

RUBY MERLE LUCAS

XID-5023

Dear Mr. Upchurch:

Mother, Ruby Merle Lucas Upchurch
passed away September 14, 1996,
in a Hospital in Pasadena, Texas,
at the age of 81 yrs. 3 days old.

Sincerely,
Mildred Dickerson

→ me MILORE OLEAVE U

HEIMOT = me RUBY MERLE LUCAS ↑

REC'D
3 DEC 1998
In response to annual
mailing of
insurance

15 DEC 1998

SSU

Not a Return

RM

marked deceased 12-16-98

Mildred Dickerson
 Name
 1216 Glenrose
 P.O. Box or Street Address Apt. Number
 Pasadena, Texas 77502
 City State Zip Code

RUBY MERLE LUCAS

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① See sheet 26 with former William U Sr - sent to RPH by Roy White Jr in ltr 30 MAR 1980.

Ruby Merle Lucas md 24 FEB 1935 former William U Jr b 12 DEC 1912 (Bedford, Garret Co, TX).
J. W. Jr. is son of Sr of James U III/Burnell U Class

② See Family Chart Rec'd by RPH 27 JUN 1981 from James William U, Jr. Jesse Benjamin Lucas md 20 AUG 1912 Ruby Dot Canell and they had a dau RUBY MERLE LUCAS b 11 SEP 1915 who md James William U Jr.

③ Item From ltr 21 SEP 1996 Kate Laura Nobles to RPH

UPCHURCH

RUBY MERLE UPCHURCH, 81, passed away Saturday, September 14, 1996. She is survived by her daughters, Mildred Dickerson and husband Maxie of Pasadena, Texas, Virginia Dowden and husband Hubert, of Hitchcock, Texas and Loretta Gould of Houston, Texas; 10 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great-grandchild. 2 sisters and 4 brothers. A funeral service will be held at 10:00 A.M. Tuesday, September 17, 1996 in the Pat H. Foley Funeral Chapel, Rev. Bert Miller officiating. Graveside services will follow at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, at the Independence Cemetery in Shiro, Texas. Friends may call at Pat H. Foley Funeral Home after 5:00 p.m. Monday, September 16, 1996.

Pat H. Foley
1200 W. 34th St., 869-6261

Memory

Keeps

Loved Ones
Ever near us!

↑ Kate reports
RML died
of cancer - RPH

Jan 23, 1995

Hello:

You have been sending me mail in 2
Names. Mrs. J. W. Upchurch & Ruby Upchurch

I now have to use Ruby M. Upchurch for
S. S. Reasons and other things. Please
remove Mrs. J. W. Upchurch from mailing list
& guess would be the best. Either one is
O.K. But send my mail in only one
~~the~~ Name. Thank you. It will save you
Books + Postage —

Ruby M. Upchurch
12 1/2 Glenmore Dr,
Pasadena, TX, 77503

Please excuse mistakes I have been very ill but
Am slowly improving. It has been 7 months
since the serious illness and surgery.

RUBY MERLE LUCAS

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P. O. BOX 387
Wentzville, MO 63385



31 JAN 1995

RUBY M. WPCURCH
1216 GLENMORE DR
PASADENA, TX 77503

Dear Cousin Ruby,

Thank for your reorder on the UB for 1995 and for the note on your name. We have checked our records and I hope they are now straight. Sorry about the confusion. We are now also into the social security operation.

We are now well settled in our new home. I was sorry to learn that you have been ill but was pleased to learn that you are mending.

Enclosed is an updated copy of the master outline for the family of James William W, Sr. It has now grown to 20 pages thanks to input from many people. There is always more to be added so if you can get or have any of the missing information please let me know. You and Mildred have been very helpful and I appreciate it.

our plans now call for us to spend

The first two weeks (more or less) of November, 1995
 exploring Texas from a family history standpoint.
 I don't know all of the places we will visit
 and Texas is such a big state we can't get
 to everything. So far we feel that Grimes
 County, Cass County, the Houston area and
 San Antonio and Dallas/Fort Worth will be
 included. It appears that I may give a
 lecture on the Upchurch family in the old
 Baptist Church in Bedias, TX - probably on
 a Sunday. Katie McKinney and I have corresponded
 about that and she plans to come up and
 meet me in Grimes County. Our plans
 should unfold over the next several
 months. It would be nice to see you
 and Mildred and other family members.

