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Learning about DELANO history and genealogy

DELANO KINDRED

The DELANO KINDRED is a Society, incorporated in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, organized exclusively for educational and charitable purposes to perpetuate the memory and genealogy of the ancestors and descendants of Philippe de Lanoy, the progenitor of most DELANOs in the Americas, who arrived at Plymouth in 1621 on the FORTUNE.

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From the Editor

In this issue of the *Bonnes Nouvelles* we include information about the 2021 Reunion and Annual Membership Meeting.

We also discuss a few changes in the organization, including my new role, a report on the restoration of Benoni's marker, and some educational and informational articles we wanted to add for all to enjoy.

As many of you know by now, Mr. George B Delano has stepped down as Editor of the Delano Kindred Newsletter and will now serves as our Editor Emeritus. He will, of course, be as much a part of the Kindred Newsletter as he wants, as well as continue to offer his sage advice and priceless opinions. (See below for full story on Mr. George B. Delano.)

With that being said, I wanted to briefly introduce myself. I am Nick Neagle, currently living in Stafford, Virginia. My mother, Patricia Delano, was part of the Northern Neck of Virginia's Delano line. I grew up learning all about the Delano line because I went to a reunion in Warsaw, Virginia in 1991, when I was only 11 years old. I work in Cyber Security for a branch of the Navy known as NCIS, you might have heard of them.

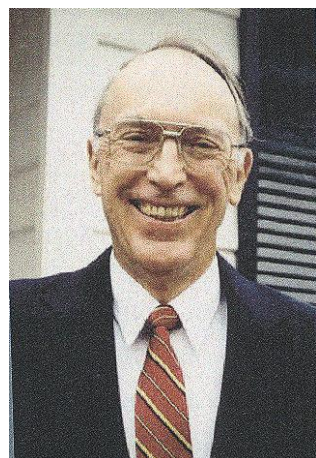
Acknowledgement of Service

Well Done George B. DeLano!

by Muriel Curtis Cushing

An article in the *Duxbury Reporter* dated Wednesday, August 22, 1990 "PHILIPPE DE LA NOYE'S FAMILY DESCENDS ON TOWN" and here we are again planning our descent to celebrate our ancestor's arrival in Plymouth 400 years ago. The article continues with "150 gather at reunion—they came from as far away as Arizona, Ontario and Michigan."

It was noted that this was the third reunion, but the first to be advertised nationwide, and the first major reunion to be held in Duxbury. "A newsletter is planned and descendant George DeLano, of Virginia, suggested updating by 1999 the family's major genealogical work, written in 1899."



George B. DeLano is a 10th-generation descendant of Philippe de Lanoy (Philip Delano) who arrived at Plymouth Colony on the *Fortune* in 1621. His Delano line of descent is through the Lt. Jonathan branch of the family. Jonathan, the fourth son, married Mercy Warren, granddaughter of Richard Warren of the *Mayflower*.

Captain George Broughton DeLano was born in East Grand Rapid, Michigan, the son of Herman Jenner DeLano and his wife Elizabeth Lenore Broughton. George graduated from Allegan High School and entered the United States Naval Academy where he graduated in 1955. During his 30 years of service, he completed a course in Meteorology at the Naval Postgraduate School in Monterey, California, and has

taken various training courses in oceanography, acoustics, mapping, charting and geodesy.

In 1985 George retired from the Navy at Norfolk, Virginia and has devoted his time to the genealogy of the Delano family and became the founding president of the DELANO KINDRED where he served in that office for 20 years. He has served as the editor of the family's newsletter, the *Bonnes Nouvelles* since its inception in 1991.

As President, George has been instrumental in so many of the great strides made by the Kindred. During his long tenure he has been faithfully supported by his lovely wife Diana, their two daughters and his brother Herman DeLano. His dedication, leadership, and quiet authority has been an inspiration and pride of the members of the DELANO KINDRED.

We wish George a happy and relaxing retirement as he now hands over the reins as editor to Nicholas Neagle. Good luck Nick and our deep gratitude for carrying on the *Bonnes Nouvelles* as our new Kindred editor.

2021 Reunion and Annual Meeting

Plymouth, Massachusetts, USA

ANNUAL MEETING INFORMATION

Time to Celebrate!

