Convention Report Distinguished Guest Linda Workman, Chairman June 27-30, 2024

Madame President,

It has been my extreme pleasure to serve as your Distinguished Guest chairman this year. We've travel together to various wonderful spots and had a great time. I've enjoyed being your roomie and although you can't seem to find your shoes, we worked well together. Our travel with National President, Lisa had some long days, but fun adventures. I want to thank all of those who chauffeured us and set up the fabulous visitations to the capital meeting with Legislative members; dinners, VA facilities and fabulous sightseeing. Your service to this Department and especially our Veterans is greatly appreciated. Now as cute as a button our Department President is, sometimes she just loses her belongings and can't figure out what to wear to the next function. So, I know we are not supposed to give you gift at the podium, but I want witnesses so that the next time you are 400 miles from your last stop, you won't have to worry about what blingy shoes to wear. Keep these in your suitcase and not under the bed and all will be good.

Thank you again for this appointment the wonderful time we had this year and the memories we will always have of our adventure. I hop[e to see you all at the banquet tonight. Madame President this concludes my platform remarks.