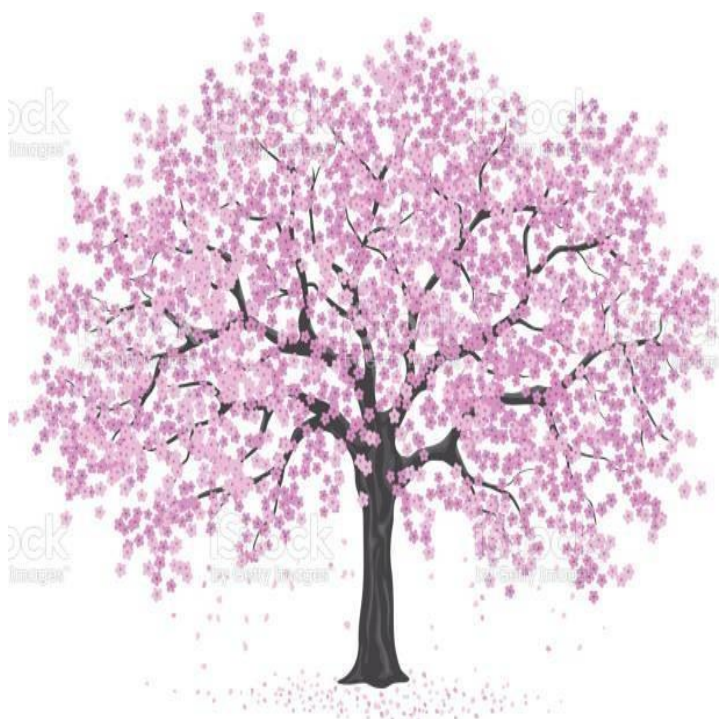


Tri-City Genealogical Society Kennewick – Pasco – Richland WA

www.tricitygenealogicalsociety.org

14 Apr 2021 Monthly Handout — Linda Stephens, Editor – skip6944@aol.com

**Apr 2021 TCGS 7 PM meeting
via Zoom due to CoViD — “How
to reopen and work a genealogical
cold case” with Lisa Louise Cooke
of Genealogy Gems**



The family tree of every person in Israel was carefully recorded in *The Annals of the Kings of Israel*. —1 Chronicles 9:1



**70 TCGS
members**



Conference Week Tips for NGS Member Orgs

**Monday, 17 May
11am to 6pm ET**

DELEGATE COUNCIL KICKOFF WORKSHOP

The workshop is an online event providing attendees the opportunity to learn about the Delegate Council, the new advisory body for member organizations. **Who Should Attend:** Official delegates of NGS member organizations.

Delegate Workshop Registration

**Tuesday, 18 May
3pm to 6pm ET**

SLAM! IDEA SHOWCASE

This **FREE** event highlights creative and innovative projects by societies, libraries, archives, and museums. Genealogy information providers will be inspired by project ideas and genealogists will learn about new resources. Included with NGS 2021 Live! or register for free if only attending SLAM!

Who Should Attend: Genealogists and genealogy information providers

Register for SLAM!

Wednesday/Thursday, 19/20 May
Expo Hall Opens 10:30am ET; Sessions Start at 11am ET

NGS LIVE!

The main event for genealogists and family historians. Watch up to eleven live sessions over two days, plus get the additional sessions you miss streamed right to your computer in June. Tuesday's SLAM! event is also included when you register.

Who Should Attend: Individuals interested in genealogy and family history.

Register for NGS Live!

Friday, 21 May
Expo Hall Opens 10:30am; Sessions Start at 11am ET

FOCUS ON SOCIETIES

Societies and family organizations are the backbone of our community. Focus on Societies is a full day of lectures centered on sharing best practices, attracting new members, planning online events, developing publications, and more.

Who Should Attend: Genealogy and history society leaders and key volunteers. Discounts available when you register multiple attendees.

Register for Focus on Societies

Tuesday thru Friday, 18-21 May
Expo Hall Opens 10:30am ET (most days)

FAMILY HISTORY EXPO

Exhibit at the Family History Expo and share your organization's resources, products, projects, and benefits. Get leads, chat one-to-one, and book meetings.

Who Should Host a Booth: All genealogy organizations.

To reserve a booth, submit your order by 19 April 2021.

