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Richard Woodruff Price to be Guest Speaker at our 2009 Reunion



In addition to being a renowned genealogist, Mr. Price is a descendant of the Rev. John Lothrop; therefore, one of our cousins. He has written widely on a myriad of genealogical topics including a number of articles and books on the Rev. John

His book, *JOHN LOTHROPP (1584-1653): A Puritan*

Biography & Genealogy is considered to be the definitive book on the life of Rev. John and his genealogy. We are hoping that Cousin Richard will bring along a few of his books to sign and sell during our Reunion since they are not presently available on Amazon.com A worthwhile visit to the Richard Price & Associates homepage at

<http://www.pricegen.com> will provide some background in the work his organization conducts.

Richard Price has agreed to come to our reunion at Lake George, NY July 23-26, 2009. His presentation will be during the banquet on Saturday evening at the Fort William Henry Resort.

Richard is the great-grandson of Mormon President Wilford Woodruff, Sr,¹ 1807-1898. Woodruff was a descendant of the Rev. John. He was ordained President in 1889, serving until his death in 1898. As an aside, Woodruff was one of four Mormon presidents who descended from the Rev. John, and that does not include the Mormon Founder and Prophet, Joseph Smith who was also a descendant of the Rev. John.

(Submitted by Tom Williams, Reunion Chair)

¹ Wilford Woodruff, Sr is profiled on Page 4

Good News for us!!!

The Fort William Henry Resort has announced some **drastically reduced rates** for visitors to our reunion.

The Standard Rate is now: \$149

The Premium Rate is now: \$ 179.

The Grand Room, (A double sized room) is now: \$208 to \$239

Be sure to mention the Lothrop Family Reunion.

Contact the Ft. William Henry Inn at:
(800) 234-0267 or (518) 668-3081 or
www.fortwilliamhenry.com

Our President's Message

By Lee Benoit, President

Are you ready? Lake George here we come! I hope you have planned your family vacation this year around our biannual Lothrop Family Foundation Reunion. It's not too late! Tom Williams has arranged amazing accommodations, tours and activities that promise a wonderful Reunion at Lake George. So, don't miss out on all the family fun! Inside you will find the forms to register for the various activities.

On a business note, for those of you who have not attended a LFF Reunion, we hold our biannual business meeting on Sunday and elect a slate of new officers. It's a great opportunity to see and understand the workings of the Foundation and the issues that the Board has tackled over

the last two years as well as set a new agenda. Everyone is welcome!

If you are interested in serving on the Lothrop Family Foundation Board of Trustees, please contact me at lee_bnt@yahoo.com (there is an underscore between the lee and bnt) or send an email through our new website at www.lothrop.org. I look forward to hearing from you! We need all kinds of people with all kinds of talent!

As always we try to reach out to all Lothrop descendants to let them know that the LFF exists and would love for them to join our membership. We have a fantastic Newsletter. As always we try to reach out to all Lothrop descendants to let them know that the LFF exists and would love for them to join
See Presidents Message continued P. 5

From the Editor

I am still having fun with this editor's position and I remain impressed at the rich history of the Lothrop/Lathrop families and I am continuing to accept content and ideas for this publication. This issue demonstrates that contributions are coming in, thanks and keep 'em coming. Contact me at 12 Fairfield St. Salem, MA 01970, by phone at 978-744-3191 or at GordonLothrop@comcast.net. I need to tend to some business, however:

Item 1: Our 2009 Reunion is rapidly approaching; we are looking forward to seeing you at Lake George this July 23 – 26, make your reservations, soon.

Item 2: The foundation is accepting nominations for other board positions. These will be voted on at the reunion's bi-annual meeting on July 26.

If you think that you might be interested contact Lee Benoit.

(See the listing on Page 6.)

Item 3: If this includes a dues envelope, it means that you have not, as yet, attended to your annual dues; please attend to that matter promptly.

Item 4: Helen Taber Continues to need some help with updating the Huntington work. (See the page 6 and [letter below](#).)

With warmest regards, **Gordon Lothrop**

Letters***From Helen Lathrop Taber***

Gordon, thank you for getting me going on this. I am downsizing and I've been trying to dispose of things as I go along. The 'stuff' around this house feels like an albatross sometimes. Some things I have given away and I have sold some things thru the auction house, etc. Passing these *Update Files* on to someone who is really interested would be a tremendous relief. And, it would be so much better to do it now when I am available to help in the transition.

