



POW/MIA & Flag Info



The Prisoner of War- Missing in Action flag is authorized for the use in all Knights of Columbus functions, and is greatly encouraged to further show our patriotic concern for our war dead and unknowns. I would like all Assemblies if able to purchase the Flag and use it in all functions. The POW/MIA shall be placed as follows:

1. US
2. Vatican
3. POW/MIA
4. State
5. Organizational Flag (KofC)

In a chamber:

1 2 3 Head Table 4 5

VAVS/Unclaimed Veteran remains

Veterans Administration Voluntary Service (VAVS) is a program where one is certified through the Veterans Administration to, "Serve those who have Served". As Veteran myself I have nothing but praise for the work of our VA System, and yes as a College Student after RELAD I have used it as my primary health care. This a program that can not be condensed into a paragraph. So, I will address this in a later email as with the next subject. Which is the unclaimed remains of our Veterans. As mentioned earlier it is unfortunately a fact that several Veterans have died with no one to claim their remains. I am working on the easiest way to secure these remains and give them a dignified burial. I will inform you of all my findings.

Flag Retirement Ceremony

Flag retirement Ceremonies is a solemn event that is an important Patriotic function that should be executed with respect and dignity. This can be and is encouraged to be combined with a mass where the retired flags can be blessed. Attached is a script to be used including the instructions for the fire.