

Pittsboro, N.C.
Oct. 22, 1988

Dear Phyllis -

I appreciate your interest and untiring efforts in keeping alive our branch of the Upchurch family.

Wish I had the gift of painting ward pictures and could keep alive, as well, Grandpa, the aunts, uncles, cousins, incidents and the stories - especially Grandpa's stories - that make up the happiest memories of my childhood.

From the time we got off the train and were met by Aunt Maud driving "old fat Phyllis" until we tearfully started back home, we lived in a fairy story world. - Grandpa waving the wand -

Mary and I sure have a "do you remember session" - Hope the enclosed information is what you want. Glad to help any way I can -

Wish you all the luck in getting our family arranged so our descendants will ^{know} from whence we came - Sincerely

Beatrice and sons

Δ for BARTLEY JEFFERSON U.

Grandchildren of Barbara Martin Andrews

Children of Eleanor Jane Andrews & Glenn W. Herditt -
Richard Weldon Herditt - born. Oct. 29 - 1952

1. Richard Weldon Herditt - " Oct. 11 - 1953

2. Rachel Lynn Herditt - " Nov. 12 - 1956

3. Martha Jean Herditt -
married Sept. 20 1980
* David Joseph O'Neill -

Children of Geo. H. Andrews Jr.
Aug. 27 - 1957

1. Charlie Martin Andrews - born Oct. 6 - 1957

changed Ann Ruth - born Oct. 6 - 1957

2. Chiron Ann Andrews, " May 8 - 1960

Barbara Martin Andrews has one daughter
Cockey Martin Jones - born Jan. 23, 1957

△ George's parents were: Emma ³ Jane Christolm
John Robert Andrews

△ George Henry Andrews - born Feb. 2 - 1895
Died April 19 - 1976
(was a hardware merchant until
elected Sheriff of Chatham county in 1932.
served for 16 yrs -)

□ Beatrice Roe married June 10 - 1924
Martin born Nov. 21 - 1901
(3 was teaching science at Bonlee High Sch at that
time) we have 3 children -

△ 1. Eleanor Jane Andrews - born June 15 - 1927
married Dec. 21 - 1947 (Pittsburg, N.C.)
Gene Wildon Hewitt. born Sept. 1 - 19?

△ 2. George Henry Andrews Jr. - born July 21 - 1929
married Dec. 7 - 1952 (Dileocity) ne.
Marjorie Jean Wrenn - born Jan. 20 1931

△ 3. Barbara Martin Andrews born - Nov. 5 - 1933
married June 23 - 1954
Chapel Hill, N.C.

△ John Franklin Jones -
now divorced -

BEATRICE ROE MARTIN

CLOSE RELATIVES OF ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH - 22 MAY 2018

II. BEING DESCENDANTS OF MY GRANDFATHER BARTLEY JEFFERSON UPCHURCH - MY AUNT'S UNCLE & THEIR CHILDREN (MY 1ST COUSINS PLUS MY OWN BLOOD - & ALL THEIR SPOUSES

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	1st C → MD 11 FEB 1929 (WAKE CO, NC) HAROLD DESMOND WILSON, SR b 21 OCT 1904 (WAKE CO, NC) d 14 NOV 1973 (WAKE CO, NC) (BUR - INWOOD CHURCH)				

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ELISE & JIM, JR HAD 2 CHILDREN TO VIC AT BIRTH 1 BOY GORMAN 1 GIRL CREEDMOOR



BEATRICE ROE MARTIN XID-2667

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MRS GEORGE HENRY ANDREWS, SR
P. O. BOX 91
PITTSBORO, NC 27312

Dear Beatrice

How nice to have your letter of October 27, 1980 and all of the information which is greatly appreciated. I will also acknowledge your order for a one-year subscription to Upchurch Bulletin and of your \$10.00 check in payment for same. Vol 1 issues 1, 2 & 3 are being sent to you under separate covers and issue 4 will be ready in due course. Some extra flyers are provided herewith in case you can use them.

Here are some questions you may be able to answer:

- (1) I was certain your middle name was AURORA [after your grandmother Aurora O. (Ray) Upchurch] but then have "ROE" from mother's source and "ROE" from you. Do you know what is on your birth certificate. I will be disappointed if it is not Aurora because it is such a beautiful name and not much used in our family!

- (2) where were your three children born?
- (3) where were your six grandchildren born?
- (4) where was Martha Jean Bennett named?
- (5) where was your husband George born, where did he die & where is he buried?
- (6) where was Charlie Martin Andrews named?

I am sure that you can remember some stories about Grandpa and our Uncle and Aunts. You might give the matter some thought and perhaps some events will come to mind.

