

E GENERATIONS

===== M.A.G.I.C. NEWS FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS =====

MAGIC'S MONTHLY MEETING FOR OCTOBER (NOTE: SECOND SATURDAY)

WHEN

SATURDAY, OCT. 14TH, 12-2PM

WHERE

4301 EAST 43RD STREET
KANSAS CITY, MO

MORE INFORMATION

Vineyard Community Center.

THIS MONTH'S MEETNG will be the SECOND Saturday...thank you for noting!

5 STEPS TO CREATE AND SHARE A LINEAGE CHART

Did you know you can create a printed, sharable lineage chart (showing your direct ancestors in a "tree" formation) with the snap of a finger? Well, at least in 5 quick steps that should take a minimum of 5 minutes each:

The image shows a 'SIX GENERATION CHART' form. It is a tree chart designed to record six generations of a family. The chart is organized into columns for each generation, with rows for individuals. Each row includes fields for Name, Birth Date, and Marriage Date. The chart is titled 'SIX GENERATION CHART' and includes a logo for the 'MAGIC GENERATIONS CENTER'.

- 1) Create a free account at familysearch.org (keep your user/password handy)
- 2) Enter basic info for yourself (all info for living people are ONLY viewable to YOU)

Enter what you know for 3) and 4):

- 3) Enter your parents birth and marriage (and death, if applicable) dates and places
- 4) Enter your grandparents birth and marriage (and death, if applicaable) dates and places

5) At the bottom right of any person's screen, you'll see the "PRINT" section. While viewing YOUR PAGE, click on print and select "Family Chart." HAVE FUN with the different styles!

JOCOKS 2023 ANNUAL SEMINAR

Johnson County Genealogical Society 2023 Annual Seminar

Katherine Willson, Speaker

Saturday, October 28, 2023

Lenexa City Hall, Community Forum Room 17101 W. 87th St. Pkwy. Lenexa, Kansas

Visit exhibitors, register for door prizes, enjoy an outstanding speaker and fellowship with other genealogists.

8:15 - 9:00 Check-in, enjoy continental breakfast, and register for door prizes

9:00 - 9:15 Welcome and Introductions

9:15 – 10:15 **Americana Experiences of the 19th and 20th Century Financial Crises**

10:15 - 10:45 Break & visit exhibitors

10:45 - 11:45 Records of Westward Traveling Pioneers & Service Providers

11:45 - 1:15 Lunch on your own. Visit the exhibitors.

1:15 - 2:15 **European Experiences of the 19th and 20th Century Voyages to America**

2:15 - 2:45 Break

2:45 - 3:00 Door prize drawings

3:00 - 4:00 Publishing Your Family History in Forms, Reports, or Books

4:00 – 4:15 Closing remarks

Registration

§ \$45 Members & \$55 Non-Members plus a small service fee.

§ You can register at www.jcgsks.org

§ Registration is through Eventbrite.

§ No registration at the door.

§ Email info@jcgsks.org for assistance or parking directions.

Lecture Topics

Records of Westward Traveling Pioneers & Service Providers

Records generated during Americans' westward treks between 1787-1890, locations of those records and search strategies (includes discussions on cowboys, traveling preachers, midwives, Harvey Girls, and other service-providing occupations during the western migration)

European Experiences of 19th and 20th Century Voyages to America

Emigrants' journey preparations, immigration restrictions, journey length, ticket costs, major ports of departure and arrival, ship accommodations, and arrival in America

American Experiences of the 19th and 20th Century Financial Crises

Events culminating in major 19th and 20th century American financial crises, day-to-day effects on our ancestors, and resulting records

Publishing Your Family History in Forms, Reports, or Books

Organizational tools for sharing with others (in a variety of formats) the genealogy materials we already have

Seminar Speaker: Katherine R. Willson

Katherine R. Willson of Dexter, Michigan, is an engaging and dynamic genealogy lecturer at regional and national events, a full-time researcher for private clients, and a genealogy

educator for 25+ years. She is the founder & past President of the Virtual Genealogical Association, past President of the Michigan Genealogical Council, and past board member for the Association of Professional Genealogists. Katherine has coordinated and taught courses for the Salt Lake Institute of Genealogy, with sessions focused on America's westward expansion and on teaching genealogy courses in your community. Her website at SocialMediaGenealogy.com contains multiple resources, including a catalog of almost 17,000+ genealogy/history links on Facebook, a catalog of 190+ genealogy YouTube channels, and a catalog of 76 genealogy podcasts.

