

## THOMAS "TOM" CHRISMAN – MOUNT VERNON SAR



### Contact Information:

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**Fees:** No fees to school, church, veteran, DAR and SAR groups.

**Travel Range:** Preference is within 50 miles of metro-Atlanta.

### Speaking Conditions:

**Audio-Visual Equipment** – Will need you to provide LCD/Projector that connects to my laptop for display of PowerPoint slides. Microphone/speaker system should be provided if desired if venue is larger.

### Biography:

Tom has been a resident of Atlanta since 1968. Earned his AA and BA degrees from Emory University in Clinical and Experimental Psychology. His career included mental health counseling, and 45 years in sales of eye-related surgical systems. Tom has been a genealogist since 2004, specializing in Colonial and Medieval history. Member in 30 hereditary societies including colonial and medieval societies.

- Member, Georgia Chapter, Association of Professional Genealogists
- Current and past offices held include:
  - Registrar General/Genealogist, National Society, Sons & Daughters of the Pilgrims
  - State Registrar/Genealogist, GA Society of the War of 1812
  - Genealogist, Georgia Society of Colonial Wars
  - Genealogist, Georgia Society, Sons of the American the Revolution
  - Registrar/Genealogist, Mt. Vernon Chapter, Sons of the American the Revolution (Dunwoody, GA)
  - Past SE District Registrar/Genealogist, Order of the Founders of North America
  - Past State Registrar/Genealogist, GA Branch, National Society of Sons & Daughters of Pilgrims
  - Past Registrar/Genealogist, Nathaniel Greene Chapter, Georgia Society, Sons of the Revolution
  - Past Registrar/Genealogist, Piedmont Chapter, Sons of the American the Revolution
  - Registrar/Genealogist for Piedmont SAR (2009-2014)
  - Registrar/Genealogist for SR (2014-2016)
  - Registrar/Genealogist for 1812 (2009-present)
  - Registrar/Genealogist for Founders of North America (2014)
  - Registrar/Genealogist for Colonial Wars (2009-present)

### Lecturing Credentials:

Member of Toastmasters International. Published author; speaker - topics include genealogical research.

**Specialty Lecture Topics:** Various Genealogy and Revolutionary War topics, can build specific presentations upon request

**Lecture Topics:** (can be presented in Colonial Army Militia Uniform upon request)

*Colonial Migration before the Revolution*

*Basics in Genealogy Research*

*Traveling Trunk* – A presentation to elementary and middle school students on the lifestyle of Colonial Americans, with examples of tools, utensils and other colonial artifacts. Presented in Colonial Officer Uniform

**For a current complete list or to develop a new lecture e-mail Tom Chrisman at [tomchrisman1@aol.com](mailto:tomchrisman1@aol.com)**