I am sorry to say that I really need help on the Update. I would like to find someone who would take over the *Update* and [see it to completion](#). We now have an excellent *Genealogy Update Program* written especially for us by Todd Townly, our computer genius/cousin. The

main problem in undertaking the Update was sandwiching in the new names and additions into the correct generation in an already existing genealogy (Huntington). Todd's new program addresses this Update requirement which are considerably different from the procedures offered in the genealogy programs on the market today.

The program is in place which was the first and biggest hurdle. More than half of the data is already completed. I would like to pass this on before it becomes an emergency.



Sturgis Library, former Rev. John Lothrop homestead.

“norwest room” to a single daughter “with a common privilege in the kitchen, cellar, at the well & over and about the house and liberty to get wood for one fire,” indicating that by 1763 the house had been converted from a half-Cape to the larger colonial-style structure it is today.

William E. Sturgis and his wife Hannah Mills lived in the house in the 1770s and 1780s. Their son, Capt. William F. Sturgis was born here on February 5, 1782. There is some evidence that Thomas Phinney and Sylvester Baker may have been tenants of the (**Meetinghouse, Continued on Page 6**)

The Sturgis Library:**Meetinghouse, Home, Library**

Most regular library visitors know the general history of the Sturgis Library, from its origins in 1644 as a meetinghouse for the Reverend John Lothrop and his followers, to its transformation in 1867 to a public library. But many of you may not know that for most of its life – into the early 1990's – the Sturgis Library has also been home to many local residents.

Reverend John Lothrop and his family were its first inhabitants. The structure, constructed in 1644, was used as a meetinghouse and home. Lothrop died in 1653, leaving “to my wife my new dwelling house.” His widow, Anne Hammond Lothrop, remained there for a time. Joseph Lothrop, Rev. John's son, owned the house by 1660. Thomas Lothrop, Joseph's son, lived in the house until 1723.

Abigail Lothrop Sturgis, granddaughter of John Lothrop and wife of Thomas Sturgis, lived in the house prior to 1763. These were William Sturgis' great-great grandparents. The will of Thomas Sturgis Jr. in 1763 left a

2009 Reunion Activities – Friday’s Bus Tour

9:00 Depart Lake George for Saratoga Battlefield
 10:00 Upon Arrival at Visitor Center overview and short film then drive thru Park with 2 stops.
 12:00 Lunch, Optional Box lunch* or Cafeteria
 1:00 Depart for Ft. Ticonderoga
 2:00 Guided Tour of Ticonderoga
 Visit to museum and Gift shop
 4:00 Depart and return to Lake George via Millionaires Row and Battleground Park to view the Historic Statues
 5:00 Return to Fort William Henry

Some notes on The Battle of Saratoga:

By: Tom Williams

The historic Battle of Saratoga was one of the pivotal battles of the Revolutionary War and one of the first major battles that our side won. Many consider it the turning point of the war. You may or may not know that a Lothrop descendant was the commander/general who won the battle for us. You may recognize his name, Benedict Arnold. Of course, later on he wasn't such a good boy but in his day he did a lot for our country. There is a huge oil painting of him which depicts him on a horse during the thick of that battle. You will get to see the painting when we visit Fort Ticonderoga. Fort "Ti" is also the place where Ethan Allan and his Green Mountain Boys made a name for themselves during that war.

From the Fort you get a great view across Lake Champlain to the Green Mountains of Vermont. You may even get a glimpse of the illusive *Champ*. He is Lake Champlain's version of the Loch Ness Monster. There are those who "swear" they've seen Champ. I have a house north of Fort "Ti" with the same view. It's a gorgeous area.

Search & Discover

This came to us by way of **Vernon Gray**

I have just read my first edition of the Lothrop Family Foundation *Newsletter* and find you do a Search & Discover column.

I would appreciate your adding my query to your next newsletter. I am looking for parents, grandparents, birthplace of **Hazael Lathrop** of Norwich, Conn. He first married **Nabby Kirtland** of West Springfield, Mass. The date I have is July 13, 1806. He fought in the War of 1812. Later, he made his way to the Republic of Texas in 1839 with his wife, **Catharine (Cathron) Wright**.

Any connection with the early Lathrops is appreciated. Thank you for any help with my research. I look forward to seeing any responses from fellow Lathrops.

