

## CHARLES THURMAN

SAR ANCESTOR (P-304854)
DAR ANCESTOR (A-134047)
Pension Claim (R10582)
Resting at Old Lone Cedar (Inactive) Cemetery
Bledsoe County, Tennessee
Find A Grave Memorial ID 8364949

Charles Thurman, soldier of the Revolution, was born in Buckingham County, Virginia 06 February, 1760. Charles served in the Virginia militia from the time he was 15 (1775) to age 21 (1781). He is credited with 21 months of service from multiple militia tours of duty which on average were about three months in length. Virginia recognized out of state duty as duty with or as Continental Service. Charles would in the course of his duties participate in guarding Prisoners of War twice, march from South Carolina to Virginia in the "race for the Dan", fight at the Battles of Guilford Courthouse and Siege of Yorktown (See Campaign BIO Summary – insert).

## MEMORIAL SERVICE

- Welcome and Greetings
- Invocation

- Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
- SAR Pledge
- Introduction of descendants of patriot in attendance
- Patriot's Revolutionary War service
- Presentation of wreaths and honors by SAR & DAR members and other organizations in attendance
- Thurman family representatives will unveil the Marker
- Dedication of the marker
   "With this unveiling, members of the TN State Society,
   National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution
   dedicate this marker to the glory of God and in recognition
   of the memory of Charles Thurman, Patriot of the
   American Revolution."
- Musket Salute
- Rendition of "Taps"
- Benediction Chapter Chaplain
- Post ceremony photographs

## Special Thanks

- The Thurman Family
- Mr. Pete Clemens and Frostbite Farm Co.

## <u>Music</u>

Mr. Trevor McGhie – SMMHS Trumpet Section