Herrick Family Association



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Recently found on EBaySent by Dale Herrick, HFA #158

Here is a 1949 calendar for the Herrick Turkey Ranch in Glade, Kansas! Owned by Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Herrick-I always know there were some Herrick Turkeys out there!

IMPORTANT- Many of you know that we haven't had a meeting in a while. The officers would like to have a meeting, but need your help. Our membership is growing and we seem to have some renewed interest due to the updates on our Facebook page. I have been asked many times of when we will have another meeting. Here is where we have had meetings in the past:

Salem, MA
Wash, DC
Madison, WI
Peabody, MA
Leicester, England

Ft. Wayne, IN Salt Lake, UT Lansing, MI Albany, NY Hartford, CT So where now? We have had our largest turnouts in New England. Shall we try for Salem in 2018? We haven't been there since 2012- If you are able to help and feel this would be a great spot to return to- please let me know. Or if you think another place would be better and you can help- again- **please** let me know. yoeda@comcast.net. The officers can help with menus, speakers, tours, deposits, reservations, etc.

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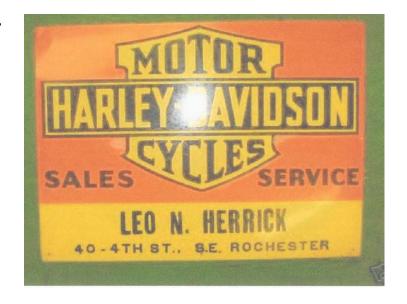
It is with great sadness that I report that **Anne H. Denny passed away**, age 85, died October 17, 2016. Born in Pasadena, CA to Evelyn and Tom Hood. She grew up in Pasadena and Roswell, NM. At Stanford University was a History major and Phi Beta Kappa and met Jack Denny, Jr. They married before he was deployed to Korea. At the time of his death they had just celebrated their 63rd anniversary. Anne attained her MS in Library Science at Indiana University.

They lived in Tucson for 40+ years. She was a local librarian, and an avid musician. She played cello and recorder, and was a member of several musical groups. An avid genealogist, she traced the family's roots, and was the family storyteller. With Jack, she loved contemporary art. They often traveled to Europe, and especially loved France. Anne is survived by cousins, nieces, nephews, grand-nieces and -nephews and a great grand-niece. A private memorial service was held.



Here are some more findings on EBay. I had included these in our Herrick Slide show long ago.

Herrick Brass Jail or Prison key and this great sign



Membership:

You may have received an email recently about dues. I thought I might take a minute to let you know what the dues you send helps pay for. We produce the newsletter and it helps us to pay for the cost of mailing it to those that do not have email. We also use it to help defer some of the cost of meetings and speakers at our meetings. The cost of dues is \$20/year, \$38 for 2 years and \$80 for 5 years. We could also use some younger folks, so if you can get your children or grandchildren interested that would be great!

Genealogy help:

Since the beginning of our association in 2001, we have depended on the research and knowledge of our President, Richard L. Herrick. He has always provided careful help to members and non-members of the HFA. Since Richard has not been feeling well, there are several members taking on this task. I have especially had many questions come from our Facebook page. We would like to have the help of others to do this task. If interested and able to help look up info for others, please let me know. yoeda@comcast.net

As an aside note, I recently had someone tell me she bought a Subaru Forester when she found out she was a Herrick as it reminded her of "Erick the Forrester" kin.

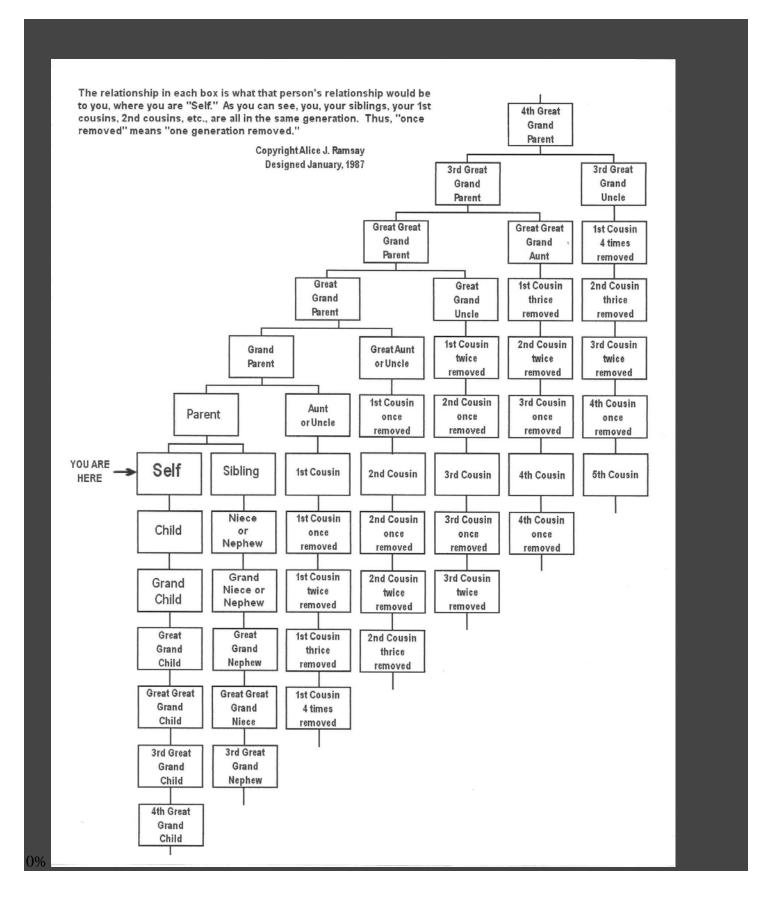
Have you ever wondered?

