

THE GOBLE FAMILY NEWSLETTER

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Goble News

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Greetings to all our Cousins!

We are beginning to work on plans for our 2016 Goble Family Reunion. It is scheduled to be held somewhere in the central United States. We have had quite a conversation about it on our Facebook page, and the two locations that seem to be the favorites are Minneapolis/St. Paul, MN and Indianapolis, IN. Please send your votes to me by email (bgvolker@comcast.net) or snail mail (684 W. Stuart Ave., Fresno, CA 93704) for which of the two locations you prefer. It's time to find a venue and plan the program. I'd like your votes no later than the end of June 2015.

We are very interested in growing our Goble DNA Project. After our article on DNA genealogy appeared in our last newsletter, we had some excellent comments from one of our members who is obviously very knowledgeable on the subject. I contacted her and asked if she would be willing to become the Administrator of our Goble Project and she said YES! Her name is Rebecca Evans, and she has five generations of Gobles in Northern Nevada. She is married to Mohammad Shafei and is currently in college, studying genetics. She is very

excited to have a Facebook group where descendants of the Goble family can pool their wisdom, family trees, cemetery research, family bibles, photographs, and DNA tools from various companies to celebrate and preserve the Goble legacy. She is most interested in utilizing the already established FTDNA YDNA and mtDNA tools and combining the familyfinder autosomal DNA from that site with those in our extended families who have tested at 23andme or AncestryDNA through gedmatch.com--a source we can use regardless of which of the three major companies we have used for autosomal DNA. We will have more of her ideas for developing the project in our next newsletter.

My apologies for being the cause of this newsletter coming out late. My husband has been recovering from open heart surgery and some complications that followed it. Thank you to our Editor, Michaele Kehrt, and our family Genealogist, Evelyn Goble Steen, for being so patient with me.

Barbara Goble Volker, President/Treasurer
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WELCOME GOBLE FACEBOOK FRIENDS

Join our Goble Genealogy Facebook page. We currently have almost 400 members and lots of good discussion about all sorts of Goble history. Please go to Facebook and enter "Goble Genealogy."

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/259543309607/>

GOBLE ASSOCIATION BUSINESS

The Bylaws of the Goble Family Association call for the election of officers triennially at the time of our reunion. Since we had to cancel our 2010 meeting on the West Coast and no election was held in 2013, officers elected in 2007 have remained. That current slate of officers is as follows:

PRESIDENT (Treasurer): Barbara Goble Volker

SECRETARY: VACANT

NEWSLETTER EDITOR: Michaela Kehrt

HISTORIAN/GENEALOGIST: Evelyn Goble Steen

NEWSLETTER DISTRIBUTION: Barbara Goble Volker

REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVES:

Mountain: VACANT

Midwest: Glory Lund

South: Nada Watrous

East (Atlantic): Evelyn Goble Steen

Canada: VACANT

Western (Pacific): Miji Ryan

REUNION COMMITTEE CHAIRS BY REGIONS

Western: Barbara Goble Volker

Midwest: VACANT

East: Brian Valentino

If you would like to nominate someone, or volunteer to perform in any of offices listed, please let us know.

Call Barbara Volker with questions about the responsibilities of the offices.

NOMINATIONS/VOLUNTEERS: If nominated, the candidate must agree to serve.

Hello All,

Years ago when I began searching the Internet for everything GOBLE, I found some very interesting people and places to report on to our readers. We have all enjoyed meeting and visiting with these new found cousins. Today, when you put the word GOBLE into a search engine on the web, you get hundreds of listings. There are artists, musicians, authors, scientists, doctors, schools, business owners, and entrepreneurs of every conceivable ilk listed. It is quite an experience just to sift through the listings and names. Try it, it's fun!

Evelyn Goble Steen

GOBLE BLACK SHEEP

Recently Ancestry released records from the New York, Sing Sing Prison Admission Registers, 1865-1939. Being the avid Goble researcher that I am, I had to check for Goble black sheep. I was lucky and found one I was able to connect to our Irish Goble tree.

1900
June 9th.
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Henry G. Goble

Received from Orange County Court,
Sentenced, June 1, 1900. 10-8. Manslaughter 2d. Hon. J. J. Beattie Judge.
Who arrested you? Policeman Faulkner Precinct No.,
Born Millsburg, N.Y. Age, 38 Occupation, Farmer. }
Complexion, Orange } Eyes, Blue }
Hair, Brown }
Stature, 5-6 3/4 Weight, 159 Read, Yes Write, Yes
Habits, mod Tobacco, yes Religion, Prot Married or Single,
Resided when Arrested, at Benjamin St Middletown N.Y.
Names of Relatives or Friends: Uncle, C. S. Goble Westtown, Orange Co. N.Y.
Wife - Addie Goble. 116 Prospect Ave Middletown N.Y.
Large & good shaped head 7 1/8 Ht. 210 8
Shoes. Slight Scar on top of head. Scar on
at ear on side of head. Two ears. Good
height - fore head. Arched med. brows
Slight Scar in old view. Small nose.
Teeth uneven. 2 upper front teeth absent.
Scar on left thumb & 2 on left index finger
Stutters.

