

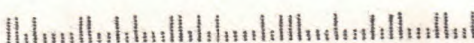


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Dear Lorraine,

Please send me the 39 compact "fiche" on the Frantz Families- Kith & Kin.

I am a descendant of Michael Frantz and my son found this information on your web site. I am new at this but have been working on our family tree for a couple of years with info my grandfather had collected over the years.

Enclosed find my check for \$50.00.

Thanking you,

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Dec. 30, 1998

Dear Donald & family

Excuse the informality of answering your letter -- on your letter. I'll make a photocopy and we will both know what the letter is in response to.

Sincere THANKS for your order for Frantz Families -- Kith & Kin. I wish I knew your lineage. Do you have e-mail? Send me a message with a brief outline of your descent from immigrant Michael Frantz. (I am from two sons of Michael II; Daniel and David.) My e-mail: Ledwards@Qnet.com

The fiche are a wise choice. You also receive over 300 pages of information not in FF-KK. Wills, deeds, etc., plus a number of stories about my experiences doing research on Frantz in the Old German Baptist Brethren (OGBB) communities.

Please consider sending me "additions and corrections" if you find that your family is only partially represented. I want to trace the descendants right down to the minute. The wedding(s) in early January 1999 and the new babies born in January 1999. You get the picture? I desire up-to-data data!!

You indicate that you are a descendant of Michael Frantz. There is a lot of confusion about a Michael Frantz in the immigrant Christian Frantz lineage and a Michael Frantz in the immigrant Michael Frantz lineage. If you are from the Christian Frantz lineage, you will find my documentation about who's who. If you are from the Christian Frantz lineage you will be disappointed because I don't have very many descendants. I am constantly contacting people in the Christian lineage begging them for details. No one in that family

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seems to be a fanatic (like me) on the subject. There is a group that meets annually -- descendants of Matthias Frantz -- grandson of Christian Frantz I, but their gathering sounds more social than research. (I haven't been there but I always send correspondence which they read out loud and nobody responds to!! A "cousin" graciously sent me a video of the event in 1997 so I "know" how they function.)

Well, Donald, I'll be anxious to hear from you with some idea of your reaction to Frantz Families -- Kith & Kin. It may take you longer to "skoot around" through the fiche than in the books but you don't have 21 pounds of books that take 9 inches of shelf space!! The information for each fiche is documented on the fiche and on the envelope so not just one endless succession of pages.

Very best wishes for a happy, health New Year -- and HAPPY RESEARCHING!!!!!!!!!!

Sincerely,

*Lorraine*

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