

Heritage Village

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LIVE MUSIC AND EXHIBITION BOOK TALK

Lecture Series Event –

A Trilogy of Books About German Migration to Texas from 1844 to 1898

By German Author Barbara Ortwein

Woodville, TX., November 6, 2022 – Join us at the Whitmeyer Research Library in Heritage Village, Woodville, Texas for a book talk and exhibition about the immigration of the Germans to Texas, which will be highlighted with live music and happening on Friday, November 18, 2022.

Barbara Ortwein has written three historical novels about the immigration of the Germans to Texas from 1844 to 1898. Though her main characters are fictional, she let them interact with a lot of real emigrants in the accurate timeline of Texas history.

During her book talk about the books, Barbara Ortwein plays and sings German and Texan songs and presents a display of posters with the historical backgrounds and locations of her books.

About the Author: Barbara Ortwein, born in Lippstadt, spent forty years as a full-time teacher of German and music at the Geschwister-Scholl Secondary School in Winterberg, Germany before relocation to the Czech capital Prague after her retirement. As a teacher, she led student exchange programs to the United States and France. During her travels through Texas, she was inspired to write three historical novels about German immigration to Texas.

Between Worlds, Never to Return

In the Heart of Texas But Not Yet at Home

At Journey's End: Texans Forever.

Book Talk: Friday, November 18, 2022 from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm in the Whitmeyer Research Library at Heritage Village, Woodville, Texas. Admission is \$10 for adults, \$15 for couples. Pay at the gate. Parking is free. Come join us for fall's finest fun and purchase a book or three signed by Barbara Ortwein!

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