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HONORARY MEMBERSHIPS

Colonel Benjamin Walker Hawes
(1900-1988)

Mildred and Jack Foster
Lewisport, Kentucky

Anna Hawes Greaves (1912-1999)

Helen Hawes Hudgins
Franklin, Tennessee



MEMORIAL MEMBERSHIPS

Dorothy Horn Hawes (1912-1989)
Anna Lewis Hawes (1855-1937)
Edwin Combe Hawes (1856-1928)
Lloyd Clark Hawes (1916-1981)
Betty Lou (Carlton) Wilhoyte (1925-1993)
Dr. Oscar Garth Fitzhugh (1901-1994)
Mrs. Oscar Garth Fitzhugh (1904-1994)
Thomas J. Abbott, Jr. (1929-1994)
Louise Hawes Applegate (1907-1995)
Robert Taylor Haase (1911-1996)
Camilla (Gillette) Haase (1918-1996)
Lucille Mae Russell (1911-1996)
Edith McCallum Howard (1910-1997)
Colonel Edwin Hugh Hawes (1912-1945)
John Anthony Seaman, Jr. (1918-1997)
Hugh Adrian Hawes (1922-1992)
Nancy Sparling Burkhardt (1926-2001)
Edwin Hawes III (1923-1998)



WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS

Hugh Young
Norman, Oklahoma

Mrs. Patsy Hall
Thomson, Georgia

Mrs. Donna Simcox
Ivey, Georgia

Happy Easter

Purpose of The Hawes Family Association:

To continue to collect and preserve family histories of Hawes people and allied families; to share our knowledge of family histories and to strengthen extended family ties.

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

by Susan Foster

With the harbingers of spring arriving daily in Kentucky, can Easter be far behind? My favorite spring heralds are the daffodils. Every spring, the front field at my Dad's house dances with the bright yellow and green hues against the drab brown field. With their appearance everyone knows that warm weather and garden-planting time is near; this is a time of renewal and a time of hope.

In my last column I asked you to send me your family traditions. (I'm still waiting!!!) Little did I know that our family was to be treated first-hand to a Hawes family tradition right here in Maceo! Last Sunday our family piled into the car and drove over the hill for just a few minutes to the home of Ben Taylor, his lovely wife, Sandi and daughter, Ashley. Ben is the great-grandson of Susan Elizabeth Hawes and his family's property line was adjacent to my family's property line many years ago, so the daffodils that cover the Taylor's yard remind me that our great-grandmothers must have enjoyed these same bulbs and cheerful jonquils appearing as splotches of sunshine over a hundred years ago!

Ben left Maceo after high school and went on to pursue an exciting and rewarding career in genetics. Their family returned in 2000 to renovate the old family home place. Today the home has been restored and added to and they have done a truly magnificent job keeping the integrity of the home while adding all the modern conveniences. Their home is now a lovely blend of restored splendor, traditions, and blessed modern conveniences.

A few weeks ago Sandi invited our family to join them in one of their spring family traditions – Ukrainian Egg Decorating! The Taylors lived in Maine for many years and there Sandi and Ashley learned how to do this very involved type of egg decorating. Making these eggs requires beads of hot beeswax placed in patterns on farm eggs (the store-bought ones are not as good as they are too brittle and they also have raised areas on the shells) and then dying the egg in a series of dyes as more beeswax is placed on the egg. Finally, the egg is placed in a warm oven to melt the beeswax and all of the beautiful dyes make the pattern. Creating these masterpieces requires alternating artisan applications of hot beeswax with beautiful dyes until finally the egg is placed in a warm oven to melt the wax and reveal individual/personal gems and works of art.

So just as I imagine our great grandmothers sharing spring bulbs, the Taylors introduced us to a tradition we hope to share with their family and ours for years to come. This is how family traditions begin and spread – one family sharing their tradition with another! Our family can hardly wait until next year to decorate the eggs!



HAWES ARRIVAL

Faith Lynn Hawes, daughter of Chris & Rhonda Hawes of Bloomington, Texas, was born on January 28, 2002. She is the granddaughter of David & Helen Hawes of Port O'Connor, Texas and the great, great, great, great, great granddaughter of Richard & Clary Walker Hawes.

KENTUCKY HAWES FAMILY REUNION – 2002

The Hawes family reunion will be held at the Yellow Creek Park near Owensboro on **June 23, 2002**. The doors will open at the shelter around 12:00 and we will plan to eat between 1:00 and 1:30 in order to allow for the folks to get home from church.