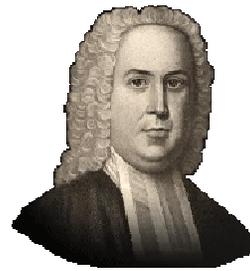
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More on the First Parish Church of Scituate

In the last issue, I mentioned that The First Parish Church of Scituate was celebrating the 375th Anniversary of Rev.



Rev. Charles Chauncey John's establishment of that church. There is some interesting history and connections after his departure. Most of us know that the Rev. John Lothrop left Scituate for the greener fields of Mattakeese, now Barnstable. After his departure, The Rev. Charles Chauncey, who while very scholarly, was also known to be a stubborn pastor. During his tenure, a controversy erupted over the manner of Baptism (infant v. adult/ sprinkling v. immersion). This led a group of dissenters to petition the Plymouth Colony General Court to establish a Second Parish of Scituate, which was granted. That church is the First Parish Church of Norwell.

Although Rev. Chauncey's ministry in Scituate lasted 13 years, it was often contentious, so much so, that Chauncey was about to return to England, but before his ship sailed, he was approached by the Board of Overseers of Harvard College and was appointed the second President of that institution in 1654. He succeeded Harvard's first president, Rev. Henry Dunster, who, in turn, succeeded Rev. Chauncey at Scituate.

Starting in the mid-eighteenth century, ministers who graduated from Harvard College became increasingly liberal in their theology. By the beginning of the nineteenth century there was a growing rift in New England between orthodox Calvinists and a growing number of "Liberal Christians" This was the case in Scituate as well, whose minister, the Rev. Nehemiah Thomas, was clearly in the liberal faction. It was during the ministry of the Rev. Thomas (the congregation's longest, 39 years) that the schism occurred.

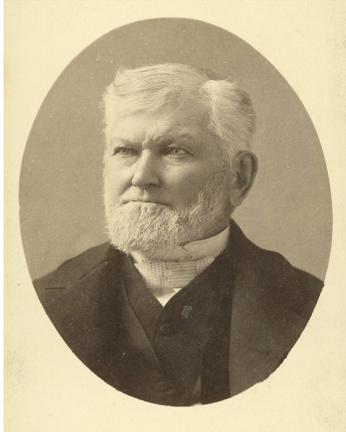
The orthodox group in the church sought to reaffirm a covenant of the church written in 1710, but the Rev Thomas and the majority of the parish chose not to do so. On April 29, 1825, The orthodox wing decided to break away from Rev. Thomas and his congregation. This dissident group founded the First Trinitarian Congregational Church of Scituate.

Editor's Notes: The establishment of this new church is yet another Christian based parish with a lineage going back to the Rev. John Lothrop. The afore mentioned schism occurred around the same time as Barnstable's East and West Parishes went in their own directions. Since there already two parishes established, it was simply a matter of the members of each congregation to choose which expression of Christianity they wanted to follow without an actual schism. Both churches rightfully claim descent from Rev. John Lothrop's first church in Barnstable, as well.

An acquaintance is a person whom we know well enough to borrow from, but not well enough to lend to.

Famous Descendants

Wilford Woodruff, Sr. was the fourth president of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, (LDS) or Mormon Church. He was known for his missionary work, the formation of the Genealogical Society, his witness of church history extensively recorded, and for writing the manifesto that officially prohibited plural marriage within the Church.



Wilford Woodruff, 1807-1898, the fourth Mormon prophet was born on March 1, 1807, in Farmington, Connecticut. His mother died when he was only fifteen months old, but his father remarried three years later and his stepmother raised him. He grew up on a farm, went to school and worked at his father's his flour and sawmills.

As a young man, Woodruff pondered religious questions, he said, "I could not find any denomination whose doctrines, faith or practices, agreed with the Gospel of Jesus Christ, or the ordinances and gifts which the Apostles taught...."

When he was 26 years old Woodruff heard a sermon given by a Mormon missionary and he knew he had found what he was looking for. Just two days after hearing the sermon, he became a member of the Mormon Church and was baptized on December 31, 1833.

In 1834, Woodruff was sent on the first of six missions. His call was to the Southeastern United States. He returned home from his mission in 1836 and recorded that he had traveled over 9,800 miles, held over 300 meetings, organized 4 branches of the Church, baptized 70 people and confirmed 62, performed 11 priesthood ordinations, and healed 4 people by the laying on of hands, and that he had been delivered from the hands of 6 different mobs. During this Mission, Woodruff was ordained an elder in 1835 and then as a *Seventy*¹ in May, 1836 after his return.

