# **Descendants of Johannes Bischof**

## **Generation No. 1**

1. Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof was born Bef. 1800 in Dornstetten, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg. He married Anna Maria Hauer. She was born Bef. 1801.

Child of Johannes Bischof and Anna Hauer is:

+ 2 i. Gottlieb² Bischoff, born 22 Feb 1820 in Dornstetten, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg; died 25 Oct 1878 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg.

## **Generation No. 2**

**2. Gottlieb**<sup>2</sup> **Bischoff** (Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 22 Feb 1820 in Dornstetten, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg, and died 25 Oct 1878 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg. He married **Agatha Kirn** 15 Feb 1844 in Besenfeld, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg, daughter of Johannes Kirn and Agatha Sackmann. She was born 28 Oct 1820 in Besenfeld, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg, and died 16 Apr 1885 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg.

More About Gottlieb Bischoff and Agatha Kirn:

Marriage: 15 Feb 1844, Besenfeld, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg

#### Children of Gottlieb Bischoff and Agatha Kirn are:

 i. Gottllieb Friedrich<sup>3</sup> Bischoff, born 17 Jan 1845 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg; died 20 Aug 1878 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Gottllieb Friedrich Bischoff:

Burial: 22 Aug 1878, Forest Hill Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Cause of Death: consumption

Confirmation: 1859, Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg Emigration: Apr 1863, US based on enlistment & naturalization

Emigration 2: 1866, US

Military service: 27 May 1865, enlisted US Army Co A 16th Michigan Infantry

Military service 2: 08 Jul 1865, discharged

Naturalization: 16 Mar 1870, final

4 ii. Agatha Bischoff, born 09 Jan 1846 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg. She married Gottlieb Locher 1873 in Calmbach, Calw, Wurtemberg; born Aft. 1839.

More About Gottlieb Locher:

Occupation: painter & plasterer

Residence: Calmbach, Calw, Wurtemberg

More About Gottlieb Locher and Agatha Bischoff:

Marriage: 1873, Calmbach, Calw, Wurtemberg

- + 5 iii. Rosina Bischoff, born 12 Nov 1848 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg.
- + 6 iv. Eva Catharina Bischof, born 16 Jul 1850 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg; died 30 May 1924 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
  - v. Johannes Bischoff, born 11 Dec 1857 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg; died 12 Apr 1873 in Pforzheim, Calw, Wurtemberg.

More About Johannes Bischoff:

Confirmation: 1871, Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg

- + 8 vi. Georg Joseph Bischoff, born 25 Feb 1859 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg; died 30 Sep 1922 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 9 vii. Anna Maria Bischoff, born 25 Sep 1860 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg; died 26 Feb 1931 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

- + 10 viii. Johann Georg Bischoff, born 12 Dec 1861 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg; died 15 Dec 1940 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
  - 11 ix. Friederike Bischoff, born 23 Šep 1862 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg; died 18 Dec 1884 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg.

More About Friederike Bischoff:

Confirmation: 1876, Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg

## **Generation No. 3**

**5.** Rosina³ Bischoff (Gottlieb², Johannes¹ Bischof) was born 12 Nov 1848 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg. She married **(2) Johann Jacob Doettling** 30 Jul 1871 in Wurtemberg. He was born Aft. 1838.

More About Johann Jacob Doettling: Occupation: bakery & hotel business Residence: Calmbach, Calw, Wurtemberg

More About Johann Doettling and Rosina Bischoff:

Marriage: 30 Jul 1871, Wurtemberg

Child of Rosina Bischoff is:

12 i. Johann Jakob<sup>4</sup> Bischoff, born 01 Jan 1870 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg.

**6. Eva Catharina³ Bischof** (Gottlieb² Bischoff, Johannes¹ Bischof) was born 16 Jul 1850 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg, and died 30 May 1924 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Christian Friedrich Gauss** 09 Mar 1872 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Johannes Gauss and Maria Hoeck. He was born 12 Nov 1848 in Moenchberg, Boeblingen, Wurtemberg, and died 18 Dec 1917 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Eva Catharina Bischof:

Confirmation: 1864, Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg

Emigration: 1869, US

More About Christian Friedrich Gauss:

Burial: 20 Dec 1917, Forest Hill Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Cause of Death: chronic gastritis & nephritis; arterial secerosis of liver Census: 1870, baker Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan page 348R

Census 2: 18 Jun 1880, W. Liberty Street; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 223 SD 1

sheet 53 children: Robert 7, Charles 5, Frederick 2 & infant 1/12

Census 3: 14 Jun 1900, 123 W. Liberty Street; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 85 SD 2 sheet 21b

Children: 1900, 5 with 4 living Emigration: Dec 1868, US

Occupation: Bet. 1872 - 1880, bakery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1900, grocer Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 1900, 123 W. Liberty; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence 2: 1909, 112 W. Jefferson; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Christian Gauss and Eva Bischof:

Marriage: 09 Mar 1872, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

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

Children of Eva Bischof and Christian Gauss are:

 Robert F.<sup>4</sup> Gauss, born 23 Jul 1873 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 29 Apr 1964 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Robert F. Gauss: Occupation: 1900, bank clerk

Occupation 2: 1917, bookkeeper First National Bank Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1917, boards 225 3rd; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 377-18-6527

ii. Carl Edward (Karl) Gauss, born 30 Nov 1874 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married Anna Henrietta Wehner 18 Feb 1897 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born Aug 1876 in Michigan.