Please plan to bring enough food to feed your own family! We will provide ice for drinks, paper plates and cutlery and table decorations! We will be asking for a \$10.00 per FAMILY donation to cover expenses - next year the parks department will begin charging for rental of the shelter. **Looking forward to seeing everyone!** [Susan Foster, PO Box 100, Maceo, KY 42355]

GONE AHEAD TO A BETTER PLACE TO WAIT FOR US

Davis & Mary Lou Hopkins sent in a copy of the obituary, for Forrest Moody Glaze, the last grandson of Henry Norman Glaze, which appeared in the Houston Chronicle on March 4, 2002 and is condensed below. Forrest was the great grandson of Henry Harvey & Mary Anne (Hawes) Glaze and the gr-gr grandson of David & Susannah (Norman) Glaze and Peyton & Elaine (Moseley) Hawes. His gr-gr-gr grandparents were Isaac & Phoebe Hawes, Jr.

FORREST MOODY GLAZE died Friday, March 1, 2002, at age 92. He was born April 3, 1909 in Mercury, Texas. He received a BA degree from Daniel Baker College in Brownwood, Texas and a Masters Degree in Administrative Education from the University of Houston in 1951. During his career he served as a teacher, athletic coach, principal and superintendent for a total of forty-three years. He was an active member of the Alief Community Church since 1949. He also served as Chairman and a member on the Harris County Water Control Board in the Alief area. He was a Mason and became a Master Mason in 1947. He worked with the Boy Scouts and served as District Commissioner. He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Corbin, Peyton, and Travis; sisters, Mary Glaze and Norma Letbetter; niece, Mary Jo McDonnel and daughter-in-law, Lisa Skaggs. He is survived by his wife, Virginia; stepson, Travis Skaggs; and granddaughters, Kaylie and Kyndall Skaggs. Pallbearers were Don Coquat, Gene Weidemyer, Kevin Ferrari, Ervin Rees, Alan Rees, and Craig Rees. Visitation was on March 6, 2002 at Forest Park Westheimer Funeral Home. Funeral services were on Thursday, March 7, 2002 at Alief Community Church and there was a graveside service on Friday, March 8, 2002 in Richland Springs Cemetery. Pastors Ron Davidge and Ron McDonnel officiated at the services. In lieu of flowers, the family suggested memorials to Alief Community Church, PO Box 56, Alief, Texas 77411.

EDWIN HAWES III (1923 – 1998), Newest Memorial Member of Association

The following is from "A Tribute To Daddy", compiled by his children after the death of Edwin Hawes III. It previously appeared in the October 1998 newsletter. I am reprinting it in this issue, as Edwin Hawes III becomes our family association's newest memorial member, with the permission of Helen Hawes Hudgins.

Edwin Hawes III, "Pop Paw" to his grandchildren, was born on July 29, 1923 to Katherine Grizzard and Edwin Hawes, Jr. in Wharton, Texas. He grew up on Resident Street, just a short walk from his grandmother's custard and his grandfather's lessons in frugality. The neighborhood was filled with mothers sitting on their porches looking after their barefoot boys, little Ed along with the Nelsons, Sorrels, Tripulases, Harrisons, Bobby Kleas, and Trav Smith, most of whom would later become charter members of the Woman-Hater's club. They didn't stay members of that club forever. In 1945, Ed found the perfect "Lily" of a mate, our mom, and his inseparable companion for fifty-three years.

Daddy attended the Wharton Schools and Allen Academy and graduated from Texas Military Institute in San Antonio and Sterner Institute in Kerrville. His cousin Edwin Hugh Hawes, whom Daddy respected and loved dearly, would pick him up in his airplane from TMI and fly to Matagorda Island, where the Hawes boys would spend their time living off the land. He quickly learned not to eat oysters in the summertime or to leave the protection of an enclosed environment without covering himself with mud or oil (to keep off mosquitoes). He grew up to be a crack-shot marksman and avid fisherman as a result of those summers.

Dad was a master of many things. He studied law under his father's tutelage and throughout his life worked so very hard to ensure his family's well being. He also studied the ways of life that his family had known for hundreds of years, cattle ranching and farming. His love for the land would be passed along to his children and grandchildren.

