

*The mystic cords of memory  
stretching from every  
battlefield and patriot grave  
to every living heart*

*should swell into a mighty chorus  
of Remembrance, Gratitude and Rededication  
on this solemn occasion..... Abraham Lincoln*

**THE MERCER MEMORIAL DAY 500**

*Remembers Colonel Gary Solander* 

*Director of Veterans Affairs*

*A true friend to all veterans*

*Monday, May 28, 2012*