Henry G. Goble, born about 1863 in Millsburg, Orange County, New York to Elizabeth (Jane?) Goble was arrested for manslaughter in the second degree and sentenced on June 1, 1900 to 8 to 10 years. When he was arrested, he was living at 17 Benjamin Street, Middletown, New York with his uncle, Coe. S. Goble, brother to Elizabeth. Apparently Elizabeth never married, but had two sons; Dayton and Henry. Henry was married to Addie, there were no children reported.

In the Hornellsville Weekly Tribune on November 17, 1899 the following article appeared.

Killed in a Quarrel

Middletown, N.Y., Nov 23.

Henry Goble, 39 years old, of this city was arrested here last night, charged with the killing of John H. Mullen, 60 years old, with whom he had a fight Monday afternoon at Greenville.

Henry's description in the sentencing report indicated that he had quite a few scars, but was otherwise healthy. He was an Irish Protestant and stuttered. He was still in prison in 1905 but was out of prison by 1910 and living in a boarding house in Minisink, Orange County, New York. In 1930 he was working on a dairy farm as a hired hand in Wawayanda, Orange County, New York. He appeared in 1940 at age 78 in Middletown State Homeopathic Hospital in Middletown, New York, a hospital for the treatment of mental disorders.

by Evelyn Goble Steen

GOBLE INVENTOR



Dr. E. Marlowe Goble is a world-renowned

surgeon who is a pioneer and inventor in the areas of orthopedic surgery and sports medicine arthroscopy. He founded MedicineLodge, Inc., which was later acquired by Innovative Devices, Inc. He is Associate Clinical Professor, Department of

Orthopedic Surgery, University of Utah; Adjunct Professor/Team Physician, Utah State University; and Orthopedic Surgeon, Alpine Orthopedics. He holds 57 U.S. patents in his field, with more pending.

E. Marlowe Goble, M.D.: Goble, founder and director of research and development at Medicine Lodge, Inc., is also an orthopedic surgeon at Goble Knee Clinic. He started his independent orthopedic surgery practice in Logan, Utah, in 1981. In performing his job as knee surgeon, he conceived and developed a unique set of methods for drilling and securing ligament replacements to bones in joint reconstructive surgery.

Dr. Goble partnered with an engineering friend, who ran a machine shop in town, to develop the initial prototypes of tools and devices. The technology they invented together enhances recovery and full use of injured joints and torn ligaments. These techniques have been successfully applied to one of the most common athletic injuries: an anterior cruciate ligament (ACL) tear in the knee.

Dr. Goble's contribution combined with that of many other surgeon inventors and biomechanical engineers, has enhanced minimally invasive ACL reconstructive surgery, allowing athletes to regain full use of their legs more rapidly and return to full athletic activity.

Best of all – he's a Goble!
Read more about Dr. Goble:

<http://gobleclinic.com/index.html>
<http://gobleclinic.com/patents.html>
<https://www.usu.edu/advancement/oms/differences/stories/Goble.cfm>
<http://www.svmcw.org/index.cfm?ID=132>
<http://venturemd.com/team/marlowe-goble/>
<http://will.state.wy.us/inventors/name.cfm?nameID=2676&lastname=Goble&firstname=E>

22 YEARS OF RESEARCH !!

(This year marks the 22nd year of genealogical research into the Goble family by me, Evelyn Goble Steen.)

My interest in the family history, at a young age, was satisfied when I was told that my background was "a little bit of everything," i.e.; English, Irish, Scottish, Welsh, French, German, Polish, Indian, etc. Okay, that was an answer. I accepted it. I never enjoyed history as a child in school. I would select any other class. History was boring - boring, until I became part of it. The discovery of my ancestors put me in the middle of history and gave me a piece of it. If teachers could somehow do that for children, I believe they would love history.

In 1993, when my husband turned 50 and needed to find a part of his roots, I became entranced. We took a short drive from our home in Maryland to Chestnut Level, Pennsylvania. There we found an historic church and cemetery. From there we went Lancaster, and continued our search in land records and old wills. I was amazed that so many of the records of the 1700s were stored in

libraries and available for us to look through. We located records of property once owned by the earliest Steens in America. We actually found the site of the home drawn on old maps, transferred them to modern maps and drove to the area. Sitting where the old house should sit was an old stone, two-story house, with modern additions. Behind it, were the remains of an old stone silo. We questioned, could this be the house? Could it be over 200 years old? Yes!

