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Salute to the Texas Flag: “To the flag which flew over the embattled Republic; to the flag proudly carried by our God-fearing ancestors into battle; to the flag which flew over decades of liberty, growth and prosperity; I salute the Lone Star Flag of Texas.”

Salute to the Confederate Flag: “I salute the Confederate flag with affection, reverence, and undying devotion to the cause for which it stands.”



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Commanders Report

Compatriots, Thank you to everyone that attended April's meeting. I would like to thank Tommy Holmes for a great presentation. I would also like to thank Chaplain Jack Bowen, the Honorable Jim Anderson, and the Robert E. Lee Fort Worth Camp for a successful recruiting table at April's Grapevine Celtic Fest. I am looking forward to Festus Allcocks presentation as well as a quick run down of the May 6th Jefferson Re-Enactment Event attended by the Hearrean power couple! I hope to see everyone at Chill's in Grapevine this Tuesday.

One thing I noticed while meeting people at our recruiting table was the concern by potential candidates on time devotion to the SCV. I told different people different things. Below is a list I have been pondering on about the level of commitment an SCV member can give to the organization. I have categorized them as BASIC, INTER-MEDIARY, AND ADVANCED.

BASIC For me, a person who wants to honor their Southern ancestors but has an extremely busy schedule can still do so by doing two things:

1. Just join the SCV. Just become a due-paying member of the SCV, even if it is a member at large enrollment. There is strength in numbers, and politicians and the media seem to pay attention to a large group of people. *The larger the organization, the louder the voice.*
2. Pay your dues. Your dues go to help the SCV organization at the local, state, and national levels. Organizations need funds to do the things they do, and the SCV is no different. So, pay those dues and stay an active entry on the SCV muster rolls.

INTERMEDIARY This would be those that can be active due-paying members that can attend a few camp meetings each year. Member presence at camp meetings is important not just for the fellowship but for the times we need a proper quorum to conduct official camp. This includes voting in new officers and other member-involve decisions.

ADVANCED This would be active due-paying members that can attend a few camp meetings but also other SCV activities. This may include parades, grave marker dedications, re-enactments, etc. It would be nice if all SCV members could be at this level but we are all aware of reality and the demands a busy life can make on one's social schedule. Just being at the Basic and Intermediary levels would help the SCV organization out tremendously!

Do your part as our ancestors did theirs in fighting to repel Federal tyranny! For Texas and Dixie!

Sean Partee, Gano Camp Commander

1st Lt Commanders Report

Ladies and gentlemen of the OCR and SCV and friends I hope you are doing good and staying healthy. I want to thank Commander Sean for all he does for this camp and the SCV. I also want to remind everyone of the closing of the Texas Civil War Museum in Ft Worth. Go visit now before it is too late.

Thank you so much Tommy Holmes for giving us a great presentation at our meeting last month HE WILL BE BACK IN JUNE.

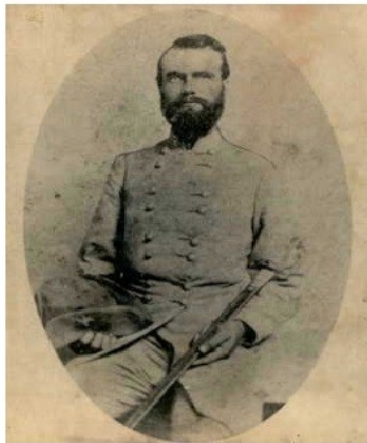
Hope to see yall at our next meeting this coming Tuesday at Chill in Grapevine at 7pm. Get there early to order food and come listen to Festus Allcock give a great presentation on WHITE SLAVERY!

For God and Texas.

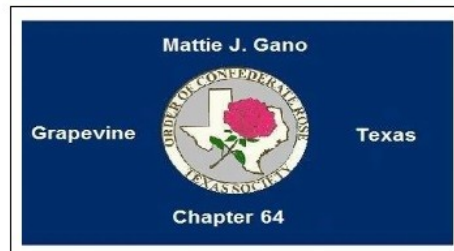
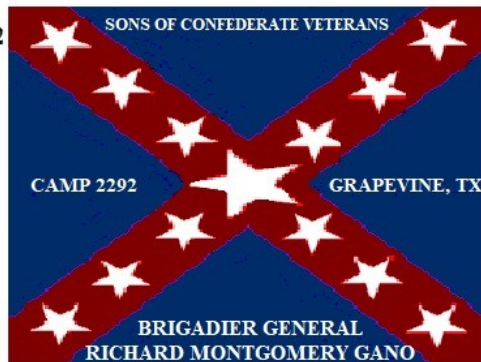
Deo Vindice!

