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SUBJECT: OUTLINE & DRAFT OF THE BOOK

DATE: October 12, 1989

TO: Family Members for review and corrections

Attached is the first **D R A F T** of the book. Please read through it and send me corrections to make and what you want to be included, before it is published in a hard bound volume. This is your last chance to make sure I get it right - the way you would like it to read with the supporting pictures you want in the book.

Mother and I have greatly appreciated the effort many of you have put into this book. It has taken a long time and lots of late night hours. But I believe it's worth all the time and effort if it leaves behind us a lasting record of this amazing family.

Were I to state what I have learned, about our family, from writing this book, I'd have to say that William Clayton and Ida McKee Bowman instilled values in their children that are still evident 6 generations later. They are an HONEST, WARM, LOVING, HUMOROUS, and FAMILY ORIENTED people. Although most of the descendents have been somewhat on the poor side, at having worldly goods, they certainly have been hard working and proud.

I think it is certainly an honor to be associated personally with a family having that kind of record.

Mother certainly hopes you enjoy the book. It is her intent this book become a family heirloom that continues to be enjoyed by each and every one of your children, and their descendents, for another next 6 generations.

Either send the DRAFT back, with your corrections, or write them on notebook paper with directions so I can make the changes.

Thanks for your support!

JIM CAMPBELL

THE DESCENDENTS
OF
WILLIAM CLAYTON BOWMAN
AND
IDA McKEE BOWMAN

THEIR 10 CHILDREN
AND
"THE 40 FIRST COUSINS"

AS COLLECTED BY

GRACE LOUISE BOWMAN CAMPBELL
and written and edited by
James William Campbell 1

P.S. It is 4/25/97.. Since I wrote this
I found there are a few (maybe more)
minor errors in the information about
Jacob Bowman's wife and the history of
Buffington's Island.. I'll be going back to Ohio
summer 1998 to correct any errors I can find.

You can help by emailing me corrections..

Jim Campbell

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TO

ALL THE FAMILY MEMBER

WHOM I LOVED SO DEARLY

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FORWARD

This book came about because I had always promised mother (Grace Louise Bowman Campbell) that, if she would just take a year or so off from her busy schedule, I would help her to finish her book about the family history. Over a period of 25 years she had collected boxes and boxes of genealogical information - including many old pictures of the family.

Then, in April 1988, mother had a stroke that left her aphasic and partially paralyzed on the right side. She was 78 years old. We brought her to live with us in Gresham, Oregon.

I never realized it would take two years to get things put together. Perhaps that was for the better or I never would have started on this book in the first place. Now I look forward to helping Alta Ruth Bowman in writing Volume II.

This book provides a list of all the descendents and a brief history of the ancestors of WILLIAM CLAYTON and IDA MCKEE BOWMAN.

They lived on a small farm in North Kenova, which is near South Point, Ohio, during the late 1800s and first half of the 1900s. Their 12 children (of which only 10 lived beyond birth) had "The 40 First Cousins" as presented in this book.

Mother has asked me to convey this message for her:

"As I write this book, my thoughts are that, many years from now, you, possibly one of my own direct descendents, will be reading from this piece of work. It gives me a chance to communicate directly with you about who "The Bowmans" were. And for certain, these are not just my thoughts. So that you know, everyone in the family eagerly helped bring this work to you. We were all thinking about you. It's our work for you - it's our gift to you, and to your children. We hope you are eager to continue recording the genealogical history of this proud family.

Perhaps it is because we have always been a very close and loving family that we desire to share this love with you - the future Bowman descendents. We hope you are proud of your heritage.

I have tried to provide only verified information. This will make it easy for you to go to the source documents. However, there were cases I considered it to be imperative to write what I knew to be probably accurate - since the information might well be lost were it not recorded. You will be safe using any information presented, in this book, as authentic, unless the information is otherwise footnoted.GLBC"

Were I to state what I have learned, about our family, from doing this work for mother, I'd have to say that William Clayton and Ida McKee Bowman instilled exemplary values in their children that are still evident in their descendents 6 generations later. They are an HONEST, WARM, LOVING, HUMOROUS, and FAMILY ORIENTED people. Although they have been mostly poor, at having any abundance of worldly goods, they certainly have been hard working, proud, and rich in love, patience, and understanding.

I think it is certainly an honor to be associated with a family having that kind of history. I hope you are too.

FOR GRACE LOUISE BOWMAN CAMPBELL

J.W.CAMPBELL, POA for GLC

CHAPTER 1 HISTORICAL SETTING

Although the progenitors of William Clayton and Ida Mckee Bowman had to come from "back east," and eventually from the "old Country," it may be helpful, to those desiring to add to this work, to provide some history about Ohio, the area in which William and Ida lived, and other geophysical information, relevant to their homesite - information that is bound to change time and new development eradicates the old.

For example, the old William Clayton Bowman homestead has been torn down. If a person hadn't been there for 25 years or so, they wouldn't recognize the place where the homestead was located. Even the large rocks, that were clearly visible landmarks in 1899, have grown over until they are now indiscernable from the road. It requires a map and some pacing off to locate the place of the homestead.

Included, in the chapter on William Clayton & Ida McKee Bowman, are several pictures of the Homestead. In the nearly 100 years it was lived in - from 1860 to 1960. It had no electricity, running water, central heat, telephone, toilet, or any other convenience normally considered commonplace in the mid 1900s. There was a wood stove in the kitchen, a pot bellied stove in the middle room, light was by kerosene lamp, and the upstairs bedrooms were a tad chilly in the winter. The drawings indicate the interior structure of the house and location of other out buildings.

BEGIN HISTORICAL SETTING

Also, to help you in searching for more information, extractions from a book, published by the Auditor of the State of Ohio, entitled "Ohio Land Grants," has been quoted from and summarized. I have provided this information, about where these settlers might have came from, and why they were lured to Ohio from the old countries, to indicate where you might look for other genealogical records.

Although the first explorations by the "White Man" were by LaSalle, in 1669 the territory remained in dispute between England and France until France assigned the "Great West" to the British in the Treaty of 1763.

The "incentive" for people to settle in Ohio begins when the colonies won the Revolutionary War. For practical purposes we could really start our historical sketch beginning in 1776. The Declaration of Independence was signed. The constitution was drawn. The First Continental Congress needed money to operate - there was no income tax at that time.

But first, a short note to remind us that history for the Ohio territory didn't start in 1776.

There is sufficient evidence man was in Ohio prior to the Glacial period. Most of the evidence is easy to see and it's awesome to think about how these people sent a message down through the ages to assure we, living in Ohio today, remember them. Serpent Mound, Fort Ancient, Fort Hill, Graded Way, Fortifications at Newark, and the 68 Foot high "Mound" at Miamisburg, that is 800 feet in circumference, and all kinds of ornaments worn by the early indians are in abundance.

Apparently there were two primary tribes. The more warlike were along Lake Erie and the more peaceful were in the southern part of the state. Even skulls found in the two areas are shaped differently. The northern group finally defeated the southern group and they mingled together forming the many tribes of indians that were present in Ohio when the european settlers started to arrive. Some of these were the Delewares, Hurons (or Wyandots), Miamis, Mingoes, Ottowas, Senecas, and the Shawnees. Their total population was estimated to be not more than 6,000 at the beginning of the Revolutionary War.

But, the "incentive" - Congress needed money. The lands closest, and the most easily accessible to the population base, on the East Coast, in 1776, were in the lower right corner of Ohio. This was due to navigation along river waterways being the primary means of transportation. Roads didn't really come along for another 100 years.

Congress needed money for two reasons. First, there were all the debts to be paid to those who served during the war - compensation for long hard years where the pay was an "if we win, you'll get some land of your own" type arrangement. Second, there was the need to raise cash to underwrite the expenses of all the bureaucracy. So,... why not sell "government owned" land. And pay off their soldiers and sell the land they did! The Northwest Land Ordinance of 1787 further sets the stage for the opening of the Ohio, Indiana, Illinois areas.

The attached map shows the primary 18 "Land Grants" that enabled Ohio land to be surveyed and further divided so it could either be sold at bargain prices or conveyed, at no cost, to armed settlers who were willing to clear, live on, and make improvement on the land, for 5 years. A brief explanation of the grants is as follows:

VIRGINIA MILITARY LANDS (1784) - Lands King James I, of England, in 1609, gave in the "Charter" of Virginia. The charter gave Virginia all the continent extending to the west and was the breadth of the North and South boundaries of the Virginia Colony. Virginia relinquished all claims to this vast area to the Federal Government - except for the "Virginia Military District" which Virginia used to satisfy soldiers claims. In 1852, the land remaining undistributed, to soldiers from Virginia, was ceded to the Federal Government. In 1871 this land was ceded by the Federal Government to the State of Ohio. In 1872 the State of Ohio granted the land to the Ohio Agricultural and Mechanical College - now known as the Ohio State University.

THE CONNECTICUT RESERVE (1786) - Given to Connecticut by King Charles the II, of England, in 1662 - gave all lands between 41st and 42nd parallels from the plantations on the east to the Pacific Ocean, except for Pennsylvania and New York (who had overlapping claims of course). Connecticut deeded all, but that portion called "The Connecticut Reserve," to the newly formed Federal Government in the compromise of 1786.

FIRE LANDS OR SUFFERER'S LANDS (1792) - During the Revolutionary War, Benedict Arnold went up and down the east coast burning homes and ravaging the towns of New Haven, Greenwich, Fairfield, Norwalk, and New London. Claimants of damage were reimbursed by the State of Connecticut through land grants in Ohio.

SEVEN RANGES (1786) - Were the first lands surveyed by the government and put up for sale. But, they didn't sell as quickly since the price per acre was \$2.00 and people could buy land slightly further west at \$.67 and \$.50 per acre.

THE NORTHWEST TERRITORY (1787) - Brought official government to the area of what is now Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and Michigan. The first territorial headquarters was in Marietta, Ohio. General Arthur St. Clair was the first governor. The Indians were finally defeated by General Anthony Wayne, at Fallen Timbers, in 1794 - giving rise to the "Greenville Treaty." This accelerated the flow of settlers into the area.

OHIO COMPANY FIRST AND SECOND PURCHASE, AND THE DONATION TRACT (1787,92,92) - The United States sold the land to Rufus Putnam, of the Ohio Company, which he was to resell to people from around Salem Massachusetts for \$1.00 per acre. Since it cost less than land in the Seven Ranges, the area was populated faster. Perhaps many of the progenitors of the William Clayton and Ida McKee Bowman came from this area?

SYMMES PURCHASE (1794) - An arrangement similar to the Ohio Company which was purchased by Judge John Cleve Symmes and resold for \$.67 cents per acre. Brokering seemed to be the quickest way for the government to make money for the treasury.

FIRST AND SECOND FRENCH GRANTS (1796) - Donated by the United States to a large group of french emigrants who were left penniless, in Gallopolis, Ohio, by land company swindlers. The grant encompassed some 25,200 acres just to the southeast of Portsmouth Ohio.

THE UNITED STATES MILITARY LANDS (1796) - To pay continental soldiers for their services when cash was not available. Thaddeus Kosciusko and Baron Von Steuben were both given land under this provision.

THE MORAVIAN LANDS (1786-96) - Donated by the United States to the "Moravian Bretheren of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania" for the use of "Christianized Indians."

ZANE'S TRACTS (1796-1802) - Granted to Ebenezer and Isaac Zane in exchange for opening a road from Wheeling, West Virginia through Ohio to Maysville, Kentucky. It would appear that the government used lands in Ohio to pay all it's surveying and development bills for quite some time.

THE REFUGEE TRACT (1798) - Was granted to British subjects, from Nova Soctia and Canada, who helped the Colonies during the Revolutionary War.

DORHAMS' GRANT (1801) - Granted to a wealthy Portuguese merchant from Lisbon, Portugal, who helped American naval prisoners of war during the Revolutionary War.

OTHER CONGRESS LANDS (1786-1820) - The remaining tracts of lands, making up what is now the State of Ohio, were prepared for sale by the government surveyors.

STATEHOOD (1803) - The attached map shows how Ohio was divided up at the time of Statehood. Note that the County of Gallia comprises what is now Lawrence County, Gallia County, and parts of several other counties. In the records, where it says that Pollie Buffington came from Gallia, more research has to be accomplished to determine specifically where she was born. Since Jacob Bowman and Pollie Buffington were married in 1813, in Gallia County, it is reasonable to assume they were children of first settlers who came to Ohio to obtain land. Colonel Buffington is believed to be one of the government surveyors mentioned in the preceeding paragraph.

It's interesting, as you study Ohio History, to find many notable people were "given" lands to pay for their "services." Among those were Gerorge Washington (3,051 acres in Cleremont County), George Rogers Clark, Daniel Morgan, and many other politicians. It may well be that a closer look at history will show there was as much eagerness to earn a fast buck on land sales as (to go along with) all of the patriotic reasons for the war we are teaching our children.

Regardless, this brief summation of Ohio history is necessary to aid us in locating the homesites of Joseph Buffington Bowman, Jacob Bowman, and his parents. Hopefully we will one day be able to track the Bowman ancestry back to "The Old Country."

Were I to go looking for more information about our progenitors (and now being 79 years old and recently having suffered a stroke, I doubt I will get too much more done for a year or so) I'd probably start looking at some of the records of the Ohio Company. Several reasons get me to thinking along that line. First, The Ohio Company lands became available for sale in 1787 and Jacob was probably born around 1795 - as

he was married in Gallia County in 1813 (and I've heard it said his wife Pollie was only 15 when he married her). Second, if you analyze what's written above, the land that would most probably have enticed either Jacob Bowman or Jacob Bowman's father (name still unknown) to come west, during this period, would have been the Ohio Company Land.

So I'd start looking for progenitors around the Massachusettes area first. I'm not offering these suggestions factually but rather more like my hunches about where Jacob's father most likely came from. I honestly don't know if Jacob or his father came directly to Ohio from "The Old Country. I'd also get some of the records, of soldiers serving in the Revolutionary War, to see if Jacob Bowman, or his father, was granted land in Ohio as payment for services. A search of all the records and other information about Gallia County, up to and immediately following Statehood in 1803, would probably turn up a deed or other instrument giving information about Jacob Bowman's father. That is, if Jacob Bowman's father was the first to come west instead of Jacob himself. That's where to start.

Hopefully, were we to gain information about Jacob Bowman's father, and it led us back to New England, it might be easier to trace the ancestry on back as many more people have put in a lot of research on the older records leading back to the "Old Country." Once we get past the "Jacob Bowman's Father" hurdle, the records will probably go back a long long way and the research will be quite a bit easier.

It is my desire to live long enough to write Volume 2 of this work - which will contain corrections to this volume and an extensive study of the Progenitors of William Clayton and Ida McKee Bowman..

GRACE LOUISE BOWMAN CAMPBELL

CHAPTER 2 PROGENITORS

First, the good news. Yes, some of our ancestors were some very famous pioneers. Both William Clayton and Ida McKee Bowman were direct descendents of the most famous pioneers on the Ohio River frontier.

William Clayton Bowman's Great Grandfather, Jacob Bowman, married Pollie Buffington - the daughter of Colonel Buffington who was sent by President Washington to survey the lands along the Ohio River. Colonel Buffington earned his rank fighting the British in the Revolutionary War under General Washington. Pollie's home was on Buffington's Island in the Ohio River near Galipolis, Ohio. Colonel Buffington was so respected by Jacob Bowman that he named one of his sons after him. Joseph Buffington Bowman was William Clayton's father.

Ida McKee's Great Grandfather was William McKee. William was born in Belfast, Down County, Northern Ireland, in about 1785. He and his father, also named William McKee, came to America together. They apparently came directly from Ireland to the South Point area as William McKee married Sarrah "Sallie" Davidson on February 13, 1813 (Valentine's Day) at Galipolis, Ohio. Sallie was the daughter of the most famous "RANGER DAVIDSON." Ranger was one of the first pioneers to settle in the Ohio area.

If you were looking for some specific piece of genealogy work to do to have some fun studying about our progenitors, then just select anyone born in the 1800s and trace all their descendents. To record all the names of all the descendents of William McKee and Jacob Bowman will be the work included in volume 2. If there is a volume 3 it will be all the descendents living in the old country. After that, the only way to go will be further back into history.

In view of this, all Bowman descendents are direct descendents of two of the most famous pioneers in Ohio history. Here is a copy of the spreadsheet of all the progenitors collected to date:

THE PROGENITORS OF WILLIAM CLAYTON & IDA McKEE BOWMAN

JACOB BOWMAN (born1798Maryland?)

(Pollie Buffington from Fay Twp Co Law Buffington's Island near
Galipolis, Ohio) Married February
14, 1813 "VALENTINE'S DAY"

1. BETSY(James Lynd 17-9-1842)
2. SALLIE (Morrison)
3. SUSAN (Ankrim) born 1829 died 1867
4. CHLOIE(Lynd)
5. MELISIA (1. Anderson) (2. Jewston Freeman)
6. NANCY (Wise)
7. SAMUEL Bowman
8. JACOB Bowman
9. FREDRICK Bowman

10. Joseph Buffington BowmanbornJul17,1831diedJan23,1913Farmer

(Avis Amelia Copen,married Dec25,1851, born
May7,1832,S.P.O.diedMay10,1909)
(Joseph was Private in Co188th Regt Ohio Vol Infantry Commanded by
Taylor; enlisted Feb 14,1865 Discharged at Tullahonor Tenn on Jun
19,1865)

1. SUSAN S. born Oct26,1852SPOdiedOct26,1929
(John Black married abt 1870 He worked on Steamboats)
2. GEORGIA ETTA,bornJuly6,1854SPOdiedFeb9,1929
(Issac Winters,marriedJul,1872/73)

1. Opal
(Wilbur Salyer)NC

3. MARY FRANCES(bornMay3,1856SPOdiedDec16,1924)

(William Riel,marriedOct19,1873)

1. LILLIE R.(bornJan12,1884SPOdiedNov3,1969)

(Robert Gibson,marr?)

2. NELSON

3. CLIFFORD(NM,diedFeb18,1972)

4. CREIGHTON(bornNov27,1887diedJan9,1923)

5. ISAAC

6. THOMAS

7. AMELIA

8. KATHERINE/KATIE?

(Davis)

4. LUCINDA "BELL"(bornOct5,1858SouthPointOhiodiedApr28,1944)

Thompson Willis,married Nov18,1877

1. JETTIE DUSTIN WILLIS(bornApr14,1883SPdiedFeb26,1963)

(Flora Mae Palmer)

1. ETHEL ETTA WILLIS DIALS

(Hugh Wilson Dials)

1. RONALD DIALS

(Phyllis Ann Hart)

1. RHONDA ANN(born 1958-)

Jhonda Sue (Born1959died1967)

Timothy Hugh (born 1967)

2. IRENE
(Reffitt)

3. JOSEPHINE
(Doughman)

1. Sue

2. Joey

4. ERNESTINE(G)
No Children

5. EARL Willis
(Eva Mae)

1. Baby died

5. SAMUEL F. VINTON "Vint"(bornJan18,1860SPOdiedJan30,1935
PhillipsburgMont)
(Nan Gayhart,married?)

6. DAVID "DOC" "Deacon" "Clinton"CLINTON(bornSep1,1861SPOdiedFeb4,1937)

Lived on Big Solida Rd at mouth of Lewis Fork

(Parlea ParsonsMarSep24,1882)

(Parlea'sFatherDillardMotherPollyHelvey)

1. Eslie Dillard born Nov301883 died Apr161967 at Ironton

Oh

(Louise Kounse Davidson) born June081882 at SPO died 1940

SPO

1. Laurence Anton born Nov141914 at Ironton Oh

(Crystal Francis Hudson)marrJuly261940
bornAug181911 at Holloway Oh

Cinc

1. Florence Ellen Jenkins Bowman(S)(A)

born Jul041935 at Ironton Oh
(Frank David Foster)MarrNov29????

Frankfurt Ky

1. Susan Ellen born Sep271965
(Jimmy Russell)

1. Shelley born Aug021981

2. Heather born Feb021987

Cinc

2. Laurence David bornDec071966)S)(A)
(marr Sep1989?)

2. Grover Clayton born Mar021887
(Thelma Pauline Davidson)born July311897 atSPO died

Dec111941 at SPO

marr Apr151915 at SPO

1. Phyllis Marie born Jan071917 at SPO
(Adam Wooten) Marr Sep231935

Ashland Ky

1. Edward Lee born Dec041936 at SPO
(Janet Bayes)

SPO

2. Linda Louise born May011939
(Joe Hastings)

1. Kelly daughter

2. David Clayton born Mar011921 at SPO
(Bernice Fraley) MarrDec081944

Ironton

1. Paul David Bowman

2. Child?

3. Child?

3. Ada Elizabeth born Nov291923 at SPO
(Dillard Thompson) Marr June131941

Have Children Names?

4. Doris Ann born Nov211929

Mascoutah Illinois (Mayes)

Barboursville W.Va. 5. Barbara Jean born Jun301935
(Wagner)

3. Joseph Vernon "J.V." I
(Effie Afton Spurlock)

1. Joseph Vernon Bowman Jr. "Joe" died Aug 1989

(Eleanor Louise Wester born Aug 30, 1919) Hebron OH

(614) 929-4591

"J"
OH)
Ret

1. J.V. III Has Chevy Dealership in Hebron OH
(Jacqueline Zimmerman mar Aug 3, 1963 Hebron
Father was Edward Zimmerman Army Officer

1. Joseph Vernon IV "Junior"

2. Jon Edward

2. Susan Mary
(Donald Kundrat)

1. AmyDanielle

4. Henry C
(Bess Freeman)

1. Betty
New Mexico Son Dentist(James Ricky)

1. David

2. Son

3. Mary Elizabeth

5. William "Bill"
(Hazel Moore)Barton Morre's dau died in

Huntington

New Castle Ohio

1. Drexel

Orrville Oh

2. Harley works on Pipe Organs (Has genealogy)

6. Eugene Paul born Dec281896 died Apr151978 at SPO
(Gladys Lynn) NC

Hazel & Gladys were cousins?

7. Herman killed before Hermita was born Industrial accident
(Mary Mills)

1. Hermita
(Charles Stevens) School teacher Ashland

1. Chuck Killed in car accident in florida

2. Robbie (South Point)

8. Mabel
(Virtel McKee)

1. Ivalea
(Steve Vernon Mann)

1. Steve

1. boy

2. boy

3. boy

9. Mary
(Rexel Klee?) NC

7. AVIS JANE "Jenny" (Mar24,1864SPOdiedDec23,1932

(James Vinton Pemberton, married Sep23,1886)

1. Don Pemberton 377-
(Jenny Buckley)

1. Patsy Lee (Fpr)
(Kurt DeLong) was twin

Live in Columbus

1. Patsy Lee

2. Tara

2. Dale Killed when he fell off back of truck 1989
(Ilene?) She

had children FPR - Dale had none

3. Nyle
(1st Linda Patterson) died 1989

1. Joey both live in Coal Grove

2. Donnie

(2d Linda Boyd)

4. Donna Lee (daughter)
(1. Frank West)

Columbus

1. Frankie Columbus

(2. Mac McDermot) they had no children

2. Gly
(Ester Freeman) Cecil Freeman's daughter
toledo Railroad

had children

3. Gertie ?

8. NANCY ELIZABETH (born Sep 1, 1866 SPO died Aug 6, 1868) NM?NC?

Marion Oh 9. JACOB KENTON "Jake" (born Nov 8, 1868 SPO died Jun 22, 1945 at
Marion OH) (Alice
Bowen, married Jan 22, 1885 Marion Ohio

1. Hazel
(Clement Schuster) from Marion Ohio

Deceased

1. Norris

1. Perry
2. Jim

3. Bill

Deceased

2. Gene

2. William C. "W.C. "Bill" "Preacher Bill"
(Hazel Neal) lives in Louisiana is 97 yrs old Baton Rouge

1. Lloyd
(Married Ruby Wickersham)

1. Robert "Bobby"

2. Betty

Marion

3. James "Jimmie"

3. Charles (Was in WWI)
(Mary Ruth Sazion)

Deceased
Feb121922MarionOH

1. Charles Wesley (NC) born

diedMay1966Akron OH
(Luella Denning) Marr at Akeon OH

Taylorville Ill.

Akron

2. Mary Elizabeth
(Charles Scaffidi)MarrAkronOH born ?
died1954 Electrocuted under house on wire

1. Jenny Lynn

Mt Vernon

2. Charlotte Ann

3

4

(Carl Wasson) Marr at Akron OH born ?

1. Vickie

2. Carla

Arty)

3. Paul Edward Aug131930 at Marion OH. (Army51-53

(Stella Baer)Marr Mar011953 at Marion Oh born

Dec311932

Johnstown OH

1. Jeffrey Lind born Nov011954 iat Canton Ohio
(Jane Pennington) D Marr

1. Tracey Lynn born Sep021985Marion Oh

Columbus

2. Paula K. born June011956 at Marion Oh

(Paul Meyers) D Marr at Marion OH

1. Jeremy Paul born Aug171978

2. Joshua Aug011980

Marion

(Ruth Merchant) Remarried Ralph Hamlin

Marion

4. Joanne
(Art Gruber) Marr at Marion?

1

2

(?)

Mansfield

5. Marilyn Louise

4. Joseph "Joe"
(Mary Sebastian)

Marion

1. George Kenton

Mansfield

2. Alvin
(Bonnie Steaf) Marr at Marion?

3. Don (Deceased)
(Was Married)

1?

