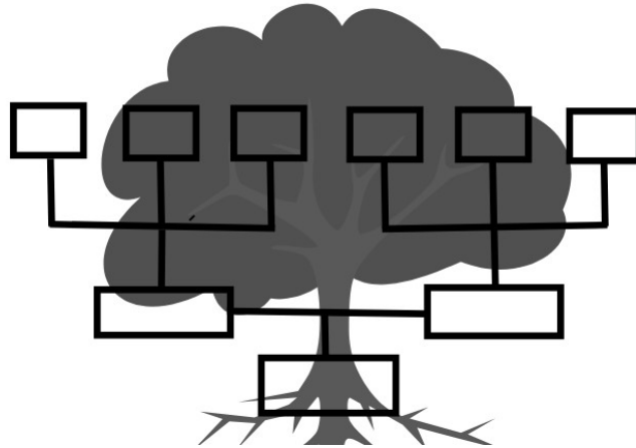


Family Trees: Build One or Cut Them Down



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Ways to Improve Your Efforts

Create a Family Tree on Ancestry/Family Tree DNA to attach to your results

This will allow Ancestry's DNA Circles to make suggestions

This will allow matches to determine how they might be related

Focus on matches with supplied Family Tree – FIRST

Prepare a Pedigree Chart that you can easily send for inquiries

Prepare a Family Group Sheet for those area where you have additional research interest.

Keep notes on any matches you work – whether resolved or not

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International Society of Genetic Genealogy

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Promoting (and meeting) for genealogical research and educating the general public.

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Welcome to ISOGG...

...the first society founded to promote the use of DNA testing in genealogy

Our Mission

The mission of the International Society of Genetic Genealogy is to:

Advocate for and educate about the use of genetics as a tool for genealogical research while promoting a supportive network for genetic genealogists.

How do we accomplish our mission? By educating others about the use of genetics in genealogy. This is done through workshops, our [wiki](#), a speaker's bureau, our forums, and meetings. Although we do not have regular meetings, meetings are important as they allow for the dissemination of information and help maintain forward momentum. Even though ISOGG members are geographically spread out, we do what is possible to hold meetings at events and online.

More About Us

This society is a non-commercial non-profit organization. There are **NO** dues or fees to join, it is entirely self-supporting by its members. **YOU** choose what you wish to give. Whether it's your time to give a presentation or host a workshop at your local genealogical society, or create photocopies to promote the society at a convention, it is up to you. You will not be asked to spend your time or contribute in a way you do not wish to. You may never end up participating in that manner, but may just join to learn and network, and that is okay too.

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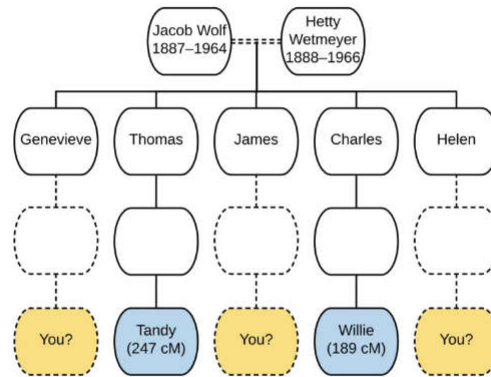
- Adenine:** One of the four nucleotide bases in DNA or RNA; pairs with thymine in DNA or uracil in RNA.
- Allele:** An allele (pronounced *UH-lee'*) is one of multiple alternative forms of a single **gene**, each of which is a viable DNA sequence produces blue eyes and another allele of the eye-color gene produces brown eyes.
- Administrator:** Also known as a *Project Administrator*, *Group Project Administrator*, *Project Manager*, *Coordinator* and *Co-Coordinator*.
- Affected relative pair:** An affected relative pair consists of two organisms related genetically that are both affected by the same trait the allele coding for blue eyes.
- Ancestral haplotype:** The haplotype of a MRCA deduced by comparing descendants' haplotypes and eliminating **mutations**.
- Ancestral state:** Refers to the state of a SNP that has **mutated** and is shared by the most people. Example: A negative result on a
- Ancestry-informative markers**
- Ancient DNA**
- Anthrogenealogy:** A term coined by Family Tree DNA combining the words *anthro* and *genealogy* in reference to utilizing DNA to
- Archaeogenetics**
- Atlantic Modal Haplotype (AMH):** See Western Atlantic Modal Haplotype.
- Autosomal DNA:** The DNA of non-sex-determining chromosomes that mix or recombine. Also known as admixture DNA.
- Autozygosity**

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- Base pair:** A pair of nucleotide bases on complementary DNA or RNA strands organized in a double helix.
- Bikini haplotypes:** Minimal haplotype data, i.e.: six Y-STR markers.
- Biogeographical ancestry (BGA)**
- Buccal cell:** A type of cell found in cheek tissue inside the mouth.
- Build:** The term used for the human genome reference standard (Build 38 is the most recent *reference genome*).

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The trick is to compare the trees of shared matches. For example, if you match Tandy and Willie in the 2nd cousin range, if they are shared matches to one another, and if they have the same great grandparents in their two trees, you can start with the assumption that *their* great grandparents are also *your* great grandparents.



Hypothetical example with shared great grandparents.

