Descendants of Anders Pedersen -- 3-18-24

Generation 1

1. **ANDERS**¹ **PEDERSEN** was born about 1780 in Blokhuus, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He died before 1850. He married Ane Berthelsdatter (daughter of Berthel Mathiasen and Karen Jensdatter) on 20 Dec 1810 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. She was born about 1791 in Blokhuus, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark.

Notes for Anders Pedersen:

In the 1834 and the 1840 DDD Census, Karen Jensdatter Sand (age 72 and 79, respectively), widow, was listed as living in the Anders Pedersen household, with an occupation listed as "alm; charity."

Anders Pedersen and Ane Berthelsdatter had the following children:

- 2. i. MAREN KRISTINE² ANDERSDATTER (daughter of Anders Pedersen and Ane Berthelsdatter) was born in 1818. She married SVEND ANDERSEN.
 - ii. Christinne Andersdatter (daughter of Anders Pedersen and Ane Berthelsdatter) was born about 1821.
- iii. PEDER CHRISTIAN ANDERSEN (son of Anders Pedersen and Ane Berthelsdatter)
 was born on 01 Apr 1825 in Blokhuus, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He died
 on 04 Jul 1923 in Blokhuus, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He married Else
 Marie Madsdatter (daughter of Mads Christian Andersen and Birthe
 Christensdetter) on 13 May 1849 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. She was
 born about 1828 in Saltum, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. She died on 24 Aug
 1913 in Blokhuus, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark.
 - iv. Berthel Andreas Andersen (son of Anders Pedersen and Ane Berthelsdatter) was born on 05 Jan 1828.
 - v. Susanne Marie Andersdatter (daughter of Anders Pedersen and Ane Berthelsdatter) was born about 1830.
 - vi. KAROLINE MARIE ANDERSDATTER (daughter of Anders Pedersen and Ane Berthelsdatter) was born about 1834.
 - vii. Morgens Brix Andersen (son of Anders Pedersen and Ane Berthelsdatter) was born about 1838.

Generation 2

 MAREN KRISTINE² ANDERSDATTER (Anders¹ Pedersen) was born in 1818. She married SVEND ANDERSEN.

Svend Andersen and Maren Kristine Andersdatter had the following child:

- i. ANDERS CHRISTIAN³ SVENDSEN (foster son of Svend Andersen and Maren Kristine Andersdatter) was born on 12 Apr 1840.
- 3. **PEDER CHRISTIAN**² **ANDERSEN** (Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 01 Apr 1825 in Blokhuus, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He died on 04 Jul 1923 in Blokhuus, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He married Else Marie Madsdatter (daughter of Mads Christian Andersen and Birthe Christensdetter) on 13 May 1849 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. She was born about 1828 in Saltum, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. She died on 24 Aug 1913 in Blokhuus, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark.

Notes for Peder Christian Andersen:

Living in the household of Peder Christian Andersen and Else Marie Madsdatter in 1850, in addition to their 1 year old son Anders (Andrew), were Morten Nielsen (age 43); Morten's wife Inger Larsdatter (age 46), and the widow Johanne Marie Pedersdatter (age 83). Morten and Inger were married 9 April 1833 in Jetsmark, Hjorring, Denmark; Morten is believed to be the son of Niels Pedersen, and was christened on 8 November, 1897, in Jetsmark, Hjorring, Denmark. In the DDD 1834 Census, Morten, Inger, and the widow Johanne Marie Pedersdatter were living in the same household in Blokhuus, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. The following is a typed biography recalled by someone who knew him well and given to Dora (Peterson) Trapp-Martin,

granddaughter): A few days ago -- on the fourth of July -- Per Jaeger died. (The last name, Jaeger, mean hunter.) He was the oldest veteran of "The Danish Emergency Rescue Organization." Along the Danish west coast are three very dangerous sand bars. Often, ships get too close to the coast, are caught by the strong current, and stranded on the third bar. They have no chance of getting away from there and the waves are so strong that, in a very short time, they destroy the ship. The people are torn away by the current and drowned. In 1852 the organization was established. There is a "Rescue Department" in every little village along the west coast. I -- from the closest village, of all ages and occupations -- will, in case of an emergency, try to get over the first and the second sand bars in a big, special rowboat and save people from the stranded ship. This is a very dangerous action but the only way possible to save the people. Often the rescue boat is turned over by the enormous waves and all the crew drown. Even in our time when they use motor boats, this job is so hard and dangerous that it takes very strong and brave men. Per Jaeger was head of the rescue boat in the little harbor town, Blokhus. (Blokhus means lock-cabin.) For the courage he showed in his work he received a ``Dannebrog order'' from the king and was then a ``Man of Dannebrog.'' (Dannebrog is the name of the Danish Flag.). His name was Per Christian Andersen, but he was always called Per Jaeger. He was born in Blokhus on the first of April, 1825, as a son of a small farmer. His father got the nick name of Jaeger because during the war with England, he was a soldier in the Green Hunters Guard that protected the west coast. From this he got his last name, not from a former punishment as an illegal hunter in the forests as the author Goldschmidt made people believe when he wrote the short story, "The Echo." This told of a man whose life story was just like Per Jaeger's fathers. In his younger days, Per Jaeger was a fisherman, but when ``The Danish Emergency Rescue Organization" was established in 1852 he became employed as "Boat Man" at the department in Blokhus and worked there for forty years. He was with the group that saved ten men from the English ship ``Tagus'' that stranded in a heavy storm and sank at Tranum the first of August, 1853. April the twenty-eighth of the next year he was in the group that, after several unsuccessful tries, finally saved the only surviving man from the English ship ``Railway King´´ that also stranded at Tranum. One of these times Per Jaeger steered the boat, because the man that was supposed to do it lost courage at the last moment. Later a medal for bravery was awarded to the man at the wheel and a little money gift for the rowers. But the cowardly man at the wheel gladly accepted the medal, though Per Jaeger was the one who did the deed. He had to accept the local people's prize and a couple of dollars. In those years many ships were stranded, and last summer when I visited the honorable old man, he still could express himself warmly about the exciting happenings on the beach in old times. He had an outstanding memory, and his stories almost had life. It was a pleasure to hear him tell about happenings of the past in the Blokhus area. He could even tell them from back in 1770 as his parent's and grandparent's stories were printed clearly in his memory. They must have been correct, as I found them just like the facts of the world history when I compared afterwards. He had a unique ability to make his stories seem alive and would tell of the dynamic days of the ``Slave War´´ in 1848. He, with many other men, fought on the side of ``The Old Lady of the Big Farm in the Sand Dunes" who led the soldiers herself instead of the slave master. His own memories went back to about 1830. He could remember the great grocer Mogens Brix in Blokhus (who died in 1831) and he could remember the stranding of the frigate "Preciosas" in 1835 at the sandbar called Pirups Hvarre. And of course he could remember all happenings starting then in the Blokhus area. In the night between the thirtieth and thirty-first of December 1859, he became head of the rescue boat when the Swedish ship "Carl" stranded. He was head of the Blokhus rescue boat until 1902 when he retired from the service because of age. Some extremely complicated rescue actions in his time were the English ship "Neptune's" stranding September 12, 1863, when twelve men were saved after much trouble. The Norwegian ship, "The Three Friends," stranded January 7, 1882. After eight hours of inhuman effort in the hurricane they finally saved eight persons from the wreck. On that occasion the crew got an award from the government for hero deeds of a few dollars each, but the Norwegian consulate ignored the whole happening. Another case that was very clear in his memory was the rescue boat drill of December 29, 1856. On the way back to the shore the bow of the boat ran into the sandbar, the stern was thrown up in the air, and the boat turned over. Eleven members of the crew succeeded in swimming back to the shore. One of them was Per Jaeger, but the other five were torn away by the strong current and drowned. Among them was his father-in-law,

Mads Christian Andersen, or Giant Mads as he was called. After this tragic accident, a new precautionary measure was used at rescue boat drills. Not only was Per Jaeger head of the boat, he was also the first man in the fishing organization. At this time rich loads of flounder were brought to the Blokhus harbor and unloaded or reloaded under his command. When he told stories of the "Great Times of the West Coast," of which he was the last one to remember, he did not hide that life was very rugged. Heavy brandy drinking went on both during and after work. It still made him shake his head when he thought of it, but he was very happy that he, in the later years, had seen an enormous cultural improvement in Blokhus. Tall, with broad shoulders and long beard, he had a very handsome and strict appearance. Still, he always had a mild look in his brown eyes that was contrary to his enormous voice which sounded louder than storm and ocean when he gave his orders at the beach. This is how the old hero stands in my memory. And now that he in not on earth anymore I would like to thank him for all that he has been to me personally. And for my family whose whole existence depended on him during the dangerous rescue actions. We owe him so very much because he, so often at the risk of his own life, saved other peoples lives -- not to gain personal glory -- but of love and duty to his neighbor man. May 13, 1849, Per Jaeger married Else Marie, daughter of Mads the Giant. In 1909 they celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary, and a few years later Else Marie died. Since that time Per Jaeger lived with his son and daughter-in-law in Kryle where he died at the age of 98. His last years were filled with love and kindness from his family. From the house he had a tremendous view over the sand dunes and the ocean -- the place of his deeds -- the place he loved.

More About Else Marie Madsdatter:

Burial: Saltum Cemetery, Blokhuus, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark

Peder Christian Andersen and Else Marie Madsdatter had the following children:

- ANDREW³ PETERSON (son of Peder Christian Andersen and Else Marie Madsdatter) was born on 29 Aug 1849 in Blokhuus, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He died on 17 Jul 1935 in Effingham County, IL. He married Sena Andrea Marie Johnson (daughter of John Peder Christian Johnson and Andes Andrea Marie (Mary) Andersen) on 13 May 1872 in Effingham County, IL. She was born on 04 Jun 1858 in Chicago, Cook County, IL. She died on 04 Aug 1939 in Effingham County, IL.
- 5. ii. ANE MARIE PEDERSEN (daughter of Peder Christian Andersen and Else Marie Madsdatter) was born about Dec 1851 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. She married Poul Christian Nielsen after 1872. He was born on 15 Dec 1844. He died on 14 Jan 1914. She married Lars Andersen about 1872.
- 6. iii. SOREN CHRISTIAN PEDERSEN (son of Peder Christian Andersen and Else Marie Madsdatter) was born about Oct 1853 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He met CAROLINE SMITH.
- 7. iv. BIRTHE MARIE PEDERSEN (daughter of Peder Christian Andersen and Else Marie Madsdatter) was born about Feb 1856 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. She married Lars Bertelsen on 08 Nov 1878.
- 8. v. Mads Christian Pedersen (son of Peder Christian Andersen and Else Marie Madsdatter) was born about Apr 1858 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He met Patrea Kusk.
 - vi. MORTEN PEDERSON (son of Peder Christian Andersen and Else Marie Madsdatter) was born about Oct 1860.
- 9. vii. MORTEN PEDERSEN (son of Peder Christian Andersen and Else Marie Madsdatter) was born on 03 Oct 1862 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He died on 28 Jan 1940. He married MARIE SALVIGSEN.
- 10. viii. MOGENS BRIX PEDERSEN (son of Peder Christian Andersen and Else Marie Madsdatter) was born on 09 Nov 1864 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He met Petrea Beltoft.

- ix. PEDER (JENS) PEDERSEN (son of Peder Christian Andersen and Else Marie Madsdatter) was born about May 1867 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He met ANNA LARSEN.
- x. Petrea Pederson (daughter of Peder Christian Andersen and Else Marie Madsdatter) was born about Sep 1868.

Generation 3

4. ANDREW³ PETERSON (Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 29 Aug 1849 in Blokhuus, Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He died on 17 Jul 1935 in Effingham County, IL. He married Sena Andrea Marie Johnson (daughter of John Peder Christian Johnson and Andes Andrea Marie (Mary) Andersen) on 13 May 1872 in Effingham County, IL. She was born on 04 Jun 1858 in Chicago, Cook County, IL. She died on 04 Aug 1939 in Effingham County, IL.

