Descendants of Johann Michael Wenk

Generation No. 1

1. Johann Michael¹ Wenk was born 1772, and died 1827. He married Katharina Faller. She was born 1776, and died 1843.

Child of Johann Wenk and Katharina Faller is:

+ 2 i. Johann² Wenk, born 28 Dec 1801 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany; died 07 Jun 1867.

Generation No. 2

2. Johann² Wenk (Johann Michael¹) was born 28 Dec 1801 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany, and died 07 Jun 1867. He married **Ida Gassmann** 1822, daughter of Ignatius Gassmann and Agatha Huber. She was born 11 Feb 1802, and died 23 Dec 1854.

More About Johann Wenk and Ida Gassmann:

Marriage: 1822

Children of Johann Wenk and Ida Gassmann are:

- + 3 i. Ignatz Gassmann (John)³ Wenk, born 30 Jul 1822 in Rotzell, Waldshut, Baden, Germany; died 27 Jun 1897 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 - 4 ii. Johann Wenk, born 30 Nov 1829 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany; died 01 Jan 1914.
 - 5 iii. Fredolyn Wenk, born 04 Mar 1832 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany; died 18 Nov 1856 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany.
 - 6 iv. Maria Rosa Wenk, born 11 Oct 1834 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany; died 06 Mar 1923. She married? Goldman: born Aft. 1829.
 - v. Katherina Faller Wenk, born 18 Dec 1836 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany.
 - vi. Wilhelm Wenk, born 01 Mar 1840 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany; died 06 Mar 1865 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany.
- + 9 vii. Joseph Wenk, born 08 May 1842 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany; died 13 Jan 1920 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 - viii. Peter Wenk, born 22 Jun 1848 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany; died 26 May 1849 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany.

Generation No. 3

3. Ignatz Gassmann (John)³ Wenk (Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 30 Jul 1822 in Rotzell, Waldshut, Baden, Germany, and died 27 Jun 1897 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Eva Katharina Manz** 08 Jun 1871 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Johann Manz and Margaretha Kirchherr. She was born 23 Apr 1836 in Ebersbuehl, Calw, Wurtemberg, and died 03 Jan 1923 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Ignatz Gassmann (John) Wenk:

Burial: Jun 1897, Emanuel Evangelical Memorial Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Census: 05 Jul 1870, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan page 177 worth \$2,500/650 Census 2: 16 Jun 1880, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 229 SD 1 sheet 24 Occupation: Bet. 1870 - 1880, farmer Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Property: 1920, Section 4 & 7 Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan 95 acres value \$4,350

More About Eva Katharina Manz:

Burial: 1923, Emanuel Evangelical Memorial Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Census: 01 Jun 1900, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 24 SD 2 sheet 1a

Children: 1900, 5 w/ 5 living Emigration: 1870, US

Residence: 1920, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan with son Joseph

More About Ignatz Wenk and Eva Manz:

Marriage: 08 Jun 1871, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Ignatz Wenk and Eva Manz are:

- + 11 i. Katherine⁴ Wenk, born 19 Mar 1869 in Michigan; died 23 Sep 1932 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 12 ii. John Wenk, born 29 May 1872 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 16 Apr 1958 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 13 iii. Joseph William Wenk, born 09 Dec 1873 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 14 May 1952 in Jackson, Jackson Co, Michigan.
- + 14 iv. Martin Wenk, born 08 Feb 1876 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 21 Oct 1962 in Grass Lake, Jackson Co, Michigan.
- + 15 v. Louise Barbara (Lizzie) Wenk, born 10 Mar 1878 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 24 Mar 1968 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- **9. Joseph³ Wenk** (Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 08 May 1842 in Oberwihl, Waldshut, Baden, Germany, and died 13 Jan 1920 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Anna Adelheid Niehaus** 24 May 1869 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She was born 16 Nov 1849 in Schale, Techlenburg, Westphalia, Germany, and died 16 Mar 1936 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Joseph Wenk:

As remembered by Carol Wenk Morgan

Joseph and "Olive" Wenk were my great-grandparents on my father's father's side of the family. I have no direct memory of them as they were both deceased well before I was born. They were founders of a large family of nine children who survived to adulthood.

Of those nine children I remember knowing only five: Albert, Emil, Clara, Ida and my grandfather Edwin.

More About Joseph Wenk:

Census: 16 Jun 1880, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 229 SD 1 sheet 24 Census 4: 22 Jan 1920, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 148 SD 2 sheet 8b

Emigration: 1867, US

Occupation: 1880, tailor Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Anna Adelheid Niehaus:

Occupation: 1853, US

Residence: 12 children 9 living in 1900

More About Joseph Wenk and Anna Niehaus:

Marriage: 24 May 1869, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: pastor's home - Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Joseph Wenk and Anna Niehaus are:

 Rev. Emil Edward Ignatz⁴ Wenk, born 04 Jun 1870 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 18 Mar 1965 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married Sophia Frommer 20 Jun 1893 in Saginaw, Saginaw Co, Michigan; born 23 Feb 1868 in Saginaw, Saginaw Co, Michigan; died 27 Jun 1956 in Saginaw, Saginaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Rev. Emil Edward Ignatz Wenk: As remembered by Carol Wenk Morgan:

Uncle Emil, Grandpa Wenk's older brother, was ordained as a minister in the Lutheran Church. One of his first parishes was in Marion Springs, Michigan. Grandpa recalled that he visited Emil shortly after he began his

ministry there. It was a half a day's train ride from Ann Arbor to Saginaw. In Saginaw Grandpa had to take a ride with a farmer west to Marion Springs. At that time the territory around Saginaw was just starting to be cleared for farming. Pioneers found that the Saginaw valley was some of the best land in Michigan. Unfortunately that was not the case for the area farther west. The farmers who tried around Marion Springs found lake sand and not much else. They were very poor. Emil was given a small cabin in the woods to live in. He heated the un-insulated shack with a pot belly stove that was either too hot or not warm enough. His pay was whatever the parishioners could share: chickens, home preserved fruit, vegetables and the like. Venison was hunted and shared as well. Grandpa recalled that the place was so rough that they just heaved the garbage from meal prep out the window and let the animals clean it up. He said he was so glad he hadn't chosen that career if it meant living like that!

Later, Emil married Sofie. I don't know when Emil went blind or what caused the blindness. I do know that it was something that happened fairly early in his life. Grandpa used to tell how Emil would drive a car even though he couldn't see anything. Of course, in those days in Saginaw cars were not common and speeds were very slow compared to today. Emil would man the wheel and manage the driving while Sofie sat beside him directing him to steer right or left, stop or slow. They never got into trouble that I know of Sofie certainly didn't limit Emil because of his disability.

More About Rev. Emil Edward Ignatz Wenk:

Baptism: 30 Jul 1870, St. Thomas Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Census 3: 1920, Toledo, Lucas Co, Ohio

Occupation: Bet. 1894 - 1896, pastor/minister Lutheran Church Saginaw, Saginaw Co, Michigan

More About Emil Wenk and Sophia Frommer:

Marriage: 20 Jun 1893, Saginaw, Saginaw Co, Michigan

 baby Wenk, born 26 Jan 1872 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 26 Jan 1872 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About baby Wenk:

Burial: 28 Jan 1872, Rogers Corner Cemetery Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

- + 18 iii. Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick) Wenk, born 18 Jan 1873 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 23 Jan 1939 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 19 iv. Heinrich Albert Wenk, born 20 May 1875 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 08 Dec 1953 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 20 v. Edwin Otto Wenk, born 15 Sep 1877 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 29 Mar 1967 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 21 vi. Adolph Gustof Wenk, born 19 Aug 1879 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 18 Aug 1945 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 - vii. Herman Theodore Wenk, born 27 Feb 1882 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 17 May 1936 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Herman Theodore Wenk:

Burial: May 1936, Mt. Olivet Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Cause of Death: heart failure

Census: 06 Jun 1900, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 85 SD 2 sheet 4a living w/ Christian Koengeter's family

Census 2: 09 May 1910, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 129 SD 2 sheet 8b living w/ brother Frederick Wenk's family

Census 4: 1930, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Medical Information: 1918 tall height, slender build, eyes & hair brown Military service: 12 Sep 1918, draft registration Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation: Bet. 1900 - 1910, farm laborer Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

viii. Ida Anna Wenk, born 21 Feb 1885 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 01 Sep 1967 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married Julius Friedrich Schmid 28 Jan 1933 in Lodi Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born 06 Sep 1871 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 12 Apr 1948 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Ida Anna Wenk:

Burial: Sep 1967, Salem Church Cemetery on Scio-Church Road; Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan - row 16 monument 10 lot 18

Census: 10 Jan 1920, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 148 SD 2 sheet 4b living w/ future husband Julius E. Schmid

Social Security Number: 369-34-3686

Notes for Julius Friedrich Schmid:

Julius F. Schmid died suddenly about 1:30 Monday afternoon April 12, 1948 on the farm at 11301 Scio Church Road where he was born Sept. 6, 1871, and where he had lived all his life. He was the son of Adam and

Barbara Haas Schmid. Mr. Schmid was, a rural school teacher at Rogers Corners for a number of years following his graduation from Chelsea High School in 1893. He was married to Miss Ida Wenk on Jan. 28, 1933. In addition to his wife he is survived by two nieces, Mrs. Roy Feldkamp of Clinton, and Mrs. Ralph Grossman of Ann Arbor, and two nephews, Erwin Eiseman of Ann Arbor, and Otto Eiseman of Chelsea.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30; Friday afternoon at the Salem's Lutheran Church in Scio Township of which Mr. Schmid had been a life-long member. Rev. Arthur Wacker will officiate and burial will take place in the church cemetery. Friends may call at the residence until Friday noon. The body will lie in state at the church from 12:80 until the services. Mr. Schmid's death hours, Mr. Brenner having died sudden Schmid home at 3:30 a.m. followed the death of John Brenner, his hired man for the past thirty-two years by about ten minutes.

More About Julius Friedrich Schmid:

Burial: Apr 1948, Salem Church Cemetery on Scio-Church Road; Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan - row 16 monument 10 lot 19

Census: 10 Jan 1920, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 148 SD 2 sheet 4b

Census 3: 03 Apr 1940, 11304 Scio Church Road; Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-35 SD 2 sheet 1b Occupation: Bet. 1920 - 1940, farmer Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Julius Schmid and Ida Wenk:

Marriage: 28 Jan 1933, Lodi Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: parsonage of Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

+ 24 ix. Anna Adelheid Wenk, twin, born 05 Nov 1889 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 31 Jul 1946 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

x. Ludwig Leopold (Lewis) Wenk, twin, born 05 Nov 1889 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 11 Nov 1889 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Ludwig Leopold (Lewis) Wenk, twin:

Baptism: 06 Nov 1889, Zion Èvangélical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Burial: 13 Nov 1889, Rogers Corner Cemetery Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

+ 26 xi. Clara Sophie Wenk, born 20 Apr 1895 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 21 Feb 1987 in Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan.

Generation No. 4

11. Katherine⁴ Wenk (Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 19 Mar 1869 in Michigan, and died 23 Sep 1932 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Friedrich** Wilhelm Lucht 13 Feb 1888 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Friedrich Lucht and Petronelle Woike/Mauslaff. He was born 13 Feb 1863 in Grupa U Swiecie, Schwetz, West Prussia, and died 30 Sep 1930 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Katherine Wenk:

Burial: 26 Sep 1932, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Cause of Death: chronic valcular heart disease

Children: 1900, 1 w/ 1 living

More About Friedrich Wilhelm Lucht:

Burial: 1930, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Cause of Death: carcinoma of the stomach

Census: 05 Jun 1900, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 85 SD 2 sheet 3b

Census 3: 24 Jan 1920, 702 S. Division Street; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 172

SD 2 sheet 7a

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Emigration: 1881, US

Occupation: 1900, farmer Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1920, house carpenter Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Friedrich Lucht and Katherine Wenk:

Marriage: 13 Feb 1888, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Katherine Wenk and Friedrich Lucht are:

+ 27
 i. Frederick William⁵ Lucht, born 17 Apr 1891 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 26 Dec 1961 in Royal Oak, Oakland Co, Michigan.
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 ii. Ella Katherine Lucht, born 05 Feb 1904 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 05 Jun 1977 in Ann Arbor

ii. Ella Katherine Lucht, born 05 Feb 1904 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 05 Jun 1977 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married Harris Daniel Libolt 30 Sep 1933 in Adams Co, Indiana; born 01 Dec 1899 in Bethel, Sullivan Co, New York; died 13 Dec 1966 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Ella Katherine Lucht:

Burial: Jun 1977, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Harris Daniel Libolt:

Burial: Dec 1966, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Harris Libolt and Ella Lucht: Marriage: 30 Sep 1933, Adams Co, Indiana

12. John⁴ Wenk (Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 29 May 1872 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 16 Apr 1958 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Lydia M. Guenther** 04 Jan 1917 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Johann Guenther and Maria Schneider. She was born 29 Jun 1882 in Lodi Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 26 Jan 1963 in Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan.

More About John Wenk:

Burial: 19 Apr 1958, Rogers Corner Cemetery Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Census: 05 Jun 1900, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 85 SD 2 sheet 3b living w/ brother-in-law Fredrich W. Lucht's family

Census 4: 04 Apr 1930, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-22 SD 14 sheet 1b

Occupation: 1900, farmer Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1930, farmer Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Property: 1920, Section 5 & 8 Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan 4 acres value \$1,370

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 12771 Waters Road; Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Notes for Lydia M. Guenther:

Mrs. Lydia M. Wenk, who lived in this area throughout her life-time until four years ago when she went to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Amanda Wallace, 751 Van Dyke Street, Detroit, died there Saturday Jan. 26, 1963. She was 80 years old. Born June 29, 1882, in Lodi Township, she was a daughter of George and Elizabeth Schneider Guenther. She was married, Jan. 4, 1917to John Wenk who died April 16, 1958. Mrs. Wenk was previously married, in 1905, to Gottlieb Lambarth. She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, Rogers Corners and the church's Women of Zion.

Surviving Mrs. Wenk, in addition to her daughter, are a son, Raymond of Garden City, seven grandchildren, two great-grandchildren. Three sisters and five brothers preceded her death.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Zion Lutheran Church and burial followed at Zion Lutheran Cemetery, Rogers Corners. The Rev. C. J. Renner officiated. The body was at the Staffan Funeral Home until noon Tuesday and then lay in state at the church until the time of the service.

More About Lydia M. Guenther:

Burial: 29 Jan 1963, Rogers Corner Cemetery Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Census: 29 Apr 1910, Lodi Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 130 SD 2 sheet 5a living w/ brother

George J. Guenther's family Children: 1910, 1 w/ 1 living

More About John Wenk and Lydia Guenther:

Marriage: 04 Jan 1917, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of John Wenk and Lydia Guenther is:

- + 29 i. Raymond Carl⁵ Wenk, born 07 May 1918 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 27 Aug 1986 in Garden City, Wayne Co, Michigan.
- **13.** Joseph William⁴ Wenk (Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 09 Dec 1873 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 14 May 1952 in Jackson, Jackson Co, Michigan. He married **Olga Louise Kaercher** 21 Mar 1906 in Lima Center, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Frederick Kaercher and Anna Heller. She was born 02 Jan 1882 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 03 Nov 1964 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Joseph William Wenk:

Burial: May 1952, Rowe's Corner Twp Cemetery Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Census 2: 19 Jan 1920, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 147 SD 2 sheet 6a Census 3: 09 Apr 1930, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-22 SD 14 sheet 3a Medical Information: 1918 medium height, stout build, eyes blue & hair dark Military service: 12 Sep 1918, draft registration Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation: Bet. 1900 - 1930, farmer Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Property: 1920, Section 7 Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan 20 acres value \$300

More About Olga Louise Kaercher:

Baptism: 12 Feb 1882, Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan -

sponsors: Gottlob & Luise Heller

Burial: Nov 1964, Rowe's Corner Twp Cemetery Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Joseph Wenk and Olga Kaercher:

Marriage: 21 Mar 1906, Lima Center, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Joseph Wenk and Olga Kaercher are:

- i. Edgar Elmer⁵ Wenk, born 18 Sep 1908 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 09 Oct 1980 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 ii. Wilbur Joseph Wenk, born 31 Dec 1910 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 29 Aug 1940 in
 - ii. Wilbur Joseph Wenk, born 31 Dec 1910 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 29 Aug 1940 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Wilbur Joseph Wenk:

Ann Arbor - A head-on collision of two automobiles cost the lives of two Ann Arbor residents today August 29, 1940 and injured four others critically. The dead were Eleanor J. Brier, 20, and Wilbur Wenk, 30. Miss Brier was the daughter of Prof. John C. Brier of the University of Michigan chemical engineering department. Patrick J. Maloney, Jr., 24, Detroit, who was riding in the car with Miss Brier, suffered a dislocated hip and fractured pelvis. In the other car with Wenk were Mrs. Marian Fischer, 29, who suffered fractures of the skull, spine, pelvis and jaw; Edwin Haab, 32. head, chest, and leg injuries, and Norman Gross, 22. fractured nose and internal injuries. All are Ann Arbor residents.

More About Wilbur Joseph Wenk:

Burial: 01 Sep 1940, St. Thomas Church Cemetery Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Cause of Death: skull fracture in auto collision on N. Territorial Road, Dexter, Michigan Occupation: 1930, machine operator spring factory Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

- + 32 iii. Herbert L. Wenk, born 25 Jan 1912 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 14 Dec 1957 in Muskegon Co, Michigan.
- + 33 iv. Arthur Frederick Wenk, born 16 Feb 1914 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 26 Apr 2006 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 34 v. Marie Katherine Wenk, born 29 Jul 1917 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 22 May 2019 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- **14. Martin**⁴ **Wenk** (Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 08 Feb 1876 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 21 Oct 1962 in Grass Lake, Jackson Co, Michigan. He married **Martha Carolina Grieb** 06 Jan 1909 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Wilhelm Grieb and Salome Mammel. She was born 08 Dec 1880 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 27 Mar 1937 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Martin Wenk:

Martin Wenk, of 2681 Fletcher Rd., died Sunday morning Oct. 21, 1962 at Cedar Knoll Rest Home, Grass Lake, following a long illness. He had been in failing health since July, 1961, and had been a patient at the rest home since March of this year. He was 86 years old and a life-long Freedom Township resident Mr. Wenk was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, Rogers Corners, and the Brotherhood of the church. He and his brothers owned and operated threshing machines for many years prior to the advent of combining equipment. Born Feb. 8, 1876, in Freedom Township, he was a son of Ignatz and Katherine Manz Wenk. His wife, the former Martha Grieb, to whom he was married Jan. 6, 1909, died March 27, 1937. They had made their home on his Fletcher Rd. farms throughout their married life.

Survivors are four sons, Elmer of Ann Arbor, Ernest of 2833 Fletcher Rd., Erwin of 2495 Fletcher Rd., and Norman of 2681 Fletcher Rd.; two daughters, Mrs. Walter Loeffler (Rubena) of Waters Rd., and Mrs. Carlton Burkhardt (Edna) of Kothe Rd.

Also surviving are 20 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Otto Goetz of Yoakum Rd. Two brothers, Joseph and John, and a sister, Mrs. Fred Lucht, preceded him in death.

The body was at the Staffan Funeral Home until this morning and will be in state at Zion Lutheran Church, Rogers Corners, from noon until 2 p.m., when funeral services are to be held with the Rev. C. J. Renner officiating. Burial will follow in Zion Lutheran Cemetery. Zion Lutheran Church Memorial Fund was designated as the recipient of contributions from friend in memory of Mr. Wenk.

More About Martin Wenk:

Burial: 25 Oct 1962, Rogers Corner Cemetery Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Census: 02 May 1910, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 129 SD 2 sheet 6b

Census 2: 19 Jan 1920, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 147 SD 2 sheet 6a

Census 3: 04 Apr 1930, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-22 SD 14 sheet 1b

Medical Information: 1918 medium height, stout build, eyes blue & hair light

Military service: 12 Sep 1918, draft registration Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: Bet. 1900 - 1930, farmer Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1910, laborer thresher Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1920, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 2: 2681 Fletcher Road; Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Martha Carolina Grieb:

Burial: 30 Mar 1937, Rogers Corner Cemetery Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Martin Wenk and Martha Grieb:

Marriage: 06 Jan 1909, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Martin Wenk and Martha Grieb are:

 Elmer Oswald⁵ Wenk, born 22 Jul 1909 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 19 Jun 1976 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married Pearl ?; born 14 Apr 1915; died 25 Mar 2007 in Dexter, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Elmer Oswald Wenk:

Baptism: 05 Oct 1909, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Military service: US Army World War II

Occupation: factory worker Ford Motor Company 20 years

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 504 S. 7th Street; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 383-01-7402

- + 36 ii. Erwin Martin (Irv) Wenk, born 13 Aug 1910 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 19 Oct 1982 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 37 iii. Rubena Maritta Wenk, born 10 Oct 1911 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 02 Oct 1987 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 38 iv. Edna Anna Wenk, born 13 Apr 1913 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 06 Dec 1974 in Chelsea,

Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

- + 39 v. Ernst Wilhelm (Ernest William) Wenk, born 11 Jun 1914 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 26 Jan 2006 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 40 vi. Norman Oscar Wenk, born 18 Jan 1918 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 30 Apr 2012 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

15. Louise Barbara (Lizzie)⁴ Wenk (Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 10 Mar 1878 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 24 Mar 1968 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Otto Wilhelm Goetz** 01 Jun 1898 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Johann Goetz and Rosina Gramer. He was born 14 Nov 1870 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 22 Nov 1967 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Louise Barbara (Lizzie) Wenk:

Burial: Mar 1968, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children: 1900, 1 w/ 1 living Children 2: 1910, 4 w/ 4 living

Social Security Number: 386-52-2032

More About Otto Wilhelm Goetz:

Burial: Nov 1967, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Census: 02 Jun 1900, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 85 SD 2 sheet 2a name shown as Geotz

Census 2: 07 May 1910, Lodi Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 130 SD 2 sheet 9b Census 4: 05 Apr 1930, Dexter Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-21 SD 14 sheet 2a

Confirmation: 18 Apr 1886, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: 1900, farm manager Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1910, farmer Lodi Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 3: 1930, farmer Dexter Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 4: Bef. 1964, farmer

Religion: Salem Evan. Lutheran Church Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Religion 2: St. Paul United Church of Christ Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1900, Yoakum Road; Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 2: 1920, Dexter Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 3: S. Main Street; Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 371-48-8030

More About Otto Goetz and Louise Wenk:

Marriage: 01 Jun 1898, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Louise Wenk and Otto Goetz are:

- + 41 i. Elsa Esther⁵ Goetz, born 18 Aug 1899 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 16 Apr 1993 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 - 42 ii. Eva Rosine Goetz, born 12 Sep 1901 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 24 Oct 1947 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 43 iii. Helene Louise Goetz, born 04 May 1904 in Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 19 Jun 1986 in Colleton, South Carolina.
- + 44 iv. Etna Maria (Edna) Goetz, born 04 Aug 1907 in Saline Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 18 Jan 2003 in Tucson, Pima Co, Arizona.
- + 45 v. Margaret Ruth Goetz, born 16 Nov 1915 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 25 Apr 1995 in Flat Rock, Wayne Co, Michigan
- **18.** Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴ Wenk (Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 18 Jan 1873 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 23 Jan 1939 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Emma Dorothea Staebler** 04 Oct 1898 in Waterloo Twp, Jackson Co, Michigan, daughter of Johann Staebler and Anna Wacker. She was born 14 Aug 1872 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-24 SD 14 sheet 3a, and died 04 Jun 1956.

More About Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick) Wenk:

Baptism: 15 Feb 1873, St. Thomas Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Census: 15 Jun 1900, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 85 SD 2 sheet 9a Census 2: 09 May 1910, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 129 SD 2 sheet 8b Census 3: 22 Jan 1920, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 148 SD 2 sheet 8b

Census 3: 22 Jan 1920, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 148 SD 2 sheet 8b

Census 4: 02 Apr 1930, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-24 SD 14 sheet 1a

Medical Information: 1918 eyes blue & hair brown

Military service: 12 Sep 1918, draft registration Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation: Bet. 1900 - 1930, farmer Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Property: Bet. 1900 - 1920, Section 21 Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan 129 acres value \$9,000 in

1920

Religion: children baptized St. Jacobs Evangelical Lutheran Church Waterloo Twp, Michigan

More About Emma Dorothea Staebler:

Baptism: 26 Oct 1872, parents house Lima Twp - St. Thomas Lutheran Church Freedom Twp,

Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Census: 19 Apr 1940, 544 Lima Center Road; Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-35 SD 2 sheet

8a

Children: 1900, 1 w/ 1 living Children 2: 1910, 7 w/ 7 living

More About Friedrich Wenk and Emma Staebler:

Marriage: 04 Oct 1898, Waterloo Twp, Jackson Co, Michigan

Children of Friedrich Wenk and Emma Staebler are:

- + 46 i. Roland Friedrich⁵ Wenk, born 28 Jul 1899 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 16 Oct 1939.
- + 47 ii. Lorenz Wilhelm Wenk, born 16 Aug 1900 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 05 Jul 1989 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 48 iii. Hilda Maria Wenk, born 11 Jan 1902 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 14 Apr 2004 in Dexter, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 - 49 iv. Una Dorothea Wenk, born 18 Jun 1903 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 30 Dec 1984 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Una Dorothea Wenk:

Una D. Wenk, 81, of 805 W. Middle St., Chelsea, died Sunday, Dec. 30, 1984, at the Chelsea United Methodist Retirement Home after a long illness. She was born June 18, 1903, in Lima Township, the daughter of Frederick W. and Emma D. (Staebler) Wenk, and had lived at the United Methodist Home since 1976, moving from Ann Arbor. Miss Wenk had been employed at Sealtest Dairy for 37 years and at Ann Arbor Buick Co. for 12 years. She was a member of St. Paul United Church of Christ in Chelsea.

Surviving are a brother, Lorenz W. Wenk of Chelsea; two sisters, Hilda M. Pierce of Dexter and Oleta S. Wenk of Howell, and several nieces and nephews; three brothers, Roland, Leon and Norwin Wenk, and a nephew, Lyle Wenk, preceded her in death.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Jan. 2, at Cole-Burghardt Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, with the Rev. Erwin R. Koch officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery, Chelsea. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul United Church of Christ.

More About Una Dorothea Wenk:

Burial: Jan 1985, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation: 1930, bookkeeper creamery Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 3: Sealtest Dairy 30 years

Occupation 4: Ann Arbor Buick Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan 12 years Religion: St. Paul United Church of Christ Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 1965, 1721 Pauline Blvd, Apt 11; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 2: United Methodist Home Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

- + 50 v. Leon Jacob Wenk, born 10 Oct 1904 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 10 Oct 1982 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 - 51 vi. Oleta Sophia Wenk, born 23 Feb 1906 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 18 May 1989 in Howell, Livingston Co, Michigan.

Notes for Oleta Sophia Wenk:

Oleta Sophie Wenk, 83, formerly of Chelsea, died Thursday, May 18, 1989 at the New Medical Care Center

of Howell following a long illness. She was born Feb. 23, 1906 in Lima Township, the daughter of Frederick William and Emma D. (Staebler) Wenk.

Survivors include a brother, Lorenz W. Wenk, a sister, Hilda M. Pierce, and several nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews, and great-great-grandnephews. She was preceded in death by three brothers and a sister. Miss Wenk was a member of the St. Paul United Church of Christ of Chelsea.

Funeral services will were held Friday, May 19, at the Cole-Burghardt Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. Erwin Koch officiating. Burial followed in Oak Grove Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul United Church of Christ.

