

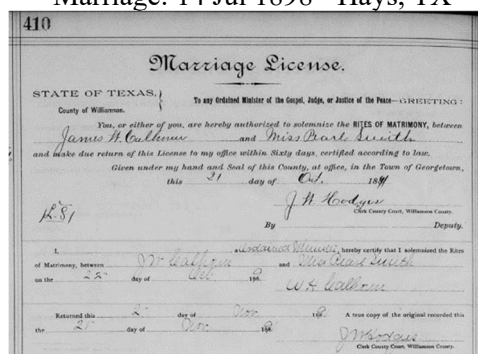
The Descendants of William Lawson Smith (1852-1906?) and Emily Spartis Guthrie (1855-1939) of Texas

This is the continuing saga of the descendants of Jesse R. Smith and Elizabeth Harrison Smith and an examination of the life of their 3rd child and his children and an introduction of his grandchildren. As usual, I'll leave a brief introduction of John and Lucy before delving into the children.

- 4. William Lawson Smith** 27 NOV 1852 • Washington, TX - DEATH Before 1910 Bell, TX?
Emily Spartis Guthrie 3 MAY 1855 • Lavaca County, TX - 1 APRIL 1939 • Olton, Lamb, TX
Marriage: 10 Jul 1873 • Bell, TX

William was the 3rd child of Jesse and Elizabeth arriving in 1852 probably in Washington County before the move to Atascosa in late 1850's. He first appears in the 1860 Census in Atascosa County with 6 siblings, his parents, and an uncle. He shows up next in 1870 after the family moved to Atascosa and everyone is still at home. Records show that in Jul 1873, he has made his way to Bell County and married Emily Spartis Guthrie. He would have been 20 and Emily almost 18. Emily had been born near Hallettsville, TX in Lavaca County in 1855 and she was one of the youngest children of William Guthrie and his last of several wives.

- 17. Jesse Pearl Smith** 2 JUL 1875 • Bell County, TX - OCT 1896 • Bell County, TX
James William Calhoun 9 APR 1867 • Georgia - 23 MAY 1916 • Hays County, TX
Marriage: 21 Oct 1891 • Williamson, TX
Luda Jane Gann 5 JAN 1879 • Cass County, TX - 17 OCT 1951 • Austin, Travis County, TX
Marriage: 14 Jul 1898 • Hays, TX



Information about Pearl is pretty limited due to her short life of only 21 years. She was the first child of William and Emily and appeared in the 1880 Census in Bell County. They seem to have lived at the south edge of Bell County closer to Williamson County. Marriage records indicate that she married James W. Calhoun on 22 Oct 1891 probably in Georgetown, TX where they procured their license on the 21st. The person performing their marriage was W. H. Calhoun which I just noticed and I wonder what his relationship was to James.

Child of Jesse Pearl and James Calhoun

93 William H Calhoun

1896 1952 Jessie's son with James Calhoun

- 93. William Henry Calhoun** 25 APR 1896 • Williamson County - 8 JAN 1952 • Bexar County, TX
Lena Aline Mayes 28 MAR 1899 • San Antonio, Bexar, TX - 4 JAN 1983 • San Antonio, TX
Marriage: 26 Oct 1916 • Hays County, TX



William was the only child of Jesse Pearl Smith and James William Calhoun before his mother's untimely death in 1896. Recalling that his father married Luda Gann after Pearl's death and had 7 more children before he died in 1916. He got married about 4 months after his father's death, so I am

curious about what relationship he may have had with his stepmother who had raised him from the time he was 2 until he got married at 20 and his new step siblings. I guess that it was fairly normal since they were born between 1899 and 1910, so he would have been their big brother while they were all growing up. Since they are not direct descendants to our family, I will not document their lives, but will investigate as necessary to learn about William. These folks were Albert Lee Calhoun 1899–1983, Ruby Pearl Calhoun 1902–1980, George Garrett Calhoun 1904–1970, Martha Jane Calhoun 1906–1961, Viola Florence Calhoun 1908–1967, Georgia Calhoun 1908–Deceased, and James Robert Calhoun 1910–1970.

Albert seemed to have gotten briefly married between 1948 and 1950. He had spent time in the army during and after WW1. Ruby Pearl who must have been named after William's mother; Jesse Pearl married in 1921 to William Thompson who seemed to have been a tailor in Austin. George married a couple of times to Edna Pittsford and the much-married Alph Ellis (Miller Ligon Calhoun Callaway) and had at least two children. Martha married Sylvester Worthey and had at least 8 kids. Georgia, who seems to have been Viola's twin has not been found after 1920. She either married or died. Viola married James Luther Henderson in 1929 and had at least 6 kids. Finally, James married Vera Jones about 1950 and had at least one child.

As I mentioned, William married Lena Mayes in 1916 in the San Marcos, Texas area and they 3 daughters, Vida Aline Calhoun in 1917, Bernice Omaray Calhoun in 1919, and Hazel Roberta Calhoun in 1921. They had moved to the San Antonio area in 1920 where William was working on a Dairy farm and they lived at 233 Martinez Road. In 1917 he registered for the WW1 Draft and was living in San Marcos and driving an oil delivery wagon for H. H. Holtermann. He was married and claimed an exemption because of 6 brothers and sisters. This was before his mother remarried so he was the man of the house. He was medium height and build with gray eyes and dark hair. He did not get drafted per the 1930 Census. Lena was the daughter of Elvis Grandvil and Miley Matilda Mayes. She was the 3rd of 4 siblings.

Surname	Given Name	Relationship	or Rented	or Mortgaged	Sex	Race	Age	Birth Year	Marital Status	Birthplace	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace	Occupation	Industry
1920 Census	Justice Precinct 6, Bexar, Texas		233 Martinez Road											
Calhoun	W H	Head	Rented		Male	White	23	1897	Married	Texas	Texas	Texas	Laborer	Dairy
Calhoun	Lena	Wife			Female	White	21	1899	Married	Texas	Texas	Texas		
Calhoun	Vida	Daughter			Female	White	2	1918	Single	Texas	Texas	Texas		
Calhoun	Annie Ray	Daughter			Female	White	0	1919	Single	Texas	Texas	Texas		

Between 1920 and 1930, they moved south to Atascosa, Tx which ironically is where his grandfather Jesse R. Smith had lived back in the 1870's. He was working as a laborer in a sand pit and baby Hazel shows up for the first time since her arrival right after the 1920 Census. They were renting their property for \$10/month. William and Lena had been married for 13 years and the kids were growing into their teens. They didn't have a radio because I doubt if they had electricity, or a station to listen to. This must have been a temporary move because when I examined city directories, I found him living at 306 Frisco in San Antonio in 1926 and 1927 working as a mechanic at Alamo Auto Parts, and then again in 1934 at 303 Hawthorne. The Hawthorn address shown below is the only one found. It's just south of downtown.