More About Andrew Peterson:

Burial: 20 Jul 1935 in Mahon Cemetery, Gilmore, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Andrew Peterson:

FAGM #100497817, with tombstone picture -- Spelling of last name changed upon immigrating to the US with the name originally recorded as Pedersen and also spelled as Petersen. Ultimately, the tombstone for Andrew is spelled Peterson. According to a newspaper clipping regarding Andrew's and Dora's trip back to Denmark in 1913, "...[j]ust forty-four years ago Mr. Peterson left [Denmark] and came to this country. He sailed from Copenhagen on Octo 1st and landed in Quebec, Canada, two weeks later. From there he went direct to Chicago and then down on the Illinois Central to Effingham. From here he went to Gilmore and joined the Danish settlement at that place. Mr. Peterson is the last of that settlement in the Gilmore neighborhood." From handwritten notes made by Dora (Peterson) Trapp/Martin, daughter, Andrew came to America through New York, then went to Michigan where he worked at various jobs until 1871. In 1871 he came to Effingham county, settling in West Township with the Johnson family, whom he knew from his early days in Denmark, and later married Sena Johnson who was 10 years younger. He lived there and farmed until his death. At some point, "Pedersen" was changed to "Peterson" while in America. According to a handwritten note of daughter Dora Martin, ``it was the custom in those days that a man's [sons] took the name of their father's first name. Hence, Peder (or Peter in America) Andersen's sons were named Pedersen." In handwritten notes, Dora Martin identified that Andrew was one of six sons and two daughters. However, in Dora Martin's diary and accompanying pictures, Dora refers to Uncle Andersen as "dad's brother" but she did not list him as one of the actual brothers. From the Effingham Record-Democrat Newspaper -- In October 1913, Andrew and eldest daughter Dora began a journey back to Denmark to be with Andrew's family following his mother's death in August 1913. The local newspaper published a series of articles about the adventure. The first is as follows: Taking European Trip: A. Peterson and his Daughter, Mrs. Dora Trapp, Going to Denmark -- "The first of this week A. Peterson, of Gilmore, and his daughter, Mrs. Dora Trapp of this city left on a trip to Europe where they will spend the winter on a visit to Mr. Peterson's old home in Denmark (spelled ``Danmark' in the article). They left here for Chicago where they will spend a few days on a visit to relatives and friends and from there go to New York City from where they will sail November 1st on the new American Hamburg line's steamer, the Imperator, for Hamburg. From there they will go by rail to Blokhus, via Aabybro, Denmark, where his aged father and six brothers and two sisters are still living. His mother died on the 24th of August this year. Just forty-four years ago Mr. Peterson left Denmark and came to this country. He sailed from Copenhagen on October 1st and landed in Quebec, Canada, two weeks later. From there he went direct to Chicago and then down on the Illinois Central to Effingham. From here he went to Gilmore and joined the Danish settlement at that place. Mr. Peterson is the last of that settlement in the Gilmore neighborhood. His father, in Denmark, has been captain of a lifesaving crew on the sea coast for many years, and also owned a large farm which he operated until his advanced age of ninety years prevented him from further active work. This will no doubt be the finest trip, back to his old home in the old country that Mr. Peterson has ever taken. He and his daughter, Mrs. Trapp, will remain there visiting relatives and friends until next April. This Record-Democrat will publish letters from them periodically. Of course the weekly Democrat will

follow them over to Denmark to keep them posted on what's going on back home in the good old U.S. From handwritten notes made by Andrea (Siddens) Calhoun, granddaughter: Altamont couple Married 60 Years: Altamont, 1932 -- Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Peterson celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary, October 13, at their home, with a reception and dinner for their relatives and friends. Eighty six were present. Mr. Peterson was born in Denmark in 1849, coming to America at the age of 21 years. Mrs. Peterson was born in Chicago in 1858. At the age of three, she came with her parents to the Gilmore vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson were married in Effingham, October 13, 1872. There is only one living witness to the marriage, Louis Assmuson, of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson were the parents of 11 children, five of whom are living, namely John Peterson of Jackson township; Mrs. Dora Martin of Altamont; Mrs. Sophia Ohlson of Chicago; Henry at home; and Mrs. Lillian Siddens of Gilmore. There are four grandchildren. Andrew Peterson Dies: Andrew Peterson was born at Blokhus, Denmark, August 31, 1849, and departed this life July 18, 1935, aged 85 years, 10 months and 18 days. He was the oldest son of Pedar Jager Peterson and Marie Madsen. At the age of 20 he came to America, and after landing in New York, he went to Michigan, where he worked at various jobs until 1871 when he came to Effingham count, settling in West township, where he has resided ever since. He was married to Sena Johnson on October 13, 1872. In 1932 they celebrated the 60th anniversary of their wedding, they being the oldest married couple in the county. To this union was born eleven children, four dying in infancy, namely Amanda, Ella, Freddy and Eddy (twins), and George at the age of 13, Anna at the age of 35. He leaves to mourn their loss his loving wife and fine children, as follows: John C. Peterson of Jackson Township, Effingham county; Dora Martin of Lincoln, Illinois; Sophia Ohlson of Chicago, Illinois; Lillian Siddens of West township, Effingham county; and Henry at home; also five grandchildren, four brothers and one sister living in Denmark, and many nieces and nephews. Mr. Peterson was one of the most substantial farmers of Effingham county, an extra good citizen and friend long to be remembered with many fond recollections. In his death the county has lost one of its finest characters and most prominent old settlers. Could that Effingham county be blessed with more such good men as Andrew Peterson. ``One by one each home is broken, sadly does the vacant chair tell a tale with words unspoken, that death's icy hand was there. No more in our home will we see his noble face and yet there is no other who can fill the vacant place. God in his wisdom has recalled: A boon his love has given. although the body slumbers, the soul is safe in heaven." Funeral services were held at Asbury Chapel, Saturday at 2:00 p.m., by Reverend B. F. Mahon, assisted by Reverend Weaver of St. Elmo. Burial was in Mahon cemetery. The flower girls were: Oma Wharton, Emma Koss, Beulah Stein, Naoma and Ruth Mahon. The pall bearers were: Andy Kavanaugh, Bud Wharton, Ferd Kruger, Herman Leppin, Glen Hooks, and Frank Koss. Card of Thanks: We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father. For the beautiful floral offerings, and to all who assisted in any way. Mrs. A. Peterson and children.

More About Sena Andrea Marie Johnson:

Burial: 06 Aug 1939 in Mahon Cemetery, Gilmore, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Sena Andrea Marie Johnson:

FAGM #100497858, with tombstone picture -- In 1862 Sena moved, with her parents, from Chicago, Illinois to Effingham Count y, West Township, Gilmore, Illinois. Her tombstone incorrectly identifies her first name as "Sane" instead of "Sena." On the Illinois Statewide Marriage Index, Sena is identified as Adnes S. Johnson and Andrew is identified as Anders Peterson. From handwritten notes made by daughter Dora (Peterson) Trapp-Martin: Sena Andrea Marie Johnson was born in Chicago, Illinois on June 4, 1858, and died in Gilmore, Illinois on August 4, 1939; she married Andrew on May 13, 1872, in Effingham, Illinois. In 1932, at their 60th wedding anniversary, Andrew and Sena were the oldest living married couple in Effingham County, and one witness from the wedding, Louis Assmuson of Chicago, was present at the 60th anniversary celebration. Both Andrew and Sena are buried in the Mahon Cemetery, up the hill about 100 yards. Sena was the daughter of John Christian Johnson and Marie Andrea (Anderson) Johnson of Chicago, Illinois. Her mother was born in Blokhus, Denmark. Her father, John Christian Johnson was born in or near Blokhus, Denmark, and he and a brother were left as orphans at an early age. The brother died. John was either adopted or raised by a family named

Michelsen by which name he was known by until he came to America. Before coming to America, John served as a captain in the war between Denmark and England, on St. Thomas Island. John then came to America with his wife Marie Anderson and 9-year old son Soren in 1856. They arrived in New Orleans and traveled up the Mississippi River to St. Louis and then on to Chicago, "which was just a little village at that time.". In Chicago, John bought 40 acres and farmed it. In 1862, John, Marie, Soren, and Sena moved to Effingham County, West Township, where they bought 80 acres and farmed it. Also, according to Dora, "grandpa's real name was Jensen, pronounced with a "Y," and was changed to Johnson when he came to Effingham to record the deed for the farm--and that is that ".). John died 10 years later in late July/early August of 1872 and Marie died in late January/early February 1873. Sena's brother Soren married Bertha (Bessie) Lawson in Effingham, Illinois, in 1874, and had seven children: Hattie who married Frank Hardin and had one son named Bert; Arthur who died young; Louis who married and had one daughter: Harry who married and had one daughter: Julius who married and had three children; Clarence who married and had one son; and Lutie who married Warren Conner and had a son and a daughter. Harry and Julius and possibly Clarence -- with financial help from Louis -- formed Johnson Brothers Outdoor Motors Company of Terre Haute, Indiana, and built and flew the first American monoplane during 1911-1913 and gave the monoplane to the Smithsonian Institution in Air and Space Museum in 1959 for display. The Andrew Peterson family attended Asbury Church in Gilmore, Illinois. Dora said ``Asbury Church was just a plain building with two steps to enter. Inside, a chimney was built in the center of the church with a pot-bellied stove kept hot. If you got too close, you would get scorched clothes. The pulpit had a tall desk within where the Bible was kept, and all records were kept in the Bible. When a new generation took over, they got a new Bible. The old one was given to Norman Millington, to care for it. When Norm died, his wife Lou gave it to mother -- Mrs. A. Peterson. After she had it some time, she turned it over to Sylvester Spragg. At that time he was living with his daughter, Sude Pfister. When their house burned, the Bible burned too. So, the records were lost too. When the next generation came, they made modern improvements. They had no musical instruments until about 1913 or 1914, when they purchased an organ. I don't remember who was the first to play it since I was not there. We used to have ice cream sales to make money to pay for our improvements. The church had a creek, west and south, with trees and shrubbery. Also, on the east was a hitching post. At most meetings, they were all occupied with horses hitched to all kinds of vehicles: farm wagons, spring wagons, buggies, carts, and horseback horses. A few names of charter members: Dave Shoemaker, William and Tom Hollis, Spragg, Stiffler, Murphy, Johnson, Peterson. Matt Hooks didn't come until 1885. I think I'd better sign off, wishing you all a joyful day, Dora." From handwritten notes made by granddaughter Andrea (Siddens) Calhoun: Sena Andrea Marie (Johnson) Peterson Dies: Sena Andrea Marie Johnson was born in Chicago, Illinois, June 4, 1858, and departed this life August 4. 1939, aged 81 years and 2 months. She was the daughter of Peter Johnson and Andes Andrea Marie Anderson. At the age of 4 years she, with her parents, came to Effingham County, West township, where she had resided ever since. On October 13, 1872, she was united in marriage to Andrew Peterson. To this union were born eleven children, four dying in infancy, and George at the age of 13 and Anna at the age of 35. She leaves to mourn her loss five children, namely: John C. Peterson, Windsor, Illinois; Dora Martin, Lincoln, Illinois; Sophia Ohlson, Chicago; Lillian Siddens, West township, and Henry at home. Two grandsons, Harry Ohlson and Raymond Martin, and three granddaughters, Andrea, Vera, and Oma Siddens, and one great granddaughter, Florence Ohlson, nieces and nephews and numerous friends and neighbors also mourn her passing. ``Dear mother, thou hast left us, thy sufferings are now o'er; In heaven you are rejoicing with the dear ones gone before. At the dear old home no longer can we gather, as of old, For our family tie is broken; she has found the heavenly fold. We have lost our darling mother; she has bid us all adieu; She has gone to live in heaven and her person is lost to view. We stand before your casket, smooth back your lovely hair. Upon your marble forehead, we leave the last kiss there. Your busy hands are resting, your work on earth is done; Your trials all are ended, your heavenly crown is won. Tomorrow will bring back sad memories of one we lay to rest, But the ones who think of you today are the ones who love you best. You have gone away dear mother to your Savior good and true, You have won the heavenly glory which for your children is yet to do." Funeral Services: Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, August 6 at Asbury Chapel, conducted by Reverend Smith of St. Elmo, assisted by Reverend B.

F. Mahon. Pall bearers were N. E. Wharton, Frank Koss, Glen Hooks, George Wharton, A. J. Kavanaugh, and Fred Sisson. Flower girls were Misses Emma Koss, Myrtle Hooks, Audrey Stein, (the rest of the newspaper clipping was missing).

Andrew Peterson and Sena Andrea Marie Johnson had the following children:

- i. AMANDA MARIE⁴ PETERSON (daughter of Andrew Peterson and Sena Andrea Marie Johnson) was born on 28 Feb 1874 in Gllmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. She died on 14 Mar 1875 in Gllmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL.
- ii. ANNA (ANNIE) ELIZABETH PETERSON (daughter of Andrew Peterson and Sena Andrea Marie Johnson) was born on 25 Jan 1876 in Gllmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. She died on 11 Apr 1910 in West Twp, Effingham, Illinois. She married William W. Huffman on 17 Aug 1905 in Clayton, Saint Louis, Missouri, USA. He was born in 1865 in Illinois.

More About Anna (Annie) Elizabeth Peterson: Burial: New Hope Cemetery, Mason, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Anna (Annie) Elizabeth Peterson:

FAGM #146099223 -- Died in her parent's home in Gilmore, Illinois From the obituary provided by Andrea (Siddens) Calhoun, great neice: Mrs. William Huffman (Annie Peterson) Dies: Annie Elizabeth Peterson, daughter of Andrew and Sena (spelled "Cenia" in the obituary) Peterson, was born near Gilmore, West Township, Effingham county, Illinois, January 25th, 1876, and departed this life at the home of her parents, April 11th, 1910, aged 34 years, 2 months, and 16 days. Annie was converted and united with the Methodist Church at Asbury in January, 1893, and has lived a devoted Christian life. She was married to William W. Huffman, August 17th, 1905. She leaves a husband, father, mother, 3 sisters, and 2 brothers. Those not living here are Mrs. Dora Trapp of Effingham; Mrs. Sophia Ohlson of Chicago; John Peterson of Purman, Missouri. The family were all with her at the last except Sophia and John, who had been here and returned home. Other relatives present were Elmer Trapp of Effingham, and Soren Johnson of Terre Haute, Indiana. Annie will be greatly missed by her relatives and friends, as she was always kind and thoughtful of others, ever ready to speak a word for Jesus, always at her place in Sunday School, when her health would permit. Many times does the writer remember of her being the first to go to the woods in the early Spring and gather wild flowers to bring to the Sunday School room. She has been a great sufferer for more than a year, but was patient and gave evidence of her faith in Christ, often talking of her hope beyond the grave. She said she was ready to go and resigned to his will. "Calm on the bosom of thy God young spirit, rest thee now, e'en while with us thy footsteps trod, his soul was on thy brow." N. H. Millington. The funeral was conducted on Tuesday morning at Asbury Chapel by Reverend C. E. Bovard, of Mason, assisted by Reverend N. H. Millington, of Welton. The remains were interred in the New Hope cemetery. Card of Thanks: We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our many neighbors and friends for their sympathy and kindness during the illness, death and burial of our beloved wife and daughter. William Huffman and Mr. and Mrs. A. Peterson. Dee Engeljohn-Schnarre has a dresser that belonged to Annie, via sister Lillian and niece Oma Siddens-Engeljohn, and was believed to have come from Denmark.

iii. JOHN CHRISTIAN PETERSON (son of Andrew Peterson and Sena Andrea Marie Johnson) was born on 09 Feb 1878 in Glmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. He died on 11 Mar 1950 in Windsor, IL. He married Martha Anna Quigley (daughter of Martin Van Buren Quigley and Margaret Irene Shuck) on 16 Oct 1905 in Mason, IL. She was born on 30 Jan 1880 in Windsor Township, Illinois. She died on 20 Sep 1954 in In her home, Windsor, Illinois.