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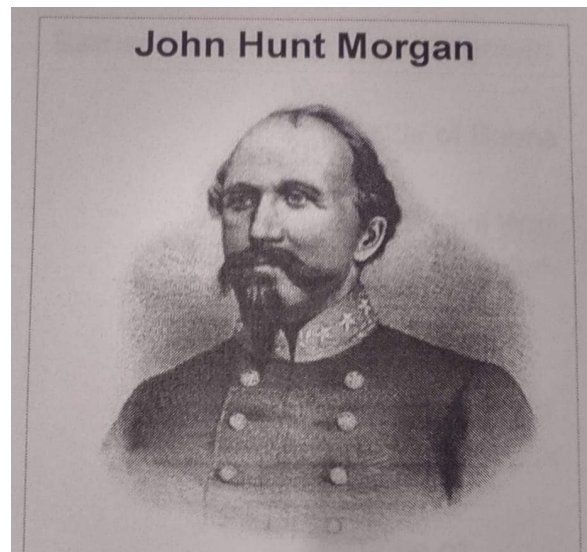
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Grapevine, TX



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Last Months Meeting

Sons of Confederate Veterans
Brigadier Gen. Richard M. Gano Camp #2292
Commander Sean Partee
April 18, 2023
at Chill in Grapevine, TX



Special thanks to our March speaker Tommy Holmes who gave a great presentation. Loved it! He will be back to give us the second part of this presentation at our camp meeting in June.



This Months Meeting

MEEETING IS THIS TUESDAY!

We meet at Chill on Main Street in Grapevine.

We invite everyone to attend our monthly meeting at Chill this Tuesday starting with our Eat and Greet at 6:00 PM and followed by our camp meeting.

Hope to see you this Tuesday the 16th!

We will be in the Cotton Belt back private party room.

814 South Main St, Grapevine, TX 76051



Upcoming Events

May 16 - Camp meeting at Chill in back room, starts at 7pm.

May 17 - Commander Adjutant Training at 4:00pm.
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May 19–22 - Grapevine Main Street Festival.

May 31 - Commander Adjutant Training at 10am.
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June 2-4 - Texas Division & TSOCR Reunions in Lubbock, TX. (page 9&16)

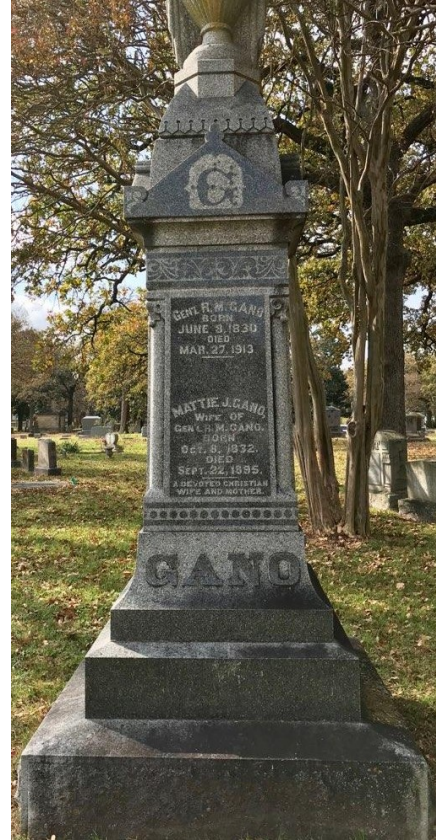
June 20 - Camp meeting at Chill in back room, starts at 7pm.

July 18 - Camp meeting at Chill in back room, starts at 7pm.

July 19-22 - SCV National Reunion in Hot Springs, AR.
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July 24-29 - SCV Sam Davis Youth Camp in Royse City, TX. (page 15)

August 12 - Trans Mississippi Training Symposium in Texarkana, TX. (page 12)



**WE MEET IN THE COTTON BELT BACK PRIVATE
MEETING ROOM AT**

Chill

814 South Main St , Grapevine, TX 76051

Chaplain's Corner

Have You Ever Heard a Donkey Talk?

