2016 Rendezvous Dubuque, Iowa July 29-31

Host: Pam Sorensen, Terry & Faith Sorensen













The Spooners are the first arrivals and all the way from New York!!



35' Commander owned by Mark and Darla Lawson.







Friday taco dinner



Miss Tress Ariving



Cocktails were served in the awesome cooler. It was too heavy for me to steal, unfortunately



The Coast Guard Auxiliary joined us for Lee's session. The Coast Guard has a base in Port of Dubuque and an active Auxiliary there , as well.



John Scherzinger brought a few items of interest for the attendees shopping pleasure.



Saturday morning breakfast



Dick Morland presented this shirt to Lee Dahlen, the new Chief Commander.





Dick Morland continues his run of attending every National rendezvous!!!



Attendees listen intently as Lee describes the interesting wiring dilemmas folks are experiencing when trying to incorporate new devices into old wiring schemes.





This marina has several cruises that originate here. The Spirit of Dubuque is a functioning paddle wheel boat, that does Lunch, Sightseeing, and Dinner cruises.



American Queen. Huge paddle wheel boat that cruises up and down the Mississippi River. Such a pleasure



Char Pike presenting Marina manager Ben Alden with the Certificate of Appreciation. Ben worked very hard to make our weekend a giant success.



Lee Dahlen and Terry Sorensen



Chris & Nancy Germain traveled from Davenport Iowa to attend the rendezvous, about 105 miles, in flood waters!!!





the Mississippi River Museum and Aquarium. From left to right: Bev and Chet Osborn, Tim Miller, Liz Branstetter, Sherry Selk, Fred Catcott



Dinner at the Mississippi River Museum and Aquarium. From left to right: Jack & Carol Spooner, John & Melanie Spooner, Rob Kneen. One of the aquariums in the background





Dinner at the Mississippi River Museum and Aquarium. From left to right: Char Pike, Faith & terry Sorensen, John Scherzinger, Sue Hawkinson, Lee Dahlen



Dinner at the Mississippi River Museum and Aquarium. From left to right: Darla & Fred Lawson, Chris & Nancy Germain, Bob Shutes, John and Sandy Even.



Lee Dahlen welcoming everyone and giving a very moving tribute to Jim Thomas, our previous Chief Commander that passed away that Thursday. Jim was toasted many times this weekend.





One last gathering before getting on the road and river to return home.