

## Restorations of Burleson Family Cemeteries

We at the Burleson Family Research Group have been concerned about the deterioration of our family cemeteries. We all have ancestors buried in them and we want to ensure that they are maintained for future generations.

I would like to detail the work that has been done and the measures taken by the BFRG. This was our first project and as you can see we had a good turn out and everyone worked hard and we all had a very enjoyable day.

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### Protecting burial sites

The Burleson Family Research Group met Dec. 4, 1999, at the burial place of an ancestor, Isaac Burleson, who fought in the American Revolutionary War, to erect a fence around the gravesite in order to protect the headstones from curious animals in the area. His grave is in an ancient family cemetery located on Dale Burris' farm on Dusty Road near the Red Cross community. A large number of people came out to help and when they finished all their hard labor, there was a beautiful fence of black posts with silver chains looping between them surrounding the many graves. The funds for this project were raised at the last Burleson Family Reunion, which is held the third Sunday in October in the DAN Building at Burleson Square on N.C. 24-27 Bypass. The BFRG will meet Monday at 6 p.m. in the downstairs meeting room at the library. For more information, call John H. Burleson at 982-0660 or Aaron Lorch at 474-7805.

Isaac Burleson Sr.'s Grave Site  
Dusty Road, Stanly County, NC



Saturday December 4th, 1999

L/R Alvin and Louise Burleson, JD Burleson, Daniel Burleson, Coolidge Eudy, John and Nancy Woodward Burleson, PK Burleson, Richard Burleson, David Almond, Jeff and Justin Burleson, Claude Burleson, Larry Burleson and Aaron Lorch.



Before

The next project was to clean up and put a fence around Burleson Cemetery II.



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