How many of you remember Mr. Ed, the Talking Horse who only spoke to Wilbur, or Francis , the talking mule? Although these are characters from TV and the movies there is a story from the Bible about a talking donkey recorded in the Old Testament Book of Numbers where God uses a different way to speak to his people and to us.

God has no limit to the number of ways He can speak to his people. The trouble is that we are not always listening. If we won't listen to God through prayer or when we are meditating on His Word, He sometimes uses more creative means. Take, for example, the time He spoke *through a donkey*.

The story is found in the Old Testament book of Numbers (22:21-34). It is one of the most fascinating stories in the Bible. Balaam got up early in the morning, saddled his donkey and went to meet the princes of Moab. But God was very angry at him for going and sent an angel to stand in the road to oppose him. Balaam was riding his donkey, and his two servants were with him. When the donkey saw the angel of the Lord standing in the road with a drawn sword in his hand, she turned off the road into a field. Balaam beat her and told her to get back on the road.

When the donkey saw the angel she pressed close to a wall, crushing Balaam's foot against it. Balaam not seeing the angel. Beat the donkey again. The donkey lay down under Balaam's weight. At this point the Lord opened the donkey's mouth, and she said to Balaam, *"What have I done to make you beat me these three times?"*

Balaam does not give evidence of being nearly as surprised as I would have been, for he answered the donkey, *"You have made a fool of me! If I had a sword in my hand, I would kill you right now."*

The donkey replied, *"Am I not your own donkey, which you have always ridden, to this day? Have I been in the habit of doing this to you?"*

“No,” he replied. At this point the Lord opened Balaam’s eyes, and he also saw the angel of the Lord standing in the road with a sword drawn. So he bowed low and fell with his face to the ground. God had gotten his attention.

There are a number of incredible things about this very unusual story. The most obvious one, of course, is the talking donkey. What also fascinates me about this story is Balaam’s reaction. The guy is angry at his donkey for crushing his foot against the wall, but he doesn’t even miss a beat. He jumps right into conversation with his donkey without stopping to think, “*Good heavens! This is weird. What’s going on here?*”

Another thing important in the story is that when God couldn’t get Balaam’s attention any other way, He chose to speak to him through a donkey. When Balaam did what displeased God, He rebuked him in this most unusual way (2 Peter 2:15-16). Has God been trying to get your attention lately? And, if so, were you listening?

There are many things that cause us to turn a deaf ear to God: the pursuit of material possessions, alcohol, drugs, burning the candle at both ends, climbing the ladder of success, having what is called “a good time, etc.” Husbands and wives allow things to pile up in their lives until their marriage is on the rocks, their children are on drugs and uncontrollable, their friends all turn away, and stress builds up to the bursting point. Yet, they never stop to say, “Hey, wait a minute! I must be on the wrong path. Maybe God is trying to tell me something.”

When we come face to face with obstacles, we usually react like Balaam. We strike out at whomever or whatever is closest to us. We’ve got an agenda to pursue and we resent anything that stands in our way. And here is an irony worth pondering we pray for God to remove the obstacle in our path, when it may be that God is the one who put the obstacle there. The next time you ask God to change your circumstances, stop and think. Maybe God doesn’t want to change your circumstances. Maybe he wants to change you.

If you ever hear a donkey talk. I recommend that you give rapt attention. It just might be God trying to say something very important you need to hear.

Initium sapientiae timor Domini

Jack Bowen, Chaplain


Camp News - Local Grapevine Main Street Festival



Main Street Fest is a family-friendly festival in the heart of Historic Downtown Grapevine, Texas. It's three fun-filled days of live music, craft beverage experiences, delicious eats, street performers, shopping, and so much more! Main Street Fest is family-friendly with our unique KidZone and tons of fun in the carnival!

Live entertainment will be going all weekend long with tribute bands on four stages.


