

A Celebration of PEACE to honor the memory of Noah Worcester, Hollis Peace Advocate

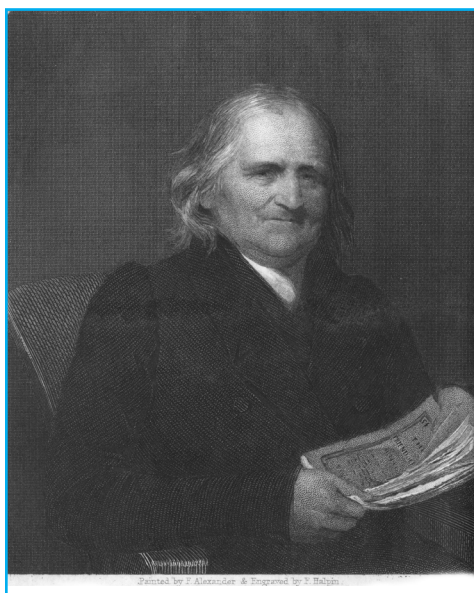


The Lawrence Barn, Hollis
Wednesday, May 22, 2013 -- 7:00 to 9:00 pm

Admission FREE -- donations of \$5 gratefully accepted

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Rev. Noah Worcester, a leading figure in American pacifism, born in Hollis, NH, in 1758 and died in 1837.

He was a Congregational minister, and though self-educated, he was awarded an honorary arts degree by Dartmouth in 1791 and an honorary Doctor of Divinity by Harvard in 1818.

The Rev. Dr. Worcester is best remembered as a pioneer in the American peace movement. As a part of his extensive work in the advocacy of peace he published in 1814 *A Solemn Review of the Custom of War*, which is still considered one of the best pieces of anti-war literature ever printed. It is still relevant today.

Dr. Worcester founded the Massachusetts Peace Society in 1815 and later wrote extensively for its journal, *The Friend of Peace*.

Dr. Donna Hicks, PhD, Associate at Harvard University's Weatherhead Center for International Affairs.

In addition to teaching conflict resolution at Harvard, Clark, and Columbia Universities, Dr. Hicks has spent nearly two decades in the field of international conflict resolution, facilitating dialogue between communities in conflict in the Middle East, Sri Lanka, Colombia, Cuba, and Northern Ireland. She was a consultant to the BBC, where she co-facilitated a television series, *Facing the Truth*, with Archbishop Desmond Tutu, which aired in the United Kingdom and on BBC World in 2006.

Dr. Hicks also works as a consultant to corporations and organizations, applying her dignity model to everyday business and relational situations.

She lives in Boston, MA.



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