

# The Homestead

A Publication of the Nicholas Stoltzfus Homestead Preservation Committee A non-profit 501(c)(3) organization

## Saturday - May 7th, 2022 Annual Benefit Auction









### Bring something, Buy something

#### Auction starts at 9AM - Quilts at 11AM - Books at 12PM

PA Dutch food, BBQ chicken, old-fashioned homemade ice cream, fresh soft pretzels, whoopie pies, homemade pies, cinnamon rolls and more

Amish handmade quilts, OLD & NEW BOOKS, household & garden items, furniture, plants, arts & crafts, and much more

Fred's Chris P. Stoltzfus one-of-kind collection of vintage magazines, old newspapers, out-of-print books, old German books: over 100 lots

Masthof Bookstore & Press selling an inventory of new books

Meet historians and authors: Nic Stoltzfus, Paul Kurtz, Ben Reihl, C. Ivan Stoltzfus, Pud Sam Stoltzfus and others

Berks History Center & Museum, Berks County Parks and Trails, Muddy Creek Farm Library and Plain Values will have displays in the barn

Levy family from Ft. Bumper Bio-Farm will be doing colonial style cooking in the old Homestead fireplace

1948 John Deere tractor on display by C. Ivan Stoltzfus - 3 trips ocean to ocean (20,000 miles) raising funds for Veterans & First Responders

Homestead tours in the old historic house where the Stoltzfus's lived in the late 1700s, Nicholas's original chest, colonial lifestyle and education

Bounce house with inflatable slide and yard games

Come meet & visit with your Stoltzfus freundschaft and friends

Lancaster County bus schedule, contact: Elam Stoltzfus, 484-878-2916

New Event - Sunday, May 8th - 6:30 pm Benefit Music Concert with Conrad Fisher & David Reinwald











Great opportunity for young families to find good deals for your household

"Sharing our Amish History & Heritage in Berks County and Beyond"

#### **Coming Home**

By Elam Stoltzfus, Caretaker of the Homestead

Well, we survived another winter here at the Homestead. We had several beautiful snow falls but no big blizzard this year. As an Amish boy, I remember several big snowstorms blanketing our dairy farm in Elverson with snow. I recall the big snow drifts, staying home from school, sledding down the hills, lots of ice skating and the work to feed the livestock.







Here are some of our highlights from the winter/early spring season:

On the evening of December 11th, my wife Esther and I hosted the B.A.R.N. (Berks Ag Resource Network - Farm to Table) winner for the summer BARNopoly game. Annie Lanscek, the winner of the competition, brought along her husband and three other couples to celebrate this special evening meal in the stone house. All the food was provided by BARN members. It was an honor for us to host the supper. Esther provided a special chef's touch in preparing the food. It most likely has been over 40 years since a family or friends sat around a table for a meal in the old house. We made new friends and made history for the Stoltzfus Homestead.

Over the Christmas season, our family also made history here at the old house. It's been about 250 years since Nicholas & Anna Elizabeth Stoltzfus would have sat at a table to eat a meal in the historic homestead and about 210 years since any of the Stoltzfus family would have been served food in the stube (living room) in the Homestead. On this evening, we celebrated a Christmas supper, had a prayer led by my son Nic, and reminisced what life may have been like here for the Stoltzfus family in the 1700s. It was a special experience to see lights in the house again, smoke curling out of the chimney, hearing laughter around the table, saying prayers, eating food together, and making memories.

We are close to having the small apartment in the upstairs of the barn ready for rental, and the plan is to begin renting it on AirBnB after the auction in May. This AirBnB will provide an income to support the Homestead, something we have not had before. Here's some of the work that volunteers have done to improve the small apartment over the past few months: we added a the small space in the back room to be included in the bedroom, installed a shower in the upstairs bathroom, added a new exterior doorway to provide a private entryway to the apartment. In addition, painting the trim, the doorways, and several walls adds a welcoming atmosphere to the barn apartment. The small apartment upstairs and the caretaker's apartment downstairs will both be open for visitors to tour during the auction.

In the old stone house, we removed the two upstairs closets and plan to have some of the rooms replastered and painted this summer. Our goal is to have the downstairs look as close as possible to what the house may have looked like when the Stoltzfus family lived there. For the upstairs, our goal is to have historical exhibits for education and interpreting the site. Key things we want to share with the public include our Anabaptist religious heritage, Amish immigration from Europe to Berks County in the 1700s, and colonial-era farming practices.

In the past month, we have been working to prepare for the annual benefit auction on May 7th. We look forward to this homecoming event for Stoltzfus descendants and a chance for folks to reconnect to their heritage (and eat some great homemade Amish food). This event feels as much like a reunion as an auction.

The vision that we have for Stoltzfus descendants is to provide a place for everyone to come home, learn, and experience our Anabaptist journey and reconnect to our rich heritage.

