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“L’ESCAUDERIE”



The Jersey Tourist Information Centre has identified this property as the site of the L’Escaudé family residence.

“L’Escauderie” means “the place of the L’Escaudé family” in [Jèrriais](#), the French patois spoken by our Philip Le Cody as a child on the Isle of Jersey. The picture shows “Les Ormes”, built in the 1860s, which obscures the older buildings in back.

Other Codys have already made their pilgrimage here, the inset shows Hiram S. Cody 180/1711’s b&w photograph, reprinted from [Volume 1, #2 of our Review](#). However, that article omitted the property’s exact location and we were left without a clue. Now the Jersey Tourist Centre has honored the memory of Buffalo Bill’s local ancestry with this blue waymarker plaque and revived the search for our ancestral roots!

Searching willy-nilly led nowhere, but when Roy McCarthy’s April 4th [“Back on the Rock”](#) blog featured the plaque, we emailed him for directions and he responded with google maps co-ordinates that quickly led us to “L’Escauderie” on the Rue Grantez between the Rue de la Cour and the Ville Au Bas St. Ouen, [.3 miles northwest of St. Ouen Parish Church](#).

As you can see, the house shown in the black-and-white photo inset on the left, is the same as the one in the color photo. Yes, the trees are gone and a basketball hoop has been added near the stone cornerpost, but it’s definitely the same building.

[Streetview](#) shows a house with addition facing the street that the satellite view reveals as an annex to the larger natural stone building extending behind, visible to the left of the house.

Nowadays, this house is called “Les Ormes” (the Elms) and is estimated to have been constructed in the 1860s. The other buildings may be older and our Philippe would be familiar with the site with its surrounding fields and pastures.

[Satelliteview](#) shows the property as an isosceles triangle enclosing about 2 acres, bounded by the roads, Rue de Grantez, Ville Au Bas St. Ouen and an extension of the Rue de la Cour which are likely the old property lines. Further research into Jersey’s land records may reveal more of its history.

Reunion Postponed by the COVID-19 Pandemic!

by Allan Cody 148/3422, ICFA President

Surely by now, everyone has heard and been touched by the COVID-19 pandemic sweeping the world. Everyone has heard the sad news and wondered how this epic development will affect their lives.

We here at the ICFA, crossed our fingers and hoped for the best when the scare snowballed into a lockdown in the spring. We relaxed a little during the summer, content to meet our friends and relatives in the open air.

As we were saying a fond good-bye to the warm weather to try and return to our regular routines and normal life, the Reunion Committee met to discuss the proposed 2021 Reunion in LeClaire Iowa. Together with the Advisory Board, we debated the issue at the end of August and voted to postpone our proposed July 2021 Reunion to July of 2022 in LeClaire, with the same agenda.

We reasoned that the risks of travel and accommodations as well as the economic impact of the pandemic could discourage many of us from attending. Moreover, we were concerned that some of us, God forbid, might get sick as a result of their attendance. With no cure or even an effective therapy to prevent or combat such a potentially fatal threat, we believe you agree that postponement was our only choice.

However, this postponement delays our General Business Meeting and the accompanying Election of Officers for the next term. As a consequence, we've agreed that the existing Officers will retain their current positions until we can meet again to hold a General Business Meeting and Election as stipulated in our Bylaws.

It wasn't an easy decision to make because we love our biennial roundups, but as the conservatives say, "better be safe than sorry." We hope you all stay safe and sound and join us in LeClaire in 2022!

Buffalo Bill's 175th Birthday On-line Cake Contest



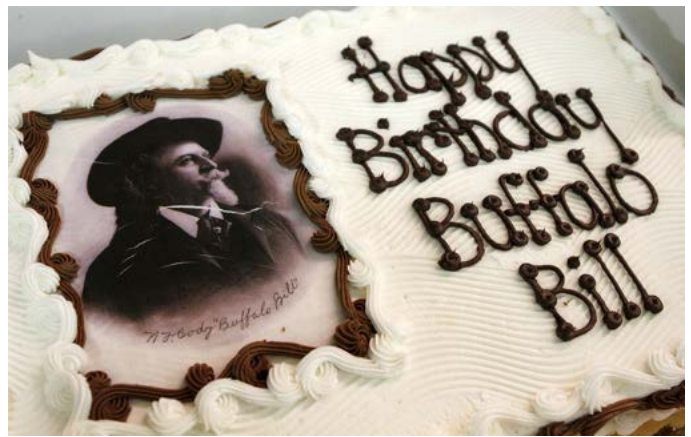
Here's a fantastic cake idea!

by Dwight Cody, 148/3423 ICFA Treasurer

I attended our August Reunion Committee meeting where we discussed the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on our proposed 2021 Reunion in LeClaire Iowa. I, for one, was saddened to take the decision to postpone our 2021 get-together, and had looked forward to visiting with my cousins, touring the Buffalo Bill homestead and museum and riding a real steamboat on the Mighty Mississippi. But, it was clear that the danger outweighed the pleasure and postponement was the right decision.

During that meeting, it occurred to Terry Cody that it might be fun to use the Zoom Web Conferencing technology to hold a 'virtual reunion' on-line. No expense or travel, just a basic laptop with an internet connection is all that's needed. With all the kids attending school on-line, the Reunion Committee agreed that Zoom is a familiar platform from which we could launch a 'virtual reunion'.

But what could be the focus of our gathering? Like most of you, I've attended some pretty boring Zoom meetings at work.



Or you could go with a more traditional design...

