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DALLAS GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
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eNews - December 2024

Join us Saturday, December 7th, at the Lakewood Branch for the DGS General Meeting

Join us at the Lakewood Branch of the DPL, at 6121 Worth Street, when John Slate presents "Genealogy Resources at the Dallas Municipal Archives."

While it may not be the first stop for a genealogist, the Dallas Municipal Archives has a number of resources that can be helpful in your search for family.

Please join John Slate, City Archivist, at this meeting for a brief review of what is and isn't in the Municipal Archives, and learn about its place in city government. The meeting will begin at 11 am Central time.



[Join The Call!](#)

From the DGS President's Desk



Our society recently reached a significant milestone on the Portal to Texas History when views of our publications passed the one million mark!

This is a remarkable achievement: 516 partners have images on the Portal, but the Dallas Genealogical Society is only the 31st partner to reach this milestone. DGS currently ranks 24th in total images viewed.

MORE INFO

DGS Vice President Sharon Bowles is TXSGS' Volunteer of the Year!

Congratulations to Sharon Bowles, DGS Vice President and TXSGS' Volunteer of the Year!

Each year, the Texas State Genealogical Society recognizes a statewide volunteer for their contributions to genealogy and their society.



READ MORE

DGS' blog wins first place in TXSGS Competition



The content from our newsletter is stored on the DGS website blog. We've been producing that content on the site since 2011, and we have [just won first prize](#) in the Texas State Genealogical Society competition for this effort.

Congratulations to the newsletter team and all the DGS volunteers who make our website shine!

Need Ideas for the Holidays?

We asked our Board and newsletter team for ideas on what to get as a gift for the genealogist in your life. Here's what they told us:

- The gift of time - "I'd love a week where I could just focus on genealogy."
- A subscription to GenealogyBank - a wonderful source of newspapers!
- Books - always more books!
- An on-call tech expert to help me use the latest genealogical tools.
- A ticket to RootsTech!



Welcome New DGS Members!

Welcome to:

- Evelyn Knowles
- Margo Ways

Margo is interested in researching family in Finland in the 20th century, and England in the 17th century. Learn more about members' research interests on our member research pages.



Upcoming Events

December DGS General Meeting
December 7th, 11:00 am

African American SIG
December 21st, 2 pm

DGS General Meeting
January 4th, 11:00 am

German Genealogy SIG
January 11th, 10:30 am

Best Practices SIG
January 25th, 10:30 am

All times given are Central time; view [our calendar](#) for more details

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