More About Carl Edward (Karl) Gauss:

Census 2: 22 Apr 1910, 223 3rd Street; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 113 SD 2 sheet 8b Census 3: 08 Jun 1920, 539 6th Street; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 85 SD 2 sheet 12a living w/ mother-in-law Cora Wehner's family

Census 4: 1930, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Medical Information: 1918 medium height, slender build, eyes brown & hair light Military service: 12 Sep 1918, draft registration Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation: 1909, bookbinder 9 Ann Arbor Press Building Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1918, bookbinder Ann Arbor Press 317 Maynard Street; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 3: Bet. 1910 - 1920, book binder own shop Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: Bet. 1909 - 1918, 223 3rd Street; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Anna Henrietta Wehner: Children: Bet. 1900 - 1910, none

Occupation: 1910, book binder bindery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Carl Gauss and Anna Wehner:

Marriage: 18 Feb 1897, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

- + 15 iii. Christian Friedrich Gauss, born 02 Feb 1878 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died Jan 1951 in New York
  - 16 iv. Rosina Mathilde Gauss, born 20 May 1880 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 22 Oct 1887 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
  - V. Johann Edward Gauss, born 27 May 1882 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 12 Oct 1907 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Johann Edward Gauss:

Burial: 15 Oct 1907, Forest Hill Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Cause of Death: haccuoptysis; pulmonary tuberculosis

Confirmation: 11 Apr 1897, Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

**8. Georg Joseph**<sup>3</sup> **Bischoff** (Gottlieb<sup>2</sup>, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 25 Feb 1859 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg, and died 30 Sep 1922 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **(1) Wilhelmina (Lander) Zander** 15 May 1896 in Wayne Co, Michigan, daughter of Chrsitian Zander and Carolina Appel. She was born 1857. He married **(2) Katrina Lubsle** 20 May 1922 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She was born 1867.

More About Georg Joseph Bischoff:

Confirmation: 1873, Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg

Emigration: US

Occupation: 1915, helper Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 1915, 1523 Pear; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Georg Bischoff and Wilhelmina Zander:

Marriage: 15 May 1896, Wayne Co, Michigan

More About Georg Bischoff and Katrina Lubsle:

Marriage: 20 May 1922, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Children of Georg Bischoff and Katrina Lubsle are:

i. J. Charles<sup>4</sup> Bischoff, born Aft. 1875.

More About J. Charles Bischoff:

Occupation: 1915, laborer Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1915, boards 1523 Pear; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

19 ii. Carrie Bischoff, born Aft. 1876.

More About Carrie Bischoff:

Occupation: 1915, clerk Reliable Laundry Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 1915, boards 1523 Pear; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

**9. Anna Maria³ Bischoff** (Gottlieb², Johannes¹ Bischof) was born 25 Sep 1860 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg, and died 26 Feb 1931 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Ludwig (Louis) Becker** 05 Aug 1884 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He was born 26 May 1854 in Gunderhausen, Hessia, Germany, and died 08 Oct 1940 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Anna Maria Bischoff:

Children: 1900, 8 w/ 6 living

Confirmation: 1874, Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg

Emigration: 1881, US

More About Ludwig (Louis) Becker:

Burial: 11 Oct 1940

Cause of Death: pneumonia

Census: 12 Jun 1900, 500 S. Main Street; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 85 SD 2

sheet 17b

Census 3: 08 Jan 1920, 539 S. 1st Street; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 131 SD 2

sheet 8b

Emigration: 1880, US

Occupation: 1900, watchmaker Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1920, watch repairer own shop Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: 1900, 500 S. Main Street; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Ludwig Becker and Anna Bischoff:

Marriage: 05 Aug 1884, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

## Children of Anna Bischoff and Ludwig Becker are:

 i. Heinrich Ludwig<sup>4</sup> Becker, born 03 Aug 1885 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 16 Aug 1887 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Heinrich Ludwig Becker:

Baptism: 25 Oct 1885, Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Burial: 18 Aug 1887, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

21 ii. Ernest Gottlieb Becker, born 09 Aug 1886 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 25 Dec 1958 in Los Angeles Co, California.

More About Ernest Gottlieb Becker:

Occupation: 1900, cabinetmaker Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

- 22 iii. William Becker, born Jun 1888 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 23 iv. Louise Emilie Becker, born 28 Mar 1890 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died Aft. 1910.
- + 24 v. Louis Julius Becker, born 18 Jun 1892 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 06 Mar 1983 in Belleview, King Co, Washington.
- + 25 vi. Herman N. Becker, born 18 Jun 1894 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 08 Oct 1984 in Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
  - vii. Otto Paul Becker, born 16 Feb 1898 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 30 Oct 1970 in Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Otto Paul Becker:

Occupation: 1920, electrician University of Michigan Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 378-52-9985

viii. Amanda M. Becker, born 1902 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died Aft. 1940.

More About Amanda M. Becker:

Occupation: 1920, clerk candy store Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

ix. Albert T. Becker, born 1904 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died Aft. 1920.

More About Albert T. Becker:

Occupation: 1920, clerk ice cream parlor Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

**10. Johann Georg<sup>3</sup> Bischoff** (Gottlieb<sup>2</sup>, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 12 Dec 1861 in Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg, and died 15 Dec 1940 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Wilhelmina (Zaude) Zander** 05 Jun 1896 in Springswell Twp, Wayne Co, Michigan, daughter of ? Zander and Caroline ?. She was born Nov 1856 in Michigan.

