

## THIS AND THAT from HERE AND THERE . . .

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### ***The Family's Newest Graduates***

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William Clark (left) and Nathan Towse (right)



Mark Collins (left) and Leanna Marshall (right)

*See more about our family's 2008 graduates, below*

## ***The Family's Newest Members***

**Late June was a good time for babies in our one huge family!**

Monday, 23 June 2008 saw the birth in Virginia of ***Abigail Sarah Robinson*** to **Michael and Kristen Muller Robinson**. This good news comes from Granddad **Sam Robinson** of New Hampshire. The new baby joins **older brother Sam**, who will turn three in a few weeks. Abigail is a seventh-generation descendant of Frederick Rohrer, Jr. and Catharina Truby Rohrer Marshall, through their daughter Betsy Rohrer Robinson of what is now Hovey Township, Armstrong County, Pennsylvania, her son Samuel Marshall Robinson, his son Charles Prosser Robinson, his son, the late Charles S. L. Robinson, and his son Samuel F. Robinson

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And the next day, Tuesday, 24 June 2008, **Mia Ann Mondok** was born in Raleigh, North Carolina. She is the first child of **David and Brenda Campisano Mondok**. The good news comes from her great-grandmother, **Eva Bradley Marshall Tataseo** of Hermitage, Pennsylvania. Mia is an eighth-generation descendant of John Marshall and Catharina Truby Rohrer Marshall, through their son John Marshall of Parker, Pennsylvania, his son William K. Marshall of Reynoldsville, Pennsylvania, his son Earl J. Marshall, his son Clifford W. Marshall, his son Twyde E. Marshall, his daughter, Connie [Marshall] Tataseo Mondok, and her son, David P. Mondok.

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***Welcome to this one, huge family, Abigail and Mia!***

**Note to Grandparents--send some pictures**



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***More graduation news*** from Lakeland, Florida! **Greg Collins** writes to share the news that his son **Mark Collins** (see photo above) graduated from Lake Gibson High School this spring. Mark will be attending the University of South Florida. He's the grandson of Gladys Himes Collins and the late Edward C. Collins. Gladys is a granddaughter of Jay E. Marshall (1892-1961) of DuBois, Pennsylvania. ***Congratulations and best wishes to Mark!*** [26 July 2008]

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My sister *Karen Marshall Hawk* and I spent a quiet morning, today, with my parents on their 65th Wedding Anniversary, at their home in West Kittanning, Pennsylvania. **Percy Marshall and Betty Shankle** were married on 25 July, 1943, in the First Brethren Church of West Kittanning. They reminded me that shortly after their wedding day, both the church building and the photographer's studio burned to the ground! For that reason, they have only one small wedding photo, coming out of the church. It was taken by one of my mother's friends. I'll post it, when Mom scouts about the house and finds it for me. Dad spent yesterday in Pittsburgh's Allegheny General Hospital having some heart-related tests. We're all thankful he was able to be home today. We'll celebrate this happy occasion with them at each of their family reunions this summer: at the Marshall Reunion on 09 August and at the Shankle Reunion on Labor Day. Thanks to all who have sent them greetings or who shall. [Email me](#) for their address! And [click here](#) for an anniversary photo tribute. [25 July 2008]

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**Graduation news** from proud grandma, **Dr. Sandra Marshall Clark** of Tucson concerning *two grandsons* who graduated from high school this spring: "News on **Nathan Towse**: He graduated from Mifflinburg High School with Honors, Mifflinburg, Pennsylvania, on June 4, 2008 and will go to Arizona State in Phoenix to pursue a degree in Entrepreneurship. News on **William Clark**. He graduated May 30, 2008 from The International School of Kuala Lumpur in Malaysia and will attend George Mason University in Virginia to study international politics and business." Nathan is the son of *Lynn Clark and Jim Towse*. William is the son of *Mark and Setyowati Clark*; Mark works for the State Department in the Far East, where William grew up.

**Leanna Marshall** of Lawrenceville, Georgia, also graduated this spring. She'll be attending nearby Gainesville College, where older brother **Josh Marshall** is also a student. Leanna is daughter of *Ted and Georgine Marshall*. [Click here](#) for photos of these high school grads (toward the bottom) -- but also take a gander at all these children and youth of our family: all members of this one huge family, all siblings or distant cousins of each other, and all of them, our hope for a better time and a better world. **Don't they make you proud?** [18 July 2008]

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*A pre-Fourth of July visit* with cousins **Sue and Dale Neubert** of Dormont, Pennsylvania (a suburb south of Pittsburgh) brought to light some additional treasures from the **Bailey and Cooper** lines of the family. When I was recovering from my recent surgery, Sue had emailed me about finding a box of photos which she and I had not explored on prior visits. Among them were early photographs of **Mary Ann Marshall Bailey** (1804-

1895) and her husband, **Elisha H. Bailey**. My best guess is that these pictures are *very early examples* of photography, dating perhaps to the 1840s. You can see them by [clicking here](#). In addition, we looked over a packet of letters from Spanish-American War soldier **Hope Bailey Cooper**, grandson of the Baileys. They were written to his mother and siblings and will prove a good read once they're transcribed for the larger family. Thanks to *Kimberly Marshall Santamaria* of Tampa and *Jennifer Marshall* of Columbia, South Carolina, for offering to work on that project. [Read a sample and see Hope's photo here](#).

A deep, sincere thanks to Sue--and by extension, to her late mother, **Sarah Cooper Avey**--for preserving these grand treasures for us all. Mrs. Avey's family history book, *My Pennsylvania Ancestors* (1987) has been quite helpful in tracking our family in and around Parker, Pennsylvania.

On a sadder note, I learned from Sue of the death of **Ed Chmiel**, husband of her cousin ***Ann Cooper McKee Chmiel***, on 07 June at their home in Barefoot Bay, Florida. [05 July 2008]

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*An email message* this evening from cousin Dick John relays the sad news of the death on Sunday, 15 June, of ***Richard (Dick) Beatty*** of Tipton, Indiana, after a long struggle with cancer. Dick is married to ***Cathy Marshall Beatty***, the daughter of Eddie and Ada Catherine Dunn Marshall of Altoona. Our prayers and sincere sympathies to our Beatty kin in this sad time. [Click here for more](#). [17 June 2008]

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*Sad news* from our Mohney cousins in California: ***Larry Larson*** (see below), husband of ***Barbara Mohney Larson***, died Sunday afternoon, June 1st. His brother-in-law ***Paul Mohney*** writes of this great sadness: "This is the price we pay for loving one another. Even if you have the certainty of an afterlife or the continuity of the ebb and flow of life, losing your best friend is still a heartbreak. Even if you are expecting death to be your constant companion, being left behind to have that hole in your heart is the hardest part of it all."

I'll post Larry's obituary when I receive it, as well as a photo of him and Barb from their visit to Pennsylvania last summer, at the webpage entitled [In Memoriam](#). [02 June 2008]

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*From our cousin, **Judith Ingram Tebbs** in Portland, Oregon, about the family website: "Just spent some time viewing the Marshall website. It is just incredible!! I still can't believe after more than a year that I am a part of such a large and interesting family and that I now have roots back so many generations. With family faces, and Bibles, and geography locations, and grave markers, and paper clippings, and reunions and visits to prove it!" Thanks, Judy! [01 June 2008]*



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