Surname	Given Name	Relation to Head	Home Owned or Rented	Home Value	Radio Set	Lives on Farm	Gender	Race	Age	Year	Marital Status	Age at First Marriage	Attended School	Read and Write	Birthplace	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace	Occupation	Industry
5, Atascosa, Texas																			
Calhoun	William H	Head	Rented		10 No	No	Male	White	33	1897	Married	20	No	Yes	Texas	Texas	Texas	Laborer	Sand Pit.
Calhoun	Lena A	Wife					Female	White	31	1899	Married	17	No	Yes	Texas	Kentucky	Kentucky		
Calhoun	Vida	Daughter					Female	White	12	1918	Single		Yes	Yes	Texas	Texas	Texas		
Calhoun	Bernice	Daughter					Female	White	10	1920	Single		Yes	Yes	Texas	Texas	Texas		
Calhoun	Hazel	Daughter					Female	White	9	1921	Single		Yes	Yes	Texas	Texas	Texas		



Between 1930 and 1940, they moved into San Antonio. They lived at 409 McCleary. I cannot find that address today. William's job was not listed, but Lena was a floor manager at a WPA Sewing Project. Lena's father died in 1937, so her mother was living with them. The two older girls were no longer at home, but the youngest was there with her son George. She had married George Wilson in 1939, a young man from Minnesota whose father was a locksmith and George worked for him. For some reason he was counted at their home for the 1940 Census. Daughter Vida had married Robert Condra

about 1935 and they had Bobbie Aline Condra in 1936, Earl Wayne Condra in 1939, and Bertie Mae Condra in 1940 right before the 1940 Census. Bernice had married Claude Wynne about the same time and they had Luther Henry Wynne in 1935 and Vivian Mae Wynne in 1939. Claude was from Floresville, TX and billed himself as a refrigeration engineer. He had been in the Marines from 1929 to 1933 and got back in time to marry Bernice and start their family in 1935.

Surname	Given Name	Relation to Head of House	Gender	Race	Age	Birth Year	Marital Status	Attended School	Highest Grade Completed	Birthplace	on Farm	Occupation	Industry
1940 Census	409 McLeary	San Antonio, Bexar, Texas	Rented		7								
Calhoun	William	Head	Male	White	43	1897	Married	No	Elementary school, 7th grade	Texas	No		
Calhoun	Lena	Wife	Female	White	41	1899	Married	No	Elementary school, 7th grade	Texas		Floor Lady	W P A Sewing
Mayes	Miley	Mother-in-law	Female	White	73	1867	Married	No	Elementary school, 3rd grade	Kentucky			
Wilson	Hazel	Daughter	Female	White	19	1921	Married	No	Elementary school, 6th grade	Texas			
Wilson	George	Grandson	Male	White	####	1940	Single	No	None	Texas			



When William registered for the WW2 Old Man's Draft in 1942, they still lived at the 409 McLeary address and he was working as a carpenter. He was 46 and worked for Early Jones. His work was at 206 Poplar St. He was 5'-6" – 165lbs – gray eyes – brown hair – ruddy complexion. He still didn't list an occupation in the 1950 Census, but Lena was working as a food packer for a wholesale food vendor. Vida and Robert had a new son, Robert Condra, Jr. in 1944. Bernice and Claude had added Claude Earl Wynne in 1941, Betty Ray Wynne in 1945, and Walter Arthur Wynne in 1947. Hazel and George had added Holly Jean Wilson in 1945 so William and Lena were up to 12 grandchildren.

Surname	Given Name	Relation to Head of House	Race	Gender	Age	Birth Date	Marital Status	Birth Place	Citizenship	Hours Worked	Occupation	Industry
1950 Census	222 Octavi	San Antonio, Bexar, Texas, USA										
Calhoun	William	Head	White	Male	53	1897	Married	Texas				
Calhoun	Lena	Wife		Female	51	1899	Married	Texas		40	Food Packer	Wholesale Food

On 8 Jan 1952, William died of a cerebral hemorrhage at the Old Folks Home in Southton, TX. This appears to be an area south of Loop 410 in San Antonio, but it was rural at the time. His occupation was listed as auto mechanic. He was only 55 years and 8 months old.

A couple of years after his death, Lena married at age 55, a man from Oklahoma who married a Clovis Schooler in 1942, but was separated by 1950. In 1950, he was working at an ice plant and tending to his aging widowed mother who had immigrated from Poland.

WASHICHEK
 Mrs. Lena Calhoun Washichek, 83, 401 East Huff, passed away Tuesday, January 4, 1983. Native of Hayes County, Texas and San Antonio resident 65 years. She was a member of the Methodist Faith and is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Vida Condra, Mrs. Bernice Wynn, Mrs. Hazel Wilson all of San Antonio; sister, Bessie Jameson, San Antonio; 14 grandchildren 63 great grandchildren and 13 great-great grandchildren. Services, Friday 10:00 a.m. Southside Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Sidney Watson, officiating. Interment Roselawn Memorial Park; her grandsons will serve as pallbearers. Under the direction of

Southside
 6301 S. Flores 922-6339

I have not found obituaries for William, but did find these for Lena and Louis. It's interesting that both of Lena's husbands died when they were 55.

LOUIS WASHICHEK
 Services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday at Southside Funeral Home for Louis Washichek, 55, of 401 E. Huff. Interment will be in Roselawn Memorial Park.
 Washichek, a bottler for Pearl Brewery, died Thursday in a local hospital. He was a native of Shawnee, Okla., but had lived in San Antonio 50 years.
 Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Lena Washichek, and three daughters, Mmes. R. B. Condra and Hallard Wilson, San Antonio, and Claude Wynne, Texarkana.

Woman Injured
 Mrs. Lena A. Washichek, 56, of 401 E. Huff Ave., injured in an auto collision Wednesday night, was improving Thursday night at Baptist Memorial Hospital.

Children of William and Lena Mayes Calhoun

282	Vida Aline Calhoun	1917	1996	William and Lena - Child#1
283	Bernice Omaray Calhoun	1919	1992	William and Lena - Child#2
284	Hazel Roberta Calhoun	1921	2010	William and Lena - Child#3

282. Vida Aline Calhoun Condra 11 SEP 1918 • San Antonio, TX - 3 JAN 1996 • Von Ormy, TX
 Robert Benjamin Condra 5 MAY 1918 • San Antonio, TX - 11 NOV 1996 • Von Ormy, TX
 Marriage: 30 Sep 1935 • Bexar, TX



MR. AND MRS. CONDRA

William and Lena's first child arrived two months before the end of WW1 in San Antonio. She was followed shortly by a sister, Bernice who arrived in 1919 and they appeared in the 1920 Census with their parents where William was working at a dairy. By 1940, the family had moved to the SW corner of the county near where her grandfather Jesse Smith had lived in the 1960's. Her father was working in a sand pit, and another sister, Hazel, had arrived right after the 1920 Census.