More About Johann Georg Bischoff:

Burial: 18 Dec 1940

Cause of Death: cancer of lungs

Census 2: 15 Apr 1910, 503 Miller Ave; 3rd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 116 SD 2

sheet 2a

Census 3: 16 Jan 1920, 505 Miller Ave; 3rd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 134 SD 2

sheet 15a

Census 4: 09 Apr 1930, 503 Miller Ave; 3rd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-5 SD 14

sheet 12a

Census 5: 19 Apr 1940, 503 Miller Ave; 3rd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-9 SD 2

sheet 15a

Confirmation: 1875, Gottelfingen, Freudenstadt, Wurtemberg

Emigration: 1864, US

Occupation: Bet. 1895 - 1896, florist Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: Aft. 1896, florist 220 Chapin; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 3: 1910, florist nursey Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 4: 1920, proprietor greenhouse Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 5: 1930, florist Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 6: 1940, merchant retail flowers Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence: Attica, New York

Residence 2: Rochester, New York

Residence 3: Bef. 1896, Detroit, Wayne Co, Michigan

Residence 4: Aft. 1896, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 5: 1915, 503 Miller Ave; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Wilhelmina (Zaude) Zander:

Children: 1910, 2 w/ 2 living

Emigration: 1879, US

More About Johann Bischoff and Wilhelmina Zander:

Marriage: 05 Jun 1896, Springswell Twp, Wayne Co, Michigan

### Children of Johann Bischoff and Wilhelmina Zander are:

Ella Wilhelmina<sup>4</sup> Bischoff, born Sep 1897 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
Emma K. Bischoff, born 28 Jan 1901 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. Sh

ii. Emma K. Bischoff, born 28 Jan 1901 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married Sherburn Taft Crippen 23 Sep 1921 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; born 1897 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Emma K. Bischoff:

Occupation: 1920, bookkeeper garage Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Sherburn Crippen and Emma Bischoff:

## **Generation No. 4**

**15.** Christian Friedrich<sup>4</sup> Gauss (Eva Catharina<sup>3</sup> Bischof, Gottlieb<sup>2</sup> Bischoff, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 02 Feb 1878 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died Jan 1951 in New York. He married **Alice Sarah Hussey** 1903, daughter of Charles Hussey and Fannie?. She was born 07 Aug 1872 in Rochester, New York, and died 27 Sep 1958 in White Plains, New York.

Notes for Christian Friedrich Gauss:

Biography of Christian Gauss, born on February 2, 1878, in Ann Arbor, Michigan, Christian Gauss was the son of German immigrants. Gauss attended the University of Michigan and later became an instructor there after graduating with an A.B. in 1898. In 1901, Gauss left Michigan to become Instructor of Modern Languages at Lehigh University. Gauss moved to Princeton in 1905 and became one of Woodrow Wilson's original preceptors. Two years later he was promoted to full professor. In 1912, Gauss became chairman of the Department of Modern Languages, a position he held until 1936. As a professor, Gauss became known for his lectures. He often drafted several versions, honing them to the point where he felt they could be delivered.

In 1925, he was appointed Dean of the College. Gauss, the professor and dean, was often described as being firm but fair. Students described his courses as being both rigorous and rewarding. He often invited students to his family's home to discuss intellectual or personal matters they may have been dealing with or simply to listen to sports on the radio. In 1929, Gauss was named first incumbent of a chair in modern languages endowed by his friends in the Class of 1900. Gauss was committed to Princeton University throughout his career, even beyond his professional responsibilities. He edited the Princeton Alumni Weekly, served as trustee and vice president of Princeton University Press, was chairman of the University Council on Athletics, and helped found and served as first chairman of the Creative Arts Council. He eventually retired from Princeton University in 1946 but remained active in alumni affairs until his death in 1951.

Gauss became one of the foremost voices on liberal education while at Princeton. He published articles and essays on the subject throughout his career. He also wrote extensively on literature, penning numerous critical essays and reviews, and he authored several books, including Life in College and A Primer For Tomorrow. Gauss also edited several works, such as The Teaching of Religion in American Higher Education, a collection of essays by prominent commentators on higher education.

Christian Gauss (1878 – 1951) was an influential literary critic and professor of literature. Biography

Gauss was born in Ann Arbor, Michigan. His father had fled Württemberg when Prussia began to dominate it in the 1860s. The son graduated from the University of Michigan at 20, worked as a newspaper correspondent in Paris, taught at Michigan and Lehigh University in the United States, and in 1905 became a first preceptor at Princeton University, where he remained until his retirement in 1946.

At Princeton, Gauss became a full professor two years after his arrival; he was chairman of the department of modern languages for a time; and he served as dean. After retiring from Princeton, he was president of Phi Beta Kappa.

Though he was not a prolific author or a public figure, Gauss left a mark on literary scholarship: Princeton University's semiannual series of Christian Gauss Seminars in Criticism (founded in 1949 by R.P. Blackmur), and Phi Beta Kappa's annual Christian Gauss Award (est. 1950) for a book of literary criticism are named in his honor. Gauss influenced and corresponded frequently with F. Scott Fitzgerald and Edmund Wilson.

Gauss, Christian (1878-1951), one of Woodrow Wilson's original preceptors, first Class of 1900 professor of modern languages, and third dean of the college, had, in Edmund Wilson's phrase, ``an imaginative gift of entering into other people s points of view." It was this quality that made him a great teacher of literature and an illuminating critic. It had much to do as well with his becoming, in his time, one of Princeton's most beloved figures and perhaps the best known college dean in America.