#### Auction Bus Schedule May 7th 2022 For more info call 484-878-2916 Bus Number 1

Time	Location	Address	Comments
6:20 AM	Leola	98 Hellers Church Rd, Leola, PA 17540	Formerly Amos Zook
6:25 AM	Intersection - Creek Hill & Newport Rd	2754 Creek Hill Rd, Leola 17540	Intersection at Newport & Creek Rd
6:35 AM	Mascot Mill	2900 Stumptown Rd, Ronks, PA 17572	Meet in parking lot
6:40 AM	Pond Road	107A Pond Rd, Ronks PA 17572	Amos Zook's place
6:45 AM	Gordonville Fire Company	3204 Vigilant St, Gordonville, PA 17529	Meet in parking lot
6:50 AM	Former Fairview Grocery Store	96 Paradise Lane, Ronks PA 17572	Meet in parking lot
6:55 AM	Intersection - Ronks & Rt 30	167 N, Ronks Rd, Ronks, PA 17572	Ronks & Rt 30
7:00 AM	Fisher Harness Shop	267 N. Star, Ronks, PA 17572	meet in parking lot
7:10 AM	Fisher Houseware & Fabrics	1098 Georgetown Rd, Paradise PA 17562	meet in parking lot
7:20 AM	George Town Hydralics	334 Christiana Pike, Christiana, PA 17509	meet in parking lot
7:25 AM	Lapp Lumber	1640 Mine Rd, Paradise, PA 17562	meet in parking lot
7:30 AM	Gapview Mennonite Church	5324 Mine Rd, Kinzer, PA 17535	Meet in parking lot
7:40 AM	Salisbury Park/ Gap	750 White Horse Rd, Gap PA 17527	Meet in parking lot
7:50 AM	SLC Rental - Woodworking shop -	5019 Newport Rd, Kinzers, PA 17535	Meet in parking lot
7:55 AM	Redwell Repair	15 S New Holland Rd Gordonville, PA 17529	Meet in parking lot
8:05 AM	Sheetz New Holland	698 W Main St, New Holland, PA 17557	Meet in parking lot
8:45 AM	Arrive at NSH	1700 Tulpehocken Road, Wyomissing, PA 19610	
2:30/3:00	Depart NSH	To New Holland - and Leola	



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#### **Bus Number 2**

Time	Location	Address	Comments
7:00 AM	Centerville Bulk Food	Centerville & Scenic	
7:10 AM	Intercourse Candle Barn	3551 Old Philadelphia Pike, Intercourse PA 17534	Meet in the parking lo
7:22 AM	Mel Esh place	3666 E. Pequea Lane, Gordonville, PA 17529	Meet in the parking lo
7:25 AM	Spring Garden Mennonite Church	5157 Old Philadelphia Pike, Kinzer PA 17535	Meet in the parking lo
7:30 AM	White Horse Luncheonette	5562 Old Philadelphia Pike, Gap, PA 17527	Meet in the parking lo
7:35 AM	Old Road Mennonite Church	5795 Old Philadelphia Pike, Gap, PA 17527	Meet in the parking lo
7:40 AM	Hilltop Bulk Food Store Compass	1403 W Kings Hwy, Gap, PA 17527	Meet in the parking lo
7:50 AM	Bus Parking Lot (former Kerns Hardware)	450 Pequea Ave, Honey Brook, PA 19344	Meet in the parking lo
7:52 AM	Honey Brook Hardware	5004 Horseshoe Pike Honey Brook, PA 19344	Meet in the parking lo
7:55 AM	Dream Designs (Dave Reihl)	812 Churchtown Rd, Narvon, PA 17555	Meet in the parking lo
8:00 AM	Churchtown Blue Ridge Furniture - Smucker Harness	2014 Main St, Narvon, PA 17555	Meet in the parking lo
8:35 AM	Arrival at the Nicholas Stoltzfus Homestead	1700 Tulpehocken Road, Wyomissing, PA 19610	
2:30/3:00	Depart Stoltzfus Homestead	To Intercourse and White Horse	

Please make reservation by calling 484-878-2916 suggested \$20.00 donation for transportation cost - Thank you!!

## Nicholas Stoltzfus Homestead Book Auction Lots for May 7th, 2022 Benefit Auction Books from the Collection of former NSH Caretaker Chris P. Stoltzfus and other donated books from friends.

Lots Assembled by David P. King (Pequea Bruderschaft Library) and Ben Riehl (Nicholas Stoltzfus Homestead Preservation Committee), Typed by Nic Stoltzfus (Nicholas Stoltzfus Homestead Preservation Committee) and graphic design by Elam Stoltzfus.

Key to Abbreviations: HC. is Hardcover, DJ. Is dust-jacket, SC is softcover, pg. is pages, pub. is published.

Order of information: Lot # (# of items): **Book Title**, author name; publisher, publisher location, date of publication; binding info; page #; condition of the book; additional information.

EXAMPLE: Lot 108: English/German New Testament pub. by the American Bible Society; HB, fair condition; 1850; 670 pg.



Lot 1 (2 books): An Introduction to Mennonite History by Cornelius J. Dyck; Herald Press, 1981; SC.; 452 pg. Tales From My Log Books by Jay Wendell (Whitey) Hostetler; pub. by Art Bookbindery in 2007; spiral-bound; 124 pg.



Lot 2 (3 books): **To Alaska on a Tractor** by Glen & Betty Martin; Carlisle Printing, 4th printing, 2005; SC.; 149 pg. **Phantoms of the Wood** by Jack Weaver; Reed Hann Litho, Williamsport, PA, 1992; SC.; 314 pg.; signed by author. **Bush Pilots: Canada's Wilderness Daredevils** by Peter Boer; Folklore Publishing, 2004; SC.; 236 pg.



Lot 3 (2 books) **Bittersweet Journey** by Carrie Bender; A.B. Publishing, Ithaca, MI, 2003; SC.; 143 pg. **Bricks, Blocks, and Bumpy Landings: The Life Story of Roy A. Mast** ed. by Barbara Buller; Carlisle Printing, Sugarcreek, OH, 2006; SC., 317 pg.; signed by author.



