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BRIG. GEN. RICHARD M. GANO CAMP 2292

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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

Greetings camp members, friends and fellow compatriots.

We are meeting at Chill on this Tuesday the 20th. Eat and greet at 6pm and meeting starts at 7pm. The Clean up at the Gano family burial site was amazing! There were three of us there Sean, Me and Allen. Tom from the Belo camp dropped by to see how to apply D2. For me it was an honor to help clean up our Camp namesake's family plot. We also visited with one of the volunteer grounds keeper. They have recently formed a volunteer group that help maintain the cemetery. I'll report more at Tuesday's meeting. See you then. God bless.

Deo Vindice,

Initum sapientiae tumor Domini

Jack Bowen

Camp Commander and Chaplain

1st Lt Commanders Report

Greetings members and friends,

Hope everyone is blessed and healthy. I saw we had a great cleanup day. Thank you camp members Jack, Allen and Sean for your hard work and dedication.

I want to make the mid cities gun show in November and December along with Commander Jack, we want to set up recruiting booths again at these shows.

We are looking for guest speakers, so if you know of anyone please let me know. We still need a speaker for November.

We hope to see yall at the meeting this coming Tuesday the 20th. Come have some great fellowship and eat some great food.

God Bless Texas and Dixie! God Save The South!

Deo Vindice

Confederately,

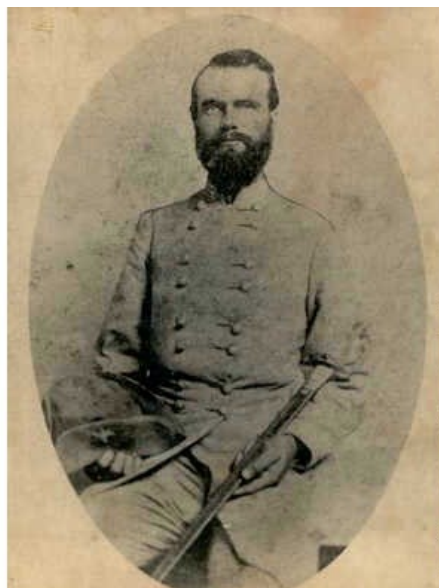
Frank Krawiec

1st Lt. Commander

R. M. Gano Camp 2292

WWW.CAMP2292.ORG

**Brig. Gen.
Richard M.
Gano Camp
2292 in
Grapevine, TX**



**We Meet the
Third
Tuesday of
Every Month
at
chill in
Grapevine,
TX**

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 following by our camp meeting.

Hope to see you this Tuesday the 20th!

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

814 South Main St, Grapevine, TX 76051



Last Months Meeting Minutes



Meeting started at 7.02 pm

Jack prayed us in & Salute to the Flags

Allen read the minutes from July.

Discussion on Dues . Members not getting them

New Member - Kevin Ramsey

Talked about the National Reunion

Gun Show November 5 & 6 or December 2 & 3

Setting up a table for SCV

Cemetery Clean Up -

Trail Clean up -

DEC Meeting September 10th

Veterans day Parade - November 12th

Speaker- Kyle Sims

Major General Polignac

Closing Innovation - Jack

Sung Dixie

Meeting ended - 8:40

Last Months Meeting Pictures



Upcoming Local Events

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

Oct 15 - 3rd Annual Miss Lilly Langtry Birthday Celebration Judge Roy Bean Camp 4H Center, Alley Oop Park, Iraan, TX

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

Nov 5 - Camp 2338 Chartering Ceremony in Tyler

Nov 5-6 - Mid Cities gun show

Nov 11-12 - Hood's Brigade Scholarly Seminar in Brenham, TX. See page 20.

Nov 15 - Camp meeting at Chill in back room, starts at 7pm.



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

Chill

814 South Main St , Grapevine, TX

76051

Chaplain's Corner

Values Over Valuables-A Legacy for Eternity

When looking at family lineage the words often used are legacy, heritage and heirlooms. What is passed down from generation to generation? While we may initially think of heirloom items stashed away in cedar chests, what is really important are the values, character, reputation and integrity of previous generations of a family.

My mother, with the help of her cousin, became the historian of her side of the family. Mom was a collector of "valuables", including watches, jewelry, old letters, my Dad's WWII uniform, my Allen Military Academy uniform, and my Cub Scout uniform. Mom passed away before the advent of personal computers and the Internet so anything about Confederate ancestors was just a mention in old letters and a gravestone marker and stories of life before, during and after the War. Many thanks go to Kyle Sims for putting missing pieces together for me. I can now see how this research provided specifics about my family and how certain events shaped occupations, religion, interests, and passions that run in my family. The gold railroad watch from my grandfather, jewelry, class rings and other "heirlooms" may have some monetary and/or sentimental value but, chances are they will remain stashed away wherever we hide such items.

What is visible to others is the kind of people that we are. Are we compassionate? Are we caring? Are we honest in our dealings with others? Are we a person of faith? Chances are the values we live by are the values taught to us by our parents. And, our parents learned their values from their parents. When I read the biographies of my ancestors based on my "lineage notebook", I see hard-working people of faith. I am fortunate to have married a wonderful woman who also came from a family of hard-working people of faith.

If often am reminded of a pastor, David Tigert, who introduced me to a couple of books that are still in my library. I was walking as a baby follower of Jesus Christ, at that time and David knew I had an interest in history, so he gave me his copy of The Great Revival in the Confederate Army, and a volume of works from R. L. Dabney, which included his remembrance of Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson. He added that you must always read about "men of faith" in order to see what "walking with Christ" means. Incidentally, David Tigert was from Jackson, Mississippi.

