

GUINDON NEWSLETTER

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Our Goal

Is to serve as a communicator for researching and tracing the Guindon Family history. Our primary focus will be the ancestors and descendants of Francois Guedon & Marie Mollay's son, Pierre Guindon, born 24 Sep 1662, St. Pierre du Marche, Ville du Loudun, township Chaelleraut, diocese Poitiers, Poitou, France.

On the 21st of November 1706 Pierre married Catharine Rouchellet-Braza (widow of Vincellet) at the Notre Dame Church in Montreal, Quebec.

Pierre died on the 26 of September 1733 at St. Francois Ile Jésus, Quebec.

Pierre and Catharine's children baptized at St Francois Ile Jésus. Quebec:

1. Jean Guindon 15 September 1707
m Madeline Labelle. 14 Feb 1729
2. Pierre b 6 Jul 1709 d Oct 1709
3. Paul Guindon 21 Aug 1710
m Marie Josette Aube. 16 Sept 1733

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Variations of the Guedon/Guindon Surname

Gandan, Gandeau Gaudan Guesdon Guiendon Guinden
Guyndon

Yada Yaddow Yado Yadow

Yanda Yandan Yandaw

Yandeau Yandeu Yandreau

Yando Yandoh Yandon Yandow

Yeado Yeaudon Yedan Yedaw Yeddán Yedon Yedow

Yondau Yondeau Yonden Yondon Yandow

Note: Sometimes Y deciphered as Z eg. Zandaw

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GUINDON CONNECTIONS

By Laverne Aitchison – editor

Francis Napoleon Guindon and Sarah Ann Rebecca Morrison



By Don Morrison

I have solved much of this family with dates, names, etc. But no marriage, birth, or death certificates to back it up. I have all the descendants from Frederick Oliver Guindon down to 1998. Frederick Oliver was the fourth son of Sarah Ann and Francis Napoleon Guindon.

I do have a web site with myfamily.com called "**One Illinois Morrison Family.**" It contains the family tree and close to 1000 pictures arranged by numbers and also by albums. I have several Guindons in albums. You need an invitation which will give you a username and password to access the site. If you would like to visit the site, let me know and I will have an invitation sent to you *Don*

The information and pictures below are samples of what you will find at Don Morrison's website. If anyone would like to be **invited as guests** to Don Morrison's website at **MyFamily.com** or wish to share your Guindon genealogy on this family please contact:

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<p style="text-align: center;">Mr. & Mrs. W. John and Marnie (?) Guindon of South Dakota, First son of Francis Napoleon Guindon & Sarah Ann Rebecca (Morrison) Guindon Picture Dated: 25 Oct 1911 Place Taken: South Dakota <i>Picture Courtesy of Cheryl O'Donnell</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Frank Guindon son of William John Guindon and Marnie Guindon Family line of Francis Napoleon & Sarah Anne Rebecca (Morrison) Guindon. <i>Picture Courtesy of Cheryl O'Donnell</i></p>
	

Francis (Frank) Napoleon Guindon b 16 Jul 1854 in Quebec married 7 Aug 1881, Apple River, IL to
Sarah Ann Rebecca Morrison b 7 Mar 1861, Apple River, IL. They had 10 children:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. William John Guindon b 12 Jul 1882 2. Frank Ira Guindon b 22 Sep 1883 3. James Robert Guindon b 10 Jul 1886 4. Frederick Oliver Guindon b 2 Mar 1888 5. Helena (Lena) May Guindon b 25 Sep 1889 | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. Hiram Edmund Guindon b 8 Apr 1891 7. William John Guindon b 12 Jul 1882 8. Frank Ira Guindon b 22 Sep 1883 9. James Robert Guindon b 10 Jul 1886 10. Frederick Oliver Guindon b 2 Mar 1888 |
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Godfrey Memorial Library website: <http://godfrey.org/index.htm>

Online Resources – America's Genealogy Portal – Membership \$35 for 12 months.

By using the above website to search the 1900 census for the Francis Napoleon Guindon Family of Aurora County, South Dakota this family was not found by using the Guindon surname spelling. The **first name search feature** found the family name being spelt Gandan or Gaudan. In 1920 the spelling "Guinden" is used for the three brothers, Frank I., James Robert (listed as Robert J.) and Fred O. who state they are all single. They are boarding in a home and working in a garage. Their neighbor is an Orin Morrison family. (could this be a family connection?)

Editor: Laverne Aitchison

GÉDÉON LAMOUREUX AND MARIE-ATHANAÏSE GUINDON

By Nicole Patterson e-mail: nicdar24@gmail.com

Funeral card of my great, great, grandparents, Gédéon Lamoureux and Marie-Athanaïse Guindon, printed for her funeral in 1942.



