

Descendants of Georg Gabriel Riedesel

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1. **GEORG GABRIEL¹ RIEDESEL** was born on September 20, 1809 in Wunderthausen. He died before 1880 in Clay County, Kansas. He married (1) **ELISABETH AMALIA KNOCHE**, daughter of Ludwig Henrich Knoche and Maria Elisabeth Homrighausen, on August 24, 1834 in Wunderthausen. She was born on November 08, 1807 in Wunderthausen. She died on January 26, 1851 in Wunderthausen. He married (2) **ELISABETH AMALIA KNOCHE**, daughter of Johann Franz Knoche and Elisabeth Gertraud Strackbein, on February 06, 1853 in Wunderthausen. She was born on January 01, 1826 in Wunderthausen. She died on April 17, 1880 in Kansas City, Jackson, Missouri.

Notes for Georg Gabriel Riedesel:

Known as Ludwig. Born in the house "Ludwigs unter der Leye" but established the house in Wunderthausen known as Schreiners/Großeludwigs. His two wives had the same birth names, but the first was apparently known as Maria and the second as Amalia. Ludwig came to America with his second wife and at least three children on the ship Argonaut out of Bremen. It arrived at New York on November 9, 1867. We have newspaper advertisements that he placed in Wittgenstein in the summer of 1867 putting the house, property and harvest up for sale. He owned less than three acres of cropland and a couple pieces of pasture land.

The obituary of his son, Louis D. (from his first marriage), alludes to two half-sisters. One was Catherine and the other was probably the girl identified as "Dina" on the ship's manifest. The latter was--I believe--a common nickname for "Christine." Yet I find no record of her in the Wunderthausen records.

A recent history from Wunderthausen lists a death date in May 1884. However, I find no trace of Ludwig in the 1880 Census but his supposedly widowed wife is living with their son, Phillip.

Georg Gabriel Riedesel and Elisabeth Amalia Knoche had the following children:

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 - i. **JOHANNES² RIEDESEL** was born on November 11, 1833 in Wunderthausen. He died on September 27, 1898 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Florentine Mörchen, daughter of Johannes Mörchen and Maria Juliana Riedesel, on May 17, 1858 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on December 03, 1834 in Wunderthausen. She died on May 31, 1919 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).
 - ii. **ELISABETH RIEDESEL** was born on January 16, 1836 in Wunderthausen. She died on October 25, 1838 in Wunderthausen.
 - iii. **JOHANN JOST RIEDESEL** was born on April 17, 1840 in Wunderthausen. He died on May 01, 1840 in Wunderthausen.
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 - iv. **JOHANN HEINRICH RIEDESEL** was born on June 22, 1841 in Wunderthausen. He died on January 29, 1917 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married (1) **KATHERINE KNEBEL**, daughter of Johannes Knebel and Anna Elisabeth Schneider, on November 01, 1871 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on May 01, 1845 in Wunderthausen. She died on December 12, 1887 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married (2) **FRIEDERIKE LUISE RIX**, daughter of Heinrich Rix and Wilhelmina Dorothea Louise Caroline Kemman, in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on May 28, 1856 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois. She died on August 09, 1929 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).
 - v. **INFANT RIEDESEL** was born on November 02, 1843 in Wunderthausen. She died in November 1843 in Wunderthausen.
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 - vi. **JOHANN GEORG RIEDESEL** was born on November 27, 1844 in Wunderthausen. He died on December 18, 1932 in Moore, Cleveland, Oklahoma, USA (Smith Cemetery, Moore). He married Susanna Mörchen, daughter of Johannes Mörchen and Catherine Elisabeth Bernhardt, in Clinton, Iowa. She was born on April 07, 1860 in Cedar County, Iowa. She died on August 11, 1948 in Moore, Cleveland, Oklahoma, USA (Smith Cemetery, Moore).

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5. vii. GEORG LUDWIG RIEDESEL was born on September 17, 1847 in Wunderthausen. He died on October 12, 1929 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Anna Elisabeth Wagner, daughter of Maria Elisabeth Wagner, on August 19, 1880 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on May 02, 1859 in Wunderthausen. She died on July 26, 1933 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.

Notes for Elisabeth Amalia Knoche:

Born in the house "Auf der Leye" in Wunderthausen.

Whether it was she or her younger sister Elisabeth Florentine (b. 1831) who married Georg Gabriel (Ludwig) Riedesel is not clear. Researchers in Germany have interpreted the records to say that it was Elisabeth Florentine. However, the marriage record just says "Elisabeth Knoche" so it could be either one. The ship's list in 1867 gives her age as 42 (so born about 1825 and fitting the older sister). The 1870 Census gives her age as 44, matching the older sister's birth year of 1826. Only in 1880 did the widow give her age as 49 (an implied birth year of 1831). It is my judgment that Elisabeth Amalia (b. 1826) was the bride.

Georg Gabriel Riedesel and Elisabeth Amalia Knoche had the following children:

- viii. DINA RIEDESEL was born about 1853.

Notes for Dina Riedesel:

The only record of her existence is a passenger list for the Argonaut out of Bremen carrying other family members; the ship docked in New York out of Bremen on November 9, 1867. She is not listed with them in the 1870 Census nor does any birth record in Wunderthausen look like hers. While she could already have been married by 1870, she may also have died by then. Her half-brother Louis D.'s obituary alludes to two half-sisters in 1929.

It is not out of the question that the young woman named as Dina Riedesel in the ship's 1867 record was in fact not a Riedesel at all but used the name to emigrate with another family.

Dina was normally a nickname for Christine.

- ix. JOHANNES RIEDESEL was born on January 19, 1857 in Wunderthausen. He died on October 06, 1859 in Wunderthausen.
- x. CATHERINE RIEDESEL was born on January 24, 1859.

Notes for Catherine Riedesel:

I have no record of her coming to America or her staying in Germany.

6. xi. PHILIPP JOHN RIEDESEL was born on December 22, 1860 in Wunderthausen. He died on December 13, 1941 in Moundville, Vernon, Missouri (Griffith Cemetery, Wyandotte County, Kansas). He married Augusta Mary Hahner, daughter of August Hahner and Caroline Frances Tertling, on August 07, 1881 in Jackson, Missouri. She was born on December 14, 1862 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri. She died on May 14, 1940 in Moundville, Vernon, Missouri (Griffith Cemetery, Wyandotte County, Kansas).

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2. **JOHANNES² RIEDESEL** (Georg Gabriel¹) was born on November 11, 1833 in Wunderthausen. He died on September 27, 1898 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Florentine Mörchen, daughter of Johannes Mörchen and Maria Juliana Riedesel, on May 17, 1858 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on December 03, 1834 in Wunderthausen. She died on May 31, 1919 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Johannes Riedesel:

Used the name "John H." in America. Born in the house known as Schreinners or Grosseludwigs in Wunderthausen. Arrived October 25, 1854 in New Orleans on the ship "Auguste" from Bremen in the company of other Wunderthäuser. May have first settled in Iowa City but was in Wheatland by 1860. He initially farmed north of Wheatland in Section 3 of the Spring Rock Township of

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Clinton County (I think), but later records say the family had property south of town near Big Rock. Three of his (much younger) brothers also settled around Wheatland but it is difficult to tell how close they were.