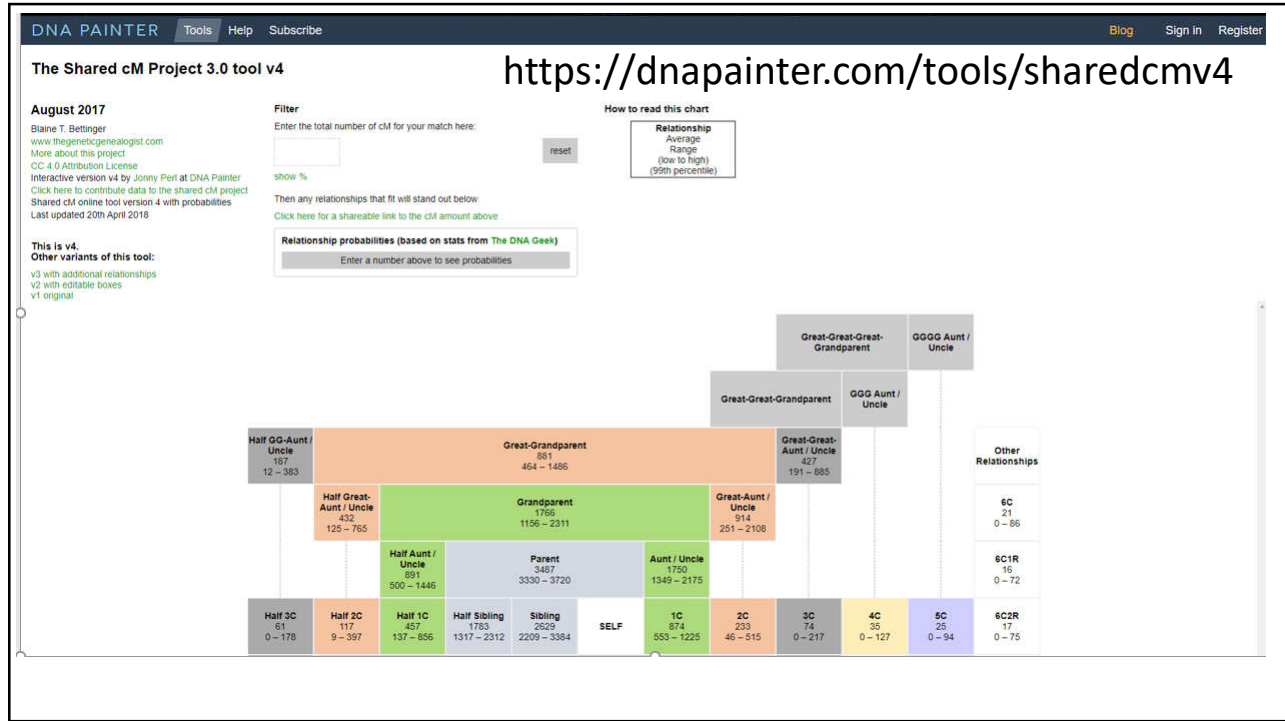
You still don't know where you fit into the tree, but now you have a hook, a way to draw the match into an exchange.

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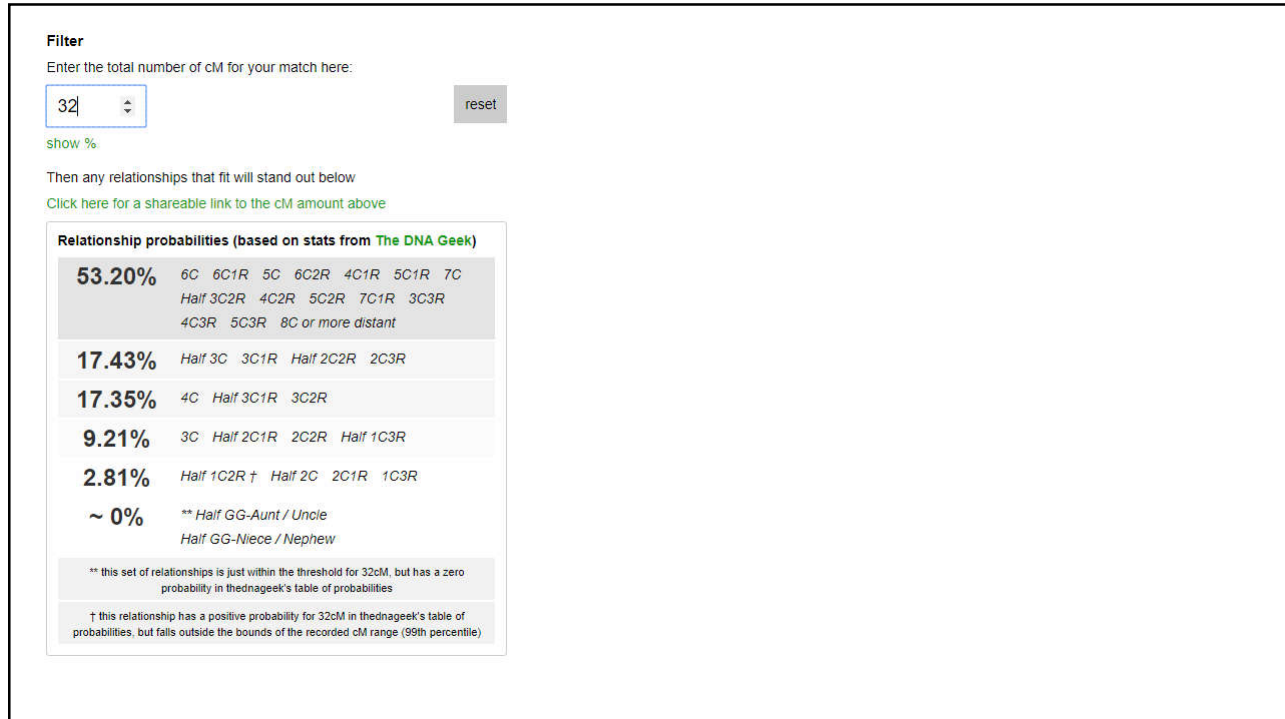
<https://dnainter.com/tools/sharedcmv4>

The Shared cM Project 3.0 tool v4

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John Coker d ca 1720 + Margaret Clay Allen b1648 d1721- Lawnes Creek, Surry VA

William Coker b ca 1665 + Mary Cartwright

Caleb Coker - d 1748 Edgecombe NC + Mary Spier (not doc, but reasoned)

James Coker - d 1796 Edgecombe NC + Mary ?