Marie-Athanaïse Guindon was born 24 Nov 1870, the first child of Joseph Guindon and Marie Anne Brazeau of Clarence Creek, Ontario. She married Gédéon Lamoureux on 15 Sep 1890 in Clarence Creek. They had the following children: Almède, Marie-Euphémie, Lucienne, Emélia Laurencia (my great grandmother), Elphège, Ernest et Germain.



QUERY: From Rachelle Lachapelle E-mail: gasrtb@hotmail.com

Wondering if you may have more info. on these Guindons. My grandfather's sister Marie-Louise Lachapelle married Ed. Guindon in Montreal just after 1900. Would you be able to tell me anything about their ancestors and descendants? Thank you in advance. Rachelle

825 Deaths

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Obituary of Omer Guindon of Cornwall, Ontario

GUINDON, Omer – At the Janet MacDonell Pavilion on Wednesday, May 18, 2005. Omer Guindon, formerly of 1324 Notre Dame Street and McConnell Manor; age 89 years. Beloved husband of the former Annette St. Denis. Dear father of Gérald Guindon (Lynn) of Cornwall, Georgette Lecompte (Robert) of R.R. #1, Williamstown, Fernand Guindon (Darleen) of Bonville, Thérèse Godfrey (Paul) of Amherstview, Pauline Dixon (Lyle) of Ingleside, Claudette MacDonald (Brian) of Napanee and Paul Emile Guindon (Christine) of R.R. #1, Long Sult. Dear son of the late Pierre Guindon and the late Agnes Lalonde. Predeceased by two brothers, Ernest and Wilfrid Guindon and by five sisters, Hélène Sabourin, Eva Barthelette, Irene Lalonde, Rev. sister Agnes de Jesus, S.S.M. and Cécile Villeneuve. Also survived by 17 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Resting at the Lahaie & Sullivan Cornwall Funeral Homes, East Branch 614 First Street East (933-2841) from 2 p.m. Sunday.

Funeral Monday, May 23 2005 for Mass of Christian Burial in Ste- Thérèse de Lisieux Church at 11:30 a.m.

Interment, Notre Dame Cemetery. As expressions of sympathy, Memorial Donations to the Canadian Diabetes Association would be appreciated by the family.

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GUESDON/GUEDON/GESDON OF LOUDUN, FRANCE

Edwin Bezzina a PH.D. student in the department of History at the University of Toronto wrote a doctoral dissertation on Protestant-Catholic relations in the town of Loudun, France from 1598 to 1665. He put together a wonderful article on our Guesdon/Guindon connections he gleaned from his work in Loudun which we featured in the fall Guindon Newsletter of 2003 #23 (available on the CD at the end of this article)

Since then he has taught at the University at Saint Cloud, Minnesota and last summer was offered a teaching job at the University of Toronto in Scarborough, Ontario. His current name and address is:

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This is his reply to a query I had on the Guedon family.
Hi Laverne,

I've finally had a chance to look through the material that you sent me and I find it very professionally arranged (I particularly like the way that you arranged the family tree; it's very easy to understand). I've been going by the Family Group Sheet and would like to make some suggestions and corrections

i)under Husband: Francois Guedon GUINDON

-during this period the name is usually written as Guesdon, although one finds exceptions like Guedon or Gesdon
-Francois should be François
-you mention that the couple was married in ABT 1652 in the Martray they were probably married in the Martray because that is where they baptized their children, although I don't have a precise record of this in my database).

ii)under "Wife Marie Molle-Molay;

-the most common spelling is MOLAY, although one also finds MOLAIS, MAULAIE, and MAULAY - I would put Wife Marie Molay (Molais, Maulaie, Maulay, Mollé)

iii) under the section "Children"

-GUINDON should really be GUESDON (the latter is the more common spelling; I don't remember seeing GUESDON spelt as GUINDON very often in this early period, although it does show up in my lists of possible spellings for GUESDON, and thus it was not impossible)
-Pr GUESDON, baptized 19 Mar 1659; I have in my database the 15th
-in between Pierre and François, there is another son named Antoine, baptized 2 Jan 1656 in the Martray
-for the son Pierre, St. Francois de Sales should be St. François de Sales
-at the end of the list of children, I have one more daughter named Françoise baptized 8 Aug 1669 in the Martray

Now, about the discrepancy concerning the marriage of 1698, I looked at the original and it reads Jean GUESDON son of the late François GUESDON and Marie MAULLAI, of the parish of Martray, with Françoise GUESDON daughter of René GUESDON and Marie LUNET of this parish (Marché). The couple went away to live in Veniers. That means that the information in the footnote 28 is correct.