Notes for Florentine Mörchen:

Born in the Wunderthausen Mill. Came to the U.S. on the Johann Schmidt out of Bremen, landing in New Orleans on June 1, 1857. By 1900, she and several of the children had relocated to a farm in Scott County.

Johannes Riedesel and Florentine Mörchen had the following children:

- i. ELISABETH³ RIEDESEL was born on August 28, 1859 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on July 14, 1882 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).
7. ii. JOHN E. RIEDESEL was born on May 23, 1861 in Iowa City, Johnson, Iowa. He died on September 19, 1927 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Emma Katherine Webbles, daughter of Georg Webbles and Christina Kramer, on December 07, 1893 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on February 18, 1867 in Lyons, Clinton, Iowa. She died on October 03, 1945 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).
- iii. FREDERICK RIEDESEL was born on July 23, 1863 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on October 02, 1948 in Wheatland, Clinton County, Iowa, United States of America (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Frederick Riedesel:

He never married. By 1900 he farmed in the Liberty Township of Scott County with his sister, Mary, keeping house.

8. iv. CHRISTINA RIEDESEL was born on August 05, 1865 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on March 02, 1949 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. She married John Roscoe Knabel, son of Johannes Knebel and Anna Elisabeth Bender, on January 11, 1894 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on February 26, 1870 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on August 04, 1947 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa.
- v. ANNA RIEDESEL was born on May 24, 1867 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on November 21, 1938 in Donahue, Scott, Iowa. She married Edward Grell, son of Joachim Frederick Grell and Margarethe Sophie Blumer, on December 29, 1915 in Scott County, Iowa. He was born on March 07, 1863 in Dixon, Scott, Iowa. He died on November 05, 1938.
- vi. MARY RIEDESEL was born on May 10, 1869 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on December 23, 1936 (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Mary Riedesel:

She never married but kept house on the farm operated by her brother Fred.

9. vii. LISETTA SARAH RIEDESEL was born on December 10, 1871 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on February 06, 1958 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She married William Hoffman on February 22, 1894 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on January 26, 1863. He died on July 08, 1943.
10. viii. LENA LYDIA RIEDESEL was born on February 20, 1873 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on January 21, 1953 in Blainstown, Benton, Iowa. She married John Mathias Lang on August 02, 1911 in Blainstown, Benton, Iowa. He was born on November 04, 1884. He died on June 09, 1963.
11. ix. LAURA F. RIEDESEL was born on August 05, 1875 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on May 05, 1970 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She married John Beuthien on February 19, 1908 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. He was born on May 08, 1884 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on January 06, 1974 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.
12. x. EMMA RIEDESEL was born on October 20, 1877 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on January 12, 1929 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. She married Louis William Strackbein, son of Johann Ludwig Strackbein and Maria Elisabeth Homrighausen,

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on March 01, 1916 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. He was born on December 12, 1879 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on February 21, 1955 in Blue Grass, Scott, Iowa.

3. **JOHANN HEINRICH² RIEDESEL** (Georg Gabriel¹) was born on June 22, 1841 in Wunderthausen. He died on January 29, 1917 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married (1) **KATHERINE KNEBEL**, daughter of Johannes Knebel and Anna Elisabeth Schneider, on November 01, 1871 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on May 01, 1845 in Wunderthausen. She died on December 12, 1887 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married (2) **FRIEDERIKE LUISE RIX**, daughter of Heinrich Rix and Wilhelmina Dorothea Louise Caroline Kemman, in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on May 28, 1856 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois. She died on August 09, 1929 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Johann Heinrich Riedesel:

Known as Henry D. in America. Born in the house known as Schreiners/Grosseludwigs in Wundethausen where he learned the stone mason's trade. Served in the Prussian army between about 1864-1866 and was in the battle of Königgrätz. He came to America with his father, step-mother and two step-siblings on the ship Argonaut out of Bremen and arrived at New York on November 9, 1867. He lived at Kansas City for a year but went to Wheatland where he farmed. Henry D. owned and farmed a variety of land with his brothers Louis D. and George D. Eventually he had a large farm of his own in Section 16 of the Spring Rock Township. He and his second wife, Louise, moved to town in 1908.

Notes for Katherine Knebel:

Born in Schmeds/Franzose house in Wunderthausen. Came to the US on the ship Hansa out of Bremen. It ship arrived on October 27, 1865 in New York.

Johann Heinrich Riedesel and Katherine Knebel had the following children:

- i. **HENRY³ RIEDESEL** was born about 1869.
- ii. **GEORG HEINRICH RIEDESEL** was born on September 29, 1875 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on December 03, 1894 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Georg Heinrich Riedesel:

Known as Henry; died of a hemmorage.

- 13. iii. **FRANK LOUIS RIEDESEL** was born on June 14, 1877 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on April 14, 1949 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. He married Katherine Margaretha Peterson in 1910 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on March 10, 1878 in Holstein, Germany. She died in 1965 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa.
- 14. iv. **EMELIA RIEDESEL** was born in July 1884 in Wheatland Clinton, Iowa. She died in 1958 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She married Christian Hamdorf on February 15, 1911 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on May 07, 1879 in Mözen, Segeberg, Schleswig-Holstein, Germany. He died on October 19, 1962 in Massillon, Cedar, Iowa.
- v. **JULIUS RIEDESEL** was born on October 03, 1887 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on June 26, 1944 in Maywood, Cook, Illinois (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Julius Riedesel:

Known as Jack.

Notes for Friederike Luise Rix:

Known as Louise. Came to Lowden, Iowa in 1861 with her family. The family name is shown as Rixe in some sources. Her obituary makes no mention of any children with Henry other than Martha and Herman or of her marriage to Charles Penningroth. They must have been divorced.

Johann Heinrich Riedesel and Friederike Luise Rix had the following children:

- vi. **FLORENTINE RIEDESEL** was born on May 02, 1888 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on March 02, 1889 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

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- vii. GEORGE RIEDESEL was born on May 22, 1889 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on August 24, 1889 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).
- 15. viii. HERMAN FRIEDRICH RIEDESEL was born on January 20, 1891 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on October 02, 1966 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Anna Christina Hamdorf, daughter of Christian Hamdorf and Anna Christine Lienan, on December 30, 1915 in Lowden, Cedar, Iowa. She was born on November 02, 1892 in Lost Nation, Clinton, Iowa, USA. She died on February 12, 1988.
- 16. ix. MARTHA RIEDESEL was born on June 21, 1899 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on October 02, 1967 (Lowden Cemetery). She married Herman Henry Debner on November 23, 1921 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on May 11, 1893 in Cedar County, Iowa. He died on February 13, 1986 in Clarence, Cedar, Iowa (Lowden Cemetery).
- x. INFANT RIEDESEL.
- 4. **JOHANN GEORG² RIEDESEL** (Georg Gabriel¹) was born on November 27, 1844 in Wunderthausen. He died on December 18, 1932 in Moore, Cleveland, Oklahoma, USA (Smith Cemetery, Moore). He married Susanna Mörchen, daughter of Johannes Mörchen and Catherine Elisabeth Bernhardt, in Clinton, Iowa. She was born on April 07, 1860 in Cedar County, Iowa. She died on August 11, 1948 in Moore, Cleveland, Oklahoma, USA (Smith Cemetery, Moore).