4. Shirley
(?)

10. JOSEPH CREIGHTON "Crate" born Oct 29, 1872 SPO died Feb 25, 1935 Maintenance)
(Emma Katherine Wright, married Dec 25, 1900 died Feb 15, 1965) Huntington

1. Daisy Gladys born Nov 15, 1907 SPO died Dec 14, 1971
2. Girl

11. William Clayton "Blue Head" (born Jun 24, 1874 SPO died Jan 29, 1954

Was a nick name told to me by old man in South Point
(Ida McKee, marr Dec 24, 1894

Grace Louise Bowman Campbell

WILLIAM MC KEE, born 1785 at Down County, Ireland; died
Apr 24 1858 at SPO

(Sarah "Sallie" Davidsen abt 1809/Jan 1810), born 1789 Redstone Fyft PA.; died 19
Sep 1873

William's father also named William Mc Kee {Down County is called "County
Down" in Ireland}

1. ELIZABETH MC KEE, born abt 1808 SPO; died young UnMarried
2. JOHN MC KEE, born abt 1810 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK
(Melissa Montgomery)
- 3, ABRAHAM DUNCAN MC KEE, born abt 1812 at South Point, Ohio;
died 1852 (Marie Burger
Marr on May 05 1833)

1. ARMSTRONG DUNN McKEE, born Nov 10 1835 at South Point,
Ohio; Died 17 Jul 1917
(1 Angeline Huffman on 22 Jul 1854) Her Father Albert Huffman/Mother Nellie Edwards

1. ETTA (Elvira Henrietta) born 4 Mar 1856; died 17 Apr 1885
(Clayton Freeman Mar 4/Jan 10 1872) born SPONov 28 1852;

died19312dwifeLinaMcKee

2. VICTORIE, born 10 Mar 1858; died Dec 12 1908
(Edward Rule on Oct 14

1882) Engineer Ashland

3. ALICE, born Apr 21 1860 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK
(Henry Adkins on

Nov 10 1883) Ceredo W. Va.

4. JOSEPHINE, born Dec 15 1862 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK
(Rowland Friend

on Aug 20 1886) Ironworker Ironton Oh

5. FLOYD, born Jan 25 1864 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK
(Minnie Hastings

on Jul 2 1887) born Unk; died Apr 14 1937

Ohio

1. JESSIE DALL, born Jul 17, 1887 at South Point,

2. NELLIE, born May 17 1894

3. JAMES C., born Oct 11, 1895 at South Point, Ohio

4. HARRY, born ?

5. EDNA, born Aug 7 1897 at South Point, Ohio

Ohio

6. FERN LORASETTA, born Jan 15 1900 at South Point,

7. GARNETT, born Jul 4, 1902 at South Point, Ohio

8. FLOYD C., born Apr 3 1904 at South Point, Ohio

6. ALBERT, born Jan 1 1868 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK
(1st Sophis

Lewis Nov 15 1899) Cattellsburg

Father James P Lewis/Mary Jane Lovejoy

Unk

1. LEONA, born Feb 9 1902 at South Point, Ohio; died

7. MARY, born Dec 31 1870 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK

(Raleigh Fouch Sawyer on Jul 5 1906) Ironton, Ohio

8. CHARLES E., born Dec 26 1871 at South Point, Ohio; died Sep 19 1943
(Cora Leininger on Nov 22 1898) Marion Ohio

9. ESTEL, born Mar 29 1874 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK
(Alice Lewis on Sep 27 1899) born Jul 23 1882 Cattellsburg Ky

1. LORENA, born Jul 24 1900 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK
(Raymond Leighty on Jun 11 1919) Huntington W. Va Car Builder

2. MCDOLE, born Jan 1 1903 at South Point, Ohio; died Unk
(Garnet Edwards on Jun 20 1923) Teacher

3. PAUL JAMES, born Dec 4 1916 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK

4. LEWIS, born Apr 16 1916 at South Point, Ohio; died UNk Mar UNk

5. BABY, born Mar 29 1918 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK mar?

4. SAMUEL MCKEE born Feb 16, 1814 SPO died May 7, 1884 Farmer
(1st Mariam Mitchell) born Jun 25 1812 Marr Dec 09 1830 died Jun 17 1858

1. ELIZA ANN MCKEE, born 9 Oct 1833 at South Point, Ohio; died 15 Aug 1936

2. JOHN MCKEE, born 20 Oct 1835 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK
(Josephine Church)

3. AMOS MCKEE born Nov 28, 1837 SPO died Jan 7, 1862 KIA Civil War at the Battle of Cattlesburg Ky Capt Powell's Company died in charge at enemy
(Annie Harris Marr Apr 04 1858)

1. Child

2. Child

4. SAMUEL MCKEE, born 10 Mar 1840 at South Point, Ohio; died
Jun 17 1877 Iron O Pvt
Co G 4th Ohio Cav Enl Sep 01 1861 - Sep 20 1864 - Buried
Row 9 Grave 5 White Cottage Cemetery
Lawrence County (Cara
?)

5. FEWSTON MCKEE (born Aug 13, 1845 SPO died Apr 3, 1930 Farmer)

Nancy Catherine Perry Mar Nov 28, 1871 born Mar 30 1848 Morgan Co Ky died 30 Dec 1909

(Nancy's Father John Mother Sarah Blankenship)

1. VIOLA MCKEE, born Jan 31, 1872 SPO died Sep 28, 1945

(John Thompson (marr 1897 born May 7, 1851 SPO died Nov 25, 1911))

1. NORMAN ROBERT (born Aug 10, 1898 SPO
(Mary Humphrey
Oct 1919)

2. BERLIN (born Jan 12, 1900 SPO died Jan 13, 1946)

(Camilla ? marr 1924)

3. NELLIE FLORENCE "Florence" (born Feb 8, 1902 SPO)
(Norman Pemberton, marr Jun 5, 1922)

4. PEARL "Pearly" (born May 21, 1904 SPO)
(Dave
Roberts Marr Mar 29, 1929)

5. ROMANZA "Romanzie" (born Nov 14, 1906 SPO)
(Harry Roberts, marr Jul 10, 1930)

6. MYRTLE "Mertie" (born Aug 15, 1909 SPO)
(Harry
Pemberton, marr May 30, 1927)

2. GRACE MCKEE, born 16 May 1874 at South Poin, Ohio;
died 25 Nov 1936
(Reuben Silas ElkinsbornFeb2,1850Dusenberry MillsVa.diedApr4,1939)

(ReubenFatherMiltonMother?Farmer)

1. Clyde EugenebornApr2,1897ChesapeakeOdiedNov20,1949
(Clara Johnson)Father Grant Johnson
Clara died Chesepeake Oh

2. Lawrence M.bornJul17,1901SPOdiedNov301920

3. IDA MCKEE, born 21 Apr 1876 at SPO; died 23

Sep 1945

(William Clayton Bowman on 24 Dec 1894)

4. EMMA MCKEE, born 7 Feb 1878 at South Point,Ohio;
died 24 Jan 1892.
Emma Never Married

Marion Oh 5. JOHN PERRY MCKEE, born 20Oct1879 SPO; died 17 Nov
1954 (Minnie
Belle Miles 1920)

6. LOREN MCKEE. "Lonnie"born26 Mar1882 SPO;died19Nov1961
(Emma Jane Silverthorn 27 Jul 1904)

1. Paul

2. Ray ValentinebornFeb14,1909SPOdied?

3. Haskel

4. Leona

7. ALONZA WILLIS MCKEE, bornApr28,1884
SPOdiedJul7,1950
Alonza never married

8. WALTER ROBERT MCKEEbornSep27,1886SPOdiedApr16,1966
Walter never unmarried

Marion Oh

9. WAYNE LEONARD MCKEE born Apr 19, 1889 SPO died Mar 3, 1965

(Laura Anna Speece 4 Nov

1912)

1. Alvin

2. Mabel

10. VIRGA DAVIDSON MCKEE, born Dec 25, 1891 SPO died Dec 23, 1965

Virga was Unmarried

(Samuel's 2nd wife Diannah Thompson) born abt 1838 in SPO, their children

were:

6. JOANNA MCKEE, born 6 Jan 1867 at South Point, Ohio; died

UNK

7. RACHEL MCKEE, born abt 1869 at South Point, Ohio; died

UNK

8. GEORGE W. MCKEE, born 4 Nov 1871 at South Point, Ohio;

died UNK

9. FRANK MCKEE, born 2 April 1874 at South Point, Ohio; died

UNK

10. CHARLES E. MCKEE, born 15 Sep 1878 at South Point, Ohio;

died Unk

11. FLORENCE MCKEE, born 15 Apr 1881 at South Point, Ohio;

died UNK

5. THOMAS MC KEE, born abt 1816 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK

(Fanny Harper Marr

Mar 04 1856???) by Rev W.C. French

6. MALINDA D. MC KEE, born 12 Jul 1818 at South Point, Ohio; died 11

Jun 1901

(John P. Burcham

on Jan 01 1843)

7. CYNTHIA JANE MC KEE, born abt 1820 at South Point, Ohio, died

UNK

(Bruce Jackson on 27

July 1837)

8. WILLIAM MC KEE Jr., born 6 Feb 1822 at South Point, Ohio; died 1
May 1893 (Rachel Willis on
Aug 7 1845) born 1820; died Aug 1902

1. HENRY, born UNK; died UNK
(Rachel Robinson)

2. BARTON GREEN, born Sep 5 1848 at Unk; died Feb 2 1927
(Sessie Robertson on Jan
10 1871 Born Aug 5, 1852) Father John Roberts

1. EDGAR EVERT born Feb 12, 1872

3. EMMA, born May 20 1852 at Unk; died Jul 7 1929
(John Robinson)

4. FLORA, born Unk; died May 1 1901

(1st wife of Carlos McKee born Jun 14, 1867 SPO died Jun 14, 1935 Maintenance)
Carlos' Father Minister Charles
Henry Mother Alice Ferguson

1. Earl R McKee born Dec 28, 1898 SPO died Jul 4, 1957

2. Chauncy McKee born May 8, 1900 SPO died Jul 28, 1970

3. Charles born? died in infancy

(2 wife Carlos McKee Ruth Moore)

4. Martin born Oct 12, 1903 SPO died? Lakewood Ohio Residence

5. Louisa born Mar 12, 1905 died? Residence Cols Ohio

(Edward Harrowmar? born? died?)

6. Ida (twin of Louisa) born Mar 12, 1905 died young?

(3 wife of Carlos Virginia Ketley (Thomas prev husband) Henton W. VA.)

4. Frederick Ketley born? SPO died?

5. LEWIS "LUTE" ANDERSON born 1858 SPO died Jan 31, 1944 JP & Storekeeper
Purchased old brick Post Office and Store on Old Solida Rd. from
W.F. Moore who dug clay from hill behind store and built the house
himself
Bought 1901 still in family. mentioned Iron ton Paper as Mystery House

(Dora Stanley Marab 1875 born Jan 8, 1860 Va? died Sep 4, 1938)
Dora Stanley was Anna Bowman Stanley's
Husband's Father's Sister
(Dora Father Joseph Mother Cynthia)

Anderson McKee

1. FRANK GIBBONS McKee born Apr 8, 1888 Father Lewis

2. ARNOLD CLYDE McKee born Oct 16, 1892

3. Lawrence Donald born Aug 7, 1896 SPO died Oct 27, 1964

1. Darrell - Owned the store that Lute bought in 1901

4. Berkley Stanley born Dec 31, 1901 SPO died Feb 8, 1902

5. Anna Ruth
(Denver Granville Romans Mar?)

(Denver's Father James H. Mother Elizabeth McClure)

9. JOSEPH D. MC KEE, born 4 Apr 1824 at South Point, Ohio; died Oct 1912 Minister was known as the man who made the best "Sorgum Molasses" called "Uncle Joe"
(1st Sarah Lyons Maddax) born Feb 15 1824 died Aug 1857 dau William/Susan Maddax
marr 1845 (Parthenia Pemberton Marr 4/19/1858?)

1. Sarah born Mar 02 1846 died Oct 1846

2. Milton born Sep 04 1848 died May 1849

3. Vashiti Apr 08 1850 lived in Lawrence County Marr?

4. Susan born Jul 18 1852

5. James born Nov301854 (Illinois)

6. Dora born born June 1856 died 1857

Pemberton (2ndParthenia Pemberton) born Feb211841 at SPO dau of James & Lucy

7. Richard born Apr171859

8. Cora D. born Sep121860

9. Lucy R. Oct021862 died July 1863

10. Linn Augusta born May051864

11. Sadie born Oct 051866

12. Ernest R. born Dec121868

13. Malinda born May051870

14. Curtis born July121872

15. Joseph born Aug271874

16. Gertrude born Nov171876

Unk 10. DAVID MCKEE, born abt 1826 at South Point, Ohio; died UNK Mar

11. LEWIS MC KEE, born abt 1828 SPO; died Unk; Mar Unk

12. MARY MC KEE, born abt 1830 SPO; died Unk, Mar?

Mar UN? 13. JEREMIAH MC KEE, born abt 1832 at South Point, Ohio; died Unk;

14. SARAH MC KEE, born abt 1834 at South Point, Ohio; died unk
(Edward Andrews) on Unk

Un? 15. JAMES MC KEE, born abt 1836 at South Point, Ohio; died Unk; mar

Here are a few pictures of our progenitors that I have accumulated over the years. It is my hope to one day put these pictures into sealed frames and have them displayed permanently at some historical site in South Point. If not in South Point, then perhaps the Lawrence County Genealogical Library in Ironton.

I'll have pictures on the web one day soon.... JIM Campbell

JOSEPH BUFFINGTON BOWMAN AND AVIS AMELIA COPEN

MANY OTHER PICTURES

Progenitor Notes:

Laurence Anton Bowman said that, back in the early years of his life, he, his father Eslie and Uncle Henry Bowman went up to Marion Ohio to Uncle Jake's house to go hunting.

Doc's son Eslie was a Deacon at the First Baptist Church in South Point Ohio for many years. When he retired, his brother Grover took over as Deacon. On of his other brothers went prospecting out west somewhere.

CHAPTER 3

WILLIAM CLAYTON & IDA McKEE BOWMAN

1	Bowman	William Clayton	NA	Jun 24, 1874	Jan 29, 1954
1.S1	Bowman	IDA	NMN McKee	Apr 21, 1876	Sep 23, 1945

THEIR CHILDREN

1/01	Stanley	Anna	Katherine	Bowman	Feb 16, 1896	Feb 9, 1975
1/02	Farmer	Nora	Mae	Bowman	SEP 4, 1897	Nov 18, 1960
1/03	Basham	Clara	Belle	Bowman	Aug 24, 1900	
1/04	Bowman		Samuel	Vinton	Jan 10, 1902	May 23, 1955
1/05	Creed		Ruby	Avis Bowman	Jan 27, 1905	
1/06	Bowman		Theodore	Roosevelt	Mar 25, 1906	Aug 6, 1963
1/07	Pruett		Ottie	Marie Bowman	Feb 9, 1908	May?
1/08	Bowman		Baby	Boy Bowman	Sep 18, 1909	Sep 18, 1909
1/09	Campbell		Grace	Louise Bowman	Nov 16, 1910	
1/10	Bowman		Baby	Female Bowman	Sep 12, 1912	Sep 12, 1912
1/11	Gwilliams		Ivlea	NMI Bowman	Jan 28 1916	
1/12	Preston		Alta	Ruth Bowman	Nov 8, 1919	

William Clayton Bowman was a farmer. His primary crop was all types of garden vegetables. Every Saturday he would load his horse drawn wagon with fresh fruits and vegetables and would drive into Ashland Kentucky where he serviced regular customers along a regular route. They bought their week's supply of fresh vegetables straight from William Bowman's Farm. Later he acquired a truck and increased the size of his route around Ashland.

He also sold black raspberries, apples, pears, cherries and peaches, milk, eggs, and butter. Ida canned wild blackberries and made grape jelly from the grapes grown on arbors

Major and Doc were the names of the last two horses they had. Ploughing was done with a horse & Plowshare. Hay wagons were horse powered.

The previous owner had beat Fred so Fred was mean. He would always turn around and kick any man who would approach him with a bridle or some intent to interact with him. Fred wasn't that way with women. Any woman could do anything with gentle Fred. William Clayton always Alta gave the bridle to go get Fred for him. Alta knew that Fred was mean to males. Once when William Clayton told her to go get Fred, Alta invited Carl Basham to go with her. As they approached Fred Alta asked Carl if he'd like to put the bridle on fred. Sure enough Fred waited until Carl approached close enough and then turned around and gave Carl a real good shot. Alta says she only did it

because she was a mean and onery young lady.

Ida each year canned everyting she could get her hands on for the winter - pickled green beans, jellies, apple butter, corn, beets, pickled beets, cucumber pickles, and many other things to fill the pantry. They ate like kings all year around - that is if you like good old fashioned "country cookin."

William Clayton regularly made some of his income from putting milk cans of cream on the train in South Point. The fresh cream was then shipped to Ashland, Ironton and other larger cities.

When Theodore and Sam were growing up William had a set of mules rather than the horses that came later. Both boys left home early to work in the coal mines.

His retirement plan was to pay off the mortgage on the farm, sell it, and live off the balance. His alternate plan was to have a large family and hope they could take care of him and Ida in their old age. Seems he covered both plans quite well.

Farming was William Clayton Bowman's one and only occupation his entire life.

William and Ida attended the Solida Missionary Baptist Church on the Solida Road. Perry Brammer was one of the preachers. It was the only church in the local area until you got into South Point. South Point was 5 miles away. Everyone around Solida, Lewis Fork, Buffalo, and Lick Crick went to that church. They had a homecoming each year reportedly continues even today.

Ida McKee Bowman was a genuine old fashioned "Home Maker." She cooked for her husband and all 10 of the children on a wood fired stove. Water was hand drawn in a bucket from an open well. Never in Ida's life was there such a luxury as running water in her house. She never enjoyed the luxury of an indoor toilet. Electricity didn't make it into the house even in the 1940s. Light to cook breakfast was from kerosene lamps. Light to clean up the dinner was from the same. Breakfast was usually bacon or sausage, eggs, and home made biscuits. Dinner was plenty of vegetables and home butchered meats. Butter was churned from the milk from the cows up on the hill across the creek. Eggs came from the chicken coop in the back yard.

Each winter they cut large blocks of ice from the creek to fill the entire bottom of the ice celler with several layers of ice - covering each layer with sawdust for insulation. This technique kept them in ice all summer. It appeared to be an underground cave - although it was really a large square hole dug 6 to 10 feet into the ground, framed and walled off with wood notched logs, roofed with heavy log beams, and then covered with the dirt that came from the hole. The door, to the entrance, appeared to be almost lying

on the ground. As the rains eroded away some of the edges, it rounded to eventually look something like a grassy igloo.

There was a smoke house behind the kitchen. Occassionally William & Ida butchered a hog. Since they did not yet have electric freezers, they preserved the meat by smoking it with hickory wood until it was dried or cured. There was always hams, bacon slabs, sausages, or other cuts of meat hanging in the smokehouse. One of the best tasting of the home smoked items was chitlins, or sometimes called cracklins. Ida often used some of the chitlins in her corn bread. William and Ida did not buthcer their cattle but kept them for milk and butter to sell at market. They purchased their beef or traded hams, or slabs of bacon, to other farmers for their beef products.

Underneath the smoke house (it was built on the side of a hill with the top floor opening directly onto the ground higher up the slope than the bottom door) was the root cellar. The root cellar was used to keep eggs, butter, milk, fruits, vegetables, and other perishables, just as chilled as though they were in a great big refrigerator. The door to the root cellar opened out onto the ground toward the creek whereas the door to the smokehouse above it opened at the opposite end of the building toward the house. There was a porch roof over the door to the root cellar. The root cellar was dug into the side of the hill so the back part of the room was almost completely underground.

William Clayton sold the farm to Roy Kinder sometime before 1950. He then moved into South Point to live beside his daughter Anna. He lived in a small house under the electric tower, on the back of Anna's property, until he died in 1954. He literally dropped dead while in a small grocery store near where he lived.

Behind the homestead was a chicken house where eggs were gathered each day for breakfast and sale to customers - and dinner stood waiting for the fry pan. When company came, the most deliciously plump chicken was killed and immediately plucked clean for cooking. After the new house was built the chickens roosted in the kitchen of the old house until the chicken house was built.

The new house was built about 1920 as Ivalea stated the wood for the new house was drying when she was born and Alta says she can remember a colored man helping her father with some of the construction. Ivalea was born in 1916 and Alta in 1919.

William cut the lumber for the new house right off the hills on either side of the house. He had a fellow with a saw come in to help cut it into boards.

All of the children said they were strict but hey were both very good parents.

Their farm was on the Lewis Fork of the Solida Creek and about 1 mile from the road junction where the little Solida Elementry School was. The kids always said they had to

walk about a mile to school each day. During their lifetime they lived in two houses. The first was a log cabin closer to the barn and the creek and the second was the frame house that endured until long after both William and Ida died.

To get to the outhouse a person had to go out through the backyard past the chicken house, across the log, and up the hill on the other side of the small ravine. They used pots with lids on them in the cold wintery months. The pots were kept under the beds and emptied each morning.

NOTES:

An Ida McKee resided with Anna Williams (boarding house) on the south side of Mill Street between 5th and 6th according to the Ironton City Directory (p.78) of 1882-83. We think this could be our Ida McKee because of the dates - Ida was born in 1876 so she would have been 6 or 7 years old at this time.

During World War II Ida had a gasoline powered washing machine.

CHAPTER 4

ANNA KATHERINE BOWMAN STANLEY

1/01	StanleyAnna	Katherine	Bowman	Feb 16, 1896	Feb 9, 1975
1/01.S1	StanleyJames	Lewis	N/A	Oct 18, 1890	Oct 1, 1931
1/01/01	Hall	Ida	Leona	Stanley	Apr 21, 1916 Living
1/01/01.S1	Hall	Samuel	Jacob	N/A	Apr 9, 1912 Jul 2, 1979
1/01/01/01	Hall	Raymond	Earl	N/A	Jun 18, 1932
1/01/01/01.S1	Hall	Barbara	Jean	Pack	May 12, 1938
1/01/01/01/01	Horsley	Donna	Jean	Hall	Feb 7, 1955
1/01/01/01/01.S1	Horsley	David	Lee	NA	Jul 20, 1950
1/01/01/01/01.S2	Hackworth	Jack		NA	Dec 22, 1954
1/01/01/01/01/01	Hall	Shawna	Decole	NA	_____
1/01/01/01/02	Hall	David	Ray	NA	Nov 5, 1969
1/01/01/02	Paul	Grace	Ann	Hall	Dec 5, 1935
1/01/01/02.S1	Paul Sr.	James	Edward	NA	Sep 13, 1931
1/01/01/02/01	Young	Dianna	Sue	Paul	Mar 12, 1961
1/01/01/02/01.S1	Young Sr.	Jeffery	Allen	NA	_____
1/01/01/02/01/01	Young Jr.	Jeffery	Allen	NA	_____
1/01/01/02/01/02	Young	Timothy	Lee	NA	_____
1/01/01/02/02	Hogsten	Kathy	Lynn	Paul	Jan 2, 19??
1/01/01/02/02.S1	Stuart	Bill	No Good"	NA	_____
1/01/01/02/02.S2	Hogsten	Danny		NA	_____
1/01/01/02/02/01	Stuart	Melissa	Ann	Stuart	Dec 5, 1982
1/01/01/02/03	Paul Jr.	James	Edward	NA	Mar 25,
1/01/01/02/04	Paul	Lisa	Jan	Paul	Nov 26, 1968
1/01/01/03	Hall	Paul	David	NA	May 1, 1938
1/01/01/03.S1	Hall	Beverly	Sue	Spears	Aug 4, 1936
1/01/01/03/01	Hall I	Samuel	Paul	NA	May 16, 1958
1/01/01/03/01.S1	Hall	Laura		Boggs	_____
1/01/01/03/01/01	Hall II	Samuel	Paul	NA	Feb 27, 1978
1/01/01/03/01/02	Hall	Paul	Edward	NA	Jun 27, 1979
1/01/01/03/01/03	Hall	Daniel	Keith	NA	_____
1/01/01/03/01/04	Hall	Christopher	Allen	NA	Jun 19, 1989
1/01/01/03/02	Hall Sr	Timothy	Lee	NA	Sep 8, 1959
1/01/01/03/02.S1	Hall	Donna		Preston	_____
1/01/01/03/02/01	Jones	Danny		NA	_____
1/01/01/03/02/02	Jones	Michael	Lee	NA	_____
1/01/01/03/02/03	Hall Jr	Timothy	Lee	NA	_____
1/01/01/03/03	Hall	Tuxie	Louise	NA	Sep 17, 1960 Mar 16, 1975
1/01/01/03/04	Hall	Brian	Allen	NA	Oct 15, 1967
1/01/01/03/05	Hall	Gloria	Ellen	Hall	Sep 23, 1968
1/01/01/04	Hall	Jollife	NMI	NA	Oct 1, 1940
1/01/01/04.S1	Hall	Sue	Leslie	Twiniam	_____
1/01/01/04/01	Hall	Jollife	Edward	NA	Sep 2, 1962
1/01/01/05	Hall Sr.	James	Ernest	NA	Mar 1, 1944
1/01/01/05.S1	Hall	Sherry	Lee	Howard	_____
1/01/01/05/01	Trusty	John	Michael	NA	_____
1/01/01/05/02	Hall Jr.	James	Ernest	NA	Dec 6, 1968
1/01/01/06	Hall Sr.	Larry	Sam	NA	Feb 18, 1947
1/01/01/06.S1	Hall	Sabina		Dorn	_____
1/01/01/06/01	Holsinger		Doris	Leona	Hall Dec 14, 1968

1/01/01/06/01.S1	Holsinger	Jerry	NA	_____	
1/01/01/06/01/01	Holsinger	Gary Paul	NA	Dec 24, 1988	
1/01/01/06/02	Hall	Karen Louise Hall		Feb 4, 1970	
1/01/01/06/03	Hall Jr.	Larry Sam	NA	Apr 22, 1971	
1/01/01/07	Adkins	Alma Sharon Hall		Feb 18, 1947	
1/01/01/07.S1	Adkins	CharlesHarvey	NA	Jun 30, 1947	
1/01/02	Stanley	Samuel Clayton	NA	Aug 29, 1917	Aug 4, 1967
1/01/02.S1	Stanley	Mary Gertrude		Watson _____	
1/01/03	Stanley	Lawerence	NMI	N/A	SEP 28, 1919 APR 14, 1974
1/01/04	Stanley	James Howard	N/A	Dec 20, 1921	May 10, 1974
1/01/05	Stanley	Ernest	NMI	N/A	Aug 24, 1923 Jul 18, 1984
1/01/05.S1	Stanley	Phillis Ann	Adkins	_____	
1/01/05/01	Stanley	Terry Roger	N/A	_____	
1/01/05/01.S1	Stanley	Kathy		_____	
1/01/05/01.S2	Stanley	Bernadette		_____	
1/01/05/01/01	Stanley	Christopher		NA _____	
1/01/05/02	Stanley	Gary Ernest	NA	_____	
1/01/05/02.S1	Stanley	Lucille		_____	
1/01/05/02/01	Stanley	Bernard		NA 1968	
1/01/05/02/02	Stanley	Girl	Stanley	_____	
1/01/05/03	Stanley	Michael	NA	_____	
1/01/05/03.S1	Stanley	Unknown		_____	
1/01/05/04	Slaughter	Debra Ann	Stanley	_____	
1/01/05/04.S1	Slaughter	Ronnie		N/A _____	
1/01/05/04/01	Slaughter	Ronnie		NA _____	
1/01/05/04/02	Slaughter	Robert		NA _____	
1/01/05/04/03	Slaughter	Roger		NA _____	
1/01/05/04/04	Slaughter	Christine		Slaughter _____	
1/01/05/05	Tomlin	Denise Leona	Stanley	_____	
1/01/05/05.S1	Tomlin	Wilburn		NA _____	
1/01/05/05/01	Tomlin	Tina Louise	Tomlin	_____	
1/01/05/05/02	Tomlin	Purcella		Tomlin _____	
1/01/06	Stanley	Mart Edward	NA	Mar 14, 1926	May 11, 1971
1/01/06.S1	Stanley	Hattie Geneva	Hall	_____	
1/01/06/01	Frale	Cheryl Jane	Stanley	Feb 3, 1949	
1/01/06/01.S1	Frale	Larry		NA _____	
1/01/06/01/01	Frale	Mark		NA _____	
1/01/06/01/02	Frale	Camelia	Frale	_____	

NOTES: From Anna's daughter Ida Leona

ANNA KATHERINE "ANNIE" only completed the 5th grade as she had to drop out of school to work when her father, William Clayton Bowman, became ill with Typhiod Fever.