More About Oleta Sophia Wenk:

Burial: May 1989, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation: 1930, inspector factory Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Religion: St. Paul United Church of Christ Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Social Security Number: 380-62-8122

vii. Norwin E. Wenk, born 03 Jan 1908 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 10 Sep 1917 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Norwin E. Wenk:

Burial: 11 Sep 1917, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Cause of Death: diphtheria

19. Heinrich Albert⁴ Wenk (Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 20 May 1875 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 08 Dec 1953 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married (1) Gertrude Casterline Bet. 13 Mar 1896 - 1897 in Michigan, daughter of Henry Casterline and Fanny Thompson. She was born Apr 1879 in Michigan. He married (2) Karolina W. (Carrie) Miller 12 Feb 1903 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of George Miller and Dorothea Katz. She was born 18 Mar 1870 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 11 Jul 1917 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married (3) Ellen Ermina Rentschler 12 Feb 1918 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Karl Rentschler and Anna Schoen. She was born 03 Oct 1893 in Lodi Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 12 Feb 1933 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married (4) Marian Edith (Maria) Monje Bef. 1943, daughter of Neil Monje and Lillian Schmidt. She was born 25 Dec 1913 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co, Michigan, and died 04 Apr 2001 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Heinrich Albert Wenk:

As remembered by Carol Wenk Morgan:

Of the five children of Joseph and Olive I remember Albert, but sadly, not very well. We visited Uncle Al and his last wife, Marion, about once or twice a summer. I remember playing with Uncle Al's kids. Karen and I were about the same age; Roger was kind of a nuisance. He liked to play with us, but we didn't want to be tied to a five year old.

Al, Bender and Grandpa used to go hunting together at the cabin. At one time I believe Al owned part of the cabin property. They always dressed in red and black plaid woolen hunting suits and each had their own "stump" to hunt from. I remember that Marion also had a stump.

Uncle Al apparently was quite the ladies' man. He had several wives and I remember the family gossip too. When Al and Marion married, the family was taken back cause he was nearly twice her age. As far as we know, Marion was a good wife and mother to the kids. Roger could tell more about this.

More About Heinrich Albert Wenk:

Baptism: 19 Jun 1875, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Burial: 10 Dec 1953, Forest Hill Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Census 2: 22 Apr 1910, 530 N. Division Street; 4th ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 117 SD 2 sheet 5b

Census 3: 02 Jan 1920, 112 Kenwood Ave; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 132 SD 2 sheet 2a

Census 4: 01 May 1930, 112 Kenwood; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-3 SD 14 sheet 29b

Confirmation: 14 Apr 1889, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Medical Information: 1918 tall height, slender built w/ blue eyes & brown hair

Military service: 12 Sep 1918, draft registration Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation: 1910, machinist agricultural works Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation 2: employee Economy Baker Company Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 3: 1918, superintendent Economy Baker Company Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation 4: Bet. 1920 - 1930, general manager machine specialty factory Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co,

Michigan

Occupation 5: miller

Residence: 1900, 510 S. Ashley Street; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence 2: 1918, 530 N. Division; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Heinrich Wenk and Gertrude Casterline:

Marriage: Bet. 13 Mar 1896 - 1897, Michigan

More About Karolina W. (Carrie) Miller:

Burial: 14 Jul 1917, Forest Hill Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Cause of Death: apoplexey following asthematic attack

Children: 1910, 1 w/ 1 living

More About Heinrich Wenk and Karolina Miller:

Marriage: 12 Feb 1903, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Zion Evan. Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Notes for Ellen Ermina Rentschler:

Mrs. H. Albert Wenk, 39, of 118 Kenwood Avenue, Ann Arbor, passed away Sunday February 12, 1933 in a hospital in that city. She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, the Ladies' Aid Society, Order of the Eastern Star, and daughters of Mokanna.

Besides her husband, she is survived by four sons, Herbert, Glenn Elwyn and Carl, Ann Arbor, and Harold of Detroit; a daughter, Corinne, of Ann Arbor; her mother, Mrs. Caroline Rentschler, and a sister, Mrs. Arthur Heininger, of Saline. Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Rev. E. C. Stellhorn officiating. Burial was in Forest Hill Cemetery.

More About Ellen Ermina Rentschler:

Baptism: 03 Dec 1903, Bethel United Church of Christ Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Burial: 15 Feb 1933, Forest Hill Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Cause of Death: complications resulting from child birth

More About Heinrich Wenk and Ellen Rentschler:

Marriage: 12 Feb 1918, Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Marian Edith (Maria) Monje:

Burial: 08 Apr 2001, cremated Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Heinrich Wenk and Marian Monje:

Marriage: Bef. 1943

Children of Heinrich Wenk and Gertrude Casterline are:

i. Harold Joseph Heinrich⁵ Wenk, born 26 Aug 1897 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 12 Apr 1957.
 ii. Walter Wilbert Wenk, born 11 Apr 1899 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 27 Oct 1929 in Ann Arbor

 Walter Wilbert Wenk, born 11 Apr 1899 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 27 Oct 1929 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married Katherine V. Fletcher 13 Aug 1921 in Michigan; born 1899 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Walter Wilbert Wenk: Cause of Death: hotchkins disease

Medical Information: 1918 medium height & build, eyes & hair brown

Military service: 12 Sep 1918, draft registration Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: 1918, machinist Lewis Spring & Axle Company Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1918, Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Walter Wenk and Katherine Fletcher:

Marriage: 13 Aug 1921, Michigan

Child of Heinrich Wenk and Karolina Miller is:

+ 55 i. Karl Albert⁵ Wenk, born 31 May 1908 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 27 Jul 1998 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Children of Heinrich Wenk and Ellen Rentschler are:

- + 56 i. Herbert Charles⁵ Wenk, born 25 Aug 1923 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 30 Apr 2017.
- + 57 ii. Corinne Ila Wenk, born 1929 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 58 iii. Glenn Ellwyn (Bud) Wenk, born 03 Feb 1933 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 15 May 1972 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Children of Heinrich Wenk and Marian Monje are:

i. Donald Neal⁵ Wenk, born 19 May 1940; died 24 Aug 2016 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Donald Neal Wenk:

Donald N. Wenk, of Chelsea, Michigan, age 76, passed away at home on Wednesday, August 24, 2016, after a long battle with cancer. He was born on May 19, 1940, the son of Henry "Al" and Marian (Monje) Wenk. He graduated from Pioneer High School in 1958 and Cleary College in 1961. He served four years in the Air Force before becoming a member of the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department, from which he retired in 1989 after 21 years of service.

He is survived by two brothers, Richard (Jody) Wenk and Roger Wenk, both of Chelsea, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and his sisters Karen Cooch and Jeri Cooch.

In keeping with his wishes, he will be cremated and there will be no memorial service. Memorial contributions may be made to the Arbor Hospice Foundation. Arrangements by Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea.

60 ii. Richard Irwin Wenk, born 1941. He married (1) Jody ?; born Aft. 1941. He married (2) Jacqueline Kay Collins 12 Oct 1963 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born 1941.

More About Richard Wenk and Jacqueline Collins: Marriage: 12 Oct 1963, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

- 61 iii. Geraldine (Jerry) Wenk, born 13 Feb 1943; died 21 Apr 1999 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married Michael H. Cooch; born 1950.
- + 62 iv. Karen Lea Wenk, born 27 Oct 1944 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 19 May 1998 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 63 v. Roger Albert Wenk, born 27 Aug 1949; died 18 Jun 2018 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- **20.** Edwin Otto⁴ Wenk (Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 15 Sep 1877 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 29 Mar 1967 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married Emma Jensen 03 Mar 1904 in Sylvan Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Matthew Jensen and Barbara ?. She was born 19 Feb 1881 in Sylvan Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 07 Apr 1954 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Edwin Otto Wenk:

As remembered by Carol Wenk Morgan

My grandfather, Edwin, was the favorite of my childhood. I suppose that was because everyone expected I would be a brother to Dean Wenk (who is 12 years older than I am).

From an early age I remember visiting and staying with my Wenk grandparents. They lived at 1503 Granger Ave. in Ann Arbor, Mi. I loved my visits with them. Grandpa Wenk was indulgent, allowing me to do almost anything I wanted. One of my earliest memories is feeding the Snap Dragons. Grandpa told me to collect several sprigs of grass because the Snap Dragons he grew by the back door were hungry. Once we had picked the grass, I was instructed to pinch the "jaw" of the flower and feed it the grass. Of

course, I wasn't about to buy into that idea without seeing proof. So the next day grandpa would stand patiently by as I inspected the flowers only to discover that the grass was gone! They did eat it! Today with an adult mind I understand that I just didn't find the same individual blooms and thus was fooled into thinking that they really did eat grass...well then again, maybe they do.

Once I was old enough to learn to skate, about seven, he would took me to the city skating rink they made on the grass of the ball fields in the winter. I remember the many times he waited patiently while I wobbled around the rink on my figure skates trying to be graceful and looking anything but that. However, since that became a favorite winter activity, I eventually did learn to skate well.

Another of my early memories of Grandpa Wenk is that he rigged a booster seat (stool) so that I could ride next to him in the front seat of his 1950's Studebaker. He sometimes took me to visit Ida in the country on the farm so that I could see the animals. I always loved horses, and naturally he would arrange for a short ride on one of Ida's working horses. I wish I could remember more of the old farm house, but alas the horse made the biggest impact.

I must have spent most of my visits with grandpa as I have few memories of grandma Wenk, Emma. Unfortunately what I do remember isn't very complimentary. She seemed to be ill with asthma much of the time, needing to travel "up north" to escape the pollen of the summer time in Ann Arbor. They went to Traverse City and of course, our W-W Club near Alpena. She also seemed to nag about such things as smoking cigars and chewing tobacco in the house. Those activities were two of grandpa's favorites and so he spent considerable time in the garage tinkering around and enjoying his vices.

I don't remember doing anything with grandma Wenk. She made wonderful sugar cookies and kept a very clean house. We joked about her need to varnish furniture every year and her compulsion to paint anything that was going to be kept. She painted glass vases if they were cracked so that they could be kept and used for everyday. Many of the "treasures" from that household had to be stripped of paint. I am thankful for the varnishing as some of the pieces I found covered in scratches were actually only marred in the varnish. Once some of the layers of varnish were removed, they were like new!

Grandma Wenk suffered a long, difficult illness before dying when I was in junior high school. I was shielded from all of the long hours of care and pain. My mother used to stay with her during the days. I rode the school bus to school (Tappan Jr. High) and then walked to grandpa's house from school in the afternoon. Shortly afterwards we were picked up by my dad, and we returned to our home on Plymouth Rd. The next day this routine was repeated again.

After Grandma's death, Grandpa Wenk and I enjoyed many visits. I was allowed to do things that were taboo at home like stay up till after the 11:00 pm news, drink coffee and cook. Our favorite activities were watching boxing on the TV and then after the news, we would go to the kitchen. The kitchen table was a drop down that was usually stored hooked to the wall to allow easy passage to the basement door. I was little enough that Grandpa would use the piano stool as a high stool for me to sit at that table. I remember swinging back and forth while eating those magnificent "long johns" from Quality. We washed away the sweets with a large cup of coffee. I always had cream and sugar with my coffee like grandpa did. Now I'm guessing that the coffee was actually more milk than coffee. Grandpa would always cool his by pouring the coffee into his large, deep saucer and then drinking it from the saucer.

I remember that Grandpa had false teeth. His sweet tooth was responsible for that I'm sure. He used to put at least a 1/4 inch of sugar along the entire length of a slice of muskmelon before eating it. At least two and sometimes three spoonfuls were necessary to make coffee drinkable. The long johns were cream filled and sugar cookies were for dunking in coffee. The sugar bowl Grandpa used was a large silver plated cup. He said that he had given it to Emma as a present one night when he came home later than he planned.

Activities at Grandpa's house included coloring in a new book with new crayons I usually found on visits, cutting out paper dolls and playing with them after all that work, and counting the coins he saved for me in a cobalt blue glass jar. He usually waited until the jar was nearly full before giving it to me. I still have the jar and remember the joy of finding up to \$3.00 in coins there. The last time he gave it to me, it held a check. It was after I had lost nearly everything in a trailer fire and was trying to finish my BA and put my life back together after a divorce.

Sometimes I would tease to go to the movie matinee on campus. Grandpa drove me there and picked me up afterwards. (How times have changed!) I saw the Gigget movies there and sometimes I would visit the toy department of the dime store on N. University and State street where I could buy new doll clothes, colors, paper dolls, paints and, of course, candy before I went back to Grandpa's.

Grandpa almost always had something special to share with me. Often it was Black Jack gum. A few years ago it was reproduced and available again. What a nostalgia trip! I still love it!

In the summer time, one of my favorite activities was the croquet game. Grandpa usually set the game up in the back yard and then we invited a neighbor who was a friend of Grandpa to play with us. Mr. Dawson, grandpa and I played many a game there, and I learned how to go around the course in one turn with careful croqueting of an opponent's ball.

I also enjoyed watching the squirrels that grandpa fed. He enjoyed taming them so that they ate from his hand or came right up to the window and begged. Tina, my dog, used to go nuts when they came that close.

When I was in eighth grade I got Cassia. The Siamese cat was a true novelty at that time. I used to visit Grandpa's with the cat. He would pick us up at home and put up with the yowling cat on the trip into town. Once there, the cat and I would set up house in the living room. I slept on a sofa bed where I could watch as much TV as I wanted. Cassia always slept with me. Of course as a kitten he was a terror, climbing everything and jumping from one piece of furniture to another at break neck speed. Grandpa just laughed at the antics and allowed us full access.

One of the stories that Grandpa shared with me about his childhood was how he began his working career. At the age of 13 he was hired as a farm hand on a neighboring farm. He worked there all year and slept in the loft of the main barn. His wages were about .50 cents a month which he sent home to help out. I asked him how he managed the cold of the winters. He said that they always wore woolen long johns and that they would burrow into the straw at night to keep warm. The hours were very long and the work arduous. Grandpa never gave up the habit of wearing long woolen undergarments. Even on the hottest of summer days, he always wore them. I never understood how he could stand it.

Entertainment in those days was a kind of ho-down in a barn or tavern. Grandpa said he used to play the violin. He and Fred Stabler would supply the music for the dancing. Fred played the piano. I was fascinated with this idea and wanted to play with Grandpa. I was taking piano lessons at the time, but could never get the idea of "just chording along with him". Emma played the piano although I never heard her. She had a lot of sheet music in the piano bench as self-made music was a form of entertainment before radio and TV. Some of the music was undoubtedly my dad's. I remember how well he played "Dark Town Strutter's Ball" and "The Rosery".

Grandpa belonged to a bicycle club between 1910 and 1920. He is pictured with the club and by himself on his bike. Bicycles were a relatively new thing and everyone who was anybody had one.

After Grandpa and Grandma were married they lived on Felch St in Ann Arbor. That street runs east and west off of Main St a little ways west of the depot. There was a good size hill and valley in the terrain. My dad told me that in his childhood, the hill was a wonderful source of entertainment in the winter. He and his buddies made an iced sled track down the hill, across the RR tracks and up the other side. If they got a good push on the one side, it was possible to fly down, shoot across the tracks and coast up the other side. That way they never had to climb the hill. It is remarkable that they never got into trouble with traffic or trains as both the street and tracks were busy although there were a few close calls.

At this time, Grandpa Wenk and his brother Albert owned a small machine shop: Precision Tool. Grandpa recalled that they also had a small dog at the shop. He said that during lunch one of the favorite pastimes as to give the dog a beer to drink. The dog apparently loved the beer. He often drank enough to get drunk and then staggered around, ran into things and eventually slept it off. Listening to Grandpa tell this was a little disturbing to me because I thought it was cruel to do that to the dog. Grandpa just thought it funny. Now I guess it would have been funny and quite harmless to the dog.

Grandpa Wenk was responsible for pushing my dad to pursue a career as a mechanical engineer. He believed that Norman should be educated (grandpa didn't get that opportunity). My dad, Norman, however, probably would have preferred to go into electrical engineering. There was always a competition between Grandpa and my dad. I can remember all too well the battles and delays because of their rivalry. Once when we were building a fence at the cabin in Alpena, it got so bad that I resigned from helping until they could settle their argument. Since I was the main "doer" on that project, supplying the pull for dragging the wire through the woods, they settled, but there was a kind of eerie, strained silence for a while afterward.

One of the problems when they worked together was that my dad designed projects as if they were for a machine. Grandpa was more of a "cut and try" man. He used to often finish a project with "It's good

enough for who its for". That attitude used to drive my dad nuts! The porch they built on the cabin almost caused a world war between them before it was done. There was hardly enough scrap lumber left to make a decent wood stove fire that, of course, meant that there was no room for "cut and try" measuring. Some of the time I was sent off to play in the woods while they worked out their disagreements. I suppose it was because the air was a little blue around the new project.

At the cabin, Grandpa and I had wonderful times. He made a live trap and would tell me tales of the wild animals in the woods there. His bear stories were frightening, but the tales of raccoons were funny and enjoyable. We used to use cat food as bait. At dusk great care was taken to place the trap in a good spot, bait it and set the trip mechanism. Then we had to wait for morning. Such long nights those were! In the morning before breakfast, we had to check the trap to see what we'd got. I always dreaded that maybe we caught a skunk, but I guess coons were a lot more common because we never got a stinky visitor.

My pet dog, Tina, usually accompanied us everywhere. She was a dashound-terrier mix. Her head was a black and tan terrier set on a dashound body with about tree inch long legs. Of course, the coon trap was big adventure for this little, feisty dog. She used to raise her hair and bark fiercely. This terrified the poor coons, but they didn't get hurt. We then brought them back to the cabin and often Grandpa constructed a sort of pen from plywood so that we could all get a good look before the coon treed itself for the day. Once, the coon treed itself on a multi-trunk tree. Tina wasn't about to let that coon get away, and she started to climb the tree by putting two legs on one trunk and the other two on the other trunk. She made it to about four feet from the ground before the trunks separated too much to allow her to go on.

In the 1950s, the trip to Alpena took about eight hours. There were no E-ways so the trip was divided into sections. We packed for at least a day before and left early in the morning. My dad packed so that there wasn't a crack unfilled. The first leg was from Ann Arbor to Fenton. There we stopped to see Bender and Aunt Anna. Aunt Anna was a sister to Emma. We stopped there for a light lunch and then pushed on to Saginaw where we had to stop to see Emil and Sofie, Grandpa Wenk's brother and sister-in-law. We again had refreshments, visited a little and then continued to Standish. This was a long awaited milestone because it marked the beginning of the "sticks" (woodland). Grandpa said that he could take out his teeth and chew tobacco now. I remember pestering him for hours asking when we would get to the "big" sticks. He usually answered that these were just "little" sticks and that I would see the difference when we got to the "big sticks". I really did see a difference, because we were driving through woods on a dirt road, and the big sticks were right next to the road. At long last we arrived at the gate to the cabin. Grandpa got out, opened the gate and then walked ahead to be sure that there were no trees fallen in the road. By now it was very dark outside.

The cabin was totally dark because they used to cover the windows with wooden blinds to keep out thieves and protect the glass from breaking if a bird should fly into it. My first memories of the cabin call to mind dark gray walls, wood stoves, musty smells, sometimes encountering evidence of squirrels inside, and cold bedding. It was quite a job to set up housekeeping there. We had to open the blinds, plug in the main electric, sweep all rooms, prime the hand pump, and build a wood stove fire to dry out the damp, and clear the musty smells. Tina was always very happy to help sniff out the mice. Grandpa usually picked up the traps before we entered.

It was quiet there because M-65 was gravel and narrow. There wasn't much traffic. The cabin was shielded from the road by trees. I learned to be a woods-smart person from Grandpa there. We used to take long walks and he shared what he knew about animals, plants and the trees. He was always cautioning me about rattle snakes, but I never saw any. I was too noisy. When we built the fence through the swamp though, we took all the snake fighting tools along. That's the time when my mom met a Messaga rattler right by the cabin and had to kill it. Mom was a very gentle person who usually didn't hurt a flea. She would often caress a yellow jacket in a facial tissue and just put it outside to dispose of it. The snake, however, represented a danger to her family so she found an old shovel and managed to cut off its head. She said she thought she would never get that shovel through the body of that snake. Poor dear, it must have haunted her for weeks as she respected all living things.

My entertainment at the cabin was whatever my imagination could devise. I built huts in the woods. Grandpa often helped by cutting small Poplar trees for the supports. I loved the tire swing and the primitive wooden farm implement toys he made for playing in the sandy soil. In the evenings we played Euchre and had popcorn as a treat. What fun to do a lone hand and watch Grandpa approve of our winning over Norman and Helen! We often worked puzzles and I loved to make drawings using the

natural charcoal from the old burned stumps in the woods.

During hunting season, Grandpa and I used to go hunting together. He was an avid hunter, always wanting to take the big bucks. I used to accompany him in the blind. I desperately hoped we would not see anything because I definitely didn't want to see him shoot a deer. He used a half dug out as a blind. We sat with our feet in a pit and that put our bodies on ground level. There was a roof overhead that kept the rain and snow from landing on us, but did nothing to keep the wind from whistling through. We had to get there before dawn and wait. At about 10:00 AM, we returned to the cabin for coffee and hot chocolate. Then we returned to the blind at 4:00 PM and sat there till dark. I tried to be quiet, but I imagine that it was a lost cause for hunting as I surely talked or wiggled to stay warm. Maybe that was OK with Grandpa too; dressing a deer is a lot of work.

One of the crazy memories about hunting seasons and Grandpa Wenk was that he always wanted to bring a Christmas tree home from "up north". This meant that he went to the swamp and cut a spruce, strapped it onto the outside of the car and drove it back to Ann Arbor. Hunting seasons ended after Thanksgiving and so we had a cut spruce to try to hold til Christmas. Several years our Christmas tree was decorated on Christmas eve and removed on Dec. 26th because all of its needles had fallen off. One year it was so bad that the ornaments slid down the branches and dropped to the floor with that sickening little crash of exploding blown glass if anyone just walked by the tree.

My birthday is Christmas Eve. My mother was a saint because she always tried to celebrate the birthday as a special occasion and then the next day Christmas would magically appear -- brought by Santa. We never had Christmas decorations up in the house before Dec. 25th. My folks must have stayed up all night to get the tree up and decorated as well as setting up the gifts and the like. I do remember a few Christmases when I visited Grandpa Wenk's house just after the birthday meal. Grandpa's tree was usually a table size with only red and blue lights. There were a few ornaments but mostly it was about the lights and tinsel. He didn't use the lights for too long at a time because he feared a fire. They were hot little devils. The tree was placed on a square table inside a miniature fence. He had a few animals there too.

My grandfather, Edwin O. Wenk, and a good friend of his, Fred Root, both of Ann Arbor, Michigan went into the machine shop business sometime between 1910 and 1911. Grandfather's brother Albert was also involved but I am not sure if he was a partner at this time since he does not appear in the photographs.

The story goes that one noon Albert Wenk had gone up town to make a bank deposit and noticed a man speaking on the courthouse steps. He went over and listened for a while and then came back to work laughing about the NUT that was trying to sell shares in his company that way. They did eventually become acquainted with Mr. Ford and the Ford Motor Company for which they did work in the shop in Ann Arbor.

In the photo Grandfather (seated) and Fred Root are in the office. The other photo is of the machine shop area where you will notice the raw castings of the rear axel housings on the floor. These were finish machined by Machine Specialties.

Later as the Ford Motor Car Company became more successful, the company would receive an entire automobile from the Ford Dearborn plant. Grandfather's men removed all of the brass parts from the car and triple nickel plated them, put them back on the car, and reshipped the car to the dealer that had ordered the job. Brass headlights, horns, and the like were hard to maintain and many of Ford's customers selected this nickel plate option. The charge for this was \$11.00.

More About Edwin Otto Wenk:

Census: 1930, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Confirmation: 10 Apr 1892, St. Thomas Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Medical Information: 1918 tall height, medium build, eyes & hair brown Military service: 12 Sep 1918, draft registration Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 1918, 114 Felch; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 2: Bet. 1955 - 1965, 1503 Granger Ave; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 370-03-0913

More About Edwin Wenk and Emma Jensen:

Marriage: 03 Mar 1904, Sylvan Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Edwin Wenk and Emma Jensen is:

 + 64
 i. Norman Jensen⁵ Wenk, born 04 Feb 1905 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 29 Apr 1975 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

21. Adolph Gustof⁴ Wenk (Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 19 Aug 1879 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 18 Aug 1945 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Fredericka Geiger** 30 Jun 1910 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Frederick Geiger and Veronica?. She was born 05 Nov 1885 in Germany, and died 21 Nov 1962 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Adolph Gustof Wenk:

Burial: Aug 1945, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Census 2: 05 Apr 1930, 544 5th Street; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-21 SD 14 sheet 6a

Census 3: 17 Apr 1940, 544 5th Street; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-4 SD 2 sheet 14a

Confirmation: 22 Apr 1894, St. Thomas Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Medical Information: 1918 tall height, slender build, eyes blue & hair brown

Military service: 12 Sep 1918, draft registration Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: Bet. 1918 - 1930, machinist Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1940, operator piston manufacturing Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: Bet. 1918 - 1920, 544 S. 5th Street; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Fredericka Geiger:

Burial: Nov 1962, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 1955, 544 Fifth Street; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Adolph Wenk and Fredericka Geiger:

Marriage: 30 Jun 1910, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Zion Evan. Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Adolph Wenk and Fredericka Geiger are:

 Marian Evelyn⁵ Wenk, born 28 May 1911 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 29 Nov 1996 in Whitmore Lake, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Marian Evelyn Wenk:

Baptism: 13 Aug 1911, Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Burial: 1996, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: 1930, order stamper machinic shop Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation 2: 1940, order clerk piston manufacturing Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1955, 4325 Jackson Road; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 2: Bet. 1965 - 1968, rented 544 5th Ave; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 370-03-0667

- + 66 ii. Paul Herbert Wenk, born 10 Jan 1913 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 01 Nov 1984 in Fowlerville, Livingston Co, Michigan.
- + 67 iii. Robert Charles Wenk, born 10 Oct 1914 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 23 Aug 2008 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 - iv. Dorothea Virginia Wenk, born 08 May 1916 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 19 Nov 1996 in Belleville, Wayne Co, Michigan. She married Roscoe Ashby Aft. 1935; born 16 Jan 1902; died Mar 1979 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Dorothea Virginia Wenk:

Baptism: 07 Mar 1920, Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: 1940, saleslady bakery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 364-12-4561

More About Roscoe Ashby:

Social Security Number: 367-07-8382

More About Roscoe Ashby and Dorothea Wenk:

Marriage: Aft. 1935

+ 69 v. Merle Wendell Wenk, born 18 Jun 1918 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 16 Aug 1993 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

+ 70 vi. Adolph James Wenk, born 28 Mar 1921 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 26 May 1988 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

24. Anna Adelheid⁴ Wenk, twin (Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 05 Nov 1889 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 31 Jul 1946 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **William F. Schlacht** 05 Aug 1907. He was born 02 May 1889 in Michigan, and died 28 Oct 1953.

More About Anna Adelheid Wenk, twin:

Baptism: 06 Nov 1889, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Burial: Aug 1946, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About William F. Schlacht:

Burial: Oct 1953, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About William Schlacht and Anna Wenk:

Marriage: 05 Aug 1907

Child of Anna Wenk and William Schlacht is:

71 i. Marjorie Eva⁵ Schlacht, born 16 May 1908; died 22 Jan 1996.

26. Clara Sophie⁴ Wenk (Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 20 Apr 1895 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 21 Feb 1987 in Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan. She married **Dr. Bruno Leon Grajewski** 16 Oct 1916 in Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan, son of Victor Grajewski and Florence Shaukowski. He was born 20 Apr 1895 in Nanticoke, Luzerne Co, Pennsylvania, and died 23 May 1934 in Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan.

More About Dr. Bruno Leon Grajewski:

Census: 1920, E. Jefferson Ave; 11th ward Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan Census 2: 1930, 1564 Harding Ave; 21st ward Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan

Occupation: Bet. 1920 - 1930, dentist Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan

More About Bruno Grajewski and Clara Wenk:

Marriage: 16 Oct 1916, Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan

Child of Clara Wenk and Bruno Grajewski is:

+ 72 i. Clarence Larry (Grajewski)⁵ Gray, born 11 Jan 1912 in Michigan; died 29 Feb 1980.