With All Best Wishes

☺ Sincerely yours
 Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

ROBY MERLE LUCAS

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NOVEMBER 1993

INVOICE

As we begin our 15th year (1994) of publishing the UPCHURCH BULLETIN, we are pleased to have identified some 33,600 individuals linked back to Michael U. I, first immigrant to the USA in 1649 from England. Cost of production and postage has increased but we will continue to offer the 1994 subscription rate of \$15.00 for the 4 issues published. We encourage you to also contribute to the UPCHURCH RESEARCH FUND so that we may collect and publish interesting information, or honor our loved ones. BOUND and UNBOUND issues are available for all back volumes. Give a gift to a relative or a friend. Help preserve our unique Upchurch heritage.

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(This will be published in the UPCHURCH BULLETIN)

NAME: _____ RELATIONSHIP _____

I need 10 DEC 93 Ch # 195 for 1994 signed by DEC Roby M. U.
I Roby M. U. & Mildred U. Anderson

TOTAL \$ _____

Please make check payable to : MICHAEL ENTERPRISES

Mail to: MICHAEL ENTERPRISES, P. O. Box 35804, Tucson, AZ 85740

NAME: Roby M. Upchurch
ADDRESS: 1716 Glenmore Dr.
CITY: Pasadena, TX. 77803

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18 JAN 1993

MRS JAMES W. WPCHTURCH, JR
1216 GLENMORE DRIVE
PASADENA, TX 77503

Dear Cousin Ruby,

I realize I wrote to you on 30 DEC 1992
but in reviewing various letters to be filed
I realized I had not responded to your
letter of 3 DEC 1992 regarding UB Vol 4 No 4.
You should have received that issue in
early December. If not please let me know.

Let me explain the system. Each year
the issues for the 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th
quarters bear the dates January, April,
July and October. However, the issues
are always produced in the second
month of the quarter (FEB, MAY, AUG, and
NOV). They are then almost always mailed
in the first week of the last month of
the quarter. They are sent by bulk mail
and may take up to 2-3 weeks for delivery.

That you should always receive the January issue in March; the April issue in June; the July issue in September and the October issue in December. We have followed this schedule for 13 years rather closely and will be doing it for the 14th year in 1993.

We have made excellent progress on the Upchurch history project in 1992 and 1993 should also prove to be a good year. This is only possible because we have good cooperators such as your daughter and yourself. I am most appreciative of your efforts and trust that we can continue to improve our story in the year ahead.



Sincerely yours

Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

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Mrs. James W. Upchurch Jr.
1216 Glenmore Dr.
Pasadena, TX 77503

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1216 Glenmore Dr.

12-3-1992

Michael Intriprese

I've been waiting for volume
4 and I realized today I should
have gotten it in ~~November~~ Oct.
but kept hoping thinking it
was due maybe in November.
Here it is Dec. 3, 1992 and No
4th Bulliten. I'm sure I paid for
all this year. yesterday I mailed
you a letter with a check covering
next year and some extra for
whatever you need it for. Not
a whole lot but some to help.
we were looking forward to
no 4 because we were thinking
some of the information Mildred
and I had sent would be in the
October ^{one}. Please Phillip send us
the October Bulliten. We will be
looking forward to hearing from

you.

Wishing you a merry 'Enjoyable'
and happy Christmas.

To all of your family and
you. Merry Christmas.

Louise & "God Bless all"

Ruby M. Upchurch

James W. Upchurch's
wife.

1216 Glenmore Dr.,
Pasadena, TX 77502

RUBY MERLE LUCAS

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TUCSON, ARIZONA 85740

30 DEC 1992

MRS J. W. UPCHURCH
1216 GLENMORE DR.
PASADENA, TX 77503

Dear Cousin Ruby,

I am taking a day off from work and trying to catch up on correspondence. I want to thank you for your \$30.00 check in payment for the UB for 1993 and for the Upchurch Record Fund. We have a lot of folks like you who send in family details and, from time-to-time, some financial support. With all kinds of support and participation we keep the Upchurch heritage project moving along. I am especially proud of how much we have been able to learn about the Texas branch of the Upchurch family. They really come from different sections of the family but we are gradually making more and more sense out of them.

Ruby, your attitude is a good one. There are simply some things we cannot change. It pays for us to look for the positive side of life and to emphasize that. I like to think that our Upchurch family project provides one more outlet for people. It certainly helps me to get my mind off of some tough situations that occur at work.

I hope that 1993 will be a good year for you. Please do write me along the way and send in details on the family. Margaret Wilson has had a keen interest and she and I stay in touch. one day I hope to visit some of the key Upchurch sites in Texas.