She worked for three dollars a week cleaning house, and doing domestic work of all kinds for Addie Thompson of North Kenova. Addie lived in a great big house high on the hill above the ferry that went across the Ohio River.

Anna married James Lewis Stanley when she was about 18 years old. They had six children.

On October 1, 1930, James was killed at the railroad crossing (at the lower end of South Point) on his way to work. James worked for himself pouring concrete. In those days you had to mix your own concrete by hand in the mixer which was being towed behind the truck. Neither saw the train coming because of the hill. According to the man riding in the truck with James, his last words were "Boys, I believe it's got it."

Anna and James first lived in a small two room house along the Ohio River - in the house Grandpa (William Clayton) Bowman lived in at the time of his death. James Stanley built the house for He and Anna to live in. It was on the back of the property owned by Jame's parents - Samuel and Melissa Stanley. There were three people living in the house - Samuel, Melissa, and their son Hayward (Jame's older brother). It was almost directly under one of the high tension power line towers right on the bank of the Ohio River.

Four months after Samuel died, on December 1, 1925, Hayward was killed by a train. Some say he was murdered and thrown onto the tracks, and some think he might have just sat down on the tracks, went to sleep, and never heard the train. He never had a scratch on him except for where the train's wheel sliced off the top of his head.

It was at this time James and Anna moved into the house Anna would live in all except for the last 7 years of her life. Anna spent those last seven years at the home of Ida Leona - her one and only daughter. She always wished Ida had been a boy. Ida says she too wished she was a boy because she never had any sisters. Ida claims the closest thing she had to a sister was Grace Louise (Ida's Aunt) as Grace lived with her while Grace was going to South Point High School They slept together in the same bed. When you have all the beds full there aren't too many extra spaces.

Samuel's wife Melissa died in 1929.

The Stanley homestead was located on old Ohio Highway 52. It was about a block and a half east of what at one time was probably the Citizen's National Bank and the back part of the property ran all the way to the river directly under the more westerly of the two electric powerline towers that sat on the bank of the Ohio River.

Anna later sold the back part of the property to a coal company to build boat docks.

James was a person who didn't like for people to fuss, get angry, or fight over anything. If the boys would start to fuss over a checker game, James would merely take the checkerboard and throw it in the stove. Anna was more of an open person voicing her views quite easily. James called her "Sis". When you went to the table it was with reverence. Jame's rule was either to keep your mouth in order or leave the table.

James and Anna had no insurance or other provision to care for the children. Anna went to work for a dollar to a dollar-and-a-quarter a day cleaning people's houses and took in washing and ironing for several different people. On Friday, she would pluck chickens all day for Paul Bowman (The son of "Uncle Doc," who was William Clayton Boman's brother) so that the chickens were ready for the Saturday farmer's market in Ironton on Vernon Street.

Anna was a hard working, honest, mother who never took a penny of welfare but chose to work and raise her sons by herself. The only boy friend she ever had was James.

Anna was well known for her apple butter which she made every summer and either sold or gave to all her acquaintances. Bob Farmer says that she was more famous for her peaches.

In her later years she was also hired as the janitor at the First Baptist Church of South Point, Ohio and then she was hired to work as the janitor at the South Point Delta High School. When she developed sugar diabetes she had to give up her janitorial work at the school and the church. Her sister Ivalea and Ivalea's husband James then took over her job at the church.

Anna was the Clerk of the Village of South Point, Ohio. She made \$5.00 per month for that job. She sold hunting and fishing license and did work as a notary. She completed and sent in, to the County, all the birth and death records.

Anna was a woman of extreme pride. She would not accept anything someone felt she needed and offered her as a gift or just to give her something they no longer needed. If she thought it was any form of charity - it wasn't for her.

James Stanley was born October 18, 1890.
Anna was born February 16, 1896.

SAMUEL CLAYTON "SAM" "FUZE" was a mechanic. He said he had to keep the trucks rolling for "Lady Bird" (President Johnson's wife) to keep her supplied with clothes. He worked for Waldorf & Astoria Garage in Washington D.C.

He was called "Sam" and sometimes called "Fuze" by his brothers.

Sam never went into the service because he had injured his back in a car wreck when he was younger.

He died of a heart attack when he was 49. He came out from work, put the key into the ignition, and never turned it. The boss said he was laughing and talking when he went out the door. He never made a sound but died very quietly.

He lived a long time in Wahsington D.C.

He was a hard worker and a good worker.

LAWRENCE "BALL" was reputed to be the best mechanic that ever hit South Point.

He was called "Ball" all his life. His father once cut his hair off until he was bald. They called him baldy for awhile and then just "Ball."

He was in the Army for 42 months, during World War II, working as a mechanic on aircraft. He took his basic training in Hawaii and was assigned to the Phillipines under MacArthur. He would never talk about anything that happened in the Army. According to Ida, he had 3 bronze stars on his discharge.

He went down to the Old Stanley Homestead, laid down on the couch on the porch and died similar to the way Samuel did - they thought he was asleep and discovered he had died quietly of a heart attack. This was on Easter Sunday 1974. He was 54 years of age having been born September 28, 1919.

He was afflicted with Tuberculocis and spent two years in a sanitarium hospital in Cleveland Ohio.

He was a very gentle person who was always good to everyone. He was like his Father who never got mad about anything.

JAMES HOWARD "JIGS" Was a truck driver in the Army during World War II. He served first in Iran and later in France. Toward the end of the war he was cross trained for Infantry duty.

After James Howard "Jigs" got out of the Army, He and William Luther Farmer (his cousin) were out on the town. The story is that somehow Luther had to outrun the law and drove the car over a creek bank In the accident, James Howard injured his hip. He had one leg shorter than the other by 5 inches for the rest of his life. This also made it difficult for him to obtain a job. He did manage his own small produce booth along the highway. He sold all kinds of vegatables and fruits. He would raise his own tomatoes by crawling through the fields to tie them up on the stakes.

He loved children better than anyone Ida could remember. He would babysit for any of the people who needed him.

Jigs never missed a day of Sunday School and church services for more than 15 years.

ERNEST "HICK" was a construction worker doing different things in the field of riveting and high steel.

He was called "Hick." He got the name from his father who thought he was short and kind of dumpy. He was about 5' 5" tall.

MART EDWARD "CAT" Worked at the Atomic Plant in South Point.

He was always called "Cat" Stanley. He got the name when a man gave him a quarter to take a stray cat off and leave it to where it was gone - and the cat beat Mart back home.

Mart served as a cook in the Navy.

He had a tractor with a front bucket he used to do contracting work earning money on his own. He would put in pipes and dig ditches at night and on the week ends.

Mart was extremely fond of his daughter Cheryl Jane. She was called Janie all her life and many did not know her name was Cheryl.

Folks say he worked himself to death. The doctors said that when he died he had the heart of a man 90 year old.

He was a very candid person who would tell you what he thought of you at the drop of a hat.

Grandpa Stanley never went to school a day in his life but he could figure up the needs for cement and work all the formulas in his head. Grandpa Stanley (Jame's Father) made his living from owning a grocery store in Ironton. He also drew a pension for his participation in the Civil War. He was discharged in from the Union Army in 1846.

NOTES:

One day Annie was talking with Lloyd Lewis Farmer Jr (Junebug). Junebug had just found out his father was not Lloyd Lewis Farmer Sr. . Annie told him that he should always remember that it didn't matter who your biological parents were' "it's who your people are" the ones that raised you.

When Junebug was attending South Point High School, Aunt Annie worked there in the kitchen. Lloyd Lewis Sr. was the janitor. Annie would always give Junebug milk for lunch although many times the family did not have enough money to provide funds for school lunches.

CHAPTER 5

NORA MAE BOWMAN FARMER

1/02	Farmer Nora Mae Bowman	SEP 4, 1897	Nov 18, 1960
1/02.S1	Farmer John Dee NA	Apr 10, 1891	Apr 27, 1932
1/02/01	Farmer Sr. <u>Lloyd</u> Lewis	NA	Aug 11, 1916
1/02/01.S1	Farmer Ida Marie Lyons	Mar 8, 1927	Apr 27, 1932
1/02/01.S2	Farmer Mildred Adkins	_____	
1/02/01/01	Farmer Jr. Lloyd Lewis	NA	Mar 1, 1944
1/02/01/01.S1	Farmer ElfreideM.E. Petrick	Sep 30, 1939	
1/02/01/01.S2	Farmer Carol Jo Triplet	Dec 11, 1943	
1/02/01/01/01	Smith Robert	NA	Jan 2, 1959
1/02/01/01/01.S1	Smith Mary Beth Ewing	_____	
1/02/01/01/01/01	Smith Robert Alexander	NA	May 1, 1986
1/02/01/01/02	Lybrand Janet Margaret	Smith	Dec 10, 1959
1/02/01/01/02.S1	Lybrand John	NA	_____
1/02/01/01/02/01	Lybrand Bruce Michael	NA	Jun 18, 1979
1/02/01/01/03	Farmer John Jay Petrick	May 17, 1961	
1/02/01/01/04	HerringMarriannaEricka	Farmer	Aug 11, 1964
1/02/01/01/04.S1	HerringGarlandLee	NA	Nov 16, 1964
1/02/01/01/04/01	HerringSean Lee	NA	Sep 20, 1982
1/02/01/01/04/02	HerringDanielleAnnetteHerring	Aug 12, 1985	
1/02/01/01/04/03	HerringMarci Marie Herring	Aug 25, 1987	
1/02/01/01/05	Farmer III Lloyd Lewis	NA	Jan 2, `966
1/02/01/01/05.S1	Farmer Michelle Ann Evans	_____	
1/02/01/01/05/01	Farmer ChristopherAllen	NA	Jan 10, 1985
1/02/01/01/05/02	Farmer Kyle Lewis	NA	Jan 2, 1986
1/02/01/01/05/03	Farmer Meagen Renee Farmer	Jul 20, 1987	
1/02/01/01/06	Kett Edward James	NA	Feb 27, 1962
1/02/01/01/07	Kett Mark Henry	NA	Oct 12, 1963
1/02/01/01/07.S1	Kett Terri Marie Savage	Oct 12, 1963	
1/02/01/01/08	King Joyce Rene Kett	May 17, 1965	
1/02/01/01/08.S1	Pepper James Eugene	NA	_____
1/02/01/01/08.S2	King RichardAllen	NA	Nov 4, 1962
1/02/01/01/08/01	Pepper AmandaRene Pepper	Mar 1, 1984	
1/02/01/01/08/02	King Ryan Patrick	NA	Jan 1, 1989
1/02/01/01/09	Farmer Angela Jo Farmer	Dec 15, 1974	
1/02/01/02	Bailey Nora Mae Farmer	Mar 6, 1953	
1/02/01/02.S1	McFann Ronnie	NA	_____
1/02/01/02.S2	Bailey Carl	NA	_____
1/02/01/02/01	McFann Joe	NA	_____
1/02/01/02/02	McFann Rhonda Sue	McFann	_____
1/02/01/02/03	McFann David	NA	_____
1/02/01/03	Carter Linda Sue	Farmer	Nov 8, 1946
1/02/01/03.S1	York George	NA	_____
1/02/01/03.S2	Carter Bernard	NA	_____
1/02/01/03/01	York Faith Ann York	_____	
1/02/01/03/02	York Ginger Lee York	_____	
1/02/01/04	Farmer Larry Michael	NA	Nov 3, 1950
1/02/01/04.S1	Farmer Lynn Holt	_____	
1/02/01/04.S2	Farmer Name Unk	_____	
1/02/01/04/01	Farmer Christy Farmer	_____	

1/02/01/04/02	Farmer Girl	Farmer	_____		
1/02/01/04/03	Farmer Boy	NA	_____		
1/02/01/05	McKnight Janet	Marie	Farmer	Dec 21, 1954	
1/02/01/05.S1	McKnight Tracy	NA	_____		
1/02/01/05/01	McKnight Stacey	Rene	McKnight	Dec 3, 1976	
1/02/01/05/02	McKnight Tracey	Lee	McKnight	Oct 5, 1979	
1/02/01/06	Deatherage Wanda	Lee	Farmer	Nov 28, 1948	
1/02/01/06.S1	Deatherage Jophn	NA	_____		
1/02/01/06.S2	Henry Ralph	NA	_____		
1/02/01/06/01	Henry Lorie	Ann Henry	_____		
1/02/02	Farmer <u>John</u>	Dewey	NA	Apr 20, 1919	
1/02/02.S1	Farmer Dorothy	McGlone	_____		
1/02/03	Thornton <u>Ruby</u>	Pearl	Farmer	Dec 5, 1921	
1/02/03.S1	Thornton Kenneth	William	NA	_____	
1/02/03/01	Thornton Kenneth	Eugene	NA	_____	Yes
1/02/03/02	Cantrell Dreama	Sue	Thornton	Jul 28, 1942	
1/02/03/02.S1	Honley Craig	NA	_____		
1/02/03/02.S2	Cantrell Kelly	NA	_____		
1/02/03/02/01	Honley Brian	NA	_____		
1/02/03/02/01.S1	Honley Wife 1		_____		
1/02/03/02/01/01	Honley Girl	Honley	_____		
1/02/03/02/02	Honley Brent	NA	_____		
1/02/03/02/03	Cantrell Christy	Cantrell	_____		
1/02/03/03	Bates Peggy	Thornton	_____		
1/02/03/03.S1	Bates Walter	NA	_____		
1/02/03/03/01	Bates Heather	Bates	_____		
1/02/03/03/02	Bates Misty	Bates	_____		
1/02/03/04	Thornton Denny	NA	_____		
1/02/03/04.S1	Thornton Jody		_____		
1/02/03/04/01	Thornton Nicolas	NA	_____		
1/02/03/04/02	Thornton Andrew	NA	_____		
1/02/03/05	Thornton Keith	NA	_____		
1/02/03/05.S1	Thornton Nancy		_____		
1/02/03/05/01	Thornton Joey	NA	_____		
1/02/03/05/02	Thornton Boy	NA	_____		
1/02/04	Farmer <u>Joseph</u>	Earl	NA	May 17, 1925	Jan 1, 1945
	KIA WW2				
1/02/05	Farmer <u>William</u>	Luther	NA	Jul 6, 1923	
1/02/05.S1	Farmer Ruth	Ellen Smith	Apr 14, 1933		
1/02/05/01	Farmer Vern	William	NA	Jan 23, 1953	
1/02/05/01.S1	Farmer Marlyn	Kaye Shelton	Jan 31, 1950		
1/02/05/01/01	Farmer Wesley	Ryan	NA	Sep 27, 1981	
1/02/05/02	Farmer Waid	Dee	NA	Dec 28, 1954	
1/02/05/02.S1	Farmer Kelley	Norris	_____		
1/02/05/02.S2	Farmer Mary	Denise	Cracraft	Jul 27, 1959	
1/02/05/02/01	Farmer Cory	Shane	NA	Feb 25, 1983	
1/02/05/02/02	Farmer Darren	Waid	NA	May 10, 1985	
1/02/05/02/03	Farmer Carra	Nicole	Farmer	Nov 12, 1988	
1/02/05/03	Beveridge Faye	Nanette	Farmer	Apr 1, 1958	
1/02/05/03.S1	Beveridge Kim	NA	_____		
1/02/05/03/01	Beveridge Todd	William	NA	Aug 24, 1976	
1/02/05/03/02	Beveridge Luke	Allen	NA	Jun 6, 1978	
1/02/05/04	Farmer Reid	Clay	NA	Aug 1, 1960	

1/02/06	McCall <u>Ruth</u>	Louise	Farmer	Sep 10, 1927	
1/02/06.S1	McCall Alva	Clyde	NA	Jul 29, 1924	
1/02/06/01	McCall Danny	Joe	NA	Jun 13, 1945	
1/02/06/01.S1	McCall Kathline		Ann	Purvis	Feb 28, 1952
1/02/06/01/01	McCall Michelle		Lynn	McCall	May 3, 1971
1/02/06/01/02	McCall Daniel	Joseph	NA	May 8, 1974	
1/02/06/02	McCall Sr.	Rodney	Clay	NA	Sep 1, 1946
1/02/06/02.S1	McCall Janice	Louise	Sparkman		_____
1/02/06/02.S2	McCall Belinda	Ann	Johnson		_____
1/02/06/02/01	McCall Jr.	Rodney	Clay	NA	Jan 20, 1970
1/02/06/02/02	McCall Danika	Lane	McCall	Jun 20, 1980	
1/02/06/02/03	McCall Dejo'n	Brittany		McCall	Apr 10, 1982
1/02/06/03	McCall Treva	Dawn	McCall	Apr 17, 1949	Sep 1, 1948
1/02/06/04	Slaughter	Amy	Colleen	McCall	Mar 13, 1950
1/02/06/04.S1	Slaughter Sr.	Thomas	Doyle	NA	Aug 19, 1950
1/02/06/04/01	Slaughter Jr.	Thomas	Doyle	NA	Nov 25, 1971
1/02/06/04/02	Slaughter	William	Scott	NA	_____
1/02/06/04/03	Slaughter	Tammy	Lynn	Slaughter	_____
1/02/06/05	McCall Cody	Michael	NA	Feb 11, 1955	Dec 1978
1/02/06/06	Pennington	Connie	Elaine	McCall	May 27, 1958
1/02/06/06.S1	Morton Daniel	Patrick	NA	Oct 12, 1957	
1/02/06/06.S2	Pennington	Dale	Eugene	NA	Dec 24, 1956
1/02/06/06/01	Morton Sarah	Lynn	Morton	Jan 9, 1977	
1/02/06/06/02	Morton Sandy	Dawn	Morton	Nov 12, 1978	
1/02/06/07	Lydecker	Cathy	Diane	McCall	Jan 4, 1957
1/02/06/07.S1	Elson Robert	Lee	NA		_____
1/02/06/07.S2	Lydecker	Bruce	Mark	NA	Jan 10, 1955
1/02/06/07/01	Elson Shawn	Michael	NA	May 28, 1979	
1/02/06/08	Boyd Lisa	Christine		McCall	Jan 19, 1961
1/02/06/08.S1	Boyd Sr.	Donald	Lee	NA	_____
1/02/06/08/01	Boyd Donald	Lee Jr.	NA		_____
1/02/06/09	McCall Troy	Dean	NA	Jul 4, 1965	
1/02/06/09.S1	McCall Michelle		Lynn	Pharis	_____
1/02/06/09/01	McCall Amber	Nicole	McCall		_____
1/02/06/09/02	McCall Expecting			Oct1, 1989	_____
1/02/07	Farmer <u>Jack</u>	Donald	NA	Oct 12, 1929	Jun 6, 1988
1/02/07.S1	Farmer Janet				_____
1/02/07.S2	Farmer Linda	Faye	Dalton	Jul 20, 1943	
1/02/07/01	Farmer Shay		NA		_____
1/02/07/02	Farmer Richard		NA		_____
1/02/07/03	Farmer Phillip		NA		_____
1/02/07/03.S1	Farmer Susan				_____
1/02/07/04	Farmer Troy		NA		_____
1/02/07/05	Hyland Albert	James	NA	Oct 11, 1966	
1/02/07/05.S1	Hyland Joanna		Ballard	Apr 17, 1968	
1/02/07/06	Robinson	Kelli	Ann	Hyland	Sep 3, 1968
1/02/07/06.S1	Robinson	Brian		NA	Jan 16, 1967
1/02/07/06/01	Robinson	Tiffany	Nicole	Robinson	Jul 2, 1987
1/02/07/07	Hyland Kimberly	Jane	Hyland		_____
1/02/07/07/01	Hyland Brittany		J	Hyland	Aug 9, 1988
1/02/08	Farmer <u>James</u>	Royal	NA	Oct 14, 1931	
1/02/08.S1	Farmer Willa	Mae	Kimbler	Feb 21, 1928	
1/02/08/01	McDonald	Clarence	Rudy	NA	Apr 25, 1949

1/02/08/01.S1	McDonald	Sue	Cox	Oct 1, 1938	
1/02/08/01/01	Potter	Candy Sue	McDonald	Mar 20, 1970	
1/02/08/01/01.S1	Potter	James	NA		
1/02/08/01/01/01	Potter	Erin Michael	NA	May 19, 1988	
1/02/08/01/02	Potter	Cory Major	NA	Jul 30, 1974	
1/02/08/02	Fetter	Melodie	RayetteLee	Jul 17, 1951	
1/02/08/02.S1	Fetter	James Dale		Jan 24, 1949	
1/02/08/02/01	Fetter	RayettaDale	Fetter	Apr 22, 1970	
1/02/08/02/02	Fetter	Jamie Lee	Fetter	Aug 31, 1971	
1/02/08/02/03	Fetter	Jason Dale	NA	Jun 19, 1973	
1/02/09	Harper	<u>Wanda</u> Lee	Farmer	Aug 11, 1934	
1/02/09.S1	Carter	Paul Eddy	NA		
1/02/09.S2	Castle	Ralph	NA		
1/02/09.S3	Harper	Willard	NA		
1/02/09/01	Stidham	Debbie Lee	Carter	Nov 26, 1951	
1/02/09/01.S1	Stidham	Robert Wayne	NA		
1/02/09/01/01	Stidham	Melissa	Dawn	Stidham	
1/02/09/01/02	Stidham	Sandra	Lee	Stidham	
1/02/09/02	Carter	Diane			
1/02/09/03	Carter	Kevin Douglas	NA		
1/02/09/03.S1	Carter	Sue			
1/02/09/03.S2	Carter	Cindy			
1/02/09/03/01	Carter	Michael	NA		
1/02/09/03/02	Carter	Brian	NA		
1/02/09/04	Robinson	Kim	AnnetteCarter		
1/02/09/04.S1	Robinson	Tom	NA		
1/02/09/04/01	Robinson	Tomeika	Dawn	Robinson	
1/02/09/04/02	Robinson	Lisa Marie	Robinson		
1/02/09/04/03	Robinson	Eric	NA		
1/02/09/05	Dottie	Jolene Carter			
1/02/09/05.S1					
1/02/09/05/01		Tabatha			
1/02/09/05/02		Tasha			
1/02/09/05/03		Tammy			
1/02/09/05/04		Randi (G)			
1/02/09/06	Castle Jr	Ralph	NA		
1/02/09/06.S1	Castle	Patty			
1/02/09/06/01	Castle	Boy	NA		
1/02/09/06/02	Castle	Girl			
1/02/09/07	Castle	Donald	NA		
1/02/09/08	Tyler	Teresa June	Castle		
1/02/09/08.S1	Tyler Sr.	Jeff	NA		
1/02/09/08/01	Tyler Jr	Jeff	NA		
1/02/09/08/02	Tyler	Ty (B)	NA		
1/02/09/08/03	Tyler	HeatherDawn			
1/02/09/09	Castle	Brian	NA		
1/02/09/09.S1	Castle	Brends			
1/02/09/10	Harper	Jerry	NA		
1/02/09/10.S1	Harper	Teresa			
1/02/09/10/01	Harper	Girl			
1/02/09/10/02	Harper	Kerry Dawn			
1/02/09/10/03	Harper	Boy	NA		
1/02/09/11	Harper	Gary Lee	NA		
1/02/09/12	Harper	Terry (B)	NA		

NORA MAE "NORRIE" "Mommaw" was the 2nd child of William Clayton and Ida McKee Bowman. Although Nora was born at the Bowman Homestead in Lewis Fork, she was born in the old log house William and Ida lived in before William built the frame house.

Nora was always called Mommaw by her grandchildren.

Nora made most of the grandchildren's clothes. She tried to make sure they always had enough clothes for school.

She married John Dee Farmer. John Dee was usually called "Dewey" and had one of his sons named Dewey.

When John Dee Farmer died, he was sick with Hepatitis, and tuberculosis. He suffered from alcoholism.

Nora never remarried after John Dee died. She worked at sewing and her sons took care of her. Dewey especially told the other boys that they could go ahead and go off in the service and that as long as he lived he would look after their mother. He did all his life.

Nora lived out on what was called Buffalo for a number of years and then moved into a house she bought from her sister Grace at 2425 South 4th Street in Ironton, Ohio. That house is still in the Farmer family as of the time of writing this book.

Nora was a kind big hearted woman who always cooked up big chicken dinners when relatives came to visit. She always laughed off troubles and went on with life with a smile.

One of Nora's Grandsons was named "Junebug." Junebug said that he lived with so many different families as he was growing up, but he always felt that no matter which of the Bowman's he was with, he was always one of them. The bowmans always just set another plate at the table if anyone was around. They would give strangers the shirt off their backs without any effort.

LLOYD LEWIS SR.