More About John Christian Peterson: Burial: Windsor Cemetery, Windsor, IL

Notes for John Christian Peterson:

FAGM #60624719, with tombstone picture -- He was a farmer, then carpentered, and was later employed at Jacksonville State Hospital. Notes from Andrea (Siddens) Calhoun, great niece: Funeral Rites Held for John C. Peterson: Funeral services were held in the Lovins Funeral Home, Monday afternoon, March 13, in memory of John Christine Peterson, who passed away March 11th, at the age of 72 years. Reverend J. C. Chinnock, Jr., officiated at the services. Mrs. J. R. Mooberry and Mrs. F. W. Bennett sang with Mrs. Ella Hill at the piano. Burial was in the Windsor cemetery. John Christine Peterson was born in West township. Effingham county, Illinois, February 9, 1878, a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Peterson. He was united in marriage to Ann Quigley of Windsor, October 16, 1905. They moved to Windsor several years ago, he was engaged in farming, then to carpentering, later he was employed at Jacksonville State Hospital for several years. He has been in frail health the past four years, and in a serious condition for the past four weeks. He is survived by his wife; one brother, Henry of Effingham; three sisters, Mrs. Dora Martin of Altamont, Mrs. Sophia Ohlson of San Fernando, California, and Mrs. Lillian Siddens of Gilmore, Illinois. His sister, Mrs. Ohlson, was unable to attend the services.

More About Martha Anna Quigley:

Burial: Windsor Cemetery, Windsor, Illinois

Notes for Martha Anna Quigley:

FAGM #60624704, with tombstone picture -- She was very dark-skinned; Oma Siddens-Engeljohn has a picture of her climbing over a fence at the Glenn and Lillian Sidden farm. She played an old accordian. From notes from Andrea (Siddens) Calhoun, great niece -- Mrs. Martha A. Peterson found dead in home: Mrs. Martha A. Peterson was found dead in her home Monday morning. She had been in failing health for several years. Martha Anna Quigley Peterson, daughter of Martin V. And Margaret Irene Quigley was born January 30, 1880, in Windsor township, and departed this life September 20, 1954, at the age of 74 years, 8 months, and 17 days. She was married to John C. Peterson of Mason, Illinois, on October 16, 1905. Mr. Peterson preceded her in death March, 1950. In early life she became a member of the Methodist church of Fletcher chapel, later moving her membership to the Windsor Christian church. She is survived by a brother, J. Ed Quigley of Windsor, a sister, Mrs. Catherine Turrentine of Windsor and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services were conducted at Lovins Funeral Home Wednesday morning, September 22, 10:30 a.m., with Joe Veach officiating. Interment was in the Windsor cemetery. Mrs. Joe Veach sang, "In the Sweet Bye and Bye" and "Beyond the Sunset," accompanied at the piano by Jo Ann Lovins. The pall bearers were Paul Rule, Lloyd Grider, James Carter, Ollie Baugher, Lincoln Booker, and Charles Swinford.

- 11. iv. DORA PETERSON (daughter of Andrew Peterson and Sena Andrea Marie Johnson) was born on 05 May 1880 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. She died on 10 Feb 1988 in Sacramento, CA. She married (1) JEREMIAH (JERRY) MARTIN in Jan 1915. He was born in 1877 in West Township, Eff Co, Illinois. He died on 12 Jan 1933 in Effingham, Effingham, Illinois. She married (2) ELMER DORES TRAPP on 09 Sep 1900 in Effingham, Illinois, USA. He was born on 17 Oct 1865 in Effingham County, IL. He died on 22 Aug 1913 in Shumway, Effingham County, IL.
 - v. ELLA PETERSON (daughter of Andrew Peterson and Sena Andrea Marie Johnson) was born on 17 Oct 1882 in Gllmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. She died on 26 Oct 1884 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL.

- 12. vi. SOPHIA PETERSON (daughter of Andrew Peterson and Sena Andrea Marie Johnson) was born on 22 Jan 1885 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. She died on 06 Aug 1975. She married Carl August (Olson) Ohlson (son of Lars Olson and Mathilda Bremmer) on 17 Nov 1905. He was born on 07 Jul 1880. He died in 1960.
 - vii. GEORGE FRANKLIN PETERSON (son of Andrew Peterson and Sena Andrea Marie Johnson) was born on 05 Jul 1887 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. He died on 05 Jul 1900 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL.

Notes for George Franklin Peterson:

Killed by train while walking on track with a friend named "Johnson". The remains of the bodies and parts were so unrecognizable that both were placed into a container and buried in a plot in Falk Cemetery with only a large rock placed on top of the grave. The rock did not have any markings to signify who was buried below.

viii. Henry Andrew Peterson (son of Andrew Peterson and Sena Andrea Marie Johnson) was born on 04 Jan 1891 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. He died on 21 Sep 1965 in St. Anthony Memorial Hospital, Effingham, Effingham County, IL. He married Alice May Adams in Nov 1935. She was born in 1891 in Effingham County, Illinois, United States of America. She died in Apr 1949 in Macon County Sanitarium, Decatur, IL.

More About Henry Andrew Peterson:

Burial: Oakridge Cemetery, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Henry Andrew Peterson:

FAGM #146002014 -- From notes from Andrea (Siddens) Calhoun, great niece: H. A. Peterson, Retired Business Agent, Dies: Henry Andrew Peterson, 74, of 701 Merchant Lane, died at 11:50 p.m., Tuesday at St. Anthony Memorial Hospital, September 21, 1965. He had been a patient there for 28 days. He was born on January 4, 1891, in West Township, Effingham County, a son of Andrew and Sena Johnson Peterson. He was a retired business agent for Carpenters local union 2226. Surviving are sisters, Mrs. Sophia Ohlson, Effingham; Mrs. Dora Martin, Altamont; and Mrs. Lillian Siddens, Mason; a step-daughter, Mrs. Lucille McEnary, Nokomis, and one step-grandson Eugene McEnary, Bethalto. His married Alice Adams in 1937 and she preceded him in death in April 1949. His parents, four brothers and three sisters also preceded him in death. Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m., Friday at the Bauer funeral home in Effingham, with interment in the Oakridge Cemetery. Reverend William Bird, pastor of Centenary Methodist church, will officiate. Friends may call after 7 p.m., today at the funeral home. (Date of the newspaper article is unknown) Business agent for Carpenters Local Union 2226.

More About Alice May Adams:

Burial: Oakridge Cemetery, Effingham, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Alice May Adams:

FAGM #146002073 -- From notes from Andrea (Siddens) Calhoun, great niece: Mrs. Henry Peterson Dead: Mrs. Alice May Peterson, 57, of Effingham, died Sunday, April 1949, at 1:05 p.m., in the Macon county sanitarium at Decatur where she had been a patient for several months. She is survived by her husband, Henry Peterson of Effingham. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 10 a.m., in the Gerbel funeral home in Edgewood. Interment was in the Oakridge cemetery in Effingham. The body remained at the Gerbel funeral home until after the services. Alice had tuberculosis.

- ix. EDDIE PETERSON (son of Andrew Peterson and Sena Andrea Marie Johnson) was born on 05 Feb 1893 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. He died on 14 Jul 1893 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL.
- x. FREDDIE PETERSON (son of Andrew Peterson and Sena Andrea Marie Johnson) was born on 05 Feb 1893 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. He died on 22 Mar 1893 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL.
- 13. xi. Bertha Lillian Peterson (daughter of Andrew Peterson and Sena Andrea Marie Johnson) was born on 06 Mar 1898 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. She died on 07 Mar 1973 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. She married Hiram Glenn Siddens (son of Hiram Richard Siddens and Mary Elizabeth (Molly) Ebert) on 04 Sep 1923 in Effingham County, IL. He was born on 16 Jun 1900 in Mason, West Township, Effingham County, IL. He died on 07 Jan 1992 in Lakeland Health Care Center, Effingham County, Effingham, IL.
- 5. **ANE MARIE**³ **PEDERSEN** (Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹) was born about Dec 1851 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. She married Poul Christian Nielsen after 1872. He was born on 15 Dec 1844. He died on 14 Jan 1914. She married Lars Andersen about 1872.

Poul Christian Nielsen and Ane Marie Pedersen had the following children:

- i. NIELS⁴ NIELSEN (son of Poul Christian Nielsen and Ane Marie Pedersen).
- ii. Marie Nielsen (daughter of Poul Christian Nielsen and Ane Marie Pedersen). She met Peder Jaeger.

Lars Andersen and Ane Marie Pedersen had the following child:

- 14. i. Peder Christian⁴ Andersen (son of Lars Andersen and biological son of Ane Marie Pedersen) was born on 12 Apr 1872. He met Geeta Unknown (daughter of Unknown). She was born on 14 Oct.
- 6. **Soren Christian**³ **Pedersen** (Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹) was born about Oct 1853 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He met **CAROLINE SMITH**.

Soren Christian Pedersen and Caroline Smith had the following children:

i. ERLAND⁴ PEDERSEN (son of Soren Christian Pedersen and Caroline Smith).

Notes for Erland Pedersen:

Had 3 children according to a note from Dora Peterson.

ii. MARIE PEDERSEN (daughter of Soren Christian Pedersen and Caroline Smith).

Notes for Marie Pedersen:

Had 6 children according to a note from Dora Peterson.

7. **BIRTHE MARIE**³ **PEDERSEN** (Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹) was born about Feb 1856 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. She married Lars Bertelsen on 08 Nov 1878.

Lars Bertelsen and Birthe Marie Pedersen had the following children:

i. MARIE⁴ BERTELSEN (daughter of Lars Bertelsen and Birthe Marie Pedersen).

Notes for Marie Bertelsen:

Had 8 children according to a note from Dora Peterson.

ii. PEDER CHRISTIAN BERTELSEN (son of Lars Bertelsen and Birthe Marie Pedersen).

Notes for Peder Christian Bertelsen:

Had 3 children according to a note from Dora Peterson.

iii. MAGRETHE BERTELSEN (daughter of Lars Bertelsen and Birthe Marie Pedersen).

Notes for Magrethe Bertelsen:

Had 1 child according to a note from Dora Peterson.

iv. SOREN BERTELSEN (son of Lars Bertelsen and Birthe Marie Pedersen).

Notes for Soren Bertelsen:

Had 1 child according to a note from Dora Peterson.

v. MARTINUS BERTELSEN (son of Lars Bertelsen and Birthe Marie Pedersen).

Notes for Martinus Bertelsen:

Had 2 children according to a note from Dora Peterson.

vi. HOLGER BERTELSEN (son of Lars Bertelsen and Birthe Marie Pedersen).

Notes for Holger Bertelsen:

Was single according to a note from Dora Peterson.

- vii. CRESTEN BERTELSEN (son of Lars Bertelsen and Birthe Marie Pedersen).
- viii. MORTEN BERTELSEN (son of Lars Bertelsen and Birthe Marie Pedersen).
- 8. **MADS CHRISTIAN**³ **PEDERSEN** (Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹) was born about Apr 1858 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He met **PATREA KUSK**.

Notes for Mads Christian Pedersen:

According to notes by Dora Peterson, this family changed their last name to "Jaeger."

Mads Christian Pedersen and Patrea Kusk had the following children:

. ANE⁴ PEDERSEN (daughter of Mads Christian Pedersen and Patrea Kusk).

Notes for Ane Pedersen:

Had 4 children according to a note from Dora Peterson.

ii. Christian Pedersen (son of Mads Christian Pedersen and Patrea Kusk).

Notes for Christian Pedersen:

Had 2 children according to a note from Dora Peterson.

iii. PEDER PEDERSEN (son of Mads Christian Pedersen and Patrea Kusk).

Notes for Peder Pedersen:

Had 2 children according to a note from Dora Peterson.

iv. EINER PEDERSEN (son of Mads Christian Pedersen and Patrea Kusk).

Notes for Einer Pedersen:

Had 2 children according to a note from Dora Peterson.

9. **MORTEN**³ **PEDERSEN** (Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹) was born on 03 Oct 1862 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He died on 28 Jan 1940. He married **MARIE SALVIGSEN**.

Morten Pedersen and Marie Salvigsen had the following children:

- i. Chresten⁴ Pedersen (son of Morten Pedersen and Marie Salvigsen).
- ii. ANDREAS PEDERSEN (son of Morten Pedersen and Marie Salvigsen).
- iii. CHRISTIAN PEDERSEN (son of Morten Pedersen and Marie Salvigsen).
- PEDER PEDERSEN (son of Morten Pedersen and Marie Salvigsen).

Notes for Peder Pedersen:

Had 2 children according to a note from Dora Peterson.

v. Pedre Pedersen (daughter of Morten Pedersen and Marie Salvigsen).

