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A Board Meeting will be called by our President Frank A. Wells for Sunday morning Aug. 31st, the day of the reunion. I will let board members know the time later. This meeting will be before the activities begin. There are a couple items that need to be discussed and voted on before the reunion begins. If all Board Members can come early for this meeting, the President, Frank A. Wells and Vice President, James D. Wells would appreciate it.

The 2014 Wells Family Reunion will be here soon - on August 31st this year. Make your reservations soon - if you need lodging. Thanks to Karen Howard and Charlene Muncy for all the work they do in getting the Wells Newsletter ready for mailing. Approximately 300 newsletters are sent by email and also to Karen who gets it printed before she and Charlene mail it to an additional 300 who either don't have email or have not yet given their email address to us. If you have an email please send it to us. You will receive your newsletter much earlier.

A registration form is included in this newsletter a for you to fill out and bring with you to the reunion. If you fill out this form and bring it - you won't have to stand in the registration line thus saving a lot of time. Please update any address changes - so you will still receive the newsletter. Any undeliverable mail is returned to us for postage, which is expensive. Also list names of everyone that will come with you Thank you and we look forward to seeing all of you at the reunion. If you don't get the form or forget it, there will still be someone to register you.

Blessings, Mary

2014 WELLS REUNION SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 31

Johnson Central High School
Rt. 23 South, Paintsville, KY

DOORS OPEN - 10:00 am

Members and the board members will set up tables for the reunion with the help of the janitor.

BOARD MEETING - all Board Members please attend

REGISTRATION: Please register when entering or give the completed form enclosed in this newsletter with updated information - name, address, and e-mail address to ensure that you receive the newsletter. With your registration, you will receive a ticket for a chance to win the door prize.

RECEPTION: Socialize with cousins and reminisce about old times. Get to know your extended cousins.

WELCOME - President, Frank A. Wells

AUCTION:

Bring items to be auctioned to benefit the organization such as family History Items, handmade items such as crafts etc. Set a minimum price the auctioneer should begin with. We don't want to sell items for less than what was invested in it especially for handmade items.

SNACK TABLE:

Enjoy great snacks until dinner is served. This has gone over well especially since we have many family members that have to eat frequently due to health issues.

MEMORAL SERVICES - Vice President, James D. Wells:
Remembering family that has gone before us.

BLESSING - Vice President, James D. Wells:
Dinner prayer

DINNER:

Please bring your favorite dishes, plus a little extra to share with those who are unable to do so. Don't forget to bring some soft drinks. Remember the paper products, including silverware, cups, plates, napkins, and ice will be provided.
NOTE: There will be greeters to assist in helping carry your food to the kitchen.

ELECTION: New Officers will be elected

WELLS SCHOLARSHIP: by Dr. Randall WELLS. You must get your scholarship application in the mail for Dr. Wells to receive it before July 2st to be eligible. I informed you of this in the last newsletter.

AWARDS & DOOR PRIZES.

HISTORICAL COMMITTEE WORKSHOP:

A genealogical workshop, you won't want to miss. John B. Wells III and chairperson Louise McMonegal will be leading the meeting along with other committee members. John will most likely share information about their England trip .

Your president may see the need to adjust the schedule

CONGRATULATIONS



STACEY LYNN COPE RECORD, of Menifee, CA., graduated from Eastern Kentucky University on Dec 11, 2013 with a Bachelors Degree in Paralegal studies. She is the daughter of Danny and Jennie Lee Wells Cope of Cincinnati, OH. She is the sister of Nanci Ferrell who serves on the Wells Family Board. Stacey descends from Richard Wells through William Green Wells and Mary Butcher Wells.



JENNY LEE WELLS COPE, of Cincinnati, OH took a big step and entered college in mid-life and graduated from Western Governors University on March 12, 2014 with a Bachelor of Science Business Sales Management Degree. Her daughter, Stacey (above) also graduated and her daughter, Nanci Ferrell previously graduated a couple years ago and is now teaching. She is the

daughter of the late Hobert Jacob and Maxine Price Wells and descends from Richard Wells through William Green Wells. She is married to Danny Cope. Her daughter, Nanci serves on the Wells Family Board.



ELLEN RAEANN COETURE, daughter of Mike and Tonya Coeture of Mich. The maternal grandparents are James R. Fraley and Patricia Mollette Fraley. Ellen Raeann, graduated from Clinton High School, Clinton, MI., June 1, 2014. She will be attending Washtenaw Junior College this fall and will be studying Physical Therapist. Ellen descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells and Roseanna Wells Spears line.