When you think about the word legacy, the first thought may be something is left behind after a person has passed. Webster's dictionary refers to the legacy of a person as "more about sharing what you have learned, not just what you have earned, and bequeathing values over valuables, as material wealth is only a small fraction of your legacy."

Mankind inherited a legacy of sin, but thankfully, people of the faith inherit the forgiveness of sin. Franklin Graham said, "The human heart is a type of cedar chest, storing valuable lessons, special memories, and the important pieces of one's life that live on throughout generations." The Bible says, "And you also were included in Christ when you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation. When you believed, you were marked in Him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit, who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God's possession—to the praise of His glory (Ephesians 1:13-14).

Reading the bios of my ancestors and other men of Christ, I can see how God has blessed each one of them even in times of struggle, defeat, and turmoil. We can pass on more than monetary blessings to our children. A culture of faith is far more valuable than a gold watch that doesn't work anymore and will probably remain in a dresser drawer for your children for your children to wonder what do with when you pass on to the next world. A reverence for God will be a gift that will sustain the next generation for eternity.

Deo Vindice

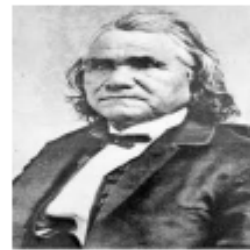
Initium sapientiae timor Domini

Jack Bowen, Commander, Chaplain





The Two Generals Meet, Forward to Cabin Creek



It seems very unusual that you would have two Brigadier Generals commanding a campaign and subsequent battle but that is the story of the Second Battle of Cabin Creek. Our first Brigadier General is Richard M. Gano, who commanded the Fifth Texas Cavalry Brigade and Brigadier General Stand Watie, who commanded five regiments of Native American Indians.

Gano was transferred to the Trans-Mississippi Department in late 1863. Gano's old command The Gano Guards (numbering about a company) was organized and operated as part of the Fifth Texas Brigade transferred to McKinney in June of 1864.

Meanwhile, Colonel Stand Watie proposed a plan to force Union troops from Forts Gibson and Smith, the main part of the plan consisted of a raid into central Kansas. Watie hoped that this plan would draw Union troops from outposts in the Indian Territory to protect Kansas. The plan went to Major General Samuel B. Maxey, commander of the Indian Territory and to General Edmund Kirby Smith, commander of the Trans-Mississippi Department. After a seven month's wait the plan was approved by the Confederate high command and Smith ordered that the raid would begin before October 1st.

Both armies were aware of the legendary exploits of Col. Stand Watie, subsequently Watie was promoted to Brigadier General on May 10, 1864. Brigadier General Gano was anxious to assume the offensive and wrote the following in a letter to Maxie on August 29, 1864:

The hope secures farther reaching because you are going to send me an order to go north of the Arkansas River and do all the damage to the Yanks I can up there. I have been anxious about it, But there seems so much delaying on our part while the Feds are moving trains and Regiments To and fro and the finest opportunities afforded to whip them in detail. It is true many of my men are dismounted, barefooted and unarmed, but they would be better satisfied actively employed than idling in camps. And there would be a pretty fair chance to capture arms, horses and clothing, I am satisfied we ought to be up there now. The River is fordable, and we are burning away the Light of day on the working season. If we are ordered or allowed to go forward, then General Stand Watie would cooperate with us, but General Cooper is very cautious, and I am satisfied some good Opportunities have and are being presented. What say you?"

Maxey had received reports of a large Federal wagon trail being prepared at Fort Scott headed along the Texas Road to Fort Gibson. On August 18, 1864, Colonel William Adair of the Second Cherokee Regiment rode and reported to Maxey of an amended plan from General Watie to raid and cause havoc along Union communication lines along the Grand River and north of the Arkansas River. The wagon train, if found, would be the primary target. General Watie did not know that this plan would take him to the very battlefield where he met his worst defeat at the First Battle of Cabin Creek, July 1-2, 1863.

In just two weeks after Gano wrote his letter to Maxey demanding action, Gano's Texans and Watie's Indians were sharing campfires at Camp Pike on the Canadian River near Whitefield, Oklahoma. Once the two brigades were combined, both Generals never doubted their effectiveness as a fighting force, and both men began to carefully plan the raid.

It is interesting to note that while Gano and Watie retained command over their units, Watie turned command of the expedition to Gano because Gano's commission predated Watie's by one month. Both Gano and Maxey commended Watie for his unselfishness, which up to that time had not been seen by armies on either side.

Gano took 1,200 of his brigade including Col. Charles DeMorse's Twenty-ninth Texas (Lt. Col. Welch commanding), Thirtieth Texas Cavalry Regiment (Cap't. Strayhorn commanding) and detachments of Martin's Thirty-first Texas Cavalry (Maj. Mayrant commanding); Hardeman's Battalion; Head's Company; Welch's Company; and, most importantly, Captain Sylvanus Howell's Texas Artillery Battery with six guns.

Watie had 800 Indian soldiers in his command, including 200 men of the First Cherokee Regiment commanded by Lieutenant Colonel C.N. Vann, 150 men from the Second Cherokee Regiment reporting to Major John Vann, 125 from First Creek Regiment under Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Checote, 200 men of the Second Creek Regiment under Colonel Timothy Barnett and Colonel John Jumper's 120 Seminoles. This gave the Confederate commanders a total combined force of 2,000 men.

On Wednesday, September 14, 1864, the column comprising Watie's Indians and Gano's Texans, headed north, crossing the ford on the Canadian River. "The most ragtag force the Confederate army had ever known was on the move. Unknown to Watie, Gano and their men, this was to be the last Confederate raid of the long and bitter war in Indian Territory. This time, things would run out differently for the Confederates. Their planning would pay off, and this would be a ride into history." Steven L. Warren, The Second Battle of Cabin Creek, The History Press.

