

*In their sublime
presence a person
is apt to be filled
with a sense of
awe and
veneration, as if
treading on
hallowed ground.*

Galen Clark



YOSEMITE GRANT

Sesquicentennial

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Yosemite Valley Visitor Center



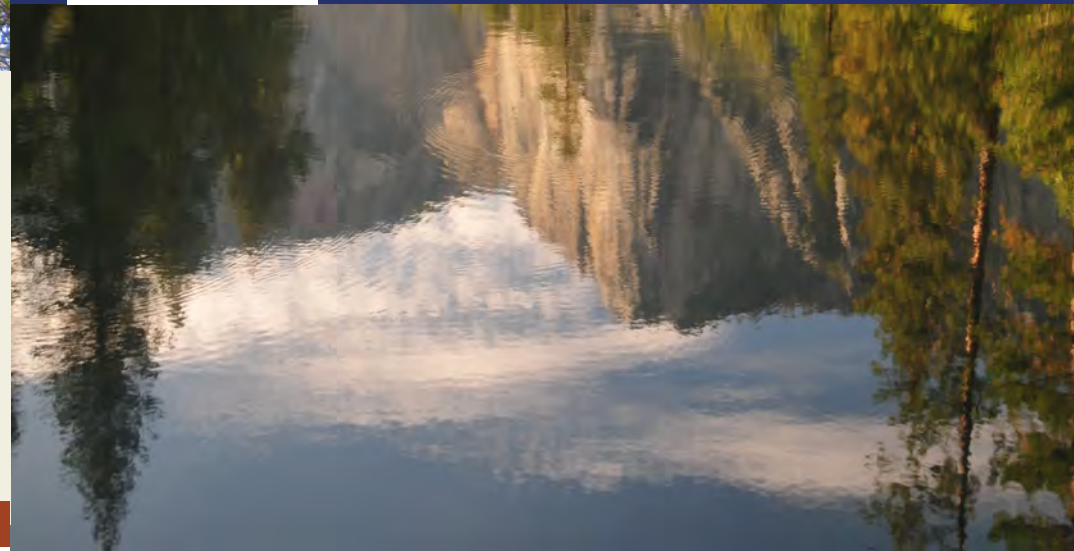
YOSEMITE
CONSERVANCY

Providing For Yosemite's Future



COVER: Yosemite Falls reflected in the Merced River. Christine Loberg works in Yosemite as a park ranger and photographer.

ABOVE: A fire scar on a giant sequoia. Photo © Josh Helling.



Park Heritage Program Schedule

- **YOSEMITE & CALIFORNIA STATE PARKS MOUNTED PATROL**
- **WELCOME**
Scott Gediman
Public Affairs Officer, Yosemite National Park
- **SIGNING OF THE YOSEMITE GRANT ACT**
President Abraham Lincoln (portrayed by Gary Talley)
- **NATIONAL PARKS AND THE NATIONAL PARK IDEA**
Jon Jarvis
Director, National Park Service
- **THE STEWARDSHIP OF YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK**
Don Neubacher
Superintendent, Yosemite National Park
- **SHARED HERITAGE WITH CALIFORNIA STATE PARKS**
Aaron Robertson
Chief Deputy Director, California State Parks System
- **PRESENTATION OF 150TH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIVE SIGN**
Mike Lynch
150th Anniversary Coordinator, California State Parks
- **PACIFIC FOREST TRUST DEED GIFT**
Laurie Wayburn
President and CEO, Pacific Forest Trust
- **COMMEMORATIVE PHOTO WITH NATIONAL PARK SERVICE AND CALIFORNIA STATE PARK RANGERS**
- **CLOSING**
Don Neubacher
Superintendent, Yosemite National Park
- **RETIRING OF THE COLORS**

RIGHT: Galen Clark was photographed by Carlton Watkins next to the Grizzly Giant in 1858. Yosemite's first "Guardian," Yosemite Park Rangers and California State Park Rangers both trace their origins to him as the first park ranger in Yosemite.

