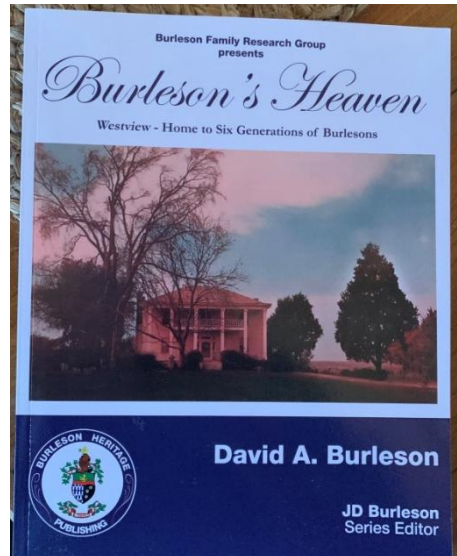
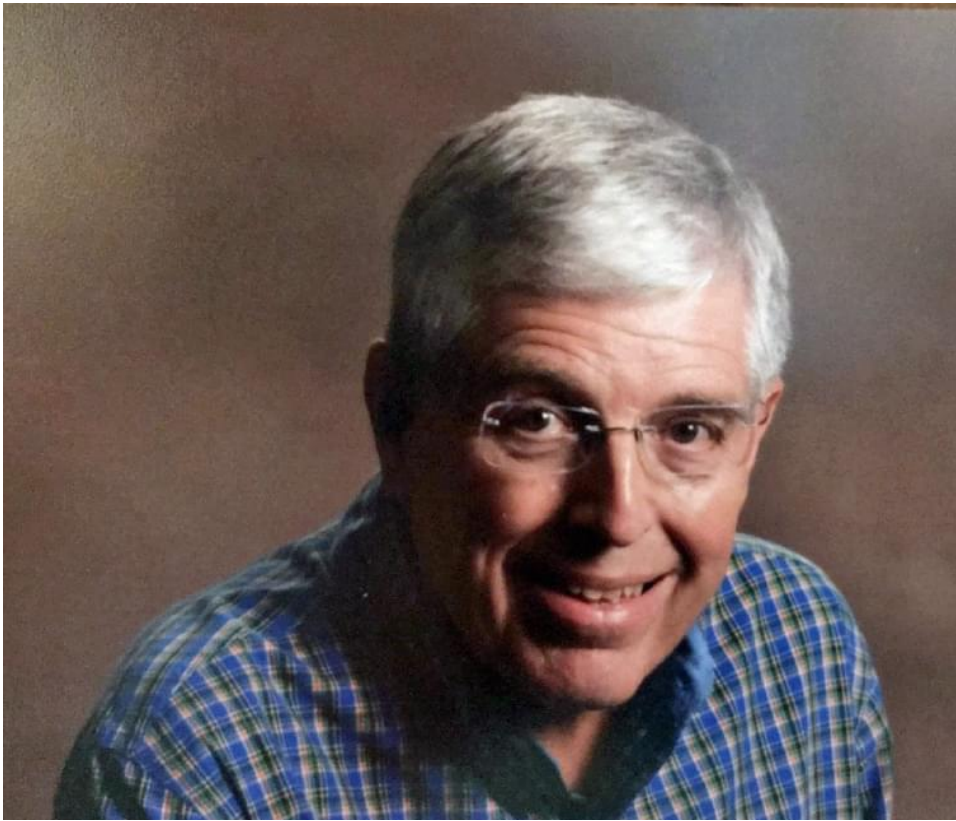


## David A Burleson

Our “Decatur Dave” is actually a resident of Hartselle, Alabama. His historic home, Westview is known to many of you as “Burleson Heaven” which was published in book form by Burleson Heritage Publishing. Dave has been remarkably busy this summer repainting the mansion and tackling the trim work necessary for the grounds.

Dave will be back with us next issue as he enlightens us on the “Life and Travels of John Burleson Jr. which included excursions into Illinois. He will also deliver an article on brother, James Burleson who remained in Alabama.

He and wife, Anne recently were blessed with new granddaughter, Florence. She is the daughter of Forrest & Erin also of the Decatur area.



*It is difficult to see from the pristine view capture on the cover of Burlesons Heaven just how hard it is to stay ahead of the upkeep of the grounds. Dave has his hands full with the ongoing chores required.*

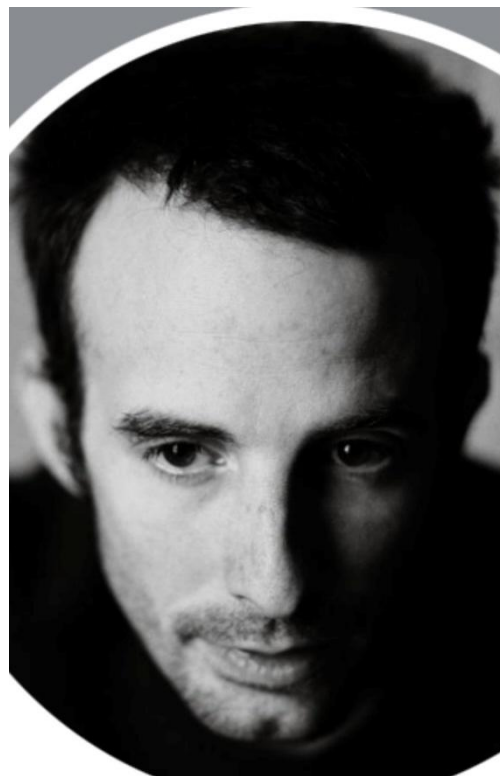
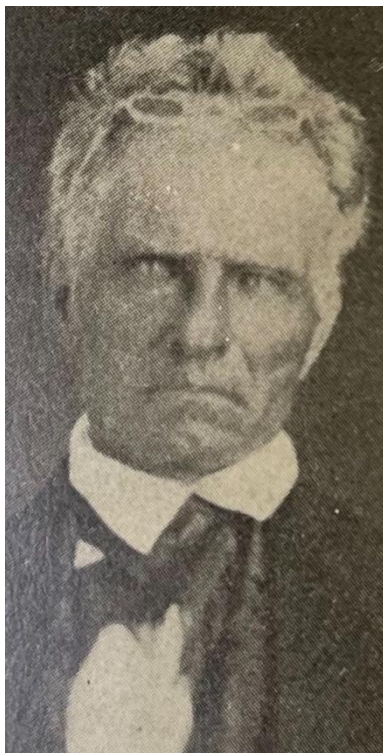


Born 7/19/23

7 lbs. & 15 oz.

19 inches long

So many of you Burlesons have been observed over the years as having a long, straight almost stern looking nose. We have heard of certain branches as having the “Burleson Ears”. Dave as identified an oft recurring trait of a dimpled chin in his group. Below you again see baby Florence alongside Dave’s great great great grandfather, Jonathan Burleson, Dave’s son Forrest, brother William Forrest, and his nephew Jay. What do you think?



Jay Burleson, pictured lower right, will be featured in October’s Recollections.  
He produces and directs horror films.

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