



**BYU**  
**Family History**  
**Technology Lab**

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# **BYU Family History Technology Lab**

**The BYU Family History Technology Lab is a non-profit student research lab sponsored by Brigham Young University's Computer Science department.**

**We're dedicated to lowering the entry barrier into family history work by providing simple, usable, and enjoyable family history apps.**





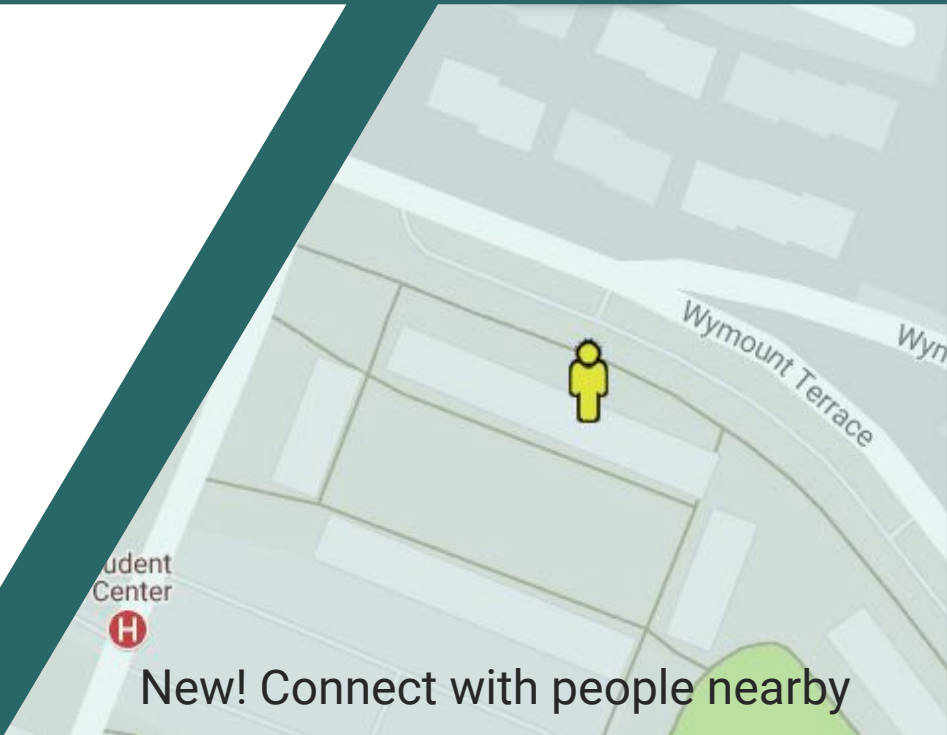
# RELATIVE FINDER

Ever wonder if you've got some long-lost cousins out there? Relative Finder allows you to see how you are related to friends, coworkers, prophets, historical figures, and more!

Use our community features to connect with your relatives from around the globe!

[relativefinder.org](http://relativefinder.org)

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- ☐ Movie Stars



# New! Connect with people nearby

Search Relatives

Clear

Show Table Options

Your tree was last updated on: Jan 10, 2018

Download CSV

Showing 50/617 relatives

Using 16098 ancestors and 16 generations

Download PDF

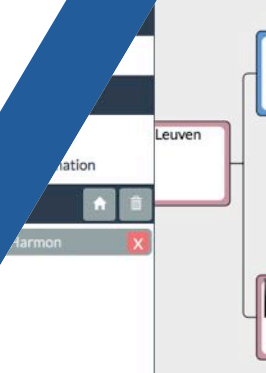
Relative	Relationship	Group
Quentin L. Cook	1st Cousin 2 times removed ▼	LDS - Current Apostles
Alice Ann Kimball	4th Great Aunt ▼	LDS - Prophets' Wives
Spencer W. Kimball	1st Cousin 4 times removed ▼	LDS - Prophets
George W. Romney	2nd Cousin 3 times removed ▼	LDS - BYU
Mary Van Cott	2nd Cousin 5 times removed ▼	LDS - Prophets' Wives
John Griffith Bennett	4th Cousin 2 times removed ▼	CS100 2014
Edward Fuller	11th Great Grandfather ▼	Mayflower
Jacob Daniel Burdick	5th Cousin 1 time removed ▼	CS100 2014



# VIRTUAL PEDIGREE

Virtual Pedigree allows you to navigate your family tree with a new and revolutionary fluid interface. Simply click (or touch!) and drag, and begin exploring ancestors and their descendants! It gives you hints and help as you explore your tree, and now includes LDS Ordinance information. Take it for a spin!