It has been 400 years since our ancestor, Philip Delano, arrived in America on the ship Fortune, 30 years since the founding of the Delano Kindred, and 400 years since the Pilgrims held their first Thanksgiving celebration. This is a big year for us, so we've "pulled out all the stops" to mark this special year. This year, the Annual Meeting and Reunion will be held in Plymouth, on the Plimoth Patuxet Museum grounds.

The dates are September 17 – 19, and our "home" hotel will be the Baymont by Wyndham in Kingston, MA, conveniently located between Plymouth and Duxbury. We anticipate a full list of presentations and activities beginning on Friday the 17th for those who can attend in person, and we will conduct the Annual Meeting itself on Saturday the 18th at 1 PM Eastern time both in-person and via Zoom for those who cannot physically be there. **Registration is required** (even for the Zoom meeting). Up-to-Date meeting information is posted on the website (www.delanokindred.us), and a registration form for these events is available there as well.

Updates will be posted as they become available.

Reservations for rooms at the Baymont must be made directly with the Baymont PRIOR TO AUGUST 1st to guarantee getting our negotiated rate. Negotiated rates are \$149/night for the 17th and 18th, \$99/night for days either side of those dates (plus tax). You must call the hotel directly at (781) 585-3831 and ask for the Delano Kindred Group rate. Reservations can be cancelled up to the day prior to arrival without penalty and pre-payment is not required.

Getting To the Hotel:

By Air: Although Boston's Logan Airport is closer, landing at the airport in Providence, RI, has often proven to be less costly. The approximate travel time from Boston is 1 hour while the trip from Providence takes 1 hour and 15 minutes.

By Car:

- From Providence and Points Southwest: Take I-95 North, to I-495 South (Exit 12A) to Route 44 East (Exit 15). At the traffic circle, take the 3rd exit and stay on US-44 East. Use the left lane to merge onto MA-3 North toward Boston, then take Exit 18 for MA-3A toward Kingston/North Plymouth. Take a sharp right onto MA-3N/Main Street and turn right on Hilltop Ave. to the hotel.
- From Boston and Points North: Take Route 93 South to Route 3 South. Take exit 7 (MA-3 South toward Cape Cod) onto MA-3 South to Exit 18 and pick up from there in the Providence directions above.
- From Points West: Take the Massachusetts Turnpike East to I-495 South, then pick up from I-495 South in the Providence directions above.

Tentative Schedule of Events at the 2021 DELANO KINDRED Reunion

Plymouth, Massachusetts, USA

The meeting kicks off on Friday morning, September 17, at the Baymont and continues Friday and Saturday afternoons at Plimoth Patuxet Museums for those who can attend in person. There will be a private guided tour of the Alden House Historic Site on Friday evening. Dinner Saturday evening will feature a guest speaker, "in character", as he or she might have appeared in 1627. Meals will be your choice of either a chicken or fish dish, with a beer and wine cash bar. We will conduct the Annual Meeting itself on Saturday the 18th at 1 PM Eastern time both in-person and via Zoom for those who cannot physically be there.

Annual Meeting Elections

In addition to the usual business of reports and budgets, the meeting will include the election of Officers who will serve for the next two years and appointing a replacement for the outgoing Chairperson of the Nominating Committee, Donna Delano.

The Benoni Delano Marker Restoration Project

At the Myles Standish Burying Ground, Colonial Stone has finished restoring the Benoni Delano marker. Now that this restoration is complete, Mr. Thomas Delano has notified the Duxbury Cemetery Trustees that the Delano Kindred has completed the Benoni Delano marker restoration as promised. Stay tuned for hopefully more news on this project.

Here are before and after photos of the marker.



