

Ole Andersen Spelhaug



Husband: Ole Andersen Spelhaug¹

Birth: 1808 in Sigdal parish^{2, 5}
Death: 10 Jul 1873 in Spelhaug farm, Norway^{2, 6}
Burial: 21 Jul 1873 in Olberg Church in Norway^{1, 2}
Father: Anders Evensen Spelhaug²
Mother: Kari Ellingsdatter Lesterbergeie^{3, 4}

Wife: Kristi Erikdatter Solumsbraten⁷

Birth: 1811 in Flå (Nes), Norway²
Death: 1875 in Norway²
Father:
Mother:

Children:

1
M Name: Anders Olsen Spelhaug⁷
Birth: 13 Sep 1836⁷
Death: 29 Jul 1903 in Norway
Burial: Olberg Church in Norway¹
Spouse: Jøran Olsdatter⁸

2
F Name: Ronnaug Olsdatter Spelhaug⁷
Birth: 27 Apr 1840 in Krødsherad, Buskerud, Norway²
Death: 03 Nov 1913 in Chatfield Twp., Fillmore Co., MN²
Burial: 06 Nov 1913 in Root Prairie Church, Fillmore County, Minnesota⁹
Marriage: 29 Jun 1860 in Olberg Church, Buskerud, Norway⁷
Spouse: Asle Erickson Sundet¹⁰

3
M Name: Even Olsen Spelhaug²

Notes:

Anders Olsen Spelhaug

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Ronnaug Olsdatter Spelhaug

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Notes: (con't)

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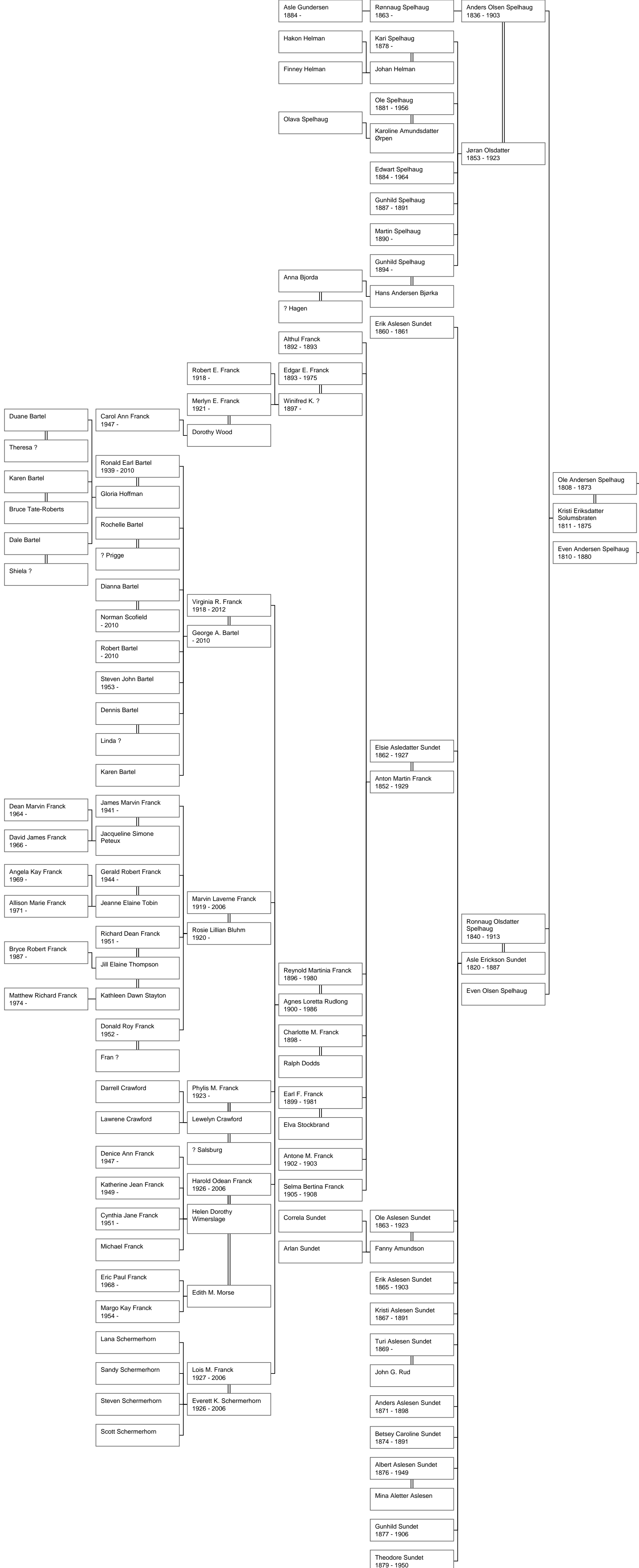
Even Olsen Spelhaug

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Sources:

- 1 Phyllis Preskey, Spelhaug Manuscript #3, p. 3.
- 2 Jerry Franck, Descendants of Anders Evensen Spelhaug (April 19, 2005), Robert W. Layton collection, p. 1.
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Descendants Ole Andersen Spelhaug (1st son of Anders Spelhaug)



Descendants of Ole Anderson Spelhaug

Generation 1

1. **OLE ANDERSEN¹ SPELHAUG¹** was born in 1808 in Sigdal parish^{2, 3}. He died on 10 Jul 1873 in Spelhaug farm, Norway^{3, 4}. He married **KRISTI ERIKSDATTER SOLUMSBRATEN**. She was born in 1811³ in Flå (Nes), Norway. She died in 1875 in Norway³.

