

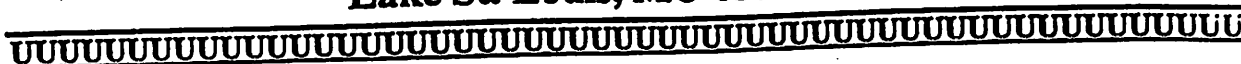
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15 APR 2000

APRIL TRUNICK
63 NEAT DRIVE
LILLINGTON, NC 27546

Dear Cousin April,

Thanks for your recent letter which was waiting for me when we returned on 10 APR after a 12-day stay in Tucson, AZ. We went down to look after our 3 grandkids (ages 13, 16, 18) while their parents went to Australia.

Thanks especially for commenting on the Mary Charlotte Peace situation. I have now corrected my master outline. I had it correct elsewhere but made a mistake on the one sheet.

Enclosed is my 1-sheet, 2-item Brochure sheet on Alexander Anton Phillips as it now stands. You can see I know very little about him. If you I would be happy to know more about him. We know a fair amount about his father Little Perry Phillips and I have published a picture of him.

I am aware of the fact that you can often find one of your ancestors that lent his back to royalty or some famous person. I have never looked into my own direct ancestors in this regard. I guess I was happy if they turned out to just not be horse thieves!

The Uplander of America started out poor and along the way a few of them got out on the extremes - of wealth, poverty, politics, behavior in war, etc, etc. The original emigrant Michael U, I who came about 1638 was most likely an indentured servant. In the 1750 - 1850 era various Uplander family members owned substantial areas of land in southern Franklin Co, NC. I have published a map of what Richard U, III owned at his death in 1817. His brother Jubal U owned the most land of the 11 siblings. Another brother Nathan U, I (my GGF) owned 1,000 acres of land in western Wake Co, NC. I have also published a map of that land. William Kearney Phillips, I was a very wealthy person. I have published quite a bit about him. Somehow, he had the secret of how to accumulate worldly goods.

It is great that you plan to continue to delve into the Phillips Family History. Over time I imagine you and I will find more to share on this family. In due course I hope to prepare a special document to show how the Phillips & Upchurch families intermarried. That project will have to wait its turn in line.

Thanks for passing my name/address along to Trudy Phillips. I am always happy to have people know of my address and am happy to hear from them. Sometimes we can help each other and sometimes not. It's fun to try

April, I'll look forward to our continued association and collaboration.

Sincerely yours
② Phil Upchurch
{ ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH }

Dear Phil,

REC'D
10 APR 2000

Mr. & Mrs. Teno Trunick
63 Nest Dr.
Lillington, NC 27546

Sorry I'm late getting back with you. I've been typing names and dates into my Family Tree Program.

Thank you for the latest info. I did see a couple of things in there that I wanted to check with you on.

□+□+□ Gideon (Presby Jackson Phillips, Elizabeth Upchurch, James Upchurch) Phillips, Gideon
- Feb, 8, 1928 (Ware Co NC)
- married - 19 Dec, 1865 Franklin Co.

□ Mary Charlotte Pearce
- b 1842
- d Aug 15, 1917 (Johnston Co, NC)

□+□ Phil, you have Mary Charlotte as the daughter of Susan Upchurch and Nathan Pearce II.

□ Mary Charlotte Pearce was the daughter of

□+□ Simon Pearce and Rowena Perry
b abt 1818 (I'd have no info on Rowena) I wish I did.

□+□+□ Simon was the son of Nathaniel Pearce b May 23, 1783 and Susan Upch.

- So Really Susan Upchurch was (2).
- Mary Charlotte's grandmother instead
- of mother.

I noticed that as a child of

□ Little Betty Phillips, b 30 Apr 1838 (Franklin Co) and Rosa C. Baker, you have listed a Alexander Anton Phillips.

Do you know anything About Alexander

Anton Phillips? My reason for asking is that I have a very old professionally

taken photo of a handsome young man, ~~on~~ on the back it says "Anton Phillips, Sr" I have not found or even seen the name

Anton Phillips. I would love to get a copy of this photo to Anton's descendants,

they might not have one. But I can't, because, I don't know who they are.

Did you know that when Elizabeth Upchurch married John Phillips, that she married a direct descendant of King John of

hackland, his son Henry III, his son Edward I (Long shanks), Edward's daughter, Joan (of Acre) Plantagenet. This direct line comes through John's mother Fanny Barham, through her ancestor Katherine Filmer. Edward descends of John Phillips and

copied for
benefit
of
Alexander
Anton
Phillips

Elizabeth Upchurch is directly related to ⁽³⁾ Royalty - all the way back to Charlemagne. They say as you get back closer to Charlemagne it gets a little iffy, but, the middle ages is well documented.

I thought that was an interesting tidbit. I found out about it about 6 wks. ago. I would have been thrilled with a "Sir Somebody" back there somewhere.

Were the Upchurchs wealthy and affluent? I am trying to find out about the Phillips before Francis (John's father) and it seems that there are two bunches the affluent and the indentured ones. I don't remember having heard much about the Upchurches in that respect. The more I can learn about the lifestyles of all of ~~the~~ ^{my} families connected with Francis and John, the better chance I will have to figure out where Francis came from (what family). I have so much info on the Upchurch family and the Boham families but, nothing on the Phillips family past Francis's abt 1760 VA.

