

**Bay Area Genealogical Society**  
**General Membership Meeting Minutes –Saturday March 16, 2019**  
**University Baptist Church, Houston, Texas (UBC)**

President Nick Cimino called the meeting to order at 2 p.m. asking all to silence their mobile phones.

1<sup>st</sup> Vice President George Porterfield led us in the pledges to the US and Texas flags.

Nick invited Jeanine Lawrence to the podium for an invocation. She read from Psalms 34 and led us in prayer.

Nick welcomed 20 visitors by asking they all stand, and welcomed one new member. He said announcements and future events would follow the speaker's presentation and handed the podium over to 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President, Susie Ganch.

Our speaker was Lois Gibson, Forensic Artist, Houston Police Department, she discussed using forensic art to locate past and present people of interest. She stated that her skills have led to 1266 felons being caught and convicted.

Announcements made:

Please contribute your memories of Hurricane Harvey for the Scrapbook to Teresa Rundell

Barbara Moore brought several books available in the back.

Future Events

Wednesday, March 20 Bus Trip to Rosenberg Library in Galveston

Sunday, March 24 Helen Hall Library Members Helping Members Research Working Session

Wednesday, March 27 Friendswood LDS Family History Center Orientation and Help Session

Sunday, April 14 Helen Hall Library Members Helping Members Research Working Session

Wednesday, April 17 Friendswood LDS Family History Center Orientation and Help Session

Friday, April 26 BAGS at UBC General Meeting

The meeting was adjourned by Nick at 3:27 p.m.

*Polly Sverdlin*