



Genealogical Research Institute of Virginia

Who We Are

- * Not-for-profit, all-volunteer organization established in 1981
- * Supported by an ever-growing membership of family historians and Certified Genealogists nationwide

What We Do

- * Virtual programming
- * Lectures six times a year on a wide variety of topics by noted speakers
- * Annual Fall Conference
- * Special Interest Groups: DNA SIG, chat sessions
- * Workshops on research techniques and technology
- * *GRIVA News & Notes*, quarterly newsletter

Community Service

- * GRIVA educates family historians in person, online, and in-print
- * GRIVA offers many programs at no charge to non-members
- * GRIVA provides expert speakers to civic groups and libraries
- * GRIVA's popular past programs can be viewed on YouTube
<https://www.youtube.com/@GRIVAgenealogy>
- * GRIVA's Andrew Hogwood Memorial Fund supports activities advancing the study of family history
- * GRIVA's Historic Preservation Fund identifies and adopts documents of significance in need of conservation
- * GRIVA is a member and supporter of the National Genealogical Society (NGS).

Membership Benefits

- * *GRIVA News & Notes* delivered to your email box
- * Discounts on society sales and events
- * Access to members-only section of GRIVA.org

Visit GRIVA Online

- * GRIVA.org provides information on GRIVA news, activities, and events
- * Visit GRIVA on Facebook
facebook.com/GRIVAgenealogy
- * Follow GRIVA on Twitter
[@grivagenealogy](https://twitter.com/grivagenealogy)
- * mail@GRIVA.org

Not ready to join GRIVA yet? Visit griva.org and subscribe to the weekly *GRIVA Notes* to be notified of GRIVA events via email.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Date ____/____/____

Name (Please print clearly)

Address

City

State Zip+4

Phone

Email

MEMBERSHIP FEES

	<u>1 year</u>	<u>2 years</u>
___ Individual/Institutional	\$20	\$35
___ Family (for two people).....	\$25	\$45
___ Supporter	\$40	\$75

(All GRIVA membership benefits and provides an extra donation to help support GRIVA.)

Contributions above the membership fee are tax deductible as GRIVA is a 501(c)(3) organization.

Mail this form with check payable to GRIVA:
PO Box 29178, Henrico, VA 23242-0178.

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Note in the memo box your membership level and, if you wish, details of a donation.

GRIVA

The Genealogical Research Institute of Virginia (GRIVA) was organized in 1981 to promote accurate genealogical and historical research.

* GRIVA promotes fellowship and cooperation among genealogists and family historians through regularly scheduled events and publications.

* GRIVA members support the preservation and dissemination of historically significant records.

* GRIVA members actively participate in indexing and transcription projects to increase access to historical records.

* GRIVA encourages an interest in genealogical research among coming generations.

GRIVA's Mission

GRIVA promotes, fosters, and encourages serious and accurate genealogical and historical research through instructions, lectures, seminars, workshops, field trips, and publications.

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