

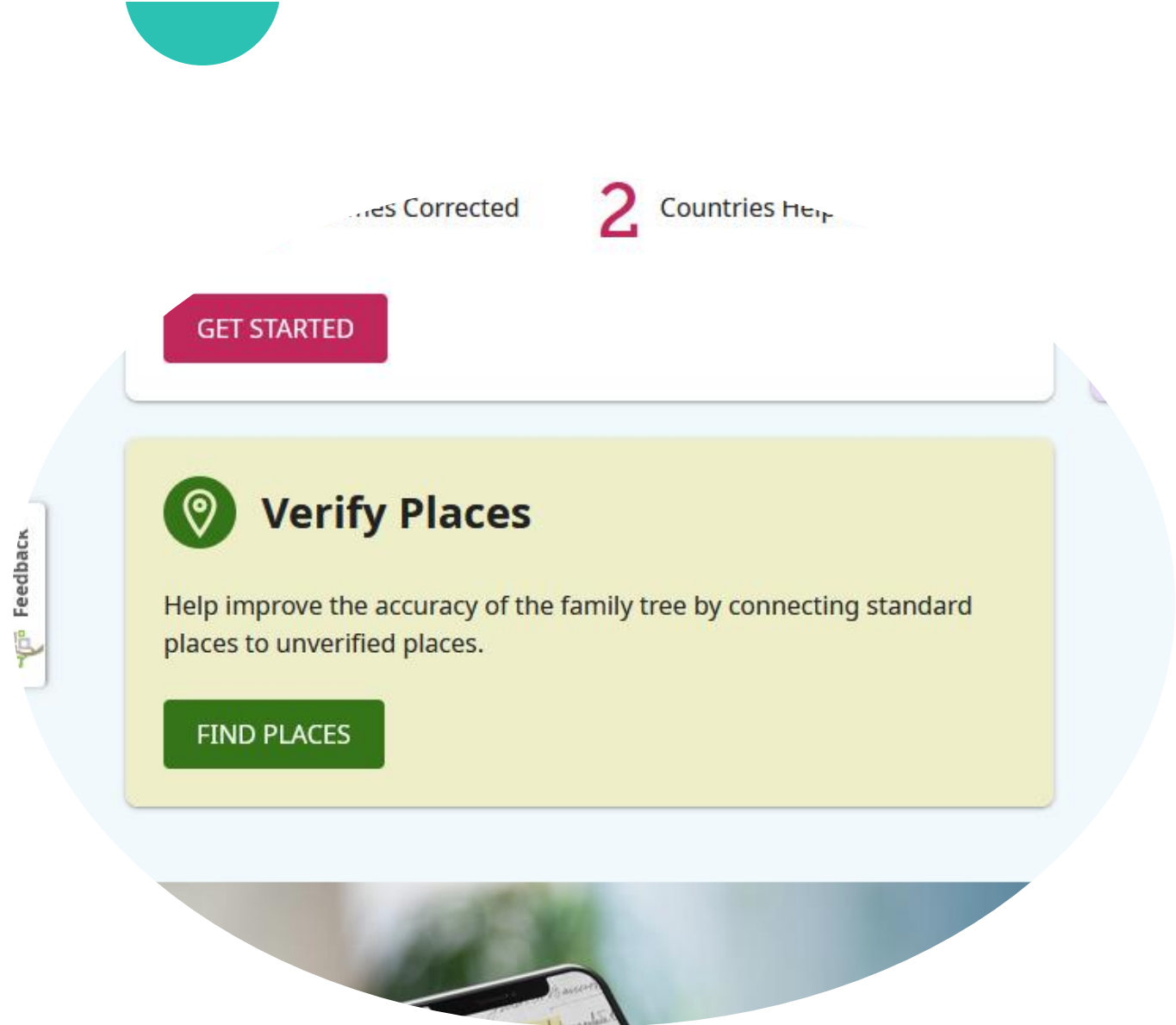
# Unleashing Your Genealogical Journey: 50 Easy and Unique Ideas in 50 Minutes

Sarah Day



**1. Attach a  
Record Hint on  
FamilySearch**

# 2. Review Place Names on FamilySearch





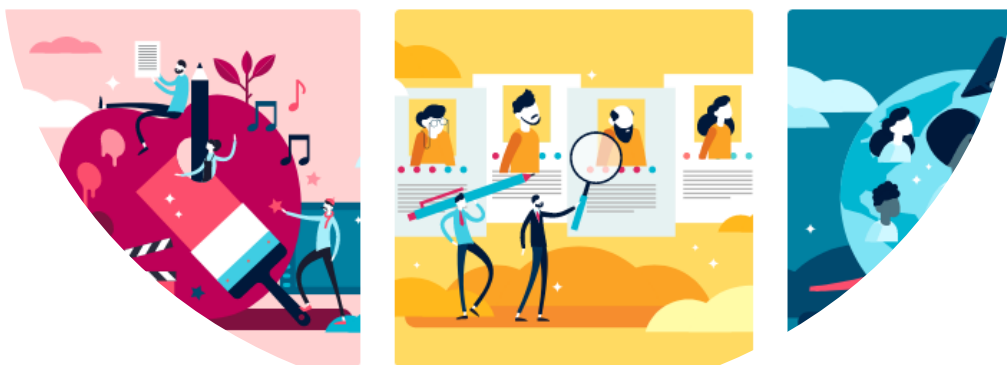
### 3. Call or Text a Relative

# 4. Journal



## Family History Activities

In-Home and online activities designed for the whole family. It's family history in a whole new way!



