



Our Patriots

"Your exertions in the cause of freedom, guided by wisdom and animated by zeal and courage, have gained you the love and confidence of your grateful countrymen." - Anonymous

DAR Member Name: Carole Marie Eckman Carroll

Name of Patriot and Ancestor Number: Robert Miller A079567

Birth and Place of Birth: 19 Mar 1714 Lyme, New London, CT

Death and Place of Death: 21 Jan 1790 Old Lyme, CT

Relation to Patriot: 5X Great Grandfather

Service Source: "Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution" (1889) pages 183, 184 and 188

Service Description: Private, Battle of Germantown in October 1777 and wintered at Valley Forge 1777-1778

Additional Patriot Service Information: Robert Miller enlisted on 17 December 1776 at the age of 62 and stayed for the duration of the war. He served under Captain Henry Lee at the Battle of Germantown in October 1777 and then wintered at Valley Forge under Colonel Durkee as part of Varnum's Brigade leaving the war as a Lieutenant being buried with that moniker. He was 76 years old when he died.

