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PineyWoods chapter 51**

**Texas Society
Sons of the American Revolution
CHRISTMAS 2022**



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The Stevens' home decorated by **Barbara Stevens** was ready for thirty-four guests to celebrate the PineyWoods Chapter's past year. The ham was warming and guests were on their way with fantastic dishes for our Christmas Lunch. And, we were not disappointed with hot casseroles, salads, bread and desserts. Eggnog, tea, coffee, and other beverages were enjoyed. There were thirty-two members present. The Chapter meeting

led by President Mike Anderson was short and to the point; the nomination of officers for 2022-2023.

Party pictures are by Jeannie Hartwick, wife of new member Merv Hartwick. **Many Thanks!**

Larry Stevens Editor—PineShavings



*President Michael "Mike" Anderson and our
HOST VPG Larry G. Stevens*



Merry Christmas

December 16, 2021

To My Fellow Compatriots and Friends,

Barbara and I want to wish you all a Merry Christmas and safe Holidays. Indeed this has been a different past few months. Travel plans have been put on hold. Many of us will be celebrating from home this year.

However, we did learn to use an alternative communications methods, Zoom, Facetime, Google meet and others. So, if you can not be there, with your love ones, during the Holidays, considering meeting live utilizing one of these communication links.

Each year Barbara and I host the Annual Christmas Party for our Texas SAR Chapter. This year it was December 11th. This is such a fun event and a chance to just get to know one other better. The Chapter sponsors the Kingwood High Scholl Madrigal Choir to entertain us with Christmas songs. What a treat.

*Merry Christmas,
Larry G. Stevens
VPG—SCD*





Christmas Decoration is an Annual Event at the Stevens' home in Kingwood.

Barbara Stevens decorates using more than 100 Nutcrackers she has collected over the years including Harrods of London.

Each room has a theme.





Table Center Pieces - Great Room, even a Nutcracker Train



THE FOLLOWING ATTENDED THE 2021 PINEYWOODS
CHAPTER 51 TEXAS SOCIETY SONS OF THE AMERICAN
REVOLUTION ANNUAL CHRISTMAS MEETING AND PARTY

MEMBERS:

ABE ABDMOULAIE; PRESIDENT MIKE ANDERSON, JOHN
BEARD, KERMIT BREED, RAYMOND COX, LAWRENCE SKI
GRUMBOSKI, JAMES T. JONES, BERNIE KENT, BILL KING,
JEFF LAROCHELLE, B. RAY MIZE, JIM PINKERTON, CANNON
PRITCHARD, DICK SETSER, ROLAND SKELTON, LARRY STE-
VENS

GUESTS:

DAN AND SAMANTHA BALLARD, MARY-CLARE BEARD,
CINDY DAVID, SUSAN GRUMBOSKI, MERV AND JEANNIE
HARTWICK, DIANNE JONES, ANN KENT, SUSAN KING, JEN-
NIFER LAROCHELLE, SHARON MIZE, NANCY PINKERTON,
JOHN SCHMONSEE, SHERRI SETSER, BARBARA STEVENS

THANK YOU ALL FOR MAKING THIS A GREAT HOLIDAY
MEMORY! LARRY AND BARBARA



Sharon Mize, Samantha Ballard
(Larry Stevens Daughter)

Around the Room—Back Left—Barbara and Larry Stevens, John Schmonsee, Dan Ballard, Dick Setser, Mike Anderson, Cindy David, Susan Grumboski, Ray Cox Front Left.



Merry Christmas

Below—Susan Grumboski, our Photographer Jeannie Hartwick, Merv Hartwick, and Lawrence Grumboski

Right — Ray Cox, Jeff and Jennifer LaRoche





Front table: Abe Abdmoulaie, John Schmose, (left), Jim & Nancy Pinkerton, Bill and Sue King



Susan and Bill King, Nancy Pinkerton, background Jeff La Rochelle



John Beard, Dick and Sherri Setser, Mary-Claire Beard, and Roland Skelton



Kermit Breed,
Ann & Bernie Kent,
Mike Anderson
Sharon and B. Ray Mize



Below
Left side
Sue & Bill King
Nancy & Jim Pinkerton

Right
Abe Abdmoulaie
John Schomsee
Samantha & Dan Ballard





Roland Skelton, Mary-Claire & John Beard, Dick & Sherri Setser, Dianne & Jim Jones



Bernie Kent



Cannon Pritchard, Barbara & Larry Stevens, Cindy David



Dan & Samantha Ballard



Dianne Jones and Mary-Claire Beard



Ray Cox and Jim Jones