# 5. Do a FamilySearch Activity

# 6. Upload a Memory to FamilySearch

Bonus Points for using the FamilySearch Memories App





7. Find out who you are related to: Check out [RelativeFinder.org](https://RelativeFinder.org)





## Declaration Signers

Signers of the United States Declaration of Independence

[Click here to request a new group member](#)

Search Relatives By Name

Refresh Table

Relative	Relationship	Common Ancestor
Caesar Rodney	1st Cousin 11 times removed	William Rodney
John Hart	2nd Cousin 10 times removed	Ralph Hunt
John Adams	3rd Cousin 8 times removed	William Cogswell
Samuel Huntington	3rd Cousin 8 times removed	John Atwood
Richard Stockton	3rd Cousin 9 times removed	Ralph Hunt

8. Try out the  
FamilySearch Get  
Involved App






BYU  
Family History  
Technology Lab


9. Try out Reverse Indexing or another Activity on the BYU Family History and Technology Record Linking Lab site




Research

 Relative Finder

 Reverse Indexing


 Indexing Go

 Map-App

 FamilySearch  
Enhancements

Play

 Ancestor Games

 Geneopardy


# Welcome to the Family History Technology Lab

Connecting the human family through Information Technology


New

 Memri

 FamilyTech Games

 Baby Name Generator

Visualize

 Geneography

 One Page Genealogy

 Tree Find

 Virtual Pedigree



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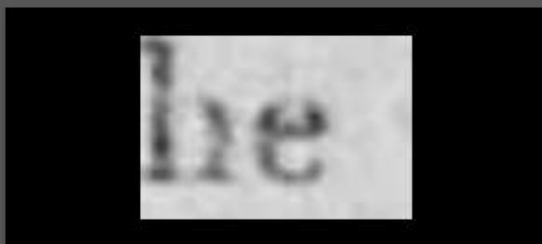
Search

Instructions

Stats

Select Record Type

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Mark All Incorrect

Submit



## Welcome to Geneopardy!

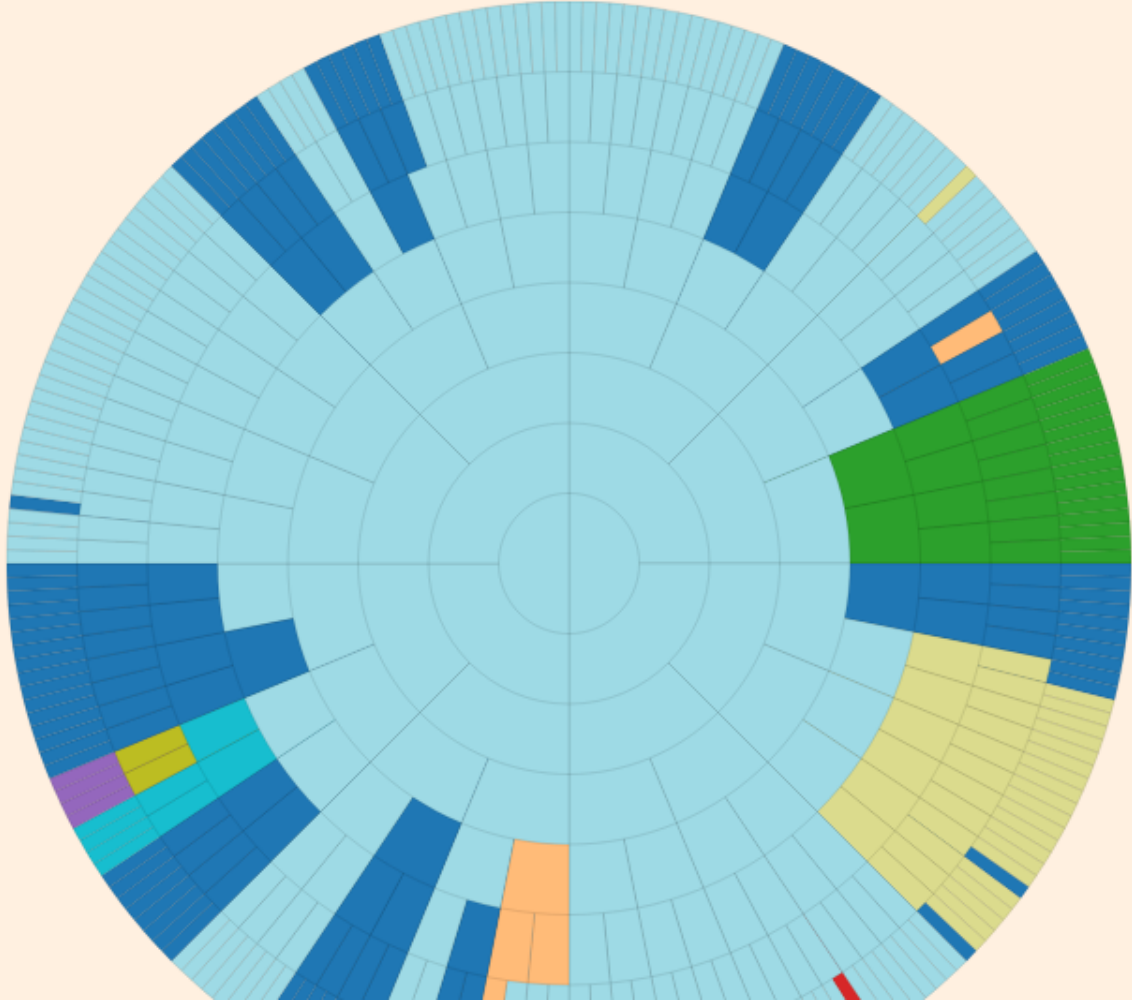
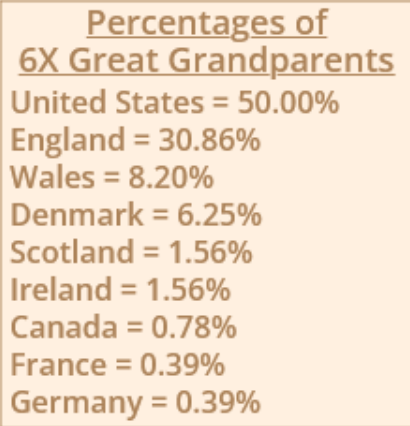
Sign in with FamilySearch.org to get started

Sign in with FamilySearch.org

<b>Team 1</b> Score: <b>0</b> Retries Remaining: <b>3</b>	Dates	Places	People	Facts	Other
Questions Remaining: <b>25</b>	100	100	100	100	100
<a href="#">New Game</a>	200	200	200	200	200
<a href="#">Enter Fullscreen</a>	300	300	300	300	300
	400	400	400	400	400