Caleb Coker - d Edgecombe NC + Elizabeth Porter

Jacob Coker -d 1823 Livingston KY + Nancy Mc Daniel (not doc, reasoned)

Marmaduke D Coker b 1804 Edgecombe NC d 187? Livingston KY = Bidey Adaline Martin [Wiggins] b1840 Madison MO; d1918 New Madrid MO

Marion Tobe Coker b 1865 Livingston KY + Norma Frances Wilson 1859 Grundy TN

Frank H. Coker b1898 Livingston KY d Ludlow KY + Maude Mae Deatherage

Francis D (Pete) Coker b 1929 Covington KY + Shirley Ruth Owens b 1936 MtVernon KY d2018

Shared cM 32

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Good reasons to create a Family Tree

Assist with atDNA matches and comparison

Share with interested family members – close or distant

You can add a basic public tree with documentation. You can use a private tree with your research, photos and other things you don't want to share publicly at this time.

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Do you want to download software to your home computer or would you prefer to keep your tree online? Maybe you'd like to do both?

What are your feelings about keeping your family tree private? Is the privacy of your tree an absolute must or are you happy to share your work in progress with others?

Are you looking for just the basics in a family tree software program? Or would you like to have access to a wide array of special features and fun extras?

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Parabon www.parabon-nanolabs.com

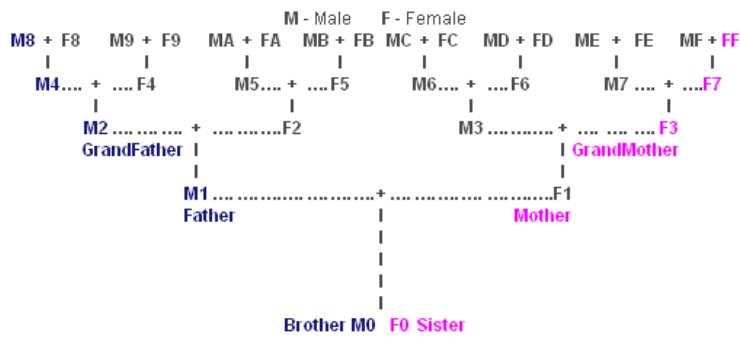


Sacramento County Sheriff Scott Jones, left, talks to reporters about the arrest Joseph James DeAngelo, seen in photo, on suspicion of committing a string of violent crimes in the 1970s and 1980s. A DNA match led to the arrest of DeAngelo, 72, who is accused committing at least 12 slayings and 45 rapes in California. (AP Photo/Rich Pedroncelli)

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What Happens With My DNA Test Results NOW?

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Y-Search

If a match was found with another male who had been tested then that male is descended from the same male lineage. You cannot tell exactly WHERE the linkage is between the two male researchers, only that they have a common male ancestor SOMEWHERE on their trees on the left-outermost branch continuing back in time.

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FamilyTreeDNA logo and search bar at the top. Navigation menu includes myFTDNA, DNA Tests, Projects, and Resources. User profile for John Lowe, Kit 89156 is visible.

The Lowe project is participating in the myGroups Beta! [Click here](#) to see your new myGroups page.

Y-DNA - Matches

FILTER MATCHES

Show Matches For: The Entire Database | Markers: 111 | Distance: All | Matches Per Page: 25

Last Name Starts With: (Optional) | New Since: | **Run Report**

111 MARKERS - 4 MATCHES

Genetic Distance	Name	Y-DNA	Most Distant Ancestor	Y-DNA Haplogroup	Terminal SNP	Match Date
6	Gordon Wallace Whitaker	Y-DNA111 FF	William Whitaker, b. 1775 and d.?	I-L22	L22	10/24/2014
6	Robert Lowe	Y-DNA111	Walter I. Lowe, b. 1858	I-M253		9/2/2014
6	Mr. Daniel Patrick Gibbs	Y-DNA111 FF		I-M253		6/3/2014
7	Daniel Rothwell	Y-DNA111 FF		I-M253		11/28/2013

Download Matches: **CSV** **EXCEL**

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Advanced Matches

FILTER ADVANCED VIEW

Choose which tests to compare: *The more options you choose, the longer the report may take.*

Select All | Select All Y-DNA | Select All mtDNA

Y-DNA12 | Y-DNA25 | Y-DNA37 | Y-DNA67 | Y-DNA111 | HVR1 | HVR2 | FMS | Family Finder | X-Match

Show only people I match in all selected tests: Yes | No | Last Name Starts With: (Optional)

