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A Late Mother's Day Tribute to a Nebraska Woman

From time to time, the Foundation asks our out of state donors about their ties to Nebraska. Jim Speicher of Maryland recently shared his mother's memories of growing up in the 1930s and 1940s in Columbus, Nebraska. [Learn more about her and read some of her short stories.](#)

STATEWIDE GRANTS PROGRAM



There is still time to donate to the [NSHSF Statewide Grants Program](#) and make an impact on a local historical and educational organization. **There is a tremendous statewide need for education, outreach and interpretive funding in these organizations.**

Gifts of all amounts are welcomed and appreciated. We have several giving levels, and each

includes special benefits as a thank-you for your donation.

DONATE TODAY TO OUR STATEWIDE GRANTS PROGRAM

PUPIL – UP TO \$99

- Recognition in our Annual Report and newsletter
- Copy of newsletter

Click to donate at the Pupil level.

ARCHIVIST – \$500-\$999

- All Researcher benefits, plus...
- Invitation to Foundations special events

Click to donate at the Archivist level.

HISTORIAN – \$5,000-\$14,999

(MAY BE PLEDGED OVER 3 to 5 YEARS.)

- All Librarian benefits plus...
- Name recognition on our website and at all Foundation special events

Click to donate at the Historian level.

RESEARCHER – \$500-\$999

- All Pupil benefits, plus...
- A very special annual thank you gift

Click to donate at the Researcher level.

LIBRARIAN – \$1,000-\$4,999

- All Archivist benefits, plus...
- Invitation to VIP reception at the Annual Meeting

Click to donate at the Librarian level.

CURATOR – \$15,000 or MORE

(MAY BE PLEDGED OVER 5 YEARS.)

- All Historian benefits, plus...
- Recognition as a 150 Fund member, in a permanent exhibit at the Nebraska History Museum and/or other historic sites

Click to donate at the Curator level.

Our goal, with the [Statewide Grants Program](#), is to establish a reliable source of dollars to be made available on an annual basis for local historical organizations and efforts all across the state.

Grants will benefit local historical and educational organizations providing programming and learning opportunities in community history. Examples of applying organizations include museums, historical societies, and libraries that use core educational, preservation and interpretive programs. Grants up to \$5,000 will be available.

We hope that you will join us in supporting this worthy program with your donation today.

Follow the link below to learn more about the [Statewide Grants Program](#).

LEARN MORE ABOUT THE STATEWIDE GRANTS PROGRAM

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ALKALI STATION

We recently took a trip out west to visit some dear NSHSF friends and the historic [Alkali Station](#).

Stay tuned for more photos and videos of our trip!

Until then, learn more about Alkali Station's historical significance and how you can **play a role in preserving Nebraska's history for future generations.**



Alkali Station survives as a well-preserved archaeological site because, unlike most other sections of the Overland Trail, it has never been plowed. Remains of sod buildings, walls, and corrals that were raised at the site are all visible and a broad swath of historic trail ruts can be seen leading to and past the site. Because of its importance and integrity, **Alkali Station** has been listed on the National Register of Historic Places. **Join us in preserving this historic site for future generations to come.**

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DONATE TODAY TO ALKALI STATION

SOD STRUCTURES – UP TO \$99

- Recognition in our Annual Report and newsletter
- Copy of newsletter

Click to donate at the Sod Structures level.

MILITARY POST – \$500-\$999

- All Alkali Lake Station benefits, plus...
- Invitation to Foundations special events

Click to donate at the Military Post level.

RICHARD F. BURTON – \$5,000-\$14,999

(MAY BE PLEDGED OVER 3 to 5 YEARS.)

- All Road Rancho benefits plus...
- Name recognition on our website and at all Foundation special events

Click to donate at the Richard F. Burton level.

ALKALI LAKE STATION – \$500-\$999

- All Sod Structures benefits, plus...
- A very special annual thank you gift

Click to donate at the Alkali Lake Station level.

ROAD RANCHE – \$1,000-\$4,999

- All Military Post benefits, plus...
- Invitation to VIP reception at the Annual Meeting

Click to donate at the Road Rancho level.

PONY EXPRESS STATION NO. 25 – \$15,000 or MORE

(MAY BE PLEDGED OVER 5 YEARS.)

- All Richard F. Burton benefits, plus...
- Recognition as a 150 Fund member, in a permanent exhibit at the Nebraska History Museum and/or other historic sites

Click to donate at the Pony Express Station No. 25 level.

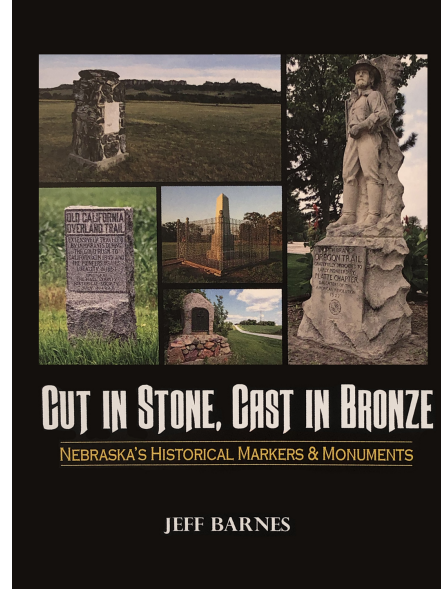
NSHSF FUNDRAISING PROJECT

From establishing the territory in 1854 to celebrating our state's centennial in 1967, Nebraskans united to mark their history. Scattered across our state are nearly 300 monuments, markers, statues, and plaques to the exploration, the cultures and their conflicts, the settlement, and the organization of Nebraska. They are found in our cities and

along our highways and country roads, but also in our forests, our fields, and our hills. They mark history where it happened.

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