Gauss was born and brought up in a community of South German immigrants in Ann Arbor, Michigan, ``the lovely little town," in his words ``with the name like the title of a song." His father had come there from Wuerttemberg in the late 1860s to escape Prussian domination, and when he had saved enough money to buy a house, had chosen one on Liberty Street instead of a more desirable one on Main Street, so that all their lives ``his children would have the satisfaction of knowing that they had been born in die Freiheitsstrasse." Growing up in Ann Arbor, then a quiet village, Christian Gauss developed ``a deep sense of belonging" to his community, which stayed with him all his life.

Gauss worked his way through the University of Michigan in three years. He had begun working after school early in life, and when he graduated from college at the age of twenty, he could already look back on a versatile career -- as baker's boy, grocery clerk, farm hand, drug clerk, bill collector, bank clerk, tutor, and barkeeper at county fairs.

After college Gauss worked for a time as a newspaper correspondent in Paris (where he wrote about the Dreyfus case and talked in cafés with Oscar Wilde), taught at Michigan and at Lehigh, and was called to Princeton in 1905 as one of the youngest of the University's first preceptors. Two years later, at the age of twenty-nine, he was promoted to full professor. He became chairman of the Department of Modern Languages in 1912 and served until 1936. In 1925 he was appointed dean of the college and in 1929 was named first incumbent of a chair in modern languages endowed by his friends in the Class of 1900. He occupied both positions until his retirement in 1946.

Along the way he also served as literary editor of the Alumni Weekly, reorganizer and adviser of the Press Club, guide and friend of the Nassau Literary Magazine, trustee and vice president of Princeton University Press, chairman of the University Council on Athletics, and founder and first chairman of the Creative Arts Program. He was made a Knight of the Legion of Honor by the French Republic and received honorary degrees from half a dozen universities.

#### TEACHER OF LITERATURE

Christian Gauss was a great teacher whose courses on Dante and on French writers of the Romantic Period profoundly influenced many Princeton students of literature in the first half of this century.

His memory was remarkable, and he brimmed over with literary allusions. Two of his favorite quotations were Ernest Renan's La verit est dans la nuance, which he translated: ``The truth lies in fine distinctions," and Dostoevsky's ``We were all born on purpose to be together."

The eminent federal judge Harold R. Medina '09 said it was Gauss who first taught him to think. ``He led and guided with so gentle a touch that one began to think almost despite oneself,'' Medina recalled. In a similar vein, Edmund Wilson '16, the literary critic, spoke of ``how the lightly dropped seeds from his lectures could take root and unfold in another's mind."

Wilson also described the influence Gauss exerted on him, John Peale Bishop '17, F. Scott Fitzgerald '17, and other undergraduate writers for the Nassau Literary Magazine through the reading of Dante and Flaubert: ``He made us all want to write something in which every word, every cadence, every detail, should perform a definite function in producing an intense effect."

~Gauss brought to his teaching a breadth of learning that was matched by a wide interest in the affairs of the world, both historical and contemporary. This quality was celebrated in a verse of the Faculty Song sung by the seniors in 1915:

"Here's to Gauss, called Chris-ti-an

A most encyclopedic man.

He jokes and lectures, rhymes and teaches,

And raves about the Kaiser's speeches."

(This last line referred to Gauss's anti-Prussianism, inherited from his father, which led him to champion the Allied cause before the United States entered the First World War.)

Wilson, who dedicated one of his books of literary criticism (Axel's Castle, 1931) to his old Princeton teacher, thought Gauss himself a brilliant critic -- ``by far the best," so far as he knew, ``in our academic world of that period." ``Gauss's special understanding of the techniques of art," Wilson wrote, ``was combined, as is not always the case, with a highly developed sense of history, as well as a sense of morality."

Donald A. Stauffer '23, who while an undergraduate was Gauss's secretary, and was later chairman of the Department of English, described Gauss's essential quality as a teacher in this way:

``He had respect for mind wherever he found it. He supported alike the specialized research of scholars and the wildest outbursts of nineteen-year-old aesthetes. He was as good with grandchildren as with dignitaries. In the exchange of opinions, in the inquiry into values, he practiced liberty, equality, and fraternity."

#### DEAN OF THE COLLEGE

The announcement of Gauss's appointment as dean of the college in the spring of 1925 elicited a new verse in the Faculty Song:

``Oh, here's to Gauss, who knows his stuff We liked him though his course was tough.

But when he's Dean we shall delight

In hating him with all our might."

Though written with tongue in cheek, these words did suggest the dire possibilities of any deanship, and especially one in an era plagued by Prohibition, the Depression, and the Second World War, but in Gauss's case the opposite came to pass. At the beginning, his determination that the eighteenth amendment (which he publicly opposed) should be strictly enforced because it was the law, brought some resentment, but most undergraduates learned to respect the integrity of his position.

There were riots, too, in the Prohibition era, to which Gauss reacted variously. One in the spring of 1926, which involved a good deal of noise and jostling and some jeering of volunteer firemen, but no violence to any person or property, he played down when called by the newspapers. ``It was nothing but a Poler's Recess," he said, ``complicated by a false alarm." But when, in the fall of 1930 after a football rally, excited students tore down the statue of the Christian Student and rushed out onto Nassau Street and rocked an interurban bus with women and children in it, he invoked the language of Swift's Gulliver's Travels and publicly castigated them for their ``Yahooism." (The ringleaders were subsequently suspended for a year.)