Lloyd had another son named Gary Fungersaul who looks so much like him it is as though Lloyd were still alive. Gary still lives in Ironton

Lloyd's Father was Allen Whaley. Charles lived in Ironton Oh

Lloyd was in WW2 serving with the United States Army in India. He was a military policeman.

Lloyd Lewis was a PFC U.S. Army, born Aug 13, 1915 at Kenova W. Va. entered Service May 21 1942, went to Ft Knox, Ft Dix, served in India and Burma, Awarded 2 battle stars, Good Conduct Medal, Went to South Point Schools.

JOHN DEWEY "DEWEY"

Everyone has told me the story of how Dewey couldn't go into the Army due to a problem with his foot. When he learned this, he told all of his brothers that he would never get married as long as his mother was alive and that he would work and take care of the bills for his mother so all the other boys could go in the service.

Others outside the family have confirmed this about Dewey too. Dewey was, in actuality, the providing father of his mother Nora's children, many of her grandchildren, and their children too. He was a very responsible and kind person.

RUBY PEARL "RUBY"

She had 6 children and worked all her life to raise them. All six were extremely close to all her children. When Nora passed away, Aunt Grace took her place as kind of the grandmother to the family.

Two of her sons went into military service. One, Kenneth, was killed in Da Nang Vietnam in 1966. He was a squad leader in an infantry platoon. They were on a routine patrol and was killed in a fire fight with the Viet Cong.

Ruby and Kenneth ran a record store and Television repair shop in Shelby Ohio. It was on Main Street one block west of the center of town. They quit the business when Kenneth went to work at Wright Patterson Air Force Base as an electronic technician. They moved from Shelby to Springfield, Ohio at that time - 1965.

Ruby and Kenneth both had open heart surgery and Ruby was diabetic all her life. She inherited the illnesses from her mother. They seemed to have identically the same health pattern.

According to her children, Ruby was kind, thoughtful, caring, and very generous.

JOSEPH MARVIN "JOE"

Joseph Marvin was a Private First Class in the U.S. Army. He was born May 17, 1925 at Richland Virginia. He Entered the service in January of 1944 went through his Basic Combat Training and Advanced Infantry Training at Camp Blanding Florida and Fort

Meade Maryland before serving in combat in Italy and France. Joe was Killed In Action on January 03 1945. His most significant award was the Purple Heart. Joe graduated from South Point High School. He had papers appointing him an acting Corporal to the reception station 93rd FCS Bradley Field Connecticut in Dec 1944. He was given a full military funeral many years later and is buried in Coal Grove, OH

WILLIAM LUTHER "LUTHER" "BILL"

Luther was another responsible "One of the Farmer Boys."

He worked hard all his life at various jobs. He was always a leader and manager at most all of the jobs he held. He was especially helpful to his Aunt Clara when she first started into the grocery business. He and Clara's husband, Carl, operated the ice route for the ice station owned by Clara.

In later years Luther (Called Bill, Woo, and other nicknames) managed an automotive service station in Marion Ohio. His wife was an Executive Secretary and normally worked for one of the more affluent firms in Columbus. His sons were all quarterbacks and noted football players for the Marion High School.

One day in Burma, Luther was going through the chow line to get food and looked up to see his brother Lloyd serving the potatoes.

Luther served in the Military with an Engineer Battalion as a truck driver on the burma road.

William Luther Farmer was a Sergeant in the U.S. Army during World War II. He was born July 06 1923 at South Point, Ohio and entered military service in March of 1943. He went through training at Camp Crowder Missouri, Wright Field, Ohio and served as a truck driver in an Engineer Battalion in the India and Burma Theater. As ornery as he was reputed to be, he was still awarded the Good Conduct Medal. Luther attended South Point Delta High School.

RUTH LOUISE "JANIE"

JACK DONALD "JACK"

Jack was probably one of the most good natured persons anyone would ever want to meet.

Although never having any natural children, Jack's adopted children could never have found a better father than Jack. Jack always owned a fleet of dump trucks and could be counted on to help anyone move or haul things when they needed help.

While serving in the Army during World War II, Jack was trained as a cook and served with an Armored Division at Ft Hood, Texas and an Armored Division in occupied Germany.

JAMES ROYAL "BOB"

James Royal Farmer, otherwise more commonly know as "BOB" was a graduate of South Point High School and then entered the U.S. Navy right near the end of World War II.

Bob was named after Grace Louise Bowman's husband James Royal Campbell. James Royal Campbell was also called "Bob."

Like Jack, Bob chose to adopt a family. And if ever a family worked together as a family long after the children would normally have left home, Bob's family does. They all work together to run a restaraunt, in Coal Grove, Ohio, at Exit 243 on the South side of four lane Highway 52 that runs along the North side of the Ohio River. It's called Plaza 52.

Bob and his wife Willa Mae are rapidly becoming entrepreneurs. As their business prospers and they acquire more and more real estate and business interests. They are proving that you can make it big in Ironton and the local area.

One of Bob and Willa Mae's children lives in the house that Grace and Bob lived in during World War II - at 2825 South 4th Street in Ironton, Ohio. Bob and Willa Mae live in a very nice home at 631 Astabula Street in Ironton, Ohio.

WANDA MAE "WANDA"

Wanda has the distinction of having contributed more descendents to the Bowman family line than any other descendent of William Clayton and Ida McKee Bowman.

Wanda. Like Nora, has enjoyed the reputation of being a really loving mother to her children - even though there were a great number.

Although having somewhat of a hard life, she always made sure her children came first. There would be no sacrifice she would not make to assure they had the food, clothing, and necessities of life.

CHAPTER 6
CLARA BELLE BOWMAN BASHAM

1/03	BashamClara	Belle	Bowman	Aug 24, 1900	Deceased
1/03.S1	BashamCarl	Edward	NA	_____	Deceased

CLARA BELLE "AUNT C" was born on August 24, 19-- at the William Clayton & Ida McKee Bowman farmhouse in North Kenova, Ohio.

She was always referred to as "Clara," although having the nickname of "Tad" when she was a young girl.

She graduated from Solida School and attended South Point High School until her sister Nora needed her to help with the children.

COLUMBUS, OHIO

Clara lived several places in Columbus until renting a half of a duplex at 90 East 11th Avenue.

While working at a restaraunt in Ironton she met her husband Carl Edward Basham. After they were married they lived in a small house in Coal Grove until they moved to Columbus. They never had any children.

Clara, and her sister Grace were working at Kroger Baking Company when Grace met her husband James Royal Campbell. Clara lived on Cleveland Ave first and then Essex Avenue near 11th Avenue before moving to the duplex at 110 11th.

After about 25 years of marriage, Clara divorced Carl and struck out on her own. Carl was a Brakeman and Conductor on the Norfolk and Western Railroad. He traveled between Portsmouth and Columbus. While on layover in Portsmouth he always stayed at the railroaders hotel. It had a large porch on the front where the railroaders would sit in rocking chairs and watch the cars going past on the highway below. He worked as a dispatcher for a trucking company whenever he was laid off from the railroad.

While at 90 East 11th Ave., Clara purchased a small grocery called the Indianola market on the southwest corner of Indianola and 11th Avenues - which was almost diagonally across from her house on 11th. The grocery had a meat department where she cut meat to order, sold sandwich meats sliced from large tubes, cheeses were sliced to order from large block pieces, and there was an old fashioned ice cooled soft drink cooler in the front of the store where she stocked cold beer and "pop." It was always filled with cold water with pieces of ice floating around among the bottles of Coca-Cola and Red Top Beer.

The grocery also operated an "Ice House" where people could purchase blocks of 25, 50, or 100 pounds of ice for their ice box refrigerators (that's why many people continued to call their refrigerator an ice box for many years after ice was replaced by electricity).

The grocery also came with an Ice Route requiring a 1 1/2 ton stake bodied truck to haul the ice around the local neighborhood. They regularly serviced homes requiring a delivery of ice two to three times per week. Her husband Carl, and Clara's nephew, William Luther Farmer, worked the route and helped her in the store for many years. Her sister Grace's son, Joseph Earl Campbell, also helped Luther with the route as one of his first jobs. Luther was also nicknamed "Woo." The work was strenuous. The men had to carry the ice from the truck up narrow and often winding stairs to the second and third floors. They had a leather cover over one shoulder on which they carried the ice held by large metal "Ice Tongs." The ice came from Murarry Coal and Ice Company in 300 pound cakes with the ice scored so the men could cut off a block of 25, 50, or 100 pounds with their "Ice Pick."

After living many years at 110 East 11th, Clara moved into her home at 87 East Northwood Avenue. She remained in that home until she later had a stroke. It was a very large brick home with enough rooms she was able to rent the bedrooms on the second and third floor rooms to students attending Ohio State University. She made enough money from her rentals to more than pay for the home.

Clara sold the Indianola Market for a good profit and purchased a larger grocery store and meat market (which she named "Clara's Market") at the corner of Weber Road and McGuffy in the northeast part of Columbus - then called Lindon. She was also very successful in the new store to the point she finally sold it and had enough money on which to retire. This store had a soda fountain in the back room. She made the greatest profit from the sale of cold beer and meat that was cut to order.

Shortly after Clara retired, she had a stroke that left her unable to speak clearly for the rest of her life. Since none of the relatives had the ability to provide the care she needed, Clara entered the Mann Nursing Home in Westerville, Ohio where she remained until her death on ___1986.

OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION

Although Clara never had any children of her own, her sister Nora's children (especially Luther), Grace's children (especially Joseph) and Ottie Marie's children (especially Clarence) and Theodore's daughter (Evelyn), all spent many months living with Clara. All of her nieces and nephews liked to go visit her for a day, a week, a month, or even a year or so, as Clara always freely provided everything anyone could want in the way of free room and board & refreshments. In addition, Clara was the first to have a television set or any other new device that was entertaining. She was a

most willing soft touch for all her brother's and sister's children.

CHAPTER 7

SAMUEL VINTON BOWMAN

1/04	Bowman	Samuel Vinton	NA	Jan 10, 1902	May 23, 1955
1/04.S1	Bowman	BlancheLena	Burke	Jun 10, 1913	
1/04/01	Wilcoxen	Treva Dawn	Bowman		Apr 23, 1946
1/04/01.S1	Brown Robert	Edward	NA	Jan 18, 1945	
1/04/01.S2	Wilcoxen	Gary	HarmonNA	Mar18, 1955	
1/04/01/01	Brown Robin	Dawn	Brown	Aug 5, 1968	
1/04/01/02	Wilcoxen	Gary	Vinton NA	Nov 17, 1972	
1/04/01/03	Wilcoxen	Tonya	MelindaWilcoxen	Mar 11, 1975	

Samuel Vinton Bowman was born at the Bowman homestead on the Lewis Fork Creek on January 10, 1903.

He worked in the coal mines in West Virginia until he died of "Black Lung" disease.

Sam stayed a bachelor for quite a while before getting married to Blanche.

Sam and Theodore both helped their father on the farm. They always wore overalls.

Sam lived in a small house near Huntington West Virginia at the time of his death.

Treva remembers being in Beckley and the crib was in the bedroom. then moved Pliney on Route 17. They lived in an old farm house for about 7 years. Moved there in 1948-49 and stayed there until Sam died in 1955. Treva lived in the same house again after she became an adult and while there it burned down. They lost everything they had including genealogical information. Take the honeycut road south at the 5 & 20 (5 & 20 is the name of a creek running through Pliney) bridge. The house was about 120 feet south of the bridge on the East side of the road.

After Sam died Treva and Blanche moved into a small apartment on Madison Avenue in Point Pleasant. They only stayed there for a couple months before going to Parkersburg where Blanche became ill with cancer and was bed ridden for almost two years. Aunt Ruby found them and persuaded them to move back to Beckley.

Treva did not know why Blanche moved so much until later when she found out that Sam and Blanche did not ever want Treva to know she was adopted and they tried to stay away from the family.

They went to Florida and Blanche and Treva were in a really bad car accident. Blanche was in the hospital for a year. She had 22 broken bones. They then moved back to West Virginia.

Treva remembers little about her father as she was only 9 when he died. She remembered driving in the lumber truck with her father from Pliney to Olive Hill Kentucky. He delivered lumber after he retired from the mines. He retired because he got sick with Black Lung disease. It started as pneumonia and progressed until the coal dust in his lungs got him.

When Sam went to town he had to hitch a ride with someone as they seldom owned a car. When they did, it usually didn't run. Blanche would give him a long list of things to get from the store. Treva Dawn would give him a list too. You could bet that Sam would be a little in the dog house when he would repeatedly get everything on Treva Dawn's list and then he would buy the rest of what he could carry from Blanche's list.

Blanche and Sam had lived in California in 1944. Sam worked in the Oakland shipyards during World War II. But the call of the river brought them back to Ohio.

Treva remembers Blanche as being strict and Sam as more than willing to let her get by with anything. Treva only remembers getting one whipping from Sam - and that was when she was cutting up in church. When Treva was about 8 year old, Treva's girl friend had staeyd overnight with her. Sam had told them that if they weren't reverent, made noise, or cut up in church, he would give them a whipping. They both got to giggling and "cutting up." During church, while it was going on, Sam didn't say a word. When they got home he went straight to the cherry tree and cut a switch and gave them both a licking.

Sam always took Treva fishing down at the 5 & 20 creek or on the Kanawah River. Just the two of them in one boat - Sam had Treva sit on one end and him on the other. Blanche would always sit at home going hysterical with worry that Treva Dawn might fall out of the boat and drown. Sam always wore the same old bibbed overalls and his floppy fishing hat. They used night crawlers for bait. Treva and Sam would catch them out in the front yard the night before. You used a flash light and you had to grab them quick before they could go back down in their holes.

Treva was adopted in 1946 when she was 6 weeks old.

Part of her life Blanche was an orphan. Her mother died of appendicitis when she was about 8 or 9 years old. Blanche's father couldn't take care of all 7 children. So, they were split up among the relatives. Blanche, Willie (Blanche's sister), and Pat (Blanche's brother), lived with their Grandfather Bill Burke (on the Father's side) until he got sick. Then Blanche and Willie were sent to an orphanage and Pat went back to live with her father. Later, when Bill Burke got better, Blanche returned from the orpahanage to live with him again. Finally Blanche too went back to live with her real father. The children called Grandfather, Bill Burke, "Uncle Bill."

Treva says she does not remember of her parents having even the slightest argument. Sam was the kindest man. She says she remembers that her friends were always able to go places in their car and she never got to go anywhere as Sam didn't have a car and was always sick or too weak to do much.

Treva completed the Huntington School of Beauty Culture and became a registered and licensed beautician. From the age of 14, Treva always worked because she had to. She graduated from Edgewater High School in Orlando Florida.

Treva's first husband was a Black & Decker franchise operator in Orange County Florida. He later had his own truck to sell tools right at the job site.

Her second husband was a mechanic able to work on any and every kind of automobile.

Treva was 33 years of age before she found out she was adopted. It came as quite a surprise to her.

Sam started in the mines when she was quite young.

CHAPTER 8

RUBY AVIS BOWMAN SPARKS CREED

1/05	Creed Ruby Avis Bowman	Jan 27, 1905
1/05.S1	Sparks Wilson Ferris NA	Apr 12, 1898 Jun 1932
1/05.S2	Creed Tommy NA	_____
1/05/01	Sparks James Samuel NA	Jun 22, 1922 Died 23 Yrs ago
1/05/01.S1	Sparks Irene	Goins _____
1/05/01.S2	Sparks Mary	_____
1/05/01.S3	Sparks Evelyn	_____
1/05/01/01	Sparks Thomas Franklin NA	Jan 30, 1940
1/05/01/01.S1	Sparks Shirley Elaine Harmon	Jun 6, 1942
1/05/01/01/01	Berry Barbara Jean Sparks	_____
1/05/01/01/01.S1	Berry Steven Michael	_____
1/05/01/01/02	Sparks James Edward NA	Feb 19, 1967
1/05/01/01/02.S1	Sparks Lisa Kay Canterbury	Jul 22, 1968
1/05/01/01/02/01	Sparks II James Edward NA	May 26, 1988
1/05/01/02	Sparks Sr. Roger Lee NA	Sep 30, 1941
1/05/01/02.S1	Sparks Virginia Chitwood	_____ 1984
1/05/01/02/01	Sparks Jenifer Louise Adopted	Jun 19, 1968
1/05/01/02/02	Sparks Jr. Roger Lee NA	Feb 2, 1970
1/05/02	Sparks Sr. George William NA	Nov 4, 1923
1/05/02.S1	Sparks Olga Maria Kosman	Aug 25, 1926
1/05/02/01	Sparks Jr. George William NA	Jul 25, 1948
1/05/02/01.S1	Sparks Karyn Diane Lankford	Jun 26, 1946
1/05/02/01/01	Sparks Rachael Dorothy Sparks	Jun 5, 1976
1/05/02/01/02	Sparks Andrew Jared NA	Sep 11, 1978
1/05/02/01/03	Sparks Tyler William NA	Jun 19, 1982
1/05/02/02	Sparks Sr. Michael Wilson NA	Dec 15, 1950
1/05/02/02.S1	Sparks Kathryn Lynn Lowe	Feb 9, 1951
1/05/02/02/01	Sparks Jr. Michael Wilson NA	Jul 7, 1974
1/05/02/02/02	Sparks Lori Rene Sparks	Oct 13, 1978
1/05/02/03	Sommerville Patti Maria Sparks	May 17, 1954
1/05/02/03.S1	Sommerville Samuel Paul NA	Dec 9, 1955
1/05/02/03/01	Sommerville Meagen Maria Sommerville	May 17, 1981
1/05/02/03/02	Sommerville Adrienne Beth Sommerville	Jul 22, 1983
1/05/02/04	Sparks Dale Andrew NA	Jul 7, 1958
1/05/03	Sparks Sr. Fred Edward NA	Feb 4, 1925
1/05/03.S1	Sparks Macel Ellen Elmore	_____
1/05/03/01	Lester Ann Louise Sparks	_____
1/05/03/01.S1	Lester Sr. Henry C. NA	_____
1/05/03/01/01	Williams Violet Michelle Sparks	_____
1/05/03/01/01.S1	Williams Daniel NA	_____
1/05/03/01/01/01	Williams Heather Lynn Williams	_____
1/05/03/01/02	Diley Christy Lynn Sparks	_____
1/05/03/01/02.S1	Diley Lester NA	_____
1/05/03/01/03	Lester Jr. Henry C. NA	_____
1/05/03/02	Mitchell Ruby Avis Sparks	_____
1/05/03/02.S1	Mitchell II Jerry Paul NA	_____
1/05/03/02/01	Mitchell Linda Ellen Mitchell	_____

1/05/03/02/02	Mitchell	Ruby	Lynn	Mitchell	_____
1/05/03/02/03	Mitchell III	Jerry	Paul	NA	_____
1/05/03/03	Sparks Jr	Fred	Edward	NA	_____
1/05/03/03.S1	Sparks Janet	Elaine	Thomas	_____	
1/05/03/04	Gardner	Kathy	Lynn	Sparks	_____
1/05/03/04.S1	Gardner	James		NA	_____
1/05/03/04/01	Gardner	Billy	Jo	Gardner	_____
1/05/03/04/02	Gardner	Margaret		Elizabeth	GARDNER _____
1/05/03/04/03	Gardner	Daniel	Edward	NA	_____
1/05/03/05	Sparks David	Wayne		NA	_____
1/05/03/05.S1	Sparks Lena			Gove	_____
1/05/03/05.S2	Sparks Elizabeth			Thomas	_____
1/05/03/05/01	Sparks Macel	Marie	Sparks		_____
1/05/03/05/02	Sparks II	David	Wayne	NA	_____
1/05/03/05/03	Sparks Janet	Rene	Sparks		_____
1/05/04	Zankowitz	Margaret		Louise Sparks	Nov 29, 1926
1/05/04.S1	Zankowitz	Joseph		NA	Sep 29, 1926
1/05/04/01	Zankowitz	Joseph	NMI	NA	Jul 23, 1956
1/05/04/01.S1	Zankowitz	Kathryn		Susan Chaffin	Aug 1958
1/05/04/01/01	Zankowitz	Amy Marie	Zankowitz		Mar 6, 1981
1/05/04/02	Zankowitz	Thomas	Louis	NA	Jan 11, 1963
1/05/04/02.S1	Zankowitz	Diedra	Leen	Davenport	Aug 1962
1/05/05	Atkinson	Jane	Ann	Sparks	Nov 22, 1928
1/05/05.S1	Atkinson	Harry	Beuran	NA	Aug 24, 1924
1/05/05/01	McClure	Deborah		Avis Atkinson	Jun 22, 1949
1/05/05/01.S1	McClure	David	Martin	NA	Apr 20, 1947
1/05/05/01/01	McClure	Amanda		Jane McClure	Jun 22, 1976
1/05/05/01/02	McClure	Carrie	Elizabeth	McClure	Oct 21, 1977
1/05/05/02	Atkinson	Barney	Mark	NA	_____
1/05/05/02.S1	Atkinson	Mary	Edith	DeLorenzo	_____
1/05/05/02/01	Atkinson	Kelli	Dawn	McClure	Apr 12, 1973
1/05/05/02/02	McClure	Kristin	Ann		Feb 19, 1977
1/05/05/03	Atkinson	William	Guy	NA	_____
1/05/05/03.S1	Atkinson	Sharon	Linn	Riffe	_____
1/05/05/03/01	Atkinson II	William	Guy	NA	Oct 16, 1984
1/05/05/03/02	Atkinson	Samuel	Robert	NA	Aug 18, 1987
1/05/05/04	Eller Karen	Ann	Atkinson		Nov 13, 1959
1/05/05/04.S1	Eller Ross	Edward	NA		_____
1/05/06	Sparks Major	Wilson	NA		Apr 15, 1930
1/05/06.S1	Norma Jean	Fielder			May
1/05/06/01	Sparks Linda				May 1, 1954
1/05/06/01.S1	Muth Jay				_____
1/05/06/02	Morrissey	Brenda			_____
1/05/06/02.S1	Clevenger				_____
1/05/06/02.S2	Morrissey	John			_____
1/05/06/02.S2?	Muth Christopher				_____
1/05/06/02/01	Clevenger	Sarah			_____
1/05/06/02/02	Morrissey	Amy			_____
1/05/06/02/03	Morrissey	Brian			_____
1/05/06/02/04	Morrissey	Travis			_____
1/05/06/03	Green Sandie		Sparks		_____
1/05/06/03.S1	Green				_____

Ruby Avis Bowman Sparks Creed was born January 16, 1904, on a small farm near South Point, Ohio. She was the 5th of 10 children of William Clayton Bowman and Ida McKee Bowman.

Very little is know about her early childhood. As a teenager she was visiting an older sister in Richlands, Virginia when she met Wilson Ferris Sparks - a 20 year old from Babtist Valley, Virginia, which is a farming community near Cedar Bluff, Virginia. They were married and shortly afterwards moved to Yukon, McDowell County, West Virginia. The Yukon area had rich coalfields and an abundance of coal mining jobs. Ruby and Wilson, more regularly called "Major" set up housekeeping in a 4 room coal company owned house.

On June 22, 1922 their first child was born, a son named James Samuel Sparks. On Nov 4, 1923, a second child was born, George William Sparks. A third son was born on February 4, 1925, Fred Edward Sparks.

James Samuel was named after Ruby's brother Samuel Bowman. George William was named after Major's father George Washington Sparks of Babtist Valley, Virginia.

Sometime in 1925 or 1926 Ruby and Major moved to Cranberry, West Virginia where he accepted a job as a coal miner with the New River Coal Company. In Cranberry they also lived in a 4 room house owned by the coal company. The house was located behind the present day Cranberry Prosperity grade school. There, on November 29, 1926, their 4th child was born - Margaret Louise Sparks.

Shortly after the birth of Margaret Lousie, Ruby and Major moved back to Yukon and on November 22, 1928, their 5th child, Jane Ann Sparks, was born. Jane Ann was named after Major's step-mother, Jane Wagner Sparks of Lewisburg, West Virginia. Jane Wagner was a second marriage for George Washington Sparks as his first wife, Elizabeth "Jenny" Faris Sparks died on February 28, 1914.

The 6th and final childborn to Ruby and Major was born on April 15, 1930. He was named Major Wilson Sparks - taking his father's nickname and also his first name. He was later called junior although technically he did not have his father's full name.

In 1930 Ruby and Major moved to Wingrove, West Virginia and lived in a small coal mining camp located near Oak Hill West Virginia. Major once again worked for the New River Coal Company at a mine at Carlyle, West Virginia - about 5 miles away from there house.

Both James and George started the 1930 school year in a 1 room frame school house - James in the 2nd and George in the 1st grade.

These were hard times for Ruby and Major as they lived in a 4 room company temporary house in a section dominated by negro families. All 6 of the children slept in one room. One room, of the 4 room house, was used to store wood and coal to heat the house in the winter - as wood or coal left outside didn't last long.

In the spring of 1931, Ruby and Major moved from the temporary housing at Wingrove to the main village of the New River Coal Company at Whipple, West Virginia. The living conditions in Whipple were much better. They lived in an all white community in a long row of 4 room frame houses with neat whitewashed oak board picket fences, grassy lawns, vegetable gardens, and plenty of room under the front porch to store the wood for the winter. Major continued working at the Carlyle mine.

Coal company homes were generally cold in the winter. The homes had no insulation. It took a lot of wood and coal to keep them warm. There was an open coal fireplace in two of the rooms and a coal fired cook stove in the kitchen. The house stayed comfortable until the temperature fell to zero degrees or below.

In those days the New River Coal Company was the largest coal producing company in Raliegh and Fayette Counties. The employees, and their families, took great pride in all the many company owned towns. Maintenance and upkeep of the housing areas was always a top priority. Each house was given a fresh coat of paint on a regular basis. The company furnished plenty of lime to whatewash the fences. Each family was required to whitewash their fence at least once a year.

Whipple had a large company owned store with a pool room and barbershop. Each company owned town had a doctor and school large enough to accomodate the children of all the families in that town.

Ruby and Major were very well liked and quite popular among their friends. They made many friends who lasted for a lifetime. Unfortunately, since coal mining was a very dangerous job, a lifetime was sometimes not too long. Many of the men woking in the mines were either killed or severely injured at a very early age.