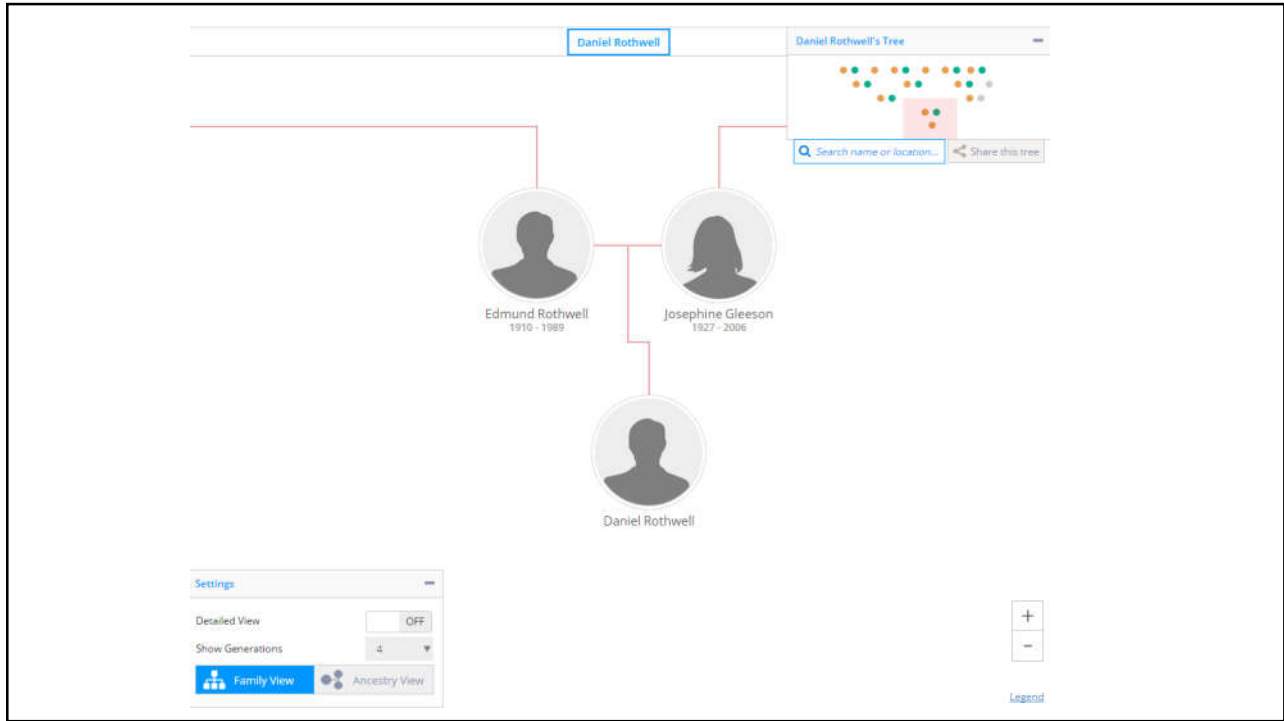
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ADVANCED VIEW

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Download: **CSV** **Excel**

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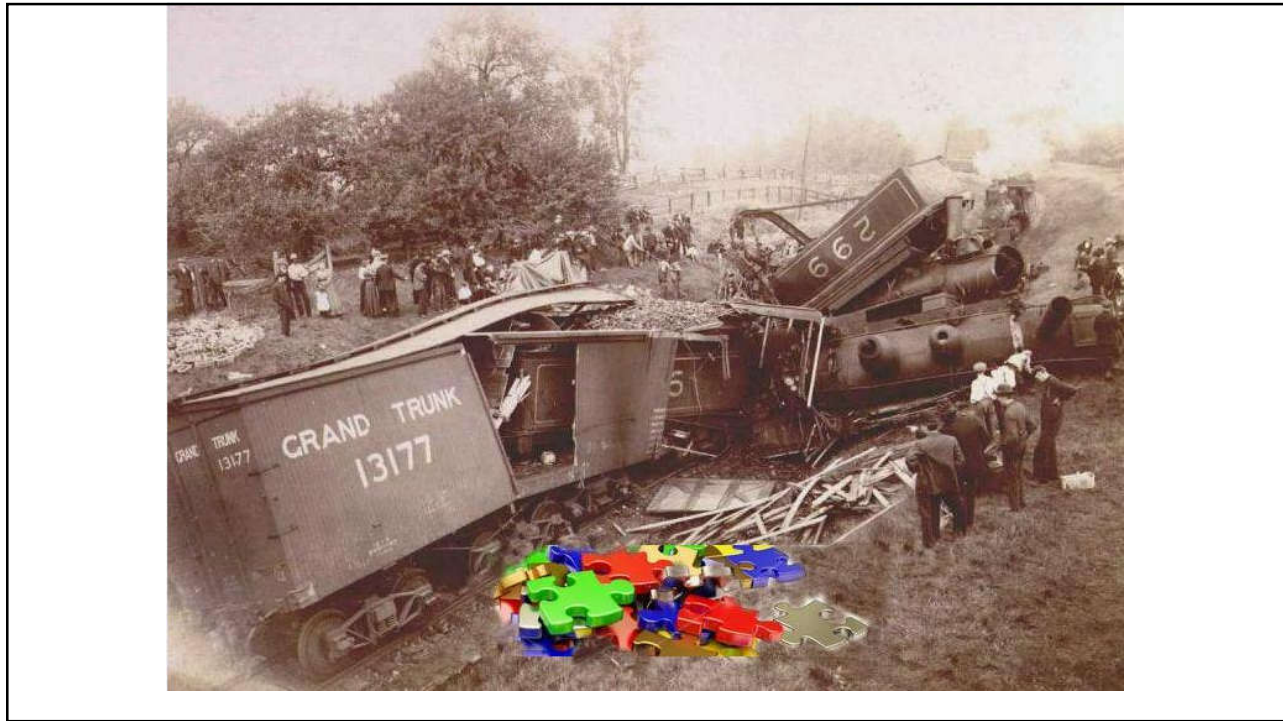
67 MARKERS - 12 MATCHES

