Generation 1

John VALLENTINE-1 was born in England.

Anna PLANT was born in Ireland.

John VALLENTINE and Anna PLANT married. They had the following children:

 i. James VALLENTINE was born on 11 Sep 1812 in Dover, Strafford, New Hampshire, USA. He married Martha A VANARSDALE on 11 Sep 1838 in Greene, Illinois, USA (8 children, 5 living 1879 bio). He died on 11 Jan 1892 in Roodhouse, Greene, Illinois, USA.

Generation 2

2. **James VALLENTINE**-2 (John-1) was born on 11 Sep 1812 in Dover, Strafford, New Hampshire, USA. He died on 11 Jan 1892 in Roodhouse, Greene, Illinois, USA.

Notes for James VALLENTINE:

General Notes:

"Mr. Vallentine was born in Dover, New Hampshire, Sept. 11, 1812, was a son of John Vallentine and Anna Plant. At an early age James moved with his parents to Taunton, Mass., where they continued up to the year 1837, when they moved to Greene County this State, first settling in Carrollton. On September 11, 1838, was united in marriage to Martha A. Vanarsdale, born June 24, 1818, in Mercer Co., Kentucky. Left Carrollton in 1840 ... Mr. and Mrs. Vallentine have had eight children, but five are now living: John H., born December 7, 1840; Edward S., born January 29, 1843; Ellen J., born November 25, 1844; J. Meade, born August 7, 1849; Cora B., born April 3, 1857. Edward S. is now settled in Christian County in this State, Ellen J. is now the wife of A. Bowman, Cora B. is at home." 1879 History of Greene page 695

Martha A VANARSDALE daughter of Simon Madison VANARSDALE and Nancy G ECCLES was born on 24 Jun 1818 in Mercer, Kentucky, USA. She died on 10 Sep 1913 in Muskogee, Oklahoma, USA. She was buried in Greenfield, Greene, Illinois, USA (Oakwood Cemetery vs Hardin Cemetery).

James VALLENTINE and Martha A VANARSDALE were married on 11 Sep 1838 in Greene, Illinois, USA (8 children, 5 living 1879 bio). They had the following children:

- i. John Henry VALLENTINE was born on 06 Dec 1840 in Illinois, USA. He died on 06 Mar 1913 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA (Jacoby funeral home). He married Susan B RYAN in Greene, Illinois, USA (5 children, 3 living in 1879 bio).
- 4. ii. **Edward Simon VALLENTINE** was born on 29 Jan 1843 in Illinois, USA (vs 1848). He married Malinda WITT on 29 Mar 1867 in Greene, Illinois, USA. He died on 01 May 1883 (40y 3m 11d).
- 5. iii. **Ellen Jane VALLENTINE** was born on 25 Nov 1844 in Carrollton, Greene, Illinois, USA. She married Albert BOWMAN in 1867 in Greene, Illinois, USA. She died on 24 Mar 1927 in Muskogee, Muskogee, Oklahoma, USA.
 - iv. Lucy D VALENTINE was born on 16 Mar 1847 in Greene, Illinois, USA. She died on 11 Feb 1848 in Greene, Illinois, USA (10m 26d). She was buried in Greene, Illinois, USA (Hardin Cemtery).
- 6. v. **Joseph Meade VALLENTINE** was born on 07 Aug 1849 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA. He married Anna RHODES on 02 Mar 1871 in Greene, Illinois, USA. He died on 27 Nov 1928 in Seattle, King, Washington, USA.

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vi. **Cora B VALLENTINE** was born on 03 Apr 1857 in Illinois, USA. She married Augustus CURTIUS on 22 Jun 1881 in Greene, Illinois, USA.

Generation 3

3. **John Henry VALLENTINE**-3 (James-2, John-1) was born on 06 Dec 1840 in Illinois, USA. He died on 06 Mar 1913 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA (Jacoby funeral home). He was buried in Greene, Illinois, USA (White Hall Cemetery vs Hardin Cemetery).

