The goal of the Dallas Genealogical Society shall be to educate, by creating, fostering, and maintaining interest in genealogy; to assist and support the genealogy section of the J. Erik Jonsson Central Library in Dallas, Texas, or to its legal successor; and to collect, preserve, copy, and index information relating to Dallas County and its early history.

January 8th Meeting

*Hospitality* - 10:30 a.m. - DPL West Room  
*Business* - 11:00 a.m. - DPL Auditorium  
*Program* - 11:20 a.m. - DPL Auditorium

"To a Better Place" - Between 1854 and 1929 more than 150,000 children rode the Orphan Train. What was the Orphan Train? Who rode on it? What were the goals? Get the answers to these questions and learn where to find help when researching Orphan Trains. Guest lecturer: Judy Knight

DGS Facebook Page
If you are a Facebooker, look for the new Dallas Genealogical Society Facebook page. Become a friend. Be sure to choose
DGS Family Search Page

Members of the Dallas Genealogical Society Technology Special Interest Group have created two new pages on the FamilySearch Research Wiki, a collection of more than 40,000 family history articles created by genealogists around the world.

The first page is a society page documenting the Dallas Genealogical Society. The second page provides information about the city of Dallas. The DGS is also the official sponsor for these pages, which allows the organization to have a link to our own web site situated prominently on these pages hosted on a site that is visited by thousands of users from around the world every day.

The links to the pages are:
https://wiki.familysearch.org/en/Dallas,_Dallas_County,_Texas

Because these pages are Wiki’s (which are simply web pages that can be changed by anybody who can view them), anybody can change or add content to them at any time. Help make these pages even more useful by adding your information!

To learn more about Wikis go to the Technology SIG page on the DGS web site:

- http://www.dallasesgenealogy.org
- Select SIGs -> Technology -> Wikis

Special Interest Groups

**Technology SIG** - The next Technology SIG meeting will be held on Thursday, January 6 from 6:30 to 8:00 pm at the Dallas Public Library. This month’s presentation will be made by DGS member Suzan Younger who will be presenting information on Find a Grave and US Gen Web.

**Brown Bag SIG** - The next Brown Bag SIG meeting will be held on Thursday, January 6 from 5:00 to 6:15 p.m. Liz Kutz will lead the discussion of "Five Edmund Jeningses of Virginia and Maryland," by Monk, Arliss Shaffer, CG found in NGSQ 96 (December 2008): 299-310. [Multi-generational. Also
includes England.

**Upcoming Events**

February 10-12, 2011 **Roots Tech Conference**. Salt Lake City, UT.
May 11-14, 2011 **NGS Conference**, Charleston, SC

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