I am much indebted to the following authors and researchers for much most, if not all the information contained in the history of the Second Battle of Cabin Creek, Brigadier Generals Gano and Watie and the history of the Texas Road. This was an adventure for me, and I do hope that you will, as I did, continue to read and study for yourself the histories and writings including primary sources about the War for Southern Independence. Honestly, I don't think I would have embarked on this adventure if my youngest sons Jeff wasn't a football coach at Northeastern Oklahoma University in Tahlequah, Oklahoma.

Steven L. Warren, the Second Battle of Cabin Creek, The History Press

Frank Cunningham, General Stand Watie's Confederate Indians, The Naylor Company, 1959

R. B. Coleman, Indian Tribes in Confederate Service, Confederate Veteran Magazine, February 1915

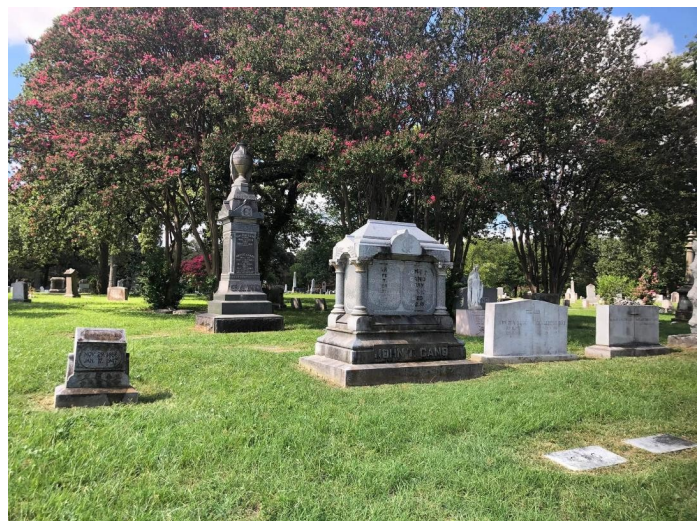
R. B. Coleman, First Cherokee Cavalry C.S.A., Confederate Veteran Magazine, May 1913

Bobby D. Weaver, "Texas Road", Oklahoma Historical Society

Camp News - Cleaning of Gen Gano Grave Marker



Camp members Sean, Jack and Allen worked hard to clean the grave stone.



Texas News - No More Six Flags?

TX Dot has removed 6 Flags displays at ALL its Welcome Centers - When Asked About This, Here Was Their Response



"Hello, Thank your for your inquiry. The decision to fly just the U.S. and Texas flags was made in 2020, but discussions about reducing the flags have been ongoing for several years as a cost savings measure, saving the agency up to \$80,000 a year in repairs to flags, cables and poles. Several of our Travel Information Centers were built with just two flagpoles, so this provides uniformity across the state. The modification of having only the U.S. and Texas flag is consistent with flag protocols at the Texas Capitol and at all other TxDOT facilities. Best, Catherine Cromer Texas Department of Transportation."

The Bullock Texas History Museum in Austin is also ending its 6 Flags Over Texas display in front of the building.

TEXANS, WHEN WERE YOU EVEN ASKED IF THIS WAS OK?

Texans & visitors to Texas need to hammer Gov Greg Abbott (<https://www.gregabbott.com/contact-us/>) and the Texas Dept of Transportation (<https://www.txdot.gov/about/contact-us/ask-a-general-question.html>) over this!

Their lame excuses aside, we know the real reason TX DoT is doing this!

Texas News Cont - Grave Dedication and Veterans Day Parade



Gentlemen we will be participating in a Grave Marker Dedication and Iron Cross ceremony for Confederate Veteran Israel Spikes on Saturday October 22nd at 1pm at the Fox Cemetery near Kaufman Texas. There will be members of the Spikes family in attendance and we will be joining with The Kaufman Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy in a joint effort to Honor this Veteran. There will be a Cannon Volley and Musket Salute during the Ceremony.

Y'all please try to make it. You won't be disappointed.

Also we have been invited to participate in the Greenville Texas Veterans Day Parade Saturday November 5th beginning at 9 am.

We will have a float, military vehicle and motorcycles if anyone is interested. Participants are welcome to dress in period attire if they want. There will be plenty of room for individuals to ride on trailer as well. This is open to your family and friends who wish to join us. We will line up at the Farmers market on Washington Street at 8 am.

We will be representing our Confederate Veterans who are American Veterans.

Confederately,

Texas Division Son's of Confederate Veterans
1st Lt Commander 4th Brigade

Commander
Son's of Confederate Veterans
Lt. Alexander Cameron Camp #2226 Greenville, Texas

National News - Arlington Cemetery Monument Under Fire

The Sons of Confederate Veterans (SCV), established in 1896, is America's oldest veterans' organization. The SCV is outraged that the federal "Naming Commission," established by Congress in 2021, has now recommended to Congress that the Confederate Memorial located in the Confederate Section of Arlington National Cemetery be removed. A key member of the Naming Commission previously published a highly critical book about Confederate General Robert E. Lee. This individual is not a neutral member of the Commission. His unwarranted vitriol directed toward the South and the millions of Southern Americans whose ancestors served the Confederacy has tainted the entire process.

The Commission itself fails to recognize that the Confederate Memorial at Arlington was sculpted by Moses Jacob Ezekiel, a Jewish American sculptor, and Confederate Veteran. The memorial was dedicated on June 4, 1914, as part of America's continued effort to reunify the United States in the post-war era. Unfortunately, the Naming Commission has seen fit to recommend its removal and therefore the desecration of this honorable grave marker. This is an unmitigated attack on Southerners who have provided, in terms of percentage of the country's total population, more recruits to the American military than any other region of the nation.