In 1935, she married Robert Condra. Robert was the third child of Robert Condra and Gussie Winn before their divorce. He was born in 1918 and had an older brother and sister, Jesse (1910-1928) and Bertha. His father then married Thelma Hay and had a son, Robert Lee Roy Condra in 1928. His older brother Jesse died of what was probably burst appendix about a month after his stepbrother was born. Shortly after their marriage, they began their family with the arrival of daughter, Bobbie Aline in Nov 1936 who was followed by son Earl Wayne in Feb 1939, and just before the 1940 Census in March 1940, daughter Bertie arrived. In the 1940 Census, they lived at 128 Lorraine St in San Antonio and Robert was working as an engineer at an ice plant. He had only an 8th grade education, while Vida had a year of high school. The kids were too young to have started school. Robert's mother, Gussie was living with them and had not remarried after her divorce from Robert's father. They were still living there in Oct 1940 when Robert at age 22 registered for the WW2 Draft. His mother was his point of contact and he worked for Mr. G. B. Brewer at 703 Pleasanton Rd. He was 5'-8 1/2"-168lbs-grey eyes-brown hair-light. It does not appear that he enlisted or was drafted.

In 1950 they had moved to 222 Octavia and were sharing a home with Vida's parents, William and Lena Calhoun. They had also added a 4th child, Robert Jr in Aug 1944. Robert was still working at an ice plant.

As usual, news after 1950 gets a little scarce. Vida's father died in 1952 at age 55 surprisingly while in an Old Folks Home in Southton TX which is in south San Antonio. I found an obituary for him on Genealogybank. It reads:

WILLAM H. CALHOUN

Funeral services were to be held Thursday afternoon in the Southside Funeral Home for William Henry Calhoun, 55. Of 222 Octavia Place. Bro. Bill Guild was to officiate and burial was to be in Roselawn Memorial Park.

Calhoun died Wednesday in a local hospital. A native of Goforth and a resident of San Antonio 30 years. Calhoun was a retired automobile mechanic. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lena A. Calhoun; daughters, Mrs. R. B. Condra and Mrs. Hallard Wilson of San Antonio and Mrs. C. E. Wynne of Macdona, and 12 grandchildren.

I had not found this earlier when I did his biography and it gives good information about his daughters and grandchildren. We learn that in 1952, he had 12 grandchildren and we know that 4 of these were Vida and Robert's children. As we work through the sisters, we will hopefully fill in the blanks.

In 1954, Vida's mother married Louis Washichek. He died in 1966 and his obituary is printed above and mentions the three Calhoun girls.

In 1972, Robert's mother died and her obituary reads: *Mrs. Gussie Mae Condra, 231 Octavia, born in Huntsville, Texas March 10, 1889, entered rest Saturday Aug. 12, 1972 at the age of 83 years. Memorial services will be held in Alamo Chapels Monday Aug. 14 at 1 p.m. with Rev. H. B. Taylor officiating. Concluding services will follow in Roselawn Memorial Park.*

Survivors: Daughter, Mrs. Emil (Bertie Mae) Cristofolletti; son, Robert B. Condra, both of San Antonio; sister, Mrs. Eva Stewarts, Galveston, Texas; 5 grandchildren, 8 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Condra was a member of Taylor Tabernacle and has been a resident of San Antonio for the past 57 years.

Casket bearers will be Jerry and Randy Ferris, Bubba and Wayne Condra, Gerald Ferris and Richard Sciaraffa. Honorary bearers will be Rick Sciaraffa and Wayne Condra. Services under the direction of The Lelon Cude Family.

This obituary gives us good information about Robert's sister, Bertie and her husband and suggests that Bertie must have had one son since we know that Robert and Vida had four. The Condra grandchildren are will evolve as we explore their children, but are probably the Ferris kids and Richard is probably Bertie's son or grandson.

Vida's mother died in 1983 and her obituary reads:

WASHICHEK

Mrs. Lena Calhoun Washichek, 83, 401 East Huff, passed away Tuesday, January 4, 1983. Native of Hayes County, Texas and San Antonio resident 65 years. She was a member of the Methodist Faith and is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Vida Condra, Mrs. Bernice Wynn, Mrs. Hazel Wilson all of San Antonio; sister, Bessie Jameson, San Antonio; 14 grandchildren and 63 great grandchildren. Service Friday 10:00 a.m. Southside Funeral Home Chapel Under the direction of Rev. Sidney Watson, officiating. Interment Roselawn Memorial Park; Her grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

This obituary suggests that her daughters may have had 2 more children since her husband's death unless her 2nd husband had children that she is counting, but in looking at his history, I don't think that he ever had any children.

Vida died in Jan 1996 and Robert died in Nov 1996. Their obituaries appear below:

***Vida Condra**, age 70 died Wednesday, January 3, 1996. She is survived by her husband. Robert B Condra Sr., daughters and sons-in-law. Bobbie A. and Santos Padilla, Bertie M. and Richard Sciarattia: sons and daughters-in-law, Earl W. and Juanita J. Condra: Robert B. Jr. and Margaret Condra: sister. Hazel Wilson: 12 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren Visitation will begin Thursday, January 4 1996 at 4:00 P.M. in Mission Park Funeral Chapel South. Funeral Services will be held Friday, January 5, 1996 at 11:00 A.M in Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Interment will follow in San Fernando Cemetery NO. 3. (Rosetown Cem.) Arrangements are with MISSION PARK.*

***R.B "Bob" CONDRA, Sr.**, age 78, died Monday, November 11, 1996. Mr. Condra was a native of San Antonio and a longtime resident of Von Ormy He is survived by his daughters and sons-in-law, Bobbie A. and Santos Padilla, Bertie and Richard Sciaraffa, sons and daughters-in-law, Earl and Bitsy Condra, Robert B and Margaret Condra 12 grandchildren; 11 great grandchildren. Visitation will begin Tuesday, November 12, 1996, at 6:00 P.M at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South Funeral. Services will be Wednesday, November 13, 1996 at 9:00 A.M at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Interment will follow at San Fernando Cemetery No. 3. Arrangements are under the direction of Rev. V D. Walters to officiate.*

From this we learn that they had 4 children who are all married and have 12 kids between them. I will explore the children.

Daughter Bobbie married Gerald Ferris in 1954 and they divorced in 1975 and according to their divorce records, they had 3 children under 19 at the time of their divorce. I have found that their children are Gerald Kelly Ferris Jr 1955, Randy Allen Ferris 1957, and David Robert Ferris 1963. She then married Santos Hernandez Padilla in 1975. He was born in 1948 and had married Rebecca Castro in 1968 and had a daughter Christine Padilla in 1970. Bobbie died in 2017 and her obituary reads:

Bobbie Padilla Obituary

November 9, 1936 - January 20, 2017

Bobbie Aline Padilla, 80, of San Antonio, passed away gently at home with family by her side on Friday, January 20, 2017. She was born November 9, 1936 to the late Robert Benjamin and Vida Aline Condra, Sr. She is survived by 2 siblings, Earl Wayne Condra Sr. and Robert "Bubba" Benjamin Condra, Jr. She was predeceased by 1 sibling, Bertie Mae Sciaraffa. She was also predeceased by her loving husband, Santos H. Padilla.

She was a graduate and cheerleader of Burbank High School and was owner of a local family restaurant on the south side of San Antonio known as Bobbie's Café. Through her entrepreneurial aspirations, attention to detail, and insistence that hard work equals success, she was a community leader that made a difference to the world she left behind. More than that, she was looked upon by many as an admirable and trustworthy friend. Bobbie was the epitome of what it means to be "good people". She didn't know a stranger and often did without to ensure that her employees and customers had what they needed to make their lives easier. At home, she loved to spend quality time with her family: gardening, making floral arrangements, planning trips to the casino, whipping up her favorite recipes, or swimming without getting her hair wet were just a few of her favorite pastimes.

