



Allied Families

Upchurch & Allied Families Association

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January 21, 2017

Dear Andy & Sally,

The enclosed letter documents your generous 2016 support of Allied Families. The enclosed UB for 2016 shows our shift to digital you have helped to achieve.

Provided is a summary of what we have done in our shift and what we hope for in 2017 with your help. Of our 200 participants the burden to support our \$25,000 2017 budget falls largely on 50 of us. Whatever encouragement you can provide will be welcomed.

I will be in NC March 30 - April 2 at our Cary Facility - it would be great to see you both there.

In Appreciation ~

Phil Upchurch

RENEWAL
FORM
ENCLOSED

① See Eleanor Upchurch Martin for Notes of RDU Visit 24 FEB 1982

William Andrew Martin, first son of
Sr & gr of Eleanor Marks II of Matthews/
Gilbert II clan. fr md — and
had 1 son.

② see str 12 NOV 1980 Mary Garnette Martin to RDU
William Andrew Martin Sr had a son William
Andrew Martin Jr b 18 OCT 1943 (Farmville, NC)
who md Sally Tree (b Durham Co, NC)

③ see str 16 AUG 1989 Eleanor Jane Andrew to RDU
WAM, Jr. md 6 FEB 1966 (Farmville, NC) Marazette
faye Tree "Sally" b 9 MAY 1946 (Durham, NC). They
have one child.

④
17 NOV 2013
Subject: Bartley Jefferson Upchurch
From: wamjr1043@nc.rr.com (5) As a fellow, I invited Andy to come early for a chat at 10:30am
Date: Sun, Nov 17, 2013 10:12 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com (6) Andy agreed by email
I failed to save these emails

Phillip, Thank you for contacting me about the upcoming reunion. My wife and I plan to attend.
William Andrew Martin, Jr. (Andy). Grandson of Ellie Upchurch.

⑦
19 NOV 2013
Subject: Meeting
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Tue, Nov 19, 2013 6:41 am
To: "andy Martin" <wamjr1043@nc.rr.com>
Bcc: "Miley Perry" <maperry45@yahoo.com> Hi Cousin Andy---

I called Cousin Miley Albert Perry "Monk" and asked him to see if Carolina Barbecue would let us in early for a Martin Session on Saturday December 14, 2013. He learned that they were unable to open early to accommodate us. As an alternative Monk suggested we meet in his home at 3504 Lake Wheeler Road saying it would be an honor for him. If this is agreeable with you I suggest we plan to meet at 10:00 rather than 10:30 in order to give us time to get from Monk and Nancy's to the luncheon place and also to allow plenty of time for us to chat about Aunt Ellie and Uncle Martin and their children and whatever.

Please let me know if you would like this to be a "private" meeting involving just the six of us or would you want us to invite other descendants of Aunt Ellie and Uncle Martin. I is good either way. With the more private meeting we could get to know each other better and focus on the aspects that especially interest you which is fine give the limited time available. On the other hand, if you prefer, I will invite the others.

Sallaine and I are excited about meeting you and your wife.

Monk's phone number is (919) 828-8101

Best!

Cousin Phillip Upchurch

(12) 14 DEC 2013 - Notes of RPU/SSU meeting with WAM, JR & wife Sally.

Notes of meeting with W^m Andrew Martin, Jr. "Andy"
and wife nee SALLY TICE (of Anson Co, NC) 10:30 - 11:15
am in home of Miley Perry

Andy is 2nd cousin of Mark and Andy of RPU are
1st cousin once removed - CONTINUED

(13) NOTES OF RPU/SSU meeting 14 DEC 2013 with Andrew Martin & wife Sally Tice [COPY TO B.D. FILE OF SALLY] [MARA PUGH] [JOYCE TICE]

Andy has only the vaguest recollection of meeting Rhambatta once as a child and it seems his memories make us think he must be Uncle Frank. In our chat and later in my presentation he said he remembered hearing about a lot of things that were mentioned.

