

grandmother's sister handed me a printout of a history book about the Allegheny Valley. In it, she had highlighted biographies of some Willard men. These men were from England, and were related to Major Simon Willard and his brother-in-law John Davis. When I told her this was not our family, she was disappointed and offered to throw all the research away. My mother, though, took the pages from me, flipped them over, and I read the following text, "Richard Willard, father of Margery, the wife of Captain Dolar Davis, lived at Horsmonden, England, it being claimed that he was a lineal descendant of Richard Willard, Baron of the Cinque Ports, in the time of Richard II. The Willard family of Eastbourne, Sussex, England, originally named Villiard, came from Caen, Normandy" France. Perhaps we aren't so far apart after all. © 2003 Karin Kincaid

The following persons have joined the Willard Family Association as Life Members during 2003

- Jean Willard Young
- Dorothy D. Willard
- Rebecca S. Willard
- James David Willard
- Alexandra Taylor Hixon Ballard
- Sarah K. Cunningham Wilkinson
- Margaret M. C. Stikeleather
- Daniel Willard Cunningham
- Scott Michael Cournoyer
- Jeffery Willard Cournoyer
- Daniel Mark Cournoyer
- Granville Fenderson
- Dr. Richard T. Hosley
- Jane W. Palmer
- Anna Louise Thorsen Darby
- Pamela Lankford
- Stephen Lankford
- Barbara A. W. Harling
- Rebecca Rose Willard
- Alexander M. Willard
- Elliott J. Willard
- Christopher S. Willard
- Susan R. Willard
- Fred Willard
- Steve Willard
- Alice Willard
- Peter Fifield
- John R. Stephens
- Charles Robert Swift
- Meredith Rose Shanoski
- Anne J. Overstreet
- Joann H. Nichols
- Nate Lampe
- Stef-Jan Willard
- Charles Douglas Willard
- Carol Ann Clemons
- Glenda Gail Teague
- Amy J. Radell
- Homer E. Willard Jr.
- David S. Willard
- Ruth J. Helgestad
- Donald W. Herrick M. D.
- Dorothy W. Lanier
- Elaine Confino

- Diane Marie Senior
- Teresa H. Willard
- Catherine Willard Brooks
- Amelia Marie Maurer
- Kyle Douglas Somers
- Katherine Lynn Somers
- Elizabeth S. Anderson
- Frank R. Anderson
- Constance M. Anderson
- James P. Anderson
- Catherine N. Anderson
- Alexandra M. Anderson
- William J. Anderson
- Thomas J. Todd
- Guy T. Todd
- Rebecca S. Todd
- Lea S. Van Maren
- Simon Emerson Willard
- Andrew Willard Schmidt
- Sarah Hendy Triplett
- John Joshua Hendy Jr.
- Jason Oliver Hendy
- Florence Turner
- Wesley M. Willard
- Larry Dean Willard

DUES REMINDER

Effective July 1, 2003, the Life Member dues will be \$250. This change was voted at the 2002 annual meeting in accordance with Article IV of the By-Laws of the WFA.

Current Dues:

Annual dues from July 1, 2003 to June 30, 2004 are \$10.

If you wish to do a little more for the WFA, you can join at the **Patron Level** for \$20

The dues for a **Life Member** is a one-time payment of \$250.

To join, please send dues to Treasurer Jeremy Smith 5 Cabot Drive, Shrewsbury, MA. 01545-2286

THERE IS SPACE FOR YOU!

Do you have items of interest for the WFA Newsletter? We welcome contributions that would be of interest to members of the Willard family. Please contact the Editor.

NEW LIFE MEMBERS FOR 2003

2003 PATRONS

The Following members joined at the Patron level. Thank you for your extra support of the WFA

- John Taft
- Henry C. Trombley
- Mary M. Dunham
- Harvey B. Willard
- Carol J. Benner
- Barbara K. Elliott
- Elberta & Jim Porter
- John A. Lampe
- Robert Barry
- Edward H. Willard
- Harlow E. Willard
- Mary D. Walmsley