Lot 4 (2 books): The Forsaken Child by Benuel M. Fisher; self-published, New Holland, PA; SC., 158 pg. Are All the Children In? by Terry L. Heller; Masthof Press, Morgantown, PA, 2012; SC.; 378 pg.



Lot 5 (3 books): **The Forgotten Art of Building a Good Fireplace** by Vrest Orton; Yankee Inc., Dublin, NH, 1<sup>st</sup> edition, 1969; SC.; 60 pg. **The Forgotten Art of Building a Stone Wall** by Curtis P. Fields; Yankee Inc., Dublin, NH, 1<sup>st</sup> edition, 1971; SC.; 61 pg. **Build Your Own Stone House** by Karl & Sue Schwenke; Garden Way Publishing, Charlotte, VT, 4<sup>th</sup> printing, 1977; SC.; 154 pg.



Lot 6: The History of Pinecraft 1925-1960 by Noah Gingerich; Carlisle Press, Sugarcreek, OH, 2006; HC.; 164 pg.; signed by author.



Lot 7 (2 books): **Pennsylvania Mennonites in Mexico** by Lester K. Burkholder; Masthof Press, Morgantown, PA, 1998; SC.; 145 pg. **Called to Mexico** by Old Colony Mennonite Support; Carlisle Printing, Sugarcreek, OH, 2011; PB.; 408 pg.



Lot 8 (3 books): A Quiet Moment in Time: A Contemporary View of Amish Society ed. by George M. Kreps et. al.; Carlisle Printing, Sugarcreek, OH, 1997; SC.; 150 pg. The Bishop's Daughter by Wanda E. Brunstetter; Barbour Publishing, Uhrichsville, OH, 2006; SC.; 287 pg.

A High Wind Rising by Elsie Singmaster; Riverside Press, Cambridge, MA, 1942; HC. & DJ.; 296 pg.



Lot 9 (2 books): **The Fortunate Years: An Amish Life** by Aaron S. Glick; Good Books, Intercourse, PA, 1994; SC.; 249 pg. **The Innovators: The New Holland Story** by Homer K. Luttringer; Innovative Ink, 1<sup>st</sup> edition, 1990; HC.; 399 pg.; signed by author.



Lot 10 (2 books): Family Record of Levi L. and Susan (Gingerich) Mast, 1881-2002 by Mervin S. Mast; self-published, LaGrange, IN, n.d.; SC.; 92 pg. From Sunrise to Sunset: 1873-1949 by Toby Mast; Echo Printers, Arthur, IL, 1995; SC.; 37 pg.



Lot 11 (2 books): An Early Move to Kansas comp. by Gideon & Elizabeth (Stoltzfus) Fisher; Gordonville Print Shop, Gordonville, PA, 1979; SC.; 30 pg. Memories of a Western Trip by C.J. Stoltzfus; Gordonville Print Shop, Gordonville, PA, 2002; SC.; 37 pg. Waiting for You: Detours in the Six-Year Courtship of Harvey Beiler and Ada Gehman by Harvey Beiler; Gateway Press, Baltimore, MD, 2003; SC.; 151 pg.; signed by author.



Lot 12 (2 books): Stoltzfus Family History by Reuben G. Stoltzfus; self-published, 1938; HC.; 48 pg. Worth Dying For: A Story of the Waldensians by Nicholas Stoltzfus; Pathway Publishing, Aylmer, ON, 2<sup>nd</sup> printing, 1965; HB. & DJ; 222 pg.



Lot 13 (2 books): Joni J. Miller Family History, 1842-1942 w/ Revised History by D.A. Hochstetler by E.J. Miller; self-published, Topeka, IN, 1992; SC.; 123 pg. Family Record of Moses and Katie Kauffman and their Decendants [sic] by Joel C. Beachey; self-published, Arthur, IL, 1941; SC.; 65 pg.



Lot 14 (2 books): **Descendants of John Garver (Garber), 1786-1865** by S.T. Eash and G.G. Cross; self-published, Goshen, IN, 1967; SC.; 107 pg. **The Days of their Youth: Stories of the Adam Wenger Family** by Mary Ellen Eberly and Wilma M. Martin; self-published, no date; SC.; 166 pg.



Lot 15 (2 books): **Memoirs of Isaac G. Good** by Isaac G. Good; self-published, no date; SC.; 172 pg.; <u>signed by author</u>, book # 276. **Hutterite Life** by John A. Hostetler; Herald Press, Scottsdale, PA, 1965; SC.; 39 pg.; <u>signed by author</u>.



Lot 16 (2 books): Joseph J. Mast Family History, 1814-1958 comp. by Moses E. Mast; Gordon-Spidell Printing Co., Strasburg, OH; no date; spiral-bound; 76 pg. Family Record of Moses & Catherine (Beachy) Kauffman, 1818-1978 by Alma & Wilma Stutzman; self-published, no date; HB.; 323 pg.

Lot 17: The Historical Collection of Noah J.B. Miller: Persecutions and Sufferings of our Anabaptist

Ancestors by Menno N. Miller; Carlisle Printing, Sugarcreek, OH, 2005; SC.; 231 pg.; signed by author.

Lot 18: Mast Family History by C.Z. Mast; reprinted by Mennonite Family History. Elverson. PA. 1989: HB.

Lot 18: **Mast Family History** by C.Z. Mast; reprinted by Mennonite Family History, Elverson, PA, 1989; HB.; 822 pg.

