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Giving Tuesday



The North Carolina Genealogical Society, chartered in 1974, is open to all who are interested in genealogical or historical research. Our goals are to:

- increase interest in and raise the standards of research and compilation by means of educational programs and publications;
- acquaint members with research sources and materials in North Carolina and elsewhere;
- serve as a medium of exchange of genealogical information;

- promote the collection, preservation, and utilization of manuscripts, documents, and other materials of genealogical and historical value.

NCGS has a long history of giving to the North Carolina genealogical community. To fulfill our mission and to continue to present our programs we now need your help.

This year, we are asking that you remember us on Giving Tuesday, 29 Nov 2022.

“[Giving Tuesday](#) is a global generosity movement that unleashes the power of radical generosity around the world. GivingTuesday was created in 2012 as a simple idea: a day that encourages people to do good. Over the past nine years, this idea has grown into a global movement that inspires hundreds of millions of people to give, collaborate, and celebrate generosity... GivingTuesday’s global network collaborates year-round to inspire generosity around the world, with a common mission to build a world where generosity is part of everyday life.”

By giving us your support on Giving Tuesday, we will be able to continue bringing quality programs and resources to North Carolina researchers.

Thank you
Michele Doyle
Executive Director, NCGS

[Donate to NCGS](#)

Discover our updated Resources Page!

The [NCGS Resources Page](#) just got a refresh! The new page makes it easy to discover resources provided by NCGS and to find dozens of valuable websites that may assist your genealogy research.

In Memoriam



Jeffrey L. Haines, 1964-2022

In October, we lost an outstanding genealogist and friend of NCGS. Jeff spoke at many of our conferences and was editor of the NCGS Journal from 2006 to 2011. He wrote the North Carolina volume of the NGS Research in the States series. He served a two-year term as president of the Association of Professional Genealogists and was president of the NC chapter for many years. His articles have appeared in many genealogical publications. Jeff will be remembered always as an outstanding member of our genealogical community and will be deeply missed.

Congratulations to the NCGS Award Winners



2022 NCGS Award Winners

The Award for Excellence in Web Presence: Cynthia Gage (Wake County Genealogical Society)

The Award of Excellence in Publishing a Book - A Book of Transcriptions

of an Original North Carolina Records: North Carolina Petitioners, Etc. 1780 [1775-1784] by John Stemmons

The Award for Excellence in Publishing - A Book of Family History Relevant to North Carolina: Calamity and Liberation: Barcos and Related Barkers (1861-1865) by David Leatherwood

The Award for Excellence in Publishing - A Publication Relevant to North Carolina Genealogy: Cherokee Supreme Court: 1823-1835 by Judge J. Matthew Martin

The Award for Outstanding Contribution to North Carolina Genealogy: Dr. Plummer "Al" Jones

Certificates of Appreciation

Kathy Ruse (Committee Work)

Martha Elmore (Committee Work)

Cyndi Deal and Irene Kittinger- Special recognition to Cyndi Deal for directing the digitization project to put the Wake County Cemetery Survey online and Irene Kittinger for the original survey work.

[Watch the Awards Presentation](#)

2022 Annual Meeting Recap

The NCGS Annual Meeting was held virtually during Member Appreciation Day on Saturday, October 15th. The proposed amendments to the bylaws passed without objection. The Nominating Committee, led by Gay Baynes, presented a slate of outstanding candidates for election to the board. Two new board members, Juli Anderson and Morgan Jackson, will begin their terms as directors on 1 January 2023. Beth Snyder, Treasurer, the Rev. Dr. W. Becket Soule, Secretary, and Renate Yarborough Sanders, Director and Publicity Chair, were reelected to a second term. Bill Cox and Judy Russell were elected to serve on the Nominating Committee.

Kathy Ruse is leaving the NCGS Board of Directors at the end of this year after serving two terms as Volunteer Chair. She will be receiving a Certificate of Appreciation in recognition of her contributions to the Society.

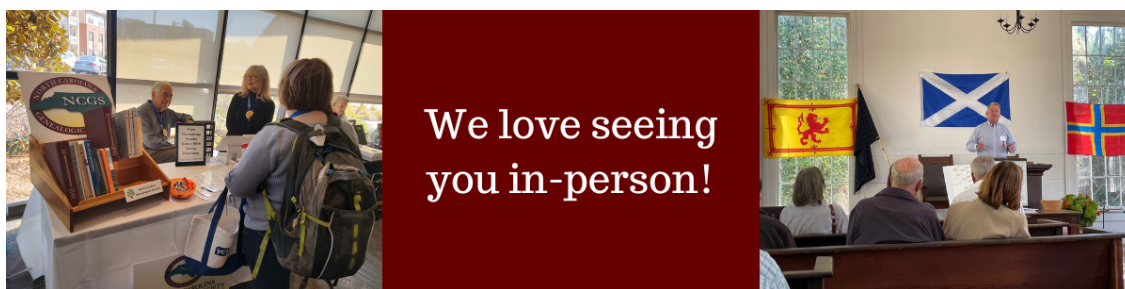
Thank you, all, for volunteering your time and talents to help lead the Society into the future!

Free Public Webinar Updated

Diane L. Richard's popular webinar, "How a Genealogist Uses the State Archives of North Carolina and the State Library of North Carolina", has been updated with new information. This webinar is freely available to everyone on the NCGS website.

[Check out the Webinar](#)

NCGS in the Community



We have been thrilled to connect with community members at recent in-person events. This past month we enjoyed the Cromartie Family Association Reunion and the York County Public Library Genealogical & Family History Expo. Read about our participation in these events on the NCGS Blog.

[Read the Blog Post](#)

About the North Carolina Genealogical Society (NCGS)

NCGS has been helping people discover their North Carolina heritage since 1974. We aim to raise research standards through educational programs and publications, acquaint members with North Carolina research sources, and promote

the preservation and access of genealogically significant materials.

Join today and uncover your Tar Heel story through our online resources, connection to our growing community of members, and exciting online and in-person educational opportunities.



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