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27. Frederick William⁵ Lucht (Katherine⁴ Wenk, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 17 Apr 1891 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 26 Dec 1961 in Royal Oak, Oakland Co, Michigan. He married **Gladys (Grace) Linn** 05 Oct 1917 in Denver, Denver Co, Colorado. She was born 26 Aug 1891 in Michigan, and died 19 Dec 1971 in Worthington, Franklin Co,

Ohio or Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan.

Notes for Frederick William Lucht:

Frederick W. Lucht – Services for Mr. Lucht, 70, of 17605 Glenwood, Lathrup Village, will be at 11 a.m. Friday in the William Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W. Eleven Mile, Royal Oak. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery. Mr. Lucht died Tuesday Dec. 26, 1961 in the Stevens Convalescent Home, Royal Oak. Until his retirement in 1956, Mr. Lucht spent 20 years with the Carboloy Division of General Electric as a development engineer.

Surviving are his wife, Grace L..; two daughters, Mrs. Charlys Casper, and Mrs. Vivian Sinnett; five grandchildren and a sister.

More About Frederick William Lucht:

Census: 13 Jan 1920, 354 Ashland Ave; 21st ward Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan ED 654 SD 1 sheet 4a Census 2: 09 Apr 1930, 14433 Mansfield; 22nd ward Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan ED 82-846 SD 18 sheet 24b

Census 3: 24 Apr 1940, 17605 Glenwood; Southfield Twp, Oakland Co, Michigan ED 63-1666 SD 17 sheet 8a

Occupation: 1920, mechanical engineer Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1930, salesman tool works Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan

Occupation 3: 1940, mechanical engineer carbon alloy manufacturing company Southfield Twp, Oakland Co, Michigan

More About Frederick Lucht and Gladys Linn:

Marriage: 05 Oct 1917, Denver, Denver Co, Colorado

Children of Frederick Lucht and Gladys Linn are:

 Marion Charlys⁶ Lucht, born 22 Sep 1920 in Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan; died 11 May 2007. She married Dr. John Simon Kasper 09 Mar 1951 in Schenectady Co, New York; born 27 May 1915 in Newark, Essex Co, New Jersey; died 01 Oct 2005.

More About John Kasper and Marion Lucht: Marriage: 09 Mar 1951, Schenectady Co, New York

- + 74 ii. Vivian Miriam Lucht, born 15 Oct 1924 in Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan; died 26 Feb 2013 in Ohio.
- **29.** Raymond Carl⁵ Wenk (John⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 07 May 1918 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 27 Aug 1986 in Garden City, Wayne Co, Michigan. He married **Esther Virginia Carter** Aft. 1938, daughter of Raymond Carter and Esther Heritage. She was born 21 Jun 1916 in Pennsylvania, and died 08 Jun 1987 in Garden City, Wayne Co, Michigan.

More About Raymond Carl Wenk:

Baptism: 26 May 1918, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: Garden City, Wayne Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 384-09-1985

More About Raymond Wenk and Esther Carter:

Marriage: Aft. 1938

Children of Raymond Wenk and Esther Carter are:

Gail Carolyn⁶ Wenk, born 14 Aug 1944 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co, California.

More About Gail Carolyn Wenk:

Baptism: 22 Jun 1947, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

76 ii. Sharon Rae Wenk, born 20 Apr 1947 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Sharon Rae Wenk:

Baptism: 22 Jun 1947, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

77 iii. ? Wenk. 78 iv. ? Wenk. 79 v. ? Wenk.

30. Edgar Elmer⁵ Wenk (Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 18 Sep 1908 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 09 Oct 1980 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Selma Clara Jedele** 31 May 1934 in Elkhart, Elkhart Co, Indiana, daughter of Jakob Jedele and Klara Schneider. She was born 17 Oct 1913 in Lodi Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 24 Mar 2015 in Tecumseh, Lenawee Co, Michigan.

More About Edgar Elmer Wenk:

Burial: Oct 1980, Salem Church Cemetery on Scio-Church Road; Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan - row 17 monument 17 lot 32

Census: 06 Apr 1940, section 1 Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-33 SD 2 sheet 2b Occupation: Bet. 1930 - 1940, machine operator spring factory Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation 2: Bef. 1974, Associated Spring; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan retired 1974 Religion: Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion 2: served on church council Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 8536 W. Waters Road; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 370-03-0048

Notes for Selma Clara Jedele:

Selma C. Wenk of Ann Arbor, Michigan, age 101, passed away on Tuesday, March 24, 2015 at the Cambrian Assisted Living Facility in Tecumseh, Michigan. She was born October 17, 1913 in Ann Arbor, Michigan, the daughter of Emanuel and Emma (Schneider) Jedele. On May 31, 1934 she married Edgar E. Wenk and he preceded her in death on October 9, 1980. Selma loved to cook and bake and she especially loved pretzels. She had a special love for flowers and flower gardening and was often complimented for her beautiful gardens.

Survivors include their children Nancy (David) Zick, Richard (Bernice) Wenk, Carl Wenk, and David (Martha) Wenk. Other survivors include seven grandchildren, fourteen great-grandchildren, one great-great grandchild, and her brother and sister-in-law Bob and Marie Pratt of Manchester. She was preceded in death by six brothers and four sisters.

Funeral services will take place on Saturday, March 28, 2015 at 11:00 A.M. at the Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church in Ann Arbor, MI, with Pastor Michael Koepke officiating. Burial will take place following the service in the Salem Lutheran Church Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the Church, to Hospice of Lenawee, or to the Cambrian Assisted Living Facility of Tecumseh. Envelopes will be available at the church where friends may begin calling on Friday, March 27, 2015 between the hours of 2:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. and 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. and on Saturday, March 28, 2015 from 10:00 A.M. until the time of service at 11:00 A.M.

More About Edgar Wenk and Selma Jedele:

Marriage: 31 May 1934, Elkhart, Elkhart Co, Indiana

Children of Edgar Wenk and Selma Jedele are:

- + 80 i. Nancy Ann⁶ Wenk, born 28 Dec 1934 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 81 ii. Richard Edgar Wenk, born 03 Oct 1938 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 - 82 iii. Carl Wilbur Wenk, born 03 Oct 1942 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Carl Wilbur Wenk:

Baptism: 25 Oct 1942, Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan - sponsors: John & Selma Haab

Religion: Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

32. Herbert L.⁵ Wenk (Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 25 Jan 1912 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 14 Dec 1957 in Muskegon Co, Michigan. He married (1) Gladys Alice Welch 14 Nov 1933 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She was born 10 Jul 1918 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 28 Mar 1991 in Watertown, Sanilac Co, Michigan. He married (2) Doris Adeline Rogers 02 Dec 1939 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Floyd Rogers and Mary Huling. She was born 24 May 1915 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 05 Dec 1979 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Herbert L. Wenk:

Burial: 1957, Rowe's Corner Twp Cemetery Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: 1930, farm laborer Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Herbert Wenk and Gladys Welch: Marriage: 14 Nov 1933, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Herbert Wenk and Doris Rogers: Divorce: 17 Sep 1947, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage: 02 Dec 1939, Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Herbert Wenk and Gladys Welch is:

+ 84 i. Mary Ann⁶ Wenk, born 24 Feb 1934 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 31 Aug 2019 in Olathe, Johnson Co, Kaneas

Child of Herbert Wenk and Doris Rogers is:

- + 85 i. Kathleen Violet⁶ Wenk, born 10 Nov 1943 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 22 Jun 2018 in Gowen, Kent Co, Michigan.
- **33. Arthur Frederick**⁵ **Wenk** (Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 16 Feb 1914 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 26 Apr 2006 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Estella Louise Miller** 23 Sep 1939 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Walter Miller and Zella Marrell. She was born 10 Aug 1916 in Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan, and died 21 Dec 2005 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Arthur Frederick Wenk:

Wenk, Arthur Frederick, Ann Arbor, MI Age 92, passed away peacefully after a two-month illness. His beloved wife Estelle preceded him in death after 66 years of marriage. Loving father of Joanne (Kim) Latvala of Dexter, MI and Arthur W. of Maui, Hawaii. Dear brother of Marie (Bob) Pratt of Manchester and brother-in-law of Selma Wenk of Ann Arbor. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Arthur was an active member of the West Side United Methodist Church for many years. Upon graduating from Cleary College he went to work for Auto Parts Inc. in 1936 as Secretary-Treasurer until 1967 when he be came treasurer of A & L parts until his retirement in 1980. The family will receive friends Mon day from 11:00 until the time of service at 1 p.m., which will be held at the Muehlig Funeral Chapel, Ann Arbor, MI. Entombment to follow at Washtenong Memorial Park. Donations may be made to Arbor Hospice or the donor's choice.

More About Arthur Frederick Wenk:

Burial: Washtenong Memorial Park Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Funeral Home: Muehlig Funeral Chapel Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Graduation: Cleary College Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: Bet. 1936 - 1967, Auto Parts Co. Inc. Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation 2: Bet. 1967 - 1980, treasurer of A & L Parts Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion: West Side United Methodist Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1965, 1207 W. Madison; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Estella Louise Miller:

Burial: Muehlig Funeral Chapel Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 370-03-5813

More About Arthur Wenk and Estella Miller:

Marriage: 23 Sep 1939, Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Arthur Wenk and Estella Miller are:

i. Arthur W.⁶ Wenk, born Aft. 1939.

More About Arthur W. Wenk: Residence: Maui, Hawaii

87 ii. Joanne Beverly Wenk, born 20 Apr 1947. She married (1) ? Mills. She married (2) Kim Alan Latvala 21 Dec 1974 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born 18 Mar 1952.

More About Kim Alan Latvala:

Residence: 1993, 6060 Vreeland Road; Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 2: Dexter, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Kim Latvala and Joanne Wenk: Marriage: 21 Dec 1974, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

34. Marie Katherine⁵ Wenk (Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 29 Jul 1917 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 22 May 2019 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Robert Allen Pratt** 23 Nov 1939 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of John Pratt and Gertrude Greve. He was born 26 Nov 1916 in North Lake, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 15 Sep 2018 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Marie Katherine Wenk:

Marie Katherine Pratt, Age 101, passed away May 22, 2019. She was born on July 29, 1917, in Chelsea, Michigan to Joseph and Olga (Kaercher) Wenk. Marie married the love of her life, Robert Pratt, on November 23, 1939 at Sharon United Methodist Church in Manchester where they have been lifelong members. Marie enjoyed playing the organ at church for many years as well as providing alter flowers that were grown in their garden. She will be missed by all who knew and loved her.

Marie will be missed by her children Rex Pratt, Robert (Rose) Pratt and Susan Pratt, daughter in-law Conni Pratt, five grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband Robert, son Roy and granddaughter Amy.

Marie's family and friends will gather on Saturday, May 25, 2019 from 9:00 am until the time of her Farewell at Sharon United Methodist Church, 19980 W. Pleasant Lake Rd., Manchester, MI at noon. Rev. Pete Harris will be officiating with burial following at Rowes Corner Cemetery. Memorial contributions are suggested to Sharon United Methodist Church.

Notes for Robert Allen Pratt:

Robert Pratt, age 101, passed away peacefully at his home on September 15, 2018. Robert was born on November 26, 1916 to John and Gertrude Pratt in Whitmore Lake, Michigan. He graduated from Manchester High School in 1935. He married his beloved wife of 78 years, Marie (Wenk) on November 23, 1939 at Sharon United Methodist Church where they have been lifelong church members. Robert retired from Ford Motor Company, where he worked as a supervisor, after 35 years of service. He enjoyed gardening and woodworking in his leisure time. He will be remembered as a sincere, reliable and faithful Christian.

Robert is survived by his wife Marie, his sons; Rex Pratt and Bobby (Rose) Pratt, his daughter; Susan Pratt, 4 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. Robert was preceded in death by his son, Roy Joseph Pratt, and granddaughter, Amy Pratt.

Robert's family and friends will gather on Tuesday, September 18, 2018 from 10AM until the time of

his Community Farewell at 12 Noon at Sharon United Methodist Church, 19980 W. Pleasant Lake Rd., Manchester, MI with Pastor Peter Harris as celebrant. Burial will follow at Sharon United Methodist Cemetery. Memorial Contributions are suggested to Sharon United Methodist Church.

More About Robert Allen Pratt:

Residence: Bet. 1977 - 1997, 313 Wolverine Street; Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Notes for Marie Wenk and Robert Pratt:

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Pratt of Manchester will celebrate their 75th wedding Anniversary this November with family and friends. They were married November 23, 1939 at the Sharon United Methodist Church where they are still members. Mrs. Pratt was the organist for 32 years and still plays the piano occasionally. Mr. Pratt has been retired from Ford Motor Company for 42 years. He likes his garden and woodworking. Their children include Roy (Connie), Bobby (Rose), Rex, and Susan. They have 4 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. Robert will also be celebrating his 100th birthday on November 26th.

More About Robert Pratt and Marie Wenk:

Marriage: 23 Nov 1939, Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Marie Wenk and Robert Pratt are:

- + 88 i. Rex John⁶ Pratt, born 04 Apr 1941.
- + 89 ii. Roy Joseph Pratt, born 04 Apr 1941 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 09 Mar 2018 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 - 90 iii. Robert Steven (Bobby) Pratt, born 11 May 1951 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married Rose Marie Russell 11 May 2005 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born 23 Sep 1949.

More About Robert Pratt and Rose Russell: Marriage: 11 May 2005, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

- + 91 iv. Susan Marie Pratt, born 01 Nov 1952.
- **36.** Erwin Martin (Irv)⁵ Wenk (Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 13 Aug 1910 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 19 Oct 1982 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Dorothy Irene Pritchard** 11 Nov 1939 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of William Pritchard and Nelle Winters. She was born 15 Apr 1918 in Sylvan Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 03 Sep 2010 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Erwin Martin (Irv) Wenk:

ERWIN WENK(8/13/1910 - 10/19/1982) was a soft-spoken but funny man with a mischievous sense of humor, whose roots were still very German—despite being a third-generation American, he spoke with a thick German accent (the Wenk's still spoke German together in private, and Zion had a church service in German once per month).

But Erwin was sickly as a child. He had a heart murmer, and once overheard his mother whispering to some one that she didn't expect him to live long enough to reach adulthood. Her words would haunt him for the rest of his life...which fortunately turned out to be a long one, because despite a weak heart, Erwin Wenk was a very strong, determined man.

He loved all things mechanical, and was an expert at engines, appliances, and anything that took engineering talent. This fit in nicely with his father's threshing business, where Martin needed someone to repair and maintain the machinery.

The Wenk brothers' threshing business worked all over Washtenaw County. One of their threshing clients, the Pritchard's, would soon figure very prominently in our line of the Wenk family. In 1915, the Pritchard family had moved from Illinois to Michigan and purchased the Updike farm in Sylvan. Three years later, DOROTHY IRENE PRITCHARD was born. She grew into a bright, happy young girl, and when she was eight years old, the Wenk thresher crew arrived to work on her father's farm. Dorothy was instantly smitten with Martin's handsome teenage son, Erwin, who was working on the crew. Still, she was eight years younger than Erwin, so when the two first met, Erwin didn't take much notice of her except to

ask for food and drink (his brother Ernie, shy when he was young, never even looked up from his plate)... But Erwin would take notice of her, soon enough.

In fact, on November 11, 1939, Erwin married Dorothy Pritchard. Outside of being raised on farms, Erwin and Dorothy had little in common. He still spoke in the German language with his brothers that his father had taught them, while her family was immigrated from Wales and spoke only English. He lived in a male-dominated family with several brothers, while she had only one sibling—a sister, Helen. Erwin's father was a farmer with a threshing business and a sawmill, while her father owned a farm but went into politics and became a justice of the peace, and even dabbled in photography. The Wenk's were a close-knit family who kept mainly to themselves and their work, while the Pritchard's attended literary societies back in Illinois and loved to participate in the community.

But maybe the differences in their families and their upbringing made for a richer relationship. Their romance was deep and special from the start. Every moment they spent together was chronicled and photographed. Mementos fill their house in Chelsea, and have been handed down and cherished by the succeeding generations.

Dorothy remembers: "When I was first married we lived at the Wenk Homestead. The layout of the house began with the kitchen. Above the kitchen was an attic-type storage place that could have been finished off into a room but never was. The kitchen had a wood range, and a tank off the range that heated the rainwater from the cistern in the tank. It also had an electric refrigerator; nice cupboards, counters, a table and chairs were to the right as you came into the door. A sink had running hot and cold water across from the stove. Most houses had cisterns back then. That's a big hole dug in the ground, usually bricked up, you had eves from the roof that filled the cistern. If there were too much rain you had to shut off the spouts so your basement wouldn't flood. Everyone had cistern pumps. Little hand pumps. That's how you got the water up into the house."

"The Wenk homestead had an electric pump to bring up the cistern water. This was used for washing and cleaning. You had an outside well for drinking. They might have had drinking water inside via pump. There was a bathroom upstairs with a tub with running hot and cold water and a drain, no sink or no stool. Off the kitchen was a sink where you washed and shaved. The toilet was an outhouse outside. In each bedroom was a chamber pot that could be used. Off the kitchen was the dining room. Off the dining room was a bedroom. After the dining room was the living rooms, the room closest to the road, which could be closed off with sliding doors. Off the living room was another bedroom. There was a closet between both bedrooms for both bedrooms. To go upstairs you would enter off the dining room, At the top of the stairs to the left were the bathroom and a bedroom to the right. Down the hall were two more bedrooms on the left. Through the one bedroom you entered into the attic that was above the kitchen. There was a small third floor you entered via stairway in which you stored stuff. There was a window and you could look out. The basement had a cistern pump and we did our laundry down there. The furnace was down there. There was a separate room where you stored the vegetables, Potatoes, carrots, cabbage. Also there was storage of canned vegetables there. I only lived there for one year... Grandpa Wenk had a raspberry patch and strawberry patch we would all pick and start our own patches from. It was handier to have my own patch. We made apple butter. We had bees for honey and someone would use the apple peeler, and we would add spices, and apples. Paul Eisele and Ernie would get together and make it in a big iron kettle over an open fire outside. I made several pie crusts and apple pie. We had wolf river apple. We sat back and laughed as they were not the best. 'Take some without asking,' we would say. There was mincemeat with green apples. My mother used suet of some kind, used others used beef. Carrots, ate them fresh."

After Erwin and Dorothy moved out, the Wenk families stayed close. Dorothy remembers: "We had confirmations, christenings, graduations—we always got together. Edna Burkhardt was always entertaining. She was organizer of it, enjoyed it. All of us came. Ruby, Walter, Carl Norman, Arlene, we got together a lot. Christmas, and just ever so often. Not just for special occasions. Quite often we went to Burkhardt's. Edna had us more than anyone else did it seemed as I recall. We always helped out on food. She organized it and we would all come. We had our special foods we brought. The short time they had a cottage at North Lake we would go there. We did not do games, we just sat around and talked. When we did dishes the women were in the kitchen, but otherwise we were inside and outside in living, dining and other rooms. We took turns at Christmas in having the get togethers. Grandpa Wenk at Christmas gave each family a bag of nuts and the children got money."

The Wenk farm on Fletcher Road remains the home base and the touchstone for the ensuing

generations of the family. We've tried to visit there every year, even after Erwin died in 1982.

Whenever we visited we were always a little intimidated by Erwin. The harshness of his German accent made everything he said almost sound like an order, and it would take you a minute—until you saw the twinkle in his eyes—to realize he was actually just teasing you. His favorite target was my brother, Eric—then just called Ricky (pronounced by Grandpa as "R-R-R-R-eeeeeeckeeeeeeyyyyy").

More About Erwin Martin (Irv) Wenk:

Baptism: 26 Dec 1910, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: farmer

Occupation 2: Double A Products retired 1975

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 2495 S. Fletcher Road; Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 365-20-5974

Notes for Dorothy Irene Pritchard:

Dorothy I. Wenk died Friday, September 3, 2010 at Arbor Hospice in Ann Arbor. She was born April 15, 1918 to Wm. C. and Nelle Winters Pritchard in Sylvan Township on Pritchard Road (now Chrysler Proving Grounds). She married Erwin Wenk on November 11, 1939. They lived their married lives on their farm. She was an active member of Zion Lutheran church.

She is survived by sons, Donald E., Charles and Paul, daughters Marti (Carl) Hause, Irene (Jim) Poley, Jean (Tom) Winans. Also surviving are six grandchildren, six great grandchildren, sisters-in-law and brother-in-law Edna, Lorena and Norman Wenk and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, sister Helen and daughter in-law Lois.

The family will receive friends at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home on Wednesday from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. Funeral services will be held at 1:30 Thursday, September 9, 2010 at Zion Lutheran Church at Fletcher and Waters Road with Pastor Doris Sparks officiating. Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Historic Zion fund or Arbor Hospice.

More About Dorothy Irene Pritchard:

Residence: 1992, 2495 S. Fletcher Road; Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 366-50-9888

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More About Erwin Wenk and Dorothy Pritchard:

Marriage: 11 Nov 1939, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Erwin Wenk and Dorothy Pritchard are:

92 i. Donald Erwin⁶ Wenk, born 05 Aug 1944 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Donald Erwin Wenk:

Baptism: 24 Sep 1944, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

- + 93 ii. Irene Edith Wenk, born 04 Jan 1943 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 94 iii. Martha Ellen (Marti) Wenk, born 07 Oct 1940 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 - Charles Martin Wenk, born 17 Aug 1949 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married Lois Marie Bolton in S. Lake Tahoe; born 11 Feb 1952 in Paducah, Kentucky; died 21 Jan 2007 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Charles Martin Wenk:

Baptism: 02 Oct 1949, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Notes for Lois Marie Bolton:

Wenk, Lois Marie Chelsea, MI Age 54, died Sunday January 21, 2007 at Arbor Hospice Residence. She was born on February 11, 1952 in Paducah, Kentucky the daughter of Clifford and Geneva (Briney) Bolton. Lois has lived in the area most of her life and graduated from Chelsea High School in 1970. She worked for Chelsea Community Hospital for the past 17 years. Lois was a self taught Artist who delighted in painting meaningful images of interest for friends and family remembering her fondness of Lake Michigan's shoreline.

She married Charles M. Wenk in S. Lake Tahoe and had over 35 loving years together. In addition to her husband, she is survived by her mother of Chelsea; one sister Jennifer (Roland) Lubbinge of Elk Rapids;

numerous nieces and nephews; two cousins, Barbara Golbinec of Toledo, and Edward Bolton of Kentucky; her mother-in-law Dorothy Wenk of Chelsea; brother and sister-in-laws, Donald and Paul Wenk, Marty (Carl) Hause, and Jean (Tom) Winans, Irene (Jim) Poley and Her Dog Otto. Also surviving are many special and dear friends.

The family would like to give a special thank you to all of the Chelsea Hospital staff and Administration personnel; and the University of Michigan Cancer Center. She was preceded in death by her Father Clifford Bolton, and her father-in-law Erwin Wenk. Funeral services will be Wednesday, January 24, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. from the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home Chelsea with Pastor Doris Sparks officiating. Burial will follow at Zion Lutheran Church Cemetery. Expressions of sympathy can be made to Chelsea Community Hospital or University of Michigan Hospitals Cancer Center. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Tuesday from 1-4 and 6-8 p.m.

More About Charles Wenk and Lois Bolton:

Marriage: S. Lake Tahoe

96 v. Paul William Wenk, born 10 Nov 1951 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Paul William Wenk:

Baptism: 16 Dec 1961, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

97 vi. Jean Marie Wenk, born 24 Jul 1953 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married (1) Thomas Duane Winans 27 Apr 1985 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born 1954. She married (2) William Conger Smith 26 Aug 1978 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born Aft. 1946.

More About Jean Marie Wenk:

Baptism: 30 Aug 1953, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Thomas Winans and Jean Wenk: Marriage: 27 Apr 1985, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About William Smith and Jean Wenk: Marriage: 26 Aug 1978, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

37. Rubena Maritta⁵ Wenk (Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 10 Oct 1911 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 02 Oct 1987 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Walter Georg Loeffler** 30 Nov 1935 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of George Loeffler and Clara Haas. He was born 23 Nov 1909 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 27 Oct 1991 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Rubena Maritta Wenk:

Rubena Maritta Loeffler, 13180 Waters Rd., Chelsea, age 75, died Friday evening, Oct. 2, 1987 at her home. She was born in Lima Township, Washtenaw County on Oct. 10, 1911 the daughter of Martin and Martha (Greib) Wenk. In Freedom Township on Nov. 30, 1935 she married Walter G. Loeffler and he survives. Mrs. Loeffler was a life-long resident of the Chelsea area and was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, Rogers Corners, the Women of Zion and Home Extension Group, and for 11 years with her husband were the caretakers of St. Paul United Church of Christ.

Surviving, in addition to her husband, are her children, Norman Loeffler of Providence, Rhodes Island, Carl Loeffler of Chelsea and Arlene Bareis of Dexter; five grandchildren, Cheryl, Diane, Judy and David Bareis, and Eric Loeffler; two brothers, Ernest and Norman Wenk, both of Chelsea. She was preceded in death by a sister, Edna Burkhardt, and two brothers, Elmer and Erwin Wenk.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Oct. 6, at 1 p.m. from Zion Lutheran Church, Rogers Corners, with the Rev. Charles Arke, and the Rev. Erwin R. Koch officiating. Burial followed in Zion Cemetery. Expressions of sympathy may be made to Hospice of Washtenaw or Zion Lutheran Old Church Fund. Arrangements were by Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea.

More About Rubena Maritta Wenk:

Baptism: 19 Nov 1911, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Social Security Number: 382-58-4696

Notes for Walter Georg Loeffler:

Walter G. Loeffler of Chelsea (formerly from Freedom Township), age 82, died Sunday evening, Oct.

27, 1991 at Chelsea Community Hospital. He was born Nov. 23, 1909 in Freedom Township on the family centennial farm where he has lived all his life. Mr. Loeffler retired from Double A Products and for the past three years was employed at Great Lakes Bank in Ann Arbor. He was a member of Zion Lutheran Church and a former member of the Church Council for many years. On Nov. 30, 1935 he married Rubena Wenk and she preceded him in death on Oct. 2, 1987.

Surviving are two sons, Norman W. Loeffler of East Greenwich, Rhode Island, and Carl Loeffler of Chelsea; one daughter, Arlene Bareis of Dexter; five grandchildren, and one sister, Elsie Blumenauer of Manchester, and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday Oct. 30 at 11 a.m. from Zion Lutheran church with the Rev. Mark Weirauch, pastor of Zion Lutheran Church officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery, Freedom Township. Expressions of sympathy may be made to The Restoration of Old Zion Church Fund or the Building Fund of New Zion Church. Arrangements were by the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea.

More About Walter Georg Loeffler:

Baptism: 05 Dec 1909, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Census: 23 Apr 1940, section 5 Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-22 SD 2 sheet 9b

Occupation: 1940, farmer Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion: Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 13180 Waters Road; Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 379-38-2640

Marriage Notes for Rubena Wenk and Walter Loeffler:

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Loeffler of 13180 Waters Rd., will be observing their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, Nov. 30, 1985. Their children and grandchildren are holding open house at the Freedom Town Hall for the Loeffler's and their friends. The Loefflers have a daughter and two sons. Their children are Arlene and Richard Bareis of Chelsea-Dexter Rd., Pamela and Norman Loeffler of East Greenwich, Rhode Island and Carl Loeffler of Chelsea.

Grandchildren are Cheryl and Diane Bareis of Ann Arbor, David Bareis a student at Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, Judy Bareis at home, and Eric Loeffler of Rhode Island. The Walter Loefflers are lifelong members of Zion Lutheran Church of Roger Corners and Mrs. Loeffler is a member of the Women of Zion organization church. Mr. Loeffler has been active in farming all his life. He is also employed by O&W Inc., of Ann Arbor, and St. Paul Church. He has retired from Double A Products of Manchester.