CAROLINE WELLS, the daughter of Jeff and Anne Wells of Gilbertsville, KY, and the paternal granddaughter of Ron and Judi Wells of Georgetown, KY. Ron, former president of the Wells Family Association and wife, Judi are long time Board Members. Caroline will be a senior this fall at Marshall Co. school where she has earned a 4.0 GPA through her junior year. She is an active leader in First Baptist

Church youth group, a member of the Marshall HS track team (Sophomore year) and current member of Marshall HS Dance Team. She also works at Stilley House (an assisted living facility), tutors, baby-sits and volunteers. Caroline enjoys a variety of outdoor sports.

Caroline has been chosen for two prestigious academic summer program. Governor's Scholars Program and Commonwealth Honor Academy. Kentucky State Governors Program scholars are chosen from a pool of applicants and must excel both inside and outside of the classroom, demonstrating the commitments of intellectual growth, Community service, and effective leadership that characterize the Commonwealths future. Civic and Economic leaders.

The Governor's Scholars program is a simulating five-week, residential summer program for outstanding Kentucky students completing their junior year in high school. Nearly every College and University offers generous scholarships to GSP Alumina. Caroline was one of several other students to be selected from Marshall County High School.

The 2014 Commonwealth Honors Academy scholars are chosen from a pool of applicants representing high school juniors throughout Kentucky as well as the Murray State University out-of-state service region. All students applying for the Commonwealth Honors Academy should have a 3.5 GPA (on a 4-point scale) and 15 Composite ACT (or the equivalent PSAT, SAT, or PLAN Score). CHA is an exciting, challenging three-week academic, social and personal growth program for outstanding high school students who have completed their junior year, upon completion of the Academy, students will receive six hours of University Credit, have the opportunity to take three hours of tuition-free University courses at Murray State University during the subsequent fall an spring semesters and be awarded a four-year, \$2,000 per year housing scholarships to attend Murray State University.

The Academy provides students, faculty and staff with an opportunity to share the joy and discovery of learning and to exchange ideas in a warm community atmosphere. Exceptional speakers, performers, films, interesting field trips, special events and recreational experience as well as learning opportunities.

Caroline is one of two students selected from Marshall County High School. Caroline descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells and Moses Wells.



KATHERINE ANN WELLS, the 18 year old daughter of Frank Allen Wells, Jr., and Janie McKenzie Wells of Paintsville, Kentucky, graduated on May 30, 2014 with a 4.0 GPA and as an Honor Scholar from Johnson Central High School. Katherine received the distinguished Otis A. Singletary Scholarship to the

University of Kentucky, the 2014 KAPOS Stella Gilb State Cheerleading Scholarship, and the 15th Region Jeanette Elder Cheerleading Scholarship.

Katherine is a 2013 Governor’s Scholar and a 1012 Rogers’ Scholar. She is also a PEPP (Professional Education Preparation Program) Scholar to the University of Kentucky and to the Kentucky College of Osteopathic Medicine. She was selected as a WYMT-TV and Q95 Mountain Student Achiever. Katherine was chosen to receive the University of Kentucky Book Award as an Outstanding Junior and the UK “Class of Kentucky 2014’ Award as a Top Sophomore. She also attended the Entrepreneurial Leadership Institute in Summerset where her team won the Best Business Concept team award.

Katherine was a four year member and Senior Captain of the Johnson Central High Varsity Cheerleading Squad. She was selected as a 2-time UCA All-American Cheerleader, and participated in the Macy’s Thanksgiving Day Parade, the London, England New Years Day Parade, and the Philadelphia Championship and competed at the KY State KAPOS Cheerleading Championship and at the Boys "Sweet 16" State Basketball Tournaments where they placed as one of the Top 4 cheerleading squad in consecutive years.

Katherine served as Senior Class Vice-President and as a 4 year member of the JCHS Student Council. She was selected to the National Society of High School Scholars and to the National Beta Club. She was a member of HOSA (Health Organization Students of America) and competed at the KY State HOSA Leadership Conference and at the HOSA National Leadership Conference in Orlando finishing in the top 3 in the state in Teamwork/Health Education and in the top 5 in the state in Medical Math Testing. She was Treasurer of the Key Club, and a member of the JCTV Staff and Student Athletic Leadership Team.

Katherine serves as a Teen Volunteer at Highlands Regional Medical Center and with the Summer Reading Program and Family Fun Day at Johnson County Public Library. She has organized and participated in numerous community service events, and served as JCHS Student Representative to the Johnson County Community of Hope Education and Child Welfare Committee. She further received a Certificate of Recognition from Commissioner Teresa James of the KY Department for Community Based Services for her work with foster children in Johnson County.