Genetic Distance	Name	Most Distant Ancestor	Y-DNA Haplogroup	Terminal SNP	Match Date
2	Alex Debruel Low Jr.	Aquila Lowe of Knox County, Tennessee.	I-M253		6/16/2009
4	Dr. William Paul Rothwell	Andrew Radwell 1772-?	I-M253		4/26/2015
4	Mr. Daniel Patrick Gibbs		I-M253		6/7/2014
4	James Rothwell		I-M253	M253	9/21/2013
4	Shane Kyle Lowe	Lowe, Hiram McKinney Sr. , b. 1903 and d. 1962	I-M253		12/3/2012
4	Robert Lowe	Walter I. Lowe, b. 1858	I-M253		7/16/2012
4	Daniel Rothwell		I-M253		10/4/2010
4	Gordon Wallace Whitaker	William Whitaker, b. 1775 and d.?	I-L22	L22	11/23/2009
5	Mr. Brian James Rothwell		I-M253	M253	6/6/2015
5	Lon Fletcher	Francis Fletcher b. 6 Jan 1761 in Yorkshire, Eng	I-M253		3/11/2014
5	Maurice Robinson	Joseph Robinson b.c. 1820 England d.1861 apprx	I-CTS9346	CTS9346	8/4/2008
7	Mr. Michael Lewis		I-M253		1/9/2015

Download Matches: [CSV](#) [EXCEL](#)

FamilyTreeDNA.com Y – DNA Test

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Hiram McKinney Lowe, Sr.'s Tree Showing 71 People

If there's no Tree Attached, look to see if there are notes, trees elsewhere. You will do the checking and the work.

Andrew Jackson Lowe (1818-1879) Eliza Ann Lowe (Powell) (1824-1885) William David Byrd (c.1835-c.) Ann Elizabeth Byrd (Miner) (c.1839-c.)

Alexander Hamilton Lowe (c.1849-1899) Alberta Vivian Byrd (c.1858-c.) Daniel Young McKinney (1838-1905) Daniel Young McKinney (deceased) Martha Tennessee McKinney (Raney) Lafayette Leslie McKim (c.1880)

Louis Morgan Lowe (1874-1953) Mary Adella McKinney (1878-1964) John White (1884-c.)


Louis Morgan Lowe, Jr. (b.1907-c.) Winnie Elizabeth Chritch (Lowe) (b.1911-c.) Hiram McKinney Lowe, Sr. (1903-1982) Helen Elizabeth Lowe (Brown) (1907-2003)

<private> Adams <private> Adams (Lowe) <private> Lowe <private> Lowe (Bennett)

<private> Adams <private> Adams <private> Lowe <private> Lowe (Bonsal)

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Hiram Mckinney Lowe in the U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current



Go to website

Name: Hiram Mckinney Lowe

Birth Date: 22 Sep 1903

Death Date: 7 May 1962

Cemetery: Sonora Cemetery

Burial or Cremation Place: Fairlie, Hunt County, Texas, USA


Has Bio?: N

URL: <http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-...>

[Save & create tree](#) [Cancel](#)

Suggested Records


- Texas, Death Certificates, 1903-1982
Hiram Mckinney Lowe
- Texas Death Index, 1903-2000
Hiram Mckinney Lowe
- Web: RootsWeb Death Index, 1796-2010
Hiram Mckinney Lowe
- U.S., Social Security Death Index, 1935-2014
Hiram Lowe




A.J. Lowe born in Knox Co Tenn, Jan 15, 1815
Died in Texas Dec 13, 1875

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Shane Kyle Lowe in the Texas Birth Index, 1903-1997



[View](#)



Order Original Document from VitalChek

Name: Shane Kyle Lowe

Date of Birth: 7 Nov 1977

Gender: Male

Birth County: Hunt

Father's name: Hiram Mckinney Lowe Jr

Mother's name: Dorothea Dianne Bennett

Roll number: 1977_0009

[Save](#) [Cancel](#)

Suggested Records

- Texas, Marriage Collection, 1814-1909 and 1966-2011
Shane K. Lowe

[Write a comment...](#)

Make a Connection

Find others who are researching Shane Kyle Lowe in Public Member Trees

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Y-DNA TiP Report

In comparing Y-DNA 67 marker results, the probability that **Shane Kyle Lowe** and **John Mark Lowe** shared a common ancestor within the last...

COMPARISON CHART	
Generations	Percentage
4	9.12%
8	46.32%
12	78.51%
16	93.32%
20	98.24%
24	99.59%

Refine your results with paper trail input

If traditional genealogical records indicate that a common ancestor between you and your match could not have lived in a certain number of past generations, your TiP results can be refined. Note, if you are not sure of this information, you should not change the value of "1" below.

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Aquilla Low	William Lowe
A.J. Lowe	Prior P. Lowe
Alexander H. Lowe	Joseph Y. Lowe
L.M. Lowe	Alfonzo F. Lowe
Hiram McKinney Lowe	Earnest L. Lowe
Hiram McKinney Lowe Jr	Joseph W. Lowe
Shane Kyle Lowe	J. Mark Lowe













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FAMILY FINDER - MATCHES Feedback Refer Friends & Family Page Tour

