed with multiple brain cysts in 2012. The diagnosis required him to undergo a series of multiple brain surgeries, sending his wife Bethany and their four children through a whirlwind of uncertainty, and springing his community into action to help this American patriot by providing him with a mortgage-free home.

More than 50 national and local companies came together, including Smith's Heating and Air Conditioning, to provide Wright and his family with a completely free custom home through Operation Finally Home, a nonprofit organization that offers homes for wounded or disabled soldiers. The homebuilder, Pulte Homes, chose Smith's Heating and Air Conditioning to provide the HVAC work. Pulte Homes also serves our veterans through its nation-wide Built to Honor program. It only took two months for this dedicated team to complete construction of the 2,710-square-foot home, but the level of service and precision installation the team at Smith's Heating and Air provided will continue to be a source of comfort for the Wright's North Charleston hometown for years to come.

Headed by owner Ed Young, the folks at Smith's Heating and Air Conditioning donated the materials, ductwork, and the units to keep the Wright family as comfortable as possible through both the hard and happy times. Young went with a 15 SEER system from Lennox due to the brand and system's ability to save the family as much money as possible on their utility bills, while providing them with the latest in home comfort that will operate efficiently and effectively all year long.

Although the Wrights are far from being in the clear for their medical concerns, the family can return to their new home with their heads held high and their hearts (and bodies) warmed by a service of gratitude and expertise.



Smith's Heating and Air Conditioning partnered with Pulte Homes to help give Staff Sgt. Wright and his family a mortgage-free home. The 15 SEER Lennox system they chose to install will ensure that this family of six will be comfortable for years to come.