

Descendants of Susan Velma Elam

Generation No. 1

1. Susan Velma¹ Elam (Henry Hiram^A, Hiram^B, ???^C) was born 15 Nov 1880 in Bibb Co., AL, and died 25 Nov 1951 in Bibb Co., AL (Source: Viewed by J. C. Otts, Tombstone.). She married **(1) Robert Edmond Deason** 31 Jan 1898 in Bibb Co., AL (Source: *Bibb Co., AL Marriage Book J, 1897-1899, County Clerk's Office, Centreville, AL*, p. 173, Permission given by H. H. Elam.), son of John Deason and Louisa Catherine Brown. He was born 19 Jul 1874 in Bibb Co., AL, and died 05 Mar 1909 in Bibb Co., AL (Source: Viewed by J. C. Otts, Tombstone.). She married **(2) Ludie U. Kinard** 18 Nov 1909 in Centreville, Bibb Co., AL (Source: *Bibb Co., AL Marriage Book M, 1908-1912, County Clerk's Office, Centreville, AL*, p. 134, By W. L. Pratt, Judge of Probate, at Court House.), son of Noah Kinard and Frances Shuttlesworth. He was born 25 Feb 1886 in Bibb Co., AL, and died 08 Aug 1954 in Mathis Cemetery, Bibb Co., AL. She married **(3) James Alexander Owens** 17 Jul 1943 in Bibb Co., AL, son of Aquilla Owens and Jane Watson. He was born 09 Dec 1877 in DeSoto Co., MS, and died 30 Oct 1962 in Baptist Hospital, Selma, Dallas Co., AL (Source: Howard F. McCord, *Baptists of Bibb County, Alabama, 1817-1974*, (1979), p. 364.).

More About Susan Velma Elam:

Burial: Little Hope Church Cemetery, Bibb Co., AL

Notes for Robert Edmond Deason:

Register of Births and Deaths, Bibb Co., AL, 1900-1919, LDS Film 1617909 indicates Ed Deason died Mar. 5, 1909 at age 31 of TB. It incorrectly lists his father as Ed Deason.

Record book kept by Colie Deason gives date of death as March 6, 1909.

More About Robert Edmond Deason:

Burial: Little Hope Church Cemetery, Bibb Co., AL

More About Robert Deason and Susan Elam:

Marriage: 31 Jan 1898, Bibb Co., AL (Source: *Bibb Co., AL Marriage Book J, 1897-1899, County Clerk's Office, Centreville, AL*, p. 173, Permission given by H. H. Elam.)

Notes for Ludie U. Kinard:

Some information on children from Dan Elam <mdelam@wolfenet.com>, 19 Oct. 1998.

Names of parents from Marriage Book M, Bibb Co., AL Courthouse.

1930 Bibb Co., Alabama census 120/123 Ludie V. Kinnard, 44, age at first marriage 23, AL AL AL; Velma, wife, 49, age at first marriage 28, AL AL AL; Raymond, son, 16, AL AL AL; Beulah, dau., 14, AL AL AL; Fred, son, 11, AL AL AL; Albert, son, 5, AL AL AL; Jesse, son, 2 11/12, AL AL AL

More About Ludie Kinard and Susan Elam:

Divorce: 28 Nov 1942, Bibb Co., AL

Marriage: 18 Nov 1909, Centreville, Bibb Co., AL (Source: *Bibb Co., AL Marriage Book M, 1908-1912, County Clerk's Office, Centreville, AL*, p. 134, By W. L. Pratt, Judge of Probate, at Court House.)

Notes for James Alexander Owens:

Dates are from Baptists of Bibb Co., AL, 1817-1974, by Howard F. McCord.

Centreville Press, Wednesday, Jan. 28, 2004, p. 5A, "ByGone Bibb" by Lori Ann Murphy

65 Years Ago, January 26, 1939, West Eoline Neighborhood News -- Oh yes, we had a wedding in this neck of the woods on last Sunday. The parties were Mr. J. A. Owens and Mrs. Venie Hubbard. The wedding took place at Mrs. Hubbard's home. The service was performed by "Esquire" J. F. Murphy.