More About Walter Loeffler and Rubena Wenk:

Marriage: 30 Nov 1935, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Rubena Wenk and Walter Loeffler are:

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- + 98 i. Arlene Rubena⁶ Loeffler, born 05 Aug 1936 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 99 ii. Norman Walter Loeffler, born 23 Apr 1941 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 - iii. Carl Robert Loeffler, born 01 Apr 1946 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 03 Dec 2001 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Carl Robert Loeffler:

Carl R. Loeffler of Chelsea, Michigan, age 55, died Monday evening December 3, 2001 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital. He was born April 1, 1946 in Saline, Michigan, the son of Walter G. and Rubena (Wenk) Loeffler. Carl had been a life long resident of Chelsea and graduated from Chelsea High School in 1964 and was employed at Dan Mar. He was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, Rogers Corners and had a great interest in the preservation of the Historic Zion Church. Carl was a member of the American Choral of Sacred Music and also enjoyed the out of doors, gardening and music.

Surviving are his sister Arlene R. (Richard G.) Bareis of Dexter, his brother Norman W. (Pamela) Loeffler of Rhode Island, nieces and nephews Judy Bareis, Eric Loeffler, Cheryl (Tom) Quinn, Diane Bareis and David Bareis. He was also survived by several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral services will be held Friday December 7 at 1:00 PM at Zion Lutheran Church, Rogers Corners, Chelsea with the Rev. David Hendricks and Rev. Dr. David Cleaver-Bartholomew officiating. Burial will be in Zion Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends Thurs. from 2-4 PM and 6-8 PM at the STAFFAN- MITCHELL FUNERAL HOME, 901 North Main St., Chelsea, and at the Church on Friday from 12:00 Noon until the hour of service. Expressions of sympathy may be made to Historic Zion Church Preservation Fund or the Music Dept. of

Zion Lutheran Church.

More About Carl Robert Loeffler:

Baptism: 28 Apr 1946, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Burial: 06 Dec 2001, Zion Church Cemetery at Rogers Corner Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Education: 1964, Chelsea High School Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Hospital at death: St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: employee Dan Mar Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church at Rogers Corner Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 375-48-2573

38. Edna Anna⁵ Wenk (Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 13 Apr 1913 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 06 Dec 1974 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married Carlton Paul Burkhardt 30 May 1941 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Charles Burkhardt and Agnes Beutler. He was born 22 Aug 1912 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 28 Dec 1968.

More About Edna Anna Wenk:

Baptism: 11 May 1913, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 370-03-7351

More About Carlton Paul Burkhardt:

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1967, 5969 Kothe Road; Manchester Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Carlton Burkhardt and Edna Wenk:

Marriage: 30 May 1941, Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Edna Wenk and Carlton Burkhardt are:

- + 101 i. Ronald Martin⁶ Burkhardt, born 23 May 1942 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 102 ii. Karen Ann Burkhardt, born 27 Dec 1944 in Tecumseh, Lenawee Co, Michgan; died 10 Jan 2011 in Mancelona, Antrim Co, Michigan.
- + 103 iii. Gary Paul Burkhardt, born 28 Jun 1949 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 27 Jun 2005 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- **39.** Ernst Wilhelm (Ernest William)⁵ Wenk (Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 11 Jun 1914 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 26 Jan 2006 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Edna Maria Horning** 07 Feb 1942 in Manchester Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Gottlieb Horning and Bertha Eschelbach. She was born 13 Dec 1917 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 03 Jan 2019 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Ernst Wilhelm (Ernest William) Wenk:

Wenk, Ernest William Chelsea, Michigan, age 91, passed away Thursday January 26, 2006 at the Chelsea Retirement Community. He was born on June 9, 1914 in Freedom Township. Ernest was a life member of Zion Lutheran Church, a former member of Lutheran Brotherhood of Zion and former church Council Member. He and his father owned and operated a sawmill which was just north of the family farm and enjoyed deer hunting trapping and fishing.

On February 7, 1942 he married Edna M. Horning and she survives, also surviving are two children, William (Marlene) Wenk of Denver, and Carolyn (Patrick) McNamara of Ann Arbor; one brother Norman (Lorena) Wenk of Chelsea; three grandchildren, Brian Wenk, and Ryan and Erin McNamara. Sisters and brothers in law, Dorothy Wenk of Chelsea, Margaret Horning of Manchester, and George and Marian Pickell of Chelsea. Also several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by one son, Kenneth Wenk, two brothers, Elmer and Erwin Wenk and two sisters, Rubena Loeffler and Edna Burkhardt.

Funeral services will be Tuesday January 31, 2006 at 11:00 AM. at Zion Lutheran Church, with Rev.

Doris C. Sparks officiating. Burial will follow at Zion Lutheran Church Cemetery. Expressions of sympathy can be made to Zion Lutheran Church. The family will receive friends at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea Mon day from 2-6 P.M. also Tuesday 10:00 AM at the church until the time of service.

More About Ernst Wilhelm (Ernest William) Wenk:

Baptism: 12 Jul 1914, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Burial: 31 Jan 2006, Zion Lutheran Church Cemetery Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Funeral Home: Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Hospital at death: Cheslea Retirement Community Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: owned & operated a sawmill

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 1967, 2833 S. Fletcher Road; Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 2: 330 Pierce Street; Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Notes for Edna Maria Horning:

Edna M. Wenk, of Chelsea, Michigan, age 101, passed away at the Chelsea Retirement Community on January 3, 2019. She was born in Freedom Twp., Michigan on December 13, 1917 the daughter of Gottleib and Bertha (Eschelbach) Horning. On February 7, 1942, she married Ernest W. Wenk, and he preceded her in death in 2006. Surviving are two children William (Marlene) Wenk of Denver, and Carolyn (Patrick) McNamara of Ann Arbor, four grandchildren, Brian Wenk, Ryan (Heidi) McNamara, Erin (Chris) Nesbitt, and Jennifer (David) Smith; three great-grandchildren, Evelyn Jaymes Nesbitt, Henry Smith, and Madelyne Smith. She was preceded in death by a son, Kenneth K. Wenk, in 1990.

Edna was a proud graduate of Chelsea High School. She was also a proud lifetime member of Zion Lutheran Church and faithfully served the church in many ways. She was a member of Women of Zion, a Sunday school teacher, and an organist for Historic Zion Church. She loved her faith and her family. She was homemaker, worked the farm, and raised chickens. She also collected dolls.

Funeral services will be held at Zion Lutheran Church, Chelsea on Monday, January 7, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. with Rev. Kathryn Tulman officiating. Burial will follow at Zion Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home on Sunday, January 6, 2019 from 2-6 p.m., as well as at the church on Monday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service. Expressions of sympathy may be made to Zion Lutheran Church or the Arbor Hospice Foundation.

More About Ernst Wenk and Edna Horning:

Marriage: 07 Feb 1942, Manchester Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Ernst Wenk and Edna Horning are:

- + 104 i. Kenneth Karl⁶ Wenk, born 04 Mar 1944 in Tecumseh, Lenawee Co, Michigan; died 25 Feb 1990 in San Francisco, San Francisco Co, California.
 - William Ernest Wenk, born 21 Jun 1947 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married Marlene Ann Knatt; born 1947.

More About William Ernest Wenk:

Baptism: 27 Jul 1947, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Graduation: Bachelor of Science in Landscape Architecture from Michigan State University Lansing, Ingham Co, Michigan

Graduation 2: Master of Landscape Architecture from the University of Oregon

Occupation: founder/president and principal of Wenk Associatges -Landscape Architecture & Planning firm

Denver, Colorado

Residence: Denver, Colorado

- + 106 iii. Carolyn Elaine Wenk, born 21 Jun 1950 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- **40. Norman Oscar⁵ Wenk** (Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 18 Jan 1918 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 30 Apr 2012 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Lorena Alma Hieber** 29 Aug 1942 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Robert Hieber and Ottillie Meyer. She was born 13 Nov 1921 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 22 Dec 2016 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Norman Oscar Wenk:

Norman O. Wenk of Chelsea, Michigan, age 94, died peacefully on Monday, April 30, 2012 at the Chelsea Retirement Community. He was born in Freedom Twp., Washtenaw Co., Michigan on January 18, 1918. Norm was baptized, confirmed, and served in numerous leadership and ministry positions at Zion Lutheran Church, Chelsea. Norm married Lorena Hieber on August 29, 1942 and she survives. He was a WWII veteran who served as a NCO and Lieutenant in the Army in Europe. Afterwards, he became owner/operator of City Body Shop in Ypsilanti. Norm was a quiet man who loved life and his family.

He and Lorena had five children: Barbara (David) Pruess, Marilyn Hinderer, Anita (Jack) Himes, Dan (Barbara) Wenk, and Rob (Kim) Wenk, and also 11 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Norm loved hunting, fishing, family gatherings, gardening, restoring tractors and furniture, and was an avid collector. Volunteer work with Kiwanis and Lutheran Brotherhood/Thrivent were the focus of his service to others.

Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2012 at 4:00 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church, Chelsea with Rev. Jack Himes officiating. Burial will follow at the church cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home on Friday from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Zion Lutheran Church Memorial Fund or the Arbor Hospice Foundation.

Norman Wenk was born on January 18th, 1918, in Freedom Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, the youngest of six children. He graduated from Chelsea High in 1935, where he played baseball and football.

Norman married Lorena Hieber Aug 29, 1942. Lorena was born Nov 13, 1920 in Freedom Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan. Lorena graduated Saline High in 1938.

Norman graduated Cleary College in Ypsilanti in 1937 and entered the U.S. Army February of 1942. He was sent to Camp Wallace, Texas for basic training, then to Ft. Crockett in the Coast Artillary at Galveston Texas. Lorena joined him in November 1942 and lived there till 1944 then he moved to Fort Jackson, South Carolina in the field artillery and served through 1946.

We lived on Devine Street with a couple that rented out rooms. We joined Gilbert and Gene Brown in sharing an apartment. (Norm had met Gene at Fort Jackson). Coming home February, 1946. To this marriage were born 5 children while living at 2681 Fletcher Road in Chelsea, Michigan.

Norman and Lorena enjoyed living in the home that Norm was born in—having been destroyed by a tornado in June 1917, but rebuilt when Norm was born the following January. Norman and Lorena managed to put all five children through college—once having three in college at the same time.

They lived at 2681 Fletcher Road, Chelsea, most of their married life, keeping a beautiful yard and huge vegetable and flower garden. Norm enjoyed his lawn, flowers, garden with all varieties of fruit trees, berries etc. He enjoyed making home made grape wine—he had 6-8 antique tractors and some of these the fellows (Dan and David) would use for tractor pulling contests at Chelsea Fairs. He became an avid beer can collector and collected everything connected with beer. He had basement walls covered with shelves of beer cans & beer paraphernalia. Norman and Lorena enjoyed going to the beer can conventions in various states—meeting many people with his same interests and we still see a few members of the Stroh Chapter of which he is a honorary member.

Norm co-owned City Body Shop in Depot Town in Ypsilanti, Michigan until retirement. Lorena was a stay at home mom, until later working for Food Services in the Chelsea School District until retirement. They are life-long, active members of Zion Lutheran Church in Rogers Corners.

They had special parties for our 25th, 40th and 50th wedding anniversaries. On our 60th we treated the family at Frankenmuth—famous for its chicken dinners—with our names on the billboard the day after our grandson Jeff was married.

Norm and Lorena visited Anita and Jack in nearly every station he was assigned to—even Belgium—then toured the nearby areas, Germany, Italy, and Holland during a wonderful time of the year—tulip time. One enjoyable trip was to Twenty Nine Palms California, on the edge of the desert—HOT! Other trips were to Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Hawaii, Florida visiting friends. We also visited other family members at their homes for vacations and the holidays.

Other enjoyable trips were a trip to Germany with friends from Church—Manzels, Hinderers, sponsored by Farm Bureau. We met one couple (Don Visasa and Kelly Sperles) from Wisconsin in Germany and are still keeping in touch with each other.

We were co-owners with Alton and Margaret Horning, Ernie and Edna Wenk, Mutz and Gerry Brueckner of a hunting cabin, The RC Roost, near Hubbard Lake Michigan. Many great weekends and vacations were spent there with our family, as they loved the woods with their friends and ours. Norm went deer hunting almost every year since our marriage until recently. He got several deer—no big trophies! We always planted Rye in August for the deer. Was always a special time when we had a gang of pals 12-14 at times enjoyed Huber Seynia, Mutz's friends to snow mobile in the winger. One year Mutz broke his hip while moving goods up the driveway and slipped off the snow mobile.

"Our age was telling us to get rid of some of the "clutter" and down size, so we got ready for an auction in 1997. It took months to prepare, as we were both "junkers", even selling off Norman's beer can collection—and finally moved in September of 1997 to our condo in Chelsea, at 107 Willow in the Pierce Lake Condos.

Now Norm collects Wades of England characters and Lorena enjoys crafts, stamp collecting, sewing-doing alterations and doing not much of anything. Every job looks like a mountain!!!

"Visited our children living in different areas. Rob in McClean, Virginia, Dan in Rapid City, South Dakota. Anita in Virginia Beach, Virginia, Marilyn in Caro Michigan B.J. stayed in Chelsea.

"Norm had a stroke July of 2003 and recovered without too many complications. Lorena had a severe Shingles bout fall of 2004 then a stroke 23rd of Dec 2004 Month after returning home from Rehab—So thankful for wonderful kids, coming each time to stay with us—looking after their Dad and me.

More About Norman Oscar Wenk:

Baptism: 10 Feb 1918, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Medical Information: 1942 height 5'-7" & weight 152 pounds

Military service: 16 Mar 1942, enlistment Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1993, 2681 S. Fletcher Road; Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 2: 1999, 107 Willow Court; Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Notes for Lorena Alma Hieber:

Lorena A. Wenk, of Chelsea, Michigan, age 96, passed away on Thursday, December 22, 2016, at the Chelsea Retirement Community. Lorena was born on November 13, 1920, in Freedom Township, Michigan, to Ottillie Meyer Hieber and Robert Hieber. She had two brothers, Elton and Erwin Hieber. On August 29, 1942, Lorena was married to Norman O. Wenk at Bethel Church in Manchester, Michigan. Living in the Chelsea area they had five children: Barbara (David) Pruess of Venice, Florida, Marilyn (Donald) Hinderer of Caro, Michigan, Anita (Jack) Himes of Las Cruces, New Mexico, Daniel (Barbara) Wenk of Yellowstone National Park, Wyoming, and Robert (Kimberly) Wenk of McLean, Virginia, 11 grandchildren, and 12 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Norm, her brothers, and son-in-law Donald.

Lorena was a talented homemaker, cooking from the garden, freezing and canning for the winter. She took extreme pleasure in making pretzels and other German specialties. The gardens were also filled with flowers which she loved. She sewed all her life, even making her daughters' wedding dresses. She made counted cross stitch samplers for important events in the lives of her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. Until recently she still sewed and did alterations for fellow CRC residents.

Lorena was a founding member of the Rodgers Corners Extension group. As a member of Zion Lutheran Church, she served on numerous committees within the church. She also worked for Chelsea Schools in the cafeteria. She was a collector of coins, stamps, and antiques. She was an avid card player who especially enjoyed playing euchre. She really enjoyed traveling with Norm throughout the USA and Europe, visiting friends and family.

A Funeral Service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, January 7, 2017 at Zion Lutheran Church, Chelsea. The family will receive friends at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea, on Friday, January 6, from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m., and at the church on Saturday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service. Memorial contributions may be made to Zion Lutheran Church or Arbor Hospice.

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Marriage Notes for Norman Wenk and Lorena Hieber:

Norman and Lorena Wenk celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at the Rod and Gun Club in Chelsea on Sunday, Aug. 23, 1992. The event was hosted by their children and grandchildren. They were married Aug. 29, 1942 at Bethel United Church-of-Christ in Freedom Township by the late Rev. Walter Baumann. They have five children: Barbara and husband David Pruess of Chelsea, Marilyn and husband Donald Hinderer of Caro, Anita and husband Marine Col. John Himes of Attre, Belgium, Daniel Wenk and wife Barbara of Rapid City, South Dakota, and Robert Wenk and wife Kim of McLean, Virginia. The Wenks are retired and enjoy their nine grandchildren, traveling, playing cards, and gardening. Collecting breweriano is a favorite hobby of Norm's and Lorena enjoys sewing and crafts.

More About Norman Wenk and Lorena Hieber:

Marriage: 29 Aug 1942, Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Norman Wenk and Lorena Hieber are:

- + 107 i. Barbara Jean⁶ Wenk, born 17 Aug 1945 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 108 ii. Marilyn Lorena Wenk, born 24 Aug 1947 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 12 Nov 1996.
- + 109 iii. Anita Marie Wenk, born 24 Nov 1949 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 110 iv. Daniel Norman Wenk, born 23 Apr 1952 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 111 v. Robert Martin Wenk, born 10 Sep 1958 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

41. Elsa Esther⁵ Goetz (Louise Barbara (Lizzie)⁴ Wenk, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 18 Aug 1899 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 16 Apr 1993 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Louis Carl Hackbarth** 31 Dec 1924 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Carl Hackbarth and Matilda? He was born 22 Nov 1891 in Oerham, Ottor Tail Co, Minnesota, and died 27 Dec 1964 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Elsa Esther Goetz:

Elsa G. Hackbarth of Ann Arbor, age 93, died Friday, April 16, 1993 at the Saline Evangelical Home. She was born Aug. 18, 1899 in Lima Township, the daughter of Otto W. and Louise B. (Wenk) Goetz. Mrs. Hackbarth had been a life-long Washtenaw County resident. On Dec. 30,1924, she married Louis C. Hackbarth, and he preceded her in death on Dec. 27, 1964. Mrs. Hackbarth was a graduate of Chelsea High School and had attended Cleary Business College. She was employed as a secretaryby the late Circuit Judge George W. Sample for 25 years, and was Deputy County Clerk under Luella M. Smith for 17 years, retiring in March 1964. Mrs. Hackbarth was a member of Bethlehem United Church of Christ, Senior Citizens Guild, and Harmony Lodge No. 480 of Dexter.

Survivors include two sisters, Edna Fricker of Tucson, Arizona, Margaret Hall of Flat Rock; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by one daughter, Nancy J. Volbrecht, and two sisters, Eva Goetz and Helen Beckman.

Funeral services were held 11 a.m., Monday, April 19 at the Muehlig Chapel, Ann Arbor, with the Rev. Dr. Orval L. E. Willimann officiating. Burial followed at Washtenong Memorial Park. Memorial tributes may be made to Center for Independent Living or Bethlehem Church.

More About Louis Carl Hackbarth:

Hospital at death: Veteran's Hospital Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation: 1920, plasterer mason Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 385-38-9643

More About Louis Hackbarth and Elsa Goetz:

Marriage: 31 Dec 1924, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Elsa Goetz and Louis Hackbarth is:

Nancy Jane⁶ Hackbarth, born 23 Sep 1928 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 14 Sep 1985. She married Louis J. Volbrecht 09 Sep 1950 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born 02 Nov 1914 in Durand, Shiawassee Co, Michigan; died 26 Sep 1970 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Louis Volbrecht and Nancy Hackbarth: Marriage: 09 Sep 1950, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

43. Helene Louise⁵ **Goetz** (Louise Barbara (Lizzie)⁴ Wenk, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 04 May 1904 in Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 19 Jun 1986 in Colleton, South Carolina. She married **Charles Alfred Beckman** 15 Jan 1927 in Pontiac, Oakland Co, Michigan, son of Frank Beckman and Belle Casner. He was born 17 Jul 1893 in Hnery Co, Ohio, and died 14 Apr 1969.

More About Charles Alfred Beckman:

Occupation: 1949, foreman New York Central System Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1949, 1660 Lexington; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Charles Beckman and Helene Goetz: Marriage: 15 Jan 1927, Pontiac, Oakland Co, Michigan

Child of Helene Goetz and Charles Beckman is:

 Leroy C.⁶ Beckman, born 01 Jul 1927 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 05 Apr 1999 in Houhgton Lake, Roscommon Co, Michigan. He married Ruth Adams 16 Dec 1950 in Indiana; born 02 Nov 1926 in St. Thomas, British Columbia, Canada; died 21 Apr 1997 in Houhgton Lake, Roscommon Co, Michigan.

More About Leroy Beckman and Ruth Adams: Marriage: 16 Dec 1950, Indiana

44. Etna Maria (Edna)⁵ Goetz (Louise Barbara (Lizzie)⁴ Wenk, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 04 Aug 1907 in Saline Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 18 Jan 2003 in Tucson, Pima Co, Arizona. She married (1) Merle Avery Lohman 07 Nov 1927 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Carl Lohman and Sarah Smith. He was born 03 Jun 1906 in Lansing, Ingham Co, Michigan, and died 25 Mar 1978 in Tucson, Pima Co, Arizona. She married (2) Albert C. Fricker 18 Nov 1978. He was born 28 Jul 1902 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co, Ohio, and died 07 May 1990.

More About Merle Avery Lohman:

Residence: Tuscon, Arizona

More About Merle Lohman and Etna Goetz:

Marriage: 07 Nov 1927, Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Albert Fricker and Etna Goetz:

Marriage: 18 Nov 1978

Children of Etna Goetz and Merle Lohman are:

+ 114 i. Barbara⁶ Lohman, born 18 Dec 1928.

115 ii. ? Lohman, born Aft. 1927.

45. Margaret Ruth⁵ **Goetz** (Louise Barbara (Lizzie)⁴ Wenk, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 16 Nov 1915 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 25 Apr 1995 in Flat Rock, Wayne Co, Michigan. She married **Frederick George Hall** 21 Sep 1940 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born 21 Sep 1917 in Cass City, Michigan, and died 02 Jul 2002 in Michigan.

More About Frederick George Hall: Residence: Flat Rock, Michigan

More About Frederick Hall and Margaret Goetz:

Marriage: 21 Sep 1940, Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Margaret Goetz and Frederick Hall are:

- + 116 i. Patricia⁶ Hall, born 1944 in Michigan.
- + 117 ii. Michael Hall, born 1948 in Michigan.
- **46.** Roland Friedrich⁵ Wenk (Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 28 Jul 1899 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 16 Oct 1939. He married **Eleanor Klara Eisemann** 21 Feb 1928 in Cheslea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Johann Eisemann and Bertha Meyer. She was born 28 Oct 1905 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 09 Feb 1985 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Roland Friedrich Wenk:

Burial: Oct 1939, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Census: 02 Apr 1930, Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-24 SD 14 sheet 1a

Medical Information: 1918 eyes blue & hair brown

Military service: 12 Sep 1918, draft registration Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: 1918, farmer Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1930, truck driver gas & oil company Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 3: Federal Screw Works

Notes for Eleanor Klara Eisemann:

Elnora Clara Wenk, 79, of 202 Lincoln St., died Saturday, Feb. 9, 1985 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Aim Arbor following a short illness. She was born Oct. 28, 1905, in Chelsea, the daughter of Godfrey and Bertha (Meyer) Eiseman, and was married to Roland Wenk on Feb. 21, 1928. Elnora was a charter member of the Covenant Church in Chelsea, and was retired from Inderal Screw Works. She was preceded in death by son Lyle and a brother, Arthur Eiseman.

Surviving are her son, and daughter-in-law, Gerald and Dixie Lee Wenk of Chelsea; a daughter-in-law, Shirley Wenk of Illinois; a brother, Alvin Eiseman of Ann Arbor; a sister, Milda Koebbe of Manchester; four grandchildren, Sarah Jane, Tom, and Kevin Wenk and Elizabeth Lee Hardy; two greatgrandchildren, Jennifer and Matthew Hardy; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Feb. 12 at Cole-Burghardt Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Roman Reineck officiating. Burial has taken place at Oak Grove Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Covenant Church in Chelsea.

More About Eleanor Klara Eisemann:

Burial: Feb 1985, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion: Covent Church Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 202 Lincoln; Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 372-14-0739

More About Roland Wenk and Eleanor Eisemann:

Marriage: 21 Feb 1928, Cheslea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Roland Wenk and Eleanor Eisemann are:

+ 118 i. Gerald Roland (Jerry)⁶ Wenk, born 25 Aug 1931 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 04 Jun 2017 in Jackson, Jackson Co, Michigan.

+ 119 ii. Lyle Fredrick Wenk, born 03 Apr 1937 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 16 May 1977 in Hanover Park,

47. Lorenz Wilhelm⁵ Wenk (Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 16 Aug 1900 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 05 Jul 1989 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Ruth Marie Grau** 22 Feb 1930 in Toledo, Lucas Co, Ohio, daughter of Johannes Grau and Emma Meyer. She was born 29 Feb 1904 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 23 Oct 1984 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Lorenz Wilhelm Wenk:

Lorenz William Wenk, 245 Jefferson St., Chelsea, age 88, died Wednesday, July 5, 1989 at Glacier Hills in Ann Arbor. He was born Aug. 16, 1900 in Lima Township, the son of Frederick William and Emma D. (Staebler) Wenk. On Feb. 22, 1930 he married Ruth M. Grau in Toledo, Ohio, and she preceded him in death on Oct. 23, 1984. He was a member of Zion Lutheran church, Rogers Comers, and the Chelsea Senior Citizens. He retired from Associated Spring of Ann Arbor.

Survivors include two sons, Edward and Frederick, both of Ann Arbor; one daughter, Alice Ann McCallum of Pine Bluff, Arkansas; one sister, Hilda M. Pierce of Dexter; six grandchildren; one great-grandson; several nieces and nephews, He was preceded in death by three brothers and two sisters.

Funeral services were held Friday, July 7,1 p.m. at the Cole-Burghardt Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Mark Weirauch officiating. Burial followed at Oak Grove Cemetery, Chelsea. Memorial Contributions may be made to Zion Lutheran Church, Rogers Corners.

More About Lorenz Wilhelm Wenk:

Burial: Jul 1989, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Medical Information: 1918 medium height & build, eyes blue & hair black

Military service: 12 Sep 1918, draft registration Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation: 1918, farmer for Fred F. Stabler Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 245 Jefferson Street; Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 370-03-0060

More About Ruth Marie Grau:

Burial: Oct 1984, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 366-01-7080

More About Lorenz Wenk and Ruth Grau:

Marriage: 22 Feb 1930, Toledo, Lucas Co, Ohio

Children of Lorenz Wenk and Ruth Grau are:

120 i. Alice Ann⁶ Wenk, born 19 Mar 1937 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 121 ii. Lorenz Edward Wenk, born 17 Mar 1939 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Mich

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More About Lorenz Edward Wenk:

Baptism: 21 Apr 1939, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Lorenz Wenk and Edith Palmer: Marriage: 05 Sep 1964, Washtenaw Co, Michigan 122 iii. Frederick William Wenk, born 04 Aug 1940 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Frederick William Wenk:

Baptism: 08 Aug 1940, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

48. Hilda Maria⁵ Wenk (Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 11 Jan 1902 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 14 Apr 2004 in Dexter, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Elmer Weinberg Pierce** 04 Oct 1926 in Toledo, Lucas Co, Ohio, son of Sherman Pierce and Effa Weinberg. He was born 26 Mar 1900 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 30 Jun 1950.

Notes for Hilda Maria Wenk:

Hilda M. Pierce, 102, died April 14, 2004, at the Chelsea Retirement Community. She was born Jan. 11, 1902, in Lima Township the daughter of Frederick and Emma (Staebler) Wenk. Mrs. Pierce had lived in the Chelsea area all her life. She was a member of St. Paul United Church of Christ and served as the Lima Township treasurer for 24 years. She also volunteered with Chelsea Senior Citizens.

She married Elmer W. Pierce Oct. 4, 1926, in Toledo, Ohio, and he preceded her in death June 30, 1952

Survivors include one son, Donald F. (Donna) Pierce of Chelsea; one daughter, Joan Kipfmiller of Chelsea; six grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; many nieces and nephews; and dear friends Kathy Zeigler and Emily Meuleman. She was preceded in death by her son-in-law, Edward Kipfmiller, in 1957, and six brothers and sisters.