This recommendation is divisive and extreme, and it epitomizes the complete lack of respect for the over 400, Confederate service members, their wives, and Confederate civilians buried at Arlington. Further, it will likely undermine the security and safety of Confederate memorials in every cemetery in America as well as the graves of Confederate Veterans, who are also American veterans, as enacted by Congress in 1958. The Sons of Confederate Veterans will work diligently to push back against the Naming Commission and fight against other Machiavellian proposals that continue to divide our nation. We urge all patriotic Americans to contact their representatives and senators and voice opposition.

To find your member of Congress, please see <https://www.house.gov/representatives> and <https://www.senate.gov/senators/senators-contact.htm>.

Jason Boshers
Commander-in-Chief

Walter D. Kennedy
Lt. Commander-in-Chief

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National Public Affairs Officer

Adam Southern
Executive Director
Sons of Confederate Veterans

National News Cont - Commander Adjutant Training



Commander Adjutant Training for September 2022

Compatriots, Commander / Adjutant training for the month of September will be on Wednesday the 21st at 9:00 AM Central time, and again on Wednesday the 28th at 6:00 PM Central time. These times are to accommodate persons who have not been able to attend the 4 pm sessions.

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.

In the class you will learn about paying dues, reinstatement's, transfers, last rolls, and all things forms related.

When registering, tell us which class you prefer to take.

**Regards,
Eric Previti
National Membership Coordinator.**



Compatriots,

If you want this training in anticipation of being fully informed as to new members joining, do so and speed up the process of getting those new members into your Camp.

Eric Previti, National Membership Coordinator is an excellent trainer and this program will benefit everyone in your camp.

Sign up and step up in growing our Texas Division and continuing the lead Nationally in getting new camps and members that come with those efforts.

**John McCammon
Commander
Texas Division SCV**

National News Cont - Commanders Comments



For those who were not able to see Commander's Comment Thursday night September 1, it is posted on YouTube at the link below:

[https://youtu.be/ Ec6ZSJ346Y](https://youtu.be/Ec6ZSJ346Y)

Thanks

Ron Kennedy

Chief of Heritage Operations

SCV

P.S. Lt. CiC Walter Donnie Kennedy has a new Facebook account.

The Adam Washington Ballenger Camp 68 will raise the largest Confederate Flag in South Carolina on October 22, 2022.

The time of day and further details will be sent to those that register closer to the date. Please save the date, and if you want to attend please register at the link below.

We are still collecting final donations for security, finishing the project, and keeping the flag flying. The final date for the camp fundraising competition is 9/30/22. We will announce the winners on the day of the raising.

The dress for the occasion, is an appropriate top, blue jeans, and work/combat boots. The location of the flagpole is newly cleared and prepared but we still expect the possibility of a muddy field if it rains. Dress attire is inappropriate for the occasion.

For those out of town, and wishing to stay at a block of hotel rooms, please email Robert Merting or Brian Motts at scscv68@gmail.com to know if a block is needed.

We will see you at the pole!
Location of Ceremony

Teaberry Rd.
Spartanburg, SC 29306
Donations may be sent to :

P.O. Box 26284
Greenville, SC 29616

Please make all checks payable to **Adam W. Ballenger Camp #68, SCV**

Dixie Fundraising Challenge
The Results Thus Far...

LARGEST CONTRIBUTOR:
MECHANIZED CAVALRY
\$9,320
(Plus in-kind donations in excess of \$7,000)

FIRST PLACE CAMPS IN EACH LEVEL:

DIXIE LEVEL:
Secession Camp #4 \$2,500

PALMETTO LEVEL:
Moses Wood Camp #125 \$ 500
Gen. Ellison Capers Camp #1212 \$ 500

SANDLAPPER LEVEL:
Gen. States Rights Gist Camp #1451 \$5,800

SAVE THE DATE: OCTOBER 22, 2022
TIME: TBD

National News Cont. - 2023 National Reunion in AR

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



Pre-Register NOW for 2023 Reunion

Gentlemen,

Pre-registration is now available for the 2023 SCV National Reunion to be hosted by the James McKeller Camp #648 at Hot Springs National Park in Arkansas.

The dates are July 19th through the 22nd, 2023.

To register, please visit the Reunion website,

<https://www.2023scvreunion.org/>

The pre-registration period ends July 30, 2022.

I wish all of you going to Cartersville, Georgia safe travels and I look forward to seeing you at Convention!

Adam Southern

Executive Director



Texas Society Order of Confederate Rose, Inc.



Greetings members;

It'll soon be time to write in our new yearly calendars. When you do, mark Saturday, January 7th, 2023 for our next TSOCR General Business Meeting. It will be held in Waco, TX at Poppa Rollo's 9 - 9:15 AM for sign-in and meeting starts at 9:30 AM.

Meantime, have fun at the holiday events and family gatherings ahead. Most of our Chapters continue to meet, schedule events and find ways to celebrate our ancestry through the end of the year.

“We feel that our cause is just and holy; we protest solemnly in the face of mankind that we desire peace at any sacrifice save that of honor and independence; we ask no conquest, no aggrandizement, no concession of any kind from the States with which we were lately confederated; all we ask is to be let alone; that those who never held power over us shall not now attempt our subjugation by arms.”
President Jefferson Davis, C.S.A. – 29 April 1861

“The contest is really for empire on the side of the North, and for independence on that of the South, and in this respect we recognize an exact analogy between the North and the Government of George III, and the South and the Thirteen Revolted Provinces. These opinions...are the general opinions of the English nation.”

London Times, November 7, 1861

Be blessed, safe and joyful until we meet again!