Download the Prospectus Now

Free Legacy Webinars

<https://familytreewebinars.com/upcoming-webinars.php>

An African Canadian Family History Mystery

by [Mags Gaulden](#) Fri, 16 Apr 2021

Turning Raw Information into Evidence: Tips for Drawing and Explaining Conclusions

by [J. H. \(Jay\) Fonkert, CG](#) Tue-Wed, 20-21 Apr 2021

3 Ways to Advance Your Research with Correlation

by [Shannon Green, CG](#) Wed, 21 Apr 2021

Recent updates to MyHeritage's historical record search engine

by [Dana Drutman](#) Tue, 27 Apr 2021

94% European and 6% Nigerian - Tracing My Missing Nigerian Ancestor

by [Yetunde Moronke Abiola](#) Wed, 28 Apr 2021

Comparing Australian Content on the Giant Genealogy Websites

by [Sunny Morton](#) Tue-Wed, 4-5 May 2021

Solving a Brick Wall with DNA – A Case Study

by [Larry W Thomas](#) Wed, 5 May 2021

Researching the Descendants and Ancestors of the Weeping Time People

by [Brian Sheffey](#) Fri, 7 May 2021

Latest updates to MyHeritage Genetic Groups

by [Ran Snir](#) Tue, 11 May 2021

DNA Downer: Strategies for Dealing with DNA Fatigue

by [Blaine Bettinger, Ph.D., J.D.](#)

Wed-Thu, 12-13 May 2021

3 POSTINGS AND 1 MORE VIRTUAL SEMINAR

Have Wyoming ancestors? Currently, the website called www.wyomingnewspapers.org contains over 134,000 issues of historical and archived Wyoming newspapers with issues dating from 1849-1922. The database is searchable and use of the site is free to the public. It is a service of the Colorado & Wyoming State Libraries and the University of Wyoming, and it is partially funded through grants from the Institute of Museum and Library Services. [Posted in [Tip of the Week](#) and tagged [Seattle Genealogical Society](#).]

One tip that came out of Pam Vestal's *Second Saturday* presentation on 13 Mar 2021, was Google Scholar—<https://scholar.google.com>. It focuses on searching scholarly literature found on the Internet. It will display results found from academic publishers, universities, professional societies; and it can find doctoral dissertations, theses, academic papers and more. [Posted in [Tip of the Week](#) and tagged [Seattle Genealogical Society](#).]

'Generosity' lecture with Judy G Russell

[Virtual Genealogical Association](#) (VGA) is excited to announce that all VGA webinars, events and conference will be closed-captioned! If you missed our inaugural Generosity lecture feature Judy G Russell, the Legal Genealogist, you're in luck! You can still watch it on demand by registering on the Generosity page. The cost is \$10 for VGA members and \$15 for non-members. All proceeds benefit the Sluby Scholarship of the Board for Certification of Genealogists. [Posted in [Society News](#) and tagged [Virtual Genealogical Association](#).]

International German Genealogy Partnership presents, a "Researching Together Worldwide/ Weltweit Gemeinsam Forschen," the first-ever International German Genealogy Virtual Conference, 17-24 July 2021

This IGGP Conference, which only takes place every 2 years, is your chance to take a deep dive into all things German genealogy – and learn from the experts themselves. This year, the conference will be virtual, which means you can tune in from anywhere in the world! Don't miss the "Early Bird Special" price. To learn more about this event, sign up for the conference newsletter on their website <https://iggp.org>



Rogue Valley Genealogical Society
Medford, Oregon, presents

"Research Like a Pro"

Presented by Diana Elder, AG
Family Locket Genealogists

April 24, 2021, 10 AM - 4 PM Pacific Time

Registration opens Feb. 25, 2021.

Register at www.rvgslibrary.org > Programs & Classes.

RVGS Members: \$45, Non-Members: \$55

MORNING SESSIONS

Research Objectives and Timeline Analysis: Learn how to form an objective that will focus the research, then how to review your research by creating a timeline analysis.

Location and Research Planning: Discover the value of constructing a locality guide to direct your research, then how to create a research plan using the best resources for the objective.

Citations and Research Logs: Learn a simple method to style source citations and how to set up a research log to organize and track your searches.

Research Reports: Discover the importance of writing your research conclusions in a report detailing your findings and ideas for future research.

AFTERNOON SESSIONS

Find Your Family in Probate Records: Learn about the types of probate records created upon an individual's death, how to locate them, and how to use them in your research.

Tax Records Tell the Story: Cluster and Neighborhood Research: Learn how tax records can help locate individuals, identify neighborhood groupings, and separate individuals from others of the same name.

This seminar is supported in part by a grant from the Jackson County Cultural Coalition funded by the Oregon Cultural Trust, investing in Oregon's arts, humanities and heritage.