Lunch

We will have some food and drink for you to enjoy in the morning. However, you are on your own for lunch. Downstairs is the Lenexa Public Market food hall with a variety of fresh food merchants. You can also bring your own lunch. To check out what options are available in the Public Market, go to www.lenexapublicmarket.com. Seating is available in the food hall, you can bring your lunch back upstairs or enjoy it outside at the tables in the fresh air. There are also some nearby restaurants and several fast-food places on the east side of I-435.

To register go to www.jcgsks.org

MIDWEST GENEALOGY CENTER'S ANNUAL LOCK IN

The Midwest Genealogy Center is excited to announce that we have scheduled our annual lock-in for November 10th, 2023, from 6-11pm. See attached Save the Date flyer. Registration is required and tickets will be \$15. They'll share more information when registration is open.



UPCOMING PROGRAMS BY MAGIC MEMBER DAVID W. JACKSON

October 7, 2023, 2:00pm

Practical Preservation: Simple, Sensible Steps to Safeguard Family Heirlooms

<https://www.mymcpl.org/events/88136/practical-preservation-simple-sensible-steps-safeguard-family-heirlooms>

Weston 18204 Library Drive Weston, MO 64098-0517

October 19, 2023, 6:30pm

Practical Preservation: Simple, Sensible Steps to Safeguard Family Heirlooms (Hybrid)

<https://www.mymcpl.org/events/88136/practical-preservation-simple-sensible-steps-safeguard-family-heirlooms>

Midwest Genealogy Center 3440 S. Lee's Summit Road Independence, MO 64055-1923

October 21, 2023, 2:00pm

Practical Preservation: Simple, Sensible Steps to Safeguard Family Heirlooms

<https://www.mymcpl.org/events/88136/practical-preservation-simple-sensible-steps-safeguard-family-heirlooms>

Woodneath Library Center 8900 NE Flintlock Road Kansas City, MO 64157

October 24, 2023, 7:00pm *KC Garment District: Piecing Together the Past*

<https://www.mymcpl.org/events/88540/kc-garment-district-piecing-together-past>

North Oak 8700 N. Oak Trafficway Kansas City, MO 64155-2437

October 28, 2023, 3:00pm

Practical Preservation: Simple, Sensible Steps to Safeguard Family

<https://www.mymcpl.org/events/88136/practical-preservation-simple-sensible-steps-safeguard-family-heirlooms>

Green Hills Library Center 8581 N. Green Hills Rd. Kansas City, MO 64154

November 8, 2023, 6:30pm

KC Garment District: Piecing Together the Past

<https://www.mymcpl.org/events/88540/kc-garment-district-piecing-together-past>

Excelsior Springs 1460 Kearney Road Excelsior Springs, MO 64024-1746

November 18, 2023, 2:00pm

Practical Preservation: Simple, Sensible Steps to Safeguard Family Heirlooms

<https://www.mymcpl.org/events/88136/practical-preservation-simple-sensible-steps-safeguard-family-heirlooms>

South Independence 13700 E. 35th Street South Independence, MO 64055-2464

November 28, 2023, 6:30pm

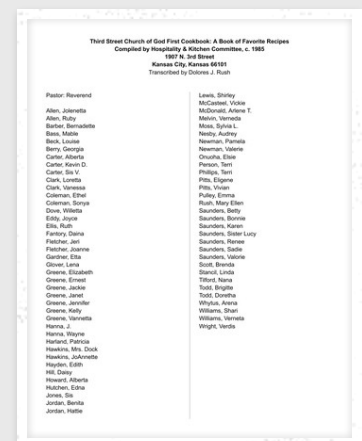
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CHURCH HISTORY: THIRD STREET CHURCH OF GOD

Dolores Rush, a regular contributor to eGenerations wrote: "In the church I grew up in, a sister congregation was the Third Street Church of God that was/is an African-American congregation. Our church would invite them over for a Singspiration event on Sunday evening and afterwards we had a fellowship. Boy, those Sisters could cook. Well, I found a Third Street Church of God fundraiser cookbook for sale at the Savers in Shawnee Mission, KS. Couldn't believe I found it clear out there, but I grabbed it. Thought I might ask if you would want a transcription of all the names of the people in the cookbook? It was published about 1985."



