




mind how it looked when the children of Barnell U got there about 1850. I'm reading several TX books to help me understand how it was back in those days.

It has been a while since we have been in touch, so no doubt some things in the family have changed. Enclosed is a copy of the Master Outline Sheet for your family. Could you have a look at this and let me know dates, places, names ~~as~~ related to any births, deaths, marriages or other important events.

Enclosed are some extra flyers on the U's in case you run into anyone who is interested. We have now arranged for the U's to go to seven Texas libraries.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

With deep appreciation for your interest in our shared family heritage.  Sincerely Yours  
Phil Whitcomb  
[ROBERT PHILIP WHITCOMB]

① See Notes of RPA/SSU separate to TX 4-17 APR 1996  
FAISN attended the Lynchburg Gathering at Beding,

TX on 15 APR 1996. Her address:

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EVA ANNIE IONE SMITH

XFD-23046

4 AUG 1990

IONE HARDIN  
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Dear Cousin Ione,

Thank you for your letter of 27 JUL 1990 and for the details on your sections of the Family. I was sorry to learn that what had passed away. I do hope she will find a good place that can take care of her. Some places are very good at taking care of the sick.

It was nice that you finally got a response from opal on the family of Annie (nee Smith) (white) Nichols. I have prepared questions on this family which are enclosed. Anything you can get will be appreciated. It seems clear there was a family argument concerning Helen and her family. Perhaps we will never know the details. Such squabbles are sad. I know of some in my family.

We keep making progress on your grandmother Fannie's family. Your help is really appreciated. Let me know if you need anything from me.

Sincerely yours  
Phil D. Church

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPHURST]

MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY 4 AUG 90  
OF ANNIE MAE (SMITH) (WHITE) NICKOLS

1) For Annie Mae Smith

- a) when was her 1st marriage (ca 1906)?
- b) where was her 1st marriage?
- c) were there any issue of her 1st marriage?
- d) For Festus E White

- i) what does the 'E' stand for?
- ii) when and where born?
- iii) when & where did & where buried?

2) For Julian Hulon Nichols

- a) when did he die (ca 1950)?
- b) where did he die?
- c) Did he have any other children —?
- d) when and where was he born and what  
is his full maiden name?

3) For Wayne Nichols

- a) what is his full name?
- b) when in 1942 was he born and where?
- c) Did he marry / have children? If so, details?

4) For Wanda Nichols

- a) what is her full maiden name?
- b) when in 1946 was she born and where?
- c) Did she marry / have children? If so, details?

5) For ~~John~~ Eugene Nichols, Sr

- a) where was opal Benelle Lindberry born?
- b) Did he have just three children and four grandchildren?

6) For Betty Ann Nichols

- a) when in 1971 and in 1979 did she marry?
- b) where did she marry the 1st & 2nd times?
- c) when and where was Fandle Mark Fair born?
- d) what does the "A" in Junior A Shoemaker  
stand for and when & where was he born?

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- 2-
- 1) For Smith Eugene Nichols, Jr.
- a) when in 1943 did he marry?
  - b) where did he marry?
  - c) when and where was Melba Jean Lee born?

- 8) For Jeanne Bea Nichols
- a) where did she marry?
  - b) what does the <sup>F. M.</sup> John F. Bingham stand for and where and where was he born?

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REC'D  
30 JUN 1990

7-26-1990

□ + □ + □ Fannie Upchurch Smith's daughter, Annie Mae Smith White Nichols

— I.

△ Annie Mae Smith -b. 12-2-1890 in Bedias, Grimes Co., Texas

— d. 2-11-1973 in Kilgore, Rusk Co., Texas

— b. Danville Cemetery

— m. #1 ? #2 12-26-1917 in Mansfield, Texas

△ Julian Jerome Nichols -b. 3-30-1895 in Mansfield, Tarrant Co., Texas

— d. -9-7-1973 in Kilgore, Tx.

— b. - in Danville Cemetery

— m. - Annie Mae Smith-12-26-1917 in Mansfield, Tx.

— (They had two sons.)

— II.

△ 1. Julian Hulon Nichols -b. 4-25-1922 in Mansfield, Tx.

— d. ? B. ? m. Melba ?? when ? where ?

— (They had two children)

△ a. Wayne- b.1942/43 ?

△ b. Wanda Anne- b.1945/46 ?

△ 2. Smith Eugene Nichols- b.-12-12-1923 in Mansfield, Tx.

△ m. Opal Novelle Bradberry-2-16-1952 in Kilgore, Tx.

— (Opal -b.-4-10-1935) They have three children.

△ a. Beth Ann Nichols- b.10-26-1953 in Gladewater, Tx.

△ #1. m. Randle Mark Fair in 1971 - divorce in 1979- They have one da.

△ a/a-2 Ginger Nicole Fair -b.12-22-1977.

△ #2--m. James A. Shoemaker in 1979 - divorce in 1982, they have one da.

△ a/b. Jamie Ann Shoemaker b.12-12-79.

△ b. Smith Eugene Nichols II-b.6-4-1956 in Gladewater, Tx.

△ m. Melba Jean Lee in 1973 divorced in 1975. They have one son.

△ b/a. Smith Eugene Nichols III.-b.8-4-1973

△ c. Jeanie Bea Nichols b. 11-20-62 in Kilgore, Tx.

△ m. John F. Bingham Jr. on 8-15-1980. they have one da.

△ c/a Brittnie Mychell Bingham b.6-24-1987 in Kilgore, Tx.

△ Julian Hulon Nichols --No record of marriage, but there is a

— death certificate (Vol-12, pg-458, #13065) fee-8.00

— Co. Clerk, Nueces Co., Corpus Christi, Tx. 78403

— also, Co. Clerk, Gregg Co., P.O.Box 3049, Longview, Tx. 75606

△ + □ found a marriage license for Hulon and for Smith dated between

— 1945 and 1950.

7-27-90  
2734 Linkview  
Houston, TX 77025

Dear Cousin Phil,

I hope you don't think that I've given up on the family history.

I do have some good news -

Opal answered my last letter (6-29-90)

So any thing new or different is what she sent on her family.

I'm sending you her letter, so that you can see that she doesn't know

Δ + Δ Anything about Hulon's family. Aunt ~~was~~ never talked about him ~~him~~ and never went to see Melta and the children after Hulon was killed in a motorcycle / auto accident.

I have located some of the public records, but haven't sent for them yet.

I have received help from several very nice people by writing to the

Chamber of Commerce for advice. One lady, who is the Keeper of the Cemetery Records in Robstown searched the

□ Cemeteries around there - but Hulon wasn't buried <sup>in Robstown or</sup> in any of those Cemeteries. Maybe this fall I can try Corpus Christi, TX.

Our Grand Children have and are spending some time with us this summer. So when school starts

PLACED IN  
BIOFILE  
OF OPAL  
NOUELL  
BRADBERRY

I hope to be able to search some more.

Now for the Bad News.

①. Whit died June 23, 1990 in a Clear Lake Hspt. and is buried by Sherry (his da) in the Angleton Cemetery. I've enclosed a copy of his Obituary.

②. Iris has been in the Hospital for the past month and when and if she can; will likely go to a skilled nursing home by the Hospital. This way her doctors will be near by all the time and she will have nursing care 24 hrs/day. The last time she was discharged from the Hspt. she was only able to stay home one night.

Thanks for the information on Grant's family. I'll try to get to the Gen. Library this fall - and will work on it.

Sincerely yours,  
Lou

PLACED  
IN BIOFILE  
OF WILEY  
WAT  
SMITH

EVA ANNIE IONE SMITH

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25 MARCH 1990

IONE S. HARDEN

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Dear Cousin Ione,

Your letter of 21 March 90 arrived on the 23rd and I have just finished processing it (4:30AM-6:55AM!) The details are deeply appreciated and I am so pleased that you are willing to work on the Burnell Miller Upham's Family. To assist you in this I provide herewith:

1. Master Outline for Burnell Miller U, his children and grandchildren. 6 pages. The grandchildren are the 7th generation descendants of Michael U. E. The original name-gift.
2. Nine continuation sections for those same grandchildren who had offspring according to our present record. More will be found. These continuation sections are: S. 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32. All are one page sections except for 27 which is 10 pages (A-F).

Continuation sections 27 and 29 are completed in every detail as far as I can tell and for that amazing accomplishment you and your associates can take credit.

I have now accepted Fannie WANN (Upham's) Smith as the working name for your grandmother. We now have a perfect record on her entire

family except for the portion dealing with  
your Aunt Anne Mae (Smith) (white) Nichols.  
Now are the questions I have on Mae and her  
two husbands:

1. For Anne Mae Smith
  - a. when in 1891 was she born?
  - b. where did she die?
  - c. when (ca 1906) and where was her first marriage?
  - d) was her second marriage on 26 DEC 1920  
or 26 DEC 1917? (I have it both ways)
2. For Julius Jerome Nichols
  - a. when and where was he born?
  - b. when in 1913 did he die?
  - c. where did he die?
3. For Foster E. White
  - a) what does the 'E' stand for?
  - b) when & where born?
  - c) when & where did & where buried?

From sheet 23A you can see what is still missing  
on the descendants of your Aunt Mae. She sounds  
like an interesting person.

I look forward to anything you can  
get together. It is nice to keep up some  
memorabilia.

I am sorry to learn about your sister  
Iris and hope that this finds her better.  
She certainly had a double dose of medical  
problems.

All the Best!

Sincerely yours  
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

EVA ANNIE IONE SMITH

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REC'D  
23 MAR 1990

IONE S. HARDIN

March 21, 1990  
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- Dear Cousin Phil,

- I was glad to hear from you in Feb., I was resting on my laurels  
□ so now maybe I can get back to some family-history work. Whit and  
□ Sue's new Grand-sons are:

□+□+△ (1) Kim and Jackie Smith's son is Alexander David Smith. He was  
- born in Lake Jackson, Tx. on 12-4-1989.

□+□+△ (2) Jimmy and Barbara Flores' son is Ethan William Flores  
- born in Webstre, Tx on 12-22-1989.

□ I will see if I can help with the Burrell M. Upchurch outline.  
- If I can get it from the U.S. Census Records, I will have a fairly  
△ good chance. My sister, Iris, had a stroke in late January. she  
- was getting some use of her arm and hand back and she could walk  
- alittle with the aid of a walker. Then in late Febuary; she became  
- jaundiced and after a medical work-up, she had to have surgery to  
- by-pass her blocked common-bile-duct. She is still in the Hospital.  
- So we hope and pray for her recovery. She is my #1 check and  
- balance for our Upchurch Family History. So far no one has said  
- that they will write any "family-tales"

- Missing details

△ 1. Do what you think is best about Grandma's given name. [FANNIE N M N U]

△ 2. Burrell ( N M N ) Smith

- 3,4,5,6,7,8, 9,10, are all ok.

- 11. are 1 & 2 above.

- 12. ok

□ 13. The twō stillborn babies were never named.

- 14, 15, & 16

□ This is what I have to work with on Aunt Mae Nichols' family.

△ Annie Mae Smith was born in Bedias, Tx in 1891. She married

△+△ Festus E. White when she was very young. (14-15-16 ? yrs/old)

- They were divorced after 10-12 yrs. of marriage. She remarried.

△ She married Julian Jerome Nichols in Mansfield, Tx. on 12-26-1917.

- They had only two children.

△ 1. Julian Hulon was born in Mansfield, Tx on 4-25-1922

△ He served in Europe in W.W.II. He married a girl named Melba? ? ?.

△+△ They had two children, a son, Wayne and a daughter, Wanda.

△ They lived in Corpus Christi, Tx. where he worked as Fireman. He was  
- killed in a motercycle accident in the late 1940s or early 1950s.

△ He is buried in Corpus Christi, but I do not know in which cemetery.