Notes for John Henry VALLENTINE:

General Notes:

Civil War 31 May 1864 - 24 Sep 1864, 1st Lt, Co G, 133rd Infantry; 15 Apr 1865 on list of people of Greene county drafted

Susan B RYAN daughter of William E RYAN and MaryAnn C SECOR was born on 15 Nov 1844 in Greene, Illinois, USA. She died on 01 May 1897 in St Louis, Missouri, USA (per Carrollton Patriot newspaper). She was buried in Carrollton, Greene, Illinois, USA (Harden Cemtery).

John Henry VALLENTINE and Susan B RYAN were married in Greene, Illinois, USA (5 children, 3 living in 1879 bio). They had the following children:

- James VALLENTINE was born on 15 Jul 1868 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA. He died on 15 Sep 1868 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA. He was buried in Greene, Illinois, USA (Hardin Cemetery).
- ii. **Birdie M VALLENTINE** was born in 1869 in Greene, Illinois, USA. She married Thomas K YOUNG on 04 Mar 1903 in Greene, Illinois, USA (vs A. L. YOUNG).
- Claudia M VALLENTINE was born on 21 Aug 1873 in Greene, Illinois, USA. She died on 05 Jan 1878 in Greene, Illinois, USA. She was buried in Greene, Illinois, USA (Hardin Cemetery).
- iv. Edward M VALLENTINE was born in 1876 in Greene, Illinois, USA.
- v. Lucy W B VALLENTINE was born in 1878 in Greene, Illinois, USA.
- Edward Simon VALLENTINE-3 (James-2, John-1) was born on 29 Jan 1843 in Illinois, USA (vs 1848). He died on 01 May 1883 (40y 3m 11d). He was buried in Greene, Illinois, USA (Hardin Cemetery).

Malinda WITT was born on 23 Apr 1843. She died on 19 Jun 1922. She was buried in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA (Kane Cemetery).

Edward Simon VALLENTINE and Malinda WITT were married on 29 Mar 1867 in Greene, Illinois, USA. They had the following children:

7. i. **John P VALLENTINE** was born on 01 Aug 1870 in Illinois, USA. He married Maud Lucy DOWDALL on 03 Aug 1892 (3 children, 3 living in 1900, In 1910 - 4,3living). He died on 03 Oct 1921.

Generation 3 (con't)

- 8. ii. **James William Roy VALLENTINE** was born on 22 Jul 1868 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA. He married Margarite Rowena DARE on 31 Oct 1900 in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA. He died on 25 Aug 1942 in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA.
- 5. **Ellen Jane VALLENTINE**-3 (James-2, John-1) was born on 25 Nov 1844 in Carrollton, Greene, Illinois, USA. She died on 24 Mar 1927 in Muskogee, Muskogee, Oklahoma, USA. She was buried in Muskogee, Muskogee, Oklahoma, USA (Greenhill Cemetery).

Albert BOWMAN was born on 18 Jul 1841 in Carrollton, Greene, Illinois, USA. He died on 27 Feb 1922 in Muskogee, Muskogee, Oklahoma, USA. He was buried in Muskogee, Muskogee, Oklahoma, USA (Greenhill Cemetery).

Albert BOWMAN and Ellen Jane VALLENTINE were married in 1867 in Greene, Illinois, USA. They had the following children:

- Lucy B BOWMAN was born on 11 Mar 1868 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA. She died on 04 Nov 1962 in Muskogee, Muskogee, Oklahoma, USA. She was buried in Muskogee, Muskogee, Oklahoma, USA (Greenhill Cemetery).
- ii. **Lillian BOWMAN** was born on 27 Aug 1870 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA. She died in 1948. She was buried in Decatur, Van Buren, Michigan, USA (Lakeside Cemetery).
- iii. **Harry Vallentine BOWMAN** was born on 05 Sep 1876 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA. He died on 16 Aug 1953 in Muskogee, Muskogee, Oklahoma, USA. He was buried in Muskogee, Muskogee, Oklahoma, USA (Greenhill Cemetery).
- Nina BOWMAN was born on 05 May 1885. She died on 25 Oct 1974. She was buried in Muskogee, Muskogee, Oklahoma, USA (Greenhill Cemetery).
- 6. **Joseph Meade VALLENTINE**-3 (James-2, John-1) was born on 07 Aug 1849 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA. He died on 27 Nov 1928 in Seattle, King, Washington, USA.

