## **Descendants of Florentine Beitzel**

#### **Generation 1**

1. **FLORENTINE**<sup>1</sup> **BEITZEL** was born on January 10, 1831 in Wunderthausen. She died on November 05, 1911 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). She married Ludwig Heinrich Schneider, son of Johann Philipp Schneider and Maria Amalia Riedesel, on November 13, 1853 in Wunderthausen. He was born on December 02, 1826 in Wunderthausen. He died on April 18, 1879 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

### Notes for Florentine Beitzel:

Born in the house "Hinter der Huthe" in Wunderthausen. Came with many others on the ship "Johann Schmidt" to New Orleans out of Bremen, arriving June 1, 1857. She had a total of ten children, but only four were alive as of 1900. Much of the farm was in her name as of 1894.

Notes for Ludwig Heinrich Schneider:

Known as Henry A. or L.H.A. Schneider around Wheatland. Born in Hanphilippses Haus in Wunderthausen. Applied to emigrate on March 6, 1857. Came to America on the ship "Johann Schmidt" from Bremen, arriving in New Orleans on June 1, 1857. He had a large farm in Section 20 of the Spring Rock Township of Clinton County. After his death, I believe that their son Phillip took over part of it.

Ludwig Heinrich Schneider and Florentine Beitzel had the following children:

 JOHANN HEINRICH<sup>2</sup> SCHNEIDER was born on August 16, 1854 in Wunderthausen. He died on May 11, 1880 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Johann Heinrich Schneider:

Born in Hanphilippses Haus in Wunderthausen. Came to America with his parents on the ship "Johann Schmidt" from Bremen, arriving in New Orleans on June 1, 1857. He was christened Johann Heinrich though his mother's obituary calls him Ludwig Heinrich.

ii. CATHERINE FLORENTINE SCHNEIDER was born on January 24, 1857 in Wunderthausen. She died in 1861 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.

Notes for Catherine Florentine Schneider:

She is listed in the 1860 Census but does not appear on the 1857 ship's list with her parents.

I am uncertain of the origin of this death date but she was not present in the 1870 Census.

iii. JOHN SCHNEIDER was born on February 24, 1859 in Wheatland Clinton, Iowa. He died before 1870.

Notes for John Schneider: Listed in 1860 Census.

- SAMUEL SCHNEIDER was born on January 18, 1861 in Wheatland Clinton, Iowa. He died before 1870.
- v. Conrad Schneider was born on January 10, 1863 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died before 1870.
- vi. PHILLIP A. SCHNEIDER was born on October 15, 1864 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on November 21, 1932 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Elisabeth Wagner, daughter of Johann Heinrich Wagner and Anna Elisabeth Beitzel, on January 04, 1900 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on May 05, 1878 in Wunderthausen. She died on June 30, 1969 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).
  - vii. FREDERICK A. SCHNEIDER was born on May 04, 1866 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on April 19, 1943 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married Anna C. Schneider, daughter of Johann Heinrich Schneider and Katherina Wilhelmine Keller, on March 07, 1894 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on November 15, 1872 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on August 12, 1952 in

### Generation 1 (cont.)

Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Anna C. Schneider: Six children.

- 3. viii. LAURA KATHERINE SCHNEIDER was born on April 10, 1868 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died in 1924 in Clinton County, Iowa, USA (Pine Hill Cemetery, Wheatland). She married Wilhelm Kelting, son of Hinrich Kelting and Catharina Jannsen, in 1884. He was born on January 12, 1861 in Marne, Dithmarschen, Schleswig-Holstein. He died on November 13, 1924 in Clinton County, Iowa, USA (Pine Hill Cemetery, Wheatland).
  - ix. ELIZABETH LYDIA SCHNEIDER was born on April 28, 1870 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on July 29, 1940.

Notes for Elizabeth Lydia Schneider: Listed as Mary in the 1870 Census.

x. GEORGE SCHNEIDER was born on August 12, 1873 in Wheatland Clinton, Iowa. He died before 1911.

#### **Generation 2**

2. **PHILLIP A.**<sup>2</sup> **SCHNEIDER** (Florentine<sup>1</sup> Beitzel) was born on October 15, 1864 in Wheatland, Clinton, lowa. He died on November 21, 1932 in Wheatland, Clinton, lowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Elisabeth Wagner, daughter of Johann Heinrich Wagner and Anna Elisabeth Beitzel, on January 04, 1900 in Wheatland, Clinton, lowa. She was born on May 05, 1878 in Wunderthausen. She died on June 30, 1969 in Wheatland, Clinton, lowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Phillip A. Schneider:

He may have been christened Johann Philipp but was known as Phillip (A) as an adult.

Notes for Elisabeth Wagner:

Born in Wagners Haus in Wunderthausen. Came to America with her family in about 1881.

