

MARY CHESEBRO LEE  
DETACHED TENT #23<https://www.marychesebroleewi23.org><https://www.facebook.com/duvcwmaryclee>

Mary Ellen Reed Lewis

**DUVCW has one remaining  
Real Daughter which is  
Emogne Horton.**

**While there may be other  
“Real Daughters” in the  
country, they are currently  
not members of our Order.**

**A “Real Daughter” is the  
child of a Civil War Veteran.**

PASSING OF REAL DAUGHTER  
MARY ELLEN REED LEWIS

Mary E. Lewis, 94, of East Peoria, passed away on Tuesday, December 20, 2022, at her home.

Mary was born May 8, 1928, in East Peoria, to Nathan and Hildred (Ames) Reed. She married James E. Lewis, Sr. on September 11, 1945 in Pekin. He preceded her in death on October 6, 1993. She was also preceded in death by seven siblings and one granddaughter.

Surviving are two sons, James E. Lewis, Jr and William N. Lewis, Sr. both of Valparaiso, Ind.; two daughters, Marjorie (Floyd) Winkler and Donna (Ronald) Smith both of East Peoria; 13 grandchildren; many great-grandchildren and great-great grandchildren; and four brothers.

Mary was recognized as a real daughter by the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War. She was one of the last two surviving members. She was also a lifetime member of the Thomas & Bridges Association in Cadiz, Ky.

Mary was a member of the East Peoria Mennonite Church where she loved to help in many ways. She especially liked pie days where they baked rhubarb pies for the Mennonite Relief Sales.

A funeral service will be held at the East Peoria Mennonite Church at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, December 28, 2022, with Pastor Kim Litwiller officiating. Visitation will be from 12 to 1:45 p.m. prior to the service at the church. Burial will be at Roberts Cemetery in Morton.

FRATERNITY, CHARITY, LOYALTY

**The next meeting of Tent #23 will held at  
the Delavan Community Center  
on Tuesday, March 28 at 6:30pm**



### 53<sup>rd</sup> Patriotic Luncheon Sponsored by C.K. Pier Camp #1 Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and Auxiliary #4, February 4, 2023

The deadline is fast-approaching for getting your spot in southeastern Wisconsin's premier President's Day tradition – our 53rd Annual Patriotic Luncheon on Feb. 4. Marquette University Professor Emeritus Dr. James Marten will speak about Lincoln's promise to the veteran, widow and orphan.

Marten has written or edited more than 20 books, starting in 1998. His current project is a book tentatively called "A Social History of the Long Civil War: The Soldiers, Families, and Communities of the Sixth Wisconsin Volunteers," which will focus on the long-term effects of the war on a regiment that fought in one of the most famous units in the Union Army — the Iron Brigade.

Our past luncheons have attracted well over 100, representing more than 30 patriotic and history organizations.

The best bet is to get your reservation in the mail by JAN. 20 (so we receive it by the Jan. 27 deadline). *Information for this page from Camp#1 Facebook page*

You're invited to our 53rd Annual

### Patriotic Luncheon

Honoring Presidents Washington, Lincoln and McKinley  
Saturday, February 4, 2023 at 12:30 p.m.



Guest Speaker: Dr. James Marten  
Professor Emeritus, Marquette University

"Lincoln's Promise: Widows, Orphans and Disabled Veterans"

- Bid on premium silent auction items
- Choose from a multitude of prizes in our \$1 raffle
- Make new friends among more than 30 patriotic, hereditary, fraternal, historical and service organizations in attendance
- Luncheon buffet price still only \$25 per person

Location: Alioto's Restaurant  
3041 N. Mayfair Rd., Wauwatosa, WI.

#### Luncheon buffet includes:

Tenderloin Tips with Noodles or Roast Turkey with Sage Dressing. Served with pasta salad, mixed vegetables, buttered new potatoes, tossed garden salad, Italian bread, coffee, sheet cake for dessert.

Hosted by C.K. Pier Badger Camp #1 and Auxiliary #4  
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Registration form and program advertising information on the reverse side.  
For more information, call (414) 614-3690.

### Spread Your Message in the 2023 Patriotic Luncheon Program

The Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and its Auxiliary began the observance with a speaker's program in February 1890. We invite you to be a part of this long tradition, by placing an ad in the luncheon program booklet. Proceeds from ad sales are used to support history education in schools and the community, Eagle Scout recognition programs and Civil War monument restoration. Use the order form at the bottom of this page to place an order for your ad.

