

A Ceremony Dedicating a Granite Bench in honor of the

**250th Anniversary of the
Founding of the
United States of America
1776-2026**

**Johnson Square
28 Bull Street
Savannah, Georgia**

Across the street from Christ Episcopal Church

Wednesday, 13 July 2022, 3:30 PM



Sponsored by
Georgia Society Sons of the American Revolution
and
National Society Sons of the American Revolution



Welcome

John Trussell
Master of Ceremony
VP Central Region
Georgia Society SAR

Invocation

Dwight Elam
Chaplain General National Society SAR

Presentation of the Colors

Sons of the American Revolution Color Guard
T. Brooks Lyle, Jr.
Vice-Commander, National Society SAR Color Guard

Pledge of Allegiance

C. Bruce Pickette
Secretary General
National Society SAR

SAR Pledge

Robert Vinyard, Esq.
Edward Telfair Chapter
Georgia Society SAR


Greetings

Joseph L Vancura, Jr. Esq.
President
Georgia Society SAR

Welcoming Comments

Honorable Van R. Johnson
Mayor of Savannah

Detric Leggett
Savannah City Council, Alderman District Two



SAR Bench Unveiling—Johnson Square Park

Davis L. Wright

President General, National Society SAR

Patrick J. Niemann

Vice President General, South Atlantic District National Society SAR

K. Scott Collins

First Adjutant, National Society SAR Color Guard

J. Michael Tomme, Sr.

President General National Society SAR 2016-17

Co-Chairman Georgia Society SAR Congress Planning Committee

William Allen Greenly

Past Vice President General South Atlantic District

Co-Chairman Georgia Society SAR Congress Planning Committee

Roger Coursey

Co-Vice Chairman Georgia Society SAR Congress Planning Committee

SAR Recessional

J. Daniel McMichael

VP West Region Georgia Society SAR

Benediction

William N. Floyd, Jr.

Chaplain Georgia Society SAR

Special thanks to these individuals and chapters who contributed to the bench projects and the George Washington painting

David Jessel, Joe Vancura, Emil Decker, Bill Dobbs, Stephen Weaver, Jay Guest, Scott Collins, Bob Sapp, Charles Rann, D. Alan Smith, Tom Hewett, Craig Benton, Sonny Pittman, Warren Alter, Al Findley, Wayne Recknor, Jane Durden, Thomas Hughes,

Hugh Rogers, Georgia Fellow Fund, Dan McMichael, John Trussell

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Pledge of Allegiance

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America
and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God,
indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Sons of the American Revolution Pledge

We the descendants of the heroes of the American Revolution
who, by their sacrifices, established the United States of
America, reaffirm our faith in the principles of liberty and our
Constitutional Republic, and solemnly pledge ourselves to de-
fend them against every foe.

Sons of the American Revolution Recessional

Until we meet again, let us remember our obligations to our
Forefathers, who gave us our Constitution, the Bill of Rights, an
independent Supreme Court and a nation of Free Men.

