## VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS AUXILIARY

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Happy Spring to all the Auxiliary Members,

Here is a refresher on the Etiquette of the Flag.

- 1. The flag of the United States of America should be at the center and the highest point of the group when a number of flags of states or localities or pennants of societies are grouped and displayed from staffs.
- 2. The flag is never allowed to touch the ground.
- 3. Never fly the flag upside down except as a signal of distress in instances of extreme danger to life or property.
- 4. The Flag can be flown every day from sunrise to sunset and at night if illuminated properly.
- 5. When the Flag is passing in a parade, all persons should put their hand over their heart, military personnel may render the military salute.
- 6. When the Flag is badly torn, soiled or faded, it should be disposed of properly. It should never be thrown in the garbage. Find a Flag disposal container in your town for it.

Please continue to educate everyone on the proper respect of our Flag.

Continue to Fly High for our Veterans Now and Forever.

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