Her biggest contribution to this world was through her devoted nature to her children, grandchildren, nieces, and nephews. She was strong-willed but sought the importance of kindness, joy, and good humor. Between her quick wit, charming smile, and supportive nature, she was the best mother to all whom she took under her wing. She is survived by her 4 children and 1 stepdaughter, Gerald K. Ferris, Jr. and wife Margaret, Randy A. Ferris and wife Nancy, David R. Ferris, Jessica P. Acosta and husband Luis, and Christina Padilla. She is survived by 10 grandchildren, Kelly and wife Amy, Greg and wife Ana, Jeff and wife Melodie, Amanda and husband Austin, Matthew, Pamela and husband George, Alexander, Austen, Addison, and Avery. She is also survived by 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral Services will be provided on Tuesday, January 24, 2017 at 1 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South with Pastor Mike Sutton officiating.

This obituary confirms her 4 children, Gerald, Randy, and David Ferris and Jessica Padilla and tells us that Gerald is married to Margaret, Randy is married to Nancy, David may or may not be married, and Jessica is married to Luis Acosta. I will not try to sift through all of the grandchildren.

Son Earl attended Burbank HS and graduated about 1954. In 1958, he married Juanita Jean Reding who had been a classmate at Burbank. They had Lucie in 1959 and Earl Jr in 1963. Earl died in 2020. I noticed that in one City Directory, he worked for the Pure Ice Company so maybe that was a family business that his grandfather had started.

Earl Wayne Condra Sr. February 16, 1939 – July 8, 2020

*Grandpa - Witty, Stubborn, Giving, Loving, Faithful, Passionate, Unique, Patriarch,
"The Voice of Thunder" – Grandpa*

Grandpa (Earl) passed away on July 8, 2020 at the age of 81.



Earl was born to Robert B. and Vida Condra on February 16, 1939 in San Antonio, TX. He graduated from Burbank High School in 1957. While in high school, Earl ran track but he was most passionate about football.

Earl was a standout running back for the Burbank Bulldogs, leading the team to several victories with game winning plays. During high school, he met his sweetheart, Juanita (Bitsy) Reding. They were engaged and shortly after graduation Earl joined the military. Earl and Bitsy married on August 2, 1958 and spent their first year of marriage in France where he was stationed.

After the military, Earl began his career in purchasing at City Public Service and retired after 35 years. His next career adventure was with Alamo Iron Works as Vice President of Purchasing/Branch Operations. He retired for good at the age of 65. Earl enjoyed his time fishing, hunting, ranching, and following his kids and grandkids' various activities. He was also very close to his mother-in-law Martha (Monie) Reding who passed away in 2018. Earl was preceded in death by his parents, and all of his siblings – Bobbie (Condra) Padilla; Bertie (Condra) Sciaraffa; and Robert Condra Jr. Earl is survived by his wife

of 62 years, Bitsy. He is also survived by two loving children, his daughter, Luci and husband Charlie Saenz and also his son, Wayne, and wife Jackie Condra.

Earl was also blessed to have three wonderful grandchildren whom he adored – Christopher Saenz, Wes Condra and wife Sarah, and Lauren Condra. Two years ago, he welcomed his first great grandson – Gideon Condra – who is still asking for "Grandpa". In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Trinity Baptist Church, 319 E. Mulberry.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, July 16, 2020 from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. at Sunset Funeral Home, 1701 Austin Highway. A memorial service will be held at Trinity Baptist Church, on Friday, July 17, 2020 at 1:00 p.m. Following COVID guidelines, masks and social distancing will be required.

From this obituary, we learn the work that Earl did and the names of his children and their spouses. We also learn that his two children have three children between them. His son, Earl Wayne Jr. goes by Earl. Also, all of his siblings died before him.

Daughter Bertie's life is summarized below. Not mentioned here is that they lost a 4th child at birth in 1971 and in 2007, their son Richard Jr. died. His obituary will be printed below.

Bertie Sciaraffa Obituary

Bertie (Condra) Sciaraffa passed away Saturday, July 27, 2002. Born to Robert and Vida Condra on March 18, 1940, she grew up in San Antonio and graduated from Burbank High School in 1957. On April 24, 1960, she married Richard Sciaraffa. Bertie and Richard lived in San Antonio until they moved to Boerne in 1984. They returned to San Antonio in 2001.

She is survived by her husband Richard; her children, Richard Sciaraffa, Jr., Stefan Sciaraffa and Juliana Sciaraffa; her grandchild, Christina Sciaraffa; her siblings, Bobbie Padilla, Earl Condra and Robert Condra, Jr. and numerous nieces and nephews. Bertie was an intelligent, strong-willed and beautiful woman. She was also a perfectionist who prided herself on a job well done. Through hard work, determination and moxie, she achieved great success and distinction in her many endeavors. At Ft. Sam Houston, she rose to the rank of Chief of Plans and Operations, Directorate of Logistics, before retiring in 1993. Soon after retirement and until her death, she distinguished herself as a freelance writer for Harcourt Brace. She plied her skills as a master cake baker and decorator at numerous weddings and special occasions for her family and friends, baking her last wedding cake for her niece, only weeks before her death. She was proud of her accomplishments as a high school cheerleader. Her redoubtable prowess on the Scrabble board was a source of much frustration for her three children, who often tried but usually failed to best her in late night Scrabble games. Finally, and most importantly to her, she was a deeply devoted and much-loved wife, mother and grandmother. As mama, grandma, Aunt B.B., family friend or professional mentor, Bertie profoundly touched the lives of many whom she took under her wing. Anchored by her deep and abiding faith in God, she was an inexhaustible source of wise counsel, encouragement and perspective. By example and personal conversation, she taught those she cared for to see and nurture the good and beautiful in themselves and in others. Though our lives are inestimably diminished by her loss, we are the better for having loved and been loved by her. We will miss her. Family and friends will meet for a celebration of Bertie's life at 6:30 on August 1, 2002 at the Ebensberger Funeral Chapel on 111 Rosewood in Boerne. In lieu of flowers, please send memorial donations to St. Joseph's Children's home in San Antonio or the South Texas Blood Bank. Arrangements with Ebensberger Funeral Home.

Bertie's oldest son Richard married Joni Hiberd in 1989 and they had a daughter in 1981. She was the daughter of LTC Paul Hiberd, an Army officer who had been in charge of all of the pharmacies in the US Army while on active duty.