Kind regards,
Becky Bussey, Director 2019-2023
Proud to be a Rose

Virginia Flagger Update

You may recall that in 2019, we shared with our supporters that under pressure from activists, the Delaware state legislators pulled their annual funding from the Marvel Museum, costing them at least \$15,000. Under pressure to remove the battle flag from the memorial, both the Delaware Grays SCV and the Georgetown Historical Society refused to be bullied, and supporters from across the country, inspired by their courage, stepped up to send encouragement and financial support.

As you can imagine, those who want the flag and monument removed, have not given up their quest. This summer, the local NAACP, Black Lives Matter, and other radical groups have stepped up their efforts to force its removal.

On July 27th, Georgetown Town Council voted to award the museum \$25,000 in designated funds for much needed repairs. Over the objection of local radicals, the vote for the funding was unanimous, after including an amendment that called for the historical society to come together with the community and the SCV to reach an agreement on the display of the flag.

That meeting occurred just a few days later, and after discussion with SCV camp members who expressed their position of no compromise on the subject of the battle flag, the Georgetown Historical Society voted unanimously to uphold the original 2007 agreement with the Delaware Grays and to allow the monument and the flag to remain.

Under pressure, the Mayor voided the check, but three council members had another check issued and delivered. The backlash, especially against those three council members, has been swift and fierce, and shows no signs of letting up.

<https://www.wmdt.com/2022/08/pressure-mounts-against-the-town-of-georgetown-over-confederate-flag-controversy/>

The council members and the Historical Society Board of Directors need to hear from you. PLEASE take a moment to mail a letter, write an email, and/or make a phone call, THANKING Town Council AND the Historical Society for their support and urging them to continue. These folks are only hearing from the other side of this issue, and need to hear from us. EVERY communication received on this issue is read at council meetings and entered into the record

Georgetown Town Council Contact Info

Mail to:

The Town of Georgetown

37 The Circle

Georgetown, DE 19947

C/O Town Manager, Council, Mayor

Phone (302) 856-7391

Historical Society Contact Information

Mail to:

Georgetown Historical Society

510 S. Bedford St.

Georgetown, DE 19947

Phone: (302)855-9660

Use this form to send an email:

www.georgetowndehistorical.org/contact-us.htm

Use this form to send an email:

www.georgetowndel.com/contact-us.htm

The Confederate Legion



JOIN THE CONFEDERATE LEGION

Membership in the Legion supports the Southern Victory Campaign.

Dues and donations are used almost exclusively for a two-prong counter-attack that we call the Southern Victory Campaign. It's led by the Heritage operations Committee of the Sons of Confederate Veterans.

Objectives include:

Rebuilding public support for the same principles of liberty that America's founding fathers believed in.

Rebuilding respect for the Confederate States of America that preferred to leave the Union rather than abandon the principles of liberty as the Northern states were doing under Leftist influences of the day.

Direct action by the SCV is one prong of the offensive. The second prong includes you and your organization.

It's not necessary to be a member or camp of the SCV to participate in the campaign.

We depend on God and you for the victory we seek.

[#SCV #MakeDixieGreatAgain](#)

<https://makedixiegreatagain.com/legion/>

SLRC Update - Texas Lawsuits

MESSAGE OF TEXAS SUPREME COURT TO DALLAS TAXPAYERS ON ILLEGALLY REMOVED PUBLIC MONUMENTS: "NOT OUR PROBLEM"

Without comment, the Supreme Court of Texas denied Friday the Petition for Review filed in *Robinson v Scripps & the City of Dallas*. Gene Robinson, a Dallas taxpayer, had filed suit against Dallas for illegally removing the 1897 Pioneer Cemetery Confederate War Memorial in JUN 2020 without a valid Certificate of Demolition, as required by Dallas City ordinance and procedures.

The lawsuit was dismissed, without ever hearing the merits, by Democrat Judge Eric Moyer of the 14th Judicial District Court of Dallas County and the dismissal upheld by the Democrat Judges of the 5th Court of Appeals. Robinson's last avenue of appeal was to the "conservative" Texas Supreme Court, a 40 page Petition for Review was filed on 01 JUL. The Court denied the petition on Friday 12 JUL without ever requiring a response from the City of Dallas.

"In their craven and morally bankrupt unwillingness to even discuss Dallas' illegal and tyrannical 7 years war on historic monuments, the Supreme Court may well have condemned other historic monuments in Texas to the "Wokedom wrecking ball," like George Washington at IT Austin, Christopher Columbus or even Davy Crockett and The Cenotaph in San Antonio.

People went to jail at Nuremburg for "Cultural Genocide," but in Texas such municipal miscreants get a pass from the Texas Supreme Court," said Southern Legal Resource Center spokesman, H. K. Edgerton.

"When the last of our historic Texas monuments are pulled down by marxists posing as municipal leaders and our Texas cities & towns look like the futuristic urban scene in a "Terminator" movie, remember to thank the Texas Supreme Court, especially if they are running for re-election," Edgerton added.

"In it's silence, the High Court tells Dallas citizens that following the laws and ordinances of the city of Dallas is only for peasants and suckers, but not for the Dallas politburo," said Warren Johnson, President of Return Lee to Lee Park, Inc, who fought Dallas over the 2017 removal & theft of the Robert E, Lee monument from Lee Park.

Kirk D. Lyons, who filed the Petition for Review on behalf of Appellants has vowed that "the monument fight in Texas must and will go on because: "Government Speech" and the undemocratic removal of public art is Tyranny!. "And besides citizens of Dallas, now that the Pioneer Cemetery monument is finally dealt with, what can stop the city from digging up the historic graves in Pioneer Cemetery to make way for the new multi-million dollar convention center?" Lyons added.

