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NEW PEN BLANK KIT HONORS DESERT STORM SERVICE

A Portion of Proceeds to Benefit the Wounded Warrior Project

MEDINA, MN (August 7, 2014) - Rockler Woodworking and Hardware has introduced a new laser-cut, inlay pen blank kit which features the Desert Storm service ribbon symbol to honor men and women who served in the United States military during that conflict. The Desert Storm Pen Blank Kit features dyed, laser-cut wood pieces that comprise the Desert Storm service ribbon emblem when it is assembled and turned. The Desert Storm kit is the latest addition to the line of Service Ribbon Pen Blank Kits Rockler already offers, which includes Viet-Nam, Iraq/Afghanistan, and Purple Heart kits.

"The Desert Storm Pen Blank Kit provides woodturners with a unique opportunity to commemorate the men and women who served our country during Desert Storm," says Steve Krohmer, Rockler's Vice President of Product Marketing. "The kit makes a beautiful pen which features the ribbon symbol to honor the service of military personnel, and a portion of the proceeds goes to the Wounded Warrior Project." The Wounded Warrior Project provides "unique, direct programs and services to meet the needs of injured veterans and service members." For additional information, visit www.woundedwarriorproject.org.

The Desert Storm Pen Blank Kit contains dyed, laser-cut basswood pieces that form the colorful service ribbon design when assembled as part of the pen barrel. The kit fits Manhattan style pen hardware kits (sold separately, see rockler.com for complete selection). Each kit includes a set of instructions.

The Desert Storm Pen Blank Kit retails for \$19.99 each. It can be purchased at Rockler Woodworking and Hardware stores nationwide, Rockler independent resellers, Rockler.com, or from the Rockler catalog. For store locations or a free catalog, please visit www.rockler.com or call 1-877-ROCKLER.

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