



From Småland, Sweden, to Big Land Texas



Would you like the opportunity to remember your Swedish heritage through a memorial contribution? It is the Williamson County Historical Museum's goal to uncover and share the unique history of our county and state with the public. One of the driving forces behind the settlement, prosperity, and growth of Williamson County and Texas is our Swedish immigrant population.

Remember the hard work, dedication, and ingenuity of the pioneering Swedish settlers and their descendants through memorial contributions in the name of family members. Memorial contributions will be used to sponsor the Williamson County Historical Museum's newest exhibit, *From Småland, Sweden, to Big Land Texas*, opening on Saturday, January 26, 2008.

The WCHM is now accepting contributions* for this project at the following levels:

- \$1,000- Memorialize up to 10 family members
- \$500- Memorialize up to 8 family members
- \$250- Memorialize up to 6 family members
- \$100- Memorialize up to 4 family members
- \$50- Memorialize 2 family members
- \$25- Memorialize 1 family member

**Please note that contributions to this project can be made anonymously as well.*

All contributors to the project will receive the following:

- Family member(s) name(s) will be included on a memorial plaque in the exhibit, on the Swedish Immigration educational traveling trunk, and on the subsequent traveling exhibit. Donor name will be included on memorial plaque as well.
- Photograph(s) of the family member(s) memorialized will be included on the Museum's website (www.wchm-tx.org) for the duration of the exhibit. A digital slide show of these photos will run at the Museum during the first week the exhibit is open to the public.
- Memorial plaque and website will include name of individual memorialized, birth and death (if applicable) dates and area of settlement.
- Invitation to a private sneak peek reception at the Museum to view the exhibit on Friday, January 25, 2008, before it opens to the public.
- Invitation to exhibit opening and lecture at the restored Williamson County courthouse on Saturday, January 26, 2008, where all memorialized individual(s) will be announced.

For additional information or details on how you can support this project, please contact Chris Dyer, Museum Director, at cdyer@wilco.org or 512.943.1670.

The Williamson County Historical Museum is a 501(c) (3), non-profit organization with the mission of sharing the exciting history of Williamson County through innovative educational programs, events, and exhibits. Contributions to WCHM are tax deductible in accordance with current IRS regulations.

1. NAME (limit to 40 characters per individual)

BIRTH & DEATH DATES (limit to 9 characters per individual)

AREA OF SETTLEMENT (limit to 20 characters per individual)

DONOR NAME TO BE DISPLAYED ON MEMORIAL (limit to 30 characters)

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