

June 7, 2010

Mr. Robert Kroh,
Former Member Glen Rock Carolers Association,

Officers, and Members of the Glen Rock Carolers Association,
Glen Rock, PA.



Hello.

When I was a student at Susquehannock High School, I played bassoon with the schools band and orchestra. During that time I was a member of the Glen Rock Community Band and a member of the Glen Rock Carolers Association.

A respected member of the community, and former member of the Carolers Association, Sherman L. Seitz, gave me a bassoon. Thank you Mr. Seitz.

In 1972 the Glen Rock Carolers Association published a book "Salute This Happy Morn: A History Of The Glen Rock Carol Singers." by Charles H. Glatfelter, Ph.D. At the bottom of page 13 is a photograph of a bassoon.

Caption:

"This bassoon belonged to Oscar L. Seitz and later to this son, Sherman L. Seitz. It was probably the one which Oscar Seitz used as a member of the Glen Rock Band and of the carol singers. Sherman Seitz believed that it may well have been the bassoon used by James Heathcoate in 1841."
Courtesy Richard L. Seigman

I would like to donate this bassoon to the Glen Rock Carolers Association, Inc., Glen Rock, PA. I hope they will display it as part of the heritage and musical foundation.

I never had a case, strap, or the decorative metal cap that belongs at the bottom of the boot.

Thank you Mr. Sherman L. Seitz, wife Nora, and son David.

Thank you Mr. Robert Kroh for receiving the bassoon, transportation, and presentation to the Glen Rock Carolers Association.

Sincerely,

*THANKS.
Richard L. Seigman*

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