

The Kip-Kipp Family Newsletter

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- 1. The Kip-Kipp Family Newsletter**

This newsletter as edited by me will only look at the yDNA study at FT DNA for the Kip-Kipp families and maintain the information that is online for the Kip-Kipp lines that Edward created. I welcome any submissions to this Newsletter on the other results for Kipp descendants in the FT DNA study.

- 2. Edward Kipp, HBSc, PhD, MLS**

We set up a YouTube channel which we are tentatively calling Ed Kipp's Talks but may have a slightly different title. At the moment there is one talk which has very little to do with the Kipp family of New York/New Amsterdam actually but thought I would mention it.

I still have not organized the Kipp family of Ontario/British Columbia images for submission to the Ontario Archives. I have decided I need to go through all the photo albums before I do anything further. There are original images in those photo albums and I am not sure if all the old Kipp pictures are in the one box that I have for them.

The tentative title happened because I thought I remembered recording several talks that could be put up; the audio is excellent but the video of his slides not so good on that old (now) Video Camera but there is a hypertext link to the slides that can be accessed as one listens to the talk. There are a number of other items; Edward loved to sing and I am tempted to put up some of his solos from his singing a solo whilst in the Orleans United Church Choir.

- 3. History of The Kip Family in America**

World Connect is no longer available to find Edward's published tree but it is now available on Ancestry. I will be creating an *.pdf and will publish it under a Creative Common License so that it will be available. I will attempt to have it placed

in various repositories as a digital book. It will also be available on his webpage. I will add that URL to this newsletter below.

<http://www.kipp-blake-families.ca/kipfam.htm>

Fortunately for the Kip Family in America an earlier researcher put together an extensive family genealogy book “History of The Kip Family in America” by Frederic Ellsworth Kip of Montclair, New Jersey and assisted by Margarita Lansing Hawley of Morristown, New Jersey and was published in 1928 at Boston by Hudson Printing Company. It is available on Internet Archive:

https://archive.org/stream/historyofkipfami00kipf_2/historyofkipfami00kipf_2_djvu.txt

Edward has updated this book and it is available on the website as “Descendants of Hendrick Hendricksen Kip” (published by the Estate of Edward Burnice Kipp 2024):

<http://www.kipp-blake-families.ca/publications/Descendants%20of%20Hendrick%20Hendricksen%20Kip.pdf>

4. yDNA study at FT DNA on the Kip-Kipp Families

The actual group has a number of results for various Kip and Kipp families that emigrated to the United States from The Netherlands to New Amsterdam/New Nork and that was Edward’s line. As well there were emigrants directly from Germany in the 1750s to the United States but I will not discuss those results. I welcome anyone else to submit articles to this Newsletter.

Project Statistics

Big Y 4
Distinct Y-DNA Confirmed haplogroups 7
Family Finder 23
Paternal Ancestor Information 25
Total Members 42
Unreturned kits 4
Y-DNA Deep Clade (after 2008) 3
Y-DNA Deep Clade (prior to 2008) 1
Y-DNA Subgroups 7
Y-DNA12 18
Y-DNA25 16
Y-DNA37 16
Y-DNA67 12

Y-DNA111 7

The Y-700 test revealed a lot of information about this specific Kip/Kipp line descendant of Hendrick Hendricksen Kip of New Amsterdam (now New York). No one new has joined the project with yDNA results during this past quarter. Looking back along the Haplogroup line there are 15 individuals who have the R-Y20961 mutation including Edward Kipp. The Country of origin for these individuals is 6 in the United States (my husband was Canadian but his ancestor for this study was American coming to Canada as a settler in 1800), 5 in England, 1 in the United Kingdom, 1 in Wales and 2 unknown. This mutation is thought to have commenced around 500 CE (Common Era). That does rather indicate a long period of time with just the single mutation between which gave rise to R-FT245480 the furthest down mutation in the Y-700 test for Edward Kipp and the two individuals who match him in the FT DNA database (Norwegian). Last newsletter I mentioned that movement to Norway occurred earlier and this appears to be a return to the European continent in the case of my husband's result. As more testing occurs by other members of his ancient line we may well have more answers.

The other possibility is that his line never left the Continent and resided within 100 km of Amsterdam since that is the general location of this particular set of results which define his haplogroup.

One is somewhat led astray by the surname "Kip/Kpp" itself as it is found in Germany. But Edward's research has pointed out that the surname was Hendricksen whilst they lived in The Netherlands and was an acquired surname (to differentiate between another Hendricksen family in New Amsterdam/New York. Hence the surname Kip was given and it remained with this family line. But I will leave those sorts of discussion with this family itself. My intent is to look solely at the yDNA results as they collect.

The line appears to continue to exist in the Scandinavian Peninsula primarily Norway and more on that in the next issue.

5. Next Issue

Anyone wishing to submit an article/letter to the editor please send to Elizabeth Kipp (kippceb@rogers.com).