

The photo on the right was taken last spring of the Burleson Cemetery #2 on Parker Road. The BFRG had a workday on January 17, 2004. Below is a photo taken after the work was complete. Members present doing the work were, John H. and Nancy Burleson, Johnny Paul, Kenneth, Don, Dale Burleson, Mack Hopkins and Travis Dry. Hilda Burleson Snuggs and Klon Del Burleson Nunn provided a great lunch for all the workers.



Workday at Burleson Cemetery #2

Top left John H. Burleson, top right, Mac Hopkins, Bottom right Kenneth Burleson, Bottom left Kenneth and Johnny Paul Burleson



Working Together! - Burleson II Cemetery

Members of the Burleson Family Research Group along with friends from Stanly County met on Saturday January 17, 2004 to complete a task they had been planning for a number of weeks...the clean up of the Burleson II Cemetery. The Burleson II Cemetery is located on Parker Road in Stanly County. Trees had to be trimmed, holes had to be dug, posts had to be set and the trimmings and brush had to be cleaned up or burned.

There to help was Don, Kenneth, Johnny Paul, John Hoyle, Dale and Nancy Burleson, and Mac Hopkins. Mac brought his tractor with an auger attachment and Johnny Paul drove the tractor while Mac lined up the auger. This was a fantastic time saver. All the holes were dug in just over an hour. John used his chainsaw to cut down branches and small trees and Don, Kenneth, and Dale picked up the branches and brush and piled it on the bonfire. Nancy kept her eye on the fire so it wouldn't spread. After this was done, all the men worked on setting the posts and pouring some cement around them to keep them from tilting. (John came back the next week and added the chain after the posts were set).

As they completed the work J.D Burleson and Travis Drye came by to check it out. Back at Lena's Farmhouse preparing a fantastic lunch for the workers were Klon Del Nunn and Hilda Snuggs. They served us up some delicious baked spaghetti, chili, salad and various deserts. It was so good to see everyone working together toward the preservation of this cemetery.

Next in line on the BFRG list for clean up and repair is the Susie Harwood Cemetery on Rowland Road near Big Bear Creek. That'll be another story! Nancy L. Burleson