Southern Legal Resource Center, Inc
Kirk D. Lyons
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SLRC Update Cont - Texas Lawsuits



"Righteous" Lawsuit Filed Against Williamson County, TX and SCV Camp Over "Oppressive" Monument

Self-styled "promoter," and "oppressed person of color, Jason "Righteous" Norwood, USMA graduate and former, US Army Major filed a multi-million dollar federal lawsuit against the County Commissioners of Williamson County, Texas, the Texas Historical Commission, the Williamson County Grays Camp, SCV of Georgetown, Texas and the Camp Commander and his wife in their individual capacities; for their repeated refusal to remove the 1916 UDC-erected monument to the Williamson County Grays (Co C, 7th Texas Cavalry) in front of the Williamson County Courthouse (now "Government Center").

The 58 page document, filed on 11 AUG, 2020 uses the word "traitor," "white supremacy" and "slavery" through-out and includes "violations" of the 14th Amendment to the US Constitution, "violations" of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as well as "violations" under the Texas Constitution.

Norwood and his fellow travelers have engaged in boisterous demonstrations at the Grays monument, with face-offs with the Williamson County Grays SCV Camp members and other citizens. For this patriotic action and defense of their First Amendment rights, the Camp has been rewarded by Norwood as "Defendants" and co-conspirators with Williamson County officials in his rambling diatribe of a lawsuit.

Although filed Pro-Se, it is obvious Norwood had help in preparing the Complaint, and has marked similarities to NAACP anti Monument lawsuits filed in federal court in Maryland, and a state court in Gaston County, North Carolina.

We are watching this case very closely, and will do all we can to help the defendants. We can send scanned copies of the Williamson County lawsuit or the Maryland, North Carolina lawsuits by email, if requested.

GOVERNMENT SPEECH IS TYRANNY!

UPDATE: The federal lawsuit filed by the NAACP against Talbot County, Maryland ended in a "stipulated" dismissal in March of this year, as the Talbot County Commissioner's had agreed to dismantle and move the last standing Courthouse Confederate monument in Maryland - It does not appear from the court records that the County did any serious fighting to defend their position.



*3rd Annual Miss Lilly Langtry Birthday Celebration
Judge Roy Bean Camp
4H Center, Alley Oop Park, Iraan, TX
October 15, 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.*

You are cordially invited to the 3rd Annual Miss Lilly Langtry Birthday Celebration.

Menu: Chicken and Okra Gumbo, with Andouie sausage, Linguini with Meat Sauce, Garlic Bread, Steamed Green Beans, Green Bean Casserole, Cesar Salad and SCV House Salad, New Orleans Bread Pudding with Bourbon Sauce as well as, other desserts. (All food items are homemade!).

Program: Gary Bates, Adjutant, Fort McKavett Camp #2326 will present a program on Confederate flags of Texas. Presentation will include flags which were hand made by Adjutant Bates.

Silent/Loud Auction

Please return, **no later than October 9**, the RSVP below along with your check to Bob Hazelwood, Judge Roy Bean Camp #2298, P.O. Box 104, Iraan, TX 79744. Additionally, you may email Bob with your RSVP and pay at the door. Judgebean.scv@gmail.com

\$20.00/individual or \$15.00/couple and \$15.00 for each additional guest:

No. Guests: _____ RSVP Name: _____

Save The Date for Camp Chartering Ceremony

SAVE THE DATE

November 5, 2022



*Walker's Greyhounds Camp #2338
Charter Ceremony
November 5, 2022
6:00 PM*

*Willow Brook Country Club
3205 W. Erwin Street
Tyler, TX 75702*





**HOOD'S TEXAS BRIGADE
ASSOCIATION, RE-ACTIVATED**
Historical • Educational • Memorial



*Hood's Brigade Scholarly Seminar
Friday & Saturday, November 11-12, 2022
Brenham, TX*

We Welcome You!
Ready for Your Reservations!

*Friday Driving Tour of Historic Independence
November 11th, 12:30 pm - 8:00? pm • \$40.00
Student Discount: \$20.00
Includes Docents at Primary Stops, Packets,
Evening Speaker, Light Supper, Videos*

Saturday Scholarly Seminar
*November 12th, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
At the Barnhill Center, 111 West Main Street,
Brenham, Texas, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm • \$85.00
Student Discount: \$40.00
Includes a buffet lunch, vendors & exhibitors
Outstanding Speakers!*

**• Wayne Motts, President & CEO, The Gettysburg Founda-
tion: “From Second Manassas to Gettysburg: The True
Story of a Texas Brigade Officer and a Union Artiller-
ist” Richard B. McCaslin, TSHA Professor of Texas History,
the University of North Texas: “A Glorious Time at Bren-
ham: The Tenth Reunion of Hood’s Texas Brigade Associa-
tion in 1881.” Scott Bowden, noted authority on Robert E.
Lee: “Lee’s leadership and the role of the Texas Brigade at
The Wilderness.”**

Register today: <https://hoods-texas-brigade-assn-reactivated.square.site/>



The Flag My Grandpa Knew

I remember how each morning he'd rise before us all
And I'd hear his muffled footsteps as he padded down the hall.
The many years he'd labored, had left his body bent and gray
But Grandpa had a reason for getting up each day.
A well-worn box sat on a shelf, beside his rocking chair
I don't know where it came from, seems it always had been there.
Inside the box a tattered cloth of crimson, blue, and white
And he'd gaze at it each morning with tears that dimmed his sight.
On special days he raised it still on the pole outside our door.
And he'd tell us kids in reverent tones what the tattered cloth stood for.
The red reminds me of the Wheatfield, where Hood's men were slain.
Where seven thousand good men fell, amidst the bloodied grain.
The blue, I guess, brings back to mind, the loneliness and cold
Of a Shenandoah winter, a thousand miles from home.
And the pure white stars, well they're Generals, for Jackson, Stuart, and Bee
And the big one in the middle there, is for Robert Edward Lee.
Each bullet hole is for a battle won, each tear a comrade lost,
Each stain is for a wounded friend, who paid the final cost.
Oh Grandpa must have loved that flag, he stayed near it every day
And so, Grandpa took it with him when he finally passed away.
And if there's a flagpole up in heaven, there's no tear in Grandpa's eye,
'Cause I know he's back in uniform, and his beloved flag flies high.