Officers, Board of Directors and Committee Members

DELANO KINDRED 2020-2021

Elected Officers and Directors, Appointed Committee Chairs and Members, and Other Appointees
For complete contact information, refer to the Membership Directory in members' section of www.delanokindred.us

OFFICERS (terms expire 2021)

President George (Terry) DELANO III gdelano2000@yahoo.com	Vice President Matthew DELANO mattyd1980.md@gmail.com	Secretary Margaret L. DELANO mldelano@verizon.net	Treasurer David L. Grinnell dvytca@gmail.com
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Jackie DELANO jbrew13@gmail.com	Frederic D. Grant, Jr. grant@grantboston.com	Eric Thrailkill e.thrailkill@gmail.com
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NOMINATING COMMITTEE

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APPOINTED/VOLUNTARY POSITIONS

Membership Jackie DELANO (Chr.)	Contact Committee Chair George (Terry) DELANO III	DNA Committee Muriel C. Cushing (Chr.) George (Terry) DELANO Carolyn E. Clarke cclarke@xmission.com Becket Soule	Genealogist Muriel C. Cushing 1620flash@gmail.com	Memorialization Committee Muriel C. Cushing (Chr.) Thomas DELANO Terri Sorensen Frederic D. Grant Becket Soule
Newsletters George B. DELANO (Editor Emeritus) gdk125@verizon.net Nicholas Neagle (Chr.) nicholasneagle@gmail.com Thomas DELANO	Charitable Program Chair Terri Sorensen	Finance Committee Paula C. DELANO (Chr.) pauladelano@yahoo.com David Grinnell	Internet/Website Paula C. DELANO (Chr.)	Social Media Kathleen Lyons (Chr.) graniteroad@comcast.net Jonathan DELANO jon.delano@verizon.net
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European Research Project Rev. Becket Soule (Chr.) Terri Sorensen Tom DELANO Frederic D. Grant Jonathan DELANO George B. DELANO (Chr. Emeritus)	Reunion 2021 Committee Thomas DELANO (Chr.)		Merchandise Chair Michael Delano dclanoaz@yahoo.com	
		Historian pending	Hospitality Committee Eugene Marcinkowski (Chr.)	

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New Members

New Members Since Newsletter #92

(as of 6/30/2021)

<u>First name</u>	<u>Last name</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>City</u>
Lewis	Delano	New York	New York
Michael	Lyons	New Jersey	Bloomingtondale
Christopher	Kimball	Florida	Tallahassee
Frederick	Woodruff	Maine	Freeport
Steven	DeLano	Wisconsin	Plymouth
Linda	Jensen	Kansas	Lansing
Gene	Delano	Massachusetts	Carlisle
Robert	Harlow	New York	Albany
Amy	Swagart	Michigan	Bannister
Evelyn	Hinson	Pennsylvania	Reading
Karen	Woodworth	Michigan	Kalamazoo
Michael	Spellmeyer	Minnesota	Owatonna
Teri	Paice	Colorado	Littleton
Lori	Lyons	Ontario, Canada	Niagara Falls
Russell	Dealmo	Connecticut	Hamden
Elizabeth	Cardwell	Missouri	St. Peters
George	Clark	California	San Jose
Diane	Coleman-Horne	Mississippi	Olive Branch
Kelli	Macomber	Colorado	Boulder
Elizabeth	Cleveland	Massachusetts	Norwell

WELCOME ABOARD COUSINS! We look forward to many years of fellowship with you and we hope that membership in the DELANO KINDRED will be a source of pride and pleasure.

Notice of Deadline for Submission of Motions to the 2021 Annual Meeting

In accordance with the DELANO KINDRED Bylaws (changed at the 2007 Annual Meeting), all Motions to come before this Annual Meeting must be received by the Secretary, Margaret L. Delano, no later than 90 days before the Annual Meeting.

Thanks to Our Contributing Members

The Board of Directors of The DELANO KINDRED Inc. wish to thank those whose names appear below for their generous and tax-deductible gifts and donations to the various funds of the Society, during the year ending on December 31, 2020.

