

FORT WORTH GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

In Collaboration with the Fort Worth Library
Presents

Genealogy in the Field, Pt 2

With

JANET S. MINKE

In Pt 1 Janet shared that 1) Genealogy “in the field” is always an adventure – you never know what you will find – or who you will meet. 2) Even though you do much of your research today on the internet - lots of family history is still only available in person. 3) Life is uncertain – historical libraries close, people die, memories fade, gravestones topple. And 4) Cemeteries may provide clues or resolve questions. In Pt 2 she recounts some of her own adventures “in the field” over the last 40 years – with discoveries in Iowa, Ohio and New England.

DAY: Tuesday, July 25, 2023

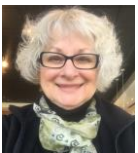
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TIME: 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

LOCATION CHANGE Fort Worth History Center, 501 E. Bolt St.

Free Parking in the Library parking lot.

Please observe Health Protocols!



Janet Schober Minke grew up in Fort Worth and graduated from UNT in Denton in 1970 with a BA in Social Science planning to teach school. Instead, she spent 48 years in the title insurance business. She has enjoyed genealogical research for many years and now shares some of her experiences by “teaching genealogy.” Janet has taught genealogy for Senior Frogs at TCU and other societies.

Janet is a 45+ year member of the DAR where she is Honorary Regent of the Eagle Mountain Chapter and Treasurer. She currently holds membership in many patriotic lineage and genealogical societies, including the Nevada Southern Branch Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims, Southern Dames of America, NSUSD 1812, DAC, Colonial Dames 17th Century, New England Historic Genealogical Society, National Genealogical Society, TxSGS, and the Texas Genealogical College. But we know her as Secretary of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society.

Janet loves to travel, especially when it involves visiting family and places where her ancestors lived. She was fortunate to inherit much genealogy and family history from her mother and enjoys finding new information to add to the story. She has one daughter, Jennifer.

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