



## *GLOSSARY: Battle of Guilford Courthouse*

alleviated	reduced pain or suffering
benevolence	kindness
bushel	a measurement of volume roughly equivalent to eight gallons
carrion	dead and rotting flesh; meat unfit for human consumption
commissary	office of the military responsible for supplies
concurrence	agreement
degradations [depredations]	plundering; ravaging
fatigues	physical labor
forage	food for animals; grazing area
hogshead	a large barrel able to hold the equivalent of 63 gallons
infantry	soldiers trained and equipped to fight on foot
magazines	place to store ammunition
Moravians	a Christian Protestant denomination that remained neutral during the Revolutionary War; this group settled the N.C. Piedmont in 1750s and founded the town of Salem