Sincerely yours
 Phil Upchurch
 [ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

RUBY MERLE LUCAS

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REC'D
5 DEC 92

Paid 5 DEC 92 Check #1303 signed 2 DEC for \$30
Mrs. J. W. U. old address on check

crossed out [P.O. Box 103, Shiro, TX 77876
409-874-2347] [New address written
in: 1216 Glenmore, Pasadena, TX
77503 475-2006]

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Pasadena TX.

1216 Glenmore Dr.

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Dear Phillip & Michal Enterprises

Inclosed is a check for \$30.00
\$15.00 to pay for 4 issues of the
Upchurch Bulletin¹⁹⁹³. The other is to
be used where ever needed the most

We are looking forward to the
December Bulletin

Wishing you a Happy Christmas
and a Prosperous new year. I'm
not mailing Christmas cards this
year. I really don't feel like address-
ing them and I feel so tough
most of the time. It hurt to write.
I'm so lonely here, but I pray
every day that God will help me
to help me change the things I can
change and accept the things I
can't. My daughter is good to me
(mildred). Her husband is hard to
understand. They were married 40 yrs
Nov. 30. He gave her a card and

that was all. She was hurt so much. Even her 2 daughters failed to hardly mention all the sacrifices their mother (Mildred) had made these 39 yrs + 35 years for them getting all the love she had to give to them. That's one reason I'm here. She has had to do without so many needs for most of her married life.

With God's help, I pray we will all have a better year in 1993.

Elizabeth Wilson is doing as well as she can. I talked to her by phone Sunday 29th. She is alone but has many church friends. She had such a wonderful husband Adrian Wilson. He's been gone 2 yrs this November.

So good night

Ruby M. Upchurch
1210 Glenmore Dr
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24 JUN 1992

RUBY M. UPCHURCH
1216 GLENMORE
PASADENA, TX 77503

Dear Cousin Ruby

Thanks so much for your letter of June 17, 1992 and for the order for the Upchurch Bulletin and for the contribution to the Upchurch Research Fund as a memorial to your late husband. This memorial will be in the U₂ which goes in the mail in September. I appreciate all the work you and Mildred have done to help collect records on the family.

Enclosed is a copy of my five page Biofile on James William U, Sr for your use & file and to put down in the family. Also provided are copies of Photo Files 83-1 and 84-1. You can see we know the essential things about him but not a lot more. If anyone has additional details about his life, interests, occupations, etc, I would be happy to have them for his Biofile.

Really, I know you and indeed must be
about at the end of what you can do to help
improve the Master outline. However, a special
set of questions on the James William U, Jr family
is enclosed. you can see we are down to
a very few missing items. These are not
critical and are not worth exceptional effort
to acquire. However, if it does happen you
can get any of these items first let me
know.

Likewise, we have gotten all the easy
answers on James William U, Sr & his children.
Evenso, I have enclosed a list of some questions
just in case. I do have some names &
addresses of descendants but maybe there could
be a few more family members who would
be willing to help. I am about ready to create
a list of addresses of all interested individuals
for the James William U, Sr family. Perhaps some
might be interested in this list. Maybe you
might be able to get a few addresses I don't
have. The family does tend to get spread out.
Hope your health is better.

Sincerely yours
Phil W. Edmunds

[ROBERT PHILIP U PCHURCH]

MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY 24JUN
OF JAMES WILLIAM WACHURCH, JR 1992

- 1) For James William U, Jr & wife Ruby - All OK.
- 2) For Mildred Olean U & family - All OK
- 3) For Linda Virginia U
 - a) when and where was Hubert Adrian Dawden born?
 - b) what is the full maiden name of the wife of James Allen Patterson?
 - c) what is the full name of Justice Preston and where was he born?
- 4) For Loreta Joyce U & family - All OK.

SOME MISSING DETAILS FOR JAMES 29 JUN 1892
WILLIAM UPCHURCH, SR AND HIS CHILDREN

- 1) For James William U, Sr & his two wives
 - a) where did he marry the first time?
 - b) For Frances Anselma
 - i) what was her full maiden name?
 - ii) when and where was she born?
 - iii) when and where did she die?
 - iv) where is she buried?
 - c) Did he have only eight children (5 by first wife and 3 by second wife)?
- 2) For Eula Anna Elizabeth U
 - a) when did she marry?
 - b) Are there descendants for whom addresses are available with whom we might correspond?
- 3) For Richard McNeil U "Mack".
 - a) For his wife Priscilla Beough
 - i) what is her full maiden name?
 - ii) Did she die 6 MAY 1957 or 2 MAY 1957?
 - b) Did he have just three children?
 - c) Are their descendants with whom we might correspond?
- 4) For William Esmond U
 - a) Is the proper order or alone or Esmond William U?
 - b) Is ESMOND the correct spelling?
 - c) Was he born 4 DEC 1891, 14 SEP 1892 or 14 OCT 1892?
 - d) where did he die?
 - e) when in 1925 married & where married?
 - f) Full maiden name of wife & when & where born, when & where died & where buried?
 - g) Are there descendants to contact?