Lot 19: **Descendants and History of Georg Petersheim Family** compiled by Petersheim Descendents; Pequea Publishers, Gordonville, PA, 1st edition, 1979; HB.; 528 pg.; gift from Fred K. & Barbara F. Stoltzfus and Elmina Stoltzfus to C.P. & Mary Stoltzfus.

Lot 20: **Amish and Amish Mennonite Genealogies** by Hugh F. Gingerich & Rachel W. Kreider; Pequea Publishers, Gordonville, PA, 1st printing, 1986; HB.; 858 pg.

Lot 21 (2 books): From Kansas Plains to Wisconsin Hills: Memories and Happenings from the David and Lizzie Ann Petersheim Descendants by Wilma Schrock; Carlisle Printing, Sugarcreek, OH, 2009; SC.; 217 pg. Descendants of Daniel J. Hochstetler and Barbara C. Miller, 1842-1990 comp. by Dan A. Hochstetler; Gordonville Print Shop, Gordonville, PA, 1st printing, 1990; HB.; 644 pg.

Lot 22 (3 books): Our Land of Farms, Little Wonder Book # 502 by Dorothy Hall; Charles E. Merril Co., Inc., revised printing, 1949; SC.; 32 pg. Tuberculosis Must Go by Edgar W. Cooley; International Harvester Company, Chicago, IL, revised edition, 1927; SC.; 66 pg. The Harvester World, Vol. 8, No. 7; Chicago, IL, July 1917; SC.; 24 pg.

Lot 23 (4 magazines): The Farm Journal pub. by Wilmer Atkinson Co., Philadelphia, PA, (1) April 1908, (2) Oct. 1917, (3) April 1918, (4) Jan. 1934.

Lot 24 (5 magazines): The Farm Journal pub. by Wilmer Atkinson Co., Philadelphia, PA, (1) Nov. 1934, (2) Dec. 1934, (3) March 1935, (4) May 1935, (5) Nov. 1937.

Lot 25 (18 newspapers): GRIT: America's Greatest Family Newspaper, Grit Pub. Co., Williamsport, PA, misc. 1980-1985.

Lot 26 (18 newspapers): **GRIT: America's Greatest Family Newspaper**, Grit Pub. Co., Williamsport, PA, misc. 1979-1982.

Lot 27 (18 newspapers): GRIT: America's Greatest Family Newspaper, Grit Pub. Co., Williamsport, PA, misc. 1979-1985.

Lot 28 (6 magazines): National Geographic, National Geographic Society, Washington, D.C., misc. 1964-1977.

Lot 29 (6 magazines): National Geographic, National Geographic Society, Washington, D.C., misc. 1977-2004.

Lot 30 (6 magazines) **Popular Mechanics**, Popular Mechanics Co., Chicago, IL, misc. 1947-1950; fair condition.

Lot 31 (6 magazines) **Popular Mechanics**, Popular Mechanics Co., Chicago, IL, misc. 1951-1965; good condition.

Lot 32: 1969 Picture Calendar from C.P. Stoltzfus Sealed Storage, Elverson, PA.

Lot 33: Smoochy Poochy, Who Are the Amish?, The Easter People: A Trip to Amish Country, Hettie's Apfel Tree, and Hettie's Goodiebook by Dorothy Louis; Bookworm Publisher, Rochester, NY, 1981; spiral-bound.

Lot 34: "Amish Folk" article by Richard Gehman with lots of photos of Lancaster Amish by W.A. Allard; featured in National Geographic August 1965 issue.

Lot 35: **The gentle people: A Portrait of the Amish** photobook with photos by James A. Warner, text by Donald M. Denlinger; Galahad Books, 1969; HB. & DJ; 184 pg.

Lot 36: My Ocean is Wide by Sarah M. Weaver; Schlabach Printers, Sugarcreek, OH, 1993; PB.; 229 pg.

Lot 37: Hardbound edition of 1939 Life magazines; Volume 6, 14-26, M.H. Peth.

Lot 38: Hardbound edition of 1937 Life magazines; Volume 2, 1-13, M.H. Peth.

Lot 39: A Collection of Writings by C.Z. Mast assembled by Harold R. Mast; self-published, 1982/83; HB.; 210 pg.

Lot 40: Historic Background and Annals of the Swiss and German Pioneer Settlers of Southeastern Pennsylvania by H. Frank Eshleman; Lancaster, PA, 1917; HB.; 386 pg.



Lot 41: **Amish Church, School And Historical Events** by C.P. Stoltzfus; self-published, 2005; HB.; 288 pg.

Lot 42: **The Amish Year** by C.S. Rice and R.C. Steinmetz; Rutgers University Press, 2<sup>nd</sup> printing 1956; HB.; 224 pg.; includes a 4-page sheet identifying photos of Lancaster Amish and # in 2009 Fisher Book.

Lot 43: **Unser Leit: The Story of the Amish** by Leroy Beachy; Goodly Heritage Books, Millersburg, OH, 2011; HB., 2 volumes. In leather case, one book has never been opened.

Lot 44: 1754-2004, 250th Anniversary of Intercourse, PA, Commemorative Anniversary Book.

Lot 45: Golden Memories of Amos J. Stoltzfus comp. by C.P. Stoltzfus; Pequea Publishers, 1984; HB. & DJ; SC; 353 pg.

Lot 46: Tradition & Transition: Amish Mennonites and Old Order Amish 1800-1900 by Paton Yoder; Herald Press, Scottsdale, PA, 1991; HB. & DJ; 358 pg.