Katherine is a member of the First United Methodist Church of Paintsville where she has served as an Assistant Sunday School, Children’s Church, and Vacation Bible School Teacher.

Katherine will be attending the University of Kentucky this fall, majoring in Biology. She plans to pursue a career in Optometry. She descends from Richard Wells through Dr. William Green Wells.

Katherine is a member of the Wells Family and her father, Frank Wells is our current president Her mother, Janie is a member of the board.

BIRTHS



JAXON NOAH BRYANT, born Feb 20, 2014, weighing 7 lb and 10 oz. is the son of Ryan Shane and Crissy Bryant, the great-grandson of David and Shelia Bryant, and the great-grandson of

Don and Donna Sue Porter Burress. The 2nd great-grandson of Howard and Rema Music Porter, 3rd great-grandson John Walker and Arminta Wells Porter. Jaxon is pictured with his sister Madison Grace Bryant, four years old. Jaxon descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells and Nancy Butcher Wells The data was submitted by the great grandmother Donna Sue Porter-Burress.



LESLIE JULIANA SALISBURY, of Edgewood, KY was born April 15, 2014 in St. Elizabeth Hospital, Edgewood, KY. The proud parents are Russell Morgan Salisbury and Leslie Nicole Christier Salisbury. Leslie Juliana is the 2nd great-granddaughter of Jennie (Wells) Hewlett, the daughter of Aaron Wells. She is the granddaughter of Richard Salisbury who serves on the Wells Family Board and descends from Richard Wells through Dr. William Green Wells.



RYAN WILSON WOMACK, born Feb 4, 2014 at Kings Daughters Hospital, Ashland, KY. The proud parents are Robert & Jessica Womack of Greenup, KY. He was welcomed by his big brother Kyle, who is holding him in the photo. The paternal grandparents are Kermit & Patricia Wells Womack of Greenup. The maternal grandparents are David and Tonie Thompson and James and Tammy Hall of Greenup County. Ryan's grandmother, Patricia, a

member and our former Wells Family Board Treasurer. Ryan descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells, Dr. William G. Wells and Agnes Wells Auxier.



ALEX WELLS, was born May 7, 2014, at Suburban hospital, Louisville, KY. The proud parents are Jon Thomas Wells and Amy Gumer of Louisville, KY. Alex was welcomed by his sister Iris and brother Oliver Wells. The paternal grandparents are Dr. Randel Wells and Ellen Wells of Louisville, KY. The maternal grandparents are Marilyn Gumer and the late Bruce Gumer.. Alex descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells. His grandpa,

Dr. Randy Wells is a member and a previous president of the Wells Family Board Association.

SICK LIST

Geneve Wells, Patricia Wells Womack, Wanda Sanders, Dolores Booth, Charlene Muncy, Eugene Muncy, Janice Patton, Anita Wells, John Volota, Tony Meade, Ann Lois Wilson

HOSPITALIZATIONS

VIOLA DELONG WILLAMS, of Springfield, OH., entered the Springfield Hospital on May 26th. The doctors originally thought it was her heart but after testing it was found she had kidney stones and respiratory problems. She spent several days there but is now home recuperating and cared for by her nephew, Tim Delong. Viola is the daughter of the late Marion and Dora Delong and descends through the Auxier line.

EULA MAE WILLIAMS MCGINNIS, was a patient twice in Kings Daughters Hospital in the last few months. Mae is the daughter of the late Bernard and Alta Wells Williams. She is now recuperating at home in Grayson. She descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells & William G. Wells.

MANFORD WALTON, had outpatient surgery at Central Baptist Hospital for cataracts. He is the son of the late Chester Walton and Lucy DeLong Walton Keel and descends from Richard Wells through William Green Wells. Manford is an Honorary Member of the Wells Family Board.

CLIFFORD BOOTH, has been in the hospital three different times - Highland Regional Medical Center for couple days and then transferred to Cable Huntington Hospital for a week where he had surgery for hemorrhaging. He went back to Mountain Manor for rehab before going home, but was back in Kings Daughters Hospital, Ashland twice with a blood clots. He is now recuperating at home. Both Clifford and his wife, Dolores "Sis" Williams Booth are Honorary Members of the Wells Board. Dolores descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells and Dr. William Green Wells.