A funeral was held Monday at St. Paul United Church of Christ in Chelsea. The Rev. Karen Schulte officiated. Burial followed at Oak Grove Cemetery in Chelsea. The family received friends Sunday at Cole Funeral Chapel and at the church Monday. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul United Church of Christ or the Chelsea Senior Citizens.

More About Hilda Maria Wenk:

Social Security Number: 383-34-4487

More About Elmer Weinberg Pierce:

Census: 1930, Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Census 2: 19 Apr 1940, 524 Lima Center Road; Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-35 SD 2

sheet 8a

Occupation: 1940, farm laborer Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Elmer Pierce and Hilda Wenk: Marriage: 04 Oct 1926, Toledo, Lucas Co, Ohio

Children of Hilda Wenk and Elmer Pierce are:

- + 123 i. Joan Eunice⁶ Pierce, born 05 Jan 1928 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 21 Aug 2008 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co, Michigan.
 - ii. Donald F. Pierce, born 1937 in Michigan. He married Donna ?; born Aft. 1926.
- **50.** Leon Jacob⁵ Wenk (Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 10 Oct 1904 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 10 Oct 1982 in Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married (1) Virginia M. Barbour 22 Jun 1931 in Hancock, Houghton Co, Michigan, daughter of Glenn Barbour and Emma Koch. She was born 1911 in Hancock, Houghton Co, Michigan. He married (2) Ella L. Reiche 14 Dec 1968, daughter of Gust Reiche and Ida?. She was born 24 Mar 1899 in Delaware, Sanilac Co, Michigan, and died 25 Oct 1991 in Port Huron, St. Clair Co, Michigan.

More About Leon Jacob Wenk:

Burial: Oct 1982, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: 1930, commission agent gas & oil company Lima Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 2: 2220 S. 10th; St. Clair, Michigan

More About Leon Wenk and Virginia Barbour:

Marriage: 22 Jun 1931, Hancock, Houghton Co, Michigan

Notes for Ella L. Reiche:

St. Clair - Ella Weber Wenk, 92, died Friday, Oct. 25, 1991, in Marwood Manor. She was born March 24, 1899, in Sanilac County, Michigan. She married Edward Weber Nov. 4, 1919. He died May 14, 1961. She married Leon J. Wenk Dec. 14, 1968. He died Oct. 10, 1982.

She is survived by a son and daughter-in-law, Charles W. and Luella Weber of Allardt, Tennessee; grandchildren, Carol, Edward, Kathy and Sandra; 10 great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Betha Bagnall of Lexington; and her niece and guardian, Vera LaMarsh of Marysville.

Services are 10 a.m. Monday in the L. C. Friederichs and son Funeral Home in St. Clair. The Rev. Gerald Clark will officiate. Burial will be in Hillside Cemetery. Visiting is 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. today. Pallbearers are Joe Urdyela, Al Reiche, Hilbert Armstrong, Chuck Boulier, Erv Balhoff and Larry Brown. Memorials may be made to St. Peter's Lutheran Church.

More About Ella L. Reiche:

Burial: Oct 1991, Hillside Cemetery St. Clair, St. Clair Co, Michigan

Residence: St. Clair, Michigan

Social Security Number: 384-40-8745

More About Leon Wenk and Ella Reiche:

Marriage: 14 Dec 1968

Child of Leon Wenk and Virginia Barbour is:

+ 125 i. Patricia G.⁶ Wenk, born 1937.

53. Harold Joseph Heinrich⁵ Wenk (Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 26 Aug 1897 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 12 Apr 1957. He married **Eva M.?**. She was born 1902 in Michigan.

More About Harold Joseph Heinrich Wenk:

Medical Information: 1918 medium height, stout build, eyes blue & hair brown Military service: 12 Sep 1918, draft registration Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation: 1918, molder Elevell Trolley Company Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1918, 312 N. 4th Ave; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Harold Wenk and Eva? is:

i. Harold Joseph⁶ Wenk, Jr., born 1922; died 2004.

More About Harold Joseph Wenk, Jr.: Burial: 2004, Wright Cemetery Elwell, Gratiot Co, Michigan Military service: private US Army World War II

55. Karl Albert⁵ **Wenk** (Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 31 May 1908 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 27 Jul 1998 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Enid Lucile Spiegelberg** 25 Jun 1930 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Harvey Spiegelberg and Lula?. She was born 11 Dec 1908 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 05 Nov 1913 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Karl Albert Wenk:

Baptism: 29 Jun 1908, Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation: 1930, general metal worker machine specialty factory Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation 2: 1965, sales manager King-Seeley Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1965, 1205 Snyder; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 370-03-0914

Notes for Enid Lucile Spiegelberg:

Enid L. Wenk passed away peacefully at home in Ann Arbor on November 5, 2013, she was 104. She was born on December 11, 1908 to Harvey and Lula Speigelberg in Chelsea, Michigan. She is survived by her two grandsons, Ross Wenk of Minnesota and Earl (Kristine) Wenk of Ann Arbor, great grandchildren, Marcus and Allison and many wonderful friends who were like family. Enid was preceded in death by her husband Carl and her son Hugh.

Visitation for Enid will be held Tuesday, November 12th from 12:00-2:00 pm with the Funeral Service beginning at 2:00 pm at the Nie Family Funeral Homes, Liberty Road Chapel, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

More About Enid Lucile Spiegelberg:

Occupation: 1930, teacher public school Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Karl Wenk and Enid Spiegelberg:

Marriage: 25 Jun 1930, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Karl Wenk and Enid Spiegelberg is:

+ 127 i. Hugh Albert⁶ Wenk, born 07 Jul 1933 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 10 Jul 2007 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

56. Herbert Charles⁵ Wenk (Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 25 Aug 1923 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 30 Apr 2017. He married (1) Jacqueline P. Harner 13 Mar 1948, daughter of Paul Harner and Helen?. She was born 22 Oct 1924, and died 03 Aug 1965 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married (2) Eleanor L. Singler 24 Jun 1967 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She was born 1926.

More About Herbert Charles Wenk:

Baptism: 28 Sep 1923, Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Confirmation: 16 May 1937, Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Education: 1941, Ann Arbor Pioneer High School Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Military service: US Army corporal 32 months

Occupation: 1965, foreman Ford Motor Company Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation 2: tool & die maker Ford Motor Company Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1965, 112 Kenwood Ave; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Jacqueline P. Harner:

Burial: Aug 1965, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Education: Ann Arbor High Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Herbert Wenk and Jacqueline Harner:

Marriage: 13 Mar 1948

More About Herbert Wenk and Eleanor Singler: Marriage: 24 Jun 1967, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Herbert Wenk and Jacqueline Harner are:

i. Jennifer⁶ Wenk, born Aft. 1942.

- + 129 ii. Susan Ellen Wenk, born Aft. 1942.
- + 130 iii. Steven Allen Wenk, born Dec 1952.
- **57.** Corinne Ila⁵ Wenk (Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 1929 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Dr. Harold C. Schwartz** 15 Jun 1949 in Ann Arbor,

Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Harold Schwartz and Jane Nimmo. He was born 03 Apr 1925 in Butte, Montana, and died 19 Aug 2009 in Missoula, Montana.

Notes for Dr. Harold C. Schwartz:

MISSOULA - Harold Schwartz was born April 3, 1925, in Butte, to Harold and Jane Nimmo Schwartz, the first of three children. After graduating from Butte High School, he served in the Pacific with the 107th Seabees Battalion until 1946. He attended the University of Michigan, where he met and married Corinne Wenk of Ann Arbor, Michigan. He then earned his medical degree at the University of Colorado Medical School, doing his internship and pediatric residency in Denver. During these years two daughters were born, and the family then settled in Missoula, where two sons soon joined the family.

After practicing pediatrics for 20 years, he moved to Richland, Wash. and practiced occupational medicine at the Hanford Environmental Health Foundation. Upon retirement, he and Corinne returned to Missoula in 1998, spending summers at the family cabin on Flathead Lake. He loved to garden, ski, golf and travel, but he most enjoyed the time he spent with his family.

He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Corinne; children Jane Swartz (Doug), Carol White (Cal), both of Missoula, David (Alice) of Polson and Jon (Cathy) of Spokane; as well as four grandchildren, Katie Pieper, Ashlie Kalkofen, Jennifer and Eric Schwartz; three great-granddaughters; a sister, Carolyn Stebbins of Walla Walla, Washington; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his brother John Schwartz of Kalispell.

A memorial service will be held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 20, at First Presbyterian Church, followed by a reception in the fellowship hall. In lieu of flowers donation may be made to Missoula Food Bank or Presbyterian Church building fund or a charity of your choice.

More About Dr. Harold C. Schwartz: Residence: Missoula, Montana

More About Harold Schwartz and Corinne Wenk:

Marriage: 15 Jun 1949, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Corinne Wenk and Harold Schwartz are:

- i. Jane Ann⁶ Schwartz, born Aft. 1949.
- + 132 ii. Carol Lynn Schwartz, born 1955.
 - 133 iii. David Harold Schwartz, born Aft. 1950. He married Alice ?; born Aft. 1950.
 - iv. Jon Schwartz, born Aft. 1951. He married Cathy ?; born Aft. 1951.

58. Glenn Ellwyn (Bud)⁵ **Wenk** (Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 03 Feb 1933 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 15 May 1972 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Mary Lou (Cooky) Feldkamp** 14 May 1955, daughter of Reuben Feldkamp and Martha Wiedmann. She was born 23 Dec 1934 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 13 Jan 2022 in Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Glenn Ellwyn (Bud) Wenk:

Baptism: 05 Mar 1933, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Burial: May 1972, Forest Hill Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Confirmation: 11 May 1947, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation: 1965, salesman Boyers Automotive Supplies Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion: Bethlehem United Church of Christ Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1965, 2408 Haisley Drive; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Notes for Mary Lou (Cooky) Feldkamp:

Ypsilanti - Mary Lou Feldkamp Wenk (Cooky), 87, passed away peacefully at her home surrounded by family on Jan. 13, 2022. Mary Lou was born Dec. 23, 1934 in Ann Arbor and lived in the area her entire life. She started work at a very young age at the Collins Shop and later retired from the University of Michigan. After her husband passed away in 1972, she devoted her life to raising her two children. Mary Lou enjoyed traveling, attending University of Michigan football games, and spending time with

family and many lifelong friends.

Mary Lou was preceded in death by her parents, Reuben and Martha Feldkamp, husband, Glenn, son Kevin, sisters Clarice Bazzett, Eula Edds, and Joan Mason. She is survived by her daughter Amy Geltz (Kevin).

A memorial service will be held at a later date. In Lieu of flowers, the family is requesting donations to Bethlehem United Church of Christ in Ann Arbor or Arbor Hospice.

More About Mary Lou (Cooky) Feldkamp:

Religion: Bet. 1980 - 1998, Bethlehem United Church of Christ Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 2000, 2408 Haisley Drive; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Glenn Wenk and Mary Feldkamp:

Marriage: 14 May 1955

Children of Glenn Wenk and Mary Feldkamp are:

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i. William E.6 Wenk, born Aft. 1955.

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 Kevin Paul Wenk, born 21 Apr 1960 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 22 Sep 2015 in Auburn, King Co, Washington.

Notes for Kevin Paul Wenk:

Kevin Paul Wenk, 55, left us peacefully on September 22, 2015 at his home in Auburn, Washington. Kevin was born April 21, 1960. Kevin was a 1978 graduate of Pioneer High School in Ann Arbor and went on to receive a degree in Electrical Engineering from the University of Michigan in 1983. He worked for The Boeing Defense and Space Group in Washington. Shortly after starting his career at Boeing he connected with other young engineers that became lifelong friends that camped, played cards, skied, and enjoyed white-water rafting together. Kevin was interested in all things electronic and meticulously researched products. He was a dependable and loyal son, brother and friend, always available to help out, and enjoyed golf, camping, black coffee, visits back home to attend the Ann Arbor Art Fair and he was an avid Michigan sports fan.

Kevin was preceded in death by his father Glenn. Kevin is survived by his mother Mary Lou of Ann Arbor, sister Amy Geltz and brother-in-law Kevin Geltz of Ypsilanti, numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, and his Boeing family accumulated over 31 years of service to the Company.

Memorial Service is planned at Bethlehem United Church of Christ, 423 S. 4th Ave, Ann Arbor on October 21 at 2pm. In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the American Diabetes Association.

More About Kevin Paul Wenk: Baptism: 09 Oct 1960 Confirmation: 23 Mar 1975

137 iii. Amy Ellen Wenk, born 01 Feb 1966. She married Kevin Martin Geltz 02 Jan 1999 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born 14 Mar 1965.

> More About Amy Ellen Wenk: Baptism: 19 Jun 1966 Confirmation: 05 Apr 1981

More About Kevin Geltz and Amy Wenk: Marriage: 02 Jan 1999, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

62. Karen Lea⁵ Wenk (Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 27 Oct 1944 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 19 May 1998 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Larry T. Cooch** 18 Jul 1964 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born 15 Oct 1943, and died 27 Feb 1999.

More About Larry T. Cooch:

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 1967, 4325 Jackson Ave; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 385-40-1338

More About Larry Cooch and Karen Wenk: Marriage: 18 Jul 1964, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Karen Wenk and Larry Cooch are:

- + 138 i. Laurie Ann⁶ Cooch, born Aft. 1964.
 - ii. Paula Janice Cooch, born Aft. 1965. She married (1) Scott Allen Burke 05 Mar 1984 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born Aft. 1955. She married (2) Bradley Jon Handley 17 Aug 1989 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born Aft. 1955.

More About Scott Burke and Paula Cooch: Marriage: 05 Mar 1984, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Bradley Handley and Paula Cooch: Marriage: 17 Aug 1989, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

- 140 iii. Jeffery Scott Cooch, born 1970.
- iv. Beth Susanne Cooch, born 1973.
- **63.** Roger Albert⁵ Wenk (Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 27 Aug 1949, and died 18 Jun 2018 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Roger Albert Wenk:

Roger A. Wenk of Chelsea, Michigan age 68, passed away on June 18, 2018. He was born August 27, 1949, the son of Henry "Al" and Marian (Monje) Wenk. He graduated from Ann Arbor High School in 1967 and Michigan Tech in 1971. He was retired from Chelsea Proving Grounds.

He is survived by a daughter Brianne Webley, his grandchildren Starlite, Raine & Phoenix, a brother Richard (Jody) Wenk of Chelsea, Michigan; sister Corrine Schwartz of Missoula, Montana and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by brothers Donald of Chelsea, Michigan and Herbert of Tennessee and sisters Jeri Cooch and Karen Cooch of Ann Arbor.

A private gathering by the family is planned. Cremation arrangements are being made by Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea, Michigan.

Child of Roger Albert Wenk is:

- + 142 i. Brianne⁶ Wenk, born Aft. 1969.
- **64. Norman Jensen⁵ Wenk** (Edwin Otto⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 04 Feb 1905 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 29 Apr 1975 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Helen F. Lowry** 12 Jul 1930 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Earl Lowry and Clara Heller. She was born 16 Apr 1907 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 14 Nov 1984 in Flushing, Genesee Co, Michigan.

More About Norman Jensen Wenk:

Occupation: Aerospace Enginer at University of Michigan 20 years Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion 2: Holy Trinity Lutheran Flint, Michigan

Religion 3: King of Glory Lutheran Flushing, Michigan

Residence: 1965, rented 3600 Plymouth Road; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 2: 1967, 4490 Goss Road; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 370-03-0911

More About Helen F. Lowry:

Social Security Number: 375-14-8833

More About Norman Wenk and Helen Lowry:

Marriage: 12 Jul 1930, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Norman Wenk and Helen Lowry are:

+ 143 i. Dean Lowry⁶ Wenk, born 05 Aug 1932 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 26 Jun 2016 in Flushing, Genesee Co, Michigan.

 Carol L. Wenk, born Jul 1946 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married Paul Morgan Aft. 1957; born Aft. 1933.

Notes for Carol L. Wenk:

As remembered by Carol Wenk Morgan:

Aunt Ida lived on Olivia Street by then, only three blocks away. When Aunt Clara came to visit, I would ride my bike over there in the afternoons to visit with them. Uncle Emil was also living there since his wife Sofia had died. Emil was blind and therefore unable to play cards with us, but we all enjoyed the card games. They were experts and I won only rarely. We played Hearts and Canasta mostly. Sometimes Euchre was the game of the day. Occasionally Grandpa would also play. The game usually ended before supper, and we never stayed to eat. (The family always joked about Ida's cooking. She made instant coffee with warm tap water. We always requested a certain cranberry gelatin at holiday meals cause that was good.) Both Clara and Ida were jolly. Eventually Clara stayed there full time as Ida suffered from Alzheimer's. When Ida passed away, Clara was thoughtful enough to invite me to take a couple of things to remember them by. Sadly, a lot of the things were destroyed as old junk. Ida had some grand old paper dolls and Valentines from her childhood that were either sold to a dealer or burned.

More About Paul Morgan: Residence: Flint, Michigan

More About Paul Morgan and Carol Wenk:

Marriage: Aft. 1957

66. Paul Herbert⁵ Wenk (Adolph Gustof⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 10 Jan 1913 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 01 Nov 1984 in Fowlerville, Livingston Co, Michigan. He married **Alma Elizabeth Kappler** 23 Jan 1938 in Angola, Steuben Co, Indiana, daughter of Michael Kappler and Rosina Reule. She was born 01 Apr 1916 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 09 Feb 2003 in Whitmore Lake, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Paul Herbert Wenk:

Baptism: 21 Sep 1913, Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Burial: 1984, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: 1930, pressman Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: Batallion Chief Ann Arbor Fire Department

Residence: 1955, 865 Starwick Drive; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence 2: 1967, 1818 Winsted Blvd; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 3: Pinckney, Livingston Co, Michigan Residence 4: Fowlerville, Livingston Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 370-03-6475

More About Alma Elizabeth Kappler: Social Security Number: 370-03-6586

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More About Paul Wenk and Alma Kappler:

Marriage: 23 Jan 1938, Angola, Steuben Co, Indiana

Children of Paul Wenk and Alma Kappler are:

+ 145 i. Nancy Lee⁶ Wenk, born 08 Nov 1944 in Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan.

 Eugene LeRoy Wenk, born 23 Jul 1945 in Indianapolis, Marion Co, Indiana; died 05 Oct 1971 in Boston, Suffolk Co, Massachusetts. He married Gretchen Horle 04 Oct 1969; born 09 Apr 1948.

More About Eugene LeRoy Wenk:

Burial: Oct 1971, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Graduation: Michigan State University Lansing, Ingham Co, Michigan

Occupation: New England Branch Manager for Guard Mark, Inc. Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1967, 339 Americana, Apt 4; Memphis, Tennessee

Residence 2: 1818 Winsted; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 3: Dearborn Heights, Wayne Co, Michigan

Residence 4: Jul 1971, 62 High Street; Newburyport, Massachusetts

More About Gretchen Horle:

Residence: 1993, 745 Balfour Street; Grosse Pointe Park, Wayne Co, Michigan

More About Eugene Wenk and Gretchen Horle:

Marriage: 04 Oct 1969

67. Robert Charles⁵ Wenk (Adolph Gustof⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 10 Oct 1914 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 23 Aug 2008 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Bernice Marie McClellan** 09 Dec 1939 in Reading, Michigan. She was born 02 Aug 1917, and died 16 Jun 2004 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Robert Charles Wenk:

Baptism: 07 Mar 1920, Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Occupation: 1965, glazier Feiner Glass & Paint Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: Bet. 1955 - 1968, rented 1701 S. Maple Road; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Bernice Marie McClellan: Social Security Number: 362-03-8221

More About Robert Wenk and Bernice McClellan:

Marriage: 09 Dec 1939, Reading, Michigan

Child of Robert Wenk and Bernice McClellan is:

+ 147 i. Karen Elaine⁶ Wenk, born 03 Feb 1943.

69. Merle Wendell⁵ Wenk (Adolph Gustof⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 18 Jun 1918 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 16 Aug 1993 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Alice Marletta Bell** 20 Jun 1939 in Oak Grove, Livingston Co, Michigan. She was born 13 Nov 1916 in Bryon, Shiawassee Co, Michigan, and died 04 Sep 2005 in Michigan.

More About Merle Wendell Wenk:

Baptism: 07 Mar 1920, Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Burial: Aug 1993, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Military service: US Army World War II

Occupation: 1940, bottle washer dairy Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1965, salesman Schlenker Hardware Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: Bet. 1955 - 1968, 544 5th Ave; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 377-12-2195

More About Merle Wenk and Alice Bell:

Marriage: 20 Jun 1939, Oak Grove, Livingston Co, Michigan

Children of Merle Wenk and Alice Bell are:

+ 148 i. William Richard⁶ Wenk, born 31 May 1950 in Howell, Livingston Co, Michigan; died 04 Oct 2005 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

ii. Sandra Wenk, born Aft. 1939. She married Donald Walker; born Aft. 1933.

More About Donald Walker:

Residence: 2005, Howell, Livingston Co, Michigan

iii. Dennis Wenk, born Aft. 1941. He married Virginia ?; born Aft. 1941.

More About Dennis Wenk:

Residence: 2005. Walworth. New York

iv. Gordon Wenk, born Aft. 1943. He married Karen ?; born Aft. 1993.

More About Gordon Wenk:

70. Adolph James⁵ Wenk (Adolph Gustof⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 28 Mar 1921 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 26 May 1988 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Josephine Bidwell Brown** 23 Sep 1949 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Kathleen?. She was born 29 Oct 1922 in Brighton, Livingston Co, Michigan, and died 09 Aug 2000 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Adolph James Wenk:

Burial: 31 May 1988, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Confirmation: 26 May 1935, Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Education: 1930, Ann Arbor Pioneer High School Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: 1940, deliverer newspaper Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1965, circulation manager University of Michigan of the "Michigan Alumnus" Ann Arbor,

Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1955, 1014 Rose; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 2: 1965, 1053 Pine Tree Drive; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Josephine Bidwell Brown:

Burial: 12 Aug 2000, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Education: attended Cleary College

Occupation: Bet. 1950 - 1988, Ann Arbor News Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: Bet. 1965 - 1988, administrative manager of University of Michigan Television

Center/Michigan Media Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: Aft. 1942, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 381-18-0170

More About Adolph Wenk and Josephine Brown:

Marriage: 23 Sep 1949, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Adolph Wenk and Josephine Brown is:

+ 152 i. Ronald J.⁶ Wenk, born Aft. 1950.

72. Clarence Larry (Grajewski)⁵ Gray (Clara Sophie⁴ Wenk, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 11 Jan 1912 in Michigan, and died 29 Feb 1980. He married **Irene Nowicki** 03 Apr 1943 in Hamtramck, Wayne Co, Michigan, daughter of Peter Nowicki and Agnes Ciesinski. She was born 16 Nov 1913 in New York.

More About Clarence Grav and Irene Nowicki:

Marriage: 03 Apr 1943, Hamtramck, Wayne Co, Michigan

Children of Clarence Gray and Irene Nowicki are:

 Gregory Owen⁶ Gray, born 09 Dec 1946. He married Susanne Dorothy Leavy 15 Sep 1973 in San Mateo Co, California; born 12 Sep 1947 in San Francisco Co, California.

> More About Gregory Gray and Susanne Leavy: Marriage: 15 Sep 1973, San Mateo Co, California

ii. Clark Walter Gray, born 21 Jun 1949; died 15 Jun 1972 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married Christine Ray Szeljack; born Aft. 1948.

More About Clark Walter Grav:

Military service: 01 Aug 1966, enlistment US Navy

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74. Vivian Miriam⁶ **Lucht** (Frederick William⁵, Katherine⁴ Wenk, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 15 Oct 1924 in Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan, and died 26 Feb 2013 in Ohio. She married **(1) David Craig Bell**. He was born 11 Apr 1928 in Massillon, Ohio, and died 03 Nov 1998. She married **(2) Dr. Earle Robert Sinnett** 24 Nov 1949 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born 14 Nov 1926 in San Diego, San Diego Co, California, and died 22 Jan 2014 in Manhattan, Kansas.

Notes for Vivian Miriam Lucht:

Vivian M. Bell, age 88, passed away Tuesday, Feb. 26, 2013. Retired teacher and figure skating judge. Survived by children, Brian and Dana Stinnet. Preceded in death by parents, Frederick and Gladys Lucht of Michigan. Longtime resident of Emeritus at Lakeview in Groveport. The funeral service will be Thursday, Feb. 28th at the Myers-Woodyard Funeral Home 587 Main Street in Groveport where friends may call from 2 until time of service at 2:30 pm. Reverend Jay Moyer officiating. Interment Franklin Hills Memory Gardens; 5802 Elder Rd., Canal Winchester, Ohio 43110.

More About Vivian Miriam Lucht:

Occupation: 1950, research physrst state university Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Notes for David Craig Bell:

Fredericktown – David C. Bell, 70, of 12680 Hilltop Drive died Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1998, at Knox Community Hospital. He was born April 11, 1928, in Massillon to Thomas H. Bell and Janet Grahames Craig Bell and had been a Knox County resident since 1986. He retired from Lazarus Department Stores in 1988 after 28 years of employment in sales and purchasing. He was an Army veteran of the Korean Conflict. He attended the Gay Street United Methodist Church in Mount Vernon.

Surviving are his wife Joyce (Fetter) Bell, a daughter Marcia (Alan)Burris ofFairfax, Virginia, 2 step-daughters Diane Henwood of Mount Vernon and Debra Henwood of Columbus, a step-son Chris Henwood of Fredericktown, two nephews, David (Nancy) Bell of Centerburg and Steve (Beverly) Bell of Zanesville, a granddaughter Kayla Burris, and three great-nephews.

Friends may call Thursday from 4 to 7 PM at the Flowers-Snyder Funeral Home in Mount Vernon where funeral services will be Friday at 2 PM. Burial will be in Mount Vernon Memorial Gardens. Memorial contributions can be made to the Parkinson's Disease Center for research in care of Ohio State University, West Tenth Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43201.

Notes for Dr. Earle Robert Sinnett:

Manhattan, Kansas--Earl Robert 'Bob' Sinnett was born to Muscatine natives Margaret and Frank Sinnett in California on November 14, 1926. On January 22, 2014, he passed away due to complications from a fall on January 21. Memorial Gathering will be held from 4 until 6 p.m. on February 1, 2014, at the K-State Alumni Center. In lieu of flowers, donations are requested to Heifer International or Alzheimer 's disease Research. The Penwell-Gabel Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Margaret and her young son returned to Muscatine in 1928. Bob grew up in Muscatine and later attended the University of Iowa. He earned his PhD from the University of Michigan. He served in the Navy, and in the Army reserves. In 1962, he moved to Manhattan, Kansas, where he worked as a psychologist and educator until his mid-eighties.

Bob Sinnett was a direct descendant of Samuel Sinnett who, along with his brother Charles, built the Octagon House in Muscatine. Bob is survived by wife, Kay Sinnett; daughters Lucy Sinnett Schuler and Kate Sinnett, sons Brian and Dan, son-in-law, Steve Schuler; sister-in-law, Lucy Morgan; brother-in-law, Richard Morgan; grandchildren Frederick, Kathleen and Evan.

More About Dr. Earle Robert Sinnett:

Census: 17 Apr 1950, 522 Monroe, apt. 1; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-46 sheet 15 Occupation: 1950, Paychologist Deptine Veteran Administration Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Earle Sinnett and Vivian Lucht:

Marriage: 24 Nov 1949, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Vivian Lucht and David Bell is:

 Marcia Linn⁷ Bell, born 08 Jul 1965 in Ohio. She married Alan Mitchell Burris 28 Nov 1987 in Franklin Co, Ohio; born 1963.

More About Alan Burris and Marcia Bell: Divorce: 25 Apr 2005, Fairfax Co, Virginia Marriage: 28 Nov 1987, Franklin Co, Ohio

Children of Vivian Lucht and Earle Sinnett are:

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i. Lucy⁷ Sinnett.
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ii. Kate Sinnett.
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iii. Brian Sinnett.
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iv. Dana Sinnett.