My husband's (Truwick) family has ④
Phillips "back there" from VA and NJ. For
all I know there might be a tie. Who
knows?

Well, I will let you go. If you have
any idea how to find descendants
of Anton Phillips, Sr., please, let me know.

Oh, I did a "terrible" thing.
I found someone else looking for Upcher.
Her name is Trudy Phillips (I think it was
Phillips) I gave her your address. I know
I should have asked first, please!
Don't be too upset with me. I know that
you must know about every Upcher
in America and that you could probably
help her.

- Stay in touch, Phil,

April

P.S. - I hope you can read most of this -
I know my handwriting is awful!

Can you tell me the name of the father of James Lawrence Phillips? James married your Great Aunt Blanche Alma Phillips.

Thanks for the will for John W. Phillips, Sr and for the sheet on the Tabernacle Church. I'll wait for the final copy of the will before I dig into it. The use of the Church as a children's museum. The next time we are in Raleigh we will have to go by and have a look. Things do change.

My wife and I lived at 5 different locations in Raleigh from 1948 to 1965. During this period we were away 2 yrs (1951+1952) in CA (Graduate school) and 2 years (1954+1957) in FL (U.S. Air Force). I have learned a lot about Raleigh & continue to do so because of my general interest in history and especially because a lot of US church history unfolded in Raleigh. My views on the city and its people continue to expand. There is always more to learn. A lot of my relatives are buried in Oakwood Cem as are yours.

April, I'll look forward to working with you on our shared family history in whatever way suits you. We could go in any number of directions over time. It is important to get the name/date/place records accurate and to add more over time. Beyond this there are other steps that could be taken. For example, you could write a 1-6 page narrative on your ancestors - where they lived, what they did for a living and any interesting things about them. If you do this I would be pleased to have a copy.

In any case I hope to hear from you as your time and interests dictate

Sincerely yours
 (E) Phil Upchurch
 [ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

APRIL MARIA BRANCH March 2, 2000 XID-48672
(1)

Dear Phil,

REC'D
6 MAR 2000

I do apologize for not getting back with you last week.

I printed the will out at home (you will be able to tell!). Parts of it aren't even there!! Most of it is, so, I'm sending it anyway. I will go somewhere and copy it for you. At least this piece of a ~~copy~~ copy will suffice until then.

WILL OF JOHN W. PHILLIPS
XID-996 - PLACED IN HIS
BIOFILE [NOTE: ON 20 MAR 2000
circled April copy
of Texas letter - APR 11]

OK - here goes

- △ Gideon Presley b 2/2/1874 Franklin Co NC
- Phillips d 8/29/1918 Franklin Co NC
- △△△ Gideon Presley Ph. m. Ellen Johnson - their kids: Gideon Presley, Jr., Cora, Mattie, and Flos.
- △ Blanche Anna b 4/5/1876 Franklin
- Phillips d 1/28/1961 Wake Forest, NC

Could the problem have come about because I do dates like this MONTH/DAY/Y. Any time a date I write looks suspicious that may be why I was trying to do them your way. ⁵ Confused myself

- My birthday is 7/21/1953, July 21, 1953
- +□ I think the mix up there was due to me - doing my dates differently.
- △+△ My daughter Heather Suzanne m Donald Joe Watson in Dillon, SC, Nov. 1993. Donald Joe Watson

- Birthday is 4/29/1974 (2)

- OK more info. d'm going to use your ID #s

Δ+Δ+Δ 48666 - Grover Cleveland Phillips (son of Gideon & Mary
Charlotte Pearce) - married 1) LUNA?
□
2) ANN? (late in life -
no kids)

□+□
- Grover Shunta's
children were:

Δ A) HAZEL Phillips

Δ B) Julian Phillips

Δ+Δ C) Charles Macon Phillips m Katie Grey Shad Kette.
they had one daughter,
SUSAN Phillips

Δ D) Allen Eugene Phillips m
Martha Jeanne Rader

Δ+Δ Yes, Theodosia Phillips was married to Jonah Robert
Lee Pearce

Δ+Δ+Δ 48660 John Wesley Phillips (son of Gideon & Mary
buried Oakland Heights Cemeter
Johnston CO
Charlotte)

Δ Jimmie Mildred Edwards
buried Dunwoody, FL
their children

Δ+Δ A) Jessie Alma m Leonard Hauss
b 2/13/1897
Hoffman
buried in
Raleigh National
Cemetery

Δ -D Dorothy ALMA Hauss

Δ+Δ Jessie Almas 2) John Plah
husband

Δ B Nannie Phillips m ? Ford

(2)