State News - Texas Division Reunion



SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS

126TH TEXAS DIVISION REUNION

LUBBOCK, TEXAS
June 2-4 2023



*Sons of Confederate Veterans
2023 Texas Division Reunion
Lubbock, Texas June 2-4*

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TEXAS DIVISION  126TH REUNION

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Lubbock Texas
June 2-4

Judge Roy Bean  **Camp No. 2298**



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scv 1352.com**

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801 Av3 Q Lubbock , TX, 79401
Tel. 888-828-2209

Reunion website: <https://www.scv1352.com/>

Questions: Michael Walker scv2402@gmail.com James Putman jayrec757@gmail.com Stu Carter stusharon94@gmail.com

State News Cont. - May 15th Deadline



TEXAS DIVISION
SONS of CONFEDERATE VETERANS
OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE

TEXAS DIVISION SUSPENDS FINE ON THE MAY 15th DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING DELEGATE FORM

Compatriots,

The Texas Division will suspend the fine on delinquent submission of the camp delegate form this year. This is a voting year for electing division officers as well as an amendment to the constitution; you are being encouraged to cast your ballots in Lubbock. This does not mean that we can put the burden of *procrastination on the shoulders of our fine division adjutant Allen Hearrean. Allen is the man that has allowed the camp commanders and adjutants to work in a more friendly atmosphere when registering our delegates to vote. Get your camps to vote on delegates, fill out the form. Sign it. Get it to Allen ASAP.*

Your detailed instructions from Division Adjutant Allen Hearrean will follow in short order via this message system.

Deo Vindice,

**John McCammon
Cmdr, TX DIV SCV.**

State News Cont. - Commander Adjutant Training



**TEXAS DIVISION
SONS of CONFEDERATE VETERANS
OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE**

Commander - Adjutant Training for May 2023 will be held Wednesday May 17th at 4:00 pm Central time. A second class will be held Wednesday the 31st at 10:00 am. We would like to encourage all new commanders and adjutants take the class. If you are a returning commander, or adjutant, you are welcome to attend as well. In this class you will learn about a lot of the responsibilities and “how to” of the job you were elected to do. This is a 2 hour online class. These classes will be held monthly if you can not attend this month.

If you are a **Commander or Adjutant, or Treasurer** who pays the camp dues, you are eligible for this class. To sign up, send an email to membership@scv.org. In the email include your **name, membership number, camp name and office held. Tell me which class you want to attend. If you don't include your member number and office held, you won't be admitted.**

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Regards,
Eric Previti
National Membership Coordinator.

Trans-Mississippi News - Training Symposium



AUGUST 12, 2023
Elks Lodge
3702 New Boston Rd.
Texarkana, TX 75501

At the request of

J. C. Hanna, Commander, SCV Army of Trans-Mississippi
&
John McCammon, Commander, SCV Texas Division

Red Diamond Camp of Texarkana, will be hosting:

THE ARMY OF TRANS-MISSISSIPPI
RECRUITING, RETENTION & HERITAGE OPERATIONS SYMPOSIUM

★★ **AUGUST 12, 2023** ★★
TEXARKANA, TEXAS

WITH FEATURED PRESENTERS:

SCV Commander in Chief: Jason Bosbers

SCV Lieutenant Commander in Chief: Walter D. (Donnie) Kennedy

SCV Chief of Heritage Operations: James Ronald Kennedy

National Membership Coordinator: Eric Previti



*Framed photos of General Lee and
Lincoln to be auctioned at this event.
Door prizes will be given as well.*

Please direct any questions you may have to Phil Maynard. 903-278-6742

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National News - Are Southerners Still Welcome in US Military?



The Sons of Confederate Veterans oppose the recently recommended actions by the Naming Commission in conjunction with the Department of Defense. Their actions to strip the names of Confederate officers and heroes from our military assets will raise serious doubts as to whether young Southerners are welcome in today's military. A vocal and ambivalent minority has embarked on a vicious attack against American history. They have fought long and hard, have lobbied those in power, and have championed the cause to change the names of military bases, naval vessels, and historic flags. In other words, all things connected with Southern valor displayed on the field of battle during the War Between the States are to be purged. This action is a rejection of the same vigor that inspired many Southerners to join the military and heroically defended the United States, many in her time of need, and in communion with the valor displayed by their Confederate ancestors.

This was true when the blitzkrieg raged, and the relentless attacks in the Pacific continued as World War II found the entirety of humanity engulfed in the flames of war. It is meaningful that the highest-ranking general officer to be killed in action was General Simon Bolivar Buckner, Jr., the son of Confederate General Simon Bolivar Buckner, Sr. Moreover, the highest-ranking naval officer in the Pacific Theater during that great conflagration was Admiral Chester Nimitz, the grandson of Confederate Captain Charles Henry Nimitz, while the Commander-in-Chief at the end of WWII, President Harry S. Truman, was the grandson of a Confederate Veteran, who was also the President responsible for desegregating the U.S. Armed Forces in 1948. In every war after the War Between the States, Southerners volunteered in large numbers to patriotically support our nation and to display her might abroad.