I think that the material in the text is mistaken, i.e. the sentence "This is entirely probable, for the patient work of Christian Moreau has revealed a marriage act dated 1 July 1698 in the parish St. Pierre du Marché between, on the one hand, Jean Guesdon son of François Guesdon and Marie Molay, and, on the other, Françoise Guesdon daughter of Pierre Guesdon (not the one in Québec) and Guillemine Hardouin." The material that is inaccurate is the parents of Françoise Guesdon. As it turns out, Christian Moreau followed the original document accurately, but for some reason, I confused this Françoise Guesdon with another Françoise Guesdon. I was looking through the whole file and at one point I did think that the Françoise GUESDON who married Jean GUESDON was in fact the daughter of GUESDON/HARDOUIN, but somewhere between drafting that preliminary tree and writing the article, I arrived at

the proper solution. Yet, for some reason the original inaccurate link made its way into the article. There may have been another source upon which I based that original presupposition. It is true that the parents of René GUESDON (husband of Marie LUNET) are Pierre GUESDON and Guillemine HARDOUIN, thus GUESDON/HARDOUIN are the grandparents of the Françoise GUESDON noted above, not the parents (marriage contract dated 27 Feb 1661, Thomas Aubéry the Elder, notary).

In any case, I apologize for the confusion. Please go by the information in the footnote.

I also found another marriage act which might be helpful to you:

Le cinquieme juin 1696 mil six cent quatre vingt seize espouzé François Guesdon marchand fils de René Guesdon aussy marchand et de Marie Lunet d'une part, avecq Louise Pasquer fille de Henry Pasquer et de Suzane Oryau ces pere et mere d'autre part et ce apres les trois publications solennelles et accoutumées sans aucune opposition et en presence de leurs prinsipalles parans et amis les dicts contractants de cette paroisse et de celle de St. Pierre du Martray et ladite Pasquer a déclaré ne scavoir signer.

Signatures: René Guesdon; H. Pasquer; Pasquer; J. Leconte; Marie Pasquer; Marie Brion; Caterine Herbault; Marthe Brion; Pasquer; Charles Prestre; Musnier; Claude Prestre; Marie Lunet; François Oryau; F. Guesdon; François Guesdon; LeBlanc; M. Lenet; Louise Prestre; Marie Leconte; Anne Leconte; Guesdon; Jean Le Peultre; Marie Guesdon; Marie Fouquet; Pierre de Mortigny; Pierre Halbert; P. Guesdon prestre principal du College des Chauvets

In the margin: Et ont declare aller demeurer dans la paroisse de Curçay.

ENGLISH TRANSLATION

On the fifth of June 1696, the marriage of François Guesdon, merchant, son of René Guesdon, also a merchant and of Marie Lunet on the one part, with Louise Pasquer, daughter of Henry Pasquer and of Suzane Oryau, her father and mother on the other part and after the three publication of the marriage, and without hearing any objections they received the accustomed solemn blessing in the presence of their family, godparents and friends of the couple of both this parish and St. Pierre du Martray. and the aforementioned Pasquer who declared he could not sign.

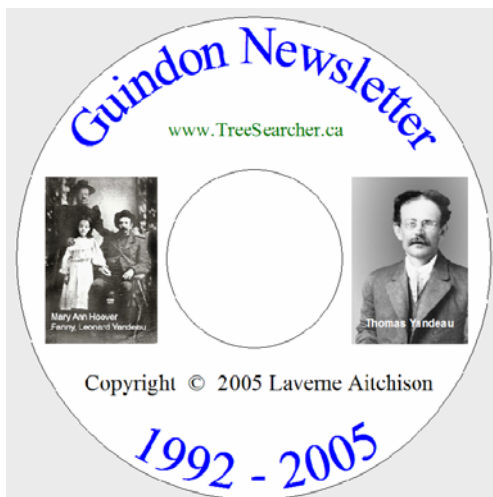
Following is a list of those that signed the document.