③
 Δ+Δ+Δ 48664 Samuel Gill Phillips (son of Gideon and Mar. Charlotte) ③
 - b 3/18/78 - Wake Co NC
 Δ Samuel Gill is buried in
 - Oakland Heights Cemetery, Johnston Co, NC
 - married
 Δ 1) Nicely Snipes (they lived in Salisbury, M)
 Δ+Δ A) ~~MacGeachy~~ Phillips m Margaret,
 Δ+Δ B) Josephine Phillips m Gaston
 - Winfree, they had a son
 Δ Joseph Winfree. Joseph
 Δ m Rose English
 Δ+Δ their children are:
 Δ 1) Scott Gaston Winfree
 Δ 2) Ashlyn English Winfree
 Δ C) Samuel Gill, Sr (moved to Mich
 to raise his fam
 Δ D) Dolly Grey Phillips

Δ+Δ+Δ 48663 Blanche Alma Phillips (Gideon's Mary Cha
 - buried Forestville church
 - cemetery, Wake Forest NC
 - married
 Δ James Lawrence Phillips
 - b March 18, 1860
 - d Feb 15, 1915, Wake Forest, NC
 Δ A) Evelyn Phillips
 - b 4/13/1904
 - d 1/15/1995
 Δ B) Kenton Talmadge Phillips
 - buried same as Blanche
 Δ C) Edith Alma
 - b 7/15/1912
 Δ+Δ+Δ D) Vivian Phillips m Ray Branson - Barbara Branson
 (over) - b 2/7/1901 d 8/21/1989 Wake Forest, NC → Vivian

④ I know some parts of Wake Co. I have never heard of Tate ^{Creek} ^{mill} though. Really I'm a city girl and know much more about Raleigh ~~than~~ Wake Co. My aunt Mary Branch went to the same HS as you - she was b 1914.

I always went to Tabernacle, baptized there and married twice there. I'm enclosing the church record for this week I thought you might like to see how things have changed. The church is building a new church out of town, they sold old church to make a children's museum.

The Branch postman could have been one of grandpa Branches brothers, I guess, they were in Wake Co. I think your Hassler neighbors could have been Ronnie's ^{my} mother's (grandparent) family, I don't know what part of Raleigh they lived in.

Phil, you are right, some of the info is a little confusing. I am sorting it out though.

Stay in touch -
April

April Trunick
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27546

APRIL MARIA BRANCIF

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Things I could send April

- Profile of Jonah Robert Lee Pearce - has photos.
- Mailed outline on ancestors & siblings of Gideon Phillips.
- The Pearce Family Account
- Jonah Robert Lee Pearce is also of the Benjamin W/ Frances W. Subden

was the wife of JONAH ROBERT LEE PEARCE? If so, I have more detail on this couple and their descendants. Can you check the dates for Cordeur Presley Phillips & Blanche Alma Phillips. Something is wrong.

I will be happy to have any additional details you have or can get over time on the family of Cordeur Phillips & Mary Charlotte Pearce. Both of these individuals had Upchurch ancestors so you are twice related to the Upchurch family. We have a great collection on the family of Nathans Pearce, II & Charlotte U, the ancestors of Mary Charlotte Pearce. Unfortunately we do not yet know the father of Charlotte U. I know enough to be pretty sure she was a granddaughter of Richard U, II but can't yet pin down which of his sons was her father.

As you will note I collect full names (full maiden names of females), dates of birth/ marriage/ death and places of birth/ marriage/ death/ burial. For places I like to include towns/ county/ state and the name of cemeteries when available. We rarely get all this "stuff" but it is nice to try.

Enclosed is a copy of my 3-Page, 5-Item **Biogill** for **Elyzabeth Thaneley U** and a copy of the 2-Page, 4-Item **Biogill** for her mother **nee Elyzabeth Thaneley Butler**. Over time as we exchange information I can supply additional **Master Outlines** and **Biogills**.

I am constantly reworking the family history records of Franklin Co, NC. I recently spent a lot of time on records for the Pearce Family as related to the Upland Family and am in a good position to intersect on this body of information.

You offered to send me a copy of the will of John Phillips who m'd Elyzabeth Thaneley U. I would be pleased to have a copy.

Feel free to give my name & address to Mrs Brian Phillips (Sis). I would love to hear from her.

The name in your letter caused me to think about my early years in Wake Co, NC. We lived in the Tater Mill Area. Are you familiar with that part of the County (Inwood Baptist Church Area)? There was a Lassiter family in the community. Also, I think our mailman in the late 1930's was a Mr BRANCH - but my memory is hazy on that point.

I am familiar with most parts of Wake Co, NC as my 8 Greatgrandparents were all in the County at one place or another. Can you tell me if you just knew Raleigh or did you know other parts of the County as well. I lived in Raleigh for quite a few years - went to Hugh Messer High School & N.C. State & was married in the Tabernacle Baptist Church. Two of our children were born in Raleigh.

April, I hope we can exchange details over an extended period in the future as we learn how we can be helpful to each other. Some of my stuff may be confusing but over time all should become clear. Please let me know if you have specific questions.

Sincerely yours

☺ Phil Ydorchy
 {ROBERT PHILIP WATKINS}

REC'D
17 FEB 2000

Feb 11, 2000

Mr. & Mrs. Tono Trunk
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Lillington, NC 27548

Dear Phil,
Your letter came today -
I was so pleased! I thought
the connection was there, but,
John Upchurch (my other Upchurch
contact) didn't have a record
of it.