Ruby always lived in constant fear each time she saw an ambulance go from Carlyle through Whipple on it's way to the hospital. The ambulance always meant someone had been killed or seriously injured. And, on july 11, 1932, Ruby's fears were realized. One of the three ambulances leaving the Carlyle mine carried Major who had become the victim of a mining accident. Major died at the Oak Hill Hospital on July 13, 1932.

Louise remembers Ruby standing at the whitewashed fence talking with a neighbor, Mrs Kidwell. Major was late coming home and the entire community knew there had been an accident at the mine. Louise saw the man walking down the long row of neat white fences bring the bad news to someone in her row. The closer he came the more apprehensive Ruby got. After telling Ruby it was Major who was injured, Louise and the family went to the Oak Hill Hospital to see Major before he died. Louise could

never remember what he looked like.

Ruby was left a widow with 6 small children with the oldest ten and the youngest 2 years old. Her life was devastated. The children said that it was only because of her strong religious convictions and faith in God that she had the strength to pull through the tragedy.

The accident, that killed Major, was caused by two young men leaving a gate open at the mouth of a 300 foot shaft used to transport men and supplies up and down in the mine. They allowed an underground coal car get loose and it plunged to the bottom of the shaft where Major and several other men were waiting to be transported to the surface. Three of the men were killed and three or four others were severely injured.

Ruby was no longer permitted to live in Whipple and after, a time, moved into the Warden House at Calloway Heights, West Virginia. It was a large 10 room house that rented for \$30 per month. This left her with only another \$30 to feed and clothe her children and pay the utilities - as the West Virginia Workmans Insurance Compensation check was only \$60 per month.

In the fall of 1932 4 children started at the Teel Elementary School - James in 5th, George in 4th, Fred in 2nd and Louise in the 1st grade. It was a stone's throw from their house.

Shortly after moving to Calloway Heights, Ruby met Thomas William "Tommy" Creed and they were married. God apparently answered Ruby's prayers. This man was a Godsend. What other man would marry a woman with 6 children and take them as his own to raise. And, according to the children, he did it admirably - they loved him as their father.

Sometime in 1933, Ruby and Tommy moved to Cranberry, West Virginia into another town owned by the New River Coal Company. Tom worked in the mines as a coal cutting machine operator. His job was to cut a long narrow deep slot across the bottom face of the coal. Then he would drill long deep 1" or 2" holes and tamp them full of explosives. He would then set off an electric blasting cap with a battery. The coal would fall down from the top of the shaft and another crew would later come in and load the coal into underground mine cars to be hauled to the surface.

Ruby's lifestyle improved as Cranberry was an even more beautiful community than Whipple. The town had a school, church, theater, and recreation center. Also the economic situation, throughout the United States, was improving after the stock market crash in 1929. There was a distinct improvement each year from 1933 through 1940.

Besides, from 1933 to 1940, Cranberry had one of the best baseball teams in the coalfield leagues. A great deal of pride was taken by the community in their baseball team.

The seven years Ruby lived in Cranberry were probably the best of her life. Tom was working every day. Wages were slowly going up and working conditions improving. Mine safety was being emphasized. Mine safety rescue squads were formed. For many years Tom competed in many of the rescue squad competitions. He was one of the best.

Tom and Ruby became prosperous enough to own an automobile. Their only other luxury was a floor model Stewart Warner radio - which all of the family spent many an evening listening to together. They especially remembered "Amos & Andy" and the "Innersanctum Mystery Series".

Other than the car and the radio, Ruby was not accustomed to many of the luxuries we now take for granted. There was no indoor plumbing until 1941. All her cooking was done on a coal stove with an oven on one side and a hot water tank on the other. Across the top of the stove was a storage and warmer shelf with a roll up type door.

Ruby was an excellent cook. Her most memorable meals were biscuits with brown gravy and eggs. Bacon and Ham were not always available. The evening meals were more often brown beans, potatoes, gravy, and biscuits. Beef and other meats were rare on the table.

Tom, for a number of years, raised a pig or two. The family would butcher in the fall and the meat was canned and salted for the winter months.

Even though there was no indoor plumbing, Ruby made absolutely certain her 6 children got a bath once a week in a large oval galvanized metal wash tub which she also used to do the laundry. She tried very hard to keep the children especially clean in the winter as the living conditions made the itch and head lice common among school children of the coal mining communities. Sulphur and lard were the common treatments for itch. Under Ruby's proud and watchful eye, her children rarely had the itch and never had head lice.

Some of Ruby's closest lifetime friends were made when she and Major moved to Cranberry in 1925 or 1926. They were Charles and Hoda Allen, Huey and Agnes Webb, Beecher and Mildred Cummings. Later there were the Creed Family, Dee and Jessie Acord, The Phipps, Coleys, Williams and many more too numerous to mention.

In the late 1930s Ruby was instrumental in helping to organize and build the Cranberry Community Church. By 1941 she had seen most all of her children accept Christ and they were bapitized in the creek just above the modern day Beckley Plaza. The church was started from payroll deductions through the mining company. Today that church has grown and expanded to include all the modern day conveniences including a gymnasium.

Prior to 1940 the coal company dominated the coal miner. The miner bought his food

and clothing from the company store. His rent was deducted from his payroll. The company issued their own scrip which could be drawn like a cash advance but was always deducted from his paycheck each payday. Then, beginning in the 1940s, the coal miner made more money, the unions were stronger. With more money the miners started buying their own homes and moved out of the company owned houses.

Ruby and Tommy bought their first and only house in 1940. It was a small frame house on a 3 acre lot. They had inside plumbing with plenty of room for expansion and gardens. Later, two other houses and a small grocery store were built on the property.

By 1940, James had already married Irene Goins from Backus Mountain, Fayette County. He was 17 when he left home. Ruby's children were leaving the nest. In 1941 George enlisted in the U.S. Navy to serve in World War II. George was quite the rebellious young man at that age. Tommy had trouble controlling him and they often quarreled and occasionally ended up in physical confrontation. Fred also joined the U.S. Navy and Ruby's flock was getting smaller.

Although Ruby was losing her sons a little prematurely, Roger and Little Tommy (Sons of James and Irene) came to live with Ruby as James and Irene's marriage was on the rocks.

James did not want to settle down. He went from job to job. He was constantly drinking and seemed more interested in wine, women, and song. His wife Irene, although from a very good family, also seemed to lacking in becoming a responsible parent. So, Ruby and Tommy gave a hand to Jame's boys.

Ruby and Tom built a small grocery store on the corner of the lot and worked it for many years before selling it to J.W. Kessinger.

Ruby then went to work for Mr Daniels, who operated a grocery business for many years on Johnstown Road in Beckley, West Virginia. She met many people and made friends real easy.

Her daughter Jane Ann's remarks about her mother were: that Ruby was her best friend; she was a kind and loving person; a person whom others would confide in; a very hard worker doing the job herself rather than ask someone else to do the work; although doing the work for two people, she never felt sorry for herself or complained; She was a very unselfish person. When Ruby was wearing a piece of jewelery, and someone would comment on it or express they admired it, she would take it off and give it to them right on the spot - no matter what it's value

Jane Ann said she would never forget the delicious hot potato soup and cornbread Ruby made. Ruby made excellent fried chicken and homemade candy on her marble slab. There was always plenty to eat. Ruby always had enough to feed any number of unexpected company.

Ruby taught her children high moral values. She taught them to be right at all times. She demanded respect and allowed no sassing. Jane Ann said that she could never remember sassing her mother.

Ruby was dependable. If she said she'd do it, she did it.

Ruby liked to play Rook and would stay up quite late if she could get a good game going.

Jane Ann had the pleasure of working with Ruby in their store (Owned by Jane Ann and Beuran) for several years.

Jane Ann stated it was Ruby that encouraged her to be saved and that she would never forget that James went forward at the same time Jane Ann did.

Ruby always carried other people's burdens. She always adopted someone to do something special for or to like them in a special way. She was called "Maw Maw" by many people almost her own age.

According to Jane, most of all Ruby was a true born again Christian and a charter member of the Open Bible Baptist Church and a staunch leader for many many years.

Louise says that she remembers the day Tommy and Ruby were married. Louise was standing at the end of the road waiting for them to come back and rode the running board back up to the house on Warden Lane in Calloway, West Virginia.

After they moved back to Cranberry, Louise remembers Ruby would trade coal company scrip for \$.80 on the \$1.00 to enable Ruby to go to Beckley to buy better clothes for the children. She also bought used clothes from Mildred Cummins who had a daughter slightly older than Louise and Jane Ann. Many time Ruby would take Louise and the other children to Richlands to see Major's family. They always had to ride in the rumble seat. Louise says, that when discipline was needed, Ruby would require the children to go and cut their own switch - and it better be a good one or else. When Ruby gave one of the children the "evil eye" they knew they'd better shape up and be good immediately or Ruby would come down on them. Louise says she'll never forget the firecness in those brown eyes.

We had a small garden at Cranberry and she would make us pick bugs off the beans and potatoes and put them in a glass covered jar. Louise said she hated that job. If she sent us to the store we didn't dare say "make someone else go" or "I don't want to go" said Louise.

After moving to Calloway Heights from whipple, Louise remembers going to school and the teacher asking what they had for breakfast and she said "nothing". She's

not really sure if she really didn't have anything to eat or if it was just a childish remark, however, the teacher lived in the neighborhood and took her home and fed her.

After moving to Hedrick St., Louise heard Ruby remark about how happy she was having her own home, but it was very difficult and sad for her to send her sons off to war. "She really grieved, especially when they sent their clothes back from boot camp training", said Louise.

Ruby loved to make fried chicken and had the strangest way of killing the chicken. She would step on the chicken's head and pull it off. Louise said she didn't have the heart to cut it's head off. (I,m sure it wasn't any easier on the poor chicken whichever way she did it). Potatoe salad was another one of her specialties and believe me it was mouth watering, said Louise.

Ruby enjoyed fishing and would go with anyone who would take her. In June and July she loved to go to George's river camp on the Greenbrier river, and fish. She always managed to fall in and get soaked, but it was always on purpose.

The thirty years Ruby lived on Hedrick St., I'm sure were very happy ones and she was always a good neighbor to friends that lived around her. We have never heard a harsh word spoken of her by a neighbor, and there was a great number of them. Joe B., Josie Ashworth, John and Ruby Mays, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kessinger and the Pack family and Christian family were a few that had fond memories.

Ruby's closest friend was Hoda Allen who lived on Hendrick St. also. Ruby first met Hoda and Charlie Allen when "Major" and Ruby first moved to Cranberry in 1926. The Allens lived near by and a friendship developed that lasted through the remainder of their lives.

It was in the early 1930's that this friendship was probably permanently bonded during the illness and death of Hoda's oldest son Charles, Jr. He was 12 or 13 years old, a very industrious boy with a paper route, was very well liked in the community. Charles, Jr. contracted spinal meningitis and died shortly thereafter.

Sometime in 1939 or 1940 Charlie and Hoda Allen bought a house on Bailey Ave. and moved out of Cranberry. I'm sure this is why Ruby chose to live on Hedrick St.

Ruby also had another dear and life long friend named Edna Bryan Bryner. This was a friendship that I believe started at Whipple, WV. in Fayette County sometime in the early 1930s. I can remember Edna coming to our home at Whipple with her daughter, Louise, a babe in arms probably less than 3 months old. Edna was hiding from her first husband Sam Bryan. They were having marital problems and apparently Sam was a violent person. She was extremely afraid of him as he had beat her on occasions. From that day on Edna never lived with Sam Bryan. They were later

divorced and she married Clyde Bryner.

In 1950 Ruby discovered she had pelvic cancer. This was a very sad time for her and Tom as well as all the family. She started a series of radiation treatments at Beckley, WV. The Lord was good to Ruby and let her live cancer free for 20 years before she finally succumbed to the dreaded disease.

Ruby Bowman Sparks Creed died Jan. 21, 1970 on an examining table in the National Institute of Health Hospital in Bethesda, Md. Her last words were "I can't breathe, I'm going to die." Tom flew her body back to Beckley, WV and she was interned in the beautiful Blue Ridge Memorial Gardens in Prosperity, WV. Ruby loved her immediate family. She was very close to her sisters Oattie and Nora, Ivalea and her brother Samuel.

Oattie married Travis Pruett and she and Ruby lived in the same community of Yukon and were next door neighbors for the first few years of their married lives. Oattie and Travis later moved to Wyoming County where they spent the rest of their lives in and around Kopperston and Oceana area.

Samuel Bowman, Ruby's brother was also very close to her and for a number of years he lived in Cranberry, WV at the same time Ruby and Tom lived there. "Sam" met his wife Blanch Lena Burke at Cranberry and they were married on 1-19-1935. They never had any children of their own but did adopt a daughter Treva Dawn.

"Sam" worked in the coal mines all his working life and contracted "Black Lung" silicosis from breathing coal and rock dust, causing his death on May 25, 1955 at Pliny, WV.

Ruby always looked forward to having her nephews stop and visit. Dewey, Jack, and Lloyd Farmer would do so often.

----- Notes from the visit at Jane Ann's house-----

Ruby was born January 16, 1905

She must have finished college because of all the smart kids she had.

After getting out of school she went to live with her sister Nora in Richlands, Virginia.

Aunt "Bett" Thompson introduced her to Wilson Ferris "Major" Sparks who was from Baptist Valley Virginia (Tazwell County). They were married on September 9, 1921 and set up housekeeping in Yukon. All of her children were born in Yukon W.Va. - except Louise who was born in Cranberry.

He was a coal miner. As the job demands increased in McDowell County, Ruby and Major moved to Lomax. He was killed in a coal mining accident at the early age of 32. He and several other miners were standing at the bottom of a shaft waiting to be transported to the surface when a coal car fell down the 500-600 foot shaft. Major lived only a couple days in the hospital before he died.

Major's grandfather (sometimes called a tightwad) did visit Major in the hospital but was somewhat reluctant to provide funds to help defray the expenses from the accident.

Every time Ruby visited her sister Nora's house, she would take something. When Nora came to visit Ruby, she would bring something else in return. It was always a big joke when they did these kind of crazy things. The family was always a "joking and fun poking bunch."

Ruby was a hard worker who loved fried chicken, ice cream and watermelon. She had a hard life raising her 6 children and 2 grandchildren during hard times.

She was a mischievous person. She loved to go fishing and would find some reason to fall into the water if the temperature got a little high.

She was a widow for only a year when she married Thomas William Creed "Tommy" in about 1933 She remained married to Tommy until her death on January 21, 1970. Although she had cancer, she died from a heart attack following radical surgery of the female organs.

Ruby and Tommy worked at the Atkinson's Super market for many years. Ruby was the produce manager and held down a man's job. She was a very strong and sturdy woman.

JAMES SAMUEL born June 22, 1922 at Yukon W.Va.

He was 16 when he married his first wife Irene Goins at Beckley W.Va.

He was married four or five times.

He worked in automotive Auto Parts departments for various automotive dealers and service agencies around Columbus, Ohio and Huntington W. VA.

Died in Columbus, Ohio. Was advised to have heart surgery after his first heart attack but he said no.

GEORGE WILLIAM November 4, 1923 at Yukon W.VA.

Was the owner of a Television and appliance store in Beckly West Virginia.

After he retired he liked to play golf and was a good player.

FRED EDWARD

Sheet metal worker making heating & Air conditioning - a journeyman fabrication and installation expert.

Was in the Navy aboard a transport ship during World War II and said that of all the troops from all the different countries they ever had on the transport, the British were the only people he never cared to associate with again - they were a dirty lot.

His wife said he was the greatest ever born. We never asked what he was greatest at, but his shirt had A-1 Grandpa printed across the front.

MARGARET LOUISE

Was a Licensed Practical Nurse who trained and worked most of the time at Baltimore City Hospital.

Went to Cranberry elementary and graduated from Woodrow Wilson High School in Beckley W.VA.

Worked for 12 years for an allergist doctor in Beckly.

Eating and dining were things she like to go and do.

JANE ANN

She and her husband were self employed as grocery store operators and real estate office for many years in the Beckly W. VA. area.

Graduated from Woodrow Wilson High School and attended Beckley College studying secretarial science.

Loves to travel

MAJOR WILSON

Retired Sheet Metal Worker.

Tight as the bark on a tree and stubborn as a mule.

Was in the Army and had a lot of fun telling officers he was "Major" sparks - the truth to a degree. Story has it that one lieutenant took him to tounge for it.

CHAPTER 9

THEODORE ROOSEVELT BOWMAN

1/06	Bowman	Theodore	Roosevelt	NA	Mar 25, 1906	Aug 6, 1963
1/06.S1	Bowman	Gertie Florence	Pemberton			Apr 13, 1906
1/06/01	Bowman	William Bennett		NA		Aug 28, 1927
1/06/01.S1	Bowman	Barbara	Louise	Curts		Nov 10, 1929
1/06/02	Bowman	Don	Lee	NA		Jan 30, 1930
1/06/02.S1	Bowman	Joan	Lucille	McClaskey		
1/06/02/01	Bowman	Dan	Leroy	NA		May 28, 1952
1/06/02/01.S1	Bowman	Kathy	Sue	Feaster		Sep 10, 1953
1/06/02/01/01	Bowman	Ryan	Michael	NA		Jul 6, 1976
1/06/02/01/02	Bowman	Phillip	Allen	NA		Apr 27, 1978
1/06/02/01/03	Bowman	Meagen	Renee	Bowman		Nov 25, 1981
1/06/02/02	Bowman	Bruce	Wayne	NA		Oct 27, 1954
1/06/02/02.S1	Bowman	Feree	?	Hastings		Feb 16, 1956
1/06/02/02/01	Bowman	Brooke	Emily	Bowman		Mar 11, 1980
1/06/02/02/02	Bowman	Lisa	Elaine	Bowman		Jan 1, 1983
1/06/02/02/03	Bowman	Bradley	John	NA		Oct 31, 1985
1/06/02/03	Ringel	Sharon	Marie	Bowman		Jan 20, 1956
1/06/02/03.S1	Ringel	Donald	Jacob	NA		Jul 30, 1951
1/06/02/03/01	Ringel	Rebekah		Marie	Ringel	May 17, 1981
1/06/02/03/02	Ringel	Jacob	Lee	NA		Jul 6, 1983
1/06/02/03/03	Ringel	Jennifer		Dawn	Ringel	Oct 14, 1985
1/06/02/04	Harter	Susan	Elaine	Bowman		Oct 15, 1957
1/06/02/04.S1	Harter	Barton	Lee	NA		May 11, 1953
1/06/02/04/01	Harter	Brenna	Joy	Harter		Jun 8, 1983
1/06/02/04/02	Harter	Austin	Lee	NA		Feb 17, 1988
1/06/02/05	Bowman	Brian	Eugene	NA		Dec 2, 1960
1/06/02/05.S1	Bowman	Dianne	Lynn	Davis		
1/06/02/05/01	Bowman	Amy	Elizabeth	Bowman		Oct 16, 1984
1/06/02/05/02	Bowman	Holly	Jolinn	Bowman		Jan 18, 1986
1/06/02/05/03	Bowman	Mindy	Brenee	Bowman		Oct 28, 1987
1/06/02/05/04	Bowman	On	The	Way		
1/06/02/06	Bowman	Michael	Dean	NA		Apr 3, 1963
1/06/03	Mateer	Betty	Lou	Bowman		Oct 13, 1932
1/06/03.S1	Mateer	Wayne	Dwight	NA		May 31, 1931
1/06/03/01	Mateer	Anthony		Wayne	NA	Oct 20, 1953
1/06/03/01.S1	Mateer	Karla	Sue	Maglott		Apr 29, 1955
1/06/03/01/01	Mateer	Jennifer		Michelle	Mateer	Jul 21, 1973
1/06/03/01/02	Mateer	Jasmine		Marie	Mateer	Nov 9, 1078
1/06/03/01/03	Mateer	Jacqueline		NMI	Mateer	Sep 10, 1982
1/06/03/02	Beaver	Terri	Ann	Mateer		Dec 22, 1955
1/06/03/02.S1	Beaver	Edward	Lewis	NA		Dec 6, 1953
1/06/03/02/01	Beaver	Michelle		Ann	Beaver	Aug 8, 1980
1/06/03/02/02	Beaver	Janelle	Lynn	Beaver		Sep 1, 1983
1/06/03/03	Mateer	Timothy		Vaughn	NA	Dec 26, 1964
1/06/03/03.S1	Mateer	Elizabeth		Fischer		Jan 7, 1971
1/06/04	Detwiler	Evelyn	Lucille	Bowman		May 21, 1935

1/06/04.S1	Detwiler	Harold Robert	Nov 15, 1934
1/06/04/01	Detwiler	JefferyRobert NA	Nov 8, 1954
1/06/04/02	Burroughs	Pamela Kay Detwiler	Nov 26, 1960
1/06/04/02.S1	Burroughs	Paul Allen NA	Sep 15, 1958
1/06/04/02/01	Burroughs	Angela Michelle	Burroughs Aug 19, 1979
1/06/04/02/02	Burroughs	Christopher Allen NA	Mar 27, 1989

Theodore served as a volunteer fireman with the Marion Fire department for many years

I would appreciate anyone from this line providing me with biographical sketches of these people.

CHAPTER 10

OTTIE MARIE BOWMAN PRUETT

1/07	Pruett	Ottie	Marie	Bowman	Feb 9, 1908	May?
1/07.S1	Pruett	Travis	Edward	NA	Feb 8, 1903	
1/07/01	Pruett	Harold	Lloyd	NA	Jan 19 1924	
1/07/02	Pruett	Clarence		Edward	NA	Jun 8, 1937
1/07/02.S1	Pruett	Roxy	Margaret		Compton	_____
1/07/02/01	Pruett	Harold	Edward	NA	_____	
1/07/02/02	Pruett	David	Anthony		NA	_____
1/07/03	Hamill	Beverly		Ann	Pruett	Sep 24, 1941
1/07/03.S1	Judy	Gale		NA	_____	
1/07/03.S2	Hamill	Robert		NA	_____	
1/07/03/01	#1	#1	Step Child		_____	
1/07/03/02	#2	#2	Step Child		_____	

They owned a religious bookstore that was right next to their house.

When Junebug visited with them he says that Ottie was one FANTASTIC cook.

CHAPTER 11

GRACE LOUISE BOWMAN CAMPBELL

1/09	Campbell	Grace Louise	Bowman	Nov 16, 1910
1/09.S1	Campbell	James Royal	NA	Dec 23, 1906
1/09/01	Campbell	Joseph Earl	NA	Feb 10, 1931
1/09/01.S1	Campbell	Marianne	Rachel Caferilli	Jun 20, 1935
1/09/01.S2	Campbell	Sonya	Kovitz	_____
1/09/01.S3	Campbell	Sheryl H.	Hanna	_____
1/09/01/01	Campbell II	Joseph Earl	Earl	NA Feb 4, 1956
1/09/01/01.S1	Campbell II	Wife		_____
1/09/01/01/01	Campbell II	Son		_____
1/09/01/01/02	Campbell II	Daughter		_____
1/09/01/02	Campbell	Frederick	John	NA Feb 18, 1959
1/09/01/03	Campbell	J. Marcus	NA	Jan 1, 1960
1/09/01/04	Campbell II	Benjamin	Lewis	NA _____
1/09/01/05	Campbell	Marijane	NMI	Campbell _____
1/09/01/06	Campbell	Aaron Ben	NA	_____
1/09/02	Campbell	James William	NA	Dec 11, 1934
1/09/02.S1	Campbell	Sandra Colleen	Young	Oct 12, 1938 Aug 6, 1983
1/09/02.S2	Campbell	Janet Charlene	Pochert	_____
1/09/02/01	Smith Shelley	Lee Campbell		Oct 30, 1958
1/09/02/01.S1	Smith Brian	Richard	NA	Apr 6, 1958
1/09/02/01/01	Smith Christopher	Chase	NA	Aug 20, 1982
1/09/02/01/02	Smith Adam	Richard	NA	Apr 10, 1984
1/09/02/01/03	Smith Peter	Sasson	NA	Nov 7, 1988
1/09/02/02	BigelowHolly	Lynn Campbell		Aug 25, 1960
1/09/02/02.S1	BigelowEric	Merril	NA	_____
1/09/02/02/01	Bigelow II	Eric Merril	NA	Aug 4, 1981
1/09/02/02/02	BigelowJordan	Welby	NA	Oct 12, 1982
1/09/02/02/03	BigelowSean	Michael	NA	Mar 29, 1987
1/09/02/03	Lewis Kerry	Ann Campbell		Nov 27, 1961
1/09/02/03.S1	Lewis Daniel	James	NA	Nov 2, 19??
1/09/02/03/01	Lewis Alexandra	Marie	Lewis	Aug 6, 1984
1/09/02/03/02	Lewis IIDaniel	James	NA	Mar 26, 1987
1/09/02/04	Campbell II	James William	NA	Mar 6, 1963
1/09/02/05	Campbell	Merrie Lee	Campbell	Jul 15, 1964
1/09/02/06	Campbell II	Adam David	NA	Dec 15, 1966
1/09/02/07	Campbell	Joelle Gracelen	Campbell	Dec 12, 1972
1/09/02/08	Savage William	Franklin	NA	Dec 14, 1968
1/09/02/09	Savage RoAnna	Christine	Savage	Nov 14, 1971
1/09/02/10	Savage Amanda	Ruth Savage		Oct 16, 1980
1/09/03	Campbell	Ray Nelson	NA	Mar 11, 1937
1/09/03.S1	Campbell	Betty Ann	Davis	_____
1/09/03/01	Campbell	Ray Randall	NA	_____
1/09/03/01.S1	Campbell	Julia		_____
1/09/03/02	Campbell	Kelly		_____
1/09/04	Campbell	Nancy Jane	Campbell	Dec 3, 1939
1/09/04.S1	Pifer	CharlesEugene	NA	_____

1/09/04.S2	Van Ivey	Horatio Alger	NA		
1/09/04/01	Pifer Charles	Eugene	NA	Jul 12, 1958	
1/09/04/01.S1	Pifer Kathy				
1/09/04/01.S2	Pifer Ava Marie	Gallicchio		Apr 27, 1962	
1/09/04/01/01	Pifer Sara Jane	Pifer			
1/09/04/02	Pifer Daniel Ray	NA		Jul 31, 1959	
1/09/04/03	Pifer Christopher	Lee	NA	May 29, 1961	
1/09/04/03.S1	Pifer MelanieRae	Combs		Jun 13, 1962	
1/09/04/03/01	Pifer ChelseaMarie	Pifer		Jan 8, 1979	
1/09/04/03/02	Pifer Christopher	Heath	NA	Nov 13, 1986	
1/09/05	Copeland	Avis	Amelia	Campbell	Apr 19, 1945
1/09/05.S1	Soliday Larry				
1/09/05/01	Soliday John	Todd	NA	Jan 11, 1965	
1/09/05/01.S1	Soliday Jane	Elizabeth		Lopez	Feb 28, 1965
1/09/05/01/01	Soliday Christopher	John	NA	May 9, 1982	
1/09/05/01/02	Soliday Carriane	Elaine	Soliday	May 29, 1984	
1/09/05/02	Soliday David	Clifford	NA		
1/09/05/03	Soliday Nancy	Ann	Soliday		

Once when Junebug was visiting Aunt Grace, Dewey Farmer said to watch this, as Grace got ready to leave in her volkswagen . Dewey said she is going to put the gas to the floor and take off. She never stops, she just goes. Sure enough, Grace gave it all the gas and took off - waving good-bye to everyone as she went.