Richard Sciaraffa Jr. Obituary



Richard Frank Sciaraffa, Jr., 44, died Thursday, May 10, 2007. Rick was born in San Antonio. He graduated from Keystone School and earned a Juris Doctorate from St. Mary's University School of Law. Rick was a major figure in the San Antonio music scene. His energy and vision established the White Rabbit as a premier South Texas live music venue and center for the development of local musical talent. Rick leaves a large circle of friends and family who will miss joining him in his exuberant pursuit of life's offerings in work and play. He was preceded in death by his mother, Bertie Condra Sciaraffa. He

is survived by his daughter, Christina Sciaraffa, of whom he was extremely proud. He is also survived by his father, Richard Sciaraffa, Sr. (Rhonda Moore Sciaraffa and her grandson, Thomas Wentworth, Jr.), his sister, Juliana Sciaraffa Lee (Emmanuel Lee, M.D.), and his brother, Stefan Sciaraffa (Milinda Sciaraffa) grandmother, Mary Sciaraffa. Visitation will be Saturday, May 12, 2007 from 1:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M. at the White Rabbit, 2410 N. St. Mary's Street. PROCESSION SATURDAY MAY 12, 2007 3:00 P.M. FROM THE WHITE RABBIT GRAVESIDE SERVICE 4:00 P.M. HOLY CROSS CEMETERY The family requests that memorials be made to VH1 Save the Music (http://www.vh1.com/partners/save_the_music/) in lieu of flowers. You are invited to sign the guest book at www.porterloring.com Arrangements with Porter Loring Mortuary.

Son Robert married Carolyn Carpenter in 1962 and had a daughter Brenda in 1962. They later divorced and he married Margaret who seems to have been previously married to someone named Bulis. Robert's obituary is shown below:

Robert B. Condra Jr.
August 1, 1944 - June 5, 2019

Robert B. Condra Jr. entered into eternal rest on Wednesday, June 5, 2019 at the age of 74 years. He was born in San Antonio, Texas on August 1, 1944 to Robert and Vida Condra. Robert enjoyed hunting and fishing and enjoyed working on boats. He was preceded in death by his parents and his sisters, Birdie Mae Sciraffo and Bobbie Padilla. Robert is survived by his loving wife, Margaret "Peanut" Condra; daughter, Brenda Tamayo; brother, Earl Wayne Condra (Bitsy); stepchildren, Demetri Bulis (Sonia Campa), Michelle Adams (Scott); seven grandchildren; several great grandchildren, numerous nieces and nephews and many, many friends. Memorial services for Robert will be held at Southside Funeral Home on Friday, June 14th at 4:00 p.m.

Children of Vida Calhoun and Robert Condra

695	Bobbie Aline Condra	1936	2017	Robert and Vida - Child#1
696	Earl Wayne Condra	1939	2020	Robert and Vida - Child#2
697	Bertie Mae Condra	1940	2002	Robert and Vida - Child#3
698	Robert Benjamin Condra Jr.	1944	2019	Robert and Vida - Child#4

283. Bernice Omaray Calhoun 14 AUG 1919 • San Antonio, TX - 21 JAN 1992 • Von Ormy, TX
Claude Earl Wynne 1 JAN 1912 • Floresville, TX - 12 MAR 1987 • Von Ormy, TX
Marriage: 23 Oct 1934 • Bexar County, TX



Bernice's photo from Findagrave

Bernice was the 2nd child born to William and Lena arriving about 18 months after her sister. They appear in the 1920 and 1930 Censuses with their parents. While I haven't found marriage records, I did find a marriage license notice in the 23 Oct 1934 San Antonio Express so that is about the time that she and Claude Wynne got married. Records for Claude's family have been difficult to track down and the earliest Census I find for him is in 1930 at which time he was in the US Marines which later records show he joined in 1929 and served until 1933. I have not found where he served, but there were not any wars going on at that time (other than the "Banana Wars" in Nicaragua) so maybe he had good timing. Claude and Bernice appear together in the 1940 Census in San Antonio where he is working as a refrigeration engineer. Based on the address on his WW2 Draft Registration, he and his brother-in-law Robert Condra were working at the same place. Bernice was his point of contact and he was 5'- 8 ½"-142lbs-blue eyes-brown hair-ruddy. Also, in the 1940 Census their first two children had joined the family that being Luther 1935 and Vivian 1939.

When the 1950 Census rolled around, Claude was working as a mechanic at Kelly Field (Now Kelly AFB) and they family had grown by 3 with the arrival of Claude Earl Wynne Jr. 1941, Betty Ray

Wynne 1945, and Walter Arthur Wynne 1947. Later records show that they had another son and daughter Richard Allen Wynne 1952 and Roberta Aline Wynne in 1956. While her sister's children seemed to have stayed in the San Antonio area, the Wynne's children moved around a little more. Claude died in 1987 and let's see what clues his obituary might give us. It reads:

Claude E. Wynne Sr., was a family man

Claude E. Wynne Sr. was a well thought-of person whose main interest was his family and their welfare. "He was a kind, decent person, a family man who took care of his children and participated in school activities," said his widow. Bernice Wynne.

Wynne died Thursday at age 75. A native of Floresville, Wynne spent 30 years working in civil service as a locomotive diesel mechanic and diesel mechanic foreman.

In addition to Mrs. Wynne, survivors Include daughters. Betty Pruske of Seguin, and Vivian M. Mueller and Bobbie Powell of San Antonio; sons, Luther Wynne of Colorado and Claude E. Wynne Jr., Walter A. Wynne and Richard A. Wynne of San Antonio; sister, Vivian Butler of Corpus Christi. 39 grandchildren: and 11 greatgrandchildren.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. today in Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, with interment in Roselawn-Resurrection Memorial Park. are with

Bernice died in 1992 and her obituary reads:

Bernice (Omaray) Wynne, age 72, died Tuesday, Jan, 21, 1992. Mrs. Wynne was a native of San Antonio and had lived in Von Ormy for the past 26 years. She was preceded in death by her husband, Claude Earl Wynne, Sr., and is survived by daughters, Vivian Mueller of Von Ormy, Betty Wynne of Denver, Co., and Roberta Bush of Von Ormy, sons, Luther H. Wynne of Denver, Co., Claude Earl Wynne Jr., of Denver, Co., Walter A. Wynne of Ft. Worth, and Richard A. Wynne of Denver, Co .; sisters, Vida Condra and Hazel Wilson; 36 grandchildren, numerous great-grandchildren; 2 great great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held Thursday, Jan. 23, 1992, at 3:00 p.m. in Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Interment will follow in San Fernando Cemetery #3. Arrangements: Mission Park Funeral Home.