Notes for Johann Georg Riedesel:

Known as George D. Born in Schreiners/Grosseludwigs Haus, Wunderthausen. Arrived in New York on the ship Hansa out of Bremen on October 27, 1865 (Captain H.J. Von Santen). He first lived on the farm of his brother John near Wheatland after coming to the US. Later he owned and farmed land with his other brothers, Louis D. and Henry D. Riedesel. Around 1900, he and his wife moved to Moore, Oklahoma. His tombstone is engraved with the birth date of November 27, 1844 (at odds with the birth record in Wunderthausen) and death date of December 21 (at odds with his death certificate).

Two sons and a daughter, Adele (known as Della), all unmarried, lived on the family farm.

Notes for Susanna Mörchen:

She was in the first generation of Wunderthäuser born in America. Though her widowed mother and younger siblings moved on to Nebraska, I believe she lived around Wheatland before marrying George D. Riedesel.

Johann Georg Riedesel and Susanna Mörchen had the following children:

- i. JOHN GEORGE³ RIEDESEL was born on April 06, 1883 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on March 11, 1970 in Moore, Cleveland, Oklahoma, USA (Smith Cemetery, Moore).

Notes for John George Riedesel:

Known as John in some cases, but his grave says "George Jr." He continued to farm at Moore along with his siblings Adele and (Louis) Franklin.

- ii. ADELE LOUISE RIEDESEL was born on April 20, 1885 in Clinton County, Iowa, USA. She died on May 17, 1958 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma (Smith Cemetery, Moore).

Notes for Adele Louise Riedesel:

Known as Della. She never married and continued to live on the family farm with older brother George and younger brother (Louis) Franklin.

- 17. iii. ALVENA LOUISA RIEDESEL was born on March 30, 1888 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on May 13, 1978 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma (St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery). She married Leo Josesph Meyer, son of Daniel W. Meyer and Abby Schader, on September 08, 1906 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma. He was born on December 15, 1881 in Morgan County, Missouri. He died on March 14, 1965 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma (St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery).

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- iv. OSCAR RIEDESEL was born on March 08, 1891 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on September 20, 1891 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.
- v. LOUIS FRANKLIN RIEDESEL was born on July 03, 1898 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on September 09, 1990 in Purcell, McClain, Oklahoma.

Notes for Louis Franklin Riedesel:

Never married. Known as Frank. He remained on the family farm with his older siblings George and Adele.

- 5. **GEORG LUDWIG² RIEDESEL** (Georg Gabriel¹) was born on September 17, 1847 in Wunderthausen. He died on October 12, 1929 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Anna Elisabeth Wagner, daughter of Maria Elisabeth Wagner, on August 19, 1880 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on May 02, 1859 in Wunderthausen. She died on July 26, 1933 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.

Notes for Georg Ludwig Riedesel:

Known as Louis D. in America. Born in the house in Wunderthausen known as Schreiners/Grosseludwigs. Came to the US on May 28, 1866, on the ship "Atlantic." It landed in New York and had sailed from Bremen.

He worked at first for a relative, Philip Knoche, in Kansas City, Missouri. In 1868, took the train and steamboat to Davenport. He then worked on the farm of Ephrem Snyder [identity uncertain]. In 1870, he and his brothers George and Henry bought farmland near Wheatland. By marrying Anna Wagner who had suddenly inherited at least something when brother Louis Wagner died, he had a foothold on some rich farmland southwest of Wheatland. Their place was in Section 21 of the Spring Rock Township of Clinton County.

Notes for Anna Elisabeth Wagner:

Born in Wagners Haus in Wunderthausen. She probably spent parts of her childhood in both Wunderthausen and Diedenshausen, wherever her (single) mother had employment. She was only nine when her mother died. In 1879, her (half?) brother Louis who had gone to America died suddenly on his farm near Wheatland. He had no heirs in America but the church elders knew of Anna. They invited her to come to America to claim that inheritance and start a new life. Apparently it took some convincing, but she finally did so in the company of several other young people with a Ludwig Lückel (almost certainly from Girkhausen) as a kind of chaperone for the group. They traveled on the ship Neckar out of Bremen, landing in New York May 29, 1880.

Anna, Herr Lückel, and at least some others traveled on to Iowa. It almost certain that they went by the Ohio River to St. Louis and then up to Davenport or Clinton. She signed a Quit Claim with Herr Lückel for \$120. Surely he had paid for her passage and was repaid once they got to Wheatland. He returned to Germany. It took a while to finally settle her brother's estate but Anna now owned land that apparently remained in her name. She had only been at Wheatland for a couple of months when she married Louis D. Riedesel. Whether this was arranged in advance or just happened is anybody's guess. My guess is that the relationship developed after her arrival. The Riedesel brothers were close neighbors and good farmers.

Georg Ludwig Riedesel and Anna Elisabeth Wagner had the following children:

- i. FRANK G.³ RIEDESEL was born on June 01, 1881 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on September 14, 1881 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).
- 18. ii. AUGUSTE RIEDESEL was born on August 29, 1882 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on October 01, 1974 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (Pine Hill Cemetery, Wheatland). She married Henry Jurgen Schnede on March 26, 1907 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on January 04, 1881 in Germany. He died on November 17, 1959 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (Pine Hill Cemetery, Wheatland).
- iii. PAULINE RIEDESEL was born on August 22, 1884 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on November 27, 1914 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

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- 19. iv. ANNA RIEDESEL was born on January 29, 1887 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on February 11, 1979 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She married Henry Frederick Mueller, son of Fred Mueller, on February 27, 1907 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on November 17, 1880 in Clinton, Clinton, Iowa. He died in January 1967 in Grand Mound, Clinton, Iowa.
 - 20. v. LOUISE RIEDESEL was born on August 09, 1891 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on December 12, 1984 in Calamus, Clinton County, Iowa, United States of America (Rose Hill Cemetery, Calamus). She married James Blaine St. John, son of Albert St. John and Sarah Lafferty, on December 20, 1911 in Calamus, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on March 15, 1885 in Calamus, Clinton, Iowa. He died on July 27, 1951 in Grand Mound, Clinton, Iowa (Rose Hill Cemetery, Calamus).
 - 21. vi. LOUIS ARMOUR RIEDESEL was born on November 29, 1893 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on April 20, 1975 in De Witt, Clinton, Iowa. He married Elsie Wilhelmina Rowold, daughter of Ernst Heinrich Dietrich Rowold and Katharine Riedesel, on October 26, 1921 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. She was born on May 03, 1903 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on March 21, 1993 in Maquoketa, Jackson, Iowa.
 - 22. vii. EPHRAIM RIEDESEL was born on December 31, 1895 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on December 26, 1935 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Lillian Strackbein, daughter of John Conrad Strackbein and Luise Riedesel, on June 22, 1932 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on May 27, 1909 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on May 06, 1988 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).
 - 23. viii. PHILLIP RIEDESEL was born on May 27, 1898 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on May 13, 1971 in De Witt, Clinton, Iowa. He married Lydia Schneider, daughter of Phillip A. Schneider and Elisabeth Wagner, on January 20, 1932 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on February 01, 1908 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on February 14, 2002 in Maquoketa, Jackson, Iowa.
 - ix. PERRY RIEDESEL was born on May 16, 1904 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on May 07, 1962 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married Emma Elizabeth Rowold, daughter of Ernst Heinrich Dietrich Rowold and Katharine Riedesel, on June 09, 1937 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. She was born on May 03, 1905 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on January 17, 1971 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.
 - x. INFANT RIEDESEL.
6. **PHILIPP JOHN² RIEDESEL** (Georg Gabriel¹) was born on December 22, 1860 in Wunderthausen. He died on December 13, 1941 in Moundville, Vernon, Missouri (Griffith Cemetery, Wyandotte County, Kansas). He married Augusta Mary Hahner, daughter of August Hahner and Caroline Frances Tertling, on August 07, 1881 in Jackson, Missouri. She was born on December 14, 1862 in Kansas City, Clay, Missouri. She died on May 14, 1940 in Moundville, Vernon, Missouri (Griffith Cemetery, Wyandotte County, Kansas).

