



Monday, August 16, 2010 at 7:30

“New Hampshire Cemeteries and Gravestones”

Presented by: Glenn Knoblock

Rubbings, photographs, and slides illustrate the rich variety of gravestones to be found in our own neighborhoods, but they also tell long-forgotten stories of such historical events as the Great Awakening, the Throat Distemper epidemic, and the American Revolution. Find out more about these deeply personal works of art and the craftsmen who carved them. Learn how to read these stone “pages” that give insight into the vast genealogical book of New Hampshire.

Glenn Knoblock has a B.A. in History from Bowling Green State University, is an independent scholar and author of ten books and over 70 articles, author and researcher on projects relating to New Hampshire history and African American military history and has served as the main military contributor to Harvard and Oxford University's landmark African American Biography Project. Knoblock is an advisory member of the Mayor's Blue Ribbon Cemetery Committee in Portsmouth, NH a group devoted to racial diversity and promoting NH's African American history.



The presentation will be at the Old Town Hall in Campton, which is handicap accessible, and open to the public. Refreshments will be served. For information about the Society, check our web site at www.camptonhistorical.org



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August 21—Fieldtrip of Cemeteries in Campton