# THE GOBLE FAMILY NEWSLETTER

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# 2010 GOBLE FAMILY REUNION POSTPONED

We were so sorry to have to cancel the 2010 Goble Association Family Reunion. We would like to try it again in 2011. We are looking at either Reno or Las Vegas in hopes that we will have enough interest to warrant holding the event. The weekend of June 17-19, 2011 is late enough that school will be out, but a little earlier and, hopefully, a little cooler in June. Please let us know when you send in your dues which you would prefer and if you will be able to join us.

Barbara Goble Volker, President Goble Family Association

#### **LETTER FROM A COUSIN!**

Hi

We just wanted to let you know how disappointed we were that the reunion in Portland was canceled. However, since we had already made our plans, Jon and I decided to take our vacation up there anyway, along with going to Olympia, WA and up the Hood Canal to Sequim, Port Angeles, Port Townsend and also into some of the Olympic National Park.

We had a great time and the weather was perfect every place we went. Olympia had some rain but very little and not enough to dampen us or our spirits. Of course, I love that area in Washington because I was born there, in Seattle, many years ago. When we returned to the Portland area, Jon's sister and daughter joined us for 3 days. We spent some time at McMenamins, enjoyed a free concert in the park under the shade trees, toured the little town of Troutdale and took them on the scenic drive toward the Dulles and Hood River where there are numerous waterfalls.

We also made it to Goble and checked out the newly restored Goble Tavern. I couldn't believe it was the same place we had seen before. They kept it as close to the

original as they possibly could and did a great job. Everyone there was very friendly and the bartender commented that many Gobles from different areas have stopped by and checked out the Tavern. We also had a nice lunch and drink while we were there! Anyway, we had a wonderful vacation and I was very sad when we had to finely pack up for the last time and return home to reality, (and the heat).

Well, as I said before, I'm sorry the reunion plans didn't pan out, but if you've never been to the Oregon, Washington area, I hope one day you'll be able to make it there. It'll be well worth it. Hopefully we'll meet again at the next Goble reunion, wherever that may be. Take care and be safe

Janet and Jon Goble

# GOBLE FAMILY ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

It's that time again! Please join the Goble Family Association for the 2010-2011 year. We use the funds for printing and mailing of this newsletter!

Greetings to all our Cousins! The year is flying by and it is time for renewal of membership in the Goble Family Association. You will find in this newsletter a form for that purpose. Please complete it and mail it to me at the address below along with your dues for the 2010-2011 year. Any donation you may wish to make to the Association or specifically to the DNA testing fund is also welcomed. Donations to the DNA testing fund are used to assist Goble males who are willing to be tested, but who need some financial support to be able to do so. We currently have \$375 in the DNA Fund.

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### GOBLE COUSINS ELECTED TO OFFICES IN DAR AND SAR



J. Stephen Hurst and Barbara Goble Volker have been elected to state offices in the California Societies of Sons of the American Revolution and Daughters of the American Revolution.

Steve has been a member of the George Patton Chapter of SAR since 2002, having served as both Chapter President and Vice President. He has served the California Society SAR as Registrar and is currently California Vice President South.

In 2013 he will take office as President of California SAR. Steve joined SAR through Daniel Goble (6). Sadly that line has been closed by both DAR and SAR pending better proof of his service. His son, also Daniel (7), who served in the War of 1812, married Eunice Pound, grand daughter of another Revolutionary War patriot, John Pound. So the members of the Wabash Valley Goble line still have prospects for membership in the SAR and DAR. He says that proof of the younger Daniel's service in the Ohio militia in the War of 1812 is as good as gold, making his descendants eligible for membership in the General Society of the War of 1812. Steve also serves as Secretary of that organization's California Society. Here are some useful websites: http://www.sar.org/ http://www.societyofthewarof1812.org/states.htm



Barbara has been a member of the Fresno-Yosemite Chapter of DAR since 1999, having served as both Chapter Registrar and Regent. She has served California DAR as Northern Council Manager, District Director and Chairman of the 2009 State Conference. She is currently Chaplain of the California State Society DAR. She joined DAR through Benjamin Goble (6), brother to Steve's Daniel (6). In addition, she has supplemental memberships

through Charles Pennington, Phillip Crowder, Enoch Smith and his father Henry Smith, and Thomas Jamison, Sr. All of these men are connected to the Goble family in one way or She is happy to help anyone interested in membership. Go to <a href="http://www.dar.org/">http://www.dar.org/</a> for information. (Thomas Goble Tree)