# Sarah Ann Day (KWVK-J4T)



# Wheel of Family Fortune



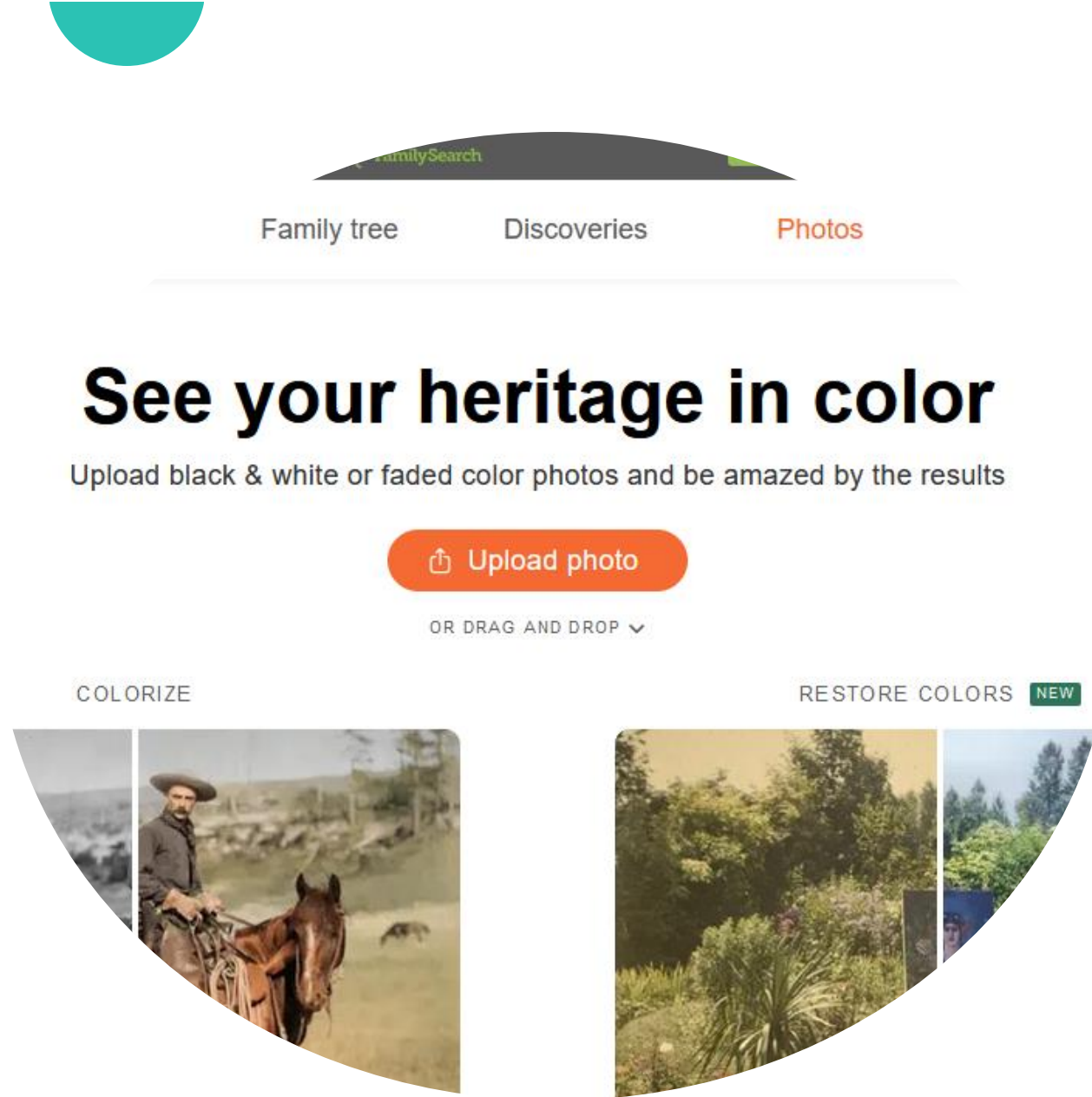
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Login using FamilySearch





# 10. Try out the Colorize a Photo feature on My Heritage



...the English Wiki are ch...  
...ation.

## FamilySearch Research Wiki

A Genealogy Resource Guide

102,882 articles

, census records, and other genealogy resources for your ancestor by selecting

Search by place or topic



Find Search Tips



# 11. Explore the FamilySearch Research Wiki

12. Share something about a relative or ancestor on Social Media

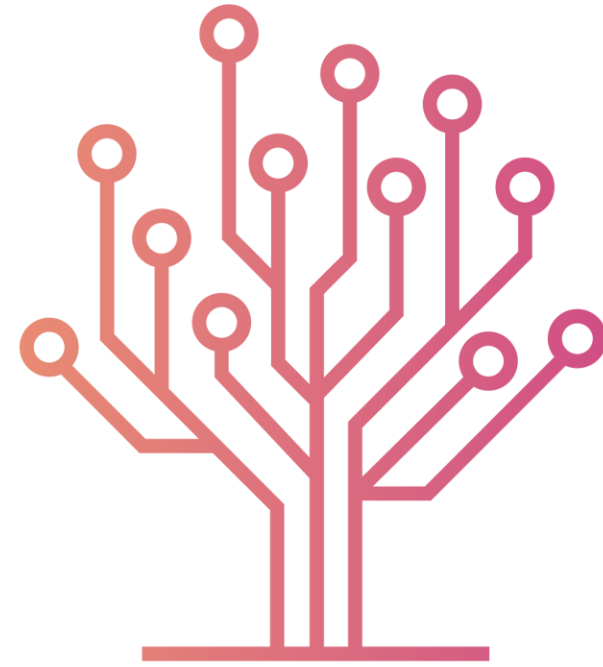




# 13. Make a Meal from your Heritage

Either a family recipe or  
from a country you are from


# 14. Watch a RootsTech Video



rootstech  
by FamilySearch

# Video Library

Learn and be inspired by these selected videos on popular topics. You can also search the full library.

 [Search the full library](#)

## Trending Topics

[DNA](#)[Getting Started](#)[FamilySearch](#)[What's New](#)[2024 Sessions](#) [Chat](#)



## 15. Work on your Personal History

Tip: Start by answering one question each day

# 16. Tag Photos on FamilySearch





# + Add Title

Actions ▾

Bookmark

Share ▾

Report Abuse



Click the image to tag people.



**Ronald J Day**

1946-2017 • LJ7L-BRJ



## Details

Topic Tags

Make this memory easier for you and others to find.