Notes for Pedre Pedersen:

Had 1 child according to a note from Dora Peterson.

vi. INGEMARIE PEDERSEN (daughter of Morten Pedersen and Marie Salvigsen).

vii. ELSE PEDERSEN (daughter of Morten Pedersen and Marie Salvigsen).

Notes for Else Pedersen:

Had 3 children according to a note from Dora Peterson.

- viii. MAREN PEDERSEN (daughter of Morten Pedersen and Marie Salvigsen).
- ix. Anna Pedersen (daughter of Morten Pedersen and Marie Salvigsen).
- x. THILDA PEDERSEN (daughter of Morten Pedersen and Marie Salvigsen).
- 10. **Mogens Brix**³ **Pedersen** (Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹) was born on 09 Nov 1864 in Hune, Hvetbo, Hjorring, Denmark. He met **Petrea Beltoft**.

Mogens Brix Pedersen and Petrea Beltoft had the following children:

 HOLGER BRIX⁴ PEDERSEN (son of Mogens Brix Pedersen and Petrea Beltoft) was born on 10 Apr 1898 in Aalborg Fru Sogn. He died on 21 Mar 1914 in Aalborg Budolfi Sogn.

More About Holger Brix Pedersen:

Burial: 26 Marts 1914 in Ålborg Budolfi, Ålborg, Ålborg Amt, Danmark

- ii. Erenia Pedersen (daughter of Mogens Brix Pedersen and Petrea Beltoft).
- iii. Ludvig Louie Pedersen (son of Mogens Brix Pedersen and Petrea Beltoft).

Notes for Ludvig Louie Pedersen:

Had 1 child according to a note from Dora Peterson.

- iv. Christian Pedersen (son of Mogens Brix Pedersen and Petrea Beltoft).
- v. HARRY PEDERSEN (son of Mogens Brix Pedersen and Petrea Beltoft).
- vi. EBBA PEDERSEN (daughter of Mogens Brix Pedersen and Petrea Beltoft).
- vii. AAGE PEDERSEN (son of Mogens Brix Pedersen and Petrea Beltoft).

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11. DORA⁴ PETERSON (Andrew³, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 05 May 1880 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. She died on 10 Feb 1988 in Sacramento, CA. She married (1) JEREMIAH (JERRY) MARTIN in Jan 1915. He was born in 1877 in West Township, Eff Co, Illinois. He died on 12 Jan 1933 in Effingham, Effingham, Illinois. She married (2) ELMER DORES TRAPP on 09 Sep 1900 in Effingham, Illinois, USA. He was born on 17 Oct 1865 in Effingham County, IL. He died on 22 Aug 1913 in Shumway, Effingham County, IL.

More About Dora Peterson:

Burial: Union Cemetery, Altamont, Mound Township, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Dora Peterson:

FAGM #131027036, with tombstone picture -- Dora was cremated.

More About Jeremiah (Jerry) Martin:

Burial: 14 Jan 1933 in Union Cemetery, Altamont, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Jeremiah (Jerry) Martin:

FAGM #131026858, with tombstone picture -- Also had the nickname of "Spec."

Jeremiah (Jerry) Martin and Dora Peterson had the following child:

 i. ELMER RAYMOND⁵ MARTIN (son of Jeremiah (Jerry) Martin and Dora Peterson) was born on 07 May 1917 in Altamont, Effingham County, IL. He died on 30 Jul 2008 in Sacramento, CA. He married Katherine M. Evetz (daughter of John Evetz and Anna Unknown) in Jan 1944. She was born on 23 Feb 1917 in Calumet, MI. She died on 15 Jul 2008 in Sacramento, CA.

More About Elmer Dores Trapp:

Burial: Rentfro Cemetery, Shumway, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Elmer Dores Trapp:

FAGM #68095440, with tombstone picture -- Elmer died at his home in Effingham from a complication of diseases for which he was bedridden for approximately 3 months before his death. He was a native of Effingham County, and was born on Trapp Prairie, in Union township, which took the name of his grandfather, John Trapp Sr., who was one of the earliest settlers of the county. He was twice married, and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Dora Trapp, and three children, Arthur of Lewiston, Mont., Miss Ada, of Chicago, and Miss Ella (Marie Ackerman), of Watson township. He also leaves a half-sister, Mrs. Ollie Woody, of Eberle, and a half brother, Leslie Evans, of Nebraska.

12. **SOPHIA**⁴ **PETERSON** (Andrew³, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 22 Jan 1885 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. She died on 06 Aug 1975. She married Carl August (Olson) Ohlson (son of Lars Olson and Mathilda Bremmer) on 17 Nov 1905. He was born on 07 Jul 1880. He died in 1960.

More About Sophia Peterson:

Burial: Memorial Park Cemetery, Oroville, Butte County, CA

Notes for Sophia Peterson:

FAGM #93804668, with tombstone picture --

More About Carl August (Olson) Ohlson:

Burial: Cremated

Notes for Carl August (Olson) Ohlson:

FAGM #146095384 -- Changed last name by adding "H" to distinguish self from a professional wrestler with the same name at the time since Carl also was a boxer and boxed in Golden Gloves.

Carl August (Olson) Ohlson and Sophia Peterson had the following children:

- i. HARRY AUGUST ANDREW⁵ OHLSON (son of Carl August (Olson) Ohlson and Sophia Peterson) was born on 20 Jun 1909. He died on 23 Feb 1993 in Dorris, CA. He married Suzanne (Sue) Margetiak (daughter of Stefan "Steven" Margetiak and Susan Stefanik Yurko) on 31 Aug 1935. She was born on 17 Dec 1917. She died on 25 Jun 1977.
 - ii. FLORENCE GAIL OHLSON (daughter of Carl August (Olson) Ohlson and Sophia Peterson) was born in 1916. She died in 1916 in Gary, IN.

Notes for Florence Gail Ohlson: Died from polio 9 months after birth.

13. **Bertha Lillian**⁴ **Peterson** (Andrew³, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 06 Mar 1898 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. She died on 07 Mar 1973 in Gilmore, West Township, Effingham County, IL. She married Hiram Glenn Siddens (son of Hiram Richard Siddens and Mary Elizabeth (Molly) Ebert) on 04 Sep 1923 in Effingham County, IL. He was born on 16 Jun 1900 in Mason, West Township, Effingham County, IL. He died on 07 Jan 1992 in Lakeland Health Care Center, Effingham County, Effingham, IL.

More About Bertha Lillian Peterson:

Burial: Arborcrest Cemetery, Funkhouser, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Bertha Lillian Peterson:

FAGM #7206430, with tombstone picture -- From note from Andrea (Siddens) Calhoun, daughter: Bertha Lillian (Peterson) Siddens Dies: She departed from her earthly life at St. Anthony Memorial Hospital, Effingham, on March 17 at the age of 75 years and 11 days. She was born to Sena Andrea and Andrew Peterson on March 6, 1898, near Gilmore in Effingham county. On September 4, 1923, she was united in marriage with Glenn Siddens of Mason at Vandalia. To this union was born four daughters. Mrs Reuben (Andrea) Calhoun of Mason;

Opal, as an infant preceding her in death; Mrs. Robert (Vera) Verdeyen, Altamont; Mrs. Carroll (Oma) Engeliohn, Loogootee: six grandsons: five granddaughters: three great grandsons and one great granddaughter. Two sisters, Mrs. Dora Martin of Altamont and Mrs. Sophia Ohlson, San Jose, California; nieces, nephews, and many friends. She was preceded in death by four sisters and five brothers. She was raised in and united with the Asbury Methodist Church at an early age and remained a faithful servant her entire life. Poem from the church service: "Dear Mother thou hast left us, thy sufferings are now o'er; In heaven you are rejoicing with the dear ones gone before. At the dear old home no longer can we gather as of old. For our family tie is broken; she has found the heavenly fold. We have lost our darling mother, she has bid us all adieu; She has gone to live in heaven and her person is lost to view. We stand before your casket, smooth back your lovely hair; Upon your marble forehead, we leave the last kiss there. Your busy hands are resting, your work on earth is done; Your trials all are ended, your heavenly crown is won. Tomorrow will bring sad memories of one we lay to rest. But the ones who think of you today, are the ones who loved you best. You have gone away dear Mother, to your Savior good and true; You have won the heavenly glory, which for your children is yet to do." Funeral services were held in Asbury United Methodist Church on March 19 at 2 p.m., by the Reverend Mildred Bryant. Burial was in Arborcrest Cemetery.

More About Hiram Glenn Siddens:

Burial: Arborcrest Cemetery, Funkhouser, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Hiram Glenn Siddens:

FAGM #7206426, with tombstone picture -- Member of Asberry Methodist Church; Masonic Lodge 484 Edgewood for 68 years; lifetime member of Eff-Fay County Fox Humters; Effingham County Farm Bureau. He was a farmer, road commissioner for 20 years, and was a guard at Menard penitentiary.

Hiram Glenn Siddens and Bertha Lillian Peterson had the following children:

- i. Andrea Elizabeth⁵ Siddens (daughter of Hiram Glenn Siddens and Bertha Lillian Peterson) was born on 06 Jun 1924. She died on 11 Jun 2011 in Tanglewood Village, Decatur, IL. She married Jeptha Reuben Calhoun Jr. (son of Jeptha Reuben Calhoun and Lulu Belle Mitchell) on 24 Dec 1940 in St. Charles, MO. He was born on 11 Sep 1919 in Effingham County, IL. He died on 21 Sep 1993 in Effingham County, IL.
 - ii. OPAL SIDDENS (daughter of Hiram Glenn Siddens and Bertha Lillian Peterson) was born on 28 Feb 1928 in West Township, Effingham County, IL. She died on 28 Feb 1928 in West Township, Effingham County, IL.

More About Opal Siddens:

Burial: Mahon Cemetery, Gilmore, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Opal Siddens:

FAGM #100457793, with tombstone picture --

- iii. VERA AVENELLE SIDDENS (daughter of Hiram Glenn Siddens and Bertha Lillian Peterson) was born on 12 Feb 1930 in Effingham County, IL. She died on 30 Nov 2012 in St. Anthony Memorial Hospital, Effingham County, Effingham, IL. She married Robert William Verdeyen (son of Henry J. Verdeyen and Agnes Katherine Wolfert) on 11 Sep 1948 in Edgewood, Illinois, USA. He was born on 23 Jun 1929. He died on 02 May 1987.
- iv. OMA LILLIAN SIDDENS (daughter of Hiram Glenn Siddens and Bertha Lillian Peterson) was born on 02 Mar 1935 in Effingham County, IL. She married Carroll Lee Engeljohn (son of Otto Heinrich Johann Engelkenjohn and Marlee Marie Dunbar) on 03 Oct 1952 in Effingham County, IL. He was born on 05 Dec 1932 in Effingham County, IL. He died on 01 Apr 2002 in Manatee Memorial Hospital,

Bradenton, Manatee County, FL. She met (2) MERVIN L. RUFF (son of Louis Frederick Ruff and Ida Louise Rincker). He was born on 30 Aug 1925 in Rural Strasburg, IL. He died on 01 Feb 2015 in Heart of Florida Regional Medical Center, Davenport, FL.

14. **PEDER CHRISTIAN⁴ ANDERSEN** (Ane Marie³ Pedersen, Peder Christian², Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 12 Apr 1872. He met **GEETA UNKNOWN** (daughter of Unknown). She was born on 14 Oct.

Peder Christian Andersen and Geeta Unknown had the following children:

- i. THOMAS⁵ ANDERSEN (son of Peder Christian Andersen and Geeta Unknown) was born on 17 Mar.
- ii. JENSEN ANDERSEN (son of Peder Christian Andersen and Geeta Unknown) was born on 11 May.
- ANNA ANDERSEN (daughter of Peder Christian Andersen and Geeta Unknown) was born on 08 Sep.

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15. **ELMER RAYMOND**⁵ **MARTIN** (Dora⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 07 May 1917 in Altamont, Effingham County, IL. He died on 30 Jul 2008 in Sacramento, CA. He married Katherine M. Evetz (daughter of John Evetz and Anna Unknown) in Jan 1944. She was born on 23 Feb 1917 in Calumet, MI. She died on 15 Jul 2008 in Sacramento, CA.

More About Elmer Raymond Martin:

Burial: 11 Oct 2008 in Union Cemetery, Altamont, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Elmer Raymond Martin:

FAGM #87674659 --

More About Katherine M. Evetz:

Burial: 11 Oct 2008 in Union Cemetery, Altamont, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Katherine M. Evetz:

FAGM #87672946 --

Elmer Raymond Martin and Katherine M. Evetz had the following children:

- i. DOUGLAS⁶ MARTIN (son of Elmer Raymond Martin and Katherine M. Evetz) was born on 17 Mar 1947. He married Merrill Vargo on 15 Aug 1997.
- 20. ii. MARK S. MARTIN (son of Elmer Raymond Martin and Katherine M. Evetz) was born on 05 Dec 1951. He married Deborah Fischer on 07 Jun 1997.
- 21. iii. PATRICIA MARTIN (daughter of Elmer Raymond Martin and Katherine M. Evetz) was born on 04 Oct 1958. She married Harold Gibson on 28 Jul 1989.
- 16. HARRY AUGUST ANDREW⁵ OHLSON (Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 20 Jun 1909. He died on 23 Feb 1993 in Dorris, CA. He married Suzanne (Sue) Margetiak (daughter of Stefan "Steven" Margetiak and Susan Stefanik Yurko) on 31 Aug 1935. She was born on 17 Dec 1917. She died on 25 Jun 1977.