△ 2. Smith Nichols was one class ahead of me which means he was six  
- years old before 9-1-1930. I think he 8 or 9 months older than I am.

- Smith was born in Mansfield, Tx. also.

△+△ Aunt Mae died 3-1-1972 and Uncle Julian out-lived her by about one yr.

- They were members of the Presbyterian Church of Kilgore, Tx. and are

- buried in the Kilgore Cemetery; which is about two miles from their

- home. Thier home is located on the Kilgore/Longview Hwy. just south

△ of the Dallas/Shreveport, La Hwy. I heard that she had the deed fixed

- for one of the Grandchildren to live in the house, but if they sold

△ it, the money would go to the Kilgore College. She also invested

- some money in a local bank so the interest would be paid to the

△ Cemetery Assn. for the upkeep of her family-plot. She was quite a

- person and when I asked her for her family records she told me not

— to shake the the FAMILY\_TREE too hard; as I might shake out some nuts.

△ + △ + △ Whit's wife, Sue Smith wrote that she and Smith's wife, Opal Nichols,  
— used to visit and that they wrote ~~to each other~~ occasionally, but that now  
△ + △ + △ Sue writes and Opal doesn't answer. Sue said that Smith and Opal  
— have three children and three or more grand children. If I understand  
△ her letter, Smith's middle is Eugene.

△ 1. Beth Ann Nichols Bingham (I do not have any details on her husband)  
△ Beth Ann Nichols was born in Kilgore, Tx on 10-20-1953  
△ She has two daughters. 1. Ginger b. 8-4-1977 in Kilgore. Tx.  
△ 2. Jamie Ann b. 12-12-1979 " "

△ + △ 2. Smith Eugene Nichols-b. 6-4-1956 in Kilgore, Tx.  
△ He has one son, Smith Eugene Nichols III b. 8-4-73 in Kilgore, Tx.  
— (I do not have any details on his wife.) Sue wrote that he is the  
— third, named after his Dad and Smith.  
△ 3. Jeanie Bea Nichols b. 11-26-1962 in Kilgore, Tx.

△ I wish that Aunt Mae Had Been Helpful when she could have been.  
— I don't think we will be able to get much more on her family, but  
— I will try and I'll send it to you if I can find anything.  
— 17, 18 ok.

— Sincerely Yours,

□ Cousin Don

EVA ANNIE IONE SMITH

XIN-23046

12 FEB 1970

IONE S. HARDIN

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HOUSTON, TX 77025

Dear Cousin Lane,

It has taken me a long time to get to your letter of 4 NOV 1969 but I have just finished processing it and want to thank you for the fine set of details. The details get missing on the Frances WMA "Famome" (Upchurch) Smith family are listed on two enclosed sheets. We are down to a very few points now. Maybe you can clarify some of them. In any case we have something to be proud of as this outline is in excellent shape.

Age you and your associate up to improving the outline for the other children of Russell Miles Upchurch? It is glad to send you a copy of the outline as I have it if you so desire.

Earlier I asked for some details on your relatives to document activities that were unusual records of travel would not ordinarily be in this category. If you chat about it maybe you can think of one or two (or several) things - that are exceptionally funny, good, bad, unusual, etc. If not, that is OK.

Sincerely yours,  
Phil Upchurch

All your help is appreciated. (ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH)

MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY 12 FEB 1970  
OF FRANCES "FANNIE" NMN (UPCHURCH)  
SMITH

1) For Frances "Fannie" NMN 4

a) NO questions - but I am beginning to wonder as Frances vs Fannie. will want to include and if no other information surface will submit to Fannie.

2) For Bunell Smith (XFD-23009)

a) what is his full name?

3) For Jesse Miller Smith - All OK

4) For Perry Franklin Smith - All OK

5) For Ruby Lee Harrison - All OK

6) For Eugenia Aline Danner - All OK

7) For Mrs Earl Smith - All OK

8) For Melba Mae Smith - All OK

9) For Jesse Paul Smith - All OK

10) For Juan Camacho Smith - All OK

11) For Wiley Whit Smith

a) Forrest Kern Smith expected a child DEC 1959.  
Are details available?

b) Barbara Karen Smith expected a child DEC 1957.  
Are details available.

12) For Eva Anne Rose Smith - All OK

13) will continue to assume that the two children stillborn to Perry Franklin Smith were never named.

14) For Annie Mae Smith

a) when in 1891 was she born?

b) when and where died and where buried?

c) when and where married the first time?

d) Did she have just two children?

e) What does the "E" in Foster E. White stand for, when & where was he born when & where did and where buried?

f) when & where was Julian Jerome Nichols born, when & where did & where buried?

NOTE: Contact XFD for Timothy Michael Green re 23529. It may have appeared on card copy in error or XFD-23529 - RPH

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15) For Julian Nelson Nichols

a) I have only his name, need rest of details.

16) For ~~Smith~~ Nichols

a) I have only her incomplete name, need rest of details.

17) For Margaret Rachel ~~Smith~~ - All OK

18) For Fannie Margaret Shanks - All OK

EVA ANNIE IONE SMITH

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REC'D 12 NOV 1989 11-4-89

Dear Cousin Phil,

I'm sorry this has taken us so long to get back to you, but Walter & I stay here about 2 weeks and then stay about 2 weeks in the Country except in the heat of summer. Our mail comes to Houston - so I may be slower through the winter & spring - But I will try to get more on our Aunt Mae Nichols family.

Walter & I went to The Biddis Baptist Cemetery and checked out the dates on the markers. (There are some changes) also Festus E White is buried there) but at that time I didn't realize that we need to get his records - but when I go back I will get these dates also. He and Aunt Mae were married about 10 yrs - but had no children.

I've asked all the family about what we can tell you about the family, and to date, we had only one suggestion. Sere said maybe we could list some of the things and places we have done been - But would you want that.

We were all delighted to get our Identification numbers and to be counted in the Upchurchs in the U.S.A.

Sincerely

Ione

Ione S. Hardin

3734 LINKVIEW  
HOUSTON, TX

☐+☐ Missing details (10-8-89) Fannie Upchurch and Whit Smith Family

△ Is Fannie a nick-name for Frances? If it is then go ahead and use it.  
But none of us have ever heard our Grandma Smith called by any name  
△+☐ other than Fannie. It is Fannie in Grand-pappy Burrell Upchurch's  
will, on her marriage license, and is on her own will.

△ 1. Burrell Smith was born 6-11-1881 at Bedias, Tx., died 1-30-1892  
☐ and is buried in the Bedias Baptist Cemetery. Since Grandma named  
☐ Aunt Maggie, Margaret Rachel, for her grandmothers, Margaret James Upch.  
☐+☐ and Rachel Smith; it is likely, that she named Uncle Burrell for his  
☐+☐ Grand-fathers. So his name may be Sanford Burrell Smith. Grand-dad  
☐ Whit Smith's Father was Sanford Vandiver Smith. Or it may be that  
☐ Grandma was making a point. Only Burrell Smith is on his marker in  
- the cemetery with the dates of his birth and death. There are some  
- markers in our family plots that only have their initials and sur-name.

△ 2. Jesse Miles Smith was born 12-7-1882 at Bedias, Tx., died 11-13-1903  
- and is buried in the Bedias Baptist Cemetery. He was named for his  
☐ Uncle Jesse Miles Upchurch, Grandma's on living brother.

△+△ 3. Annie Mae Smith married Julian Jerome Nichols on 12-26-1920  
- in Mansfield, Tx., other information not available at this time.

☐ 4. Margaret Rachel Smith's information is on a seperate sheet.

- 5., 6., & 7. are all OK

☐+△ 8. Iris Smith Foster's family Deborah Kay Stewart is correct.

- 9. OK

☐ 10. Jesse Paul Smith's family on seperate sheet

☐+△ 11. Juan C. Smith's family- Jack Clifford Smith and wife have no  
- children.

△ 12. Daughter stillborn 3-7-1921

- 13. & 14 all OK

△ 15. Son stillborn on 6-12-1927

☐+☐ Ruby and Iris had figured these dates from memory, and only missed  
- the first one by one day and the second one by three days.

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□ Oct. 29, 1989

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□ Family of Margaret Rachel "Maggie" Smith

△ Margaret Rachel Smith-b.9-23-1894 at Bedias, Tx.

d 9-2-1963 at Pasadena,Tx.

buried in Bedias Baptist Cemetery

△ married-Percy Bernard Shanks -b.8-10-1888 at Bedias, Tx.

-( m. on 2-2-1913 d. 5-30-1955 in Houston, Tx.

- in Bedias,Tx.) buried Bedias Baptist Cemetery

△ They had only one child, Fannie Margaret Shanks.

△ Fannie Margaret Shanks -b.9-6-1918 at Bedias,Tx.

d.6-7-1957 in Houston, Tx.

buried -Bedias Baptist Cemetery

△ married- Morris Emory Perkins- b.8-1-1915 at Bedias,Tx.

on 10-17-1945 in Houston, Tx.

△ + △ They had only two children Margaret Ann and Steve Morris Perkins.

△ A. Margaret Ann Perkins-b.8-27-1948 in Houston, Tx. (473-1850)

△ married Joe Edd Hall on 6-21-68 at Houston,Tx.

△ Joe Edd Hall-b.7-7-1942 at Crockett, Tx.

△ They have only one child. Patrick Scott Hall-b.12-31-83 in Pasadena,Tx.

△ B. Steve Morris Perkins-3-26-50 at Houston, Tx. (472-5942)

△ married Mary Lee Ann Jacobs- b.3-20-53 in Harris Co.,Houston,Tx.

- on 6-30-1970 in Harris Co., Houston,Tx.

- They have only two children.

△ 1. Christopher Morris Perkins b.3-30-79 in Houston, Texas.

△ 2. Kevin James Perkins b. 11-5-72 in Houston,Texas.

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11-3-89

We have read all of the sheets that you sent to us, and these are the misprints that we have found. You did a very good job in transcribing all our families; especially since we sent it to you in bits and pieces. Thanks for hanging in there while we gathered it all together.

sheet #1

4926-- I-E.Burrell Miles Upchurch died in 1884.

27 A. O K

23647 & 27 B. Ruby's grand-daughter, Andra Ethel Bouldin, has a new baby  
23648--- boy. Andra and Tad Mulder's son was born 10-15-89 in Houston,Tx.

They named him Brandon Reeves Mulder.

27 C O K

27 D O K

27 E O K

23026-----27 F Jesse Paul "J. P." Smith died 1-27-74 and was buried 1-30-74.  
line C-V., and on 27 G.( J. P.'s family is on a seperate sheet.)

23532-----27 G Billy Joe Brooks III was born in Rome, Georgia.

23005-----27 H- C- Percy F. Smith died 10-12-1962.

H- VII Daughter stillborn 3-7-1921.

27 I-C Percy F. Smith died 10-12-1962.

23551-----27 I-VIII-A-1 Jason Andrew Smith was born 4-28-70.

23565&66--27 I VIII-H-1 & 2 Barbara and Jimmy Flores two adopted children  
were born in Houston, Texas.

27 J X Stillborn Son 6-12-1927.

23006 -- 28 A Annie Mae Smith's family is still pending.

23007-- 29 A Margaret Rachel Smith Shanks' family is on a seperate sheet.

Barbara-487-2743

☐ Family of Jesse Paul "J. P." Smith

☐ J. P. Smith b.3-11-1912 in Bedias, Tx. D. 1-27-1974 bu.1-30-74  
in Houston, Texas

☐ married- 6-8-1929 in Pankey, Texas, Edith Estelle Barkley b.8-31-1913.  
They had only four children.

☐ I. Edith Lillian -b.2-1-31 -Pankey, Tx.

☐ married Paul Eugene Schmidt 3-25-53 in Houston, Tx., b.12-24-49, Houston, Tx.

☐ They have only one (adopted) son, Karl Durant, b.3-2-68 in Houston, Tx.

