Rauschkolbs - Finding the Belleville Roots

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Introduction

As the ages pass, more and more families are separating and scattering across the United States. The same goes for the Rauschkolb family. You will find them living in Hawaii, Arizona, and Texas (to name a few places). This family wasn't always so scattered though. The Rauschkolb family presented here settled in Belleville, IL after reaching the United States from Germany. And in Belleville, IL is where you will find most of the five generations presented here, living and raising their families. This family line starts with Sandra Rauschkolb and traces back to her great great-grandfather Louis Rauschkolb. Although you will find mention of spouses here, this is her direct Rauschkolb ancestor line.

First Generation

1. Sandra Jean RAUSHCKOLB ^{1 2 3 4 5}, daughter of George Wilbert RAUSCHKOLB Sr. and Doris Helen BAIR, was born on 19 Apr. 1937 in Marissa, IL and died on 23 May 2008 in Springfield, Greene Co., MO. She was buried on 28 May 2008 in Lake View Memorial Gardens, Fairview Heights, St. Clair Co., IL. Sandra married Mr. EBLING ^{1 2 3 5 6} (living), son of Frank EBLING and Nancy CRAWFORD, on 29 Jan. 1960 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL. Three children were born to this union and later the couple adopted a fourth child. All are still living.

Sandra retired from Trailer Transit in Chesterton, IN after working many years in their accounting department. At the time of her death, she and her husband owned a KOA Kampground in MO. ¹

Second Generation (Parents)

2. George Wilbert RAUSCHKOLB Sr. 123789101112, son of Arthur Louis RAUSCHKOLB and Ethel Mae BEESE, was born on 7 Aug. 1915 in IL and died on 11 Apr. 1983 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL He was buried on 14 Apr. 1983 in Walnut Hill Cemetery, St. Clair Co., IL. George married Doris Helen BAIR 12313141516, daughter of Frank L. BAIR and Francis L. BROOKMAN, on 28 Sep. 1936 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL. Doris was born on 15 Oct. 1916 in WY and died 1 Aug. 1998 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL. She was also buried in Walnut Hill Cemetery, St. Clair Co., IL.

George lived in Belleville for most of his life. He was a retired driver for Fat's Express and a member of the Union Methodist church. George was also a United States Army World War II veteran. ³

The children of George and Doris are:

(1) Sandra Jean RAUSCHKOLB. Sandra married Mr. EBLING (living) on 29 Jan. 1960 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL.

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- ii. **Carol RAUSCHKOLB** ^{1 2 3 5 17} was born on 21 Jul. 1939 and died on 16 Feb. 2002. Carol married **Mr. JACOBSEN** (living status unknown).
- iii. Wayne RAUSCHKOLB ^{1 2 3 18} was born on 9 Jan. 1941 and died on 10 Apr. 2005.
- iv. **Mary Jo RAUSCHKOLB** ^{1 2 3 19} was born on 26 Jan. 1942 and died on 22 Feb. 2004. Mary married **Mr. MACKEY** (living status unknown).
- v. Mr. RAUSCHKOLB ^{1 2 3 16} (living) was born in 1946.

Third Generation (Grandparents)

3. Arthur Louis RAUSCHKOLB ^{3 7 8 9 11 20 21 22}, son of George RAUSCHKOLB and Pauline HARTNAGEL, was born 2 Oct. 1884 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL and died on 9 Apr. 1947 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL. He was buried in Walnut Hill Cemetery, St. Clair Co., IL. Arthur married Ethel Mae BEESE ^{3 7 8 9 15 20}, daughter of John BEESE and Mary SMITH, on 25 Dec. 1906 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL. Ethel was born on 25 Feb. 1887 in IL and died on 18 Feb. 1942 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL. She was also buried in Walnut Hill Cemetery, St. Clair Co., IL.

Arthur lived most of his life in Belleville and was very active in the community. He served as an automobile investigator, was a member of the Belleville Commercial Club, was superintendent of the First Methodist Sunday School, and was elected as one of four vice-presidents of the National Junior Chamber of Commerce (1920). One of his excursions included traveling by train throughout the Eighth Federal Reserve District during the Victory Loan Campaign. On 15 Aug. 1917 Arthur jointly opened the Belleville Candy and Specialty Company with Joseph Amos (also of Belleville). ²³ ²⁴ ²⁵ ²⁶ ²⁷ ²⁸

Ethel was active in the school and church community. She served as president of the Bunsen School Mother's Club and the Ladies' Aid of the First Methodist Church. She was also a member of the Parent-Teacher Association.