It was particularly as dean that Gauss came to be appreciated for his sympathy and human understanding. ``Through many trying meetings of the discipline committee," Nelson P. Rose '31, who was chairman of the Princetonian and of the Undergraduate Council, recalled, ``you could not fail to sense his own pain at having to cause pain. . . . On campus issues you could not fail to realize that he was looking for a helpful middle ground."

Some of his most ardent admirers were those who had frequented the mourner's bench outside the dean's office. Archie Murray '34, later a sports writer for the New York Evening Post, who had ``practically made a career of getting into trouble" when he was an undergraduate, said he nevertheless looked up to Dean Gauss as a father -- ``he was so eminently fair and his sense of humor never deserted him."

Dean Gauss, for his part, showed his regard for those he had had to discipline in the early years of his deanship by dedicating his book Life in College (1930) to them. `In nearly every case," he wrote, `the frankness, honesty, generosity and sportsmanship of these undergraduate `malefactors' was such as to make me conceive a higher opinion of mankind."

Life in College was made up of a series of articles that had appeared in the Saturday Evening Post; articles by Gauss frequently appeared also in the New York Times, the Saturday Review, and the New Republic. During the Depression, when seniors were worried about getting jobs, they sang:

"Professor Gauss he teaches French;

Dean Gauss he judges on the bench;

Mister Gauss don't write for fun;

He's got three jobs and we've got none."

As chairman of the University Council on Athletics, Gauss was impressed by the wholesome influence of football, ``properly coached and conducted," and was a concerned follower of all the games. ``We thrived on his love of victory," said Gilbert Lea '36, an end on the championship team of 1935, ``but we were gratified most by his loyalty in defeat."

In the latter years of his deanship, Gauss commanded the same respect and admiration he had won at the beginning. "As a dean he was still in the best sense a teacher," John N. Brooks, Jr. '42, the writer, who in college was chairman of the Princetonian and a member of the Discipline Committee, recalled:

"An argument with him [at a meeting about extracurricular activities] was a profoundly educational thing. . . . Dean Gauss always took us and our point of view seriously, entering into every debate as vigorously as if the issues were all new to him. . . . For his disciplinary role . . . he might conveniently have

become the gentle sentimentalist or the martinet, but Dean Gauss did not choose easy roles. He did not even exude an air of infallibility, which must be the easiest and safest of all airs for a dean to exude. . . . He somehow succeeded in making his office at 205 Nassau Hall, by its nature the most formidable precinct in all Princeton, into a place that even many of those who came there under duress remember with real affection."

Dean Gauss was a courageous champion of freedom, both within and without the University. ``The first obligation of the undergraduate is to think without let or hindrance," he declared in reply to charges of radical tendencies at Princeton, Yale, and Harvard by Colonel McCormick in the Chicago Tribune, ``and the first obligation of the professor is to make him do so." He was a member of the National Committee of the American Civil Liberties Union and an outspoken critic of the House Committee on Un-American Activities. After the Second World War he frequently spoke to black audiences in the South, and took quiet satisfaction in having been responsible for assembling for the first time a mixed black and white audience in a white church in Richmond.

In retirement Gauss worked on two projects for philanthropic foundations, one on religion in higher education, the other on promotion of the study of the humanities. He also served as president of Phi Beta Kappa. One autumn day in his seventy-fourth year he went to New York to deliver the manuscript of his introduction to a new edition of Machiavelli's The Prince and to attend a memorial service for the Austrian novelist, Herman Brock. That evening while he was waiting in the Pennsylvania station for the train to take him back to Princeton, his heart failed and he fell dead.

"One had always still expected something further from Christian, had hoped that his character and talents would arrive at some final solution," Edmund Wilson wrote in his memoir of Dean Gauss and then concluded:

"But . . . one sees now that the career was complete, the achievement is all there. He has left no solid body of writing; he did not remake Princeton . . . he was not really a public man. He was a spiritual and intellectual force. . . . His great work in his generation was unorganized and unobtrusive: and Who's Who will tell you nothing about it; but his influence was vital for those who felt it."

#### More About Christian Friedrich Gauss:

Census: 19 Apr 1910, 106 Fitz Randolph Road; Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey ED 43 SD 4 sheet 5a Census 2: 17 Jan 1920, 106 Fritz Randolph Road; Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey ED 46 SD 204 sheet 17b

Census 3: 14 Apr 1930, 78 Nassau Street; Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey ED 11-102 SD 9 sheet 10a Medical Information: 1942 height 5'5-1/2", weight 154 pounds, eyes blue & hair gray

Military service: 1942, draft registration Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey

Occupation: Bet. 1910 - 1920, university professor Princeton University Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey

Occupation 3: 1930, dean Princeton University Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey

Residence: 1942, 149 Nassau Street; Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey

More About Alice Sarah Hussey: Children: 1910, 4 w/ 4 living

Occupation: 1920, private teacher Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey

More About Christian Gauss and Alice Hussey:

Marriage: 1903

# Children of Christian Gauss and Alice Hussey are:

- + 31 i. Katherine<sup>5</sup> Gauss, born 20 May 1904 in Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey; died 28 May 1975 in North Egremont, Berkshire Co, Massachusetts.
- + 32 ii. Dante Christian Gauss, Jr., born 29 Sep 1905 in Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey; died 09 Mar 1985 in Stamford, Connecticut.
- + 33 iii. Hildegard G. Gauss, twin, born 23 Aug 1907 in Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey; died 11 Jan 1982 in Greensboro, Vermont.
- + 34 iv. Nathanline (Natalie) Gauss, twin, born 23 Aug 1907 in Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey; died 13 Aug 1991 in Jackson, Jackson Co, Michigan.