We've all seen the Progressive Auto Insurance ads where somebody is vacuuming in the background, or somebody else's nose is filling their video feed. Good advertising, but not really much fun. Several ideas came up, virtual tours, on-line multiplayer games, talent shows and expert presentations, just to name a few.

Then it came to me, why not hold a Cake Contest? We could all bake Buffalo Bill a little birthday cake and show them off to each other before sitting down to enjoy a nice dessert! We could even have a prize for the best-looking cake!

I could almost see the faces of my fellow committee members smiling through the telephone conference call. It wasn't more than a minute later that I found myself appointed Head Baker, empowered to set the date, establish rules, appoint judges and award a prize!

So watch for our January email announcement of this unusual event, to be held on a Sunday afternoon in late February!

10th Anniversary of the Official BBC Facebook Page!

by Kevin Cody 145/44332 VP & Social Media Director

On February 6, 2010, the official “Buffalo Bill Cody” Facebook page was launched. In the last Review I mentioned why we promote 2 Facebook pages. To recap, the simple answer is, one for the [Cody Family](#) and one for Buffalo Bill, the most famous and admired Cody of ’em all. The BBC Facebook page has and continues to play a very significant role and narrative from its conception to its ongoing evolution. This initial platform is very important and special to me because it became a springboard towards my fascination with my Great-Great-Grandfather and my passionate involvement with the ICFA.

Facebook started in 2004 but it didn’t become popular and widely used until the latter part of 2008. I joined and created [my personal Facebook page](#) on December 2nd, 2009 after several months of being urged to participate from other friends and family members.

Roughly a year later, I decided to create a historical icon (fan base) page for Buffalo Bill. I really just did this on a whim without putting too much thought into it, but after only a few months, to my surprise, it started generating a steady stream of interest and activity. As a result, I felt obligated to devote more time and energy into the page so I began the process of adding new captivating content including photos, videos and fun facts. My efforts quickly paid off and the page became

increasingly popular attracting viewers from all over the world in great numbers.

Having a platform to share interesting Buffalo Bill related content to an audience is wonderful, but the most exciting and rewarding experience is the engagement and interaction amongst users. Whether the dialog consists of a simple emoji reaction, public post, comment/feedback regarding an administrator or public post, sharing content with others or a more personal correspondence via Messenger, this varied and ongoing communication is both lively and abundant.

What I love and cherish the most are the unique and personal Buffalo Bill stories that individuals share with me. I’ve had the privilege to hear from countless fans sharing their affinity, admiration and appreciation for Buffalo Bill and all of his many accomplishments. I’ve heard from many people claiming that Buffalo Bill truly inspired greatness in them, transformed ideologies and even impacted career choices. I’ve also heard from many followers who share their generational folk tales and stories that had been passed down to them from their ancestors who spoke of their personal experience watching Buffalo Bill perform during one of his many Wild West Shows.

While my interest and affection for Buffalo Bill continued to grow, I was approached by past ICFA President, Suzanna Cody, after discovering my BBC Facebook page. She was



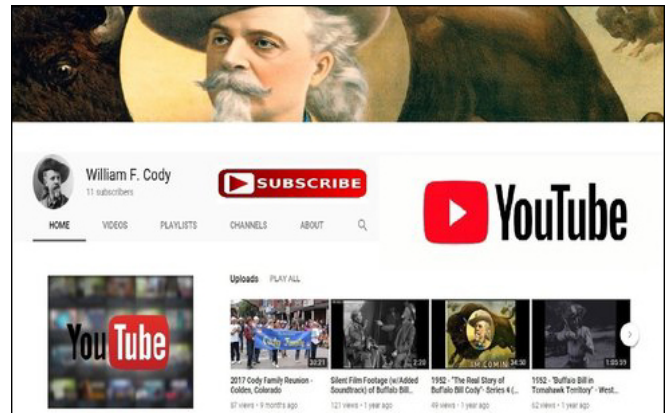
very impressed and asked if I would consider volunteering my time and expertise to build a Facebook page and presence for the ICFA. I enthusiastically agreed and was nominated in December 2012 and later appointed in March 2013 as the ICFA Social Media & Networking Director.

At that time, my father, Kit Cody, was serving as the ICFA Vice President after recently stepping down from his role as President. I was looking forward to working and collaborating with him as well as having the opportunity to follow in his footsteps. Unfortunately, he tragically passed away before we even got to convene for our first Board Meeting together. With a devastated, heavy heart, I chose to honor my father by not only moving forward by serving the ICFA, but also by taking on the daunting challenge of filling his shoes in his stead as a proud son and a true Cody with “Loyalty to Principle”.

About a month after my fathers’ passing, on March 17, 2013, the ICFA Facebook page was officially launched and ready to make its presence known to the rest of the social media community.

The following year in 2014, I took on a massive undertaking and started working on my plans for the [Buffalo Bill Legacy Gallery \(BBLG\)](#). As I continued preparing the website, on February 26, 2015 (BB’s Birthday), I started presenting a new Buffalo Bill related artifact every day on the BBC Facebook page.

On January 10, 2017 (BB’s Death), in tribute and remembrance, I proudly announced the opening of the new BBLG website. Shortly after, the ICFA Executive Board unanimously approved and welcomed the BBLG under its wings as an official committee. I had originally planned to stop posting daily artifacts on the launch date, but the BBLG was much larger than I had imagined and it continues to grow. To this day, I still post a new artifact every day and will do so



until there are no more.

