

# Acknowledging The Security Officer!

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*“Who Are The Forgotten Soldiers?” Security Management, February 1993:*

- **Security Industry Is Unrecognized**
- **Public Safety Role Not Seen by the Public**
- **Few States License/Train/Regulate**
- **Few Networking Options for Security Officers**



# Key Drivers of Forgetfulness/Bias:

**Security As A Second Career**

***“Proactive”?* Huh?**

**Negative/Absent Media Portrayal**



# The Great Resignation!

**Employees Want Respect.**

**Wages Must Cover Child Care Costs.**

**Employees Want Career Opportunities.**

**Employees Want Decent Working Conditions/Environment.**



**Recruitment & Retention Crisis.**

The Key to Surviving The Great Resignation



# Action Tips:

Disseminate IFPO Study – To Leaders in Business & Gub'ment

Learn our History! *Security & Police History Facebook Group*

*Security History Linkedin Group*

Critically Review Job Titles, Uniforms & Work Environment

Reach Out To Schools/Review Websites



Another Idea:

**Legislative Action!**

**Are Crimes  
Against  
Security  
Officers  
Penalized  
Enough?**



# Enough Out of Me: Your Thoughts?