GRACE LOUISE BOWMAN CAMPBELL was born on November 16, 1910 at the William Clayton & Ida McKee Bowman farmhouse in North Kenova, Ohio.

The last half of her life, she was called "Amazing Grace" because of all the things she had already accomplished and was still pursuing - such as the publication of this comprehensive family history which was not really started until after she had a stroke at age 77. Nothing stopped her from getting the job done right the first time. She always urged everyone to do their best. She helped everyone of her relatives each time she had the opportunity. She was loved, admired, and respected, by all. Those not knowing of her exploits merely called her "Gracie."

SOUTH POINT, OHIO - YEARS AT HOME ON THE FARM

She went through the first 8 years of school at Soliday school - a real old fashioned one-roomer at the end of the Sugar Creek Hollow (or "Holler," as they called it in Southern Ohio Dialect). She graduated from South Point High School at the age of 16. She was proud to tell how she was so determined to get a good education, that many days she walked, in the wind, and the snow, to South Point High School from the farm - a distance of approximately 5 miles one way. On a few occassions the weather was so bad she had to stay in town with her sister Anna. Ida Leona, Anna's only daughter said that she always felt Gracie was her older sister as Aunt Grace was only 6 years older than Ida. Ida named her daughter after Grace.

RICHLAND, VIRGINIA

In 19--, Grace went to live with her sister Nora to help her tend Nora's children while Nora gave birth to Joseph Earl (whom grace's son Joseph Earl was named after). Joseph Earl was Killed In Action in Europe during World War 2. Grace always had a special affection for the "Farmer Kids." Any time she needed help to move, Bobby, Jack, or Luther was there with a truck and a willing hand.

COLUMBUS, OHIO - THE FIRST TIME

Grace went to live with her sister Clara in Columbus. When Grace had just turned 18, she met her husband, to be (James Royal Campbell, "Bob," of Shreve, Ohio), while Grace was working in the layer cake department of the central bakery that supplied all the Kroger Company chain of grocery stores in Ohio and vicinity.

They were married on _____, in Columbus, by a Justice of the Peace. Grace said that was because she lived with her sister Clara who did not want them to get married. Grace was afraid if she tried to have a church wedding Clara would stop it by whatever means she could.

Immediately following their marriage, Grace and Bob lived in Columbus, with Clara, on Essex Avenue where they had their first son, Joseph Earl.

SHREVE OHIO - THE FIRST TIME

Grace and Bob went to live with Bob's parents in Centerville, Ohio. Centerville is about 1 mile to the southwest of shreve at the intersection where the road branches off to go toward Big Prarie, Ohio. They lived upstairs in the attic of the house.

Grace tells the story of how Grandma Campbell (Blanche Diehl) told Grace to open a letter addressed to Bob. Grandma Campbell then told Bob that Grace had indiscreetly opened his mail to pry into his personal affairs. Bob threatened to beat Grace up and throw her out in the cold at 10:00 p.m. and keep custody of Joseph Earl. When "Pop" Campbell (Robert J.) started to confront Bob about his poor behavior, his wife Blanche took the shotgun from the closet and threatened to shoot Pop for interfering - according to Grace, Blanche wanted Bob to get rid of her. Grandma Campbell, for many years, had a large (5 Lb) goiter on the front of her neck and talked in a high comical voice.

HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA

Jim was born there so we are certain Grace was there in 1934. Bob worked as a route salesman for Jewel Tea Company and played trumpet in local bands.

SHREVE, OHIO - THE SECOND TIME

Bob worked as a traveling route salesman for the Jewel Tea Company of Canton, Ohio. They lived in a very small white house beside of the Snider Family in the southeast corner of Shreve. Where the road, coming in from Centerville, turned north through the main part of town, were you to keep going straight to the east (Past the house where Shelley's lived) until just before you came to the road that goes down the hill and across the bridge over the creek, it was the last tiny house on the left. The snider family later built an appliance sales and service building in their back yard between the two houses. Snider's were lifetime friends. Because Bob couldn't earn enough money they moved back to Columbus. Joe started school in Shreve.

COLUMBUS OHIO?

SHREVE, OHIO - THE THIRD TIME

They rented a small farm house to the Southwest of Shreve that was adjacent to the northeast corner of where Doc Ewing (pronounced U-ing? if spelling is not correct) operated his Veterinary Clinic.

Jim started first grade in 1940 while they lived at the small house in the country.

During the summer of 1941 Grace and Bob moved into the south of shreve - across the foot bridge, at the end of the main street, over the creek. Their two story house was on the southwest corner of the block, with a small barn to the west. The front of the house faced south.

Clara came for Christmas and brought toys for all the kids. Jim got an electric train with army style railroad cars - one of them carried a floodlight that could light up the room as it went around the track.

Bob butchered the hog, that the kids liked to ride, and made "Cracklins."

IRONTON, OHIO

Joe, Jim, and Ray, went to live with Grandpa and Grandma Bowman, on the farm in North Kenova, while Grace and Bob went looking for work so they could feed the flock. After two or three months they bought a house at 2425 South 4th Street in Ironton, Ohio. This house was later sold to either Nora or Dewey Farmer by Grace and Bob, and Farmer's still own the home as of this writing. Grace's boys went to Lombard Elementry School.

Bob worked for.....?

SPRINGFIELD, OHIO (1943-1944?)

Bob worked at Wright Patterson Army Airfield as a painter while Grace worked at the Weldon Park Nursery School (Weldon Park was a government housing area where they lived). Jim attended Kenwood Heights Elementary while Joe started to learn pole-vaulting at Heyward Junior High School. Joe also played baseball for the local radio station, "WHIZ kids."

COLUMBUS, OHIO - THE SECOND TIME (1944-1987)

Grace and Bob bought the house at 90 East Blake Avenue - where, for all intent and purpose, the kids remembered as "home" or where they grew up. They closed the deal on "V.E. Day." It had 3 bedrooms and a bath on the second floor, an unfinished attic large enough for two small bedrooms, a living room, dining room, and kitchen, on the main floor, and a basement with a coal furnace, coal bin, fruit room, and open space for hanging laundry on clotheslines to dry. There was cherry, peach, and apple tree in the back yard. Grace always had a garden where she grew enough vegetables to "Can" the harvest would fill the fruit room for the winter. There was a single car garage that opened onto Clinton street. At that time Clinton street was not paved and was the place where every kid in the neighborhood played seasonal sports.

When Bob wanted to call the kids to dinner, he'd step out the back door and "Whistle" so loudly it could be heard for two or three blocks around. The kids knew they had better "come-a-runnin" or they'd get a licking with a switch. Grace always had the evening meal ready at exactly 6:00 p.m. and everyone in the family sat in their place to eat together as a family activity.

When Bob licked the boys, he'd tell them to go out back and get their switch and then, while he switched them, they had to stand perfectly still and not make any noise. He switched them so hard it often brought blood running down their legs.

Grace was probably one of the most outstanding cooks that ever walked. During her life she accumulated an entire library of cook books and magazines on cooking. She served home grown vegetables year around - and most of the time fresh from her own garden or planters. During hard times there were meals like: corn bread and butter with navy beans on top; ham hock and lima beans over slices of bread; bread sopped in bacon grease; chicken and dumplings; biscuits and brown sausage gravy; beef stew; roast beef with many potatoes, carrots, onions, and bread stuffing. During good times, there was no limit to what Grace would prepare in the way of elaborate and delicious meals.

In the early years (right after the Great Depression) the family was poor but years later Grace and Bob had beautiful large homes in the upper middle class neighborhoods. Bob

would turn all his paycheck over to Grace. He'd keep out twelve dollars for his meals, gas, and other expenses. He never wasted a penny. Grace could squeeze each penny until Abraham Lincoln cried. She mended all the holes in the kids clothing and darned their socks. They never went to school without freshly washed and pressed shirts, and their faces scrubbed squeaky clean. Although Grace may have been poor but she was mighty proud.

Grace and Bob were initially members of the Indianola Church of Christ at the corner of Norwood and Indianola Avenue. Grace and Bob both sang regularly in the choir. Later Grace was persuaded to join the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints "Mormons." Grace taught "Sunday School" and, because of her knowledge of cooking, was always called to be the "Homemaking Teacher" and a leader in the "Relief Society" - the women's auxillary of the church. She was the ultimate woman's woman. The LDS Church is the agency that got Gracie off into Genealogy - and thus this book. Grace was always a very religious person who, at the age of 77, began working full time as a "Temple Missionary" at the LDS Temple in Washington D.C. It was while on that mission she had a stroke.

Grace personally took her children to church each and every sunday - whether they wanted to go or not. She took the boys to the Boy Scout Troop 213 meetings and otherwise saw to their personal growth with great diligence. Grace's personal interest in raising her kids to "Be Somebody," strongly affected the lives of her children - they were all intelligent and talented to a point of being somewhat abnormal. Joe was an "Olympic Class" pole vaulter who later developed and coached one of the finest girls gymnastic teams in the world. Jim was an Army Infantry Officer for 22 years, writer, public speaker, and helped make "Mental Fitness" a legitimate subject in schools around the world. Ray, even in his late 40's was an extremely outstanding athlete and always highly regarded as an entertainer, humorist, and self taught musician on both the piano and guitar. Ray was the Chief Agent for Piedmont Airlines. Nancy was a world class artist (whose works are in galleries in several countries) professional singer, pianist, playwright, and traveled all over europe studying art. Nancy's paintings of Gracie are still in the family. Avis was a concert class musician (flute, wind instruments, and piano) with one of the most beautiful singing voices one could imagine. Both Avis and Nancy sang together professionally.

WASHINGTON, D.C. - THE MISSION (1987-1988)

When Grace decided to go on her "Mission," she had a 9 month long garage sale. The house had a 3 car garage with only enough romm in it to squeeze in one car. The rest was filled (even the second story was packed) with boxes and boxes of things Grace had acquired from garae sales, auctions, estate sales, and every other type bargain purchase. Almost all the rooms in the 14 room brick house on Weisheimer was filled with boxes of things Grace collected. She even collected empty plastic bags, jars, and containers of all sorts. Her house was furnished with antiques - really nice pieces.

In the bedrooms there was just enough space to get around the bed and the rest of the room was stacked 4-6 feet high with boxes. She never went to a motel without coming away with the soap, stationary, and other free items. At the Officer's Club, at Fort Riley, Kansas, Gracie couldn't resist, and Jim found she had stolen the salt and pepper shaker - which he immediately went back in and paid for. When she spread out her pictures of the family, which she had collected all her life, they covered 10 eight foot tables - and there were albums in there too!

When her children moved her things from her one small bedroom, in Kensington Maryland, there were 2,300 pounds of clothing, magazines, and precious personal items shipped to Portland. There were 78 pair of shoes - most of which had never been worn or, if so, only a time or two.

The children surmised the saving instinct was caused by the "Great Depression." When someone needed a bed, sheets, pots, pans, silverware, an iron, appliance, article about some subject, or anything you could imagine, Grace always was the one to be right there with what was needed. She bought Christmas gifts "ON SALE" as many as two to three years in advance - so she could save her money for traveling or investments.

This partly is what caused her to be called "Amazing Grace." She was merely amazing at anything and everything.

The "Sisters" who shared the apartment with her, in Washington, said she never stopped working. They said she was up early, cat napped, during the day, and worked most of the night at some project she had been "Called" to do by the Bishopric. Even they had started calling her Amazing Grace - without any other prompting. Maybe the work and worry about all her children contributed to the stroke.

When she had the stroke, Grace was taken to Bethesda Suburban Hospital. She spent two weeks there before being flown to the Emanuel Stroke Rehabilitation Unit in Portland.

PORTLAND, OREGON - GRESHAM RECOVERY AND THIS BOOK (1988)

When you think of making up a list of people you know personally, and maintain continuous contact with, you might come up with 50 or so. Grace's list was almost 500 persons. She received literally thousands of get well cards from her friends.

Every day, after she was released from the hospital, Grace went to the local health club for aqua-aerobics, weight lifting, hot tub, sauna, shower, massage, and then to lunch.

To make sure Grace was allowed to recuperate from the stroke, as fully as possible, the doctors restricted her from any business dealings and church work for two years. Jim made sure she adhered to the schedule. Recovery was slow but steady.

SEASIDE, OREGON - "CAMPBELLOT" (1988-?)

Grace purchased a beach house in Seaside, Oregon as a place for a peaceful and quiet recovery. It is at the "Beach House" this book is being written. It has a "hot tub," exercise equipment. and is right on the beach where Grace takes long walks along the "Promenade." Many of her friends are beginning to show up at the door. She enjoys seeing them and becomes quite emotional over the fact they care about her. She wants everyone to know they are "Welcome" to come and stay a bit.

WHO KNOWS WHERE NEXT?

OTHER INTERESTING COMMENTS:

At age 62 Grace began and learned to play piano.

Grace was a traveler. She visited every single State in the United States, except Hawaii. She toured Scotland, Ireland, England, Holland, Belgium, Luxembourg, France, Spain, Portugal, Germany, Italy, Switzerland. She was in most all the provinces of Canada and visited two places in Mexico. At the time of this writing, she is presently planning trips to visit Hawaii and Central America.

Grace retired after serving for 32 years as the Insurance Examiner for the entire State of Ohio.

Grace once served as the Secretary of the Women's Republican Party of Ohio.

Grace was so small when she was in high school she had to wear extra socks in her shoes so they would fit properly.

Because of her personal political efforts, Grace was on a first name basis with four Ohio Governors.

JAMES ROYAL CAMPBELL was born on December 23,1906 at the Robert J. Campbell & Blanch Diehl Campbell farmhouse in Centerville, Ohio.

He was the oldest of 11 brothers and sisters:

First Name	Date of Birth	Spouse Name
James Royal		
Frieda	18 July 1908	Dean Bonham
Catherine	09 March 1910	Theron Nye
Marcella	10 October 1912	Floyd Kerr
Maude	27 October 1914	Harold Ellen
Robert	27 September 1916	Jaunita Cramer
Edna	14 October 1918	Charles Easterday

Dorothy	06 December 1920	Duane Schmid (Div)
Pauline	10 February 1922	Donald Campbell
William "Bill"	15 July 1923	Wanda Harrison
Lois	15 July 1926	David Hott
Margaret	22 September 1929	Clark Fraelich

James Royal said he graduated from Shreve High School.

Although he worked briefly as a salesman for various companies, he was a "Master Craftsman" Painter and Decorator. Again, although he did work as a foreman and supervisor for General Maintenance & Engineering of Columbus, he worked most of his life for himself painting the homes of the most prominent and prosperous people in Columbus Ohio. Even when everyone was out of work he had a backlog of people waiting for "Bob" to do their work.

In the 1940s Bob painted a piano for Mr. Wallick who was one of the owners of the famous Deschler-Wallick Hotel at Broad and High Streets in Columbus. He charged Mr Wallick \$500 to paint the piano - an extremely high price at that time. He hand sanded the piano to bare wood and then applied gold paint. Before the gold paint dried, he applied a coat of lacquer which caused the gold paint to appear as crackling. Then came 13 coats of clear lacquer. Each coat was hand rubbed until the last coat was perfectly as smooth as glass. When we say he was a "Master Craftsman," that is just one example of his artistic ability.

Bob taught all his son's the trade. Joe was the only one who went on to become skillful enough to earn a living at it. The rest were influenced by the arduous training.

During World War II he worked as a painting supervisor at Wright Patterson Air Force Base near Dayton, Ohio.

He was also an excellent trumpet player having played with some of the biggest named bands of his time - Chuck Selby, Guy Lombardo, The Dorsey's, and other bands that played the Niagra falls and Lake Erie circuit during the 20's and 30's.

Bob liked to tell stories. One he told a lot went something like this:

Once upon a time there were two snake families, the Pot Family and the Pit Family. They both had baby snakes who really liked to puff and hiss a lot. Every day or so the Pot snakes would go over to the Pit house and hiss in the pot the Pit family kept in the corner for the pit snakes to hiss in. The next day the Pit snakes would prance over to the Pot house and hiss in the Pit they had dug for the Pot snakes to practice hissing in. Because of this practice, both the pot and pit snakes became profieicnt at hissing in the pot or hissing in the pit quite well.

Once in a resteraunt in Florida, A waitress told Bob that, although it was embarassing

for her to tell him, his pants were unzipped. Without taking his eyes from the menu, or cracking a smile, Bob replied: "Yea, I know. Once I didn't quite make it to the bath room in time and I'm not going to let that happen to me again!" Needless to say his young son Jim about fell out of his chair.

JOSEPH EARL CAMPBELL I "Joe" was born on February -, ____, 193- at the .

He was named after Grace's sister Nora's child Joseph Earl who was Killed In Action in Europe during World War II. Possibly because Grace was there when Nora's child was born she liked the name.

OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION:

JAMES WILLIAM CAMPBELL I "Jim" was born on December 11, 1934 at the James Royal and Grace Louise Campbell rented house in Huntington, West Virginia.

He was named after his father, James Royal, and his grandfather, William Clayton Bowman. He was often called "Jimmybill" by relatives on the Bowman side.

Jim attended Shreve school until the second grade. He then lived for several months with his grandparents (William Clayton & Ida McKee Bowman) at the farm in North Kenova. While with them he attended the Soliday Elementary School - a white wood framed single room building with each row of desks serving each of the first 8 grades. There was a pot bellied wood and coal stove in the corner of the room to provide heat. It was the same school the Bowman children attended as they were growing up. It was located at the end of the hollow (holler if you're a local person speaking in the southern Ohio vernacular) where you turned off the road, coming in from South Point, to go up to the Bowman farm.

Because of the turmoil of WWII, and the many moves made by Grace and Bob looking for work, Jim also attended Lombard elementary in Ironton, Ohio (where the family bought a home and lived for awhile at 2425 South 4th Street), Kenwood Heights elementary in Springfield, Ohio (where Grace and Bob lived while Bob was working at Wright Patterson Air Base - they lived in a government housing project known as Weldon Park), and Medary Elementary on Hudson street in Columbus, Ohio (when the family moved to 90 East Blake Ave.). He had to retake the 5th grade in order to complete his elementary education.

He graduated from Indianola Junior High School (first Junior High School in America) and North High School in Columbus, Ohio.

Due to Jim's being a professional soldier, and having to move around a great deal, he

attended Milligan College near Johnson City, Tennessee, Armed Forces Institute Extension College, Kansas State University, Texas El Paso University, University of Alaska, American University, in Washington D.C., and the University of Maryland, before accumulating enough credits to graduate, with his Bachelor's degree, from the University of Nebraska at Omaha.

Jim also completed the Army Officer Candidate School and Advanced Infantry Career Course at Fort Benning, Georgia.

Jim Served on the Faculty at Brigham Young University, with the Army Reserve Officer Training Corps, and served many years as an associate professor at Seattle Pacific University in Seattle, Washington.

Jim entered the Army at age 17 as a Private. He completed basic training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina (just outside Columbia) and then went to Fort Benning, Georgia for airborne training (parachute school). He stayed on as a clerk and an assistant instructor with the Jumpmaster, pathfinder, and Aerial Delivery School - which was located in Hanger L-10 at Lawson Airfield. He was stationed at Company H "Airborne Battalion." Jim and his brother Joe were stationed in the same company, and slept in the squad room, but Joe worked at the Air Transport section of the school.

Although Jim went to Korea with assignment to the 187th Airborne Regimental Combat Team, located in Beppu Japan, he was diverted on special assignment to the 8112 Army Unit (Army Crash and Rescue Group) headquartered in Seoul Korea. This was one of the first "Special Forces" units ever deployed by the United States Army from the Special Warfare Center at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. They had the 8240 Army Unit (United Nations Partisan Infantry Korea "UNPIK"), the 8157 Army Unit, which Jim was later integrated into, and the 8007 Army Unit which were all very historic organizations that one day will be declassified and their missions revealed. Most of the time Jim was in Korea, he was in charge of 14 boats and responsible for supporting the infiltration and exfiltration of 3 men indigenous intelligence collection teams into North Korea. Jim was promoted to the rank of Staff Sergeant at age 19.

Jim left the Army in March of 1955 to enter civilian life. He spent the next two summers as a "Life Guard" at the Round Lake Christian Assembly on the 3C highway north of Loudenville and South of Wooster, Ohio.

September saw him at Milligan College, Tennessee for his freshman year. During that year, while home on vacation, Jim took his sister Nancy on a sorority rushing party (Nancy was in the Arrow sorority at North High School) when he met Sandy and fell in love at first sight. The next year Jim left Milligan College in mid semester to go earn the money for them to be married. At Christmas they became engaged and were married on May 19, 1957.

Jim then went to Tampa Florida where Jim worked as the Manager of the Davis Island

Municipal Swimming Pool before enlisting in the Air Force to go to flight school. He stayed in the Air Force at Biggs Air Force Base in El Paso, Texas until he was transferred to the Army to attend Infantry Officer Candidate School at Fort Benning, Georgia - his vision was not good enough to go to flight school. While awaiting OCS, he was stationed at Fort Banks, Massachusetts where Sheely Lee was born.

Jim graduated 23rd in his class of 124 officers and was assigned to the D Company, 5th Infantry at Fort Riley, Kansas. He served as a Platoon Leader, Training Officer, and was Executive Officer and temporary Commander of the Garrison Company there. Holly Lynn and Kerry Ann were both born at the Fort Riley Hospital. He founded, and was first president of the Fort Riley Skydivers Club.

The next assignment was to Fort Richardson, Alaska (just outside of Anchorage) where he was Communications Officer, Battalion Intelligence Officer and Commander of the Army Mountain and Glacier Demonstration Company (B Company 23d Infantry of the 172d Brigade). James William II and Merrie Lee were both born there at the Elmendorf Air Force Base Hospital.

Jim then attended the Advanced Infantry Officer Career Course at Fort Benning, Georgia and went from that course to The University of Nebraska at Omaha to finish his Bachelor's Degree. After that he was the Commander of Headquarters Company of the 1st Battalion 501st Parachute Infantry of the 101st Airborne Division at Fort Campbell, Kentucky. They jumped out of C130 aircraft and Jim's company was the first to jump from the new C-141 Jet aircraft. Ya Ya, Sandy's Mother, came to live with them, during the tour at Ft Campbell, and continued living with them until long after Jim retired from the Army.

Off to the Army Special Warfare School at Fort Bragg, North Carolina to prepare to be a military/political advisor and 3 months of learning the Vietnamese language.

The next assignment was with the J31 office of Headquarters United States Military Command Vietnam in Saigon. That office wrote the U.S. troop withdrawal plans and developed the Vietnamese plans to relieve American units so they could return home. The office designed the military force package and briefed it, and the budget to support that force structure, all the way to the President of the United States. He worked for General William C. Westmoreland and General Creighton Abrams - both 4 star generals. Due to his language training, Jim served as a liaison officer to the Vietnamese Joint General Staff J31 office.

Jim was given an autographed picture by General Abrams when he left to come home. General Abrams personally admired Jim because once, in a briefing Jim was giving to General Abrams and Ambassador Komer, General Abrams became quite upset with an irregular comment made by Ambassador Komer. General Abrams threw his cigar down into the ash tray, and said to Ambassador Komer "I'll be damned if I'll stay in the

room with a dumb son-of-a-bitch who doesn't know the difference between military forces and the boy scouts!" General Abrams then stomped out of the room. After the General left, not one of the many other Ambassadors or Generals said a word - due the extreme political embarrassment of the moment. Jim, as the briefing officer at the podium, said politely, "Gentlemen, I believe that concludes the briefing" and then quietly packed up his briefing papers and left the room - thus making it easy for the rest to leave without having to say anything at all. When General Abrams heard about how Jim handled the situation, he was impressed with the initiative - and thus a rarely given autograph from an old War Horse.

During that first tour he was in the Cholon (Chinese market) District of Saigon on the night the Tet Offensive was launched by the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong. There were 4 Majors in the J31 office. The other 3 Majors were all killed. Adam David was born in Provo Utah during this time. Sandy purchased their one and only home at 589 East Center Street in Provo.

Next, came assignment as the Chief, of the Communications Committee at Fort Benning, Georgia, where he wrote and developed a complete block of instruction on Electronic Warfare (Having completed the Army Electronic Warfare Officer Course at Fort Huachuca, Arizona). Jim also taught Division Area Communication Systems to Officers attending the Advanced Infantry Officer Career Course. He was rated continuously, by his peers, as one of the top 3 Instructors at the Infantry School.

And then it was back to Vietnam again to the same office (J31) for 6 months. Finally a selected assignment as a District Senior Advisor in the Gia Rai District of Bac Lieu Province in Vietnam. Here Jim was awarded the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry for his part in combat operations against the Viet Cong. Although bombed, mortared, shot at, ship wrecked, and exposed to every conceivable danger, he was never scratched. And then, while living in a Vietnamese Village as an Advisor, he contracted Hepatitis and was evacuated, through the Camp Zama hospital in Japan, to the Letterman U.S. Army Hospital in San Francisco. He had lost 50 pounds. At the Saigon hospital, they told him he couldn't go home to see his family until he gained back all he had lost. Jim gained a pound a day for 50 consecutive days - he was so eager to see his family.