5) For Elmer Rudolph U "Jim"

a) when in 1914 did he marry?

b) where did he marry?

c) Full maiden name of wife and when and where was she born, when and where died and where buried?

d) Did he have any children? If so, details?

e) Do we have any family contacts that might be useful?

b) For Anna Sola U

a) when and where did she marry?

b) when in SEP 1895 was Milledge Alfred Franklin born?

c) Are there any descendants whom we might want?

7) For Clifton NMN U, Sr

a) For 2nd wife Essie Lee Russell

i) when in DEC 1943 did they marry?

ii) when was she born?

iii) Is she still living?

b) Are there descendants whom we might want?

8) For Elizabeth NMN U & husband

a) where is Adron Napoleon Wilson buried?

9) For James William U, Jr & family - see separate list.

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NOVEMBER 1991

INVOICE

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NAME: James William Upchurch Jr. RELATIONSHIP: Husband

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\$15.00 M.F. p. 2
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Mrs J.W.U (P.O. Box 108(6) Shiro, TX 7786 409-874-234)

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RUBY MERLE LUCAS

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REC'D
19 JUN 1992

1216 Glenmore Dr.

Pasadena, TX 77503

June 19 - 1992

Michael Enterprises:

Tucson Arizona 85740

Dear Michael:

Mildred Upchurch Dickerson
and I Ruby Merle Lucas Upchurch
have finally finished the other
information on the James William
Upchurch Jr. family. We were unable
to get some of the things on some
of Virginia Upchurch Doudens
family. I wrote them called one
of the girls Debbie but was unable
to learn any more on the
rest. So we decided to send you all
we could find out. We had waited
so long as it is. But kept hoping to
learn more.

I - Ruby Upchurch have been
ill and have to see another Dr. here
June 18. I have sure had problems here
in Pasadena with Drs. Soth's one is a

Woman Dr. And we hope this will
be the last change I have to make.
I may have to undergo surgery
which my Previous Dr in Bryan
Texas had held off doing. But unless
God intervenes it will have to be
done sooner or later and I fear it
will be sooner. Mildred and Mrs.
Dickerson where I live in an apartment
beside them had a rough time with
flu in April & May. It was the
kind everyone was having. All
had terrible coughs. Which kept
recurring. They are doing O.K.
Now. I'm so grateful Mildred could
copy this for me. (The information
for me) at nearly 77 yrs of age. I'm
glad I can write especially with
Arthritis all over. So here's hoping
every thing is going well for you and
your family.

Inclosed is a check for the 2 Volumes
I've received this year and for the 2 others
for this year. I Hope I understood it

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right, and \$15.00 in memory of
my husband James William
Upchurch Jr.

I'm sorry I can't help you on
Essman's family. The last I
heard they lived in Jasper Texas
Roland; Billie Ray and the one
girl (can't think of her name) have been
away from all the others. ^{Do Long} I wish
I knew some one I could find out
something on them. I know there
were about 10 or 12 grand children
if I remember correct. Maybe less.

But by now I'm sure there are great
grand children. Essman has been dead
since before 1983, Johnnie (James)
and Elizabeth Wilson went to his
funeral before James took cancer
in 1983 and died Jan 14th 1984

So must close and may God
bless you and all who help you.

A friend: — Ruby Merle Lewis Upchurch
1216 Glenmore Dr.
Pasadena, TX. 77503

PAGE NO.

Missing Details on the Family of James William Upchurch, Jr.