Lot 47: Amish History of Southern Lancaster County Pennsylvania 1940-1992 comp. by John S. Kauffman et. al.; Olde Springfield Shoppe, Elverson, PA, 1992; HB.; 170 pg.

Lot 48: "Amish Folk" article by Richard Gehman with lots of photos of Lancaster Amish by W.A. Allard; featured in National Geographic August 1965 issue.

Lot 49 (2 binders from Chris P. Stoltzfus' Collection): (1) Amish Parents Facing Jail in School Dispute Morgantown/Honeybrook Newspaper Clippings, 28 pg. (2) Old Morgantown Pictures and Amish Vintage Postcards, 18 pg.

Lot 50 (4 binders from Chris P. Stoltzfus' Collection): (1) **Nicholas Stoltzfus 1719-1774**, 102 pg. (2) **Moses Hartz Family History 1819-1965**, 29 pg. (3) **Clippings from the Goshen News**, 32 pg. (4) **Health Facts: How to Stay Healthy**, 62 pg.

Lot 51 (3 binders from Chris P. Stoltzfus' Collection): (1) Letters To/From Cousin Fern, including big picture of Steven R.'s Johnny, 30 pg. (2) Lots & Lots of Christ P. Stories, over 100 pg. (3) Yesteryear, over 100 pg.

Lot 52 (4 binders from Chris P. Stoltzfus' Collection): (1) **The [Nicholas Stoltzfus] Homestead** earliest newsletters ed. by Paul S. Kurtz and comp. by C.P. Stoltzfus, 195 pg. (3) **Elam G. Stoltzfus Family Record** (3) **Amos J. Stoltzfus Accounts 1899-1938** (4) **The Soil** (Hagerstown, MD), **The Sunbeam** (Boonesboro, MD) collected newsletters from C.P.S. Camps, circa 1940s.

Lot 53: **Annals of the Conestoga Valley** by C.Z. Mast and R.E. Simpson; photocopied and put in laminated sheets in a binder by Chris P. Stoltzfus, complete 689 pg.; includes a newspaper clipping about C.Z. Mast and printing of the Annals.

Lot 54: (1 binder from Chris P. Stoltzfus' Collection): Stoltzfus and Berks Related Topics, over 100 pg.

Lot 55 (11 magazines): Farm Journal pub. by Farm Journal, Inc., Philadelphia, PA, 1951-1952.

Lot 56 (4 magazines): National Geographic, National Geographic Society, Washington, D.C., misc. 1941-1966.

Lot 57 (12 newspaper journals): **The Rural New-Yorker**, pub. by The Rural Publishing Co., NY, NY, misc. 1953.

Lot 58 (omnibus newspaper journal): The Youth's Companion, by Perry Mason & Co., all 1894.

Lot 59 (omnibus newspaper): **Reading Newsweek Limited Edition, Volume Two**, reprinted by Reading Eagle Press 1993. This weekly newspaper was sent to Reading and Berks County soldiers during World War II. This book covers 1944-45.

Lot 60 (3 books): Golden Memories of Amos J. Stoltzfus comp. by C.P. Stoltzfus, 1984; HB. & DJ; 353 pg. Weavertown Church History by Aaron Lapp, Jr.; Carlisle Printing, Sugarcreek, OH, 2003; HB.; 300 pg. The Quiet Land by James Warner; Grossman Publishers, New York, 1970; HB. & DJ; 168 pg.

Lot 61 (3 books): **Our Amish Neighbors** by William I. Schreiber; The University of Chicago Press, Chicago, IL, 1962; HB. & DJ; 226 pg. **Headwaters of the Brandywine: A History of Honey Brook Township** by Margaret R. Eppihimer; 1983; SC.; 64 pg. **The Amazing Story of the Ausbund** by Benuel S. Blank; Carlisle Printing, Sugarcreek, OH, 4th printing, 2005; SC.; 120 pg.

Lot 62 (2 books): **The Steinmans of Lancaster** by John H. Brubaker, III ("The Scribbler"); Steinman Enterprises, 1984; HC. & DJ; 219 pg.; signed by author. **Berksiana 1776-1976** by Charles Schuyler Castner; pub. by The Berksiana Foundation, 1976; HC. & DJ; 350 pg.

Lot 63 (2 books): A History of the Amish by Steven M. Nolt; Good Books, NY, NY, 2015; SC.; 405 pg. Treason At Christiana by L.D. "Bud" Rettew; 2006, 2nd edition; SC.; 129 pg.



Lot 78 (2 books): Rot Druck Testament (New Testament in German with Jesus' sayings in red), printed in Cleveland, OH, by Central Publishing House; HB., good condition; once owned by Jacob K. Stoltzfus, 1936; 510 pg. **German Holy Bible**, printed in London/Edinburgh by United Bible Societies in 1949; HB., good

Lot 80 (2 books): Germany and the Germans from an American Point of View by Price Collier; Charles Scribner's Sons, NY, NY, 1913; HB.; 602 pg. Europe Since 1870 by Edward Raymond Turner; Doubleday, Page & Co., Garden City, NY, 1926; HB.; 580 pg.

Lot 81 (3 books): New Songs of Inspiration, Vol. 4; John T. Benson Pub. Co., Nashville, TN, n.d.; SC.; 330 songs. Waves of Glory Songbook ed. & pub. by Robert E. Winsett, Dayton, TN. Favorite Songs and Hymns comp. by Morris et. al.; Stamps-Baxter Music and Printing Co., Dallas, TX, 1939; SC.; 344 song.

