

The Nicodemus Historical Society

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Dear

We received your 1996 dues and want to thank you for your prompt support to this striving organization.

We hope to achieve in 1996 several major goals:

- o Open offices/museum by June
- o Get Nicodemus Passed
- o Increase our membership by 100
- o Keep Nicodemus ALIVE (we're down to 26 residents)
- o Increase tourism to Nicodemus

We obviously are working continuously on genealogy and general research into the history of Nicodemus.

We want to solicit your help during 1996. How can YOU help? Here's how.

- o Assist and participate as much as you are able.
- o Support the opening of our offices/museum on the townsite by purchasing one of the categories in the fund raiser enclosed. Your name on our wall will be impressive to all who see. We need your dollars for renovations.
- o Write Senator Dole and Kassebaum and tell them to support the Nicodemus Bill for site designation.
- o Give the enclosed application to a friend, relative or associate and help us with our membership.
- o Send any additional donations to assist us with our monthly operational expenses. We need a xerox machine, office supplies, stationary, financial support for the newsletter (\$250-\$300 each time we print), and postage (we will even accept stamps if you want to donate them).

Sincerely,

Angela Bates-Tompkins,
President