JAMES E. BROWN, of Van Lear, KY underwent open heart surgery at Kings Daughters Hospital, Ashland, KY in April. He had a triple bypass and also had a blood clod in his heart. He recuperated at his sister's (Ann Wilson) but is now home doing well. Jim is the son of the late Eyvand and Betty Wells Brown and descends from George E. Wells, Dr. William G. Wells and Agnes Wells Auxier.

JAMES "JIM" WILSON, Paintsville, KY was a patient in Kings Daughters Hospital, Ashland, KY where they inserted a stent in his heart. Jim is home doing well with care from his wife Ann. His wife, Ann descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells, William G. Wells and Agnes Wells Auxier.

MICHAEL COLLINS, of Flat Gap, KY was confined at home for three months and on April 3rd had knee replacement surgery. He is home recuperating and receiving rehab but will soon have the other knee done. Mike, the son of the late Carl and Polly Wells Collins, descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells, William G. Wells & Agnes Wells Auxier.

KEITHEN HARRIS, Prestonsburg, KY has been receiving home schooling this year due to a football injury. He had one surgery and since it had not been done correctly had to go through it again. He is recuperating and hoping soon to be good as new. His parents are Keith Harris and Kim Wells of Prestonsburg, KY. He descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells, William G. Wells, Moses Wells and Agnes Wells Auxier.

RICHARD SALISBURY of Floyd County, KY is in a local hospital where he suffers from Cellulitis. Richard, a member of the Wells Family Board, descends from Richard Wells through his son Dr. William G. Wells.

DEATHS

I wish I was a little rock. Just a "sittin" on the hill. "Doin" "nothin" all day long. But just a "sittin" still. I wouldn't eat. I wouldn't sleep. I wouldn't even wash. I'd just sit there a thousand years and rest myself B'GOSH! - by John Scott Wells



JOHN SCOTT WELLS, 60, passed away suddenly on May 30, 2014. He was born Oct 11, 1943 in Johnson County KY, to the late Robert Lee Wells and Laura Alice Ward Wells. He was a beloved husband of Rose Wells, loving father of Laura Ashley Wells and Kelly Vogelpohl, brother of

Bobbi, and friend to many. John graduated from Florida Southern College, Xavier University, and Chase Law School in Cincinnati OH where he was President of the Law Review. He practiced law in OH and KY. John (Scott) was compassionate, always trying to help others. The family received friends at David C. Gross Funeral Home in St. Petersburg on Tues., June 3, 2014 from 1 pm until service time at 2 pm. Interment followed in Serenity Gardens Memorial Park, Largo. He descends from Dr. William Green Wells. His first wife Sandy Wells accompanied the Wells family on the trip to Scotland, Ireland and Wales in 2000.



EMMA JOYCE STURGILL MUSIC, 71, of Oil Springs, KY passed away Friday, March 14, 2014 at Paul B. Hall Regional Medical Center, Paintsville, KY. She was born Jan 30, 1943 in Floyd County, KY to the late James and Mildred Wells Sturgill. In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by on

daughter, Sheila Music. She is survived by her husband, Sam H. Music, two sons; James Norman Music of Oil Springs and Milford Eugene Music, Michigan; three daughters, Tammy Music Mann, Marlene Joyce Music Blazer, and Tonja Kay Blevins all of Oil Springs, KY; one brother, Sheldon Eugene Sturgill of Louisville, KY, two sisters; Marlene Jarvis of Van Lear, KY and Tharon Kershner of Michigan, 26 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren also surviving. Arrangements were under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home, Paintsville, KY with services in the chapel on March 18, 2014 with burial following in Davidson Memorial Gardens, Ivel, KY. Emma Joyce, a member of the Wells Family Association Inc., descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells, William G. Wells, Agnes Wells Auxier.



ELIZABETH ELKINS COLLINS, 87 of Paintsville, KY died April 19, 2014 at Mountain Manor Rest Home, Paintsville, KY. She was born April 8, 1927 at Big Creek, WV., the daughter of the late John Harvey "Black Jack" Elkins and Goldie Porter Elkins. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Haskell "Hack" Collins, one brother, Walter Elkins; and son-in-law, Buddy Dawson. She is

survived by one daughter, Tonna Dowson of Van Lear; and one son Ray Griffith and his wife, Nadine of Morehead; two grandchildren, six great grandchildren and four great-grandchildren also survive. Pallbearers were Harry Burchett, Harrison Burchett, Rodney and Kyle Dawson, and Nathan Taylor. Phelps and son Funeral Home were in charge of arrangements with service in the Chapel on April 22, 2014 with burial following in Johnson Co. Memorial Cemetery, Staffordsville, KY. Her late husband, Haskell Collins, was the son of the late Wallace N Collins.