PREPARED BY DATE

- (1) For James William U., Jr. & wife - All O.K.
- (2) For Mildred Cleane U. & Family
 - (a.) Donna Marie Dickerson was married at Faith Assembly of God in Pasadena, Texas.
 - (b.) Cynthia Diane Dickerson was married at Pasadena Blvd. Church of God in Pasadena, Texas.
- (3) For Linda Virginia U. & Family
 - (a.) For James Kenneth Patterson
 - (1) He was born on September 23, 1933.
 - (2) He was born in Rustin, Louisiana
 - (b.) For Hubert Alton Rowden
 - (1) He was born in Zachie, Louisiana.
 - (2) When & where was his son Hubert Adrian Rowden born? - They are unable to secure this information.
 - (c.) For Kathy Lynn Patterson
 - (1) She was married at Peace Lutheran Church in Texas City, Texas.
 - (2) For Debbie Ann Patterson
 - (1) She was married at First Baptist Church in Clear Lake, Texas.
 - (2) Her husband's full name is Randy Randall Rife.

△ (e.) For James Allen Patterson

- (1) He married at the First Baptist Church in Clear Lake, Texas.

□ (2) He does not know Kathy Prestons middle name.

- (3) They are unable to get the full name of Justin Preston and where he was born.

□ (f.) For Kelly Deane Patterson

□ (1) Her husbands full name is Alan Bruce Oberg & it is correct by spelt as Alan.

△ (4) For Loretta Joyce U. + Family - All O.K.

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22 MAR 1992

MRS JAMES W. UPCHURCH
1216 GLENMORE DRIVE
PASADENA, TX 77503

Dear Cousin Ruby,

I have just finished extracting your letter which arrived on 9 MAR 1992 and want to thank you and Mildred for doing an excellent job on the family of James William W, Jr. The master outline for him is now much improved. I can send you an updated copy anytime you so desire. There are still a few missing details on this family which I have listed on an endorsed sheet. These are not critical but I do try for perfection even if we never get it. Any of the answers you have or can get will be much appreciated.

Details on the Uplunch Bulletin are endorsed. I think it is great that you have an interest in Uplunch history and are willing to help.

Over the year we have gradually made progress on the nansin part of the James William Uphurch, Sr family. As you know there are eight children in the family and some of these children now have quite a few descendants. Quite a few individuals have helped to get us as far along as we are. There are some sections where we are missing a lot. For example - we are very short on details about William Esmond Uphurch & his descendants (or is it Esmond William Uphurch?). We are also short of details on Elmer Rudolph Uphurch and his wife Irene Fryar. Do you have any ideas about how we can proceed on these two. Elmer and Irene married in 1914 and he died 11 DEC 1918. I wonder if they had any children?

Hope this finds you well.

Sincerely yours
Phil Uphurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPHURCH]

MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY
OF JAMES WILLIAM UPCHURCH, JR

22 MAR
1992

- 1) For James William U, Jr & wife - All OK
- 2) For Mildred Cleane U & Family
 - a) where did Donna Marie Dickerson marry?
 - b) where did Cynthia Diane Dickerson marry?
- 3) For Linda Virginia U & Family
 - a) For James Kenneth Patterson
 - i) was he born 23 MAY 1933 or 24 SEP 1933?
 - ii) where in Louisiana was he born?
 - b) For Hubert Alton Douders
 - i) where in Louisiana was he born?
 - ii) when and where was his son Hubert Adrian Douders born?
 - c) For Katty Lynn Patterson
 - i) where did she marry?
 - d) For Debbie Ann Patterson
 - i) where did she marry?
 - ii) what is the full name of Randy Rife?
 - e) For James Allen Patterson
 - i) where did he marry?
 - ii) what is the full maiden name of Kathy Preston?
 - iii) what is the full name of Justin Preston and where was he born?
 - f) For Kelly Diane Patterson
 - i) what is the full name of A. Oberg (her husband) and is it ALAN or ALLEN?
- 4) For Loretha Joyce U & Family - All OK

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list to
send V-13#1
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REC'D
9 MAR 1992

1216 Glenmore Dr.
Pasadena TX 77503

Michael Interprises

Sorry we haven't gotten you
the information you wanted & deserve.
□ But Elizabeth Wilson sent me the
information you sent her on James
William Upchurch's family. She then
mailed it to me. So my daughter
△ Mildred Dickerson ^{→ DICKERSON} worked on getting
all the information you were asking
for. It took some time but after she
~~and~~ made some long distance calls
we finally got most of that
was needed. It was all several
would give us.

I'm sorry I didn't keep up with
the Valems each yr. after James's death
but for 8 years I tried to make it alone
living at Shiro. But it was hard
to get help up there so I had to come
△ to live here in Pasadena with Mildred
and Mack Dickerson. We had a double

car garage turned into living quarters
for me. I take my meals with them.
I sure hated to give up my home, but
my health was the main reason I
had to do so. They are so good to me.

