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Thursday, April 7, 2016

Grand Prairie Genealogical Society monthly meeting will be held Thursday, April 7, 2016 at The Ruthe Jackson Center, 3113 S. Carrier Parkway, Grand Prairie, TX. Meet and Greet begins at 6:30 pm with program at 7:00 pm until 9:00 pm.

Program: **Video Webinar: Using Criminal Court Records - Research Strategies from The Legal Genealogist**

Come and learn from this **video Webinar**. Judy Russell, a genealogist with a law degree, will explain a whole range of records created after a crime was committed, from police reports all the way to prison records. We'll look at cases prosecuted in local courts, state courts and federal courts. We'll look at some records from other countries. And we'll look at ways to find the records that relate to our ancestors in the many roles they played in the criminal justice system and what those records tell us about the times in which our ancestors lived. **[Judy Russell will not be in person at the meeting.]**

Judy Russell is a Colorado native with roots deep in the American south on her mother's side and entirely in Germany on her father's side. She has a bachelor's degree in journalism with a political science minor from George Washington University in Washington, D.C. and a law degree from Rutgers School of Law-Newark.

Guests are always welcome. Please note: Our January, February, March, and April meetings will be at 6:30-9:00 pm, in the in the **Ruthe Jackson Center, 3113 S. Carrier Parkway, Grand Prairie, TX 75051.**

See <http://gpgstx.org/> for more information on the society.

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#### JUST STARTING OUT?

- Grand Prairie Genealogical Society volunteers offer assistance with family history research in the Genealogy Room of the main library on the second Saturday of each month, 10am to noon.
- More experienced? Brainstorm with other researchers for new ideas and approaches.