<u>Lastname</u>	<u>Firstname</u>	<u>Lastname</u>	<u>Firstname</u>
Clarke	Elizabeth	Douglass	Patricia
Delano	Barbara Jo	Fogerty	Robert W.
Delano	Danny L.	Mendell Miller	Iris
Delano	Donna	McCready	Joan
Delano	George & Paula	Kriscenski	John
DeLano	George B.	Klemmer	Eric
Delano	George T.	Klemmer	Maryann
Delano	Jeanne	Philips	Lyn
Delano	Jonathan	MacMillan	Josephine
Delano	Joseph A.	Ross	Mary
Delano	Margaret L.	Sholkovitz	Mary DeLano
Delano	Mary L.	Sutton	Carol
Delano	Matthew	Wagner	Dona
Delano	Michael	Walker	Marie
Delano	Sanford		
Delano	William (Billy)		

Donations to our DELANO KINDRED Contribution Program totaled \$3,871.50 as follows:

General Memorial Fund: \$1,692.50

Memorialization Program

Gravestone Preservation Project: \$359.00

Charitable Programs:

Annual Charity Drawing: \$80.00

Plimoth Plantation Support: \$0.00

Educational Programs:

DNA Program: \$55.00

European Research: \$0.00

Educational Website: \$1,685.00

Other Donations:

Leiden American Pilgrim Foundation: \$0.00

Plymouth Colony Records Project: \$0.00

Restoration of Logbook: \$0.00

As we start the new calendar year, we hope you will consider donating to the DELANO KINDRED Contribution Program as part of your charitable giving for 2021.

All charitable donations to the DELANO KINDRED Contribution Program are tax deductible and greatly appreciated by your Board of Directors. The best way to donate is to visit our website, www.delanokindred.us, and click on “Care to Donate?” under “Let’s Be Social” on the right-side menu. If you prefer a hardcopy donation form, we have included a copy of the DELANO KINDRED Contribution Form in this issue for your convenience. Please note that it lists the various projects (Memorialization, Charitable and Educational) that make up our Contribution Program that are in keeping with our organized purpose as a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt corporation.

Departed Former Cousins

We sadly announce the death of former member **Stephen D. Lyons, Sr.**, 88, of Bloomingdale, New Jersey. Stephen D. Lyons, Sr. passed away on November 14, 2020. Stephen was born in Nyack, NY and grew up in Emerson, NJ. Stephen graduated from Westwood High School in 1950 where he was a varsity football and track and field athlete. He graduated from Rutgers College in 1954 with a B.S. degree in History. While at college, he was a member of ROTC and Alpha Ki Roe. Stephen remained close with several of his fraternity brothers over the years and was particularly proud of his Rutgers education and often attended football games and alumni events. Following college, Stephen served as a U.S. Army First Lieutenant along the Korean Demilitarized Zone. Returning stateside, Stephen was first employed in Labor Relations by Otis Elevators. Stephen then went on to work for Reaction Motors, which was involved in the national space program of the 1960s and he specifically recalled the office excitement of the first moon landing. Later, Stephen spent most of his career as a Personal Director at Frances Schervier Home and Hospital in the Bronx. In 1957, Stephen married Julieanne Bergholtz of Hillsdale, NJ and moved to Lodi, NJ. Stephen and his young family moved to Bloomingdale in 1962, where he was a member of the Board of Education and the Bloomingdale Planning Board for many years. Until recently, Stephen worked the polls every Election Day. Earlier, he was often involved with his children’s activities including Boy Scouts Troop 287 and youth sports. He attended many Butler High School sporting events of his children and continued to attend his grandchildren’s sporting events at various high schools and colleges. Besides residing in Bloomingdale, Stephen spent parts of his summers with his children and grandchildren at his ancestral farm in Ossipee, New Hampshire. Son of the late Walter L. Lyons, Sr. and Louise J. (Delano) Lyons and husband of the late Julieanne (Bergholtz) Lyons, he is survived by his children: Michael, John, Stephen Jr., Helen, and Kathleen and his grandchildren: Julia, Regina, Isabella, Sean, Daniel, Kerry, Charles, Shannon, Christina, and Patrick. Predeceased by his siblings: Louise, Ruth, Margaret and Walter Jr., Stephen is survived by many nieces and nephews. Visitation for family and friends was held on Friday, December 4th, 2020, from 2 PM to 4 PM at Richards Funeral Home, 4 Newark Pompton Turnpike, Riverdale. A Mass of Christian Burial was offered at 9:30 AM, on Saturday December 5th, 2020, at St. Mary’s R.C. Church, Pompton Lakes. Interment followed at Christ the King Cemetery, Franklin Lakes. In lieu of flowers, donations in Stephen’s name may be made to the Lakes Region Land Trust, P.O. Box 766, 156 Dane Road, Center Harbor, NH 03226.

