

Descendants of Johann Ludwig Strackbein

Generation 1

1. **JOHANN LUDWIG¹ STRACKBEIN** was born on March 18, 1836 in Wunderhausen. He died on October 14, 1919 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). He married Maria Elisabeth Homrighausen, daughter of Johann Franz Homrighausen and Anna Elisabeth Riedesel, on June 09, 1868 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on June 25, 1847 in Crawford County, Ohio. She died on November 17, 1933 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Johann Ludwig Strackbein:

Known as Louis. Came to the U. S. in from Hutheschäfers Haus in Wunderhausen. Arrived October 25, 1854 in New Orleans on the ship "Auguste" out of Bremen. Lived first in Kansas and then at Red Bud, Illinois. He enlisted in the 7th Illinois Cavalry on August 27, 1861 at Red Bud. The enlistment record describes him as being 5' 11" tall with brown eyes and a dark complexion. He was captured at Coldwater, Mississippi on November 3, 1863, and held at the infamous Andersonville prison. He survived and was mustered out April 21, 1865. Moved to the Wheatland area in 1865 where he farmed until about 1910. He and Maria owned several lots in Wheatland as well as farmland. The main farm was in Section 34 of the Spring Rock Township.

Notes for Maria Elisabeth Homrighausen:

I think she is the same child called Elizabeth in the 1850 Census in Ohio.

Johann Ludwig Strackbein and Maria Elisabeth Homrighausen had the following children:

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 - i. **ELISABETH ANN² STRACKBEIN** was born on March 09, 1870 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. She died on July 11, 1905 in Prosser, Benton, Washington. She married Frederick Earle Knowles, son of Stephen A. Nowels and Amelia Daisey Dorr, on November 18, 1891 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on September 18, 1869 in De Witt, Clinton, Iowa. He died on May 17, 1940 in Yakima, Yakima, Washington.
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 - ii. **JOHN CONRAD STRACKBEIN** was born on November 09, 1872 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on December 25, 1968 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married Luise Riedesel, daughter of Johann Georg Riedesel and Katherine Riedesel, on December 05, 1905 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on July 17, 1881 in Wunderhausen. She died on December 12, 1937 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.
 - iii. **LOUISA STRACKBEIN** was born on July 17, 1874 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. She died on February 05, 1967 in Probably Colorado. She married Calvin Ulysses Conrad on July 07, 1915 in Yuma, Colorado, USA. He was born on May 01, 1868 in Iowa. He died on December 15, 1950.

Notes for Louisa Strackbein:

Living in Idalia, CO in 1919.

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 - iv. **GEORGE JOHN STRACKBEIN** was born on August 11, 1876 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on March 24, 1969. He married Hulda Odillie Lendt on December 16, 1903 in Spring Rock Township, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on April 07, 1878 in Wheatland. She died on February 03, 1967.

Notes for George John Strackbein:

They had no children.

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 - v. **LISSETTA CHRISTINE STRACKBEIN** was born on June 29, 1878 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. She died on September 23, 1914 in Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). She married William Bentrutt on July 29, 1896 in Toronto, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on May 12, 1871. He died on October 07, 1955 (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).
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 - vi. **LOUIS WILLIAM STRACKBEIN** was born on December 12, 1879 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on February 21, 1955 in Blue Grass, Scott, Iowa. He married (1) **EMMA RIEDESEL**, daughter of Johannes Riedesel and Florentine Mörchen, on March 01, 1916 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. She was born on October 20, 1877 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on January 12, 1929 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He married an unknown spouse on March 01, 1916 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa.

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6. vii. EMMA CAROLINE STRACKBEIN was born on January 20, 1882 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. She died on July 09, 1937 in Clarence, Cedar, Iowa, USA (Clarence Cemetery). She married Herbert Lendt on February 17, 1909 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on March 21, 1883. He died on December 08, 1954 (Clarence Cemetery).
7. viii. FRANK HENRY STRACKBEIN was born on October 24, 1883 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on May 14, 1974 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married Hermine Anna Elisabeth Riedesel, daughter of Johann Georg Riedesel and Katherine Riedesel, on April 28, 1909 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on December 02, 1885 in Wunderthausen. She died on July 23, 1952 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.
8. ix. ALBERT FRED STRACKBEIN was born on October 21, 1886 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on January 15, 1958 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married Emma C. Riedesel, daughter of Johann Georg Riedesel and Katherine Riedesel, on February 28, 1913 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on April 27, 1891 in Wunderthausen. She died on May 14, 1986 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.