More About Harry August Andrew Ohlson:

Burial: Memorial Park Cemetery, Oroville, Butte County, CA

Notes for Harry August Andrew Ohlson:

FAGM #93804666, with tombstone picture --

More About Suzanne (Sue) Margetiak:

Burial: Memorial Park Cemetery, Oroville, Butte County, CA

Notes for Suzanne (Sue) Margetiak:

FAGM #93804667, with tombstone picture --

Harry August Andrew Ohlson and Suzanne (Sue) Margetiak had the following children:

- i. FLORENCE GAIL⁶ OHLSON (daughter of Harry August Andrew Ohlson and Suzanne (Sue) Margetiak) was born on 12 Feb 1938 in Chicago, Cook County, IL. She married Wayne Balcolm Eddy on 29 Apr 1972. He was born on 20 Dec 1928. He died on 09 May 2012. She married Billy Laymon Polston on 24 Apr 1960.
- ii. JAMES STEPHEN OHLSON (son of Harry August Andrew Ohlson and Suzanne (Sue) Margetiak) was born on 27 Dec 1939 in Stickney Township, Cook County, IL. He died on 19 Oct 2005. He married Delores Craig in Mar 1960. She was born on 07 Jul 1941.
- 23. iii. GERALDINE (JERRI) LYNN OHLSON (daughter of Harry August Andrew Ohlson and Suzanne (Sue) Margetiak) was born on 28 May 1941 in Stickney Township, Cook County, IL. She met LABON ELWOOD JONES. He was born on 09 Dec 1934.
- 24. iv. BARBARA EILEEN OHLSON (daughter of Harry August Andrew Ohlson and Suzanne (Sue) Margetiak) was born on 27 Apr 1945. She married Normal La Roi Suth in May 1964. He was born on 03 Jul 1942.
- V. MICHAEL (WALTER) GENE OHLSON-DICUS (son of Harry August Andrew Ohlson and Suzanne (Sue) Margetiak) was born on 06 Oct 1947 in Vandalia, Fayette County, Illinois. He married (1) ALICE EDNA DAY (daughter of Alva Day and Louise Unknown) on 22 Apr 1967. He married (2) MARGE SANCHEZ in 1980. He married (3) KENT TIMOTHY DICUS on 21 Mar 2015 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, USA. He was born on 02 Mar 1958.
- 17. ANDREA ELIZABETH⁵ SIDDENS (Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 06 Jun 1924. She died on 11 Jun 2011 in Tanglewood Village, Decatur, IL. She married Jeptha Reuben Calhoun Jr. (son of Jeptha Reuben Calhoun and Lulu Belle Mitchell) on 24 Dec 1940 in St. Charles, MO. He was born on 11 Sep 1919 in Effingham County, IL. He died on 21 Sep 1993 in Effingham County, IL.

More About Andrea Elizabeth Siddens:

Burial: 15 Jun 2011 in Arborcrest Memorial Park, Rual Effingham, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Andrea Elizabeth Siddens:

FAGM #124441938 -- Highlights From the Effingham Daily News Obituary Notice: Andrea Elizabeth Calhoun, 87, of Decatur, formerly of Altamont, passed away at Tanglewood Village, Decatur. She retired as the manager of Burkland's Florist and Greenhouse, Effingham, and then went on to work as a desk clerk for Days Inn, Effingham. She was a member of First United Methodist Church, Altamont, and a 61-year member of the Order of the Eastern Star, Chapter 787, in Edgewood. She enjoyed collecting cut glass pieces and was an avid gardener.

More About Jeptha Reuben Calhoun Jr.:

Burial: Arborcrest Cemetery, Funkhouser, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Jeptha Reuben Calhoun Jr.:

FAGM #7206200 --

Jeptha Reuben Calhoun Jr. and Andrea Elizabeth Siddens had the following children:

- i. HIRAM REUBEN (BUTCH)⁶ CALHOUN (son of Jeptha Reuben Calhoun Jr. and Andrea Elizabeth Siddens) was born on 27 Mar 1942 in Altamont, Effingham County, IL. He died on 26 Jul 2004 in Decatur, IL. He married Carol Joyce Brown (daughter of Unknown Brown and Edna B. Fox) on 11 Nov 1962 in First Christian Church, Shelbyville, IN. She was born on 25 Mar 1941.
- 27. ii. GLENN LEROY CALHOUN (son of Jeptha Reuben Calhoun Jr. and Andrea Elizabeth Siddens) was born on 08 Mar 1945. He married Sandra Schaub (daughter of Evert L. Schaub and Ruby Carmen Wehrle) on 15 Sep 1968.

- 28. iii. GARY CLARK CALHOUN (son of Jeptha Reuben Calhoun Jr. and Andrea Elizabeth Siddens) was born on 04 Apr 1946 in Watson, Effingham County, IL. He married Marcella Louise Schroeder (daughter of Otto Ernest Carl Schroeder and Mabel Marie Winter) on 04 Jul 1965 in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, A. L. C., (Route 40), Altamont, Effingham County, Illinois. She was born on 07 Oct 1946 in Fayette County Hospital, Vandalia, Fayette County, Illinois.
- 29. iv. ELIZABETH CALHOUN (daughter of Jeptha Reuben Calhoun Jr. and Andrea Elizabeth Siddens) was born on 05 May 1956. She married (1) UNKNOWN OSBORNE. She married (2) JERRY DEAN GOLDSBORO (son of David B. Goldsboro and Geraldine Jessie Harre) on 06 Jun 1976. He was born on 07 Aug 1952.
 - v. Chris Golden (Foster Son) (son of Jeptha Reuben Calhoun Jr. and Andrea Elizabeth Siddens).
- 18. **Vera Avenelle**⁵ **Siddens** (Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 12 Feb 1930 in Effingham County, IL. She died on 30 Nov 2012 in St. Anthony Memorial Hospital, Effingham County, Effingham, IL. She married Robert William Verdeyen (son of Henry J. Verdeyen and Agnes Katherine Wolfert) on 11 Sep 1948 in Edgewood, Illinois, USA. He was born on 23 Jun 1929. He died on 02 May 1987.

More About Vera Avenelle Siddens:

Burial: 03 Dec 2012 in Arborcrest Memorial Park, Rual Effingham, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Vera Avenelle Siddens:

FAGM #102150592 -- Highlights from the Effingham Daily News -- Vera A. Verdeyen, 82, of Altamont, died at 7:15 a.m. Friday, Nov. 30, 2012, at St. Anthony's Memorial Hospital, Effingham. She was affiliated with the Catholic church. She had been employed with the Altamont Garment Factory, Altamont IGA and with the Days Inn, Effingham, as well as being a homemaker.

Notes for Robert William Verdeyen:

FAGM #7206205 --

Robert William Verdeyen and Vera Avenelle Siddens had the following children:

- DIANE LOUISE⁶ VERDEYEN (daughter of Robert William Verdeyen and Vera Avenelle Siddens) was born on 21 Jun 1950. She married (1) ROBERT EUGENE CULLOM on 09 Jul 1989 in Clark County, NV. He was born on 29 Aug 1948. She married (2) ROBERT LEE DOWDS (son of Wayne E. Dowds and Jessie Marjorie Campbell) on 01 Jun 1968 in First Methodist Church, Altamont, Effingham County, IL. He was born on 08 Jun 1948. He died on 01 Mar 2001.
- 31. ii. James Robert Verdeyen (son of Robert William Verdeyen and Vera Avenelle Siddens) was born on 25 Jul 1953. He married Lynn Landreth on 02 Jun 1974. She was born on 13 Nov 1954.
- 32. iii. Nancy Elaine Verdeyen (daughter of Robert William Verdeyen and Vera Avenelle Siddens) was born on 27 Sep 1956. She died on 18 Nov 2020 in HSHS St. Elizabeth's Hospital, O'Fallon, IL. She married (1) Charles "Abe" Schmidt (son of Adolph Schmidt and Esther Eberhardt). He was born on 04 Dec 1939 in St Anthony's Memorial Hospital, Effingham, Effingham County, IL. He died on 26 Mar 2023 in Lutheran Care Center, Altamont, Effingham County, IL. She married (2) TIMOTHY C. STONE on 20 Jul 1977. He was born on 14 Oct 1954.
- 19. OMA LILLIAN⁵ SIDDENS (Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 02 Mar 1935 in Effingham County, IL. She married Carroll Lee Engeljohn (son of Otto Heinrich Johann Engelkenjohn and Marlee Marie Dunbar) on 03 Oct 1952 in Effingham County, IL. He was born on 05 Dec 1932 in Effingham County, IL. He died on 01 Apr 2002 in Manatee Memorial Hospital, Bradenton, Manatee County, FL. She met (2) MERVIN L. RUFF (son of Louis Frederick Ruff and Ida Louise Rincker). He was born on 30 Aug 1925 in Rural Strasburg, IL. He died on 01 Feb 2015 in Heart of Florida Regional Medical Center, Davenport, FL.

Notes for Oma Lillian Siddens:

When mom (Oma) was born, her mother (grandma Lillian) had not yet settled on a name. While on a telephone party-line with a group of neighbors who all had access to each other's conversations, Lillian's mother (great grandma Sena) said to Jessie Wharton (George's wife) that Jessie's daughter (Oma Bernice) who was born 23 years earlier on the same day as mom now had a namesake. Thus, Lillian felt compelled to use the name "Oma" rather than her original frontrunner name of "Glenna Evelyn" that was disfavored once Lillian's brother-in-law Donald ("Tidd") named his horse "Evelyn" at that same time. Grandma Lillian went with the name Oma instead of Glenna Evelyn.

More About Carroll Lee Engeljohn:

Burial: 05 Apr 2002 in Old Loogoottee Cemetery, Wheatland Township, Fayette County, IL

Notes for Carroll Lee Engeliohn:

FAGM #143626636, with tombstone picture --

Carroll Lee Engeljohn and Oma Lillian Siddens had the following children:

- i. Debra Jean⁶ Engeljohn (daughter of Carroll Lee Engeljohn and Oma Lillian Siddens) was born on 05 Oct 1953 in St. Elmo, Fayette County, IL. She married Robert Dale Bernahl (son of Harry Wilhelm Bernahl and Kathryn Marie King) on 31 Dec 1976 in Immanuel Lutheran Church, Altamont, IL. He was born on 23 May 1954 in Spokane, Washington. He died on 23 Apr 2003 in Altamont, Effingham County, Illinois. She married Thomas Edward Westjohn (son of John Westjohn and Carolyn Unknown) on 24 Apr 2004 in St. Micheal's Church, Sigel, Illinois.
 - ii. DANIEL LEE ENGELJOHN (son of Carroll Lee Engeljohn and Oma Lillian Siddens) was born on 05 Sep 1955 in St Elmo, Fayette County, IL. He married STEVEN ROY CUPO (son of Everard Nicholas Cupo and Ruth Marion Smith). He was born on 17 Aug 1954 in Schenectady, New York.

Notes for Daniel Lee Engeljohn:

Steven and Dan became a couple on 2/14/1990 in Washington, DC. Their domestic partnership license was issued on 1/8/2007 in Washington, DC. Their marriage license was issued on 9/2/2014.

Notes for Steven Roy Cupo:

FAGM #145603069, with tombstone picture -- Although Steven is not yet deceased, Steven wanted to ensure that his headstone matched the headstones of the three relatives that he will be buried near, most particularly his grandmother, Helen Smith. Steven's burial plot came about because Roy and Helen Smith purchased a four-top on sale in 1963; thinking they and one of their daughters and husband would be buried in the four plots. Unfortunately, Helen's older brother died young with no funds or spouse to cover full burial costs. Thus, Helen had her brother John buried in the third unassigned plot. Upon Roy's and Helen's deaths, their middle daughter, Shirley LeFevre, inherited the unassigned fourth plot. However, since she was going to be buried next to her first husband, Pete, she did not want or need it. Steven asked his Aunt Shirley if he could have the fourth unassigned plot. Aunt Shirley said yes and immediately sent the deed. Steven then Googled headstone makers in Schenectady, NY, contacted one and asked if they could duplicate the existing headstone design. Even after Steven sent the design information, they sent a representative to Viewland Cemetery to take their own measurements. Being that the headstone was standard in design,

they had no trouble matching the existing headstones of the three relatives already buried. Steven commissioned the headstone and, upon completion, had it placed on the empty plot in 2009. Steven's spouse Daniel has requested to be creamated, leaving Steven with an opportunity to be buried with loved ones.

iii. DAVID RAY ENGELJOHN (son of Carroll Lee Engeljohn and Oma Lillian Siddens) was born on 07 Sep 1956 in Effingham County, IL. He died on 04 Sep 1997 in Effingham County, IL.

More About David Ray Engeljohn:

Burial: 07 Sep 1997 in Zion Lutheran's Old Loogootee Cemetery, Fayette County, IL

Notes for David Ray Engeljohn: FAGM #143627115, with tombstone picture --

34. iv. DEE ANN ENGELJOHN (daughter of Carroll Lee Engeljohn and Oma Lillian Siddens) was born on 03 Dec 1958 in Effingham County, IL. She married James David Schnarre (son of Carroll E. Schnarre and Zola (Zokie) Jeanne See) on 05 Mar 1977 in Zion Lutheran Church, Fayette County, Loogootee, IL. He was born on 23 Feb 1958.