While preparing to launch the BBLG, I created the [William F. Cody “Buffalo Bill” YouTube channel](#) to host all of my related video content on June 29th, 2016. I also continued to expand the ICFA’s Social Media presence and in April, 2015, I launched [the ICFA’s LinkedIn page](#). Later, that same year in August, I also launched [the ICFA’s Twitter page](#).

On July 29, 2017, I was elected as the ICFA Vice President & Reunion Committee Chair while still serving as the Social Media & Networking Director as well as the Founder and Chair of the BBLG Committee.

In the spring of 2019, I successfully encouraged my sister, Kellie Edwards, to start publishing the “Cody Kids Corner” for the *ICFA Review*. In this issue you will find her 4th installment. This was a major achievement because she was the last direct family member to serve the ICFA; as you may remember, my mother, Linda Cody, faithfully served alongside her husband for many years as the ICFA Secretary. I even got my son, Tyler, involved by offering his comments and thoughts to Aunt Kellie about each Cody Kids Corner.

I planned and hosted my first ICFA Reunion in Cody, Wyoming on July 1-4, 2019. I also planned and hosted my first ICFA Circle Reunion in Sarasota/Frostproof/Babson Park, Florida from February 28 to March 1. I’m currently working on our next ICFA Reunion to be held in LeClaire, Iowa in July 2022.

In addition, I have also authored numerous articles, such as this, for the *Review*. I mention all of these milestones in chronological order; not to seek praise and/or to boast upon my performance and endeavors, but to merely make the point of suggestion that none of this would have transpired had it not been for the BBC Facebook page that forged my innovative path of servitude over the past 10 years.

Exciting New Updates to the Buffalo Bill Legacy Gallery!

by Kevin Cody, Founder and Director of the BBLG

As we continue to post one new Buffalo Bill related item daily to the BuffaloBillLegacy.org website and BBC Facebook page, the BBLG now boasts over 2,100 published artifacts from the Cody Family Collection. 2020 was a very productive year as we introduced 6 new category collections for a total of 27. Next year we plan to bring that count to 30 with the addition of 3 more categories.

Shortly after the release of our June 2020 *Review*, we started working on a complete overhaul of our [Donation page](#) and we are now ready to unveil the details of the new “25 Star Leader Board” recognition system. We urge you to please check it out and support the BBLG by making a difference with a contribution (in your personal or business name/link) today!

Please keep in mind that you can always continue to work your way up the 25 Star Leader Board with future monetary and/or artifact contributions. Your name tag will also display your current “BBLG Donor Level Star” at future Cody Family and Friends Reunions and Circles that you attend.

DONATE MONEY [Make a Monetary \(Tax-Deductible\) Charitable Donation Now!](#) Your generosity is greatly appreciated! Your donation will help us continue to improve and expand our grand, ongoing vision of honoring the legacy of our beloved Colonel William Frederick Cody.

DONATE ARTIFACTS [Make an Artifact Donation Now! \(Not Tax-Deductible\).](#) Upon receipt of donated item(s), an appraised value will be assessed and your name and location will be added accordingly to our Leader Board of Donors so you will be forever recognized for your selfless contribution(s) to the BBLG. In addition, every artifact that you donate will be displayed with a photo and details for everyone to view and admire.

DONATE RESOURCES [Make a Resource Donation Now! \(Not Tax-Deductible\).](#) Whether you volunteer your time/expertise and/or endorse us with advertising/marketing, we need and value whatever resources you are willing to donate to the BBLG. All resource donors will be honored and recognized with a personal profile or business photo and website link along with details about their contribution(s).

The new 25 Star Leader Board is comprised of 5 groups, each containing 5 levels of contribution. The following photos are all shown with 5 internal blue stars (highest level for each group). Depending on your contribution level, your Donor Star may only show 1 to 4 stars.

We Apply 100% of your Monetary (Tax-Deductible) Charitable Donation(s) Towards Running and Maintaining the BBLG Into the Following 3 Categories: (1) Business Web Site Hosting and Domain Registrations, (2) Marketing & Advertising & (3) Protective Storage & Security for Artifacts.

Levels of Giving



DIAMOND

\$2,000 Legend (5 Star)
\$1,750 Visionary (4 Star)
\$1,500 Pioneer (3 Star)
\$1,250 Folk-Hero (2 Star)
\$1,000 Founder (1 Star):
Richard Grosenbaugh \$1,210

PLATINUM

\$900 Knights Templar (5 Star)
\$800 Colonel (4 Star)
\$700 Veteran (3 Star)
\$600 Showman (2 Star)
\$500 Developer (1 Star)

GOLD

\$400 Rancher (5 Star):
Linda Cody \$430
\$350 Homesteader (4 Star)
\$300 Scout (3 Star)
\$250 Trailblazer (2 Star)
\$200 Explorer (1 Star)

SILVER

\$175 Freemason (5 Star)
\$150 Soldier (4 Star)
\$125 Sharpshooter (3 Star):
Jim & Margaret Monahan \$130
\$100 Cowboy/girl (2 Star):
Bryan & Kellie Edwards
Larry & Alicia Benson
Chet & Dorothy Nagle
\$75 Prospector (1 Star):
Peter & Kathy Plautz

BRONZE

\$50 Equestrian (5 Star):
Ron Hills & Suzanna Cody
William Hagel & Jan Jahanban
\$40 Frontiersman (4 Star):
Dwight & Ina Cody
Thom Ross
\$30 Hunter (3 Star):
George Skene
\$20 Trapper (2 Star):
Allan Cody \$25
Stan & Joan Wolcott \$25
Roland & Nancy Spoon \$25
\$10 Plainsman (1 Star):
Gerald Smith
Traci Brooks \$15
Larry & Judy Schoch
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Let's not forget to thank our \$5 contributors; **Wayne Markle** (Middletown NY), **Amy Nelson** (Canmore AB), **Rita Nelson** (Wetaskiwin AB), **Terence Cody** (Cincinnati OH), **Janet Owens** (San Diego CA) & **Kary Hirschey** (Warsaw IN).

