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Care — Volunteer

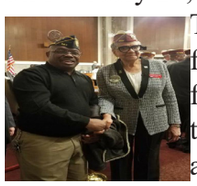
Sickness and Distress

Regretfully we render our last salute to fallen Comrades Charles E. Bottoms, Peter Halasa, Samuel B. Barnett, Paul P. FisherPaul J. Glaser, Sabrina P. Lemon, Sedric W. Melidosian, Michael J. Poppa, George J. Rawlings and Joseph P. Saunders. All were resourceful dedicated warriors who served family, friends, and country well. We send get well wishes to those who are, or have been, under the weather including Comrades Odessa Thrower, Michael Donnelly, Charles B. Clarke, Larry E. Solomon, Amunia J. Williams, David L. Holman and Edward Nicholson. Get well wishes to 2-year Trustee Larry Kirkland's father hospitalized in NJ. Anyone having knowledge of the sickness, distress or death of any of our members is requested to notify Chaplain Anthony A. Schultz at (267) 816-8583

New Member Welcome

A hearty welcome to nine (9) new members of DAV and Naomi Chapter 15. Joining our ranks since the last issue of the Newsletter were Comrades Charles G. Bauer, Daniel M. MacMurry, Elvis M. Malone, Leonard J. Parks, Maxine Parrish, Nelson Parrish, William J. Smith, Harold D. Toomer and Kevin H. Washington -- Welcome - **Come out and get involved.**

D.C. Bus Trip Huge Success



On February 27, 2018 Naomi Chapter 15 sponsored a bus trip to our nation's capitol. The trip was scheduled to allow our membership, and a number of our friends, to support our National Commander during her testimony before a joint congressional committee on veterans affairs. We are happy to announce that the trip was a success, our mission was accomplished and we look forward to 2019 confident that veterans benefits are safer when all of us insist that our message be heard. If the smile on DAV National Commander Metcalf-Foster's face is any indication of how things are going Naomi's Comrade Arthur Purifory has made a positive impression.

VA Hospital Party On Tap

VA hospital parties are now part of the newly created 'Evening Leisure Food Distribution Program'. Naomi's next contribution to that program will be a party scheduled for March 22, 2018. Member supporters are asked to assemble at 6:30 p.m. in the Pharmacy area near Starbucks --- Thanks in advance for your support.

Veteran Drivers Needed

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