

Descendants of Luise Riedesel

Generation No. 1

1. LUISE⁹ RIEDESEL (*JOHANN HEINRICH⁸, JOHANNES⁷, JOHANNES⁶, JOHANN HENRICH⁵, JOHANNES⁴, JOHANN MANNUS³, HEYRICH², HEYRICH¹*) was born September 19, 1860 in Erndtebrück, and died November 30, 1949 in Nordheim, TX. She married (1) ?? SCHNEIDER. He died before 1880 in Germany. She married (2) JOHANN FRIEDRICH WILHELM PIEPER June 23, 1892 in Peoria, IL, son of OTTOMAR PIEPER and EMILIE SCHLAAK. He was born March 24, 1866 in Friedland/West Prussia, and died May 03, 1950.

Notes for LUISE RIEDESEL:

She may have come to this country on July 30, 1880 on the ship "Leipzig" out of Bremen (Captain Pfeiffer). Family members report that she came after her brother, Karl. He appears to have arrived in mid-July, so this would be literally true.

Her son Henry came with her. It is said she met her second husband, Fred Pieper (as he was known in the U.S.) on the boat coming over. They lived first at Crookston, later Peoria, IL, and finally at Nordheim, TX.

Notes for JOHANN FRIEDRICH WILHELM PIEPER:

Known as Fred, and went by the full name of John Frederick William in the U.S. His place of birth is sometimes referred to as Pr(eussische) Friedland to distinguish it from other towns with the same name in other regions. The area became part of Poland in the aftermath of World War II, and the German inhabitants expelled.

Child of LUISE RIEDESEL and ?? SCHNEIDER is:

- i. HENRY SCHNEIDER¹⁰ PIEPER.

Children of LUISE RIEDESEL and JOHANN PIEPER are:

- ii. FRED¹⁰ PIEPER, b. Peoria, IL; m. JOSEPHINE BOLDT.
- iii. LOUISE PIEPER, b. Peoria, IL; d. Peoria, IL.
- iv. CHARLES PIEPER, b. Peoria, IL; d. Peoria, IL.
2. v. JOHN H. JR. PIEPER, b. March 13, 1893, Peoria, IL; d. July 1976, Texas.
3. vi. EMILY OLIVE PIEPER, b. about 1897, Illinois; d. before 1972.
4. vii. OTTO PIEPER, b. November 23, 1898, Crookston, Minnesota; d. September 12, 1988, Texas.

Generation No. 2

2. JOHN H. JR.¹⁰ PIEPER (*LUISE⁹ RIEDESEL, JOHANN HEINRICH⁸, JOHANNES⁷, JOHANNES⁶, JOHANN HENRICH⁵, JOHANNES⁴, JOHANN MANNUS³, HEYRICH², HEYRICH¹*) was born March 13, 1893 in Peoria, IL, and died July 1976 in Texas. He married JOSEPHINE RIEDESEL about 1917, daughter of LUDWIG RIEDESEL and EMMA RIEDEL. She was born June 1896 in Texas, and died February 1978 in Texas.

Notes for JOHN H. JR. PIEPER:

Married some time before 1920, when he and his distant cousin and wife, Josephine, were living in Nordheim. In 1930, they were in Cuero (and enumerated under the spelling Peeper).

Children of JOHN PIEPER and JOSEPHINE RIEDESEL are:

- i. DOROTHY¹¹ PIEPER.
- ii. JOANN PIEPER.
- iii. EMMA LOUISE PIEPER, b. about 1923; m. WESSEL SCHROETER.
- iv. LILLIAN PIEPER, b. about 1925.
- v. DELORES JOSEPHINE PIEPER, b. November 21, 1928.

3. EMILY OLIVE¹⁰ PIEPER (*LUISE⁹ RIEDESEL, JOHANN HEINRICH⁸, JOHANNES⁷, JOHANNES⁶, JOHANN HENRICH⁵, JOHANNES⁴, JOHANN MANNUS³, HEYRICH², HEYRICH¹*) was born about 1897 in Illinois, and died before 1972. She married GLENN RENFROE BECKHAM about 1922. He was born March 13, 1881 in Texas, and died April 12, 1972 in San Antonio, TX.

Children of EMILY PIEPER and GLENN BECKHAM are:

- i. GLENN ORVILLE¹¹ BECKHAM, b. about 1923; d. before 1972.
- ii. DAVID H. BECKHAM, b. about 1925; d. before 1972.
5. iii. EMILY IRIS BECKHAM, b. about 1927; d. after 1972.
- iv. BRUCE A. BECKHAM, b. October 14, 1928, Texas; d. September 26, 2000, San Antonio, TX.

4. OTTO¹⁰ PIEPER (*LUISE⁹ RIEDESEL, JOHANN HEINRICH⁸, JOHANNES⁷, JOHANNES⁶, JOHANN HENRICH⁵, JOHANNES⁴, JOHANN MANNUS³, HEYRICH², HEYRICH¹*) was born November 23, 1898 in Crookston, Minnesota, and died September 12, 1988 in Texas. He married THELMA WIED about 1925. She was born about 1902 in Texas.

Notes for OTTO PIEPER:

His birth and marriage information is inferred from a 1930 Census schedule (Cuero, DeWitt County, Texas). He was a "serviceman" for Delco Light.

Child of OTTO PIEPER and THELMA WIED is:

- i. ELIZABETH¹¹ PIEPER, b. about 1928, Texas; m. JUSTIN AUSTIN.

Generation No. 3

5. EMILY IRIS¹¹ BECKHAM (*EMILY OLIVE¹⁰ PIEPER, LUISE⁹ RIEDESEL, JOHANN HEINRICH⁸, JOHANNES⁷, JOHANNES⁶, JOHANN HENRICH⁵, JOHANNES⁴, JOHANN MANNUS³, HEYRICH², HEYRICH¹*) was born about 1927, and died after 1972. She married ROYCE JR. SHOWALTER.

Children of EMILY BECKHAM and ROYCE SHOWALTER are:

- i. ROYCE III¹² SHOWALTER.
- ii. TERRY SHOWALTER, m. DAVID RODRIGUEZ.