

## CRISLER PRAYER BOOK PLAQUE

The Department Chaplain will present the Plaque.

1. Prayers are to be inter-faith and non-denominational.
2. Original prayers should be signed by Unit members submitting them.
3. Original prayers by members should be in one section by themselves.
4. Prayer book should be divided into sections for other prayers collected such as Christmas prayers, Patriotic prayers, Blessings on the food, Mother's prayers, Children's prayers, etc. Please use as many sections as you wish, however, each section should be named by divider pages. These prayers do not require a signature unless they were composed by a member for a particular section of the Prayer book. Give author of copies or selected prayers, if possible. This is a very important rule in compiling your book.
5. Pictures or drawings may be used on the divider pages.
6. The prayers should be typed on proper paper and have one inch marginal edges. The flyleaf should have name and location of Unit, number of members submitting original prayers and the year typed on it. The signature of the Unit President and Unit Chaplin should be on the flyleaf.
7. Size of the cover of the book shall not be larger than 9 1/2 x 11 1/2 (standard loose leaf size) nor smaller than 7 x 9 1/2 (size of the official unit handbook). The book is to be furnished by the Unit and should have the American Legion Auxiliary Emblem on the cover. Nothing shall be above the Emblem. This cover may be printed, stamped, or painted.
8. Only one Senior Prayer Book from each Unit may be submitted.
9. The Prayer Books are to be brought to the Department Convention or mailed to the Department Chaplain prior to the convention. The winning Book of Prayers will be taken to the National Convention for display per instructions of the National Organization.
10. The Prayer Books will be judged before the Department Convention by judges selected by the Department Chaplain, using the following point system to determine the winner.

A. Contents of book.	50%
B. Arrangement and neatness.	20%
C. Number of prayers for special occasions, holidays, etc., inspirational verses and favorite scriptures.	15%
D. Percentage of unit members submitting original prayers signed with their own signature.	15%
11. This plaque shall become the permanent property of the unit winning it three consecutive years. The permanent winner will place another plaque in the department for competition, rules and name remaining the same.

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