

**TEXAS SOCIETY SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
MCKINNEY CHAPTER #63  
MCKINNEY, TEXAS  
APRIL 9, 2009 MEETING MINUTES**

**President Don Babbs** opened the meeting at 6:45 PM

**Don Sielert** gave the invocation.

The pledge of the American Flag was given by **Mike Radcliff**.

The pledge of the Texas Flag was given by **Robert Hall**.

The pledge to the SAR Flag was given by **Ernest Martin**

Reading of the minutes from the previous meeting was waived by acclamation.

Secretary-Treasury gave the treasurer report, reporting that the bank balance was \$1,829.27.

A special remembrance of **Compatriot William Kenneth (Willie) Walker** was led by Peter McLellan. **Our Brother, Willie, passed away on Thursday, April 9, 2009.**

An update on next month's program (Flag Retirement Program) was given by **President Don Babbs**.

**Peter McLellan** introduced the special guest, **Chief of Police, Doug Kowalski who then introduced Policeman Eric Casebolt of the McKinney Police Department.** Policeman Casebolt was presented the Law Enforcement Award. Eric Casebolt had been selected as the Officer of the Year (2009) for the McKinney Police Department.

The benediction was presented by **Chaplain Don Sielert**.

The Recessional was given by **President Don Babbs**.

The program was adjourned at 7:20 PM.

The following members and guests were present: Graham Martin, Don Seilert, Ann Seilert, Don Babbs, Donna Babbs, Ernest Martin, Billy Thompson, Kathleen Thompson, Robert Hall, Pete McLellan, Dagny McLellan, Mike Radcliff, Richard Arnold, Dan Reed, James Shaw, Mae Shaw, Doug Kowalski, Eric Casebolt and Guest.