Just a year after his return, he served another full-time mission to the Fox Islands off the coast of Maine. During this mission he found a group of people searching for the truth and baptized over one hundred. Also while on this mission, Woodruff received a letter informing him that he had been called to be an *apostle*² and that he would be asked to serve a mission in Great Britain. Woodruff was ordained to that post on April 26, 1839, shortly before leaving for the mission in Great Britain.

When he returned home, he helped Latter-day Saints travel to the Salt Lake Valley. He was with Brigham Young and the first company of saints to arrive at Salt Lake. Once the Mormons were finally settled in Utah, Woodruff was sent to check on different settlements across the West including Arizona and Idaho.

The entire time President Woodruff served as an Apostle, he filled the role of Church Historian. He loyally kept his journal and kept detailed record of the Church's history. On July 25, 1887, Mormon President John Taylor passed away. Woodruff was then the presiding officer and felt the burden of leading the Church. He recorded in his journal

This places me in a very peculiar situation. It is a position I have never looked for during my life. But in the providence of God it is laid upon me, and I pray God my Heavenly Father to give me grace equal to my day. It is a high and responsible position for any man to occupy and a position that needs great wisdom. I never expected to outlive President Taylor. . . . But God has ordained otherwise. . . . "

On April 7, 1889, Wilford Woodruff was ordained as the President and Prophet of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

When Wilford Woodruff was ordained as the prophet, the Mormon Church was being penalized by the US Government for practicing polygamy³. The situation made President Woodruff ponder the issue constantly; he finally went to the Lord for help in the matter and was told that the Church should stop the practice. He issued a statement to the members of the Church as well as the world explaining that the practice would be stopped within the Church on September 24, 1890.

President Woodruff continued to guide and lead the Church until he passed away on September 2, 1898.

¹*Seventy*: is a priesthood office in the *Melchizedek Priesthood* one of the several denominations within the Latter Day Saint movement. Traditionally, a Mormon holding this priesthood office is a "traveling minister" and is charged with the mission of preaching the gospel to the entire world under the direction of the Twelve Apostles. The office of seventy is based on the seventy disciples mentioned in the Gospel of Luke [10:1-2](#). Multiple individuals holding the office of seventy are referred to collectively as *seventies*.

²*apostle* In the Mormon Church, twelve apostles are called to help the Presidency and lead the Church and be special witnesses. Together they form the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles. These men are drawn from the Melchizedek Priesthood.

³*polygamy* was a sticking point in Utah becoming a state. During the 1870s and 1880s, laws were passed and federal marshals assigned to punish and harass polygamists, confiscate church property, jail polygamists and deny jury trials or voting rights to all polygamists. In its 1890 Manifesto, the LDS Church finally agreed to ban polygamy. When Utah applied for statehood again in 1895, it was accepted. One of the conditions for granting Utah statehood was that a ban on polygamy be written into the state constitution. This was a condition required of other western states that were admitted into the Union later. Statehood was officially granted on January 4, 1896.

Editor's note: Joseph Smith, founder of the Mormon Church was also a descendant of the Rev. John Lothrop. It would be interesting to know if they knew that they were related.

A friend is one who knows you and loves you just the same.
Elbert Hubbard

A LIFETIME OF GIVING

Written and researched by Ann Lathrop and Helen Taber
When it comes to sharing with one's fellow man, **Dr. Gertrude Lathrop**¹ participated in several areas. In her own quiet way, she gave of herself and of her means.

Dr. Gertrude was born in Norwich, CT in 1921 and died in 2000. She received her BS degree from the University of Connecticut - Class of 1944, her MA degree from Columbia University and her PhD in Chemistry from Texas Woman's University (once sister college of Texas A & M). Her career was spent in the textile industry. Her last position was Laboratory Manager of Collins & Aikman Corporation's Automotive Division where she held a position in Technical Sales and as Manager of the Division Laboratory. She was a pioneer in her field where she attained positions in the days when a career at her level was rare for a woman.

During her lifetime she created the "Ralph Willard and Gertrude Adams Lathrop Endowment for the Youth of the New London County 4-H Foundation, Inc. 30824 to support the youth in the Department of Extension at the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources" at the University of Connecticut.