I will go to my files and
correct the mistakes in the
next day or so. I do want my
info to be correct.

I'm sending the info on
my line as requested. I will
also include my children.

Yes, I'm interested in my
Upchurch line, as I am all
of them. This is fascinating. My
~~and~~ aunt passed away 2½
yrs ago and left me the
beginnings of her genealogy work.
My mother died two months
later and it's taken this long
for me to get around to doing
something with it. I have already found
tons of info just on the internet.

I'm not able to drive around and investigate so I just have to rely on computers. We only have one working vehicle at the moment and my husband drives it to work every day. I have a five year old son that would not cooperate while I searched anyway!

The Trunick is my married name - maiden name is BRANCH. I guess that was confusing! Sorry!

Well, Phil, I just finished writing down my "life history" for you. I went ahead and used family group sheets and pedigree sheets. It seemed simpler. You probably won't need a lot of this info (you probably already have more on my family than I do). If you have anything ~~else~~ on Elizabeth or her descendants, please send it. I have met another Phillips

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□ on the internet, Lisa Phillips (really her
△ husband, Brian, is the Phillips), may
I have her write to you and
update her line? I will wait
until I hear from you as to
whether to give out your address.

If you can think of any
thing else I might know that
would help you please let me
know - I suppose that you
have a copy of John Phillips'
will - if not I can send you
one.

Look forward to hearing
from you and thank you so
much.

Your Cousin (Boy that sounds good!),
April Branch Trunich

P.S. I have been married 3
times - I filled out a sep.
Family Unit sheet for two since
I have children from both. I
did not fill out sheet for #2 -
we had no kids.

Pedigree Chart

Chart Number 1

Newton Atlas Branch (4)

Number 1 on this chart is the same as
Number ___ on
Chart Number ___

▷ Dinimal Braxton Branch

2. Born: 4/2/1905
Place: WAKE CO, NC
Married: 5/27/1949
Place: Barton Rouge LA
Died: sept. 10, 1964
Place: WAKE CO, NC

▷ APRIL MARIA BRANCH

1. Born: 7/21/1953
Place: WAKE CO, NC
Married: 1) 4/2/1972
Place: 2) 10/26/1981
3) 12/27/1995
all in Wake Co.

▷ Mildred McIVER Lassiter

3. Born: 12/25/1913
Place: Lee Co, NC
Died: 8/22/1977
Place: Wake Co, NC

▷ William Lanza Brann

4. Born: 4/8/1868
Place: Wake Co, NC
Married: 4/19/1904
Place: 2/9/1916
Place: Wake Co, NC

▷ Mary ILda Phillips

5. Born: 5/29/1881
Place: Franklin Co, NC
Died: 3/27/1971
Place: Wake Co, NC

▷ Lonnie B. Lassiter

6. Born: 7/26/1884
Place: Randolph Co, NC
Married:
Place: 2/20/1920
Place:

▷ Mattie L. Hardin

7. Born: 2/24/1889
Place: Chatham Co, NC
Died: 1/16/1972
Place: Wake Co, NC 15.

8. Born: 7/14/1833
Place: WAKE CO, NC
Married:
Place:
Died: 1/21/1918
Place: Burke Co, NC
Leigenia Sanderford

9. Born:
Place:
Died:
Place:

▷ Gideon Phillips

10. Born: Sept 5, 1843
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died:
Place: ▷ Mary Charlotte Pearce

11. Born: 1842
Place:
Died:
Place:

12. Born:
Place:
Married:
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Died:
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13. Born:
Place:
Died:
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14. Born:
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Married:
Place:
Died:
Place:

15. Born:
Place:
Died:
Place:

Pedigree Chart

Chart Number 2 ✓

Number 1 on this chart is the same as
Number 10 on
Chart Number 1

↗ [PRESLEY JAMES
PHILLIPS - RPU]

△ Presley Jackson

2. Born: 8/17/1822 Phillips
Place:
Married: 3/2/1841
Place:
Died: 1865
Place: Cold Harbor, VA
CW

△ Aileen Phillips

1. Born: Sept. 5, 1843
Place: Franklinton, NC
Married: 12/19/1865
Place:
Died - 2/8/1928
Wake Co., NC

△ Mary Margaret

3. Born: 8/10/1824 Pearce
Place:
Died: 1896 - O. Living in 1900
Place:

△ John Phillips

4. Born: Oct 1792
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died: 1850
Place: ? RPU

□ Elizabeth Upchurch

5. Born: Oct 1796
Place:
Died:
Place:

□ Father U/K

6. Born:
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died:
Place:

△ Chola was never married

△ Chola Pearce

7. Born: 1795
Place:
Died:
Place:

[ENLOE
PEARCE
- RPU]

Francis Phillips

8. Born: Oct 1760
Place:
Married: 1/30/1787
Place: Southampton VA
Died:
Place: □

□ Fanny Barton

9. Born: Oct 1768
Place:
Died: Fanny's B Dunsen -
Place: Edm working with
the Barton family
this

□ James Upchurch

10. Born:
Place:
Married:
Place:

□ Elizabeth Thany Butler

11. Born:
Place:
Died:
Place:

Delia
Selma
Butler
Oct 17...

