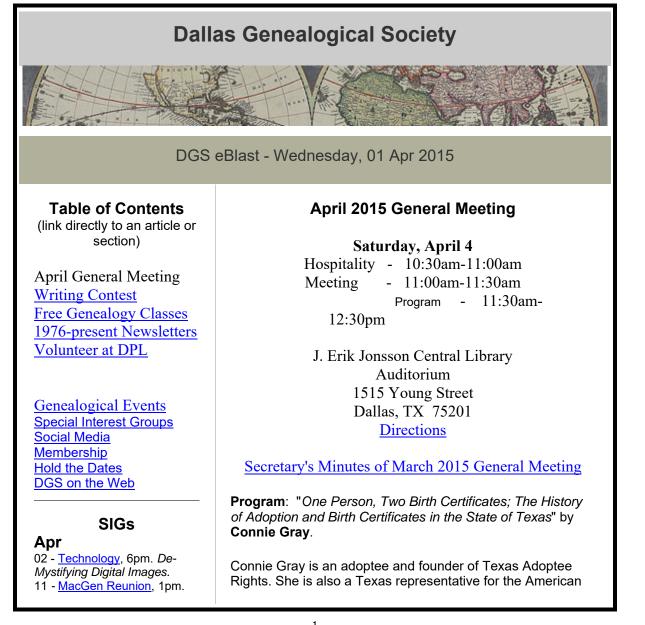
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Reunion mobile app, Day One app, Q&A. 15 - Jewish, 10am. 18 - African American, 2pm. 25 - Brown Bag, 10:30am. Family history writing. Return to Top



Membership

Ind. Membership - \$35 Household - \$40 Life (under 65) - \$700 Life (65+) - \$500 Organizational - \$35 <u>Return to Top</u>

Hold the Date

02 May - General
Meeting. Ancestors of
Mexican American
Leaders Who Helped
Shape Dallas. Susan P.
Vega.
07-08 Aug - Summer
Symposium. Researching In Texas.
05 Sep - General Meeting
03 Oct - General Meeting
24 Oct - Fall Lecture.
Michael Lacopo.
07 Nov - General Meeting
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DGS on the Web

DGS Blog

DGS FamilySearch Wiki

DGS sponsored Family Search Wiki for Dallas, Dallas, Texas Adoption Congress. Connie's primary focus is educating the general public and politicians on the history of adoption in Texas and working to ensure equal access to original birth certificates. A Realtor, she lives in Austin, Texas with her husband and close to her children and grandchildren. Please like the <u>Facebook</u> page "Support Texas Adoptee Rights."



Program Details

This is no April Fool's Joke Only One Month Remaining Entries accepted until April 30, 2015

2015 Writing Contest



The Dallas Genealogical Society is sponsoring its 2015 Writing Contest for original material submitted by members and non-members, hobbyists and professionals. Length of articles may be from 1500 to 5000 words. Only original material not previously published elsewhere in any format is eligible. Winners are eligible for publication in *Pegasus: Journal of the Dallas Genealogical Society*. In 2014, our journal was awarded First Place, Category VI (Official Periodicals of Partner Societies/Journals) by the Texas State Genealogical Society.

The contest is open for four months - don't wait to start writing your entry!

<u>Full press release</u> <u>Rules and Guidelines</u>

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The goal of the Dallas Genealogical Society shall be to educate, by creating, fostering, and maintaining interest in genealogy: to assist and support the genealogy section of the J. Erik Jonsson Central Library in Dallas, Texas, or to its legal successor; and to collect, preserve, copy, and index information relating to Dallas County and its early history.



Free Classes in April and May

Dallas Public Library System

Timberglen Branch Library 18505 Midway Road, Dallas, TX 75287

Generations: Every Family Has A Story

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Saturday, March 28th, 2 p.m. Genealogy: a Basic Overview Presented by David Fettke

Saturday, April 4th, 2 p.m. African-American Genealogy Presented by Ari Wilkins

Saturday, April 11th, 2 p.m. Advanced Tools for Researching Your Family History Presented by Lloyd Bockstruck

> Saturday, April 18, 2 p.m. Library Treasures Presented by Ari Wilkins

Friday, April 24th and Saturday April 25th Oral History Recording: sign up to record your family's story

> Saturday, May 2, 2 p.m. Family Book Scrapbooking

Registration required for all programs 214-671-1365 | timberglen@dallaslibrary.org

Program details on Timberglen's web site

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Society Newsletters 1976 - present now on DGS web site

Local History and Genealogical Society
A TEXAS NON-PROFIT CORPORATION Dallas, Texas
and the second
September 1976 Issue No. 2
Most of the newsletters created by DGS from September, 1976 to the present have been scanned and are now available to the public. View the collection on our <u>website</u> . Click the Resources tab on the home page, then Newsletter in the left column.
DGS needs your help to complete the collection. We are missing a few issues. If you own any of the issues listed below, please contact <u>webmaster@dallasgenealogy.org</u> to make arrangements to donate or scan them.
We will also gladly accept any of the original newsletters published by DGS from 1955 through 1976.
Missing Issues
1976:
· Issue 1 · Issue 4
1989:
 May/June - Volume 19, Number 3, Issue 160 1995:
 September - Volume 19, Number 5, Issue 162 October - Volume 18, Number 6, Issue 163
 1996: May - Volume 20 Number 5 Issue 169 September - Volume 21 Number 7 Issue 171 October - Volume 20 Number 8 Issue 172 1997: April – Issue 178
1999:
June - Volume 23, Number 6, Issue 200 2001:
· Issue 215
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2002:
. Volume 26, Number 7
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Volunteer Opportunities Dallas Public Library J. Erik Jonsson Central Library Genealogy Division
dallaspubliclibrary genealogy

A previous eBlast noted that the J. Erik Jonsson Central Library has expanded its hours and is now open 7 days a week and has evening hours until 8pm on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

This is great news for all family history researchers who use the 8th floor's extensive research collection. With these additional hours comes the need for more members to staff the DGS Volunteer Desk.

Patrick McKinney, DPL Genealogy Division staff member and DGS's Volunteer Co-ordinator, is asking for volunteers for the following shifts:

- Monday: 2-5pm
- Wednesday: 4-5pm
- Friday: 12-2pm, 2-4pm, 4-5pm
- Saturday: all slots need to be filled except the 2nd Saturday of each month....that slot 2-5pm is covered.

Please contact Patrick at 214-670-1433 or <u>email</u> him for details.

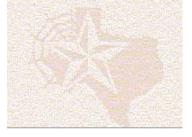
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Genealogical Events

02 Apr 2015 - <u>Grand Prairie Genealogical Society</u>. *Tax Records or Why did Scarlett Make a Dress of Her Mother's Drapes?* Kelvin Myers.



09 April 2015 - <u>Mesquite Historical and Genealogical</u> <u>Society</u>. *The Devil's Triangle of Northeast Texas and the Mercer Colony*. Carol Taylor.





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