Notes for Philipp John Riedesel:

Born in the house Schreiners/Großeludwigs in Wunderthausen. Baptised as Philipp but known as Phillip John (or James) in this country. Came to the U.S. with his parents on the ship Argonaut out of Bremen. It arrived in New York on November 9, 1867. As an adult he lived in the Kansas City, Kansas area; in 1930 they lived in the Center township of Vernon County, Missouri. Several censuses list his place of birth as Iowa or Missouri, which is simply false. It does suggest the possibility that his parents lived for a while around Wheatland. In the same Census, his son Phillip reported his father's birthplace as Missouri! His grave marker says he died in 1940 but state records say 1941.

I find a 19-year old "John P Redzel" living with his widowed mother Elizabeth at Quindaro, Wyandotte County (Kansas City), Kansas in the 1880 Census.

Notes for Augusta Mary Hahner:

Records suggest different versions of her family name: Hainer, Hahner, Höhner, Haner. Augusta bore seven children but we have the names of only six. Her birth year is variously given as 1861

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or 1862. I trust the 1900 Census which explicitly gives it as 1862.

Philipp John Riedesel and Augusta Mary Hahner had the following children:

24. i. ELIZABETH ANN³ RIEDESEL was born on March 18, 1882 in Wyandotte County, Kansas. She died in January 1873 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Griffith Cemetery, Wyandotte County, Kansas). She married (1) GEORGE LEE COURTNEY about 1902. He was born on May 31, 1878 in Kansas. He died on January 13, 1918 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. She married (2) ARTHUR D MALOTT about 1908. He was born on December 03, 1873 in Quindaro Township, Wyandotte, Kansas. He died on May 27, 1958 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas.
25. ii. NICHOLAS AUGUST RIEDESEL was born on January 24, 1884 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. He died on May 23, 1919 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Bethel Cemetery, Kansas). He married Myrtle Wynkoop in 1904. She was born on April 07, 1887 in Alma, Wabaunsee, Kansas. She died on November 05, 1965 in Lawrence, Douglas, Kansas.
- iii. PANSY RIEDESEL was born in 1887 in probably Wyandotte County. She died in 1889 in probably Wyandotte County.
26. iv. PHILLIP M RIEDESEL was born on September 26, 1891 in Vance, Kansas. He died on April 27, 1958 in Nevada, Vernon, Missouri (Moore Cemetery, Vernon County). He married Susan Eberle about 1913. She was born on September 14, 1895 in Wyandotte, Wyandotte, Kansas. She died on August 03, 1974 in Nevada, Vernon, Missouri (Moore Cemetery, Vernon County).
27. v. MARGARET RIEDESEL was born on February 20, 1896 in Missouri. She died in June 1990 (Griffith Cemetery, Wyandotte County, Kansas). She married JOHN W. BAILEY. He died before 1930.
28. vi. HARRY LEE RIEDESEL was born on May 23, 1900 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. He died on July 28, 1951 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Griffith Cemetery, Kansas City). He married Naomi Earlene Braden, daughter of John Rice Braden and Virginia Elizabeth Cowell, on November 24, 1920 in Morgan County, Missouri. She was born on October 30, 1901 in Stover, Morgan, Missouri. She died on July 02, 1987 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Griffith Cemetery, Wyandotte County, Kansas).

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7. **JOHN E.³ RIEDESEL** (Johannes², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on May 23, 1861 in Iowa City, Johnson, Iowa. He died on September 19, 1927 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Emma Katherine Webbles, daughter of Georg Webbles and Christina Kramer, on December 07, 1893 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on February 18, 1867 in Lyons, Clinton, Iowa. She died on October 03, 1945 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for John E. Riedesel:

Worked as a carpenter most of his life. Served with Wheatland Volunteer Fire Department.

John E. Riedesel and Emma Katherine Webbles had the following children:

- i. RUTH D.⁴ RIEDESEL was born on January 07, 1895 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on April 13, 1957 in Carthage, Hancock, Illinois.
- ii. ETTA LELA RIEDESEL was born on November 30, 1898 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on October 24, 1988 in Havana, Mason, Illinois. She married (1) ARTHUR NAHUM BLACKMAN on September 15, 1916 in Clinton County, Iowa, USA. He was born on January 23, 1895 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on August 06, 1967 in Milan, Rock Island, Illinois. She married (2) RAYMOND DETLEF KAHL on March 14, 1935 in Aledo, Mercer, Illinois. He was born on January 27, 1898 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He died on November 19, 1968 in Havana, Mason, Illinois.

Notes for Etta Lela Riedesel:

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Known as Lela.

- iii. LESTER HERBERT RIEDESEL was born on December 01, 1899 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on June 25, 1969 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He married (1) MARIE HOKER on June 09, 1951. She was born on April 15, 1905 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died in January 1985 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married (2) LOUISE ROENFELDT on October 17, 1925 in Clinton, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on March 10, 1907 in Bryant, Clinton, Iowa. She died on February 02, 1968. He married (3) MARTHA WIEDENHOFF on January 25, 1947. She was born on December 13, 1909. She died on January 02, 1986.

Notes for Lester Herbert Riedesel:
Worked for the railroad.

- iv. WILBERT RAYMOND RIEDESEL was born on March 20, 1902 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on March 13, 1991 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married Berniece Anna Emma Bender, daughter of Charles Bender and Louisa Berner, on August 30, 1932 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. She was born on August 10, 1911 in Elwood, Clinton, Iowa. She died on October 23, 2004 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.

Notes for Berniece Anna Emma Bender:
Her obituary refers to her as Anna Emma.

- v. ELSIE RIEDESEL was born on February 12, 1906. She died on March 27, 1982. She married (1) ALTON B. HERRING. He was born on May 04, 1901. He died on January 18, 1984. She married (2) THOMAS RICHARD MURPHY on July 12, 1930.

- 8. **CHRISTINA³ RIEDESEL** (Johannes², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on August 05, 1865 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on March 02, 1949 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. She married John Roscoe Knabel, son of Johannes Knebel and Anna Elisabeth Bender, on January 11, 1894 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on February 26, 1870 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on August 04, 1947 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa.

Notes for Christina Riedesel:
Known as Tinnie.

