

Logan Utah Regional Family History Center

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Announcements



Logan FHC Hours:

Mon & Fri - 9:30-5:00
Tu/W/Th - 9:30-9:00
Saturday - 9:30-2:00

New Class - A new class has been added to our schedule due to patron requests. Beverly Graetz will be teaching a class on how to use

Ancestry.com, Tuesday,

July 13, at 1 p.m. Please call the Center to reserve a place in the class.

Quarterly Family History Leader Training - for all Ward and Stake Family History Personnel (Stake Presidency, High Council and Bishopric members over Family History, High Priest Group Leader, & Ward Family History Consultants) will be held Wednesday, June 30 at the Logan Tabernacle at **6:30 p.m. for newly called leaders** and **7:30 p.m. for general session.**

LFHC Fall Family History Conference - Alan Mann, a well known Family History expert, will appear in Logan, Utah on September 18, 2010 at the Logan FHC Fall Conference; "Family History - Evolving Technology and Teamwork". Alan is well suited to be the Keynote speaker at this Conference because of his many years of experience in teaching, lecturing, and writing about Technology, Family History and Teamwork. He has been the manager of several teams at the SLC Family History Library - including a team developing the rapidly becoming famous "FamilySearch Research Wiki. Mark your calendar - You won't want to miss Alan's keynote address. Go to: <http://users.rootsweb.com/~utcfhc> to learn more about Alan and other Conference speakers.

Upcoming Holiday Schedule - Logan Utah Regional Family History Center will be closed the following days:

- **Independence Day** - Saturday, July 3 - Monday, July 5
- **Labor Day** - Saturday Sep 4- Monday Sep 6

Family History Tips



FamilySearch Support Help - My wife and I are family history

consultants for our Logan 43rd Ward. I have emailed support@familysearch.org with problems with ancestor's information on the new.familysearch.org. They have been very helpful in correcting errors. One of their missionaries even called me on the phone and spent a lot of time helping me solve family history problems. Try them out. They are great.

Submitted by: Clyde & Larene Merritt

Cemetery Find - Now that Memorial Day is over, I feel I should share this thought that came to me while searching unsuccessfully for a grave. As we were driving around the cemetery at Soda Springs, the thought came to me to stop and ask one of the older men around about my great grandfather's grave. (Andrew Romero). He mentioned that he knew him and that he should be buried in the East end of the cemetery. The West end is for the newer deaths since 1955. My sister and I criss-crossed that area several times by foot to no avail. Meanwhile, Mom was talking with another fellow that knew him and about others they both knew. STILL NO LUCK. One fellow suggested [FindaGrave](#). When we got home, I booted up the computer and found him listed. I went into [google](#), typed in "andrew romero burial soda springs" and found the cemetery and co-ordinates to find the grave. Unfortunately, I was not able to find a map. I looked up my grand parents and found they are in a line across the cemetery. I can hardly wait to get back.

Submitted by: Todd Bybee

Questions/Answers



Question: Can microfilm or microfiche be accessed via the internet?

Answer: If you mean can microfilm/fiche be ordered from Salt Lake personally via internet, the answer is no, not in our area. If you mean can microfilm/fiche be viewed via internet, the answer is not as microfilm/fiche but if a film/fiche has been digitized, yes. When you search the Family History Library Catalog (go to <http://www.familysearch.org> and click on Library > Catalog) , there are some that will have a red message saying they have been digitized and you can click to view it online. However, this is mainly family histories and the films/fiche that have been digitized and indexed (those will have a link to the database in [Record Search](#)).

Question: If a member already has an LDS account, but has not registered for NewFamilySearch, do they just log in or do they have to register again and tell NFS their LDS account information?

Answer: If you have an LDS account, just log in to nFS with that user id and password.

Question: I am venturing into new software leaving PAF and trying out RootsMagic. I thought one of the wonderful things about using a software that "communicates" with nFS was that I would not have to enter info both in my file and in nFS. I am finding as I am going through my names in RootsMagic matching them one by one with my file in nFS (something I did not think I was going to have to do) that there is info that I have in my RootsMagic file, that does not exist in the nFS file, and vice versa, and I thought that when matching the two all info would be the same in both files. Instead I still find that I, for example, have spouses in nFS that did not transfer to my Roots magic file. (I am using the essential version for now to see if I like it.) Am I expecting too much, are there programs that do that or am I still having to enter both places?