We sadly announce the death of former member **Audrey Irene Cummings Moran**. Audrey Irene Cummings Moran, 95, of Coventry, beloved wife of the late Thomas J. Moran died Monday, March 8, 2021, at her home. Born in Windsor Locks, she was the daughter of the late James and Ruth (Delano) Cummings and had lived in Coventry for most of her life. She was an active member of the First Congregational Church of Coventry for over fifty years. Audrey was also involved with the Nathan Hale Ancient Fifes and Drums, holding numerous leadership positions and playing the bass drum. She worked at the Coventry Broadcaster before spending many years in admissions at UCONN until her retirement in 1991. She is survived by her children Thomas J. Moran and his wife Linda of Collinsville, and Roberta L. Banks of Manchester; her grandchildren Devin O'Brien and her husband Jason, Mike Moran and his wife Danielle, Jessica Nelson and wife Zoe, Andrew Nelson and wife Jennifer, Donna Banks, Deborah Bullock and husband Richard, Diana Wyatt, Frank Banks Jr. and wife April, Frederick Banks, Dana Finni and husband Scott, and Angela Del Negro; and 20 great-grandchildren; and 7 great-great-grandchildren. In addition to her husband, she was predeceased by her son-in-law Francis Banks; her siblings, James McQuarrie, and Jean Paterwic; her great-granddaughter Briana Banks; grandson-in-law Keith Wyatt; and her daughter-in-law Doreen Moran. Funeral service was held on Saturday, March 13th at 10:30 am at the John F. Tierney Funeral Home, 219 West Center St. Manchester, followed by burial in East Cemetery, Manchester.

We sadly announce the death of former member **Jean F. (Cummings) Paterwic**, of Enfield, CT. Jean F. Cummings Paterwic, 89, entered peacefully into eternal rest on Tuesday, January 19, 2021, in the comfort of her home. Born October 30, 1931, in Windsor Locks, CT to the late James A. and Ruth D.M. Delano Cummings, she resided in Enfield for the past 63 years and had resided in Windsor Locks & Miami, FL. Jean was a graduate of Windsor Locks H. S. Prior to her retirement in 1992 Jean was employed with Combustion Engineering for 16 years. In her leisure time she enjoyed reading, dancing, needlepoint, flowers, animals, music, socializing with people, time spent with loved ones and friends, and associated with the Delano Kindred over 20 years. Jean was a member of the Enfield Congregational Church for over 50 years. Jean is survived by her four beloved daughters, Sharon McCray and husband Steve of East Windsor, Bonnie Santiago of Springfield, Lynn Goncalves of Enfield and Ava Paterwic Thomas and husband Roy of Stafford Springs, her eight cherished grandchildren and eight adored great grandchildren. She is also survived by a sister, Audrey Moran of Coventry, CT, along with many nieces, nephews, and several cousins. Besides her parents she was also predeceased by her husband Michael Paterwic and a brother James McQuarrie. Calling hours for Jean took place on Friday, January 22, 2021, from 4:00 to 7:00 pm at Browne Memorial Chapels, Enfield. The Funeral service was held on Saturday, January 23, 2021, at 11:45 am from Browne Memorial Chapels, Enfield, and was followed by interment in Grove Cemetery Windsor Locks, CT.



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CURRENT RESIDENT OR

**The 2021 Delano Kindred Reunion Will Be Held at Plymouth, MA
September 17-19, 2021 – Register at www.delanokindred.us**

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Articles and information about descendants of the DELANO family are always welcome and greatly appreciated by your editor. Every effort will be made to include them as soon as space permits.

Comments and requests for back copies may be requested by writing to Nick Neagle, Editor, at 306 Brookewood Drive, Fredericksburg, VA 22405. The back newsletter cost is currently \$4.00 per copy.

In the past, it has been our practice to mail one *BONNES NOUVELLES* to each member-household address. However, in light of increased mailing and printing costs and feedback from members who would prefer to receive the newsletter via email, we will now be distributing the newsletter in a PDF file via email to each member. We will continue to mail the newsletter to those members who do not have an email address and would be happy to mail a copy to your household address if desired.