Notes for John Roscoe Knabel:
The original German name was Knebel but he apparently took the Knabel spelling.
John Roscoe Knabel and Christina Riedesel had the following children:

- i. FLORENTINE ELIZABETH VELMA⁴ KNABEL was born on January 19, 1897 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died in August 1981 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. She married Everett George LaRue on November 17, 1913 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He was born on December 26, 1896 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. He died in April 1974 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa.
- ii. ALICE KNABEL was born on April 16, 1901 in Dixon, Scott, Iowa. She died on October 30, 1986 in Bettendorf, Scott, Iowa, USA. She married John Henry Porth on January 08, 1918 in Rock Island, Illinois. He was born on August 25, 1897 in Pleasant Valley, Scott, Iowa, USA. He died on November 27, 1918 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa.
- iii. JOHN ROSCOE KNABEL was born about 1905 in Tipton Iowa. He died on November 10, 1978 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa.
- iv. HOWARD KNABEL was born in 1907 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. He died in 1941. He married ARLENE K MULSAKY.

- 9. **LISSETTA SARAH³ RIEDESEL** (Johannes², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on December 10, 1871 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on February 06, 1958 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She married William Hoffman on February 22, 1894 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on January 26, 1863. He died on July 08, 1943.

Notes for Lisetta Sarah Riedesel:
Often known as Sadie.

William Hoffman and Lisetta Sarah Riedesel had the following child:

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- i. ALMA⁴ HOFFMAN was born in January 1897. She married William Jacobsen, son of Peter Jacobsen and Margarete Jepsen, on December 20, 1922 in Clinton County, Iowa, USA.

Notes for Alma Hoffman:

I find no trace of her after her marriage in 1922.

- 10. LENA LYDIA³ RIEDESEL (Johannes², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on February 20, 1873 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on January 21, 1953 in Blirstown, Benton, Iowa. She married John Mathias Lang on August 02, 1911 in Blirstown, Benton, Iowa. He was born on November 04, 1884. He died on June 09, 1963.

John Mathias Lang and Lena Lydia Riedesel had the following children:

- i. RAYMOND E.⁴ LANG was born on February 13, 1912 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. He married RUTH E YERINGTON. She was born on July 02, 1918 in Cedar County, Iowa. She died on May 13, 1997 in Columbus, Muscogee, Georgia.
- ii. FRANCIS ALVIN LANG was born on June 26, 1914 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. He died on August 26, 1986 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. He married Doris E Wineke on September 26, 1936 in Nashua, Chickasaw, Iowa. She was born on January 09, 1915 in West Branch, Cedar, Iowa. She died on May 25, 2015 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa.
- iii. FLORENCE MILDRED LANG was born on October 14, 1916. She died on June 01, 2005 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. She married KENNETH SPENCER.

- 11. LAURA F.³ RIEDESEL (Johannes², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on August 05, 1875 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on May 05, 1970 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She married John Beuthien on February 19, 1908 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. He was born on May 08, 1884 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on January 06, 1974 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.

Notes for Laura F. Riedesel:

Her middle name is often given as Flora but I suspect it started out as Florentine (her mother's given name). To my knowledge, baptismal records from St. Paul's church do not exist from this time.

John Beuthien and Laura F. Riedesel had the following children:

- i. HILDA FRANCES⁴ BEUTHIEN was born on September 13, 1909 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on January 16, 2002 in Cedar Rapids, Linn, Iowa. She married Erwin Fred Proesch on October 07, 1936 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on May 14, 1911 in Bennett, Cedar, Iowa. He died on March 04, 1981 in Clinton, Clinton, Iowa.
- ii. EDGAR HOWARD BEUTHIEN was born on March 08, 1911. He died on February 06, 2000. He married Mabel Dora Meyer on November 23, 1932. She was born on March 27, 1913. She died on March 20, 1989.
- iii. FLORENCE GRACE BEUTHIEN was born on January 01, 1913. She died on February 04, 2017 in De Witt, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). She married (1) NORMAN LUDWIG SCHNEIDER, son of Ferdinand Heinrich Schneider and Marie Homrighausen, on October 01, 1949. He was born on October 27, 1913 in Iowa. He died on November 03, 1992. She married (2) WILLIAM G BURHOP, son of Conrad Henry Burhop and Christine Louisa Kelting, on November 23, 1932 in Rock-ford . 111 .. He was born on November 26, 1906 in Clinton, Clinton County, Iowa. He died on January 30, 1933 in Beloit, Rock County, Wisconsin, United States of America. She married (3) JULIUS WILLIAM KELDING, son of John Philip Kelding and Charlotte Sophie Burhop, on October 18, 1941. He was born on April 05, 1907 in Wheatland, Clinton County, Iowa. He died on May 06, 1943 in Fort Carson, El Paso County, Colorado.

- 12. EMMA³ RIEDESEL (Johannes², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on October 20, 1877 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on January 12, 1929 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. She married Louis William Strackbein, son of Johann Ludwig Strackbein and Maria Elisabeth Homrighausen, on March 01, 1916 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. He was born on December 12, 1879 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on February 21, 1955 in Blue Grass, Scott, Iowa.

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Louis William Strackbein and Emma Riedesel had the following child:

- i. SYLVAN C.⁴ RIEDESEL was born on June 20, 1908 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on May 29, 1973 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Sylvan C. Riedesel:
Served in World War II.

13. **FRANK LOUIS³ RIEDESEL** (Johann Heinrich², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on June 14, 1877 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on April 14, 1949 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. He married Katherine Margaretha Peterson in 1910 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on March 10, 1878 in Holstein, Germany. She died in 1965 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa.

Notes for Frank Louis Riedesel:

Farmed at Wheatland from 1910 to 1917, then moved to Rochester, Iowa where he farmed into the mid-1940s. They retired in Tipton, Iowa.

Frank Louis Riedesel and Katherine Margaretha Peterson had the following child:

- i. LEOTA CATHERINE⁴ RIEDESEL was born on May 10, 1913 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on October 09, 2011 in West Liberty, Muscatine, Iowa. She married (1) HERBERT RICHARDS on March 07, 1931 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. He was born on September 07, 1908 in Wapsinonoc, Muscatine, Iowa. He died on August 22, 1938. She married (2) PATRICK RAYMOND CONNER on August 18, 1947. He was born on June 16, 1912 in Williamsburg, Iowa, Iowa. He died on September 07, 1957 in Iowa City, Johnson, Iowa.
14. **EMELIA³ RIEDESEL** (Johann Heinrich², Georg Gabriel¹) was born in July 1884 in Wheatland Clinton, Iowa. She died in 1958 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She married Christian Hamdorf on February 15, 1911 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on May 07, 1879 in Mözen, Segeberg, Schleswig-Holstein, Germany. He died on October 19, 1962 in Massillon, Cedar, Iowa.

Notes for Emelia Riedesel:

Also referred to as Amelia or Millie.

Christian Hamdorf and Emelia Riedesel had the following children:

- i. HARRY⁴ HAMDORF was born on September 11, 1912 in Massillon, Cedar, Iowa. He died on July 10, 1971 in Cedar Rapids, Linn, Iowa.

Notes for Harry Hamdorf:
Christened Heinrich but known as Harry.

- ii. FERN HAZEL HAMDORF was born on April 19, 1916 in Massillon, Cedar, Iowa. She died on October 19, 1923 in Massillon, Cedar, Iowa.
- iii. DORA HAMDORF was born about 1923 in Massillon, Cedar, Iowa.