Answer: When you match nFS with any of the programs no information is exchanged. Matching simply means that these are the same individuals. You must click on "share data" to exchange information back and forth. You have to exchange each bit of information one at a time either into your RootsMagic database or into nFS. No information that is already in nFS can be removed (right, wrong, or otherwise). You simply make sure that the correct data is in nFS and also in your RootsMagic database. Each spouse has to be transferred separately. So you have to look at all data, one fact at a time, and then select if you need to move it from one

place to the other.

Answer by: Dave Winkler, RootsMagic instructor at our Center.

Question: I have several names where the temple work is in progress, will my Roots magic file be automatically updated as temple work is done, or do I have to go in and match again when all the work is done?

Answer: Temple work in progress does not reflect in your facts. Rather on the temple icon it will have a yellow triangle meaning that the temple work is either reserved or in progress. It will not update your data automatically. No data is updated automatically. You will need to go back in and check for temple work in "share data."

Answer by: Dave Winkler, RootsMagic instructor at our Center.

Favorite Websites



Digital Archives of Norway - <http://digitalarkivet.uib.no/> The Norwegian National Archives is doing their best to make it easier to trace Norwegian ancestors--or free. On their site, you can already find several censuses, parish records, photos of farms, and tutorials on Norwegian research. And they promise even more is coming in the future. Check under "Latest News" to see what has been added recently.

Source: "130 Best Genealogy Websites!", Internet Genealogy, June/July 2910

Repositories of Primary Sources - uidaho.edu/special-collections/Other.Repositories.html - A listing of over 5,500 websites, compiled by Terry Abraham, and describing holdings of manuscripts, archives, rare books, historical photographs and other primary sources.

Source: "130 Best Genealogy Websites!", Internet Genealogy, June/July 2910

Surname Queries



I am looking for the obituary for an **Elizabeth Bankhead**, who died in Logan, Cache, Utah on 8 December 1976. If you can help, please contact Karen at ferg370@gmail.com.

New Acquisitions



None this week

Suggested Weekly Bulletin Thought



"Have you prayed about your own ancestors' work? Set aside those things that don't really matter in your life. Decide to do something that will have eternal consequences."

Source: Richard G. Scott, "*Redemption: The Harvest of Love*," Ensign, Nov. 1990, pg 5

Remember...



Just for Fun!!

BEETHOVEN'S NINTH

A tourist in Vienna is going through a graveyard and all of a sudden he

hears some music. No one is around, so he starts searching for the source.

He finally locates the origin and finds it is coming from a grave with a headstone that reads: Ludwig van Beethoven, 1770- 1827. Then he realizes that the music is the Ninth Symphony and it is being played backward! Puzzled, he leaves the graveyard and persuades a friend to return with him. By the time they arrive back at the grave, the music has changed. This time it is the Seventh Symphony, but like the previous piece, it is being played backward. Curious, the men agree to consult a music scholar.

When they return with the expert, the Fifth Symphony is playing, again backward. The expert notices that the symphonies are being played in the reverse order in which they were composed, the 9th, then the 7th, then the 5th.

By the next day the word has spread and a throng has gathered around the grave. They are all listening to the Second Symphony being played backward. Just then the graveyard's caretaker ambles up to the group. Someone in the crowd asks him if he has an explanation for the music.

"Don't you get it?" the caretaker said. "He's decomposing!"

Source: Genealogy, Poetry and Prose, <http://genealogyfix.tripod.com/poems.html>

Class Schedule for the Upcoming Week

Our class schedule is available at the Center and [online](#). Please pre-register for the classes you wish to attend by calling the Center (755-5594), registering [online](#) or by [email](#). If you include your phone number, a staff member will be happy to call and remind you a day or two prior to the class. The cost for each class is \$2 or the cost of materials (whichever is greater).

- Sat, Jun 26, **How to Become an Expert Researcher**-6, Bartholomew, Gail, 1wk, 1 PM
- Tue, Jul 13, **Ancestry.com**-4, Graetz, Beverly, 1 wk, 1 PM
- Tue, Jul 13, **New FamilySearch**-9, Winkler, David, 3wk, 5 PM

Read on...

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