COPY TO B.D. FILE OF W. ANDREW MARTIN, JR & WIFE SALLY

Andy has US issues his FAT got (3 yrs) & wonders why he stopped subscribing [my answer - he did not see enough relevance to him - a problem I understood & it now leads to USAFA]

Andy & Sally are now interested and want to meet with me on USAFA - Sally more than Andy. They have one child & one grand child.

COPY TO B.D. FILE OF W. ANDREW MARTIN, JR

W.A.M., Sr - went to Duke 2 yrs & dropped out due to lack of money. He was to be a Doctor. He was going to a school to be a N.C. Highway Patrolman when the Mayor of Farmville happened by and offered W.A.M., Sr the job of being Farmville 1st motorcycle policeman. He took the job dropping out of school. Later his wife started to police duty & he became Farmville Town Manager & lived his life there as was Andy.

Andy & Sally are both now retired

I went through the biography of Andy's EP Uncle Martin & Aunt Elsie and read excerpts which Andy & Sally seemed to appreciate - but did not ask for copies.

Andy wants for a holiday and he and mom seemed to bond out the score.

After the Reunions I took Andy & Sally on a tour of Rhambatta. It was all new to Andy. He said, I wonder why my father never brought me to see these people.

In retrospect it seems Andy & Sally could have meant into good cooperation - time will tell. Even in my notes - W.A.M., Sr was not a rebel - at Pittboro

In taking Andy & Sally on a tour we stopped at Grand Con and looked at family quarters - especially the EP of Andy.

(15) From Notes of RPA/SSU visit to Rebecca Martin Bradley
on 18 DEC 2013

Becky reports that Dan Martin bequeathed his assets
to his nephew Andy. Becky also reports that
the child of Andy and Sally was concerned out
of bedlock last they quickly and. It was Becky's mother
Eleanor who observed this at a beach outing

WILLIAM ANDREW MARTIN, JR 855 XBP 5348

16
23
JAN
2014

Subject: Re: Family News

From: wamjr1043@nc.rr.com
Date: Thu, Jan 23, 2014 9:49 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Note: I was able to find the obituary for Mary Jane Hough & extracted same. See her profile

Phil. I don't know if you need this info. or not? Mary Jane Hough Hassle died the first of Jan. this year. She was the daughter of Mary Garnet Martin Hough. Who was the daughter of Ellie Upchurch Martin. Mary Jane lived in Charleston SC.

Andy Martin, Jr.
--- phil@upchurchstory.com wrote:

17 RPU Recog- 31 AUG 2014 - It appears I called Andy (WAMJR) on 25 JAN 2014 and called to him. It appears in phone no is (921) 953-5466. Mary Jane Hough was his 1st cousin as was Eleanor Jane Eleanor Jane (Andrews) (Hesselt) Wessmont

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85 SEP
2014

Subject: Update

From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Mon, Sep 08, 2014 6:25 am
To: "Andy Martin" <wamjr1043@nc.rr.com>, "Sally Martin" <sallymartin@nc.rr.com>
Cc: "Rebecca Bradley" <bradleyrm@bellsouth.net>, "Fleet Hassell" <fleethassel@yahoo.com>

Hi Andy and Sally---

Since we met last December our world has been super busy involving the marriage of our grandson, a move to a retirement center, selling farm property, opening an office for Upchurch and Allied Families Association, working on my memoirs and more. It makes my head swim but then it is good to be busy so you don't have time to grow old. I have found myself putting a few things aside to do later and that is a hazard.

Thank you for the notice about the passing of Mary Jane last January. I was able to find her obituary on line and have used it to upgrade her Master Outline. This led me to having a phone chat with Eleanor Jane this past weekend. She is enjoying her stay at Springmoor. Her brother George who lives in Siler City was quite ill but she says he is much better now. Eleanor Jane says she talks to Fleet from time to time.

