



THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

By Marty Humphrey

Despite a few minor hitches, the dedication of the Belt Railroad Historical Marker was a success, continuing the Society's mission to rediscover, perpetuate and preserve the history of the Northside and Stockyards. The Society is proud to have sponsored 12 historical markers in the Stockyards and commissioned the bronze, The Bulldogger. We hope to continue this mission and to bring the history of the real Stockyards to our community and to the many visitors who travel to Fort Worth and visit the Stockyards.

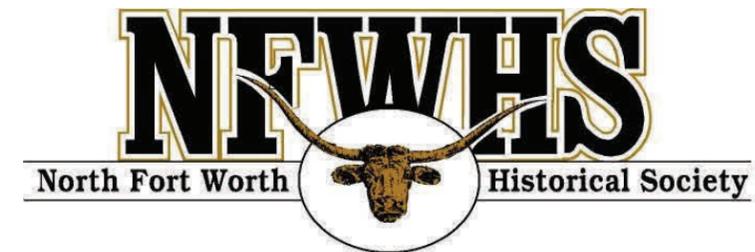
Thanksgiving Day has come and gone, but giving thanks shouldn't be reserved for only one day a year. Stop and think of the many people who we should be thankful for: Each day we are protected by men and women who have answered a call to be our guardians-the police officer, firefighter, and soldier. Very few people would give their life for another, but these special people are prepared to do it every day. When we run from danger, they run to it.

Whenever we experience an illness or an injury, there are the doctors, nurses, paramedics, and researchers who chose to devote their lives to medicine where they provide care and do research so that there can be hope where once there was hopelessness.

The everyday people in our lives-the ones who make us laugh or smile, who offer a kind word or hug, who help without being asked, and who are there to listen when we are hurting. Sometimes we don't even appreciate the joy they bring to our lives until we feel better and realize it was because of that kind word or smile. Sometimes we don't grasp the impact they had on our lives until they are gone, but hopefully they leave us with the memories of those moments and their caring attitude.

I am thankful for our Society members, volunteers, and sponsors. We would not be able to celebrate our history without you. Thanks to all who volunteer each week at the Museum; who clean, organize, and prepare goodies for the museum and meetings; who helped us bring our Oakwood Saints and Sinners Tour and Historical Marker dedication to the community...including those in the front and those behind the scenes; and who generously supported us with donations or a higher level of membership to keep us operating another year. To each, may the Lord bless and keep you.

- Marty



Membership Newsletter December 2015

You Are Invited!!!

To the Annual NFWHS Christmas Party

When: December 10th, 2015

Where: Los Vaqueros Restaurant

2629 North Main

Fort Worth, Texas 76164

Time: 7 p.m.

The meal is \$12.95 plus tax, per person and includes guacamole, chips, salsa, enchiladas, tacos, tamales, rice and beans.

If you want to participate in the White Elephant Gift Exchange, bring a gift. Limit the price to \$20 to \$25.



Merry Christmas Y'all!

*from the
North Fort Worth Historical Society*