←See signatures

In the margin:

They declared that they are going to live in the Parish of Curçay

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Contact: Pierrette Villeneuve: villeneuvepier@videotron.ca

PIERRE (PETER) VILLENEUVE (VILLNAVE)	
(PIERRE) PETER (VILLENEUVE) VILLNAVE	Father: BENJAMIN VILLENEUVE Mother: EMELIE BRUNET
born: 1855, Bombay, N.Y. baptised: married: Fort Covington, N.Y. died: 1928, Brushton, N.Y.	
Wife: (MARTHE) MARTHA (YADDOW) GUINDON born: 1857, Bombay, N.Y. died: 1940, Brushton, N.Y.	Father: Mother: (OLIVIER) OLIVER (YADDOW) GUIDON Father: ELISE (ELIZA) SOUCY

GUINDON WEB SITES

<http://treearcher.ca>

<http://homepage.mac.com/robertyandow/family.html>

<http://www.distantcousin.com/SurnameResources/Surname.asp?Surname=Guindon>

<http://www.mycinnamontoast.com/perl/results.cgi?surname=GUINDON>

<http://www.genealogytoday.com/surname/finder.mv?Surname=Guindon>

<http://ancestorguide.com/G/Guindon/>

REMEMBER YESTERDAY
PONDER TOMORROW AND
LIVE FOR TODAY!

Craigmont, Ontario School (abt 1920)



This is a little trivia that some of you may be able to relate to and appreciate the changes of time.

In the one room school house, it was the responsibility of the older students to help the younger children with the main subjects of Reading, Writing and Arithmetic. Children would have to travel for miles to reach their schools sometimes by horse which took them through woods, sometimes following cattle trails, where wild animals were quite common. Lunches were generally carried in a tin lunch pail and usually consisted of leftovers from the previous meal. In the days of one-room schools, when the family driving horse was stabled in a small barn,

One of the standard games for kids was Annie Annie over. Two teams lined up on opposite sides of the building. The leader of one side threw the ball, which had to roll or bounce over the peak of the roof, and cried "Annie over!" If caught, the ball carrier tagged as many as he could while both groups dashed around the building. The game was over when all of one side was captured.

Boys and girls played "Red Rover", "Run-Sheep-Run" or "I spy!" "Statue Maker", "Follow-the-Leader", "Mother May I?" "Jacks" and "Dodge Ball". Boys walked on homemade stilts, originally invented for crossing rivers and marshes, and played mumblety-peg with their two-bladed jack-knives. The original name was "mumble-the-peg" because the loser had to use his teeth to pull a peg driven in the ground. Girls skipped rope and "Double Dutch", played "Hopscotch" -- hopping through the spaces of a diagram "scotched" or scratched on the ground, or chalked on a sidewalk. Do you remember "Blindman's Buff", "Marbles", "Tug of War", "Crack the Whip", "A Tisket A Tasket", "London Bridges Falling Down", "Button Button", "Red Light Green Light" just to name a few?

Teachers sometimes lived in the homes of their students. There would be very strict rules for teachers and discipline of the children was a very important part of schooling. There was an old saying, "If a kid got in trouble at school, they got double trouble as soon as they got home." Teachers were not allowed to go out during school nights or dance or play cards. If they married they could no longer teach. Actually, many good things went on in the one room schools. The relaxed atmosphere was conducive to learning and helping create a loving and lasting relationship with their teacher. It instilled the virtues of honesty, morality responsibility and fair play by example.

In the 1870's due to the very rural populations, one room schools were built for children of all ages. Generally there would be about 20 children in each one room school. In many schools they had to sit on split log benches and students would hold their work on their laps. Paper was scarce in the early years and most students used chalk and slate.



Rules for teacher in 1872

1. Teachers each day will fill lamps, clean chimneys
2. Each teacher will bring a bucket of water and a scuttle of coal for the day's session.
3. Make your pens carefully.
You may whittle nibs to the individual taste of the pupils.
4. Men teachers may take one evening each week for courting purposes, or two evenings a week if they go to church regularly.
5. After ten hours in school, the teachers may spend the remaining time reading the Bible or other good books.
6. Women teachers who marry or engage in unseemly conduct will be dismissed.
7. Every teacher should lay aside from each pay a goodly sum of his earnings for his benefit during his declining years so that he will not become a burden on society.
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T-shirts/cookbooks/hats \$ 421.00
Silent Auction items \$ 199.50
Alcohol and BBQ sales \$ 201.38

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Ashgrove catering \$ 1181.90
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Newsletter labels \$ 16.03
Newsletters/postage \$ 142.01
Advertising expense - \$ 91.85
Liquor license \$ 25.00
Liquor \$ 147.45
Buffet items \$ 107.63
T-Shirts \$ 921.83
Hall fee \$ 525.00
DJ and amp charges \$ 100.00
Decorations \$ 85.34
Bank fees \$ 9.00
TOTAL EXPENSES -\$ 3820.54

Balance forward \$ 1449.65
Revenue \$ 3959.88
Expenses \$ 3820.54

Bank balance as of November 4, 2005 \$ **1588.99**

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