More About Ole Andersen SPELHAUG:

Burial: 21 Jul 1873 in Olberg Church in Norway^{1, 3}

Ole Andersen SPELHAUG and Kristi Eriksdatter SOLUMSBRATEN had the following children:

2.
 - i. **ANDERS OLSEN² SPELHAUG⁵** (son of Ole Andersen SPELHAUG and Kristi Eriksdatter SOLUMSBRATEN) was born on 13 Sep 1836⁵. He died on 29 Jul 1903 in Norway. He married **JØRAN OLSDATTER**. She was born in 1853⁶. She died in 1923⁶.
3.
 - ii. **RONNAUG OLSDATTER "RENA" SPELHAUG⁵** (daughter of Ole Andersen SPELHAUG and Kristi Eriksdatter SOLUMSBRATEN) was born on 27 Apr 1840 in Krødsherad, Buskerud, Norway³. She died on 03 Nov 1913 in Chatfield Twp., Fillmore Co., MN³. She married Asle Erickson Sundet (son of Erik Aslesen Olberg SUNDET and Else Thoresdatter SKINNEMOEN) on 29 Jun 1860 in Olberg Church, Buskerud, Norway⁵. He was born on 07 Jan 1820 in Olbergsundet, Krødsherad, Norway⁷. He died on 21 Apr 1887 in Fountain, MN⁷.
 - iii. **EVEN OLSEN SPELHAUG** (son of Ole Andersen SPELHAUG and Kristi Eriksdatter SOLUMSBRATEN)³.

Notes for Even Olsen SPELHAUG:

Jerry Franck lists this individual as a son of Ole. He also lists this individual's wife as AASE and notes that both were burried at Root Prairie Church in Minnesota. RWL belives that Mr. Franck has confused Even OLSEN Spelhaug with Even ANDERSEN Spelhaug, Ole's brother, who also married an AASE and who, along with his wife, are buried at the Root Prairie Church.

Generation 2

2. **ANDERS OLSEN² SPELHAUG** (Ole Andersen¹)⁵ was born on 13 Sep 1836⁵. He died on 29 Jul 1903 in Norway. He married **JØRAN OLSDATTER**. She was born in 1853⁶. She died in 1923⁶.

More About Anders Olsen SPELHAUG:

Burial: Olberg Church in Norway¹

Notes for Anders Olsen SPELHAUG:

On May 3, 2005, Merrill Austin wrote, " As the oldest son, Anders inherited Spelhaug farm from Ole and Kristi and remained in Norway."

Anders Olsen SPELHAUG had the following child:

4.
 - i. **RØNNAUG³ SPELHAUG⁶** (daughter of Anders Olsen SPELHAUG) was born in 1863.

Anders Olsen SPELHAUG and Jøran OLSDATTER had the following children:

5.
 - ii. **KARI SPELHAUG⁶** (daughter of Anders Olsen SPELHAUG and Jøran OLSDATTER) was born in 1878. She married JOHAN HELMAN.

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6. iii. OLE SPELHAUG⁶ (son of Anders Olsen SPELHAUG and Jøran OLSDATTER) was born in 1881⁶. He died in 1956⁶. He married KAROLINE AMUNSDATTER "LINA" ØRPEN. She was born in Orpen, Norway.
- iv. EDWART SPELHAUG⁶ (son of Anders Olsen SPELHAUG and Jøran OLSDATTER) was born in 1884⁶. He died in 1964⁶.
- More About Edwart SPELHAUG:
 Occupation: ; worked in USA and Canada
 Fact #1: never married
 Cause Of Death: ; drowned in lake in Norway
- v. GUNHILD SPELHAUG⁶ (daughter of Anders Olsen SPELHAUG and Jøran OLSDATTER) was born in 1887. She died in 1891.
- vi. MARTIN SPELHAUG⁶ (son of Anders Olsen SPELHAUG and Jøran OLSDATTER) was born on 19 Aug 1890.
- More About Martin SPELHAUG:
 Occupation: ; "worked in USA, Canada and Alaska"
 Fact #1: never married
7. vii. GUNHILD SPELHAUG⁶ (daughter of Anders Olsen SPELHAUG and Jøran OLSDATTER) was born in 1894⁶. She married HANS ANDERSEN BJØRKA.
3. **RONNAUG OLSDATTER² "RENA" SPELHAUG** (Ole Andersen¹)⁵ was born on 27 Apr 1840 in Krødsherad, Buskerud, Norway³. She died on 03 Nov 1913 in Chatfield Twp., Fillmore Co., MN³. She married Asle Erickson Sundet (son of Erik Aslesen Olberg SUNDET and Else Thoresdatter SKINNEMOEN) on 29 Jun 1860 in Olberg Church, Buskerud, Norway⁵. He was born on 07 Jan 1820 in Olbergsundet, Krødsherad, Norway⁷. He died on 21 Apr 1887 in Fountain, MN⁷.

More About Ronnaug Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG:
Burial: 06 Nov 1913 in Root Prairie Church, Fillmore County, Minnesota⁷
Emigration: to the U.S.A.
Also Known As: ; Rena

Notes for Ronnaug Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG:
May 3, 2005, Merrill Austin wrote, "Rønnaug and Asle emigrated from Norway in 1861 and settled in Fillmore County, MN. Rønnaug was known as Rena Sundet in America, had 11 children and died of "carcinoma of the stomach."

More About Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET:
Confirmation: 1835 in Olberg Church⁹
Occupation: ; Tailor in Norway, farmed near Chatfield⁷
Also Known As: ; Asle Erickson

Notes for Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET:
An Asle Sundet is listed among the charter members of the Root Prairie Lutheran Church in Fountain,

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Minnesota.