[virtual-pedigree.fhtl.byu.edu](http://virtual-pedigree.fhtl.byu.edu)







# DESCENDANCY EXPLORER

Members of the LDS church can use their FamilySearch account to find names of their ancestors that are ready to take to the temple. Simply log in and let us find the names for you. Let's get started!

**[descend.fhtl.byu.edu](https://descend.fhtl.byu.edu)**



**George Washington Elam (1875-1942) Male 9NTQ-VFX**  
 Descendant of George Washington Elam (LC3P-HM5)  
 Birthplace: Appanoose, Iowa, United States  
 Deathplace: Maryville, Nodaway, Missouri, United States  
 Sources: 8  
 Available Ordinances:  
 B C I E SP SS  
 Sealing to Spouse

[View on FamilySearch](#)

[View Relationship](#)

**Elizabeth Gardner (1873-1958) Female L7G8-LB1**  
 Descendant of Alexander Gardner (LLQN-MB8)  
 Birthplace: Tintic Junction, Juab, Utah Territory, United States  
 Deathplace: Los Angeles, California, United States  
 Sources: 7  
 Available Ordinances:  
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[View on FamilySearch](#)

[View Relationship](#)

## DescendancyExplorer



[Log in with FamilySearch](#)

### Welcome to Descendancy Explorer!

Here, members of the LDS church can use their FamilySearch account to find names of their ancestors that are ready to take to the temple. Simply click to log in and let the computer find the names for you! Let's get started!





# TREE SWEEPER

Have you ever found that a particular ancestor was born before their parents? Tree Sweeper will help you to find unlikely or erroneous parts of your tree and will help you to fix them.

[tree-sweeper.fhtl.byu.edu](http://tree-sweeper.fhtl.byu.edu)

How many generations do you want to check? 3

☒ Start with me ☐ Start with someone else

Show Hide Constraints

Sweep My Tree!

Generation 1

Generation 2

Generation 3

Elizabeth Jane Brown (K8YX-7KJ) Hide Results

Your family tree shows that Elizabeth Jane Brown has no sources. Their information may be inaccurate.

Elizabeth Todd Potter (K2H4-KBY) Hide Results

Your family tree shows that Elizabeth Todd Potter has no sources. Their information may be inaccurate.

Jessie Potter (K8WL-RSK) Hide Results

Your family tree shows that Jessie Potter has no sources. Their information may be inaccurate.

John Brown (K8YV-7PX) Hide Results

Your family tree shows that John Brown has no sources. Their information may be inaccurate.

Mary Abigail Winsor (KWCQ-XF6) Hide Results

Your family tree shows that Mary Abigail Winsor lived to be 102 years old, which is unlikely (0.0029% chance). The following are possible errors in your family tree:

- Mary Abigail Winsor may not have been born in 1906



# RECORD QUEST

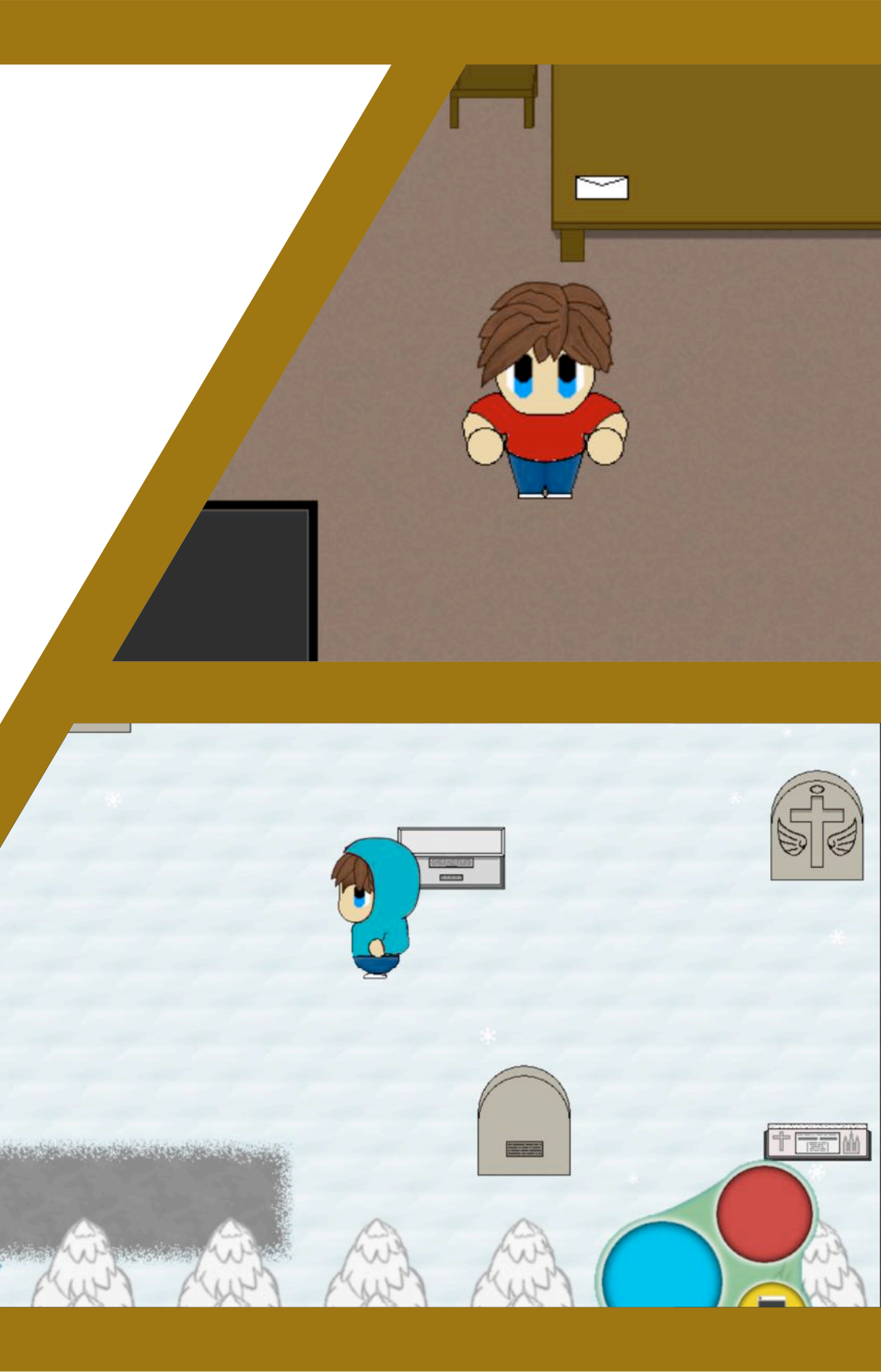
Do you want to learn how to do family history in a fun and interactive way?

Record Quest is an engaging adventure game designed to teach kids family history research skills.

Next time your kids want to play a video game, give them something engaging that will also teach them valuable research skills.

[recordquest.fhtl.byu.edu](http://recordquest.fhtl.byu.edu)







# BROWNIE

Brownie is designed to make quality genealogy simple and step-by-step. It carefully analyzes what research needs to be done for a family or individual and creates to-do lists that link you to the resources you need! It also tracks what research you've done so that you don't get lost or forget what you were doing. In short, Brownie does family history faster!

**[brownie.fhtl.byu.edu](http://brownie.fhtl.byu.edu)**

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## Recent Searches

Kentucky Johnson 1921

Illinois Acerson 1847

Georgia Simpson 1911

## Recent People

Steve Johnson

Stephanie Acerson

John Simpson

## To-do



### Record Findings

Newly found information needs recording  
[Click here to get started](#)



### Fix Inconsistencies

There are inconsistencies in your tree  
Don't worry. We'll help you do it.



