

The Standing Family Reunion Newsletter

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Standing Family Reunion

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Bear Creek Meetinghouse
Earlham IA



Please send registration (RSVP),
memorials, letters of greeting, etc
to:

Joy & Lee Johnson

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Looking for Standings:

Can anyone help us with addresses for:

Heidi Phillis, 2436 Clyde Street, Poland, Ohio 44514

George and Marianne Woolfe, 462 Beechnut, Pittsboro,
NC 27312

Chad and Jasmine Cripps, 2450 Sand Road,
Marshalltown, Iowa 50158

Rufus Kuhn, 628 3rd Avenue, Iowa City, Iowa 52240

Jack and Karen Bashor, 6762 W. 19th Place,
Lakewood, Colorado 80214

Thomas Osborn, 9140 Akron Avenue, Lubbock, Texas
79423

Are you looking for Standing descendants?

Write Joy & Lee and we'll help!

2006 Standing Reunion Committee

General Committee:

General Information: Joy and Lee Johnson
305 S. Wilson, Mt Pleasant, IA 52641 (jole56@mchsi.com)

Newsletter: Rachel Baughn (baughn@brmemc.net)

Merilee Johnson (my_flute2003@yahoo.com)

Larry and Karen Hutzell

Sylvia Thomas (sethos@gcfn.org)

Special Assignments:

Ted Foster - Web Master (fosterth@ohiou.edu)

Nancy Osborn - Food (nmosbor@iastate.edu)

Burt and Birdie Kisling - On Site Contacts, Cleaning, Mowing (buckyo@msn.com)

Ruth Alliband - Art Display (allib001@umn.edu)

Larry and Paulette Standing - Treasurers, Genealogy, Games (pstand1388@aol.com)

Standing Website - www.standingfamily.org

We now "own" the "standingfamily.org" domain name. This makes our website 'address' much more simple and easy to remember. The full address is <http://www.standingfamily.org/> but all you really have to type in is **standingfamily.org** and you've got it.

Ted Foster is the 'web guru' and he has made some other useful changes. Besides the new address, the site is divided into sections; a navigation bar can take you directly to any part of the site. The new "planning 2006" page will be updated as plans for the upcoming reunion evolve.

The *standingfamily.org* site is one way for all the Standing descendants to get the planning, genealogy and registration forms, and latest news regarding an upcoming reunion, as well as to remember past reunions. Longer term goals include archives and resources so that the site serves as a 'virtual' memory of family history, stories, poetry, and more.

The "links/resources" page will take you to the Nicholson/Standing Artists site and other "related" pages. The Nicholson/Standing site – www.tc.umn.edu/~allib001/ – maintained by Tom and Michele Plagman (and Ruth Alliband) contains artwork already submitted by over 30 family members. There are also some biographical documents, genealogy, and links to family member sites.

Both the Standing Family Reunion site and the Nicholson/Standing Artists welcome comments and submissions. Contact Ruth Alliband (allib001@umn.net) 401 W Olive, Stillwater, MN 55082 about submissions to the Nicholson/Standing online collection.

A TIME TO REMEMBER...

On Saturday morning, June 17, 2006, we will be remembering and honoring members of our family who have passed on, especially those who have died since the last reunion. If there is someone from your family whom you would like to honor or remember during this special time and you will not be present to share your thoughts, poems, stories, old letters, etc. in person, please send the material to Joy and Lee Johnson (address on page 1) for sharing with the group.

Standing Memorabilia •

- Bring your old Standing descendant "artifacts" – letters, poems, artwork, needlework, personal effects, photos, photos, photos – to display and share.
- Please be sure your name is on everything put out for display.
- See website info above to submit digital copies of art for the "online gallery"!

A Standing Memorial?

As we age, so do the buildings around us. We are disappointed but not surprised to hear this news from Burt and Birdie Kisling: "We have torn down the old school house. It was terribly damaged by termites. We are in the fund-raising, replacement mode now but will not have it ready by June. Do you think all Standings would like to contribute to this project?"

From what was expressed in 2004, I feel sure the Standings will want to be a part of replacing the old school which holds memories for so many of us! Be thinking of ways we can help.

Brush Up Your Talent!