In 2005, THE SUNDET FAMILY provided by Karen Kautz noted,

" Asle was confirmed in 1835 at Olberg Church. Asle and Ronnang left Krodsherad for the USA in 1861 possibly due to the owner of the farm dying. On the way to the ship their son, Erik, died near Haere farm in Heggen parish (Modum district) on 30 April 1861. They had to leave him there for burial and continued on to the ship at Drammen.

"They left on the ASKUR on 17 May 1861. The ASKUR was a bark that carried three cabin and 260 steerage passengers. The passengers cooked their own food and danced for exercise. They were in danger of hitting icebergs during a fog and even had a close call with a British ship. There was a carpenter who built coffins for the people who died. Three people died on this trip. As they neared Canada, Asle's mother, a widow who Asle had persuaded to join them for the move to America as he was the last one of his family left to care for her, died on 21 June 1861. She was buried in Quebec according to oral history, but it seems too long to wait. The ASKUR was in the Quebec quarantine station at Grosse Ile on 12 July 1861. As reported in the 1861 Norwegian Morgonbladet newspaper, Asle Ericksen Olbergsundet was a member of a passenger's committee that presented their captain, C. Dechmann, a silver plate and a gold ring for the speedy trip and concern shown for the passenger's comfort. This was mentioned in an advertisement in 1862 to help get bookings for that year's voyage.

"Asle and Ronnang continued on to Spring Grove, MN and later built a cabin south of Chatfield. In the book "The Chosen Valley", it mentions that they came to Minnesota with 800 silver dollars in a trunk. The trunk is still in the family. Asle worked in the pineries some winters and eventually they owned a nice 240 acre farm. Ronnang was believed to do much of the farm work. The Norwegian records say that two sisters of Asle, Turi born 1821 and Berit born 1824, followed him to America, but it is also suggested that they preceded him. There is a Declaration of Intent to become a citizen for Asle Ericksen in Fillmore Co. dated 1 November 1863. The Asle Erickson family is shown in the 1875 census for the township of Chatfield with also a Knud Knudsen in the household, a hired hand? Kristi was listed as being born in Wisconsin. Corrola (SunDET) Fingersen felt that they had been in Milwaukee prior to coming to Chatfield, but maybe they were just there for a short period after settling in Minnesota. The book "The Chosen Valley" says that Asle refused opportunities to settle as a tailor in the Norwegian communities of Wisconsin. The 1880 census has Kristi born in Minnesota, but such inconsistencies are common in census records. Asle and Ronnang were charter members of the Root Prairie Lutheran Church in nearby Pilot Mound Township where they are buried."

Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET and Ronnaug Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG had the following children:

- i. ERIK ASLESEN³ SUNDET⁷ (son of Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET and Ronnaug Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG) was born on 16 Sep 1860⁷. He died on 30 Apr 1861 in Norway⁷.
8. ii. ELSIE ASLEDATTER SUNDET⁸ (daughter of Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET and Ronnaug Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG) was born on 01 Jul 1862 in Fountain, MN⁷. She died on 07 Apr 1927 in Spring Valley, MN⁷. She married Anton Martin Franck (son of Anthon Christian Christophersen Frank FRANCK and Trine Mortine GRAM) on 01 Jun 1891 in Rochester, MN⁷. He was born on 03 Oct 1852 in Trondheim, Norway⁷. He died on 21 Apr 1929 in Spring Valley, MN⁷.
9. iii. OLE ASLESEN SUNDET⁷ (son of Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET and Ronnaug Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG) was born on 28 Dec 1863⁷. He died on 12 Jul 1923⁹. He married Fanny Amundson on 07 Jun 1902¹⁰.
- iv. ERIK ASLESEN SUNDET⁷ (son of Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET and Ronnaug

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Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG) was born on 08 Jun 1865⁷. He died on 09 Nov 1903⁷.

More About Erik Aslesen SUNDET:
Confirmation: 1880 in Root Prairie Lutheran Church⁹

- v. KRISTI ASLESEN SUNDET⁷ (daughter of Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET and Ronnaug Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG) was born on 30 Jun 1867⁷. She died on 08 May 1891⁷.

More About Kristi Aslesen SUNDET:
Confirmation: 1882 in Root Prairie Lutheran Church⁹
Note: unmarried⁹
Cause Of Death: ; abscess on lungs

- vi. TURI ASLESEN SUNDET⁷ (daughter of Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET and Ronnaug Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG) was born on 12 Jun 1869⁷. She married John G. Rud on 05 May 1899⁷.

More About Turi Aslesen SUNDET:
Confirmation: 1884 in Root Prairie Lutheran Church⁹

- vii. ANDERS ASLESEN "ANDREW" SUNDET⁷ (son of Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET and Ronnaug Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG) was born on 20 Dec 1871⁷. He died on 03 Mar 1898⁷.

More About Anders Aslesen "Andrew" SUNDET:
Confirmation: 1886 in Root Prairie Lutheran Church⁹
Also Known As: ; Andrew

- viii. BETSEY CAROLINE SUNDET⁷ (daughter of Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET and Ronnaug Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG) was born on 13 May 1874⁷. She died on 08 May 1891⁷.

More About Betsey Caroline SUNDET:
Confirmation: 1889 in Root Prairie Lutheran Church⁹
Cause Of Death: ; paralysis of left side

- ix. ALBERT ASLESEN SUNDET⁷ (son of Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET and Ronnaug Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG) was born about 1876⁷. He died on 15 Apr 1949⁷. He married Mina Aletter Aslesen in 1901⁷.

More About Albert Aslesen SUNDET:
Confirmation: 1890 in Root Prairie Lutheran Church⁹
Resided: Filmore County, Minnesota
Children: no children⁹

- x. GUNHILD SUNDET⁷ (daughter of Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET and Ronnaug

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Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG) was born on 27 Sep 1877⁷. She died on 10 Mar 1906⁷.

