



Celebrating 250 Years of America History Brought to Life Through Original Artifacts

This pop-up museum at the North Carolina State Legislative Building will feature a curated collection of original American historical artifacts from the American Journey Experience Vault. The exhibit is educational in nature, offering guests a rare opportunity to engage with primary-source artifacts that illuminate the principles, struggles, and legacy that shaped the United States—especially as the nation approaches the celebration of its 250th Anniversary. A portion of the display highlights the historical role of faith in America.

Exhibit Highlights Include:

- A 1599 Geneva Bible, similar to what the Pilgrims used
- 1612 King James Bible (KJV)
- John Wise's sermons
- George Washington's signed document
- A first draft of the Declaration of Independence
- Artifacts personally owned by Ben Franklin, Abraham Lincoln, and others
- Revolutionary War items....AND MORE!

Date & Location

- ◆ Date: Thursday May 21st, 2026
- ◆ Location: Legislative Building, 3rd Floor - Senate side
- ◆ Time: 9AM - 4PM

Why You Should Attend

As America reflects on 250 years of history, this display offers a meaningful opportunity for legislators, staff, and visitors to engage directly with original artifacts and consider the nation's heritage, civic foundations, and enduring principles.