Lot 82 (2 books): Spiritual Hymns of Brethren in Christ; front matter removed; 380 pg. Mennonite Church Hymnal ed. by J.D. Brunk & S.F. Coffman; Mennonite Publishing House, Scottsdale, PA, 1949; HB.; 536 pg. a gift from Jacob K. Mast to Raymond Stoltzfus on Jan 3rd, 1953.

Lot 83 (2 books): The Story of Berks County by A.E. Wagner et. al.; Eagle Book and Job Press, Reading, PA, 1916; HB.; 254 pg. Early Narratives of Berks County by J. Bennett Nolan; Reading Eagle Press, Reading, PA, 1927; HB.; 188 pg. signed by author.

Lot 84 (3 books): Barriers Burned Away by E.P. Roe; Dodd, Mead, and Company, NY, NY, 1885; HB.; 465 pg. Mrs. Mike: The Story of Katherine Mary Flannigan by Benedict and Nancy Freedman; Coward-McCann, Inc., NY, NY, 1947; HB.; 312 pg. The Penn Germania January 1912, Vol. XIII; Cleona, PA, 1912; HB.; 920 pg.



Lot 85 (2 books): It's an Old Pennsylvania Custom by Edwin Valentine Mitchell; The Vanguard Press, Inc., NY, NY, 1947; HB.; 261 pg. The Pennsylvania German Folklore Society, Vol. 3: Gezwitscher (first chapter); Schlecter's, Allentown, PA, 1938; HB.



Lot 86 (2 books): Pennsylvania German Society, Part I: 1938 Proceedings and Addresses, Part II: Anthology of Pennsylvania German Verse; Norristown Herald, Norristown, PA, 1940; SC.; 299 pg. The Pennsylvania German Society 1904 Proceedings and Addresses; The New Era Printing Company, Lancaster, PA, 1905; SC.



Lot 87 (3 books): **The Schuylkill** by J. Bennett Nolan; Rutgers University Press, New Brunswick, NJ, 1951; HB. & DJ; 310 pg. **The Pennsylvania German Family Farm** by Amos Long Jr.; The Pennsylvania German Society, Breinigsville, PA, 1972; HB.; 518 pg. **Farm and Business Directory of Berks County** pub. by Wilmer Atkinson Co., Philadelphia, PA, 1914; HB.; 240 pg. poor condition.



Lot 88 (2 books): **Pennsylvania Dutch Boonastiel** (humorous stories in PA Dutch language) by T.H. Harter; Schneider Printing Co., Palmyra, PA, 1928; HB.; 240 pg. **G'shbos Und Arnsht** (poetry and prose in PA Dutch language) by Solly Hulsbuck; The Hawthorne Press, Elizabethville, PA, 1939; HB.; 384 pg.



Lot 89 (2 books): Pennsylvania German: A Collection of Pennsylvania German Productions in Poetry and Prose, Vol. 1 (PA Dutch language) ed. by Daniel Miller, Reading, PA, 1911; HB.; 265 pg. G'shbos Und Arnsht (poetry and prose in PA Dutch language) by Solly Hulsbuck; The Hawthorne Press, Elizabethville, PA, 1939; HB.; 384 pg.



Lot 90 (2 books): The Pennsylvania German Folklore Society, Vol. 9: Storm Blown Seed of Schoharie (first chapter); Schlecter's, Allentown, PA, 1946; HB. The Pennsylvania German Folklore Society, Vol. 10: The Influence of the Pennsylvania Dutch in the Middle West (first chapter); Schlecter's, Allentown, PA, 1947; HB.



Lot 91 (3 books): The Pennsylvania German Folklore Society, Vol. 7: The Bucks County Historical Society (first chapter); Schlecter's, Allentown, PA, 1943; HB. The Pennsylvania German Folklore Society, Vol. 14: Mysticism in the German Devotional Literature of Colonial Pennsylvania (first chapter); Schlecter's, Allentown, PA, 1950; HB. The Pennsylvania German Folklore Society, Vol. 15: Pennsylvania German Wills (first chapter); Schlecter's, Allentown, PA, 1951; HB.



Lot 92: The Pennsylvania German Folklore Society, Vol. 24: The Amish Today (first chapter); Schlecter's, Allentown, PA, 1961; HB.



Lot 93 (2 books): The Pennsylvania German Folklore Society, Vol. 2: Consider The Lilies How They Grow (first chapter); Schlecter's, Allentown, PA, 1937; HB. The Pennsylvania German Folklore Society, Vol. 12: Am Schwarze Baer (first chapter); Schlecter's, Allentown, PA, 1948; HB.



Lot 94 (3 books): Yearbooks of the United States Department of Agriculture 1913, 1917, 1919; Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C.; HB.



Lot 95 (2 books): **The Emerald City of Oz** by L. Frank Baum; The Reilly & Lee Co., Chicago, IL, 1910; HB.; 295 pg.; fair condition. **Dorothy and the Wizard in Oz** by L. Frank Baum; The Reilly & Lee Co., Chicago, IL, 1908; HB.; 225 pg.; fair condition.



Lot 96 (3 books): Sir Roger De Coverley: Essays from the Spectator by Addison and Steele; The MacMillan Company, NY, NY, 1913; HB.; 166 pg.; good condition. Select Essays and Addresses by Ralph Waldo Emerson; The MacMillan Company, NY, NY, 1909; HB.; 275 pg.; good condition. The House of the Seven Gables by Nathaniel Hawthorne; The MacMillan Company, NY, NY, 1908; HB.; 298 pg.; good condition.