For many years she attended instruction seminars given by the IRS, then volunteering to help seniors prepare their income tax returns in Black Mountain, NC where she lived. For several years she was listed in "Who's Who in NC".

Dr. Gertrude was very respectful of her descendency from Rev. John Lothrop/Lathrop and from her maternal connection to the Adams family. She enthusiastically supported the Lothrop Family Foundation, serving as advisor in the creation of the by-laws. Upon her death she bequeathed to the Endowment Fund of the Lothrop Family Foundation the sum of \$50,000 plus the proceeds from a mortgage she held on the family's former home in Norwich, CT.

Dr. Gertrude made her mark on this world both during her lifetime with her volunteer work and numerous scholarships and after her death with her bequests to the Lothrop family Foundation, helping to give us the stability and ability to make grants to deserving recipients.

Rev. John must be smiling and very proud.

¹**Editor's note:** Dr. Gertrude Adams Lathrop should not be confused with Gertrude K. Lathrop, the artist.

From The Internet "Mailbag"

Greetings,

I'm descended from Francis Lowthorp who was married in Beverly England in 1771 and came to America between 1781 and 1785. Huntington refers to him in his Lathrop Family History, but the information he relates is inaccurate in that it confuses events, dates and activities between Francis and his son Francis Jr and makes a case that this Francis is descended from the Rev John Lothrop.

My study of Francis does not support a close relationship to the Rev John's line at all, although, it's highly probable that they share a common ancestor at some point. Recently a direct male descendant of Francis was tested for the Y-DNA markers offered by the National Geographic/IBM funded World Genome project. This person's Haplogroup (genetic classification) was determined to be R1b2, a not uncommon English genetic grouping. To help resolve recurring questions with regard to kin or not, close or not with the Rev John's line, has any direct male descendant of the Rev John been tested for y-DNA markers and if so are such data reasonably available for comparison with the results of Francis Lowthorp's descendant?

It's recently been suggested that Francis MAY have descended from John Lothropps' first son who remained in England when the family migrated to America in the 1600's. Comparison of the DNA results will help to resolve this conundrum. Thank you.

Regards,

Doug Baker

G-G-G-G-Grandson of Francis Lowthorp of Beverly England and New Bern, NC

Editor's notes: If the assertion in the third paragraph is true, then the assertion in the second paragraph is not, or visa-versa.

Doug does raise an interesting topic, though; DNA Testing. I have visited several "Family Foundation's" websites and there is lots of discussion and several groups are actively encouraging the practice. Doug mentions the Y-Chromosome markers, which is identically transmitted from father to son. Most notably, this was used to discover if disparate groups who call themselves Jews, were in fact Jews. Based on this information, several groups were in fact identified as Jews.

Now to the hard part, several scientists view genealogy as *bunk*. They claim that 10% or more lineages are incorrect because paternity is not always as presented. What do you think about this?

President's Message, from P.1

our membership. We have a fantastic Newsletter headed up by Gordon Lothrop, an interactive and user-friendly Website that it maintained by Diana Long. A synergistic relationship with the Sturgis Library in Barnstable, Mass. And, about a million years of combined historical experience (OK, maybe

I'm exaggerating a little bit here) to help answer genealogical and historical questions. So now, all we need is you! Help us spread the word and encourage family members to join the LFF.

See you at Lake George!

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Sturgis family. Major Sylvanus Phinney was born here in 1808. He went on to be founding publisher and editor of the Barnstable Patriot newspaper, which has been in continuous publication since the 1830s.

Deacon Joseph Chipman purchased the house from William Sturgis after Sturgis' mother's death around 1819. Isaac Chipman lived here, and may have had a boarder named Doctor Doane around 1848, according to the Barnstable Patriot. William Chipman sold the house back to Capt. William Sturgis in 1863. Sturgis died on October 21, 1863, leaving the house, his personal library, and \$15,000 to start a library to benefit the Town.

Trustees Samuel Hooper, Lemuel Shaw and Edward Hooper renovated the second floor on the west side of the house to permit a high-ceilinged shelf-lined room, with the top shelves to be serviced by a ladder. The Sturgis Library opened its doors for the first time on August 2nd, 1867.

At that point, the upstairs portion of the house was made into a residence for the librarian, who provided services in exchange for free rent. The first librarian in 1867 was Rev. Thomas Weston.

