

THE VON ROSENBERG FAMILY OF TEXAS

January 1998

THE 1998 REUNION

The 1998 Reunion will be held at Camp Lone Star on Friday thru Sunday, July 17th to the 19th in La Grange. Mark your calendars now! Over 70 people attended the 1997 Reunion. Camp Lone Star has added new improvements. Come and experience the fun! The canoe races were a very big hit with racing by all age groups. Volleyball, ping pong, swimming, boating, hot tub, cards, dominoes, videos, hiking, and washers all take place at this wonderfully fun Family Reunion. So, make your plans now and come join us. Golf is also available. See you in La Grange in July! A guest speaker from the Texas Pioneer Arts Foundation is scheduled to talk about the von Rosenberg house at Henkel Square in Round Top.

"WORLD WIDE WEB"

YES, we now have a "WEB" site thanks to Jack Campbell and especially his brother, Charles Campbell, who actually has added this site and is updating it as needed. Be sure to visit the site at : www.monmouth.com/~campbell . Try searching at : www.metacrawler.com/ . You can also E-Mail the family secretary at : wscholz@complink.com

A WORD ABOUT THE 1999 REUNION

The 1999 Reunion will be the 150th anniversary of our ancestors arrival in Galveston. In order to celebrate this event, we will have some special events planned for the 1999 Reunion.

The theme for the 1999 Reunion will be "Ancestral Voices and Free Choices" and will be dedicated to celebrating the arrival of our ancestors 150 years ago in Galveston. Their decision to leave the country of their birth and come to America ensured many blessings for us as their legacy.

Some of the activities at the 1999 Reunion : old fashion games and music, pioneer crafts and other exciting early American activities.

Dale von Rosenberg has been investigating a plan for family members to retrace the route of our ancestors 150 years ago when they arrived in Galveston and traveled to their final destination near Round Top, Texas . This event might be planned for a different time than the annual reunion in July. Look for more details in the next newsletter.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED

At the 1997 Reunion, the Association elected new officers to serve through the 1999 Reunion. See list below.

President: Art Green

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MARRIAGE

Jo Ann Howell, daughter of Bill and Carolyn Howell, married James W. Wuneburger, Jr. on 5/17/97. They reside in Laredo, Tx. Vol. II, Page 288.

Kurt Alan King, son of Leonard and Marilyn King, married Kristi L. Soderman on 10/5/96 in Houston, Tx. They reside in the United Kingdom. Vol. II, P.288.

BIRTHS

Evan McDuffie Meerscheidt, son of John Leo and Julianne Meerscheidt, was born on March 26, 1997. Vol. II, Page 266. Grandson of Paul and Ardath Meerscheidt of Tacoma, Wa.

Riley Ellis Sullivan, son of Susan Kaye Sullivan, was born on September 20, 1996 in Houston, Tx. Vol. II, Page 288. The proud grandparents are Leonard and Marilyn King of Houston, Tx.

DEATHS

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LAWRENCE HEWETT		47	pre 1993
EVERLYN SPECKELS DYAL		287	1/ 8/97
EDWIN LOGAN BARRITT (BORN 12/30/96)		288	1/ 1/97
GUS REITER HELLMUTH		122	5/23/97
HANNAH MARIE BESSEMAN	not listed		10/ 5/94
TROY RIVES MEERSCHIEDT		265	4/ 9/97
JENNIE LILLIAN CROOK VON ROSENBERG		15	11/29/97
ILSE FROELICH RODDE (descendant of Peter Carl's 1st wife)			10/27/97

BOOK INVENTORY

Please send a letter showing the book name and quantity of each kind to: William F. von Rosenberg III : 11404 Antler Lane : Austin, Tx. 78726. This should include Vol. I & II, Immigration letters, Ancestral Voices, Family Cookbooks, and even Coffee Mugs, T-Shirts, etc.

FAMILY COOKBOOK

The von Rosenberg Family of Texas Cookbook is still available through our Family Treasurer. It is urgent that we continue to sell cookbooks, because the funds from the remaining 1,000 books, will be used to help finance Vol. III which is in the planning stages.

**PLEASE HELP! Write to: William F. von Rosenberg III
11404 Antler Lane, Austin, TX 78726.**

History of Meerscheidt's in Germany

This document covers 14 generations. For more information contact :
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6402 127th Street S.W., Tacoma, Wa. 98499
Phone : 253 / 582 - 7901

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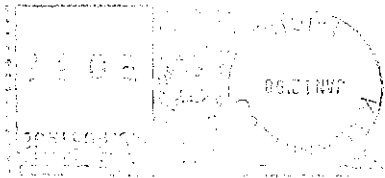
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