



WILLAMETTE VALLEY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY, INC.

WVGS is an Oregon Non-Profit Corporation and an IRS 501 (c) (3) organization

WVGS normally meets the second Saturday of each month, during the period of 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the **Oregon State Library** building, **250 Winter Street, N.E.** (corner of Court and Winter Streets), on the west side of the Capitol Mall. (Use the entrance from Winter Street, which is handicapped-accessible.)
We suggest you check with WVGS in advance to be sure meetings will be held on the normal schedule.

The Oregon State Library Genealogy and General Reference Rooms (2nd Floor) are open to the public from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday (except State Holidays). They also are open for genealogical research the Saturday each month that WVGS meets (see above) from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Parking meters are free on Saturdays. WVGS volunteers are available to assist researchers during all open hours.

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For more information:

**WVGS Web Site Address –
<http://oregon.gov/OSL/GRES/genealogy.shtml>
Oregon State Library Reference Room Phone:
503-378-5708**

Membership is available for \$20.00 per calendar year (January-December) for an individual or \$25.00 for a family. See application for pro-rated rates for new members joining later in the year. Complete and mail the form at the left, enclosing your check, payable to **WVGS** (Include a SASE if you would like your membership card and receipt mailed to you). **Life Membership** is also available, for individuals only. See our Life Membership brochure, or write, call or e-mail WVGS for information.

The **Willamette Valley Genealogical Society** was organized in December 1968, to create and foster the study of family history, to aid in the publication of local history, and to aid in the establishment of materials in local genealogical library collections. It is an Oregon Non-Profit corporation, and was determined by IRS to be a 501 (c) (3) organization. Your donations may be federal tax-deductible.

The Society has a collection of genealogy books available to members, housed at the **Oregon State Library**, which has its own major collection of genealogy books, periodicals, microfilm and Microfiche records. The public may check out some books and periodicals. There also are computers devoted to genealogical research, accessing a large collection of CD-ROMs as well as the Internet.

Monthly meetings of the Society usually include -

- Business meeting
- Beginners' class (except for December and summer months)
- Program of interest to genealogists (speaker, seminar or workshop)

See the current *WVGS Newsletter* for the time schedule (or check the website). All of the preceding are open to visitors at no charge. No pre-registration for classes is required.

Membership includes the monthly *WVGS Newsletter* and four issues per year of the Society's publication, **Beaver Briefs**. Salem/Keizer area members also can check out books from the WVGS collection. Members' queries are printed in **Beaver Briefs** free of charge; there is a \$2.00 charge per insertion for queries from non-members.

WVGS MEMBERSHIP FORM Please if this is a NEW or RENEWAL membership

NAME

MAIDEN NAME

MAILING ADDRESS:

SPOUSE'S
NAME

CITY, STATE,
ZIP CODE

TEL. AREA
CODE & NO.

COUNTIES OF
INTEREST—
INCLUDING
STATE ABBR.

OPTIONAL—ELECTRONIC MAIL ADDRESS

May WVGS include the following in our published membership rosters (please check each item):

YOUR MAILING ADDRESS YES NO

YOUR TELEPHONE NUMBER YES NO

YOUR ELECTRONIC MAIL ADDRESS YES NO

Amount enclosed—

\$ _____ for Annual Dues (\$20 individual or \$25 family membership)

\$ _____ payment to be applied toward Life Membership Under Age 70 Age 70 or Over

\$ _____ other (please identify)

\$ _____ TOTAL ENCLOSED

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