12. Born:
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died:
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13. Born:
Place:
Died:
Place:

Phillip Pearce

14. Born: 7/24/1754
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died: □
Place:

□ Nancy Susan

15. Born:
Place:
Died:
Place:

Pedigree Chart

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Number 1 on this chart is the same as
Number 11 on
Chart Number 1

△ Simon Pearce
2. Born: 1818
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died: 1882
Place:

□ Mary Charlotte Pearce
1. Born: 1842
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died - 18/16/1917
Schnston Co, NC

△ Rowena Perry
3. Born:
Place:
Died:
Place: (I have no other info on Rowena)

△ Nathaniel Pearce
4. Born: 6/23/1833
Place: Franklin, NC
Married:
Place:
Died: 12/11/1867
Place: Franklin, Co NC

□ Susan Upchurch
5. Born:
Place: (I need more info on Susan if any come up)
Died:
Place:

6. Born:
Place:
Married:
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Died:
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7. Born:
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Family Group Sheet	Husband's Full Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Pressley Jackson Phillips</u> ✓						
	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country
Information Obtained From: <u>Genealogy info passed down</u>	Birth:						
	Marriage:	<u>(see pedigree sheets)</u>					
	Death:						
	Burial:						
Places of Residence:							
Occupation:				Religion:		Military Record:	
Other wives:							
His father:				His mother:			
Wife's Full Maiden Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Mary Margaret Pearce</u>							
Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
Birth:							
Marriage:	<u>(see pedigree sheets)</u>						
Death:							
Burial:							
Places of Residence:							
Occupation, if other than Housewife:				Religion:			
Other husbands:							
Her father:				Her mother:			

Sex:	Children's Full Names:	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
△	1. <u>Richmond</u> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<u>March 2, 1842</u>						
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
□	2. <u>Gideon</u> Full Name of Spouse: <u>Mary C. Pearce</u>	Birth:	<u>Sept 5, 1843</u>						
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
△	3. <u>Levin</u> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<u>Sept 19, 1845</u>						
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
□	4. <u>Jane</u> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<u>Jan, 30, 1848</u>						
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
△	5. <u>Rock Wesley</u> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<u>Feb 18, 1850</u>						
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
□	6. <u>Candice</u> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<u>Nov 3, 1853</u>						
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
△	7. <u>Elizabeth Meli</u> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<u>May 21, 1855</u>						
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
△ James Algeff	8. James Algeff Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<u>May 26, 1857</u>						
		Marriage:							
		Death:	<u>May 12, 1931</u>						
		Burial:							

△ Catherine b 12/23, 1859

△ Perdita - July 4, 1862

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Family Group Sheet Information Obtained From: <i>Genealogy compiled by Mary Branch and other family researchers. Also info found on internet. I also have Gideons Bible!</i> Compiler: <i>Appil Truncob</i>	Husband's Full Name <i>Gideon Phillips</i>							
	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
	Birth:	<i>5</i>	<i>Sept</i>	<i>1843</i>		<i>Franklin Co NC</i>		
	Marriage:	<i>12/19</i>	<i>1865</i>					
	Death:	<i>2/8</i>	<i>1928</i>			<i>Wake Co, NC</i>		
	Burial:							
	Places of Residence:	<i>Franklin, Johnston, Wake Cos NC</i>						
	Occupation:				Religion:	<i>?</i>	Military Record:	
	Other wives:	<i>0</i>						
	His father:	<i>Presley Jackson Phillips</i>			His mother:	<i>Mary Margaret Pearce</i>		
Wife's Full Maiden Name <i>Mary Phillips Charlotte Pearce</i>								
Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.	
Birth:			<i>1842</i>					
Marriage:	<i>12/19</i>	<i>1865</i>						
Death:	<i>Aug 15</i>	<i>1917</i>		<i>Johnston</i>	<i>Co, NC</i>			
Burial:								
Address:	<i>Johnston Co, NC ?</i>							
City:	Occupation, if other than Housewife:					Religion:	<i>?</i>	
State:	Other husbands:			<i>0</i>				
Date:	Her father:	<i>Simon Pearce</i>			Her mother:	<i>Trouwens Perry</i>		

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Sex:	Children's Full Names:	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
♂	1. <i>John Wesley Phil.</i> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<i>Feb 4</i>		<i>1867</i>		<i>Franklin Co NC</i>		
		Marriage:							
		Death:	<i>July 23</i>		<i>1941</i>				
		Burial:							
♂	2. <i>Mattie Phill.</i> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<i>March 2</i>		<i>1969</i>		<i>Franklin Co</i>		
		Marriage:							
		Death:	<i>July 8</i>		<i>1903</i>				
		Burial:							
♂	3. <i>Theodosia Phil.</i> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<i>Nov 15</i>		<i>1871</i>		<i>Franklin Co, NC</i>		
		Marriage:							
		Death:	<i>Feb 14</i>		<i>1959</i>				
		Burial:							
♂	4. <i>Gideon Pressley</i> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<i>Feb 2</i>		<i>1876</i>		<i>Franklin Co NC</i>		
		Marriage:							
		Death:	<i>Aug 22</i>		<i>?</i>				
		Burial:							
♂	5. <i>Blanche Alma</i> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<i>Apr 15</i>		<i>1876</i>		<i>Wake Co, NC</i>		
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
♂	6. <i>Samuel Gill</i> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<i>March 6</i>		<i>1878</i>		<i>Wake Co NC</i>		
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
♀	7. <i>Mary Ilda</i> Full Name of Spouse: <i>William L. Branch</i>	Birth:	<i>May 28</i>		<i>1881</i>		<i>Franklin Co, NC</i>		
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
♂	8. <i>G. Groves Cleveland</i> Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	<i>July 2</i>		<i>1884</i>		<i>Wake Co, NC</i>		
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							

