

AMERICAN COLONIAL AND FEDERAL FURNITURE: 1650-1840

- 1) Introduction
 - What Is an Antique?
 - Two Centuries of Woodworking
 - Reading:** David Pye. *The Nature and Art of Workmanship*. New York: Van Nostrand Reinhold, 1968.
- 2) Jacobean Furniture (1650-1690)
 - William and Mary Furniture (1690-1725)
 - Reading:** Benno Forman. *American Seating Furniture: 1630-1730*. New York: W.W. Norton, 1988.
- 3) Queen Anne Furniture (1725-1760)
 - Windsor Chairs
 - Readings:** Nancy Goyne Evans. *American Windsor Chairs*. New York: Hudson Hills Press, 1996 **and** Nancy Richards and Nancy Goyne Evans. *New England Furniture at Winterthur: Queen Anne and Chippendale Periods*. Winterthur, DE: A Winterthur Book, 1997.
- 4) Chippendale Furniture (1760-1790)
 - Reading:** Morrison H. Heckscher and Leslie Greene Bowman. *American Rococo, 1750-1775*. New York: Harry N. Abrams, 1992.
- 5) Sources of the Federal Period
 - Reading:** Wendy Cooper. *Classical Taste in America, 1800-1840*. New York: Abbeville Press, 1993
 - Federal Furniture (1790-1810)
 - Reading:** Charles Montgomery. *American Furniture: The Federal Period*. New York: Viking Press, 1966.
 - Empire Furniture (1810-1830)
 - Late Empire (1830-1850)
 - Reading:** Thomas Gordon Smith. *John Hall and the Grecian Style in America*. (New York: Acanthus Press, 1996)
- 6) Country Furniture
 - Reading:** John D. Morse ed. *Country Cabinetwork and Simple City Furniture*. Charlottesville, VA: University Press of Virginia, 1970 **and** Charles F. Hummel *With Hammer in Hand*. Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 1968.

Connecticut Furniture

Reading: Thomas P. and Alice K. Kugelman with Robert Lionetti. *Connecticut Valley Furniture: Eliphalet Chapin and His Contemporaries, 1750-1800*. Hartford: Connecticut Historical Society Museum, 2005.

7) Southern Furniture

Reading: Ronald L. Hurst and Jonathan Prown. *Southern Furniture 1680-1830*. New York: Harry N. Abrams, 1997 and Rauschenberg, Bradford L. and John Bivins, Jr. *The Furniture of Charleston, 1680-1820*. Winston-Salem, NC: Museum of Early Southern Decorative Arts, 2003.

Louisiana Furniture

Reading: Jack D. Holden and H. Parrott Bacot. *Furnishing Louisiana: Creole and Acadian furniture, 1735-1835*. New Orleans: The Historic New Orleans Collection, 2010.

8) Tour of the Kaufman Collection of American Furniture

Meet at 11:45 P.M. at the Constitution Ave. Entrance to National Gallery of Art.

Reading: J. Michael Flanigan. *American Furniture from the Kaufman Collection*. Washington, DC: The National Gallery of Art, 1986.