The BBLG Receives a Large Donation of Artifacts!



Richard Grosenbaugh 270/3421

A treasure-trove of Buffalo Bill memorabilia!

by Kevin Cody, 145/44332 Founder & Director of our BBLG Committee

We thank everyone so much for your monetary, artifact and resource contributions to the BBLG. We could not have made this unique, ICFA Committee such an overwhelming success without your past and continuing support. With deep gratitude and appreciation, we would like to express a very special ‘Thank You’ to our latest donor, Richard Grosenbaugh!

Last July, the BBLG received 3 banker’s boxes full of Buffalo Bill related items from Richard’s collection. He explains, *“When I discovered several years ago that Buffalo Bill Cody was a **distant cousin**, I started buying anything with his name on it. Soon I may be moving to an independent living situation and will not be able to take this material with me.”* Being familiar with the BBLG, Richard confidently entrusted us with his collection. He knows that everything will not only be securely stored and well preserved, but will also be digitally cataloged and displayed on-line for all to view and admire.

The Richard Grosenbaugh Collection contains these artifacts plus a few miscellaneous items that do not currently have an existing BBLG Category. These will be cataloged in the near future. Here’s a brief inventory of the collection:

- (55) Buffalo Bill (Auto) Biographies, Stories, Memoirs & Plays in Hard-Soft/Paper Back/Cover Books
- (5) Magazines, Journals, Comics & Other Periodical Issues/Publications
- (19) Printed, Postal/Postage Correspondence Postcards
- (5) Playing, Bicycle, Casino, Poker & Gaming Decks/Cards
- (2) Trading, Sports, Cinema, Trivia, Die-Cut & Picture/Photo/Photograph Cards
- (2) Wall Artworks, Posters/Paintings/Prints/Lithographs/Sketches & Lobby Cards
- (1) Novelty, Commemorative Coins, Medals, Medallions, Rounds, Chips & Tokens
- (1) Lapels, Brooches, Pinbacks, Buttons, Pendants, Ribbons, Badges & Bridles

Richard is our largest donor to date and appears at the very top of the new 25 Star Leader Board. He has rightfully earned this badge of honor and is now recognized as a “Founder” aka, BBLG Donor Level Star (21/25).

Richard Grosenbaugh is a Wooster, Ohio native who’s a descendant through his mother, Hazel May. He received a degree in journalism from Ohio University in 1959 and was employed as an Assistant News Director at KYTV that same year. He later moved to Springfield, Missouri where he was appointed News Director of Public Information in the Springfield Public School system in 1998. In 2007, Richard moved to Yuma, Arizona where he retired in 2015. He has recently decided to move into assisted living in Scottsdale, Arizona where he currently resides.

“Richard is a pioneer and an ‘old settler’ who contributed much to our Association between 2000 and 2006 with both the important, technological advance of our website and as Editor of our Review which helped lay the foundations of our current operations,” exclaimed current President, Allan Cody.

Richard was the first webmaster of our www.cody-family.org website as announced in our [July 2001 Review](#). In fact, his original design of the ICFA website can still be found on our site under LINKS > Site Archives. Richard also edited over 9 issues of our Review newsletter, from [February 2000](#) through [December 2005](#), a long-lasting endowment to the ICFA. We also fondly recollect him at our [2010 Tucson Reunion](#).

Thanks again to you, Richard, for all of your many contributions and continued support of the ICFA. Your kind, selfless devotion and generosity will forever be appreciated and remembered. We wish you many more happy days as a Fish & Game volunteer and look forward to seeing your collection exhibited on-line at our [Buffalo Bill Legacy Gallery!](#)

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WHO IS KANYE'S RUNNING MATE?

by *Charles Bethea, Staff Writer*

Bill Garlow, the great-grandson of Buffalo Bill Cody, owns [two Best Western hotels](#) in Cody, Wyoming. In June, Garlow, who is seventy-eight, found himself sitting in his office across from Kanye West—a Cody resident since 2019—along with West's cousin and a Yeezy employee. None of them wore masks. "Kanye kept saying, 'Best. . . West. . . ern,'" Lindsay Garlow, Bill's daughter, who'd sat in on the meeting, recalled. "He didn't seem to know that it was a chain of international hotels." West loved the name—and he thought her dad had come up with it. The group spoke for an hour. "They were on their phones the entire time, texting," she said. "As a teacher, that drives me batshit crazy."

Eventually, Bill cleared his throat, and West looked up. "He wanted to talk to Dad about hospitality," Lindsay said, "but we weren't sure where he was going with that." West further confused the Garlows when he removed one of his Yeezy shoes and passed it across the desk to Bill. "It was weird," Lindsay said. She noted her dad's poor health, adding, "I told him to wash up when Kanye left."

