

Woelffer Genealogy
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Mr. AUGUST WOELFFER

August Karl Woelffer, the son of Fred Woelffer and Friedericke {nee Koenig} was born the 16th of May, 1838 in Saxony. In the year 1850 he came to America with his parents. He was confirmed in Newville. He was married to Barbara Neupert and 10 children came to bless this union, one of whom died in infancy. For 50 years he lived in the town of Waterloo. Since 1900 he has made his home in Lake Mills. He died the 15th of May, 1925, aged 86 years, 11 months and 29 days.

His death is mourned by his wife, 6 sons; Morris, town of Waterloo, Louis of Lake Mills, Fred of Watertown, Reinhold of town of Waterloo, August of Lake Mills, Albert of Marshall; three daughters, Mrs. Felix Setz, Mrs. Wm. Abendroth and Mrs. John Abendroth, all of the town of Waterloo; 32 grandchildren, 19 great grand children, and many other relatives.

Funeral services were held from his late home on Madison street Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, later at the St. Paul Lutheran church of this city. Rev. J. Martin Raasch officiated. His six sons acted as pall-bearers. The burial took place at Rock Lake cemetery.

MEMORIES OF MY GRANDPARENTS

Although I was quite young, I can remember that grandpa was unable to work because of his advanced age. However, at corn-husking time he would take his pipe and his cane and one of us children carried a chair out to the field for him to sit on, and he would husk corn.

He was fond of smoking, but always cautioned the boys to leave tobacco alone.

His breakfast and supper was always the same—a sandwich of grandma's good home-made rye bread, which she made with sour dough, a slice of ham, and a cup of black coffee.

Grandma was not very strong but did most of her housework. My older sister, Helen, did her washing, but she did her own ironing. She had a wooden roller similar to a rolling pin, only larger and longer, about 24 inches long by 4 inches in diameter, which she warmed near the stove. This she used to roll instead of iron her clothes. Grandma was always jolly. After supper, both would come and spend the evening with us. When we played hide-and-seek, we would get close to grandma so she could put her apron over our heads so the one who was "it" could not find us. She enjoyed this as much as we did.

Although our house was built adjoining theirs, there was no connecting door. Each had to go outdoors to get to the other part.

A neighbor, Mr. Springer, about grandfather's age, was in the habit of visiting numerous friends in the surrounding neighborhood. He came twice a week, Tuesday and Thursday, to visit them and talk over the news that they read in the New York Zei-tung. If he had not arrived by two o'clock, one of us children was sent to the knoll to see if he was on the way. They were always terribly disappointed if he didn't come.

Grandma liked to knit, but in her later years she was sick much of the time and unable to do anything. She was bed-ridden the last few months. She dreaded the long, dark nights so my father got a box of little tallow floating candles and we would put a lighted candle in a glass of water and set it on the window to light up the room. This seemed to shorten the nights. She died November 30, 1884, aged 78 years and 10 months, and was buried on the old Newville cemetery, off Highway 89, sometimes known as the Engsberg cemetery.

Grandpa continued to live on in his own quarters, but had his meals with us. My brother, Morris, used to sleep in grandpa's home so he would not be alone. He became ill suddenly one January afternoon when Mr. Springer was visiting him, and died on January 16 1887, and was buried beside grandmother. Their religion was Lutheran. The church was near the cemetery in which they are buried.—Hermine.

- I Friederick William Woelffer, born 1766. Died 1820, at Wippra, Saxony, Germany



Mr. and Mrs. Friederick August Woelffer

- II Friederick August Woelffer, son of Friederick William Woelffer, was born January 21, 1807, and was married to Friedericka Konig from Braunschwende, Saxony, in 1826. Their children:

(Twins) —

Friederick August, died at the age of three, and Friederick William.

Friederick Lewis Rupertus, born January 10, 1829.

Johannes Edward, born 1834. Died 1854.

Friederick Carl Herman, born April 23, 1836. Died 1912.

Carl August, born May 16, 1838. Died May 15, 1925.

They were all born at Wippra, Saxony, Germany. In 1850 they emigrated to America.

Friederick August, son of Friederick William, Sr., was an only child. When he was two weeks old his mother died. Seven months later his father was married again. When he was 14 years old, his father died. His step-mother died in 1824. He inherited a grist mill from his father and step-mother, which he operated for a long time at Wippra. He sold it on July 12, 1843, and bought a farm at Quatz.