**23.** Louise Emilie<sup>4</sup> Becker (Anna Maria<sup>3</sup> Bischoff, Gottlieb<sup>2</sup>, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 28 Mar 1890 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died Aft. 1910. She married **Jerry Tibbetts**. He was born 1886 in Maine.

Child of Louise Becker and Jerry Tibbetts is:

i. Beatrice<sup>5</sup> Tibbetts, born 1911 in Michigan. She married John Edward McMillan; born 1907 in Canada.

**24.** Louis Julius<sup>4</sup> Becker (Anna Maria<sup>3</sup> Bischoff, Gottlieb<sup>2</sup>, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 18 Jun 1892 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 06 Mar 1983 in Belleview, King Co, Washington. He married **Hermena L.?** Bef. 1919. She was born 1900 in Illinois, and died Aft. 1940.

More About Louis Julius Becker:

Census: 1920, Seattle, King Co, Washington

Census 2: 14 Apr 1930, 1076 N. 25th; Seattle, King Co, Washington ED 17-92 SD 2 sheet 26a Census 3: 09 Apr 1940, 1076 N. 25th; Seattle, King Co, Washington ED 40-150 SD 1 sheet 9b

Occupation: 1930, stock broker Seattle, King Co, Washington Occupation 2: 1940, paper salesman Seattle, King Co, Washington

More About Louis Becker and Hermena ?:

Marriage: Bef. 1919

Children of Louis Becker and Hermena? are:

36 i. Nadine O.<sup>5</sup> Becker, born 1919. 37 ii. Gloria A. Becker, born 1930.

**25. Herman N.**<sup>4</sup> **Becker** (Anna Maria<sup>3</sup> Bischoff, Gottlieb<sup>2</sup>, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 18 Jun 1894 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 08 Oct 1984 in Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Amanda Mary Aprill** 21 Jun 1920 in Essex, Ontario, Canada, daughter of Emanuel Aprill and Caroline Steeb. She was born 23 Apr 1897 in Scio Twp, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 29 Jan 1974 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Herman N. Becker:

Census: 14 Apr 1940, 1126 Hutchins Ave; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-3 SD 14 sheet 8a

Census 2: Apr 1940, 1126 Hutchins; 2nd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-6 SD 2 sheet 17a

Occupation: 1920, truck driver bakery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: 1930, drive milk wagon retail creamery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 3: 1940, salesman dairy Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 4: 1949, employee Eberbach & Son Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

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

Residence: Bet. 1949 - 1967, 1126 Hutchins; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Social Security Number: 370-03-3699

More About Amanda Mary Aprill: Social Security Number: 365-48-8417

More About Herman Becker and Amanda Aprill: Marriage: 21 Jun 1920, Essex, Ontario, Canada

#### Children of Herman Becker and Amanda Aprill are:

- + 38 i. Marvin Herman<sup>5</sup> Becker, twin, born 25 Feb 1921 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 13 May 1999 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 39 ii. Melvin Harry Becker, twin, born 25 Feb 1921 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 04 Feb 1985 in Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

**29.** Ella Wilhelmina<sup>4</sup> Bischoff (Johann Georg<sup>3</sup>, Gottlieb<sup>2</sup>, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born Sep 1897 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. She married **Gustav Mohrlock** 24 Jul 1924 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, son of Gustav Morlock and Mary?. He was born 14 Apr 1894 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 25 Jul 1960 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

More About Ella Wilhelmina Bischoff:

Occupation: 1920, clerk green house Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Gustav Mohrlock:

Census: 09 Apr 1930, 503 Miller Ave; 3rd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-5 SD 14 sheet 12a living w/ father-in-law J. George Bischoff's family

Census 2: 19 Apr 1940, 503 Miller Ave; 3rd ward Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan ED 81-9 SD 2

sheet 15a living w/ father-in-law George Bischoff

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

Occupation 2: 1940, manager retail flowers Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

More About Gustav Mohrlock and Ella Bischoff:

Marriage: 24 Jul 1924, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Child of Ella Bischoff and Gustav Mohrlock is:

+ 40 i. George Edwin<sup>5</sup> Mohrlock, born 06 Apr 1930 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 01 Feb 2008.

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**31. Katherine**<sup>5</sup> **Gauss** (Christian Friedrich<sup>4</sup>, Eva Catharina<sup>3</sup> Bischof, Gottlieb<sup>2</sup> Bischoff, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 20 May 1904 in Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey, and died 28 May 1975 in North Egremont, Berkshire Co, Massachusetts. She married **Andrew Jackson**. He was born 1903 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and died 04 Jan 1957 in New York, New York.