In Europe he served the first 19 months as the Executive Officer of the 1st Battalion 48th Infantry in Gelnhausen Germany. Joelle Gracelen was born at the Frankfurt 97th General Hospital in December 1972. After that Jim was assigned as the Alcohol and Drug abuse Prevention and Control Officer at V Corps Headquarters in Frankfurt, Germany. This assignment set the stage for what he would do for the rest of his life. Although an Infantry Officer, he wrote and developed a rehabilitation program that was selected as one of the 10 leading programs in the world by the U. S. Senate Committee for Alcohol and Drug Abuse.

His last Military assignment was as an Assistant Professor of Military Science and Tactics at Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah. He then retired, as a Major, after

22 years of service. His decorations were:

2 Bronze Stars, 2 Meritorious Service Medals, United States Joint Services Commendation Medal, 2 Army Commendation Medals for Achievement, 2 Army Good Conduct Medals, Vietnam Campaign Medal with 8 Campaign Stars, Vietnamese Service Medal, Korean Campaign Medal, United Nations Korean Service Medal, 2 American National Defense Service Medals, United States Reserve Officers Service Medal, Vietnamese Presidential Unit Citation, 2 United States Presidential Unit Citations, Vietnamese Staff Honor Medal, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry.

After retirement Jim worked for 18 months with Lincoln National Life Insurance Company specializing in business insurance and estate planning before starting the Company Skills Of Communication (SOC). SOC produced materials and programs that would enable people to learn to be more mentally fit.

Immediately after his retirement, Sandy divorced Jim keeping custody of the younger 3 children and Jim the older 4.

Jim finally settled in Gresham, Oregon to work the rest of his life as the Director for Research & Development, writing books, articles, and initiating programs, for Skills Of Communication. When Sandy died of Cancer, Jim regained custody of the all of the children. After 10 years, Jim married Janet Charlene Pochert, who had three children - William Franklin Savage, Roanna Savage, and Amanda Savage.

Some of his works are:

Books: "EQUAL VALUE" a Prologue
The "EQUAL VALUE CONCEPT" A route to mental fitness
"EQUAL VALUE" Handouts for professionals

Programs: "NXChange" A comprehensive rehabilitation program for criminal justice systems.

"THE TOGETHER FAMILY SERIES" A guide for and ongoing program of Family Home Activity nights.

Web site <http://www.nxchange.com>

OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION:

Jim lettered in track at Milligan College by running the mile, 2 mile, 220 yard dash, and throwing the javelin. He later won the all 3rd Army Cross Country Race. At one time he spent 6 months playing basketball full time on an army team. He consistently attained the maximum score on the Army Physical Training Test. All three brothers,

Joe, Jim, and Ray, were outstanding athletes. Joe was selected to attend the Olympic Trials in pole vault.

Jan C. Pochert Campbell was only 4 foot eleven inches tall. She was the adopted daughter of Dr. Arthur Pochert. Her Brother Dean and Jim worked together in Skills Of Communication for several years. Jan and Jim were married in Vancouver, Washington on New Years Eve 1984.

Jim helped his mother, Grace, to write this book.

Jim weighed 145 pounds until he was 33 years of age and then 195 pounds until this book was written. Brown Hair, Brown eyes, and a strong sense of humor. Many relatives said that William Clayton Bowman would never be dead as long as Jimmybill was still living - as he had Grandfathers sense of humor. Jim also had a cholestral problem requiring him to exercise a lot and not eat too much animal product.

Jim was in the Anchorage for the Great Alaska Earthquake, in Saigon during Tet, and also watched the Mount St. Helens eruption from his front window.

RAY NELSON CAMPBELL "Ray" was born on March 6, ____, 193- at his Great Grandfather Campbell's house that Bob and Grace Campbell rented in Shreve, Ohio.

His middle name was after a famous singer of that time called "Nelson Eddy" who was known and respected by Grace and Bob. He was often called "Whopper" by Grace and other members of the family - due to his large size at birth and his early years.

Ray graduated from Medary Elementary, Indianola Junior High School, and Columbus North High School. He was quite active in basketball and track. He was a pole vaulter of quite some skill.

Ray attended Milligan College, Tennessee. He played Junior Varsity Basketball and was Varsity track. While attneding Milligan College he met his wife Betty Anne DAVIS of Lebanon Virginia? They were married on ---- at the -----.

OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION:

When Ray was turning 50 years of age he was awarded "The most Outstanding Athlete of the Year" award by the Airlines he worked for. The trophy was the result of a round robin of competitions in various sports, athletic skills, and tests of strength, in which he was one of the oldest contestants - and he won against many younger men.

Ray was a self taught guitar and piano player. He was always able to sing well in quartets. These skills, along with his sense of humor had him voted the most humorous

his freshman year at Milligan College.

Please confirm and add what you would like to have written in the book.

NANCY JANE CAMPBELL PIFER VAN IVEY

A world class artist, musician, and writer of operetta.

CHAPTER 12 IVALEA BOWMAN

1/11	Gwilliams	Ivalea	NMI	Bowman	Jan 28 1916
1/11.S1	Gwilliams	James	Carl	NA	Jan 28 1916
1/11/01	Kelley	Charlotte	Anne	Gwilliams	Oct 21, 1936
1/11/01.S1	Kelley	Carl	Edward	NA	Nov 3, 1933 May 21, 1985
1/11/01/01	Kelley	Carl	David	NA	Oct 10, 1956
1/11/01/01.S1	Kelley	Debra	Arbaugh		
1/11/01/01/01	Kelley	David	Edward	NA	Nov 28, 1984
1/11/01/02	Kelley	Michael	Lee	NA	Dec 10, 1958
1/11/01/02.S1	Kelley	Patricia	Ann	Rodriquez	
1/11/01/02/01	Kelley	Paul	Michael	NA	Aug 6, 1981
1/11/01/02/02	Kelley	Amanda	Lee	Kelley	Feb 14, 1985
1/11/01/03	Kelley	Sandra	Jean	Kelley	Mar 22, 1964
1/11/01/04	Kelley	James	Edward	NA	Oct 28, 1969
1/11/01/05	Kelley	Christopher	Roy	NA	Nov 6, 1971
1/11/02	Bailey	Sandra	Kay	Gwilliams	Aug 20 1944
1/11/02.S1	Bailey	Gary	Lee	NA	
1/11/02/01	Freeman		Teresea	Ann	Bailey Apr 27, 1963
1/11/02/01.S1	Freeman		Kent	NA	Feb 1, 1959
1/11/02/01/01	Freeman		Andrew	David Eric Scott	NA Sep 26, 1979
1/11/02/01/02	Freeman		Ryan	Kent	NA May 31, 1986
1/11/02/02	Bailey II		Gary	Lee	NA Sep 27, 1964
1/11/02/02.S1	Bailey	Rhonda		Walls	Oct 3, 1964
1/11/02/02/01	Bailey	Sarah	Renea	Bailey	Mar 11, 1986
1/11/02/02/02	Bailey	Daniel	Jay	NA	May 19, 1988

Ivalea was the 11th child of William Clayton and Ida McKee Bowman of Lewis Fork, Solida Road, of North Kenova, Ohio. She was born Jan 28, 1916 in the OLD little house on the Bill Bowman property. Her father had the lumber cut, sawed, and drying, at the time of her birth.

Charlotte's husband was in Vietnam from 1968-1970 as a telephone installer with the Gustav Hirsch organization. He installed new telephone lines around Saigon.

Ivalea attended Little Solida School and South Point High School.

Sandra Kay was named after Charlotte's dog Sandy.

Charlotte Anne was named after the doctor "Anne" who delivered her. It was uncommon to have a female doctor back in those days.

Ivalea married James Karl Gwilliams on July 8, 1933 at a ministers house in South Point Ohio. James was born in Lick Creek, Ohio on July 7, 1912.

James attended Lick Creek elementary until he was required to help his father with the farming. After getting married, James worked for Dan Rapp on a Dairy Farm for about 3 years. Then James worked as an employee with the Carlyle Tile Company in Coal Grove, Ohio. They made floor tiles out of clay dug out of the hill beside the plant. It was almost under the old Ashland Kentucky bridge - slightly to the west.

After a few years, James worked in the maintenance and service area with the Maytag Appliance Company in Ironton Ohio.

James next worked for the Schweickart lumber company as a laborer before joining the Allied Chemical Company in 1943. James worked for Allied Chemical Company for 33 years as a relief operator (controlled machinery making ammonia gas) before retiring in July 1975.

During their marriage, Ivalea worked as a homemaker. They lived the longest at their home at 701 2nd Street East, South Point, Ohio. It was a beautiful 2 bedroom home right on the bank of the Ohio River. The house was the most southern house in the entire State of Ohio. You could stand in the front yard and see into three states - Ohio, West Virginia, and Kentucky.

Jame's Father's name was Herbert Gwilliams. Herbert was born Aug 17, 1876 at the old Boggs place in Lick Creek. He was a Farmer.

To outsiders, James was always seen as a quiet man who said very little. To his family he was just a great husband, father, and grandfather. He liked to work in the garden and make items from wood - like candle holders, wall mirrors, and furniture. He had a workshop behind the house where he kept all his table saws and other tools.

Although Ivalea and James never really travelled far, they thoroughly enjoyed taking vacations. They went to Florida, Yellowstone Park, Canada, Nova Scotia, Colorado, and many times to the Great Smokey Mountains.

Later in life Ivalea experienced a heart attack, Arthritis in both knees, diabetes, and underwent surgery for removal of her gall bladder and appendix.

Charlotte Anne "Aunt Chaudy" was born Oct 21, 1936 at the home of Ivalea and James at Coryville, Ohio (a small village a mile or so to the northeast of Ironton).

Charlotte graduated from South Point High School in 1954. She then attended Century College of Commerce in Huntington West Virginia to study secretarial science and graduated in 1955.

Charlotte worked for A.F. Castanoli Consulting engineers, Allied Chemical, Nationwide insurance, and Battelle Institute, and other notable organizations as an executive secretary.

She married Carl Edward Kelley on January 21, 1956 at Pedro, Ohio at Reverend Hamilton's house. Carl worked all his life for telephone companies as a repairman - primarily with Ohio Bell telephone Company. He retired after 26 years of service due to becoming ill with emphysema. He died at Russell Kentucky on May 21, 1985. Carl and Charlotte met on a Greyhound Bus going from South Point to Columbus, Ohio.

Carl served with the Gustav Hirsch Organization installing telephones to support the U.S. Forces in Vietnam during the period of 1968 - 1970.

Charlotte was named after the doctor who delivered her "Anne". It was uncommon in those days to have a female doctor.

SANDRA KAY "Kay" "Kay Doodle" was born on August 20, 1944 at the Ironton, Ohio Hospital.

Immediately after graduating from South Point High School, in May 1962, Kay married Gary Lee Bailey on June 22, 1962. Gary graduated from Rock Hill High School in Pedro, Ohio in 1959. They met at Charlotte's house in Columbus at a Thanksgiving Dinner. Gary and Carl Kelley were good friends during High School Days.

While Kay became a homemaker for her husband and children, Gary worked for a year in construction and then 19 years for Ironton Coke Company before the company was dissolved. He worked on the ovens refining raw materials into Iron and Cast Iron products. After a brief return to construction work, Gary was employed as a Highway Worker with the Ohio Department of Transportation.

After living one year in Ironton, Ohio, on spruce street, they moved into the home their children would grow up in, at 207 Margaret Street in South Point, Ohio.

Both Kay and Gary were deeply involved in doing work for the Burlington Baptist Church. Gary was the Sunday School Teacher for the older men's group, a Deacon, and director of a 20 member choir. Kay taught songs and sharing type games to 0-12 month old children.

Sandra Kay was named after Charlotte's dog "Sandy"!

Dewey Farmer would do everything he could to make Ivalea laugh hard because she would always have to run to the bathroom when she got to laughing.

CHAPTER 13

ALTA RUTH BOWMAN WILLIAMS PRESTON

1/12	Preston	Alta	Ruth	Bowman	Nov 8, 1919
1/12.S1	Williams	Edward	Llewellyn	NA	_____
1/12.S2	PrestonWilliam		Jacob	NA	_____
1/12/01	MuellerJanice	NMI	Williams		Feb 20, 1942
1/12/01.S1	MuellerWerner	Von	NA		_____
1/12/01/01	MuellerCarolyn	Elizabeth		Mueller	_____
1/12/01/02	MuellerAlexander			NA	_____
1/12/02	Mallari Linda	Lou	Williams		Jan 27, 1943
1/12/02.S1	Taylor Robert	Edward	NA		_____
1/12/02.S2	Maute Robert	E.	NA		_____
1/12/02.S3	Mallari Albert	ollustre	NA		Oct 20, 1958
1/12/02/01	Pollock Tamara	Lynn	Taylor		_____
1/12/02/01.S1	Milks David		NA		_____
1/12/02/01.S2	Allard Richard		NA		_____
1/12/02/01.S3	Zimmerman Eric			NA	_____
1/12/02/01.S4	Pollock Brett		NA		_____
1/12/02/01/01	Milks Jennifer		Renee	Milks	_____
1/12/02/01/02	Zimmerman Derrick			NA	_____
1/12/02/02	Taylor II Robert	Edward	NA		_____
1/12/02/02.S1	Taylor II Michelle				_____
1/12/02/02/01	Taylor III Robert	Edward	NA		_____
1/12/02/03	Maute Alison	Elaine	Maute		_____
1/12/02/04	Maute Christopher		Evan	NA	_____
1/12/03	Williams II Edward	Llewellyn		NA	Sep 23, 1944
1/12/03.S1	Williams Vivian		Gilliam		_____
1/12/03/01	Kirk Tamara	Lynn	kirk		_____
1/12/03/02	Martyn Michelle		Ann	Kirk	Jan 25, 1962
1/12/03/02.S1	Martyn Brad	Allen			_____
1/12/03/02/01	Martyn Ryan	Christopher			_____
1/12/03/02/02	Martyn Patrick	David			_____
1/12/03/03	Williams Rebecca		Lynn		_____
1/12/03/04	Williams Joseph	Seth			_____
1/12/03/05	Williams Paul	David			_____
1/12/04	Strong Ida	Elizabeth		Williams	Apr 20, 1949
1/12/04.S1	Strong Blaine	Drew	NA		_____
1/12/04/01	Strong Jody	Suzanne		Strong	_____
1/12/04/02	Strong Timothy		Drew	NA	_____

Alta Ruth was named by Elmer Ferguson's father (Henson Ferguson - owner of the property to the south of Bowmans's) after his dead daughter - the only one Henson had. She was 16 years of age when she died. Henson unbuttoned his shirt sleeve just before she died - he was sitting with her holding her hand when she expired- and he never

again buttoned his left shirt sleeve.

When they were building the new house, Alta was 3 or 4 years old and a colored man was working on the dining room door. It was the first black person she had ever seen. It stuck in her mind all her life.

Alta says that she can only remember one time her mother or father struck her in a disciplining manner. Alta was reading a book. William Clayton asked her to see what she was reading. Alta didn't want to give him the book. When he insisted, Alta threw the book at her father and he promptly slapped her face for the disrespect. Alta says a good lesson and she never forgot it.

She remembers that James Sparks stayed at the Bowman homestead and went to Solida School. Alta said she remembers getting James a paddling.

Alta went from the 1st through 8th grades at Solida Elementary School. She remembers walking the mile down the holler to the school. She had Goldie Mann in her 1st through 4th grade as a teacher. One of her teachers was Merrill McKee. She only had 4 different teachers the entire time she was at Solida. The last teacher may have been a man named Taylor.

In 1934, after completing Solida, she still had to walk the mile down the holler to Solida School to catch the bus to go into South Point to the High School. She attended SPHS her Freshman and Sophomore years. She made Varsity Girls Basketball in her Freshman year. She was a guard. The team lost most all of their games.

In the summer of 1936 Alta got a job as a baby sitter in Ironton. She liked it so much she decided that's what she wanted to do for an occupation for the rest of her life - and that she was not going to finish at South Point High School. Her sister Clara came from Columbus and took Alta, against her will, with Clara, back to Columbus. Alta spent her Junior year at North High School in Columbus. North High School was one of the more prestigious High Schools in the State. It is now closed as a High School and used as a trade training center for hard to manage students from all over Columbus. She got acquainted with Mary Levalley, who lived around the corner from Clara's house. Mary was a friend of the family all her life. Alta lived with Clara on Essex Avenue fairly close to 11th Ave.

Alta's sister Grace came through Columbus to pick Alta up on her way to South Point. When Grace was returning to Shreve, and they went to drop Alta off at Clara's house, Clara wasn't home. So Grace took Alta to Shreve to live with her. That's how Alta came to be a graduate of Shreve High School in 1938.

Alta says her senior year in high school was the best year of her life as Grace wanted and permitted her to have fun her senior year - and she did. She especially remembers dating several of the boys including the Class President, Stanley Wise, and Henry Ford

Shelley. She went out for everything a person could go out for. She had the lead in the operetta.

Alta lived with Grace and Bob at Bob's Grandfather's house - in that he had died recently and the house was available. Grace and Bob then moved into the small white house next to Snyder's.

Alta graduated from Shreve High School in 1938 and attended the 50 year reunion in 1988. Of the 32 graduating seniors, 13 attended the 50 year reunion - most of whom still lived in Shreve.

Alta always wanted to be a nurse. There was just never enough money to go to school. She went back to Columbus and lived with Clara on Livingston diagonally across from children's hospital. She hoped to get the chance to go to nurses training in Columbus at Grant Hospital. She worked at Frecker's restaurant for awhile. After working at a couple jobs as a maid in Upper Arlington, she worked Warrented Drug Company on Goodale Street.

She was working at Warrented Drug Company when she married Edward Lewellyn Williams on August 29, 1941 at Fort Hayes in Columbus, Ohio as Ed was in the Army at that time.

Janice, Linda, and Edward were born in 1942, 43, and 44. Ida Beth came along 5 years later in 1949. Alta lived at 1631 Corning Avenue in Parsons Kansas, with Ed's step mother (Dorothy Wheat) and Father (Lou Ferdinand) until Ed was released from the Army in 1945.

Ed had one brother named Lester Wayne. He had two children - girls named Judy and _____. His wife's name was Betty. Lester was younger than Ed.

After leaving Parson Kansas Alta, and the children returned to Columbus. Ed stayed on in Knasas as there was no apartments available. They lived with Grace & Bob. She remembers it was at the time when Joseph Earl had his tonsils removed and bled so bad they had to take him by emergency vehicle to the hospital a couple times. They finally moved into Sullivan Gardens - a low cost housing project for veterans. Ed joined her and worked at Curtis-Wright. Alta had Ida while they were living in Sullivan Gardens. Alta also was divorced from Ed in 1953.

Grace worked at the Sullivan Gardens Day Care Center where Alta took Ida while Alta worked at Ternsdedt Division of General Motors on West Broad Street.

Alta then married William Jacob "Bill" Preston on October 3, 1953. She met him at a Union meeting. He was certainly a good man who took excellent care of Alta and her children.

As Alta grew up she felt there were a number of contentions in the family over the children of her older brothers and sisters. Ida favored leniency and William thought they should get a licking.

Once, when Alta was sent by her parents to get some coal oil from up on the hill at Nora's house, Alta just stayed over night. She figured that since they liked living in the dark that it wouldn't make any difference. It did to her Pa.

JANICE was born Feb 20, 1942 at Columbus, Ohio.

LINDA

EDWARD was born while Alta was staying with her parents on the farm in Lewis Fork.

IDA ELIZABETH

CHAPTER 14 SOLDIERS & GOBLINS

LLOYD LEWIS JR. "June Bug" entered U.S. Army on May 08 1961 at Ashland, Ky.

Bob, Jack, and Dewey Farmer all encouraged him to get out of Ironton to get a good job. Every time June Bug was up for reenlistment he would call them and ask if there were any jobs open in Ironton - they always said no. so June bug stayed in the service until retirement.

His first assignment was to basic training at Fort Knox Kentucky and then on to Fort Leonard Wood Missouri for field communications training to become field wireman or pole lineman.

Next he went to Europe where he was diverted from being a pole lineman to the 8th Infantry Division Band in Baumholder W. Germany. He played all the brass instruments. He traveled all over Europe playing for Americans and Germans alike.

Although only 17 years of age, Lou was made the band commander over many others older than he was. He served as the band commander for 3 1/2 years before attending the NCO Academy and then returning to Fort Knox. At Fort Knox, he ran the mail room and communications center for the 16th Armored Group.

His next assignment was to Vietnam from February 1966 to March 1967. He was assigned to the U.S. 1st Infantry 7th field artillery as a Forward Observer (FO) being attached out to the U.S. 16th Infantry Regiment and then to the U.S. Special Forces Camp at An Loc, Vietnam. He was the special liaison from the U.S. Artillery as a Forward Observer on combat operations with Vietnamese Regular Army units and Vietnamese Regional and Popular Forces units supported by the Special Forces Camp at An Loc he was there 5 months before going to Na Bey with the U.S. Navy to serve as special liaison and Forward observer working with the Navy's Patrol Boat River and SEAL Teams. After 3 months he returned back to the 16th Infantry to finish his tour.

Lou was next assigned straight from Vietnam to Germany to the 4th Armored Division at Neurnberg. He stayed there for 3 years working as a supply sergeant.

After the assignment with the 4th Armored Division, Junebug went to Fort Sheridan Illinois and worked as a supply sergeant until he sent to Missouri as an assistant professor of military science and tactics at the Reserve Officer Training Corps Detachment at Westminster College in Fulton Missouri.

Lou was then sent back for another tour of duty in Vietnam from September 1971 through September 1972. He was a supply sergeant with the 17th Air Cav out of Phu

Loi, Vietnam.

Then Lou was assigned to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana as supply sergeant with the Student Brigade. He stayed there two years before becoming a Recruiter working in the field until his last 2 years of service when he was brought back to Fort Benjamin Harrison to serve as an Instructor at the Recruiter Training School.

He retired on May 30, 1981 and settled in Indianapolis, Indiana. He went back to college to earn two Associate degrees - one from University of New York and a second Associates degree in Business Administration from Vincennes University.

His medals and decorations included: The Bronze Star, 3 Army Commendation Medals, Vietnamese Campaign Medal, Vietnamese Service Medal, Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, Presidential Unit Citation, Combat Infantryman's Badge, Vietnamese Presidential Unit Citation, 5 Good Conduct Medals, National Defense Service Medal, 2 U.S. Army Recruiter Badges with 2 star sapphires.

His GT score of 136 helped him get choice assignments. His intelligence coupled with his leadership abilities earned him rapid promotion and jobs with increased responsibility.

CHAPTER 15 OTHER THINGS OF IMPORTANCE

From Lawrence County there were 4 Bowmans listed in the book that June Bug has. They were: 1.) Elmer J. Bowman, 2.) Everett J. Bowman, 3.) James Willard, and 4.) Lawson B. Bowman Jr.

There are 2 McKee's in that book too.

Other Data from Records not fit together

David Miles McKee
658 Victory Road
Erie, Pennsylvania

David's Daughter is Mrs. Charles (Carole) Palmer
4068 Garden Ave.
Erie, Pennsylvania

Uncle John may be the father or grandfather of these two people.

Aunt Annie and Ida McKee took a train trip to Erie to see Uncle John when Alta stayed with her Mother in abt 1944

Joe & Louise Aanowitz
223 Hedrick St.
Beckley, W.Va. 94086

DOROTHY YOUNG LIVED AT 1834 N. FOURTH ST. COLUMBUS, OHIO when Jim Picked her up to come live with Jim & Sandy

William A. Campbell
3855 Granger Rd. Bath, Ohio 666-2023

James Bower Campbell 515 Salmon Brook Dr. Granby, Conn 60947

David C. Campbell 1238 Gorge ()929-2347 Teaches at East High School Int Decorating

Robert John Campbell 2259 Harding Rd. Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio wife suzy son kent state?

Richard G. Campbell 8531 Markt Erlbach 09106 574 Am Kapell II West Germany.