He sailed the Gulf Coast with Mother as his first mate. As he and mother rebuilt their home, he was more likely to learn electrical wiring than to pay someone to do the job for him.

He was an avid reader of Texas history, and if you open a book next to his chair today, you will find his corrections penned in the margins.

Dad loved our mother, white Dutch clover, his tractor and his children and grandchildren, Caroline, Lily, Hawes, and Jane, reminding us that the future lay in their hands.

Just as his father and grandfather before him, Dad preferred to be close to the blue of the sky and green of a pasture. Most of all he loved to take a ride in the evening to check on the cows, with Lily right beside him. Goodnight, Daddy.

THINGS DAD PASSED ALONG TO US:

Always be a good steward for the land you've been given, it's just passing through your hands on the way to future generations. Look for straight back and broad hindquarters for a good bull. Always close a gate you just opened. A penny earned is a dollar saved. Be respectful of God, your parents and your country. Pay your taxes and VOTE. Always tell the truth. Don't take any short cuts, dot all the i's and cross all the t's - - again! To be happy is the greatest feeling.

HORTON FOOTE, HAWES DESCENDANT & COUSIN

To name a few of his accomplishments, Horton Foote is a screenwriter, playwright, and author. He received two Oscars; the first for *To Kill a Mockingbird*, in 1963 for Best Writing for a Screenplay based on material from another medium, and the second for *Tender Mercies*, in 1984 for Best Writing for a Screenplay written directly for the screen. He received an Oscar nomination for *The Trip to Bountiful*, in 1986 and an Emmy for *Old Man*, in 1997 for Outstanding Writing for a Miniseries or a Special. These are only some of his most prestigious awards, there were many more, including the Medal of Honor he received from President Clinton.

Additionally, Horton Foote received a Pulitzer Prize for Drama for his play *The Young Man from Atlanta*, in 1995.

Our esteemed cousin was born on March 16, 1916 in Wharton, Texas, grew up there and still lives there in the family home. But he has ventured far into the world and has many accomplishments. He became an actor, leaving home at the age of sixteen to attend an acting school in Pasadena, California. His goal was to be a stage actor in New York City and he achieved his goal as a young man. Horton found his greatest successes in writing about the people in the small town South that he knows so well, bringing them to life in his plays and books. Horton is a widower with grown children; his beloved wife Lillian Vallish Foote died several years ago.

Horton is the author of *Farewell, A Memoir of a Texas Childhood*, published in 1999. The sequel *Beginnings, A Memoir* was published last fall. I can highly recommend both books.

Albert Horton Foote, Jr. is better known as Horton Foote and this is his Hawes line. He is the great, great, great grandson of Richard & Clary Walker Hawes. His great, great grandparents were Hugh Walker & Corilla Calhoun Hawes, his great grandparents were Robert John & Mary Hawes Horton, his grandparents were Albert Harrison & Corilla Horton Foote, and his parents were Albert Horton & Harriet Gautier Brooks Foote, Sr.

PLANS FOR A 2002 FAMILY HISTORY JOURNEY

Molly Hawes Rader and I will journey northeast from Corpus Christi, Texas to Solomon's Island, Maryland, beginning May 29, 2002. Our trip will last from two to three weeks.

Our main objective is to visit Woodpecker, the home built in about 1750 by Samuel Hawes II in Caroline County, Virginia. But along the way, we plan to meet in person some other descendants of the first Samuel Hawes.

We will try to arrange for a family group visit to Woodpecker, for sometime in the next year or two.

From the Hancock County, Kentucky Census of 1850

Name	Age	Occupation	Born	Value
Hawes, Edwin **	42	Farmer & Lawyer	Virginia	\$21,200
Cary Ann	35		Kentucky	
Eliza N.	17	In School	Kentucky	
Richard	15	In School	Kentucky	
George T.	13	In School	Kentucky	
James G.	11	In School	Kentucky	
Clara	8	In School	Kentucky	
Margaret F.	6		Kentucky	
Samuel	4		Kentucky	
Cary Ann	2		Kentucky	

**Son of Richard & Clary Walker Hawes of Kentucky.

Elizabeth Hawes Buckner (1759-1838)

Elizabeth Hawes was born November 20, 1759 in Caroline County, Virginia, the daughter of Samuel Hawes II & Anne Walker Hawes. She died on March 4, 1838 in Caroline County, Virginia. On May 25, 1780, Elizabeth married Thomas Buckner, Jr., son of Thomas Buckner, Sr. & Judith Presley Thornton Buckner. Thomas, Jr. was born August 31, 1755 in Caroline County, Virginia and died April 5, 1805 in Caroline County, Virginia.

