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## **Medal of Honor Marine Receives Henry Repeating Arms Tribute**

**ATLANTA, Ga., May 1, 2025** — During a patriotic evening at the NRA Foundation Banquet in Atlanta, Georgia, Andrew Wickstrom, President of Henry Repeating Arms, presented a Spirit of the Corps 250th Anniversary Tribute Edition rifle to Medal of Honor recipient and Georgia native Maj. Gen. James Livingston, USMC (Ret.). The presentation celebrated both General Livingston's extraordinary career of service and this year's milestone anniversary of the United States Marine Corps.

Wickstrom addressed the crowd with a tribute to General Livingston's valor and his decades of service as a Marine, stating, "Tonight, we are here to celebrate that legacy by honoring one of the finest living embodiments of what it means to be a Marine. His courage, leadership, and selfless devotion to those around him represent the very best of what it means to be a Marine and an American."

Major General Livingston served 33 years in the United States Marine Corps, earning the Medal of Honor for going above and beyond the call of duty on May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1968, during the Battle of Dai Do in Vietnam. Following Vietnam, he held several critical leadership roles, including overseeing the final airlift from Saigon, commanding at Parris Island, and leading Marine Corps Forces Reserve through significant transformation. In his retirement, General Livingston continues to serve his country and community as an advocate for America's youth and military veterans.

Introduced this year, the [Spirit of the Corps 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Tribute Edition](#) rifle features intricate engravings commemorating two and a half centuries of honor, courage, and commitment, with artwork representing the branch's contributions throughout American history. Henry Repeating Arms is also developing a similar rifle chambered in .45-70 Gov't, which is being unveiled at Modern Day Marine in Washington, D.C.

"Let us carry forward the legacy of heroes like Major General Livingston — with courage, determination, and an unwavering commitment to faith, family, and freedom," concluded Wickstrom to a standing ovation.

To learn more about Henry Repeating Arms and the Spirit of the Corps 250th Anniversary Tribute Edition rifle, visit [www.henryusa.com](http://www.henryusa.com).

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### **ABOUT HENRY REPEATING ARMS**

Henry Repeating Arms is one of the leading firearm manufacturers in the United States and a world leader in the lever action category. The company's motto is "*Made in America, Or Not Made At All.*" Every Henry firearm comes with a Lifetime Warranty and a 100% Satisfaction Guarantee backed by award-winning customer service. Henry Repeating Arms employs over 800 people and has 400,000 sq. ft. of manufacturing space in Rice Lake and Ladysmith, Wisconsin. The company is also known for its Guns for Great Causes

charitable program, which focuses on assisting the families of sick children, children's hospitals, military veteran organizations, law enforcement, first responder groups, Second Amendment advocacy groups, and wildlife conservation organizations. The company is named in honor of Benjamin Tyler Henry, who invented and patented the Henry lever action rifle in 1860 – the first practical repeating rifle and America's unique contribution to the international stage of firearms design. Visit Henry Repeating Arms online at [henryusa.com](http://henryusa.com), on [Facebook](#), [X](#), and [Instagram](#).

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## **PHOTO CAPTION(S)**

### **Henry-MajGen-Livingston-1.jpg:**

Medal of Honor recipient Major General James Livingston, USMC (Ret.), receiving a Spirit of the Corps 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Tribute Edition rifle from Henry Repeating Arms. (Henry Repeating Arms)

### **Henry-MajGen-Livingston-2.jpg:**

From L to R: James Carter, Executive Director of The NRA Office of Advancement; Doug Hamlin, NRA Executive Vice President and CEO; Major General James Livingston, USMC (Ret.); Bob Barr, NRA President; Andrew Wickstrom, Henry Repeating Arms President. (Henry Repeating Arms)