More About Gunhild SUNDET:

Confirmation: 1892 in Root Prairie Lutheran Church

- xi. THEODORE SUNDET⁷ (son of Asle Erickson "Asle Erickson" SUNDET and Ronnaug Olsdatter "Rena" SPELHAUG) was born on 16 Nov 1879⁷. He died on 15 May 1950⁷.

More About Theodore SUNDET:

Confirmation: 1895 in Root Prairie Lutheran Church

Generation 3

- 4. **RØNNAUG³ SPELHAUG** (Anders Olsen², Ole Andersen¹)⁶ was born in 1863.

Notes for Rønnaug SPELHAUG:

May 3, 2005, Merril Austin wrote, ' Rønnaug...emigrated to America in 1886 with a son, Asle Gundersen (born in 1884)'

Rønnaug SPELHAUG had the following child:

- i. ASLE⁴ GUNDERSEN⁶ was born in 1884.

- 5. **KARI³ SPELHAUG** (Anders Olsen², Ole Andersen¹)⁶ was born in 1878. She married **JOHAN HELMAN**.

Johan HELMAN and Kari SPELHAUG had the following children:

- i. HAKON⁴ HELMAN (son of Johan HELMAN and Kari SPELHAUG).
- ii. FINNEY HELMAN (son of Johan HELMAN and Kari SPELHAUG).

- 6. **OLE³ SPELHAUG** (Anders Olsen², Ole Andersen¹)⁶ was born in 1881⁶. He died in 1956⁶. He married **KAROLINE AMUNDSDATTER "LINA" ØRPEN**. She was born in Orpen, Norway.

More About Karoline Amundsdatter "Lina" ØRPEN:

Also Known As: ; Lina

Ole SPELHAUG and Karoline Amundsdatter "Lina" ØRPEN had the following child:

- i. OLAVA⁴ SPELHAUG (adopted daughter of Ole SPELHAUG and biological daughter of Karoline Amundsdatter "Lina" ØRPEN).

- 7. **GUNHILD³ SPELHAUG** (Anders Olsen², Ole Andersen¹)⁶ was born in 1894⁶. She married **HANS ANDERSEN BJØRKA**.

Hans Andersen BJØRKA and Gunhild SPELHAUG had the following child:

- i. ANNA⁴ BJØRDA (daughter of Hans Andersen BJØRKA and Gunhild SPELHAUG). She married ? HAGEN.

More About Anna BJØRDA:

Fact #1: "Anna now owns Spelhaug farm in Norway"¹

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8. **ELSIE ASLEDATTER³ SUNDET** (Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)⁸ was born on 01 Jul 1862 in Fountain, MN⁷. She died on 07 Apr 1927 in Spring Valley, MN⁷. She married Anton Martin Franck (son of Anthon Christian Christophersen Frank FRANCK and Trine Mortine GRAM) on 01 Jun 1891 in Rochester, MN⁷. He was born on 03 Oct 1852 in Trondheim, Norway⁷. He died on 21 Apr 1929 in Spring Valley, MN⁷.

More About Elsie Asledatter SUNDET:

Confirmation: 1876 in Root Prairie church⁷

Burial: 11 Apr 1927 in Root Prairie church⁷

Notes for Elsie Asledatter SUNDET:

In 2005, THE SUNDET FAMILY provided by Karen Kautz noted,

"Elsie and Anton and four children are in the Spring Valley Village census for 1910. Elsie had lost three children. She wrote a letter to Earl (her son) in Norwegian to inform him of the death of Jon Rud, her brother-in-law, in 1921. She said " There are so many who die here this winter. So we don't know anything about what can happen to us."

More About Anton Martin FRANCK:

Christening: 31 Oct 1852⁷

Burial: 24 Apr 1929 in Root Prairie Church, Fountain, Minnesota⁷

Occupation: ; Tailor in Spring Valley⁷

Anton Martin FRANCK and Elsie Asledatter SUNDET had the following children:

- i. ALTHUL⁴ FRANCK⁷ (son of Anton Martin FRANCK and Elsie Asledatter SUNDET) was born in Mar 1892⁷. He died on 12 Feb 1893⁷.
10. ii. EDGAR E. FRANCK⁷ (son of Anton Martin FRANCK and Elsie Asledatter SUNDET) was born on 02 Nov 1893 in MiN⁷. He died on 05 Mar 1975⁷. He married Winifred K. ? about 1916¹¹. She was born about 1897 in MiN¹¹.
11. iii. REYNOLD MARTINIA FRANCK⁷ (son of Anton Martin FRANCK and Elsie Asledatter SUNDET) was born on 01 Feb 1896 in Wasau, WI⁷. He died on 08 Jun 1980 in Rochester, MN¹⁰. He married Agnes Loretta Rudlong (daughter of Ole RUDLONG and Olena MELBY) on 09 Apr 1918 in Austin, MN¹⁰. She was born on 25 Aug 1900 in Mower City, Adams, Minnesota¹⁰. She died on 28 Jan 1986 in Rochester, MN¹⁰.
- iv. CHARLOTTE M. FRANCK⁷ (daughter of Anton Martin FRANCK and Elsie Asledatter SUNDET) was born in 1898⁷. She married RALPH DODDS.
- v. EARL F. FRANCK⁷ (son of Anton Martin FRANCK and Elsie Asledatter SUNDET) was born in Aug 1899⁷. He died on 26 Jul 1981⁷. He married Elva Stockbrand on 12 Jan 1924⁷.
- vi. ANTONE M. FRANCK⁷ (son of Anton Martin FRANCK and Elsie Asledatter SUNDET) was born on 07 Aug 1902⁷. He died on 18 May 1903⁷.
- vii. SELMA BERTINA FRANCK⁷ (daughter of Anton Martin FRANCK and Elsie Asledatter SUNDET) was born in 1905⁷. She died on 30 Sep 1908⁷.