He worked this farm about six and a half years and then sold it in May, 1850. On May 29 the family emigrated to the U. S. A.,

going by train to Bremen where on June 1, 1850, they boarded the sailboat "Admiral". Arriving in New York City on July 13th they again boarded a train for Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

The family stopped at Milwaukee four weeks. As the land in and around Milwaukee was low and swampy, they decided to go further. On August 8th, 1850, Friederick August bought the farm in the Town of Waterloo, Wisconsin, in the neighborhood commonly called "The Island". Here the family lived and prospered. They first lived in a log house, formerly occupied by two bachelors.

When the children were all married they built a small frame house for themselves, consisting of an entrance hall, living room, and a bedroom. The second story was reached by an open stairway in the entrance hall, and the cellar by the trap-door. Later their son, August, built an addition for his family.

The other three sons lived for a time near them. In 1865, William moved to Duluth, Minnesota.

In 1868, Rupertus (Robert) moved to the Town of Deerfield.

Herman moved on a farm in the Town of Lake Mills which is now owned by his youngest son, Eugene. August remained on the home farm and his parents lived in the same house with him the remainder of their lives.

Friederick August died in 1887. Friedericka died in 1884.

In writing the obituary of his father, Herman Woelffer stated that "his father left Germany for the United States in search for a good home for his family and he found it here."—Victor Woelffer.



Grandpa Wm. Woelffer

- III** Descendants of William Woelffer, twin son of Friederick August and Freidericka Konig Woelffer :
William Woelffer married Freidericka Reichmuth.
Seven children:
Oscar F., born 1854.
Otto, born 1856.
Minnie, born 1858. Died at the age of 23, unmarried.
Emma, born 1860.
Ida, born 1862, married David Ebner. No children.
Bruno, born 1864.
Herman, born 1866.
- IV** Descendants of Oscar Woelffer, son of William Woelffer: Oscar married Matilda Fergie.
Five children:
Ella (deceased).
mma.
Charlotte, married to Andrew Koperski. No children.
Etta, not married.
Laura.
- V** Descendants of Emma Woelffer, daughter of Oscar and Matilda (Fergie) Woelffer:
Emma married Mathew Schuster. One child:
Beatrice Monica.
- VI** Descendants of Beatrice Monica, daughter of Emma and Mathew Schuster:
Beatrice Monica married Raymond Runguth.
One child.

V Descendants of Laura, daughter of Oscar and Matilda (Fergie) Woelffer:
Laura married James Arthur Weeks.

Two children:

Mabel.

James Clinton Weeks. (A First Class Seaman in the U. S. Navy.)

VI Descendants of Mabel Weeks, daughter of Laura (nee) Woelffer) and
James Arthur Weeks:

Mabel married Joseph Bartkus.

Two children:

Beverly.

Joseph, Jr.

IV Descendants of Otto Woelffer, son of William and Friedericka (nee Reichmuth)
Woelffer: Otto married Sophia Forrester. Two children:

Clara, not married.

Mamie, married to Franklin Klein. No children.

IV Descendants of Emma, daughter of William and Frederick (nee Reichmuth)
Woelffer: Emma married John Dinkel.

Nine children:

Fred Dinkel.

George. No children.

Otto. No children.

Louis. No children.

John. No children.

Elsie Dinkel.

Benjamin Dinkel.

William Dinkel.

Helen Dinkel.

Descendants of Fred, son of Emma (nee Woelffer) Dinkel, daughter of William
and Friedericka Woelffer:

Three children:

James Dinkel.

Fred Dinkel.

Francis Dinkel.

Descendants of Elsie, daughter of Emma Woelffer Dinkel, daughter of William
and Friedericka Woelffer:

Four children:

Earl.

Evelyn.

Kenneth.

Irvin.

V Descendants of Benjamin, son of Emma Woelffer Dinkel, daughter of William and Friedericka Woelffer:

Four children:

William Dinkel.

Nancy Dinkel.

Richard Dinkel.

Philip Dinkel.

V Descendants of William, son of Emma Woelffer Dinkel, daughter of William and Friedericka Woelffer:

One child:

James Dinkel.

V Descendants of Helen, daughter of Emma Woelffer Dinkel, daughter of William and Friedericka Woelffer (Mrs. William B. Johnson) :

Two children:

William Johnson.

Thomas Johnson.

IV Descendants of Bruno, son of William and Friedericka Reichmuth) Woelffer:
Bruno married Charlotte Fergie.

Five children :

Ida, married John Paluzzie.

Lizzie, married William Zimmerman.

Lydia, married Thomas Taylor. No children.

Erma, not married.

Amelia, married Alfred Massori. No children.

V Descendants of Ida, daughter of Bruno and Charlotte
(Fergie) Woelffer: Ida married John Paluzzie.

Three children:

Erma Paluzzie.

Palma Paluzzie.

Madeline Paluzzie.

V Descendants of Lizzie, daughter of Bruno and Charlotte (Fergie) Woelffer: Lizzie
married William Zimmerman.

One child:

Frederick Zimmerman, U. S. Air Corps.

- IV** Descendants of Herman, son of William and Friedericka (Reichmuth) Woelffer:
Herman married Gerda Martinson.
Five children:
 Robert Woelffer. No children.
 Florence Woelffer.
 Edith Woelffer.
 Elmer John Woelffer.
 Agnes Woelffer (Mrs. Emil Peterson). No children.
- V** Descendants of Florence, daughter of Herman and Gerda (Martinson) Woelffer:
Florence married Hanson.
Three children:
 Harold Hanson, U. S. Army.
 Lillian.
 Earl Hanson, U. S. Army.
- VI** Descendants of Lillian Hanson, daughter of Florence (Woelffer) Hanson:
Lillian married Larry Heath.
Two children:
 Larry Heath
 Sally Heath.
- V** Descendants of Edith, daughter of Herman and Gerda (Martinson) Woelffer:
Edith married R. C. Anderson.
One child:
 Donald Anderson.
- V** Descendants of Elmer John, son of Herman and Gerda (Martinson) Woelffer:
Elmer John married Gerda Gustafson.
Three children:
 Donna Lois Woelffer.
 Carol Jean Woelffer.
 Nancy Fay Woelffer.



Mr. and Mrs. Rupertus (Robert) Woelffer

III Descendants of Rupertus (Robert) Woelffer, son of Frederick August Woelffer and Friedericka (Konig) Woelffer :

Rupertus married Augusta Heideman.

Twelve children:

- Max, born 1855.
- Carl, born 1856. Died 1921.
- Selma, born 1858.
- Robert, born 1859. Died 1860.
- Ernest, born 1861. Died 1908.
- Robert, born 1863. Died 1929.
- Julius, born 1865. Died 1944.
- Frank, born 1867. Died 1943.
- Ida, born 1871. Died 1900.
- Arthur, born 1873.
- Fredericke, born 1875.
- Lizzie, born 1877.

IV Descendants of Max Woelffer, son of Rupertus (Robert) Woelffer:

Max married Thea Olson.

Seven children:

- Ferdinand died.
- Harriet, born 1883. Married Dr. Murphy, then Frank Roberts. No children.
- Marcella, born 1888. Married Val Zimmerman. No children.
- Waldo, born 1886. Married Adeline Nole, then Delia Grunmeyer. No children.
- Russell, born 1901.
- Bernice, born 1895.
- Carlisle, born 1908.

- V Descendants of Russell, son of Max and Thea (Olson) Woelffer:
Russell married Flora Grunmeyer, then Alma Studier.
Children of Russell and Flora (Grunmeyer) Woelffer:
Dorothy Woelffer.
Russel Woelffer.
- V Descendants of Bernice, daughter of Max and Thea (Olson) Woelffer:
Bernice married Carson, then Art Zimdars.
One child:
Jack Zimdars.
- V Descendants of Jack, son of Bernice and Arthur Zimdars: Jack married Margaret McKinley.
One child:
Jack Zimdars.
- V Descendants of Carlisle, son of Max and Thea (Olson) Woelffer:
Carlisle married Ina Osterby.
Two children:
Max Woelffer.
Frederick Woelffer.

- IV** Descendants of Carl, son of Rupertus (Robert) son of Frederick August and Fredericke Konig Woelffer.
Carl married Anna Leland, then Lena Buelow.
Four children of Carl and Lena Woelffer:
Meta Augusta Harriet, born 1898. Married Alfred Bradow. No children.
Gretchen Ruth, born 1900.
Hans Robert, born 1902.
Carl Lewis, born 1904.
- V** Descendants of Gretchen Ruth, daughter of Carl and Lena (Buelow) Woelffer.
Gretchen married Emroy Mucks.
Two children :
Leona Evelyn Gertrude, born 1919.
Donna May, born 1933.
- VI** Descendants of Leona Evelyn Gertrude, daughter of Gretchen Woelffer and Emroy Mucks.
Leona married Walter Hornickel.
Two children:
Nancy Ann, born 1939.
Thomas Walter, born 1942.
- V** Descendants of Hans Robert, son of Carl and Lena (Buelow) Woelffer.
Hans married Mae Krueger.
Three children:
Charles Willard, born 1927. (U. S. Navy).
Jerold Dean, born 1933.
Wayne Russel, born 1931.
- V** Descendants of Carl Lewis Woelffer, son of Charles and Lena (Buelow) Woelffer.
Carl Lewis married Alma Lenz.
Two children:
Virginia Mae, born 1930.
Roger Lenz, born 1934.

- IV** Descendants of Selma, daughter of Rupertus (Robert) Woelffer and Augusta (nee Heideman) Woelffer. Selma married Robert Radke.
Six children:
Clara, born 1879.
Cora, born 1881.
Esther, born 1883. Married Grover Glaser, then John Gruhl. No children.
Arthur, born 1889. Married Elsie. Adopted two boys.
Harris, born 1894.
Herbert.
- V** Descendants of Clara Radke, daughter of Selma (nee) Woelffer) Radke and Robert Radke. Clara married Otto Yaedecke.
One child:
Paul, born 1916. (U. S. Army). Married Betty Elais
- V** Descendants of Cora Radke, daughter of Robert Radke and Selma Woelffer Radke. Cora married Harry Stube.
One child:
Vera, born 1914. Married Howard Frank.
One child:
Sandra Lee Frank, born 1939.
- V** Descendants of Harris Radtke, son of Robert Radke and Selma (Woelffer) Radke. Harris married Marie Burke.
Two children:
Thomas Radtke
Robert Radtke
- V** Descendants of Herbert Radtke, son of Robert Radke and Selma (Woelffer) Radke. Herbert married Mary.
One child:
Phyllis

IV Descendants of Ernest, son of Rupertus (Robert) Woelffer and Augusta (nee Heideman) Woelffer. Ernest married Augusta Liebenow.

Two children:

Viola, born 1892. Died 1945. No children.

Reuben, born 1895.

Infant son, born 1896, died.

V Descendants of Reuben Woelffer, son of Ernest Woelffer and Augusta (Liebenow) Woelffer.

Reuben married Thelma Elizabeth Gills.

Two children:

Katherine Viola, born 1921. Married Harlin Morrison.

One child:

Linda Katherine, born 1945.

Elizabeth, born 1923.

IV Robert Woelffer, son of Rupertus and Augusta Woelffer. Married Bertha Kresensky.

Five children:

Edwin, born 1890. Died June 1, 1944.

Lorretta, born 1892.

George, born 1894.

Raymond, born 1896. Died 1934.

Robert, born 1900. Died 1902.

V Edwin married Mabel Riebe.

Two children:

Evelyn.

John

VI Evelyn married Donald Snyder.

Two children:

Robert

Joseph

VI John married Evelyn Lambrect.

One child:

William.

V Lorretta Woelffer married Rutherford B. Hills.

Two children:

Alan. (U. S. Army).

Douglas.

V George Woelffer married Hattie Maas.

Three children:

Robert

Jeanette

Audrey.

VI Descendants of Jeanette Woelffer, daughter of George and Hattie Maas Woelffer. Jeanette married Byron Salzwedel.

V Raymond married Hazel Banky.

Four children:

Warren.

Roy.

Joyce.

Thomas.

IV Descendants of Julius, son of Rupertus and Augusta Woelffer.

Julius married Amelia Krueger. Died 1903.

One child:

Laura, born 1886. Married Otto Pirwitz. No children.

Julius married Emma Schimmelpfenig.

Two children:

Harold, born 1906. (U. S. Army). Married Fay Barnhardt. No children.

Clarence, born 1908.

V Descendants of Clarence Woelffer, son of Julius and Emma Woelffer.

Clarence married Isabel Fleck.

One child:

Theresa, born 1936.

IV Descendants of Frank, son of Rupertus and Augusta (Heideman) Woelffer.

Frank married Augusta Neundorf.

Two children:

John Robert, born 1892. (In World War I.)

Roy. (In World War I.)

Frank married Mrs. Amelia Nuendorf.

One child:

Robert, born 1914. (In World War II.)

V Descendants of John Robert, son of Frank and Augusta Woelffer.

John married Vera Shorey.

Two children:

Muriel, born 1922. Muriel married Norbert Lankow, U. S. Army.

Joan, born 1925.

V Descendants of Roy, son of Frank and Augusta Woelffer. Roy married Ruby

Shekey.

Two children:

June.

Lois.

IV Descendants of Ida, daughter of Rupertus and Augusta (Heideman) Woelffer.
Ida married Adolph Bartel.

One child :

August, born 1898.

V Descendants of August, son of Ida and Adolph Bartel. August married Edith Sanft.

Two children:

Richard, born 1926. (U. S. Navy.)

Caroline, born 1931.

IV Descendants of Arthur, son of Rupertus Woelffer and Augusta (nee Heideman) Woelffer.

Arthur married Mary Haag.

Two children:

Leon, born 1905.

Marian, born 1906.

V Descendants of Leon, son of Arthur and Mary (Hass) Woelffer.

Leon married Helen Ketchum.

Two children :

Patricia, born 1931.

Sandra, born 1942.

V Descendants of Marian, daughter of Arthur and Mary (Hass) Woelffer. Marian married Fred Higgins.

Five children:

Donna Mae, born 1928.

Jean Eva, born 1930.

Joan, born 1933.

Nancy, born 1936.

Marilyn, born 1937.

- IV** Descendants of Fredericke, daughter of Rupertus and Augusta (nee Heideman) Woelffer.
Fredericke married Frank Beulow.
Four children:
 Benjamin, born 1896. Died 1944.
 Robert, born 1898.
 Harold, born 1900. Not married.
 Lucile, born 1904.
- V** Descendants of Benjamin Buelow, son of Fredericke Woelffer and Frank Buelow.
Benjamin married Florence Hamman.
One child:
 Jean, born 1930:
- V** Descendants of Robert Buelow, son of Fredericke Woelffer and Frank Buelow.
Robert married.
Two children:
 Donald Douglas, born 1924.
 Vivian Elizabeth, born 1922.
- VI** Descendants of Vivian Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Buelow.
Vivian married Gronert.
One child:
 Barbara Ann.
- V** Descendants of Lucile, daughter of Fredericka and Frank Buelow.
Lucile married Albert Blaschke.
One child:
 Lila June, born 1927.
- IV** Descendants of Elizabeth, daughter of Rupertus and Augusta (nee Heideman) Woelffer. Elizabeth married Will Magwood.
Two children:
 Elizabeth Woelffer Magwood, born 1901. Not married.
 Ruth Esther. Not married.



Mr. and Mrs. Herman Woelffer

III Descendants of Frederick Carl Herman, son of Frederick and Fredericke (nee Konig) Woelffer.

Herman married Ernstine Maria Michaelis.

Five children:

Edward, born 1862. Died 1940.

Laura, born 1864. Died 1935.

Hulda, born 1870. Died 1940.

Victor, born 1876.

Eugene, born 1877.

IV Descendants of Edward, son of Herman and Ernstine Woelffer. Edward married Ida Blumenberg.

One child:

Bernice (deceased).

IV Descendants of Laura, daughter of Herman and Ernstine (nee Michaelis) Woelffer. Laura married John Neupert.

Four children:

Cora, born 1890.

Edna, born 1895.

Edward, born 1902.

Nina, born 1904.

V Descendants of Cora, daughter of Laura Neupert (nee Woelffer) and John Neupert. Cora married William Kuhl.

Three children:

Harold, born 1918.

Raymond,, born 1922.

Irene, born 1925.

- VI** Descendants of Harold, son of Cora and William Kuhl. Harold married Mabel Grunewald.
- V** Descendants of Edna, daughter of John and Laura Neupert. Edna married Elmer Pohlman.
Two children:
Stanley, born 1920.
Inez, born 1924.
- VI** Descendants of Stanley, son of Edna and Elmer Pohlman. Stanley married Wilma Kottwitz.
- VI** Descendants of Inez, daughter of Elmer and Edna Pohlman. Inez married Harvard Haberkorn.
- V** Descendants of Edward, son of Laura (nee Woelffer) Neupert.
Edward married Irma Berlin.
Two children:
Darleen, born 1939.
Dale, born 1942.
- V** Nina, daughter of Laura (nee Woelffer) Neupert and John Neupert. Nina married Dewey Gehl.
One child:
Gerald, born 1931.

- IV** Descendants of Hulda, daughter of Herman and Ernstine Woelffer (nee Michaelis). Hulda married Emil Pohlman.
Three children:
Erna, born 1896.
Bernice, born 1901.
Frieda, born 1905.
- V** Descendants of Erna, daughter of Emil and Hulda Pohlman (nee Woelffer).
Erna married Carl Kuhl.
Three children:
Vera, born 1920.
Mildred, born 1925.
Carlton, born 1924.
- VI** Descendants of Vera Kuhl, daughter of Carl and Erna (nee Pohlman) Kuhl,
daughter of Emil and Hulda Pohlman. Vera married Walter Michel.
One child:
Marvin, born 1939.
- VI** Descendants of Mildred Kuhl, daughter of Carl and Erna Kuhl. Mildred married
Arlie Wilke.
One child:
Mary Ann, born 1945.
- V** Descendants of Bernice, daughter of Emil and Hulda Pohlman (nee Woelffer).
Bernice married August Strauss.
Two children:
Donald, born 1925. Married Phyllis Hofer.
Beverly, born 1930.
- V** Descendants of Frieda, daughter of Emil and Hulda Pohlman (nee Woelffer).
Frieda married Ben Michaelis.
Two children:
Allen, born 1927.
Lois, born 1928.

IV Descendants of Victor, son of Herman and Ernstine Woelffer. Victor married Nina Hommel.

Five children:

Marie Ernstine, born 1907.

Irma Victoria, born 1909.

Jane Elizabeth, born 1917.

A girl, born 1905, died at age of 7 months.

A baby boy died at birth.

V Descendants of Marie, daughter of Victor and Nina (nee Hommel) Woelffer. Marie married Allen Covell.

Two children:

Charlotte Mary, born 1937.

William Victor, born 1940.

V Descendants of Irma, daughter of Victor and Nina (nee Hommel) Woelffer. Irma married Kenneth Maguire.

Two children:

John Patrick, born 1939.

James, born 1942.

V Descendants of Jane Elizabeth, daughter of Victor and Nina (nee Hommel) Woelffer.

Jane Elizabeth married Richard Lind.

IV Descendants of Eugene, son of Herman and Ernstine (nee Michaelis) Woelffer.
Eugene married Mildred Punzel.

One child:

Mabelle.

V Descendants of Mabelle, daughter of Eugene and Mildred (Punzel) Woelffer.
Mabelle married Emery Welter.

Four children:

Eugene, born 1937.

John, born 1940.

Margaret, born 1943.

David, born 1945.



Mr. and Mrs. Carl August Woelffer

III Descendants of Carl August Woelffer, son of Frederick and Fredericke (Konig) Woelffer. August married Barbara Neupert.

Ten children:

Morris John, born 1862. Died 1938.

Louis Herman, born 1864.

Helen Eva, born 1866.

Fred Gottlieb, born 1868.

Bertha Matilda, born 1870.

Hermine Mary, born 1872.

Reinhold Robert, born 1875.

August Max, born 1878.

Gottlieb, died in infancy.

Albert Michael, born 1883.

IV Descendants of Morris Woelffer, son of August and Barbara (Neupert) Woelffer.
Morris married Amelie Engelke.

Six children:

Ella Sophia Marie, born 1888.

Bertha, born 1890. Married Theodore Stockel. No children.

Herbert, born 1892. Not married.

Esther, born 1894.

Walter, born 1895. Married Dora Kurtz. No children.

Ruth, born 1897.

V Descendants of Ella Finder, daughter of Morris and Amelia Woelffer.
Ella married Ben Finder.

Five children:

Ruth Sylvia, born 1915.

Frances Eleanor, born 1917.

Margaret Amelia, born 1921.

Lester Herbert, born 1924.

Carl Morris, born 1926. Died 1928.

VI Descendants of Ruth, daughter of Ella and Ben Finder.
Ruth married Arthur Berner.

Five children:

Evelyn Ruth, born 1938. Richard Arthur, born 1940.

Robert Dale, born 1941. Marie Louise, born 1943.

Elaine Edna, born 1944.

VI Descendants of Frances Eleanor, daughter of Eleanor (nee Woelffer) and Ben Finder. Frances married Frederick Pirwitz.

- V** Descendants of Esther, daughter of Morris and Amelia (Engelke) Woelffer.
Esther married Emil Teseh. Died.
Five children:
 Norman, born 1917. (World War II, Army Air Corps)
 Arvin, born 1918. (World War II, Army).
 Roy, born 1920. (World War II, Army.)
 Wayne, born 1921. Died.
 Ardis, born 1923. Esther married Edward Stockel, 1924. No children.
- VI** Descendants of Norman Tesch, son of Emil and Esther Tesch.
Norman married Bernice Goers.
One child:
 James Morris, born 1943.
- VI** Descendants of Ardis Tesch, daughter of Esther (nee Woelffer) Tesch and Emil Tesch. Ardis married Ben Williams.
- VI** Descendants of Roy Tesch, son of Esther (nee Woelffer) and Emil Tesch. Roy married Naomi Hughes.
- V** Descendants of Ruth, daughter of Morris and Amelia (Engelke) Woelffer.
Ruth married Leonard Kuhl.
Three children:
 Robert, born 1923.
 Genevieve, born 1927.
 Linda, bom 1938.

- IV** Descendants of Louis Woelffer, son of August and Barbara (Neupert) Woelffer.
Louis married Louise Englebrecht.
Two children:
 Meta Hermine, born 1890.
 Royal, born 1891. (World War I, 1918.)
- V** Descendants of Meta, daughter of Louis and Louise (Englebrecht) Woelffer.
Meta married John Behnken.
Two children:
 Baby born in 1917, died.
 Helen Rose, born 1920.
- V** Descendants of Royal, son of Louis and Louise (Englebrecht) Woelffer. Royal married Ida Bindschadler.
Two children:
 Royal, Jr., born 1919. (World War II, Army.)
 Betty Jane, born 1922. (World War II, Army.)
Royal Jr. married Alice Mae Faeser, June 24, 1954.
Three children:
 Julie Elizabeth, born 1955
 Jan Ellen, born 1957
 Todd Alan, born 1960.
- Julie Married Toyosaburo Ishida, Dec 3, 1978
Two children:
 Daniel Shingen, born 1979
 Tariq Alexander, born 1982
 Citizens of Canada.

IV Descendants of Helen, daughter of August and Barbara (Neupert) Woelffer.
Helen married Felix Setz.

Four children:

Edwin Joseph, born 1889. Died 1912.

Emma Paulina, born 1893.

Viola Gertrude, born 1902. Died 1908.

Florence Evalyn, born 1909. Died 1910.

IV Descendants of Fred Woelffer, son of August and Barbara (Neupert) Woelffer.
Fred married Emma Engsberg. Died.

One child:

Alexander, born 1895. Married Martha Duwe.

Adopted two children.

Fred married Bertha Heubner.

Six children:

Elmer, born 1897.

Carl, born 1899.

Frieda, born 1900.

Louise, born 1902.

Erwin, born 1904.

Arno, born 1906. Died.

V Descendants of Elmer, son of Fred and Bertha (Huebner) Woelffer.
Elmer married

Three children:

Judith, born 1932.

Nancy, born 1935.

Linda, born ,1941.

- V Descendants of Carl, son of Fred and Bertha (Huebner) Woelffer.
Carl married Hilma Winter.
Two children:
 Shirley, born 1933.
 Neal, born 1935.
- V Descendants of Frieda, daughter of Fred and Bertha (Huebner) Woelffer.
Frieda married Arthur Kropf.
One child:
 Jean.
- V Descendants of Louise, daughter of Fred and Bertha (Huebner) Woelffer.
Louise married Arno Hosfeld.
Two children:
 Kenneth, born 1930. Died.
 Sandra, born 1942.
- V Descendants of Erwin, son of Fred and Bertha (Huebner) Woelffer.
Erwin married Ora Weggeman.
Three children:
 Dean, born 1928.
 Gail.
 Donald.

IV Descendants of Bertha, daughter of August and Barbara (Neupert) Woelffer.
Bertha married William Abendroth.

Four children :

Laura, born 1894.

Esther, born 1896

Frieda, born 1901.

Elmer, born 1905.

V Descendants of Laura, daughter of Bertha (Woelffer) Abendroth.
Laura married William Gottschalk.

Three children:

Wesly, born 1921.

Jean, born 1928.

Kenneth, born 1931.

V Descendants of Esther, daughter of Bertha (Woelffer) Abendroth.
Esther married Helmuth Haberman.

One child:

Lucile, born 1923.

V Descendants of Frieda, daughter of Bertha (Woelffer) Abendroth.
Frieda married Edward Cikanek.

Two children:

Jean, born 1934.

Carol, born 1938.

V Descendants of Elmer, son of Bertha (Woelffer) Abendroth.
Elmer married Audrey Krueger. Died 1944.

Two children:

Colleen, born 1936.

Carolyn Louise, born 1944.

IV Descendants of Hermine, daughter of August and Barbara (Neupert) Woelffer.
Hermine married John Abendroth.

Five children:

Helen Lydia, born 1896.

Walter Rudolph, born 1897. Died 1931.

Ella Louise, born 1898.

Clara Ann, born 1899.

Herbert Edward, born 1901.

V Descendants of Helen, daughter of Hermine (Woelffer) Abendroth.
Helen married Peter Thomsen.

Four children:

Peter James, born 1925.

Duane John, born 1927.

Carroll Jes, born 1930.

Glenn Christian, born 1932.

V Descendants of Walter, son of Hermine (Woelffer) Abendroth.
Walter married Esther Jordan.

Five children:

Baby boy, died in infancy.

Rachel, born 1924. Died 1941.

John Jordan, born 1926. (U. S. Army.)

Lynn Walter, born 1928. (U. S. Navy.)

Rebecka, died in infancy 1931.

- V Descendants of Ella, daughter of Hermine (Woelffer) Abendroth.
Ella married Fred Zimmerman.
Two children:
 Frederick John, born 1927. (U. S. Army.)
 Barbara Ellen, born 1930.
- V Descendants of Clara, daughter of Hermine (Woelffer) Abendroth.
Clara married Edwin Menz.
Three children:
 Marie Carolyn, born 1927.
 Sherburne Thomas, born 1928.
 Roberta Jane, born 1932.
- V Descendants of Herbert, son of Hermine (Woelffer) Abendroth.
Herbert married Ada Strauss.
Three children:
 Carroll, born 1924.
 Joan Evalyn, born 1926.
 Eugene, born 1929.

- IV** Descendants of Reinhold Woelffer, son of August and Barbara (Neupert) Woelffer.
Reinhold married Bertha Duwe. Died.
Three children:
 Reuben, born 1901. Married Laura Byrow. No children.
 Earl, born 1903.
 Clarence, born 1909.
Reinhold married Anna Duwe. No children.
- V** Descendants of Earl, son of Reinhold and Bertha (Duwe) Woelffer.
Earl married Ruth Fischer.
One child:
 Neal, born 1940.
- V** Descendants of Clarence, son of Reinhold and Bertha (Duwe) Woelffer.
Clarence married Helen Ashton.
Two children:
 Beatrice Ann, born 1937.
 Robert, born 1943.
- IV** Descendants of August Max, son of August and Barbara (Neupert) Woelffer.
August married Hannah Schleuter. Died 1912.
One child:
 Nora, born 1903. August married Jessie Simdon. No children.
- V** Descendants of Nora, daughter of August and Hannah (Schleuter) Woelffer.
Nora married William Schroeder.
One child:
 Philip, born 1930.

- IV** Descendants of Albert Woelffer, son of August and Barbara (Neupert) Woelffer.
Albert married Gertrude Doschadis.
Four children:
 Myrtle, born 1905.
 Fern, born 1906. Married Arthur Bleeker. No children.
 Gerald, born 1908. Jerome, born 1901.
- V** Descendants of Myrtle, daughter of Albert and Gertrude (Doschadis) Woelffer.
Myrtle married James Plates.
Three children:
 John, born 1935.
 Catherine, born 1938.
 Mary, born 1941.
- V** Descendants of Gerald, son of Albert and Gertrude (Doschadis) Woelffer.
Gerald married Winnifred Farley.
Two children:
 Michael, born 1941.
 John, born 1943.
- V** Descendants of Jerome, son of Albert and Gertrude (Doschadis) Woelffer.
Jerome married Helen Larkin.
Two children:
 Albert, died in infancy.
 Sophia Gertrude, died in infancy.
- VI** Jerome married Lucille Klein.
One child:
 Patrick, born 1943.