Phillip A. Schneider and Elisabeth Wagner had the following children:

- i. LILLIE L.<sup>3</sup> SCHNEIDER was born on November 21, 1902 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on May 31, 1979 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She married JOHN FREDRICK HASS. He was born on February 21, 1900 in Olive, Clinton, Iowa. He died on November 08, 1987 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.
- ii. Theodore A. Schneider was born on November 08, 1904 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on February 15, 1981 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married Louisa Strackbein, daughter of John Conrad Strackbein and Luise Riedesel, on June 14, 1933 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on October 10, 1912 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on July 14, 1957 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.
- iii. LYDIA SCHNEIDER was born on February 01, 1908 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on February 14, 2002 in Maquoketa, Jackson, Iowa. She married Phillip Riedesel, son of Georg Ludwig Riedesel and Anna Elisabeth Wagner, on January 20, 1932 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on May 27, 1898 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on May 13, 1971 in De Witt, Clinton, Iowa.
- 3. **LAURA KATHERINE**<sup>2</sup> **SCHNEIDER** (Florentine <sup>1</sup> Beitzel) was born on April 10, 1868 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died in 1924 in Clinton County, Iowa, USA (Pine Hill Cemetery, Wheatland). She married Wilhelm Kelting, son of Hinrich Kelting and Catharina Jannsen, in 1884. He was born on January 12, 1861 in Marne, Dithmarschen, Schleswig-Holstein. He died on November 13, 1924 in Clinton County, Iowa, USA (Pine Hill Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Laura Katherine Schneider:

At least one more child died young.

Notes for Wilhelm Kelting:

Known as William. Came to America with parents and seven siblings on the "Lord Brougham" which docked in New York on July 6, 1869. He was killed when struck by a train while hunting.

# Generation 2 (cont.)

Wilhelm Kelting and Laura Katherine Schneider had the following children:

- i. JOHN PHILIP<sup>3</sup> KELDING was born on May 15, 1884 in Clinton County, Iowa. He died on April 08, 1940 in Wheatland, Clinton County, Iowa, United States of America (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Charlotte Sophie Burhop, daughter of Friedrich Wilhelm Burhop and Caroline Sophie Marie Kasten, on September 14, 1906 in Lowden, Cedar, Iowa. She was born on December 24, 1887 in Hannover, Germany. She died on February 10, 1977 in Wheatland, Clinton County, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).
- ii. CHRISTINE LOUISA KELTING was born on March 10, 1886 in Spring Rock, Clinton, Iowa, USA. She died on May 14, 1957 in Wheatland, Clinton County, Iowa. She married Conrad Henry Burhop. He was born on April 12, 1883 in Germany. He died on January 24, 1968 in Wheatland, Clinton County, Iowa, United States of America.
- iii. JOHN GEORGE KELTING was born on October 23, 1888 in Wheatland, IA.. He died on June 01, 1935 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He married Hilda B Arp, daughter of Johannes Arp and Anna Missfeldt, on September 24, 1913 in New Liberty,. She was born on November 26, 1893 in Iowa. She died on May 28, 1958.
- iv. CAROLINE KELTING was born on December 11, 1890 in Iowa. She died on July 27, 1935 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. She married Emil Herman Laschanzky, son of John Laschanzky and Charlotte Ehrouke, on December 15, 1909. He was born on April 15, 1879 in Muscatine, Iowa. He died on May 05, 1960.

### Notes for Caroline Kelting:

She is called Caroline in the 1910 Census but was known as Lena through her adult life.

- v. Walter Lewis Kelting was born on November 28, 1892 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died in January 1964 in Iowa. He married Nellie D Rusmisel, daughter of Edgar Rusmisel and Jennie Castellaw, on February 04, 1915 in Clinton, Iowa. She was born on September 23, 1891 in Nebraska. She died on June 26, 1966 in Lone Wolf, Kiowa, Oklahoma, USA.
- vi. Ferdinand Jacob Kelting was born on July 17, 1898 in Clinton, Iowa. He died on February 06, 1933 in Clinton County, Iowa, USA. He married Erna Augusta Kroh, daughter of Georg Ludwig Kroh and Emilie Lisette Riedesel, on November 13, 1919 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. She was born on May 05, 1901 in Wunderthausen. She died on December 09, 1990 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa (Davenport Memorial Park).

# Notes for Erna Augusta Kroh:

Came to America at the age of one on the ship Bremen out of Bremen, landing in New York on Septembert 24, 1902. Worked as a baker after being widowed. I do not have a date for her second marriage.

vii. WILLIAM HENRY KELTING was born on December 04, 1902 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died in April 1981 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He married Nora Thoms on August 04, 1925 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. She was born on January 14, 1905 in Scott County Iowa. She died on January 10, 1992 in Muscatine, Iowa.