

**Registration Form- New England Societies' Gathering**  
Gathering Headquarters: My Place Hotel, 2440 VT Rt. 66, Randolph, VT 05061

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Member: \_\_\_\_\_ Guest: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (cell): \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I/We will arrive on \_\_\_\_\_ and are staying at My Place Hotel, or \_\_\_\_ live in the area.

You will need a car in this rural community. Nearest airport is Burlington, VT (60 miles) or Manchester, NH (113 miles).

\_\_\_\_\_ I/We can provide rides for \_\_\_\_\_ additional people from the hotel if desired.

Friday, October 16

\_\_\_\_ Attending, Meeting Registration Fee @\$25/pp                      Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Arrive Friday night at My Place Hotel, address above. Dinner on your own.

"The Barn" or McDonalds are within 1 mile.

Downtown Randolph 3 miles (The Forge, East Garden (Chinese), Pizza, etc.)

Saturday, October 17

**Saturday is the only day of structured tours and dinner.**

**Joseph Smith Memorial** tour 9:00 AM, (17 miles): 357 LDS Lane, So. Royalton, VT.

Suggestions for lunch - in South Royalton: The Worthy Burger, Royalton Fox Stand Inn,  
OR 13 miles to Bethel: Toziers Seafood Restaurant.

I-89 to Barre/Montpelier area. Barre is 22 miles from My Place Hotel. Barre offers the Ladder Grill Restaurant, Barre Granite Museum open Saturdays, Hope Cemetery, an Art Stroll. The next town is Montpelier with famous Wayside Family Restaurant, Sarducci's Italian Restaurant and the Capital Plaza. Parking for the Capital Museum (open 10-4) is behind the Capital Plaza.

Plan for the 30 minute drive back to Randolph for a guided sugarhouse tour at 4 PM.

Silloway's Sugarhouse (1303 Boudro Road, Randolph Center) tour 4:00 (2 miles from My Place). Learn about maple syrup production and maple creamies, maple products for sale (and they ship).

Immediately back to Vermont College Dining Hall (Morey Hall) for dinner and Meetings of the Orders. VT College is one mile from My Place Hotel.

Sunday, October 18 (No structured tours). Hopefully the leaves are beautiful and you can enjoy the drive to view:

Suggestions in northern direction include original factory of Ben & Jerry's in Waterbury (31 miles) or onward to Burlington (60 miles) to explore the waterfront and seafood restaurants. Ethan Allen boat is closed down for the season, sadly.

Southern direction includes the Quechee Gorge on Route 4 or continue to Woodstock (30 miles). Woodstock offers the Billings Farm Museum, and Main Street shops for fun in historic Woodstock (boasts to be the wealthiest VT town).

A nice drive in central Vermont is the Bethel Mountain Road to Rochester, VT, very scenic views and lunch at the Rochester Café and Country Store.

Also the Veterans' Cemetery is located on Furnace Road adjacent to the college 2 miles from My Place Hotel. It has a beautiful glass building at the top of the hill that on clear days, while sitting in the grass nearby, has an amazing sunset view.

Ken and I plan to return to the College for dinner Sunday night in order to again experience the culinary talents of the program there. For drinks with your meal, check out the Forge which is under the bridge in Randolph! Vermont is quite unique as the 49<sup>th</sup> state in population but first in beauty and good people. We hope you will enjoy the wonder of its mountains covered with bountiful fall colors and patiently tolerate the many tourists who come this time of year just to see them.

Total amount enclosed: \$\_\_\_\_\_. Registration fee only. (\$25/pp)

Enclosed is my check number \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ for \$\_\_\_\_\_ payable to First Families of Vermont, NO LATER THAN APRIL 10, 2026. Remember, the hold on the block (30) of rooms also expires April 10<sup>th</sup>. Don't forget to contact the hotel directly to make your reservation.

We can't wait to greet you in October!  
Ken and Sandy Button ([Buttonsk@comcast.net](mailto:Buttonsk@comcast.net))

Return this form with your registration fee to:  
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