

DIANE HENRIKS

Know Who Wears the Genes in Your Family

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Genealogy Services

Offering services in family history and genealogy research; my "Uncovered Roots Method" DNA research; heir search and non-legal living people search; and volunteer genealogy lost and found search, with a specialty in descendancy; brick wall; and unknown parentage research, or learn how to do your own genealogy with family history and genealogy coaching and workshops

Begin your family history journey, uncover your genealogical roots, find your relatives, or learn how to do your own genealogy now!



Family History and Genealogy Research

Specializing in Descendancy and Brick Wall Research

Find out about your ancestral roots and where you came from, solve a family mystery or brick wall, develop a sense of connection to those that came before, or connect with other relatives! Begin your journey now and see what you might discover about your family history to preserve for future generations to come!

I offer genealogical research that can be as simple as filling out a family tree or pedigree chart of your direct line ancestors, to finding all of the descendants in one of your direct lines. My specialization of finding descendants in family trees benefits in being able to break down brick walls in your family tree research, find relatives you never knew about, locate living relatives for DNA testing, find or return family heirlooms, find out more about your medical genealogy, find living relatives to connect with, and so much more!

[Learn more](#)



"Uncovered Roots Method" DNA Research

Traditional Genealogy + DNA + Descendancy Research

Uncover your genealogical roots through DNA to feel more connected, get a better sense of who you are and where you came from, finally have some closure, solve a family mystery, or make sense of all those DNA matches!

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I offer my genetic genealogical research method that can help you uncover your roots, if you've done your DNA with Ancestry.com. This DNA research method of grouping your DNA matches, and mapping them out according to their centimorgans, along with my specialty of finding descendants and living people in your family tree, enables a family tree to be built by combining the three, to create a "DNA match tree". This step-by-step process helps to narrow your roots down to a particular line of an unknown biological relative or find a known long lost relative.

[Learn more](#)



Heir Search

Legal and Non-Legal Living People Search

Using advanced deductive reasoning and logical constructs to thoroughly investigate a case, with a specialty in finding living descendants in family trees, Know Who Wears the Genes in Your Family has worked closely with private investigators to find living people, whether it be for an unclaimed estate or for a criminal investigation, and has done living people search for non-legal matters as well, such as finding living descendants to pass on family heirlooms, to tracking down a long lost relative, by combining traditional genealogy research with descendancy research and living people search.

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Volunteer Genealogy Lost and Found Search

Whether it be to find a long lost relative or to return heirlooms to a living descendant, Know Who Wears the Genes in Your Family offers volunteer genealogy lost and found search for specialty cases. This volunteer genealogy research service is offered one case at a time, on a first come first serve basis.

[Learn more](#)



Family History and Genealogy Coaching

Personal Walk-through Coaching

Are you in the process of doing YOUR OWN GENEALOGY RESEARCH to find your ancestral roots and where you came from; solve a family mystery or genealogy brick wall; develop a sense of connection to those that came before; connect with other relatives; or make sense of all of those DNA matches, but you need a little help along the way?

Start your journey with your own personal, one-on-one genealogy coach now, and begin your family history to preserve for future generations!

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Family History and Genealogy Workshops

Small Group Walk-through Lessons

Are you more interested in doing YOUR OWN GENEALOGY RESEARCH to find out about your ancestral roots and where you came from, solve a family mystery or genealogy brick wall, develop a sense of connection to those that came before, connect with other relatives, or make sense of all of those DNA matches?

Begin your journey with these small group, genealogical research workshops now, and see what you might learn while working on your own family history!

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About the Founder

Diane Henriks, the Descendant Detective and founder of Know Who Wears the Genes in Your Family, is a professional genealogist; investigator; speaker; and author, specializing in finding descendants in family trees; brick wall research; living people search; and unknown parentage. She has worked closely with private investigators to find living people, while also assisting in background investigations, in both civil and criminal cases. She is a proud member of the Association of Professional Genealogists, the Genealogical Speakers Guild, the International Society of Genetic Genealogy, the Southern California Genealogical Society, and various genealogical interest groups. What started out as a small hobby over a decade ago, when a hand drawn family tree chart was given to her by her father, has since become a great obsession! She now helps others journey through their family histories and/or locate missing pieces through Know Who Wears the Genes in Your Family, while stressing the importance of preserving family history for future generations and trying to get all involved in their own family history. Family history isn't just genealogy; it's about connecting your past, present and future, to give you a sense of who you are, while carrying on the memory of those that came before.



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