

Guest: President, Georgia Society SAR - William B. Dobbs II

**BIO:** "Bill," is a native Georgian and a lifelong resident of Covington. He holds an AA from Oxford College of Emory University and a BBA from Georgia College and State University. He also lettered in basketball, soccer, and tennis at GC&SU.

Bill worked in law enforcement for the City of Atlanta from 1980 to 1986. In 1986, he was asked by Governor Joe Frank Harris to come and work for him. After 30 years of service to five Georgia Governors, Bill retired from the Department of Economic Development in 2016. He remains a member of the Georgia Economic Developers Association and is a member of the Covington-Newton County Chamber of Commerce. He also serves on the Board of the Covington-Newton County Industrial Authority.

Bill joined the SAR in 1996, serving as the George Walton Chapter President for a total of 16 years. Bill served two years as an at-large member of the State Board Of Managers, three years as the Central East Regional Vice President, and most recently served as the Senior Vice President. On January 25th, he was installed as President of the Georgia Society SAR at our State's Annual Conference . Bill is a George Washington Fellow (National SAR) and a Georgia Fellow. Bill lives in Covington with his wife, Deborah, and daughter Bess, in a historic home built by a relative of Patrick Henry.