West had spoken to them about his love of Jesus and his idolization of Donald Trump. But he had said little about his Presidential campaign, which he would announce a week later—"Other than a sentence that began, 'When I am President,'" Lindsay said. The Garlows [Googled his platform](#). It includes, as a coronavirus measure, "[Stop making God mad](#)." West is also anti-Planned Parenthood and anti-Black History Month. (At a campaign stop in Charleston, West said, to boos, that Harriet Tubman "[never actually freed the slaves](#).") The Garlows plan to vote for Joe Biden. "But if it were Kanye versus Trump, I'd vote Kanye," Lindsay said. "He's kinder. And he's been booking us full since January," with friends and associates. Her father added, "I have half his business. I'd like all of it."

Unlike Biden, West has announced his running mate: [Michelle Tidball](#), a fifty-seven-year-old white woman from Cody who runs an online Bible study, works in a dental office, and has so far said nothing public about the campaign. To find out more about her, Lindsay Garlow suggested calling Mary L. Keller, a scholar of religious studies at the University of Wyoming. Keller and Tidball attended Cody High in the early eighties. "Michelle was the bubbly, charismatic cheerleader," Keller said. And she's smart. "I think she knows Hebrew pretty well." In 2016, the two women ran a youth group together, and Tidball had talked about her role as an "online prophet." "We went out for drinks, and she told me about this



Kanye West and Michelle Tidball

Illustration by João Fazenda

international group of people who are in touch with the divine and discuss it with each other," Keller recalled. Tidball also told her that they'd predicted Trump's victory. Keller laughed at the memory. "To her, his election was evidence."

When Keller heard about West choosing Tidball, she said, "it made sense. They both believe they have [direct access to God](#) and read the world as evidence of that access." She figured they'd probably met through Tidball's online prophet network. "The religious imagination is about the only thing that can provide language for

drought, flood, fire," she said, noting an upside. "I see Kanye and Michelle as the kinds of voices that people might turn to for a meaningful story in the face of climate change." She added, "We'd all be safer with Michelle next to Kanye than we are with Pence next to Trump."

One local Tidball booster, [Wallace Johnson](#), is a retired lawyer and a former special assistant to Richard Nixon. Years ago, he hired Tidball to run a [mentoring program](#). She was "great with the kids," he said. He is also a patient at her dental office: "I saw her there just before Kanye's announcement." He wasn't sure where she and West had met. Maybe an airport lounge? "Michelle has spent considerable time studying the Torah, and I'm sure he picked up on that," Johnson went on. "She's a wise pick: extremely articulate, likable, and capable. As far from [Sarah Palin](#) as I can imagine." He added, "I never thought Kanye had a theology of his own, but maybe he's developing one. I don't want to call it a cult, but that's what a new religion is. Michelle could help with that. She's very persuasive." Starting a religion is easier than running for President. Recently, West tweeted that he may push his run to 2024. "I don't think we're about to say that the forty-sixth President lives here in Cody," Johnson said. "Maybe in four years, but not now." ♦ *Published in the print edition of the August 3 & 10, 2020, issue, with the headline "Best Western."*

Charles Bethea has been contributing to *The New Yorker* since 2008 and became a staff writer in 2018. He has published dozens of 'Talk of the Town' pieces, often on political subjects, including the creator of [barackobama@gmail.com](#), the gymnastics career of [Roy Moore](#), and a sculptor obsessed with Donald Trump. In addition to politics, he covers local media and the American South. Previously, he was an editor at *Outside* magazine and a writer-at-large for *Atlanta*. His work has also appeared in *Grantland*, *The New Republic*, the *Wall Street Journal*, *GQ*, *Backpacker*, and *Wired*. He lives in Atlanta.

15 Video Tours of Jersey



Click to View

- 1. Beginners Guide to Jersey (7:13)**
British humor at its driest
- 2. Expedia's Jersey Guide (10:55)**
Professional production with narration
- 3. Walks Around Britain (22:14)**
British TV series with Dad & kids
- 4. Simon Guettier, Jersey (20:18)**
St. Helier history, pubs & market
- 5. Magnificent Jersey (43:58)**
MARE TV, police & fish farming
- 6. 360° Videos (6 drone flights)**
Scenic Jersey fly-overs with music
- 7. Jersey Drone Footage (3:52)**
Good production, ethereal music

8. The Beauty of Jersey (7:48)
Acoustic guitar, no narration

9. 4 days in Jersey (42:57)
Father & daughter tour

10. Jersey Travel VLog (4:23)
One Hungry Asian, wine & food

11. Jersey kompass60 (15:25)
Elizabeth Castle cannon salute

12. Jersey Round Trip (3:01)
Collage with folk guitar, bass & drums

13. A Drive around Jersey (9:58)
St. Helier, La Corbière & St. Ouen Bay

14. Jersey - Channel Islands 2016 (12:49)
Ferry to St. Helier, bus tour to Gorey

15. Jersey, Channel Islands (32:29)
St. Helier, Gorey, Nazi forts, subtitles, ads

Milestones

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Births:

130/6252221 Madeleine Roy-Cody b Montreal QC 6/20/2019
 181/22232311 Ozymandias Henry Vineyard b Lafayette CO 6/16/2020
 266/21323411 Harper Rose Robinson b Tampa FL 9/17/2020
 266/26522311 Hartley Frances Moneyhun b Salt Lake City UT 7/9/2019
 273/321221 Ethan Kent Maehl b Billings MT 3/6/2020
 273/321222 James Michael Maehl b Billings MT 3/6/2020

Marriages:

236/1125211 Kristen Leigh Foester m1 MI 6/6/2020 Marc Gordon Addington

Deaths:

119/12312 Janet Elizabeth Metcalf's husband, Robert S. Bean Jr. d Andover MA 3/3/2020
 130/222631 Carol Elizabeth Leonard d Vancouver Clark Co WA 5/30/2020
 130/6242 Keith William Cody's wife, Margaret Alma Corbell d 8/18/2020
 140/21122 Donald Clarence Benson d Canby OR 8/26/2020
 140/21122 Helen Pauline Brown Benson d Canby OR 8/29/2020
 236/112511 Terri Lynn Weber's husband, George Michael Goodall d IL 6/22/2020
 266/22823 Glen Elton Watson d Canby OR 6/28/2019
 271/471 Harold Ray Cody's wife, Ruth Naomi Wilson d Ontario CA 6/16/2019

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CODY KIDS CORNER

A Time to be Grateful

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By Kellie Cody Edwards -145/44331
Cody, WY Ambassador

Greetings Cody Kids,

Thanksgiving was originally a holiday to give thanks to God for the harvest. Thanksgiving Day is an opportunity to give thanks for all the good things God has given us. It is also a day to celebrate family.

Did you know that paying attention to what you are grateful for will help you be a happier, more joyful person? Thinking about the things you are thankful for can switch the channel of your negative thinking and help you appreciate what is here in your life right now.

As we give thanks this holiday season, let us commit to recognizing our blessings all year long. Every evening at dinner time, ask your family members to share something they are grateful for that day or keep a gratitude journal where you can write about what you are thankful for on a daily basis.

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FOR

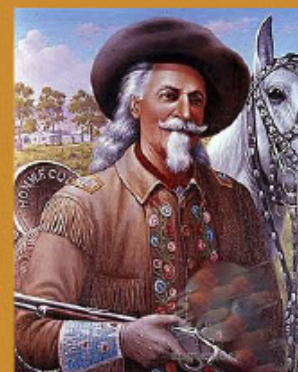
WORD SEARCH

William F. Cody (1846-1917)

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BUFFALO BILL



It's time to put your creative building skills to the test! Construct anything in Minecraft that somehow relates to Buffalo Bill. The informational text on the right may inspire an idea 💡! Build solo or team up with a family member.

Submission & Fee: Email only 1 image & 1 video of your creation to getkevin247@gmail.com (video must be provided as a link to stored online file only). Also, please provide the first and last name of the creator(s) along with the city and state of residence. Once your submission is received, you will receive a verification email along with a secured link to pay your submission fee of \$15. Submissions due by May 1, 2021.

Rules: The photo & video that you submit may not contain any names, images or hints that would reveal your identity in order to prevent any bias while judging the competition.



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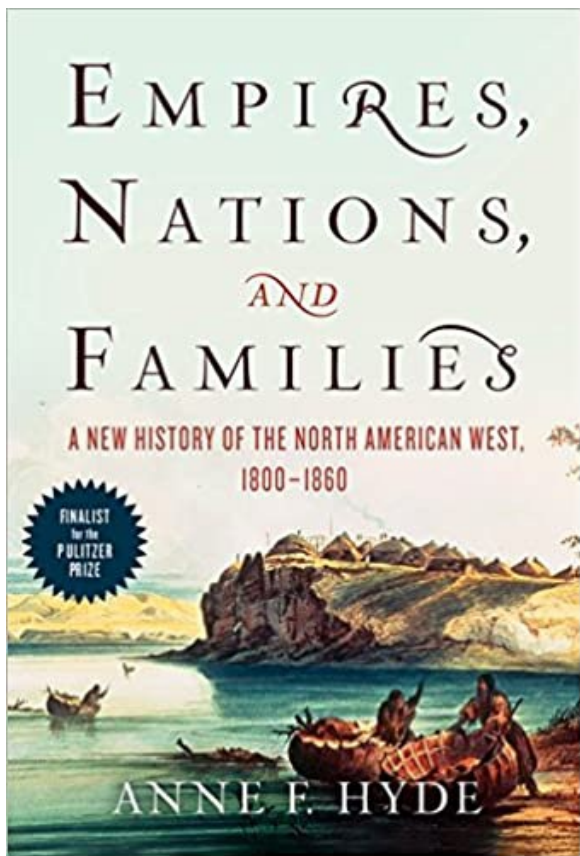
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INFORMATIONAL TEXT

- *Bill Cody was born in 1846.
- *His father died when Bill was young.
- *Bill went to work when he was 11 years old. Bill got a job herding cattle.
- *He was an Army scout when he was 12.
- *Bill was a Pony Express rider when he was 14.
- *Bill Cody got a new job in 1867. A railroad was being built across the West. He got meat for the workers. There were millions of buffalo to hunt. He killed 4,280 buffalo in 18 months.
- *People called him Buffalo Bill.
- *Bill joined a wild west show. Bill stayed for 10 years. Then Bill started his own show.
- *Buffalo Bill's Wild West began in 1883. He wanted to show the real Wild West. The show had real animals, like buffalo and cattle. Real cowboys did rope tricks.
- *Annie Oakley did shooting tricks.
- *The show lasted for 30 years.
- *Cody tried to be fair to everyone. Women were paid the same as the men.
- *Chief Sitting Bull was even in the show.
- *Buffalo Bill helped start a town in Wyoming. The town was called Cody.
- *People came on the new railroad. They wanted to visit Yellowstone Park.
- *Bill Cody died in Denver in 1917.