The children of Arthur and Ethel are:

- i. Melba May RAUSCHKOLB ²³⁷⁸⁹²⁰²⁹ was born on 17 Apr. 1907 in IL and died on 16 Jul. 1923. She married Lawrence "Bud" WILDY ³²⁹ about Sep. 1922.
- ii. **Georgina Lucille RAUSCHKOLB** ²³⁷⁸⁹¹¹²⁰³⁶ was born on 23 May 1909 in IL and died on 16 May 1992. She married **William "Bud" ASHTON** ³⁷⁸.
- iii. **Pearl Maurice RAUSCHKOLB** ²³⁷⁸⁹¹¹³⁰ was born on 27 Jan. 1911 in IL and died on 15 Apr. 1991. She first married **Mr. Maxwell** ⁷⁸ and then **Mr. Taylor** ³.
- iv. **Mary Ann RAUSCHKOLB** ^{2 3 7 8 9 11 31 32} was born on 24 Apr. 1913 in IL and died on 6 Apr. 1997 in St. Louis, MO. She first married **Joe MOCERI** ^{7 8 32} about 17 Sep. 1939 in Morse Mill, Jefferson Co., MO. Mary then married **Mr. NELSON** ³.
- v. (2) **George Wilbert RAUSCHKOLB**. George married **Doris Helen BAIR** on 28 Sep. 1936 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL.
- vi. **Arthur James RAUSCHKOLB** ²⁷⁸⁹¹¹³³ was born on 7 May 1917 in IL and died on 21 Dec. 1991. He married **Audrey HENDRICKS** ².
- vii. **Ethel Rose RAUSCHKOLB** ^{2 3 7 8 9 11 34} was born on 10 Apr. 1919 in IL and died on 5 Apr. 1982 in IL. She married **Kenneth DRESSEL** ^{2 3 7 8}.
- viii. Mr. RAUSCHKOLB ²⁷¹¹ (living) was born in 1920. He married Miss FURTADA ².
- ix. Miss RAUSCHKOLB ²³⁷⁸¹¹ (living) was born in 1923. She married Mr. O'Dell ²³⁸.

- x. **Charles Palmer RAUSCHKOLB** ^{2 7 8 11 35 36} was born on 20 Sep. 1924 and died on 17 Oct. 1992 in HI. He married **Barbara PRENTIS** ².
- xi. Miss RAUSCHKOLB ²³⁷⁸¹¹ (living) was born in 1928. She married Mr. ERWIN ²³.

Forth Generation (Great-Grandparents)

4. George RAUSCHKOLB ^{8 21 37 38 39 40 41 42}, son of Louis RAUSCHKOLB and Elizabeth VOISIN, was born in Jul. 1856 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL and died on 10 Jul. 1932. He was buried in Green Mount Cemetery, Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL. George married Pauline HARTNAGEL ^{8 21 38 39 41 43}, daughter of Fredrick HARTNAGEL and Anna Marie MUDER, on 27 May 1879 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL. Pauline was born in Jan. 1859 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL and died on 2 Dec. 1947 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL.

George attended Central Wesleyan College, a Methodist school in Warrenton, MO that is now closed. He was a member of various organizations in Belleville, where he lived most of his life. These organizations included the Belleville's Retail Merchants' Association (he served as president in 1902), the Board of Health, the St. Clair County Bible Society (he served as president in 1914), and during the war he was the local food administrator (1919). 44 45 46 47 48

Besides their daughter Louella, George and Pauline lost two other children in infancy before Frederick was born. 44

The children of George and Pauline are:

- i. **Louella RAUSCHKOLB** ^{38 49} was born about Apr. 1880 in MO and died in Aug. 1880 in St. Louis, MO. She was buried in Salem Cemetery, IL.
- ii. Frederick George RAUSCHKOLB ^{8 20 21 50 51 52} was born on 13 Jul. 1881 in St. Louis, MO and died in Apr. 1967 in IL. He married Emma E. GRUEN ^{20 51 53} about 1904.
- iii. (3) **Arthur Louis RAUSCHKOLB**. Arthur married **Ethel Mae BEESE** on 25 Dec. 1906 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL.
- iv. Laverna RAUSCHKOLB 8 21 39 41 was born in Mar. 1889 in IL and died after Apr. 1947.
- v. **Corneilia Elisabeth RAUSCHKOLB** ^{8 21 54 55} was born on 9 Oct. 1892 in IL and died after Apr. 1947.
- vi. **Erma Marie RAUSCHKOLB** ^{8 41 56 57} was born on 27 Oct. 1894 in IL and died after Apr. 1947.She married **Urban Justus BUSIEK** ^{8 56 58} on 5 Jul. 1920 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL.

Fifth Generation (Great Great-Grandparents)

5. Louis RAUSCHKOLB ³⁷ ⁵⁹ ⁶⁰ (parents unknown) was born about 1818 in Darmstadt, Germany and died on 25 Oct. 1863 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL. Louis married **Elizabeth VOISIN** ³⁷ ⁴² ⁶¹ (parents unknown). Elizabeth was born on 31 Jul. 1822 in Ruchheim, Rheinland-Pfalz, Germany and died after 1880.

Louis arrived in the United State sometime before 1847. There is a Louis found on the 1840 Census in St. Clair Co., IL. Listed on the census under his name are 2 males between 20 and 30 years of age and 1 female between 15 and 20 years of age.

A person fitting Elizabeth's description (age and so forth) is found as a passenger on the ship Henry IV, arriving on 16 Sep. 1836 in New York. After Louis' death Elizabeth married Frederick W. WOLPERT 62 on 29 May 1871 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL.

Children of Louis and Elizabeth are:

- Anna RAUSCHKOLB 37 63 was born about 1847 in IL. Anna married John C. BRANDT 63 on 7 Jan. 1866 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL.
- William RAUSCHKOLB 37 64 65 66 67 was born about Nov. 1848 in IL. And died on 16 ii. Nov. 1919. He was buried on 19 Nov. 1919 in Salem Cemetery, IL. William married Caroline (Carrie) MEIER ^{64 65 66 67} about 1870.
- Louis F. RAUSCHKOLB ^{37 42 68 69 70 71} was born on 5 Sep. 1849 in Belleville, St. Clair iii. Co., IL and died on 16 Jul. 1914 in St. Louis, MO. He was buried on 18 Jul. 1914 in Salem Cemetery, IL. Louis married **Minnie NAUMANN** ^{68 69} ^{71 72 73} on 28 Mar. (or May)
- iv.
- **Louisa RAUSCHKOLB** $^{37\ 42\ 74}$ was born on 11 Apr. 1852 in IL. **Otto W. Rauschkolb** $^{37\ 42\ 75\ 76\ 77\ 78}$ was born on 9 Mar. 1854 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL and died on 26 Feb. 1903 in Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL. He was buried on 1 Mar. 1903 in Green Mount Cemetery, Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL. Otto first married Lydia HUENE 7578 ⁷⁹ on 5 Feb. 1880 in Madison Co., IL. After her death he married **Emma HEINZELMANN** ^{76 78 80 81 82 83} on 20 Oct. 1887 in St. Clair Co., IL.
- (4) George RAUSCHKOLB George married Pauline HARTNAGEL on 27 May 1879 in vi. Belleville, St. Clair Co., IL.
- John RAUSCHKOLB 37 42 84 was born on 22 Feb. 1859 in IL and died on 25 Jun. 1930 in vii. St. Louis, MO. He was buried on 28 Jun. 1930 in Park Lawn Cemetery (MO or IL). John married Hattie C. ERD 85.
- Matilda RAUSCHKOLB 42 61 86 was born on 15 Jul. 1862 in IL. viii.

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² Personal knowledge of Mr. Rauschkolb, CA (Mr. Rauschkolb hand wrote this list, that includes names, dates, and current addresses for the Rauschkolb family, both living and deceased. This document was written between May 2003 and May 2008. Whereabouts of original copy is unknown. A photocopy is held in the private collection of Carrie Tuck.).

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