JEAN WELLS WEBB, 86 of Lucasville, OH passed away Monday, Feb 17, 2014 at her residence. Jean was born Aug. 19, 1928, in Greenup County, a daughter of the late Herman Thomas and Maggie Collins Wells. She was preceded in death by her husband of 51 years, Dr. Marion Bennett "Ben" Webb, and a sister, Joyce Creech. She is survived by a brother, Bob Wells and his wife, Ricca, of Lloyd, KY; a

sister, Betty Fitzwater of Greenup, KY; a nephew, Jim Jordan and his wife, Pam of Hamilton, Mont.; three nieces, Lisa Mantz and her husband Bruce, of Greenup, KY; Kellie Stevenson and her husband, Scott, of Sciotoville, OH, and Angela Coburn and her husband, David, of Lloyd, KY; and several great-nieces and great-nephews who loved her very much. Funeral services was at 1:00 pm Saturday, Feb. 22, 2014 at Wright's Funeral Home in Greenup, KY with the Rev. Patricia Hoeksema officiating. Burial followed at Brick Union Cemetery, Lloyd, KY. Serving as pallbearers were Joe Mantz Scott Stevenson, Bruce Mantz, David Coburn, Andrew Imel and Austin Stevenson. Jean descends from Richard Wells through Moses and Margaret Hillman Wells. She descends from Christopher Collins through her mother Maggie.

ENOCH HERMAN MCGINNIS, 73, of Grayson, KY went to be with the Lord on Tuesday, April 29, 2014 at his residence. He was born May 18, 1940 at Davelia, KY to the late John and Hazel Perkey McGinnis. Enoch was a former bricklayer, farmer and was a retired Monumental Life Insurance Agent. He was a member of the Willard Masonic Lodge #626. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by three brothers, Everett Lee Young, James McGinnis, Henry McGinnis and a sister, Vina Davis. His survivors include; His wife of 47 years, Eula Mae Williams McGinnis of Grayson; six sisters, Lushie Preece of Inez, KY, Stella Chapman of Inez, KY, Beatrice Chapman of Michigan, Icle Copley of Ibemarie, NC, Ida Goble of Inez, KY and Mary Webb of Louise, KY; four brothers, Clarence McGinnis of Inez, Joe McGinnis of Blain, KY, Ollie McGinnis of Inez, KY and Kenton McGinnis of Debord, KY. Funeral services was conducted Wednesday, May 7, 2014 at 1:00 p.m. at the Malone Funeral Home in Grayson, KY. Entombment was in East Carter County Memorial Gardens Mausoleum. Visitation was Tuesday evening, May 6, from 4:00 to 9:00 p.m. and Wednesday after 9:00 a.m. until service time at the Malone Funeral Home. Enoch's wife Eula May descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells and William Green Wells.

TONY MOBERLY WELLS, 75, died Jan 17, 2014, at Lexington Country Place. She is a native of Richmond, KY. She was born 1939 to the late William and Mae Renfro Moberly. Tony was married to the late Dr. James E. Wells. She was a former co-owner of The Animal Clinic and office manager for Kentucky Stone both in Lawrenceburg, KY. She was secretary and plant manager at Kulman Electric in Versailles, KY. She was a member of the Lawrenceburg United Methodist Church where she served as organist for several years and former Sunday school teacher. Toni is survived by four children, Danny Wells (Dottie) of Savisa, KY, Lindsey Wells of Lawrenceburg, KY, Charmayne Williams (Wayne) of Summerville, S.C. and Tara Le McGaughey (Steve) of Bowling Green, FL., eight grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. A celebration of Toni's life was held Saturday, Feb. 8 at 2 p.m. at Lawrenceburg United Methodist Church with Rev. Karen Stigall and the Rev. Mac Whitnell officiating. Ritchie and Peach Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Tony's late husband James E. Wells descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells and Moses Wells line.

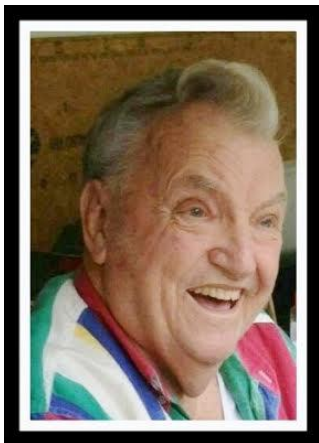
BONNY WILLIAMS MAYER, 66 of Cleveland, OH passed away on May 2, 2014 at her home. She is the daughter of the late Ethridge (Eck) and Eulah Wells Williams. She was previously from Johnson County Kentucky. Bonny is survived by her husband Gerald Mayer and two sons Tyson Mayer and Keith Mayer (Kristy). Grandmother of Kacey and Lukas. One sister, Cathy Scott of Floyd County Kentucky. Brickman Brothers Funeral Home Willoughby, Ohio was in charge of arrangements with funeral service May 7th at 10:30 am. Family received friends on Tuesday from 2-4 and 6-8 pm. Bonny descends from Richard Wells through Moses Wells and George E. Wells and Dr. William Green Wells.