Notes for Dora Hamdorf:
She was alive in 1940.

15. **HERMAN FRIEDRICH³ RIEDESEL** (Johann Heinrich², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on January 20, 1891 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on October 02, 1966 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Anna Christina Hamdorf, daughter of Christian Hamdorf and Anna Christine Lienan, on December 30, 1915 in Lowden, Cedar, Iowa. She was born on November 02, 1892 in Lost Nation, Clinton, Iowa, USA. She died on February 12, 1988.

Notes for Herman Friedrich Riedesel:

Known as Herman. Continued to farm the land originally belonging to his father.

Herman Friedrich Riedesel and Anna Christina Hamdorf had the following children:

- i. ESTHER EVELYN⁴ RIEDESEL was born on April 22, 1917 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on May 26, 2003 in Dade City, Pasco, Florida. She married Clarence McAllister on January 22, 1937 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He was born about 1916 in Nebraska.

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- ii. ROGER KENNETH RIEDESEL was born on January 31, 1922 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on August 05, 2003 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married Edna Schanze, daughter of Fred Schanze and Frances Gilmore, on October 19, 1946 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on September 10, 1920 in Grand Mound, Clinton, Iowa. She died on July 25, 2009 in Rio Rancho, Bernalillo, New Mexico.

Notes for Roger Kenneth Riedesel:

Farmed at Wheatland.

- iii. BETTY JANE RIEDESEL was born on September 03, 1924. She died on January 07, 2009. She married (1) RICHARD BALLILU on August 24, 1937 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He was born on March 30, 1919 in Fort Dodge, Webster, Iowa. He died on November 18, 1974 in Davenport, Santa Cruz, California. She married (2) LEONARD HANFORD PEDERSEN on June 10, 1983 in Cameron, Milam, Texas. He was born on March 25, 1923 in Calamus, Clinton, Iowa. He died on October 28, 2017 in Scottsdale, Maricopa, Arizona.

16. **MARTHA³ RIEDESEL** (Johann Heinrich², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on June 21, 1899 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on October 02, 1967 (Lowden Cemetery). She married Herman Henry Debner on November 23, 1921 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on May 11, 1893 in Cedar County, Iowa. He died on February 13, 1986 in Clarence, Cedar, Iowa (Lowden Cemetery).

Herman Henry Debner and Martha Riedesel had the following children:

- i. DILLON⁴ DEBNER was born on January 12, 1923 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on January 13, 1923 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.
- ii. RAYMOND AUGUST DEBNER was born on August 22, 1926 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on May 08, 2004 in Clarence, Cedar, Iowa.
- iii. DONALD LEE DEBNER was born on May 05, 1928 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on June 16, 1993 in Clarence, Cedar, Iowa.
- iv. LAJANE MAE DEBNER was born on June 20, 1932 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on August 20, 2014.

17. **ALVENA LOUISA³ RIEDESEL** (Johann Georg², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on March 30, 1888 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on May 13, 1978 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma (St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery). She married Leo Josesph Meyer, son of Daniel W. Meyer and Abby Schader, on September 08, 1906 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma. He was born on December 15, 1881 in Morgan County, Missouri. He died on March 14, 1965 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma (St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery).

Notes for Alvena Louisa Riedesel:

Known as Ollie. She was the only child to marry and move off the family farm.

Leo Josesph Meyer and Alvena Louisa Riedesel had the following children:

- i. ANDREW CHARLES⁴ MEYER was born on May 16, 1908 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma. He died on June 14, 1941 in Oklahoma City, Canadian, Oklahoma (St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery). He married Pauline Ann Stibbens on January 31, 1935 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma. She was born on January 29, 1920 in Oklahoma. She died on February 29, 2012.
- ii. ESTHER GERTRUDE MEYER was born on March 13, 1913 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma. She died on June 01, 2011 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma. She married Fortcrable Snow on May 11, 1935 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma. He was born on May 10, 1909 in Hugo, Choctaw, Oklahoma. He died on September 29, 1982.
- iii. ABBIE ALVENA MEYER was born on September 26, 1917 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma. She died on October 19, 1996 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma. She married (1) FLOYD HENSLEY on July 28, 1937 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma. He was born on March 16, 1911 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma. He died on July 07, 1977 in Norman, Cleveland, Oklahoma. She married (2) DUDLEY WAYNE ALEXANDER on August 26, 1985 in Van Buren, Arkansas. He was born on January

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01, 1918 in Duncan, Stephens, Oklahoma.

18. **AUGUSTE³ RIEDESEL** (Georg Ludwig², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on August 29, 1882 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on October 01, 1974 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (Pine Hill Cemetery, Wheatland). She married Henry Jurgen Schnede on March 26, 1907 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on January 04, 1881 in Germany. He died on November 17, 1959 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (Pine Hill Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Auguste Riedesel:

Known as Gustie.

Henry Jurgen Schnede and Auguste Riedesel had the following children:

- i. **EDWIN HENRY⁴ SCHNEDE** was born on August 30, 1909 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on September 09, 1937 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa.
 - ii. **DONALD LOUIS SCHNEDE** was born on July 06, 1911 in Clinton County, Iowa, USA. He died on March 26, 1947 in Sunbury, Northumberland, Pennsylvania. He married Bernice Bartscher on April 29, 1934 in Rock Island, Rock Island, Illinois. She was born on November 26, 1913. She died on April 19, 2002 in Durant, Cedar, Iowa.
 - iii. **LLOYD SCHNEDE** was born on October 20, 1915. He died on September 01, 2000 in Maquoketa, Jackson, Iowa. He married Blanche Mowry on October 21, 1937. She was born on February 04, 1914 in Lowden, Cedar, Iowa. She died on September 16, 2006 in Maquoketa, Jackson, Iowa.
19. **ANNA³ RIEDESEL** (Georg Ludwig², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on January 29, 1887 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on February 11, 1979 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She married Henry Frederick Mueller, son of Fred Mueller, on February 27, 1907 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on November 17, 1880 in Clinton, Clinton, Iowa. He died in January 1967 in Grand Mound, Clinton, Iowa.

Henry Frederick Mueller and Anna Riedesel had the following child:

- i. **VIVIAN DOROTHY⁴ MUELLER** was born on October 07, 1910 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. She died on November 17, 1980. She married Kermit Albert Wilhelm Eschbach on July 06, 1933 in Grand Mound, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on February 10, 1911 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on March 15, 1984 in Grand Mound, Clinton, Iowa.
20. **LOUISE³ RIEDESEL** (Georg Ludwig², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on August 09, 1891 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on December 12, 1984 in Calamus, Clinton County, Iowa, United States of America (Rose Hill Cemetery, Calamus). She married James Blaine St. John, son of Albert St. John and Sarah Lafferty, on December 20, 1911 in Calamus, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on March 15, 1885 in Calamus, Clinton, Iowa. He died on July 27, 1951 in Grand Mound, Clinton, Iowa (Rose Hill Cemetery, Calamus).

