

Antietam Reunion

In 1937 the National Antietam Commemoration planned a program of events to celebrate the 75th anniversary of the Battle of Antietam which took place in Sharpsburg, Maryland on September 17, 1862. No other single day of battle before or since has had as many American casualties. The battle is considered by many historians as the true "high water mark" of the Confederacy. This "Official Program and Guide" listed the many events planned for the commemoration. President Roosevelt also attended and presented a speech. The cover depicts a Union and Confederate veteran walking arm in arm with a young woman.

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