Children of Elizabeth Hawes and Thomas Buckner, Jr. are: (1) Walker Buckner, b. March 7, 1781, at *Deep Spring*, Caroline Co., VA; d. 1855, Cane Ridge, Bourbon Co. KY. He married Elizabeth Walker Buckner, dgt. of Robert & Mary Hawes Buckner.

(2) Benjamin Hawes Buckner, b. November 3, 1782; d. December 6, 1854. He married Elizabeth Garnett Gatewood. (3) Ann Walker Buckner, b. May 24, 1784; d. December 25, 1853. She married Charles Taliaferro Thornton. (4) William Thomas Buckner, b. January 29, 1786; d. August 15, 1849. He married (1st) Mary Monroe Buckner, dgt. of William & Elizabeth Monroe Buckner & (2nd) Sarah Clay, dgt. of Henry Clay, Jr. & Peggy Helm Clay. (5) Richard Buckner, b. January 20, 1789. (6) Mary Aylett Buckner, b. November 29, 1790; she married William Thomas Catesby Woodford, son of Catesby & Mary Buckner Woodford, in October 1807. (7) Charlotte Buckner, b. August 18, 1792; d. 1794. (8) Francis Thornton Buckner, b. February 12, 1794 in Caroline Co., VA; d. October 1795 in Caroline Co., VA. (9) William Aylett Buckner, b. July 14, 1798; d. August 11, 1886 in Natchez, Mississippi; he married Charlotte Ferguson, dgt. of David & Jane Dunbar Ferguson. (10) Eleanor Elizabeth Giles Buckner, b. November 1799; d. 1852. She married Benjamin Francis Bedford, Jr., son of Benjamin Francis & Frances Clay Bedford, Sr. (11) Ellen Buckner, b. abt. 1803; d. abt. 1803. (12) Samuel Hawes Buckner, b. November 18, 1801; in Caroline Co., Virginia; d. 1877 in Independence, Missouri. He married Louisa Malvina Dodge.

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information for the new
memorial member, made out
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Memorial Members

We now have eighteen memorial
members, with the addition of
Edwin Hawes III.

I would like to include in a future
newsletter a write-up about each of
the first fifteen, similar to what we
have done for the most recent three.
Naturally, this will require
information from those of you
whom arranged for the memorial
memberships originally. One of the
memorial memberships is for my
father, Lloyd Clark Hawes.

It is my intention to honor each
of our memorial members, perhaps
one or more each quarter until all
have been so honored. But your
help will be required. Let me hear
from you.

Dear Family & Friends,

Last quarter I mentioned that I took a trip
to New York City and Chicago, with my
granddaughter Angela Johnson. She was
auditioning for acting schools. New Actors
Workshop in New York City has accepted her for
their fall class. She will graduate from Texas
A&M University - Corpus Christi this summer
and then go to acting school. I am very proud of
her.

Our cousin Kathy Keegahn of Bellingham,
Washington has been visiting in Beeville, Texas
for about two months. Kathy is making
arrangements for her mother Kathleen Koch
Beyette to relocate to Bellingham to be near her.
Kathy is her only child. It was so nice to meet
both mother and daughter. I wish I could meet
all of you. Kathy is a descendant of Hugh Walker
Hawes. Her grandmother Irene Hawes Beyette is
the sister of my grandfather Lloyd William
Hawes.

My special thanks to Laverne Hawes Young
and Joan Pridgen for spreading the word about
our family association and for being responsible
for the addition of three new members this
quarter. And another thank you to both of you
for all of the family tree information you sent to
me. I am grateful for your help.

Helen Hawes Hudgins has been in touch and I
know you will be pleased to hear that she is doing
very well. She sends me Hawes family
information frequently.

The mailman's stop at our home is always a
highlight for me. I look forward to receiving
cards and letters from you. Please keep them
coming with your Hawes and allied family
information and stories, both old and new.

I hope all of you had a wonderful Easter and
that your spring weather has been all that you
could have wished. Here in Corpus Christi we
have had some beautiful days, but we need rain.

Next quarter I will report to you about my
visit to Woodpecker, in Caroline County,
Virginia.

Sincerely,

