# PENNSYLVANIA GERMAN

# FRAKTUR:

# FROM A TO Z

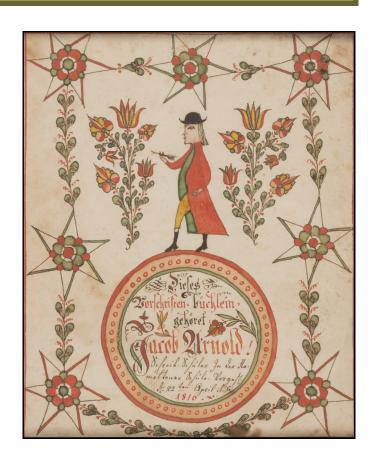
Presented by Lisa Minardi

## What is fraktur?

Fraktur are colorful documents made by the Pennsylvania Germans during the 1700s and 1800s. Often decorated with flowers, hearts and birds, most are birth and baptismal certificates or teaching pieces.

#### Lisa Minardi

Lisa Minardi is an expert on PA history and decorative arts and is currently writing a book on fraktur for the Philadelphia Museum of Art and helped re-catalog the fraktur collection of the Free Library of Philadelphia. She is an assistant curator at Winterthur Museum and is currently pursuing a Ph.D. in the History of American Civilization at the University of Delaware.





### **Everyone is invited to attend!**

The program is FREE and membership is not required.

Complimentary light refreshments will be provided after the program.

**When:** Monday, April 7, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.

Where: Oley Fair Centre Building

26 Jefferson Street, Oley, PA

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