Did you ever encounter any Upchurches in Chatham County? There were some there after 1800.

I hope you will enjoy Upchurch Bulletin. - Look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely

Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

BEATRICE ROE MARTIN

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1748-1989

MRS GEORGE H ANDREWS, SR
P O. BOX 91
PITTSBORO, NC 27312

Dear Cousin Beatrice,

We returned to Tampa on 29 DEC 1989
after three weeks in the east visiting
with family and friends. Gallant and
I were delighted to visit with you in
your home and want to thank you
for your hospitality. The colors were
excellent.

Pulling together all the details are
family history is a real job but there
are a lot of people who are willing
to help. I feel that the family concept
is important and that anything we can
do to pull the family together is worth-
while. I was so glad to see Barbara
at the Atlanta Upshur lecture I wanted
to call Jane and tell her I had visited
with you but never got a chance.

May me a line when you have time

Sincerely yours,
Philip Upshur

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

BEATRICE ROE MARTIN XFD-2669

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1 JUN 1986

MRS GEORGE H. ANDREWS, SR

P.O. BOX 91

PITTSBORO, NC 27312

Dear Cousin Beatrice,

It is with sadness that I write to comment upon the death of Dan. I had wanted to visit with him in recent years but this was not possible. We did have a number of phone conversations and we enjoyed each other. This is evidenced by the fact that he put in my hands for safe keeping a gold watch and a gold wooded cane which had belonged to Suzanne and before her by her father Dr. Noble Upchurch. I shall treasure these items and preserve them for future generations.

Getting to know your daughter Jane has been a great joy. She and Bill say they plan to come by Tucson to see us and we certainly hope they will.

We are enjoying our new townhouse and it fits us just perfectly and that

include a spare bedroom for guests. We manage to stay extra busy. There is always lots to do at the office and the Upchurch Bulletin keeps us busy. Then we are in the process of acquiring some farm land in Missouri. You can appreciate that an Upchurch will never be happy until he has some land with some dogs & horses on it.

Our daughter & her husband and their two kids have now moved back to Tucson and there is great. We are expecting our 3rd grandchild in St Louis sometime this month. Our son is still single.

I'd be sending you a complimentary copy of the Upchurch Bulletin for 1986 because I want you to keep up with the family.

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

ROE
BEATRICE ~~AURORA~~ MARTIN XID-2667

MRS GEORGE HENRY ANDREWS, SR
P. O. BOX 91
PITTSBORO, NC 27312

28 SEP 1980

Dear Beatrice,

Although we are first cousins circumstances have kept us from getting to know one another. Over the last several years my interest in Upchurch family history has grown. It started with Uncle Getty's telling me about the Upchurchs and I still have my 1955 notes from one of my conversations with him. As you can see from the enclosed flyer I am rather new about getting the Upchurch family organized.

Could you send me a bit of your children and grand children, names of spouses, dates, etc. I would be most grateful and will be happy to share more about our direct line if you are interested.

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

{ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH}

BEATRICE ROE MARTIN

XID-2667

4 MAY 1981

MRS E. H. ANDREWS, SR
P.O. BOX 91
PITTSBORO, NC 27312

Dear Beatrice,

Thanks for your letter of April 9, 1981 and for all of the information provided. It has been extracted and entered in all the appropriate places.

Of the two Upchurch families you mentioned I have certain information on Frank Lee U who is a descendant of Moses U, the brother of George of Nathan U. For John U I am almost certain we do not have him but not quite. All signs point to him as being the son of William Fulton U, the gr of John U, the gr of Ruffin U & the gr of the Moses U mentioned above. Is there any way you could help me get a few more bits of information on the John U family you know? Perhaps you could call one or two people in Pittsboro who might know and/or get me an address of one or more people I could write about this group. The maiden name of John's mother would be very helpful as would the name of his brother & sister and their spouses.

As I look over the outline for your family it seems to be rather complete except for the following:

- (1) The place where Martha Jean Hewitt was named.
- (2) The birth date ^{and place} of Gene Meldon Hewitt and the name of his parents.
- (3) The birth date ^{and place} of Daniel Joseph O'Neill and the name of his parents.
- (4) The birth date ^{and place} of Marjorie Jean Adams and the name of her parents.
- (5) The birth place of Cheryl Ann Rush and the name of her parents.
- (6) The birth date and place of John Franklin Jones and the name of his parents.

If you know or can get early any of the above information I will appreciate it. I can see you are still waiting for a grandchild. It would be a 12th generation member of the Upshur family in America.