+ Add Topic Tags

Event Date

+ Add Event Date

Event Place

+ Add Event Place

Description

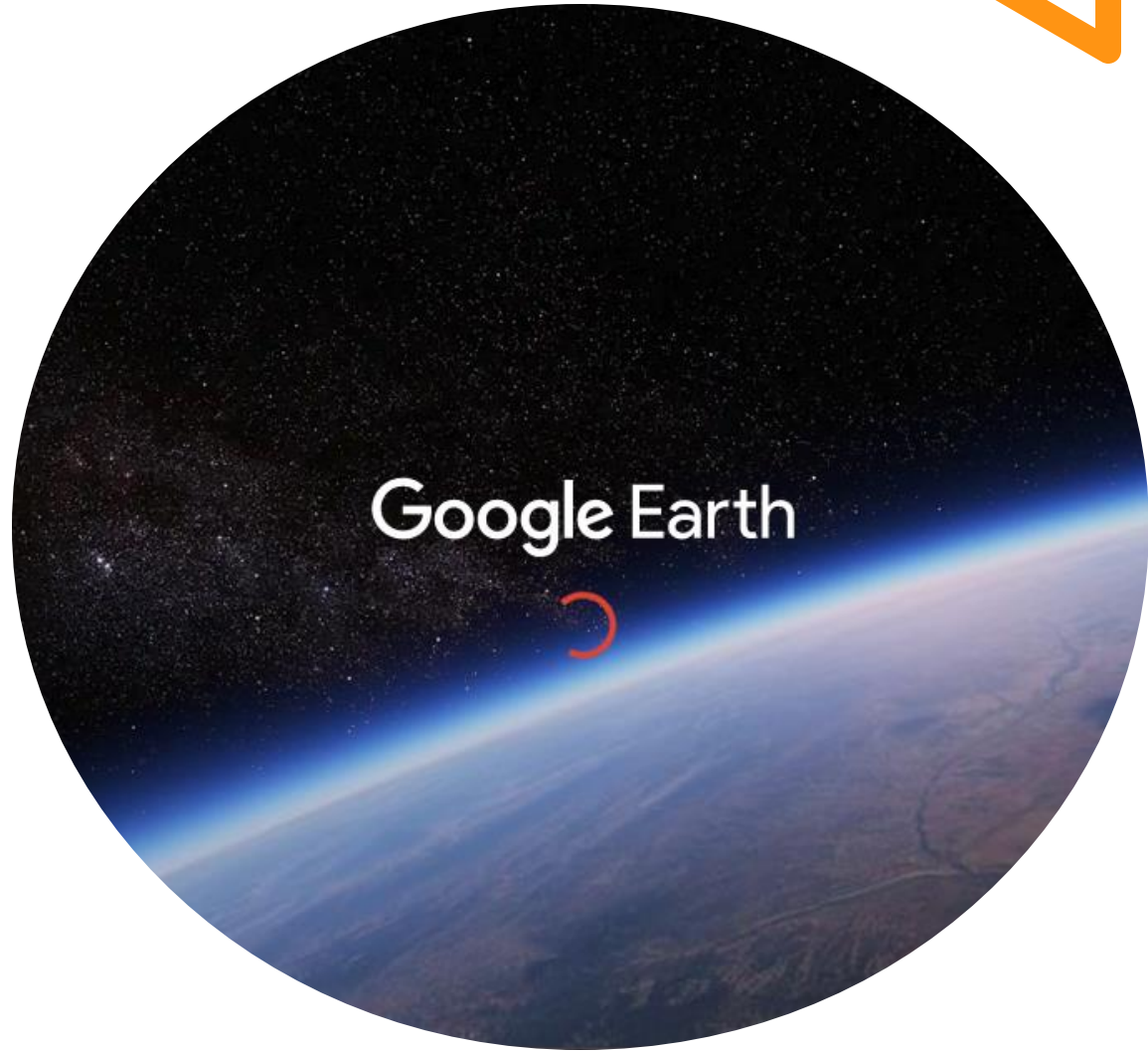
+ Add Event Description

Albums



Share what you know about this image.

Save



# 17. Explore an ancestors' homeland using Google Earth

Bonus Points for using VR

# 18. Watch a Family History TV Show or Movie

Ideas:

- Who do you think you are?
- Finding your Roots
- Coco





# 19. Find ancestors or relatives in Yearbooks

The ones in your house  
or online in Ancestry's  
Yearbook Collection

# 20. Design a Family Crest





## 21. Make a Time Capsule

**22. Create a puzzle out of an old family photo**

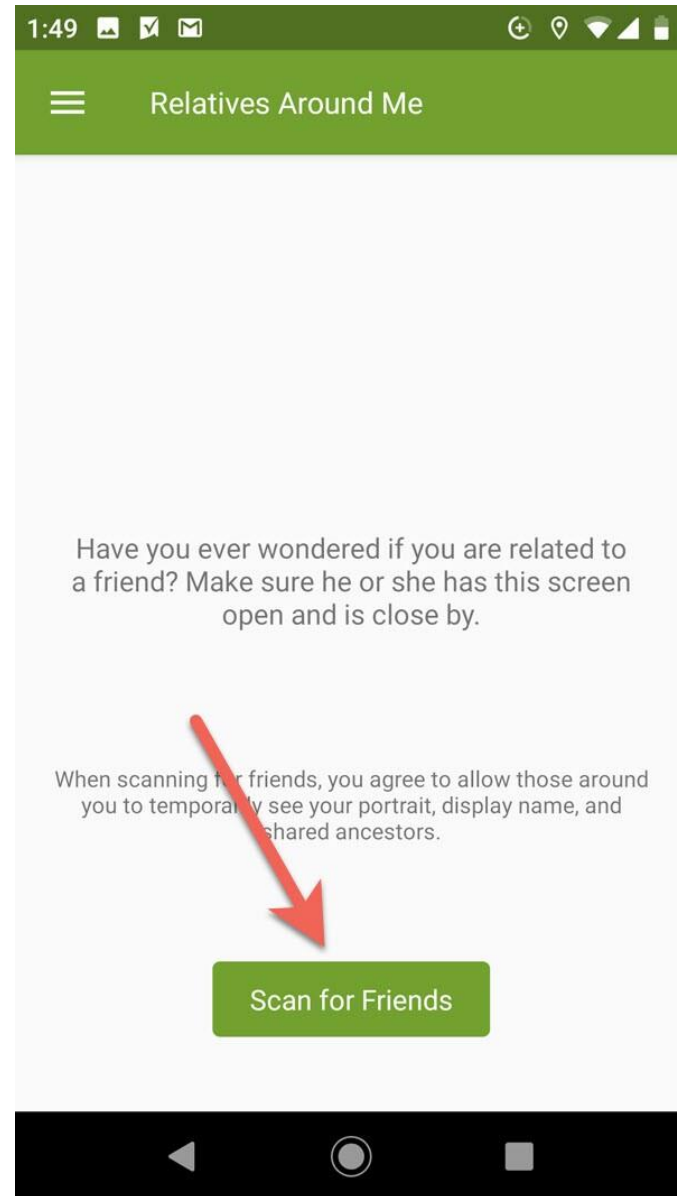




## 23. Interview a Relative



# 24. Use Relatives around me on Family Search





Puzzilla

25. Check out  
Puzzilla

**Sarah Ann Day** KWKJ-J4T

Change ID

Generations:

6

Refresh All Data

Retrieving: 0

TARGETS

DIED < 16

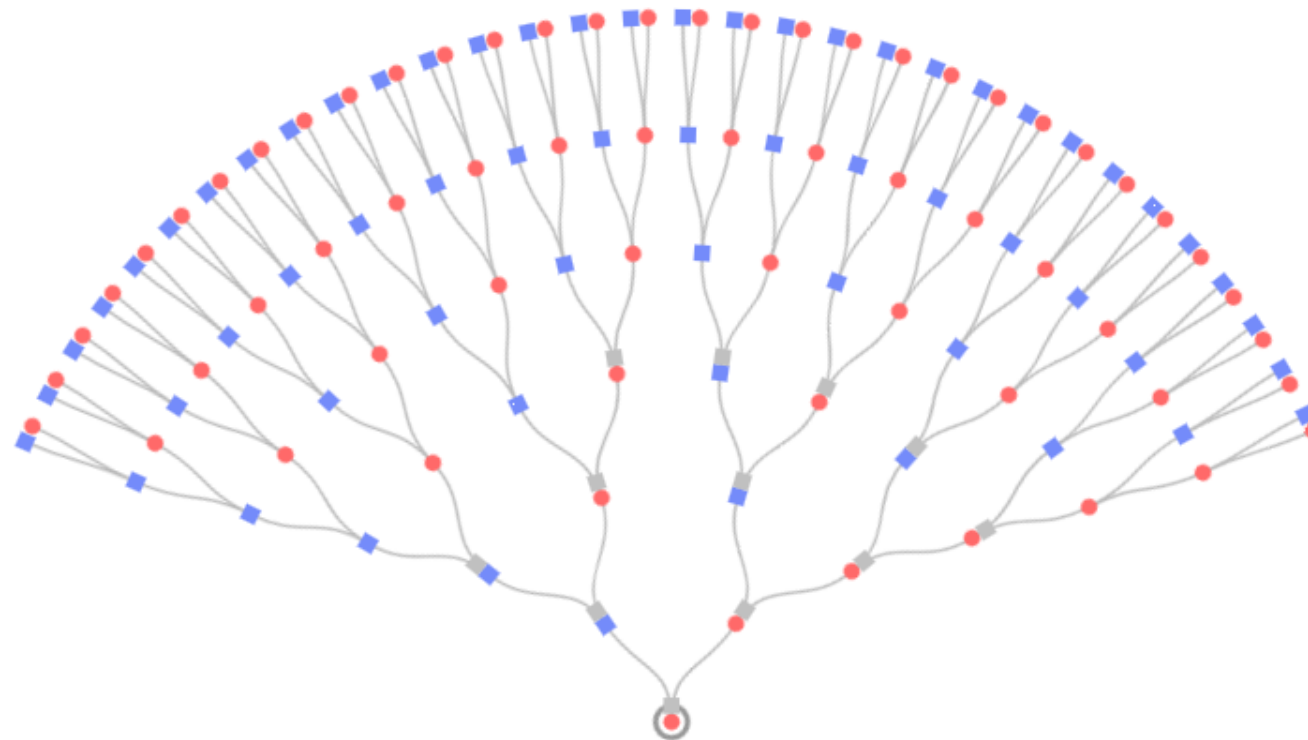
BORN < 110

**Andrew Washington Smith**

LXWC-JKQ

Ancestors: Sarah Ann Day KWKJ-J4T → Tera Ostrander LF9S-8VZ → Tamyra Sue Probasco LF9S-8NR → Johnny Leland Probasco KWCL-RKZ → Elpha Irene Woodman K2B9-SPV → Bertha Cordelia Smith K2B9-S27 → Andrew Washington Smith LXWC-JKQ

+ Hide/Show Tree



**Jane Jones** KWJZ-FH6

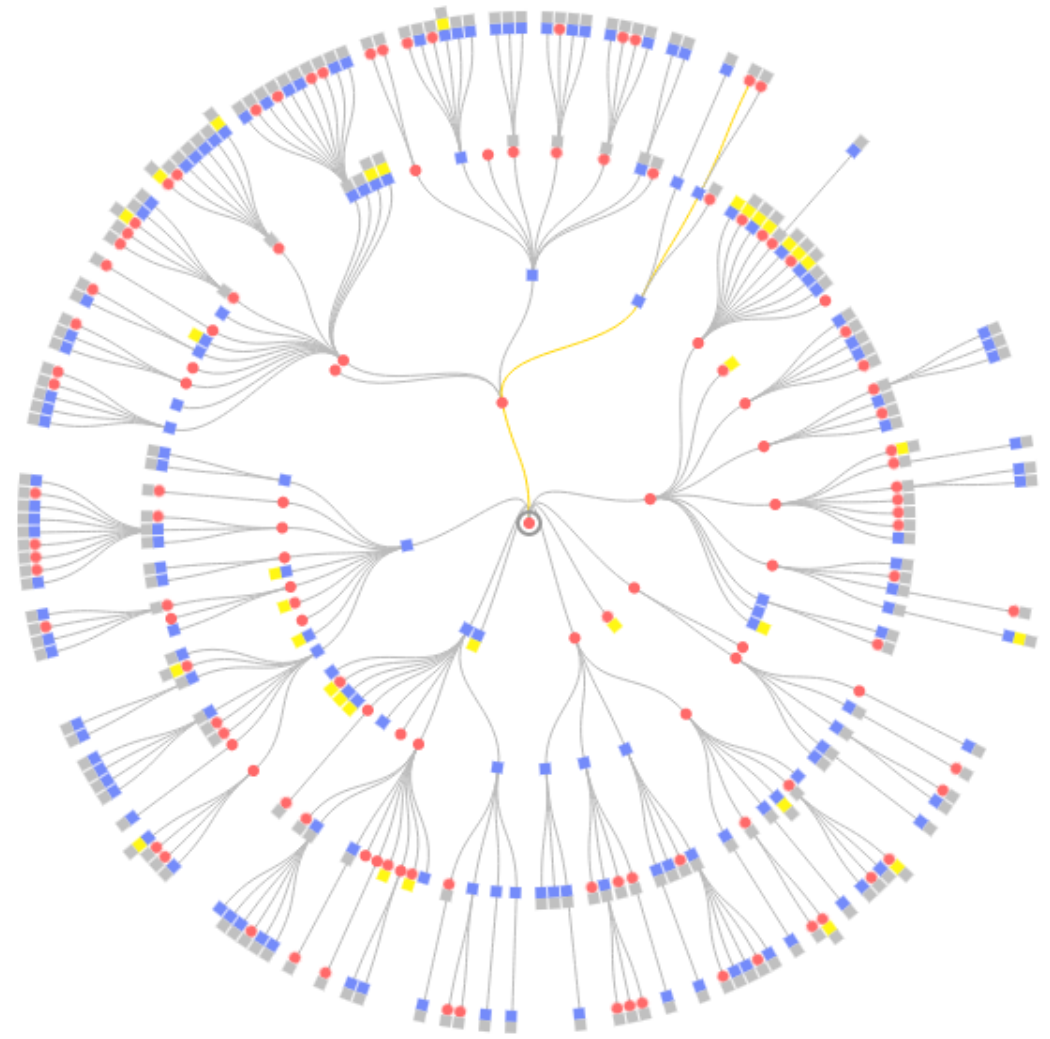
Change ID Generations: 4 ▾  
Refresh All Data Retrieving: 0  
TARGETS DIED < 16  
BORN < 110