From this I will work through the children beginning with the oldest, Luther who in 1987 and 1992 was in Colorado. He was born in 1935 and in 1951 he was in high school in Lytle, TX, a little town southwest of San Antonio. He probably graduated about 1953 Jan 1953 married Jo Ann Owen and had a son Keith Nolan Wynne. That marriage did not last long and Jo Ann and Keith left and she married James Oliver Tanner in 1963 and Keith was adopted by James and took his surname. In 1956 married Linda Louise Hohensee in Guadalupe County, probably Sequin. He seemed to have joined the Navy about this time and their first child Luther Henry was born in 1957 in Ventura, CA. This was followed by a daughter, Wanda in Eagle Lake in 1959, and a 3rd child, Gary Lee Wynne born in Eagle Lake, TX in 1960 who died in Houston in 1979 that is attributed to this family, but while I find a Findagrave site for him, I have not found birth records which is unusual for a Texas birth. His son Luther Henry died in 2002 and his obituary reads:

Obituary for Luther Henry Wynne



OBITUARY Luther Henry Wynne January 10, 1957 – December 12, 2022 ***IN THE CARE OF Sunny Lane Funeral Home & Cemetery.*** On December 12th, 2022 Luther (Buck) H. Wynne, Jr, of Newalla Oklahoma, a beloved husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather passed away. He was 65 years old. He left behind his wife of 47 years, Wanda Wynne, his sister Wanda Pfeil, daughter Christine Leatherman, grandkids Danielle Disterlic, Ashley Banton and husband Michael Banton, Bradley Disterlic, and Andrea Leatherman and great grandkids Devin Disterlic, Brianna King, Bentley Easley, and Ace Banton. He was preceded in death by his grandparents Louis and Francis Hohensee, mother Linda Murray and father Luther H. Wynne, Sr, and brothers Gary and Corky. Buck joined the Air Force and received his GED while in the service. He went on to become an information technology technician. This field is what led him to travel to Europe for a couple of years and explore. One of the most important things his career led him to was finding his best friend, Hershel Welch. For the last 30 years they have talked every day. It was part of his morning routine to wake up and call him. He loved his motorcycles. There was never a time

he didn't have some kind of a motorcycle. He also had a never-ending love for his grandkids and great grandkids. They are what kept him going for several years. He was determined to keep going long enough to see his great grandson born, and he did. He was loved by many and will be greatly missed. The family will be holding a private party to celebrate his life.

From this obituary we see that he married Wanda and they had a daughter Christine. Wanda was Wanda Brown - born 1956 – Texas. I found that they married in Galveston in 1975 and Christine was born in 1976. It suggests that his father must have had a daughter Wanda who is married to someone named Pfeil. While we know his mother was Linda Hohensee, we see that he mentions that his mother is Linda Murray which means that his mother and father are no longer married and she is married to someone named Murray. He mentions two brothers, Gary who is the brother who died in 1979 and Corky who may be Wynne or a Murray. I think Corky is Michael Leigh Wynne who was born in 1966 in Louisiana and died in 2017 according to someone on FamilySearch, but I cannot find any records for him. I will not try to sort out all of the grandkids, but it suggests that Christine probably had Danielle, Ashley, Bradley and Andrea and that she may have been married twice. I did find that Christine married a Pawle Disterlic, a young man with parents who immigrated from Yugoslavia in 1952.

I did find this story on Genealogybank which is probably our Gary. The age a places match.

High Springs man killed in Friday collision

A High Springs man was killed and a Gainesville woman seriously injured in a three-car collision late Friday night near Micanopy, reported the Florida Highway Patrol.

*Dead is **Michael Wynne**, 51. Neva Kelly, 46, was taken to UF Health Shands Hospital. The crash happened at 11:26 p.m. on U.S. 441.*

Wynne was driving a 2003 Chrysler PT Cruiser south in the northbound lanes, FHP reported in a news release. Jennifer Hodge, 37, of Deland, was driving a 2017 Volkswagen Jetta northbound. Also northbound was Lewis Curl, 20, of Gainesville, driving a 1999 Lexus RX 300.

Wynne sideswiped Hodge's car and then hit Curl's car head-on, FHP said. The collision caused Curl's car to overturn. U.S. 441 was shut down in both directions because of the crash.

Wynne died at the scene. Kelly was a passenger in Curl's car. Curl had minor injuries and Hodge was not injured.

Luther's children with his 3 wives

Kenneth Nolan Tanner Wynne 1954–2011

Luther Henry (Buckshot) Wynne Jr 1957–2022

Wanda Wynne 1959–Living

Gary Lee Wynne 1960–1979

Robert Allen Wynne 1963–Living

Michael Leigh Wynne 1966–2017



Moving on to daughter Vivian. In 1956 she married William Howard Pharr and had a daughter Deborah Pharr in 1958 and a son Douglas Pharr in 1962. Son Douglas died in 1986 and his obituary says:

***Mr. Douglas Wade Pharr**, age 24, passed away Tuesday, August 12, 1986. He was a native and lifetime resident of San Antonio. He was of the Presbyterian faith. He is survived by: Mother, Mrs. Vivian Mueller, San Antonio; father, W. Howard Pharr, Kansas City, Mo.; maternal grandparents, Mrs. Bernice Wynne, Claude Wynne, both of San Antonio; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Eva Jane Pharr, Lytle; sister, Deborah Linderman, Ft. Worth; brothers, Chad Mueller, Eric Mueller, both of San Antonio. Services 2:00 p.m. Monday at Southside Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. David Roach officiating. Interment Roselawn Resurrection Cemetery.*

From this we can see that Vivian in 1986 was married to someone named Mueller and she may have had children with him, or he may have had children from a previous marriage. It's interesting that she was still Mueller in 1986 as records show that she married Albert Carlton in 1980.

From 1958 - *Mr. and Mrs. W. Howard Pharr, Austin, formerly of this city, announce the arrival of a daughter, Deborah Lynn, born in Austin Jan. 19. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William H. Pharr, Lytle; maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wynne, Ft. Worth.*

From 1962 - *A second child and first son. Douglas Wade Pharr, was born July 6 in Baptist Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. W. Howard Pharr. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pharr, Lytle and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wynne, Fort Worth. Deborah Lynn, 4, is the new arrival's sister.*

From 1968 – *Vivian and William living in OKC - The William Pharr's also have had as their guests for the past month, their grandchildren, Deborah Lynn and Douglas Wade Pharr, children of Mr. and Mrs. W. Howard Pharr, Oklahoma City, formerly of San Antonio. They visited HemisFair and also went to see Amistad Dam near Del Rio. Their parents arrived last weekend after a vacation to Las Vegas, Los Angeles and San Diego and took Douglas Wade home with them. Deborah Lynn will remain in Lytle two weeks longer.*

I then found a divorce notice in the Oklahoma City Newspaper in 1969 which would indicate that she must have married Mueller between 1969 and 1982 which is the earliest mention I can find of Vivian Mueller. I have not found who Chad and Eric Mueller are so her 2nd husband remains a mystery. Her first husband died in 2019 in San Antonio and his obituary reads:

William Howard Pharr passed away on October 26, 2019 at the age of 80. He was born January 25, 1939 at The Nix Hospital in San Antonio, Texas to William Harvey and Eva Jane Pharr (Sharp). His family moved to Lytle, Texas when he was a young boy. He loved hunting and fishing, his horse Nellie and dog Bob. He graduated from South West High School, then attended the University of Texas, Austin graduating with a degree in Business. Howard was immediately employed by Sears Roebuck and Company in the Credit Division. From San Antonio, his career took him to Oklahoma City and Kansas City, MO. After retiring from Sears, he joined Discover Card at their Headquarters in Lincolnshire, IL. Discover Card chose him to help launch their Credit Center in Scottsdale, AZ, from where he retired.

Mr. Pharr was a private pilot who enjoyed flying his Cessna 172 with his wife as "navigator" across the country on numerous vacations. He was a lifetime member of the National Riflemen's Association. He was also a member of the Amateur Trapshooting Association. Howard was especially proud of obtaining a Federal Firearms License. As an adult, he continued his love of hunting with his Brittany Spaniel, George, and English Springer Spaniel, Bart.

