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**“FROM OHIO TO ANTIETAM”  
A TALK BY DENNY REISER OF STOW  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2018 AT 7:30 P.M.  
SHELTER HOUSE, FRED FULLER PARK, KENT**

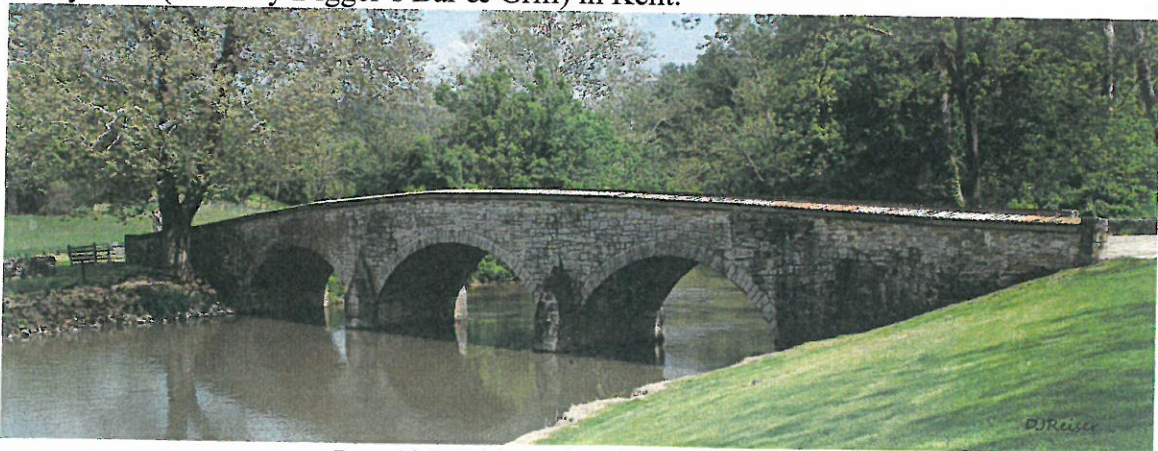
Denny Reiser will give a presentation on the Battle of Antietam, one of the pivotal events of the Civil War. The Battle of Antietam, which was fought at Sharpsburg, Maryland on Sept. 17, 1862 was the bloodiest single day in American history. During the battle, more than 23,000 soldiers were killed, wounded or missing in action.

The battle is credited with ending the Confederate Army of Northern Virginia's first invasion into the North. It also led to President Abraham Lincoln's issuance of the preliminary Emancipation Proclamation.

Reiser has researched the battle extensively, as well as photographed the Antietam National Battlefield. He will share images from the park and other battle information during his presentation.

Denny is a retired schoolteacher with a love of Ohio, traveling, and photography. His photographs have appeared in Cuyahoga Valley National Park Publications, Metro Parks Serving Summit County Publications and several books. He has also contributed over 1000 photos to the Ohio Historical Society website [www.remarkableohio.com](http://www.remarkableohio.com). His interest in and knowledge of Ohio History really started to blossom after getting a seasonal part time job as a “walk and talk” ranger in the Cuyahoga Valley National Park. He has several talks on Ohio and on the Civil War in his arsenal.

Our optional meet-the-speaker dinner, without a speaker, will begin at 5:30 p.m. at Little City Grill (formerly Digger's Bar & Grill) in Kent.



Burnside's Bridge – photo by Denny Reiser



Bloody Lane – photo by Denny Reiser

## Books on the Battle of Antietam and the Maryland Campaign of 1862

Landscape Turned Red: The Battle of Antietam – by Stephen W. Sears

The Maryland Campaign of September 1862: Ezra A. Carman's Definitive Study of the Union and Confederate Armies at Antietam – edited by Joseph Pierro

Taken at the Flood: Robert E. Lee and Confederate Strategy in the Maryland Campaign of 1862 – by Joseph L. Harsh

The Antietam Campaign and Antietam: Essays on the 1862 Maryland Campaign – edited by Gary Gallagher

Guide to the Battle of Antietam – edited by Jay Luvaas and Harold W. Nelson

Antietam 1862: The Civil War's Bloodiest Day – by Norman Stevens

The Antietam Campaign, July-November 1862 – by John Cannan

Antietam: The Soldiers' Battle – by John M. Priest

Undying Courage: Antietam in Miniature – by Scott Mingus

Before Antietam: The Battle for South Mountain – by John M. Priest

The Gleam of Bayonets: The Battle of Antietam and Robert E. Lee's Maryland Campaign, September 1862 – by James V. Murfin (1965)

The Maryland Campaign of September 1862. Volume 2: Antietam – by Tom Clemens (2012)

Unfurl Those Colors: McClellan, Sumner, and the Second Army Corps in the Antietam Campaign – by Marion V. Armstrong (2008)

Opposing the Second Corps at Antietam: The Fight for the Confederate Left and Center on America's Bloodiest Day – by Marion V. Armstrong (2016)

The Maps of Antietam: An Atlas of the Antietam (Sharpsburg) Campaign, including the Battle of South Mountain, September 2 - 20, 1862 – by Bradley Gottfried (2012)

A Field Guide to Antietam: Experiencing the Battlefield through Its History, Places, and People – by Carol Reardon & Tom Vossler (2016)