Compatriots,

It is with sadness that I report to you the passing of Compatriot Robert Herman Harrell on May 26th in Southside, Tennessee.

Compatriot Harrell, an active member of the Valentine Sevier Chapter, was retired from General Motors in Michigan after a 38 year career with the company.

In addition to his activity in the SAR, he was a Master knife and coin collector, enjoyed playing and collecting guitars, liked hunting and fishing, researching his family history, and riding motorcycles. He was a member of Rye's Chapel Methodist Church and The Sons of the Confederacy.

In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his sister, Hattie Sue Hughes and stepdaughter, Linda Harriman. Robert is survived by his wife of 34 years, Lena Meyers-Harrell; children: Robert (Melissa) Harrell, Dale (Delayne) Harrell, Sherry (Rich) Minjares, and Dawn Harrell; 7 grandchildren; 3 great-grandchildren; stepchildren: John Adair, Lana Loranger, and Laura Adair; 9 step-grandchildren; and 7 great step-grandchildren

Let's keep his family in our thoughts and prayers during their time of grief.

Sincerely,

Rev. Greg Banther, State Chaplain