 McKee, Frank Gibbons born Apr 8, 1888 Father was Lewis Anderson McKee
 McKee, Arnold Clyde, born Oct 16, 1892 Father was Lewis Anderson McKee

FORTY FIRST COUSINS

1/01/01	Hall	Ida	Leona	Stanley		
1/01/02	Stanley	Samuel	Clayton	NA	NA	
1/01/03	Stanley	Lawrence		NMI	N/A	NA
1/01/04	Stanley	James	Howard	N/A	NA	
1/01/05	Stanley	Ernest		NMI	N/A	NA
1/01/06	Stanley	Mart	Edward	NA	NA	
1/02/01	Farmer	Sr.	Lloyd	Lewis	NA	
1/02/02	Farmer	John	Dewey	NA	NA	
1/02/03	Thornton		Ruby	Pearl	Farmer	
1/02/04	Farmer	Joseph	Earl	NA	KIA WW2	USA
1/02/05	Farmer	William	Luther	NA		USA
1/02/06	McCall	Ruth	Louise	Farmer		
1/02/07	Farmer	Jack	Donald	NA		
1/02/08	Farmer	James	Royal	NA	1	USN
1/02/09	Harper	Wanda	Lee	Farmer		
1/04/01	Wilcoxen		Treva	Dawn	Bowman	
1/05/01	Sparks	James	Samuel	NA	NA	
1/05/02	Sparks	Sr.	George	William	NA	USN
1/05/03	Sparks	Sr.	Fred	Edward	NA	USN
1/05/04	Zankowitz		Margaret	Louise	Sparks	
1/05/05	Atkinson		Jane	Ann	Sparks	USN
1/05/06	Sparks	Major	Wilson	NA		
1/06/01	Bowman		William	Bennett	NA	USN
1/06/02	Bowman		Don	Lee	NA	USAF
1/06/03	Mateer	Betty	Lou	Bowman		
1/06/04	Detwiler		Evelyn	Lucille	Bowman	
1/07/01	Pruett	Harold	Lloyd	NA		
1/07/02	Pruett	Clarence		Edward	NA	NA
1/07/03	Hamill	Beverly		Ann	Pruett	
1/09/01	Campbell		Joseph	Earl	NA	USA
1/09/02	Campbell		James	William	NA	USA
1/09/03	Campbell		Ray	Nelson	NA	USMC
1/09/04	Campbell		Nancy	Jane	Campbell	No Phone
1/09/05	Copeland		Avis	Amelia	Campbell	
1/11/01	Kelley	Charlotte		Anne	Gwilliams	
1/11/02	Bailey	Sandra	Kay	Gwilliams		
1/12/01	Mueller	Janice		NMI	Williams	
1/12/02	Mallari	Linda	Lou	Williams		
1/12/03	Williams	II	Edward	Llewellyn	NA	USN
1/12/04	Strong	Ida	Elizabeth	Williams		

SECOND COUSINS

1/01/01/01	Hall	Raymond	Earl	N/A		Jun 18, 1932
1/01/01/02	Paul	Grace	Ann	Hall		Dec 5, 1935
1/01/01/03	Hall	Paul	David	NA	USN	May 1, 1938
1/01/01/04	Hall	Jollife	NMI	NA	No	Oct 1, 1940
1/01/01/05	Hall Sr.	James	Ernest	NA	USA	Mar 1, 1944
1/01/01/06	Hall Sr.	Larry	Sam	NA		Feb 18, 1947
1/01/01/07	Adkins	Alma	Sharon	Hall		Feb 18, 1947
1/01/05/01	Stanley	Terry	Roger	N/A		_____
1/01/05/02	Stanley	Gary	Ernest	NA		_____
1/01/05/03	Stanley	Michael		NA		_____
1/01/05/04	Slaughter		Debra	Ann	Stanley	_____
1/01/05/05	Tomlin	Denise	Leona	Stanley		_____
1/01/06/01	Frale	Cheryl	Jane	Stanley		Feb 3, 1949
1/02/01/01	Farmer Jr		Lloyd	Lewis	NA	Mar 1, 1944
1/02/01/02	Bailey	Nora	Mae	Farmer		Mar 6, 1953
1/02/01/03	Carter	Linda	Sue	Farmer		Nov 8, 1946
1/02/01/04	Farmer	Larry	Michael	NA		Nov 3, 1950
1/02/01/05	McKnight		Janet	Marie	Farmer	Dec 21, 1954
1/02/01/06	Deatherage	Wanda		Lee	Farmer	Nov 28, 1948
1/02/03/01	Thornton		Kenneth	Eugene	NA	KIA Vietnam USA _____
1/02/03/02	Cantrell		Dreama		Sue	Thornton Jul 28, 1942
1/02/03/03	Bates	Peggy		Thornton		_____
1/02/03/04	Thornton		Denny			_____
1/02/03/05	Thornton		Keith			_____
1/02/05/01	Farmer	Vern	William	NA	USA	Jan 23, 1953
1/02/05/02	Farmer	Waid	Dee	NA		Dec 28, 1954
1/02/05/03	Beveridge		Faye	Nanette	Farmer	Apr 1, 1958
1/02/05/04	Farmer	Reid	Clay	NA		Aug 1, 1960
1/02/06/01	McCall	Danny	Joe	NA		Jun 13, 1945
1/02/06/02	McCall Sr.		Rodney	Clay	NA	Sep 1, 1946
1/02/06/03	McCall	Treva	Dawn	McCall		Apr 17, 1949
1/02/06/04	Slaughter		Amy	Colleen	McCall	Mar 13, 1950
1/02/06/05	McCall	Cody	Michael	NA	NA	Feb 11, 1955
1/02/06/06	Pennington		Connie	Elaine	McCall	May 27, 1958
1/02/06/07	Lydecker		Cathy	Diane	McCall	Jan 4, 1957
1/02/06/08	Boyd	Lisa	Christine		McCall	Jan 19, 1961
1/02/06/09	McCall	Troy	Dean	NA		Jul 4, 1965
1/02/07/01	Farmer	Shay				_____
1/02/07/02	Farmer	Richard				_____
1/02/07/03	Farmer	Phillip				_____
1/02/07/04	Farmer	Troy				_____
1/02/07/05	Hyland	Albert	James	NA		Oct 11, 1966
1/02/07/06	Robinson		Kelli	Ann	Hyland	Sep 3, 1968
1/02/07/07	Hyland	Kimberly		Jane	Hyland	_____
1/02/08/01	McDonald		Clarence		Rudy	Apr 25, 1949
1/02/08/02	Fetter	Melodie		Rayette	Lee	Jul 17, 1951
1/02/09/01	Stidham		Debbie	Lee	Carter	1 Nov 26, 1951
1/02/09/02	Carter	Diane			Deceased	_____
1/02/09/03	Carter	Kevin	Douglas	NA		_____
1/02/09/04	Robinson		Kim	Annette	Carter	_____
1/02/09/05		Dottie	Jolene		Carter	_____
1/02/09/06	Castle Jr		Ralph			_____
1/02/09/07	Castle	Donald		NA		_____
1/02/09/08	Tyler	Teresa	June	Castle		_____

1/02/09/09	Castle Brian		NA			
1/02/09/10	Harper Jerry					
1/02/09/11	Harper Gary Lee		NA			
1/02/09/12	Harper Terry (B)		NA			
1/04/01/01	Brown Robin Dawn	Brown			Aug 5, 1968	
1/04/01/02	Wilcoxen Gary	Vinton	NA		Nov 17, 1972	
1/04/01/03	Wilcoxen Tonya	Melinda	Wilcoxen			Mar 11, 1975
1/05/01/01	Sparks Thomas	Franklin		NA	4USA	Jan 30, 1940
1/05/01/02	Sparks Sr. Roger	Lee		NA		Sep 30, 1941
1/05/02/01	Sparks Jr. George	William		NA	USAF	Jul 25, 1948
1/05/02/02	Sparks Sr. Michael	Wilson		NA		Dec 15, 1950
1/05/02/03	Sommerville Patti	Maria		Sparks		May 17, 1954
1/05/02/04	Sparks Dale	Andrew		NA		Jul 7, 1958
1/05/03/01	Lester Ann	Louise		Sparks		
1/05/03/02	Mitchell Ruby	Avis		Sparks		
1/05/03/03	Sparks Jr Fred	Edward		NA		
1/05/03/04	Gardner Kathy	Lynn		Sparks		
1/05/03/05	Sparks David	Wayne		NA		
1/05/04/01	Zankowitz Joseph	NMI		NA		Jul 23, 1956
1/05/04/02	Zankowitz Thomas	Louis		NA		Jan 11, 1963
1/05/05/01	McClure Deborah	Avis		Atkinson		Jun 22, 1949
1/05/05/02	Atkinson Barney	Mark		NA		
1/05/05/03	Atkinson William	Guy		NA		
1/05/05/04	Eller Karen	Ann		Atkinson		Nov 13, 1959
1/05/06/01	Sparks Linda					May 1, 1954
1/05/06/02	Morrissey Brenda					
1/05/06/03	Green Sandie			Sparks		
1/06/02/01	Bowman Dan	Leroy		NA		May 28, 1952
1/06/02/02	Bowman Bruce	Wayne		NA		Oct 27, 1954
1/06/02/03	Ringel Sharon	Marie		Bowman		Jan 20, 1956
1/06/02/04	Harter Susan	Elaine		Bowman		Oct 15, 1957
1/06/02/05	Bowman Brian	Eugene		NA		Dec 2, 1960
1/06/02/06	Bowman Michael	Dean		NA		Apr 3, 1963
1/06/03/01	Mateer Anthony			Wayne		NA
1/06/03/02	Beaver Terri	Ann		Mateer		Dec 22, 1955
1/06/03/03	Mateer Timothy			Vaughn		NA
1/06/04/01	Detwiler Jeffery	Robert		NA		Nov 8, 1954
1/06/04/02	Burroughs Pamela	Kay		Detwiler		Nov 26, 1960
1/07/02/01	Pruett Harold	Edward		NA		
1/07/02/02	Pruett David	Anthony		NA		
1/07/03/01	#1	#1		Step Child		
1/07/03/02	#2	#2		Step Child		
1/09/01/01	Campbell II Joseph	Earl		NA		Feb 4, 1956
1/09/01/02	Campbell Frederick	John		NA		Feb 18, 1959
1/09/01/03	Campbell J.	Marcus		NA	USAF	Jan 1, 1960
1/09/01/04	Campbell Benjamin	Lewis		NA		
1/09/01/05	Campbell Marijane			NMI	Campbell	
1/09/01/06	Campbell Aaron	Ben		NA		
1/09/02/01	Smith Shelley	Lee		Campbell		Oct 30, 1958
1/09/02/02	Bigelow Holly	Lynn		Campbell		Aug 25, 1960
1/09/02/03	Lewis Kerry	Ann		Campbell		Nov 27, 1961
1/09/02/04	Campbell II James	William		NA		Mar 6, 1963
1/09/02/05	Campbell Merrie	Lee		Campbell		Jul 15, 1964
1/09/02/06	Campbell Adam	David		NA		Dec 15, 1966
1/09/02/07	Campbell Joelle	Gracelen		Campbell		Dec 12, 1972
1/09/02/08	Savage William	Franklin		NA	USA	Dec 14, 1968

1/09/02/09	Savage	RoAnna	Christine	Savage		Nov 14, 1971
1/09/02/10	Savage	Amanda	Ruth	Savage		Oct 16, 1980
1/09/03/01	Campbell	Ray	Randall	NA		Nov 27, 1962
1/09/03/02	Campbell	Kelly				Oct 13, 1968
1/09/04/01	Pifer	Charles	Eugene	NA		Jul 12, 1958
1/09/04/02	Pifer	Daniel	Ray	NA		Jul 31, 1959
1/09/04/03	Pifer	Christopher	Lee	NA		May 29, 1961
1/09/05/01	Soliday	John	Todd	NA		Jan 11, 1965
1/09/05/02	Soliday	David	Clifford	NA		_____
1/09/05/03	Soliday	Nancy	Ann	Soliday		_____
1/11/01/01	Kelley	Carl	David	NA		Oct 10, 1956
1/11/01/02	Kelley	Michael	Lee	NA		Dec 10, 1958
1/11/01/03	Kelley	Sandra	Jean	Kelley		Mar 22, 1964
1/11/01/04	Kelley	James	Edward	NA		Oct 28, 1969
1/11/01/05	Kelley	Christopher	Roy	NA		Nov 6, 1971
1/11/02/01	Freeman	Teresea	Ann	Bailey		Apr 27, 1963
1/11/02/02	Bailey II	Gary	Lee	NA		Sep 27, 1964
1/12/01/01	Mueller	Carolyn	Elizabeth	Mueller		_____
1/12/01/02	Mueller	Alexander		NA		_____
1/12/02/01	Pollock	Tamara	Lynn	Taylor		_____
1/12/02/02	Taylor II	Robert	Edward	NA		_____
1/12/02/03	Maute	Alison	Elaine	Maute		_____
1/12/02/04	Maute	Christopher	Evan	NA		_____
1/12/03/01	Kirk	Tamara	Lynn	kirk		_____
1/12/03/02	Martyn	Michelle	Ann	Kirk		Jan 25, 1962
1/12/03/03	Williams	Rebecca		Lynn		_____
1/12/03/04	Williams	Joseph	Seth			_____
1/12/03/05	Williams	Paul	David			_____
1/12/04/01	Strong	Jody	Suzanne	Strong		_____
1/12/04/02	Strong	Timothy	Drew	NA		_____

THIRD COUSINS

1/01/01/01/01	HorsleyDonna	Jean	Hall		Feb 7, 1955
1/01/01/01/02	Hall David	Ray	NA		Nov 5, 1969
1/01/01/02/01	Young Dianna	Sue	Paul		Mar 12, 1961
1/01/01/02/02	HogstenKathy	Lynn	Paul		Jan 2, 19??
1/01/01/02/03	Paul Jr.	James	Edward	NA	Mar 25,
1/01/01/02/04	Paul Lisa	Jan			Nov 26, 1968
1/01/01/03/01	Hall I Samuel	Paul	NA		May 16, 1958
1/01/01/03/02	Hall Sr Timothy	Lee	NA		Sep 8, 1959
1/01/01/03/03	Hall Tuxie	Louise	NA	NA	Sep 17, 1960
1/01/01/03/04	Hall Brian	Allen	NA		Oct 15, 1967
1/01/01/03/05	Hall Gloria	Ellen			Sep 23, 1968
1/01/01/04/01	Hall Jollife	Edward	NA		Sep 2, 1962
1/01/01/05/01	Trusty John	Michael	NA		
1/01/01/05/02	Hall Jr. James	Ernest	NA		Dec 6, 1968
1/01/01/06/01	Holsinger	Doris	Leona	Hall	Dec 14, 1968
1/01/01/06/02	Hall Karen	Louise			Feb 4, 1970
1/01/01/06/03	Hall Jr. Larry	Sam	NA		Apr 22, 1971
1/01/05/01/01	StanleyChristopher	????		NA	
1/01/05/02/01	StanleyBernard				1968
1/01/05/02/02	StanleyGirl				
1/01/05/04/01	Slaughter	Ronnie			
1/01/05/04/02	Slaughter	Robert			
1/01/05/04/03	Slaughter	Roger			
1/01/05/04/04	Slaughter	Christine			
1/01/05/05/01	Tomlin Tina	Louise			
1/01/05/05/02	Tomlin Purcella				
1/01/06/01/01	Fraleley Mark				
1/01/06/01/02	Fraleley Camelia				
1/02/01/01/01	Smith Robert		NA		Jan 2, 1959
1/02/01/01/02	Lybrand Janet	Margaret		Smith	Dec 10, 1959
1/02/01/01/03	Farmer John	Jay	Petrick		May 17, 1961
1/02/01/01/04	HerringMarrianna	Erica	Farmer		Aug 11, 1964
1/02/01/01/05	Farmer III Lloyd	Lewis	NA		Jan 2, `966
1/02/01/01/06	Kett Edward	James	NA		Feb 27, 1962
1/02/01/01/07	Kett Mark	Henry	NA		Oct 12, 1963
1/02/01/01/08	King Joyce	Rene	Kett		May 17, 1965
1/02/01/01/09	Farmer Angela	Jo	Farmer		Dec 15, 1974
1/02/01/02/01	McFann Joe		NA		
1/02/01/02/02	McFann Rhonda	Sue	McFann		
1/02/01/02/03	McFann David		NA		
1/02/01/03/01	York Faith	Ann	York		
1/02/01/03/02	York Ginger	Lee	York		
1/02/01/04/01	Farmer Christy		Farmer		
1/02/01/04/02	Farmer Girl		Farmer		
1/02/01/04/03	Farmer Boy		NA		
1/02/01/05/01	McKnight Stacey	Rene	McKnight		Dec 3, 1976
1/02/01/05/02	McKnight Tracey	Lee	McKnight		Oct 5, 1979
1/02/01/06/01	Henry Lorie	Ann	Henry		
1/02/03/02/01	Honley Brian		NA		
1/02/03/02/02	Honley Brent		NA		
1/02/03/02/03	Cantrell Christy		Cantrell		
1/02/03/03/01	Bates Heather		Bates		
1/02/03/03/02	Bates Misty		Bates		

1/02/03/04/01	Thornton	Nicolas	Na		
1/02/03/04/02	Thornton	Andrew	Na		
1/02/03/05/01	Thornton	Joey	Na		
1/02/03/05/02	Thornton	Boy	Na		
1/02/05/01/01	Farmer Wesley	Ryan	NA		Sep 27, 1981
1/02/05/02/01	Farmer Cory	Shane	NA		Feb 25, 1983
1/02/05/02/02	Farmer Darren	Waid	NA		May 10, 1985
1/02/05/02/03	Farmer Carra	Nicole	Farmer		Nov 12, 1988
1/02/05/03/01	Beveridge	Todd	William	NA	Aug 24, 1976
1/02/05/03/02	Beveridge	Luke	Allen	NA	Jun 6, 1978
1/02/06/01/01	McCall Michelle	Lynn	McCall		May 3, 1971
1/02/06/01/02	McCall Daniel	Joseph	NA		May 8, 1974
1/02/06/02/01	McCall Jr.	Rodney	Clay	NA	Jan 20, 1970
1/02/06/02/02	McCall Danika	Lane	McCall		Jun 20, 1980
1/02/06/02/03	McCall Dejo'n	Brittany	McCall		Apr 10, 1982
1/02/06/04/01	Slaughter Jr	Thomas	Doyle	NA	Nov 25, 1971
1/02/06/04/02	Slaughter	William	Scott	NA	
1/02/06/04/03	Slaughter	Tammy	Lynn	Slaughter	
1/02/06/06/01	Morton Sarah	Lynn	Morton		Jan 9, 1977
1/02/06/06/02	Morton Sandy	Dawn	Morton		Nov 12, 1978
1/02/06/07/01	Elson Shawn	Michael	NA		May 28, 1979
1/02/06/08/01	Boyd Donald	Lee Jr.	NA		
1/02/06/09/01	McCall Amber	Nicole	McCall		
1/02/06/09/02	McCall Expecting	Oct 1, 89			
1/02/07/06/01	Robinson	Tiffany	Nicole	Robinson	Jul 2, 1987
1/02/07/07/01	Hyland Brittany	J	Hyland		Aug 9, 1988
1/02/08/01/01	Potter Candy	Sue	McDonald		Mar 20, 1970
1/02/08/01/02	Potter Cory	Major	NA		Jul 30, 1974
1/02/08/02/01	Fetter Rayetta	Dale	Fetter		Apr 22, 1970
1/02/08/02/02	Fetter Jamie	Lee	Fetter		Aug 31, 1971
1/02/08/02/03	Fetter Jason	Dale	NA		Jun 19, 1973
1/02/09/01/01	Stidham	Melissa	Dawn	Stidham	
1/02/09/01/02	Stidham	Saundra	Lee	Stidham	
1/02/09/03/01	Carter Michael		NA		
1/02/09/03/02	Carter Brian		NA		
1/02/09/04/01	Robinson	Tomeika	Dawn	Robinson	
1/02/09/04/02	Robinson	Lisa	Marie	Robinson	
1/02/09/04/03	Robinson	Eric	NA		
1/02/09/05/01		Tabatha			
1/02/09/05/02		Tasha			
1/02/09/05/03		Tammy			
1/02/09/05/04		Randi (G)			
1/02/09/06/01	Castle	Boy			
1/02/09/06/02	Castle	Girl			
1/02/09/08/01	Tyler Jr	Jeff			
1/02/09/08/02	Tyler	Ty (B)			
1/02/09/08/03	Tyler	Heather	Dawn		
1/02/09/10/01	Harper	Girl			
1/02/09/10/02	Harper	Kerry	Dawn		
1/02/09/10/03	Harper	Boy			
1/05/01/01/01	Berry	Barbara	Jean	Sparks	
1/05/01/01/02	Sparks	James	Edward	NA	Feb 19, 1967
1/05/01/02/01	Sparks	Jenifer	Louise	Adopted	Jun 19, 1968

	1/05/01/02/02	Sparks Jr.	Roger Lee	NA		Feb 2, 1970
	1/05/02/01/01	Sparks Rachael	Dorothy	Sparks		Jun 5, 1976
	1/05/02/01/02	Sparks Andrew	Jared	NA		Sep 11, 1978
	1/05/02/01/03	Sparks Tyler	William	NA		Jun 19, 1982
	1/05/02/02/01	Sparks Jr.	Michael	Wilson	NA	Jul 7, 1974
	1/05/02/02/02	Sparks Lori	Rene	Sparks		Oct 13, 1978
	1/05/02/03/01	Sommerville	Meagen	Maria	Sommerville	May 17, 1981
	1/05/02/03/02	Sommerville	Adrienne	Beth	Sommerville	Jul 22, 1983
	1/05/03/01/01	Williams	Violet	Michelle	Sparks	
	1/05/03/01/02	Diley Christy	Lynn	Sparks		
	1/05/03/01/03	Lester Jr.	Henry	C.	NA	
	1/05/03/02/01	Mitchell	Linda	Ellen	Mitchell	
	1/05/03/02/02	Mitchell	Ruby	Lynn	Mitchell	
	1/05/03/02/03	Mitchell III	Jerry	Paul	NA	
	1/05/03/04/01	Gardner	Billy	Jo	Gardner	
	1/05/03/04/02	Gardner	Margaret	Elizabeth	GARDNER	
	1/05/03/04/03	Gardner	Daniel	Edward	NA	
	1/05/03/05/01	Sparks Macel	Marie	Sparks		
	1/05/03/05/02	Sparks II	David	Wayne	NA	
	1/05/03/05/03	Sparks Janet	Rene	Sparks		
	1/05/04/01/01	Zankowitz	Amy	Marie	Zankowitz	Mar 6, 1981
1976	1/05/05/01/01	McClure	Amanda	Jane	McClure	Jun 22,
	1/05/05/01/02	McClure	Carrie	Elizabeth	McClure	Oct 21,
1977	1/05/05/02/01	Atkinson	Kelli	Dawn	McClure	Apr 12, 1973
	1/05/05/02/02	McClure	Kristin	Ann	McClure	Feb 19, 1977
	1/05/05/03/01	Atkinson II	William	Guy	NA	Oct 16, 1984
	1/05/05/03/02	Atkinson	Samuel	Robert	NA	Aug 18, 1987
	1/05/06/02/01	Clevenger	Sarah			
	1/05/06/02/02	Morrissey	Amy			
	1/05/06/02/03	Morrissey	Brian			
	1/05/06/02/04	Morrissey	Travis			
	1/06/02/01/01	Bowman	Ryan	Michael	NA	Jul 6, 1976
	1/06/02/01/02	Bowman	Phillip	Allen	NA	Apr 27, 1978
	1/06/02/01/03	Bowman	Meagen	Renee	Bowman	Nov 25, 1981
	1/06/02/02/01	Bowman	Brooke	Emily	Bowman	Mar 11, 1980
	1/06/02/02/02	Bowman	Lisa	Elaine	Bowman	Jan 1, 1983
	1/06/02/02/03	Bowman	Bradley	John	NA	Oct 31, 1985
	1/06/02/03/01	Ringel Rebekah		Marie	Ringel	May 17, 1981
	1/06/02/03/02	Ringel Jacob	Lee	NA		Jul 6, 1983
	1/06/02/03/03	Ringel Jennifer		Dawn	Ringel	Oct 14, 1985
	1/06/02/04/01	Harter Brenna	Joy	Harter		Jun 8, 1983
	1/06/02/04/02	Harter Austin	Lee	NA		Feb 17, 1988
1984	1/06/02/05/01	Bowman	Amy	Elizabeth	Bowman	Oct 16,
	1/06/02/05/02	Bowman	Holly	Jolinn	Bowman	Jan 18, 1986
	1/06/02/05/03	Bowman	Mindy	Brenee	Bowman	Oct 28, 1987
	1/06/02/05/04	Bowman	On	The	Way	
	1/06/03/01/01	Mateer Jennifer		Michelle	Mateer	Jul 21, 1973
	1/06/03/01/02	Mateer Jasmine		Marie	Mateer	Nov 9, 1078
	1/06/03/01/03	Mateer Jacqueline		NMI	Mateer	Sep 10, 1982
	1/06/03/02/01	Beaver Michelle		Ann	Beaver	Aug 8, 1980
	1/06/03/02/02	Beaver Janelle	Lynn	Beaver		Sep 1, 1983
	1/06/04/02/01	Burroughs	Angela	Michelle	Burroughs	Aug 19,

1979

1/06/04/02/02	Burroughs Christopher Allen NA	Mar 27, 1989
1/09/01/01/01	Campbell II Son	_____
1/09/01/01/02	Campbell II Daughter	_____
1/09/02/01/01	Smith Christopher Chase NA	Aug 20, 1982
1/09/02/01/02	Smith Adam Richard NA	Apr 10, 1984
1/09/02/01/03	Smith Peter Sasson NA	Nov 7, 1988
1/09/02/02/01	Bigelow II Eric Merril NA	Aug 4, 1981
1/09/02/02/02	Bigelow Jordan Welby NA	Oct 12, 1982
1/09/02/02/03	Bigelow Sean Michael NA	Mar 29, 1987
1/09/02/03/01	Lewis Alexandra Marie Lewis	Aug 6, 1984
1/09/02/03/02	Lewis II Daniel James NA	Mar 26, 1987
1/09/04/01/01	Pifer Sara Jane Pifer	_____
1/09/04/03/01	Pifer Chelsea Marie Pifer	Jan 8, 1979
1/09/04/03/02	Pifer Christopher Heath NA	Nov 13, 1986
1/09/05/01/01	Soliday Christopher John NA	May 9, 1982
1/09/05/01/02	Soliday Carriane Elaine Soliday	May 29, 1984
1/11/01/01/01	Kelley David Edward NA	Nov 28, 1984
1/11/01/02/01	Kelley Paul Michael NA	Aug 6, 1981
1/11/01/02/02	Kelley Amanda Lee Kelley	Feb 14, 1985
1/11/02/01/01	Freeman Andrew David Eric Scott	Sep 26, 1979
1/11/02/01/02	Freeman Ryan Kent NA	May 31, 1986
1/11/02/02/01	Bailey Sarah Renea Bailey	Mar 11, 1986
1/11/02/02/02	Bailey Daniel Jay NA	May 19, 1988
1/12/02/01/01	Milks Jennifer Renee Milks	_____
1/12/02/01/02	Zimmerman Derrick NA	_____
1/12/02/02/01	Taylor III Robert Edward NA	_____
1/12/03/02/01	Martyn Ryan Christopher	_____
1/12/03/02/02	Martyn Patrick David	_____

NOTES TO BE INCLUDED ON FINAL HARD COPY RUN

Clara Basham lived at 1028 Chittenden Ave in Columbus, Ohio on February 10, 1931 as Joseph Earl Campbell was born at her house.

Grace Louise lived at 917 West 17th St. in Huntington, West Virginia on December 11, 1934 as that is where James William Was born.. Doctor was Doctor Harry Beard.

Ray Nelson was born at the old home of Great Grandfather David A. Campbell by railroad tracks near the lumber yard in Shreve, Ohio. Dr Joe Boutwell delivered.

Nancy was born at Pomerene Hospital in Millersburg, Ohio. Dr Joe Boutwell delivered. Grace lived in small two story farm house to the Southwest of Shreve - adjacent on the northeast of Dr Ewing Farm.

Grace was babtized Aug 25, 1957 in Columbus, Ohio Central YMCA Pool.

Grace was married on November 7, 1929 at the 4th Ave Christian Church Parsonage in Columbus, Ohio by Rev Kegg.

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