

## BELL FAMILY REPRODUCTION FOR 2003

The Nicodemus Center will be offering the fourth piece in its annual series of Bell family reproductions this fall. The series features one reproduction per year in a limited edition of 150. The reproductions are created by ceramist Lynette King, Orrtanna, and will be available for preordering until November 15, 2003. Orders may be placed using the form on the reverse side or by e-mailing the center at [jms48@psu.edu](mailto:jms48@psu.edu). The cost is \$50 per piece plus \$3.00 sales tax for center members and \$55 plus \$3.30 sales tax for nonmembers.

This year's reproduction is an earthenware jug, measuring 8.00 inches in height and 6.25 inches in diameter at the midsection. The original – lead-glazed with manganese – was made at the Bell Pottery in Waynesboro during the 1830s and is marked I. BELL, one of the shop's earliest known stamps. The squat shape was a common form for the Bell Pottery through its first decade of operation and reflects the family's middle European/PA German background. During the mid 1800s, the Bells abandoned the squat jug in favor of the more "modern" (and American) straight-sided form.



### I. BELL JUG REPRODUCTION ORDER FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Jugs Ordered \_\_\_\_\_ @ member's price of \$50 + \$3.00 tax

Number of Jugs Ordered \_\_\_\_\_ @ nonmember's price \$55 + \$3.30 tax

***PLEASE RETURN TO: NCCS • P.O. BOX 533 • MONT ALTO, PA 17237-0533***

If you wish to prepay your order, please check the box  and we will send you an invoice. When Lynette King has completed all 150 jugs, we will notify you of pickup dates and times (most likely early December) at our pottery studio, Room 008, General Studies building, Penn State Mont Alto. Thank you for your order.