☐ II. Barbara Joyce -b.1-29-32, Bedias, Tx.

☐ married-Roland Lee Oates 12-30-47, Houston, Tx. -b.9-9-28 Houston, Tx.

☐ They have only five Children.

☐ 1. Mary Leona Oates -b. 12-1-48, Houston, Tx. (single)

☐ 2. Nancy Kay Oates -b.7-20-50, Houston, Tx.

☐ married 2-18-68, Houston, Tx., Jimmy Ray Glass -b.8-14-49, Madisonville, Tx.

☐ They have two Children

☐ A. Elizabeth Kay b.12-22-68, Pasadena, Tx. (Artisa, N.M.)

☐ married 6-18-88, Madisonville, Tx., Robert Jennings Sadler, b.6-23-66)

☐ B. Timothy Michael Glass b. 6-16-70, Houston, Tx. (Houston, Tx.)

☐ married 9-4-88, Madisonville, Tx. Markie Michelle Cooper b.11-15-72)

☐ a. They have one child, Garrett Michael b.2-28-89, Huntsville, Tx.

☐ 3. Stephen Ralph Oates -b. 1-9-53, Houston, Tx.

☐ married 7-13-74, Salt Lake City, UT. Christiane Louise Eckroth

☐ They have three children. (b.4-13-54, Bremerton, Washington.)

☐ A. Brannon Ralph Oates b.7-7-75, Pasadena, Tx.

☐ B. Byron Lee Oates b.6-21-77, Pasadena, Tx.

☐ C. Christiane Marie b.4-30-79, Pasadena, Tx.

☐ 4. Robert Francis Oates -b.7-8-63, Pasadena, Texas (single)

☐ 5. Patricia Denise Oates -b.10-10-67, Pasadena, Texas

☐ married 6-14-86, Pasadena, Tx. Billy Joe Brooks III -b.1-25-66, Rome, Ga.

☐ They have three children, TRIPLETTs! b. 1-9-89 Houston, Tx., St Luke Hspt.

☐ A. Amanda Denise -11 lb. & 9 oz.

☐ B. Brittany Michelle -1 lb. & 7½ oz.

☐ C. Christopher Lee -1 lb. & 11 oz.

☐ III. Mary Leona Smith b.7-13-33, Bedias, Tx. d.11-18-34, Bedias, Tx.

☐ and buried in Shilo Baptist Cemetery at Pankey.

☐ IV. Dick Barkley Smith b. 5-29-1935, Bedias, Tx.

☐ married 5-29-69, Madaline La Verne Rhinschmidt b.9-16-40, Houston, TX.

☐ in Houston, Texas. She had two children.

☐ 1. Tina Lynne Brawn b. 9-10-61, Houston, Tx.

☐ married 5-16-81, Houston, Michael Ray Peek -b.2-14-59, Houston, Tx.

☐ A. Megon Cathleen Peek -b.10-7-83, Houston

☐ B. Allison Christine -twin

☐ C. Alissa Marie -twin--B&C b.12-5-86, Houston

☐ D. Cody Michael Peek b. 2-22-88, Houston, Texas.

☐ 2. Melody Lynne Brawn b. 9-20-67, Houston, Tx. (single)

☐ A. Landon Taylor Brawn b.5-3-88, Houston, Tx.; son of Melody Brawn and

☐ Landon Taylor Schaeffer -b.4-29-63, Cincinnati, Ohio.

8 OCT 1989

IONE S. HARDIN

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Dear Cousin Lane,

Thanks for your packet which arrived last Thursday. I have now finished extracting it. The family of Frances ANN (Upchurch) Smith is coming along beautifully due largely to you and your collaboration. I hope we can keep up the pace until we have approached as near to completion as we can get.

The names & details on this family are included on two enclosed sheets. Also, I am providing at this time a copy of the entire Master Outline for the Frances ANN (Upchurch) Smith Family. <sup>[13 PAGES]</sup> Feel free to copy this and share it with others. I hope you and your cooperator will look this over to make sure I have not made errors in transcription and to be sure everything looks correct. You will note that I have included the step-children and adopted children in the family and have assigned

XTO (Identity Numbers) to them. These numbers will appear in the next U B.

I do hope your contacts for your Aunt Mae and Aunt Maggie will provide information. Otherwise it might be possible to gather some of the details from courthouse records. That is slow & time-consuming. Eventually, the 1920 census will help but we still are several years away from having that released.

I am, have you come across any unusual events associated with the descendants of Frances WARD (Upchurch) Smith. The events could be good or bad and they could be big things or just unusual things. At some point I get anxious to know a little bit more about the group in our family than just places, dates, names & places. Some of our relatives serve in high office, some commit crimes (or are accused of them) and some do things that are just a little different. In some cases they just happen to be at a particular place at a historical moment either as a participant or as an onlooker. Anything you can report will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours  
Philip Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY 30CT89  
OF FRANCES "FANNIE" NMAN (U P. HOKIN)  
SMITH

- 1) For Frances NMAN U & her husband NMAN Smith - All OK
- 2) For Burrell Smith
  - a) what was his full name?
  - b) when & where born, when & where died, where buried?
- 3) For Jesse Miller Smith
  - a) when and where born, when & where died, where buried?
- 4) For Anne Mae Smith
  - a) when in 1891 born?
  - b) when and where died and where buried?
  - c) when and where married the first time?
  - d) when married the second time?
  - e) what does "E" in Fector E. White stand for, when and where born, when and where died, where buried?
  - f) what does the "J" in Julian J. Jones stand for, when and where born, when and where died, where buried?
  - g) Need all details on her descendants and their families.
- 4) For Margaret Rachel Smith
  - a) when did she die?
  - b) where is she buried?
  - c) when and where married?
  - d) what does the "B" in Percy B. Shanker stand for, when & where born, when & where died, where buried?
  - e) Need all details on her descendants and their families.

- 5) For Percy Franklin Smith & 2 wives - All OK
- 6) For Ruby Lee Harrison & Family - All OK
- 7) For Eugenia Aline Downing & Family - All OK
- 8) For Mrs Earl Smith & Family
  - c) Is the proper spelling Deborah Kay STEWART or Deborah Kay STEWERT?
- 9) For Melva Mae Smith - All OK
- 10) For Jesse Paul "J.P." Smith & Family
  - a) Did he have just four children?
  - b) When and where was Dick Buckley Smith married?
  - c) What is the full maiden name of Madeline Rhin Schmidt?
  - d) What is the full name of Michael Peck and when and where was he born?
  - e) Do we have the name of the father of Gordon Taylor Brown and when and where he was born?
- 11) For Joan Cammack Smith & Family
  - a) Does/did Jack Clifford Smith have any children?
- 12) For Daughter stillborn 8 MAR 1921 - All OK
- 13) For Wiley Albert Smith & Family - All OK
- 14) For Eva Annie Jane Smith & Family - All OK
- 15) For Son stillborn 15 JUN 1927 - All OK

10-1-89

EVA ANNIE IONE SMITH

XID 23046

→ 10 OCT 89

□ Missing Details of the Family of Percy Franklin Smith

REC'D  
5 OCT 89

- 1. OK
- + △ 2. Ruby Lee Harrison's husband, Sidney Dewey Allison, is buried in Houston, Texas.
- + △ 3. Eugenia Aline Downing's daughter, Barbara Gene Gannon, married in Boston, Mass.
- 4. Iris Earl Smith-- see other sheet.
- 5. OK
- 6. Jesse Paul Smith " J. P. "
- △ a. Mary Leona Smith died 11-18-34.
- △ + △ b. Timothy Michael Glass married Markie Michelle Cooper on 9-4-88 in Madisonville, Texas. She was born in Houston, Texas on 11-15-72.
- + □ 10. Eva Annie Ione Smith's grand-daughter, Kimberly Dawn Hardin's husband, John Gordon Brite II's date of birth is 10-18-65.
- Cont. 6. Dick Barkley Smith's Family
- △ Dick Barkley Smith (b.5-29-35, Bedias, Tx.) married
- △ Madaline Rhinschmidt (b.9-16-40, Houston, Tx.) on 3-18-69
- △ + △ in Houston, Tx. She and Dick raised her two children.
- The children are:
- △ a. Tina Lynne Brawn (b.9-10-61 in Houston, Tx.)
- △ m. Michael Peek on 5-16-81 in Houston, Tx.
- They have four children.
- △ 1. Megan Cathleen b. 10-7-83 in Houston, Tx.
- Two and three are twins.
- △ 2. Allison Christine b. 12-5-86 and
- △ 3. Alissa Marie b. 12-5-86 in Houston, Tx.
- △ 4. Cody Michael b. 2-22-88 in Houston, Tx.
- △ b. Melody Lynne Brawn b. 9-20-67 in Houston, Tx. -Single
- She has one child.
- △ 1. Landon Taylor Brawn b. 5-3-88 in Houston, Texas.
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- Oct. 3, 1989

□ Dear Cousin Phil,

- We are very pleased with how much information that we have been able to get together and in writing. I wrote to Aunt Mae's and to Aunt Maggie's families, but as of now neither have answered.

□ + □ Iris and I will do as much as we can, and hope that they will send in their families soon. We most likely will be able to get most of Aunt Maggie's, but Aunt Mae's son, Smith, is in poor health and has memory-loss. I only hope that his wife can help, or one of his children may be able to help.

□ + □ Do what you think is best with Dick Smith's and Ron Walker's families. I send to you what ever I get when I ask for missing-details. As you can see, the family is still growing, and each one including the step-children are precious to their family.

- Sincerely Yours,

□ *Ione*  
□ IONE S. HARDIN  
- 3734 LINKVIEW  
- HOUSTON, TX 77025

☐ Missing Details on the Percy Franklin Smith Family

☐ Iris Earl Smith

△ 1. James Howard Myers was born on 6-25-24 in San Diego, Calif.

△ 2. John David Myers married on 1-20-66 in Houston, Tx.

△ + △ 3. Marcie Gay Drude is the full maiden name of David's wife.

△ She was born on 6-29-49 in Houston, Tx.

△ 4. Henry Beecher Walker Jr. was born 2-14-26 in Pittsburg, Tx.

△ 5. Cheryl Kay Branch was born 7-10-54 in Pensacola, Fla.

△ 6. Melissa Anne Walker was born on 11-22-82 in Columbia, S.C.

△ + △ 7. Charles Ronald Walker married on 2-25-71 to Deborah Kay Stewart

△ and divorced on 9-15-82. She was born on 4-29-54 in Mineral Wells, Tx.

△ 8. Michael James Walker was born 11-23-73 in

— Landstuhl, Rheinland-Pfalz, Germany.

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☐ 7. cont.- Added Information from Emily Foster Walker. 9-28-89

△ + △ Charles Ronald Walker married Neva Lynelle Short Jones on 4-26-85

△ in Mineral Wells, Texas. She was born on 12-6-57 at Mercedes, Tx.

△ and was the widow of John Roland Jones. Their children are:

△ a. Robert Lloyd Jones-b. 10-10-76 at Corsicana, Tx.

△ b. Michael Roland Jones-b. 8-17-80 at Mineral Wells, Tx.

☐ a. and b. are Ronald Walker's step-children, and the

☐ + ☐ apple of Henry and Emily's eye.

— Love you did not ask for all  
— the enclosed information but it was  
☐ needed to finish out the Walker  
— family. so I'm sending it to you  
☐ instead of cccin Phil. you can  
— straighten it out best you can,  
☐ I love you - Iris.

Dear Loue:

I think we have it all about  
Corrected, I hope nothing else bobs  
up wrong. Craig & Nadine put  
a little mark over the e I think  
of Margo & herie. I don't know if  
this is ~~the~~ right or not but looks right.