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Lot 98 (2 books): **Amish Grace** by Donald B. Kraybill et. al.; Jossey-Bass, San Francisco, CA, 2007; HB. & DJ; 237 pg. **Amish Society** by John A. Hostetler; The Johns Hopkins University Press, Baltimore, MD, 1993; SC; 435 pg.



Lot 99 (2 books): **Quilts** by Marie D. Webster; Practical Patchwork, Santa Barbara, CA, 1990; SC; 244 pg. **Buggy Seat, Bare Feet** by Rose Heiberger; Gordonville Print Shop, Gordonville, PA, 1994; HB.; 215 pg.; signed by author.



Lot 100 (3 books): Amishland by Xtian Newswanger; Gordonville Print Shop, Gordonville, PA, 1999; HB.; 132 pg. *Time* Great Images of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century ed. by Kelly Knaeur; Time Books, NY, NY, 1999; HB. & DJ; 168 pg. One Brief Shining Moment: Remembering Kennedy by William Manchester; Little, Brown and Company, Boston, MA, 1983; HB. & DJ; 277 pg.



Lot 101: Barns by Nicholas S. Howe; Freidman/Fairfax Publishers, NY, NY, 1996; HB. & DJ: 117 pg.

Lot 102: One Hundred Years of Commitment to Communication Services 1902-2002 (History of Conestoga Telephone Co.) by Marie E. Cutman; MecPublishing, Morgantown, PA, 2002; HB.; 326 pg.



Lot 103 (3 books): **By Way of the Silverthorns** by Grace Livingston Hill; Grosset & Dunlap, NY, NY, 1941; HB.; 287 pg.; good condition. **Time of the Singing of Birds** by Grace Livingston Hill; Grosset & Dunlap, NY, NY, 1944; HB.; 222 pg.; good condition. **Lo, Michael!** by Grace Livingston Hill Lutz; Grosset & Dunlap, NY, NY, 1913; HB.; 369 pg.; poor condition.



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Lot 105 (2 books): **Up From The Rubble** by Peter & Elfrieda Dyck; Herald Press, Scottsdale, PA, 1991; SC; 384 pg. **Hans Brinker or The Silver Skates** by Mary Mapes Dodge; Charles Scribner's Sons, NY, NY, 1915; HB.; 329 pg.



Lot 106 (4 books): Across the Border (Missionary family travels to Ukraine in 1995) by Harvey Yoder; self-published; SC. A Quiet Knowing Christmas by Ruth Bell Graham; W Publishing Group, Nashville, TN, 2002; HB. & DJ; 170 pg. To My Very Special Friend, A Helen Exley Giftbook; Watford, UK, 2007; HB.



Lot 107 (3 books): The Purpose Driven Life by Rick Warren; Zondervan, Grand Rapids, MI, 2002; SC; 334 pg. Beauty for Ashes by John Coblentz; Christian Light Publications, Harrisonburg, VA, 1990; SC; 83 pg. Christian Family Living by John Coblentz; Christian Light Publications, Harrisonburg, VA, 2012; SC; 324 pg.



Lot 108 (3 books): **The Girl From Montana** by Grace Livingston Hill; Grosset & Dunlap, NY, NY, 1922; HB.; 220 pg. **Mary Arden** by Grace & Ruth Livingston Hill; J.B. Lippincott Co., Philadelphia, PA, 1948; HB.; 248 pg. **The Man of the Desert** // **An Unwilling Guest** by Grace Livingston Hill; Fleming H. Revell Co., Old Tappan, NJ, 1985; HB. & DJ; 250 pg.



Lot 109 (3 books): Coming Through The Rye by Grace Livingston Hill; Grosset & Dunlap, NY, NY, 1926; HB.; 348 pg.; good condition. Crimson Roses by Grace Livingston Hill; Grosset & Dunlap, NY, NY, 1928; HB.; 319 pg.; good condition. Maris by Grace Livingston Hill; Grosset & Dunlap, NY, NY, 1938; HB.; 313 pg.; fair condition.



Lot 110 (2 books): **God's Answers to Life's Difficult Questions** by Rick Warren; Zondervan, Grand Rapids, MI, 2006; HB. & DJ; 197 pg. **God's Power to Change Your Life** by Rick Warren; Zondervan, Grand Rapids, MI, 2006; HB. & DJ; 236 pg.



Lot 111 (2 books): Where Has Integrity Gone? by Simon Schrock; Vision Publishers, Harrisonburg, VA, 2007; SC; 102 pg. Amazing Grace: 366 Inspiring Hymn Stories for Daily Devotions by Kenneth W. Osbeck; Kregel Publications, Grand Rapids, MI, 1990; SC; 397 pg.



Lot 112 (3 books): **The Enchanted Barn** by Grace Livingston Hill Lutz; Grosset & Dunlap, NY, NY, 1918; HB.; 313 pg.; poor condition. **All Through the Night** by Grace Livingston Hill; Grosset & Dunlap, NY, NY, 1945; HB.; 253 pg.; fair condition. **Crimson Roses** by Grace Livingston Hill; Grosset & Dunlap, NY, NY, 1928; HB.; 253 pg.; good condition.



