

## The National Anthem

words by Francis Scott Key, 1814

O say can you see,  
by the dawn's early light,  
What so proudly we hailed  
at the twilights last gleaming,  
Whose broad stripes and bright  
stars, through the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched,  
were so gallantly streaming?  
And the rockets' red glare,  
the bombs bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night  
that our flag was still there.  
O say does that  
star spangled banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free  
and the home of the brave?

## My Country 'Tis of Thee

words by Samuel Francis Smith, 1832  
music by John Stafford Smith, c.1771

My country, 'tis of thee,  
Sweet land of liberty,  
Of thee I sing;  
Land where my fathers died,  
Land of the pilgrim's pride,  
From every mountainside  
Let Freedom ring.  
My native country, thee,  
Land of the noble free,  
Thy name I love;  
I love thy rocks and rills,  
Thy wood and templed hills;  
My heart with rapture thrills  
Like that above.

## US NAVY CONTINGENT FROM OAK HARBOR

Rick Bynum, Command Master Chief  
EODMU-11

<b>Flag Passing Detail</b>	<b>Sound</b>
LT Dowling	EMCS Hill
EN1 Touzon	HTFN Bentley
CM2 Gongas	
EM2 Gray	<b>Flag Pole Detail</b>
YNSN Washington	EN1 Rogas
	EM2 Jacobson

## PEARL HARBOR SURVIVORS FLAG FOLDING TEAM

Jerry Wachsmuth, USS Pennsylvania, Narrator  
Harold Shimmer, USS Helena  
Ernie Vance, USS San Francisco  
Don Bolton, USS Selfridge  
Tony Nady, USS Navada  
Glen Lane, USS Arizona, Bell Prayer

Joyce Ezell, Chapter Secretary, husband served on USS Maryland

# Freedom Park

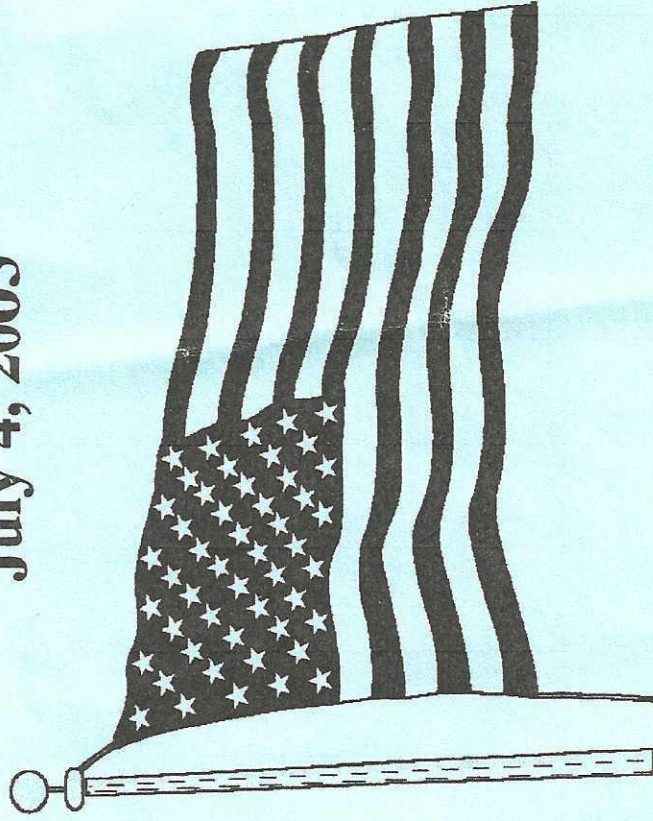
at  
Terry's Corner  
Camano Island, Washington

## Dedication Ceremony

to  
Pearl Harbor Survivors

and all who serve in the causes of peace and freedom

July 4, 2003





## C.A.R.E.

Camano Action for a Rural Environment  
P. O. Box 1742, Stanwood, WA 98292

C.A.R.E. is a non profit 501(c)3 charitable organization made up of citizens who want to protect the rural character of Camano Island.

Freedom Park, at Terry's Corner was donated last December to C.A.R.E. by Brown & Cole Stores (Thrifty Foods) for the benefit of Camano Island. In March, 21 community representatives attended a planning session at Designs Northwest to determine what the park should look like. The combined draft design was submitted to Island county and a pre-application hearing was held in Coupeville on April 10. On May 22, a forum for public comment was held at Terry's Corner Fire Station. People looked at the design and provided input and comments, and officially registered their opinions.

This spring we began removing briars, scotch broom and blackberries. This place began taking on the appearance of a place people C.A.R.E. about.

Our objective is to transform a field of thorns into a place of beauty called FREEDOM PARK. Please walk around, look at the design plans and the monument site. Imagine trails and native plants, view Mt. Rainier in the distance—remember Pearl Harbor Survivors and all who serve in the causes of freedom and peace.

Your financial help is needed to make this dream a reality. Trails need to be built; trees, shrubs and flowers need to be planted; irrigation and signs need to be installed; mitigations to drainage district #5 paid. Please be generous and help make this dream a reality. Donations are tax deductible and can be made today in the containers placed around the park. Checks can be sent directly to C.A.R.E. at P. O. Box 1742, Stanwood, WA 98292. Fill out the coupon, make a donation and be part of this project.

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Camano Island, Washington

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July 4, 2003, 9 AM

Introduction

Phil Lewis, President  
Camano Action for a Rural Environment

Invocation

The Reverend Lowell Stordahl, Pastor  
Camano Lutheran Church

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

Craig Cole, President  
Brown and Cole, (Thrifty Stores)

Flag Ceremony

Donor of Freedom Park  
Taps, Sarah Jo Milling  
Retiring of special colors, hoisting of "work flag"  
Pearl Harbor Survivors Chapter #5

National Anthem

US Navy Contingent from Oak Harbor  
Sung by Shana Cole

Dedication Ceremony

Accompanied by Betty Williams  
Jim Stansell, President  
Pearl Harbor Survivors Chapter #5

Recognition of visiting Chapters of P. H. S.

Dedication of the Park to Pearl Harbor Survivor  
and all those who work for freedom and peace

Remarks

Stephen Black, Capt. USN  
Commanding OfficerNAS Whidbey Island

Mary Margaret Haugen  
Senator, 10<sup>th</sup> Legislative District

Bill Byrd, Commissioner  
Island County, Washington

John Buckley, LTCDR  
American Legion, Stanwood

Freedom Essay Winner

Laura Freed, Senior  
Stanwood High School

Rifle Salute

Gene Svensen  
Rifle Team American Legion Post #92, Stanwood

My Country, 'Tis of Thee

(All sing)

Blessing

The Reverend Dr. Robert Dietel, Vicar  
St. Aidan's Episcopal Church, Camano Island