



MISSOURI FOLKLORE SOCIETY



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MEMBERSHIP FORM (2005)

The purpose of this Society is to encourage the collection, preservation, and study of folklore in the widest sense, including customs, institutions, beliefs, signs, legends, language, literature, musical arts, and folk arts and crafts of all ethnic groups throughout the State of Missouri. (MFS Constitution, 1977)

ANNUAL DUES

\$ 15 _____ Individual Membership

\$ 25 _____ Institutional Membership

\$ 25 _____ Family Membership

\$ 50 _____ Sustaining Membership

\$ 10 _____ Student Membership

\$200 _____ Life Membership

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(The Missouri Folklore Society is a tax-exempt, non-profit organization; contributions to the Society are tax-deductible.)

Name: _____

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I do ___ / do not ___ give permission for my name and address to be included in the Missouri Folklore Society Directory of Members (which is given to members but is not given or sold to anyone else).

Check your address label and note the number after your name which indicates the year through which your membership is paid. Use the membership form in this newsletter to renew or extend your membership.

The Missouri Folklore Society was founded in 1906 by Henry M. Belden, Professor of English at the University of Missouri. It was reactivated in the spring of 1977 and has met annually since then. The Society publishes a quarterly *Newsletter* and the annual *Missouri Folklore Society Journal*. Members automatically receive both of these publications.

The annual meeting, generally held in October or November, includes displays of folk arts and crafts, publications, recordings, and artifacts; papers on general and specialized topics relating to Missouri Folklore; performances of traditional music; and other events in keeping with the purpose of the Society. All persons interested in Missouri's cultural life and heritage are invited to join the Society and to attend the annual meetings.