Following information from marriage license recorded in Marriage Records 1, 1936-1940, p. 361, Bibb County, Alabama, marriage license for **James A. Owens and Venie Hubbard: James A. Owens born Dec. 9, 1877, DeSoto Co., MS. Father - A. O. Owens. Mother - Jane Watson. First wife deceased.**

Following information from marriage license application, for J. A. Owens to Velma Kinard, Marriage Book 3, 1940-1945, p. 426, Bibb County, Alabama Courthouse: J. A. Owens born De Soto Co., MS, on Dec. 9, 1877. Father - Archibald Owens [I believe this is an error on the part of the clerk. 1880 Desoto Co., MS, census lists James A. Owens age 2 in household of Quiller Owens. (jco091001)] Mother - Jane Watson.

Information indicates this is a third marriage for him and gives a divorce date of Feb. 23, 1943. The word YES is written by the blank for DIVORCE and then has a line through it. Velma Kinard born in Bibb County, Alabama, on Nov. 15, 1881. Father - Henry Elam. Mother - Sallie Bailey. This is her third marriage. She was divorced in Bibb Co., AL, in November 1942.

Centreville - Funeral services for Vann [sic] Owens, 84, of Centreville, have been tentatively set for Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Little Hope Baptist Church with Elder Virgil Smith officiating. Burial will be in

the church cemetery with the Jack Lee Funeral Home in charge. Mr. Owens, a retired farmer, died Monday at the Baptist Hospital in Selma after a long illness. Survivors include three sons, Hester Owens of Jemison, Lester Owens and Levi Owens, both of Centreville; a daughter, Mrs. Idelle Hatfield of Selma; 12 grandchildren and a great-grandchild. (Ref. The Tuscaloosa News, Tuesday, Oct. 30, 1962, p. 11.)

More About James Alexander Owens:

Burial: Little Hope Primitive Baptist Church Cem., Bibb Co., AL

More About James Owens and Susan Elam:

Marriage: 17 Jul 1943, Bibb Co., AL

Children of Susan Elam and Robert Deason are:

+ 2 i. **Lennie Survela² Deason**, born 20 Nov 1898 in Bibb-Tuscaloosa Co. Line, AL; died 01 Mar 1990 in Tuscaloosa Co., AL.

+ 3 ii. **Edmond Dewey Deason**, born 21 Feb 1902 in Bibb Co., AL; died 25 Jan 1994 in Bibb Co., AL.

Children of Susan Elam and Ludie Kinard are:

4 i. **Joe Raymond² Kinard**, born 11 Oct 1911. He married **Augusta Boyd** 16 Mar 1940 in Bibb Co., AL (Source: *Bibb Co., AL Marriage Book 1, 1936-1940, County Clerk's Office, Centreville, AL*, p. 531.); born 25 Dec 1912.

More About Joe Kinard and Augusta Boyd:

Marriage: 16 Mar 1940, Bibb Co., AL (Source: *Bibb Co., AL Marriage Book 1, 1936-1940, County Clerk's Office, Centreville, AL*, p. 531.)

+ 5 ii. **Fred J. Kinard**, born Abt. 1919.

6 iii. **Albert Kinard**.

+ 7 iv. **Jesse Franklin Kinard**.

8 v. **Beula Kinard**, born Abt. 1916. She married **Archie Ragland** 27 Feb 1932 in Bibb Co., AL (Source: *Bibb Co. Marriage Book S, 1927-36, County Clerk's Office, Centreville, AL*, p. 125, By W. T. Wood, J.P., at his office.).

More About Archie Ragland and Beula Kinard:

Marriage: 27 Feb 1932, Bibb Co., AL (Source: *Bibb Co. Marriage Book S, 1927-36, County Clerk's Office, Centreville, AL*, p. 125, By W. T. Wood, J.P., at his office.)

