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TO: MEMBERS OF THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION ASSOCIATION

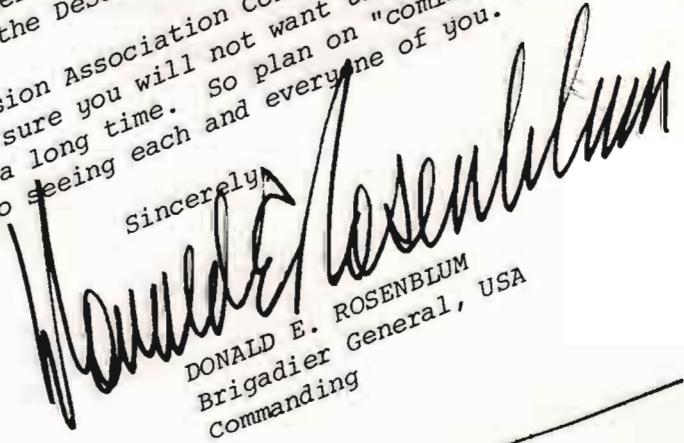
As the long-awaited time for this year's 24th Infantry Division Association Convention draws nearer, I wish to extend a personal invitation to all Association members to attend a special event in the history of the Association: "Coming home" to the 24th Infantry Division.

We at Fort Stewart and Hunter Army Airfield, the new home of the "Victory" Division, consider it indeed a pleasure to host this year's convention in nearby historic Savannah and to make it possible for members of the Association to see the 24th Division again.

Many activities are planned for you at the installation itself, including the opportunity to visit with your old unit, watch the Division pass in review, and observe live demonstrations of the "Victory" Division in action. All of this is planned in addition to lunch with your old unit, an informal party and dance at Hunter Army Airfield, activities for the ladies, and the formal banquet at the DeSoto-Hilton.

Attending the 24th Infantry Division Association Convention this year will be an opportunity that I'm sure you will not want to miss and an occasion you will remember for a long time. So plan on "coming home," and Laura and I look forward to seeing each and everyone of you.

Sincerely,



DONALD E. ROSENBLUM
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August 13-14-15, 1976

That pesky question is up again -

As you know, our dues are \$5.00 per year - and everyone's "year" starts on August 1st and ends on the next August 1st.

Our Editor has a problem - it costs him more than 13¢ to send you a statement notifying you that your next dues are due - if such be the case. To notify 1200 - 1300 members is a \$160 - \$180.00 expense, not to mention a back-breaking job getting the notices out, all in the effort to tell you something which you already know, that you do (or don't) owe \$5.00 for dues for the period 8/1/76 - 8/1/77.

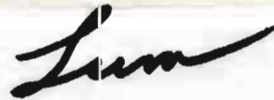
With this poopsheet (being mailed in lieu of another Taro Leaf), we are hoping to avoid the expense and labor of mailing statements.

If your \$5.00 is due, won't you write Ken Ross a check today and mail it to him at

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Thanks - thanks so much - you've just saved us a few pennies.

Gratefully,



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May I add my own invitation to that of General Rosenblum in this, our last message to you before we head Savannah way for the festivities of Friday, August 13th and Saturday, August 14th.

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Friday promises to be a full and busy day at Ft. Stewart so I'd suggest a Thursday arrival time at the DeSoto Hilton. Sunday A.M. will see an early breakfast, goodbyes, and take off for home.

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This year's "party" promises to be our best ever and I'm proud to be something of a cog in the wheel that will help to make it so.


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For allowing me to serve you as your President this year, I am humbly grateful.

And once more, may we meet in Savannah?

Divisionally Yours,


BILL BYRD
President



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Eastern Airlines is delighted that the 24th Infantry Division Association will be holding its Convention in the lovely city of Savannah, Georgia.

Why not let us help you make your reservations to the convention and possibly on to a post convention trip to one of Eastern's great vacation destinations - to Florida, the Bahamas, or the Islands of the Caribbean.

Just call your local Eastern Airlines reservations number and ask for the CONVENTION DESK. Mention that you are part of the 24th Infantry Division Association Convention and our reservations agents will be glad to help you with your itinerary - on Eastern or the carrier which best serves your needs.

Best Wishes for a Great Convention.



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