



# Teter - Teator Tree

Autumn 2018

Newsletter #41

Happy mid-November, Teator/Teter Family,

Teter/Teator Reunion 2018 has come and gone, now an almost sepia-toned memory.

A humid day, in the mid-80s by early afternoon, greeted the almost 40 who attended the fourteenth Teator/Teter Reunion.

I find it satisfying to write the Reunion accounts, and the 2018 version adds another chapter. Renewing acquaintances since the last Reunion, or the one before that, or longer, as the case may be, is an event to anticipate.

If my math and photos were accurate, I

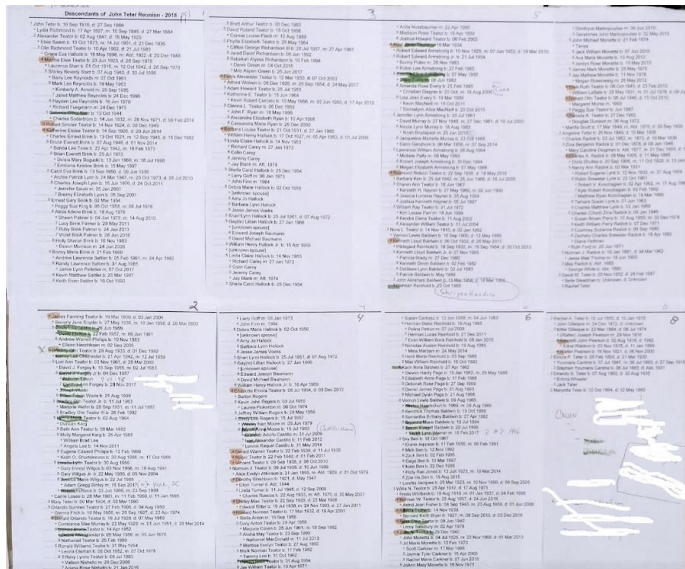
counted the following members of each line:

- Olin – 15
- Nora – 7
- Orlando – 7
- Norman – 4
- Willis – 3
- Calvin – 3

First-time attendees included: David's wife Autumn Forgey and daughter Cynthia-Ann, and there were one or two I had not seen in nearly a decade. Whether it is a frequent crossing of paths or less regular, I find it rewarding to see all of you.

And it is a time to catch up on news on others, even if second-hand.





Deb and I arrived about 11 a.m. to set up – moved tables, used our power blower to clean up, checked about the bathrooms being open (a thank you to Wes & Cindy who had a key when the Plan A did not happen), started the food table, spread out photos, set up the family tree (a 2' x 2' presentation), welcomed the first arrivals (Lynne, then Darren), set up the grill, and welcomed anyone who claimed to be Teator/Teter clan!

By the time the dust settled, about 40 had signed in (coloring one's spot on the tree) and we made re-acquaintances.

Conspicuous by its absence was the nationally known Grey Fox festival which was scheduled for the weekend after us, a result of the timing of the weekend dates.

**The category winners:**

- Living the closest, and attending: again, Loretta and Robert Kudlack, who scared us for a while. We were prepared to have to really measure fractions of a mile for the next contenders.
- Coming the farthest: the Page family-Indiana & Utah; Kristi and children Lorelei & Ivan-Florida; Jess Binley-South Carolina.
- Most recent parents: David & Autumn Forgey
- Most recent grandparents: Wes & Cindy (Rogers) Moore
- Most recently married: Jess (Wilgus) Binley (2017)
- Longest married: Charlene and Wayne Teter – 55 is coming up; Congratulations. Almost in contention were Deb & Don Teator, with 42
- Youngest: Cynthia-Ann Forgey (8 months)
- Oldest female: three winners: John's line: Congratulations again, Janet Armstrong; Calvin's line: Barbara Teter; non-blood line: Nancy Labarbera
- Oldest male: three winners, same as last reunion: John's line: Don Teator; Calvin's line: Wayne Teter; non-blood line: Gene Every

We noted with a moment of silence those who passed on since last reunion:

- Althea Teator
- Bud Bryer

Farewell, friends. And I especially note Aunt Althea's passing for the memories of the times when the two brothers' (Donald O and Ferris) families would visit when I was younger.

Looking ahead to 2020, I anticipate the same setting on the third Sunday of July. If there is a better idea and you would like to share it, I am open to the idea. Brandow Park has been a convenient place during our twenty-six years, even if we contend with Mother Nature, at times.

**Newsletter: Email vs Mail**

I have already emailed out copies of this newsletter to those people who have email. If you have an email address and would like to receive the newsletter that way, email me at [dteator@gmail.com](mailto:dteator@gmail.com). The one noticeable difference is the email allows for color.

And if there are family members who have email, especially younger ones who usually do not receive this by mail, let me know and I will email them this newsletter.

Enclosed in this mailing is a print of the entire group. And for those attending, an attached photo of your line (Olin, Orlando, Nora, Norman, Willis, and Calvin). Otherwise, the email recipients get a copy of all lines.

**Vitals:**

- Births – none that I know of
- Deaths – Bud Bryer (obit included in newsletter)

**Obit: Bud Bryer**

Bryer, Bernard Keith  
WEST MELBOURNE, Fla.  
Bernard Keith Bryer, 89, of West Melbourne, passed away on December 2, 2016, at Vitas Hospice in Merritt Island, Fla. "Bud" was a veteran, serving in the Army Air Force during World War II. He served in Guam and Manila. After the service, Bud started and operated Apex Printing for many years. He was active as a musician and played the saxophone with the Yankee Doodle Band and his own band, the Bud Bryer Big Band. He leaves behind his loving wife, Alfreda; a son, Ronald Bryer, New Jersey; and a daughter, Eileen Carey of Florida. His ashes will be interred in the Gerald B.H. Solomon Saratoga National Cemetery at a future date.

- Marriages: Randy Lawrence Sattler and Jamie Lynn Pelletier were married on October 7th, 2017 at Windham Mountain Resort

If there are any events that have not been mentioned in any newsletter, please let me know so I can update.

The next newsletter may try to catch up on the Susan Teter Weaver line. And recent research has established a connection between Elisha and William Teter into the big Teator/Teter/Tator/Dater family. Since many of that line is local, I will make that a topic in the next newsletter.

**Family Tree Copy**

I have made a Microsoft Word copy of the family tree of John Teter and his descendants (similar to the one at the Reunion, and in the photo I have included), with dates of vital records included. Anyone wanting it, let me know. The one condition you agree to is to not make public any information of those of us still living.

Here's to a safe, healthy, and enjoyable holiday season. Happy Thanksgiving, Merry Christmas, and Happy New Year.

Take care,



Olin's line



Nora's line  
including Shriyan Kandula



Norman's line



Willis's line



Orlando's line



Calvin's line