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9. **OLE ASLESEN³ SUNDET** (Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)⁷ was born on 28 Dec 1863⁷. He died on 12 Jul 1923⁹. He married Fanny Amundson on 07 Jun 1902¹⁰.

More About Ole Aslesen SUNDET:
Confirmation: 1879 in Root Prairie church⁹

Ole Aslesen SUNDET and Fanny AMUNDSON had the following children:

- i. **CORRELA⁴ SUNDET** (daughter of Ole Aslesen SUNDET and Fanny AMUNDSON)¹⁰.
- ii. **ARLAN SUNDET** (son of Ole Aslesen SUNDET and Fanny AMUNDSON)⁹.

More About Arlan SUNDET:
Note: State rep⁹

Generation 4

10. **EDGAR E.⁴ FRANCK** (Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)⁷ was born on 02 Nov 1893 in MiN⁷. He died on 05 Mar 1975⁷. He married Winifred K. ? about 1916¹¹. She was born about 1897 in MiN¹¹.

More About Edgar E. FRANCK:
Occupation: 1930 ; Automotive electrician¹¹
1930 Census: 16 Apr 1930 in Listed as "Franck, Edgar E", 35, born Minnesota, father born Norway, mother born Minnesota, with wife and two sons in Austin, Mower County, Minnesota¹²

More About Winifred K. ?:
Occupation: 1930 ; Seamstress¹⁴
1930 Census: 16 Apr 1930 in Listed as "Franck, Wiinifred K", 32, born Minnesota, both parents born in Minnesota with husband and two sons in Austin, Mower County, Minnesota

Edgar E. FRANCK and Winifred K. ? had the following children:

- i. **ROBERT E.⁵ FRANCK¹¹** (son of Edgar E. FRANCK and Winifred K. ?) was born about 1918.

More About Robert E. FRANCK:
1930 Census: 16 Apr 1930 in Listed as "Franck, Robert E", 12, born Minnesota, with parents and brother in Austin, Mower County, Minnesota¹³

12. ii. **MERLYN E. FRANCK¹¹** (son of Edgar E. FRANCK and Winifred K. ?) was born about 1921. He married DOROTHY WOOD.

11. **REYNOLD MARTINIA⁴ FRANCK** (Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)⁷ was born on 01 Feb 1896 in Wasau, WI⁷. He died on 08 Jun 1980 in Rochester, MN¹⁰. He married Agnes Loretta Rudlong (daughter of Ole RUDLONG and Olena MELBY) on 09 Apr 1918 in Austin, MN¹⁰. She was born on 25 Aug 1900 in Mower City, Adams, Minnesota¹⁰. She died on 28 Jan 1986 in Rochester, MN¹⁰.

More About Reynold Martinia FRANCK:

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Occupation: ; Real estate¹⁰

Burial: Grandview Memorial Gardens, Rochester, Minnesota¹⁰

More About Agnes Loretta RUDLONG:

1930 Census: 16 Apr 1930 in Listed as "Franck, Agnes L", 29, born in Minnesota, both parents born Norway, with husband and 5 children in Racine, Mower County, Minnesota¹⁸

Burial: Grandview Memorial Gardens, Rochester, Minnesota¹⁰

Reynold Martinia FRANCK and Agnes Loretta RUDLONG had the following children:

13. i. VIRGINIA R.⁵ FRANCK¹⁰ (daughter of Reynold Martinia FRANCK and Agnes Loretta RUDLONG) was born in 1918¹⁰. She died on 19 Jun 2012. She married George A. Bartel on 04 Jun 1938¹⁵. He died before 2010.
14. ii. MARVIN LAVERNE FRANCK⁸ (son of Reynold Martinia FRANCK and Agnes Loretta RUDLONG) was born on 22 Sep 1919 in Spring Valley, MN¹⁰. He died on 19 Jul 2006 in Rochester, MN¹⁶. He married Rosie Lillian Bluhm (daughter of Robert BLUHM and Mary ZAMZOW) on 15 Jun 1940 in West Union, IA¹⁰. She was born on 30 Mar 1920¹⁰.
15. iii. PHYLIS M. FRANCK¹⁰ (daughter of Reynold Martinia FRANCK and Agnes Loretta RUDLONG) was born on 02 Oct 1923¹⁰. She married (1) LEWELYN CRAWFORD on 09 Jul 1959¹⁵. She married (2) ? SALSBURG before 2006.
16. iv. HAROLD ODEAN FRANCK^{10, 17} (son of Reynold Martinia FRANCK and Agnes Loretta RUDLONG) was born about 1926. He died after 2006. He married HELEN DOROTHY WIMERSLAGE. He married EDITH M. MORSE.
17. v. LOIS M. FRANCK¹⁰ (daughter of Reynold Martinia FRANCK and Agnes Loretta RUDLONG) was born on 06 Jul 1927 in MiN¹⁰. She died before 2006. She married Everett K. Schermerhorn (son of George SCHERMERHORN and Eulah Mae BRADLEY) on 28 Jun 1947. He was born about 1926. He died after 2006.

Generation 5

12. **MERLYN E.⁵ FRANCK** (Edgar E.⁴, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)¹¹ was born about 1921. He married **DOROTHY WOOD**.

