

**One Hundred and Eighteenth
Annual Reunion
of the
Glattfelder Family**



Glattfelder

**Heimwald Park
Glatfelters Station
York County, Pennsylvania
July 29, 2023**

Welcome & Opening Prayer

J. Thomas Shelley
President

Reunion Hymn

Ricky Gladfelter, Song Leader

Great God, from out whose mighty hand
The ages roll, like grains of sand,
Who was of old our father's Friend,
Be with us to our journey's end.

Their ashes rest beneath the sod,
But still thou, Lord, art our own God,
And here we light thy altar fires,
Where lived and died our noble sires.

But meet we in reunion here,
For goodly fellowship and cheer;
Let us in gladness gathered be,
Beneath our dear old family tree!

CHORUS

Oh, Switzerland, Old Switzerland
With mountains high and lakes so grand,
Oh, fatherland, we think of thee,
And honor those who crossed the sea,
And found a home for you and me
'Neath stars and stripes of liberty.

The Rev. Dr. Adam Stump, 1906

The Glattfelders and their Arts

Harry Gladfelter, primary presenter

Devotions and Memorial Service

J. Thomas Shelley

Annual Business Meeting

J. Thomas Shelley

Announcement of Scholarship Recipients

Ben Miller
President, Glattfelder Education Fund

- Prizes
- * Oldest in Attendance
 - * Farthest Distance

- * Youngest in Attendance
 - * Registrar's Choice

5:00 p.m.
Closing Song

Ricky Gladfelter

God be with you 'til we meet again
By His counsels guide, uphold you,
With His sheep securely fold you:
God be with you 'til we meet again

God be with you 'til we meet again
Keep love's banner floating o'er you,
Smite death's threatening wave before you:
God be with you 'til we meet again

CHORUS

Til we meet, 'til we meet
Til we meet at Jesus's feet
Til we meet, 'til we meet
God be with you 'til we meet again
Jeremiah E. Rankin, 1879

Benediction

J. Thomas Shelley

*Parking directions and shuttle service provided by
York County Fire Police and other volunteers*

In Appreciation

All of us owe a word of thanks to the members of the Reunion Committee for their extensive work in planning and carrying out this year's reunion: Judy Martin, Jean Robinson, Bonnie Flaharty, Ben Miller, Bonnie Baim, Sarah Melcher, Phil Gladfelter, Larry Gladfelter, Jr., and Dean Gladfelter.

Next Year's Reunion

Mark your calendars now for next year's reunion which will be held on Saturday, July 27, 2024.

The Memorial Service

The Hymn is sung:

O God, Our Help in Ages Past

1 O God, our help in a - ges past, Our hope for years to come,
2 Un - der the shad - ow of your throne Your saints have dwelt se - cure;
3 Be - fore the hills in or - der stood Or earth re - ceived its frame,
4 A thou - sand a - ges in your sight Are like an eve - ning gone,

Our shel - ter from the storm - y blast, And our e - ter - nal home:
Suf - fi - cient is your arm a - lone, And our de - fense is sure.
From ev - er - last - ing you are God, To end - less years the same.
Short as the watch that ends the night Be - fore the ris - ing sun.

5 Time, like an ever-rolling stream,
Soon bears us all away;
We fly forgotten, as a dream
Dies at the op'ning day.

6 O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Still be our guard while troubles last
And our eternal home!

Text: Isaac Watts, 1674-1748, alt.
Tune: William Croft, 1678-1727

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Pastor: Give them eternal rest, O Lord

PEOPLE: **AND LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE ON THEM FOREVER.**

Pastor: Let your loving kindness, O Lord, be upon us;

PEOPLE: **AS WE HAVE PUT OUR TRUST IN YOU.**

Pastor: Let us pray:

Merciful Father, hear our prayers and console us. As we renew our faith in your Son, whom you raised from the dead, strengthen our hope that all our departed brothers and sisters will share in His resurrection, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever,

ALL: **AMEN.**

SCRIPTURE LESSON

1 Corinthians 15:51-56

At the conclusion of the lesson:

Pastor: This is the word of the Lord!

PEOPLE: THANKS BE TO GOD!

Pastor: We acknowledge Christ the Lord through whom we hope that our lowly bodies will be made like his in glory as we pray:

Christ, Son of the living God, who raised Lazarus, your friend from the dead, raise up to life and glory the dead whom you have redeemed through your precious blood. Lord, in your mercy,

PEOPLE: HEAR OUR PRAYER.

Pastor: Christ, consoler of those who mourn, you dried the tears of the family of Lazarus, of the Widow's Son, and the daughter of Jarius, comfort those who mourn for the dead. Lord, in your mercy,

PEOPLE: HEAR OUR PRAYER.

Pastor: Christ, redeemer of the world, look on those who have no hope because they do not believe in you: May your Holy Spirit bring them to faith in your resurrection and Life in the world to come. Lord, in your mercy.

PEOPLE: HEAR OUR PRAYER.