Other librarians who lived in the building included Mrs. Olive Freeman who served from 1872 to 1883 and died following after a fall in the upstairs apartment when she broke her hip. Miss Lillie Loring took over in November 1883 and presumably lived in the apartment, serving until her death in 1894.

Miss Elizabeth Crocker Nye served as librarian from 1894 to 1948 and lived in the building the entire time, perhaps longer than any other resident (54 years). After Miss Nye's death, the Trustees rented the upstairs space to tenants. Harriet Stockton Worthington lived here with her brother around 1953 and ran a nursery school for local children.

In 1956, Basil Edwards¹ lived here as a bachelor and brought his new bride Margaret (Peggy) Edwards here in 1957 while their home on Pine Lane was being built. Their daughter Sarah was born there during their stay. They moved to Pine Lane in 1958. As late as the early 1990s, there was a tenant living in the second floor apartment. The last known tenant was Gladys E. Barnard who died on November 20, 1991.

The upstairs of the original building is now used as office, staff, and storage space.

Text "borrowed" from the Sturgis Library Newsletter of January 2009,
Courtesy of Lucy Loomis, Librarian

¹ Basil Edwards was an 8th generation John Lothrop descendant through John's daughter Bathshua (or Bathsheba) and her marriage to Benjamin Beale. This is the same lineage as our Treasurer and proof-reader, Lexa Crane

A man's growth is seen in the successive choirs of his friends.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

Friendship is a single soul dwelling in two bodies.

Aristotle

It takes a long time to grow an old friend.

John Leonard

Some Websites of Interest

West Parish Church, West Barnstable, MA: www.westparish.org

Lothrop Family Foundation: www.Lothropp.org

Barnstable Unitarian Church: www.barnstableuu.org

Sturgis Library Barnstable, MA: www.sturgislibrary.org

First Parish Church, Scituate, MA: www.firstparishchurch.org

Lothrop Genealogy Blog Spot: <http://lathroptgenealogy.blogspot.com>

Reunion 2009 Enrollment Sheet

About me/us:

Name: _____ Spouse/SO: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Your E-mail address, (please print neatly) _____

Names & Ages of Children (under 18) in your group: _____

I/We are staying at the Ft. William Henry Inn. **Yes / No.** If No. We are at: _____Current dues paid: Lothrop Family Foundation **Yes / No.**I am adding \$20 to my check to bring my dues up to date: **Yes / No.** \$ _____

(Note: Only one membership is required per family)

Reunion Registration Fee, Members: # Adults _____ @ \$ **50.** _____ ea. \$ _____Non-Members: # Adults _____ @ \$ **60.** _____ ea. \$ _____

(Note: One membership in your group covers everybody in your group; but each adult must pay a registration fee.)

The Schedule:**Thursday, July 23:** Arrive, sign-in at Fort William Henry Inn

6:00 PM Meet & Greet at Ft. William Henry Inn, with hors d'oeuvres and Cash Bar

9:00 PM Gather for fireworks over Lake George

Friday, July 23:8:30 AM Bus Tour: Includes all admissions: # Riders _____ @ \$ **45.** _____ ea. \$ _____#Box Lunches _____ @ \$ **10.** _____ ea. \$ _____

5 PM Return to the hotel

Friday Evening: Visit Lake George Village, Dinner at your choice of restaurants

Saturday, July 23:

Saturday: Daytime, relax, shop, tour the area.

6:00 Dinner and Speaker # Adults: _____ @ \$ **29.** _____ ea. \$ _____# Children: _____ @ \$ **14.** _____ ea. \$ _____**Sunday, July 23:**8:30 AM Breakfast Meeting # Adults: _____ @ \$ **13.** _____ ea. \$ _____# Children: _____ @ \$ **9.** _____ ea. \$ _____

(Note: there is no charge for the Breakfast if you are a guest of the Ft. William Henry Inn.)

TOTAL REMITTANCE \$ _____

Please complete this form and return it with your check payable to the:

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Questions? Contact Don at DRLATH375@aol.com or 513-677-8367

See 2009 Reunion Information Inside!!

Driving to the Reunion?

From the East: I-90 West through Albany to 87 North, about 65 miles to Lake George

From Albany Airport is just over 2 miles to I-87. All car rental agencies have maps & directions. North to Lake George.

From the South: I-87 north through Albany and North to Lake George.

From the Northwest, I-90 to I-87 N. to Lake George

From the Southwest, I-88 to I-90 to I-87 N. to Lake George.



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