You must have talked with Ruby  
as I gave her a copy of what I  
was getting ready to send a Cousin  
in Dallas. Today I found a  
mistake in it. Jimmy Alma  
Flies was born 12-5-58 not  
56 as I called Barbara <sup>to see</sup> I must  
have gotten it confused with  
Nadine's birth time when I wrote  
it down when I called her a week or  
so ago.

Brent 11-30-64

Barbara married 10-15-79

Good Luck with it all

Loue

[NATTIE SUE KLECKLEY]

Loue

- 9-28-89

□ Wiley Whit Smith's Family

□ Wiley Whit Smith b.4-29-22 in Bedias, Tx.

□ m. Hattie Sue Kleckley b.5-27-22 in Houston Co,Tx.

- m. 12-26-41 in Houston, Tx.

- They have nine children.

□ 1. Harold Don Smith b.11-30-42 in Houston, Tx.

□ m. Mary Elizabeth Bugg b.8-9-44 in Beaumont, Tx.

- m.3-28-64 in Houston, Tx.

- They have two children.

□ a. Jason Andrew Smith b.4-29-70 in Bryan, Tx.

□ b. Carrie Beth Smith b. 6-14-73 in Houston, Texas.

△ 2.Glen Whit Smith b.7-12-46 in Houston, Tx.

△ m.Elaine Devon Goss b.8-31-45 in Wilmington,Del.

- m.6-15-1968 in Bellaire, Tx.

- They have two children.

□ a.Remington Lynn Smith b.8-6-72 in Austin, Tx.

□ b.Whitney Devon Smith b,5-3-74 in Austin, Tx.

□ 3.Keith Evan Smith b.2-11-50,Houston, Tx.

□ m. Virginia Ann Beloney b. 2-9-53 in La Marque, Tx.

- m. 10-21-1972 in Alvin, Tx.

- They have two children.

△ a.Colby Blaine Smith b.10-4-74 in Texas City, Tx.

△ b.Shelby Joseph Smith b.7-6-77 in Texas City, Tx.

□ 4. Sherry Gene Smith b. 7-18-52 in Houston,Tx. d.4-18-59

- died and is buried in Angleton,Texas.

□ 5.Forrest Kim Smith b. 1-29-57 in Angleton, Tx.

□ -m. Jacqueline Diane Masters b. 2-15-56 in Biloxi, Miss.

- m.7-3-1976 in Clute, Tx.

- They have two children.

□ a. Melanie Diane Smith b.4-14-86 ,Houston, Tx.

△ b.Natalie Denise Smith b.3-21-88 Lake Jackson,Tx.

□ 6.Sanford Craig Smith b.1-29-57 in Angleton, Tx.

△ m.Nadine Hill b. 6-10-56 in Provo, Utah.

- m.4-4-80, LDS Temple in Salt Lake City, Utah.

- They have three children.

□ a.Warren Avery Smith b.3-17-81 in Webster, Texas

△ b.Margo Sherie Smith b.5-3-83 in Webster, Tx.

△ c.Marshall Kleckley Smith b.5-23-84 in Wichita, Kansas

□ 7.Randle Wayne Smith b.7-25-58 ,Angleton, Tx.

□ m.Dawn Marie Kjelstrom b.9-10-61 in Harbor City, Calif.

- m.4-3-81 in LDS Temple in Salt Lake City, Utah.

- They have three children all born in Webster, Texas.

□ + □ (a. Gerald Randall S. b.3-2-82)(b.Kevin Ammon S. b.1-14-84)

□ (c. Phillip Jardan S. b.1-4-87)

△ 8. Barbara Karen Smith b.12-24-60 in Angleton, Tx.

△ m.Jimmy Alma Flores b. 12-5-58 in Mesa,Az..

- m.10-15-79 in LDS Temple in Mesa, Az.

△ They have three children. (a and b are adopted--Andrew James b.5-11-82

△ b.Emily Nicole F. b.10-3-83 ; both were born in Houston, Texas.)

□ c.Jordan Garrett Flores b.6-10-87 in Webster, Tx.

△ 9.Brent Edwin Smith b.11-30-64 in Angleton, Tx. Single

EVA ANNIE IONE SMITH

XID-23046

27 SEP 1989

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Dear Cousin Ione,

Your latest packet arrived on 21 SEP 1989 and I have just finished processing it and wanted to express my thanks. I have added the two step-daughters of Perry to the Master Outline and have assigned XID numbers to them. They will appear in the next U B.

The missing details on the Perry Franklin Smith family are listed on the two enclosed sheets. I have not heard from him yet so have listed the missing items for me as well. We are down to a very few items now for a relatively large group of people. My rough count shows 155 people in the Perry Franklin Smith family including two still born and two that are expected. Thanks to you and Sue and other the Master Outline looks great. It is now 9 pages long. I assume you have all the details but will send you a copy in due course anyway. Maybe you can spot an error or two due to my transfer.

I'll wait one more letter to start on the siblings of Perry

Sincerely yours  
Philip H. Hurler  
[ROBERT PHILIP HURLER]

# MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY

OF PERCY FRANKLEN SMITH 26 SEP 89

- 1) For Percy & his 2 wives - All OK
- 2) For Ruby Lee Harrison
  - a) where was Sidney Percy Allison born?
- 3) For Eugenia Aline Downing
  - a) where did Barbara Jean Cannon marry?
- 4) For John Earl Smith
  - a) when and where was James Howard Myers born?
  - b) when and where was John David Myers married?
  - c) what is the full maiden name of Marcie Brude and when & where born?
  - d) when and where was Henry Beecher Walker born?
  - e) what is the full maiden name of Kay Brandy and when & where born?
  - f) where in SC was Malinda Anne Walker born?
  - g) when was Charles Oswald Walker married?
  - h) when & where was Debra Kay Stewart born?
  - i) where in Germany was Michael James Walker born?
  - j) Does/Did Irv have just 2nd children?
- 5) For Melva Mae Sengle All OK
- 6) For Jesse Paul Smith "J.P."
  - a) when in NOV 1934 did Mary Leona Smith die?
  - b) when and where did Timothy Michael Glass marry, what was his wife's full maiden name and when and where was she born?
  - c) when and where did Rich Bartley Smith marry?
  - d) what is the full maiden name of Madeline Plunschmidt and when and where was she born?

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- 7) For Juan Cammack Smith - All OK
- 8) For Dan born 8 MAR 1921 - All OK
- 9) For Wiley McInt Smith - All OK
- 10) For Eva Annie Jane Smith - All OK
- 11) For son born 15 JUN 1927 - All OK

EVA ANNIE IONE SMITH

Rec'd 21 SEP 1989

Jamaica, IV / Baynell USS  
Percy Franklin Smith

Ione S. Hardin  
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□ Percy Franklin Smith's step-children

- △ I. Ruby Lee Harrison b. 6-1-05 at Patroon, Shelby Co., Tx.
- △ m. Sidney Dewey Allison b. 7-2-1898 at Marquez, Leon Co., Tx.
- △ + △ d. 1-20-1966 in Houston, Tx. They married in her home in Bedias, Tx.  
— on 3-13-21. They have four children.
  - △ 1. Ruby Minta Allison b. 5-9-22 in Houston, Tx. Arkansas
  - △ m. 6-27-42 in Houston, Tx. Ansel Eugene Brown b. 8-2-14 in Hot Springs,
  - △ They have one child, Douglas Austin Brown b. 6-27-44 in Houston, Tx.
  - △ m. Charlene Mae Snyder b. 9-9-42 in Akron Ohio, m. 11-4-67 in Dayton, O.
  - △ They have one child, Daniel Keith Brown b. 2-18-69 in Dayton, O. -- Single.
  - △ 2. Betty Jewell Allison b. 6-22-25 in Daisetta, Tx.
  - △ m. John Owen Cawlfeld b. 6-9-22 in Eugene, Ore. m. 3-30-45 in Houston, Tx.
  - They have two children.
  - △ Carla Sidney Cawlfeld b. 10-14-51 in San Antonio, Tx. -- Single
  - △ James Owen Cawlfeld b. 4-10-62 in Houston, Tx. -- Single
  - △ 3. Sidney Gerry Allison b. 3-12-35 in Houston, Tx. Houston, Tx.
  - △ m. Joan Mabel Christofferson 3.11-8-41 in Houston, Tx. m. 9-1-59 in ^
  - They have two children.
  - △ John Lars Allison b. 3-24-61 in Houston, Tx. -- Single
  - △ Sarah Kathryn Allison b. 10-27-62 in Houston, Tx. -- Single.
  - △ 4. Phyllis Anne Allison b. 8-7-37 in Houston, Tx.
  - △ m. Homer Courtney Bouldin b. 11-3-33 in Waco, Tx., m. 5-13-61 in Houston, Tx.
  - △ They have two children. Thomas Lee Bouldin b. 3-10-62 in Houston -- Single
  - △ Andra Ethel Bouldin b. 11-1-66 in Houston, Tx.
  - △ m. Tad Branden Mulder b. 5-2-66 in Grand Rapids, Michigan
  - m. 3-25-89 in Houston, Tx.
- △ II. Eugenia Aline Downing b. 7-30-17 in Grigsby, Tx., Shelby, Co.
- △ m. Walter Henry Gannon b. 8-17-04 in Boston, Mass.
- m. 8-16-46 in Dorchester, Mass. They have five Children.
  - △ 1. Patrick Kevin Gannon b. 6-20-47 in Boston, Mass. -- Single
  - △ 2. Margaret Ann Gannon b. 9-18-49 in Boston, Mass. m. 5-1-71 in Boston, M.
  - △ m. David Emanuel Newcomb b. 4-2-46 in Boston, Mass (five Children)
    - △ 1. David Vincent Newcomb b. 12-8-71 (all five were born in Boston, M.)
    - △ 2. Julie Ann Newcomb b. 6-27-74
    - △ Jennifer Lee Newcomb b. 7-30-77
    - △ 4. Peter James Newcomb b. 12-13-78
    - △ 5. Leigh Anna Newcomb b. 5-28-80 (all five are single)
  - △ 3. Gerald Thomas Gannon b. 11-30-50 in Boston, Mass. m. 4-5-68 in Boston
  - △ Lynda Anne Dockery b. 10-29-43 in Boston, Mass. They have one child
  - △ Gerald Thomas Gannon Jr. b. 9-16-69 in Boston, Mass. -- Single.
  - △ 4. Daniel Joseph Gannon b. 4-18-56 in Boston, Mass. -- Single
  - △ 5. Barbara Jean Gannon b. 4-18-56 in Boston, Mass.
  - △ m. Neil Francis Murphy b. 1-12-53 in Boston, Mass, m. 7-12-73
  - They have two children.
  - △ 1. Patrick Robert Murphy b. 7-15-75 in Boston, Mass. -- Single
  - △ 2. Dallas Marie Potter Murphy b. 9-21-84 in Boston Mass.
  - On behalf of our family, I want to thank you for including
  - all of our parents' children.

□ Missing Details of J.P. Smith's Family

- △ 1. Edith Lillian Smith married 3-25-53 in Houston, Texas.
- △ 2. Paul Eugene Schmidt was born 12-24-29 in Houston, Texas.
- △ 3. Karl Durant Schmidt was born 3-20-68 in Houston, Texas.-Still Single
- △ 4. Roland Lee Oates (full name) was born 9-9-28 in Houston, Texas.
- △ 5. Jimmy Ray Glass (full name) was born 8-14-49 in Madisonville,Tx.
- △ 6. Elizabeth Kay Glass was born 12-22-68 in Pasadena, Texas.  
— She married 6-18-88.
- △ 7. Robert Jennings Sadler (full name) was born 6-23-66 in  
— Artisa, New Mexico.
- △ 8. Christiane Louise Eckroth was born 4-13-54 in Bremerton, Washington.  
— (full name)
- △ 9. Brannon Ralph Oates-full name
- △ 10 Christane Marie Oates-full name
- △ 11. Robert Francis Oates-full name
- △ 12. Billy Joe Brooks III was born 1-25-66 in Rome,Ga.
- △ 13. Ryon Lee Oates- full name
- + △ 14. Nancy Kay Oates Glass' son,Timothy Michael Glass, has one  
△ child, Garrett Micheal Glass, born 2-28-89 in Huntsville, Tx.  
— When I get the name of his wife and when/where born and  
— married I'll send it to you.