More About Merlyn E. FRANCK:

1930 Census: Listed as "Franck, Merlyn E", 9, born Minnesota, with parents and brother in Austin, Mower County, Minnesota¹¹

Merlyn E. FRANCK and Dorothy WOOD had the following child:

- i. CAROL ANN⁶ FRANCK¹⁷ (daughter of Merlyn E. FRANCK and Dorothy WOOD) was born on 07 Jan 1947¹⁷.
13. **VIRGINIA R.⁵ FRANCK** (Reynold Martinia⁴, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)¹⁰ was born in 1918¹⁰. She died on 19 Jun 2012. She married George A. Bartel on 04 Jun 1938¹⁵. He died before 2010.

More About Virginia R. FRANCK:

1930 Census: 16 Apr 1930 in Listed as "Franck, Virginia R", 11, born Minnesota, with parents in Racine, Mower County, Minnesota¹⁸

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Notes for George A. BARTEL:
Died in infancy

George A. BARTEL and Virginia R. FRANCK had the following children:

18. i. RONALD EARL⁶ BARTEL¹⁵ (son of George A. BARTEL and Virginia R. FRANCK) was born on 02 Nov 1939 in Dodge Co., MN¹⁹. He died on 16 Feb 2010. He married Gloria Hoffman on 13 Aug 1960 in Bremen, MN.
- ii. ROCHELLE BARTEL (daughter of George A. BARTEL and Virginia R. FRANCK)¹⁵. She married ? PRIGGE.
- iii. DIANNA BARTEL (daughter of George A. BARTEL and Virginia R. FRANCK)¹⁵. She married NORMAN SCOFIELD. He died before 2010.

More About Dianna BARTEL:
Resided: 2010 in Elysian, MN

- iv. ROBERT BARTEL (son of George A. BARTEL and Virginia R. FRANCK)¹⁵. He died before 2010.
- v. STEVEN JOHN BARTEL¹⁵ (son of George A. BARTEL and Virginia R. FRANCK) was born on 17 Jul 1953 in Olmsted, MN.

More About Steven John BARTEL:
Resided: 2010 in Trevor, WI

- vi. DENNIS BARTEL (son of George A. BARTEL and Virginia R. FRANCK)¹⁵. He married LINDA ?.

More About Dennis BARTEL:
Resided: 2010 in Lewisville, Texas

- vii. KAREN BARTEL (daughter of George A. BARTEL and Virginia R. FRANCK)¹⁵.

14. **MARVIN LAVERNE⁵ FRANCK** (Reynold Martinia⁴, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen⁷ SPELHAUG)⁸ was born on 22 Sep 1919 in Spring Valley, MN¹⁰. He died on 19 Jul 2006 in Rochester, MN¹⁶. He married Rosie Lillian Bluhm (daughter of Robert BLUHM and Mary ZAMZOW) on 15 Jun 1940 in West Union, IA¹⁰. She was born on 30 Mar 1920¹⁰.

More About Marvin Laverne FRANCK:
Occupation: hoist operator, worked railroad; Business agency¹⁰

Notes for Marvin Laverne FRANCK:
Mr. Franck, of Rochester, died of natural causes on Wednesday (July 19, 2006) at Samaritan Bethany Home on Eighth.

He was born Sept. 22, 1919, in Spring Valley. He attended schools in Spring Valley and Racine, and

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high school in Stewartville. He worked as a heavy equipment operator between 1938 and 1942 for area contractors. On June 15, 1940, he married Rosie Bluhm in West Union, Iowa, and they made their home in Rochester. In 1942, he became employed as a locomotive fireman on the Chicago Great Western Railroad, where he worked 1 1/2 years before entering the Army. A World War II veteran, he served in the 45th Infantry Division in France and Germany and was awarded the Bronze Star. Discharged in 1945, he returned to the Chicago Great Western and worked until 1950. He then became a crane operator for O.A. Stocke from 1950 until 1968, and then for Johnson Brothers until 1971. From 1971 to 1982 he was a business representative for Operating Engineers' Local 49 for its 11-county southeastern area, and for a number of years served on the operating engineers' executive board, and also as trustee at the Operating Engineers' Apprenticeship and Training School in Rosemount, Minn. He retired in 1982 and he and his wife wintered the next 15 years in the Rio Grande Valley of Texas. He was a member of the American Legion, a 62-year member of the Eagles' Club, and a lifetime member of Operating Engineers Local 49. He enjoyed traveling, hunting, fishing and golf.

Survivors include his wife; four sons, James (Jacqueline) of Rochester, Gerald (Jeanne) of Mendota Heights, Minn., Richard (Jill) of Butternut, Wis., and Donald (Fran) of Plainview; seven grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; two sisters, Virginia Bartel and Phyllis Salsburg, both of Rochester; and a brother, Harold of Rochester. Other survivors include a brother-in-law, Everett Schermerhorn of Rochester. He was preceded in death by a sister, Lois Schermerhorn.

Marvin Laverne FRANCK and Rosie Lillian BLUHM had the following children:

19. i. JAMES MARVIN⁶ FRANCK^{10, 17} (son of Marvin Laverne FRANCK and Rosie Lillian BLUHM) was born on 26 Jul 1941 in Olmsted Co., MN¹⁷. He married JACQUELINE SIMONE PETEUX.
 20. ii. GERALD ROBERT "JERRY" FRANCK^{8, 17} (son of Marvin Laverne FRANCK and Rosie Lillian BLUHM) was born on 22 Apr 1944 in Olmsted Co., MN¹⁷. He married JEANNE ELAINE TOBIN.
 21. iii. RICHARD DEAN FRANCK^{10, 17} (son of Marvin Laverne FRANCK and Rosie Lillian BLUHM) was born on 13 Aug 1951 in Olmsted Co., MN¹⁷. He married JILL ELAINE THOMPSON. He married KATHLEEN DAWN STAYTON.
 - iv. DONALD ROY FRANCK^{10, 17} (son of Marvin Laverne FRANCK and Rosie Lillian BLUHM) was born on 14 Dec 1952 in Olmsted Co., MN¹⁷. He married FRAN ?.
15. **PHYLIS M.⁵ FRANCK** (Reynold Martinia⁴, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)¹⁰ was born on 02 Oct 1923¹⁰. She married (1) **LEWELYN CRAWFORD** on 09 Jul 1959¹⁵. She married (2) ? **SALSBURG** before 2006.

