

October 10, 1991

Dear Dr. Peoples,

Betty Springstead of Brookville, Florida gave me your name and address and asked that I give you her best regards when I write to you requesting a copy of your book "Peoples Since 1600 - 1962". I am hoping to discover that your book is about my family also.

I am a very A.M. Genealogist. Only discovered my connection to the Peoples / Pukles / Puples line just a year ago. I am still confused over the changes in name spelling. The family I have been researching was from Chatham County N.C. Before learning that my own Great Grandfather was Hugh Peoples, I knew that (through my family Bible) my Great Great Aunt, Francis (called Fanny) Francis had married a John Aaron Peoples & that they had children Lilly Hugh, Hugh Francis, Kate Francis. This is a line that I have tried very hard, without success, to find living descendants. I know Hugh Peoples Perry (Lilly Hugh's grandson) lived in Sanford but he seems to know very little about the Peoples family and has not been able to help me. Maybe you will be able to help me. I found Hugh Francis Peoples' grave in the Pine Baptist Cemetery just northeast of Goldston in Chatham Co. N.C.. He was married to a Lucy Justice.

I am most anxious to hear from you and hope that you have available copies of your book. I'm enclosing a check for \$23.00 which should cover costs according to Betty.

If you are interested I will be happy to mail you complete copies of my family data to date. My brother, who is an Episcopal Priest is most interested in learning about the religious background of this family. He wonders if it was Jewish. I notice that you also are a Rev..

My very best to you. Hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,  
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MY RESEARCH DATA TO DATE: OCT. 1991

RE: PEOPLES / PEEBLES / PEEPLES

HUGH PEOPLES / PEEBLES B. CIRCA 1748  
WED D 12 OCT. 1799

ABIGAIL B.  
D. 18 FEB. 1812

CHILDREN WILLIAM  
JOHN  
ANNE  
ABIGAIL  
JEHU

1769-1848 RUTH WED WILLIAM GUTHRIE JR.

CHILDREN JAMES CLAIBORN  
WILLIAM P.  
GERMAN BENJAMIN

1814-1881 HUGH BLAIR GUTHRIE WED ① MARGARET JANE ANDERSON  
② JANE CAVE

CHILDREN ①  
WILLIAM ANDERSON  
HENRY CLAY  
WINFIELD SCOTT  
WALTER HUGH

1852-1938 DELLA ANN WED RICHARD OLMSTEAD FRASIER

CHILDREN WILLIAM GUTHRIE FRASIER WED MINNIE KRONHEIMER  
CHILDREN WILLIAM GUTHRIE JR.

1909-1984 ROSE KRONHEIMER WED PHILLIP LANGSTON THOMAS

CHILDREN PHILLIP LANGSTON JR.  
WILLAMENA FRASIER

1941 - JANE LILLIAN WED CHARLES LACY HEDGEPEETH  
↓  
EDWARD RAGLAND

CHILDREN DEBRA JANE  
PHILLIP CHARLES  
WILLIAM HERRELL  
CHRISTINE FRASIER