Howard was preceded in death by his parents; son, **Doug Pharr**; brother, George Pharr; uncle, Rufus (Bubba) Pharr; and grandson, Jason Linderman. He is survived by his wife, Joann; his daughter, **Deborah Linderman**; granddaughter, Jennifer Goins; six great-grandchildren; sisters-in-law, Kay Rischard (Bill), Janet Gray (Chuck), and Helen Pharr; and numerous nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m., Sunday, November 3, 2019, at Porter Loring Mortuary North.

This obituary confirms that he has a new wife Joann who I have not found and that son Doug is dead and daughter Deborah is married to someone named Linderman.

Vivian's Children:

Doug Pharr 1962-1966

Deborah Pharr 1958-Living



Son Claude Wynne Jr was born in 1941 and in June 1960 he married Nancy Pearson in Fort Worth just after joining the Navy in March 1960. He spent the next 20 years in the Navy when he was discharged in March 1980. He seems to have been a warrant officer. In 1964, he and Nancy had a daughter Shari Lynette Wynne in Fort Worth. Nancy and Claude divorced in California in 1972. He then married Shirley A Josseland in 1973. She had been previously married to Harold Buckmaster and seems to have had daughter Selly and Vivian Buckmaster in 1964 and 1971 before divorcing and marrying Claude. This would suggest that Claude may have been a stepfather beginning in 1974.

His daughter Shari Wynne married Royal Edgar Sutherland from Tennessee in Nevada in 1984 and they had a son Royal Sutherland III in San Antonio in 1985.

Claude's child - Shari Lynette Wynne 1964-Living

Daughter Betty was born in San Antonio. I don't know what she did in her early years, but in 1983 when she was 38, she married William Preece for a year followed by a marriage in 1985 to Alfred Pruske that lasted 5 years. In 1993, she married Carnley Mack Cranford who I have not totally tracked down but he seems to have been married before and had 2 sons and three daughters who Betty got to be a mother to for a few years before they married and moved on.

Obituary for Betty R. Wynne Cranford



Betty R. Wynne Cranford, 76, of Moultrie, passed away Monday, June 21, 2021 at her home. No formal services are planned. Born April 9, 1945, in San Antonio, Texas, she was the daughter of the late Claude Earl Wynne and Bernice Calhoun Wynne. Mrs. Cranford was a homemaker and was of the Baptist faith. She loved her family and beautiful flowers. Mrs. Cranford enjoyed painting and going fishing. In addition to her parents, she was **preceded in death by a son**, three brothers and one sister. Survivors include her husband, Carnley Mack Cranford of Moultrie; children, Lisa Weast-Faulk and partner Ashley of Ft. Worth, TX, Trisha Sieger of Abilene, TX, Brian Dale Cranford and wife Toni of Kemp, TX, Dawn Renee Jack and husband Hardy of Coldspring, KY, Curtis Mack Cranford and wife Karen of Millington, TN; special friends, Hank Mallard, Gail Holt both of Moultrie; seventeen grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren; brother, Richard Wynne and wife Brenda of Moultrie; sister, Roberta Wolfe and husband Steven of Moultrie.

This obituary suggests that she had a son who died. I need to look into that.

Son Walter died in 2009 and his obituary reads:

Walter Arthur Wynne Sr.



VON ORMY - Walter Wynne Sr., 62, passed away Sunday, July 26, 2009. MEMORIAL SERVICE: 1 p.m. Thursday at Richland Hills Church of Christ. Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Alpine.

SURVIVORS: Wife, Elbie Wynne; children, Kimberly Ann Bowling and husband, Troy Leigh, Walter Arthur Wynne Jr.; grandchild, Laci Leigh Bowling; brothers, Luther and Ricky; sisters, Vivian, Betty and Bobbie; sister-in-law, Shirley Wynne; brother-in-law, Paul Sims; father-in-law and mother in-law, Joe and Laura Sims; many nieces and nephews. Alpine Funeral Home

The next to last child of the Wynne's was Richard Allen Wynne who was born in 1952 and per my records, married Cheryl Ludlow in San Antonio in 1969 and they had two sons, Johnny Wilson and Richard Allen Wynne Jr in 1970 and 1971 before divorcing in 1977. He then married Brenda Casteltoes in Colorado in 1977 and they divorced in San Antonio in 1989 and it noted that they had two children under 18. I don't know if those two were Johnny and Richard, or if they had two more children. If so, I have not found them. Richard may be a high school football coach in El Paso, but I am not sure.

Richard's children:

Johnny Wilson Wynne 1970

Richard Allen Wynne 1971

Finally, the youngest daughter Roberta Aline Wynne was born in Mar 1956 and in 1976 married David Hampton Bush and had a daughter Misty Reann in 1978. They divorced in 1979 and she married Bedford Emil Powell and had a son and a daughter, Preston and Christine in the late 1980's. Emil died in 1993 at only age 49 and I do not know if Roberta has remarried.

Bedford Emil Powell, 49, died Wednesday, October 27, 1993 in San Antonio, Texas. He was a graduate of Burbank High School Class of "62"; San Antonio College; and attended Southwest Texas State University. He was employed with Builders Square in San Antonio. Survivors: son, Preston Blake Powell of Ormy; daughter, Christine Marle Powell of Seguin; parent, John C. and Lillian Mangold Powell and twin brother Claude Powell, all of San Antonio. Visitation: 5-9 P.M. Friday, October 29, Sunset Funeral Home. Funeral Service: 3:00 P.M. Saturday, October 30, 1993, Sunset Funeral Home Chapel, Pastor Richard Nybro officiating, with Interment in Sunset Memorial Park.

Roberta's children:

Misty Reann 1978

Preston Powell 1985

Chritine Powell 1988

Children of Bernice and Claude Wynne

699	Luther Henry Wynne	1935	2010	Claude and Bernice - Child#1
700	Vivian Mae Wynne	1939		Claude and Bernice - Child#2
701	Claude Earl Wynne	1941	1995	Claude and Bernice - Child#3
702	Betty Ray Wynne	1945	2021	Claude and Bernice - Child#4
703	Walter Arthur Wynne	1947	2009	Claude and Bernice - Child#5
704	Richard Allen Wynne	1952		Claude and Bernice - Child#6
705	Roberta Aline Wynne	1956		Claude and Bernice - Child#7

284. Hazel Roberta Calhoun 7 JAN 1921 • San Antonio, TX - July 1, 2010 • San Antonio, TX

George Hallard Wilson 31 AUG 1918 • Eveleth, MN - 6 AUG 1981 • San Antonio, TX

Marriage: 6 May 1939 • San Antonio, TX



Hazel was William and Lena's last child and she arrived several months after the 1920 Census so does not show up until 1930 when the whole family is together in a census the only time. Interestingly, she got married to George Wilson in 1939 and

they had a child in December 1939, but for some reason in the 1940 Census they were each at their respective parent's homes. At that time, Hazel had their first child, George Calhoun in tow. He was born 9 Dec 1939 in San Antonio.