Notes for Joseph Meade VALLENTINE:

General Notes:

ROCKBRIDGE -- Meade Valentine came up from St. Louis, Monday to visit his father. Source: 14 Jan 1898 White Hall Register Newspaper

"VALLENTINE, J. M. grain and lumber, Sec. 34, P. O. Rockbridge, Joseph Mead, is a son of James Vallentine, a well known self-made man of this county. Joseph first beheld the light of day in T 10, R 10. His educational advantages were good; aside from the common schools he attended the high school at Carrollton, and the lowa State University. Having an inclination to study 'material medica', entered Rush Medical College, with the intention of taking a thorough course, but only attended on year, when in consequence of ill health was compelled to relinquish his studies for a time, to return home and recuperate; but was restrained from following out the bent of his inclination, as his father's health not being good, and having at the time a large amount of business on hand, he importuned Joseph to engage with him in business and on July 25, 1870, began business with Jas. Vallentine & Co., dealers in general merchandise, grain and lumber; firm composed of James, John H., George R. and J. M. Vallentine, he continuing with them until November 1, 1871, at which time he withdrew from the partnership, and taking the grain and lumber business as his, then associated himself with another brother, R. S. Vallentine adding the stock trade also. This partnership was of short duration, terminating in April, 1872, by the withdrawal of E. S. Vallentine. The grain business, also the lumber, has since been controlled by him alone. July 1, 1876, he bought his father's interest in firm of James Vallentine & Co., and the business has since been conducted under the firm name of J. M. & J. H. Vallentine, each being equal partner. March 2, 1871 he formed a matrimonial alliance with Anna

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Rhodes, born March 26, 1852. She was a daughter of John Rhodes, an old resident of the county. Their association together was short, though very happy, as they had congenial temperaments and were "mated" as well as married; but Joseph was caused to "pass under the rod". Death, the grim monster, Aug. 14, 1873, invaded his happy home and bore off, on his icy bosom, his first born, names Rhodes, and, not being content with this invasion, Aug. 11, 1874, returned and bore away to the Spirit land his wife, Anna, thus leaving his home desolate indeed. After her death he continued keeping house until 1877, and since been boarding with Wm. Rhodes. Mr. J. M. is now doing business in the first house building that was erected in the town. He is doing a good business, and well deserved of the high regard and esteem with which he is viewed in the community in which he now resides."

"Vallentine - November 27, 1928 at 903 29th Ave. Joseph Mead Vallentine, aged 79 years, beloved husband of Carrie B. and father of James Vallentine.

Private funeral services will take place from Butterworth Mortuary Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. Cremation" Seattle Times November 27, 1928 pg 28

Anna RHODES daughter of John RHODES and Annis WRIGHT was born on 26 Mar 1852. She died on 11 Aug 1874 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA. She was buried in Carrollton, Greene, Illinois, USA (Carrollton Cemetery).

Joseph Meade VALLENTINE and Anna RHODES were married on 02 Mar 1871 in Greene, Illinois, USA. They had the following children:

i. **Rhodes VALLENTINE** was born in 1872. He died on 14 Aug 1873 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA. He was buried in Carrollton, Greene, Illinois, USA (Carrollton City Cemetery).

Generation 4

7. **John P VALLENTINE**-4 (Edward Simon-3, James-2, John-1) was born on 01 Aug 1870 in Illinois, USA. He died on 03 Oct 1921. He was buried in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA (Kane Cemetery).

Maud Lucy DOWDALL daughter of James DOWDALL and Mary STEVENS was born on 09 Feb 1871 in Illinois, USA. She died on 24 Dec 1962. She was buried in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA (Kane Cemetery).

John P VALLENTINE and Maud Lucy DOWDALL were married on 03 Aug 1892 (3 children, 3 living in 1900, In 1910 - 4,3living). They had the following children:

- 9. i. **Roy E VALLENTINE** was born on 02 Jul 1893 in Greene, Illinois, USA. He died on 05 Jun 1943.
- 10. ii. **Rupert James VALLENTINE** was born on 25 May 1895 in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA (vs 1896 per draft cards). He died on 01 Jan 1969 in Carrollton, Greene, Illinois, USA.
 - iii. **Ernest J VALLENTINE** was born on 15 Jan 1897 in Greene, Illinois, USA. He died on 28 Dec 1905. He was buried in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA (Kane Cemetery).
- 11. iv. **Christy E VALLENTINE** was born in 1901.
- 8. **James William Roy VALLENTINE**-4 (Edward Simon-3, James-2, John-1) was born on 22 Jul 1868 in Rockbridge, Greene, Illinois, USA. He died on 25 Aug 1942 in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA. He was buried in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA (Kane Cemetery).