### Family History Training

Watch your final family history instructional video  
[Let's do it.](#)



# PEDIGREE PIE

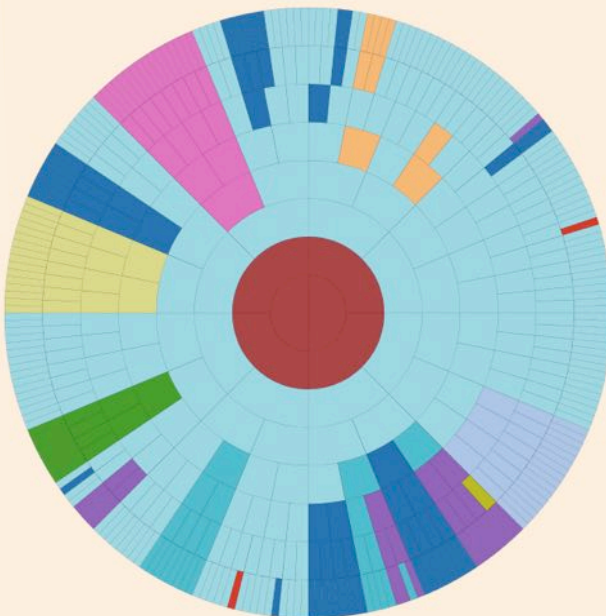
25% American. 75% Irish. 100% You.  
Pedigree Pie shows your international heritage in a single easy-to-read chart. Click on the chart to view details about where and when your ancestors lived, and to trace back your family's path through history!

[pedigree-pie.fhtl.byu.edu](http://pedigree-pie.fhtl.byu.edu)



## Legend

- = Canada
- = Denmark
- = England
- = Germany
- = Ireland
- = Northern Ireland
- = Norway
- = Scotland
- = Switzerland
- = United States
- = Unknown
- = Wales



## Percentages of 6X Great Grandparents

United States = 50.39%  
England = 14.06%  
Ireland = 6.25%  
Wales = 6.25%  
Switzerland = 6.25%  
Norway = 6.25%  
Scotland = 5.08%  
Denmark = 3.13%  
Canada = 1.56%  
Germany = 0.78%



# ONE PAGE GENEALOGY

One Page Genealogy is the place for you to view, customize, and download your family tree all in one page! View up to 20 generations of ascendancy or descendancy. Change colors and tree styles. Download and print to show your family and friends!

[opg.fhtl.byu.edu](http://opg.fhtl.byu.edu)

# One Page Genealogy

All of your genealogy on one page

Select Source:



My Tree

Uses FamilySearch



Other Tree

Uses FamilySearch



Gedcom

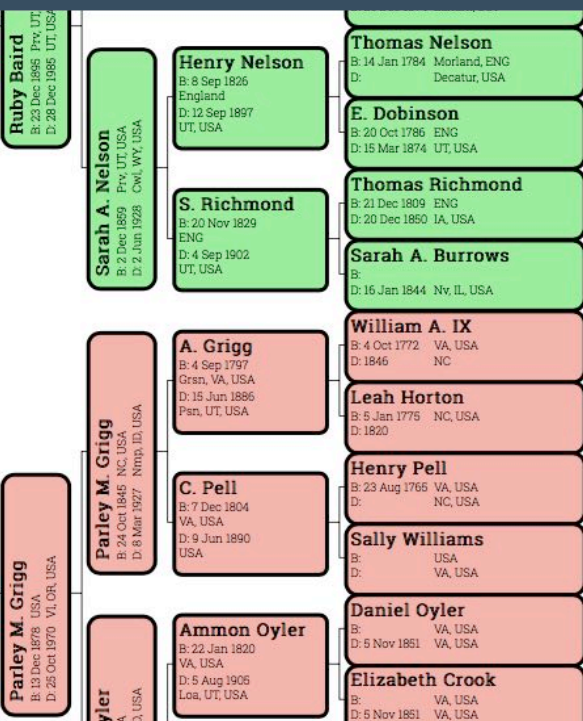
Upload Gedcom

New features are marked with orange tags

[Help Guide](#)