#### **Nifty 90s BIRTHDAYS**

Please let us know if you have missed your birthday. We need to make sure our genealogy records are correct!

| October  | Margaret Goble Faulkner | 93 |
|----------|-------------------------|----|
|          | Roy Scott Goble         | 96 |
| November | Esther Goble            | 90 |
|          | Helen Goble Klem        | 93 |
| December | Ruth Neel Goble         | 90 |

#### FIREFIGHTER OF THE YEAR



Brian Joseph Valentino was named Firefighter of the Year of the City of Long Branch, NJ. Brian holds the rank of Captain in the Long Branch volunteer fire

department and commands one of the city's nine fire companies. In addition to a plaque and a medal, the Mayor presented him a Proclamation declaring April 24 to be "Brian J. Valentino Day" in the City of Long Branch. The presentations were made at a dinner in his honor held at the local Elks lodge. Photo is of Brian (13) center with several of his fellow officers, firefighters and mascots, all members of the Independent Engine & Truck Co. No. 2. (Thomas Goble Tree)

#### WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT



Congratulations to **Stephen** Kenneth Gobel and Mary Ann Delaney who married on January 6, 2010 in Twin Falls, Idaho. They visited Goble. Oregon on their honeymoon and enjoyed the Goble Tavern and Goble Landing.

(Steve is in the Unconnected Goble Tree)

#### EAGLE SCOUT



For 18-year-old **Eric R. Goble**<sup>1</sup> of Rochester, MI, the year now passing has been a busy one. He has participated in sports and newspaper activities, school completed his Eagle Boy Scout requirements, graduated from high school, and is now looking ahead to his college days.

Eric, whose parents are Robert C. and Eileen Goble (Southern Goble Tree), was a runner for Stoney Creek High School's cross country and track teams as well as being a member of the swim team

for two years. He was a reporter and an editor for two years for the school's newspaper, The Source. He received his diploma in June, graduating magna cum laude.

For six years he was active in the Boy Scouts starting from when he received the Arrow of Light badge as a Cub Scout. As a member of Troop 208 in nearby Shelby Township, he served as a patrol quartermaster, patrol leader and troop guide. He was awarded the Eagle Scout badge on Sept. 29

<sup>1</sup> Provided by Corban Goble

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after completing his Eagle project and an array of merit badges (including Genealogy).

His Eagle project involved the construction of two brick paver patios at his church, SS John and Paul Parish, Washington, MI. The patios are part of the church's outdoor pavilion used for outdoor Masses and social events such as the parish's annual picnic. Family members, friends and fellow Scouts assisted in the project. Eric was a leader in his church youth group during his senior year.

He has also been an umpire for softball games in the Rochester-area youth leagues.

Eric has been accepted as a member of the freshman class at Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, where he plans to double-major in English and economics, with a minor in mathematics. And he says, "I am looking forward to going to college this fall and can not wait to start this new chapter in my life."

His family includes two sisters, Stephanie and Tricia, who will be a junior and sophomore respectively at Stoney Creek High School this fall. Eric's grandparents are Steve and Colleen Francis of Ortonville, MI, and Corban and Harriet Goble of Bowling Green, KY. (Southern Goble Tree)

#### TRIPLETS



There is joy in the birth of one baby, so just think how much joy there was with the birth of triplets to Timothy Phillip (13) Smith and Jamie "Mia" Reed last February! They are grandchildren of Janet Kay (12) Tatum and Randall Kay Smith and great grandchildren of Vivian Inez (11) Goble and Frank E. Tatum. Mother and babies all did well and there were prayers of thanks all around. *Thomas Goble Tree* 

#### **OBITUARIES**



Barbara Ann Goble Bunnell<sup>2</sup> (MEENO), age 80, passed away Sunday, July 18, 2010 in Oklahoma City, OK. Barbara was born on March 6, 1930 in Junction City, Ohio to Charlie and Freda Goble. Barbara married Walter D. Bunnell on August 14, 1954. Barbara is preceded in death by her husband, Walter Bunnell, and 4

brothers. Barbara is survived by 1 brother, Walter Goble of Santa Rosa, CA; 1 sister, Bonnie Dye of Westerville, OH; son, Forest Bunnell of OKC; son, Dean Bunnell of OKC; daughter, Faith Kirk of OKC; 1 grandson, Michael Bunnell of Ft. Worth, TX; 2 granddaughters, Ashley Sorrels and Brytni Howard, both of OKC; 2 great granddaughters, Mikayla Katherine Bunnell and Kaitlinn Marie Sorrels of OKC; and 1 great grandson, Jacob Anakin Sorrels. The Bunnell family would like to extend their thanks to Church of Christ, 920 N. Rockwell Ave. for their patience and love shown for their Mother. Graveside services were held, July 24, 2010 at the Mt. Vernon Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

NEWTON -- <u>David H. Goble</u><sup>3</sup>, 69, died Saturday, **July 17**, **2010**, at Newton Memorial Hospital.

