

Edmund Rice (1638) Association Newsletter

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The Edmund Rice Association publishes the newsletter four times a year: 1) Winter 2) Spring 3) Summer 4) Fall. The summer newsletter is devoted to the annual September Reunion and includes a description of the program and registration information. The other three newsletters include information of more general interest to our members.

We invite all cousins to submit their genealogical information, newsletter corrections, items of interest, family articles and pictures, obituaries and queries.

Send them to the newsletter editor: at editor@edmund-rice.org

President's Column

Greetings, cousins!

The Europeans have imposed a large headache on people all over the world engaged in genetic genealogy. The "General Data Protection Regulation" (GDPR) promulgated by the European Union took effect on May 25 and immediately made difficulties for everyone running DNA projects like the two sponsored by ERA. The basic presumption until now has been that anyone who joins such a project is, in so doing, giving permission for the project to treat the DNA data in question the same way as all previous DNA data in the project. In other words, since we always display the test results anonymously on our web site, it should be obvious to new prospective members asking to join that they are asking to be treated the same way. However, the EU has decreed otherwise, and DNA test results are included in a vast category of "personal" data subject to many new rules under GDPR. The irony is that the data we use are not personal identifying data at all, but rather family identifying, which is why they are useful for genealogy in the first place.

Of course, GDPR technically applies only to EU citizens, and so none of this should matter to a project whose members are all non-EU, like our Colonial-Sudbury mtDNA project. However, even if we ejected all of the EU folks from our Y-DNA project, we would still be subject to the new rules for both projects because the enforcement has been delegated to the DNA testing companies, who have taken the new rules very seriously. Thus, for example, FTDNA has made a concerted effort to prevent us from downloading the DNA data (and even the names, kit numbers, and emails) of any new members who have not yet explicitly granted us that privilege. The only way to grant such permission is via a newly created mechanism that is not explained to the customers by the lab.

One major casualty of the new rules is the WorldFamilies network, which was responsible for hosting and administering hundreds of projects both large and small (by special arrangement with FTDNA). Compliance with GDPR was found to be prohibitively difficult, and so the network simply shut down on May 25.

On a lighter note, let me remind you that our annual reunion is coming up in September and is being held in a special place far from our usual locations: Salt Lake City! Read on for details about the reunion and registration.

John Chandler

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Send your articles, newsletter corrections, member news, your children or grandchildren's births, obituaries, family items of interest and any queries etc. to the newsletter editor:

email: editor@edmund-rice.org

Membership

The Edmund Rice (1638) Association, Inc. is governed by a Board of Directors, of at least five members, elected at the annual reunion and meeting, usually held on a weekend in September.

Descendants of Edmund Rice were holding reunions as early as 1851, but it was not until 1912 that the Association was formed and officers elected. Incorporation under Massachusetts law took place in 1934.

Membership is open to anyone who claims to be a lineal descendant of Edmund Rice. Rigorous proof is not required and many members have been able to ascertain their pedigree only after access to the books and files of other members. Spouses are also eligible for membership.

Annual dues, payable *September 1*, are:

Initial dues.....\$ 20.00

Renewals:

Under 80 years of age.....\$ 20.00

Age 80 and above.....\$ 10.00

Life membership.....\$300.00
(single payment)

Checks Payable to: EDMUND RICE (1638) ASSN., INC.

Membership Mailing Address:

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31 Billings Rd
No. Stonington, CT 06359

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membership@edmund-rice.org

Address Corrections:

The Post Office now forwards mail for 12 months if a member has submitted a forwarding address to the post office. The post office also returns the forwarding address to the association for a .75 fee. If a member has no forwarding address or 12 months forwarding has expired the post office returns the mail for a fee. Return postage and re-mailing postage costs the Association nearly \$1.75 per copy.

Your help with this is greatly appreciated.

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EDITOR'S COLUMN

Once again, I find myself acting as temporary interim editor of the newsletter. This time, the family crisis engulfing Susan Berger has surpassed all previous crises, to the extent that she has resigned, both as Editor and as Membership Chair. Many thanks to Susan for carrying these responsibilities for nine years! We have been fortunate enough to recruit a new Membership Chair (thanks to Kathy Bond for volunteering!), but the post of Editor remains unfilled.