James Blaine St. John and Louise Riedesel had the following child:

- i. **RAY⁴ ST. JOHN** was born on January 20, 1915 in Calamus, Clinton, Iowa. He died on February 05, 1984 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He married Irene O Licht on August 29, 1940 in Lowden, Cedar, Iowa. She was born on March 22, 1904 in Lowden, Cedar, Iowa. She died on January 13, 1997 in Bettendorf, Scott, Iowa, USA.
21. **LOUIS ARMOUR³ RIEDESEL** (Georg Ludwig², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on November 29, 1893 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on April 20, 1975 in De Witt, Clinton, Iowa. He married Elsie Wilhelmina Rowold, daughter of Ernst Heinrich Dietrich Rowold and Katharine Riedesel, on October 26, 1921 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. She was born on May 03, 1903 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on March 21, 1993 in Maquoketa, Jackson, Iowa.

Notes for Louis Armour Riedesel:

Farmed at Wheatland. Served in World War I.

Notes for Elsie Wilhelmina Rowold:

After her mother's early death, she and her sister Emma went to live with her Riedesel grandparents. The other children then lived with their Rowold grandparents.

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Louis Armour Riedesel and Elsie Wilhelmina Rowold had the following children:

- i. WAYNE LOUIS⁴ RIEDESEL was born on May 10, 1923 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on November 11, 1998 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He married Norma Velma Paustian, daughter of Herman Henry Paustian and Wilma Amanda Sophia Edler, on November 22, 1947 in Bennett, Cedar, Iowa. She was born on April 26, 1929 in New Liberty, Scott, Iowa, USA. She died on April 26, 2006 in Iowa City, Johnson, Iowa.

Notes for Wayne Louis Riedesel:
Farmed at Wheatland.

- ii. ROBERT GENE RIEDESEL was born on July 13, 1934 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married Barbara Carol MacLean, daughter of Gladstone MacLean and Jenny Henry, on October 17, 1964 in Santa Monica, Los Angeles, California. She was born on January 31, 1935 in Cornwall, Stormont, Ontario, Canada.

Notes for Robert Gene Riedesel:
Rocket scientist. Born and raised in Wheatland, Iowa, moved to California in 1957 after graduating from Iowa State University with a Degree in Mechanical Engineering.

22. **EPHRAIM³ RIEDESEL** (Georg Ludwig², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on December 31, 1895 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on December 26, 1935 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Lillian Strackbein, daughter of John Conrad Strackbein and Luise Riedesel, on June 22, 1932 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on May 27, 1909 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on May 06, 1988 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Ephraim Riedesel:
Served in World War I.

Notes for Lillian Strackbein:
Her dates are suppositions based on Social Security Death Index record.

Ephraim Riedesel and Lillian Strackbein had the following children:

- i. DOLORES LOUISE⁴ RIEDESEL was born on September 25, 1932. She died on October 04, 2021 in Iowa City, Johnson, Iowa. She married Myron Henry Wenndt, son of Henry Carl Wenndt and Ella Klahn, on May 22, 1955. He was born on December 17, 1929.
- ii. EPHRAIM EUGENE RIEDESEL was born on May 10, 1936 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on May 10, 1936 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.

23. **PHILLIP³ RIEDESEL** (Georg Ludwig², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on May 27, 1898 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on May 13, 1971 in De Witt, Clinton, Iowa. He married Lydia Schneider, daughter of Phillip A. Schneider and Elisabeth Wagner, on January 20, 1932 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on February 01, 1908 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on February 14, 2002 in Maquoketa, Jackson, Iowa.

Phillip Riedesel and Lydia Schneider had the following child:

- i. ROY ALLEN⁴ RIEDESEL was born on March 10, 1934 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He died in 2022. He married Barbara Jean Mayerhofer on October 10, 1954. She was born on December 04, 1937.

Notes for Roy Allen Riedesel:
Farmed near Wheatland; later moved to Orion Illinois and worked in financial services.

24. **ELIZABETH ANN³ RIEDESEL** (Philipp John², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on March 18, 1882 in Wyandotte County, Kansas. She died in January 1873 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Griffith Cemetery, Wyandotte County, Kansas). She married (1) **GEORGE LEE COURTNEY** about 1902. He was born on May 31, 1878 in Kansas. He died on January 13, 1918 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. She married (2) **ARTHUR D MALOTT** about 1908. He was born on December 03, 1873 in Quindaro Township, Wyandotte, Kansas. He died on May 27, 1958 in Kansas City,

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Wyandotte, Kansas.

George Lee Courtney and Elizabeth Ann Riedesel had the following child:

- i. LEE A.⁴ COURTNEY was born on May 17, 1903 in Quindaro, Wyandotte County, Kansas. He died in October 1966 in Oswego, Labette, Kansas. He married Grace Elizabeth Horner on March 15, 1937. She was born on November 27, 1904 in Kansas City, Jackson, Missouri. She died on February 11, 1994 in Oak Grove, Jackson, Missouri.

Notes for Arthur D Malott:

He had at least five children with a previous wife before marrying Elizabeth Riedesel. The 1910 Census lists this blended family.

Arthur D Malott and Elizabeth Ann Riedesel had the following child:

- i. RALPH ALDEN⁴ MALOTT was born on June 16, 1918 in Quindaro Township Wyandotte, Kansas. He died on November 28, 1986 in Topeka, Shawnee, Kansas. He married ELIZABETH R. POPELYAS. She was born on October 23, 1918 in West Homestead, Allegheny, Pennsylvania. She died on October 02, 2000 in Topeka, Shawnee, Kansas.

25. **NICHOLAS AUGUST³ RIEDESEL** (Philipp John², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on January 24, 1884 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. He died on May 23, 1919 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Bethel Cemetery, Kansas). He married Myrtle Wynkoop in 1904. She was born on April 07, 1887 in Alma, Wabaunsee, Kansas. She died on November 05, 1965 in Lawrence, Douglas, Kansas.

Notes for Nicholas August Riedesel:

Member of the Oddfellows Lodge. Working for a railroad when he registered for the draft in 1918. He died within the year.

Nicholas August Riedesel and Myrtle Wynkoop had the following children:

- i. RUBY RUTH⁴ RIEDESEL was born on June 28, 1905 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. She died on May 27, 1998 in Nacogdoches, Nacogdoches, Texas. She married Herbert William Malott in 1928. He was born on August 26, 1897 in Wyandotte, Kansas. He died on September 25, 1949 in Lawrence, Douglas, Kansas.
- ii. RAYMOND RIEDESEL was born on October 05, 1906 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. He died on March 13, 1964 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens, Kansas City). He married Corrine Mary Kerr in 1926. She was born on September 05, 1906 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. She died on July 30, 1981 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens, Kansas City).

Notes for Raymond Riedesel:

As of 1936 was employed by the Kansas City Power and Light Company of Overland Park, KS. Family recollections mention a daughter "Charlene". The 1930 Census lists an infant "Constance C.", and I imagine this is the same child.

Notes for Corrine Mary Kerr:

May have been Mary Corrine

- iii. GLEN ALVA RIEDESEL was born on March 28, 1909 in Vance, Kansas. He died on November 06, 1999 in Independence, Clay, Missouri. He married Helen J. Anderson in 1933. She was born on January 10, 1915 in Independence, Clay, Missouri. She died on February 24, 2005 in Independence, Clay, Missouri.