More About Mervin L. Ruff:

Burial: 05 Feb 2015 in St. Paul - Blue Point Evangelical Lutheran Church, Altamont, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Mervin L. Ruff:

FAGM #146675388, with tombstone picture -- Highlights from the Effingham Daily News: Mervin died at Heart of Florida Regional Medical Center, Davenport, FL. Burial will be in the church cemetery with military rites by Gieseking-Schwerdtfeger VFW Post 7676, Altamont. He was a U.S. Army veteran having served during World War II in the 94th Infantry Division and was at the Battle of the Bulge. He had attended many Army reunions over the years. He was a member of Gieseking-Schwerdtfeger VFW Post 7676. He was also a member of the Rural Carriers Association and the Effingham County Farm Bureau. Mervin enjoyed playing cards, shuffleboard and travelling to Florida every winter since the early 1970's.

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- 20. MARK S.⁶ MARTIN (Elmer Raymond⁵, Dora⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 05 Dec 1951. He married Deborah Fischer on 07 Jun 1997.
 - Mark S. Martin and Deborah Fischer had the following children:
 - i. JONATHAN⁷ BERBERICH (son of Mark S. Martin and Deborah Fischer) was born on 16 Apr 1989.
 - ii. MEGAN BERBERICH (daughter of Mark S. Martin and Deborah Fischer) was born on 26 Oct 1991.
- 21. **Patricia**⁶ **Martin** (Elmer Raymond⁵, Dora⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 04 Oct 1958. She married Harold Gibson on 28 Jul 1989.

Harold Gibson and Patricia Martin had the following children:

i. REED⁷ GIBSON (son of Harold Gibson and Patricia Martin) was born on 24 Apr 1994.

- MYLES GIBSON (son of Harold Gibson and Patricia Martin) was born on 06 Apr 1996.
- 22. **James Stephen**⁶ **Ohlson** (Harry August Andrew⁵, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 27 Dec 1939 in Stickney Township, Cook County, IL. He died on 19 Oct 2005. He married Delores Craig in Mar 1960. She was born on 07 Jul 1941.

More About James Stephen Ohlson:

Burial: Cremated

Notes for James Stephen Ohlson:

FAGM #146097093 -- He was cremated but the ashes are in the possession of his daughter.

James Stephen Ohlson and Delores Craig had the following children:

- 35. i. Kenneth Gene⁷ Ohlson (son of James Stephen Ohlson and Delores Craig) was born on 08 Apr 1961.
 - ii. PHILLIP LAWRENCE OHLSON (son of James Stephen Ohlson and Delores Craig) was born on 20 Mar 1962. He died on 03 Jun 1980.

More About Phillip Lawrence Ohlson:

Burial: Cypress Lawn Memorial Park, Everett, Snokomish County, Washington

Notes for Phillip Lawrence Ohlson: FAGM #127617635, with tombstone picture --

- 36. iii. LOUETTA SUE OHLSON (daughter of James Stephen Ohlson and Delores Craig) was born on 23 Mar 1963. She met LANCE MCFARLAND.
- 23. **GERALDINE (JERRI) LYNN**⁶ **Ohlson** (Harry August Andrew⁵, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 28 May 1941 in Stickney Township, Cook County, IL. She met **Labon Elwood Jones**. He was born on 09 Dec 1934.

Labon Elwood Jones and Geraldine (Jerri) Lynn Ohlson had the following children:

- 37. i. JANET EILEEN⁷ JONES (daughter of Labon Elwood Jones and Geraldine (Jerri) Lynn Ohlson) was born on 31 May 1961. She met BRUCE HILL ROHN. He was born on 10 Jun 1954.
- 38. ii. ANGELIQUE JANICE LEE JONES (daughter of Labon Elwood Jones and Geraldine (Jerri) Lynn Ohlson) was born on 31 May 1961. She married Thomas Clarke in Sep 1987. He was born on 10 Apr 1963.
- 39. iii. LABON ELWOOD JONES JR. (son of Labon Elwood Jones and Geraldine (Jerri) Lynn Ohlson) was born on 29 May 1962. He married Allison Munger on 01 May 1995. She was born on 24 Nov 1964.
 - iv. Susan Irene Jones (daughter of Labon Elwood Jones and Geraldine (Jerri) Lynn Ohlson) was born on 18 Apr 1964 in San Jose, CA. She died on 03 Jul 1964 in Santa Rosa, CA.

More About Susan Irene Jones: Burial: Oak Hill Cemetery, San Jose, CA

24. **Barbara Eileen**⁶ **Ohlson** (Harry August Andrew⁵, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 27 Apr 1945. She married Normal La Roi Suth in May 1964. He was born on 03 Jul 1942.

Normal La Roi Suth and Barbara Eileen Ohlson had the following children:

- 40. i. MICHAEL GENE⁷ SUTH (son of Normal La Roi Suth and Barbara Eileen Ohlson) was born on 05 Jun 1965.
- 41. ii. BETTY SUE SUTH (daughter of Normal La Roi Suth and Barbara Eileen Ohlson) was born on 06 Oct 1966. She met JAIME ALAN EAGLE. He was born on 10 Apr 1970.

25. MICHAEL (WALTER) GENE⁶ OHLSON-DICUS (Harry August Andrew⁵ Ohlson, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 06 Oct 1947 in Vandalia, Fayette County, Illinois. He married (1) ALICE EDNA DAY (daughter of Alva Day and Louise Unknown) on 22 Apr 1967. He married (2) MARGE SANCHEZ in 1980. He married (3) KENT TIMOTHY DICUS on 21 Mar 2015 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, USA. He was born on 02 Mar 1958.

Notes for Michael (Walter) Gene Ohlson-Dicus:

Changed name from Walter to Michael. Divorced from Alice Day on April 11, 1977. Kent T. Dicus, companion, was born on April 2, 1958, and united with Michael on July 4, 1989, before being allowed to officially marry in 2015. MIchael and Kent officially married in Kansas City, Jackson County. Missouri.

Michael (Walter) Gene Ohlson-Dicus and Alice Edna Day had the following child:

i. MICHAEL GENE⁷ OHLSON JR. (son of Michael (Walter) Gene Ohlson-Dicus and Alice Edna Day) was born on 28 Oct 1970.

Notes for Kent Timothy Dicus:

As of 3/21/2015, last name will remain as Dicus.

26. HIRAM REUBEN (BUTCH)⁶ CALHOUN (Andrea Elizabeth⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 27 Mar 1942 in Altamont, Effingham County, IL. He died on 26 Jul 2004 in Decatur, IL. He married Carol Joyce Brown (daughter of Unknown Brown and Edna B. Fox) on 11 Nov 1962 in First Christian Church, Shelbyville, IN. She was born on 25 Mar 1941.

More About Hiram Reuben (Butch) Calhoun:

Burial: Mt. Zion Cemetery, Decatur, IL

Notes for Hiram Reuben (Butch) Calhoun:

FAGM #120843616, with tombstone picture --

Hiram Reuben (Butch) Calhoun and Carol Joyce Brown had the following child:

- i. Robbie Clark⁷ Calhoun (son of Hiram Reuben (Butch) Calhoun and Carol Joyce Brown) was born on 17 Feb 1964. He married Kimberly June Nell (daughter of Robert Arnold Nell and Nancy Joanne Hunter) on 10 Nov 1990 in West Minister Presbyterian Church, Decatur, IL. She was born on 16 Mar 1965.
- 27. **GLENN LEROY**⁶ **CALHOUN** (Andrea Elizabeth⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 08 Mar 1945. He married Sandra Schaub (daughter of Evert L. Schaub and Ruby Carmen Wehrle) on 15 Sep 1968.

Glenn LeRoy Calhoun and Sandra Schaub had the following children:

- i. DAWN CHERI⁷ CALHOUN (daughter of Glenn LeRoy Calhoun and Sandra Schaub) was born on 04 Apr 1969. She married Daniel Carter (son of Marvin Carter and Virginia Unknown) on 23 Apr 1988. He was born on 10 Jul 1969.
- 44. ii. Chad Glenn Calhoun (son of Glenn LeRoy Calhoun and Sandra Schaub) was born on 26 Sep 1972. He married Melissa Hendricks on 15 Feb 1997. She was born on 15 Mar 1976.
- 28. GARY CLARK⁶ CALHOUN (Andrea Elizabeth⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 04 Apr 1946 in Watson, Effingham County, IL. He married Marcella Louise Schroeder (daughter of Otto Ernest Carl Schroeder and Mabel Marie Winter) on 04 Jul 1965 in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, A. L. C., (Route 40), Altamont, Effingham County, Illinois. She was born on 07 Oct 1946 in Fayette County Hospital, Vandalia, Fayette County, Illinois.

Gary Clark Calhoun and Marcella Louise Schroeder had the following children:

45. i. Gary Clark ⁷ Calhoun Jr. (son of Gary Clark Calhoun and Marcella Louise Schroeder) was born on 04 Sep 1971 in St. Mary's Hospital, Decatur, Macon

County, Illinois. He married Kristina Louise Sutton (daughter of Robert Keith Sutton and Christina Jane Traxler) on 06 Jun 1992 in St. John's Lutheran Church, Decatur, Illinois. She was born on 19 Dec 1968 in St. Mary's Hospital, Decatur, Macon, County, Illinois.

- ii. DANIEL CHRISTOPHER CALHOUN (son of Gary Clark Calhoun and Marcella Louise Schroeder) was born on 06 Nov 1974 in St. Mary's Hospital, Decatur, Macon County, Illinois.
- 29. **ELIZABETH**⁶ **CALHOUN** (Andrea Elizabeth⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 05 May 1956. She married (1) **UNKNOWN OSBORNE**. She married (2) **JERRY DEAN GOLDSBORO** (son of David B. Goldsboro and Geraldine Jessie Harre) on 06 Jun 1976. He was born on 07 Aug 1952.

Jerry Dean Goldsboro and Elizabeth Calhoun had the following child:

- i. LACY BRIANA⁷ GOLDSBORO (daughter of Jerry Dean Goldsboro and Elizabeth Calhoun) was born on 03 Oct 1981.
- 30. DIANE LOUISE⁶ VERDEYEN (Vera Avenelle⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 21 Jun 1950. She married (1) ROBERT EUGENE CULLOM on 09 Jul 1989 in Clark County, NV. He was born on 29 Aug 1948. She married (2) ROBERT LEE DOWDS (son of Wayne E. Dowds and Jessie Marjorie Campbell) on 01 Jun 1968 in First Methodist Church, Altamont, Effingham County, IL. He was born on 08 Jun 1948. He died on 01 Mar 2001.

More About Robert Lee Dowds:

Burial: Salem United Methodist Church Cemetery, Altamont, Effingham County, IL

Robert Lee Dowds and Diane Louise Verdeyen had the following children:

- 46. i. ROBERT WAYNE⁷ DOWDS (son of Robert Lee Dowds and Diane Louise Verdeyen) was born on 19 Dec 1972. He married Ericka Roedl on 19 May 1995. She was born on 22 Oct 1978.
 - ii. PENNY ANN DOWDS (daughter of Robert Lee Dowds and Diane Louise Verdeyen) was born on 26 Nov 1978.
- 31. **James Robert**⁶ **Verdeyen** (Vera Avenelle⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 25 Jul 1953. He married Lynn Landreth on 02 Jun 1974. She was born on 13 Nov 1954.

James Robert Verdeven and Lynn Landreth had the following children:

- 47. i. Shannon Lynn⁷ Verdeyen (daughter of James Robert Verdeyen and Lynn Landreth) was born on 28 Sep 1976. She married Kevin Siebert on 16 Aug 1997. He was born on 22 May 1972. She married Chad Mayfield on 07 Apr 2000.
- 48. ii. Scott James Verdeyen (son of James Robert Verdeyen and Lynn Landreth) was born on 15 Feb 1978. He married Heidi Gordon on 30 Dec 1999. She was born on 01 Dec 1977.
- 32. Nancy Elaine⁶ Verdeyen (Vera Avenelle⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 27 Sep 1956. She died on 18 Nov 2020 in HSHS St. Elizabeth's Hospital, O'Fallon, IL. She married (1) Charles "ABE" Schmidt (son of Adolph Schmidt and Esther Eberhardt). He was born on 04 Dec 1939 in St Anthony's Memorial Hospital, Effingham, Effingham County, IL. He died on 26 Mar 2023 in Lutheran Care Center, Altamont, Effingham County, IL. She married (2) TIMOTHY C. STONE on 20 Jul 1977. He was born on 14 Oct 1954.

More About Nancy Elaine Verdeyen:

Burial: Arborcrest Cemetery, Funkhouser, Effingham County, IL

Notes for Nancy Elaine Verdeyen:

Divorced November 1986. Companion now Charles Schmidth; Charles had one daughter Erich Charles Schmidth born October 14, 1987.

Charles "Abe" Schmidt and Nancy Elaine Verdeyen had the following child:

i. ERIC CHARLES⁷ SCHMIDT (son of Charles "Abe" Schmidt and Nancy Elaine Verdeyen).

Timothy C. Stone and Nancy Elaine Verdeyen had the following children:

- i. SHERRI ANN⁷ STONE (daughter of Timothy C. Stone and Nancy Elaine Verdeyen) was born on 11 May 1978. She died on 01 May 1984.
- ii. TRAVIS CARL STONE (son of Timothy C. Stone and Nancy Elaine Verdeyen) was born on 16 Nov 1981. He married Kelly Bymaster on 29 Oct 1999. She was born on 19 Apr 1981.
 - AMANDA ANN STONE (daughter of Timothy C. Stone and Nancy Elaine Verdeyen) was born on 15 Dec 1982.
- 33. **Debra Jean**⁶ **Engeljohn** (Oma Lillian⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 05 Oct 1953 in St. Elmo, Fayette County, IL. She married Robert Dale Bernahl (son of Harry Wilhelm Bernahl and Kathryn Marie King) on 31 Dec 1976 in Immanuel Lutheran Church, Altamont, IL. He was born on 23 May 1954 in Spokane, Washington. He died on 23 Apr 2003 in Altamont, Effingham County, Illinois. She married Thomas Edward Westjohn (son of John Westjohn and Carolyn Unknown) on 24 Apr 2004 in St. Micheal's Church, Sigel, Illinois.

