

JEFFERSON CIVIL WAR SYMPOSIUM
SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 2018
JEFFERSON, TEXAS

Compatriots,

Introducing the very pro-Confederate, 7th Annual Civil War Symposium to be held in Jefferson on Saturday, 11AUG2018. I am a long-standing SCV member and presently a Compatriot of the Major Robert White Camp in Temple, TX. The symposium puts the Southern message before audiences and it deserves our support.

Please read the below message to Civil War enthusiasts and historians. The attached [flyer](#) includes the symposium's program and a registration form for your convenience.

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To Civil War enthusiasts and historians:

The Jefferson Historical Society and Museum will host the 7th Annual Civil War Symposium on Saturday, August 11, 2018 at the Jefferson Transportation and Visitor Center, [305 E. Austin Street](#), Jefferson, Texas. This year's theme will be, ***"Defending and Supplying the Trans-Mississippi Department."***

The symposium features four excellent speakers who will talk on a range of topics to include the *17th Texas Dismounted Cavalry, the Battle of Pleasant Hill, the gun boat war on the Red River, and the Houston quartermaster's challenge in building*

Southern industry. The attached flyer includes the symposium's program and a registration form.

Symposium admission is \$65.00 per adult and \$35.00 per student, including an excellent BBQ lunch buffet. A special speaker's reception on Friday evening, August 12th is available at \$25.00 per person.

Jefferson is a quaint town and its architecture takes the visitor back to the turn of the 20th century. Visitors can stroll the wide, shaded sidewalks in the historic district and enjoy a variety of restaurants, antique shops, novelty stores and old-fashioned saloons. Near at hand are also the town's museum and numerous well-kept historic homes and businesses whose architecture ranges from antebellum to 1920. There are several hotels and bed-and-breakfasts, to include the historic Excelsior Hotel, all within a short walk from the symposium (visitor center). The symposium also hosts book sellers, relic dealers and original artifact exhibits, in addition to the speakers program. Those who attend once keep returning, so register quickly to reserve your spot!