Dust off your musical instruments, tune up your voice, and practice your poetry recitations. Be practicing your talent show acts so you can show off your great Standing talents!
STANDING FAMILY REUNION
TALENT SHOW
SATURDAY JUNE 17 2006

Any contributions in advance of the reunion – whether for reunion expenses or as a donation to the new schoolhouse on behalf of the Standings – should be made out to Paulette Standing, Standing Family Reunion, marked for the purpose. Send to Paulette at 3010 Knoke Place, Cedar Falls, IA 50613.

Area Accommodations for the Standing Reunion

Listed below are area accommodations for out-of-town reunion attendees. Reunion attendees are responsible for making their own hotel accommodations for the weekend. Most of the accommodations are less than 30 minutes away from the Earlham area.



Baymont Inn & Suites 1390 NW 118th St.,	Clive in West Des Moines	(515)221-9200
Best Western Clive Inn & Suites 1450 NW 118th St	Clive, IA	(515) 221-2345
Country Inn & Suites by Carlson 1350 NW 118th St	Clive, IA	(515) 223-9254
Courtyard by Marriott 1520 NW 114th St.	Clive in West Des Moines (off I-80)	(515)225-1222
Edgetowner Motel I-80 & Hwy 169	Desoto, IA	(515) 834-2641
Hampton Inn of West DesMoines 7060 Lake Dr	West Des Moines, IA	(515) 223-4700
Heartland Inn 11414 Forest Ave.	Clive in West Des Moines	(515)226-0414
KOA Des Moines West and four 4-person cabins I-80 Exit 106	Desoto, IA	(515) 834-2729
Sheraton Inn 1800 50th St	West Des Moines, IA	(515) 223-1800
Sleep Inn 11211 Hickman Road	Urbandale (by Living History Farms)	(515)270-2424
Timberline Campground 3165 Ashworth Rd	Waukee, IA	(515) 987-1714
Wildwood Lodge 11431 Forest Ave.	Clive in West Des Moines	(515)222-9876

STANDING REUNION RSVP FORM

Please return to Joy and Lee Johnson, 305 S Wilson, Mt Pleasant, IA 52641

Names of attendees: _____

(for name tags) _____

Address: _____

(Phone Number: _____ E-mail _____)

From which of George and Deborah Standing's children are you descended? (Circle)

Henry

George Edwin

Charles

Alfred

Josiah

The Bear Creek Meetinghouse is handicapped accessible. Do you require any special assistance? If yes, please indicate: _____

MEALS:

Please indicate how many people you anticipate being present for each meal.

	<u>Fri June 16</u>	<u>Sat June 17</u>	<u>Sunday June 18</u>
Breakfast	_____	_____	_____
Lunch	_____	_____	_____
Supper	_____	_____	_____

Do you have any special dietary needs? If yes, please specify (i.e., diabetic, vegetarian, etc.)

TALENT SHOW/DISPLAY:

Do you have an act for the talent show? If yes, what type of act?

Do you have artwork to display? No Yes

If yes, how many pieces will be displayed? _____

(Please be sure all artwork or memorabilia is labeled with your name and address.)

Meals, use of the meetinghouse, postage and other expenses are met by contributions from those attending.

STANDING FAMILY DATA SHEET

If you have filled this in before for your family, you need only enter that information which is new since summer 2004. Please return to:

Larry and Paulette Standing, 3010 Knoke Place, Cedar Falls, IA 50613

HUSBAND

Born:	location	
Married:	location:	
Present address:		
Death:	location:	
Father:	born:	died:
Mother:	born:	died

WIFE

Born:	location	
Married:	location:	
Present address:		
Death:	location:	
Father:	born:	died:
Mother:	born:	died

CHILDREN:

#1 - M or F

Born:	location:	
Married to:	date:	location:
Children a)	born:	
b)	born:	
c)	born	

#2 - M or F

Born:	location:	
Married to:	date:	location:
Children a)	born:	
b)	born:	
c)	born	

#3 - M or F

Born:	location:	
Married to:	date:	location:
Children a)	born:	
b)	born:	
c)	born	

You can copy additional sheets as needed or print new forms from www.standingfamily.org