Despite the cadre of Confederate descendants, the Naming Commission cannot help but continually berate and even attack Confederate Veterans. As a result, fathers and grandfathers of the South now question if their children are welcome in an environment that displays such animosity toward our shared heritage. Even more capricious is the desire to destroy the Reconciliation Memorial sculpted by Sgt. Jacob Moses Ezekiel (Battalion of Cadets VMI) in Arlington National Cemetery which was meant to reunite a fractured nation after its victory in the Spanish-American War. Evidently, it appears that the official policy is to discriminate against Southern heritage and the esprit décor that transcends from Robert E. Lee, Stonewall Jackson, and Nathan Bedford Forrest to their descendants today. The Sons of Confederate Veterans oppose rewriting America's history. We understand that it is not only Southern history being attacked, but all traditional American values including our Founding Fathers from Washington to Jefferson, and even Benjamin Franklin.

R. S. Jason Boshers
Tennessee
Commander-in-Chief
Sons of Confederate Veterans

Walter D. Kennedy
Louisiana
Lt. Commander-in-Chief
Sons of Confederate Veterans



National News Cont. - 2023 National Reunion in Arkansas

2023 Sons of Confederate Veterans National Reunion

www.2023scvreunion.org

Hosted By The James M Keller Camp #648

Hot Springs National Park, Arkansas

July 19, 20, 21, 22nd 2023



Register NOW for the 2023 National Reunion

Gentlemen,

The Sons of Confederate Veterans 128th Annual Reunion at the historic Arlington Resort Hotel and Spa Hot Springs, Arkansas is set for July 19-22, 2023.

It will be hosted by James M Keller Camp 648
www.2023scvreunion.org

Spend a few extra days in the only urban National Park to see a few of the many sites and activities available.

For the registration form, click [HERE](#).

National News Cont. - Sam Davis Youth Camp



Attention! Young Ladies & Gentlemen!
Sam Davis Christian Youth Camp - Texas
Monday, July 24th to Saturday, July 29th, 2023
Sabine Creek Ranch, 576 Sabine Creek Road, Royse City, TX 75189
<http://sabinecreek.org>

The deadline for applications is Saturday, July 15th, 2023.

Sam Davis Christian Youth Camp - Texas offers an adventure-filled and Christ-centered week-long encampment for youth ages 12 through 18, in a beautiful East Texas setting. This annual event is comfortably hosted at a scenic privately owned Christian retreat near Royse City, just 30 minutes from downtown Dallas... all of which reflects the beauty of God's creation. This is our 14th year! Come learn about our Confederate Culture and Heritage in a fun filled environment. Camp is about developing new friends, a stronger faith, and doing all kinds of amazing activities: swimming, wild & crazy games, crafts, ropes course, the blob, zip line, screamer swing, climbing wall, gaga ball, tetherball, basketball, four square, volleyball, canoeing, paddle boats, archery, black powder rifles, music, snacks, game room, ping pong, field trips, learning how to defend your Heritage, Christian Faith & more!

GET THE APPLICATION FOR CAMP AT:

<http://www.belocamp.com/sam-davis-christian-youth-camp-texas>

Questions? Contact Directors Bruce Cunningham or Mark Brown
bvcunningham@gmail.com markrbs@yahoo.com



Texas Society Order of Confederate Rose, Inc.



Greetings:

We will be voting at TSOOCR Annual Meeting in Lubbock
Friday June 2 - Sunday June 4, 2023

Slate of Candidates

DIRECTOR: Debbie Hearrean, Mattie J Gano #64

ASST. DIRECTOR: Brenda Guise, Cactus Rose #23

TREASURER: Gail Walker, Sarah O S Lubbock, #59

SECRETARY: Peggy Harvey, Painted Rose #66

CHAPLAIN: Carolyn Baughman, Mary Ann Forrest #6

TSOOCR BOARD of seven (7) will include these offices and the following:

Appointed: Parliamentarian: Barbara Cornelius

Immediate Past Director: Becky Bussey

Nominations will be accepted from the floor. RRO Current Edition:

The chair must call for further nominations at the session at which the election is held even if nominations were called for at a previous session.

