

## Descendants of Heinrich Herman Riedesel

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### Generation 1

1. **HEINRICH HERMAN<sup>1</sup> RIEDESEL** was born on November 12, 1865 in Wunderthausen. He died on March 05, 1935 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri). He married Bertha Werber, daughter of John Werber and Elizabeth Rick, in 1897. She was born on November 04, 1873 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri. She died on November 05, 1950 in Grandview, Jackson, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri).

Notes for Heinrich Herman Riedesel:

Born in the house "Kirchstumpfs/Am Kloster", Wunderthausen. He was the Hein(rich) Riedesel aboard the Prince Frederick Wilhelm out of Bremen that docked in New York on April 30, 1882. He was naturalized in 1888.

Family records say that he came to Kansas City, Missouri, under the sponsorship of Louis Knoche (of which there were many). Known as Henry Herman in this country. Two children of Bertha's first marriage were raised with the family. Buried at Belton, Missouri.

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The Kansas City Star (Kansas City, Missouri), 6 Mar 1935, Wednesday, Page 19  
RIEDESEL -- Henry Herman, age 69, died at his home near Martin City, March 5. Surviving are: His wife, Mrs. Bertha Riedesel of the home, 1 son, Joe of Martin City; 4 daughters, Mrs. E. P. Smith of Martin City; Mrs. J. C. Olsen of 7212 Agnes, Kansas City, Mo.; Miss Clara and Miss Ella of the home, and 2 stepchildren, Mr. J. C. Curry of Olathe, Kas.; and Mrs. H. C. Arington of Martin City. Funeral service from the George chapel, Belton, Mo., Thursday at 2:30 o'clock. Burial in Belton.

Notes for Bertha Werber:

Living with her brother in Kansas City, MO, in 1940.

Heinrich Herman Riedesel and Bertha Werber had the following children:

2. i. **ANNA MARIE<sup>2</sup> RIEDESEL** was born on November 28, 1897 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri. She died on October 01, 1923 in Jackson, Missouri (Elmwood Cemetery, Jackson County). She married JOHN NEIBROOK. He was born on June 01, 1884 in Chicago. He died in August 1973 in Carthage, Jasper, Missouri.
3. ii. **LENA ELIZABETH RIEDESEL** was born on June 28, 1900 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri. She died on August 16, 1957 in Belton, Cass, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri). She married Ernest Pearl Smith on March 17, 1919 in Jackson, Missouri. He was born on August 24, 1890 in Martin City, Missouri. He died on August 16, 1942 in Platte County, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri).
- iii. **HENRY W. RIEDESEL** was born in 1902 in Missouri. He died in 1926 (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri).

Notes for Henry W. Riedesel:

His gravestone says Henry W. Riedesel.

4. iv. **JOSEPH FRANKLIN RIEDESEL** was born on March 07, 1906 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri. He died on February 11, 1995 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri). He married Ruth Elinora Jones on March 07, 1928 in Jackson, Missouri. She was born on December 13, 1909 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri. She died on January 18, 1991 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri).
5. v. **CLARA GERTRUDE RIEDESEL** was born on February 06, 1909 in Martin City, Missouri. She died on February 12, 1991 (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri). She married Ellis V. Keltz on June 12, 1936 in Jackson, Missouri. He was born on July 18, 1914. He died on October 17, 1998 (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri).
- vi. **BERTHA ROSETTA RIEDESEL** was born on February 14, 1910 in Martin City, Missouri. She died on June 25, 1991 in Belton, Cass, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri). She married JOHNNIE OLSEN. He was born on March 16,

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1910. He died on October 25, 1990 (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri).
6.      vii.    ELLA PEARL RIEDESEL was born on September 11, 1916 in Martin City, Missouri. She died on August 20, 2006 in Raymore, Cass, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri). She married Allan Maurice Olson on September 10, 1936 in Missouri. He was born on September 09, 1917 in St Joseph, Andrew, Missouri. He died on December 06, 1996 in Raymore, Cass, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri).
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### Generation 2

2.    **ANNA MARIE<sup>2</sup> RIEDESEL** (Heinrich Herman<sup>1</sup>) was born on November 28, 1897 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri. She died on October 01, 1923 in Jackson, Missouri (Elmwood Cemetery, Jackson County). She married **JOHN NEIBROOK**. He was born on June 01, 1884 in Chicago. He died in August 1973 in Carthage, Jasper, Missouri.

