

Veteran's Day Dinner by the Golden Corrals of Corpus Christi, TX



The E.G. Perales Chapter 150 of the Disabled American Veterans and the Golden Corrals #633 and #560 hosted a Dinner for all veterans and their families on November 12, 2007. The line continued from the door to the street at least four or five times throughout the night at both locations.



Veterans of all ages and from all eras attended the event contributing to a successful evening. In attendance were active duty veterans, male and female, and retirees, both able and disabled veterans. The DAV Chapter 150 assisted a few veterans from the Corpus Christi Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. Many watched respectfully as the wheel chair bound veterans were helped to the front of the line.



Pictured left are our Senior-Vice Commander Don Larson and a veteran from the Corpus Christi Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. There were officers and enlisted service members from all branches of the services. The veterans enjoyed their outing and free dinner.

Immediately inside the door was a Table of Remembrance set up for the veterans that could not be here with us that day, along with a POW flag. Everyone passed by the table reverently and no one disturbed the table setting. The Veteran's Band showed up and gave a concert for the people outside waiting to come in.



The people of Corpus Christi generously donated and accepted our "Forget-Me-Not" flowers. These donations stay here in Corpus Christi and assist our local veterans. DAV Chapter 150 assists veterans without transportation that need to go to the VA hospital in San Antonio or the VA clinic here in Corpus Christi.



The DAV gratefully accepts the generosity of the managers Kennedy Avalos and Alfredo Huerta and the entire staff of the two Golden Corrals. Pictured left is DAV Commander Lazaro O. Camarillo III with Golden Corral Manager Kennedy Avalos. Our future Auxiliary members were there to assist, as well. The food was delicious. If you didn't attend, you missed out on some good fellowship, great stories and the wonderful hospitality of the Golden Corral.