I found myself "bitten," by the genealogy bug! In the years after that, I have traveled, studied, photographed and searched for everything Goble. I've written letters, letters and more letters. I've phoned and met with many people, discovered many new cousins, all in a relatively short time. I also discovered that not everyone is as interested in this research as I am. I am sure my single-mindedness has dismayed and frustrated my friends and family. I have been so totally consumed that at times I felt I had no other life. There is no way to complete the research. There will always be more to discover.

OBITUARIES

Able Goble, 84, of Prestonsburg, Kentucky husband of Hester Hill Goble, died Saturday, November 29, 2014. He was born November 18, 1930 in Emma, Kentucky, the son of Columbus and Alice Boyd Goble. Able was a retired coal miner and a member of the U.M.W.A. He is survived by his sons, Ronnie and Donnie and his wife, Yvonne Goble, three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held on December 2, at Nelson, in Martin. Burial was in the Goble Family Cemetery, at Calf Creek, Prestonsburg. **(German Goble Tree)**



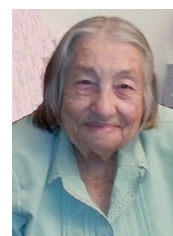
Nora Goble Hedrick Ikerd, 87, of Conover, North Carolina, died on Wednesday, November 19, 2014 at Brian Center in Statesville. She was born on December 29, 1926 in Catawba County, the daughter of the late Bud and Sallie Kanipe Goble. She was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Conover and had worked at Conover Glove and Newton Glove as a sewer. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her first husband, Raymond Pinkney Hedrick, and second husband, Darius Ikerd; a son, Larry Ray Hedrick; brothers, Max Kanipe, Ray Kanipe, and Glenn Goble; and sisters, Ruby Scronce, Della Williams, Ruth Cline, and Annie Hedrick. Survivors include her son, Tommy Hedrick and his wife Nancy of Statesville; step-son, Harry Ikerd of Newton; brother, Charles Goble of Conover; a sister, Alice Moonie; four grandchildren, Richie A. Hedrick, Dana Clippard, Joy Lowery and Tammy Blaj; nine great grandchildren; and two great-great grand-children. A Service of Remembrance will be held at 11:00 a.m. on November 22, 2014 at Immanuel Lutheran Church. Rev. Rudy Allen DeRosa, M. Div. will officiate and burial will follow in the church cemetery **(Southern Goble Tree)**



Jean M. Goble, 81, of Kansas City, Missouri passed away on Friday, November 14, 2014. Jean was born April 11, 1933 to Tom and Ethel (Thomas) Guess in Albany, Missouri. Jean married James W. Goble on December 16, 1950 in New Hampton, Missouri. She was preceded in death by a grandson, her parents, one brother, and three sisters.

Survived by her husband, Jim Goble; three children: Rick Goble of Grain Valley, Missouri; Debbie Goble of Kansas City, Missouri; Jeff Goble and wife, Janeen of Kansas City, Missouri; one granddaughter; four grandsons; and nine great-grandchildren. Jean enjoyed: showing horses, going to the lake house and traveling in the family motor home. A Funeral Service will be held at 10 a.m., November 17, at Meyers Northland Chapel with Rev. Vernon Armitage officiating. Burial Tree will be in Grandview Cemetery in Albany, Missouri. **(Unconnected Goble Tree)**

Nathalee M. Goble, 90, of Conway Springs, Kansas, died December 11, 2014 in Wichita, Kansas. She was born in Booker, Texas, on January 18, 1924, the daughter of Erman and Ada (Evans) Ferguson. She married Lloyd Ray Goble (10) on August 3, 1942. He died October 8, 1981. She was also preceded in death by her parents, one brother Garland Ferguson and one son Harles Goble. Survivors are her son Arland Goble of Flower Mound, Texas; daughter Charlotte Welliver of Wichita, Kansas; one sister Ina Lou Dwyer of Manhattan, Kansas; eight grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren and one great great granddaughter. Graveside Services were held December 16, 2014, at the Conway Springs Cemetery. **(Thomas Goble Tree)**



Lalla H. Walker, 89, passed away on November 23, 2014, at her residence in Gastonia, North Carolina. She was born Aug. 21, 1925 in York, South Carolina, the daughter of the late Robert Grier Hill and Jennie Viola Goble Hill. Lalla retired from Homelite after 30 years of service. She is survived by her husband, Clyde Walker; daughter, Vickie Harrell; granddaughter, Angela Harrell and great-granddaughters, Diana, Victoria and Sarah Macon, all of Gastonia. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by one sister and two brothers. A graveside service was held on November 26 at Woodside Cemetery, Clover, South Carolina, officiated by Pastor Kenny Lane. **(Southern Goble Tree)**