John Neibrook and Anna Marie Riedesel had the following children:

- i.    **ROBERT EUGENE<sup>3</sup> NEIBROOK** was born on November 10, 1919 in Jackson, Missouri. He died on December 22, 1994 in Hyattsville, Prince George's, Maryland. He married Agnes Eileen Cupp on April 11, 1946 in Carthage, Jasper, Missouri. She was born on January 17, 1924. She died on September 27, 1999.
  - ii.   **RALPH WILLIAM NEIBROOK** was born on March 05, 1921 in Martin City, Missouri. He died in 1991 (Noland Cemetery, Kansas City MO).
  - iii.   **MARY NEIBROOK** was born about 1922.
3.    **LENA ELIZABETH<sup>2</sup> RIEDESEL** (Heinrich Herman<sup>1</sup>) was born on June 28, 1900 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri. She died on August 16, 1957 in Belton, Cass, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri). She married Ernest Pearl Smith on March 17, 1919 in Jackson, Missouri. He was born on August 24, 1890 in Martin City, Missouri. He died on August 16, 1942 in Platte County, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri).

Notes for Lena Elizabeth Riedesel:

Lena Smith and her daughter Margaret Smith were both victims of what came to be known as the "Ruskin Heights" tornado. According to the National Weather Service, this tornado remains the most deadly of the 300+ tornadoes recorded in this area since 1950. On May 20, 1957, the 71 mile long track of the Ruskin Heights tornado passed directly over the Martin City area, Ms. Smith's home at the time. Margaret died that same evening. Lena Smith died three months later as a result of complications from injuries sustained in that tornado

Ernest Pearl Smith and Lena Elizabeth Riedesel had the following child:

- i.    **MARGARET E.<sup>3</sup> SMITH** was born on August 15, 1932. She died on May 20, 1957 in Cass County, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County MO).
4.    **JOSEPH FRANKLIN<sup>2</sup> RIEDESEL** (Heinrich Herman<sup>1</sup>) was born on March 07, 1906 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri. He died on February 11, 1995 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri). He married Ruth Elinora Jones on March 07, 1928 in Jackson, Missouri. She was born on December 13, 1909 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri. She died on January 18, 1991 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri).

Notes for Joseph Franklin Riedesel:

He was a carpenter in Jackson County, Missouri, in 1930.

Joseph Franklin Riedesel and Ruth Elinora Jones had the following children:

- i.    **JOSEPH WALTER<sup>3</sup> RIEDESEL** was born on June 30, 1929 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri. He died on July 22, 2014. He married Mildred G. Fisher on July 19, 1951 in Jackson, Missouri. She was born on April 03, 1927. She died on March 07, 2013 in Leawood, Johnson, Kansas.
- ii.   **MARY LOUISE RIEDESEL** was born on December 28, 1933. She died on November 01, 2015 in Missouri. She married (1) **PERRY THAYER** on April 16, 1970. She married (2) **JOHN DAVID DENZER** on October 03, 1953 in Jackson, Missouri. He was born on October 31, 1929.

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5. **CLARA GERTRUDE<sup>2</sup> RIEDESEL** (Heinrich Herman<sup>1</sup>) was born on February 06, 1909 in Martin City, Missouri. She died on February 12, 1991 (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri). She married Ellis V. Keltz on June 12, 1936 in Jackson, Missouri. He was born on July 18, 1914. He died on October 17, 1998 (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri).

Notes for Clara Gertrude Riedesel:

Worked as a receptionist for the Kansas City Credit Bureau; retired in 1979. Methodist.

Ellis V. Keltz and Clara Gertrude Riedesel had the following child:

- i. **BERTHA P.<sup>3</sup> KELTZ** was born in 1937. She died on May 15, 1937 (Belton Cemetery, Cass County MO).
6. **ELLA PEARL<sup>2</sup> RIEDESEL** (Heinrich Herman<sup>1</sup>) was born on September 11, 1916 in Martin City, Missouri. She died on August 20, 2006 in Raymore, Cass, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri). She married Allan Maurice Olson on September 10, 1936 in Missouri. He was born on September 09, 1917 in St Joseph, Andrew, Missouri. He died on December 06, 1996 in Raymore, Cass, Missouri (Belton Cemetery, Cass County Missouri).

Allan Maurice Olson and Ella Pearl Riedesel had the following children:

- i. **LADORNA<sup>3</sup> OLSON** was born on March 13, 1941 in Martin City, Missouri. She died on March 20, 2010 in Warsaw, Benton, Missouri.
- ii. **JOHNNIE M. OLSON.**