Any member with a penchant for publishing should consider stepping forward. Not only will you be helping to carry out the mission of our Association, but you will also get first crack at reading the many interesting articles that come out in this publication, and you will even have the power (and the duty) to fix the spelling and grammar of the authors. Don't be bashful!

John Chandler

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EDMUND RICE (1638) ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

Published Winter, Spring, Summer and Fall by the Edmund Rice (1638) Association

The Edmund Rice (1638) Association 183 Prospect Hill Rd Harvard, MA 01451 was established in 1851 and incorporated in 1934 to encourage antiquarian, genealogical, and historical research concerning the ancestors and descendants of Edmund Rice who settled in Sudbury, Massachusetts in 1638, and to promote fellowship among its members and friends.

The Association is an educational, non-profit organization recognized under section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

ERA Database

Our computer database has been and will continue to be essential for DNA studies for Edmund Rice descendants and the descendants of other early Sudbury families. We need your continuing support. If you have not submitted your family line to us, why wait any longer? Have Questions? Contact our Historian at: gking5@cox.net

Nine-Generation Rice Database Available on CD

Your Board of Directors (BoD) agreed that we would offer the nine-generation report and database to our members (only). The BoD approved a charge of \$10 plus \$5 shipping and handling postpaid for a CD-ROM containing both documents. Please order from the Treasurer by sending a request for the CD-ROM, your name and mailing address and a check or money order for \$15 to:

**Michael Rice
201 Old Post Rd
Wakefield, RI 02879-3908**

The BoD placed three caveats on the distribution of these documents:

- 1) The information is copyrighted by the Edmund Rice (1638) Association and is restricted to the personal use of association members.
- 2) The CDs will be available only to Association members who agree to its terms of use.
- 3) The Association master database is an ongoing effort through September 2017. If you find any documentable errors, please let us know!

Memorial Gifts

Consider donating to the Edmund Rice Association in memory of a loved one

MEMBERS -- LOST

Mildred Rice Thomas W Rice Dr. A David B Woods

NEW MEMBERS

Ann Bull Christine Allen Cynthia Bouldin Kathleen Derickson
Marcia Fielder Jaime Hodges William Hull Korman King

MEMBERS MAKING ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS

John W Rice III	Carol Kosicki	Mark Gottfredson	Edna Woodbury
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Joan Schacht	Ellen Blanchard	Carol St John	Macy Courtney
Max C Rice	Philip M Rice		

IN CELEBRATION

**“HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU” – “HAPPY BIRTHDAY DEAR COUSINS”
WE HOPE YOU HAVE MANY MORE**

JULY

Elizabeth Stevens, Carlene Gnath, Thomas Ritchie, Colleen Rice, Marilyn Nee, Daphne Stevens, Vicki Meadows, Rodger R Rice, Joanne Rice, Jerald Rice, Douglas C Rice, LaRain Hudson, Linda S Waterkotte, Alice McCoy, Barbara Johnson, Peter S Meigs, George Six, Larry King, Virginia Rice Carothers, Richard Cochrane, Carl Fritsche, Lisa Quijano, John F Chandler, Joanne Guthrie, Dana B Cobb, Elizabeth Berry, Kimberlee Bryne, Dorothy J Wells, Max Rice, Sue Anne Park, Scott Rice, Robert L Maxey Sr, Fay Bennett, Robert Hook.

AUGUST

John Ward, James K Rice, Delilah C Moody, Tim L Sanford, Joyce A Walker, Robert R Rice, Lois A Hess, William J Rice, Katrina Schmidt, William R Wesen, Helen DePlonty, Judy Dailey, Dr Robert V Rice, Alda Kaye, Elizabeth Hicks, Lu Fischer, Judy H Atkinson, Beverly Pelkey, Jason D Adams, John Pannullo, Anita Cooper, Philip R Rice, Ellen Blanchard, John E Newton, Linwood M Erskine Jr, Peggy Ross.

SEPTEMBER

Alice E Wareham, Geraldine K Rice, Macy Courtney, Betty C Seacord, Robin Rice, Margaret Stehle, Betty J Gilmore, Clive Moon, Edmund Garno III, Deryk Berger, Jeffrey M Smythe, Roberta Gries, Sharon Krisko, Christopher Rice, Alice Pierce, Adolph Johnson, Elizabeth J Sander, John S Bates, Kathy Jenkel, Susan Berger, Patricia Young, Suzanne Kadiff, Carol Rice, David King, Nancy Colt, Lois A Kendall, Kathleen Farrell, A Iris Milne, Anne King, Arlene Wooten, David Anderson.

