

Memorial Service

District President:

“Death has entered our ranks and we pause to pay tribute to those of our members who have passed on to their heavenly home. We shall keep in hallowed memory the lives of these members whom we have loved and lost. We shall strive to pattern our lives after their zeal for patriotism and their devotion to duty, as we rededicate ourselves to the unfinished work which their hands began.”

Memorial Chairman:

Reads list of names individually and respectfully honor each name as read.

Memorial Chairman reads:

“In Gods great garden of our lives, some rain is sure to fall, but after that he sends the sun to triumph over all. When sorrow comes to us and teardrops cloud our day, He sends us strength to bear our load and light to guide our way.”

District President ask Memorial Chairman to lead in prayer.

Memorial Chairman leads in prayer:

Let us pray.

We give thanks for the good examples of all Your servants who, having finished their course in faith, do now rest from their labors. Have us to know that we shall be remembered for what we have done for others; not what others have done for us. Each one of us exerts an influence upon those with whom we come in contact. As we go along the years, a single act of advice, encouragement, or caution, may decide a question of usefulness and happiness for another. O God, whose presence is everywhere and whose mercy never fails, we magnify You for Your gifts, especially for the promise of the peace which passes all understanding. We commit ourselves to you. Amen.