Generation No. 2

2. **Lennie Survela² Deason** (Susan Velma¹ Elam, Henry Hiram^A, Hiram^B, ???^C) was born 20 Nov 1898 in Bibb-Tuscaloosa Co. Line, AL, and died 01 Mar 1990 in Tuscaloosa Co., AL. She married **John J. Palmer** 07 Apr 1914 in Bibb Co., AL (Source: *Bibb Co. Marriage Book M, 1912-1919, County Clerk's Office, Centreville, AL*, p. 189.), son of Daniel Palmer and Malissa Smith. He was born 25 Oct 1894, and died 06 Jan 1962 in Pondville, Bibb Co., AL.

Notes for Lennie Survela Deason:

Children: Vonie "Billie" Martin, Oree Langford, Dean Kinard, Jay Belcher, Shirley E. Palmer.

Listed as survivors in the Tuscaloosa News 3 Mar 1990: Dewey Deason, three half-brothers, Jesse Kinard, Fred Kinard, Albert Kinard, a half-sister, Bulah Ragland.

Notes for John J. Palmer:

Parents: Danial and Milissa S. Palmer. Milissa is buried in Smith Graveyard.

More About John Palmer and Lennie Deason:

Marriage: 07 Apr 1914, Bibb Co., AL (Source: *Bibb Co. Marriage Book M, 1912-1919, County Clerk's*

Children of Lennie Deason and John Palmer are:

9 i. Dean³ Palmer. She married Ralph Kinard.

10 ii. Vonja Palmer, born Abt. 1917.

11 iii. Shirley E. Palmer, born Abt. 1920.

12 iv. Oree Palmer, born 02 Sep 1921 in Bibb Co., AL; died 13 Nov 2004 in Tuscaloosa Co., AL. She married G. C. Langford 23 Jan 1938 in Tuscaloosa Co., AL; born 16 Jan 1916 in Bibb Co., AL.

Notes for Oree Palmer:

Information on descendants of Lennie Deason provided by Oree Palmer Langford, Barbara Nelson Langford, and Tonya Langford Nail.

COTTONDALE | Oree G. Langford died November 13, 2004, at DCH Regional Medical Center in Tuscaloosa.

Services will be held on Tuesday, November 16, 2004, at Memory Chapel at 1:00 p.m. with Rev. Jimmy Garner officiating. Burial will follow in Memory Hill Gardens.

Visitation will be one hour prior to service time. Memory Chapel Funeral Home is directing.

She is preceded in death by her husband, G.C. Langford, daughter, Linda Langford and great grandson, Paul Daniel Shajan.

Survivors include her special daughter, Jean Carolyn Martin (Jim); sons, F. Allen Langford (Barbara) and G. Bradley Langford (Linda), all of Tuscaloosa, and special son, Preston Weems (Marilyn); sisters, Dean Kinard and Jay Belcher (Chris); brother, Shirley E. Palmer (Louise); grandchildren, Tonya Nail (Joey), Vanessa Langford, David Langford, Danny Langford (Amanda), DeDe Shajan (Shajan), Noelle Dyer (Cliff), Britt Langford (Randee), Trey Langford (Lisa), Allen Nail, Jessica Nail, Kayla Langford, Ryan Langford, Clay Langford, Jordan Dyer, Allison Dyer, Abigail Langford, Brantley Hannah and Karsyn Langford.

Pallbearers will be Britt Langford, Trey Langford, Joey Nail, Cliff Dyer, Allen Nail, David Langford, Danny Langford, Muttathup Shajan, John Belcher, Brantley Cochran, Brantley Hannah, Clay Langford, Ryan Langford, Brandon Weems, and Jason Weems.