- I mailed the missing details of Iris Smith Foster Powell's family
- to her in mineral well, Tx. as she is visiting her daughter, Emily,  
— for two or three weeks. I feel sure that if you have not received  
— them by now ,you will shortly.

☐ "Missing Details," Percy Franklin Smith's Family

☐ Juan Cammack Smith

- ☐ + ☐ 1. Florence Ann Smith married Ronald Joseph Nelson in Houston, Tx.  
☐ on 4-12-72. Ronald Joseph Nelson was born in Houston on 11-30-39.  
☐ Florence Ann Smith was born in Houston, Tx. on 5-11-43.  
☐ Joseph Paul Nelson b. 3-21-73 in Houston, Tx.  
☐ 2. Bonnie Jane Smith b. 8-1-44 in Houston, Tx.  
☐ m. Richard David Newman b. 11-26-41 in Houston, Tex.  
☐ They have three children  
☐ 1. John Charles Newman b. 12-24-64 in Houston, Tx. - Single  
☐ 2. Fredrick David Newman b. 12-24-73 in Houston, Tx. - Single  
☐ 3. Michael Richard Newman b. 5-8-75 in Houston, Tx.  
☐ 3. Jack Clifford Smith b. 5-19-46 in Houston, Tx.  
☐ m. Lucy Scott Caldwell (full name) full maiden name, m. 5-15-76  
☐ in Houston, Tx. She was born 12-27-46 in Houston, Tx.

- ☐ + ☐ Each of the stillborn babies (2) was born in Bedias, Tx.  
☐ and each was unnamed.

☐ Eva Annie Ione Smith

- ☐ John Gordon Brite II was born 1-10-67 in Granbury, Tx.  
☐ We have only two children (sons), only five grand-children,  
☐ (two grand-sons and three grand-daughters) and so far only  
☐ one great-grand-child, J.G. Brite III.

☐ Wiley Whit Smith

- ☐ 1. Mary Elizabeth Bugg was born 8-9-44 in Beaumont, Tx.  
☐ 2. Glen Whit Smith married in Bellaire, Tx.  
☐ 3. Virginia Beloney was born in La Marque, Tx. on 2-9-53.  
☐ 4. Jacqueline Diane Masters is the correct spelling.  
☐ 5. Nadine Hill is the full maiden name.  
☐ 6. Dawn Marie Kjelstrom was born 9-10-61 in Harbor City, Calif.  
☐ Sue said that is or was near Los Angeles. It isn't on my map  
☐ so it might have been annexed to the city since 1961.  
☐ 7. Jimmy Alma Flores b. 12-5-58 in Mesa, Az.  
☐ + ☐ Jimmy and Barbara were married in the LDS Temple in Mesa, Az.

- ☐ I really do appreciate the sheets of our family history that you  
☐ sent to me. I have the book, HERITAGE AND PROGRESS,  
☐ GRIMES COUNTY TEXAS HISTORY, Published in 1982 by the Grimes Co., Tx.  
☐ Historical Commission; that the "Upchurch Families" article is from.  
☐ I even wrote one on "The Whit Smith Family" in it--But I've learned  
☐ a lot since then, and still have a long way to go. Thanks again  
☐ to you and the UPCHURCH BULLETIN.

*Sincerely yours,*  
*Eone S. Hardin*

EVA ANNIE IONE SMITH

XID-23046

43E P1989

IONE S. HARDIN  
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HOUSTON, TX 77025

Dear Cousin Ione,

I spent all day yesterday processing the details  
provided in your letter of 31 JUL 81 and the letter  
sheet you sent from Sue. Everything has now been  
entered on the Master outline and in Biopiler and  
XID numbers have been assigned. They will appear  
in the next U B. The outline for Percy Franklin  
Smith is now in good shape. The few missing  
details are shown on three enclosed sheets. Hope  
you and Sue can help take care of a few more  
of these.

Enclosed is a copy of my 12 Page 14-item  
Biopile on your ancestor Burnell U for your use  
and file. Please let me know if you have  
any questions about this.

When our next exchange letter I will pose  
questions about the brother & sister of Percy Franklin  
Smith. It seems that Percy is the one who had  
the most descendants.

Hope to hear from you soon!

Sincerely,  
Phil Upchurch  
{ ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH }

## PERCY FRANKLIN SMITH FAMILY

1) For Percy & Anne - All OK

2) For Ruby Lee Harrison\*

a) when in 1705 born and where?

3) For Eugenia Alice Dawson\*

a) when in JUN 1717 born and where?

\* Do we have details on these two step-children of Percy? I have assigned them XFD number and they were raised in Percy's household. Sometimes of stepchildren are "close to the family" & carry their offspring as if they had been regular family members.

4) For Miss Earl Smith

a) when and where was James Howard Myers born?

b) when and where did John David Myers marry?

c) what is the full maiden name of Marcie Brude and when & where was she born?

d) when and where was Henry Beecher Walker born?

e) what is the full maiden name of Kay Brand and when and where was she born?

f) where in SC was Malissa Anne Walker born?

g) when did Charles Ronald Walker marry?

h) when and where was Delora Kay Stewart born?

i) where in Germany was Michael James Walker born?

5) For Melba Mae Smith - All OK

6) For J. E. Smith -2-

- a) when and where did Edith Ellen Smith marry?
- b) what is the full name of Paul Schmidt and when & where was he born?
- c) what is the full name of Carl Schmidt and where was he born? still single?
- d) what is the full name of Melvold Oater and when and where was he born?
- e) what is the full name of Jim R. Glass and when & where was he born?
- f) where was Elizabeth Kay Glass born and when did she marry?
- g) what is the full name of M. Robert Sandler and when & where was he born?
- h) what is the full maiden name of Chris Echroth and when & where was she born?
- i) what is the full name of Brannon Oater?
- j) what is the full name of Ryan Oater?
- k) what is the full name of Christanne Oater?
- l) what is the full name of Robert Oater?
- m) when and where was Billy Lee Brooks, III born?

7) For Jean Cammock Smith

- a) when and where was Florence Ann Smith married?
- b) what is the full name of Ronald J. Nelson and when & where was he born?
- c) where was Joseph Paul Nelson born?
- d) when was Richard David Newman born?
- e) when and where did Jack Clifford Smith marry?
- f) when and where was Joy Scott Caldwell born and is this her full maiden name?

8) For the child that was stillborn 8 MAR 1921, did this event take place in Bedou, TX? I assume the child was unnamed.

9) For Wiley Whit Smith

a) In what year was Mary Elizabeth Bugg born and where?

b) where did Glen Whit Smith marry?

c) In what year was Virginia Ann Delaney born and where?

d) Is the spelling JAQUALINE OTANE MASTERS correct?

e) what is the full maiden name of Nadine Hill?

f) In what year was Dawn Marie Kjelson born and where?

g) In what year was Jimmy Alma Flower born and where?

h) Did Barbara Karen Smith marry in the LDS Temple in Mesa, AZ or Salt Lake City, UT?

10) For Eva Annie Jane Smith

a) when was John Gordon Briffe, Jr (IT) born?

b) you have just two children, five grand-children & one great-grandchild - right?

11) For the child stillborn 15 NOV 1921 I assume this was at Bedou, TX - right? I also assume the child was unnamed.

EVA ANNIE IOWE SMITH

XID-23046

James U. IV / Barrell U. Subdon  
Percy Franklin Smith

Rec'd  
3 AUG 1989

July 31, 1989  
3734 Linkview  
Houston, Texas  
77025

□ Dear Cousin Phil,  
— Thanks for sending the information on how our Upchurch family  
— lines are related. It verified that I had managed to keep the  
□ generations in order back to Michael U. in Va. I also copied  
□ + □ Roy Whites letter from the UB and have back to John U. d.1502.  
□ + □ I will be glad to get more information on Micheal, Richard, John,  
□ + □ James III and James IV., I also copied the Will of James III.  
— Do you know if/how/where they served in the American Revolution?  
— I will do more looking at the Library and maybe I'll find something.  
△ + □ + □ Iris and I have collected these details on the Percy F. Smith  
□ + □ Family, and should Sue and Whit not return their family details, we will  
□ give it our best effort. Since Iris is living in Houston now; she  
+ + doesn't get to talk to Myra, Charlett, and Inez. You are correct  
□ about their families. Iris knows them better than I do, and she  
— thinks that they dont know as much as we have collected. They  
— might be able to tell you about their families, I doubt that would  
— tell me. I have sent to my double 2nd. cousin (Charlotte's Step Dau.)  
— over the years all of my collection on the Smith/Upchurch and on  
— the Garrett/Perkins Family History, and as yet she hasn't contacted  
me. She is busy raiseing her family and she teaches school.  
△ My grandmother's name was Fannie Upchurch (full name) and  
△ her husband's name was Whit Smith (full name).  
— When I didn't mention died/buried/cremated, I think the rest  
— of the family are alive and well.  
— Our younger son's three children have visited with us for the  
— past two weeks (age five through eleven) so it took me longer to  
— get this all together.

— Sincerely Yours,

□ *Iowe*  
□ IOWE S. NARDIN

△ Missing details of the Percy Franklin Smith family

- △ +△ I. Percy Franklin Smith married Mary Alma in Singleton, Tx.  
△ on 9-5-1905. Alma Key was born in Singleton on 5-2-1887,  
- and died on 10-19-1917 in St. Joseph in Houston, Texas.  
△ +△ Percy and Alma were divorced in May 1916.

- △ +△ Percy F. Smith married Annie Pearl in Shiro, Tx. on 12-25-1917.  
△ +△ Annie Pearl's first husband was John Lee Harrison; their daughter,  
△ +△ Ruby Lee Harrison was twelve years old when Annie married Percy.  
△ Her first marriage ended by divorce; her second husband was killed  
△ in an accident at work before their daughter, Eugenia Aline, was  
△ +△ born. Aline was six months old when Annie Pearl and Percy married.  
△ +△ They lived together until her death on 9-21-1961. Percy died one  
△ +△ year later on 10-12-1962. Both died in the Madisonville, Tx. Hspt.  
△ +△ and are buried in the Old Baptist Cemetery in Bedias, Tx.  
△ +△ +△ Annie, Percy, Alma, Melva and two infants born to Annie and Percy  
△ +△ (one female b. 3-8-1921 and one male b. 6-15-1927) are all there.

- △ +△ II. Iris Earl Smith married John Henry Foster on 12-24-1924 in  
△ Bedias, Tx. John H. Foster was born on 5-13-1905 in Comanche Co., Tx.  
- and died on 1-24-75 in Huntsville, Tx. and is buried in Lovelady, Tx.  
△ +△ Iris and John had only two children.

- △ (1, Marie Foster (full name) b. 11-10-25 in Madison Co., Tx.  
△ m. James Howard Myers of Bedias, Tx. on 6-1-44 in Leesville, La.  
- They have only three children.

- △ 1. James Foster Myers b. 4-5-45 in Navasota, Tx. Hspt.  
- d. 9-19-50 in Houston, Tx.  
- bur. Old Bapt. Cem., Bedias, Tx.

- △ 2. John David Myers b. 12-1-46 in Navasota, Tx. Hspt.  
△ m. Marcie Drude of Houston, Tx., they have one son,  
△ James David Myers b. 8-21-66 in Houston, Tx.

- △ 3. William Howard Myers b. 3-2-63 in Pasadena, Tx. Hspt.  
- Single

- △ (2. Emily Foster (full name) b. 5-8-1930 in Grimes Co., Tx.  
△ m. Henry Beecher Walker on 4-14-49 in Huntsville, Tx.  
- They have only two children.