Born in Franklin, Mr. Goble lived in Branchville for 13 years before moving to Newton in 1976.He was a member of the United Methodist Church of Branchville, where he was a former choir member as well as a former Sunday school kindergarten teacher. Mr. Goble also sang with the Sussex County Oratorio Society. He was involved in Big Brothers/Big Sisters and was a big brother to Chris Nagy and Bo Reynolds for several years. A volunteer for Meals on Wheels, Mr. Goble was also a volunteer for the voting polls. He was a past EMT member of the Newton First Aid Squad and Tri-State Ambulance.

The son of the late Howard and Myrtle Davis Goble, Mr. Goble was also predeceased by a brother, Rodney Goble. He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Carol; three daughters, Patricia Goble and Carol Fedor, both of Pennsylvania, and Kimberly Lavery of New York; nine grandchildren, Joshua Murch, Ashley Murch, Whitney Fedor, Julianne Fedor, Joseph Fedor III, Michael Aleksandrowicz, Rachel Holfelder, Sarah Holfelder and Sean Lavery; three greatgrandchildren, Vanassa Pirl, Logan Murch and Micayla Aleksandrowicz; three brothers, Gary Goble of Swartswood, John Goble of Florida, and Robert Goble of Pennsylvania; and one sister, Kathline Talmadge of Hopatcong.

A memorial service was held July 31, at the United Methodist Church of Branchville, 8 Broad St., Branchville. Published in The New Jersey Herald on July 21, 2010



Eunice E. Huckaba, 94, of Decatur, Ill., passed away at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, May 29, 2010, at Helia Healthcare in Champaign, Ill., with her family by her side.

Services to celebrate Eunice's life were held June 2, at Grace United Methodist Church, 901 N. Main, Decatur, with Pastor Danny Cox officiating. Interment was in Graceland Cemetery.

Eunice was born July 5, 1915 in Toledo, Ill., the daughter of James

Alfred and Essie May Brown Tinsman. She married James "Ross" Huckaba July 15, 1934 in Kansas, Ill. He preceded her in death June 21, 2004. She was previously employed as the manager of Carl's Shoe Store. She was a very active member of Grace United Methodist Church. She was named

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Provided by Connie Abele

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the Methodist Volunteer of the Year. She also volunteered at Decatur Memorial Hospital and she and Ross delivered meals on wheels for many years.

She leaves behind her daughters, Janice Wollerman of Ramsey, Ill., Sandra Henson of Decatur and Sharon Murray and husband Donald of Champaign; thirteen grandchildren; 34 great-grandchildren; 17 great-great-grandchildren; a daughter-in-law, Beverly Huckaba of Columbia; and a brother, Clifford Tinsman and wife Ruth of Urbana, Ill.

Glenda Anne Goble, 45, of Claremont passed away Saturday, June 19, 2010, at Frye Regional Medical Center. She was born Dec. 23, 1964, in Catawba County to the late Glenn Goble and Evelyn Lail Goble. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sister, Julie Goble. Glenda loved much and was very much loved. She is survived by two sisters, Karen Goble Abofarraj of Conover and Sandra Goble Wise of Newton; one brother, Bryan Goble of Bethlehem; special friend, David Mullins of Claremont; two nieces, Holly Wise and Kelly Wise, both of Newton; a nephew, Bill Wise of Newton; and also her extended family and friends. A memorial service was held on June 22, 2010 at Bass-Smith Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Scott Howard officiating.

Published in Hickory Daily Record on June 21, 2010

Athie Burgess Goble<sup>4</sup>, 72, of Goble Road, Hiddenite, died Sunday, May 30, 2010, at Valley Nursing Center.

