



Antiques Appraisal Day Donor Levels

Rev. Francis Wayland & Rev. John Burt Wight, Founders

\$1,000+

***Reverend Wayland:** President, Brown Univ., American Baptist minister, educator, offered & paid a challenge grant of \$500 to establish a public library since matched by Wayland Town Meeting, January 1848. **Reverend Wight:** Wayland resident, Unitarian Universalist Minister, Mass. State Representative, introduced a bill to establish & maintain Free Public Libraries, signed into law on May 24, 1851.*

Lydia Maria Child, Reformers

\$500 - \$999

Wayland Abolitionist, feminist, Native American rights activist, novelist, journalist, and library benefactor.

James Sumner Draper, Literary Lions

\$250 - \$499

Wayland resident, farmer, writer, surveyor, Town Librarian from 1865-1885, 19th century historian of Wayland.

Sarah E. Heard, Benefactors

\$100-\$249

Wayland resident, First Wayland female Librarian from 1885-1901, among the first ten women to register to vote in Wayland.

Warren Gould and Cynthia C. Roby, Contributors

Under \$100

Wayland benefactors and donors Warren G. Roby donated land and funds to construct the 1900 library building; Cynthia Roby, his wife and executrix, donated her funds for the running expenses of this library.

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