

March 14, 2020 Saturday (10 am) - 239th Commemoration of the Battle of Guilford Courthouse

Location: Guilford Courthouse National Military Park, 2332 New Garden Road, Greensboro, NC 27410

Details: This is a **National - level event**, of interest to the VASSAR and hosted by the NCSSAR, who will host a ceremony in remembrance of the men who fought and died in this pivotal battle of the American Revolution.

The Battle of Guilford Courthouse in North Carolina, on March 15, 1781, proved pivotal to victory in the American Revolutionary War (1775-83). Although British troops under Lieutenant General Charles Cornwallis (1738-1805) scored a tactical victory at Guilford Courthouse over American forces under Major General Nathanael Greene (1742-86), the British suffered significant troop losses during the battle. Afterward, Cornwallis abandoned his campaign for the Carolinas and instead took his army into Virginia, where in October of that year he surrendered to General George Washington (1732-99) following the Battle of Yorktown, the last major land battle of the war.

The Headquarters Hotel for the North Carolina Society will be:

[The Wyndham Garden – Greensboro](#)

415 S Swing Rd

Greensboro, NC 27409

336-299-7650

Room reservations may be made by calling the hotel at 336-299-7650 and requesting the “Sons of the American Revolution” room rate of **\$99 + tax**...includes a free breakfast! **The cut-off date for hotel room reservations is March 6, 2020.** A reception will be held at 5:00 pm on Friday, 13 March at the hotel.

The ceremony will begin Saturday morning with a Procession from the side of the Visitor Center to the Nathanael Greene Monument precisely at 10:00 am. Wreaths should be presented to the Visitor’s Center no later than 9:30 am to allow the Park Service time to transport them over to the monument.

In order for all presenters to be listed in the program, all **RSVPs MUST** be received no later than close of day Monday, **9 March, 2020.**

[RSVP Online Now!](#)

or

[Download the Paper RSVP Form](#)

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Weather:
Attendees:
