



## **AncestrySeeking Newsletter**

### **November 2025**

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### **Welcome to the November edition of AncestrySeeking!**

### **How Do You Honor Your Ancestors This Season?**

As we enter this season of gratitude and remembrance, I find myself reflecting on the lives and lessons of those who came before us. Whether it's a cherished recipe, a faded photograph, or a story passed down through generations, these pieces of our past connect us more deeply than we realize.

This month, I invite you to take a quiet moment to honor your ancestors, light a candle, visit a grave, or share a story with someone younger in your family. Each act of remembrance keeps their legacy alive and reminds us why preserving our family history matters.

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# HONORING OUR ANCESTORS: STORIES THAT KEEP THEIR MEMORY ALIVE

Bake a batch of a loved  
one's recipe, then share  
it along with their  
story



## Honoring Our Ancestors: Stories That Keep Their Memory Alive!

November invites us to remember and give thanks, from *Day of the Dead* to *Veterans Day* to *Thanksgiving*.

This month's featured article explores simple ways to honor your ancestors: share their stories, preserve their photos, and even bake a favorite family recipe to pass on both flavor and memory.

👉 [Read the full article on AncestrySeeking.com](https://ancestryseeking.com/honoring-our-ancestors-stories-that-keep-their-memory-alive/)

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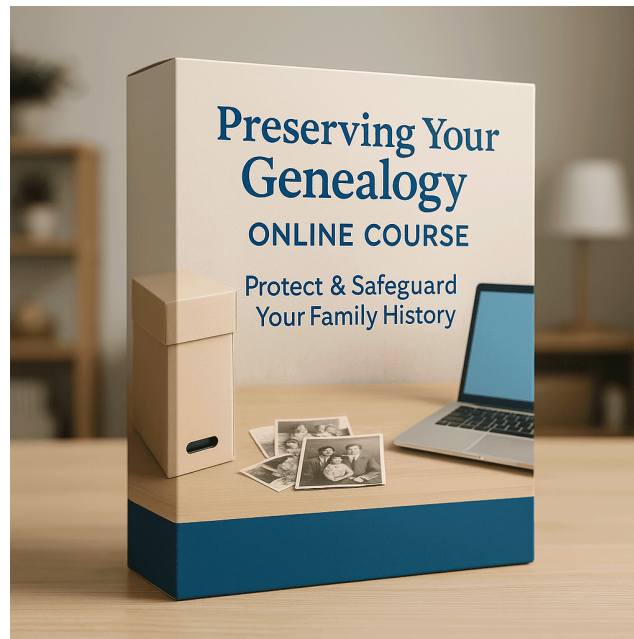
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## This Month's Challenge

Choose one ancestor and write a short paragraph about their life — just 5 sentences! Save it in a folder labeled *Ancestor Stories*.

Next month, you'll thank yourself when you start compiling your digital family archive.

## New Online Course: Honor Your Ancestors by Preserving Their Stories



### Special November Offer – Only \$29 (Reg. \$39)

This Thanksgiving season, celebrate your family's legacy by learning how to safeguard it for generations to come.

My **“Preserving Your Genealogy” online course** walks you step-by-step through organizing, backing up, and protecting your research so it will never be lost — no matter what the future brings.

👉 **Enroll now and save \$10 through November 30!**

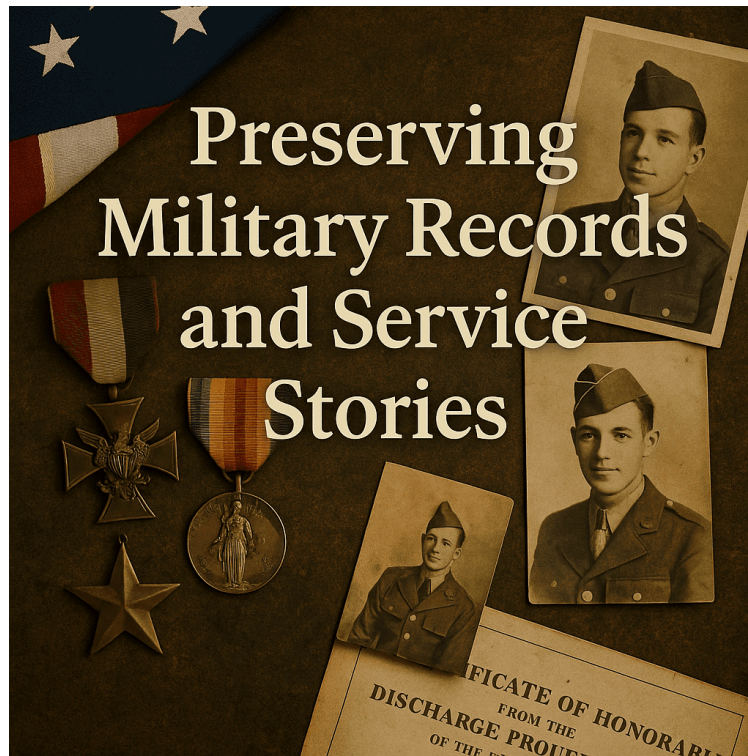
[Enroll in the Course >](#)

*(Offer ends November 30. Instant access — learn at your own pace.)*



# Genealogy Tip of the Month!

## Honoring Veterans Day



Behind every uniform is a story — of courage, sacrifice, and love. This **Veterans Day**, take time to honor the service members in your family by preserving their records and memories. Learn where to find military files, how to protect fragile documents, and ways to share their stories so they're never forgotten.

👉 [Read the full article on AncestrySeeking.com](https://ancestryseeking.com/veterans-day-genealogy-tip-of-the-month/)

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# Upcoming Virtual Genealogy Events

## Tracking Our Ancestors: From VA to NC, TN & Beyond

*Date:* Wednesday, **November**

**19, 2025**

*Time:* 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM

(CST)

*Format:* Virtual via

GoToWebinar

*Host:* Tennessee Genealogical  
Society

*Description:* A presentation on  
tracing migration paths and  
family lines across Virginia,  
North Carolina, Tennessee, and  
adjacent regions. [Tennessee  
Genealogical Society](#).

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## Join Me!

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## DNA TIP:



## Check for New or Updated Ethnicity Estimates

Most testing companies  
refresh ethnicity results  
annually in the fall.

👉 **Tip:** Revisit your ethnicity  
report and compare it to last  
year's version and make notes  
of any changes.

Use the "Compare" feature (if  
available) to see how your  
estimates align with relatives'  
results. It just may lead you in  
new direction that you hadn't  
thought about.

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## Giving Thanks for Family:

*How Gratitude Deepens Our Genealogy Work*





This Thanksgiving season, take a moment to thank the ancestors who made your story possible. Gratitude transforms genealogy from a search for facts into a celebration of family connections and love. Discover simple ways to reflect, share, and preserve your family's legacy through the lens of thankfulness.

👉 [Read the full article on AncestrySeeking.com](https://ancestryseeking.com)

## Genealogy Term of the

### Month: **Matriarch**

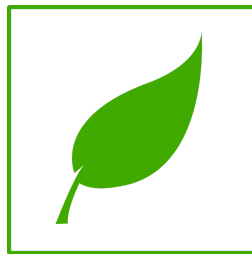
The female head of a family or clan; often the oldest surviving woman in a family line who is looked to as the keeper of family stories and traditions.

## “Did You Know?”

Did you know that military pension files often include personal letters, marriage records, and even family Bible pages? These records can be a treasure trove for family historians.

## Research Tool of the Month

### Understanding Ancestry Record Hints



Those little green leaves on Ancestry.com can be a goldmine or a trap! This month, learn how to turn Record Hints into reliable leads instead of false trails. Discover how to verify records before attaching them, organize your findings for long-term use, and create a research routine that keeps your family tree accurate and easy to manage.

👉 [Read the full article: Stop Chasing Green Leaves! How to Verify and Organize Ancestry Record Hints Like a Pro](#)

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In my next newsletter,  
learn about

*“The Gift of Legacy”*

Want More Resources  
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**Thank you for being part of this journey!**

Our family stories remind us that we're part of something much bigger than ourselves. This month, I'd love to know: **How are you honoring your ancestors?** Reply to this email and share your story. I might feature one in next month's newsletter!

**Warmly,**

***Barbara Beauregard***

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