

## Nancy O'Steen

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B: 7 Dec 1796 SC

Married: 20 Nov 1811 to John Moore

D: 23 Jun 1842 GA

Parents: John O'Steen & Ada Weeks



The increasing difficulty of locating John and Nancy's gravesite in the midst of a huge tract of remote forestland prompted a discussion among several descendants in 2007 about the possibility of moving their graves to a more accessible location. That idea was soon abandoned because of its impracticality. Instead, it was decided to establish a memorial marker in their honor.

Cat Creek Cemetery, just north of Valdosta, Georgia on Cat Creek Road, was selected as the best site. A large number of John and Nancy's descendants are buried there, making it the most likely spot for the marker to be seen by present and future generations. The plan was presented to all known descendants, along with an invitation to share in its cost. The response was enthusiastic and the necessary funds were quickly raised. The marker was installed early in 2009, near the graves of several of John and Nancy's descendants.

Then, on October 24, 2009, about 100 of John and Nancy's descendants, many unknown to each other, gathered at the facilities of Cat Creek Primitive Baptist Church and Cemetery to dedicate the marker, share historical information, memories, old photographs and artifacts, and to simply enjoy each other's company. The participants represented six of John and Nancy's 18 children.

Information from Jesse Moore from Ancestry.com