Notes for Debra Jean Engeljohn:

Debra and Robert had three children: Jeffrey Scott, Jennifer Lynn, and Jessica Nicole.

More About Robert Dale Bernahl:

Burial: Immanuel Lutheran Chuch Cemetery, Altamont, Effingham County, Illinois

Notes for Robert Dale Bernahl:

FAGM #129601654, with tombstone picture --

Robert Dale Bernahl and Debra Jean Engeljohn had the following children:

- i. JEFFREY SCOTT⁷ BERNAHL (son of Robert Dale Bernahl and Debra Jean Engeljohn) was born on 11 Feb 1978 in St. Anthony Memorial Hospital, Effingham County, Effingham, IL. He married Jamie Dee Graham (daughter of John Graham and Veronica Haynes) on 13 Nov 1998 in Effingham Court House, Effingham, IL. She was born on 12 Jul 1980. He met (2) VICTORIA FERN SARVER (daughter of Vernon Fred Sarver). She was born on 08 Jan 1980. He married Amy Robin Lawrence (daughter of Steven Don Lawrence and Nancy Lea Smith) on 06 Aug 2022. She was born on 01 Sep 1974.
 - ii. Jennifer Lynn Bernahl (daughter of Robert Dale Bernahl and Debra Jean Engeljohn) was born on 09 May 1979 in St. Anthony Memorial Hospital, Effingham County, Effingham, IL. She married Nathan Wendling (son of Terry Lynn Wendling and Roxanna Lee Homann) on 02 Nov 2013.

Notes for Jennifer Lynn Bernahl:

Emergency baptism in hospital; ratification on 2 September 1979 with sponsors of Daniel Engeljohn (brother of mother), David Engeljohn (brother of mother), and Lori Bernahl (sister of father), at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Altamont, IL.

51. iii. Jessica Nicole Bernahl (daughter of Robert Dale Bernahl and Debra Jean Engeljohn) was born on 21 Jun 1982 in St. Anthony Memorial Hospital, Effingham County, Effingham, IL. She married (1) Kenneth Crooker. He was born on 05 Apr 1965. She married (2) Daniel Earl Leroy Graham (son of John Graham and Veronica Haynes) on 20 Jun 2002. He was born on 17 Feb 1973 in Illinois. She married (3) Paul Ellis on 11 Mar 2016. She married (4) Brian Goers (son of Basil Goers and Ronda Stuckemeyer). She met (5) Richard B. Marschke. She married (6) Danny Bager. He was born on 26 Feb 1977.

34. **DEE ANN**⁶ **ENGELJOHN** (Oma Lillian⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 03 Dec 1958 in Effingham County, IL. She married James David Schnarre (son of Carroll E. Schnarre and Zola (Zokie) Jeanne See) on 05 Mar 1977 in Zion Lutheran Church, Fayette County, Loogootee, IL. He was born on 23 Feb 1958.

Notes for Dee Ann Engeljohn:

Dee and Dave had three children: Angela Renae, Nathan James, and Natasha Lynn.

James David Schnarre and Dee Ann Engeljohn had the following children:

- 52. i. ANGELA RENAE⁷ SCHNARRE (daughter of James David Schnarre and Dee Ann Engeljohn) was born on 03 Nov 1977 in Effingham County, IL. She married Darrin Claude Hiestand (son of Dennis Dale Hiestand and Linda Sue DeVore) on 15 Apr 2000. He was born on 24 Jan 1975 in St. Mary's Hospital, Centralia, IL.
- 53. ii. NATHAN JAMES SCHNARRE (son of James David Schnarre and Dee Ann Engeljohn) was born on 02 Jun 1980 in Effingham County, IL. He married Amber Rae Kroening (daughter of Jerry Louis Kroening and Donna Jean Reed) on 26 Dec 2005 in Immanuel Lutheran Church, Altamont Illinois. She was born on 26 Nov 1982 in St. Anthony Memorial Hospital, Effingham, Effingham County, Illinois.
- 54. iii. NATASHA LYNN SCHNARRE (daughter of James David Schnarre and Dee Ann Engeljohn) was born on 12 Dec 1983. She married Jacob (Jake) Skibinski (son of Ricky W. Skibinski and Cheryl Cassity) on 28 Jun 2008. He was born on 05 Jun 1979 in Nashville, Illinois.

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- 35. **Kenneth Gene**⁷ **Ohlson** (James Stephen⁶, Harry August Andrew⁵, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 08 Apr 1961.
 - Kenneth Gene Ohlson had the following child:
 - 55. i. JUDITH BEVERLY LOUETTA⁸ OHLSON (daughter of Kenneth Gene Ohlson) was born on 12 Mar 1982.
- 36. **LOUETTA SUE⁷ OHLSON** (James Stephen⁶, Harry August Andrew⁵, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 23 Mar 1963. She met **LANCE MCFARLAND**.

Notes for Louetta Sue Ohlson:

Three children.

Lance McFarland and Louetta Sue Ohlson had the following children:

- i. ROBERT⁸ OHLSON (son of Lance McFarland and Louetta Sue Ohlson) was born on 17 May 1981.
- 56. ii. BILLIE SUE (DENNIS) MCFARLAND (daughter of Lance McFarland and Louetta Sue Ohlson) was born on 08 Oct 1983.
 - iii. WILBUR (DENNIS) MCFARLAND (son of Lance McFarland and Louetta Sue Ohlson) was born in 1989.
- 37. **JANET EILEEN**⁷ **JONES** (Geraldine (Jerri) Lynn⁶ Ohlson, Harry August Andrew⁵ Ohlson, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 31 May 1961. She met **Bruce Hill Rohn**. He was born on 10 Jun 1954.

Bruce Hill Rohn and Janet Eileen Jones had the following children:

- i. ANDREW HILL⁸ ROHN (son of Bruce Hill Rohn and Janet Eileen Jones) was born on 22 Jun 1992.
- ii. MATTHEW GALYN ROHN (son of Bruce Hill Rohn and Janet Eileen Jones) was born on 11 Dec 1993.
- 38. **ANGELIQUE JANICE LEE⁷ JONES** (Geraldine (Jerri) Lynn⁶ Ohlson, Harry August Andrew⁵ Ohlson, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born

on 31 May 1961. She married Thomas Clarke in Sep 1987. He was born on 10 Apr 1963. Angelique Janice Lee Jones had the following child:

57. i. Delia Roxane⁸ Lugo (daughter of Angelique Janice Lee Jones) was born on 23 Jul 1979. She married James Henry Jordan Jr in 2002. He was born on 16 Jul 1980.

Thomas Clarke and Angelique Janice Lee Jones had the following child:

- 58. i. TIANA ASHLEY⁸ CLARKE (daughter of Thomas Clarke and Angelique Janice Lee Jones) was born on 18 Feb 1988. She married Hoc Khong on 03 Jul 2008.
- 39. **Labon Elwood⁷ Jones Jr.** (Geraldine (Jerri) Lynn⁶ Ohlson, Harry August Andrew⁵ Ohlson, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 29 May 1962. He married Allison Munger on 01 May 1995. She was born on 24 Nov 1964. Labon Elwood Jones Jr. and Allison Munger had the following child:
 - LABON ELWOOD⁸ JONES III (son of Labon Elwood Jones Jr. and Allison Munger) was born on 19 Dec 1993.
- 40. **Michael Gene**⁷ **Suth** (Barbara Eileen⁶ Ohlson, Harry August Andrew⁵ Ohlson, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 05 Jun 1965. Michael Gene Suth had the following child:
 - i. RILEY GENE⁸ SUTH (son of Michael Gene Suth) was born on 12 May 2006.
- 41. **BETTY Sue⁷ Suth** (Barbara Eileen⁶ Ohlson, Harry August Andrew⁵ Ohlson, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 06 Oct 1966. She met **Jaime Alan Eagle**. He was born on 10 Apr 1970.

Jaime Alan Eagle and Betty Sue Suth had the following children:

- 59. i. SARA RENAE SUTH⁸ EAGLE (daughter of Jaime Alan Eagle and Betty Sue Suth) was born on 31 Jan 1992.
 - ii. EMILY SUZANNE EAGLE (daughter of Jaime Alan Eagle and Betty Sue Suth) was born on 28 Jun 2001.
- 42. **ROBBIE CLARK**⁷ **CALHOUN** (Hiram Reuben (Butch)⁶, Andrea Elizabeth⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 17 Feb 1964. He married Kimberly June Nell (daughter of Robert Arnold Nell and Nancy Joanne Hunter) on 10 Nov 1990 in West Minister Presbyterian Church, Decatur, IL. She was born on 16 Mar 1965.

Robbie Clark Calhoun and Kimberly June Nell had the following children:

- i. ALYSSA RACHEL⁸ CALHOUN (daughter of Robbie Clark Calhoun and Kimberly June Nell) was born on 26 Jun 1992.
- ii. COLTON ROBERT CALHOUN (son of Robbie Clark Calhoun and Kimberly June Nell) was born on 27 Dec 1994.
- 43. **DAWN CHERI⁷ CALHOUN** (Glenn LeRoy⁶, Andrea Elizabeth⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 04 Apr 1969. She married Daniel Carter (son of Marvin Carter and Virginia Unknown) on 23 Apr 1988. He was born on 10 Jul 1969.

Daniel Carter and Dawn Cheri Calhoun had the following child:

- i. DEREK BRADLEY⁸ CARTER (son of Daniel Carter and Dawn Cheri Calhoun) was born on 14 Sep 1991.
- 44. **Chad Glenn**⁷ **Calhoun** (Glenn LeRoy⁶, Andrea Elizabeth⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 26 Sep 1972. He married Melissa Hendricks on 15 Feb 1997. She was born on 15 Mar 1976.

Chad Glenn Calhoun and Melissa Hendricks had the following children:

- CONNER⁸ CALHOUN (son of Chad Glenn Calhoun and Melissa Hendricks) was born on 10 Jul 1997.
- MARISSA CALHOUN (daughter of Chad Glenn Calhoun and Melissa Hendricks) was born on 11 Dec 1998.
- 45. Gary Clark⁷ Calhoun Jr. (Gary Clark⁶, Andrea Elizabeth⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 04 Sep 1971 in St. Mary's Hospital, Decatur, Macon County, Illinois. He married Kristina Louise Sutton (daughter of Robert Keith Sutton and Christina Jane Traxler) on 06 Jun 1992 in St. John's Lutheran Church, Decatur, Illinois. She was born on 19 Dec 1968 in St. Mary's Hospital, Decatur, Macon, County, Illinois.

Gary Clark Calhoun Jr. and Kristina Louise Sutton had the following child:

 TROY WILLIAM⁸ CALHOUN (son of Gary Clark Calhoun Jr. and Kristina Louise Sutton) was born on 22 Aug 1994 in Des Moines, Iowa. He died on 25 Oct 1994 in Des Moines, Iowa.

More About Troy William Calhoun:

Burial: Cerro Gordo Cemetery, Cerro Gordo, Piatt County, Illinois

Notes for Troy William Calhoun:

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46. **ROBERT WAYNE⁷ DOWDS** (Diane Louise⁶ Verdeyen, Vera Avenelle⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 19 Dec 1972. He married Ericka Roedl on 19 May 1995. She was born on 22 Oct 1978.

Robert Wayne Dowds and Ericka Roedl had the following children:

- i. BRADY AUSTIN⁸ DOWDS (son of Robert Wayne Dowds and Ericka Roedl) was born on 04 Oct 1995.
- CHEYENNE D'LINN DOWDS (daughter of Robert Wayne Dowds and Ericka Roedl) was born on 15 Jul 1998.
- iii. Kodie Jakiob Dowds (son of Robert Wayne Dowds and Ericka Roedl) was born on 13 Aug 2001.
- 47. **Shannon Lynn**⁷ **Verdeyen** (James Robert⁶, Vera Avenelle⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 28 Sep 1976. She married Kevin Siebert on 16 Aug 1997. He was born on 22 May 1972. She married Chad Mayfield on 07 Apr 2000.

Notes for Shannon Lynn Verdeyen:

Divorved July 1999.

Kevin Siebert and Shannon Lynn Verdeyen had the following child:

i. Brittany Lynn⁸ Siebert (daughter of Kevin Siebert and Shannon Lynn Verdeyen) was born on 15 Oct 1998.

Chad Mayfield and Shannon Lynn Verdeyen had the following child:

- i. BROOKE NICOLE⁸ MAYFIELD (daughter of Chad Mayfield and Shannon Lynn Verdeyen) was born on 15 Mar 2000.
- 48. **SCOTT JAMES**⁷ **VERDEYEN** (James Robert⁶, Vera Avenelle⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 15 Feb 1978. He married Heidi Gordon on 30 Dec 1999. She was born on 01 Dec 1977.

Scott James Verdeyen and Heidi Gordon had the following children:

- i. HAILEIGH ALEXANDRIA⁸ VERDEYEN (daughter of Scott James Verdeyen and Heidi Gordon) was born on 19 May 1996.
- KAITLYN JO ANN VERDEYEN (daughter of Scott James Verdeyen and Heidi Gordon) was born on 23 Jul 1997.