I look in Volume (1) Number (1)
and your Price \$10.00 Annual
Subscription. It's probably higher
now. So please send me the new
Price. I'd like to continue taking the
Bulletin for a while anyway. I
have all 9 volumes ~~through~~ four
four per volume.

Hope to have helped with the
information we are sending. I think
Mildred Dickerson my daughter for
copying & recopying this. I can't write
very long at a time myself.

So we hope you receive this
O.K.

A friend
Ruby Merle Upchurch
1216 Glenmore Dr.
Pasadena, TX 77503

Mrs. James W. Upchurch
1216 Glenmore Dr.
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The Family of James William Upchurch, Jr.
March 3, 1992

- (1) James William Upchurch, Jr.
(a.) Died in Humana Hosp. in Bryan, Texas on January 14, 1984.
(b.) Buried in Independence Cemetery in Grimes County, Texas.
(c.) Wife, Ruby is still living, now in Pasadena, Texas.
(d.) He had just three children.
- (2) For Mildred Olean Upchurch
(a.) She married November 29, 1952 to
(b.) Maye Dorel Dickerson. He was born on April 20, 1934 in Sulphur Bluff, Texas.
(c.) She had two children.
(d.) For Donna Marie Dickerson
(1.) She was born at Pasadena General Hospital on October 31, 1953.
(2.) She was married June 28, 1975 to
(3.) James Eugene Brown. He was born March 23, 1953 in Houston, Texas.
(4.) She has two children.
(a.) Robert Aaron Brown, born on October 6, 1984 at Women's Hospital in Houston, Texas.
(b.) Amanda Michelle Brown, born on March 29, 1989 at Women's Hospital in Houston, Texas.
- (e.) For Cynthia Diane Dickerson
(1.) She was born at Medical & Surgical Hospital in Pasadena, Texas on June 28, 1960.
(2.) She married Raymond Michael Kalem on August 11, 1984
(3.) Raymond Michael Kalem was

born on January 25, 1962 in Canton, Ohio.

(4) She has two children.

(a.) Kelsey Brooke Kalem, born at Southmore Humana Hospital in Pasadena, Texas on January 16, 1988.

(b.) Kaitlynn Rochelle Kalem, born at Southmore Humana Hospital in Pasadena, Texas on October 7, 1991.

43.) For Linda Virginia Upchurch

(a.) She married Hubert Alton Dowden, September 24, 1978.

(b.) James Kenneth Patterson was born on September 24, 1933 in Louisiana.

(c.) Hubert Alton Dowden was born July 31, 1928 in Louisiana.

(d.) Hubert Alton Dowden had one son by a previous marriage, Hubert Adrian Dowden. We know nothing other than his name.

(e.) For Kathy Lynn Patterson

(1) She was born July 27, 1958 in Heights Hospital in Houston, Texas.

(2) She married Harold Lenard Moody on February 28, 1976.

(3) She has two children.

(4) Harold Lenard Moody was born on February 28, 1958 in St. Mary's Hospital in Galveston, Texas.

(5) Christopher Scott Moody was born September 21, 1976 in Galveston County Hospital in Texas City, Texas.

(6) Jason Wayne Moody was born November 24, 1981 in Galveston County Hospital in Texas City, Texas

(f.) For Debbie Ann Patterson

(1) She was born May 24, 1960 in Monroe, Louisiana at St. Marks Hospital.

(2) She married Randy Rife on October 23, 1982. Randy was born January 12, 1952 in Harlingen, Texas.

(3.) She has three sons.

(a.) Jay Brandon Rife was born on October 28, 1985 in Harlingen, Texas.

(b.) Jordan Lee Rife was born on December 11, 1987 at Clear Lake Hospital in Thebster, Texas.

(c.) Jonathan Mitchell Rife was born on May 31, 1989 at Clear Lake Hospital in Thebster, Texas.

(g.) For James Allen Patterson

(1.) He was born on September 26, 1961 at Memorial County Hospital in Texas City, Texas.

(2.) He married Kathy Preston on October 21, 1982. Kathy was born on June 18, 1959 in Harlingen, Texas.

(3.) They have three sons.

(a.) James Eric Patterson was born on April 18, 1985 at Clear Lake Hospital in Thebster, Texas.

(b.) Twin boys, Kevin Richard + Keith Ryan Patterson were born on May 24, 1989 at Clear Lake Hospital in Thebster, Texas

4) ²¹△ For Loretta Joyce Upchurch

□ (a.) ²²She had five children.

- (b.) ²³At this date they are all un-Married.

