

Glengarry Place for the Arts



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The 3rd Annual

Glengarry Heritage Day

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3rd, 2008

11:00am to 3:30pm

Entrance: **\$7**

(includes a traditional "Ploughman's" Lunch
served in the historic Congregational Hall)

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PROGRAM

11:00 - 11:05	Welcome	Main Stage
11:05 - 11:20	Scottish Dancer: Stephanie Allen	Main Stage
11:20 - 11:35	Fiddler: Christopher Allen	Main Stage
11:35 - 11:45	Heritage Story: <i>Blarney Stone</i>	Main Stage
11:45 - 12:15	Irish Songs : Ken and Rita Ward Sing	Main Stage
12:15 - 12:25	Heritage Story: <i>St. Patrick</i>	Main Stage
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch	Congregational Hall
	Heritage Story: <i>Gordon Church</i>	Congregational Hall
	Artisans Show case	Field
13:30 - 14:00	Couperis - Irish Dancers	Main Stage
14:00 - 14:10	Heritage Story: <i>St. Brigid</i>	Main Stage
14:10 - 14:40	Gaelic Singers	Main Stage
14:40 - 14:50	Heritage Story: <i>The Shamrock</i>	Main Stage
14:50 - 15:10	Ceilidh Dancing	Main Stage
15:10 - 15:20	Heritage Story: <i>The Future in Glengarry</i>	Main Stage
15:20 - 15:30	Farewell - <i>Glengarry My Home</i> (<i>Words opposite</i>)	Main Stage

Glengarry My Home

Choral Version

Gaelic Choir

Gleanna Garaidh mo chridhe, Gleanna Garaidh mo ruin
Leis an beanntan an aghmhor, leis an gleannan an grinn
Gun aitearach airde gun spaydukuhn binn
Ach an taite cho boidheach
Gleanna Garaidh no chridh.

Cha ceol a phiob agus oreinn is gaidhlig gu leor
Tir nan heenshurun jeelus
Tir mo graidh stonyuh cor
Bi mo gurrachd mo mholadh
Mo beanneachan ciuin
Gleanna Garaidh mo chridhe
Gleanna Garaidh mo ruin.

All

It's been two hundred years since the Highlander's song
First rang through the woods on the winter nights long
They sang of their hills and the life they had known
Of their once happy days in their old Highland home.

They were stripped of their Gaelic, their tartan and song
They had nothing but mem'ries which they passed along
There's no myth, there's no wonder, just let it be known
All their mem'ries still live in Glengarry my home.

For it's proud you should be if Glengarry's your home.

Full Text

In the hills of Glengarry my heart lingers still
By the lakeside, the burnside, the sturdy stone mill
In my dreams there I wander with friends of my own
In that old Scottish county, Glengarry my home.

Through the woods and the wilds all the highlanders came
They brought fame to Glengarry and gave it the name
And I cannot forget it wherever I roam
'Tis a Scots bit 'o heaven, Glengarry my home.

Though the heather blooms not where the Scotch River flows
Still a love for the old land in every heart glows
Don't forget the old county wherever you roam
For it's proud you should be if Glengarry's your home.

How I love the old county 'tis a heaven to see
As I love the young lassie who's waiting for me
And I cannot forget it wherever I roam
'Tis a Scotch bit 'o heaven Glengarry my home.

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First rang through the woods on the winter nights long
They sang of their hills and the life they had known
Of their once happy days in their old Highland Home.

They were stripped of their Gaelic, their tartan and song
They had not nothing but memories which they passed along
There's no myth, there's no wonder, just let it be known
All their memories still live in Glengarry my home.

When the end of life's story comes closer to me
By a bend in the river I'll bide just a wee
Be it hot day in summer or winter winds blown
Have a piper play for me Glengarry my home.

Wrap me up in my tartan and my old sgian dubh
With my cromach in hand then I'll bid you adieu
Though it's far I must travel I'll not feel alone
Heaven's filled with old friends from Glengarry my home.

Author - **Ken MacRae**

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We would specifically like to thank:

Gordon Presbyterian Church for providing us with the opportunity to offer outreach to the community from these premises.

The Glengarry Highland Games Committee for their encouragement and assistance in advertising this event.

Deborah McChesney for preparing the lunch plates.

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The Maxville and District Chamber of Commerce for the loan of their tents and their ongoing work in support of community development.

The Glengarry Pioneer Museum for the loan of tents and ongoing support of our events.

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