ALL: OUR FATHER, WHO ART IN HEAVEN, HALLOWED BE THY NAME

**THY KINGDOM COME, THY WILL BE DONE,
ON EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN.**

**GIVE US THIS DAY OUR DAILY BREAD;
AND FORGIVE US OUR TRESPASSES
AS WE FORGIVE THOSE WHO TRESPASS AGAINST US.
AND LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION,
BUT DELIVER US FROM EVIL.**

**FOR THINE IS THE KINGDOM, AND THE POWER, AND
THE GLORY, FOREVER AND EVER, AMEN.**

Pastor: God our Father, we remember before you today your faithful servants, and we pray that, having opened to them the gates of larger life, you will receive them more and more into your joyful service, that, with all that have faithfully served you in the past, they may share in the eternal victory of Jesus Christ our Lord,

ALL: AMEN!

Pastor: The Lord bless us, deliver us from evil, and preserve us unto everlasting Life,

ALL: AMEN!

Deaths in the Glattfelder Family

July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022

August 5, 2022	Alleane L. Weaver, 86, daughter of Mellie Fair and Lloyd Gladfelter
August 10	Stephen J. Glatfelter, 73, son of Thomas and Regina Moore Glatfelter
September 17	Lanny L. Rohrbaugh, 80, son of Elmer and Dorothy Stough Rohrbaugh, former member of the CGAA board of directors
September 24	Ruth Day Zamaitis, 98, widow of Leonard B. Zamaitis, daughter of Ervin L. and Ada Gladfelter Day
November 5	Janet C. Gladfelter, 101, widow of Freman Gladfelter, daughter of Eli and Minnie Flinchbaugh Runkle
November 27	Samuel E. Godfrey, 75, husband of Darlene Altland, son of James E. Jr., and Esther Stough Godfrey
November 30	Judith A. Cooper, 78, wife of Michael A., daughter of Warren and Julia Glatfelter Meckley
December 6	Tom Glatfelter, 73, husband of Doris Johnson, son of Ken and Beulah Clatfelter, resided in Tulsa, Oklahoma
December 17	Mildred Glatfelter, 95, widow of Alvin L. Glatfelter, daughter of Edward and Lottie Lentz Freed
January 23, 2023	Timothy J. Kinsley, 58, husband of Anne McGinnis, son of Robert and Anne Whalen Kinsley
January 23	Jonathan R. Kinsley, 60, husband of Pamela Jones, son of Robert and Anne Whalen Kinsley
February	Todd Goodling, son of Bill and Hilda Goodling
February 6	Jane C. Zarfoss, 76, widow of David C., daughter of Earl E. and A, Frances Snyder Gladfelter
February 10	Craig A. Zumbrum, 50, husband of Elizabeth Kann, son of Glenn L. Sr. and Shirley M. Myers Zumbrum
February 12	Carrie M. Gladfelter, 74, wife of George E., daughter of Kenneth E. and Geraldine V. Trimmer Shaffer

February 13, 2023	Richard E. Gladfelter, 94, widower of Deloris M. Sloan, son of Clair and Hilda M. Craft Gladfelter
February 15	Gerladine E. Altland, 90, widow of Clair F., daughter of George and Ruth Glatfelter Strausbaugh
March 7	Ronald E. Strickhouser, 85, husband of Linda A. Darone, son of Charles L. and Hettie M. Smith Strickhouser
March 22	Linda M. Frantz, 70, wife of Thomas L., daughter of Charles H. and Grace E. McConnell Ferree
March 23	Ruthanna L. Laird, 90, wife of George W., daughter of Jacob A. and Annie Mary Berkhimer
March 25	Vivian J. Loucks, 95, widow of Marlet W., daughter of Wilmot C. and Vivian M. Hart Fasick
April 13	Larry E. Hershberger, Sr., 81, widower of Margaret M. McCaffery, son of Francis and Edith Gladfelter Hershberger
April 19	Charmaine Y. Gladfelter, 95, widow of Robert, daughter of Emory and Grace Oberlander Joseph
June 17	Sandra Heffner, 78, widow of Woody Heffner, daughter of Elmer and Catherine Gladfelter Stabley

Please report any deaths in the Glatfelter family to
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Newsletters

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If you have attended a reunion or made a donation within the past three years, you will receive newsletters via US mail, unless you request email only.

Memorial Gifts

Memorial gifts are added to our Endowment Fund which provides income to maintain our beloved Heimwald Park. We remember gratefully the following donors for the past two years, recorded from July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023:

Donor

Janna T. Smith
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Louise C. Kline
Francis Edward Glatfelter
Elizabeth Anne Kephart
Joanne Flemmens
Philip & Barbara Schroeder
Dallas & Beverley Smith

In Memory of

Darlene Lorraine Smith
Dorcas Gladfelter Spangler,
Auburn Gladfelter

Various family members
Jacob & Caroline Glatfelter
Frank Glatfelter
Mae Gladfelter Kephart
Jane C. Gladfelter Zarfoss
Marion Miller Schroeder
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The Reunion Sponsorship program was adopted at the 2022 Reunion business meeting as a means of reducing Reunion registration costs. Sponsors at the Bronze and higher levels are listed below

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