

## LOOKING BACK: *The Best of Glenn Tunney* VOLUME TWO

The history and nostalgia series that debuted last year with **LOOKING BACK: *The Best of Glenn Tunney*** is back with Volume Two, featuring more stories culled from Glenn Tunney's eight years of writing newspaper columns about the Brownsville area for the *Herald-Standard*. These are tales with nostalgic themes that have universal appeal for all readers, no matter where they were raised.

Among Volume Two's central figures are . . .

- a revered teacher who left behind a puzzling mystery
- a cast-aside librarian whose determination built a second career and forged Brownsville's new public library
- a much-loved local band director whose high school band won a national championship
- a jack-of-all-trades who has witnessed nearly a century of Brownsville's history
- an unsung public servant who served his community for over fifty years
- and many more.

Have you tried spider webs or castor oil to cure what ails you? How about a dip in Sulfur Creek to battle poison ivy? Recall those pink chicks and onion skin-dyed eggs for Easter?

Here are the stories of the storm that unsteeped a Brownsville church . . . a treasure-filled Brownsville-built steamboat discovered forty feet beneath a Midwestern corn field . . . trucks whose brakes called it quits descending Brownsville's hills . . . and some remarkable and moving stories, told in words and pictures, of life in Brownsville during World War II.

As a special feature, an all-photo chapter showcases twenty rare photographs of nineteenth-century Brownsville, complete with detailed captions, from the archives of two longtime collectors of historic Brownsville images. **LOOKING BACK: *The Best of Glenn Tunney* – VOLUME 2** features more than ninety pictures in all to complement stories that you are sure to enjoy.

As you consider adding Volume Two to your library, ask yourself: Is there someone on your Christmas shopping list for whom this book would be an appreciated and enjoyable Christmas gift? . . . especially if you opt to have it autographed or personalized by name with a written note from the author?

Book orders are now being accepted. To place a book order by phone or request more information, you may call Glenn Tunney at 724-562-8886. For a "Sneak Preview" of the book, visit <https://sites.google.com/site/lookingbackbooks/>. A portion of the proceeds from the sale of Volume Two, which is priced at \$19.95, will be donated by the author to the Brownsville Free Public Library.

Last year's popular Volume One of **LOOKING BACK: *The Best of Glenn Tunney***, which is in its fourth printing, may be ordered by phone by calling BARC at 724-785-9331. It may also be purchased by visiting the gift shop at the Flatiron Building Heritage Center in Brownsville. Glenn Tunney has donated all proceeds from sales of Volume One to BARC to support its efforts to revitalize the Brownsville community.