More About Phylis M. FRANCK:

1930 Census: 16 Apr 1930 in Listed as "Franck, Phyllis M", 7, born Minnesota, with parents in Racine, Mower County, Minnesota¹⁸

Resided: 2006 in Rochester, MN

Lewelyn CRAWFORD and Phylis M. FRANCK had the following children:

- i. DARRELL⁶ CRAWFORD (son of Lewelyn CRAWFORD and Phylis M. FRANCK)¹⁵.
- ii. LAWRENE CRAWFORD (daughter of Lewelyn CRAWFORD and Phylis M. FRANCK)¹⁵.

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16. **HAROLD ODEAN⁵ FRANCK** (Reynold Martinia⁴, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)^{10, 17} was born about 1926. He died after 2006. He married **HELEN DOROTHY WIMERSLAGE**. He married **EDITH M. MORSE**.

More About Harold Odean FRANCK:

1930 Census: 16 Apr 1930 in Listed as "Franck, Harold" (middle initial either "D" or "O"), 5, born Minnesota, with parents in Racine, Mower County, Minnesota¹⁸

Harold Odean FRANCK and Helen Dorothy WIMERSLAGE had the following children:

- i. DENICE ANN⁶ FRANCK^{15, 17} (daughter of Harold Odean FRANCK and Helen Dorothy WIMERSLAGE) was born on 17 Jul 1947 in Olmsted Co., MN¹⁷.
- ii. KATHERINE JEAN FRANCK^{15, 17} (daughter of Harold Odean FRANCK and Helen Dorothy WIMERSLAGE) was born on 02 Jul 1949¹⁷.
- iii. CYNTHIA JANE FRANCK^{15, 17} (daughter of Harold Odean FRANCK and Helen Dorothy WIMERSLAGE) was born on 18 Jan 1951 in Olmsted Co., MN¹⁷.
- iv. MICHAEL FRANCK (son of Harold Odean FRANCK and Helen Dorothy WIMERSLAGE)¹⁵.

Harold Odean FRANCK and Edith M. MORSE had the following children:

- v. ERIC PAUL FRANCK^{15, 17} (son of Harold Odean FRANCK and Edith M. MORSE) was born on 15 Jan 1968¹⁷.
- vi. MARGO KAY FRANCK^{15, 17} (daughter of Harold Odean FRANCK and Edith M. MORSE) was born on 23 May 1954¹⁷.

17. **LOIS M.⁵ FRANCK** (Reynold Martinia⁴, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)¹⁰ was born on 06 Jul 1927 in Min¹⁰. She died before 2006. She married Everett K. Schermerhorn (son of George SCHERMERHORN and Eulah Mae BRADLEY) on 28 Jun 1947. He was born about 1926. He died after 2006.

More About Lois M. FRANCK:

1930 Census: 16 Apr 1930 in Listed as "Franck, Lois M", 2, born Minnesota, with parents in Racine, Mower County, Minnesota¹⁸

Everett K. SCHERMERHORN and Lois M. FRANCK had the following children:

- i. LANA⁶ SCHERMERHORN (daughter of Everett K. SCHERMERHORN and Lois M. FRANCK)¹⁵.
- ii. SANDY SCHERMERHORN (daughter of Everett K. SCHERMERHORN and Lois M. FRANCK)¹⁵.
- iii. STEVEN SCHERMERHORN (son of Everett K. SCHERMERHORN and Lois M. FRANCK)¹⁵.
- iv. SCOTT SCHERMERHORN (son of Everett K. SCHERMERHORN and Lois M. FRANCK)¹⁵.

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18. **RONALD EARL⁶ BARTEL** (Virginia R.⁵ FRANCK, Reynold Martinia⁴ FRANCK, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)¹⁵ was born on 02 Nov 1939 in Dodge Co., MN¹⁹. He died on 16 Feb 2010. He married Gloria Hoffman on 13 Aug 1960 in Bremen, MN.

Notes for Ronald Earl BARTEL:

ROCHESTER - Ronald Earl Bartel, 70, resident of Deerwood since 1978, originally of Rochester, died of kidney cancer at his home on Feb. 16, 2010.

He was born during a snowstorm in Dodge County on Nov. 2, 1939, a devoted son of George and Virginia (Franck) Bartel. On Aug. 13, 1960, he married Gloria Hoffman at Evangelical Lutheran Church in Bremen. Ron was a hunter and fisherman who considered northern Minnesota to be "God's country." A self-employed masonry contractor, his work exists from Iowa to northern Minnesota.

He is survived by his wife, Gloria of Deerwood; mother, Virginia of Rochester; children and their spouses, Duane (Theresa) Bartel of Summertown, Tenn., Karen (Bruce) Tate-Roberts of Crosby and Dale (Sheila) Bartel of Deerwood; grandchildren, Brian and Bradley Bartel of Summertown, Tenn., Luke Tate of Deerwood, Trisha Tate of Crosby, and Ashley and Brandon Bartel of Deerwood; great-grandchildren, Zachary, Andrew, Morgan, Tyson and Hannah; brothers and sister-in-law, Dennis (Linda) Bartel of Lewisville, Texas, and Steven of Trevor, Wis.; sisters, Rochelle Prigge of Plainview and Dianna Scofield of Elysian; many nieces, nephews and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father, George; brother, Robert; infant sister, Karen; sister-in-law, Charlotte Bartel; and brother-in-law, Norman Scofield.

