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**The following Awards were presented at the 136th National Encampment
in Lansing Michigan, 10-13 August 2017.**

The Meritorious Service Award with Gold Star-

- Dexter Bishop, Department MA
- Terry Dyer, Department IL
- Don Palmer, Department MO
- David McReynolds Department TN
- Nick Kaup, Department IL
- Henry Shaw, Department OH

Elmer (Bud) Atkinson Lifetime Achievement Award

- Bob Wolz, Department Ohio
- Lee Stone, Department. Chesapeake
- Rich Orr, Department Pennsylvania
- Ed Krieser, Department Missouri
- Danny Wheeler, Department New York

Abraham Lincoln CinC's Award– Camp Custer Camp #17, Department NJ

The Cornelius F. Whitehouse Award–

- Eugene G. Mortorff, Garfield Camp #1, Department Chesapeake
- Danny L. Wheeler, Sydney Camp #41, Department NY

The Meritorious Service Award-

- Michael P. Downs, Department TN
- Daniel F. Rittel, Department Iowa
- Tom Gaard, Department Iowa
- Dave Daley, Department WI
- Jeff Graf, Department WI

The David R. Medert Award– David A. Rish, Dept. OH 13 new members

The National Aide Award-

- Doug Fidler, McTeer Camp #39, Dept. TN
- Jeff Graf Col. Hans C. Heg Camp # 15, Dept. WI
- Steve Flickinger Sherman Camp #93, Dept. OH
- James Johnson, Ruger Camp #1, Dept NC
- Eric Richhart, Smith Camp #1, Dept CO/WO
- James P. McGuire, Gov. Dryer Camp #7, RI
- David Rish, Parrott Camp #33, Dept. OH

The Augustus P. Davis/ Conrad Linder Award- Department of Ohio with 54

The Under Forty Award– Department of New Jersey with 10

Marshall Hope Award for Best Newsletter –

- “The Sharpshooter” Robert Finch Camp # 14 Dept. MI
- “The March”, Department GA/SC

The U.S. Grant Award Department Georgia 60% increase in membership

The Horace Greeley Award- outstanding website. Department of Iowa

The Founder's Award - The American Veterans Heritage Center, Dayton, Ohio

The Certificate of Recognition-

-Garrard County Public Library, Department of Kentucky

-Brother Bruce Austin, Major James H. Bridgewater Camp #7, Department of Kentucky

Presented 22 April 2017 in Massachusetts

Dr. Mary Walker Award- PNP Diane Mellor

Ordered this 12th Day of August, 2017.

Donald L. Martin

Commander-In-Chief

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Attested:

Jonathan Davis

Secretary, National Order,

Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Grant stood by me when I was crazy, and I stood by him when he was drunk, and now we stand by each other. — William Tecumseh Sherman