Ronnie Hatfield

DIXIE

March tempo

By DAN D. EMMETT

A

I wish I was in the land of cot - ton.

D A

Old times there are not for - got - ten. Look a - way, look a -

E7 A

way, look a - way, Dix - ie Land. In

A

Dix - ie Land where I was born in,

D A

Ear - ly on one frost - y morn - ing. Look a - way, look a -

E7 A

way, look a - way, Dix - ie Land. Then I wish I was in

D B7 E7 A

Dix - ie. Hoo - ray! Hoo - ray! In Dix - ie Land I'll

D A E7

take my stand, to live and die in Dix - ie, A .

A E7 A E7 A

A - way A - way down south in Dix - ie, A .



SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS
DEFENDING HISTORY SINCE 1896



Texas Society Order of Confederate Rose, Inc.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE

OFFICE USE ONLY	
Date Recd _____	_____
Check No. _____	_____
Date sent to Treasurer _____	_____
Entered on Spreadsheet _____	_____
Date Cert & Pin mailed _____	_____

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Female Male
 Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Email: _____ Birth Date: Mo: _____ Day: _____ Yr: _____

Chapter Name, Number and City you are joining: _____

Do you want to receive TSOCR group emails: Yes No

Talents and/or skills you can contribute to TSOCR and/or the chapter: _____

Membership Types and Fees (Check all applicable)

*Fees are determined by the Fee Schedule in effect on the date of your application.

A. <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter Member	B. <input type="checkbox"/> Lifetime Member	C. <input type="checkbox"/> Member-at-Large
Fee: TSOCR STATE enrollment fee *\$10. Plus fee to local chapter (amount determined by each chapter). Annual State (*\$10) and Chapter dues will apply.	One time *\$100 enrollment fee to TSOCR Plus enrollment fee to local chapter (amount determined by chapter). Annual chapter dues may apply at discretion of chapter. Check with your local chapter.	*\$20 TSOCR enrollment fee. Annual dues of \$20. Member-at-Large *\$ 20 Member at Large *\$20 Lifetime Member *100 No Life Membership 0 *\$120 *\$20
Send completed application with your check made payable to your local chapter. Chapter Rep Name: _____ Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____		Send completed application with your check made payable to TSOCR to TSOCR Treasurer. CINDY BOBBITT P.O. BOX 100 WINONA, TX 75792

Form must be signed and dated by the applicant, endorsed by a member in good standing of the TSOCR and the TSOCR Chapter Representative. Form must be submitted in duplicate (2 originals or 1 original and 1 copy).

Your cancelled check is your receipt.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____
 Endorsed by: _____ TSOCR Chapter: _____
 Chapter Representative: _____ Date: _____

Sons of Confederate Veterans
 "DEFENDING THEIR HONOR SINCE 1896"
 www.scv.org ★ 1-800-MySouth

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

Flags:
 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?

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.

*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>





WANTED

ALL MALE DESCENDENTS OF
CONFEDERATE
SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

Brig. Gen. Richard M. Gano Camp 2292 in Grapevine, TX
Is currently recruiting New Members to Honor our Texas and Confederate Ancestors and
their Heroic Deeds

We have Genealogist to help find your Civil War Ancestor
We also have a Order of Confederate Rose chapter you can join if you do not have a Confederate ancestor
or if you are a lady.

JOIN US TODAY!

HELP FIGHT THE ERADICATION OF SOUTHERN HERITAGE



We also have a motorcycle group called Mechanized Cavalry for anyone who enjoys riding.

**WE MEET THE THIRD TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH
IN GRAPEVINE, TX**

COME VISIT US!

Email: camp2292@yahoo.com

Facebook: www.facebook.com/camp2292

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Instagram: www.instagram.com/camp2292

Web: WWW.CAMP2292.ORG



Application For Membership

Type or Print Clearly in Black Ink Only to Avoid Mistakes

To the Officers and Members of **Brig. Gen. Richard Montgomery Gano**
Camp No. **2292** Located at _____
State of **Texas** I, the undersigned, respectfully petition to become a member of the

Sons of Confederate Veterans

Initial Dues are \$35.00 which includes a \$5.00 recording fee; local and state dues are additional. Go to www.scv.org/campLocator.php to find a local Camp. Submit your application directly to the local Camp you wish to join or to: SCV, P.O. Box 59, Columbia TN 38402-0059 if there is no Camp in your area. Attach a copy of the ancestor's war service record or an approved pension for him or his widow. Also include a simple genealogy family tree linking the applicant to the Confederate Soldier. If accepted, I do hereby promise strict compliance to the Constitution and rules of the organization.