Generation 2

2. **ELISABETH ANN² STRACKBEIN** (Johann Ludwig¹) was born on March 09, 1870 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. She died on July 11, 1905 in Prosser, Benton, Washington. She married Frederick Earle Knowles, son of Stephen A. Nowels and Amelia Daisey Dorr, on November 18, 1891 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on September 18, 1869 in De Witt, Clinton, Iowa. He died on May 17, 1940 in Yakima, Yakima, Washington.

Notes for Frederick Earle Knowles:

The family moved from Clinton County, Iowa to Whatcom County, Washington, some time between 1896 and 1898.

Frederick Earle Knowles and Elisabeth Ann Strackbein had the following children:

- i. CATHERINE ELISABETH³ KNOWLES was born on June 29, 1892 in De Witt, Clinton, Iowa. She died on July 09, 1988.
 - ii. JESSIE LAURETTA KNOWLES was born on June 20, 1893 in De Witt, Clinton, Iowa. She died in 1911.
 - iii. LOUIS EARL KNOWLES was born on October 07, 1894 in De Witt, Clinton, Iowa. He died on June 20, 1939.
 - iv. GEORGE EDMUND KNOWLES was born on February 18, 1896 in De Witt, Clinton, Iowa. He died on January 05, 1965 in Sunnyvale, Santa Clara, California.
 - v. CARRIE LOUISE KNOWLES was born on May 20, 1898 in Lynden, Whatcom, Washington. She died on March 23, 1996.
 - vi. OLIVE MARIA KNOWLES was born on July 30, 1899 in Lynden, Whatcom, Washington. She died on July 27, 1981 in Sumner, Pierce, Washington.
 - vii. VIVIAN RUBY KNOWLES was born on November 10, 1901 in Prosser, Benton, Washington. She died on July 02, 1946 in Tacoma, Pierce, Washington.
 - viii. CLARENCE EUGENE KNOWLES was born on February 23, 1904 in Prosser, Benton, Washington. He died on February 07, 1981 in Lebanon, Laclede, Missouri.
 - ix. ELIZABETH AMELIA KNOWLES was born on July 11, 1905 in Prosser, Benton, Washington. She died in November 1981 in Portland, Clackamas, Oregon.
3. **JOHN CONRAD² STRACKBEIN** (Johann Ludwig¹) was born on November 09, 1872 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on December 25, 1968 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married Luise Riedesel, daughter of Johann Georg Riedesel and Katherine Riedesel, on December 05, 1905 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on July 17, 1881 in Wunderthausen. She died on December 12, 1937 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.

Notes for John Conrad Strackbein:

Sometimes referred to as John Conrad, but family members say he had no given middle name.

Notes for Luise Riedesel:

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Preceded parents and other siblings to the U.S. She traveled on the ship Rhein out of Bremen and landed in Baltimore on June 24, 1903. Also on the ship was a 23-year old Georg Strackbein whom I have not been able to identify. I think he was a Wunderhausen cousin who came as an escort and to visit relatives before returning home.

Her older sister, Lisetta, had come the year before.

John Conrad Strackbein and Luise Riedesel had the following children:

- i. ERICH GEORGE LOUIS³ STRACKBEIN was born on April 24, 1907 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on February 26, 1971 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He married PAULINE HELEN WAGNER. She was born on April 12, 1916 in Bennett, Cedar, Iowa. She died on December 23, 2008 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.
- ii. LILLIAN STRACKBEIN was born on May 27, 1909 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on May 06, 1988 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). She married Ephraim Riedesel, son of Georg Ludwig Riedesel and Anna Elisabeth Wagner, on June 22, 1932 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on December 31, 1895 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on December 26, 1935 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Lillian Strackbein:

Her dates are suppositions based on Social Security Death Index record.

Notes for Ephraim Riedesel:

Served in World War I.

- iii. LOUISA STRACKBEIN was born on October 10, 1912 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on July 14, 1957 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She married Theodore A. Schneider, son of Phillip A. Schneider and Elisabeth Wagner, on June 14, 1933 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on November 08, 1904 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on February 15, 1981 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.
 - iv. RUTH STRACKBEIN was born on July 31, 1916 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died in 1967 in Scott County, Iowa.
4. **LISETTA CHRISTINE² STRACKBEIN** (Johann Ludwig¹) was born on June 29, 1878 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. She died on September 23, 1914 in Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland). She married William Bentrott on July 29, 1896 in Toronto, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on May 12, 1871. He died on October 07, 1955 (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

William Bentrott and Lisetta Christine Strackbein had the following children:

- i. EDWARD³ BENTROTT was born on January 22, 1897 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on November 03, 1980 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa.
 - ii. WILLIAM BENTROTT was born on January 04, 1899 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died in April 1975 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married ESTHER MARY IHNS. She was born on August 16, 1906. She died on January 06, 1991.
 - iii. GEORGE BENTROTT was born on February 18, 1904. He died in November 1979. He married Erna Geu on February 25, 1931 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on March 24, 1908. She died on November 19, 1986.
 - iv. EMMA BENTROTT was born on September 04, 1907. She died on April 18, 2000. She married (1) EARL HAROLD KRENZ on January 22, 1930 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He was born on July 05, 1909. He died on April 28, 1976. She married (2) ELWOOD LEROY REEDY on February 11, 1925 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He was born on October 29, 1903. He died on November 27, 1928.
 - v. LAWRENCE BENTROTT was born on April 12, 1912. He died on June 02, 1985.
5. **LOUIS WILLIAM² STRACKBEIN** (Johann Ludwig¹) was born on December 12, 1879 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on February 21, 1955 in Blue Grass, Scott, Iowa. He married (1) **EMMA RIEDESEL**, daughter of Johannes Riedesel and Florentine Mörchen, on March 01, 1916 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa. She was born on October 20, 1877 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on January 12, 1929 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He married an unknown spouse on March 01, 1916 in Tipton, Cedar, Iowa.

Generation 2 (cont.)

Louis William Strackbein and Emma Riedesel had the following child:

- i. SYLVAN C.³ RIEDESEL was born on June 20, 1908 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He died on May 29, 1973 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa (St. Paul's Cemetery, Wheatland).

Notes for Sylvan C. Riedesel:
Served in World War II.

6. **EMMA CAROLINE² STRACKBEIN** (Johann Ludwig¹) was born on January 20, 1882 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. She died on July 09, 1937 in Clarence, Cedar, Iowa, USA (Clarence Cemetery). She married Herbert Lendt on February 17, 1909 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on March 21, 1883. He died on December 08, 1954 (Clarence Cemetery).

Notes for Emma Caroline Strackbein:
Lived at Bennett, Iowa.

Herbert Lendt and Emma Caroline Strackbein had the following child:

- i. DELMER GEORGE³ LENDT was born on March 01, 1921 in Atalissa, Muscatine, Iowa. He died on February 14, 2006 in Arizona.

7. **FRANK HENRY² STRACKBEIN** (Johann Ludwig¹) was born on October 24, 1883 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on May 14, 1974 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married Hermine Anna Elisabeth Riedesel, daughter of Johann Georg Riedesel and Katherine Riedesel, on April 28, 1909 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on December 02, 1885 in Wunderthausen. She died on July 23, 1952 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.

Notes for Hermine Anna Elisabeth Riedesel:
Born in Weymers Haus, Wunderthausen. Came to America with the family on the ship Rhein out of Bremen, landing in New York on October 13, 1906.

Frank Henry Strackbein and Hermine Anna Elisabeth Riedesel had the following children:

- i. HILDA³ STRACKBEIN was born on September 06, 1910 in Spring Rock Township, Clinton, Iowa. She died on August 18, 2003 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. She married A. M. Klahn on December 02, 1931 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. He was born on February 03, 1908 in Liberty Township, Clinton, Iowa. He died on April 21, 1997 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.
- ii. HERMINE LISETTA STRACKBEIN was born on November 20, 1911 in Clinton County, Iowa, USA. She died on October 23, 1992 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa.

Notes for Hermine Lisetta Strackbein:
I have no record of what became of her after 1930 when she was living with her parents.

8. **ALBERT FRED² STRACKBEIN** (Johann Ludwig¹) was born on October 21, 1886 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on January 15, 1958 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He married Emma C. Riedesel, daughter of Johann Georg Riedesel and Katherine Riedesel, on February 28, 1913 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She was born on April 27, 1891 in Wunderthausen. She died on May 14, 1986 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.

Notes for Emma C. Riedesel:
Born in Weymers Haus, Wunderthausen. Came to America with the family on the ship Rhein out of Bremen, landing in New York on October 13, 1906.

Albert Fred Strackbein and Emma C. Riedesel had the following children:

- i. LEON³ STRACKBEIN was born on July 03, 1913 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. He died on June 29, 2001 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.
- ii. ETHEL STRACKBEIN was born on May 08, 1925 in Big Rock, Clinton, Iowa. She died on February 13, 2011 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.