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Family Group Sheet		Husband's Full Name ^Δ <i>Dinimal Braxton Branch</i> (10)								
Information Obtained From:		Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.	
<i>First Hand</i>		Birth:	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1905</i>	<i>Raleigh</i>	<i>WARE</i>	<i>NC</i>	<i>Serviceman</i>	
		Marriage:	<i>27</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>1949</i>	<i>Waxton</i>	<i>Roxboro</i>	<i>NC</i>	<i>Navy on vessel</i>	
		Death:	<i>10</i>	<i>Sept</i>	<i>1964</i>	<i>WAKE CO</i>	<i>NC</i>		<i>named "Seabu"</i>	
		Burial:					<i>Oakwood cemetery, Raleigh</i>			
		Places of Residence:	<i>Raleigh, NC</i>							
		Occupation:	<i>electrician</i>			Religion:	<i>Baptist</i>		Military Record: <i>Navy</i>	
		Other wives:	<input type="checkbox"/>							
		His father:	<i>William Lonza Branch</i>			His mother:	<i>Mary Edna Phillips</i>			
		Wife's Full Maiden Name ^Δ	<i>Mildred McIver Lassiter</i>							
		Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.	
		Birth:	<i>25</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>1913</i>	<i>Lee Co</i>	<i>NC</i>			
		Marriage:	<i>as above</i>							
Compiler: <i>April Trunick</i>		Death:	<i>22</i>	<i>Aug</i>	<i>1997</i>	<i>Wake, Co,</i>	<i>NC</i>			
		Burial:	<i>Oakwood cemetery, Raleigh, NC</i>							
Address:		Places of Residence:	<i>Wake and Chatham Cos NC</i>							
City:		Occupation, if other than Housewife:					Religion:	<i>Methodist</i>		
State:		Other husbands:	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>James Husbick</i>							
Date:		Her father:	<i>Lonnie Lassiter</i>			Her mother:	<i>Mattie Lee Hardin</i>			

Sex:	Children's Full Names:	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>1. April Maria Branch</i>	Birth:	<i>21</i>	<i>July</i>	<i>1953</i>	<i>Raleigh, NC</i>			
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:	<i>12</i>	<i>Dec</i>	<i>1995</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Teno Kenneth Trunick</i>	Death:							
		Burial:							
	<i>2.</i>	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	<i>3.</i>	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	<i>4.</i>	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	<i>5.</i>	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	<i>6.</i>	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	<i>7.</i>	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	<i>8.</i>	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							

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Family Group Sheet	Husband's Full Name							
	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
Information Obtained From:	Birth:	2	1953		Rock Hill		SC	
	Marriage:	2/4	1972		WAKE CO		NC	
	Death:							
	Burial:							
First Hand	Places of Residence: Raleigh, Kannapolis, NC							
	Occupation:	computer (county)		Religion:	N/A		Military Record:	Marine Corps
	Other wives:	Celia?						
	His father:	William Perry Wade Sr.			His mother:	Anna Elaine Loyd		
Wife's Full Maiden Name								
April Maria Branch								
	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
	Birth:	21	7	1953	Raleigh	WARE	NC	
	Marriage:	2/4	1972		"	"	"	
	Death:							
	Burial:							
Compiler: April Tronick	Places of Residence: Raleigh, NC							
Address:								
City:	Occupation, if other than Housewife:					Religion: N/A		
State:	Other husbands:			James Alvin Weather III marriage - 10/26/1981 Divorced - 6/22/83				
Date:	Her father:			Dinimal Braxton Branch Her mother: Mildred McIver Bassiter				

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Divorced on 9/17/1979 Wake Co NC

Divorced - 6/22/83

Sex:	Children's Full Names:	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
Δ	1. Heather SUZANNE Wade	Birth:	10	1	1975	Raleigh	Wake	NC	She and "Soey" are now separated
	Full Name of Spouse: Donald Joe Watson	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
Δ	2. William Christopher WADE	Birth:	12	3	1973	"	"	"	lives in Tampa
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	3.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	4.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	5.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	6.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	7.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	8.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							