ALFRED E. SANDERS, 75 of Argillite, KY went to be with his Lord, May 7, 2014 at Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital, Russell, KY. He was born Sept 14, 1938 in Greenup County, KY a son of the late Roscoe and Didama White Sanders. Alfred was retired from the United States Army and was a Vietnam War Veteran and Purple Heart

recipient. He was also retired welder with CSX Railroad. Was a member of the VFW Post 1168, Greenup, KY, Member of American Vets, Greenup, American Legion Post 76, Raceland, KY. In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by his first wife Phyllis Riggs Sanders; two brothers Clifford Sanders and Frank Sanders; 1 sister Josephine Harris and 2 infant sisters.. His wife, Wanda Castle Cook Collins Sanders, 1 son Timothy (Patricia) Sanders of South Point, OH., 1 step-son John (Jessie) Cook of Naples, KY, 1 step-daughter, Sandra (Richard) Mendez of Naples, KY; 3 brothers Curtis Sanders of Westerville, OH; George Woodrow of Troy, OH; Larry Woodrow of Troy, OH; 3 sisters, Irene Nichols of Wurtland, KY; Maxine Gordon of Greenup, KY; Florence Large of Greenup, KY; 7 grandchildren; Zachary Sanders, Jessica Grubbs, J. D. Cook, Jenna Cook, Missy (Jeff) Mendez Griffith, Traci Jo (Steve) Mendez Campbell, Richard (Mayra) Mendez II; 17 great-grandchildren. Visitation was 5:00-7:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 10, 2014 with funeral services following at 7:00 pm with Brian Coleman officiating. Graveside service and burial was at 11:00 am, Monday, May 12, 2014 at the Kentucky Veterans Cemetery North East, Greenup, KY. Military rites was performed by VFW Post 8850, Ironton, OH. Wanda has served on the Wells Family Board for many years and her second husband, Arthur Collins descended from Roseanna Wells Spears.

JAMES EDWARD WELLS, 49, of Westwood, KY, Boyd County died peacefully Sunday Morning in Rock Springs Rehabilitation Center in Pomeroy, OH. following an extended illness. Jimmy was born Aug 2, 1964, in Ashland, Ky, a son of the late James Orville and Evelyn Virginia Adams Wells. Prior to his illness, Jimmy was a laborer with Laborers Local 1445 in Ashland, KY. He is survived by a daughter, Kayla Renee Wells of Russell, KY, a grandson, Nathaniel Wells; a twin brother Timothy "Timmy" Wells of Westwood, two sisters, Molly Paulette Clark and Tammy Sue Wells of Ashland, KY; and a special friend and caregiver, Billy Wayne Coleman. A memorial service was Feb 25, 2014 at Prestons Family Funeral Home, Ashland, KY. Jimmy descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells and Nancy Butcher Wells by way of their son, Theodore Wells.



GENE ARTHUR BUTCHER, age 71 of Van Lear, KY passed away Wednesday, Feb. 26, 2014, at his home. He was born Oct 1, 1942 in Johnson County to the late Ashley Butcher and Nora Webb Butcher. He was also preceded in death by two sisters, Rose Marie Hierra and Jewell Sue Butcher and one brother, Harold Butcher. He is survived by his wife Patsy Lois May Butcher of Van Lear, KY, on son, Ricky

Butcher of Covington, KY; three daughters, Sherrie Anderson of Baldwin, Mich, Sheila Morrison of Milford, OH, Vonda Stidham of Van Lear, KY; six brothers, Chester Butcher, Randall Butcher, Darrell Butcher, Foley Butcher, Sheldon Butcher, Charles Butcher all of Van Lear, KY; two sisters, Lorene Hall of Wabash, IN, Norina Hackworth of Prestonsburg, KY; nine grandchildren; eight great grandchildren and several step great grandchildren also survive. Funeral services was held Sunday, March 2, 2014 at 2:00 pm in the chapel of the Phelps and Son Funeral Home with burial following in the Butcher Family Cemetery at Van Lear, KY. Frank Dunkle officiated. Gene descends from Jacob Butcher and the Webb family.