"I remembered another church - Hillcrest Church of God. It broke off the church I grew up in and is in Muncie, KS, First Church of God (was on Shawnee Drive, KS City, KS) and then on the

Missouri side was the Pittman Road Church of God. and then 3rd Street Church of God in Kansas City, KS."

USE FINDAGRAVE DOT COM

Create a FREE account at findagrave.com and start making sure your relatives each have a memorial page! They may be there already; or, you can create memorials, too.

[Check out this one!](#) Notice how you can click on linked family members and GO BACK IN TIME!

START CROWDSOURCING YOUR JOURNEY WITH FAMILYSEARCH.ORG TODAY

<https://www.familysearch.org/en/>

Create a FREE account. Consider taking a FREE beginner's class:

<https://www.mymcpl.org/events/all-times/Using%20FamilySearch>

JANIE PORTER BARRETT (1865-1948)

Post by R-Evolution and shared by Dolores Rush:

On this date, Janie Porter Barrett was born in 1865. She was an African American welfare worker and educator. Barrett developed a school to rehabilitate previously incarcerated African American girls by improving their self-reliance and discipline.

The daughter of former slaves, born in Athens, Ga., Barrett grew up largely in the home of the cultured white family who employed her mother. She graduated from Hampton Institute (Virginia) in 1884 and worked for five years as a teacher before establishing an informal day-care school in her home in Hampton. Her school grew rapidly, and in 1890 it was formally organized as the Locust Street Social Settlement, the nation's first settlement house for African-Americans. In 1902 she and her husband built a separate structure on their property to house the settlement's numerous activities, which included clubs, classes in domestic skills, and recreation; many of these activities were funded by Northern philanthropists.

In 1908 Barrett founded and became president of the Virginia State Federation of Colored Women's Clubs. Through the federation she worked to raise money for a residential industrial school for young African-American girls who had been incarcerated. In 1914 a 147-acre farm at Peake (also known as Peaks Turnout) was purchased, and in January 1915 the Virginia Industrial School for Colored Girls opened with 28 students. With help from many prominent social workers and especially from the Russell Sage Foundation, the school developed a program that stressed self-reliance and self-discipline, visible rewards, "big-sister" guidance, and close awareness to individual needs, as well as academic and vocational instruction.

In 1915 Barrett became the school's superintendent. She personally conducted the parole system by which girls who demonstrated sufficient responsibility were placed in carefully selected foster homes, given employment, and supported by such follow-up services as ministerial direction, a newsletter (The Booster), and personal letters. In 1920 the state of Virginia assumed financial responsibility for the school. Supervision was shared by the state and the women's club federation until 1942, when it became solely a function of the Virginia Department of Welfare and Institutions.

Barrett retired as superintendent in 1940 and died in 1948. In 1950, the school was renamed the Janie Porter Barrett School for Girls.

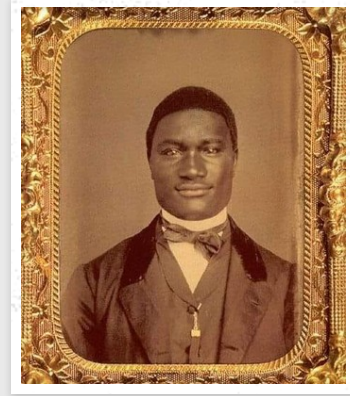
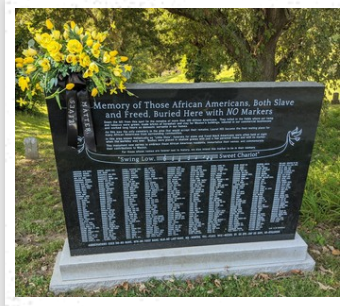
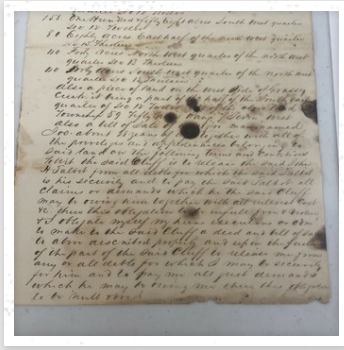
[Janie Porter Barrett \(1865-1948\) - Find a Grave Memorial](#)

GREATER KANSAS CITY BLACK HISTORY STUDY GROUP-FACEBOOK

Sign up for notices of monthly/regular meetings

BLACK KANSAS CITY HISTORY STUDY GROUP- WEBSITE

AFRICAN AMERICAN HERITAGE TRAIL OF KANSAS CITY (CLICK)



MAGIC

Do you have random family images?