She was born in Alexander County July 19, 1937, daughter of the late Pervie and Mozelle Harrington Burgess. She was a homemaker and a member of Hiddenite Baptist

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Gerald Carl Goble; two sisters, Mary Ellen Lackey and Gerdie Treadway; and a sister-in-law, Lucille

Survivors include a daughter, Linda Anderson and husband Michael of Charlotte; a son, Larry Goble and wife Tammy of Stony Point; two grandchildren, Mark and Lauren Anderson of Charlotte; sisters, Thelma Deal and husband Lindsay and Laura Eaton and husband Tom, all of Taylorsville, and Ruth Isenhour and husband Jerry of Conover; brothers, Lewis Burgess, Conley Burgess and wife Dot, and Alton Burgess and wife Penny, all of Taylorsville; two brothers-in-law, John Lackey and Howard Treadway, both of Taylorsville; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were June 2, 2010, at Hiddenite Baptist Church. Dr. Terry Ashe officiated. Burial followed in the Hiddenite Cemetery.

Regina "Jean" Goble Feldman of Port Jervis, NY, passed away Saturday, April 10, 2010 at her home. She was 83.

Jean was born on October 23, 1926 in Port Jervis, the daughter of the late William and Jenny Babcock Hicks.

She was a retired assembler for Barbara Quilting of Port Jervis. Jean married Clifford Goble, who predeceased her. She then married Percy J. Feldman, who also predeceased her. She was a communicant of St. Mary's R.C. Church, Port Jervis; a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Tri-State Naval Ship #7241, Port Jervis; and a member of the Seniors of Deerpark and the Leisure Club.

Jean is survived by daughter Katherine Mowatt and husband Edward of Port Jervis; sisters Edna Conklin and Gloria Shema both of Huguenot; brother William Hicks of Port Jervis; grandchildren Candice Galligan and husband Shawn, John Mowatt, and Holli Storms and husband, Jeremy; five great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews; and her longtime companion, Herbert Ulrichs of Sparrowbush.

She was predeceased by her sister, Elizabeth Brody. A vigil wake service was held April 13 at the Knight-Auchmoody Funeral Home, Inc., Port Jervis. Interment took place at Rural Valley Cemetery, Cuddebackville.

William Franklin Goble<sup>5</sup> was born in Prosser, Neb., on Dec 25, 1921, to Homer and Violet Goble. He attended schools in Rupert, Idaho, and Scio, OR. The Goble family moved to Hazelton, Idaho, in 1936.

Frank entered the Army on the 7th day of August 1942. He served in England and South Africa. He was honorably discharged on Sept. 20, 1945.

Frank met Charlotte Anderson in Jerome, Idhao, in 1950 and they were married Dec. 30, 1951. They had three children, Glenda (Elorrieta), Susan (Fiscus) and Frank (Goble). He retired in 1987 from Merc where he worked as a meat cutter.

Frank is survived by his wife, Charlotte of Twin Falls; his three children, Glenda Elorrieta of Twin

Falls, Susan Fiscus (Gene) of Carey, Idaho, and Frank Goble Jr. (Joan) of Ontario, Ore.; seven grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren; a sister, Bernice Osborn, of Baker City OR; four brothers, Bernard Goble of Spokane WA, Marion Goble of Wendell, Idaho, Leslie Goble of Wendell and Bob Goble of Richland, WA. He was preceded in death by his parents, Homer and Violet Goble; a twin brother, Francis Goble; and a grandson, Travis Petersen.

Graveside services were held at the Jerome Cemetery.

### **ANOTHER Nifty 90s BIRTHDAY**

**BETTY GOBLE BISTI** Celebrated her 90th birthday on

30 March 2010 at Meridian Acute Care in Wall, New Jersey. She was joined by her daughter Carole Bisti Valentino and son-in-law Joseph Valentino, along with grandsons Brian Joseph & Michael Robert Valentino and

great-grandson Joseph Vincent Valentino. Photo is of Betty (11) and Joseph (14) of the Thomas Goble Tree.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Provided by Corban Goble

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Provided by Gary Goble

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### JOIN THE GOBLE FAMILY ASSOCIATION

| Membership is from July to July. The current dates are July 2010 to July 2011.  Please Print.                                                                                                                     |
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| Enclosed is my membership fee of \$10. Annual Goble Family Association dues are \$10.00 per family for the year (July 2010-July 2011). A subscription to the Goble Family Newsletter is included with membership. |
| I would like to receive an e-mailed notice when the newsletter is available on-line. (This means you don't have to send me a hard copy newsletter.)                                                               |
| I would like to contribute \$ to the Goble Family Association.                                                                                                                                                    |
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