The Confederate patriot through whom I petition for membership, and who adhered to the Cause of the Confederate States

of America, was my _____ whose name was _____
Relationship to Applicant (Print Clearly)

Full Name of Confederate Soldier (Print Clearly)

of _____, _____
City/County (Print Clearly) State

My Lineal Confederate Ancestor was a _____ in Company _____
 Collateral
(Check One) Rank (Print Clearly)

Complete Name of Regiment or Unit (print Clearly)

My Confederate Ancestor was: Paroled, Surrendered, Released on Oath, Discharged, Killed, or died
On _____ and is buried in _____
DATE County State Name of Cemetery

Clearly Print Full Name

Legal Signature

ADDRESS City State Zip Code

Date of Birth MM/DD/YYYY Occupation Home Phone Work Phone email address

RECOMMENDED BY

Current Member's Name (Print) **Brig. Gen. Richard M. Gano 2292**
Camp Name and Number

Report on Application

This application has been examined, and from the information which the camp committee has been able to procure, is approved

SIGNATURE - Camp Committee on Application

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Date approved for Membership by Camp _____
Date Received at GHQ

Lineage Work Sheet

Sons of Confederate Veterans

Brig. Gen. Richard M. Gano

Camp 2292

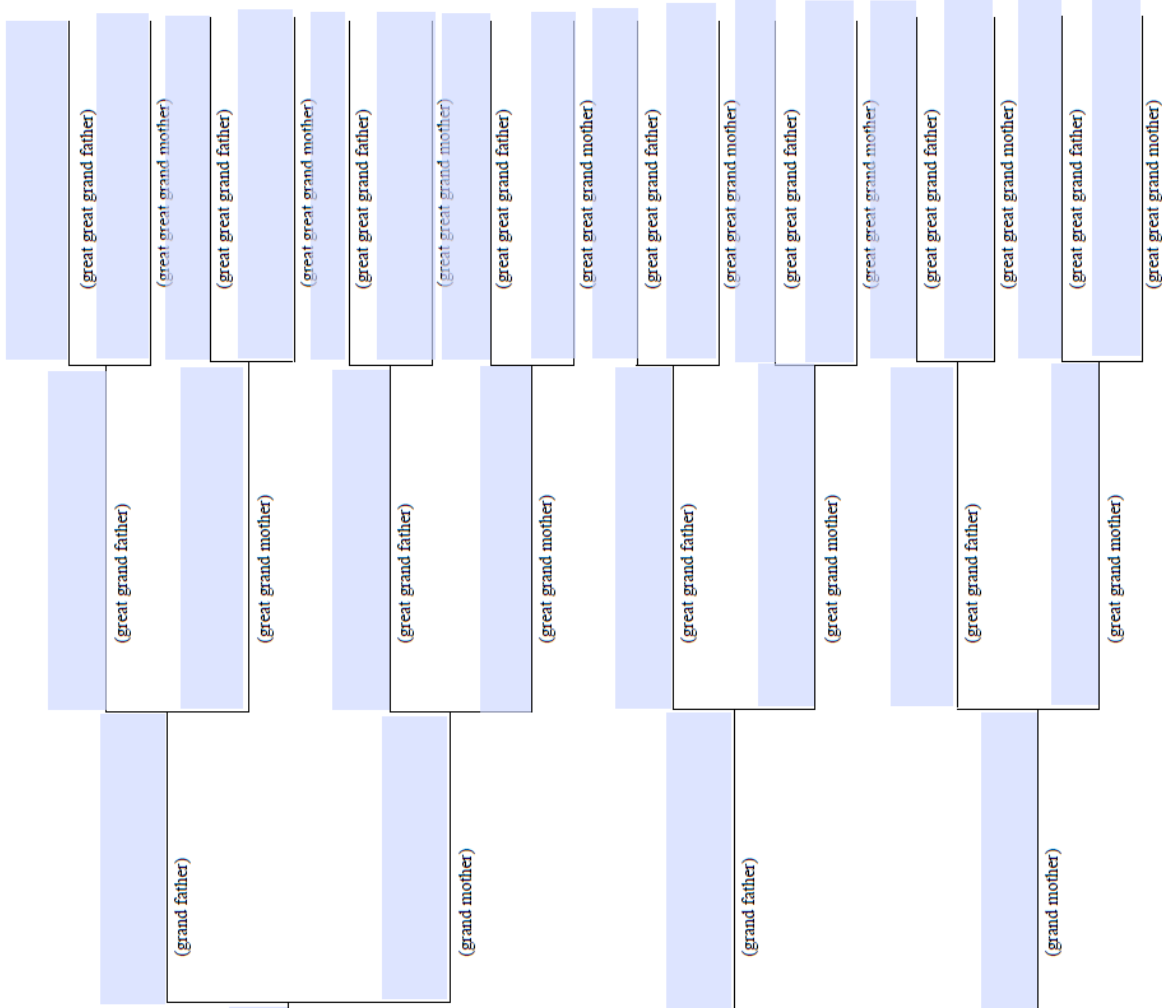
(father)

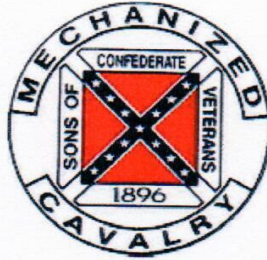
Include as much information about each person as you can.

Birth dates and places, place married, death date, place buried, etc. All info helps you trace your lineage. The Fields will accept just names. Print the sheet and add dates and other information

(mother)

(you)





**SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS
MECHANIZED CAVALRY**

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Date: _____

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Your Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip: _____ Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

SCV Camp and Referring SCV-Mechanized Cavalry Member Details:

Member of SCV Camp & Number: _____

SCV Membership ID # _____

Referred By SCV-Mechanized Cavalry Member: _____

Mechanized Cavalry # _____ SCV Membership ID # _____

Information you wish to share:

Co-Rider: _____ Motorcycle Type: _____

Print and Mail this completed form, **A Copy of Your SCV Membership ID card** and your \$100.00 check for a one-time non-refundable application fee. Any "service mark" distributed is on loan only, remaining the property of the organization. Applicant agrees to return "Service Mark" upon separation from Mechanized Cavalry.

Signature _____ Date _____

Contact Captain for rockers, NOT included in fee

Make check payable & Mail to: the Captain of the State you live in. To obtain the Captain's information go to Battalion State Organization on the Mechanized Cavalry website and click on the State on the map you're from.

2022 Camp 2292 Officers and Staff

Let us hear from you!

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Chaplain : Jack B.

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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.