Lot 113 (2 books): Emma: a Will to Surrender by Becky McGurrin; Vision Publishers, Harrisonburg, PA, 2014; HB. & DJ; 206 pg. End of the Spear by Steve Saint; Tyndale House Publishers, Inc., Carol Stream, IL, 2005; HB. & DJ; 337 pg.



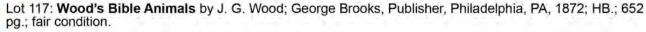
Lot 114: Volks-Bilderbibel **German Holy Bible**, Leipzig, Germany, 1844; HB.; fair condition; includes detailed black and white illustrations.



Lot 115 (2 books): **Growth in Holiness** by Frederick William Faber; H. & C. McGrath, Philadelphia, PA, 1855; HB.; 494 pg. **Moments on the Mount** by George Matheson; A.C. Armstrong & Son, NY, NY, 1884; HB.; 280 pg.



Lot 116: Allgemeine Geschichte des Christlichen Marterthums, Leben, Leiden und glorreichen Tode der Martyrer - von dem Ehrewürdigen John Fox, Philadelphia, PA, 1831 (?); HB.; 934 pg.; fair condition.





Lot 118: Collection of 8 Florida Nature Documentaries on DVDs produced by Elam Stoltzfus; Live Oak Production Group, Blountstown, FL, 2001-2017.



Lot 119: **The Great Florida Cattle Drive DVD and coffee table book** by Elam & Nic Stoltzfus; Live Oak Production Group, Blountstown, FL, 2017; signed by authors.

Lot 120: **German Lutherans to Pennsylvania Amish** by Nic Stoltzfus, Masthof Press, Morgantown, PA, 2019; HB. & DJ; signed by author.

#### 2022 - Nicholas Stoltzfus Homestead Benefit Auction Quilt inventory - at 11:00 AM



Giant Dahlia Black/ Burgundy 102" x 115"



Flower Star -Peach/Blue 101" x 125"



Dutch Star Cabin - Brown 108" x 114"



Star Medallion - Black 109" x 115"



Light & Shadow by Sadie Lapp -Blue 84" x 96" D



Log Cabin Lap Blanket by Sadie Lapp -54" x 60". C



Cross Stitch Patches -By Salome Petersheim 86" x 94" C



Lone Star -By Salome Petersheim -82" x 90" D



Knotted Comforter by Rebecca -John F. Stoltzfus 74" x 88". C



Old Fashioned Sunshine & Shadows. Amish hand made 84" x 85"



Crazy Patch Knotted Comforter by Barbara Glick 81" x 91" D



Ocean Wave Amish hand made 88" x 102" D Include a small pillow

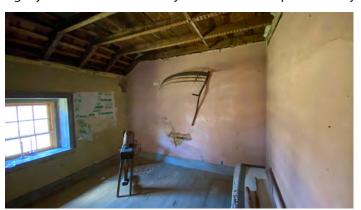
Two original digital watercolor images "Summer" & "Winter" of the Nicholas Stoltzfus Homestead by photographer Elam S. Stoltzfus will be sold at the auction. 36" x 20". 1 of 20 prints, no frame.





Funds are needed to pay for the remodeling-replastering of the two interior rooms in the historic house that have never been completed with the restoration. Restoring the walls and ceiling will protect the house from further deterioration. As we give more public tours and bring young school students into the old house, it's important to showcase the colonial lifestyle of the 1700s. Your support will help tell the legacy of the Stoltzfus story and our Anabaptist history.







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# Sunday, May 8, 2022 - 6:30 PM Benefit Music Concert

Conrad Fisher is a singer/songwriter from Gordonville, PA.

Named Best Songwriter at the 2021 Central Pennsylvania Music Awards. His song "Living Left To Do" recorded by Joe Mullins & The Radio Ramblers topped the charts 4 weeks in a row on the Bluegrass Today Gospel Weekly Chart.

Conrad began playing in local bands in his hometown, Gordonville, PA when he was in high school. By the time he was twenty he was fronting the band and playing original music.

His unique style as a guitar player and songwriter draws from a wide range of influences from Don Williams to Buck Owens to Tom Petty. Conrad will be performing with a four piece professional band.





Dave Reinwald performs for many groups in the Berks County area.

Dave loves to sing from many different genres of music, including traditional and contemporary Christian, rock oldies, John Denver, and original material. Dave and his wife Jackie have been married for 13 years and have a beautiful daughter named Sarah. Dave has been the Pastor at Kissinger's Church in Wyomissing for the past 11 years.

Along with being a pastoral couple, they truly love to bring joy and hope to others through music.

Two old closets in the upstair rooms were removed. These two closets were added in the late 1800s or early 1900s, not part of the original rooms. The removal provides room for more wall space to showcase interpretive material and educational lessons. The walls need touch-up plaster and repair.

Before removal



After removal



The Nicholas Stoltzfus House Preservation Committee 1700 Tulpehocken Road Wyomissing, PA 19610

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Sponsor a Table or Chair: buy a table or chair for the Homestead.

We need to replace the heavy wooden tables with lighter 6 foot plastic folding tables in the barn (we need 10 tables) Economy 72x30 folding \$99.00 each (Total of \$999.00)





Replace the tired and worn metal chairs with lighter plastic folding chairs (we need 70 chairs)
Economy chair \$33.00 each (Total of \$2310.00)

3 picnic tables with benches for the lawn area (would prefer composite poly material)

Send checks to: Nicholas Stoltzfus Homestead - T&C 1700 Tulpehocken Road Wyomissing, PA 19610

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