- △ 1. Robert Anthony Walker b. 1-5-50 in Houston, Tx.  
△ m. Kay Branch of Miss. on 12-17-77 in Gulfport, Miss.  
- They have three children.

- △ (1) Matthew Anthyony b. 1-10-81 in Augusta, Ga.  
△ (2) Malissa Anne b. 11-22-82 in ? , South Carolina  
△ (3) Patrick Andrew b. 1-18-86 in Clinton, Miss.

- △ 2. Charles Ronald Walker b. 6-20-52 in Madison Co., Tx.

- △ m. Debra Kay Stewart of Mineral Wells, Tx. when ? . In Mineral Wells Tx.  
- They have two children.

- △ (1) Melanie Faye b. 9-7-71 in Mineral Wells, Tx.  
△ (2) Michael James b. 11-23-73 in ? , Germany.

- △ III. Melva Mae Smith (full name) b.12-29-1909 in Bedias, Texas  
died 2-12-1917 in Singleton, Texas.  
bur. Old Bapt. Cem. in Bedias, Texas.
- △ IV. J. P. Smith is the name that he was given early in life, and  
was known by at school, at work, and in the Navy (Initials only).  
He became a Catholic a few years before he died, and the Church  
has him as Jesse Paul; but he only used J.P.
- △ + △ J. P. Smith b.3-11-1912 in Bedias, Tx. married Edith Estelle Barkley  
b. 8-31-1913 in Pankey, Tx. on 6-8-1929 in Pankey, Tx. in her parents  
home. They had only four children.  
△ (1. Edith Lillian Smith b. 2-1-31 at Pankey, Tx. (born  
□ + △ m. Paul Schmidt of Houston, Tx. They have one adopted son, Karl. 3-19-68)  
△ (2. Barbara Joyce b.1-29-32 at Bedias, Tx.  
□ m. Roland Oates of Pasadena, Tx. on 12-30-1947 in Houston, Tx.  
They have five children.  
△ 1. Mary Leona Oates b.12-1-48 in Houston, Tx. Single  
△ 2. Nancy Kay Oates b.7-20-50 in Houston, Tx.  
△ m. Jim R. Glass on 2-18-68 in Houston, Tx.  
They have two children  
△ + △ 1. Elizabeth Kay Glass b.12-22-68 m. M. Robert Sadler of  
Madison Co., Tx in Madisonville, Texas.  
△ 2. Timothy Michael Glass b. 6-16-70 in Houston, Tx.  
△ 3. Stephen Ralph Oates b.1-9-53 in Houston, Tx.  
△ m. Chriss Echroth in Salt Lake City, Utah on 7-13-1974.  
They have three children.  
△ 1. Brannon b.7-7-75 in Pasadena, Tx.  
△ 2. Ryon b. 6-21-77 in Pasadena, Tx.  
△ 3. Christanne b. 4-30-79 in Pasadena, Tx.  
△ 4. Robert Oates b. 7-8-63 in Pasadena, Tx. - Single.  
△ 5. Patricia Denise b.10-10-67 in Pasadena, Tx.  
△ m. Billy Joe Brooks III of Deer Park, Tx. on 6-14-86 in Pasadena, Tx.  
They have three children, TRIPLETS. b.1-9-89 in St. Luke Hspt.  
in Houston, Texas.  
△ 1. Amanda Denise- birth weight 1 lb. & 9oz.  
△ 2. Brittany Michelle- birth weight 1 lb. & 7½ oz.  
△ 3. Christopher Lee- birth weight 1 lb. & 11oz.  
△ (3. Mary Leona Smith b.7-13-33 in Bedias, Tx.  
D.11-?-34 in Bedias, Tx. age 16 mos.  
bur. Shilo Bapt. Cem. in Pankey, Tx.  
△ (4. Dick Barkley Smith b. 5-29-1935 in Bedias, Texas.  
△ + △ m. Madelyn Rhinschmidt of Houston, Tx. Dick is stepfather to  
Madelyn's children.

△ V. Juan Cammack Smith b.12-17-1919 in Bedias, Tx.

△ m. Jane Nell Toleferro on 3-19-1941 in Houston, Tx.

△ Jane Nell was born in Houston, Tx. on 5-27-1925.

— They have only four children.

△ 1. Florence Ann b.5-11-42 in Houston, Tx.

△ m. Ronald J. Nelson of Houston, Tx.

△ They have one son, Joseph Paul Nelson. b. 3-21-73.

△ 2. Bonnie Jane b. 8-1-44 in Houston, Tx.

△ m. Richard David Newman b.11-26-1941 in Houston, Tx. 2-14-64.

— They have three children.

△ 1. John Charles Newman b.12-24-1964 in Houston, Tx.

△ 2. Fredrick David Newman b.12-24-1973 in Houston, Tx.

△ 3. Michael Richard Newman b.5-8-1975 in Houston, Tx.

— 3 and 4 are Twins.

△ 3. John Curtis b. 5-19-46 in Houston, Tx.

d. 10-21-1987 in Houston, Tx. Single  
was cremated.

△ 4. Jack Clifford b.5-19-46 in Houston, Tx.

△ m. Lucy Scott Caldwell of Houston, Tx. They have no children.

□ + □ + △ VI. Ione Smith Hardin's son Walter W. Jr's wife Mary Frances Fazzino  
— was born in Bryan, Tx. on 11-29-1946.

△ John Gordon Brite II was born in Granbury but I do not know his  
— birthday. I will ask when I talk to them again.

△ John Gordon Brite III was born Oct. 20, 1988 in a Ft. Worth, Tx. Hspt.  
— The family live in Granbury, Texas.

□ VII. Wiley Whit Smith

□ + □ I mailed the questions to Sue and Whit and asked them to  
— answer them. If they mail them back to me I will send them to you,  
— but I think they will mail them to you.

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△ VII. Wiley Whit Smith

- △ Wiley Whit Smith b.4-29-1922 in Bedias, Tx.  
△ m. Hattie Sue Kleckley b. 5-27-1922 in Houston Co.,Tx. on 12-26 1941.  
△ They married in Houston, Tx. They have nine children.
- △ 1. Harold Don Smith b 11-30-42 in Houston, Tx.  
△ m. Mary Elizabeth Bugg b.8-9- ? where ? on 3-28-1964, in Houston, Tx.  
△ They have two children  
△ ① Jason Andrew Smith b. 4-29-70 in Bryan, Tx.  
△ ② Carrie Beth Smith b. 6-14-73 in Houston, Tx.
- △ 2. Glen Whit Smith b. 7-12-46 in Houston, Harris Co., Tx.  
△ m. Elaine Devon Goss b. 8-31-45 in Houston, Tx. on 6-15-1968.  
△ They have two children  
△ ① Remington Lynn Smith b. 8-6-72 in Austin, Tx.  
△ ② Whitney Devon Smith b. 5-3-74 in Austin, Tx.
- △ 3. Keith Evan Smith b.2-11-50 in Houston, Tx.  
△ m. Virginia Ann Beloney b. 2-9- ? where? m. 10-21-1972 in Alvin, Tx.  
△ They have two children.  
△ ① Colby Blaine Smith b.10-4 74 in Houston, Tx.  
△ ② Shelby Joseph Smith b. 7-6-77 in Houston, Tx.
- △ 4. Sherry Gene Smith b.7-18-1952 in Houston, Texas  
died 4-18-1959 in Angleton, Tx.  
buried in Angleton, Texas
- △ 5. and 6. are twins  
△ 5. Forrest Kim Smith b. 1-29-57 in Angleton, Tx.  
△ m. Jaqualine Diane Masters b. 2-15-56 in Biloxi, Miss. on 7-3-1976  
Clute Brazoria Co., Texas.  
△ They have Two children and expect another in Dec.  
△ 1. Melanie Diane Smith b.4-14-86 in Houston ,TX.  
△ 2. Natalie Denise Smith b. 3-21-88 in Freeport, Tx.
- △ 6. Sanford Craig Smith b. 1-29-57 in Angleton, Tx.  
△ m. Nadine Hill b. 6-10-56 in Alvin,Tx. on 4-4-1980 in  
Salt Lake City, Utah in LDS Temple.  
△ They have three children.  
△ ① Warren Avery Smith b.3-17-81.in Webster, Tx.  
△ ② Margo Sherie Smith b.5-3-83. in Webster,Tx.  
△ ③ Marshall Kleckley Smith 5-23-84. b.in Wichita, Kansas
- △ 7. Randle Wayne Smith b. 7-25- 1958 in Angleton,Tx.  
△ m. Dawn Marie Kjelstrom b. 9-10-? where? On 4-3-1981 in  
Salt Lake City, Utah in LDS Temple.  
△ They have three children.  
△ ① Gerald Randall Smith b. 3-2-82 in Webster, Tx.  
△ ② Kevin Ammon Smith b.1-14-84 in Webster, Tx.  
△ ③ Phillip Jardan Smith b. 1-4-87 in Webster, Tx.
- △ 8. Barbara Karen Smith b. 12-24-1960 in Angleton, Tx.  
△ m. Jimmy Alma Flores b. 12-5- ? where ? in Messa Arizona  
on 9-15-1979 in LDS Temple. They have three children and expect another  
in Dec.
- △ ① Andrew James Flores b. 5-11-82 in Webster, Tx.  
△ ② Emily Nicole Flores b. 10-3-83 in Webster, Tx.  
△ ③ Jordan Garrett Flores b. 6-10-87 in Webster, Tx.
- △ 9. Brent Edwin Smith b. 11-30-1960 in Angleton. Texas.  
Single.

- Children  
O Grandchildren

See also through  
Love

EVA ANNIE IONE SMITH

XID-23046

8 JUL 1939

IONE SMITH HARDIN  
5174 LARKVIEW  
HOUSTON, TX 77025

Dear Cousin Lou,

I have had a grand time receiving your letter of 21 JUN 1939 with all of its details about the Sumrell Mike Wyndham Family. After being at a standstill on her family for a long time we are now getting a lot of action.

Here is how we are related:

Michael A I (origin I remember)

Richard A, I

John A, I ← BROTHERS → James A, I

James A, II ← 1ST COUSINS → Richard A, II

James A, III ← 2ND " → Nathan A, I

Sumrell A ← 3RD " → Gilbert A

Sumrell Mike A ← 4TH " → Bentley Jefferson A

James A ← 5TH " → Robert Jefferson A

Frank Franklin Smith ← 6TH " → Robert Phillip A <sup>ME</sup>

Eva Annie Ione Smith ← 7TH " → my children (3)

so your father and I are 6th cousins, you and my children are 7th cousins, while you and I are 6th cousins once removed!

Some of the missing details ~~about~~ for Perry Franklin Smith Family are listed on enclosed sheets. Will appreciate any of these you have or can get. Your LDS family members should have what they call four generation charts which contain most of the details we need. Can you get these charts from them?

Your comment on Myra, Charlotte and Inez. I figure Myra is dau of Essie (Dewell) Henry, Charlotte is dau of Zula (Polkman) Snow and Inez is dau of Talhe R. Lewis. If this is not correct, please let me know. I assume you will be in touch with these individuals from time to time. If you think I should write to them, please let me know. It is good to know that you are nearby and that the two of you have regular contact.

I'll be glad to share more of what I have on the Upchurch Family with you over time. We can certainly get more on the Bunell Miles & Family into the UB in a variety of ways. Will appreciate anything you can do to support the UB.

Hope to hear from you soon!

Your write-ups about the farmer war really good.

Sincerely yours  
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

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MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY 8 JUL 1989  
OF PERCY FRANKLIN SMITH

1) For Percy Franklin Smith

- a) where did he marry the 1st time?
- b) where in 1917 ~~and where~~ did he marry?
- c) when and where was Mary Alma Key born, when in 1917 did she die and where did she die?
- d) where did Anne Paul Garrett die and what were the names of her husband (2) before Percy?
- e) which wife was the mother of her <sup>two</sup> still born children and where were they born?