**David Amato Alexander**  
GQVM-5QL

**Ancestors:** Sarah Ann Day KWKV-J4T → David Talmage Day LF9S-8FJ → Talma Jean Lamb LF9S-8F3 → John Talmage Lamb KWDQ-KBV → William Edmunds Lamb KWCP-CH1 → Mary Jane Edmunds KWZ3-G2Q → Jane Jones KWJZ-FH6

**Descendants:** Jane Jones KWJZ-FH6 → Charlotte Ann Edmunds KWCW-N9V → Edwardena Parry KWJC-46Z → Nedra Cottam KNDX-JFP → David Amato Alexander GQVM-5QL

+ Hide/Show Tree



**26. Hold a  
Birthday Party  
for an Ancestor**





27. Check out  
[Rootsmapper.com](https://www.rootsmapper.com)

RootsMapper

Map Options

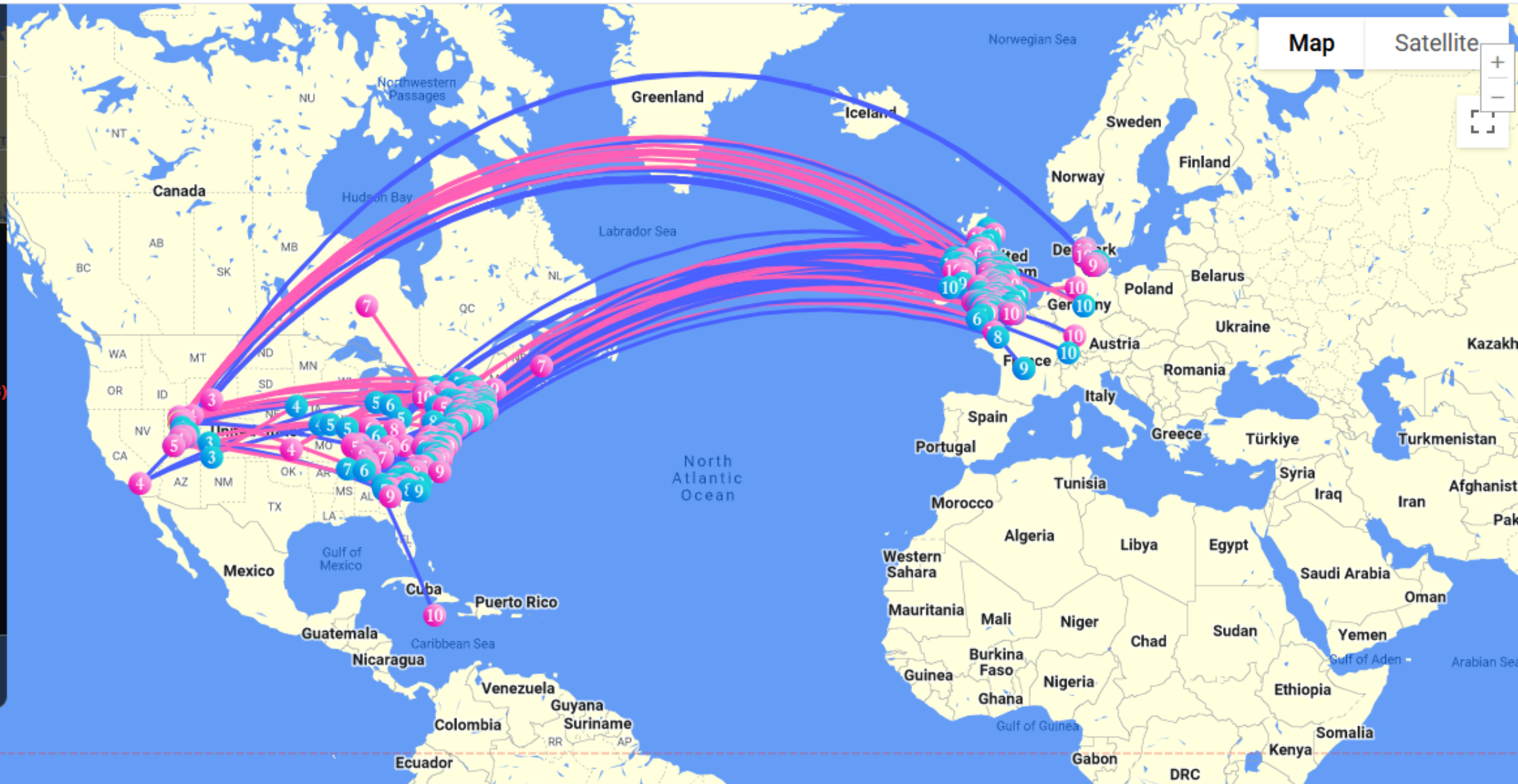
Pedigree Chart

Country Statistics

Generation ▼

- United States: 51.0% (667)
- United Kingdom: 40.0% (523)
- Denmark: 6.2% (81)
- Ireland: 1.6% (21)
- Canada: 0.4% (5)
- Germany: 0.3% (4)
- France: 0.2% (2)
- Switzerland: 0.1% (1)