Kind regards,

Becky Bussey, Director 2019-2023

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Southern Legal Resource Center

We are not holding our breath that there will be a Confederate Memorial Day event at Arlington National Cemetery on 04 JUN - In a letter to organizer Richard Hines, the Army states that music, singing, flags and speeches must be "pre-approved" to be allowed and we are forbidden to use the front of the Confederate Monument or anywhere in Confederate Circle for the memorial service. We can hold our service at the Blue/Gray Unknown Civil War Soldier Monument. A UDC lady told me that their memorial held there at that site in 2021 "was a disaster."



Further since 2016, the UDC has been disallowed a color guard, not allowed to display Confederate flags or even to sing Dixie at the Confederate Monument for their annual Memorial service and had to have their speeches pre-approved as well. Will the Confederate Memorial Association of the District of Columbia accept these terms: Not only NO, but H...: NO!

Had enough yet you descendants of traitors? We will be responding to the Army's dictates early next week.

Redeeming a proper non-Soviet Memorial service now becomes part of the long term fight. WE THE PEOPLE need to save the Confederate Monument and save the First Amendment while we are at it - so we can attend normal non-Soviet Confederate Memorial services at Arlington again!

Please share & support www.slrc-csa.org SLRC PO Box 1235 Black Mountain, NC

DIXIE

March tempo

By DAN D. EMMETT

I wish I was in the land of cot - ton,
Old times there are not for - got - ten. Look a - way, look a -
way, look a - way, Dix - ie Land. In
Dix - ie Land where I was born in,
Ear - ly on one frost - y morn - ing. Look a - way, look a -
way, look a - way, Dix - ie Land. Then I wish I was in
Dix - ie. Hoo - ray! Hoo - ray! In Dix - ie Land I'll
take my stand, to live and die in Dix - ie, A -
A - way A - way down south in Dix - ie, A -



SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS
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What is the Sons of Confederate Veterans?
 The citizen-soldiers who fought for the Confederacy personified the best qualities of America. The preservation of liberty and freedom was the motivating factor in the South's decision to fight the Second American Revolution. The tenacity with which Confederate soldiers fought underscored their belief in the rights guaranteed by the Constitution. These attributes are the underpinning of our democratic society and represent the foundation on which this nation was built.

Today, the Sons of Confederate Veterans is preserving the history and legacy of these heroes, so future generations can understand the motives that animated the Southern Cause.

The SCV is the direct heir of the United Confederate Veterans, and the oldest hereditary organization for male descendants of Confederate soldiers. Organized at Richmond, Virginia in 1896, the SCV continues to serve as a historical, patriotic, and non-political organization dedicated to ensuring that a true history of the 1861-1865 period is preserved.

Events & Functions
 Memorial Services • Monthly Camp Meetings • Annual Reunions • Grave Site Restoration
 Educational Programs • Parades & Festivals • Heritage Defense • Honoring Our Veterans

Battle Flag, 1st National Flag, 2nd National Flag, 3rd National Flag, Bonnie Blue Flag

Do you have an ancestor that was a Confederate Veteran?

Are you interested in honoring them and their cause?

Do you think that history should reflect the truth?

Are you interested in protecting your heritage and its symbols?

If you answered "Yes" to these questions, then you should "Join Us"

Membership in the Sons of Confederate Veterans is open to all male descendants of any veteran who served honorably in the Confederate armed forces regardless of the applicant's or his ancestor's race, religion, or political views.

How Do I Join The Sons of Confederate Veterans?

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*Membership can be obtained through either lineal or collateral family lines and kinship to a veteran must be **documented genealogically**. The minimum age for full membership is 12, We have Genealogist that can help you for free.*

There is no minimum age for Cadet Membership.

<http://www.scv.org/research/genealogy.php>



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Chaplain : Jack Bowen

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CHARGE TO THE SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS

"To you, Sons of Confederate Veterans, we will commit the vindication of the cause for which we fought. To your strength will be given the defense of the Confederate soldier's good name, the guardianship of his history, the emulation of his virtues, the perpetuation of those principles which he loved and which you love also, and those ideals which made him glorious and which you also cherish."

Lt. General Stephen Dill Lee Commander-General United Confederate Veterans New Orleans, Louisiana 1906

Remember, it is our duty to see that the true history of the South is preserved and presented to future generations.

Until we meet again, let us remember our obligations to our forefathers, who gave us the undeniable birthright of our Southern Heritage and the vision, desire and courage to see it perpetuated.