



Detachment of Texas

Commander's Travel Notes

March 11, 2023

TO ALL PROUD POSSESSORS OF A PRICELESS HERITAGE

What a wonderful event. Myra's Homecoming event was like a family reunion, exciting, and heartwarming. Those that were in attendance were treated to exceptional hospitality.

The American Legion Family of Texas came from far and near to attend Myra Cooper's Homecoming celebration. It was a gathering of family and old friends, those that love the Legion, many of whom were instrumental in her rise to success.

Myra was surprised that I would travel from Beaumont Texas to celebrate with her and her personal and Legion family. The event began with an extended social hour which is always great as a warm-up to any occasion. Wonderful libations and conversations with the members of Post 832 were the offerings. From Myra's

grandson to the Post Commander and members of Unit 832 it was a lot of great storytelling.

Dinner was served with plenty of options of the usual very liberal offerings of sides. Favorite entrée for every taste.

We all spoke about how we love Myra and chronicle her rise to success. Shortly after Myra spoke I was able to talk to and present Past Department Commander James McNair of Post 832 a special 75th Anniversary Commemorative Coin from Dorie E Miller Post 817 Beaumont, Tx. Just in case he would not make our June 17th celebration.

The evening came to a culmination with good wishes to all that came from far and near.

Honoring our priceless heritage

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