

*Society president lays wreath at the tomb of President John Tyler*

On March 29, 2025, President Stuart Butler laid a wreath at the tomb of President John Tyler on Tyler's birthday at Hollywood Cemetery, Richmond, Virginia. President Tyler served as a captain in a rifle company in the 52<sup>nd</sup> Virginia Militia during the War of 1812. His company was called out twice during that conflict. From June 28 to July 13, 1813, his company was stationed at Williamsburg, and from September 4 to October 11, 1814, at Charles City Courthouse.

About twenty members of the Tyler family were also present to give a few remarks about President Tyler and his accomplishments. Also joining President Butler was George William Thomas, Jr., President of the James Monroe Memorial Foundation. The presidential wreath was presented by the U.S. Army from Fort Gregg-Adams, formerly Fort Lee, earlier that day. Below is the Tyler family program and several photos of the event. Photos by Stuart Butler.

*President Tyler Memorial  
& Wreath Laying  
March 29, 2025*



*Welcome.....Annique Dunning  
Remarks.....George Booth  
John Tyler Editorial.....James Tyler  
Prayer.....Kay Tyler  
Taps.....John Rose & Alexander Wilkerson  
Closing.....Annique Dunning*





*Tyler family members gathered at the tomb of President John Tyler*



*Presidential wreath and Society of War of 1812 wreath*





*President Butler in front of the Tyler tomb*



*L to R: George William Thomas and Stuart Butler*