George was born in Minnesota in 1918 to George and Margueritte Slater Wilson. His father was born in Canada and his mother in Minnesota. He was the 4th of 8 with the following siblings. William Wilson 1913–1913, Georgia Grace Wilson 1916–1997, Fay Wilson 1918–2013, George Hallard Wilson 1918–1981, Fern Wilson 1920–2006, Keith Buddy Wilson 1923–1994 Shirley Jean Wilson 1925–?, and Billy Jack Wilson 1929–2000. They must have passed briefly through Arkansas on their way to San Antonio as Shirley and Billy Jack were both born there.

In the 1950 Census, they lived at 405 E. Huff and George was a locksmith and Hazel was a saleslady. They had added Gary James 30 April 1941 and Holly Jean 10 June 1945 to the family so the kids were 11, 9, and 4 in 1950.

Son George seems to have been a pretty good ballplayer at Harlandale High School at played professional baseball for a bit. In 1959, he married Marilyn Joyce Newman and they had 3 sons, Dale 1959, Darrell 1961, and David 1962.

Son Gary married Phyllis Randolph in 1960 and they had Warren Hallard Wilson 1961, Kimberly Ann Wilson 1962, and Bracy Lee Wilson 1968.

Daughter Holly married Donald Deaton in 1962 and had Donald William Deaton Jr 1963 and Dayna Renea Deaton 1969.

*George died in 1998 and his obituary reads: **George (Jug) Hallard Wilson** age 62, of 405 E Huff, passed away Thursday Aug. 6, 1981 in a local hospital A San Antonio resident since 1934, he owned San Antonio Key Service since 1935. and was a lifelong sports enthusiast*

Survived by Wife Mrs. Hazel Wilson, San Antonio. daughter and son-in-law, Holly and Don Deaton; sons and daughters-in-law. George C. and Marilyn Wilson, San Antonio, Gary and Phyllis Wilson Harlingen, sisters. Grace Willson, Shirley Bless, Fern Rux Fay Wilson, ail of San Antonio, brothers, Billy Wilson, Beaumont, Keith Wilson, San Antonio, 8 grandchildren.

Funeral Services will be held Saturday Aug. 8, 1981 at 10 00 am in Mission Park Funeral Chapels South with Rev Louis Trawalter officiating. Interment will follow in Roselawn Memorial Park. Pallbearers will be Dale Wilson, Scott Wilson, David Wilson, Warren Wilson, Donald Deaton. Jr. Bracy Wilson. Honorary pallbearers will be Kimberly Wilson and Darna Deaton.

What amazes me about George is that his address in 1981 was the same as it was in the 1950 Census and then I realized I have been in the same house for 40 years! Hazel died in 2010 and her obituary reads.

HAZEL WILSON OBITUARY

Hazel R. Wilson, born January 7, 1921, went to be with the Lord on Monday, June 28, 2010 at the age of 89. Mrs. Wilson was a native and lifetime resident of San Antonio. Her husband George H. (Jug) Wilson preceded her in death. Survivors include her daughter and husband, two sons, eight grandchildren, ten great grandchildren.

SERVICES - Visitation will be held Thursday, July 1, 2010 from 6:00 until 9:00 P.M. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Funeral services will be held Friday, July 2, 2010 at 11:00 A.M. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Interment will follow in San Fernando Cemetery III.

From these obituaries we can confirm that Holly and Don are still married, George and Marilyn are still married, Gary and Phyllis are still married. We can learn about his siblings, but I won't go there. We note that they have 8 grandchildren in 1998 and the same number in 2010, but 10 great grandchildren must have been born between 1998 and 2010. (or maybe they weren't mentioned in 1998)

Let's take a look at the children. George and Marilyn had the three sons mentioned above. I have not discovered much about the oldest, Dale. There were a couple of possible marriages and children, but not enough information to be sure as the names and places didn't seem correct. Son Darrell married Lisa Mateu in 1987 and had a daughter, Danelle Lee Wilson in 1988 before divorcing in 1990. Son David married Michelle Abraham in 1997. She was previously married for a short time to Jerry Galloway and they had a child who I have not discovered. Michelle and David had a daughter Genene Alexis Wilson in 1994. In looking at the dates, Genene was probably Jerry Galloway's daughter who was then adopted by David.

Son Gary and Phyllis and their three children Warren, Kimberly, and Bracy have this history. Warren married Diane Banta in 1984 and that is all I can find. Daughter Kimberly married Paul Dodson in 1981 and had at least one daughter Loren Ashley Dodson in 1983 and a son Matthew James in 1989. Paul appears to be from Oklahoma. Son Bracy married Tracie Leigh Williams and had two children to include Kaylee in 1993 and another that I have not found. They divorced in 2010.

Gary died in 2012 and his obituary reads:

Gary James Wilson Apr 30, 1941 - Aug 4, 2012



Gary James Wilson, 71, died August 4, 2012 in Harlingen, Texas. Mr. Wilson was born in San Antonio, Texas on April 30, 1941. He was preceded in death by his parents George and Hazel Wilson.

He is survived by two sons, daughter, five grandchildren, brother, sister, several nephews and nieces. Eight Pallbearers. The viewing will be held Thursday from 4-8 at Mission Park South, San Antonio, Texas. Services will be held Friday at 11:00 am at Mission Park South, burial will follow at San Fernando #3.

Daughter Holly married Donald William Deaton in 1962 and they had Donald Jr in 1963 and Dayna in 1969. Donald married Graciela Rameriz in 1992 and they had a daughter Amber Deaton in 1994. Dayna

married Michael Rosario in 1989 and divorced in 1992 without children. I don't know her current status. Her husband Donald died in 2016 and his obituary reads:

Donald William Deaton was born in Horse Cave, Kentucky on December 20, 1941 to Mollie Miller and Benjamin Franklin Deaton and passed from this life, surrounded by his loving family, on September 10, 2016 in Floresville, Texas. He served in the United States Air Force for 4 years, and worked many years for H. P. Zachary as a Supervisor in the Data Entry Department. He is survived by the love of his life for 54 years, Holly; daughter, Dayna R. Deaton; son, Don W. Deaton, Jr. (Gracie); granddaughters, Amber Denea Gomez, Auburn Grace Deaton, Ariel Victoria Deaton, Maddison Miley Deaton; brothers, Wayne Deaton and Frank Deaton (Joyce). The family will receive friends on Wednesday, September 14, 2016 from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Sunset Funeral Home. A Celebration of Life will be at 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 15, 2016 at Sunset Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will follow at Sunset Memorial Park.

Don and Gracie were still married and seem to have 3 children, Auburn, Ariel, and Maddison. Dayna has reverted to her maiden name and has the one daughter, Amber.

Children of Hazel and Claude Wynne

706	George Calhoun Wilson	1939		George and Hazel - Child#1
707	Gary James Wilson	1941	2012	George and Hazel - Child#2
708	Holly Jean Wilson	1945		George and Hazel - Child#3

This completes the line for Jesse Pearl Smith and her husband who both died quite young after having only one child. They had one son, 3 daughters and 18 grandchildren, plus all of the great grandchildren represented in this study. For updates and corrections please contact rbills_houston@yahoo.com. This was completed on 30 Jan 2025.