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Family Group Sheet		Husband's Full Name					
Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
Birth:	11	4	1957	Fort Eustis,		VA	His family is from Penn's WV
Information Obtained From:	Marriage:						
	12/27/1995						
Death:	=						
Burial:	=						
Places of Residence: everywhere - Dad is retired Army							
Occupation:		trailer mech		Religion:		N/A	
				Military Record:		Air Force	
Other wives: Deborah Pruitt							
His father: Richard James Trunick				His mother: Betty May Farley			
Wife's Full Maiden Name		April Marcia Branch					
Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
Birth:							
Marriage:	ad on other sheet						
Death:							
Burial:							
Address:	Places of Residence:						
City:	Occupation, if other than Housewife:				Religion:		
State:	Other husbands:						
Date:	Her father:			Her mother:			

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Sex:	Children's Full Names:	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
Δ	1. Jeremy Patrick Trunick Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:	31	1	1995	Raleigh,	WAKE	NC	
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	2.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	3.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	4.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	5.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	6.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	7.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	8.	Birth:							
	Full Name of Spouse:	Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							

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Family Group Sheet	Husband's Full Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> John Phillips							
	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
Information Obtained From:	Birth:							
	Marriage:							
	Death:							
	Burial:							
Places of Residence:								
Occupation:				Religion:		Military Record:		
Other wives:								
His father:				His mother:				
Wife's Full Maiden Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Elizabeth Upchurch								
	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
	Birth:							
	Marriage:							
Compiler:	Death:							
	Burial:							
Address:								
Places of Residence:								
City:				Occupation, if other than Housewife:		Religion:		
State:								
Other husbands:								
Date:				Her mother:				

Sex:	Children's Full Names:	Date of:	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State or Country	Additional Info.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	William Kearney Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:							
		Marriage:	TMD SUSAN PEARCE DAU OF NATHAN PEARCE & SUSAN W						
		Death:							
		Burial:							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Presley Jackson Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:							
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
	Mary Margaret Pearce Full Name of Spouse:	Burial:							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Little Berry Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:							
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Rosa Baker Full Name of Spouse:	Burial:							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Jack Barnham Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:							
		Marriage:	(JOHN BARNHAM U - (KTD))						
		Death:	(MO CHARLOTTE U - KTD)						
		Burial:							
	5. Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:							
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	6. Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:							
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	7. Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:							
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							
	8. Full Name of Spouse:	Birth:							
		Marriage:							
		Death:							
		Burial:							

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○ See Itg 11 FEB 2000 April Maria Branch @ RPU

I. Newton Atlas Branch b 14 JUL 1833 (Wake Co, NC) d 21 JAN 1918 (Barnes Co, NC) md Eugenia Sandersford.

A. William Lanza Branch b 8 APR 1868 (Wake Co, NC) d 9 FEB 1916 (Wake Co, NC) md 19 APR 1904 (?) Mary Ilda Phillips b 28 MAY 1881 (Franklin Co, NC) d 27 MAR 1971 (Wake Co, NC)

She is dau of Edeon Phillips [of the Richard A, III / James A, VII Substan - Elizabeth Thaneey A Line] & of Mary Charlotte Pearce a GD of Susan A of Franklin Co, NC

i. DINIMAL Maxton Branch b 2 APR 1905 (Wake Co, NC) d 10 SEP 1964 (Wake Co, NC) md 29 MAY 1949 (Baton Rouge, LA) Mildred McIner James b 25 DEC 1913 (Lee Co, NC) d 22 AUG 1997 (Wake Co, NC)

I. Lonnie B. Lassiter b 26 JUL 1884 (Randolph Co, NC) d 20 FEB 1920 md (?) Matthe L. Hardin b 24 FEB 1889 (Chatham Co, NC) d 16 JAN 1972 (Wake Co, NC) A.9

a. April Maria Branch b 2 JUL 1953 (Wake Co, NC) md 3 times - all Wake Co, NC

|| She also named JAMES HUSNICK

APRIL MARIA BRANCO

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7 FEB 2000

APRIL TRUNICK
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LILLINGTON, NC 27546

Dear Cousin April,

I am delighted to learn from your letter of 4 FEB 2000 that you have an interest in your Upchurch heritage. This is very much my game as you will see from the enclosed material on the Upchurch Publications including the JAN 2000 Status Report. I am anxious to collaborate with individuals such as yourself and hope we can help each other.

Some of my work has found its way on to the Internet. Most of it is OK but errors do seem to creep in and correcting them is difficult.

Let me comment on the statements in your letter and then we can go on from there. All your statements are correct except:

- For John Phillip you have b 1793 & wife nee Elizabeth U. b 1801. I have b abt 1792 & abt 1796, respectively. need to resolve if possible.

- Richard U b 1750 did marry Pelly "Sooby" Pace but she was his 2nd, later in life wife & they had no issue. His children including James U were by his 1st wife - name unknown.
- Richard U b abt 1725 was most likely born in Brunswick Co, VA not Surry Co, VA. He did not marry Susannah Pace. Susannah is the Pelly "Sooby" Pace listed above.
- James U b 1685 was probably born in Surry Co, VA not in Brunswick Co, VA.
- Michael U was probably born later than 1620 - possibly about 1624. Earlier research suggested he was Francis Selke but more recent research shows this to be incorrect. We only know his wife's 1st name was Francis.
- All of the details you have on the ancestor of Michael U b 1620/1624 is quite likely wrong.
- The Susan U you mention is quite unlikely to be the daughter of Richard U b abt 1725 - but is most likely his granddaughter - but we all yet to learn her father's name. I have several projects in mind.

