
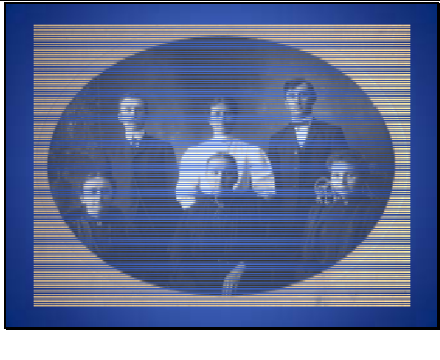


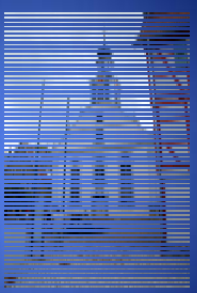

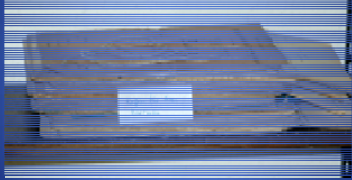


S l i d e 1		<p style="text-align: right;">Zeisset Family History Presentation Notes Loretta Hoerman August 3, 2014 2014 Zeisset Reunion</p>
S l i d e 2		<p>The immigrants: on the back row: George Jacob Zeisset born 1873, immigrated 1890, died 1952; Bettie Zeisset Hoerman born 1875, immigrated 1885, died 1970; Henry Zeisset born 1878, immigrated 1893, died 1961; Front row: Elizabeth Zeisset Weller born 1870, immigrated 1890, died 1938, Louise Zeisset Swart born 1866, immigrated 1883, died 1946; Bertha Zeisset Nanninga born 1868, immigrated 1885, died 1924</p>
S l i d e 3	<p>Margaretha Mueller and Jakob Friedrich Zeisset</p>  <p>Married in Adelsheim, Germany 15 March 1864</p>	<p>Parents of our six immigrant ancestors. This photograph is thought to be from about 1877-1878, before Jakob's financial hardship. This is the only known photograph of Margaretha Mueller.</p>
S l i d e 4	<p>Adelsheim Church</p>  	<p>Margaretha was from the German state of Hessen and the village of Semd. Jakob Friedrich Zeisset was farming with his father and then with his brothers at Sindolsheim. Jakob and Margaretha were married in the church at Adelsheim. They then moved to Kreuzfeld where they had their children and raised their family.</p>
S l i d e 5	<p>Sindolsheim, Germany</p> <p>Jakob Zeisset and Johanna Epp lived here with their family from 1851 to 1861</p>  <p>Father Jakob and grandfather Johannes Zeisset died here</p>	<p>Jakob Zeisset, father of Jakob Friedrich Zeisset, rented the farm at Sindolsheim in 1851. His parents Christina Baer Zeisset and Johannes Zeisset also lived at Sindolsheim. Johannes died at Sindolsheim in 1855 and Jakob died in 1861. This photograph from about 1860 shows the older Zeisset sons on the back row: Isaak, Johannes and Jakob Friedrich. On the front row are Daniel Zeisset, their father Jakob and sister Magdalena and their mother Johanna Epp Zeisset.</p>

S l i d e 6	<p>Sindolsheim, Germany</p> 	<p>The Bauernhaus in Sindolsheim. This is where the renter of the farm at Menzingen lived, so our Zeisset family is thought to have lived here. There are 4 separate homes in this large building.</p>
S l i d e 7	<p>Sindolsheim, Germany</p> 	<p>This is the church at Sindolsheim. Both Jakob and his father Johannes Zeisset were buried in the graveyard here.</p>
S l i d e 8	<p>Menzingen, Germany 1825 - 1851</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jakob Friedreich Zeisset and his brothers were all born at Menzingen to Johanna Epp and Jakob Zeisset • A sister was born after the move to Sindolsheim 	<p>This is thought to be the home at Menzingen where the Zeissets lived from 1825 – 1851.</p>
S l i d e 9	<p>Menzingen Church</p> 	<p>The church at Menzingen where the Zeissets would have attended church. Johanna Epp and Jakob Zeisset were married in Menzingen after the birth of their first child Jakob Friedreich Zeisset. This church was built in 1849.</p>
S l i d e 10	<p>Zeisset Family</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jakob Friedrich Zeisset and Magdalena Mueller – 1837 – 1884 1842 - 1881 • Jakob Zeisset and Johanna Epp – 1816 – 1861 1817 - 1889 • Johannes Zeisset and Christina Baer – 1794 – 1855 1798 - 1866 • Jakob Zeisset and Magdalena Pletscher 1764 – 1813 1764 - 1826 • Abraham Zeisset and Elisabetha Landes – 1718 – 1787 abt. 1720 - ? 	<p>The generations of Zeisset from the parents of the 6 immigrants going back.</p>

S l i d e 1 1	<p>Kreuzfeld, Germany</p> 	<p>Map for orientation. Before Menzingen, the Zeissets lived at Lautenbach and before that they were at the Rauhof.</p>
S l i d e 1 2	<p>Kreuzfeld February 1864</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Johanna Epp Zeisset (mother) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Jakob Friedrich Zeisset and Margaretha Mueller <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary Tenant of Hofgut Kreuzfeld – Isaak Zeisset and Bertha Hettinger with daughter Emma – Johannes Zeisset (maybe) – Daniel Zeisset – Magdalena Zeisset (9 years old) 	<p>When the Zeissets moved to Kreuzfeld after Jakob Friedrich and Margaretha's marriage, the entire family moved. Johannes may have lived elsewhere</p>
S l i d e 1 3	<p>Kreuzfeld, Germany</p> 	<p>The home of the Zeissets at Kreuzfeld where all 6 immigrants were lived. The house was built in 1870, so Louise, Bertha and perhaps Lizzie were all born in the older home.</p>
S l i d e 1 4	<p>Kreuzfeld, Germany</p> 	<p>Floor plan of the new home, built in 1870. The entry door was on the right side by the stairs. A short hall led to the kitchen with its external oven and a pantry. On the front of the home was the parlor which led into the parents bedroom and a nursery. Upstairs were rooms for the children.</p>
S l i d e 1 5	<p>Zeissets born at Kreuzfeld</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Johanna Luise 20 July 1866 • Bertha 20 June 1868 • Elisabeth 12 March 1870 • Georg Jakob 31 December 1873 • Barbara 19 March 1875 • Heinrich 6 February 1878 	<p>Six other children were born to Jakob Friedrich and Margaretha Zeisset. The first born was Georg in 1864 who died the day he was born. Another son was stillborn in 1865. A daughter Emma was born in 1867 and did not live a month. There were stillborn sons in 1869 and 1870 and then the last child was stillborn in 1881, causing the death of the mother as well.</p>

S l i d e 1 6	<p style="text-align: center;">Margaretha Mueller Zeisset</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mother of the immigrants • Born in Semd, Hessen, Germany to Johann Georg Mueller III and Anna Marie Schneider • Sister Anna Marie Mueller married Johannes Vogel and emigrated to Freeburg, Illinois in 1870; she died in 1901 • Margaretha died at Kreuzfeld in 1881 with the birth of her 12th child 	
S l i d e 1 7	<p style="text-align: center;">Church at Krailshausen</p> 	<p>The church at Krailshausen which the Zeissets attended and where the Zeissets were buried. The interior is show with a room full of Zeissets on the Zeisset Family History Tour in 2006.</p>
S l i d e 1 8	<p style="text-align: center;">Jakob Friedrich Zeisset</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • July 29, 1878 Brothers Isaak and Johannes managed Jakob's affairs • Bankrupt November 9, 1883 • Imprisoned August 26, 1884 • Died October 6, 1884 	<p>Jakob Friedrich Zeisset died in the prison at Schwäbisch Hall shown in the old picture along the river. St. Michaels church is in the upper right hand corner. Jakob was serving a 7 week sentence for fraud. He contracted typhus and died. He was buried in Schwäbisch Hall.</p>
S l i d e 1 9	<p style="text-align: center;">Zeisset Immigrants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Louise July 13, 1883 • Bertha June 6, 1885 • Elizabeth 1891 • Jacob February 26, 1890 • Bettie June 6, 1885 • Henry April 10, 1893 	<p>Dates of immigration.</p>
S l i d e 2 0	<p style="text-align: center;">Zeisset Immigrants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Louise – left before her father's bankruptcy in 1883 • Bertha – may have lived with her father or grandmother; left Germany in 1885 • Lizzie – lived with uncle Isaak Zeisset at Eichenau and then Darstadt; left in 1891 	

S l i d e 2 1	<p style="text-align: center;">Zeisset Immigrants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jacob - lived with uncle Isaak Zeisset at Eichenau and maybe Darstadt; left in 1890 • Bettie - lived with uncle Johannes Zeisset at Niedersteinach; left in 1885 with Bertha • Henry – lived with uncle Johannes Zeisset at Niedersteinach; left in 1893 	
S l i d e 2 2	<p style="text-align: center;">Zeisset Reunions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First: October 18, 1969 – 96 attendees • 1970 – Ray Zeisset and family traveled to Kreuzfeld and began historical research • Second: June 19, 1972 – 56 attendees • Reunion held every other year since the • August 2006 – 33 Zeisset descendants and family members traveled together to Germany 	<p>The first Zeisset reunion was held in 1969 at Leonardville. Ray and Carolyn Zeisset conceived of and planned a trip to the Zeisset ancestral home the following year with Ray and Paul’s father and mother Merton and Ina Zeisset. They also consulted an historic researcher, or genealogist to research the history of the Zeissets at Kreuzfeld and beyond. This was the foundation for the understanding of our Zeisset history.</p>
S l i d e 2 3	<p style="text-align: center;">QUESTIONS?</p> 	<p>There is much more research to be done. This is a stack of papers from the farm at Kreuzfeld. With time it is hoped that we can learn even more about our Zeissets in Germany.</p>