

## HR 2481

Gold Star Family Tax Relief Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** May 2, 2019

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (May 2, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/2481>

### Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Luria, Elaine G. [D-VA-2]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** VA • **Chamber:** House

**Cosponsors** (172 total)

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Rep. Slotkin, Elissa [D-MI-8]	D · MI		May 9, 2019
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Rep. Cox, TJ [D-CA-21]	D · CA		May 14, 2019
Rep. Craig, Angie [D-MN-2]	D · MN		May 14, 2019
Rep. Crenshaw, Dan [R-TX-2]	R · TX		May 14, 2019
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		May 14, 2019
Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-18]	D · PA		May 14, 2019
Rep. Golden, Jared F. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		May 14, 2019
Rep. Horn, Kendra S. [D-OK-5]	D · OK		May 14, 2019
Rep. Kelly, Trent [R-MS-1]	R · MS		May 14, 2019
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		May 14, 2019
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Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		May 14, 2019
Rep. Mucarsel-Powell, Debbie [D-FL-26]	D · FL		May 14, 2019
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		May 14, 2019
Rep. Pappas, Chris [D-NH-1]	D · NH		May 14, 2019
Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		May 14, 2019
Rep. Steube, W. Gregory [R-FL-17]	R · FL		May 14, 2019
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Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]	D · WA		May 16, 2019
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		May 16, 2019
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		May 16, 2019
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		May 16, 2019
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		May 16, 2019
Rep. Armstrong, Kelly [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		May 20, 2019
Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]	D · CA		May 20, 2019
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		May 20, 2019
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		May 20, 2019
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		May 20, 2019
Rep. Bustos, Cheri [D-IL-17]	D · IL		May 20, 2019
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		May 20, 2019
Rep. Cunningham, Joe [D-SC-1]	D · SC		May 20, 2019
Rep. DelBene, Suzan K. [D-WA-1]	D · WA		May 20, 2019
Rep. Estes, Ron [R-KS-4]	R · KS		May 20, 2019
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		May 20, 2019
Rep. Haaland, Debra A. [D-NM-1]	D · NM		May 20, 2019
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		May 20, 2019
Rep. LaMalfa, Doug [R-CA-1]	R · CA		May 20, 2019
Rep. Loebsack, David [D-IA-2]	D · IA		May 20, 2019
Rep. Malinowski, Tom [D-NJ-7]	D · NJ		May 20, 2019
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		May 20, 2019

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Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		May 20, 2019
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		May 20, 2019
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		May 20, 2019
Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-15]	D · NY		May 20, 2019
Rep. Spanberger, Abigail Davis [D-VA-7]	D · VA		May 20, 2019
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		May 20, 2019
Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		May 21, 2019
Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		May 21, 2019
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		May 21, 2019
Rep. Kim, Andy [D-NJ-3]	D · NJ		May 21, 2019
Rep. Larson, John B. [D-CT-1]	D · CT		May 21, 2019
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		May 21, 2019
Rep. Porter, Katie [D-CA-45]	D · CA		May 21, 2019
Rep. Reed, Tom [R-NY-23]	R · NY		May 21, 2019
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		May 21, 2019
Rep. Schrier, Kim [D-WA-8]	D · WA		May 21, 2019
Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11]	D · MI		May 21, 2019
Rep. Underwood, Lauren [D-IL-14]	D · IL		May 21, 2019
Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		May 22, 2019
Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-10]	D · CA		May 22, 2019
Rep. Hartzler, Vicky [R-MO-4]	R · MO		May 22, 2019
Rep. Horsford, Steven [D-NV-4]	D · NV		May 22, 2019
Rep. King, Peter T. [R-NY-2]	R · NY		May 22, 2019
Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	D · NV		May 22, 2019
Rep. Lujan, Ben Ray [D-NM-3]	D · NM		May 22, 2019
Rep. McBath, Lucy [D-GA-6]	D · GA		May 22, 2019
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		May 22, 2019
Rep. Torres Small, Xochitl [D-NM-2]	D · NM		May 22, 2019
Rep. Finkenauer, Abby [D-IA-1]	D · IA		Jun 5, 2019
Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		Jun 5, 2019
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Jun 5, 2019
Rep. Miller, Carol D. [R-WV-3]	R · WV		Jun 5, 2019
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Jun 5, 2019
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Jun 5, 2019
Rep. Hudson, Richard [R-NC-8]	R · NC		Jul 9, 2019
Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Jul 9, 2019
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Jul 9, 2019
Rep. Ruppertsberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Jul 9, 2019
Rep. Griffith, H. Morgan [R-VA-9]	R · VA		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Keller, Fred [R-PA-12]	R · PA		Jul 18, 2019

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Rep. Upton, Fred [R-MI-6]	R · MI		Jul 18, 2019
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Oct 22, 2019
Rep. Roy, Chip [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Dec 6, 2019
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-40]	D · CA		Dec 6, 2019
Rep. Kirkpatrick, Ann [D-AZ-2]	D · AZ		Feb 13, 2020

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 2, 2019

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 1370	Identical bill	<b>May 21, 2019:</b> Ordered held at desk by unanimous consent.
116 HR 2716	Related bill	<b>May 14, 2019:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

## Summary (as of May 2, 2019)

### Gold Star Family Tax Relief Act

This bill treats certain military survivor benefits that are received by children as earned income of the child for the purposes of the kiddie tax (the tax on the unearned income of children). This has the effect of exempting the benefits from such tax.

## Actions Timeline

- **May 2, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **May 2, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

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