△ (c.) ²⁴For Diana Lynn Gould

□ (1) ²⁵She was born on January 2, 1964
- ²⁶in Heights Hospital in Houston,
- ²⁷Texas.

□ (2) ²⁸She died January 2, 1964 in
- ²⁹Heights Hospital in Houston, Texas.

△ (d.) ³⁰Kenneth Wayne Gould was born
- ³¹July 31, 1969 in Houston, Texas.

△ (e.) ³²Keith Alan Gould was born June
- ³³30, 1970 at Heights Hospital in Houston, Texas.

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△ (f.) ²Kevin Ray Gould was born on May
- ³22, 1975 at Heights Hospital in
- Houston, Texas.

△ (g.) ⁵Kathleen Ann Gould was born on
- ⁶June 9, 1977 at Heights Hospital in
- ⁷Houston, Texas.

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(c.) Kathy has one son by a previous marriage.

(1.) Justin Preston, born on June 2, 1978.

(h.) For Kelly Diane Patterson

(1.) She was born on November 26, 1962 in Memorial County Hospital in Texas City, Texas.

(2.) She married Alan Oberg on March 21, 1980

(3.) Allen Oberg was born on November 29, 1954 in Parkersprairie, Minnesota

(4.) She has two children.

(a.) Jennifer Lynn Oberg was born October 16, 1980 at County Memorial Hospital in Texas City, Texas.

(b.) Matthew Bryan Oberg was born on September 30, 1982 at County Memorial Hospital in Texas City, Texas.

30 MAY 1982

MRS RUBY MERLE UPCHURCH
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Dear Cousin Ruby

Your letter arrived two days ago and I have spent several hours extracting the information and placing it on outline and in the master file. It all fits beautifully and I appreciate the effort you expended in getting this together. Also I have written to those you mentioned in your letter and hope to hear from them - you never can tell.

Here are some missing bits:

(1) For Mildred Deane U

- a) what was her marriage date?
- b) where was Marie Doyle Dickerson born?
- c) where was Donna Marie Dickerson born & where married?
- d) when & where was James Eugene Brown born?
- e) where was Cynthia Ann Dickerson born?

(2) For Linda Virginia U

- a) where was James Kenneth Patterson born?
- b) Date of Linda's 2nd marriage?
- c) Place of birth for Hubert Alton Daunders?
- d) Place of birth for Linda's 4 children & her 3 grandchildren?
- e) where was Kathy Lynn Patterson married?
- f) when and where was Harold Leonard Moody born?
- g) Full name for ALAN OBERG and when & where born?

(3) For Loretta Joyce U

- a) Diana Lynn Gould - where born, where died?
- b) The other 4 children - where born?

(4) For your Father-in-Law - James William U, Sr.

- a) Was he born in Bedias or Panteg?
- b) Where did he die?
- c) Where was his 1st marriage?
- d) Full maiden name of Frances Arnold and her birth date & place, death date & place and burial place?
- e) For Joe Anna Adams - her birth place, death place and burial place.

I will welcome any bits of information you happen to collect or to recall about the brother and sister of your husband.

Issue 2 of Vol 3 of Upchurch Bulletin will go to the printer on 2 JUN 82 and should be in your hands before the end of June.

All the Best!

Sincerely yours
 Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

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Mrs Ruby Merle Upchurch
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28 MAY 1982

□ This is some information on the James
 □ William + Ruby Merle Lucas Upchurch
 - family.

△ James William Upchurch Born Dec. 12, 1912
 □ married Ruby Merle Lucas born Sept. 11, 1915
 - They were married in Beidas Texas Feb.
 - 24, 1935. We had 3 daughters

DAU#1
 △ Mildred Cleane Upchurch Born April 12,
 - 1937 at Beadise, Grimes County Texas

□ Mildred Cleane Upchurch married
 △ Mary Doyle Dickerson born April 20, 1934
 △ They have 2 daughters ~~Donna~~ Donna

- Marie Dickerson Born Oct. 31, 1953
 △ Cynthia Dian Dickerson Born June 28, 1960

△ + △ Donna Marie Dickerson + James Eugene
 - Brown were married June 28, 1975. They
 △ have no children and all Mildred family lives
 - in Pasadena Texas.