Do I assume correctly that you are descended from John Phillips and Elizabeth (Upchurch) Phillips? I have a huge amount of detail assembled for this couple - but more always needs to be added.

Could you send me a description as to how you trace back to the above couple. I probably have your grandparents in my records - but the name TRONICK does not surface in my files.

It would be nice if you subscribed to the Upchurch Bulletin but we can cooperate whether you subscribe or not.

I look forward to hearing from you and to working with you in the months ahead.

Sincerely yours,

☺ Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

Mr. & Mrs. Teno Trunick
63 Neat Dr.
Lillington, NC 27546

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Dear Phil,

rec'd
↑ FEB 2000

2/4/2000

(Note: Postmarked
from N.C. Research
Triangle Area - BRU)

It was given you address and referred to you by John Upchurch. He said you were very nice and maybe you could help me with my Upchurch connections, I hope you don't mind.

I am in the line of Elizabeth Upchurch b 1801 m John Phillips b 1793 (I have a copy of John's will)

Elizabeth's parents were James Upchurch and Elizabeth Thany Butler. I have James B abt 1775 in Wake Co. NC. I have James' father being Richard Upchurch b abt 1750 in Brunswick Co. VA m Polly "Sooky" Pace. same

I have Richard Sr's father being Richard Sr, b abt 1725 in Surry Co. VA m Susannah Pace. Richard Sr. died abt. 1800.

I have Richard Sr's father as James Upchurch B 1685 in Brunswick Co. VA m Elizabeth? James' father as Richard Upchurch B 1658 in Surry Co. VA

Richard Upchurch's father (as Michael) B 1620 England. He married Frances Defke

Michael's father as Richard b 1580, Dedham
Essex, England ②

Richard's father as Richard b abt 1550
in Dedham Essex, England

Richard's father as Michael b abt
1515 in Dedham, Essex, Eng. d. Oct. 7, 1575

Michael's father as Thomas b abt 1495
some place

Thomas' father as John Upchurch b
abt 1430 in Colchester, Essex, England

I also have a Susan Upchurch
whom I thought was the daughter of
Richard Upchurch b abt 1725, VA, and
Susannah Pace ~~of~~ of Franklin
Co., NC. Now I really don't know
about Susan's parents. Susan married
Nathaniel Pearce b 5/23/1783 and d 12/11/1867
both in Franklin Co., NC. His parents were
Phillip Pearce and Nancy Bunn.

My Phillips and Upchurch families
^{and Pearce}
have been connected in at least these
two places.

If you can help me, please do.
My information comes from the Francis Phillips

WADG

Descendants Home page, Family Tree Maker. Com,
and information from other Researchers of the
Phillips, Pearce & Upchurch families. I do
not know who did this research, but,
there were census mentioned, but, this is
all after the Phillips/Pearces marriages,
I am working on James Upchurch and
Susan Upchurch.

If you see any connections,
please ~~let~~ let me know.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely, April Trunick
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Hillington, NC
27546

P.S. Please excuse my handwriting and
my blotchy pen (I have a 5yr. old son
so pens aren't easy to find here.)

○ See It's 11 FEB 2000 April Maria Branch to RPA

I. Erdeon Phillips [of the Richard B, III / James U, III
 Subclass - Elizabeth Maney U Lind] m'd (1) Mary Charlotte
 Pearce, ED of
 Susan U who
 m'd Nathan Pearce, II
 A. Mary Ilda Phillips

1. Dinimal Braxton Branch m'd (1) Mildred McIner Lassiter

a. April Maria Branch, b. 7 FEB 1953 (Raleigh, Wake Co, NC)

m'd (1st) 2 APR 1972 (Raleigh, NC) William Perry Wade, Jr
 b. 1 FEB 1953 (Rock Hill, SC), a computer co owner. Was
 in Marine Corps. He m'd also (2nd) - -. His parents:
 William Perry Wade, Sr & Anna Elaine Lloyd. Two
 children. Deceased 17 SEP 1979 (Wake Co, NC)

m'd (2nd) 26 OCT 1981 (Wake Co, NC) James Alvin Weather, III
 Deceased 22 JUN 1983. NO issue

m'd (3rd) 27 DEC 1995 (Wake Co, NC) Teno Kenneth Turnick
 b. 11 APR 1957 (Fort Eustis, VA). He is a Trailer Mechanic
 and m'd (1st) (1) Deborah Pruitt. He lived everywhere
 as his Dad was in the Army (now retired)
 Teno is son of Richard James Turnick and
 Betty May Farley. This couple from PA & WV.

i. Heather Suzanne Wade b. 10 JAN 1975 (Raleigh, NC)

m'd (1) Donald Joe Watson - "Joey" - SEPARATED

ii. William Christopher Wade b. 12 MAR 1973
 (Raleigh, NC). Lives in Tampa, FL.

iii. Jeremy Patrick Turnick b. 31 JAN 1993 (Raleigh, NC)