



# Florida United Numismatists



The Florida United Numismatist (FUN) organization is proud to announce the return of the Medal of Honor display for Winter FUN 2018 in Tampa Florida. First displayed during Summer FUN 2016 it is a fantastic addition to the FUN theme “Marching onto FUN”.

The Medal of Honor is the highest and most prestigious of all military decorations of the United States. It is awarded to recognize U.S military member who distinguish themselves by acts of valor. This award is presented by the President of the United States on behalf of Congress. Currently there are three versions, Army, Air Force, and Navy. The Navy medal is also awarded to members of the US Marine Corps and Coast Guard.

The act of Congress creating the Medal of Honor occurred during the Civil War, and the Army Medal of Honor was signed into law on 12 July 1862. It was established for enlisted personnel who distinguished themselves in battle. Since its initial introduction in 1862 there have been nine versions of the Medal of Honor.

3,518 service members have received this award. Over half of them received it posthumously.

## Do you want to learn more?

Then come to the Tampa Convention Center. Be at the Medal of Honor display at 3:00 P.M Thursday, Friday and Saturday for a Question and Answers session with Tony Swicer, past president of FUN.