

The Patriot Medal

The Patriot Medal is awarded only by a state society. It is the highest award given for service at the state or chapter level. This medal is presented only to individuals and may be received ONLY once. It represents long, faithful and outstanding service at the state and/or chapter level. Service at the national level cannot be considered in making the award.

The medal is sterling silver and bears the portrait of Compatriot General of the Army Douglas MacArthur on the obverse within the inscription, "The National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution." The reverse is inscribed "Awarded to for Patriotic Service by the Society SAR, 20__." The medal is suspended from a chest ribbon of royal blue color. Compatriot MacArthur selected the design for the medal just prior to his death. He received the first medal, presented posthumously at his tomb in Norfolk, Virginia, on October 19, 1964, where it is on permanent display. The Patriot Medal is available in full and miniature sizes.



The Patriot Medal may be awarded annually by any state society.

Central Florida Chapter recipients are:

V. Winthrop O'Hara	1969
Cecil L. Bothwell Jr.	1977
Carl A. Buechiner Jr.	1984
D. Robert Copeland	1993
Gerard J. Morgan III	1994
Renaldo J. Hamilton	1998
Frederick F. Gaines Jr.	2004
Dabney Carr Terrell Davis	2009