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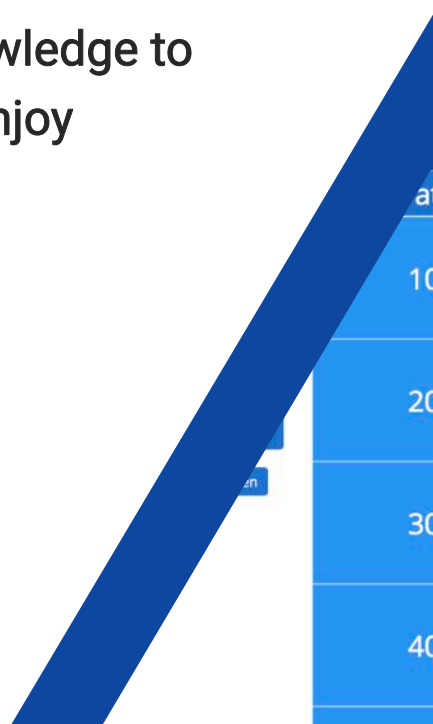




# GENEOPARDY

What is the game that tests your knowledge of your family tree? Geneopardy! If you think you know your family tree, try out this fun game and prove your knowledge to your friends and family. Enjoy hours of entertainment in Family Home Evenings, at family reunions or just on your own.

[geneopardy.fhtl.byu.edu](http://geneopardy.fhtl.byu.edu)



People: 400

Correct!

Details

Continue

READY!

Contact FHTL Website

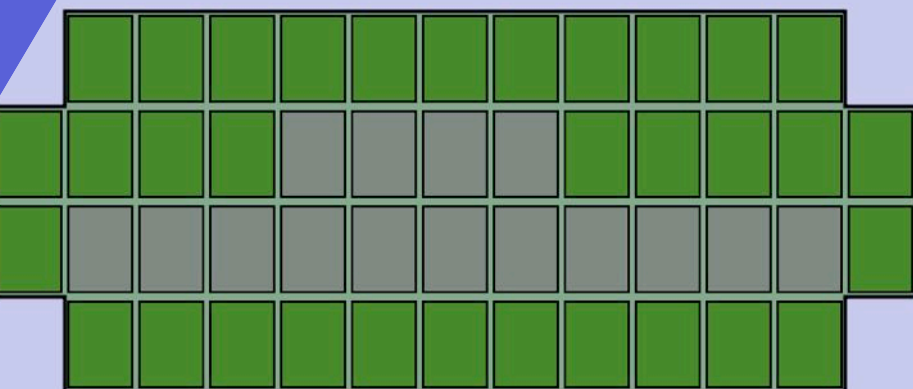
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00	200	200	200	200
00	300	300	300	300
00	400	400	400	400



**wheel.fhtl.byu.edu**



Hint: This person was born in 1866



Player1, spin the wheel or [solve](#)

Player1

\$0

Player2

\$0

Player3

\$0



# ANCESTOR GAMES

Ready for some family-centered fun?  
AncestorGames uses information  
from your tree to create  
personalized crossword puzzles,  
wordsearches, coloring pages,  
and more!

**[ancestorgames.fhtl.byu.edu](http://ancestorgames.fhtl.byu.edu)**





HOME Help Co

*Choose a game to get started!*



MATCHING  
GAME



ANCESTOR  
COLORING



CROSS  
WORD



WORD  
SEARCH



WORD  
SCRAMBLE



# FAMILY CALENDAR

Your family history is made of up important events like births, deaths, immigrations and more. Family Calendar makes it easy to create a custom calendar with all of the important events from your family history. Your calendar can then be exported to Google or Apple Calendar.

[calendar.fhtl.byu.edu](https://calendar.fhtl.byu.edu)



- Registration ■
- Warning ■
- Birth ■
- Marriage Registration ■
- Immigration ■
- Immigration ■
- Mission ■
- Obituary ■
- Occupation ■





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