Resources: *Teaching Resources & Lesson Plans | Teachers Pay Teachers.* Steven's Social Studies, www.teacherspayteachers.com. Accessed 8 Nov. 2020.

A New History of the North American West!



Winner of the 2012 Bancroft Prize, [Anne F. Hyde](#) is the William R. Hochman Professor of History at Colorado College. She is the author of *An American Vision* and the co-author with William F. Deverell, of *The West and the History of the Nation*.

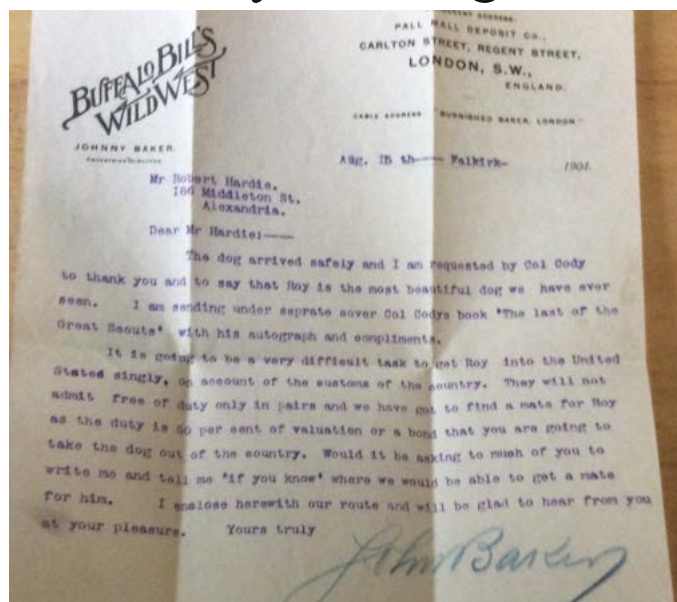
The [Louisiana Purchase](#) in 1803 doubled the size of the new United States, promising not only land but prosperity for its citizens. But the West was not the virgin wilderness of common myth. Rather, as the author makes clear, in her groundbreaking prize-winning history, America was a newcomer in a place already complicated by vying empires - native and European.

Here for the first time, she traces the network of multi-ethnic family associations, which, along with the river systems of the trans-Mississippi West, had formed the basis for the [global fur trade](#) for centuries. Involved with this trade were trappers, hunters, merchants, bankers and politicians by the thousands. Dazzling in its breadth and startling in its intimacy, this book provides a new look at Native nations and the economies and societies they built as well as a radically new understanding of the web of families, businesses, and personal empires that organized the North American West before the Civil War and the rise of American empire.

You'll find personal vignettes of the [Chouteau family](#), the [Bents](#) and the [Sublettes](#), the [McLoughlins](#), [Kit Carson](#), [Captain Sutter](#), [Stephen Austin](#) and many others. The author describes them and their families with studied care, never reducing them to two-dimensional "heros".

This book is available free from your public library or [buy it here](#).

The "Roy the Dog" Collection Comes to Golden, CO



Johnny Baker's 1904 "Thank You" note to Robert Hardie.

Imagine his surprise when Rob Cody got a phone call from Joyce Hardie asking if he is one of the Codys related to Buffalo Bill!

Joyce resides in the same Canadian city as Rob, so they met and Joyce presented him with a letter from Johnny Baker and an autographed copy of *The Last of the Great Scouts* given



Rob Cody 261/1431 with Johnny Baker's letter and book.

to her husband's family when they sold a dog to Buffalo Bill during his [1904 tour of Scotland](#).

After some thought, Rob opted to donate the letter, book and associated newspaper clippings to the [Buffalo Bill Museum and Grave](#), founded in 1921 by Bill's unofficial foster son Johnny Baker on Lookout Mountain above Golden CO.

Our Jersey Genealogy

by Ann Knowles 130/36213

When I noticed that someone on Ancestry.com found an original birth record for one of the Lescaudys, I went searching and found several others. They weren't always easy to find because of mis-transcriptions of the French and the short-forms of the names used in the parish records, but guided by sources like our Ernest Adams William Cody's *The Piercing of the Veil*, published in the book *Five Generations* and [jerripedia.net's Jersey Births, Marriages and Deaths \(BMD\)](#) web page, I got good results!

Since Ancestry.com's transcriptions of French surnames were highly inaccurate and for the most part, mis-transcribed, I used [jerripedia.net's Jersey Births](#) page with the family name 'Lescaudey' to search for baptisms. That brought up a bunch of hits and I used those results to inspect Ancestry.com's Jersey records, church by church and page by page.

At the top of the next page is the image of Philippe Lescaudé's 1668 christening in the Anglican Church of England's St. Peter Parish records on the Isle of Jersey.

I believe that the Philippe Lescaudé named therein is the same person as our Philip LeCody of Beverly and Hopkinton because this record matches the description in *The Piercing of the Veil*. This Philippe's birth place and date, the father's name and the godparent's names all indicate this is the original baptismal record of our immigrant ancestor, Philip LeCody!

Again, guided by *The Piercing of the Veil* and [jerripedia.net's Births](#) page, I found the record of our Philip's father, Philippe's 1637 Anglican christening in St. Ouen Parish on the 4th of October (written as "obre").

I believe that the Philippe named in this record is the same person as our Philip's father because his record matches Philip's father's data as stated in *The Piercing of the Veil*. This Philippe's birth place and date, the father's name and the godparent's names all indicate this is the original baptismal record of our Philip's father, Philippe Lescaudey.