On May 6, 1981 we leave for a short visit to NC to see our son Barry graduate from Duke and to see my family and Sallamie family. I would like to get up to Pittsboro to see you but doubt that will be possible. All the best - and let me hear from you - sincerely yours

Phil Upshur
[ROBERT PHILLIP UPKUPKUP]

① Pittsboro N.C.

April 9, 1981

Dear Phillip -

Sorry I've been so slow getting this information to you. Not lack of interest - just lack of will power. Not time's that matter of TIME FLYING -

1. 27 names of new born babies were registered 79 years ago. Mine was registered as Beatrice "Roe" Martin. Had I been able to protect the Roe part - I would brutally have done so. Grandma was evidently "nice" name Roe - [HENCE HER NAME IS BEATRICE ROE MARTIN - RPU]

2. My children were born -
- △ (a) Cleance Jane - (Chatham Co) Donlee
 - △ (b) Leo Henry Jr - (Chatham Co) Silver City
 - △ (c) Barbara Martin - (Chatham Co) Pittsboro '79
3. Grand children - born Richmond Va -
- △ (a) Richard Weldon Hewitt - "
 - △ (b) Rachel Lynn - " Raleigh N.C. (Wake Co)
 - △ (c) Martha Jean - " Silver City N.C. (Chatham)
 - △ (d) Charlie Martin Andrews - " Sylva N.C.
 - △ (e) Alison Andrews - " Favelock, N.C.
 - △ (f) Ashley Martin Jones - {Marine Base Hosp Jacksonville N.C.

4. George Henry Andrews Sr. born ~~in~~ Bonlee N.C. (Chatham Co)
 Died April 19-1976 Ref Hospital Raleigh, N.C. (Wake Co)
 Buried - Pittsboro Baptist Church Cemetery
 Pittsboro, N.C.

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5- Charlie Martin Andrews was married in Center Point Baptist Church Jackson County - Scottsboro, Alabama

There were two upland families living here when we came to Pittsburg in 1932. John and Frank Upchurch. If related it was distantly -

Both were raised in the apex area in Wake Co. near Olive Chapel Baptist church. Frank had a large family but John came from a small family.

John's father was Fulton Upchurch and his mother was called "Em". He has one sister who married a Mills, was wid. & married a Coward. She lives in Winston Sa. John was married to Vera Gardner. They have 3 children.

Frank married Catherine Winfield - (Both dead) they had 2 children. [RECORD 13 APR 1981 - ck #642 dated 9 APR 81] [FRANK CLEON ... XID-2507]

Have enjoyed my 1980 Voluntary Ann. enclosing check for 1981 - upland Bulletin - Mary & I went out to Inwood cemetery not so long ago - Every thing looked so pretty - Sincerely, "Dea tree" Hoiskot for Aurora

- ① Per Notes of 25 FEB 1978 Visit of RPU to Ray Arnold Beatrice Martin and George Andrews, Sheriff of Chatham Co NC - Name issue. She is dau of James Lee & Eleanor (Uphurch) Martin.
- ② See Notes of RPU 24 FEB 1980 Visit to Eleanor Uphurch Martin Beatrice Aurora Martin b 2 NOV 1901 Wake Co, NC (Raleigh, NC) as A. W. Goodman, attending. Beatrice and in Chatham Co, NC. - George Henry Andrews. Address: Mrs George Henry Andrews, SR
PO. Box 91
Pittsboro, NC 27312
- ③ See ~~pg~~ 15 NOV 1980 Mary Carnell Martin to RPU Papa & Mama first lived at Creedmoor, NC and there James Lee Martin, fr their first child was born. ^(18 DEC 1891) Papa then moved to Inwood and bought the Dave Smith House and lived there till about 1907. Beatrice & I were both born in the Inwood Community. Beatrice & I started to school when we moved to Creedmoor. About 1913 we moved to Gorman where Papa bought a farm and built a church. From there he sent Beatrice & James to Eloy. When Beatrice got ready for med school and James got ready for med school Papa sold the Gorman farm & moved to Freyway Springs in order to have money for their schooling.

④ see ltr 9 APR 1989 Eleanor Jane Andrews & RPA
BRM↑, my mother, had brain surgery for
a non-malignant tumor in OCT. Her recovery
was hampered considerably by a very bad case
of shingles (her forehead). She is now doing
extremely well. Living alone in Pittsboro,
NC and doing "in town" driving.

⑤ see ltr 16 AUG 1989 Eleanor Jane Andrews & RPA
Mother (BRM↑) is really doing well - you
would never know that last Oct she
had the sensor surgery. She is still
living alone in the home in Pittsboro,
driving around town and caring for the
neighbor on either side.

⑥ 15 DEC 1989 - visited with BRM↑ in Pittsboro, NC
for about one hour starting at 10:30 AM (SSU &
RPA). Used this visit to get better acquainted
with this 1st cousin.