HARRY SAMUEL "SAM" RIGSBY, 81, was called home to be with our Lord and Savior on March 30, 2014. He was born July 5, 1933, and born again March 27, 2014. Sam worked at Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital for 41 years and retired in 1998. He also served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean Conflict from 1952 to 1956. Sam dearly loved his family and would do anything for any of them. He enjoyed hunting and fishing and was an avid sports fan. He was preceded in death by his parents Vernon and Lillian Wells Rigsby, and by a special nephew who he talked about often, Randy Blanton. Surviving include his wife of 61 years, Iona Russell Rigsby; two sisters, Betty "Roger" Rice of Catlettsburg, KY and Ernestine (Bill) Blanton, Ashland, KY; two sons, Don "Barb) Rigsby of Russell and Jeff (Cindy) Rigsby of Russell, KY; five grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; a host of nieces and nephews; and a special caregiver who was as close as family; Marilyn. He will be greatly missed by family and friends. A military service was conducted at Kentucky Veterans Cemetery North East in Greenup, County, KY under the direction of Preston Family Funeral Home. His sister Ernestine has been friends of Mary Walton for more than 50 years and they have tried to find how her late mother came down the Wells Family. We never have accomplished that but still hoping that we find it one day. So we don't know if she came down our Wells line or how she may be connected. If any of you researchers should know the answer to this puzzle please let us know.

EDWARD THOMAS LUNDERGAN, 56 went to be with his Heavenly Father on April 17, 2004 after a long hard fight battling with Multiple Myeloma. He was born to Doris Martin



Lundergan Cooper and the late Andrew Lundergan on April 23, 1957 in Maysville, KY. Eddie graduated from Ripley Union Lewis High School in 1975, received a Bachelor of Science in 1979 as well as a Master of Science from Morehead State University. He worked as the manager of the agricultural complex for Morehead State University from 1982 until retirement. He was a board member of Maysville Church of the Nazarene. Eddie was married to Kimberly Sue Wells Lundergan on June 20, 1976. Eddie and Kim have two children, Stacey Rae Lundergan Emmons born 1980 and Lori Beth Lundergan Huff born 1982. He has three grandchildren, Madelyn Lucille Emmons age 5, twins Chloe Elizabeth Emmons age 3 and Connor Thomas Emmons age 3. He was thrilled about the upcoming arrival of baby girl Huff due Aug 2014. Eddie was a man of many loves he loved the land, which he demonstrated through his outdoor hobbies in addition to his livelihood and his love of being a farmer. He loved animals which he showed through his profession and his many pets that became family. He loved people which was obvious in that he never met a stranger and made a friend wherever he went. He loved his family, which was demonstrated with every breath he took and the pride he felt for them all. He loved the Lord which was evident in his everyday walk. Eddie is survived by his wife, Kim, two daughters Stacey (T.J.) and Lori (Scott), three grandchildren, Madelyn, Chloe, Connor Emmons. Mother, Dora Martin Lundergan Cooper, Godmother Lois Schumacher. Two siblings, Lois Ann Lundergan Dennis (Jeff) and Andrew Martin Lundergan (Teresa) alone with several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father Andrew Lundergan, stepfather Quintin Cooper and Godfather Clem Schumacher. Funeral Services was April 22, 2014 at Maysville Church of the Nazarene, Maysville, KY, with pastor Lonnie Bloser and Ben Furman officiated. Neal-Kilgore and Collier Funeral Home, Catlettsburg, KY was in charge of arrangements with burial following service at Red Oak Cemetery, Ripley, OH. Eddie's wife Kim descends from Richard Wells through George E. Wells and Moses Wells. Her father James D. Wells is a member of the Wells Family Board.

CORRECTIONS TO THE WELLS BOOK

ERRATA

EMMA MALINDA "LINDA" "SIS" WELLS RAY, 75 died at her home. She was born June 10, 1938, in Boyd County, the daughter of the late Lester and Bertha Williamson Barber Wells. She was a beautician with Russell Beauty Salon and a member of Oak Street Freewill Baptist Church in Flatwoods, KY. Emma was preceded in death by two sons, Bruce Ray and Robert Ray. Jr. three brothers, Bill Wells, Fred Wells, and Ike Wells; a sister Mildred Lorraine Kirk; and a grandson, Trevor Ray. Surviving are her husband of 57 years, Robert "Bob" Samuel Ray, Sr.; a daughter Theresa Harper of Raceland, KY; three sisters, Janet Mullins of Ironton, OH, Rita Devaney of Westwood and Doris Versey of Ashland, KY; a brother, Danny Wells, of Westwood; four grandchildren, Robert Ray, Christi Melvin, Amme Harper and John Harper, Jr; and four great grandchildren, Megan Roe, Rebecca Roe, Nakiley Ray and Kaysie Ray. Funeral services was conducted at 11 :00 a.m. Feb 19, 2014 at Caniff Funeral Home, Westwood, KY with Rev. Delbert Dixon officiating. Burial followed in Phelps-Ray Cemetery, Flatwoods, KY. Emma descends from Richard Wells through his son George E. Wells.

