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Members of the Col. Benjamin Logan Chapter in a recent parade.

Lafayette Chapter



Former State SAR President Geoff Baggett is the guest speaker at the Lafayette Chapter dinner meeting.

Compatriot authors Geoff Baggett & Eddie Price

Historical fiction at it's best!!



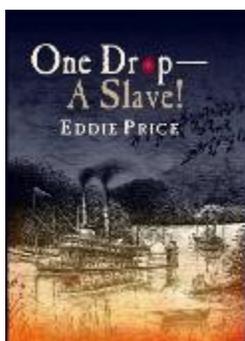
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Contact Geoff Baggett at: bagg373@bellsouth.net to purchase any of his books.



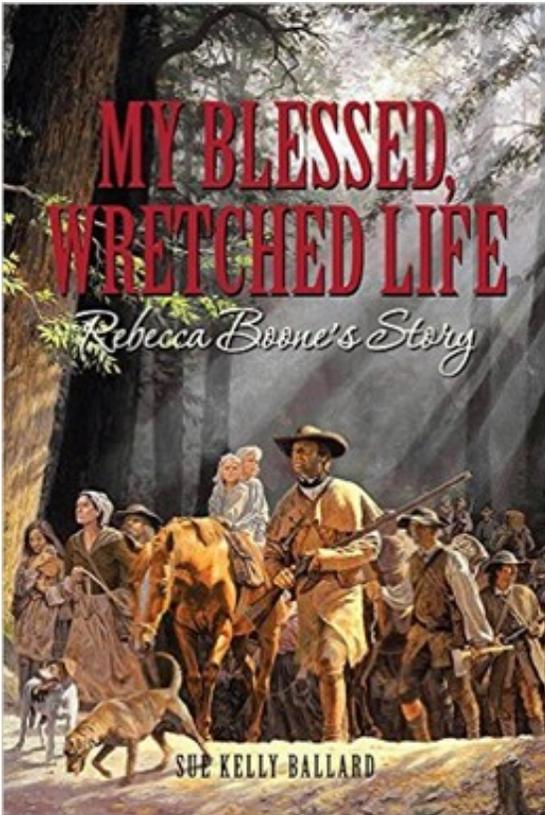
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My Blessed, Wretched Life: Rebecca Boone's Story

by Sue Kelly Ballard

Butler Books Publishing Company

Rebecca's own story, as imagined creatively by Sue Kelly Ballard, is so captivating, so gut-wrenchingly realistic, so obviously genuine, we begin to acknowledge who really moved America westward: our pioneer mother ancestors. Ballard captures every mood and moment of Rebecca's life in the backwoods and on the frontier with accuracy and passion, with authenticity and beauty, and at a pace that keeps the reader diving headlong into each new page eager to swallow up what happens next. Ballard's descriptions of the sights and sounds of the sylvan wilderness, of life's daily routine around a cabin set in a clearing made in the woods, and of the people and animals, both welcomed and unwelcomed, who come there are not segregated into long passages, but are tossed in generously as short snippets on top of the action, keeping the reader easily imagining the setting and circumstances as the story roars ahead. When a dozen things are happening at once, it takes a skilled frontier woman and a talented writer to keep everyone and everything moving along together.

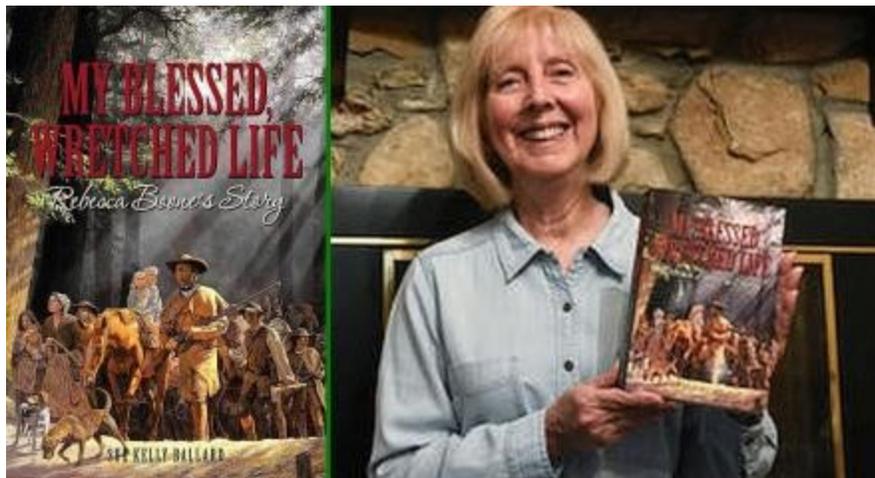
- reviewed by Randell Jones, author of *In the Footsteps of Daniel Boone*