Sarah Ann Day



28. Find an heirloom in your house and write or talk about it







## 29. Recreate an old family Photo

# 30. Make an About Me Collage

**BODY TALLY**

I've taken 151,179,840 breaths of air

My heart has beaten 777,496,320 times

I've eaten 20.5 tons of food

**BEST MOVIE**

Winner of Best Picture was...  
The Lord of the Rings

Most Popular Film was...  
The Lord of the Rings

**I WAS BORN IN 2003**

**RANDOM FUN FACTS ABOUT... Me!**

**HOW MUCH?**

\$1.59 a gallon

\$5.50 for a movie ticket

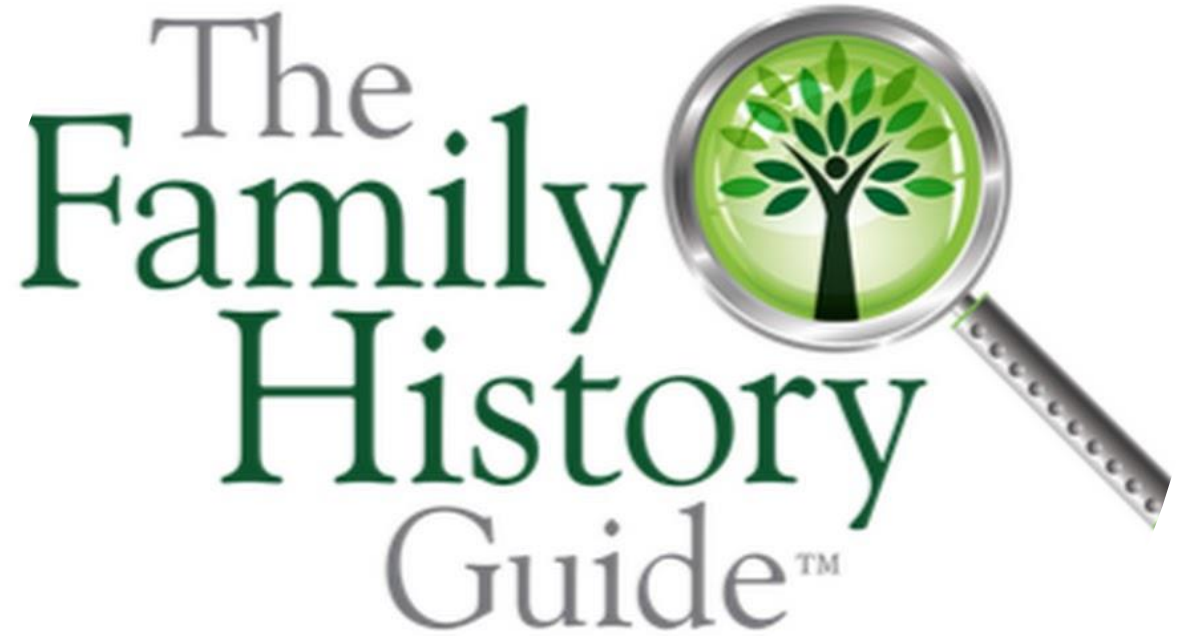
\$675 average price

CONNECTIONS - EXPERIMENT.COM/MMM  
#21DAYEXPERIMENT  
#MAKEMYMEME



31. Write about  
and share a  
**Family Tradition**

# 32. Try out the Family History Guide





**thefhguide.com**—Your *free* learning, research, and activities center for family history

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## Inside The Guide

Click the arrows to explore 5 great features of The Family History Guide.





**33. Record how you and your spouse met. Or record it about your parents.**

34. Music: find out what songs were popular the year you were born



The logo is centered in a large, light gray circle. It features a dark teal rectangular background with white text. The text reads "21 DAY" in a large, bold, sans-serif font, followed by "FAMILY CONNECTIONS" in a smaller, all-caps sans-serif font, and "experiment" in a white script font. Below this, it says "• a family history project •" in a small, white, sans-serif font. The background of the circle shows a blurred image of white photo frames.

**21 DAY**  
FAMILY CONNECTIONS  
*experiment*  
• a family history project •

35. Try out the  
Connections-  
experiment  
website





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# 21 DAY

FAMILY CONNECTIONS  
*experiment*



36. Do a virtual  
cemetery visit.  
Try FindAGrave  
or Billions  
Graves



# World's largest gravesite collection.

Over 238 million memorials created by the community since 1995.

First Name	Middle Name	Last Name(s)
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Year Born	Exact ▾	Year Died	Exact ▾	Cemetery Location
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**SEARCH**

More search options ▾

**i** Search tips >

Photo of Antioch Pioneer Cemetery by Harold & Wanda Blackwell

### Recent News



Steve Lawrence died on 7 Mar 2024.



Add a Memorial



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**Discover your ancestors**

  
  
**Start your search**



# 37. Take the Happy Family Quiz by Bruce Feiler

<https://parade.survey.fm/happy-family>

# 38. Add the Record Seek extension

Brower Extension for Family Search or Ancestry





39. Check out  
Goldie May

goldiemay

# More genealogy in less time

Goldie May is genealogy research software to accelerate your research, sort out difficult tangles in your family tree, and keep you more organized. Boost your family history work in the FamilySearch or Ancestry tree you already have.

