

# SOUVENIR PROGRAM

Twenty Eighth Annual  
National Reunion



## 34th INFANTRY DIVISION ASSOCIATION

September 5, 6, 7, 1975

Holiday Inn

Des Moines, Iowa

**“THE WAY IT WAS”**

*This program is dedicated to all who have passed on and those who gave their lives in order that we might live today.*

34th INFANTRY DIVISION  
ASSOCIATION

28th National Reunion

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

3:00 - 5:00 P.M. Registration in the Lobby of the Holiday Inn

5:00 P.M. Mixer, Bar-B-Q, Dancing. Music furnished by  
The 34th Army Band. Camp Dodge

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

9:00 A.M. Registration in the Lobby of the Holiday Inn

10:30 A.M. Conducted Tours of Camp Dodge

11:00 A.M. Presidents Luncheon (Past Presidents, Chapter  
Presidents, and National Officers) Holiday Inn

12:00 Noon Ladies Activities (No Host Lunch)

1:00 P.M. Conducted Tours of Camp Dodge

2:30 P.M. Business Meeting, Theater Number 1 Camp Dodge

4:00 P.M. Free time

6:00 P.M. Happy Hour, Dinner and Dance, Service Club  
Music by the 34th Army Band  
Speaker - Judge Roy L. Stephenson, Judge of the 8th  
U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals. (Retired Brigadier  
General)

The 34th Infantry Division Display you will view in the Officers Club  
and the Memorial Building, were donated to the 34th Memorial Association  
by its many members and are displayed through the courtesy  
of the Special Projects Section of the Adjutant Generals Department  
Iowa National Guard.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

8:30 A.M. Catholic Mass, Memorial Building Camp Dodge

9:00 A.M. Memorial Services

9:30 A.M. Cannon Salute

9:45 A.M. Free Coffee and Do-Nuts, Officers Club

10:30 A.M. Final Business Meeting, Theater No 1  
Board of Trustees Meeting, Theater No 1

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