MAUDE A. WELLS, 102, of New Port News, VA; formerly of Johnson County, KY, passed away Friday, June 6, 2014 in VA. She was born in Magoffin County, KY, on Jan 14, 1912, daughter of the late Homer Arnett and June Patrick Arnett. In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her husband, Oscar Wells in 1985 also one sister, Elna Rice. She is survived by one son, Ronnie D. Wells and wife, Elizabeth, of Virginia, one sister, Irene Salyer, two grandchildren; David Wells and Susan Wells, also two great grandchildren, Marcus Wells and Nathan Wells. A graveside service will be conducted at 3:30 p.m. Friday, June 13th at the Highland Memorial Park Cemetery, Staffordsville, KY. Burial will follow in the Highland Memorial Park Cemetery. There will be no public visitation. Jones and Preston Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Her late husband Oscar descended from Richard Wells through his son William G. Wells.

CAROL WELLS DAVIS, 71 of Lowmansville, KY passed Monday, Feb 17, 2014 at her residence. She was born in Johnson County, KY, daughter of the late Charles Arthur Wells and Jenny Ward Wells. She was preceded in death by three brothers; Jerry Wells, Charles "Chuck" Wells and Paul Wells, also two sisters; Lois Wells and Janet Vance. She is survived by three sons; Joey Hobson of Staffordsville, KY; Jimmy Hobson and Ned Davis of Lowmansville, KY; one sister, Frances Honaker of Bowling Green, KY., seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren also survive. Arrangements was under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home with the funeral on Thursday 20th with Ed Stephens officiating. Burial followed in the Lakeview Memorial Cemetery, Staffordsville, KY. Carol descends from Richard Wells through Moses and Margaret Hillman Wells.

Page 61, (C-1-A) MARGARET WELLS, her husband was "John Phelps," not John Phillips.

Page 61, (C-3-A) JAMES MORGAN ARROWOOD, delete "m1. Delila Price" His only wife was Rachel Ann Cunningham.

Page 62, (C-3-F) MARTHA CALADONA ARROWOOD, change birth and death dates to "born Dec, 13, 1859, died Oct. 3, 1929."

Page 64, (C-6-H) ANNA LEE WELLS, her death date should be 1925. Her tombstone lists here birth year as 1885, although census records state that she was born in 1883.

Page 64, (C-7-B) JAMES MOSES ARROWOOD, change death date to May 9, 1939 and wife's maiden name to Eva Josephine Hoskins.

Page 81, (F-8) JOHN WESLEY SPEARS, change his death date to May 3, 1918.

Page 81, Delete (F-8-A) GROVER SPEARS, Delete (F-8-B) MAUDE SPEARS, Delete (F-8-C) ROSA M. SPEARS, Delete (F-8-E) MARTIN SPEARS, Change the number of (F-8-F) WALTER SPEARS to (F-8-E).

Page 81, (F-8-B) ALEXANDER MARTIN SPEARS, add "m1. Molly Martin, m2. Bertha Cumbo."

Page 92, (1-4-A) WILLIAM GREEN WELLS, add "m2. Malvie Penix."

Page 93, (1-5-H) JAMES LOGAN "COOGE" CLARK, his name should be JOHN LOGAN "COOGE" CLARK, (1-5-1) JOHN BLAINE CLARK, his name should be JAMES BLAINE CLARK.

LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING ALL OF YOU AT THE
WELLS FAMILY REUNION ON AUGUST 31, 2014!!!

Bring this Registration Form filled out with updated information to the
2014 Family Reunion on August 31, 2014

We want to make sure information in our records are correct and updated (address and email) plus the names of your family attending.
Also it will help eliminate people standing in long lines waiting to get in.

ATTENDANCE REGISTRATION

NAME: _____

ARE YOU RECEIVING THE NEWSLETTER YES: NO

ADDRESS: _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

SPOUSE NAME:

PARENTS NAME:

NAMES OF PERSONS / CHILDREN ATTENDING WITH YOU:
