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The National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) is the nation's record keeper. Of all the documents and materials created in the course of business conducted by the United States Federal government, only 1%–3% are determined permanently valuable. Those valuable records are preserved and are available to you, whether you want to see if they contain clues about your family's history, need to prove a veteran's military service, or are researching an historical topic that interests you.







THE KNOW YOUR RECORDS PROGRAM consists of free events with up-to-date information about our holdings. Events offer opportunities for you to learn about the National Archives' records through ongoing lectures, monthly genealogy programs, and the annual genealogy fair. Additional resources include an online reference reports for genealogical research, and the newsletter *Researcher News*.



**September 14, 2016** 



## What's New at FamilySearch John de Jong

FamilySearch provides free online access to over 2,079 record collections with 1.2 billion images, 5.36 billion searchable names, research assistance, genealogical education, community forums, and an ever-expanding knowledge base (Wiki). This session will explore the many resources available online and at your local Family History Center.



#### **Presenter's Biography**





#### John de Jong FamilySearch International

John's current responsibility at FamilySearch International is to lead the team responsible for negotiations with all archives in North America. He also has personal responsibility to collaborate with U.S. Federal agencies including the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA). Additionally, he negotiates agreements with archives in Maryland, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, and the District of Columbia to digitize their genealogically significant records and make them available online for patrons to find their ancestors for free at www.familysearch.org.

John's personal family history research is focused on the Netherlands, seeking to learn more about his family and their origins. He is also helping his wife with her family's genealogy, and was able to find out more about several relatives who were Civil War soldiers, and whose records and some pictures were found at the National Archives.

#### www.archives.gov/calendar/know-your-records

# FamilySearch: Past, Present, and Future

# What's New at FamilySearch.org?

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# What is FamilySearch?

A Free service to enable families to learn more about each other and their Ancestors



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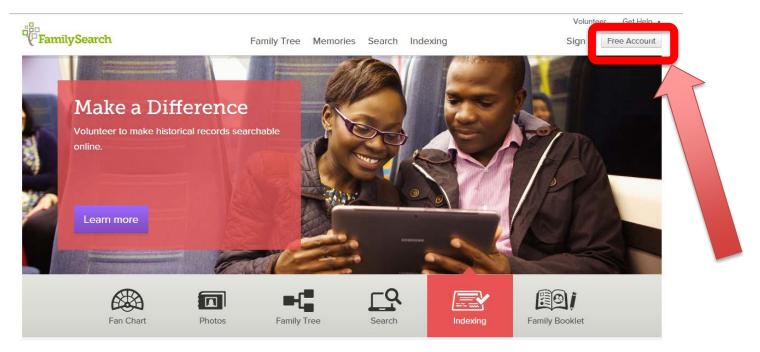
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#### How can I use this free service?

#### Go to www.familysearch.org





#### My Family: Stories That Bring Us Together

Add your Information Into Family Tree



## Sign up in 3 Easy Steps

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#### Have instant access to...

#### FamilySearch.org Facts for June 2016

Searchable Names in Historical Records	5.4 Billion
Digital images of historic documents published online	1.2 Billion
Indexed records published: 3 year rolling average	534 Million
Number of searchable historic record collections online	2,105 Collections
Number of digital books	287,671
Number of family history centers	4,929
Number of digital cameras in operation	309
Visits per day	291,674
Pages viewed per day	4.68 Million
Online indexing volunteers	930,411
Registered FamilySearch users	6.8 Million
Family Tree contributors Total	3.14 Million
Photos uploaded	12.5 Million
Stories uploaded	463,730
Records in the Family Tree	1.1 Billion

# Digitizing the World's Records...in 2015



Digitized 150 million images worldwide using over 302 camera teams.

Digitized 25 million in US (including three million NARA images)

Note: Images are freely preserved and migrated in perpetuity to the latest digital formats in addition to free local copies provided to recipient Archives.

## Let's discuss the latest:

Personalized Home Page Mobile Apps **Memories** Family Discovery Centers Family Tree **Contextual Help** Search FamilySearch Messaging Indexing Support for Multiple Languages **Commercial Partners** Help

# Personalized Home Page

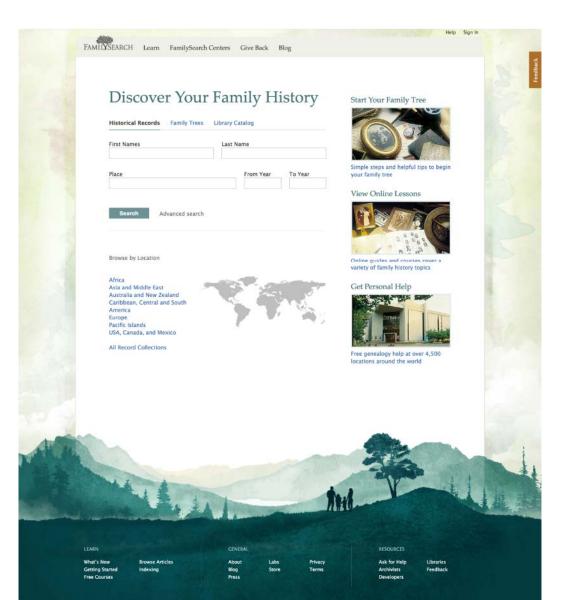




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#### Evolution of the Home Page: 2011



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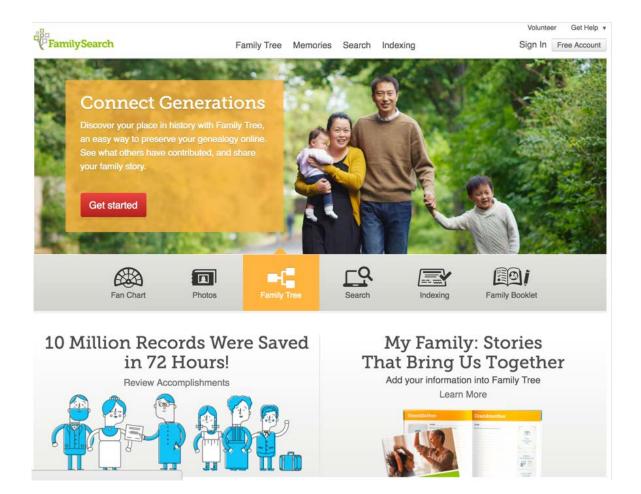


#### Ancestors Remembered

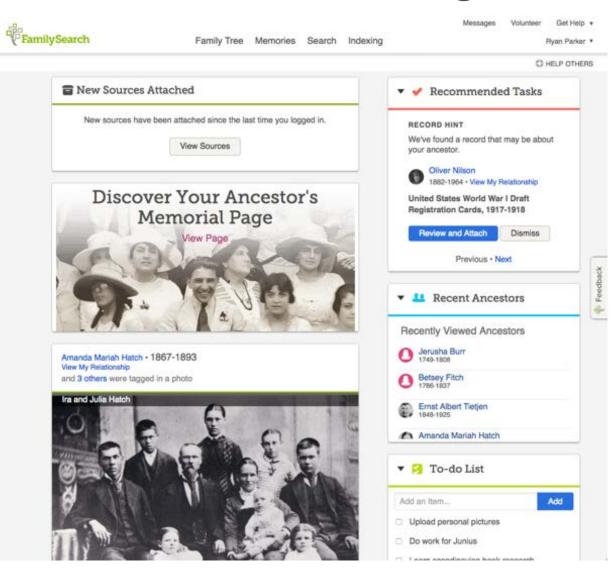
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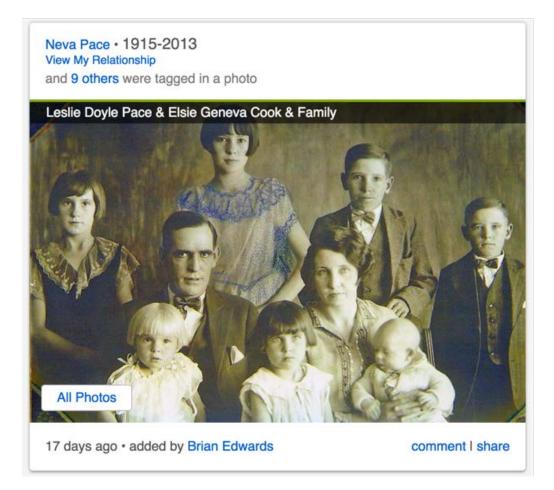
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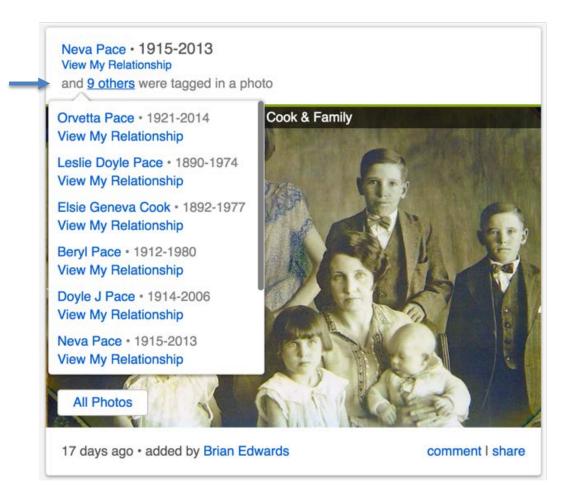
#### **Personalized Home Page**



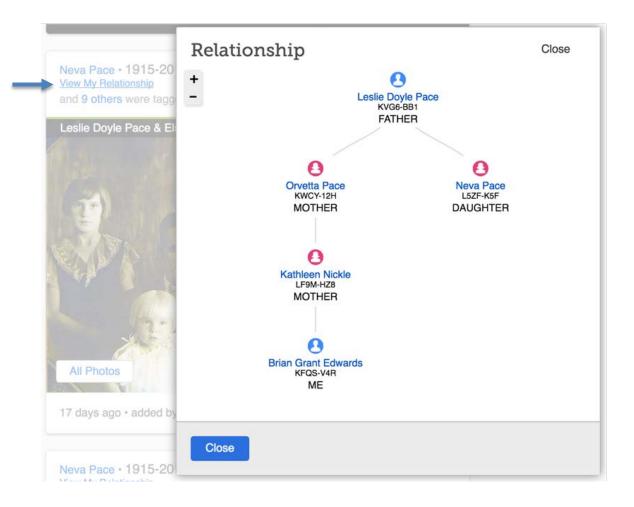
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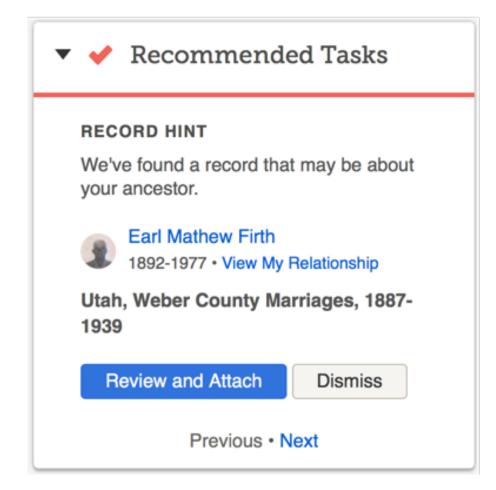
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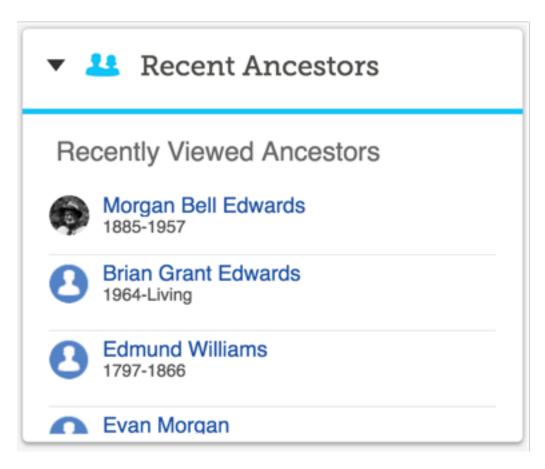
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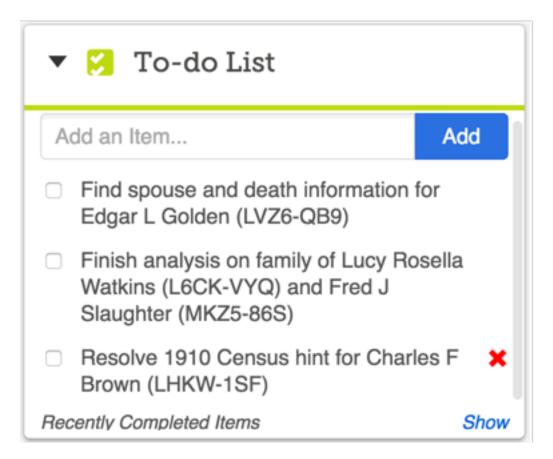
### **Recommended Tasks**



#### **Recent Ancestors**



## To-do List



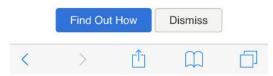
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Share a Name

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#### To-do List: Mobile Size

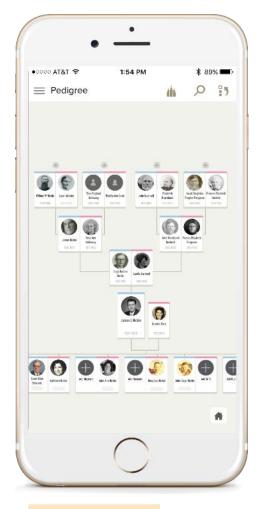
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# **Mobile Apps**









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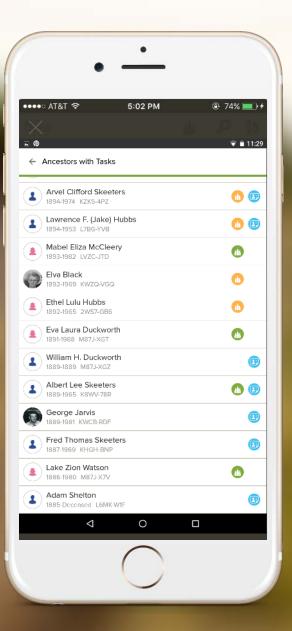
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## Mobile Apps: By the Numbers

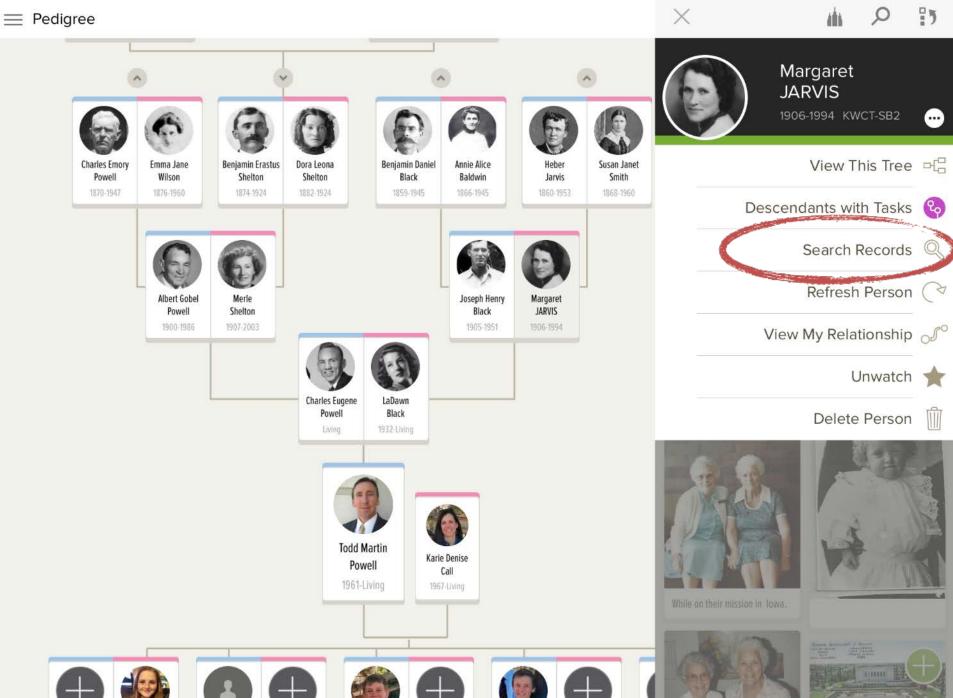
Number of mobile apps:	4
Total app downloads:	1.5 Million
Active users one week (July):	90k
Tree persons added this year:	1.2 Million
Tree persons added all time	2.3 Million
Artifacts attached all time:	1.4 Million



- Search Person Records
- Task Lists (Record Hints)







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#### Search Records



PARENTS

- Heber Jarvis
- Susan Janet Smith

Joseph Henry Black 1905 - 1951•KWCT-SBK

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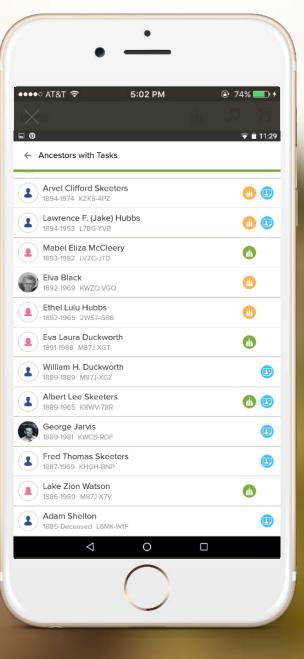
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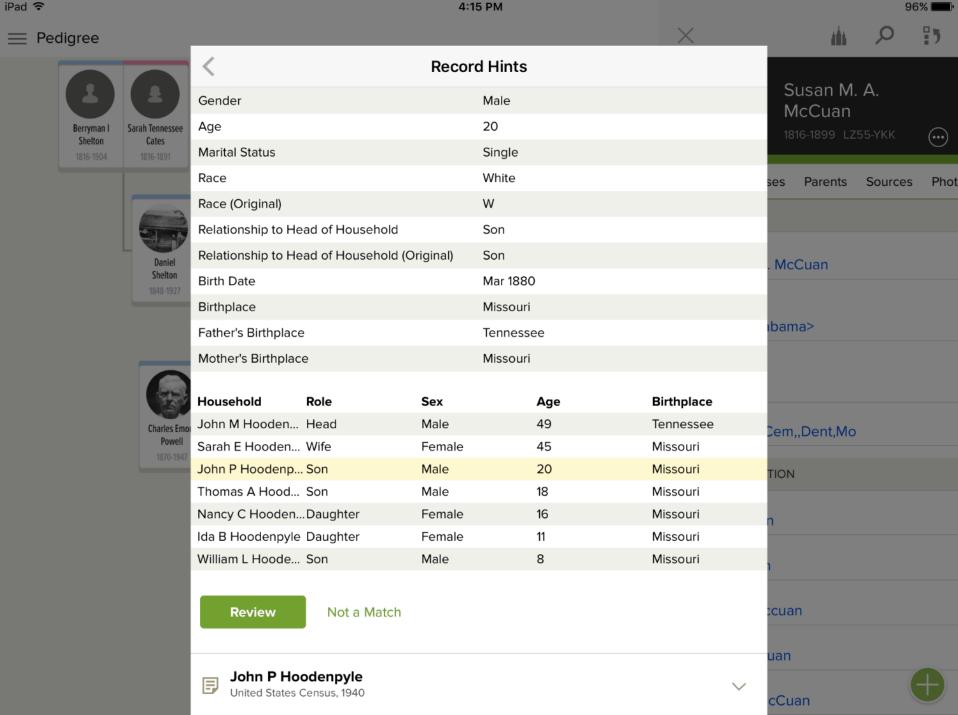
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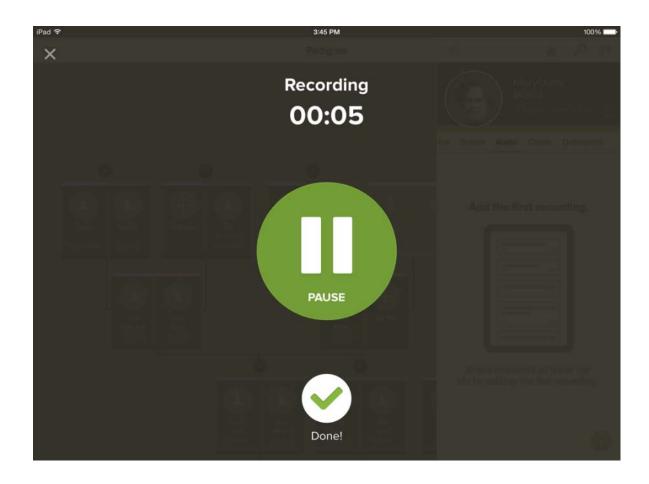






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### Mobile: Add an audio recording



## Memories

# Remembering and preserving our memories



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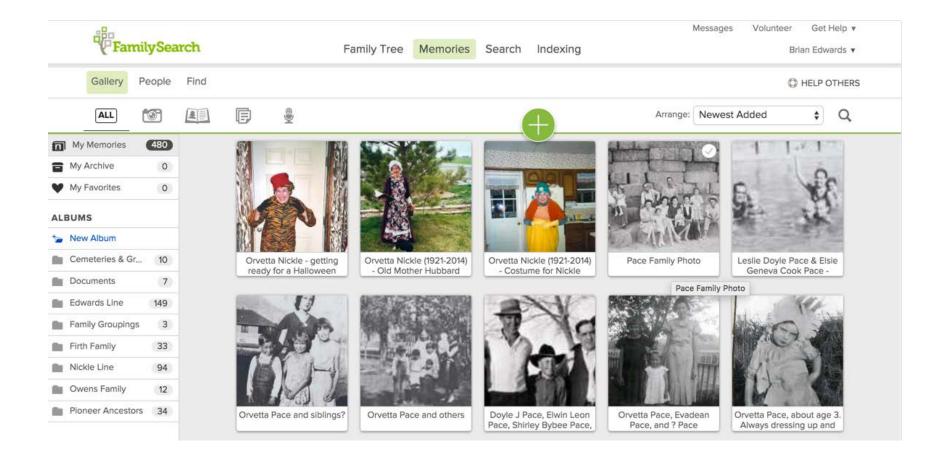
### Memories: By the Numbers

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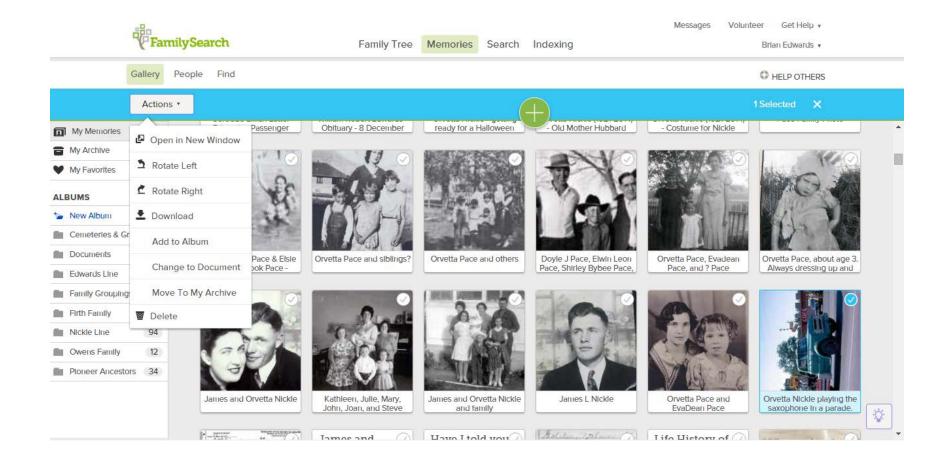
Users have uploaded >14 Million Artifacts

- >4.3 MM artifacts in 2015
- ~76% attached to the family tree

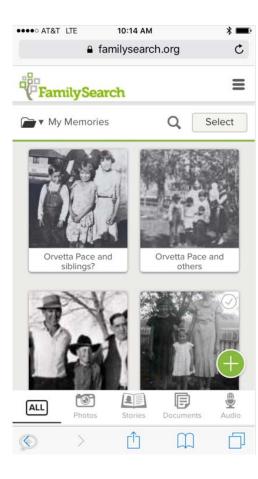
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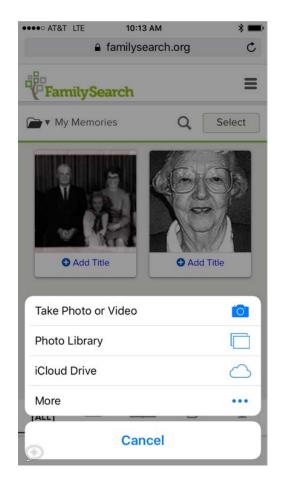
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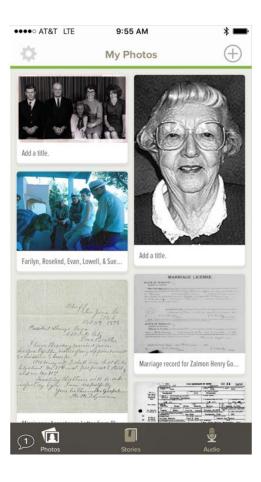
#### Memories Gallery on a Mobile Phone







#### Memories App – Android or iOS



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#### Grant Edward Edwards

I never knew my grandfather because he died when my dad was 15 years old.

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He worked on the railroad and he and his family moved frequently with that job. My dad said that when they lived in Lyndyl ...

#### Kathleen Nickle

My Mom has always been very musically talented. When she was young, she sang in groups and productions. In high school, she and some friends had a regular radio program where they sang.

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My dad is my hero. He served in military intelligence for the US Army, earned a PhD in

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#### James Lloyd Nickle

My grandfather was both a farmer and an insurance agent for





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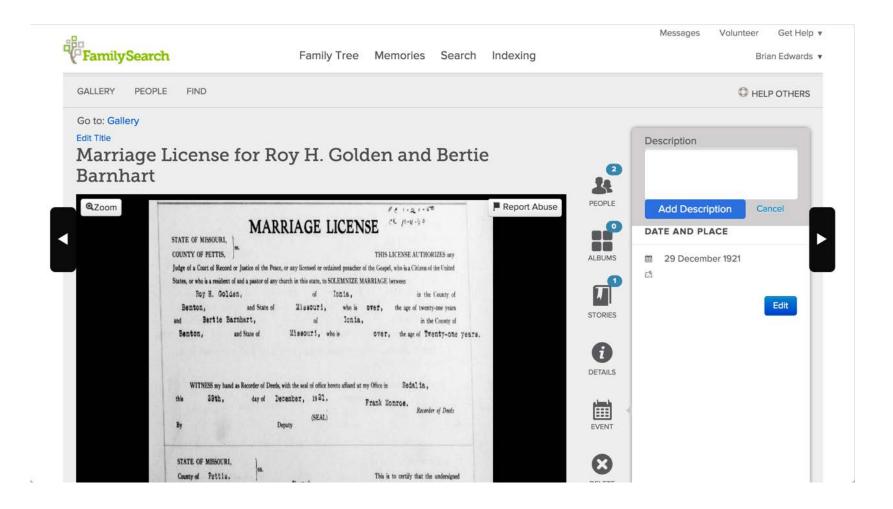
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#### Add Event Details – Date and Place



## Family Discovery Centers

#### Engaging youth and those with casual interest



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#### Family Discovery Center Experiences









Experience My Story/Time Machine

#### Family Discovery Experiences (cont.)



Picture My Story

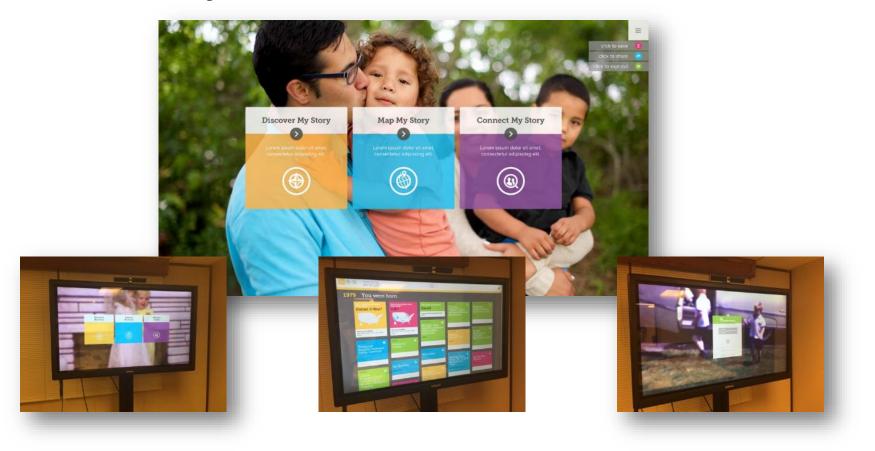






Relative Finder/Are We Related?

#### **Discovery Station**



## **Coming Soon: Family Tree Views**

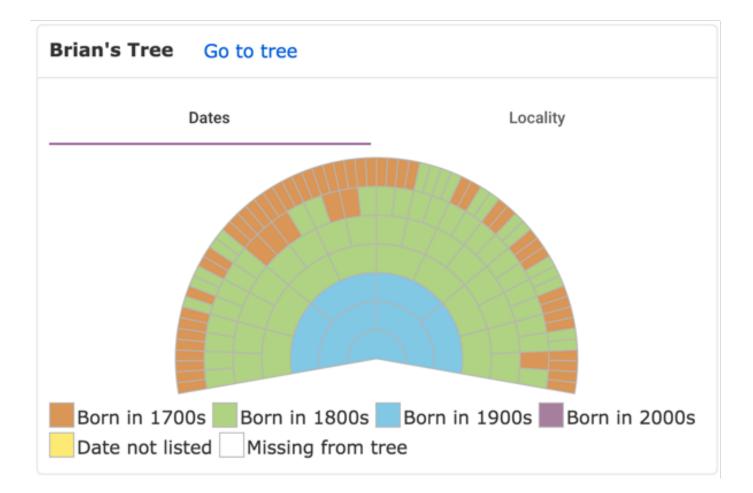




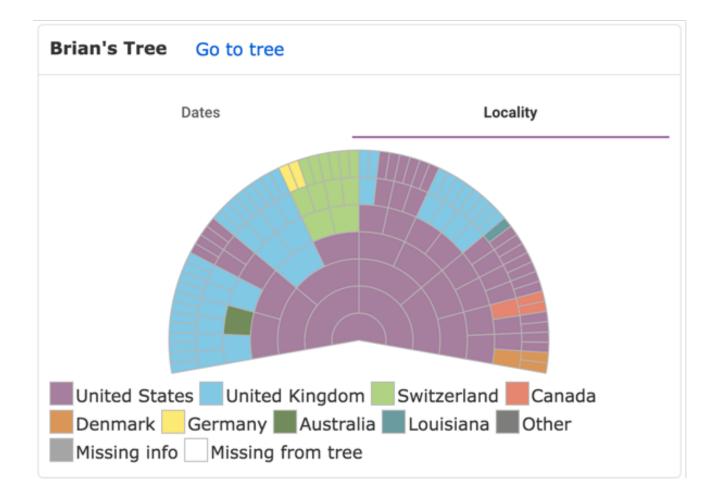
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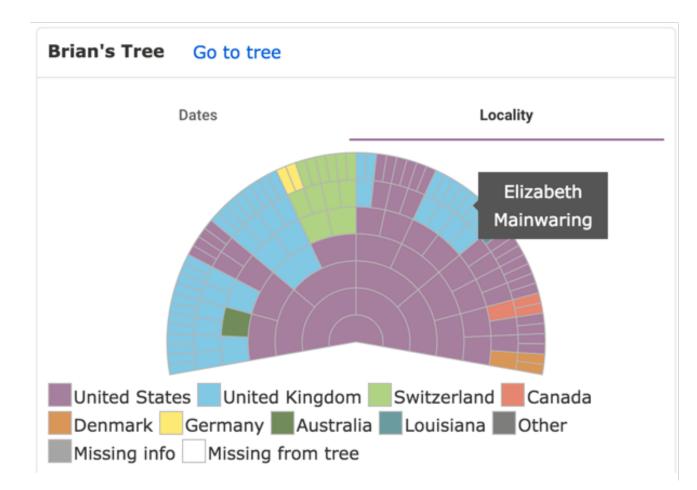
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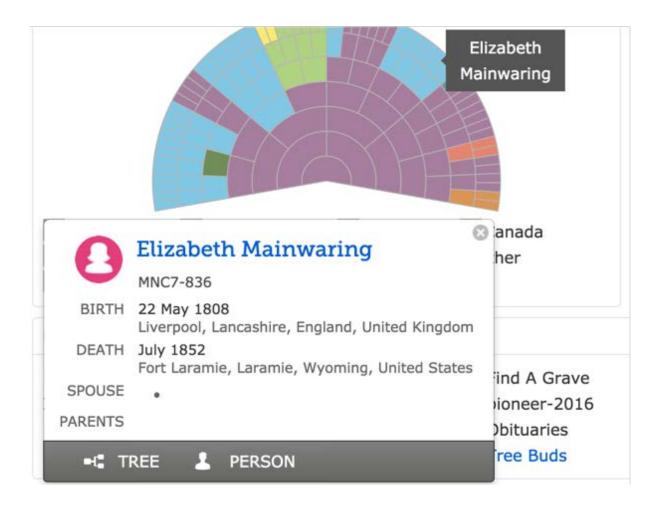
### Family Tree by Country



### Choosing an Ancestor



### Going to the Tree In Helper Mode



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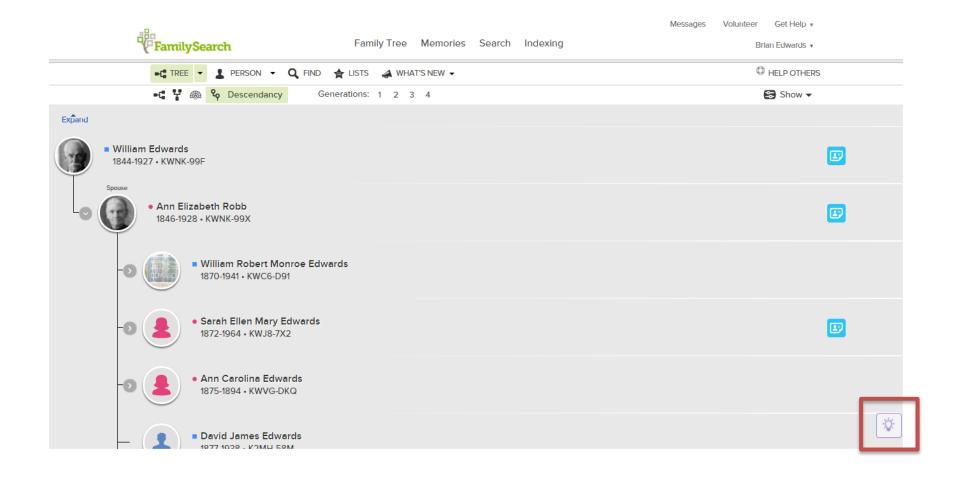




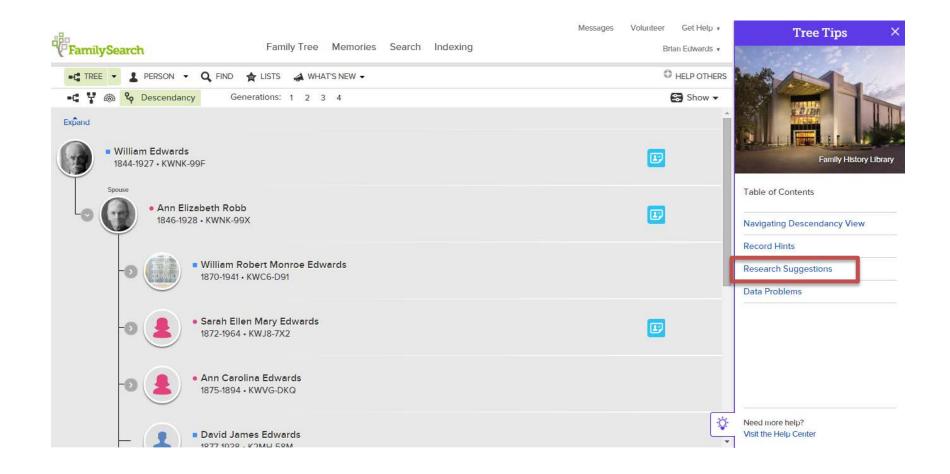
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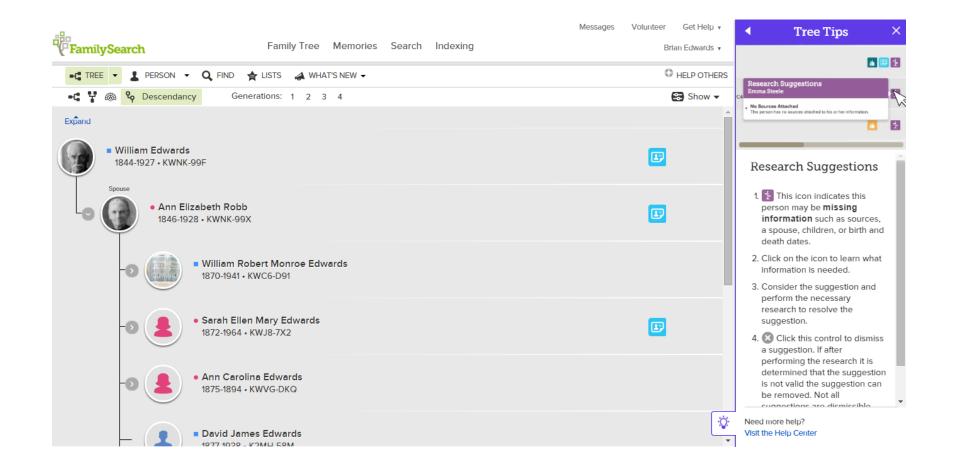
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#### **Contextual Help**



#### **Contextual Help**



## Search

# Getting to know our family through records



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#### Hinting and Search: By the Numbers

Hinting Precision: ~98%

Hinting Recall: ~65-70%

- Daily Hints Attached: ~340,000
- Daily Names added to Family Tree: ~34,000
  - Source Attach Origin: 40% Search

60% Hints

### Attaching Unindexed Images

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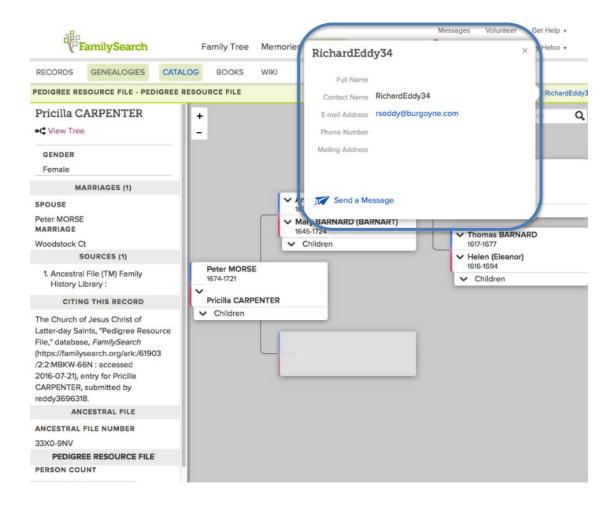
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You are hereby authorized to solemnize the RITES OF MATRIMONY between	Deceased • L5ZN-297
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#### Genealogies: Contacting Submitters



# Added: Guild of One Name Studies and Oral Genealogies

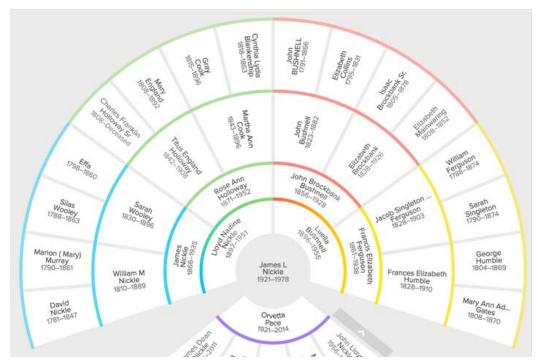
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### Search: Future

**Faster Hints** 

Hints from more record types – e.g. user trees International Search and Hint Improvements Federated Search Improved Source Linker Experience

## **Family Tree**





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### Notification of People Watching

Standard:	20 March 1863
Birthplace	
Sankt Johanne	s, Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark
Standard:	København, Copenhagen, Denmark
Reason This Inf	ormation Is Correct
Modified	
Modified 29 August 200	3 by jco

#### Tree: Delete Person

#### TOOLS

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Possible Duplicates

Report Abuse

Delete Person Unavailable

#### Delete Person Unavailable

This person has multiple contributors and cannot be deleted.

Instead of deleting a person, consider the following alternatives.

- Edit incorrect data.
- · Merge duplicate records.
- · Delete relationships.

If this person never existed, contact FamilySearch Support to have the data removed.

OK

#### Add Family Members



### Add Family Members

ADD SPOUSE OR CHILDREN	1825-1898 • KWNK-3BW
Add Spouse	1858-1858 • KWV3-QB2
	1859-1919 • KWJZ-XV8
Add Child for Sarah Moulton and John Bennett Hawkins	1861-1942 • KWCQ-J8Y
Add Child for Sarah Moulton and	1865-1908 • KWNX-F73
Unknown Father	869-1869 • KWV3-QBF
–🕥 🔝 🔹 Esther Emily Hawkins	1869-1941 • KWC8-LYG
–🕥 🖽 • Julia May Hawkins	1871-1953 · KWCW-CWQ
— 🖪 🛛 Emma Amelia Hawkins	1874-1875 • KWV3-QBJ

### Family Tree: Future

Better Scaling and System Capacity Share Living People Information Sources on Living People

## FamilySearch Messaging



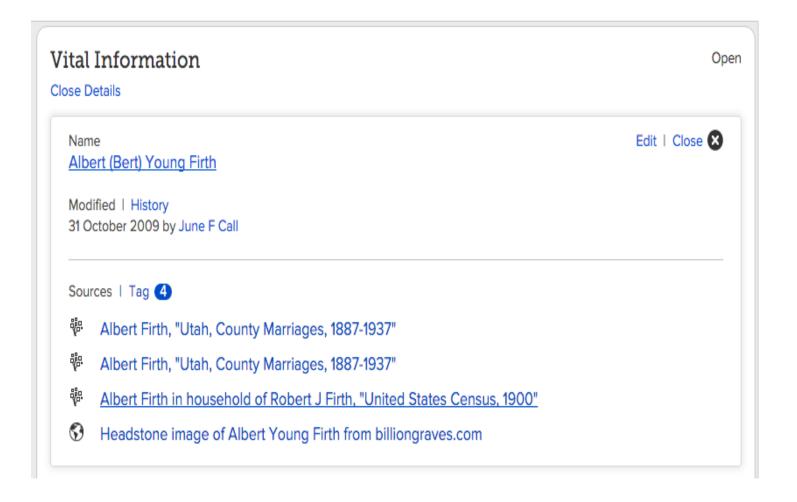




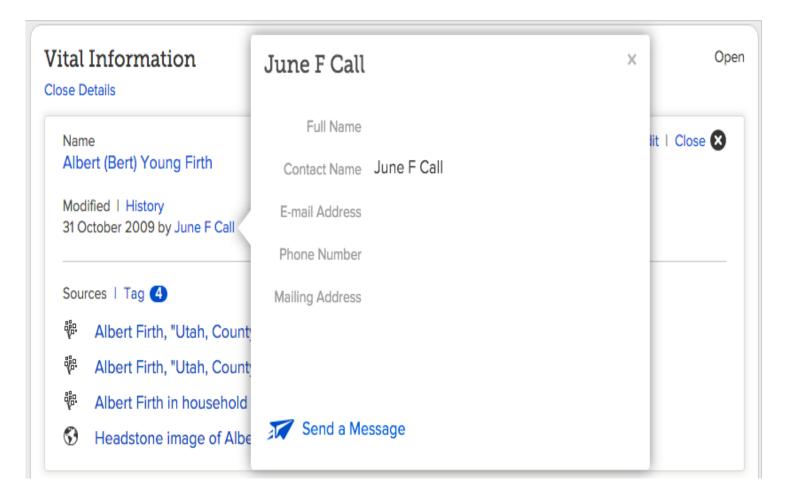
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### Messaging: Contact and Collaborate



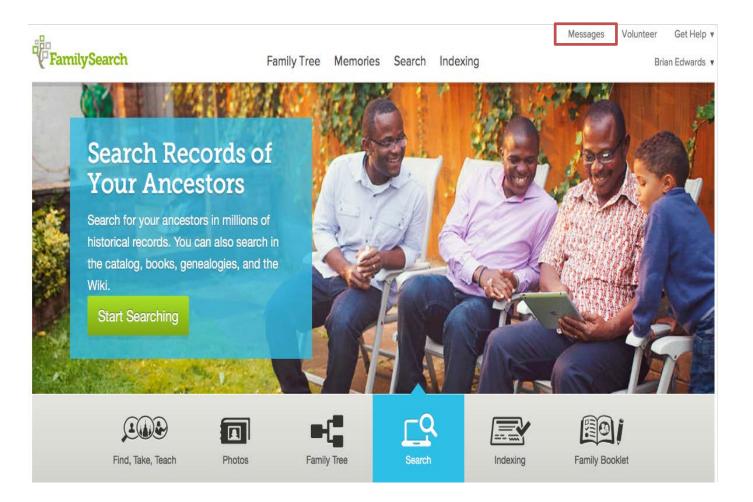
### Messaging: Send a Message



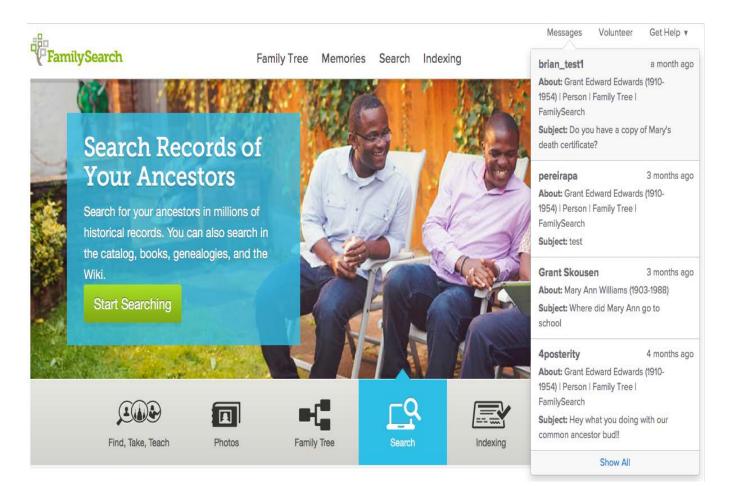
#### Messaging: Write a Message

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#### FamilySearch Messaging



#### **Recent Messages**



#### Inbox: Text Message Style

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4posterity, pereirapa 3 months ago About: Grant Edward Edwards (1910-1954)   Person I Subject: test		
4posterity, Grant Skousen         3 months ago           About: Mary Ann Williams (1903-1988)         3           Subject: Where did Mary Ann go to school         3	Grant Skousen In the picture you added Mary Ann has an interesting symbol on her sweater. Is that from 1 July 2015	
4posterity 4 months ago	high school or college? 10:11 AM	
About: Grant Edward Edwards (1910-1954)   Person I Subject: Hey what you doing with our common ance		4posterity
	1 July 2015 Mary Ann attended Utah Agricultural College, which is now known as Utah State 10:16 AM She went on to be a school teacher.	e University.
		4posterity
	1July 2015 10:16 AM The symbol on her sweater is a UAC, for Utah Agricultu	ural College.
	Grant Skousen	
	Have you seen this timeline for Utah State - http://www.usu.edu/about/traditions/ 1July 2015 10:26 AM	
		_
	Write a message.	Send

#### FamilySearch Messaging: Future Views

Integration of messages with an address book Allow people to opt in to share more publicly Add new ways for people to form communities for sharing and collaboration

# Indexing

#### Making Records Searchable







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### Indexing: By the Numbers

Total records completed: 1.34 Billion

Total records in 2015: 68,569,328

Total contributors: 213,184

Records awaiting arbitration: **15,795,814** 

Current Projects: ~450

#### **Current Indexing Home Screen**

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#### New Indexing Home

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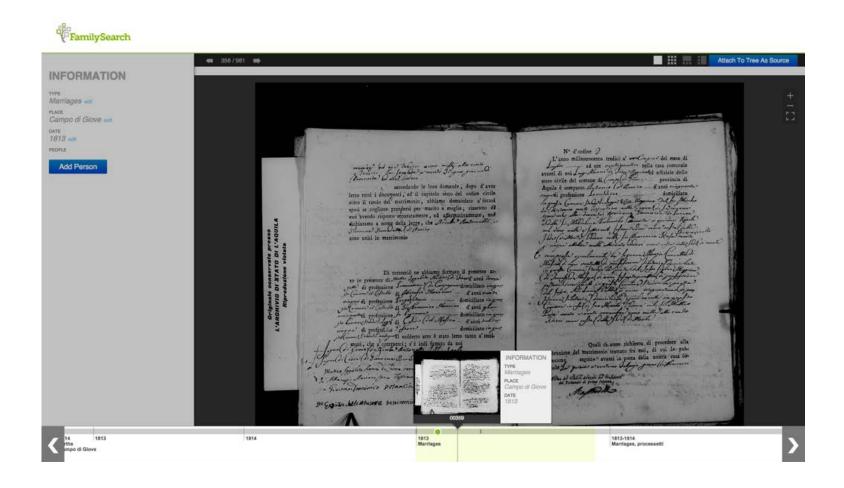
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#### Future: Indexing on the Fly



# Support for Multiple Languages



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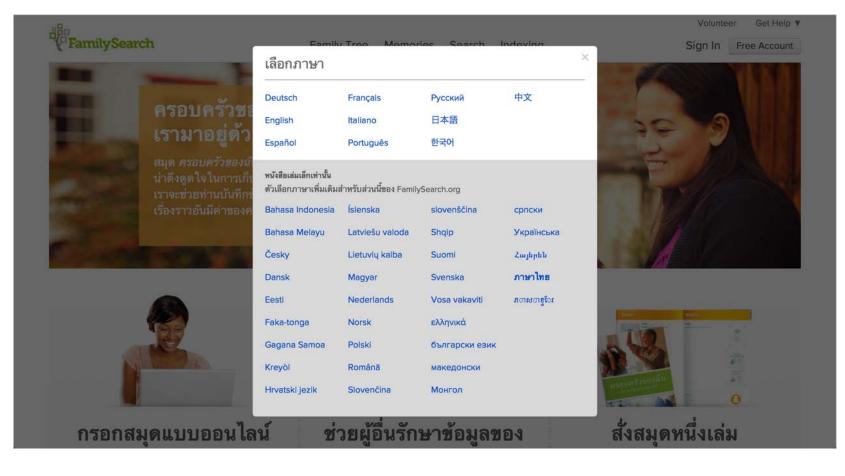
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family



#### My Family: Stories That Bring Us Together 42 Languages



#### My Family Booklet: 42 Languages



#### Create An Account | Login | Record Family Memories, Stories, Family Relationships

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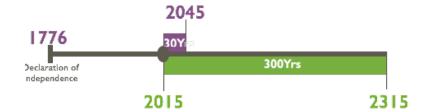
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# Commercial Partners: By the Numbers







Indexing: 300 yrs with current volunteer workforce, 30 years with partners



from a partner

### App Gallery: 123 "apps"



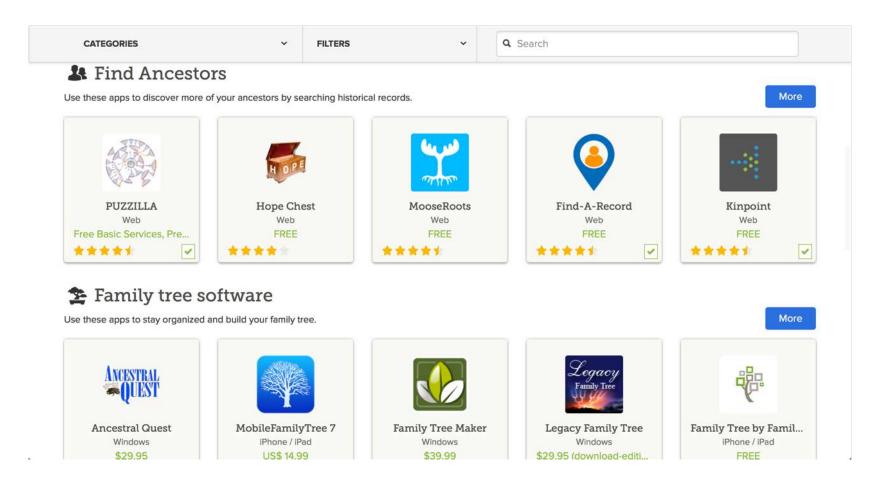
#### A New and Noteworthy

These are apps either just added to the App Gallery or ones you should pay attention to.



More

#### Browse by category, search, filter



#### How to get Help!!



Fan Chart



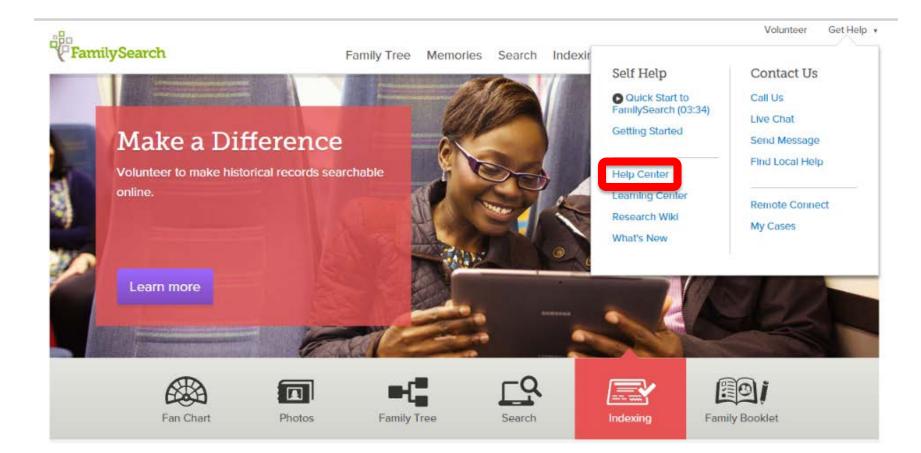


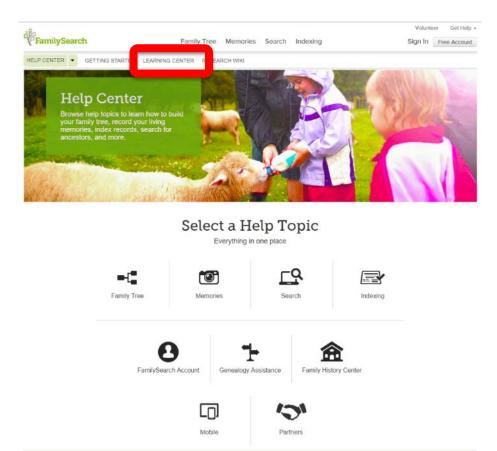




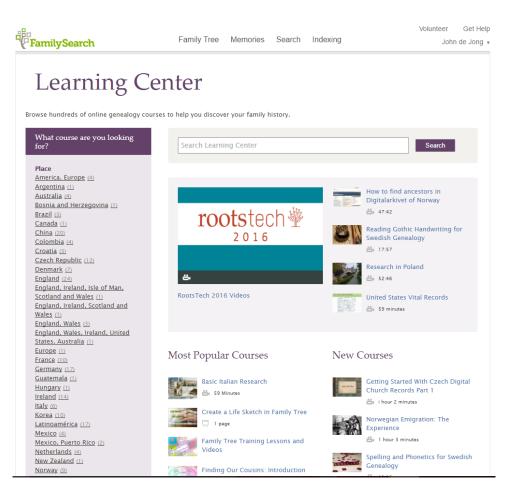
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