As we begin researching our ancestors, we come up with names like" First cousin once removed". So, who are these folks, how are they related to us and how are they removed? Well, we might want to take a new look at these meanings.

A child of one person and a child of that one person's sibling are **first cousins**. They share grandparents. **Second cousins**, would be the children of the first cousins. Third cousins, a term rarely used, would be the grandchildren of first cousins.

Here is where it gets confusing- The term "removed" refers to the number of generations separating the cousins themselves. Basically, it merely means in a different generation. So, your first cousin once removed is the child (or parent) of your first cousin. Your second cousin once removed is the child (or parent) of your second cousin. And your first cousin twice removed is the grandchild (or grandparent) of your first cousin. Believe me- it gets even more confusing after that, but I have added a chart that I oft times refer to and you

might wish to print it out for yourself. OOPS! I think this is more confusing- let's try the chart......



Here is latest from the King Richard III Museum

Wish we could be in Leicester for this----

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Visitor Centre remembers reinternment

The King Richard III Visitor Centre will be remembering the reinternment of King Richard III with a very special guest on Saturday 25th March.





To mark the second anniversary of the reburial of King Richard III, **Philippa Langley MBE** will be sharing her extraordinary story with BBC Radio Leicester's Dave Andrews, as she relives her search for the King. Philippa will also welcome questions from the audience.

'An audience with Philippa Langley' starts at 10am on Saturday 25th March and Philippa will be available afterwards for book signings in the **King Richard III Visitor Centre** shop.

Tickets for the event cost £10.00 and need to be purchased in advance either online or in person at the Visitor Centre.

'An audience with Philippa Langley' is just one event that Philippa will be taking part in on Saturday 25th March. Following her appearance at the Visitor Centre, she will be introducing her new research initiative, 'The Missing Princes Project' at a Discussion Dinner at **The Belmont Hotel** in Leicester. In her new project, Philippa will be looking at whether the so-called 'murder' of the Princes in the Tower by King Richard III was

'fake news'.

Places to join Philippa at her Discussion Dinner cost £30.00 per person and can be booked directly with <u>The Belmont Hotel</u> on **0116 254 4773**. Preferential rates for an overnight stay at the hotel are available for anyone attending either event.



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For full details on how to get to the Visitor Centre,

see our getting here page.







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Working from the Past to Find Clues of the Movement of Herrick Y-DNA from Scandinavia to Leicester- by Curt Herrick, HFA #100, Chair of the HFA DNA

Tommi Borg of Finland began sharing his family history information with the Herrick Family Association in 2003 in response to a Y-DNA67 match with a HFA member. Now we have two common HFA matches and a Swedish DNA match with Tommi. We are learning about Finland, his home near the Gulf Bothria and his family history. In turn we gave him a copy of our Herrick Genealogical Record 3rd Edition. Now with the aid his Finnish knowledge, we are seeking to track our common Y-DNA path to Leicester in the United Kingdom. In this process, we are gaining from Tommi his Finnish world view.

Our joint search is finding that some of detailed information we wish is not fully recorded from oral media records across the last 1,200 years. Many scholars before us have left their efforts for us to consider when studying these items.

- The Anglo-Saxon Chronicle during the Viking invasion period to the Norman conquest is incomplete and in several very limited copies.
- The Ragnar Lodbrok Viking sagas of are exciting and contain useful information. Some modern historians do not believe Ragnar lived.
- The Finnish Kalevala of epic poems is one of the oldest recorded mythology stories. The background of the story was consulted for "Hobbit" or "The Lord of the Rings."

A relevant part of the Anglo-Saxon Chronicle information is below, followed by brief descriptions of part of the Ragnar Lodbrok Saga and Finnish Kalevala description. These may be examined on the web.

