

Have you researched your family tree or just listened as the family stories were handed down from one generation to the next?

Do you know you have or think you have an ancestor who fought in or supported the American Revolution?

Do you want to make a difference in Heard County, and Georgia while helping preserve America's heritage?

## JOIN US!

***The James Stewart Chapter NSDAR is looking for you!***

Contact us today and let our members help you get started locating the information you need to prove your heritage.

**Find out what the DAR is all about!**

Visit the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution  
[www.dar.org](http://www.dar.org)

Visit the Georgia State Society of the NSDAR  
[www.georgiastatedar.org/](http://www.georgiastatedar.org/)

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## *Preserving the American Spirit...*



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*Daughters of the American Revolution*

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# About the DAR

The Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) is a volunteer service organization dedicated to promoting patriotism, preserving American history, and securing America's future through better education for children. The motto of the DAR is "God, Home, and Country".

DAR members volunteer more than 60,000 hours annually to veteran patients, award over \$150,000 in scholarships and financial aid each year to students, and support schools for the underprivileged with annual donations exceeding one million dollars.

As one of the most inclusive genealogical societies in the country, DAR boasts 165,000 members in 3,000 chapters across the United States and internationally. The DAR annual national meeting, is named after the original Continental Congress which governed the American Colonies. DAR Continental Congress attracts more than 3,000 members to Washington, D.C., each year.



Encompassing an entire downtown city block, DAR National Headquarters houses one of the nation's premier genealogical libraries, one of the foremost collections of pre-industrial American decorative arts, Washington's largest concert hall, and an extensive collection of early American manuscripts and imprints.

## Who Can Join the DAR

Any woman 18 years or older, regardless of race, religion, or ethnic background, who can prove lineal descent from a patriot of the American Revolution is eligible to join the DAR. Go to [www.dar.org](http://www.dar.org) to find out how or contact the James Stewart Chapter for help.

## The James Stewart Chapter NSDAR

The James Stewart Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution was organized in Heard County Georgia in 2000. The Chapter is a member of the Fourth District of the Georgia State Society of the NSDAR.

We are a small chapter but we have a big heart. We meet once a month and would love to share who we are and what we do with you. We can provide genealogy forms, research tips and help. We invite any women interested in the DAR to attend our meetings and get to know us. Call or email and we will be glad to help you with the application process or just answer questions you have.

## Chapter Projects and Activities

The DAR has many projects and activities for its members to support. This makes it easy for each member of our chapter to find a project or activity that means a lot to her. Here are just a few of the current projects and activities of our chapter members:

**Literacy Promotion:** Members help children or adults learn to read or speak the English language.

**Commemorative Events:** Members of our chapter celebrate special events that commemorate our nation's history. Come join us!

**Service to Veterans:** As one of our projects, we support the veterans in the Heritage Healthcare of Franklin. Join us in showing them how much we appreciate their service.

**DAR Schools:** We support the DAR approved schools by collecting box tops, soup labels, thrift, first aid supplies, school supplies, and after school snacks. You can help.

**The Constitution:** Come with us as we challenge ourselves to learn more about the Constitution and just what it means to us all. We support the local schools by donating flag pins and pocket Constitutions to the faculties and 4th grade students.

**Genealogical Records:** Research your family history or help others research their family histories.

**Women's Issues:** Each month we look at one of the many issues that women face. Come share ways to deal with issues of home, health, family, and work.

**American Indians:** We are learning about the Indians that once lived in our area and supporting the DAR Indian Schools that keep their heritage alive today.

**Conservation:** Our members aim to reduce our carbon footprints and we find it easy to do working together.

**Meadow Garden:** We support the Georgia State Society which preserves and funds this beautiful place, the home of one of the Georgia signers of the Declaration of Independence.

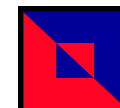
**The Flag of the United States:** Our Chapter is proud to place flags on the graves of our local veterans each year to honor their service to our country and to hand out Flag pins to local citizens.

**Historic Preservation:** Our chapter is a strong supporter of the preservation of historic sites and items.

Our chapter daughters are proud of our heritage and work to support the National and State Societies' projects while preserving our local heritage. Come to one of our meetings to learn more and find the project you want to help support!



Veteran's Day: Members of the James Stewart Chapter NSDAR presented a flag to the Heritage Healthcare Facility in honor of the veterans residing there.



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