Objectives of the Tennessee Society of Mayflower Descendants

To perpetuate to remote posterity the memory of our Pilgrim Fathers. To maintain and defend the principle of civil and religious liberty as set forth in the Compact of The Mayflower, "For the glorie of God, and the advancements of the Christian faith, and honor of our countrie."

To cherish and maintain the ideals and institutions of American freedom, and to oppose any theories or actions that threaten their continuity. To transmit the spirit, the purity of purpose and the steadfastness of will of the Pilgrim Fathers to those who shall come after us, and undiminished heritage of liberty and law.

To promote the interests that are common to all the State Societies of Mayflower Descendants and to secure united effort to publish original matter in regard to the Pilgrims, together with existing data known only to antiquarians, and to authenticate, preserve and mark historical spots made memorable by Pilgrim association.