2017 VETERANS DAY SWEEPSTAKES

Drawing Held Monday, November 13, 2017

SWEEPSTAKE WINNERS

FIRST PLACE: Michael Southard (Lansing, IL)

SECOND PLACE: Gervase E. Diekemper (Carlyle, IL)

THIRD PLACE: Herman J. Demick (Sparta, IL)



Enter to WIN

An M-15[™] Carbine Rifle and other great prizes! All Prizes are Proudly Made in Illinois

Dear Fellow American Legion Member

Once again, we are delighted to include you in our exclusive 2017 Veterans Day sweepstakes, which offers you a chance to enter to win an M-15TM Carbine Rifle or up to a \$2,000 cash prize.

As your Department Commander and on behalf of the Finance Commission, we are very proud of what we've accomplished as an organization. This is truly a unique opportunity and a great way to support our very important Department of Illinois programs at the same time!



When you return an optional donation of \$5 per ticket, \$20 for 6 tickets or \$25 for all 12 tickets – you'll carry on our time-honored tradition of service to our troops and veterans.

On Monday, November 13, 2017, winners will be selected. You do not need to be present to win. Your help and support is truly needed, so <u>please act today</u>! Every single gift is vital and each gift is appreciated by all of us and by those we serve.

Please mail your Sweepstakes Tickets as soon as possible, but no later than November 3, 2017 to be eligible to win any of these great prizes:

Grand Prize: An Armalite M-15TM Carbine Rifle AND a Springfield Armory 1911 ChampionTM Operator[®] Lightweight Pistol (or \$2,000 Cash)



Second Prize: A Springfield Armory 1911 Mil-Spec Pistol



AND an XD[®] Pistol with Thumb Safety (or \$1,200 Cash)

Third Prize: A Springfield Armory 1911 Range Officer® Pistol (or \$900 Cash)

Your sweepstakes tickets give you a fair chance to enter to win one of these great prizes. And when you send an optional donation with your sweepstakes tickets, your generosity will be put to work immediately to help veterans in need.

So please, return your sweepstakes tickets as soon as possible, but no later than November 3, 2017, to be eligible to win. The tickets have been addressed for your convenience. Please be sure your name and address are correct, and include your daytime phone number on each ticket, as legibly as possible. Should you decide to make a donation, please make your check or money order payable to "The American Legion, Department of Illinois."

Thank you and God Bless America,

Robert Hendelson

Robert Henderson Department Commander The American Legion, Department of Illinois

P.S. No purchase or donation is necessary to enter. A purchase or donation will not improve your chances of winning. Must be 18 years or older to participate. Good luck to all who participate and a very sincere "Thank You."

Congratulation to our winners.

Thank you for Supporting The American Legion Department of Illinois programs!