Install on Firefox

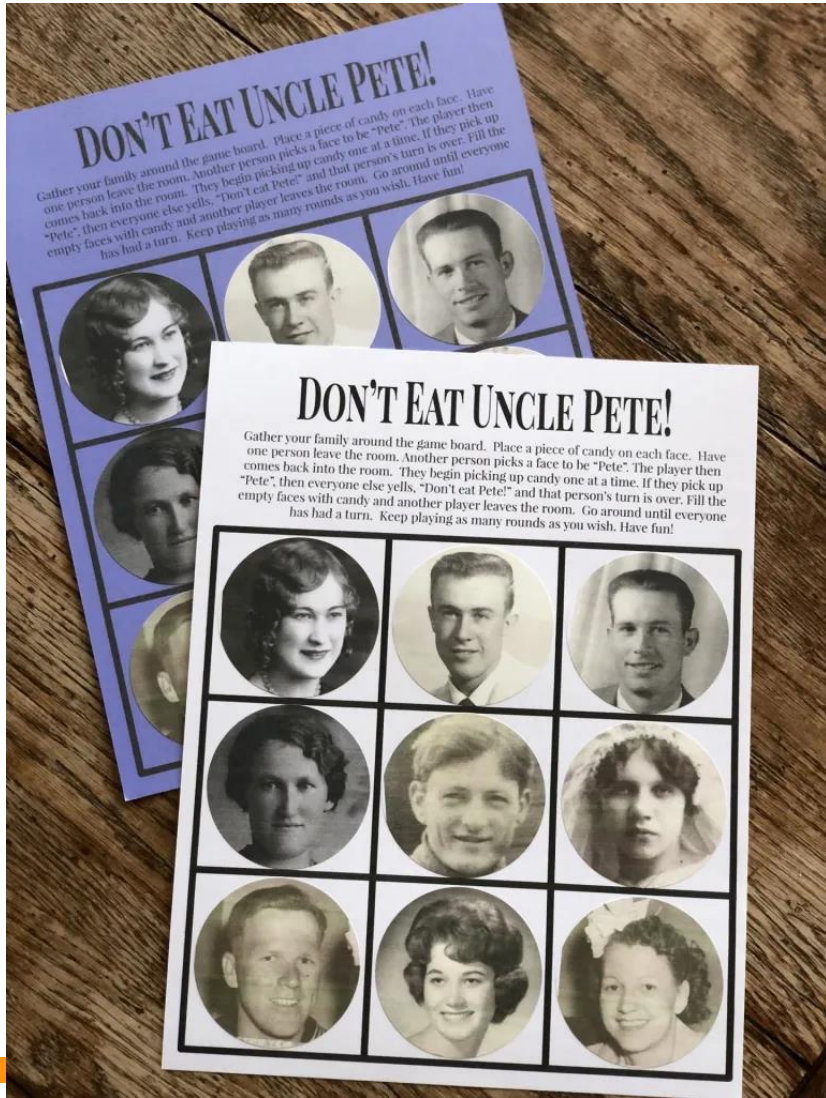
Subscribe Now





# 40. Create an Online Album

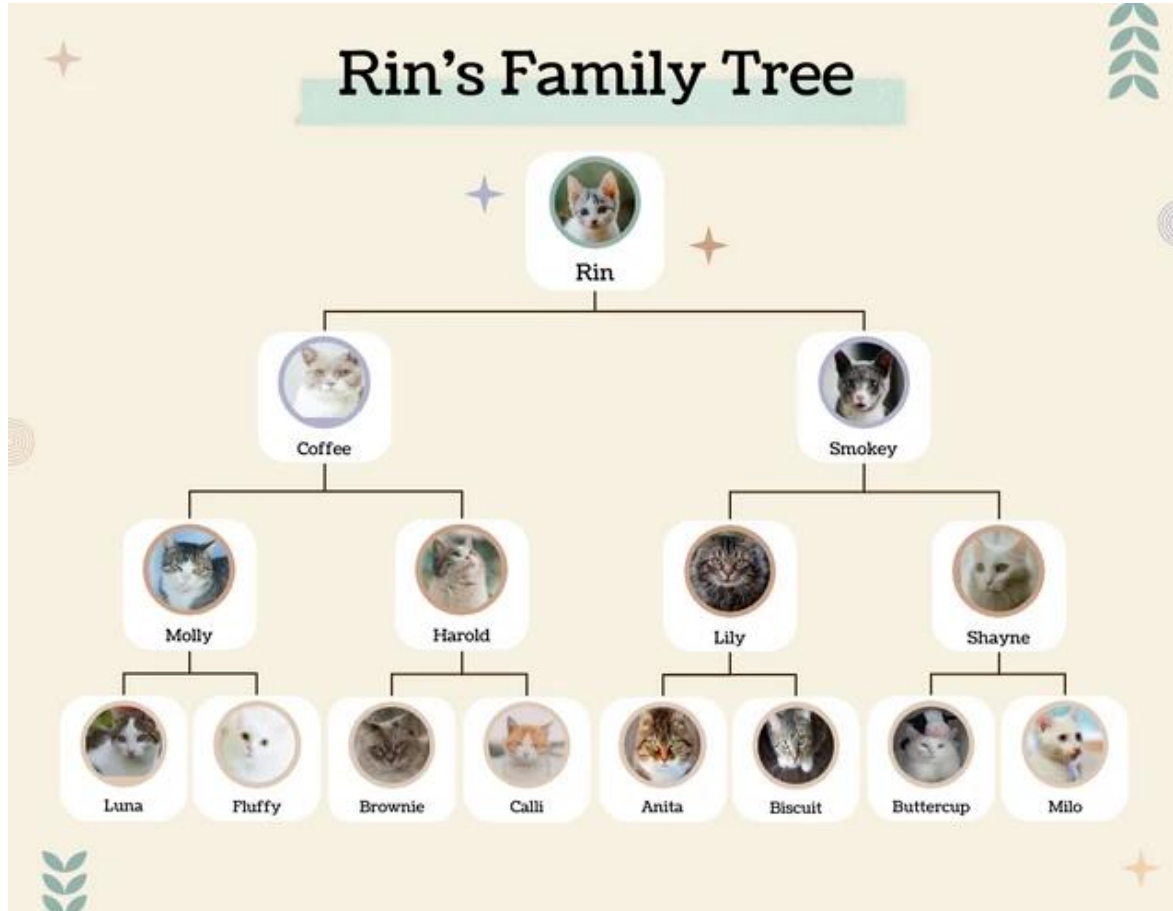




# 41. Play Don't Eat Pete

# 42. Try out treeseek





43. Create a family tree for a Pet



44. Snapshot of  
Today- take photos  
of your family over  
the next 24 hours  
to represent their  
lives





# 45. Make a family cookbook

# 46. Learn a new Language







47. Play 20  
questions but  
family history  
version

# 48. Plan a trip to your homeland





49. Live for a  
day the way  
your ancestors  
would have

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