Sammy Lafferty, 88, of Floyd County, Kentucky, died November 6, 2014. He was born April 3, 1926, in German, Kentucky, to Homer Lafferty and Laddie Goble Collins. He was a retired farmer and lineman for Harris Brothers and a member of the Auxier Freewill Baptist Church. He is survived by his sons, Larry Lafferty, of Endicott, and Marvin Lafferty, of West Liberty; two daughters, Helen Hammonds, of Prestonsburg, and Geraldine Conway, of Johnson County; a half-brother, Elmer Gene Collins, of Lexington; 16 grandchildren; and many great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by four brothers, Taylor Lafferty, Epp Lafferty, Otis Lafferty and Dewey Lafferty, and six half-sisters, Vanie LeMaster, Sara Ann Spears, Oeda Music, Mable Endicott, Clara Clark and Evalene Honeycutt. Funeral services were held November 6, in Martin. Burial followed in the Richmond Cemetery. **(German Goble Tree)**

Earl E. "Pete" Searls, 69, of Upper Sandusky, Ohio, died at Wyandot Memorial Hospital, November 29, 2014. He was born on April 24, 1945 in Franklin County to Marion Earl Sr. and Mildred Evelyn (Goble) Searls. He married Diana Barnes on May 1, 1976 in her parents' home. Mr. Searls is survived by brothers, Gideon (Kathy) Searls, Albert Searls, Marion (Cindy) Searls Jr., William Searls, Wilbur Searls, Raymond Searls; sisters, Cindrella (Don) Bell, Mary Smith, Martha Prince, Ruth (Cecil) Cole, Rozetta (Don) DeJean, Doris (Terry) Messmer, Wanda (Jim) Montgomery, and Kathy (Jeff) Daum. He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Donald Searls; and a sister who died in infancy. Mr. Searls worked for 28 years as a press operator for Blackhawk. He was a former member of the Moose Lodge #1093, Eagles #2184 of Upper Sandusky. He enjoyed taking care of his pet cats and watching westerns and detective television shows. A funeral service was held, December 3, 2014 at Bringman Clark Funeral Home with Pastor Mark Mauldin officiating. Burial followed in Hueston Cemetery, Forest. **(Unconnected Goble Tree)**

Ralph James Rowley, 82, of Georgetown, Texas, passed away December 9, 2014. He was born January 3, 1932, in Wray, Colorado, the son of James Everett and Mary (Tustin) Rowley. In 1950, Ralph joined the U.S. Army spending 30 months in Tokyo,

Japan, as a mapmaker. Ralph married Luella Jane Goble (10) on January 30, 1957 in Akron, Colorado. They were the parents of seven children. She preceded him in death October 1982. Ralph taught fifth and sixth grade in Akron and Ft. Morgan, Colorado, and building trades in Belleville, Kansas and Meade, Kansas. During his teaching tenure at Meade his students built 14 houses on site at the high school and auctioned off on the last day of school, to be moved to the site chosen by the buyer. Ralph and Joyce E. Folger were married June 2, 1984, in Meade, Colorado. In October 2003 they moved to Georgetown, Texas. Survivors include his wife, Joyce; two sons, Jeffrey, of Denver, and Roger of Brush Colorado; five daughters: Mary Jane and husband Mark Clayton of Ault, Colorado, Meg and husband Brad Henderson of Brush, Agnes and husband Ron Gosselin of Topeka, Nancy Williams of Topeka, and Roxanne Rowley of Bozeman, Montana; three stepdaughters, 13 grandchildren; 6 step-grandchildren, 2 great grandchildren and 10 step great-grandchildren, and his brother, Larry. Burial was in the Brush Memorial Cemetery in Brush, **(Thomas Goble Tree)**

Beverly D. Goble, 64, passed away peacefully on January 6, 2015 in Gastonia, North Carolina. Born in Gaston County on October 25, 1950, she was the daughter of the late Burl and Sybil Franklin McSwain and was raised by her grandparents, the late Charlie and Lillie Franklin. Mrs. Goble was a self-employed house cleaner. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jerry Don Goble, and a daughter-in-law, Shannon Goble. Mrs. Goble is survived by her sons and daughter-in-law, Donald M. and Staci Goble of Gastonia, Richard W. Goble of Cramerton, and Christopher A. Goble of Charlotte; daughter, Sissy Goble and her companion, Kenny of Cherryville; grandchildren, Courtney Jackson, Aaron Judd, Trace Casanave, Austin Wagner and Landon Goble; great-grandchild, Vaughn Carroll; brother and sister-in-law, Ronnie and Patti Franklin of Belmont; half-sisters, Janice Simmons of Ranlo and Debbie Chapman of Cayce, South Carolina; best friend, Nancy Wiggins of Belmont. Burial will be private at Gaston Memorial Park. **(Southern Goble Tree)**