⑦ 4 JUN 2004 - RPA & SSU inspected Pittsboro Bapt Ch. Cem -
Pittsboro, Chatham CO, NC & found:

George H. Andrews Sgt-USA WWI
2 FEB 1875 - 19 APR 1976

Beatrice Martin Andrews (me BRM↑)

b ~ ~ ~ d 19 MAR 2001

↳ RPA garbled birth date

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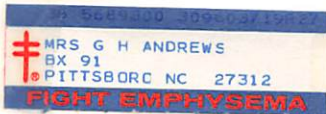
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- 9 From Notes of RPU/SSU Sojourn to NC. 27 MAY - 12 JUN 2004
on 4 JUN 2004 encountered 2 people who have BRMT
- Joanne (Boone) Thomas in Register of Deeds office - Pittsboro
Chatham Co, NC said BRMT was her 5. th grade
teacher. Joanne says BRMT has a dau Barbara
Martin Andrews who lives in Pittsboro
 - In a Pittsboro, NC Antiques Shop the owner says
she knew of BRMT but did not know her.
She said a GDAU/O BRMT "Abie" [Alison Ann
Andrews?] came to visit

- 10 From Profile of Barbara Martin Andrews 28 JUN 2012
Barbara says her MOT BRMT died in a
hospital in Sanford, Lee Co., NC

(11) From visit of R.P., et al. to home of Barbara Martin Andrews in Pittsboro, NC 9 AVE 2009 - Her sister Eleanor Jane Andrews also present

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FOR
GEO. H.
ANDREWS, SR
BEATRICE
ROE
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MARKS
U, II

✓ Their father George Henry Andrews, Sr. ran a store in Chatham Co. NC as did his father. He was selected by the farmers to run for Chatham Co, NC Sheriff & was elected 4 terms. When Ben Scott became Governor he took an appointive office. He had diabetes which the family hid from the electorate. He was outgoing and loved people & his job. He & Beatrice had most of their lives

in the home where I would Beatrice year ago (Upon departure we spelled the name - still intact)

They had a Cousin Andrews relative who was a hermit. At the end stayed in the Poor House for a short while.

Beatrice hated her husband's feet which Aunt Ellie thought was gross. [ELEANOR MARKS U, II]

They felt Aunt Ellie (their GM) was poorly served in having to live first with one child & then another in his lengthy widowhood. They were shocked when a postcard arrived from her with writing on front & back giving family secrets - such as James got drunk again last night or usual. Aunt Ellie had a teaching certificate.

→ [JAMES LEE MARTIN, JR]

○ Notes of RFA meeting on 19 DEC 2013 at the Hampton Inn in Cary, NC with members of the James Lee Martin, Sr & wife Eleanor Martin, II "Aunt Ellie". Present were a GP Barbara Andrews & her sister Eleanor Jane Andrews & Richard Hewitt, a son of EJA

All 3 were very chatty - Richard struggled to figure out how he got in such a large array of the gaily throwing in comments about ~~met~~ & ~~man~~ & ~~man~~.

They said Aunt Ellie suffered so that she never had a home of her own after Uncle Martin died.

- △ James Martin pushed med school & took
- △ Dan under his wing to educate him. Two
- △△ Gail Mary & Beatrice went to membership & reduced rates & also worked for money there
- △ - just wrapping by. Eleanor was a menopause baby & went to business school.

Aunt Ellie was a very proud person - loved costume jewelry & wore too much to Christ
Eleanor Jane loved Eyeglasses & Smokey

Eleanor Jane says her mother Beatrice (Martin) Andrews was embarrassed that Aunt Ellie wore so much costume jewelry at church

BEATRICE ROE MARTIN

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON

February 23, 1938.

ORD
IN REPLY
REFER TO

Respectfully returned to

Mrs. G. H. Andrews,
Pittsboro, North Carolina.

The records show that B. J. Upchurch, not found as Bartley Jefferson Upchurch, a private of Company G, 1st Regiment North Carolina Infantry, Confederate States Army, enlisted July 15, 1862, at Raleigh, North Carolina, age 21 years, residence Wake County.

He was captured at Wilderness, Virginia May 12, 1864; imprisoned at Elmira, New York and was received by the Confederate Agent at Boulware's Wharf, James River, Virginia March 18 or 21, 1865, for exchange.

He was admitted to Jackson Hospital at Richmond, Virginia March 22, 1865, and was furloughed for 30 days March 28, 1865.

No later record of him has been found.

E. J. Conley
Major General,
The Adjutant General.
By *m.e.*

TO RPT from Bonnie Bell Appery via email 23 DEC 2013