

## IN MEMORIAM

**David S. Daubenmire** (1939 – 2006)

David S. Daubenmire, born April 12, 1939. Died April 10, 2016. Husband of **Martha L. (McKinney) Daubenmire**. Father of 2 sons and 1 daughter. David W. (Marsha) Daubenmire, J. Daniel (Christine) Daubenmire and Julia (Dewain) Rice. He has 5 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Marti is our WCGS corresponding secretary.

**Betty L. Greer** (1933-2016)

Betty Greer of South Lebanon was a WCGS Charter Member and later became a "Life Member" of our society. Betty died in Cincinnati on 29 Mar 2016. Her obituary may be viewed at

<http://www.obitsforlife.com/obituary/1299261/Greer-Betty.php>

**Phyllis Jean Watson** (1928-2016)

Phyllis was born 4 September 1928 and passed away March 22, 2016. She is the mother of our WCGS Vice President and Program Chair, Linda Eckert. See her obituary at <http://www.anderson-funeral.com/obituary/10132/>

## 8th ANNUAL CEMETERY RESTORATION WORKSHOP

It is time to sign up for our 8th Annual Cemetery Restoration Workshop. This year the clinic will be held Friday, June 3rd, 2016, from 9 am to 4 pm at the Wesley Chapel Cemetery. The cemetery is between Pleasant Plain and Blanchester on State Route 28 at the intersection of Morrow Woodville Road (County Road 24). The first known burial occurred here in 1840.

WESLEY CHAPEL, HARLAN TOWNSHIP

The Wesley Methodist Episcopal Church was organized about 1846, by Jacob Jackson, Joshua Thompson and others. The church was situated near Level, in Harlan Township, and was one of the most active country societies in the county, with a large membership.

Workshop attendees will spend a full day in the cemetery learning the proper techniques of cemetery restoration and repair ~ identifying, cleaning & repairing grave markers. This year's program will again be presented by the Graveyard Groomer from Connersville, Indiana. The cost of this all day event is only \$40 per person and includes a picnic lunch and a workbook that normally sells for \$20.

A flyer and registration form are attached. Attendance is limited so reserve your spot early.

For more information, visit the clinic website at <http://cemetery.springborohistory.org/2016/WesleyChapelCemetery.html> or contact our cemetery clinic chairman, Terry Easton at [Terry\\_Easton@cinci.rr.com](mailto:Terry_Easton@cinci.rr.com) or 513-294-8752.

## 35th ANNIVERSARY BANQUET Wednesday, April 20th 2016

Our banquet was a great success with 67 people joining us for the banquet and numerous others joining us for the program.

- Special recognition was given to **Harriet Foley** to honor her 30+ year service as Heir Lines editor.
- Five charter members were present: See photo of **Nancy Burge, Jan Beedle, Pat Johnson, Adele Blanton and Diana Linkous** at <https://flic.kr/p/Gj4ECj>
- Induction of thirteen new Lineage society members who proved their descent from over 30 Warren County pioneers and early settlers: **Sarah Colleen (Kendall) Jackson, David Allen Hamilton, Joan Carol (Venard) Strottman, Linda May (Hamilton) Sarver, Kathy Mae (Irwin) Edgington, Jeffrey E. Krueger, Randall J. Krueger, Robert Lucas Missroon Jr., Derryll Richard Franz, Deanne Faith (Franz) Lafayette, Tamera Sue Denise (Franz) Hartford and Hollee Janett (Franz) Raynor.**
- **Janice Lovelace** put on an informative presentation on Native American Genealogical Research.
- See Banquet photos on line at <https://www.flickr.com/gp/15663136@N08/s1Edke>

## REVOLUTIONARY WAR PATRIOTS MEMORIAL DEDICATION, APRIL 24, 2016

The Patriot's Day grave marking ceremony was conducted by the Cincinnati Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution [CCSAR] at our [Pioneer Cemetery](#) in Lebanon where a memorial has been placed honoring 19 Revolutionary War patriots. Included in the audience were over 14 descendants of those Patriots. Photos taken during the ceremony by CCSAR may be viewed at <https://flic.kr/s/aHskzkNwYt>. The patriots honored were:

**BAPTIST GRAVEYARD** (now north half of the Pioneer Cemetery)

Francis **Dunlavy**, Mary (Craig) **Dunlavy**, Joseph **Eddy**, Joseph **Lamb**

**METHODIST GRAVEYARD** (now south half of the Pioneer Cemetery)

Jacob **Earenfight**, Anthony **Geoghegan**, Robert **Hamilton**, Leonard **Peckinpough**, Matthias **Spinning**

**PRESBYTERIAN GRAVEYARD** (extinct – site now occupied by an automobile dealership)

Robert **Benham**, John Crawford **Bone**, James **Cowan Sr.**, Ezekiel **Irvin**, Samuel **Manning**, Lawrence **Monfort**, Peter **Perlee**, William **Russell**, John **Tharp**, Jonathan **Tichenor**.