



The Family Tree



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1996 Sauvage/Sowash/Soash Family Reunion

The **1996 Sauvage/Sowash/Soash Family Reunion** will be held **July 19, 20 & 21** in Grand Island, Nebraska. A block of rooms has been reserved at the Riverside Inn, 3333 Ramada Road, Grand Island, NE 68801 until July 1, 1996. Room rates will be \$46.00 for a single, \$51.00 for a double. The motel has a free continental breakfast in the lobby every day. Please make your reservation by calling 800 422-3485 and mention the reunion.

Schedule of Events

Friday, July 19:

- 9:00 a.m. - Meet in the lobby of the motel for car pool to Hastings.
- 9:30 a.m. - Visit to Channel 5 TV and Weather Station.
- 11:00 a.m. - Visit to IMAX Theatre (1330 N. Burlington, Hastings 800-508-4629). Cost \$4.50 for adults. Children 3-12 \$3.50.
- 12:45 - Cold meat buffet at the OK Café (806 W. 16th St., Hastings 402-461-4663). Cost \$4.75 for adults; children 6-15 \$2.50 + tax, tip, & drinks. Pay on your own.
- 2:00 p.m. - Stuhr Museum of the Prairie Pioneer. (Hwy 281 & 34, Grand Island, NE 308 385-5316). Cost \$5.85; senior citizens \$5.35; children 7-16 \$3.50; Under 7 free.
- 6:30 p.m. - Piccadilly Dinner Theater (118 W. 3rd St., Grand Island 308 381-0383). Cost \$18.00 per person for show & dinner with coffee or tea. No children's discount. Children under 10 are not accepted.

Saturday, July 20:

- 9:00 a.m. - Meet in the motel lobby for the car pool to Harold Warp Pioneer Village in Minden (Hwy 6 & 34 308 832-1181) with its huge collection of pioneer artifacts, cars and many other items. Group Rate Admission \$5.50 adults; \$2.50 for children 6-15. Lunch on your own. Soup & Sandwich Bar at Pioneer Village, \$4.95 plus tax, tip & drink. Snack bar also available.
- 3:00- 5:00 p.m. Visiting, raffle and silent auction at the Fonner Park 4-H building cafeteria.
- 6:00-10:00 p.m. Dinner & business meeting Fonner Park (700 East Stolley Road, Grand Island 308 382-4515). Buffet Dinner will be served at 7:00 p.m. Cost will be \$15.00 for adults; \$6.50 for children under 10.

Sunday, July 21:

- 8:00 a.m. Breakfast at Riverside Inn (our hotel restaurant).
- 10:45 a.m. Church services at Messiah Lutheran Church (7th & Locust, Grand Island)

You can fly into Grand Island, but it is usually cheaper to fly to Lincoln or Omaha and rent a car. Grand Island is about 1 ½ hours from Lincoln and 3 hours from Omaha.

Please try to join us. For more information, contact Edith Soash, 337 SW High, Mankato, KS 66956 (913 378-3596) or Catharine Miner, 1522 Stagecoach Road, Grand Island, NE 68801 (308 382-8621).

See you at the reunion!

Election of Officers

We will be electing new officers for the Family Association at the business meeting on July 20, 1996. We still need a host for the 1998 Reunion in Westmoreland County, PA., and a secretary. We need your support. Please contact Richard Soash (316 832-0034) if you are interested in serving. Current candidates include:

President & Host 1997 Reunion - Ohio: Elinor Parish

President-Elect & Reunion Host 1998 Reunion - Westmoreland County, PA: _____

Secretary: _____

Treasurer/Historian: Richard Soash

Arts & Craft Sale

We will again be having a silent auction on Saturday afternoon from 3:00 -5:00 p.m. in the Fonner Park 4-H building cafeteria. This is a major fund-raising event to benefit the cemetery and the research funds. We need donations for the auction and volunteers to help organize and run the sale at the reunion. If you will not be able to attend but would like to donate items, they may be mailed to Catharine Miner, 1522 Stagecoach Road, Grand Island, NE 68801 (308 382-8621)

Thanks for these Donations to the Project Fund!

Robert & Jean Chrestenson 1E2E8A

William & Betty McClurg 2A3F3B1

Beverly Skipton 1F6C2C

Patricia Scholer 1J2A7B

Lloyd & Patti Patterson 2C3G1C

William B. Sowash 1F1I6

Sue Kelley 2B5D1B1

Jewell Blackett 5C8C4B

Max Miller 1F2A4C1

Glenn V. & Jonelle Sowash 1J7G1

Lorraine Soash, 1B27E2/W/, in memory of Paul Soash

Send a Card

Reo Sowash, wife of Jack Sowash, has cancer. 607 E. Colorado, Windsor, MO 65360

Edith Soash, wife of Charles Soash, had surgery. 337 SW High, Mankato, KS 66956

Dues

Please check the mailing label on this newsletter. If it includes **M96**, you have paid your dues for this year. If it lists **MP** or **M95** and is highlighted, you have not yet renewed. We would appreciate your support.