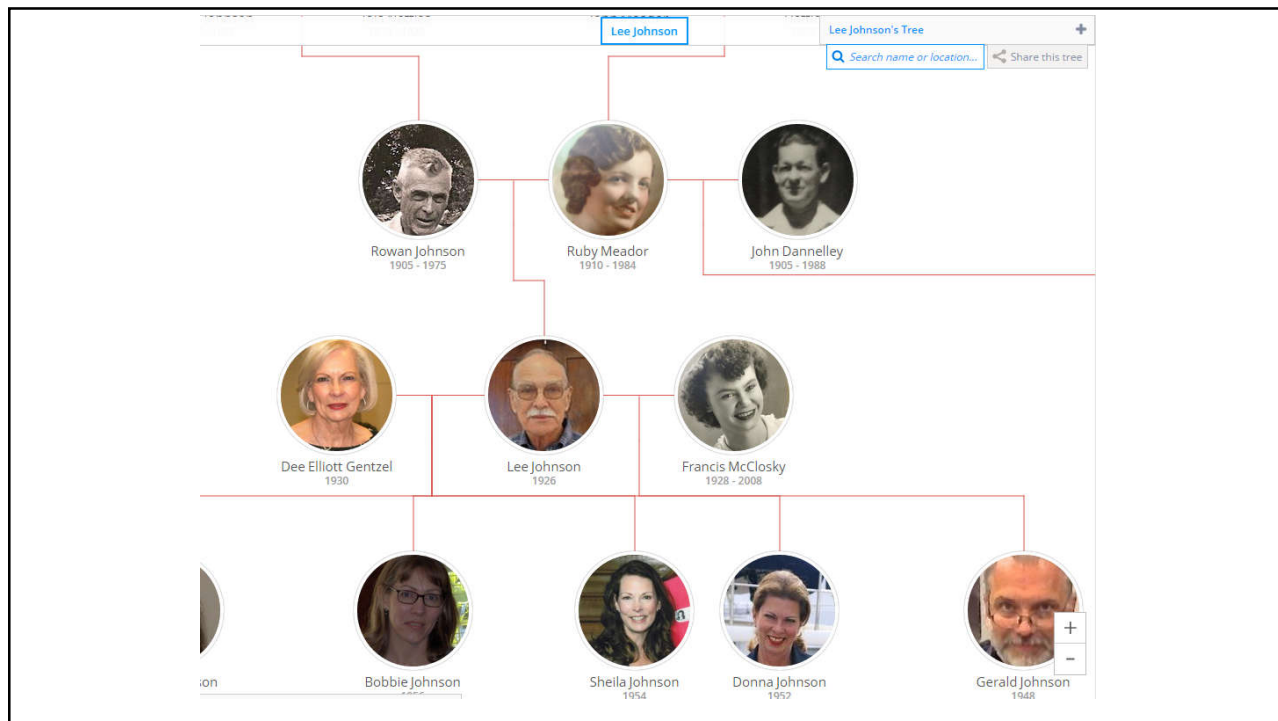
Most Common Surnames: **16** Johnson **12** Smith **9** Jones

Relations: [Show All Matches](#) Sort By: [Shared cM](#) Name:

Ancestral Surnames: [Apply](#)

Show Full View	Match Date	Relationship Range	Known Relationship	Shared cM	Ancestral Surnames
 Mr. Lee M Johnson	7/17/2015	2nd Cousin - 4th Cousin		 82.78	Eubanks (Virginia) / Evans / Goad / Hall...
 John Edward Ratliff	7/17/2015	2nd Cousin - 4th Cousin		 78.10	...
 Mr. George Thomas Bowden	7/17/2015	2nd Cousin - 4th Cousin		 71.10	Hart / Hayes / Owen / Bourne / Bowden...
 Mrs. Ramona Eddins Carter	7/17/2015	2nd Cousin - 4th Cousin		 68.96	Brooks / Edwards / Gilmore (Georgia, Alabama)...

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Family Finder - Chromosome Browser

Optional Views: [Download to Excel \(CSV Format\)](#) [View this data in a table](#) [Download All Matches to Excel \(CSV Format\)](#)

Chromosome Browser Tutorial


Compare List 5+ 0M Remove

1-13 [Redacted]

Filter Matches by... 1 - 10 of 2332

- Abel, Robert W.
- Abigt, David
- ABSTON, MELBA
- Acker, Harvey Lee
- Acord, Harold
- Acuf, Mark Steven

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 **John Edgar Meador**
Born: Montgomery, TX Nov. 2, 1881
Died: Webb, TX Nov. 21, 1953

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
STATE OF TEXAS **CERTIFICATE OF DEATH** STATE FILE NO. **57835**

1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY Montgomery		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission). a. STATE Texas b. COUNTY Montgomery	
b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give precinct no.) Conroe		c. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give precinct no.) Conroe	
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION Montgomery Co. Hospital		d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) RFD # 2	
3. NAME OF DECEASED a. (First) John b. (Middle) Edgar c. (Last) Meador		4. DATE OF DEATH 11/21 1953	
5. SEX Male	6. COLOR OR RACE White	7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) Widowed	8. DATE OF BIRTH Nov. 2, 1881
9. AGE YEARS 72 MONTHS 0 DAYS 19		10. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) Carpenter	
11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Montgomery County Texas		12. FATHER'S NAME S.N. Meador, BIRTHPLACE Tenn.	
13. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Mattie E. Barron		BIRTHPLACE Ala.	

Meador S.N.	Wife	1850	10	20	Kentucky	Tennessee	Tennessee
— M.F.	Wife	1862	11	20	Alabama	Alabama	Alabama
— J.E.	Son	1881	11	5	Texas	Kentucky	Alabama
— J.M.	Daughter	1886	10	5	Texas	Kentucky	Alabama
— M.E.	Daughter	1888	11	5	Texas	Kentucky	Alabama
— L.V.	Daughter	1892	7		Texas	Kentucky	Alabama
— J.L.	Son	1894	11		Texas	Kentucky	Alabama
— J.H.	Daughter	1896	3		Texas	Kentucky	Alabama

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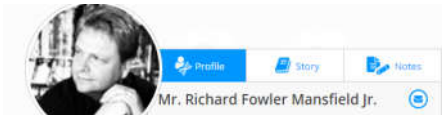
Meador S.N.	Head	M	Feb	1850	12	M	20		Kentucky	Tennessee	Tennessee
M.F.	Wife	F	Dec	1862	31	M	20	77	Alabama	Alabama	Alabama
J.E.	Son	M	Apr	1881	18	S			Texas	Kentucky	Alabama
M.A.	Daughter	F	Nov	1886	18	S			Texas	Kentucky	Alabama
M.E.	Daughter	F	Sept	1888	11	S			Texas	Kentucky	Alabama
L.T.	Daughter	F	June	1892	7				Texas	Kentucky	Alabama
J.L.	Son	M	Nov	1894	8				Texas	Kentucky	Alabama
V.H.	Daughter	F	Aug	1896	3				Texas	Kentucky	Alabama



All children were born in Texas.
 S.N. Meador was in Texas by 1881 since J.E. was born in Texas.
 S.N. Meador married Mattie in Walker County TX.