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My Blessed, Wretched Life: Rebecca Boone's Story is available through

www.butlerbooks.com, and www.amazon.com

Readers may order the book from Amazon (found in SEARCH under title or my name, Sue Kelly Ballard) or from my publisher: Butler Books (www.butlerbooks.com). Each will charge about \$24.99 plus shipping.



Bryan's Station



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Sar members present colors.



DAR members

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Flags4Vets, Cave Hill Cemetery, Louisville, KY



John Manire Chapter



Geoff Baggett presents gavel to John West, President of the John Manire Chapter.



SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION (SAR) EAGLE SCOUT AWARD CONTEST



The **Arthur M. & Berdena King Eagle Scout Award Contest** encourages Eagle Scouts to explore their personal heritage, and to study the founding of our nation. The contest is open to all Eagle Scouts who are currently registered with an active unit, and who have not yet reached their 19th birthday during the year of the application (from January 1st to December 31st). An Eagle Scout may apply in more than one year, provided they continue to meet the age requirements. ***Note: There is no requirement for the Eagle Scout applicant to be a member of the SAR.**

Components:

The application process consists of a four-page application form, the completion of a four-generation ancestor chart, and the writing of a patriotic-themed essay of no more than 500-words. For instructions and forms, visit the national SAR web site at **www.sar.org**. Once there, click the Education tab at the top of the home page...then, select Youth Contests & Awards...then, select **Arthur M. & Berdena King Eagle Scout Award**.

To take advantage of any available chapter awards, applicants are encouraged to first submit a single application to their local SAR chapter (visit **www.kyssar.org** to find your local SAR chapter). **However, applicants may submit their single application directly to the KY SAR Eagle Scout Committee (see contact information below).**

Eligibility Start:

An Eagle Scout is eligible to apply for the contest from the date they successfully complete their Eagle Scout Board of Review. Applicants are encouraged to begin the application process early.

Deadline:

Applications are accepted by chapters up to **December 31st** of the application year. The KY SAR Eagle Scout Committee accepts applications sent directly to it up to **January 15th**.

Awards:

The **Chapter**-level winner will receive the Eagle Scout contest medal, a certificate, and a small cash award.

The **State**-level winners will receive an Eagle Scout contest trophy, and cash awards of \$500, \$200, and \$100 (for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place respectively).

The **National**-level winners will receive the SAR Eagle Scout contest medal, and cash awards of \$10,000, \$6,000, and \$4,000 (for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place respectively).

KY SAR Eagle Scout Committee Contact:

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Veterans Day at Jeffersontown Memorial Park



Gov. Isaac Shelby Chapter



Scott Giltner at the reviewing stand



Color Guard



Military Graves with wreaths

Awards



State President Mike Sullivan is presented with a Service to Veterans Medal



Larry Selby and Mike King are winners of the Rev. Forrest B. Chilton Kentucky Patriot Award

Louisville Thruston & Gov. Isaac Shelby Chapters



In the picture above, Chris Johnson (right) Color Guard Commander for the Louisville Thruston Chapter presents a Bronze Good Citizenship medal to Paul Schellenberger (left). Paul, a photographer shows up at events of both the Louisville Thruston and Gov. Isaac Shelby Chapters. He not only takes pictures but members of both chapters receive copies that same day. The two chapters showed their appreciation by jointly presenting this award.