80. Nancy Ann⁶ Wenk (Edgar Elmer⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 28 Dec 1934 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **David Valentine Zick** 28 Sep 1957 in Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Valentine Zick and Nellie Wilson. He was born 13 Jan 1935.

More About David Valentine Zick:

Baptism: 01 Sep 1940, St. John's Lutheran Church Bridgewater Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Confirmation: 16 May 1948, St. John's Lutheran Church Bridgewater Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: Webberville, Michigan

Marriage Notes for Nancy Wenk and David Zick:

At an impressive candle light service Miss Nancy A. Wenk and David V. Zick were united in marriage at 7:30 Saturday evening, Sept. 28, 1957, at the Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church. The Rev. A. G. Wenk performed the double ring ceremony before the altar on which were bouquets of white flowers The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar E. Wenk, 835G Waters Rd., and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Zick, 10870 Burmeister Rd., The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of rose-point lace and nylon tulle over slipper satin, made with a fitted bodice and Sabrina neck line and long sleeves pointed at the wrists. The full skirt was floor length. The fingertip veil fell from a lace cap trimmed with pearls and sequins, and her cascade bouquet was white mums with stephanotis and ivy.

The matron of honor was her cousin, Mrs. George Brassow, Jr., Saline, who wore a ballerina length gown of emerald green lace over taffeta, with a velvet cumberbund. She wore a matching head band and her flowers were white, yellow and bronze mums with ivy. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Norman Lambarth, Saline, and Mrs. Albert Ahrens, Clinton, the latter a cousin of the bride. Their gowns and flowers were like those of the matron of honor. The best man was a friend, Frederick Stollsteimer, Saline, and the ushers were Tracy Zick, cousin of the groom, and Richard Wenk, the bride's brother. The flower girl was Kathie Gensley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gensley, who wore a pink nylon dress and carried a basket of pink and white flowers. Barry Heimerdinger, Clinton, nephew of the groom, was ring bearer. Mrs. Norwin Lesser, Dexter, the bride's cousin, sang "O Perfect Love" and "The Twenty Third Psalm", the organist being Mrs. Frey.

After a reception held at the Parish Hall, the couple left for a trip in northern Michigan. For traveling, the bride wore a two piece blue dress with black accessories. They will reside at 206 South Ann Arbor St., Saline. Mrs. Zick graduated from the Ann Arbor High School and is employed in the office of the Bell Telephone Co., Ann Arbor. Mr. Zick is a graduate of the Saline High School and is employed by Braun and Finkbeiner, Saline.

More About David Zick and Nancy Wenk:

Marriage: 28 Sep 1957, Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Nancy Wenk and David Zick are:

- + 160 i. Kathleen Ann⁷ Zick, born 02 Feb 1959.
- + 161 ii. Susan Kay Zick, born 11 Jul 1961 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- **81. Richard Edgar⁶ Wenk** (Edgar Elmer⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 03 Oct 1938 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Bernice Helen Robison** 27 Dec 1958 in Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Manley Robison and Helen Goodin. She was born 09 Jan 1940 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Richard Edgar Wenk:

Baptism: 06 Nov 1938, Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan -

sponsors: Wilbur Wenk & Selma Hirth

Religion: Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Richard Wenk and Bernice Robison:

Marriage: 27 Dec 1958, Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Richard Wenk and Bernice Robison are:

i. Roger Lee⁷ Wenk, born 24 Jun 1959; died 24 Jun 1959.

More About Roger Lee Wenk:

Burial: Jun 1959, Salem Church Cemetery on Scio-Church Road; Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan - row 5 monument 44 lot 62

- ii. Mark Richard Wenk, born 08 Jun 1963 in Coryell, Texas.
- + 164 iii. Darren Lee Wenk, born 14 Aug 1965 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 - 165 iv. Terry Allen Wenk, born 26 Sep 1966; died 26 Sep 1966.

More About Terry Allen Wenk:

Burial: Sep 1966, Salem Church Cemetery on Scio-Church Road; Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan - row 5 monument 44 lot 63

- v. Denise Ann Wenk, born 13 Mar 1972. She married Jamie Allen Darrow; born 29 Jun 1971.
- **83.** David Frederick⁶ Wenk (Edgar Elmer⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 14 Nov 1943 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Martha Mary Binkowski** 07 Aug 1965 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She was born 06 Aug 1946 in Tecumseh, Lenawee Co, Michigan.

More About David Frederick Wenk:

Baptism: 12 Dec 1943, Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan -

sponsors: Mr. & Mrs. John Haab

Residence: 20887 Hogan Road; Manchester Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About David Wenk and Martha Binkowski:

Marriage: 07 Aug 1965, Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Emanuel United Church of Christ Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of David Wenk and Martha Binkowski are:

t. Debra Patricia⁷ Wenk, born 19 Oct 1968 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
 168 ii. Dawn Marie Wenk, born 09 Mar 1972 in Ann Arbor. Washtenaw Co. Michigan.

ii. Dawn Marie Wenk, born 09 Mar 1972 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married Mark Allen Durivage 08 Sep 2001 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born 27 Dec 1963 in Ohio.

More About Dawn Marie Wenk:

Education: Bet. 1986 - 1990, Manchester High School Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

84. Mary Ann⁶ Wenk (Herbert L.⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 24 Feb 1934 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 31 Aug 2019 in Olathe, Johnson Co, Kansas. She married **Charles Henry Jeroue** 18 Jul 1953 in Marlette, Sanilac Co, Michigan. He was born 26 Aug 1928, and died 15 Mar 2019 in Olathe, Johnson Co, Kansas.

Notes for Mary Ann Wenk:

Mary Ann Jeroue, 85, passed away August 31, 2019, at Villa St. Francis, Olathe, Kansas. She was born February 24, 1934, to Arthur and Gladys (Welch, Morell) Mahaffy in Ann Arbor, Michigan. She married Charles H. Jeroue July 18, 1953, at Marlette, Michigan. A former Great Bend/Hoisington resident, Mary worked for USD #428 as a crossing guard for Lincoln School, owned C & M Upholstery Sales with Charles, worked for Marlette Homes and BCCC. She was a devoted Wife, Mother, Grandmother and Great Grandmother. Painting, Ceramics and Gardening were her passions, her Family was her life.

Survivors include, two sons, Kenneth (Barbara) Jeroue of Russell, Kansas, and Kelly (Kathi) Jeroue of Great Bend, Kansas; five daughters, Barbara Gordon of Priest River, Idaho, Jody (Steve) Klepper of Great Bend, Kansas; Cindy Maser of Clovis, New Mexico, Jacqueline Jeroue of Fresno, California, and Tammy (Todd) Alsup of Olathe, Kansas; three brothers, Charles (Marlene) Mahaffy of Peck, Michigan, Lawrence (Sharon) Mahaffy of Romeo, Michigan and Brian (Jill) Mahaffy of St Clair; one sister, Brenda (Gary) Carty of Royse City, Texas; 14 Grandchildren, Kasey (Kayla), Kaleb, Kynzi, Nicole (Dave), Kendra (Jerry), Tina, Charlie (Mandy), Mark (Misty), Brandon (Michelle), Michelle, Brian, Dannielle (Bryce), Taylor, Spencer; 20 Great-Grandchildren, Carter, Parker, Peighton, Braylynn, Phoebe, Samuel, Aiden, Jordan, Travis, Trystan, Austin, Ethan, Logan, Macy, Hayden, Harper, Karter, Makenna, Makeila, Taylor. She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles H. Jeroue; a son, Tracy Jeroue; a granddaughter, Dionne Jeroue Reed and son-in-law Douglas Gordon.

Visitation will be held from 1:00 to 9:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 4, 2019 at Bryant Funeral Home. Funeral Service will be held at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, September 5, 2019, at Bryant Funeral Home, with Reverend Dwight Dozier presiding. Interment will be in the Hoisington Cemetery. Memorials have been suggested to Crossroads Hospice or First Assembly of God Church, in care of Bryant Funeral Home.

Notes for Charles Henry Jeroue:

Charles Henry Jeroue, 90, passed away March 15, 2019, at Villa St. Francis, Olathe. He was born August 26, 1928 to Henry and Alice (Smith) Jeroue. He married Mary Ann Mahaffy, July 18, 1953, at Marlette, Michigan. She survives. A former Great Bend resident, Charles worked for Barton Community College as the head maintenance supervisor. He was a loving husband and father. Charles served in the United States Air Force, obtaining the rank of E-3 Airman First Class. He enjoyed golfing, bowling, camping and fishing.

Survivors include, his wife, Mary Ann of the home; two sons, Kenneth (Barbara) Jeroue of Russell, Kansas, and Kelly (Kathi) Jeroue of Great Bend, Kansas; five daughters, Barbara Gordon of Priest River Idaho, Jody (Steve) Klepper of Great Bend, Kansas, Cindy Maser of Clovis, New Mexico, Jacqueline Jeroue of Fresno, California, and Tammy (Todd) Alsup of Olathe, Kansas; 14 grandchildren, Kasey (Kayla), Kaleb, Kynzi, Nicole (Dave), Kendra (Jerry), Tina, Charlie (Mandy), Mark (Misty), Brandon (Michelle), Michelle, Brian, Dannielle (Bryce), Taylor, Spencer; 20 Great-Grandchildren, Carter, Parker, Peighton, Braylynn, Phoebe, Samuel, Aiden, Jordan, Travis, Trystan, Austin, Ethan, Logan, Macy, Hayden, Harper, Karter, Makenna, Makeila, Taylor. He was preceded in death by a son, Tracy Jeroue; son-in-law, Douglas Gordon; a sister, Virginia Hobson; brother-in-law, William Hobson; a granddaughter, Dionne Jeroue Reed.

There will be no visitation as cremation has taken place. Memorial Service will be held at 1:00 p.m., Thursday, March 21, 2019, at First Assembly Of God in Great Bend, with Pastor Dottie Dozier presiding. Military Rites will be conducted by McConnell Air Force Base. Inurnment will take place at a later date. Memorials are suggested to the First Assembly of God Church or Vitas Hospice - Olathe, in care of Bryant Funeral Home.

More About Charles Jeroue and Mary Wenk:

Marriage: 18 Jul 1953, Marlette, Sanilac Co, Michigan

Children of Mary Wenk and Charles Jeroue are:

- i. Kenneth⁷ Jeroue, born 07 Feb 1954. He married Barbara Louise (Keller) Harckeott; born 09 Aug 1950.
- + 170 ii. Barbara Edith Jeroue, born 30 Jul 1955.
 - iii. Jody Jeroue, born 03 Jul 1956. She married Stephen (Steve) Klepper; born 15 Mar 1961.
 - iv. Cindy Lee Jeroue, born 06 Sep 1958. She married Michael Dean Maser; born 11 Dec 1953.
 - 173 v. Jacqueline Jeroue, born Aft. 1958.
- + 174 vi. Kelly Jeroue, born 04 Sep 1959.
 - 175 vii. Tracy D. Jeroue, born 05 Mar 1962; died 08 Sep 2010 in Wichita, Sedgwick Co, Kansas.
- + 176 viii. Tammy Jeroue, born 28 May 1969.
- **85.** Kathleen Violet⁶ Wenk (Herbert L.⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 10 Nov 1943 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 22 Jun 2018 in Gowen, Kent Co, Michigan. She married **? Taylor**. He was born Aft. 1938.

Notes for Kathleen Violet Wenk:

Kathleen (Kathy) V. Taylor passed away on Friday, June 22, 2018 at her home in Gowen, Michigan. She is survived by her sister, Judy Turpening; children, Kevin (Kim) Taylor, Tara (Bill) Hall; grandchildren, Garret and Riley Taylor and Morgan, Jesse and Tony Hall; 1 nephew; and several cousins. She was preceded in death by her parents Gordon and Doris Flickinger and brother Robyn Flickinger.

Kathy was born and raised in Saline and graduated from Saline High School. She was employed for many years at the University of Michigan until retirement. Kathy was an avid reader and enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren.

The family ask that any memorial contributions be sent to Cavalier Rescue USA—Central Rescue or Meals on Wheels America.

Children of Kathleen Wenk and ? Taylor are:

- + 177 i. Kevin Lorison⁷ Taylor, born 04 Jan 1966.
 - 178 ii. Tara Delynn Taylor, born 01 Dec 1968. She married William F. (Bill) Hall; born Aft. 1959.
- **88. Rex John⁶ Pratt** (Marie Katherine⁵ Wenk, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 04 Apr 1941. He married **Jeanne Suzann Dunkelberger** 25 Jun 1974 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She was born 26 Jun 1950.

More About Rex Pratt and Jeanne Dunkelberger:

Marriage: 25 Jun 1974, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Rex Pratt and Jeanne Dunkelberger is:

i. Amy Marie⁷ Pratt, born 22 Apr 1975; died 25 Feb 2010 in Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Amy Marie Pratt:

Amy Pratt of Ypsilanti, Michigan, age 34, passed away February 25, 2010. She was born April 22, 1975 the daughter of Rex and Jeanne (Dunkelberger) Pratt. Amy was employed as a respiratory therapist at the University of Michigan Hospitals, and she enjoyed photography and traveling.

She is survived by her parents: Rex Pratt of Manchester and Jeanne (Gene) Hart of Ypsilanti; grandparents: Robert and Marie Pratt; grandmother: Erma Dunkelberger of Belleville; step brother: Brian (Jennifer) Hart of Northville; Uncles: Roy and Bobby Pratt, Randy Dunkelberger; Aunts: Sue Pratt, Connie Tramel, Diann Shaffer and Nancy Clark.

In honor of Amy, memorial donations may be given to C.S. Mott Children's Hospital. Envelopes will be available at the Borek Jennings Funeral Home, Jenter Chapel, Manchester on Sunday, February 28, 2010 where the family will receive friends from 2-8 p.m. A Healing Farewell Service will be on Monday beginning at 11 a.m. at the Manchester United Methodist Church with Pastor Pete Harris officiating. Interment at Rowe's Corner Cemetery. Please sign Amy's guestbook at www. borekjennings.com or leave a message of comfort for her family by calling 877-231-7900.

89. Roy Joseph⁶ Pratt (Marie Katherine⁵ Wenk, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 04 Apr 1941 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 09 Mar 2018 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Constance Ann (Connie) Minor** 20 Sep 1963 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She was born 15 Nov 1944.

Notes for Roy Joseph Pratt:

Roy Joseph Pratt April 4, 1941 - March 5, 2018 (76 years old) Saint Joseph, Michigan. With heavy hearts, at the age of 76, we announce the death of Roy Joseph Pratt (Saint Joseph, Michigan), born in Saline, Michigan, who passed away on March 5, 2018. Family and friends are welcome to send flowers or leave their condolences on this memorial page and share them with the family.

He was predeceased by: his grandparents, John Pratt, Gertrude Pratt, Joseph Wenk and Olga Wenk; his niece Amy Pratt. He is survived by: his wife Connie; his children, Kaye Pratt and Randy Pratt (Paula); his parents, Robert Pratt and Marie Pratt; his siblings, Rex Pratt, Bobby Pratt (Rose) and Sue Pratt; his grandchildren, Amanda Gregg (Sean) of Nikki Schlicht, Hunter Schlicht and Chase Schlicht. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

More About Roy Pratt and Constance Minor: Marriage: 20 Sep 1963, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Roy Pratt and Constance Minor are:

- + 180 i. Kaye Marie⁷ Pratt, born 14 Sep 1965.
- + 181 ii. Randy Lee Pratt, born 01 May 1968.
- **91.** Susan Marie⁶ Pratt (Marie Katherine⁵ Wenk, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann Michael¹) was born 01 Nov 1952. She married **Frederick Bruce McDonald** 11 Mar 1972 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born 22 Oct 1946.

More About Frederick McDonald and Susan Pratt: Marriage: 11 Mar 1972, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Susan Pratt and Frederick McDonald is:

i. Kurtis⁷ McDonald, born 06 Oct 1975.

93. Irene Edith⁶ Wenk (Erwin Martin (Irv)⁵, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 04 Jan 1943 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **James Fredrick Poley**. He was born 1942.

More About Irene Edith Wenk:

Baptism: 14 Feb 1943, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Irene Wenk and James Poley is:

i. Anthony James⁷ Poley, born 1965.

94. Martha Ellen (Marti)⁶ **Wenk** (Erwin Martin (Irv)⁵, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 07 Oct 1940 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Carlton E. (House) Hause** 13 Jun 1959 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Carlton Hause and Jeanette Brunner. He was born 1940.

More About Martha Ellen (Marti) Wenk:

Baptism: 08 Dec 1940, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Carlton E. (House) Hause:

Residence: 1601 Independence Way; Vista, California

More About Carlton Hause and Martha Wenk:

Marriage: 13 Jun 1959, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Martha Wenk and Carlton Hause is:

i. Jeffrey Carleton⁷ Hause, born 07 Jun 1961 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Jeffrey Carleton Hause:

A son, Jeffrey Carleton, was born Wednesday, June 7, 1961, at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hause, 420 West Forest, Ypsilanti. Mrs. Hause is the former Martha Wenk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Wenk.

98. Arlene Rubena⁶ Loeffler (Rubena Maritta⁵ Wenk, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 05 Aug 1936 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Richard George Bareis** 31 Jan 1959 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Oscar Bareis and Wilda McVay. He was born 16 Aug 1935 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 25 Feb 2016 in Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Arlene Rubena Loeffler:

Baptism: 30 Aug 1936, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Notes for Richard George Bareis:

Richard G. Bareis of Dexter, Michigan age 80, died Thursday, February 25, 2016 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ypsilanti. He was born August 16, 1935 the son of Oscar & Wilda (McVay) Bareis. He was born in Chelsea and raised on the family farm in Lima Township. Richard taught wood and metal shop and drafting for 35 years, at Dexter High School from 1959 to 1966, and at Beach Middle School in Chelsea from 1966 to 1994. He coached high school wrestling, football, and intramural sports. Richard was a member and lay leader of Zion Lutheran Church, Chelsea. He was a 4H leader for Rogers Corners Herdsmen. Richard farmed and raised sheep for 40 years. He was an avid carpenter and wood carver. He was married to Arlene for 57 years, and she survives.

Other survivors include his children, Cheryl (Tom) Quinn of Chelsea, Diane (Ken) Greble of Fowlerville, David Bareis of Dexter, Judy (Fernando) Hermosillo of Dexter; six grandchildren, Alex Quinn, Patrick Quinn, Anna Hermosillo, Fernando G. Hermosillo, Sara Thacker, Kaitlyn Greble; his siblings, Oscar Bareis, Philip (Helen) Bareis, Carolyn (Dale) Schuster; his brother-in-law, Norman (Pam) Loeffler. He was preceded in death by his parents, Oscar and Wilda Bareis, sister-in-law, Mary Bareis and brother-in-law, Carl Loeffler.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, March 1, 11:00 am at Zion Lutheran Church, Chelsea, with Pastor Kathy Tulman officiating. Burial will follow at Zion Lutheran Cemetery, Chelsea. The family will receive friends at Cole Funeral Chapel Monday, February 29, 2-4 & 6-8 pm and at the church Tuesday from 9:30 - 11:00 am. Memorial contributions may be made to Zion Lutheran Church.

More About Richard George Bareis:

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1967, 10411 Dexter-Chelsea Road; Dexter, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Richard Bareis and Arlene Loeffler:

Marriage: 31 Jan 1959, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Arlene Loeffler and Richard Bareis are:

- + 185 i. Cheryl Ann⁷ Bareis, born 29 Nov 1961 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 186 ii. Diane Kay Bareis, born 26 Jun 1964.
- + 187 iii. Judith Lynn (Judy) Bareis, born 10 Dec 1970.
 - iv. David George Bareis, born 07 Jul 1967.

99. Norman Walter⁶ **Loeffler** (Rubena Maritta⁵ Wenk, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 23 Apr 1941 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Pamela J.?** Aft. 1961. She was born 1944.

More About Norman Walter Loeffler:

Baptism: 11 May 1941, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1967, 244 E. Central Ave; Providence, Rhode Island

Residence 2: 2001, Rhode Island

More About Norman Loeffler and Pamela ?:

Marriage: Aft. 1961

Child of Norman Loeffler and Pamela? is:

i. Eric⁷ Loeffler, born 1976.

101. Ronald Martin⁶ Burkhardt (Edna Anna⁵ Wenk, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 23 May 1942 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married Elaine Grace Goist 21 Aug 1965 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She was born 02 Apr 1942.

More About Ronald Martin Burkhardt:

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 1311 Miller Road; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence 2: Bet. 1993 - 2005, 20432 Logan Road; Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Ronald Burkhardt and Elaine Goist: Marriage: 21 Aug 1965, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Ronald Burkhardt and Elaine Goist are:

- + 190 i. Deborah Elaine⁷ Burkhardt, born 22 Aug 1969.
 191 ii. Timothy Aaron Burkhardt, born 11 Feb 1972.
- **102. Karen Ann⁶ Burkhardt** (Edna Anna⁵ Wenk, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 27 Dec 1944 in Tecumseh, Lenawee Co, Michgan, and died 10 Jan 2011 in Mancelona, Antrim Co, Michigan. She married **Robert Allen Vedder** 18 Sep 1965 in Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Leon Vedder and Dorothy Wilson. He was born 15 Jun 1940 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 26 Mar 2015.

Notes for Karen Ann Burkhardt:

Karen A. Vedder of Mancelona, Michigan, age 66, passed away Monday, January 10, 2011 at Meadow Brook Medical Care Facility. Karen was born on December 27, 1944 in Tecumseh, Micihigan., the daughter of Carlton and Edna Burkhardt. She is survived by her loving husband of 45 years, Robert Vedder; her three daughters, Brenda (Curt) Harwood of Petoskey, Kristin (Jim) Vedder-Clark of Stockbridge, and Diane Sandoval of Ypsilanti; eight grandchildren, Nolan, Conner, Forrest, Shuyler, Ashley, Amber, Christina and Luis; and one brother, Ronald Burkhardt of Manchester. She will be greatly missed. She was preceded in death by her son, Kenneth Vedder; and brother, Gary Burkhardt.

A memorial service will be held Friday, January 21, 2011 at 2 pm at St. Matthews Lutheran Church in Mancelona with Rev. Donald Ritter officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 525 W. 14th St, Ste 5, Traverse City, Michgan 49684. The Mancelona Chapel of Mortensen Funeral Homes is handling the arrangements. Please sign Karen's guestbook at www. mortensenfuneralhomes.com

More About Robert Allen Vedder:

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1967, 321 Spring; Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Robert Vedder and Karen Burkhardt:

Marriage: 18 Sep 1965, Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Church: Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Karen Burkhardt and Robert Vedder are:

i. Brenda Sue⁷ Vedder, born 27 May 1967.

ii. Kristin Ann Vedder, born 14 Jan 1970. She married James Edward (Jim) Clark; born 12 May 1971.

193 194 iii. Kenneth Paul Vedder, born 25 Aug 1971 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 09 Jul 1998 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

> More About Kenneth Paul Vedder: Residence: 1993, Fort Meade, Florida

Residence 2: 1993, 5811 Kothe Road; Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

195 iv. Diane Lee Vedder, born 22 Jun 1972. She married Jose Martin Sandoval 25 Jul 1992 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born Aft. 1969.

> More About Jose Martin Sandoval: Residence: 1993, Fort Meade, Florida

More About Jose Sandoval and Diane Vedder: Marriage: 25 Jul 1992, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

103. Gary Paul⁶ Burkhardt (Edna Anna⁵ Wenk, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 28 Jun 1949 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 27 Jun 2005 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married Wendy Elaine Eynon 23 May 1987 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She was born 23 Oct 1949.

Notes for Gary Paul Burkhardt:

Gary Paul Burkhardt, 55, of Manchester died June 27, 2005, at Arbor Hospice following a courageous battle with cancer. He was born June 28, 1949, in Saline, the son of Carlton and Edna (Wenk) Burkhardt. Mr. Burkhardt graduated from Manchester High School in 1967. He was a lifetime member of Zion Lutheran Church and was active in Social Ministries.

He worked as a mechanic for R&B Tools in Saline for 25 years. He also worked for Chelsea Retirement Mr. Burkhardt was the treasurer of the National Alliance for the Mentally III of Communities for a year. Washtenaw County.

On May 23, 1987, he married Wendy Elaine Eynon at Zion Lutheran Church in Chelsea, and she Other survivors include a brother, Ron (Elaine) Burkhardt of Manchester; a sister, Karen (Robert) Vedder of Ann Arbor; four nieces Debbie (Kevin) Strahle, Brenda Vedder, Diane Vedder and Kristen Vedder; a nephew, Tim (Jessica) Burkhardt; and a great-nephew, Kyle Strahle. preceded in death by his parents.

A funeral will be held 11 a.m. Saturday at Zion Lutheran Church in Chelsea. The Rev. Doris Sparks will officiate. Burial will follow at Zion Lutheran Cemetery in Chelsea. The family will receive friends from 9 to 11 a.m. Saturday at the church. Memorial contributions may be made to National Alliance for the Mentally III or Zion Lutheran Church. Arrangements were by Cole Funeral Chapel in Chelsea.

More About Gary Paul Burkhardt:

Residence: 2005, 521 Galloway Drive; Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence 2: 252 Cedar Lake Road; Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Gary Burkhardt and Wendy Eynon:

Marriage: 23 May 1987, Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Gary Burkhardt and Wendy Evnon is:

i. Debbie⁷ Burkhardt. She married ? Strahle.

104. Kenneth Karl⁶ Wenk (Ernst Wilhelm (Ernest William)⁵, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 04 Mar 1944 in Tecumseh, Lenawee Co, Michigan, and died 25 Feb 1990 in San Francisco, San Francisco Co, California. He married **Janice Carol Hutchins** 09 Nov 1968 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She was born Aft. 1944.

More About Kenneth Karl Wenk:

Graduation: 1966, Eastern Michigan University Occupation: White & White Insurance Auditors

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1967, 213 Perrin; Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 376-44-4604

More About Kenneth Wenk and Janice Hutchins: Marriage: 09 Nov 1968, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Kenneth Wenk and Janice Hutchins is:

i. Brian Karl⁷ Wenk, born 14 Mar 1973. He married Taylor?.

More About Brian Karl Wenk: Residence: Orlando, Florida

106. Carolyn Elaine⁶ Wenk (Ernst Wilhelm (Ernest William)⁵, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 21 Jun 1950 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Patrick Joseph McNamara** 17 Jun 1978 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born 08 Oct 1950.

More About Carolyn Elaine Wenk:

Baptism: 30 Jul 1950, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Patrick McNamara and Carolyn Wenk:

Marriage: 17 Jun 1978, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Carolyn Wenk and Patrick McNamara are:

i. Ryan Patrick⁷ McNamara, born 30 Nov 1979.
 ii. Erin Elizabeth McNamara, born 02 Dec 1982.

107. Barbara Jean⁶ Wenk (Norman Oscar⁵, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 17 Aug 1945 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **David John Pruess** 22 Oct 1977 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born 25 Feb 1951 in Marquette, Michigan.

More About Barbara Jean Wenk:

Baptism: 23 Sep 1945, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Notes for Barbara Wenk and David Pruess:

Barbara J. Wenk born August 17, 1945. She married David Pruess October 22, 1977. He is an engineer at the Daimler/Chrysler Proving Grounds in Chelsea. He was born February 25, 1951 in the Marquette Michigan. Barbara attended Chelsea Schools and graduated in 1963. She graduated from Capital University in Columbus Ohio 1967 and Michigan State University in 1969 with a masters, teaching biology at Chelsea High School ever since. David graduated from Michigan Technological University.

More About David Pruess and Barbara Wenk:

Marriage: 22 Oct 1977, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Barbara Wenk and David Pruess is:

i. Sarah Jean⁷ Pruess, born 13 May 1980.