2) For Mrs Earl Smith

- a) when in 1924 did she marry?
- b) what does the "H" in John H. Foster stand for, when and where born? Still living? If not, when and where did and where buried?
- c) Did she have just two children?
- d) Does she have any good grand children? If so details?
- e) Full maiden name of Marie Foster, when & where born, when & where married?
- f) Full maiden name of Emily Foster, when & where born, when & where married?

3) For Melva Smith

- a) what was her full name
- b) when did she die?
- c) when in FEB 1916 did she die?
- d) where did she die?

4) For J. P. Smith

- a) what do the initials stand for?
- b) when in 1930 did he marry?
- c) when and where was Edith Estelle Barkley born? Still living?
- d) Did he have just four children? when was they born?
- e) Does he have any grandchildren? If so, details?
- f) when and where was Edith Lillian Smith married?
- g) when and where was Barbara Joyce Smith married?
- h) when in 1933 was Mary Leona Smith born, when in 1934 died, where did? when buried?
- i) when in MAY 1935 was Dick Barkley Smith born, Did he ever marry/have children? Still living?

5) For Joan Cammack Smith

- a) Did he have just four children?
- b) when in 1941 did he marry?
- c) when and where was Jane Nell Telefero born?
- d) when in 1942 and where was Florence Ann Smith born? Did she marry/have children?
- e) when in 1944 and where was Bernice Jane Smith born? Did she marry/have children?
- f) when in 1946 and where was John Carter Smith born, when in 1957 died, where did, where buried? Did he ever marry/have children?
- g) when in 1946 and where was Jack Clifford Smith born? Did he ever marry/have children?

6) For Yourself

- a) when and where was Mary Frances Fazzend born?
- b) when and where was John Gordon Buto, born?
- c) when and where was John Gordon Buto, III born?

7) For Wiley Albert Smith

a) when did he marry?

b) when and where was Hattie Sue Klockley born?

c) did he have just nine children?

d) when and where was Sherry Jean Smith born, when and where did she die and where buried?

e) what is full name of Paddle Smith?

f) For all children except Sherry need - when & where born, when and where married, full name of spouse & when & where born & details on children and grandchildren, if any.

14 JAN 1989

LOWE SMITH HANDLN  
3754 LINDVIEW  
HOUSTON, TX 77025

Dear Laura Jane,

I am delighted to have your letter of

27 MAY 1989 and your expression of interest in

your Winkworth heritage. We know a great

deal about the James R. IV/Burnell R

subson which you belong but need a

collect and publish a lot more. I will

be happy to have your help. Your letter

contains some new information.

Details on the U B are enclosed.

Perhaps you would like to contribute

as that would be a good way for you

to keep up the job.

Let me ask a few questions. I

get started with an exchange.

1) For your self

a) what is your full maiden name?

b) when and where were you born?

c) when and where were you married?

d) what is your husband's full name and

when and where was he born?

- 2) Do you have children? If so, what are full names & when and where born?
- 3) Can you provide more details on your two brothers and on your 1/2 siblings - Mrs. Nelson and J. P. and their families?
- 4) For Perry Franklin Smith
  - a) when and where was he born?
  - b) is he still living?
- 5) For your Grandparents
  - a) what is the full name of what Smiths and when and where born? when and where died and where buried?
  - b) when and where were they married?
  - c) what was the full maiden name of Fannie (U) Smith, when and where born, when and where died and where buried?

Any of the above you can provide will be appreciated. At present you are my only correspondent who is a descendant of Burrill Miller U.

I'll be glad to send you a sketch of your line and mine showing how we are related if you so desire.

Hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely yours  
Phil Gulench

[ROBERT PHILIP UREHURIN]

June 21, 1989

COPIED FOR WALTER WESLEY  
HARDIN, SR BIOFILE

□ Ione Smith-b.12-11-1924 in Bedias, Grimes Co.,Tx.

□ m. Walter Wesley Hardin on 4-7-1945 in Houston, Tx.

□ Walter was born at Cave Creek, Gillespie Co.,Tx.

- near Fredricksburg,Tx. on 11-11-1916. The Hardin

□ family moved to San Antonio, Tx. while Walter was

□ quite young; he grew up there and moved to Houston

□ in 1943. Ione grew up in Bedias, Tx.and moved to

- Houston in 1942. They met on the job in a defense

- plant, fell in love, married and reared their two

- Sons in Houston.

△ 1-Walter W. Hardin Jr. b.3-27-1946 in Houston Tx.

△ m.Mary Frances Fazzino on 10-6-1968 in Bryan,Tx.

- They met and fell in love at A&M University,married

- and made their home near College Station for many

- years. They have two children.

△ 1- Kimberly Dawn-b.7-4-1969 in Bryan, Tx.

△ m. John Gordon Brite of Granbury, Tx.on 2-14-88

△ in Granbury, Tx. They have one son, J.G.Brite III.

△ 2- Walter W. Hardin III b.1-19-1974 in Bryan, Tx.

□ Walter Hardin Jr. and family live in Granbury now,

- where he is employed by the city.

△ 2-Stephen Kibbe Hardin b.1-29-1948 in Houston,Tx.

△ m. Debrah Gayle Gallaway on 2-14-1976 in Houston, Tx.

□ She was born on 8-17-1950 in Austin, Tx. and has

- lived there ; except for six years in Conroe and

- Galveston, Tx. They met in U.T.,fell in love,married,

- and have three children.

△ 1.Sarah Frances Hardin b.6-28-1978 in Conroe, Tx.

△ 2.Michael Stephen Hardin b. 4-27-1981 in Conroe,Tx.

△ 3.Shelley Marie Hardin b.8-26-1983 in Conroe, Tx.

□ Stephen Hardin and family live in Austin, Tx. now.

EVA ANNIE IONE SMITH

XFD- 23046

REC'D  
26 JUN 1989

June 21, 1989  
3734 Linkview

□ Dear Cousin Phil,

- Thanks for your letter, I think I have answered your questions;  
- if not feel free to ask more and maybe I know or can find the answers.

□ + □ There are at least three or more of Margaret and Burrell's  
- descendants still living near Bedias,

- △ + △ 1. Myra Etta Lowery Hudgins lives with her brother, Teddy Lowery  
□ Rt. 2 , Bedias, Tx. She is Margaret Malinda Up. Dowell's G/da.  
△ + □ 2. Charlotte Snow Perkins, Rt.2, Bedias, Tx., she is Theodocia Up.  
△ Robinson's G/da., I think that her Mother, Zula Snow, lives with her.  
△ + □ 3. Inez Lewis Myers, Rt. ? , Huntsville, Tx., she is Mary Up. Lewis  
△ G/da. My sister, Iris Smith Foster Powell, moved to Houston from  
□ Bedias last year is now living with her daughter, Marie Myers,  
□ 5458 So. Crooked Creek, Houston, Texas, 77017. She gives me lots of  
□ help with the family history. She is older and remembers more.  
- If it isnt too much trouble, please, send me the information on how  
- your Upchurch Line relates to mine. [WIFE OF BURRELL MILES U]

△ + △ I am looking at the Clayton Library for Margaret James Up.'s  
□ family. She was half Indian, but I have not found a clue. We don't  
□ know which tribe she was from. I think she was Choctaw, but I can't  
- prove it. I do have the other Lines of my families back to Am. Rev.  
- days. It took twenty years or more, I only work on it a few days  
△ then rest a few months. My mother, Annie Pearl Garrett Smith, was a  
□ member of The Church Of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints. She  
- always gave the dates of the marriages, births, and deaths in the  
△ family to the Elders. Three of my brother, Whit Smith's sons have  
- served on Missions, so guess they may send information to the church.  
- I have not used the Mormon Gen. records yet ,as Clayton is more  
- conveniently located to me. I want to talk to the Librarian at the  
- Clayton Gen. Library to find out if they are still getting the U.B.  
- before making a decision on which issues we will need.

- Sincerely Yours,

□ *Eva A. Gorden*

□ *Eva Smith Gorden*

- *3734 Linkview*

- *Houston, TX 77025*

June 21, 1989

COPIED FOR FRANCES U BIDFILE  
COPIED FOR WHIT SMITH BIDFILE

- ☐ Fannie Upchurch b.12-30-1864 in Bedias, Grimes Co.,Tx. d.6-21-1942  
☐ m. Whit Smith b. 8-6-1857 in Anderson Co.,Tx. d.7-8-1937  
— on 2-5-1879 in Bedias,Texas. They had five children.  
△ I. Burrell b. d.  
— Burrell's death was caused from a concussion of the brain.  
— He was playing ball at school, ran into another boy; their  
— heads hit together, the accident led to his death.  
△ II. Jesse Miles b. d,  
— Jesse lived to early man-hood, his death was caused from  
— riding a galloping horse too soon after an appendicectomy,  
— the rough ride resulted in peritonitis and death. He was  
— hurrying to get the doctor for someone.  
☐ III. Percy Franklin  
△ IV. Annie Mae b. 1891 in Bedias,Tx.  
△ m. Julian Nichols of Mansfield, Tx. in Mansfield  
△+△ They had two sons, Julian Hulon and Smith Nichols  
△ V. Margaret-Raehe b.9-23-1894 in Bedias d. in Houston,Tx.  
△ m. Percy Shanks b. d.  
△ They had one daughter, Fannie Margaret Shanks.

- ☐+☐ In 1879 Whit and Fannie's families lived accross the road from  
— each other and had for several years. All were fine folk but they didn't  
— agree on the "Slavery Question", Upchurch family for, Smith family  
— against. All were members of the Baptist Church, Upchurch family went  
— to the Pankey Baptist Church,some were charter members. Smith family  
— attended the Bedias Baptist Church,some were charter members. .  
☐+☐ Fannie married Whit in her parent's home on 2-5-1879. Whit was the only  
☐+☐ Smith present but with time Fannie and Whit were accepted in the Smith  
☐+☐ household. Whit and Fannie farmed from 1880 until 1902 when they  
— bought a cotton-gin and store in Bedias. In 1904 the railroad came to  
☐+☐ Bedias; so Whit and Fannie sold the gin and store ,bought the property  
— across the street from the depot and built "The Smith Hotel". This was  
☐ home until 1913,when due to Fannie's poor health, they sold their Hotel  
to Tom Hipps. They moved one block east of the Depot into a large house  
☐+☐ where they lived together until Whit's death on July 8,1937. Fannie  
☐+☐ lived there until her death on June 21,1942. Both Fannie and Whit  
— joined the First Baptist Church and are buried in Bedias Baptist  
☐+☐ Cemetery-as are his parents and her parents. (the correct name of  
— of Baptist Church in Bedias is the First Baptist Church of Bedias)

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- Burrell Miles Upchurch b.7-5-1821 in Perry Co., Miss d.8-26-1884 in Tx.  
□ m. Margaret James b.6-9-1824 in Miss, d. 6-16-1891 in Bedias, Grimes Co.,  
— around 1842 or 1843 in Alabama. They had nine Children.  
△ + △ 1. Elizabeth b. 3-29-1845 in m. ? Albertson in Tx. [FRANK ALBERTSON]  
△ 2. Burrell b.4-10-1847  
□ + □ 3. Jesse Miles b.1849 m. Lucy McWhorter  
□ + □ + □ Elizabeth, Burrell, and Jesse Miles were born in Alabama.  
△ + □ + □ 4. Mary b.4-4-1851 m 1- ? Hood, 2- Lewis 3- Upchurch  
△ + △ 5. Margaret Malinda b. 1854 m. Will B. Dowell  
△ + □ 6. Theodocia Matilda b.1856 m. Ben W. Robinson  
△ + △ 7. Emily b. 9-19-1860 m. Roderick A. McWhorter  
□ + □ 8. Fannie b.12-30-1864 m. Whit Smith  
□ 9. Martha b. 1868  
— #4 through #9 were born in Texas.