Notes for Glen Alva Riedesel:

Worked as a warehouseman and carpet layer; member of the Teamsters.

- iv. EVERETT LOYD RIEDESEL was born on September 09, 1916 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. He died on October 30, 1995 in Seattle, King, Washington. He married Lois Maude Curtis on November 10, 1942 in Yakima, Washington. She was born on December 02, 1922 in Yakima, Yakima, Washington. She died on March 18, 2017 in Edmonds, Snohomish, Washington.

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Notes for Everett Loyd Riedesel:
Lived in Seattle area.

26. **PHILLIP M³ RIEDESEL** (Philipp John², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on September 26, 1891 in Vance, Kansas. He died on April 27, 1958 in Nevada, Vernon, Missouri (Moore Cemetery, Vernon County). He married Susan Eberle about 1913. She was born on September 14, 1895 in Wyandotte, Wyandotte, Kansas. She died on August 03, 1974 in Nevada, Vernon, Missouri (Moore Cemetery, Vernon County).

Notes for Phillip M Riedesel:

Moved to Polk County, Missouri, in 1937. As of 1930 he was a pipe fitter and living in the Nevada township of Vernon County, Missouri. His gravestone gives a birth year of 1890, but his draft records say 1891. As of 1950 he was farming in Polk County, Missouri.

Phillip M Riedesel and Susan Eberle had the following children:

- i. **JUNE E.⁴ RIEDESEL** was born on June 24, 1914 in Kansas. She died on May 13, 1993 in Sterling, Rice, Kansas. She married Christopher Herman Pitts on November 07, 1932 in Nevada, Vernon, Missouri. He was born on February 26, 1911 in Comanche, Stephens, Oklahoma. He died on June 30, 1992 in Lyons, Rice, Kansas.

Notes for June E. Riedesel:

Dates are imputed from a Social Security death record.

- ii. **MAXINE MARGARET RIEDESEL** was born on October 22, 1916 in Kansas. She died on August 04, 2011 in Meriden, Jefferson, Kansas (Laurel Oak Cemetery/Henry County, MO). She married Lawrence Dayle Christian on October 21, 1950 in Jackson, Missouri. He was born on January 04, 1916 in Windsor, Henry, Missouri. He died on October 09, 1993 in Windsor, Henry, Missouri.

Notes for Maxine Margaret Riedesel:

She had a first marriage with a Buchner (Buckner?) but I can find no other records.

- iii. **GERTRUDE LOUISE RIEDESEL** was born on February 24, 1919 in Atchison, Atchison, Kansas. She died on August 19, 2005 in Bolivar, Polk, Missouri (Greenlawn Cemetery/Greene County, MO). She married BURTON C. FELLOWS. He was born on November 14, 1920. He died on February 02, 1994.

Notes for Gertrude Louise Riedesel:

Living in Bolivar, MO.

- iv. **HARRIET NEOMA RIEDESEL** was born on March 06, 1921 in Atchison, Atchison, Kansas. She died on May 29, 2015 in Eureka, Barton, Kansas. She married Ray Olen Edmondson on August 26, 1941 in Buffalo, Missouri. He was born on February 23, 1922 in Polk, Polk, Missouri. He died on June 26, 1999 in Eureka, Barton, Kansas.

Notes for Harriet Neoma Riedesel:

Apparently attended Bronaugh High School. Living in Eureka, KS.

- v. **PHILLIP JACKSON RIEDESEL** was born on February 23, 1927 in Nevada, Vernon, Missouri. He died on December 22, 1999 in Bolivar, Polk, Missouri. He married Effie Marie Rotramel, daughter of Lawrence Rotramel and Effie ??, on December 22, 1948 in Springfield, Greene, Missouri. She was born on August 21, 1927 in Bolivar, Polk, Missouri. She died on December 17, 2017 in Bolivar, Polk, Missouri.

Notes for Phillip Jackson Riedesel:

Moved to Polk County, Bolivar, MO with his family in 1937. Known as Jack. Self-employed in construction and active as a local philanthropist.

- vi. **DEAN EDMOND RIEDESEL** was born on April 18, 1936 in Nevada, Vernon, Missouri. He married Alyce Pauline Brunig, daughter of Russell Brunig and Thyra Isabel

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Lewis, on September 02, 1956. She was born on February 19, 1938 in Buffalo, Missouri.

Notes for Dean Edmond Riedesel:

Lives in Oskaloosa, KS, and is a trooper with the Kansas State Patrol.

27. **MARGARET³ RIEDESEL** (Philipp John², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on February 20, 1896 in Missouri. She died in June 1990 (Griffith Cemetery, Wyandotte County, Kansas). She married **JOHN W. BAILEY**. He died before 1930.

Notes for Margaret Riedesel:

She was widowed by 1930.

John W. Bailey and Margaret Riedesel had the following children:

- i. **LILLIAN RUTH⁴ BAILEY** was born on August 16, 1922 in Stover, Morgan, Missouri. She died on June 09, 2010 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Glenwood Cemetery). She married **ROBERT EDWARD OWENS**. He was born on December 09, 1921 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. He died on January 09, 2003 in Kansas City, Jackson, Missouri.
 - ii. **JOHN ANDREW BAILEY** was born on January 19, 1925 in Petersburg, Illinois. He died on October 22, 2007.
 - iii. **CHARLES WILLIAM BAILEY** was born on January 11, 1927 in Tullula, Illinois. He died on October 08, 2003.
 - iv. **PHILLIP WATSON BAILEY** was born on June 02, 1928 in Watson, Kansas. He died on August 19, 2002.
28. **HARRY LEE³ RIEDESEL** (Philipp John², Georg Gabriel¹) was born on May 23, 1900 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. He died on July 28, 1951 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Griffith Cemetery, Kansas City). He married Naomi Earlene Braden, daughter of John Rice Braden and Virginia Elizabeth Cowell, on November 24, 1920 in Morgan County, Missouri. She was born on October 30, 1901 in Stover, Morgan, Missouri. She died on July 02, 1987 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Griffith Cemetery, Wyandotte County, Kansas).

Notes for Naomi Earlene Braden:

May have been called Neoma.

Harry Lee Riedesel and Naomi Earlene Braden had the following children:

- i. **RUBY FRANCES⁴ RIEDESEL** was born on October 13, 1921 in Stover, Morgan, Missouri. She died on January 26, 2005 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. She married Jamie Bertram Widener on August 19, 1939. He was born on July 01, 1919 in Kansas City, Jackson, Missouri. He died on March 26, 1980 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas.
- ii. **ROBERT LEE RIEDESEL** was born on August 07, 1923 in Vame, Kansas. He died on July 07, 1999 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Mount Calvary Cemetery, Wyandotte). He married Angeline Julia Cop on May 27, 1944. She was born on August 05, 1925 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. She died on July 25, 2000 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas (Mount Calvary Cemetery, Wyandotte).

Notes for Robert Lee Riedesel:

Worked as a contract carrier for the Kansas City Star.

- iii. **GENEVA RIEDESEL** was born on October 03, 1926 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas. She married Raymond Darrell Herring on May 10, 1944. He was born on April 29, 1924 in Thomas, Custer, Oklahoma. He died on June 28, 2014 in Kansas City, Wyandotte, Kansas.