

COMMANDER'S CORNER

It is May and the month of remembrance. This is also the last month of the 24-25 membership year. Thank you for all those who have paid their dues for the upcoming year.

This month's meeting will be the final round of nominations and election for the upcoming year beginning in June. I encourage all members to come out and cast their vote.

Over the past year we have been growing our maintenance fund and we completed all the much needed electrical work at the post. We will continue growing the fund to cover other projects and any maintenance issues that may arise. I want to pass my personal thank you to all who helped this fund grow.

Hope to see you around the canteen.

FOR GOD AND COUNTRY-

DAVE OGBURN - COMMANDER

WORDS FROM THE HEART

Hello to all for May! As we enter into the fifth month of our modern calendar year we see that there are two very important holidays observed: Mothers Day and Memorial Day.

First we have Mothers Day, a day dedicated to Honor our Mothers! If your Mother is still with you, why not give her a visit if nearby, or at least a phone call if a distance away. These modern times you could even send a "selfie" and a text!

If your Mother has passed on to her Heavenly Reward, pause a moment, cast your eyes toward Heaven and offer up a Prayer of Thanks and Reflection! AMEN

The second day is Memorial Day, which got its beginning in 1868 as a day to remember the War Dead. Sometimes called Decoration Day in the past, Congress passed and the Bill was signed naming the day "Memorial Day". As the years passed more Wars have been fought and the list of those who sacrificed all continues to grow. AMEN

FOR GOD & COUNTRY ...

Wayne Martin, Chaplain

Prayer: "'Almighty GOD, we come to thee in Prayer with thanks for our Mothers and the Memories of our Mothers. Also we Pray for all those Souls who fought and died for us, so we can breathe the air of FREEDOM!" AMEN

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ROLL CALL = 2025

Legion = 201/216 = 93%

Auxiliary = 116/126 = 92%

S.A.L. = 104/112 = 93%

Riders = 21 members

SICK LIST

Barry Hamm

Anna Littrell

Betty Sanders

Michael Landrum

Jimmy Franks

Connie Waddell

HONOR GUARD ACTIVITIES

20 Mar - 17 Apr

**20 Mar - Grandville "Grant" Kelly
Hensley**

-Loretto Memorial Gardens

3 Apr - Jonathan Daniel Chandler

-Greenhill Funeral Home

17 Apr - Marshall Edward "Ed" Hines

-Emmaline Stutts Cem

DEATHS

Betty Berry - mother of Mike Berry

Jerry Hunt - father of Lisa Hunt

(Our Condolences to these Families)

Bible verses (Two this month, for each holiday)
Exodus 20; 12: "Honor thy Father and thy Mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the LORD thy GOD giveth thee."
Matthew 5; 9: "Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of GOD."

CANTEEN CHATTER

Hello to All from your Canteen,

Wow, hard to believe May is done here. Check out our events we have coming up. There is always something to do. Come just sit and have a drink and socialize with friends and enjoy there is always something for you to do. We will have Bama Border playing on the patio on Friday, May 23rd from 7:30 until 11:30. Remember to pray for all our Veterans and active military especially at this time of year.

"See You There"

FOR GOD & COUNTRY.....Patsy, Peanut, & Nicki

AUXILIARY NEWS

Hello Everyone!

Thank you to everyone for all their help with our many events. Don't forget our nominations and elections are this month, please attend the meeting if you are able. We have a Taco Salad supper this month, come on out and enjoy!! The Poppy Drive is also this month, if you are able to volunteer your time on one or both of these days, it would be greatly appreciated!! Come support your legion family and lend a hand if you are able. Please continue to pray for all our veterans and active duty military.

FOR GOD & COUNTRY.....Nicki Hartsfield, President

S.A.L. NEWS

Welcome to Spring Everyone! Our next meeting will be Thursday, May 1st at 7pm. This meeting will be second round nominations and elections for 2026 Squadron officers. Please plan on attending, you must be present to accept a nomination. There are still a few members that HAVE NOT paid your 2025 dues and are considered EXPIRED, so let's get them in.

FOR GOD & COUNTRY..Rick Frank.....S.A.L. Commander

LEGION RIDERS NEWS

Greetings from the Riders! Welcome to what I hope will be a Beautiful month. To everyone who is lucky enough to still have a Mother, don't forget the 11th. The 26th is Memorial Day and our Riders will be joining the Riders from Adamsville for a Ceremony. I'd like to thank those who came to our Swapmeet, including the members who donated items for us to sell. We had fun as always. As always anyone with interest in the Riders is welcome to come to our meeting @ 2pm Sunday the 4th.

FOR GOD & COUNTRY.....Eric Osborn....Director

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL
OUR MAY BIRTHDAYS!!!**