Anglo-Saxon Chronicle

Anglo-Saxon Chronicle, chronological account of events in Anglo-Saxon and Norman England, a compilation of seven surviving interrelated manuscript records that is the primary source for the early history of England. The narrative was first assembled in the reign of King Alfred (871–899) from materials that included some epitome of universal history: the Venerable Bede's Historia ecclesiastica gentis Anglorum, genealogies, regnal and episcopal lists, a few northern annals, and probably some sets of earlier West Saxon annals. The compiler also had access to a set of Frankish annals for the late 9th century. Soon after the year 890 several manuscripts were being circulated; one was available to Asser in 893, another, which appears to have gone no further than that year, to the late 10th-century chronicler Aethelweard (+1q), while one version, which eventually reached the north and which is best represented by the surviving E version, stopped in 892. Some of the manuscripts circulated at that time were continued in various religious houses, sometimes with annals that occur in more than one manuscript, sometimes with local material, confined to one version. The fullness and quality of the entries vary at different periods; the Chronicle is a rather barren document for the mid-10th century and for the reign of Canute, for example, but it is an excellent authority for the reign of Aethelred the Unready and from the reign of Edward the Confessor until the version that was kept up longest ends with annal 1154...

"Anglo-Saxon Chronicle". *Encyclopædia Britannica. Encyclopædia Britannica Online.* Encyclopædia Britannica Inc., 2017. Web. 05 Mar. 2017 https://www.britannica.com/topic/Anglo-Saxon-Chronicle.

England

In England <u>desultory</u> raiding occurred in the late 8th century but began more earnestly in 865, when a force led by the sons of <u>Ragnar Lothbrok</u>—<u>Halfdan</u>, Inwaer (Ivan the Boneless), and perhaps Hubba (Ubbe)— conquered the ancient kingdoms of <u>East Anglia</u> and <u>Northumbria</u> and reduced <u>Mercia</u> to a fraction of its former size. Yet it was unable to subdue the <u>Wessex</u> of <u>Alfred</u> the Great, with whom in 878 a truce was made, which became the basis of a treaty in or soon after 886. This recognized that much of England was in Danish hands. Although hard pressed by fresh armies of Vikings from 892 to 899, Alfred was finally victorious over them, and the spirit of Wessex was so little broken that his son <u>Edward the Elder</u> was able to commence the reconquest of Danish England. Before his death in 924 the small Danish states on old Mercian and East Anglian territory had fallen before him. The more remote Northumbria resisted longer, largely under Viking leaders from <u>Ireland</u>, but the Scandinavian power there was finally liquidated by <u>Eadred</u> in 954. Viking raids on <u>England</u> began again in 980, and the country ultimately became part of the empire of <u>Canute</u>.

Nevertheless, the native house was peacefully restored in 1042, and the Viking threat ended with the ineffective passes made by Canute II in the reign of <u>William I</u>. The Scandinavian conquests in England left deep marks on the areas affected—in social structure, <u>dialect</u>, place-names, and personal names. (Many Vikings from the area that is now Finland joined the raids on England at the island of Gotland.)

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Kalevala

The Kalevala or The Kalewala (/ˌkɑːləˈvɑːlə/;^[1] Finnish: [ˈkɑlevala]) is a 19th-century work of epic poetry compiled by Elias Lönnrot from Karelian and Finnish oral folklore and mythology.^[2]

It is regarded as the <u>national epic</u> of <u>Karelia</u> and <u>Finland</u> and is one of the most significant works of <u>Finnish</u> <u>literature</u>. The Kalevala played an instrumental role in the development of the <u>Finnish</u> <u>national identity</u>, the intensification of <u>Finland's language strife</u> and the growing sense of nationality that ultimately led to <u>Finland's</u> independence from Russia in 1917.[3][4]

The first version of *The Kalevala* (called *The Old Kalevala*) was published in 1835. The version most commonly known today was first published in 1849 and consists of 22,795 verses, divided into fifty songs (Finnish: *runot*). The title can be interpreted as "The Land of Kaleva" or "Kalevia".

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia For other uses, see Kalevala (disambiguation)

If you would like more information on the HFA DNA Project or the work being done by Tommi and Curt, please contact Curt at herrickcurt@verizon.net We wish to thank Curt for all his work, time and energy in making this project a success and for keeping us aware of all the wonderful results of his efforts.

We also wish our President, Richard I. Herrick a speedy recovery!

And lastly:

I'm adding 2 pages that you may be of interest. As many of you all know I am not only interested in genealogy, but I am a retired nurse. So, a health history is also something I think is important.

These last 2 pages you may want to print and keep to see how your family medical history may affect you and your descendants. So, check out it out! Dale

My Family Health History

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My Family Health History

Fill in the blanks below for each of your immediate family members. Looking at their health history can give you information about your own health and habits. Think of health conditions such as high blood pressure, high blood cholesterol, diabetes, overweight, heart attack, and stroke that affect your family members.