Children of Katherine Gauss and Andrew Jackson are:

- i. Andrew<sup>6</sup> Jackson, Jr., born 1933 in New York, New York; died 1937 in New York, New York.
- + 42 ii. Stuart Agar Jackson, born 1939; died 15 Jan 2011 in Burlington Co, New Jersey.
- **32. Dante Christian**<sup>5</sup> **Gauss, Jr.** (Christian Friedrich<sup>4</sup>, Eva Catharina<sup>3</sup> Bischof, Gottlieb<sup>2</sup> Bischoff, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 29 Sep 1905 in Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey, and died 09 Mar 1985 in Stamford, Connecticut. He married **Catherine Davis** Aft. 1934. She was born 04 Sep 1904 in Texas, and died 21 Jan 1993 in New Canaan, Fairfield Co, Connecticut.

More About Dante Gauss and Catherine Davis:

Marriage: Aft. 1934

Child of Dante Gauss and Catherine Davis is:

- i. Christian (Red)<sup>6</sup> Gauss, born 1934; died 16 Jun 1955 in New Canaan, Fairfield Co, Connecticut.
- **33.** Hildegard G.<sup>5</sup> Gauss, twin (Christian Friedrich<sup>4</sup>, Eva Catharina<sup>3</sup> Bischof, Gottlieb<sup>2</sup> Bischoff, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 23 Aug 1907 in Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey, and died 11 Jan 1982 in Greensboro, Vermont. She married **Douglas Bruning Steimle**. He was born 07 Sep 1902 in Brooklyn, New York, and died 14 Dec 1994 in Shelburne, Vermont.

Children of Hildegard Gauss and Douglas Steimle are:

- i. ?6 Steimle, born Aft. 1925.
- 45 ii. ? Steimle, born Aft. 1927.

**34.** Nathanline (Natalie)<sup>5</sup> Gauss, twin (Christian Friedrich<sup>4</sup>, Eva Catharina<sup>3</sup> Bischof, Gottlieb<sup>2</sup> Bischoff, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 23 Aug 1907 in Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey, and died 13 Aug 1991 in Jackson, Jackson Co, Michigan. She married **George Storer Stephenson** 1935 in Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey. He was born 19 Jun 1903 in South Orange, New Jersey, and died May 1983 in New York, New York.

More About George Stephenson and Nathanline Gauss:

Marriage: 1935, Princeton, Mercer Co, New Jersey

Child of Nathanline Gauss and George Stephenson is:

46 i. ?<sup>6</sup> Stephenson, born Aft. 1935.

**38.** Marvin Herman<sup>5</sup> Becker, twin (Herman N.<sup>4</sup>, Anna Maria<sup>3</sup> Bischoff, Gottlieb<sup>2</sup>, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 25 Feb 1921 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 13 May 1999 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Kathleen F. Green** 28 Sep 1944 in Taylor Co, Florida. She was born 1926 in Florida.

More About Marvin Herman Becker, twin:

Burial: May 1999, cremation

Education: 1939, Ann Arbor High School Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Graduation: Bet. 1939 - 1941, attended University of Michigan Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan was

on wrestling team

Military service: US Air Force World War II in Europe pilot with 53rd Fighter Group of the 8th Air Force; decorated as an 'Ace' & flew on D-Day

Occupation: Aft. 1955, salesman Gill Lumber Company Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Occupation 2: Bef. 1985, salesman Fingerle Lumber Company Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

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

Religion 2: Daytona Beach Baptist Church Florida

Residence: 1949, 805 Dewey Ave; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence 2: 1955, 215 N. Ingalls; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence 3: 1967, 901 Mixtwood; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Residence 4: 1969, Grass Lake, Jackson Co, Michigan

Residence 5: Aft. 1986, Port Orange, Florida

Social Security Number: 367-14-5333

More About Kathleen F. Green:

Residence: 2001, Florida

More About Marvin Becker and Kathleen Green:

Marriage: 28 Sep 1944, Taylor Co, Florida

Children of Marvin Becker and Kathleen Green are:

- + 47 i. James H.<sup>6</sup> Becker, born Sep 1945.
- + 48 ii. John Marvin Becker, born 24 Jun 1950 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan; died 13 Jul 2001 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan.
- + 49 iii. Mary Kathleen Becker, born Aft. 1948.
- **39. Melvin Harry**<sup>5</sup> **Becker, twin** (Herman N.<sup>4</sup>, Anna Maria<sup>3</sup> Bischoff, Gottlieb<sup>2</sup>, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 25 Feb 1921 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 04 Feb 1985 in Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co, Michigan. He married **Doris Grace Clark** 08 Nov 1943 in Los Angeles Co, California. She was born 17 Jun 1920 in Denton, Wayne Co, Michigan, and died 09 Feb 2019 in Culver City, Los Angeles Co, California.

More About Melvin Harry Becker, twin: Social Security Number: 367-14-5318

#### Notes for Doris Grace Clark:

Doris Grace Becker of Culver City, California (formerly of Ypsilanti) Age 98, passed away Saturday, February 9, 2019. She was born June 17, 1920 in Denton, Michigan, the daughter of Joseph and Beatrice (Cannis) Clark. On November 5, 1943, she married Melvin Becker Sr. in Los Angeles, California and he preceded her in death February 4, 1985. Doris attended Congress Street Church of God in Ypsilanti for forty years, where she was a Sunday school teacher, served on several church committees and was secretary to Pastor Frame for many years. Doris worked as a manager at Borders Bookstore in Ann Arbor. She loved reading, crossword puzzles, bird watching, working on her computer and studying genealogy. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother and will be missed.