- iii. WYATT DALE VERDEYEN (son of Scott James Verdeyen and Heidi Gordon) was born on 10 Sep 1998.
- iv. DILLION SCOTT VERDEYEN (son of Scott James Verdeyen and Heidi Gordon) was born on 06 Jan 2000.
- 49. **TRAVIS CARL**⁷ **STONE** (Nancy Elaine⁶ Verdeyen, Vera Avenelle⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 16 Nov 1981. He married Kelly Bymaster on 29 Oct 1999. She was born on 19 Apr 1981.

Travis Carl Stone and Kelly Bymaster had the following children:

- WYATT MATTHEW⁸ STONE (son of Travis Carl Stone and Kelly Bymaster) was born on 17 Oct 1998.
- ii. Shelbi Morgan Stone (daughter of Travis Carl Stone and Kelly Bymaster) was born on 03 Jan 2000.
- 50. **JEFFREY SCOTT⁷ BERNAHL** (Debra Jean⁶ Engeljohn, Oma Lillian⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 11 Feb 1978 in St. Anthony Memorial Hospital, Effingham County, Effingham, IL. He married Jamie Dee Graham (daughter of John Graham and Veronica Haynes) on 13 Nov 1998 in Effingham Court House, Effingham, IL. She was born on 12 Jul 1980. He met (2) **VICTORIA FERN SARVER** (daughter of Vernon Fred Sarver). She was born on 08 Jan 1980. He married Amy Robin Lawrence (daughter of Steven Don Lawrence and Nancy Lea Smith) on 06 Aug 2022. She was born on 01 Sep 1974.

Notes for Jeffrey Scott Bernahl:

Sponsors for baptizm were Deborah Corder (sister of father) and Dee Ann Schnarr e (sister of mother)

Jeffrey Scott Bernahl and Jamie Dee Graham had the following child:

60. i. Gabrielle Marie⁸ Bernahl (adopted daughter of Jeffrey Scott Bernahl and biological daughter of Jamie Dee Graham) was born on 13 Jan 1999. She married (1) Brett Winegarner on 13 May 2017. She married (2) John Felchia. He was born on 26 Jun 1970.

Jeffrey Scott Bernahl and Victoria Fern Sarver had the following child:

- ii. ALEXIS MARIE BERNAHL (daughter of Jeffrey Scott Bernahl and Victoria Fern Sarver) was born on 19 Nov 2008.
- 51. **Jessica Nicole**⁷ **Bernahl** (Debra Jean⁶ Engeljohn, Oma Lillian⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 21 Jun 1982 in St. Anthony Memorial Hospital, Effingham County, Effingham, IL. She married (1) **Kenneth Crooker**. He was born on 05 Apr 1965. She married (2) **Daniel Earl Leroy Graham** (son of John Graham and Veronica Haynes) on 20 Jun 2002. He was born on 17 Feb 1973 in Illinois. She married (3) **Paul Ellis** on 11 Mar 2016. She married (4) **Brian Goers** (son of Basil Goers and Ronda Stuckemeyer). She met (5) **Richard B. Marschke**. She married (6) **Danny Bager**. He was born on 26 Feb 1977.

Notes for Jessica Nicole Bernahl:

Sponsors were Deborah Corder (sister of father) and Dee Ann Schnarre (sister of mother), with witnesses of David Corder (brother-in-law of father) and David S chnarre (brother-in-law of mother).

Kenneth Crooker and Jessica Nicole Bernahl had the following children:

- i. AUBREY MARIE⁸ BERNAHL (daughter of Kenneth Crooker and Jessica Nicole Bernahl) was born on 04 May 2019 in Effingham, Effingham County, IL.
- ii. RAYNE MARIE BERNAHL (daughter of Kenneth Crooker and Jessica Nicole Bernahl) was born on 04 May 2019 in Effingham, Effingham County, IL.

Daniel Earl Leroy Graham and Jessica Nicole Bernahl had the following child:

i. DYLAN ROBERT DEAN LEE⁸ GRAHAM (son of Daniel Earl Leroy Graham and Jessica Nicole Bernahl) was born on 03 Dec 2003.

Brian Goers and Jessica Nicole Bernahl had the following child:

 MADISON MARIE⁸ GOERS (daughter of Brian Goers and Jessica Nicole Bernahl) was born on 08 Nov 2012.

Danny Bager and Jessica Nicole Bernahl had the following child:

- 61. i. VALEK MARIE® BERNAHL (daughter of Danny Bager and Jessica Nicole Bernahl) was born on 27 Dec 1999. She married Levi Austin.
- 52. ANGELA RENAE⁷ SCHNARRE (Dee Ann⁶ Engeljohn, Oma Lillian⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 03 Nov 1977 in Effingham County, IL. She married Darrin Claude Hiestand (son of Dennis Dale Hiestand and Linda Sue DeVore) on 15 Apr 2000. He was born on 24 Jan 1975 in St. Mary's Hospital, Centralia, IL.

Darrin Claude Hiestand and Angela Renae Schnarre had the following children:

- i. COTTER BAY⁸ HIESTAND (son of Darrin Claude Hiestand and Angela Renae Schnarre) was born on 21 Nov 2002.
- ii. RAYCE ISAAC HIESTAND (son of Darrin Claude Hiestand and Angela Renae Schnarre) was born on 29 May 2007.
- 53. NATHAN JAMES⁷ SCHNARRE (Dee Ann⁶ Engeljohn, Oma Lillian⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 02 Jun 1980 in Effingham County, IL. He married Amber Rae Kroening (daughter of Jerry Louis Kroening and Donna Jean Reed) on 26 Dec 2005 in Immanuel Lutheran Church, Altamont Illinois. She was born on 26 Nov 1982 in St. Anthony Memorial Hospital, Effingham, Effingham County, Illinois. Nathan James Schnarre and Amber Rae Kroening had the following children:
 - i. Brayden James Schnarre (son of Nathan James Schnarre and Amber Rae Kroening) was born on 23 Apr 2008.

Notes for Brayden James Schnarre:

Brayden James Schnarre April 23, 2008 12:59 PM 6 lbs. 11 oz., 20 inches Hi Everyone, If you haven't heard by now, little Brayden arrived a few weeks early. He surprised us last Wednesday. I had some very irregular contractions throughout the night and didn't even realize I was in labor. We called my Dr's office when they opened Wed. morning and they had me come in to do a nonstress test to see if I was in labor. Things went quick from there. I was admitted to the hospital at 10:46am and a little over two hours later he arrived. We were released from the hospital Friday afternoon and are now enjoying our time at home after getting settled. He had a minor case of jaundice and had a Wallaby blanket for a few days, which we were able to stop using today. [Wmf:7620 x 2540]He is such a sweet little guy and he truly has daddy and I wrapped around his finger. I enclosed a few pics for everyone. I could send more, so if anyone is interested just let me know. If anyone is in the area, call and we would love to have you meet our new addition. Amber Amber Schnarre "Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never ends." 1 Corinthians 13:7-8 (from the email Amber sent to family and friends)

ii. ADILYN RAE SCHNARRE (daughter of Nathan James Schnarre and Amber Rae Kroening) was born on 13 Aug 2010.

Notes for Adilyn Rae Schnarre:

Born at 8:40pm, 6 lbs 7 oz, 20 inches, 3 pushes and all natural birth, lots of dark hair

iii. LIAM JAMES SCHNARRE (son of Nathan James Schnarre and Amber Rae Kroening) was born on 11 Jul 2012 in St. Anthony's Memorial Hospital, Effingham, Illinois.

54. **Natasha Lynn**⁷ **Schnarre** (Dee Ann⁶ Engeljohn, Oma Lillian⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 12 Dec 1983. She married Jacob (Jake) Skibinski (son of Ricky W. Skibinski and Cheryl Cassity) on 28 Jun 2008. He was born on 05 Jun 1979 in Nashville, Illinois.

Jacob (Jake) Skibinski and Natasha Lynn Schnarre had the following children:

- BENNETT WAYNE⁸ SKIBINSKI (son of Jacob (Jake) Skibinski and Natasha Lynn Schnarre) was born on 07 Oct 2011 in St Josephs Hospital, Breese, Illinois.
- ii. VIOLET ANN SKIBINSKI (daughter of Jacob (Jake) Skibinski and Natasha Lynn Schnarre) was born on 10 May 2014.

Notes for Violet Ann Skibinski: Born at 6:45 AM, weighing 7 pounds and 10 ounces, and 19 inches long.

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55. **JUDITH BEVERLY LOUETTA**⁸ **OHLSON** (Kenneth Gene⁷, James Stephen⁶, Harry August Andrew⁵, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 12 Mar 1982.

Judith Beverly Louetta Ohlson had the following children:

- i. ANGELIQUE JOYCE MARIE⁹ RAMIREZ (daughter of Judith Beverly Louetta Ohlson) was born on 07 Apr 2000.
- NAITHAN KENNETH CRAIG HAWES (son of Judith Beverly Louetta Ohlson) was born on 30 Jul 2004.
- iii. DESTINY KELLY-LYNN HAWES (daughter of Judith Beverly Louetta Ohlson) was born on 27 Apr 2009.
- 56. **BILLIE SUE (DENNIS)**⁸ **MCFARLAND** (Louetta Sue⁷ Ohlson, James Stephen⁶ Ohlson, Harry August Andrew⁵ Ohlson, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 08 Oct 1983.

Billie Sue (Dennis) McFarland had the following child:

- i. LIAM JAMES⁹ BRYANT (son of Billie Sue (Dennis) McFarland) was born on 18 Jun 2011.
- 57. **Delia Roxane**⁸ **Lugo** (Angelique Janice Lee⁷ Jones, Geraldine (Jerri) Lynn⁶ Ohlson, Harry August Andrew⁵ Ohlson, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 23 Jul 1979. She married James Henry Jordan Jr in 2002. He was born on 16 Jul 1980.

Notes for Delia Roxane Lugo:

Jake Lugo was Delia's father, but was never married to Angelique.

Delia Roxane Lugo had the following children:

- 62. i. JOSHUWA LABON⁹ JONES (son of Delia Roxane Lugo) was born on 05 Jan 1992.
 - ii. WILLOW MADISON JONES (daughter of Delia Roxane Lugo) was born on 09 May 2002.

James Henry Jordan Jr and Delia Roxane Lugo had the following children:

- i. LAYNA MARIE⁹ JORDAN (daughter of James Henry Jordan Jr and Delia Roxane Lugo) was born on 05 Jul 2003.
- ii. JAMES HENRY JORDAN III (son of James Henry Jordan Jr and Delia Roxane Lugo) was born on 19 Oct 2004.
- JOSEPH MATTHEW JORDAN (son of James Henry Jordan Jr and Delia Roxane Lugo) was born on 16 Nov 2005.
- iv. JUSTIN ALEXANDER JORDAN (son of James Henry Jordan Jr and Delia Roxane Lugo) was born on 24 Oct 2006.

TIANA ASHLEY⁸ CLARKE (Angelique Janice Lee⁷ Jones, Geraldine (Jerri) Lynn⁶ Ohlson, Harry 58. August Andrew⁵ Ohlson, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 18 Feb 1988. She married Hoc Khong on 03 Jul 2008.

Hoc Khong and Tiana Ashlev Clarke had the following child:

- NANI QUINN⁹ KHONG (daughter of Hoc Khong and Tiana Ashley Clarke) was born on 05 Jul 2011.
- SARA RENAE SUTH[®] EAGLE (Betty Sue⁷ Suth, Barbara Eileen[®] Ohlson, Harry August Andrew[®] 59. Ohlson, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 31 Jan 1992.

Sara Renae Suth Eagle had the following child:

- AVA ROSE⁹ BOURSAW (daughter of Sara Renae Suth Eagle) was born on 31 Jan
- GABRIELLE MARIE⁸ BERNAHL (Jeffrey Scott⁷, Debra Jean⁶ Engeljohn, Oma Lillian⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 13 Jan 1999. She married (1) Brett Winegarner on 13 May 2017. She married (2) John FELCHIA. He was born on 26 Jun 1970.

Brett Winegarner and Gabrielle Marie Bernahl had the following children:

- CARTER LANE⁹ WINEGARNER (son of Brett Winegarner and Gabrielle Marie Bernahl) was born on 11 Nov 2017.
- ii. RYLAN LEROY WINEGARNER (son of Brett Winegarner and Gabrielle Marie Bernahl) was born on 13 Dec 2018.

John Felchia and Gabrielle Marie Bernahl had the following child:

- JAYCE MICHAEL⁹ FELCHIA (son of John Felchia and Gabrielle Marie Bernahl) was born on 24 Mar 2021.
- VALEK MARIE⁸ BERNAHL (Jessica Nicole⁷, Debra Jean⁶ Engeljohn, Oma Lillian⁵ Siddens, Bertha Lillian⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 27 Dec 1999. She married LEVI AUSTIN.

Levi Austin and Valek Marie Bernahl had the following child:

WESTON DALE⁹ AUSTIN (son of Levi Austin and Valek Marie Bernahl) was born on 11 Aug 2022.

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JOSHUWA LABON⁹ JONES (Delia Roxane⁸ Lugo, Angelique Janice Lee⁷, Geraldine (Jerri) Lynn⁶ 62. Ohlson, Harry August Andrew⁵ Ohlson, Sophia⁴ Peterson, Andrew³ Peterson, Peder Christian² Andersen, Anders¹ Pedersen) was born on 05 Jan 1992.

Joshuwa Labon Jones had the following child:

LILYANNA FAITH¹⁰ JONES (daughter of Joshuwa Labon Jones) was born on 03 Jan 2015.

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