QUERY

From: Joan Schacht <jeschacht@gmail.com>

Sent: Tue, Jul 10, 2018 11:17 am

Subject: Rice DNA project

I am trying to find out if you have any DNA participants to connect to my line

My line is believed to be as follows.

Edmund

Thomas

Jonas 1673-1753

Jonas 1707-1793

Jonas 1732-1824

Joel 1752-1834

Zebina 1787-1873

Luther Otway 1810-1891

Madison 1836-1897

Garfield 1880-1959

Mary Rice Schmidt 1917-1952

Me

Anyone who is a 5th cousin or closer (i.e., descendant of Joel) and is interested in autosomal DNA testing, please get in touch.

**ERA Reunion Registration Form
September 28-30, 2018**

ATTENDEES:

Names: _____

Telephone Number (in case of emergency) (____) ____ - _____

Email for updated reunion information: _____

FRIDAY – FamilySearch Day – 1pm – Family History Center, Salt Lake City

Please pay in advance, \$35 covers Friday & Saturday meetings (Saturday Lunch included)

\$55 for non-ERA members (includes membership)

Yes attending # _____ Total for Reunion events \$ _____

Names: _____

FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER RESERVATION – Church Office Building 26th Floor Observation Deck

Dinner will be a choice of seasoned prime rib, bacon teriyaki chicken & citrus grilled salmon

Please pay in advance for dinner, \$30.00 per person

Yes attending # _____ # of Prime Rib _____ # of Chicken _____
of Salmon _____ # of Vegetarian _____

Total for Friday Dinner \$ _____

Names: _____

SATURDAY RESERVATION (See Friday for meeting cost)

Yes attending # _____

Names: _____

Total Amount included \$ _____ (Please attach a check with this form)

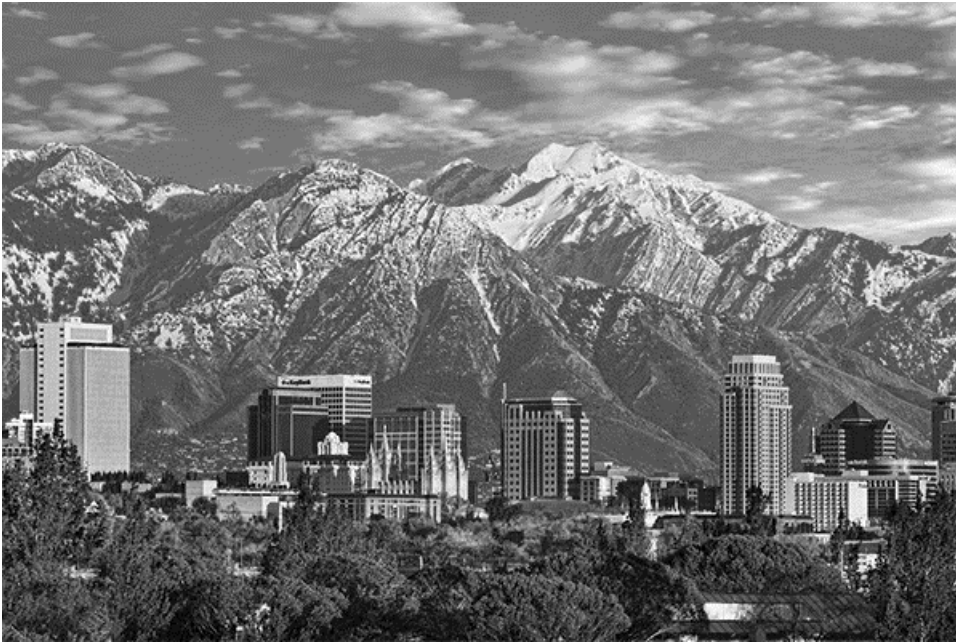
SUNDAY RESERVATION (VIP Seating for Mormon Tabernacle Choir) – Included in reunion and meeting

Yes attending # _____

Names: _____

Send this form with check payable to **Edmund Rice (1638) Association, Inc.** by 9/6/18

**Brian Rice
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**EDMUND RICE (1638) ASSOCIATION
FAMILY REUNION & ANNUAL MEETING
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH
9/28-30/18**

We are excited to hold our 2018 annual reunion at the Family History genealogy library, home to FamilySearch in Salt Lake City!

