

## In Gratitude

You the blazer of trail You the seeker of more You the splitter of rail You the builder of yore

You the tiller of soil
An enricher of hearth
A greeter of toil
And provider of birth

You embracer of free You maker of law A designer of decree And visionary of awe

You dealer in essence You shunner of ease Teaching never to wince Nor never to appease

You dreamer of better
You embracer of quest
Our treasured ancestors
In our hearts you are blessed

Don Adams
On the Occasion of Morgan County Bicentennial
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