Survivors include: three daughters, Judith Clay of California, Debbie Schilz of Ann Arbor and Beverly (David) Wadke of Wisconsin; two sons, Melvin (Joan) Becker of Ypsilanti and Donald (Nancy) Becker of Ann Arbor; thirteen grandchildren; eleven great grandchildren; one great-great granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews. In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents, three brothers, Bobby, Charles and Gerald, two sisters, Dorothy and Helen, son-in-law Kent Clay and granddaughter Diana Wadke.

The funeral service will be 11 am Monday, February 18, 2019 at Stark Funeral Service with Pastor H. Eugene Frame officiating. Burial will follow in Washtenong Memorial Park. Contributions in her memory may be made to Humane Society of Huron Valley. Envelopes are available at the funeral home where the family will greet friends from 10 am until time of service Monday.

More About Melvin Becker and Doris Clark:

Marriage: 08 Nov 1943, Los Angeles Co, California

## Children of Melvin Becker and Doris Clark are:

- Judith Ann<sup>6</sup> Becker, born 27 Oct 1948. She married William Kent Clay; born 03 Feb 1945 in Ohio; died 05 Apr 2015 in Culver City, Los Angeles Co, California.
- + 51 ii. Melvin Harry Becker, Jr., born 02 Oct 1944 in Orange Co, California.
  - 52 iii. Donald Joseph Becker, born 07 Mar 1946. He married Nancy Koski; born 20 Mar 1943.
  - 53 iv. Deborah Jane (Debbie) Becker, born 28 Feb 1952. She married ? Schilz; born Aft. 1940.

#### Notes for Deborah Jane (Debbie) Becker:

Debbie Schilz, Administrative Assistant Intermediate, worked in event management at the Center for Automotive Research in Ann Arbor for more than 15 years before coming to the University of Michigan Office of the Vice President for Government Relations four years ago. She began her career as the Facilitates Coordinator for the Institute of Continuing Legal Education at U-M and a Medical Coordinator at the University of Michigan Hospital. Deborah received a bachelor's degree in Business Marketing from Cleary University.

- + 54 v. Beverly R. Becker, born 27 Jun 1955.
- **40. George Edwin<sup>5</sup> Mohrlock** (Ella Wilhelmina<sup>4</sup> Bischoff, Johann Georg<sup>3</sup>, Gottlieb<sup>2</sup>, Johannes<sup>1</sup> Bischof) was born 06 Apr 1930 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 01 Feb 2008. He married **Sarah Elizabeth Fiegel** Bef. 1958, daughter of Adolph Fiegel and Della Braun. She was born 13 Apr 1938 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan, and died 12 Dec 2016 in Washtenaw Co, Michigan.

## Notes for George Edwin Mohrlock:

George Edwin Mohrlock of Ann Arbor, (Rapid City) Michigan, age 77 passed away on Friday, February 1, 2008. He was born the son of Gustave and Ella (Bischoff) Mohrlock on April 6, 1930 in Ann Arbor, Michigan. George served his country in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict. He was a lifelong member of Zion Lutheran Church, a former member of the Ann Arbor Elks Club and an avid outdoorsman.

George is survived by his wife Sarah (Fiegel) of 51 years, his daughter Carol Mohrlock, his son Ken Mohrlock and his cousin Marge Alber. His parents and his cousin Kathryn Wadhams preceded him in death. George's family will receive friends at the Nie Family Funeral Home, 3767 Liberty Road Chapel (Liberty and Wagner Roads) in Ann Arbor. Visitation will be on Wednesday, February 6, 2008 from 2-4

p.m. and 6-8 p.m.

A funeral service will be held on Thursday, February 7 at Zion Lutheran Church, 1501 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor at 11:00 a.m. with Rev. Barry Ludwig officiating. Visitation will also be held at the church from 10:00 a.m. until the time of services. Burial will follow at Bethlehem Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Zion Lutheran Church.

More About George Edwin Mohrlock:

Burial: 07 Feb 2008, Bethlehem Cemetery Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Funeral Home: Nie Family Funeral Home Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

Military service: US Army during the Korean Conflict

Religion: Zion Lutheran Church Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence: 1955, 511 Miller Ave; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan Residence 2: 1967, 306 Doty; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan

### Notes for Sarah Elizabeth Fiegel:

Sarah Elizabeth Mohrlock, age 78, passed away on Monday, December 12, 2016. She was born the daughter of Adolf and Della (Braun) Fiegel on April 13, 1938. Sarah was born into Zion Lutheran Church and attended services there for the majority of her life. She was a homemaker and worked various part time jobs.

Sarah is survived by her daughter Carol Mohrlock, her son Ken (Trudi) Mohrlock and her brother Carl (Marge) Fiegel. Sarah was preceded in death by her parents and husband George of 51 years.

Sarah's family will receive friends at the Nie Family Funeral Home, 3767 W. Liberty Rd., Ann Arbor, on Friday, December 16, 2016 from 4:00 pm 7:00 pm. A funeral service will be held the following day, Saturday, December 17, at 11:00 am at the funeral home with Rev. Barry Ludwig officiating. Burial will follow at Bethlehem Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Zion Lutheran Church or American Heart Association.

More About George Mohrlock and Sarah Fiegel:

Marriage: Bef. 1958

Children of George Mohrlock and Sarah Fiegel are:

i. Carol Ann<sup>6</sup> Mohrlock, born 27 Nov 1958.

56 ii. Kenneth Earl Mohrlock, born 03 Mar 1961.

More About Kenneth Earl Mohrlock:

Residence: 1999, 308 Doty Ave; Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co, Michigan