Officials from Baltimore County unveil a memorial Tuesday at Lake Roland in honor of county residents who died from COVID-19. **FOX45 PHOTOS**

County unveils COVID memorial to honor 3,000 locals lost to pandemic

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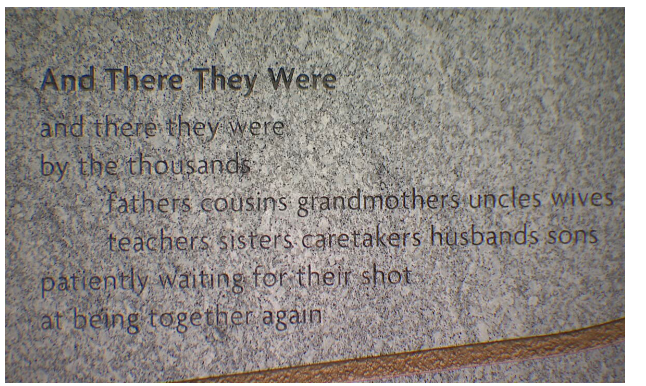
Officials from Baltimore County unveiled a new memorial Tuesday in honor of those who died from COVID-19.

"Today we are gathering as we remember the more than 3,000 Baltimore County residents who we lost to COVID-19," Baltimore County Executive Johnny Olszewski said during the unveiling ceremony at Lake Roland.

The freestanding project was designed by artist James Dinh, whose design was selected in 2021 from a pool of 74 submissions by a panel of eight judges.

"My hope is that this garden will provide comfort to those who have lost somebody to COVID-19," said Dr. Lucy Wilson, county health officer.



A poem is inscribed in the Baltimore County COVID-19 memorial at Lake Roland.

The public can visit the memorial at Lake Roland. It is open every day from sunrise to sunset.

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