

70 for 70

National POW/MIA Recognition Day
15 September 2023

What is 70 for 70?

Simply stated, a “Missing Man Table” for each service member that is still unaccounted for from Annapolis/Anne Arundel County. 70 tables for our 70 ‘missing’ servicemen.

What is a Missing Man Table?

It is an empty place setting, sometimes referred to as the “Fallen Comrade Table”. It is meant to remind viewers of the fallen who are absent and can no longer share meals because they are still missing.

How do I set a Missing Man Table?

You may set your “Missing Man Table” anywhere visible. (Be it inside or outside) The basics- a white tablecloth, a single place setting, a bread plate (with a slice of lemon and sprinkle of salt), a candle, a vase with a single rose- with a yellow ribbon tied around it, and an inverted wine glass.

You may embellish or add to the setting as desired. In our example photo we added a gold charger, gold napkin, a photo, and a gold bow around the chair. Many “Missing Man Tables” have a Bible to show faith- you may add a Bible or other book of faith if you like. There are many examples on the internet to provide inspiration.



What if our business does not have all the supplies needed?

At the Legacy of Honor Project- we have available to borrow - LED candles, gold chargers, gold table runners, gold napkins, gold bread plates, vases, and various sizes of white tablecloths. (Note- we have a limited number available)

What day do we display our Missing Man Table?

15 September 2023

How do we sign up and what happens next?

To register, email Denise@thelegacyofhonor.com and Denise will add your business to our 70 for 70 list. You will also receive more detailed information on the Missing Man Table. A few days before September 15th a framed photo and/or information card will be dropped off at your business of the fallen/missing your table will honor. To draw attention to our missing heroes, the Legacy of Honor will post on social media the businesses that will be participating in our “70 for 70”.

We hope that everyone will share on their own social media pages as well.

For more information, please email Denise@thelegacyofhonor.com