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Margarite Rowena DARE was born in 1871 in Illinois, USA. She died in 1948 in Greene, Illinois, USA. She was buried in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA (Kane Cemetery).

James William Roy VALLENTINE and Margarite Rowena DARE were married on 31 Oct 1900 in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA. They had the following children:

- John D VALLENTINE was born in 1903 in Greene, Illinois, USA.
- ii. Unnetta VALLENTINE was born in 1908 in Greene, Illinois, USA.

Generation 5

9. **Roy E VALLENTINE**-5 (John P-4, Edward Simon-3, James-2, John-1) was born on 02 Jul 1893 in Greene, Illinois, USA. He died on 05 Jun 1943. He was buried in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA (Kane Cemetery).

Jeannette Vallentine. She was buried in Piney Woods, Rankin, Mississippi, USA (Piney Woods Cemetery).

Roy E VALLENTINE and Jeannette Vallentine married. They had the following children:

 Roy William VALLENTINE was born on 01 Aug 1927 in Chinook, Blaine, Montana, USA. He died on 14 Nov 1988. He was buried in Plains, Sanders, Montana, USA (Plains Cemetery).

Notes for Roy William VALLENTINE: General Notes: WWII F1 US Navy

 Rupert James VALLENTINE-5 (John P-4, Edward Simon-3, James-2, John-1) was born on 25 May 1895 in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA (vs 1896 per draft cards). He died on 01 Jan 1969 in Carrollton, Greene, Illinois, USA. He was buried in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA (Kane Cemetery).

Versa SMITH daughter of George Edward SMITH and Julia Ann GARRETT was born on 05 May 1888 in Adair, Missouri, USA. She died on 01 Jun 1981 in Carrollton, Greene, Illinois, USA. She was buried in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA (Kane Cemetery).

Rupert James VALLENTINE and Versa SMITH were married. They had the following children:

i. **Joan VALLENTINE** was born in 1919 in Missouri, USA.

Notes for Joan VALLENTINE: General Notes: 1936 Carrollton High School Graduate

ii. Jane M VALLENTINE was born in 1923 in MIssouri, USA.

Notes for Jane M VALLENTINE: General Notes: 1940 Carrollton High School Graduate

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- 12. iii. **Joie J VALLENTINE** was born on 01 May 1925 in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA. She married Roy L BEDELL on 15 Oct 1946. She died on 18 Aug 2002 in Le Roy, McLean, Illinois, USA.
- 11. Christy E VALLENTINE-5 (John P-4, Edward Simon-3, James-2, John-1) was born in 1901.

Notes for Christy E VALLENTINE: General Notes: 1917 Graduate of Carrollton High School

M C Vallentine.

Christy E VALLENTINE and M C Vallentine married. They had the following children:

i. **William Christy VALLENTINE** was born on 26 Jul 1924. He died on 26 Jul 1924. He was buried in Carrollton, Greene, Illinois, USA (Carrollton City Cemetery).

Generation 6

12. **Joie J VALLENTINE**-6 (Rupert James-5, John P-4, Edward Simon-3, James-2, John-1) was born on 01 May 1925 in Kane, Greene, Illinois, USA. She died on 18 Aug 2002 in Le Roy, McLean, Illinois, USA. She was buried in Bentown, McLean, Illinois, USA (Friends Cemetery).

Roy L BEDELL was born on 25 Aug 1922 in Bentown, McLean, Illinois, USA. He died on 02 Dec 1998 in Bloomington, McLean, Illinois, USA. He was buried in Bentown, McLean, Illinois, USA (Friends Cemetery).

Roy L BEDELL and Joie J VALLENTINE were married on 15 Oct 1946. They had the following children:

i. Barbara D BEDELL was born in 1952. She died in 2009.