

G R E E T I N G S

THE HOLIFIELD FAMILY

.... In 1914, two brothers, JOSEPH AUGUSTUS and GEORGE WASHINGTON HOLIFIELD, came West from their father's plantation in Auburn, Alabama. They settled in Washington's Puget Sound Country to join their half-brother, WILLIAM MOORE. Joseph Holifield, now living in San Diego and 91 years of age, met his wife, Gertrude Griffith, (deceased) who had come here to visit her mother, CORDELIA, then MRS. JOSE GARCIA. His younger brother George, married CLARA WILLIAMS, daughter of JOHN WILLIAMS and ISABELLE REDMOND WILLIAMS. Clara Williams Holifield's grandmother, Ellen Henderson Williams (John Williams' mother) of Versailles, Missouri, was a direct descendant of GEORGE WASHINGTON BUSH, a founder of Washington territory, who came North from Oregon in 1845.

Other interrelated families to the Williamses were Redmond and Welch, now extinct, and Godfrey Clark now lives in Los Angeles (Clara's cousin).

Clara's brothers are Jack, Robert and David Williams. Clara's only surviving sister, Helen, now lives in Los Angeles.

BOBBY WILLIAMS and wife ROSE, (nee Lavender) live in Seattle, as does JACK and his wife LORRAINE, but DAVID and his wife EUNICE are confirmed New Yorkers. Clara's sons: KARL, a Public Relations Manager for Pacific Northwest Bell; STANLEY, an Assistant Vice President for Peoples Bank; and GEORGE, a Municipal Court Judge and his wife Marianne (nee Kincaid), an attorney for Pacific Northwest Bell, all live in Seattle.

Stan has two sons, SCOTT, a University of Washington student, STEVEN, a musician, and one daughter, SHAWN, a student at West Woodland School.

George and Marianne have two sons, JEFF, a student at Garfield and BROCK, a student at Epiphany School.

Joseph A. Holifield's sons, HAROLD and JOSEPH FRANCIS, "Joe" live in New York and Los Angeles, respectively. Harold's son HARRY is a lawyer in Honolulu and his son WALLY lives in New York. Two of Joe's (Joseph Francis) sons, ELLIS and KERRY live in Seattle. Joseph Augustus Holifield is married to the former Elithia Kinsley of San Diego. She is the Aunt of Mrs. Thomas Waggener (nee Jewell Wells) of Seattle.

Deceased William Moore and wife Eva's son, WILLIAM E. MOORE still lives in Seattle.

