For more than 100 years, the Daughters of the American Revolution has carried the torch of patriotism. Love of country was the purpose; ancestors who fought for freedom was the bond that connected women from North and South to reunite the country following the Civil War. Today, Daughters continue the tradition of promoting patriotism, education, and historic preservation. From small towns to metropolitan areas, DAR members make a difference in their communities.

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Do you know your American roots and your family’s role in America’s history?

Do you have an ancestor who fought in or supported the American Revolution?

Do you want to make a difference in your community and help preserve America’s heritage?

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Volunteer Opportunities for Today’s Woman

Whether you are a busy executive, retired, a stay-at-home mom, or an active grandmother, DAR offers many opportunities for you to be involved. You can participate in your own community, or contribute your time or resources to promote many worthwhile projects.

- **Literacy Promotion**: Help children and adults learn to read by becoming a DAR literacy volunteer.
- **Abused and Special-Needs Children**: Plan a fundraiser or volunteer your time to help make a difference in the life of a child at one of DAR’s schools for underprivileged, abused, or special-needs children.
- **Genealogical Records**: Discover your family tree and add to the vast collection of family genealogies at the DAR Library. Be a "virtual volunteer" by contributing your computer skills to our various library projects.
- **Veterans History Project**: Take part in DAR’s partnership with the Library of Congress. Collect information to become part of a collection of audio, video, and oral histories by identifying and interviewing veterans in your community.
- **Service to Immigrants**: Help immigrants prepare for their citizenship exam by utilizing the DAR Manual for Citizenship in local naturalization classes.
- **Service to Youth**: Assist with the activities of a Junior American Citizens group or Children of the American Revolution society in your community.

**Commemorative Events**: Be part of the celebration as your local DAR chapter participates in various ceremonies and special events that commemorate our nation’s history.

- **Work with Children**: Be a liaison with your local schools for the DAR history essay contests, and DAR Good Citizen and ROTC awards, or assist with the activities of a Junior American Citizens group.
- **Historic Preservation**: Highlight your community's history and record it by placing monuments and preserving historic sites. Help preserve America’s Colonial heritage and support the DAR Museum by becoming a correspondent docent.

Cynthia Weber, Senior Operations Staff Officer and Special U.S. Liaison, Korea, Foothills Chapter

I volunteer because it’s very fulfilling...It’s a way to learn new things about myself and contribute to the community. I meet people who share my interests and goals...

Sarah Bachman, Director of Global Compensation and Benefits, TMP Worldwide, New Netherland-Walworth Chapter

Membership

Any woman 18 years or older, regardless of race, religion, or ethnic background, who can prove lineal descent from a patriot of the American Revolution, is eligible for membership. Tracing your lineage is valuable because it preserves your family’s heritage. DAR volunteers are willing to provide guidance and assistance with your first step into the world of genealogy.