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Ronald Earl BARTEL and Gloria HOFFMAN had the following children:

22. i. DUANE⁷ BARTEL (son of Ronald Earl BARTEL and Gloria HOFFMAN). He married THERESA ?.
 23. ii. KAREN BARTEL (daughter of Ronald Earl BARTEL and Gloria HOFFMAN). She married BRUCE TATE-ROBERTS.
 24. iii. DALE BARTEL (son of Ronald Earl BARTEL and Gloria HOFFMAN). He married SHIELA ?.
19. **JAMES MARVIN⁶ FRANCK** (Marvin Laverne⁵, Reynold Martinia⁴, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)^{10, 17} was born on 26 Jul 1941 in Olmsted Co., MN¹⁷. He married **JACQUELINE SIMONE PETEUX**.

More About James Marvin FRANCK:

Resided: 2006 in Rochester, MN

James Marvin FRANCK and Jacqueline Simone PETEUX had the following children:

- i. DEAN MARVIN⁷ FRANCK¹⁷ (son of James Marvin FRANCK and Jacqueline Simone PETEUX) was born on 30 Dec 1964¹⁷.
- ii. DAVID JAMES FRANCK¹⁷ (son of James Marvin FRANCK and Jacqueline Simone

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PETEUX) was born on 23 Jan 1966¹⁷.

20. **GERALD ROBERT⁶ "JERRY" FRANCK** (Marvin Laverne⁵, Reynold Martinia⁴, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)^{8, 17} was born on 22 Apr 1944 in Olmsted Co., MN¹⁷. He married **JEANNE ELAINE TOBIN**.

More About Gerald Robert "Jerry" FRANCK:

Resided: 2006 in Mendota Heights, MN

Address: ; 2317 Nashua Lane / Mendota Heights, MN 55120 /

Email: ; JJAAA5@aol.com

Also Known As: ; Jerry

Gerald Robert "Jerry" FRANCK and Jeanne Elaine TOBIN had the following children:

- i. **ANGELA KAY⁷ FRANCK¹⁷** (daughter of Gerald Robert "Jerry" FRANCK and Jeanne Elaine TOBIN) was born on 13 Sep 1969 in Ramsey County, Minnesotda¹⁷.
- ii. **ALLISON MARIE FRANCK** (daughter of Gerald Robert "Jerry" FRANCK and Jeanne Elaine TOBIN) was born on 18 Jan 1971 in Ramsey County, Minnesotda.

21. **RICHARD DEAN⁶ FRANCK** (Marvin Laverne⁵, Reynold Martinia⁴, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG)^{10, 17} was born on 13 Aug 1951 in Olmsted Co., MN¹⁷. He married **JILL ELAINE THOMPSON**. He married **KATHLEEN DAWN STAYTON**.

More About Richard Dean FRANCK:

Resided: 2006 in Butternut, WI

Richard Dean FRANCK and Jill Elaine THOMPSON had the following child:

- i. **BRYCE ROBERT⁷ FRANCK¹⁷** (son of Richard Dean FRANCK and Jill Elaine THOMPSON) was born on 25 Jul 1987 in Anoka County, Minnesota¹⁷.

Richard Dean FRANCK and Kathleen Dawn STAYTON had the following child:

- ii. **MATTHEW RICHARD FRANCK¹⁷** (son of Richard Dean FRANCK and Kathleen Dawn STAYTON) was born on 14 Apr 1974¹⁷.

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22. **DUANE⁷ BARTEL** (Ronald Earl⁶, Virginia R.⁵ FRANCK, Reynold Martinia⁴ FRANCK, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG, Ronald Earl⁶, George A.). He married **THERESA ?**.

More About Theresa ?:

Resided: 2010 in Summertown, TN

Duane BARTEL and Theresa ? had the following children:

- i. **BRIAN⁸ BARTEL** (son of Duane BARTEL and Theresa ?) was born before 2010.
- ii. **BRADLEY BARTEL** (son of Duane BARTEL and Theresa ?) was born before 2010.

23. **KAREN⁷ BARTEL** (Ronald Earl⁶, Virginia R.⁵ FRANCK, Reynold Martinia⁴ FRANCK, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG, Ronald Earl⁶,

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George A.). She married **BRUCE TATE-ROBERTS**.

More About Bruce TATE-ROBERTS:
Resided: 2010 in Crosby, Crow Wing, MN

Bruce TATE-ROBERTS and Karen BARTEL had the following children:

- i. LUKE⁸ TATE (son of Bruce TATE-ROBERTS and Karen BARTEL).
- ii. TRISHA TATE (daughter of Bruce TATE-ROBERTS and Karen BARTEL).

24. **DALE⁷ BARTEL** (Ronald Earl⁶, Virginia R.⁵ FRANCK, Reynold Martinia⁴ FRANCK, Elsie Asledatter³ SUNDET, Ronnaug Olsdatter² "Rena" SPELHAUG, Ole Andersen¹ SPELHAUG, Ronald Earl⁶, George A.). He married **SHIELA ?**.

More About Shiela ?:
Resided: 2010 in Deerwood, Crow Wing, MN

Dale BARTEL and Shiela ? had the following children:

- i. ASHLEY⁸ BARTEL (daughter of Dale BARTEL and Shiela ?).
- ii. BRANDON BARTEL (son of Dale BARTEL and Shiela ?).

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