

FIG. 95.—Birthplace of Ex-President Monroe.

*James Monroe*

The James Monroe  
Memorial Foundation  
Presents the



**257<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration  
Ceremony**  
For  
**Fifth President  
James Monroe**

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Presidents Circle  
Hollywood Cemetery  
Richmond, Virginia  
April 28, 2015  
11:00 a.m.

# JAMES MONROE MEMORIAL FOUNDATION CEREMONY

## IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING PRESIDENTIAL WREATH LAYING CEREMONY

**Call to Order.....G. William Thomas, Jr., President,  
James Monroe Memorial Foundation**

**Invocation.....W. Gregory Burkett, Assistant Chaplain**

**Introduction of Secretary Rodrigues .....Hon. Charles James,  
Gloucester Institute**

**Declaration from Governor McAuliffe.....Hon. Nancy Rodrigues,  
Secretary of Administration**

**Special Presentation from War of 1812  
Bicentennial Commission .....Hon. Kirk Cox, Chairman**

**Road to Revolution sign. Hon. Charles James, Gloucester Institute  
and Former Dep. Secretary of Administration**

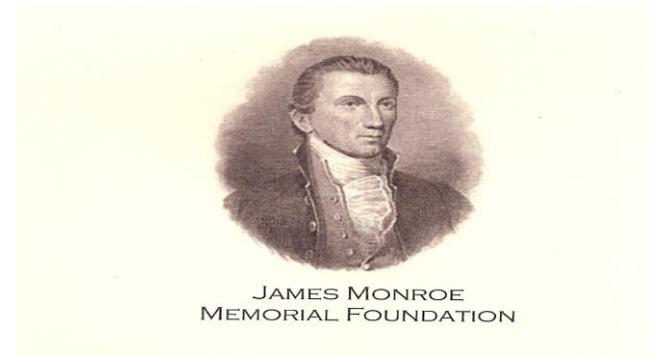
**Remarks about Monroe.....Curtis P. Cheyney III  
General President, Sons of the Revolution**

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**Benediction.....W. Gregory Burkett, Assistant Chaplain**

**Closing Remarks.....President G. William Thomas, Jr.**

**Group Photos**



## Participants in the Wreath Laying Ceremony

James Monroe Memorial Foundation	Hon. Helen Marie Taylor
War of 1812 Bicentennial Commission	Hon. Kirk Cox, Chairman, and VA House of Delegates Majority Leader
Virginia Society of SAR	Edward Truslow, First Vice President
Richmond Chapter of SAR	Dennis Peterson, First Vice President
Col. Fielding Lewis Chapter of SAR	Bob Swartwood, Member
James Monroe Chapter of SAR	Charles Belfield, Member
Williamsburg Chapter of SAR	Harley Stewart, Secretary
Culpeper Minute Men Chapter of SAR	Bill Schwetke, President
Society of the War of 1812 in Virginia	William A. Nash II, Secretary
Society of Colonial Wars In the State of Va	Henry Spalding, Governor
Order of Founders & Patriots in Va	Myron Lyman, Past President
Sons of the Revolution, General Society	Curtis P. Cheyney III, General President
Sons of the Revolution, Virginia Society	Matson L. Roberts, former President
National Society, Col. Dames. XVII th Century	Fran Davis, Honorary President General
Prince William Resolves, DAR	Marie Vayer, Regent
Ash Lawn-Highland	