Notes for Sarah Jean Pruess:

Sarah Jean Pruess was born May 13, 1980. Sarah graduated from Chelsea High in 1998, then Albion College in 2002, playing softball the four years, she attended - then to University of Denver for a Masters of Management in 2003. She worked for Chicago State University as NCAA Compliance Coordinator and Senior Women's Administrator in the Athletic Department. In Jan 06 she begins as Director of Compliance in the Athletic Department for George Mason University in Fairfax, Virginia.

108. Marilyn Lorena⁶ Wenk (Norman Oscar⁵, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 24 Aug 1947 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 12 Nov 1996. She married **Donald Norman Hinderer** 24 Aug 1968 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Norman Hinderer and Betty Wahl. He was born 10 Jul 1947 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 12 Nov 1996 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Marilyn Lorena Wenk:

Marilyn Lorena Wenk born August 24, 1947. She married Donald Hinderer August 24, 1968 in Chelsea. He was born July 10, 1947 died Nov 12, 1996 and is buried at Zion Cemetery near Rogers Corners. Both Marilyn and Donald graduated in 1965 from Chelsea Schools and Donald from Michigan State University in 1969 and Marilyn from MSU in 1970. She and Donald raised their three children in Caro, Michigan, while Donald worked for Ralston Purina. Currently Marilyn works in a doctor's office there.

More About Marilyn Lorena Wenk:

Baptism: 21 Sep 1947, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: Alma, Michigan

Residence 2: Big Rapids, Michigan

Notes for Donald Norman Hinderer:

Donald Hinderer of Caro, Michigan age 49, died Tuesday, Nov. 12, 1996 at Chelsea Community Hospital. He was born on July 10, 1947 in Jackson. He married the former Marilyn Wenk on Aug. 24, 1968 at the Zion Lutheran Church in Chelsea. He was a 1965 graduate of Chelsea High School, and earned a bachelor's degree in agricultural business from Michigan State University. He and his wife moved to Caro in December of 1971. He was a district sales manager for Purina Mills, Inc. He was an avid hunter and fisherman, who enjoyed the out of doors with family and friends. Mr. Hinderer was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Caro, and a previous member of the Caro Lions Club.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, Steven of Mt. Pleasant and Jeffrey of East Lansing; one daughter, Susan, at home; his parents, Norman and Betty Hinderer of Chelsea; his sister and brother-in-law, Marilyn and Ronald Mast of Chelsea; his father and mother-in-law, Norman O. and Lorona Weak of Chelsea; and several pieces and nephews.

Funeral service will be held at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Caro on Thursday, Nov. 14 at 11 a.m., with Pastor David Hollender officiating. Burial will be at Zion Church Cemetery, Chelsea, on Friday, Nov. 15 at 11 a.m. Visitation will be at the Collon Funeral Home on Thursday from 9 a.m. until the time of service. Memorial contributions may be made to the St Paul Lutheran Church Handbell Fund, the Zion Lutheran Church, Building Fund, or the American Cancer Society.

More About Donald Norman Hinderer:

Baptism: 24 Aug 1947, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: Caro, Michigan

Social Security Number: 386-48-4185

More About Donald Hinderer and Marilyn Wenk: Marriage: 24 Aug 1968, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Marilyn Wenk and Donald Hinderer are:

+ 201 i. Steven Frederick⁷ Hinderer, born 06 Nov 1972.

ii. Jeffrey Norman Hinderer, born 02 Mar 1977. He married Kathryn Elizabeth (Kate) McGee 17 Aug 2002; born 27

Sep 1977.

Notes for Jeffrey Norman Hinderer:

Jeffrey Norman Hinderer graduated from Michigan State University and works for Sarnamotive Blue Water, Inc. He married Kathryn McGee August 17, 2002. She is also from Caro. She graduated from med school at Michigan State in 2005 and she is completing her residency in Mt. Clemons, Michigan where she and Jeff live.

More About Jeffrey Hinderer and Kathryn McGee:

Marriage: 17 Aug 2002

203 iii. Susan Marie Hinderer, born 29 May 1981. She married Tyler James Simpson 10 Jul 2010; born 05 Mar 1986.

Notes for Susan Marie Hinderer:

Susan Marie graduated from Eastern Michigan University as a nurse in 2003 and works at Saginaw Covenant Hospital in cardiac care.

More About Tyler James Simpson:

Graduation: 2010, Saginaw Valley State University Saginaw, Saginaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 2010, Caro, Michigan

More About Tyler Simpson and Susan Hinderer:

Marriage: 10 Jul 2010

109. Anita Marie⁶ Wenk (Norman Oscar⁵, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 24 Nov 1949 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **John Mark (Jack) Himes** 30 May 1970 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born 28 Mar 1949 in Dayton, Ohio.

Notes for Anita Marie Wenk:

Anita Marie Wenk born Nov 24, 1949 in Saline, Michigan. Graduated from Chelsea High School in 1967. She married John Mark (Jack) Himes in Dayton, Ohio) on May 30, 1970 in Chelsea, Michigan. Both Anita and Jack graduated from Capital University in 1971. Jack was commissioned into the US Marine Corp at graduation, and retired as a Colonel in 1996. During Jack's time on active duty they moved over 20 times throughout the United States and to Europe. Anita taught science in several places during that time and while Jack attended Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary in Columbia, South Carolina. Jack was ordained in June 2001 and is now serving as the Pastor of St. Michael Lutheran Church in Virginia Beach, Virginia.

More About Anita Marie Wenk:

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Baptism: 18 Dec 1949, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About John Himes and Anita Wenk:

Marriage: 30 May 1970, Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Anita Wenk and John Himes are:

+ 204 i. John Mark⁷ Himes, Jr., born 28 Dec 1970 in Columbus, Franklin Co, Ohio.

 Timothy Michael Himes, born 19 Feb 1973 in Oceanside, San Diego Co, California. He married (1) Kelly Dull 05 Sep 1998; born Aft. 1972. He married (2) Linda Nicole Ferrell 10 Aug 2002 in Virginia Beach, Virginia; born 11 May 1972 in Seattle, Washington.

Notes for Timothy Michael Himes:

Timothy Michael Himes born Feb 19, 1973 in Oceanside, California. Tim graduated from Yucca Valley High School, Yucca Valley, California in 1991 and enlisted in the US Marine Corps in 1992, serving for four years. Tim then returned to Appalachian State University and graduated in 1999. Married Kelley Dull Sept 5, 1998; divorced in 1999. After college graduation, Tim returned to active duty in the Marine Corps, was commissioned, served five years, and attained the rank of Captain. Married Linda Nicole Ferrell (born May 11, 1972 in Seattle, Washington) on August 10, 2002 in Virginia Beach, Virginia. Linda also served as a Marine Corp officer, attaining the rank of Major before getting out in 2005. They now live in Manitou Springs, Colorado where Tim worked as a manager for Suburban Propane in Colorado Springs, Colorado; Linda works for a local real estate company and now Tim works as a manager for rental properties in the same company.

More About Timothy Himes and Kelly Dull:

Divorce: 1999

Marriage: 05 Sep 1998

More About Timothy Himes and Linda Ferrell: Marriage: 10 Aug 2002, Virginia Beach, Virginia

110. Daniel Norman⁶ Wenk (Norman Oscar⁵, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 23 Apr 1952 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Barbara Jean Michel** 24 Sep 1977 in Boulder, Colorado. She was born 02 Jan 1951 in Oakland, California.

Notes for Daniel Norman Wenk:

Daniel Norman Wenk married Barbara J. Michel b Jan 2, 1951 in Oakland California. They married overlooking Boulder, Colorado on September 24, 1977. Barb is a Montessori teacher graduating from University of Colorado & Colorado State University. Dan graduated from Chelsea schools and Michigan State University in Landscape Architecture in 1975. He has worked as a Landscape Architect at the Denver Service Center, Yellowstone National Park, Prince William Nation Park Vorginia and was Superintendent for 16 years at Mt Rushmore. He now manages Denver Service Center for the National Park Service and travels frequently to Washington D.C. The family lives in Morrison, Colorado.

More About Daniel Wenk and Barbara Michel:

Marriage: 24 Sep 1977, Boulder, Colorado

Children of Daniel Wenk and Barbara Michel are:

i. Laura Jeane⁷ Wenk, born 03 Mar 1981 in Bozeman, Montana. She married Travis William Floyd; born 15 Jul 1982.

Notes for Laura Jeane Wenk:

Laura Jeane Wenk born March 1, 1981 Bozeman, Montana. Laura graduated from high school in Rapid City, South Dakota and Coe College in Iowa in 2003. She is pursuing a Masters Degree studying archeology in Belgium. She has worked a dig in The Netherlands and in South Dakota.

 ii. Megan Danielle Wenk, born 22 Feb 1984 in Denver, Colorado. She married Kory Hammerbeck; born 01 Nov 1976.

Notes for Megan Danielle Wenk:

Megan Danielle Wenk born Feb 22, 1984 Denver, Colorado. Megan is studying nursing at Northern Colorado University after graduating from high school in Rapid City, South Dakota.

208 iii. Thomas George (Tommy) Wenk, born 29 Feb 1988 in Rapids City, South Dakota.

Notes for Thomas George (Tommy) Wenk:

A son, Thomas George, was born Feb. 29, 1988 to Daniel and Barbara Wenk of Rapid City, South Dakota. Thomas has two sisters, Laura 7 and Megan 4. Maternal grandparents are George and Shirley Michele of Oakland, California. Paternal grandparents are Norman and Lorena Wenk of S. Fletcher Rd., Chelsea.

111. Robert Martin⁶ Wenk (Norman Oscar⁵, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 10 Sep 1958 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Kimberly Joan Blessing** 17 Aug 1991 in McLean, Virginia. She was born 19 May 1961.

Marriage Notes for Robert Wenk and Kimberly Blessing:

Kimberly Joan Blessing and Robert M. Wenk were married Saturday, Aug. 17, 1991 at the Redeemer Lutheran Church in McLean, Virginia. Thebride is the daughter of Joan and Spencer Blessing of Point Pleasant, New Jersey. The bridegroom is the son of Norman and Lorena Wenk of Chelsea. Matron ofhonor was Jane Waggoner of Dallas, Texas. Best man was John Hearns of Hanover, New Jersey. The couple is employed at the Marriott Corporation in Washington, D.C. After a European honeymoon, they are making their homein Falls Church, Virginia.

More About Robert Wenk and Kimberly Blessing:

Marriage: 17 Aug 1991, McLean, Virginia

Children of Robert Wenk and Kimberly Blessing are:

i. Hayley Jane⁷ Wenk, born 22 Jan 1996 in McLean, Virginia.

Notes for Hayley Jane Wenk:

A daughter, Hayley Jane, was born Tuesday, Jan. 22, 1996 to Rob and Kim Wenk of McLean, Virginia. Maternal grand- parents are Spencer and Joanne Blessing of Point Pleasant, New Jersey. Paternal grandparents are Norman and Lorena Wenk of Chelsea.

210 ii. Linsey Kate Wenk, born 19 Oct 1999 in McLean, Virginia.

114. Barbara⁶ Lohman (Etna Maria (Edna)⁵ Goetz, Louise Barbara (Lizzie)⁴ Wenk, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 18 Dec 1928. She married (1) Gerald Lee Andrews 28 Aug 1948 in Leslie, Ingham Co, Michigan, son of Clair Andrews and Bessie Litcka. He was born 1925 in Leslie, Ingham Co, Michigan, and died 09 Oct 1952. She married (2) Preston Engeland Aft. 1952. He was born Aft. 1920, and died 21 Feb 1996.

More About Gerald Andrews and Barbara Lohman: Marriage: 28 Aug 1948, Leslie, Ingham Co, Michigan

More About Preston Engeland and Barbara Lohman:

Marriage: Aft. 1952

Children of Barbara Lohman and Preston Engeland are:

- 211 i. ?7 Engeland, born Aft. 1952.
- ii. ? Engeland, born Aft. 1954. 212
- iii. ? Engeland, born Aft. 1955. iv. ? Engeland, born Aft. 1956. 213
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- 116. Patricia⁶ Hall (Margaret Ruth⁵ Goetz, Louise Barbara (Lizzie)⁴ Wenk, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 1944 in Michigan. She married **? Simeck**. He was born Aft. 1930.

Child of Patricia Hall and ? Simeck is:

i. ?⁷ Simeck, born Aft. 1957.

117. Michael⁶ Hall (Margaret Ruth⁵ Goetz, Louise Barbara (Lizzie)⁴ Wenk, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 1948 in Michigan. He married **? Birdwell**. She was born Aft. 1939.

Child of Michael Hall and ? Birdwell is:

i. ?⁷ Hall, born Aft. 1959.

118. Gerald Roland (Jerry)⁶ Wenk (Roland Friedrich⁵, Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 25 Aug 1931 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 04 Jun 2017 in Jackson, Jackson Co, Michigan. He married Dixie Lee Rowe 04 Sep 1954 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Harold Rowe and Ada Rudd. She was born 19 Jan 1936 in Ada, Ohio, and died 29 Oct 2016 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Gerald Roland (Jerry) Wenk:

Gerald R. "Jerry" Wenk of Chelsea, Michigan, age 85, died Sunday, June 4, 2017 at Legacy Assisted Living in Jackson. He was born August 25, 1931 in Chelsea, Michigan, the son of Roland F. and Elnora (Eiseman) Wenk. Jerry lived in Chelsea his entire life. He attended Chelsea High School. Jerry served in the US Army in Korea from 1948-1951, and was a member of the "Chosen Reservoir". He has been a member of American Legion Post 31 since 1952, the Covenant Church of Chelsea, and was a lifetime member and Past Master of Masonic Lodge #156. From 1955 until 1988, Jerry worked at the Chrysler Proving Grounds. He was a Past President of Oak Grove Cemetery and was a member of the board until his death.

On Sept. 4, 1954, he married Dixie Lee Rowe in Chelsea, and she preceded him in death on Oct. 29, 2016. Survivors include a daughter, Sarah (William) Ball; four grandchildren, Jennifer (Scott), Matthew (Lennie Jo), Christina, and Frank; four great-grandchildren, Kailah, Tyler, Samantha, Willow; sister-in-law, Marjorie Rowe; and many nieces and nephews. Jerry was preceded in death by a daughter, Elizabeth Wenk-Callan; a brother, Lyle Wenk; and a brother-in-law, Norris Rowe.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, June 8, 2017, 11:00 a.m. at Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, with Pastors Anthony Dickerson and Ann Salyer officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Cemetery in Chelsea. The family will receive friends Wednesday 5-8 pm. Memorial contributions may be made to Covenant Church of Chelsea or Chelsea American Legion Post 31.

More About Gerald Roland (Jerry) Wenk:

Residence: 19 Sycamore Drive; Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Notes for Dixie Lee Rowe:

Our beloved Dixie Lee Wenk of Chelsea, Michigan, age 80, passed away Saturday, October 29, 2016 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor. She was born January 19, 1936 in Ada, Ohio, the daughter of Harold and Ada E. (Rudd) Rowe. Dixie graduated from Chelsea High School in 1953. She worked in the office at Chelsea Milling, and then Heydlauff's Appliance for 40 years. She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star. Dixie liked to travel, especially in Northern Michigan with her family.

September 4, 1954, she married Jerry Wenk in Chelsea, and he survives. Other survivors include a daughter, Sarah (William) Ball of Chelsea; four grandchildren, Jennifer (Scott), Matthew (Lennie Jo), Christina, and Frank; four great-grandchildren, Kayla, Tyler, Samantha, Willow; and many nieces and nephews.

Dixie was preceded in death by a daughter, Elizabeth Callan; her mother, Ada Luckett; father, Harold Rowe; step-father, Clyde Luckett; and siblings, Teddy Rowe, Norris Rowe, and Roma Jean Salyer.

Funeral services will take place Wednesday, November 2, 11am at Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, with Rev. Ann Salyer and Pastor Anthony Dickerson officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Cemetery, Chelsea. Memorial contributions may be made to the Covenant Church of Chelsea.

More About Gerald Wenk and Dixie Rowe:

Marriage: 04 Sep 1954, Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Gerald Wenk and Dixie Rowe are:

- 217 i. Elizabeth Lee⁷ Wenk, born 12 Aug 1955 in Jackson, Jackson Co, Michigan; died 15 Dec 2011 in Columbus, Franklin Co, Ohio.
 - ii. Sarah Wenk, born Aft. 1956. She married William Ball; born Aft. 1951.

119. Lyle Fredrick⁶ Wenk (Roland Friedrich⁵, Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 03 Apr 1937 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 16 May 1977 in Hanover Park, Illinois. He married **Shirley A. Oyler** Aft. 1955. She was born 1935.

More About Lyle Fredrick Wenk:

Burial: May 1977, Oak Grove Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Military service: corporal US Marine Corp

Occupation: Freight superviser for American Airlines 18 years

Social Security Number: 366-34-8452

More About Shirley A. Oyler: Residence: Hanover Park, Illinois Residence 2: Roselle, Illinois Residence 3: Bartlett, Illinois Residence 4: Athens, Tennessee More About Lyle Wenk and Shirley Oyler:

Marriage: Aft. 1955

Children of Lyle Wenk and Shirley Oyler are:

i. Thomas K.7 Wenk, born 1956. He married Margot J. ?; born 1952.

More About Thomas K. Wenk: Residence: Hanover Park, Illinois Residence 2: Carol Stream, Illinois Residence 3: Arlington Heights, Illinois Residence 4: Leawood, Kansas Residence 5: Shawnee, Kansas

Residence 6: Rockford, Illinois Residence 7: Modesto, California Residence 8: Hugo, Minnesota

ii. Kevin Wenk, born Aft. 1957.

120. Alice Ann⁶ Wenk (Lorenz Wilhelm⁵, Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 19 Mar 1937 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **William McCallum** Sep 1960. He was born Aft. 1922.

More About Alice Ann Wenk:

Baptism: 25 Apr 1937, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Freedom Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About William McCallum: Residence: Pine Bluff, Arizona

Marriage Notes for Alice Wenk and William McCallum:

The engagement of Alice Ann Wenk to William McCallum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McCallum of St. Clair, has been announced April 7, 1960 by her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lorenz Wenk, 245 Jefferson Street. The bride-elect is a graduate of Michigan State University. Mr. McCallum is a junior in the College of Veterinary Medicine at Michigan State University where he is a member of Phi Kappa Phi and Phi Eta Sigma honorary societies. A September wedding is planned.

More About William McCallum and Alice Wenk:

Marriage: Sep 1960

Child of Alice Wenk and William McCallum is:

i. ?7 McCallum, born 17 Dec 1961 in Mineral Wells, Texas.

123. Joan Eunice⁶ Pierce (Hilda Maria⁵ Wenk, Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 05 Jan 1928 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 21 Aug 2008 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co, Michigan. She married **Edward William Kipfmiller** 20 Nov 1948 in Cheslea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Edward Kipfmiller and Kathyrn Cole. He was born 08 Sep 1927 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 14 Feb 1957 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Joan Eunice Pierce:

Joan Eunice Kipfmiller of Chelsea, age 95, passed away Tuesday, September 26, 2023, at Legacy Assisted Living in Jackson. She was born January 5, 1928, in Chelsea, Michigan, the daughter of Elmer W. and Hilda M. (Wenk) Pierce. Joan graduated from Chelsea High School in 1945. She worked for The University of Michigan for 25 years, retiring in 1993, from the School of Natural Resources. She was a member of St. Paul United Church of Christ. She loved to square dance and travel. She enjoyed bowling at Chelsea Lanes.

On November 20, 1948, she married Edward W. Kipfmiller at St. Paul United Church of Christ in

Chelsea, and he preceded her in death on February 14, 1957. Her brother, Donald F. (Donna) Pierce of Chelsea also preceded her in death. Survivors include one son, Edward Dennis (Danielle) Kipfmiller of Chelsea; two daughters, Sheryl (Jimmie) Bingham of Easley, South Carolina, and Jill (Mark) Booth of Homer; eight grandchildren, Jeffrey, Adam, Erin, Lisa, Alan, Heather, Nicole, and Melissa; eight great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

No public services are planned. Burial will be at Washtenong Memorial Park in Ann Arbor. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul United Church of Christ or Gentiva Hospice of Jackson.

More About Edward Kipfmiller and Joan Pierce:

Marriage: 20 Nov 1948, Cheslea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Joan Pierce and Edward Kipfmiller are:

+ 222 i. Jill Marie⁷ Kipfmiller, born 12 Feb 1953.

223 ii. Edward Dennis Kipfmiller, born 11 Oct 1956.

125. Patricia G.⁶ Wenk (Leon Jacob⁵, Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 1937. She married **? Freeman** Aft. 1944. He was born Aft. 1927.

More About Patricia G. Wenk:

Residence: Lincoln Park, Wayne Co, Michigan Residence 2: Southgate, Wayne Co, Michigan

More About ? Freeman:

Residence: Lincoln Park, Wayne Co, Michigan

More About ? Freeman and Patricia Wenk:

Marriage: Aft. 1944

Children of Patricia Wenk and ? Freeman are:

i. Ralph Edward⁷ Freeman, born 1959.

225 ii. Ronald Carroll Freeman, born 1960.

More About Ronald Carroll Freeman:

Residence: Lincoln Park, Wayne Co, Michigan Residence 2: Romulus, Wayne Co, Michigan

226 iii. Timothy J. Freeman, born 1966.

127. Hugh Albert⁶ Wenk (Karl Albert⁵, Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 07 Jul 1933 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 10 Jul 2007 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Ruth Evelyn Curry** 08 Aug 1964 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She was born 1937.

Notes for Hugh Albert Wenk:

Hugh Wenk of Ann Arbor, Michigan age 74, died Tuesday, July 10, 2007. Hugh is survived by his mother Enid, his son Ross, his Uncle Herbert and Aunt Corinne and his adoptive family in Mexico. Entombment has taken place. Arrangements completed by Nie Family Funeral Home.

More About Hugh Albert Wenk:

Residence: 1205 Snyder Ave; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Hugh Wenk and Ruth Curry:

Marriage: 08 Aug 1964, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Hugh Wenk and Ruth Curry are:

i. Ross Albert⁷ Wenk, born 1967. He married Heather ?; born Aft. 1966.

228 ii. Earl Wenk, born Aft. 1968.

129. Susan Ellen⁶ Wenk (Herbert Charles⁵, Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born Aft. 1942. She married **David Moore** Aft. 1961. He was born Aft. 1932.

More About David Moore and Susan Wenk:

Marriage: Aft. 1961

Children of Susan Wenk and David Moore are:

229 i. ?⁷ Moore, born Aft. 1962.

230 ii. Devyn Elizabeth Moore, born Aft. 1962.

130. Steven Allen⁶ Wenk (Herbert Charles⁵, Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born Dec 1952. He married **Rebecca Ann?**. She was born Jul 1954.

More About Steven Allen Wenk:

Residence: 815 Tostenabe Lane; Muskegon, Muskegon Co, Michigan

Child of Steven Wenk and Rebecca? is:

i. Grace R.⁷ Wenk, born Apr 1982.

132. Carol Lynn⁶ Schwartz (Corinne Ila⁵ Wenk, Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 1955. She married Calvin Ray White. He was born Aft. 1950.

Children of Carol Schwartz and Calvin White are:

i. Catherine Corinne⁷ White, born Aft. 1976.

ii. Ashlie Tara White, born Aft. 1977.

138. Laurie Ann⁶ Cooch (Karen Lea⁵ Wenk, Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born Aft. 1964. She married **Donald Clyde Johnson** 15 Dec 1989 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born Aft. 1955.

More About Donald Johnson and Laurie Cooch:

Marriage: 15 Dec 1989, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Laurie Cooch and Donald Johnson are:

i. Katherine⁷ Johnson, born Aft. 1981.

235 ii. David Johnson, born Aft. 1981.

142. Brianne⁶ **Wenk** (Roger Albert⁵, Heinrich Albert⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born Aft. 1969. She married **? Webley**. He was born Aft. 1961.

Children of Brianne Wenk and ? Webley are:

i. Starlite⁷ Webley, born Aft. 1987.

ii. Raine Webley, born Aft. 1989.

238 iii. Phoenix Webley, born Aft. 1990.

143. Dean Lowry⁶ Wenk (Norman Jensen⁵, Edwin Otto⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 05 Aug 1932 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 26 Jun 2016 in Flushing, Genesee Co, Michigan. He married **Alwen Gail ?**. She was born 28 Jun 1934.

Notes for Dean Lowry Wenk:

Dean Lowry Wenk of Flushing Age 83, died Sunday, June 26, 2016. Dean was born August 5, 1932

in Ann Arbor the son of Norman and Helen (Lowry) Wenk. He was a veteran of the Korean War serving in the U.S. Army. He married Alwen Brown August 28, 1954 in Flint. He had resided in Flushing since 1968 coming from Flint. Dean Owned and Operated Business Printing Plus in Flushing. He was a member of King of Glory Lutheran Church, life member of the Flushing V.F.W. Post #5666, and Flushing Masonic Lodge #223.

Surviving are: his wife of 61 years, Alwen; sons, Donald and wife Toshiko Wenk and Kenneth Wenk and Kathleen Ridgeway; grandchildren, Mia, Brian, Amanda, and Jeremy Wenk and Marcus Mosely; great grandson, Joseph; sister, Carol Morgan; numerous nieces and nephews; and his faithful companion, Sophie. He was preceded in death by his parents and daughter, Gail Wenk.

Services will be held 1 PM Thursday, June 30, 2016 at King of Glory Lutheran Church, 6012 River Road, Flushing. Pastor Joyce Johnston officiating. Graveside service will be held 1:00 PM Tuesday, July 5, 2016 at Great Lakes National Cemetery, Holly. Visitation will be held at the church Thursday from 12:00 PM until the time of the service. Those desiring may make contributions to the family thru King of Glory Lutheran Church or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

More About Dean Lowry Wenk: Residence: Flint, Michigan Residence 2: Flushing, Michigan

Children of Dean Wenk and Alwen? are:

+ 239 i. Donald Howard⁷ Wenk, born 24 Sep 1955.

ii. Gail Marie Wenk, born 17 Nov 1956 in Flint, Genesee Co, Michigan; died 19 Dec 2006 in Austin, Travis Co, Texas

Notes for Gail Marie Wenk:

Gail Marie Wenk of Austin, Texas, age 50, died suddenly December 19, 2006. A memorial service will be held December 28, 2006 at 12 noon at King of Glory Lutheran Church, 6012 River Road, Flushing, Rev. Jim Noble officiating. Gail was born in Flint, Michigan on November 17, 1956, daughter of Dean and Alwen Wenk . . . Visitation 10 a.m. and services noon Saturday, All Faiths Funeral Service, north location. Burial will be private.

iii. Kenneth John Wenk, born 13 Dec 1959. He married Kathleen ?; born Aft. 1959.

145. Nancy Lee⁶ Wenk (Paul Herbert⁵, Adolph Gustof⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 08 Nov 1944 in Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan. She married William Allen Taylor 19 Oct 1968 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born Aft. 1930.

More About Nancy Lee Wenk:

Adoption: Aft. 1945

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Occupation: 1965, waitress Woolworth's Store Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1967, 408 W. Washington; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About William Allen Taylor:

Residence: Fowlerville, Livingston Co, Michigan

More About William Taylor and Nancy Wenk: Marriage: 19 Oct 1968, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Nancy Wenk and William Taylor are:

i. Lee Ann⁷ Taylor, born Aft. 1968.
ii. Kristine Taylor, born Aft. 1969.

147. Karen Elaine⁶ **Wenk** (Robert Charles⁵, Adolph Gustof⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 03 Feb 1943. She married **(1) Laurence McFall**. He was born Aft. 1939. She married **(2) Roy Hobart Losey** 23 Jun 1962 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born 01 Jul 1939.

More About Roy Hobart Losey:

Residence: Bet. 1988 - 1996, 50214 Cherry Hill Road; Canton, Wayne Co, Michigan

More About Roy Losey and Karen Wenk:

Marriage: 23 Jun 1962, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Karen Wenk and Roy Losey is:

i. Joan M.⁷ Losey, born 23 Jul 1968.