It was so nice to finally meet you both and to tell and show you some of your heritage. I know that Becky was especially pleased to meet you again after so many years. As you well know family history is one of the great passions of my life. The formation of the Allied Families organization is designed to build on all I have learned over the last 40 years. We now have 501 (c) 3 IRS tax-exempt status and we are now working to upgrade our website. We will soon be posting narratives on enrolled families. One of these will be the Nathan Upchurch, I family to which you and I belong. I have a working copy of this in draft form and hope to add to it in the next week or so. You can have a look at our website www.alliedfamilies.com now and then later to see our upgrade.

In the meantime, if you have not done so already, do go to my other website www.upchurchstory.com and have a look at some of the 15 minute videos I have posted. The one on Nathan U., I (our direct ancestor) should be of special interest as well as the ones on his ancestors. These videos have been rather well received.

Sallaine and I trust you have been well and that you are looking forward a great N.C. fall
Phillip Upchurch

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See Profile of
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for complete letter

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TO SELECTED MEMBERS OF THE
BARTLEY JEFFERSON UPCHURCH FAMILY

17 NOV 2012

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FORT WAYNE IN 46804

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CHARLOTTE NC 28203

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MARTHA & DAN O'NEIL
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OAK ISLAND NC 28465

Dear Cousins,

For 40 years I have worked on documenting and publishing on the entire Upchurch family being now in my 33rd year of publishing the Upchurch Bulletin. In recent years I have devoted a little more attention to the Bartley Jefferson Upchurch family to which each of you and I belong. Efforts continue to have a more complete contact list and to invite all descendants of BJU to take an interest in their Upchurch heritage

Cousin Barbara Andrews Jones of Pittsboro, NC

**William Andrew "Andy" Martin Jr.**

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FARMVILLE - William Andrew "Andy" Martin Jr., age 75, died Friday, December 28, 2018.

Funeral service will be conducted Thursday, January 3, at 2:00 P.M. at the Farmville Funeral Home Chapel by Dr. Rick Bailey. Interment will follow in Hollywood Cemetery in Farmville.

Andy worked at Collins & Aikman Textile Co., COECO office supplies, and owned and operated A&S Real Estate and Auction Co. Andy was a life-long outdoorsman who had a deep interest in all animals and reptiles. He was an avid hunter of primarily deer and turkey. He loved Farmville and shared many memories of the town and its people with his friends and family.

He is survived by his wife, Sally Tice Martin of the home; son, William Scott Martin of China; and one grandchild, Davis Martin of Greenville.

The family will receive friends at the Farmville Funeral Home, Wednesday evening from 6 until 8:00 P.M.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Vidant Health, Service League of Greenville Inpatient Hospice, c/o PCMH Foundation, P.O. Box 8489, Greenville, NC 27835-8489.

Online condolences may be made at www.farmvillefh.com. As published in The Daily Reflector

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Subject: RE: [FWD: Andy Martin]
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Fri, Jan 11, 2019 6:56 am
To: sallymartin@nc.rr.com

Hi Sally---

Thank you for Andy's Obituary. I will add it to his Biofile. I am sorry to learn that mistakes were made in his health care. It is unfortunate that he and I did not have the chance to know each other better. It seems that descendants of Bartley Jefferson Upchurch commonly had a love of animals and the outdoors. My study of family history makes me feel he and I were connected.

My health has taken a turn for the better in that radiation has converted the tumor to scar tissue.

Sending Best Wishes.

Cousin Phil Upchurch

----- Original Message -----

Subject: Re: [FWD: Andy Martin]
From: <sallymartin@nc.rr.com>
Date: Thu, January 10, 2019 8:08 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com
Cc: Rebecca--4-5-6-7-8 Bradley <bradleyrm@bellsouth.net>

Phil, I have attached Andy's obituary. I will always believe his death was due to a series of mistakes and tests that should not have happened. Only God knows for sure. Obviously, you are still managing and I'm very glad. My best to you and your family.
Sally Martin

----- phil@upchurchstory.com wrote:

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