COLLECTS

Care to share copies, even anonymously?

IMAGES

Please send usable scans to magickc.org@gmail.com

SUBMIT A HELPFUL LINK

Let us hear from you!

magickc.org@gmail.com

GENEALOGY HELPS FOR AFRICAN AMERICANS

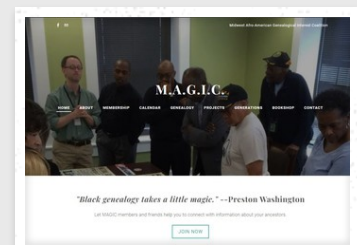
MAGIC EXCHANGES NEWSLETTERS

MAGIC is proud to share a newsletter exchange with the Midwest Alliance of Genealogical Societies! Look them up!

MAGIC WEBSITE

RENEW (OR JOIN) MAGIC TODAY :)

Membership is \$20/year (Jan-Dec). Most of our expenses are clerical maintaining our website, email channel, and this newsletter support system. Pulling off events like Black History Month programming also takes a chunk of our finite budget.



Hopefully you know our volunteer board is frugal in its outlook and expenditures, and we value every membership contribution. We appreciate that you see the worthiness of our mission to join and maintain your membership with MAGIC.

Go to <https://www.magickc.org/membership.html> (choose your option; the first button allows you to make a donation in any amount...all TAX DEDUCTIBLE ;)



THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Please hold a moment of silence and send good thoughts to MAGIC members and friends.

Also, keep the spirits of your ancestors at the forefront of your daily life. After all, they each did at least one monumental thing in their life.....they had a child...that survived...through puberty. Otherwise, YOU would not be here ;)

In the 1997 Academy Award nominated motion picture, *Amistad*, there is a scene, "A Call to the Ancestors," when the lead African character, Cinque says of his ancestors, "I will call into the past, far back to the beginning of time, and beg them to come and help me...I will reach back and draw them into me. And they must come. For at this moment ... I am the whole reason they have existed at all."



Third Street Church of God First Cookbook: A Book of Favorite Recipes

Compiled by Hospitality & Kitchen Committee, c. 1985

1907 N. 3rd Street

Kansas City, Kansas 66101

Transcribed by Dolores J. Rush

Pastor: Reverend

Allen, Jolenetta
Allen, Ruby
Barber, Bernadette
Bass, Mable
Beck, Louise
Berry, Georgia
Carter, Alberta
Carter, Kevin D.
Carter, Sis V.
Clark, Loretta
Clark, Vanessa
Coleman, Ethel
Coleman, Sonya
Dove, Willetta
Eddy, Joyce
Ellis, Ruth
Fantory, Daina
Fletcher, Jeri
Fletcher, Joanne
Gardner, Etta
Glover, Lena
Greene, Elizabeth
Greene, Ernest
Greene, Jackie
Greene, Janet
Greene, Jennifer
Greene, Kelly
Greene, Vannetta
Hanna, J.
Hanna, Wayne
Harland, Patricia
Hawkins, Mrs. Dock
Hawkins, JoAnnette
Hayden, Edith
Hill, Daisy
Howard, Alberta
Hutchen, Edna
Jones, Sis
Jordan, Benita
Jordan, Hattie

Lewis, Shirley
McCasteel, Vickie
McDonald, Arlene T.
Melvin, Verneda
Moss, Sylvia L.
Nesby, Audrey
Newman, Pamela
Newman, Valerie
Onuoha, Elsie
Person, Terri
Phillips, Terri
Pitts, Eligene
Pitts, Vivian
Pulley, Emma
Rush, Mary Ellen
Saunders, Betty
Saunders, Bonnie
Saunders, Karen
Saunders, Sister Lucy
Saunders, Renee
Saunders, Sadie
Saunders, Valorie
Scott, Brenda
Stancil, Linda
Tilford, Nana
Todd, Brigitte
Todd, Doretha
Whytus, Arena
Williams, Shari
Williams, Verneta
Wright, Verdis