- Sell Your Product/Business
  - Send Greetings/Congratulations
  - Remember Your Ancestors
- Quarter Page Ad = 2" tall x 5" wide = \$5  
Half Page Ad = 4" tall x 5" wide = \$10  
Full Page Ad = 8" tall x 5" wide = \$15  
Back Cover (one) = \$30

#### INSTRUCTIONS

For meal and/or ad payments, please make checks payable to "C.K. Pier Badger Camp #1" and mail by the respective deadline to:

PDC Kent Peterson, 6024 S. Kirkwood Ave., Cudahy, WI 53110



### 2023 Patriotic Luncheon Meal Reservation Form

Deadline for meal reservations is Friday, Jan. 27, 2023.

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Organizational Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

I/we would like to join you at the Patriotic Luncheon: \_\_\_\_\_ meals X \$25 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

The luncheon is scheduled to take place at Alioto's Restaurant beginning at 12:30 p.m. It is a buffet style meal. There will be raffles and a silent auction as well as the presentation by guest speaker, Dr. J. Marten.  
3041 North Mayfair Road, Wauwatosa, Wisconsin



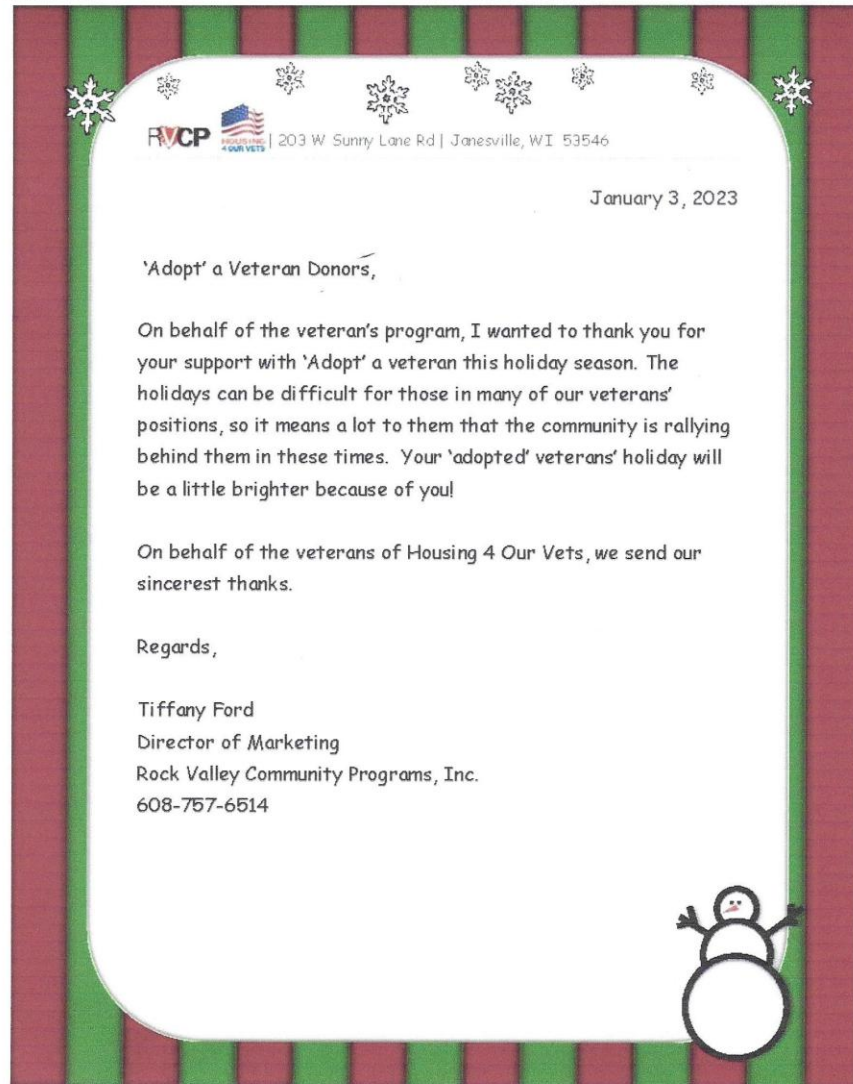


**Above photo taken at the Old Settlers Cemetery in Delavan at the gravesite of Alonso Chase. Tent 23 donated funding for the headstone restoration.**  
**(L-R) DUVCW Co-Presidents Charlene Staples, Pat Blackmer Robin Staudt of Blooming Prairie Questers, Frank Landi, Terry Yanke**

Photos : Cheryl Hoeth wraps gifts for our Adopted Vet Housing 4 Our Vets Campus

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Adopt a Veteran 2022 Thank You


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**SEE YOU IN OKLAHOMA CITY**

**131<sup>th</sup> DUVCW National Convention will be held at the Embassy Suites by Hilton  
 July 18 – July 23, 2023**