Honorary pallbearers are Skyland Blvd. Baptist Church, Ladies I. Sunday School Class, Dr. James Saxton and staff, DCH Home Healthcare, Hospice of West Alabama, Bay Rainey, John Holmes, Jane Causey, Pam Marbut, State Farm Insurance, doctors and nurses of DCH, Laverne Faulkner, friends and neighbors of Old McGee Road, DCH Cancer Center, Deroma and Billy Hewett, Skipper and Cookie Nelson, Doug and Sue Nelson, Kenny and Karen Nelson, Becky and Woody Jones, Mary Nelson and Mr and Mrs. Homer Nelson.

Notes for G. C. Langford:

PARENTS: CAL AND MAUDIE LANGFORD. RETIRED SHEET METAL WORKER.

More About G. Langford and Oree Palmer:

Marriage: 23 Jan 1938, Tuscaloosa Co., AL

13 v. Lou Jay Palmer, born 28 Mar 1928 in BRENT, AL. She married Orval C. Belcher 17 Oct 1945 in MARSHALL, TX; born 27 Oct 1920 in JENA, AL.

Notes for Lou Jay Palmer:

Information from Lou Jay Palmer Belcher.

Notes for Orval C. Belcher:

**PARENTS: WILLIAM ERVIN BELCHER
(2/27/1897-9/10/1952) AND SALLY MAE PATE
(6/30/1904-4/10/1976).**

More About Orval Belcher and Lou Palmer:

Marriage: 17 Oct 1945, MARSHALL, TX

3. Edmond Dewey² Deason (Susan Velma¹ Elam, Henry Hiram^A, Hiram^B, ???^C) was born 21 Feb 1902 in Bibb Co., AL, and died 25 Jan 1994 in Bibb Co., AL. He married **Nola Cook** 25 Jan 1925 in Bibb Co., AL. She was born 09 Mar 1908 in Bibb Co., AL, and died 19 Mar 2004 in Bibb Medical Center Nursing Home, Bibb Co., AL.

Notes for Edmond Dewey Deason:

Information on this family furnished by Delores D. Goin. Obit in Centreville Press, Feb. 2, 1994. He died at Bibb Medical Center and was buried at Brent Cemetery. Survivors included his wife Nola C. Deason, sons Orel and Harold, daughters Francine McCrary, Lou Sherbett, 3 half-brothers Fred Kinard, Albert Kinard, and Jessie Kinard, 1 half-sister, Beuleah Ragland. Pallbearers were Mickey Sherbett, Sonny Deason, Jerry Deason, Jerry Watkins, Eber Barnett, Jr., and Arion Smith.

More About Edmond Dewey Deason:

Burial: Brent Cemetery, Bibb Co., AL (Source: Viewed by J. C. Otts, Tombstone, March 8, 2003.)

Notes for Nola Cook:

Father: J. Nathaniel Cook.

Centreville--Nola Deason, died Friday, March 19, 2004, at Bibb Medical Nursing Home. Services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, March 21, 2004, in the Chapel of Rockco's Funeral Home of Centreville. Burial will follow in Brent Cemetery. Rockco's Funeral Home of Centreville is directing. (Ref: Tuscaloosa [Alabama] News, Sunday, March 21, 2004, p. 2B)

Nola Deason, age 96, of Centreville, Ala., passed away Friday, March 19, 2004, at Bibb Medical Nursing Home. She was a member of Spencer Nazarene Church. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m., Sunday, March 21, 2004, at Chapel of Rockco Funeral Home with Bro. Alvis Taylor and Rev. Lyle Geist officiating. Burial was held at Brent Cemetery. She is survived by one son, Harold Deason of Eutaw, AL; two daughters, Lou Sherbett and husband Charles, of Centreville, Francine McCray and husband, Clarance, of Tuscaloosa; nine grandchildren. Her husband, Dewey Deason, one daughter, Tibby Eady and one son, Orel Deason, preceded her in death. Pallbearers were Jerry Deason, Sonny Deason, Josh Smitherman, Neilson Barnett, Stephen Barnett and Ed Cook. Honorary pallbearers were the staff of Bibb Medical Nursing Home and Dr. John Meigs. (Ref: Centreville [Alabama] Press, Wednesday, March 24, 2004, p. 8A)

More About Nola Cook:

Burial: 21 Mar 2004, Brent Cemetery, Bibb Co., AL

More About Edmond Deason and Nola Cook:

Marriage: 25 Jan 1925, Bibb Co., AL

Children of Edmond Deason and Nola Cook are:

14 i. Mildred Francine³ Deason. She married Clarence McCrary.