Finding no record of our Philip's grandfather Abraham's baptism, I clicked for [jerripedia.net's Burials](#) page and using "Lecaude" as the family name, I found Abraham Lecaude's 1677 burial in St. Ouen Parish. Bolstered by that data, I returned to Ancestry.com and present the image of Abraham's burial record as shown on the next page.

I'm quite certain that this is the same person as our Philip's grandfather because the record matches the data presented in *The Piercing of the Veil* and this Abraham Lescaude is the only "Abraham" I found in my [jerripedia.net Burial](#) search.

I also found evidence of our Philip's siblings, Sara and Jean mentioned in *The Piercing of the Veil*, on Ancestry.com using search results from [jerripedia.net's BMD](#) pages.

Next, I present the Anglican church record from St. Peter Parish, of the 1738 burial of our Philip's sister, Sara Lecaudey, as the widow of Nicholas du Bois.

After that is the record of our Philip's brother Jean's 1678 Anglican christening in the St. Ouen Parish church.

My final presentation is the record of Jean's 2nd wife, Jeanne Le Vesconte's burial which refers to [Rector Philip Falle](#), author of *An Account of Jersey*. Jean was a "Lectur", i.e. a lay minister of the church at St. Ouen and accordingly, his wife was honored by burial in the church's chapel.

One piece of evidence that has escaped me so far, a "missing link", is our Philip and Martha's marriage record. This event has been a subject of speculation for generations, so I went onto the Ancestry site and looked up September 1692 records in four parishes: St. Peter, because Philippe was baptized there, St. Ouen, because much of his family seemed to live in this area, St. Brelade, because that is where his marriage was said to be, and St. Helier, because it is Jersey's largest port, and a possible location for a marriage prior to a trip overseas. Unfortunately I found no results in our search for Philip's wife, Martha (Le Brocq) or their marriage.

Editor's Notes: We thank Ann for her skill and diligence in gathering this evidence. These findings are important because they refute the Cody family's assumption of our Philip's French Huguenot origins, published in [Section V](#) of Ernest Adams William Cody's 1941 *Handbook-Directory*, and confirm Le Maistre's and Le Feuvre's Jersey Findings, published in Ernest's 1957 *The Piercing of the Veil*. Our Philip's Lescaudé family were French-speaking Islanders, subjects of the English Crown and Anglican parishioners.

On pages 515-525 in Volume CLXVI of *Littel's Living Age* (1885) is a reprint of *The Huguenot Reformation in the Norman Isles*, describing the struggle between the Anglican church and the Huguenots, who were popular because their church services were in French, the native language of Jersey.

The same can be said for the theory that our Philip was a native of France, as promulgated in [Section II](#) of the *Handbook-Directory*. Ditto for the idea that Philip and Martha were married in France as propounded in [Section III](#).

Another missing piece in our family puzzle is exactly how did they come to immigrate to New England? The assumption that our Philip and Martha were refugee Huguenots provided a motive for escape to the New World. But if not Huguenot, why did they leave Jersey? The presence of the merchant, [Philip English](#), a native of Jersey who employed his fellow Islanders in the New England fishing port of Salem may be a clue revealing our Philip and Martha's immigration as indentured servants.

Another clue is page 5 in Poingdestre's *Casereea* that mentions the population explosion that followed the prosperity engendered by [Sir Walter Raleigh's](#) development of Jersey's Newfoundland fishing industry. Indeed, cod fishing was big business and along with knitted products, like socks, hose and jerseys manufactured by the island's own cottage industry, provided the islanders with a [good living](#).

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 Phle Lescaude f. Phle fut presenté au baptesme y Elie
 Le Feubure Et de sa femme Le 23 daust.

Philippe Lescaude son of Philippe presented for baptism by Elie Le Feubure & his wife the 23rd of August (1668)

B. Le mecredi 4^e d'obre 1637. fut Baptisé Philippe
 f. d'Abrah. Lescaudey, pnté de Jean le Cras &
 Rachel Tocque.

Wednesday 4th Oct. 1637 for baptism Philippe son of Abrah Lescaudey presented by Jean le Cras and Rachel Tocque

Le 8^e mars fut Enterré Abraham
 Lescaude

The 8th March for burial Abraham Lescaude (1676)

Sara Lecardey ve de Nicolas du Bois fut Enterrée le
 memo jour

Sara Lecaudey widow of Nicholas du Bois for internment the same day (August 6, 1738)

Le Dimanche viii^e du Mois fut Baptisé Jean
 fils de Jean & de Phle Lescaudey presenté de Jean
 Briand ion & sa femme

Sunday the 18th of the month for baptism Jean son of Jean of Phle Lescaudey presented by Jean Briand Jr. and his wife
 (August 18, 1678)

Le 19. fut enterrée Jeanne Le Vesconte
 femme en secondy nopces, de Jean Lescaudey
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 Ph: Falle Rect. r & puis son Texte au Ch: 5.
 de l'Ev. selon s. Jean p. 28 & 29. Elle
 fut inhumée proche le Temple par le nord,
 vis-a-vis de la ^{premiere} verrine de bous du O.
 de la Chapelle.

Parish records sometimes reveal interesting tidbits. Here, embedded in the record of Jean Lescaudey's 2nd wife, Jeanne Le Vesconte's 1719 burial, we find Rector [Philip Falle](#), author of the 1734 [An Account of Jersey](#).



[Click to take a walk around La Ville de l’Eglise and St. Ouen Parish Church](#)

WORD SEARCH ANSWERS

William F. Cody (1846-1917)

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