My PARKER family married into the MEADOR family, but I can't prove it. I also have MEADOR family connected to my LOWE family.

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Lewis Hanes (1793-1880) m Elizabeth Hendrick (1796-1846)

Elijah Haynes (1816-1856) m Catherine Hendrick (1819-1880)

Janie Haynes (1849-1889) m Elijah Mansfield

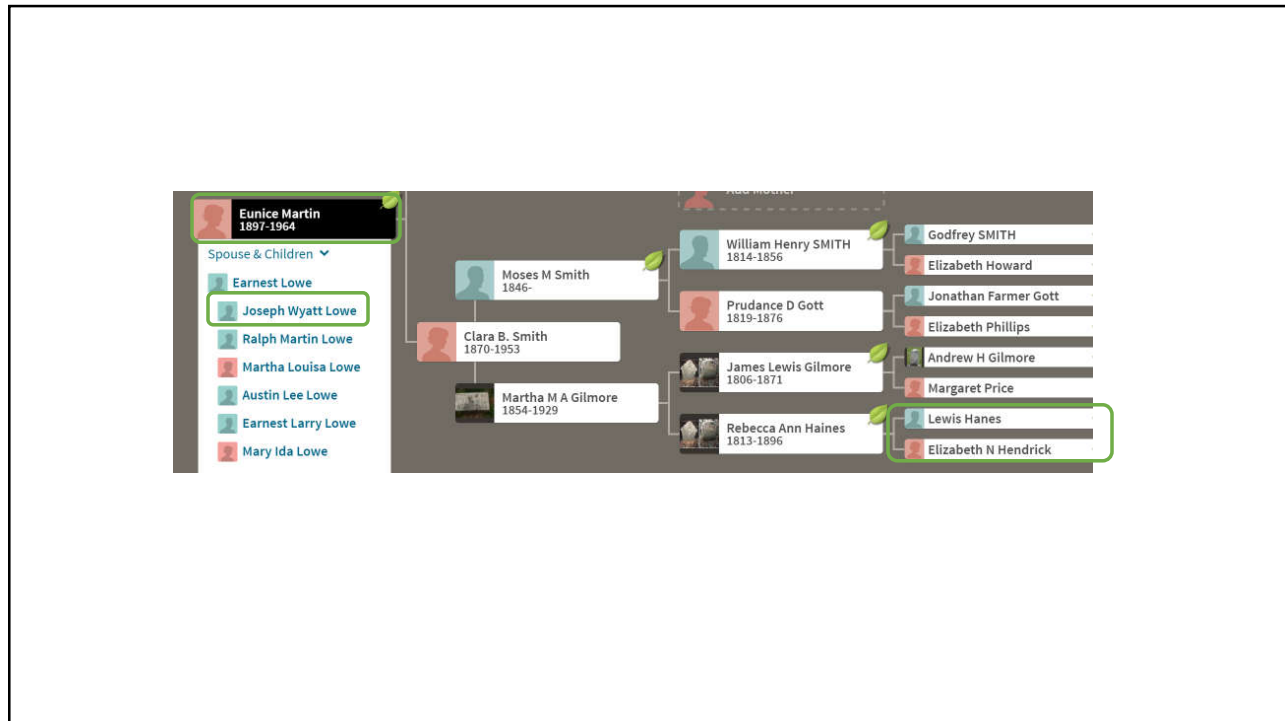
William Mansfield m ?

John Mansfield (1908-1967) m ?

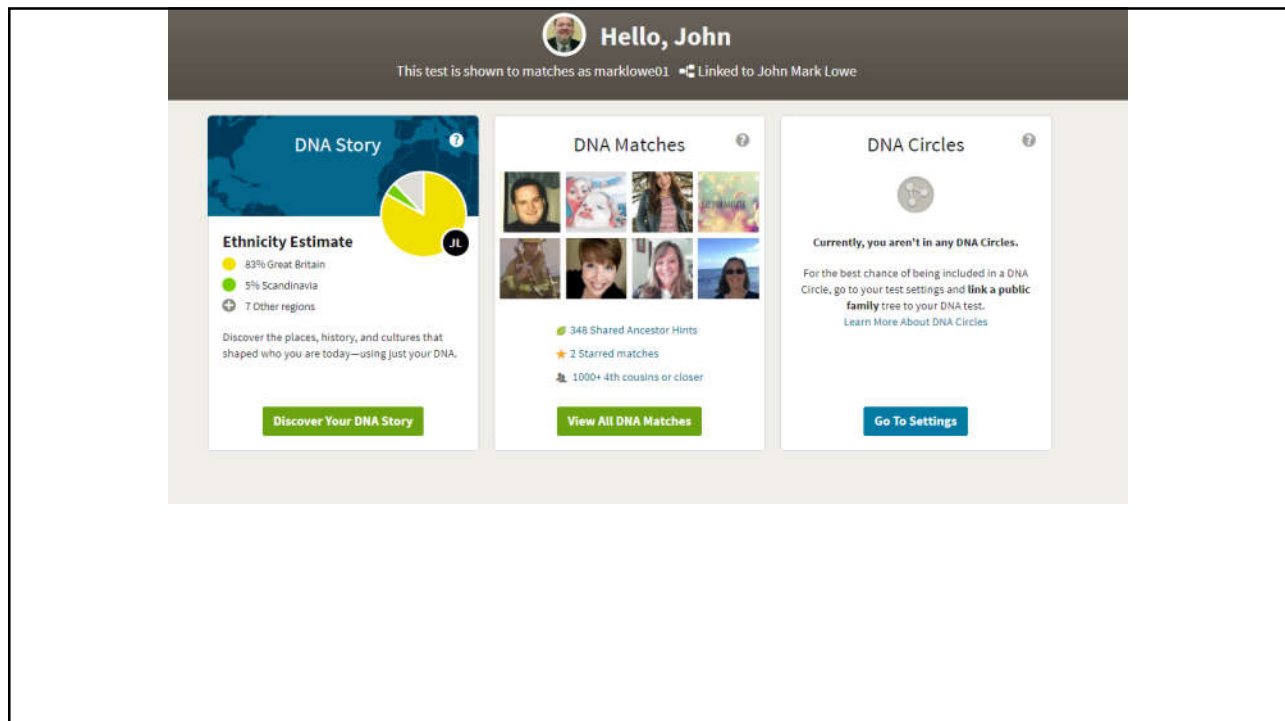
Rick Mansfield (1943) m Barbara Pennington (1944)