Notes for Clarence McCrary:

PARENTS: MR. & MRS. F.C. MCCRAY.

15 ii. Elsie Lou Deason. She married Charles Edward Sherbett.

16 iii. Edward Harold Deason. He married Sylvia Moore.

17 iv. Syba Jenett Deason. She married Albert J. Eady.

18 v. Robert Orel Deason, born 13 Feb 1927 in Camp Hugh, Bibb Co., AL; died 06 Mar 2001 in DCH Regional Medical Center, Tuscaloosa, AL. He married Minnie Zeola Elam 28 Dec 1943 in Brent, AL (Source: *Bibb Co., Alabama Marriage Book 3, 1940-45, County Clerk's Office.*, p. 465.); born 11 May 1926 in Bibb Co., AL; died 28 Dec 2000 in Moundville Nursing Home, Hale Co., AL.

Notes for Robert Orel Deason:

Robert Orel Deason, 74, died March 6, 2001, at DCH Regional Medical Center. Services will be held at Memory Chapel Funeral Home on Friday at 10 a.m. with the Rev. Bernie Deffinger and the Rev. Alvis Taylor officiating. Burial will follow at Memory Hill Gardens. Visitation is tonight from 7 to 9. Memory Chapel Funeral Home is directing. He is preceded in death by his father, Dewey Deason; and sister Tibby Eady. He is survived by his mother, Nola Deason of Centreville; wife, Dorene Deason of Duncanville; daughters, Judy Hamner (Gary) of Tuscaloosa and Beverly Deason of Tuscaloosa; sons, Robert "Sonny" Deason (Carolyn) of Tuscaloosa and Jerry Deason (Renee) of Fosters; brother, Harold Deason of Akron; sisters, Lou Sherbett (Charles) of Centreville and Francine McCray (Clarence) of Tuscaloosa; grandchildren, Dana Hamner, Grant Deason, Derek Hamner, Jeremy Hamm, Jamey Hamm, Katie Evans, Danielle Deason and Rachel Deason; and one great-grandchild, Logan Hamner. Pallbearers will be Grant Deason, Derek Hamner, Jeremy Hamm, Jamey Hamm, Mickey Sherbett and Joe Evans. (Ref: The Tuscaloosa News, Thursday, March 8, 2001, p. 2B, col. 1)

More About Robert Orel Deason:

Burial: 09 Mar 2001, Memory Hill Gardens, Tuscaloosa, AL

Notes for Minnie Zeola Elam:

Zeola E. Deason - Moundville - Zeola E. Deason, 74, died Dec. 28, 2000, at Moundville Nursing Home. Services will be at Spencer Nazarene Church in Brent, Ala., on Sunday at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Bernie Deffinger and the Rev. Alvis Taylor officiating. Burial will follow in Friendship Cemetery. Visitation will be one hour prior to service at the church. The body will lie in state one hour prior to services. Memory Chapel Funeral Home is directing. She is preceded in death by her parents, Harvey and Pearl Elam. Survivors include her daughters, Judy Hamner (Gary), Tuscaloosa, and Beverly Deason, Tuscaloosa; sons, Robert (Sonny) Deason (Carolyn), Tuscaloosa, and Jerry Deason (Renee), Fosters; sisters, Odell Owens, Brent, Ala., Onedith Mitchell, Mobile, Ala., and Mildred Bailey, Oakridge, Tenn.; brothers, V. Donald Elam, Tuscaloosa, and Gerald M. Elam, Petersburg, Va.; grandchildren, Dana Hamner, Grant Deason, Derek Hamner, Jeremy Hamm, Jamey Hamm, Katie Evans, Danielle Deason and Rachel Deason; one great-grandchild, Logan Hamner. Pallbearers will be Grant Deason, Derek Hamner, Jeremy Hamm, Jamey Hamm, Joseph Evans and Mickey Sherbett. (Ref: The Tuscaloosa News, Saturday, Dec. 30, 2000, p. 6A, col. 5)