148. William Richard⁶ Wenk (Merle Wendell⁵, Adolph Gustof⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 31 May 1950 in Howell, Livingston Co, Michigan, and died 04 Oct 2005 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **(1) Janice Rogers** Aft. 1970. She was born 21 Jun 1951 in Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan, and died 27 Mar 2018 in Jackson Co, Michigan. He married **(2) Karen June (Horsch) Kirchmeyer** 30 Apr 1994 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She was born 26 Nov 1948.

Notes for William Richard Wenk:

William Richard Wenk, of Pinckney, Michigan (formerly of Manchester) Age 55, died Tuesday, October 4, 2005 at University Hospitals in Ann Arbor. Born May 31, 1950 in Howell, son of Merle and Alice M. (Bell) Wenk. William was a 1968 graduate of Howell High School; a Vietnam Navy Veteran; National Guard retiree; employed by Edwards Brothers of Ann Arbor for 31 years as a maintenance electrician; member of Manchester V.F.W. and an avid hunter and fisherman.

He is survived by his wife, Karen J. (Kirchmeyer) whom he married April 30, 1994 in Manchester; also children, Eric (Sarah) Wenk of Stockbridge, Korey Wenk of Los Angeles, California, and Tina Birney of Pinckney; three granddaughters, Brianna, Mia, and Makenzie; sister, Sandra (Donald) Walker of Howell; brothers, Dennis (Virginia) Wenk of Walworth, New York, and Gordon (Karen) Wenk of Williamston.

Family private services will be held. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to American Cancer Society or Michigan United Conservation Club. Arrangements by MacDonald's Funeral Home, Howell.

More About William Richard Wenk:

Funeral Home: MacDonald's Funeral Home Howell, Livingston Co, Michigan Graduation: 1968, Howell High School Howell, Livingston Co, Michigan

Hospital at death: University of Michigan Hospital Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Military service: US Navy Vietnam Military service 2: National Guard

Occupation: maintenance electrician Edward Brothers Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan 31 years

Notes for Janice Rogers:

Janice Wenk of Jackson, Michigan passed away on March 27, 2018 at her home. She was born on June 21, 1950 in Detroit, Michigan to Ralph and Barbara (Tune) Rogers. Janice is survived by three children, Eric (Kellie) Wenk, Korey Wenk and Tina Birney and six grandchildren, Breanna, Hannah, Collin, Makenzie, Mia and Ava. Janice graduated from Fowlerville High School and lived most of her life in Manchester. She enjoyed crafting, scrap booking and was a huge Elvis fan.

At her request cremation has taken place and there will be no additional services at this time. Arrangements are entrusted to the Hampton Funeral Home in Jackson.

More About William Wenk and Janice Rogers:

Marriage: Aft. 1970

More About William Wenk and Karen Kirchmeyer:

Marriage: 30 Apr 1994, Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of William Wenk and Janice Rogers are:

+ 245 i. Eric⁷ Wenk, born 14 Dec 1972. 246 ii. Korey Uhl Wenk, born 05 Apr 1979.

More About Korey Uhl Wenk:

Residence: 2005, Los Angeles, California

- iii. Tina Wenk, born 28 Apr 1981. She married ? Birney; born Aft. 1990.
- **152. Ronald J.⁶ Wenk** (Adolph James⁵, Adolph Gustof⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born Aft. 1950. He married **Karen Sharkey** Aft. 1970. She was born 1951.

More About Ronald J. Wenk: Residence: Atlanta, Georgia Residence 2: Roswell, Georgia

More About Ronald Wenk and Karen Sharkey:

Marriage: Aft. 1970

Children of Ronald Wenk and Karen Sharkey are:

i. Sarah L.⁷ Wenk, born 1978.
 ii. Colleen M. Wenk, born 1978.
 iii. Amy Lynn Wenk, born Aft. 1970.

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160. Kathleen Ann⁷ Zick (Nancy Ann⁶ Wenk, Edgar Elmer⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 02 Feb 1959. She married **John Arthur Webb** 30 Oct 1982. He was born 14 Apr 1955.

More About Kathleen Ann Zick:

Baptism: 01 Mar 1959, St. John's Lutheran Church Bridgewater Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About John Webb and Kathleen Zick:

Marriage: 30 Oct 1982

Children of Kathleen Zick and John Webb are:

i. Tara Ann⁸ Webb, born 02 Apr 1984. She married ? Harkins.

ii. Whitney Marie Webb, born 05 Aug 1987.

161. Susan Kay⁷ Zick (Nancy Ann⁶ Wenk, Edgar Elmer⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 11 Jul 1961 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married (1) Frank Wesley McKnight 10 Sep 1983. He was born 16 Jun 1951. She married (2) Richard Allen Sutliff 28 Jul 2000 in Mason, Michigan. He was born 12 Mar 1945 in Flint, Genesee Co, Michigan.

More About Susan Kay Zick:

Baptism: 30 Jul 1961, St. John's Lutheran Church Bridgewater Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Frank McKnight and Susan Zick:

Marriage: 10 Sep 1983

More About Richard Sutliff and Susan Zick:

Marriage: 28 Jul 2000, Mason, Michigan

Children of Susan Zick and Frank McKnight are:

i. Michael Matthew⁸ McKnight, born 22 Dec 1983.

ii. Steven Paul McKnight, born 06 Mar 1986.

255 iii. Michelle Nicole McKnight, born 12 Jul 1991.

164. Darren Lee⁷ Wenk (Richard Edgar⁶, Edgar Elmer⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 14 Aug 1965 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Lisa May Roehm** 29 May 1993 in Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, daughter of Melvin Roehm and Joanne Hand. She was born 14 Feb 1966 in Saline Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Darren Lee Wenk:

Residence: 12901 Ford Hwy; Saline Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Notes for Lisa May Roehm:

Joanne and Melvin Roehm of Clinton have announced Feb. 24, 1993 the engagement of their daughter, Lisa, to Darren Wenk of Saline. A May 1993 wedding is planned. A 1984 graduate of Clinton High School, Lisa is a student at the University of Michigan. Darren, the son of Bernice and Richard Wenk of Saline, graduated from Saline High School in 1984 and is employed at Protomatic in Dexter.

More About Lisa May Roehm:

Confirmation: 1980, St. James United Church of Christ Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Marriage Notes for Darren Wenk and Lisa Roehm:

Joanne and Melvin Roehm of Clinton have announced Feb. 24, 1993 the engagement of their daughter, Lisa, to Darren Wenk of Saline. A May 1993 wedding is planned. A 1984 graduate of Clinton High School, Lisa is a student at the University of Michigan. Darren, the son of Bernice and Richard Wenk of Saline, graduated from Saline High School in 1984 and is employed at Protomatic in Dexter.

Lisa May Roehm and Darren Lee Wenk were united in marriage on May 29,1993 at St. James United Church of Christ, Saline. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Nancy Rohde and united the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Roehm with the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wenk of Saline. J Honor attendants were Donna Jedele, the bride's sister from Manchester, and Jeff Drake of Saline. Serving as bridesmaids were Darlene Downardof Tecumseh, Cheryl Ahrens of Clinton, Denise Guenther of Saline, and Denise Wenk, the groom's sisterfrom Ann Arbor. The flower girl was Danica Moore, the groom's cousin from Saline. The groomsmen were Steve Hill of Saline, Roger Roehm, the bride's brotherfrom Clinton, Scott Finkbeiner of Saline, and Mark Wenk, the groom's brotherfrom Ann Arbor. The ringbearer was Benjamin Downard of Tecumseh. Ushers were Steve Feldkamp of Saline and David Jedele, the bride's brother-in-law from Manchester.

The reception was held at the Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds, and was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. William Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. David Zick. Dawn Neigebauer and Kay Robison attended the guest book. Cutting the cake, which was made by the bride's mother, Joanne Roehm, were Shirley Rothfuss and Bonnie Gaiser. The newlyweds spent their honeymoon in the Smoky Mountains and now reside in Saline. Lisa is a 1984 graduate of Clinton High School and is employed by the University of Michigan. Darren, a 1984 graduate of Saline High School, is employed by Protomatic in Dexter and by Lloyd Guenther Farms in Saline.

More About Darren Wenk and Lisa Roehm:

Marriage: 29 May 1993, Saline, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Darren Wenk and Lisa Roehm are:

i. Rebecca Ann⁸ Wenk, twin, born 09 Mar 1995. She married Dale Hubbard; born Aft. 1990.

ii. Brenda May Wenk, twin, born 09 Mar 1995. She married Zachariah Gualdoni 13 Oct 2018; born 11 Apr 1995.

Notes for Brenda May Wenk, twin:

Brenda Gualdoni

Experience

- Jan 2019 Present Groundskeeper at University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, Michigan
- Apr 2018 Mar 2019 Camo Outfitter at Cabela's in Dundee, Michigan
- Feb 2018 Mar 2018 911 Dispatcher at Lenawee County Sheriff in Adrian, Michigan
- Aug 2017 Dec 2017 Store Cashier at Kapnick Orchards in Britton, Michigan
- May 2015 Aug 2017 Painter at University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, Michigan
- Aug 2013 Apr 2017 Grounds Crew at Lake Superior State University in Sault Sainte Marie, Michigan
- Jun 2014 Aug 2014 Mow Crew at Saline DPW in Saline, Michigan
- Sep 2012 Aug 2013 Stock Girl at Schmidt and Son's Pharmacy in Clinton, Michigan Education
- 2013 2017 Bachelor of Science BS Fire Science/Fire-fighting at Lake Superior State University

More About Zachariah Gualdoni and Brenda Wenk:

Marriage: 13 Oct 2018

258 iii. Kristie Lee Wenk, born 06 Jan 2000 in Superior Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Kristie Lee Wenk:

Kristie Lee Wenk arrived January 6, 2000 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor at 12:20 a.m. The daughter of Lisa and Darren Wenk of Saline, Kristie weighed 8 lb., 2 oz. and pleasured 20" at birth. She has two sisters, Rebecca and Brenda, both 4. Proud grandparents are Bernice and Richard Wenk of Saline and Joanne and Melvin Roehm of Clinton. Great-grandmother is Selma Wenk of Ann Arbor.

259 iv. Kyle Darren Wenk, born 07 Jul 2004 in Superior Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

Notes for Kyle Darren Wenk:

Kyle Darren Wenk was born July 7, 2004 at 8:27 a.m. in St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor. The son of Lisa and Darren Wenk of Saline, Kyle weighed 8 lb., 4 oz. and measured 21" at birth. Kyle has three sisters, Rebecca and Brenda, both 9, and Kristie, 4. Their grandparents are Joanne and Melvin Roehm of Clinton, and Bernice and Richard Wenk of Saline. Their great-grandmother is Selma Wenk of Ann Arbor.

More About Kyle Darren Wenk:

Hospital at birth: St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Superior Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

167. Debra Patricia⁷ **Wenk** (David Frederick⁶, Edgar Elmer⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 19 Oct 1968 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Richard Galen Boham** 20 Oct 1990 in Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Phillip Boham. He was born 11 Nov 1965.

Marriage Notes for Debra Wenk and Richard Boham:

Debra Patricia Wenk, daughter Mr. and Mrs. David Wenk of Man¬chester, and Richard Galen Boham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Boham of Chelsea were married Oct. 20, 1990 at Emanuel United Church of Christ, Manchester. The Rev. Nancy Doty performed the ceremony. Matron of honor was Dawn Wenk of Manchester, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Shelley Hilts of Chelsea, sister of the bridegroom and Khristina Orbock of Ft. Campbell, Kentucky, and Rene Kussmaul of Ypsilanti, friends of the bride. Flowergirl was Tara Webb of Mason, cousin of the bride, and ring bearer was Derek Punches Manchester, friend of the family. Best man was Steve Fleischman of Chelsea. Ushers included Shad Hilts, Riley Sumner, and John Mitchell of Chelsea.

A reception was held at the Sports¬man Club, Manchester. Cake cutters were Marilyn Minick and Heidi Minick of Manchester. The couple is living in Manchester.

More About Richard Boham and Debra Wenk:

Marriage: 20 Oct 1990, Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Debra Wenk and Richard Boham is:

i. Amanda Patricia⁸ Boham, born 10 Nov 1997 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

170. Barbara Edith⁷ Jeroue (Mary Ann⁶ Wenk, Herbert L.⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 30 Jul 1955. She married **Douglas B. Gordon**. He was

born 04 Oct 1943 in Flagstaff, Coconino Co, Arizona, and died 31 Dec 2014.

Notes for Douglas B. Gordon:

Douglas B. Gordon, son of Enone and Charles B. Gordon died December 31st, 2014 after a struggle with cancer. He is survived by his wife Barbara, daughters, Nicole Beger and family, Kendra Wilson and family, as well as by his beloved church family. Also survived by half-sister Melba Ferguson of Weatherford, Texas and numerous cousins. Doug was preceded in death by his parents and half-brother Charles B. Gordon, Jr.

Born in Flagstaff, Arizona and graduated from Flagstaff High School, Doug was involved locally in Civil Air Patrol for several years. Doug was employed with large and small equipment companies, he was known for his excellent customer service.

The services will be held at Beaver Creek Baptist Church January 10th 4 p.m. in Rimrock, Arizona. Any donations may be sent to Bread of Life Missions P.O. Box 2991 Camp Verde, Arizona 86322. Flowers may be sent to Beaver Creek Baptist Church 3705 East Beaver Creek Rd in Rimrock.

Children of Barbara Jeroue and Douglas Gordon are:

- + 261 i. Nicole D.8 Gordon, born 30 Mar 1976.
 - 262 ii. Kendra Gordon, born 19 Jun 1981. She married Gerald Wayne (Jerry) Wilson; born 27 Oct 1974.
- **174. Kelly**⁷ **Jeroue** (Mary Ann⁶ Wenk, Herbert L.⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 04 Sep 1959. He married **Katherine M. (Kathi) Schremmer**. She was born 18 Jul 1966.

Child of Kelly Jeroue and Katherine Schremmer is:

i. Kaleb⁸ Jeroue, born 08 Sep 1992.

176. Tammy⁷ **Jeroue** (Mary Ann⁶ Wenk, Herbert L.⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 28 May 1969. She married **(1) Michael Todd Alsup**. He was born 24 May 1972. She married **(2) Alan D. Bullard**. He was born 01 May 1962.

Child of Tammy Jeroue and Alan Bullard is:

i. Dani Dawn⁸ Bullard, born 1990. She married Bryce Sirrine; born 05 Jun 1988.

177. Kevin Lorison⁷ Taylor (Kathleen Violet⁶ Wenk, Herbert L.⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 04 Jan 1966. He married **Kimberly Sue Van Weelden**. She was born 16 Nov 1964.

Children of Kevin Taylor and Kimberly Van Weelden are:

- i. Garret⁸ Taylor, born Aft. 1984.
- 266 ii. Riley Taylor, born Aft. 1985.
- **180.** Kaye Marie⁷ Pratt (Roy Joseph⁶, Marie Katherine⁵ Wenk, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 14 Sep 1965. She married **Brian William Schlicht**, son of Jerrol Schlicht and Ruth Trolz. He was born 01 Apr 1960 in Tecumseh, Lenawee Co, Michigan.

More About Brian William Schlicht:

Baptism: 05 Jun 1960, Emanuel United Church of Christ Manchester, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Kaye Pratt and Brian Schlicht is:

i. Nicole Constance⁸ Schlicht, born 08 Jun 1994.

181. Randy Lee⁷ Pratt (Roy Joseph⁶, Marie Katherine⁵ Wenk, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 01 May 1968. He married **Paula Danielle ?**. She was

born 02 May 1973.

Child of Randy Pratt and Paula? is:

i. Randal (Randy)⁸ Pratt, born 21 Oct 1994.

185. Cheryl Ann⁷ Bareis (Arlene Rubena⁶ Loeffler, Rubena Maritta⁵ Wenk, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 29 Nov 1961 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Thomas Joseph (Tom) Quinn** 10 Jul 1993 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Joseph Quinn. He was born 1959.

Marriage Notes for Cheryl Bareis and Thomas Quinn:

Richard and Arlene Bareis, of Chelsea, have announced March 17, 1993 the engagement of their daughter, Cheryl, to Thomas Quinn, son of Joseph and Nancy Quinn, of Archbald, Pennsylvania. Cheryl graduated from Chelsea High School and received her degree from Michigan State University. She currently teaches fifth grade in Lynchburg, Virginia. Tom graduated from Valley View High School in Archbald, and attended Penn State University. Tom holds staff sergeant rank in the U.S. Air Force and is currently stationed at Osan Air Force Base in Korea. A small wedding is planned in July.

Cheryl Bareis, daughter of Richard id Arlene Bareis of Chelsea, and Thomas Quinn, son of Joseph and Nancy Quinn of Archibald, Pennsylvania, were married July 10, 1993 at Zion Lutheran Church in Chelsea. Pastor Mark Weirauch performed the ceremony. Maid of honor was Diane Bareis and John Quinn was the best man. Attendants and ushers were Judy Bareis, Nancy Ferriolo, Shelly Lazarus, Jim Koveleski, Mario Bertinelli, and Jeff Zella.

A reception followed at the Chelsea Depot. The newlyweds took a honeymoon trip to Alaska. The bride is a teacher and is completing her master's degree at Eastern Michigan University. The bridegroom is a staff sergeant in the U.S. Air Force and is stationed in Osan, Korea. The couple will be moving to Colorado Springs, Colorado, in January.

More About Thomas Quinn and Cheryl Bareis:

Marriage: 10 Jul 1993, Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Cheryl Bareis and Thomas Quinn are:

i. Alexander T.⁸ Quinn, born 1998. 270 ii. Patrick Quinn, born Aft. 1995.

186. Diane Kay⁷ Bareis (Arlene Rubena⁶ Loeffler, Rubena Maritta⁵ Wenk, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 26 Jun 1964. She married **Ken Greble**. He was born Aft. 1960.

Child of Diane Bareis and Ken Greble is:

i. Kaitlyn⁸ Greble, born Aft. 1983.

187. Judith Lynn (Judy)⁷ **Bareis** (Arlene Rubena⁶ Loeffler, Rubena Maritta⁵ Wenk, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 10 Dec 1970. She married **Fernando Hermosillo** 30 Aug 2002 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born 21 Dec 1973.

More About Fernando Hermosillo and Judith Bareis: Marriage: 30 Aug 2002, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Judith Bareis and Fernando Hermosillo are:

i. Anna⁸ Hermosillo, born Aft. 2002.

ii. Fernando G. Hermosillo, born Aft. 2004.

190. Deborah Elaine⁷ **Burkhardt** (Ronald Martin⁶, Edna Anna⁵ Wenk, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 22 Aug 1969. She married **Kevin Arthur Strahle** 08 Aug 1992 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Harold Strahle and Delores Below. He was born 09 Feb 1969.

More About Kevin Strahle and Deborah Burkhardt: Marriage: 08 Aug 1992, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Deborah Burkhardt and Kevin Strahle is:

i. Zachary Stewart⁸ Strahle, born 1994.

192. Brenda Sue⁷ Vedder (Karen Ann⁶ Burkhardt, Edna Anna⁵ Wenk, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 27 May 1967. She married **Curtis David Harwood** 11 Aug 1990 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born 28 Dec 1967.

More About Curtis David Harwood:

Residence: 1700 E. Terriorial N; Whitmore Lake, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence 2: 1996, 1510 Kilborn Drive; Petoskey, Emmet Co, Michigan

More About Curtis Harwood and Brenda Vedder: Marriage: 11 Aug 1990, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Brenda Vedder and Curtis Harwood are:

i. Clint R.⁸ Harwood, born Aft. 1990.
 ii. Nolan Harwood, born 12 May 1995.
 iii. Conner Harwood, born 25 Sep 1997.

201. Steven Frederick⁷ Hinderer (Marilyn Lorena⁶ Wenk, Norman Oscar⁵, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 06 Nov 1972. He married **Krista Joy Jahr** 17 Sep 2005, daughter of Thomas Jahr and Joyce Bachman. She was born 24 May 1974.

Notes for Steven Frederick Hinderer:

Steven Frederick Hinderer graduated from Ferris State University and works for PETS (Plastic Engineering Technical Service.) He married Krista Jahr Sept 17, 2005. She manages a Pier One Store and they live in Rochester, Michigan.

More About Steven Hinderer and Krista Jahr:

Marriage: 17 Sep 2005

Children of Steven Hinderer and Krista Jahr are:

278 i. Macey⁸ Hinderer. 279 ii. Max Hinderer. 280 iii. Micah Hinderer.

204. John Mark⁷ Himes, Jr. (Anita Marie⁶ Wenk, Norman Oscar⁵, Martin⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 28 Dec 1970 in Columbus, Franklin Co, Ohio. He married **Melissa Noel (Missy) Garraway**. She was born 29 Dec 1971.

Notes for John Mark Himes, Jr.:

John Mark Himes, Jr. born December 28, 1970 in Columbus, Ohio. Graduated from North Stafford High School, Stafford, Virginia where he meet his future wife Melissa Noel Garraway (born Dec29, 1971 in Washington, D.C.) He graduated from North Carolina State University in 1993 and was commissioned a 2nd Lt in the US Marine Corps, served until 1999, and attained the rank of Captain. He married Missy on October 9, 1993 in Stafford, Virginia. Missy is a 1993 graduate of The College of William and Mary and now works as a human resource manager for IBM. John is the manager of a manufacturing plant for

Siemens, International in Juarez, Mexico. They now live in El Paso, Texas.

Child of John Himes and Melissa Garraway is:

i. Katherine⁸ Himes, born 22 Oct 1998.

211. ?⁷ **Engeland** (Barbara⁶ Lohman, Etna Maria (Edna)⁵ Goetz, Louise Barbara (Lizzie)⁴ Wenk, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born Aft. 1952. He married **(1) ? Fenton** Aft. 1972. She was born Aft. 1952. He married **(2) Kathy Babcock** Aft. 1974. She was born Aft. 1950, and died 26 Aug 1983.

More About ? Engeland and ? Fenton:

Marriage: Aft. 1972

More About ? Engeland and Kathy Babcock:

Marriage: Aft. 1974

Child of ? Engeland and ? Fenton is:

282 i. ?8 Engeland, born Aft. 1972.

Children of? Engeland and Kathy Babcock are:

283 i. ?⁸ Engeland, born Aft. 1974. 284 ii. ? Engeland, born Aft. 1976.

212. ?⁷ **Engeland** (Barbara⁶ Lohman, Etna Maria (Edna)⁵ Goetz, Louise Barbara (Lizzie)⁴ Wenk, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born Aft. 1954. He married **?**. She was born Aft. 1954.

Children of ? Engeland and ? are:

285 i. ?⁸ Engeland, born Aft. 1974. 286 ii. ? Engeland, born Aft. 1976.

213. ?⁷ **Engeland** (Barbara⁶ Lohman, Etna Maria (Edna)⁵ Goetz, Louise Barbara (Lizzie)⁴ Wenk, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born Aft. 1955. He married **Kelley ?**. She was born Aft. 1955.

Child of ? Engeland and Kelley ? is: 287 i. ?8 Engeland, born Aft. 1975.

217. Elizabeth Lee⁷ Wenk (Gerald Roland (Jerry)⁶, Roland Friedrich⁵, Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 12 Aug 1955 in Jackson, Jackson Co, Michigan, and died 15 Dec 2011 in Columbus, Franklin Co, Ohio. She married **Timothy T. Callan** 20 Apr 1991 in Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born Aft. 1950.

Notes for Elizabeth Lee Wenk:

Elizabeth Lee Wenk-Callan of Adrian, Michigan, formerly of Chelsea, age 56, died Thursday, December 15, 2011 in Columbus, Ohio. She was born August 12, 1955 in Jackson, Michigan, the daughter of Jerry and Dixie (Rowe) Wenk. Elizabeth graduated from Chelsea High School in 1973. She led a quiet and unassuming life. Elizabeth loved to go for a drive. She loved gardening, birds, animals and her pets, but she especially loved and enjoyed her family and grandchildren.

On April 20, 1991, she married Timothy T. Callan in Chelsea, and he survives. Other survivors include her parents of Chelsea; a daughter, Jennifer (Scott) Sandusky of Columbus, Ohio; a son, Matthew (Lennie Jo) Hardy of Adrian; three grandchildren, Kailah and Tyler Hardy, Samantha "Sami" Sandusky; a sister, Sarah; and a niece and a nephew.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, December 20, 11:00 a.m. at Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, with Reverend Ann Salyer officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Cemetery, Chelsea. The family will receive friends Monday 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to the family.

More About Elizabeth Lee Wenk:

Burial: 20 Dec 2011, Oak Gorve Cemetery Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Timothy Callan and Elizabeth Wenk:

Marriage: 20 Apr 1991, Chelsea, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Elizabeth Wenk and Timothy Callan are:

- + 288 i. Jennifer⁸ Callan, born Aft. 1991.
- + 289 ii. Matthew Hardy, born Aft. 1993.
- **222. Jill Marie⁷ Kipfmiller** (Joan Eunice⁶ Pierce, Hilda Maria⁵ Wenk, Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 12 Feb 1953. She married **Mark Alan Booth**. He was born 14 Oct 1953.

Children of Jill Kipfmiller and Mark Booth are:

- i. Adam Michael⁸ Booth, born 11 Jul 1982. He married Leslie Barnard; born 09 Dec 1981.
- ii. Erin Joan Booth, twin, born 07 Jun 1985 in Albion, Calhoun Co, Michigan. She married David Lucio Honig; born 23 Dec 1983.
- iii. Isa Irene Booth, twin, born 07 Jun 1985 in Albion, Calhoun Co, Michigan.
- **239. Donald Howard⁷ Wenk** (Dean Lowry⁶, Norman Jensen⁵, Edwin Otto⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 24 Sep 1955. He married **Toshiko** ?. She was born 29 May 1951.

Children of Donald Wenk and Toshiko? are:

- i. Amanda Sachiko⁸ Wenk, born 26 Feb 1985. She married ? Hankins.
- 294 ii. Joseph Kouji Wenk, born 1993.
- **245.** Eric⁷ Wenk (William Richard⁶, Merle Wendell⁵, Adolph Gustof⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 14 Dec 1972. He married **Sarah?** Aft. 2003. She was born Aft. 1994.

More About Eric Wenk:

Residence: 2005, Stockbridge, Ingham Co, Michigan

More About Eric Wenk and Sarah ?:

Marriage: Aft. 2003

Children of Eric Wenk and Sarah? are:

i. Brianna⁸ Wenk, born Aft. 2003.
 ii. Mia Wenk, born Aft. 2004.

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261. Nicole D.⁸ **Gordon** (Barbara Edith⁷ Jeroue, Mary Ann⁶ Wenk, Herbert L.⁵, Joseph William⁴, Ignatz Gassmann (John)³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born 30 Mar 1976. She married **David Joseph Beger**. He was born 02 May 1973.

Children of Nicole Gordon and David Beger are:

297 i. ?9 Beger.
 298 ii. ? Beger.

288. Jennifer⁸ **Callan** (Elizabeth Lee⁷ Wenk, Gerald Roland (Jerry)⁶, Roland Friedrich⁵, Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born Aft. 1991. She married **Scott Sandusky**. He was born Aft. 1988.

More About Scott Sandusky:

Residence: 2011, Columbus, Franklin Co, Ohio

Child of Jennifer Callan and Scott Sandusky is:

i. Samantha (Sami)⁹ Sandusky, born Aft. 2008.

289. Matthew⁸ **Hardy** (Elizabeth Lee⁷ Wenk, Gerald Roland (Jerry)⁶, Roland Friedrich⁵, Friedrich Wilhelm (Frederick)⁴, Joseph³, Johann², Johann Michael¹) was born Aft. 1993. He married **Lennie Jo ?**. She was born Aft. 1991.

Children of Matthew Hardy and Lennie? are:

300 i. Kailah⁹ Hardy, born Aft. 2009.

ii. Tyler Hardy, born Aft. 2010.