□ Burrell Miles Upchurch and one male slave rode horse-back  
— to Texas from Choctaw Co., Alabama searching for a good location  
— for a new home for his growing family. They chose north Grimes  
— County land, returned to Alabama and made the necessary prepara-  
□ rations to move the family. He sold the Alabama farm, packed  
□ Margaret and three children into a Covered Wagon pulled by one  
— ox and one milk-cow. The cow provided milk and butter on their  
— way to their new home. They brought everything that they could  
— get in the wagon, including the cow's calf.

- + △ The new home turned out to be near Pankey, Texas. In 1866  
— Burrell purchased six hundred eleven acres in the Samuel Bowman  
— League situated on Bedias Creek for nine hundred dollars.

— The Family built a new house in 1860. It was two large  
— rooms on each side of a center hall with bedrooms upstairs  
— and a porch across the front. The kitchen was built separate  
□ in back of the house. Burrell went to Bryan once a month to buy  
□ the supplies for the family in a wagon. Margaret was mother  
— and caretaker of the family, but still made time to be the  
— mid-wife in the community and to help the sick regardless of  
— color or creed.

- + □ Burrell and Margaret were loving and supportive parents.  
— They helped their children if and when they needed help.  
□ They were also fair and equal with their help; in Burrell's  
— will he divided both his real and personal property equally  
□ between their children. But he deducted whatever he had  
□ advanced to each child that had not been repaid. Burrell Miles  
— died in 1884, Margaret survived him by seven years. They are  
— buried in the Bedias Baptist Cemetery along with many of  
— their descendants.

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- ☐ Percy Franklin Smith b.10-16-1885 in Bedias, Tx d.10-12-1962 in  
— Madisonville Hspt. and was buried in the Bedias Baptist Cemetery.  
☐ m. Mary Alma Key of Singleton, Tx. on 9-5-1905 in her home.  
— They had three children  
△ I- Iris Earl Smith b.9-11-1907 in Bedias, Tx.  
△ m. John H. Foster of Madison Co., Tx. in 1924 in Bedias, Grimes Co., Tx.  
☐+☐ They had two daughters, Marie and Emily.  
△+△ 1- Marie Foster m. Howard Myers of Bedias, Tx. They had three sons,  
△+△+△ James-d. at age five, David and William  
△+△ 2- Emily Foster m. Henry Walker of Dangerfield, Tx. They had two sons,  
△+△ Anthony and Ronald  
△ II Melva Smith b.12-29-09 d. 2-?-1916 bur.-Bedias Baptist Cem.  
△ III J.P. Smith b.3-11-1912 in Bedias, Tx. d.1-30-74 in Houston, Tx.  
— bur. Forest Park Cem. in Houston, Tx.  
△ m. Edith Estelle Barkley of Pankey, Tx. in 1930 in her home.  
— They had four children all born in Grimes Co., Tx.  
△+△ 1- Edith Lillian Smith b.2-1-31 m.- Paul Schmidt of Houston, Tx.  
△+△ 2 Barbara Joyce Smith b.1-29-32 m. Roland Oates of Pasadena, Tx.  
△ 3 Mary Leona Smith b.1933 d. 1934  
△ 4 Dick Barkley Smith b. 5-?-1935

- ☐+☐ Alma died leaving Percy alone with two children and farm to take  
△ care of in 1917. On Dec.25,1917 Percy F. Smith married the former  
△ Annie Pearl Garrett b. 4-2-1885 in Bedias, Tx.; at that time she was  
△+△ a widow and mother of two young daughters, Ruby Harrison and Aline Downing.  
— Together they raised his, hers and their three children. All worked on the  
— farm according to their ability, having been taught at an early age.  
— They made farmers of us all. Even now, with no farm and no need to farm,  
— we all get out the shovels, hoes and rakes and dig up our yards and  
— plant according to the season.  
△+△ IV. Juan Cammack b.12-17-19 in Bedias, Tx. m. Jane Nell Toleferro  
— in Houston, Tx. in 1941. They had four children.  
△ 1- Florence Ann Smith b.1942  
△ 2- Bonnie Jane Smith b.1944  
— 3&4 (twins)  
△ John Curtis b. 1946 d.1987  
△ Jack Clifford b.1946  
△+△ v. Wiley Whit b. 4-29-1922 in Bedias, Tx. m. Hattie Sue Kleckley  
— of Crockett, Tx. in Houston, Tx. They had nine children.  
△ 1. Harold Don Smith  
△ 2 Glen Whit "  
△ 3. Keith Evan "  
△ 4 Sherry Jean " d, at age 6 ★  
△+△ 5&6 Forrest Kim and Sanford Craig (twins) Smith  
△ 7 Randle Smith ★  
△ 8. Barbara Karen Smith  
△ 9. Edwin Brent Smith ★  
☐ VI Eva Annie Ione Smith

- ☐+☐ Percy and Annie remained on their farm until WWII was over and they  
— found their children had moved away and had children of their own.  
☐ They moved into town and lived together until Annie's death (9-21-1961)  
☐+☐+☐+△ Percy, Alma, Annie, Melva, and two stillborn babies are buried in  
— the Bedias Baptist Cemetery.

Geneology Chart A-1

9-27-1988  
 DATE  
 Ione Smith Hardin  
 NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART  
 3734 Linkview  
 STREET ADDRESS  
 Houston, Texas 77025  
 CITY STATE

△ Sanford Vandiver Smith  
 BORN 10-7-1830  
 WHERE South Carolina  
 WHEN MARRIED  
 DIED 11-3-1905  
 WHERE Bedias, Texas

△ 2 Whit Smith  
 BORN 8-6-1857  
 WHERE Anderson Co., Texas  
 WHEN MARRIED 1880  
 DIED 7-8-1937  
 WHERE Bedias, Texas

△ 5 Lucinda Ann Carter  
 BORN 2-18-1837  
 WHERE Alabama  
 DIED 3-1-1868  
 WHERE Singleton, Texas

□ Percy Franklin Smith  
 BORN 10-16-1885  
 WHERE Bedias, Texas  
 WHEN MARRIED  
 DIED 10-12-1962  
 WHERE Bedias, Texas

NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE  
 #1 Mary Alma Key  
 9-5-1905

□ #2 Annie Pearl Garrett  
 12-25-1917

GIVE HERE NAME OF RECORD OR  
 BOOK WHERE THIS INFORMATION  
 WAS OBTAINED. REFER TO NAMES  
 BY NUMBER.

□ 3 Fannie Upchurch *FRANCES*  
 BORN 12-30-1864  
 WHERE Bedias, Texas  
 DIED 6-21-1942  
 WHERE Bedias, Texas

△ 6 Burrell Miles Upchurch  
 BORN 7-5-1821  
 WHERE Perry Co., Miss.  
 WHEN MARRIED  
 DIED 8-26-1884  
 WHERE Bedias, Texas

part  
 American  
 Indian of  
 7 Margarrt James (Choctaw Nations?)  
 BORN 6-9-1824  
 WHERE Miss.  
 DIED 6-16-1891  
 WHERE Bedias, Texas

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Dear Editor,

I read the Upchurch Bulletins (1980-1986) in the Clayton Library here in Houston. I found my Upchurch Ancestors back to 1502. There was no information on my family after my Great Grand Parents marriage around 1843. The 1986 Bulletin was the last one available to me. You have very likely received this information already, but just in case you have not I am sending this to you; as I do not want Burrell Miles and Margaret James Upchurch's Family History to be left out.

In the U.S. Census of Choctaw Ala. of 1850 #180 the family was listed as:

△ Miles B. Upchurch-27 y/o M	Planter-	1200 acres	[BURRELL MILES U]
△ Margaret	24 "	F	[MARGARET JAMES]
△ Elizabeth	6 "	F	
△ Burrell	3 "	M	
△ R. H. Jones	9 "	M	(this might have been Margaret's nephew-he was not in the household on the 1860 Census in Grimes Co., Tx.
(or James ?)			

In the 1860 U.S. Census of Grimes Co., Texas the family is listed as:

△ Burrell Miles Upchurch	39 y/o M.	Farmer	b.Miss.
△ Margaret	36 "	F	b. " [MARGARET JAMES]
△ Elizabeth C.	16 "	F	b.Ala.
△ Burrell	13 "	M	b. Ala.
△ Jesse Miles	10 "	M	b. Ala.
△ Mary S.	9 "	F	b. Texas [MARY S. U]
△ Margaret M.	6 "	F.	" [MARGARET MALINDA U]
△ Theodosia Matilda	2 "	F	"

In the 1880 U.S. Census of Grimes Co., Texas the family is listed as:

△ Burrell Upchurch	59 y/o M	[BURRELL MILES U]
△ Margaret	56 "	F (wife) [MARGARET JAMES]
△ Martha	11 "	F (daughter)
△ Mary S. Hood	26 "	F (daughter) [MARY S. U]
△ Ed. McWhorter	7 "	M (Mary's son)
△ Minnie Hood	2 "	F (Mary's da.)
△ Whit Smith	22 "	M (Son-in-law Fannie's Husband)
△ Fannie Smith	15 "	F (daughter) [FRANCES U]

□+□ A list of known descendants of Burrell Miles and Margaret Upchurch

- △+△ 1 Elizabeth U. m. ? Albertson <sup>> [FRANK ALBERTSON]</sup> (She died young with out children)  
△ 2 Burrell U. (He died young with out children)  
□+□ 3 Jesse Miles U. m. Lucy McWhorter (4 children)  
□ John U.  
□+□ Ella U. m. Lee Mason  
△+△ Dodd U. m. Lelia Griffin  
△+△ Hugh U. m. Willie Etherige  
△+□+△+□ 4 Mary S, m, #1 ? Hood #2 Frank Lewis #3 Riley Upchurch (4 children)  
△+□ Ed Upchurch m. Rosa Whinery  
△+□+△+△ Minnie Hood m. #1 ? Smith #2 John S. Koehler #3 Frank Caradine  
△+△ Martha Lewis m. Walter Harkins  
△+△ Tollie R. Lewis m. Ella Barkley  
△+△ 5 Margaret Malinda m. Will Dowell (7 children)  
△+△ Birdie m. Henry Drennan  
△+△ Essie m. David H. Lowery  
△ Miles  
△ Jeff  
△ Pearl  
△ Eunice  
△ Walter  
△+△ 6 Theodocia Matilda m. Ben W. Robinson (8 children)  
△+△ Wiley m. Mabel Smith  
△ Vallie  
△ Miles  
△ Bill  
△+△ Dodie m. Brian Plotts  
△+△ Zula m. Albert Snow  
△ Ben  
△ Jesse Mack  
△+△ 7 Emily m. Roderick A. Mc Whorter (3 children)  
△ Charlie  
△+△+△+△ Rossie m. Roy Guerrant (2 da. Thelma and Lorena)  
△ Francis  
□+□ 8 Fannie m. Whit Smith (5 children)  
△ Burrell (died young with out children)  
△ Jesse (died young with out children)  
△+△+□+□+□ Percy Franklin m. #1 Alma Key (3 childern Iris, Melva and J.P.)  
△+□+□+□ #2 Annie P. Garrett (3 children Juan, Whit And Ione)  
△+△ Annie May m. #1 Festus E. White  
△+□+△ #2 Julian J. Nichols (2 sons Julian Hulon and Smith)  
△+△+□ Margaret Rachel m. Percy B. Shanks (1 da Fannie Margaret)  
△ 9 Martha Upchurch (died young with out children)

— I hope this is some help and if there is any way that I can  
— gather more to get my Great Grand Parents family history printed  
— in the Upchurch Bulletin , Please , let me know what I can do.

— Sincerely Yours,

— Ione Smith Hardin  
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— Houston , Texas 77025