More About Minnie Zeola Elam:

Burial: 31 Dec 2000, Friendship Cem., Bibb Co., AL

More About Robert Deason and Minnie Elam:

Divorce: Unknown

Marriage: 28 Dec 1943, Brent, AL (Source: *Bibb Co., Alabama Marriage Book 3, 1940-45, County Clerk's Office.*, p. 465.)

5. Fred J.² Kinard (Susan Velma¹ Elam, Henry Hiram^A, Hiram^B, ???^C) was born Abt. 1919. He married **??? Boyd**.

Notes for Fred J. Kinard:

Married a BOYD, sister to Augusta Boyd who married his brother Raymond.

Children of Fred Kinard and ??? Boyd are:

19 i. Fred Thomas³ Kinard, born 26 Aug 1954. He married Susan ???.

20 ii. Shirlene Kinard, born 20 Jan 1947. She married (1) ??? Kyzer. She married (2) ??? Garin.

7. Jesse Franklin² Kinard (Susan Velma¹ Elam, Henry Hiram^A, Hiram^B, ???^C) He married **Virginia Mitchell**.

Notes for Jesse Franklin Kinard:

Irma Kinard, age 80, of Centreville, passed away Wednesday, Dec. 13, 2000, at Bibb Co. Nursing Home. Funeral services were held Fr., Dec. 15, 2000, at 11:00 a.m. at Rockco Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Roy Neil Lowery and Rev. James Perry officiating. Burial was held at Bethlehem Methodist Cem. Mrs. Kinard was a member of Four Points Baptist Church. Survivors include her husband, Jesse Kinard of Centreville; three sons, James E. Hobson and wife, Rachel of Weogulka, AL, Kenneth R. Hobson and wife, Joann of Tuscaloosa, R. L. Hobson and wife, Toni of Brent; one daughter, Bonnie Breland and husband, Frankie of Centreville; two stepsons, Roger Kinard of Centreville, Randy Kinard of Tuscaloosa; two stepdaughters, Jessie Cann of Alabaster, Gale Eady of Tuscaloosa; one brother, Obie Owens of Birmingham; two sisters, Lois Anders of Tuscaloosa, Annie Jo Sanders of Centreville; 4 grandchildren, Angela Chesser, Amanda Hood, Ashley Hobson, Shan Hobson; three great grandchildren, Loftin and Laurey Hood, Will Chesser; five step grandchildren, Jon and Karen Kinard, Dusty Cannon, Brian Wilkinson and Brad Eady. Pallbearers were Jon Kinard, Chris Chesser, Aaron Hood, Tommy Hobson, Paul Creel, Ronnie Kinard, Roland Kinard, Raymond Hobson, Eugene Hobson, Ronnie Anders and Heath Holsambeck. (Ref: Tuscaloosa News)

Child of Jesse Kinard and Virginia Mitchell is:

21 i. Roger Dale³ Kinard. He married (1) Alice Faye Steele; died 09 Sep 1989. He married (2) Sandra ???.

Notes for Roger Dale Kinard:

Notes for Alice Faye Steele:

The Alice Steele Kinard Memorial Scholarship was set up by Roger Kinard, Chairman of the School Board, in memory of his wife. The scholarship will be for \$250 to a business education student planning to attend Bessemer State Technical College. Alice Kinard died of cancer.

More About Alice Faye Steele:

Burial: Pineland Memorial Cemetery, Bibb Co., AL