Cousins, this year there will be a change in the September air. The ERA will hold our annual reunion in Salt Lake City at the FamilySearch genealogy library! It will be held September 28th and 29th, with an optional special event Sunday morning the 30th.

The reunion will begin Friday afternoon led off by the Executive Director of FamilySearch, Bradley D. Foster, followed by FamilySearch talks and dinner. On Saturday morning, we will have a series of speakers talk about the Edmund Rice family and the Association. Following lunch and our keynote speaker, Brian K. Taylor, there will be various activities to choose from including: working in the FamilySearch library, touring Temple Square, or visiting many other venues in Salt Lake City. Saturday evening, we will gather for dinner and socializing, for those who wish to join us.

On Sunday morning we have an optional activity of attending the live radio broadcast of "Music and the Spoken Word". We have arranged seating where we will hear the world-famous Mormon Tabernacle Choir perform. This is the longest running radio broadcast on record since its inception on July 15, 1929.

Plan on attending the ERA annual reunion in Salt Lake City! Discover the FamilySearch genealogy library and enjoying the beautiful Rocky Mountains.

Friday (9/28)

Keynote - Bradley Foster
FamilySearch Discussions
Library Tours/Activities
Group Dinner

Saturday (9/29)

Opening Remarks
Introduction to ERA
Who is Edmund Rice?
Descendant Stories
ERA Presentations

Lunch

Rice – King Connection
Keynote Brian Taylor
Annual Meeting

Evening

Casual Cousin Cuisine

Sunday (optional)

Attend "Music and the Spoken Word" program

We have limited rooms at the Radisson Hotel - \$189/night
Reservation under Edmund Rice Association Reunion
(801) 531-7500

There are many other hotel options in the downtown Salt Lake Area

Questions? – Email us at web@edmund-rice.org

<http://www.edmund-rice.org>

EDMUND RICE (1638) ASSOCIATION

Family Reunion & Annual Meeting

September 28-30th, 2018

FamilySearch Library – Salt Lake City, UT

Everyone is welcome!
We'll be heading out west this year!
We have a great line up of
discussions and sessions.

Reunion Costs

Friday/Saturday Sessions - \$35

Saturday lunch included

(\$55 for non-members, includes membership)

Friday Dinner - \$30

The meeting will be held at the
FamilySearch Library

We have some rooms blocked at the
Radisson Downtown Salt Lake City
(ask for Edmund Rice Association)

There are many hotels in the area to
choose from.

Radisson Hotel

215 W. South Temple
Salt Lake City, UT 8410
801-531-7500

Registration cutoff: 9/6/18

Friday (9/28) Agenda

- 1:00 Introductions and kick off
- 1:15 Bradley D. Foster – Executive Director FamilySearch & cousin
- 2:30 FamilySearch curated discussion, workshops & activities
- 4:00 Open FamilySearch library time
- 5:30 Socializing & Dinner – Church Office Building 26th Floor Observation Deck

Saturday (9/29) Agenda

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| 8:30 Registration / Socializing / Display
Rice-King heirlooms | 12:00 Lunch – Plaza Hotel |
| 9:15 Welcome & Introduction to ERA | 1:30 Larry King – Kings of Kingdom talk |
| 10:00 Who is Edmund Rice | 2:00 Brian K. Taylor – Closing address |
| 10:45 ERA Presentation | 3:00 Annual Meeting |
| 11:15 ERA Presentation | 4:00 Meeting ends |
| 11:45 Group Picture | 5:00 Casual Cousin Cuisine (Optional
dinner groups) |

Sunday (9/30) Agenda

- 8:45a Mormon Tabernacle Choir Broadcast – Historical Tabernacle Building

Questions? Email us at web@edmund-rice.org

Rice Books Available

The Rice Family, by Andrew Henshaw Ward [**\$5**] 110 pages

Hard-cover reprint. New, unused. A genealogical history of descendants of Deacon Edmund Rice who came from Berkhamstead, England, and settled in Sudbury, Massachusetts, in 1638. 379 pages. Includes a soft-cover supplement (1967) containing additions and corrections.

The Rice Family, Supplement 2 (Part 1) [**\$7**] 224 pages

Supplement Number 2 (Part 1) to *The Rice Family*, compiled by Margaret S. Rice (1983). Hard-cover reprint. New, unused. Additional lines of descent through the first eight generations, which were unknown at the time of publication of *The Rice Family* and the 1967 supplement.

The Rice Family, Supplement 2 (Part 2) [**\$8**] 720 pages

Supplement Number 2 (Part 1) to *The Rice Family*, compiled by Margaret S. Rice (1985). Hard-cover reprint. New, unused. A continuation of *The Rice Family Supplement 2 (Part 1)* from the ninth generation to the present (1985).

Edmund Rice and His Family and We Sought the Wilderness [**\$5**] 357 pages

Two manuscripts in one binding. Hard-cover reprint. 1986. New, unused.

Edmund Rice and His Family, by Elsie Hawes Smith (1938) An historical narrative about the early days of the Rices. Contains much genealogical information, as well as being a charming story.

We Sought the Wilderness, by Rev. Clayton Rice (1949) An historical narrative based on those Rices who pushed Westward to the prairies after short stays in New Hampshire and Vermont.

A Genealogical Register of Edmund Rice Descendants [**\$15**] 1594 pages, published by the association in 1970. A continuation of A.H. Ward's *Rice Family* (1858) and the supplement to that book, bring it up to date at the time of publication.

This book is out of print but is available for purchase on CD - Association members only.

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More Books... by our cousins

Jane Rice – Bob Fogg and New Hampshire's Golden Age of Aviation, consists of 220 pages. The book tells the story in words and numerous pictures of Robert S. Fogg, the pioneer who brought aviation to New Hampshire, beginning in 1920. Thomas Emerson Proctor Rice, the author's grandfather, flew in France during World War I and from 1936 to 1938 was a partner in Fogg's Winnepesaukee Air Service. Those interested in aviation history, or the history of Lake Winnepesaukee, N.H. will enjoy the book. Jane would be glad to personalize with any desired inscription. Jane Rice can be reached at PO Box 5, Moultonborough, NH 03254. **Price is \$19.95. The book is available on Amazon.**

Robertta Gries - Anomalies – Pioneering Women in Petroleum Geology: 1917 – 2017 is a 405 page celebration of individual courage, tenacity, and professionalism as well as a timely reminder of our past, when male-dominated professions excluded women. The social structure outside this profession amplified the struggle for equality: the inability to vote, the dictate that women should not work outside the home when married, the pervasive practice of lower pay for equal work, the paucity of advancement opportunities, and the lack of recognition in companies and associations. The women described in *Anomalies* took the steppingstones necessary to gain respect and become leaders in their chosen field. They are celebrated herein. **Price is \$50.00 and available on Amazon.**

Alda Kaye - "Conversations with a Curator - Understanding and Caring for Aged Textiles and Clothing". The soft cover is \$15.95 and the hard cover is \$25.95. An e-book for \$9.99 is also available. An autographed copy can be purchased from the author at alkdsj@cox.net.



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Cousins,

PLEASE CHECK YOUR CARDS EXPIRATION DATE! The dues year is September 1st to September 1st each year. Dues rates are per person; there is no discount for a spouse or children. The Board of Directors voted to insert the "Additional Voluntary Contribution" line in an attempt to offset the erosion of our treasury due to the current low interest rates. Additional contributions are appreciated.

Annual dues are payable by September 1 st	\$ _____
Additional voluntary contribution	\$ _____
Total	\$ _____

The schedule of dues is as follows:

Under age 80	20.00
Age 80 and above	10.00
Life membership (in a single payment)	300.00

Membership Type: New ____ Renewal ____ Membership Info Update ____
Preferred Newsletter Delivery Method: Paper via US Mail ____ or Email ____

Phone Number (____) _____ - _____

Email address _____

Birthday (MM/DD/YYYY) _____

Added to ERA database for identification (kept confidential) and Birthday Wishes

Name _____

Due to duplicate first & last names: Please include First, Middle, "Maiden" Last, Suffix

Address _____

City/Town/Province _____

State _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country (if not USA) _____

You may send this form and pay your annual dues via PAYPAL - **OR** - by Check/Money Order made payable to Edmund Rice (1638) Association, Inc. Please send check/money order with this form to:

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