Richard Mansfield

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DNA Story

Ethnicity Estimate

- 83% Great Britain
- 5% Scandinavia
- 7 Other regions

Discover the places, history, and cultures that shaped who you are today—using just your DNA.

[Discover Your DNA Story](#)

JOHN LOWE

ancestry
PLAYER DNA

- 83% GREAT BRITAIN
- 5% SCANDINAVIA
- 3% IRELAND/SCOTLAND/WALES
- 3% FINLAND/NORTHWEST RUSSIA
- 2% EUROPE WEST
- 1% EUROPE SOUTH
- 3% OTHER REGIONS

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John Lowe	
European	98%
● West and Central Europe	72%
● British Isles	24%
● Southeast Europe	2%
● East Central Africa	< 1%
● Finland	< 1%
● Northeast Asia	< 1%
● West Middle East	< 1%

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AncestryDNA Results for John Lowe

Sort by: Relationship | Date < 1 >

Filters Hints New Starred Regions Search Matches


1ST COUSIN



William Robinson
Possible range: 1st - 2nd cousins ?
Confidence: Extremely High
Last logged in 2 days ago

No family tree View Match

2ND COUSIN



Dustin Shofner
Possible range: 1st - 2nd cousins ?
Confidence: Extremely High
Last logged in Mar 6, 2018

609 people View Match

Jenny Finnicum
Possible range: 1st - 2nd cousins ?
Confidence: Extremely High
Last logged in Feb 17, 2018

11 people View Match

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llathrop63
Possible range: 2nd - 3rd cousins ?
Confidence: Extremely High
Last logged in Nov 24, 2017

7 people View Match

GregoryLowe46
Possible range: 2nd - 3rd cousins ?
Confidence: Extremely High
Last logged in Jul 18, 2017


77 people View Match

Kenny Perkins
Possible range: 2nd - 3rd cousins ?
Confidence: Extremely High
Last logged in Dec 24, 2017







No family tree View Match

According to your family trees, it looks like you have a shared ancestor. Review the info below to confirm the relationship. You can take this opportunity to **get in touch**, share stories and photos, or just say hello.

Shared Ancestor Hint






Alfonso F. Lowe
Great-Grandfather

 Earnest Lowe <small>Grandfather</small>	 Getty Lowe <small>Grand uncle</small>
 Joseph Wyatt Lowe <small>Father</small>	 Henry Wilkins Lowe <small>1st Cousin (1x removed)</small>
 John Mark Lowe <small>Self</small>	 GregoryLowe46 <small>2nd Cousin</small>

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4TH COUSIN

- 
Karl Rick Jones
 Possible range: 4th - 6th cousins ?
 Confidence: Extremely High
 Last logged in Mar 6, 2018
- 
M.I. (managed by TONYAHARRISON62)
 Possible range: 4th - 6th cousins ?
 Confidence: Extremely High
 Last logged in Nov 27, 2017
- 
Barby Wilson
 Possible range: 4th - 6th cousins ?
 Confidence: Extremely High
 Last logged in Feb 9, 2018

I will look at other matches and see if I can resolve easily.

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Barby Wilson's tree
5 people View Full Tree

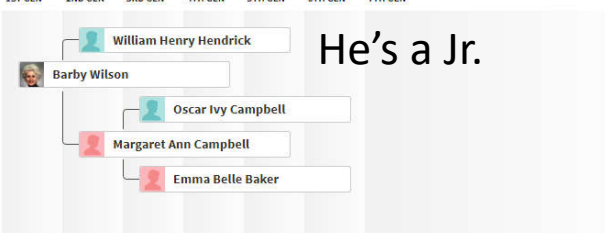
SHARED SURNAMENES
Direct ancestor surnames that appear in both **Barby Wilson's tree** and **John Lowe's tree**

Hendrick

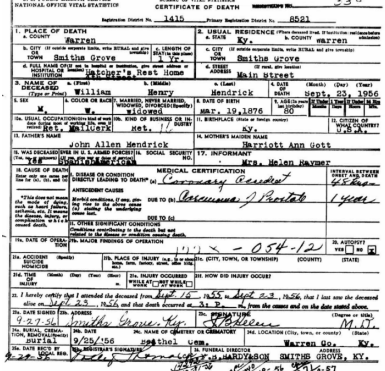
Surnames (10 generation pedigree)

- > Baker 1
- > Campbell 2
- > Hendrick 1

1ST GEN 2ND GEN 3RD GEN 4TH GEN 5TH GEN 6TH GEN 7TH GEN



His father died in Smiths Grove



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