DAU#2
 △ Linda Virginia Upchurch born June 23,
 △ 1940, married James Kenneth Patterson born
 - May 23, 1933. They were married Dec 6, 1957
 △ Kathy Lynn Patterson born July 27, 1958

- Δ Debbie Ann Patterson born May 24, 1960
 Δ James Allen Patterson born Sept 26, 1961
 Δ Kelly Dian Patterson born Nov 26, 1962
 Δ + Δ Kathy Lynn Patterson + Harold Lenard
 - Moody were married Feb 28 - 1976.
 Δ Christopher Scott Moody was born Sept 21, 1976
 Δ Jason Wayne Moody born Nov 24, 1981
 Δ + Δ Kelly Dian Patterson married Alan Oberg
 - March 21 - 1980. In Hitchcock Texas
 Δ Jennifer Lynn Oberg Born Oct 16, 1980
 D4U #3 Δ Loretta Joyce Upchurch born Nov 10,
 I. U #3 Δ 1946 married Leon Lee Gould Jr, Born Dec. 27
 - 1943. They were married June 7, 1963
 - In Houston Texas, where they still live.
 - They were both born & reared in Houston Texas.
 Δ Diana Lynn Gould born Jan. 2, 1964
 - Died Jan. 2, 1964. She is buried in Brookside
 - Memorial Cemetery in Houston, Texas.
 Δ Kenneth Wayne Gould Born July 31, 1969
 Δ Keith Alan Gould Born June 30, 1970
 Δ Kevin Ray Gould Born May 22, 1975
 Δ Kathleen Ann Gould Born June 9, 1977

- Linda
- Δ Virginia Patterson was divorced several
- Δ years back and is now married to Hubert
- Alton Dowden born July 31-1928- He
- had 1 son by a previous marriage
- Δ his name is Hubert Adrian Dowden lives
- somewhere on the Texas Coast.
- Δ Hubert is from Louisiana but has
- lived in Hitchcock for some time.
- Δ our Daughter Virginia and all her
- family have lived in Hitchcock, Texas
- since 1961.
- Δ Mildred Dickerson ~~has to~~ and her
- family have lived in Pasadena, ^{Texas} since
- Δ about 1959. Mildred Dickerson was
- Δ married in Houston, Texas. Virginia
- (Patterson) Dowden was married the first
- time in Hempstead Texas. Second time
- in Hitchcock, Texas. I forgot to say Bedias
- Texas is in Grimes County. All our Births
- but our youngest Daughters are recorded at
- Δ The Anderson Court House. Loretta Joyce
- Upchurch Gould was born in Houston, Tx
- I Ruby Marie Lucas Upchurch was.

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- born in Shiro, Texas, Grimes County
- Δ James William Upchurch was born in
- Bedias, Texas also Grimes Co.
- you may be able to get some
- Δ information from one of Eula Elizabeth
- Upchurch's daughter who lives in Dalas, Texas
- She is married to a Man by the Name of
- Δ Shifflett. He isn't listed in the Telephone
- Book but is a Barber so just write
- Δ Shifflett's Barber Shop. I really don't know
- him & haven't seen her in years as we
- lived in Houston for 35 year. Oh yes.
- I found another one of her Daughters in
- the Bryan Telephone Book. Her Name
- Δ + Δ is Ethel Risinger. Their Address is D. S.
- Risinger - 504 Gainer, Bryan TX, 77801
- They aren't very cooperative but now
- Δ that Eula their Mother is dead maybe
- they will give you some help. Hope so
- Δ William Esmon Upchurch is also dead
- now. He has a son who lives in Jasper, Texas
- we hear he is very ill but maybe his
- wife will give you some help. As I said

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- I've been away from a lot of the
Δ relatives for a long time. Eula had a
- large family & it would sure help you
Δ if they would cooperate. Asmen had
- 3 children but I don't know where the
- daughter is but the last we heard she
- was in ~~the~~ Houston but I don't know
- her married name. All the children
- were born around Bedias Texas
- I'm sure so the Records in Anderson
- Court House would be a help. If my
- health would let me I'd be glad to
- check there for you but I can't go very
- much of any where. His other son
Δ name is Billie Ray Upchurch & lived
- in or near Jasper Texas but his brother
Δ Roland who is ill also lives there but
- we have been unable to get in touch
- with him so far. Hope you can get
Δ Eula's family to help you for she had
- a large family, children, grandchildren,
- & great grandchildren. XID-5014
Δ Try contacting Elizabeth Upchurch
- Wilson again I think she will help you
- if you remind her again if not maybe

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she will give me the information
she has been real sick but is
better ~~to~~ contact her again soon.
I can't write any more tonight so
will sign off by saying I hope
I have helped some & I pray the
others will help you too

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Please excuse my writing & mistakes
but with Arthritis it's not easy to write
good at times any way.