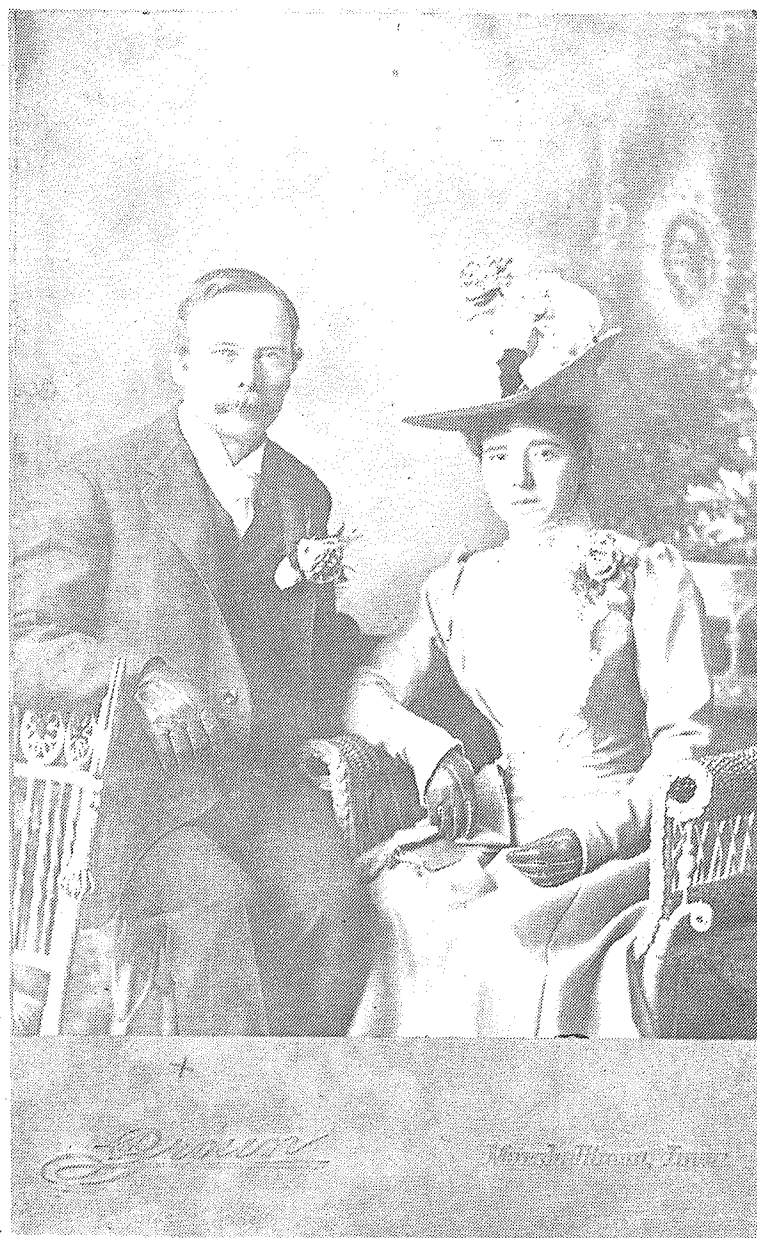




William Fricke
Annie Renton

TIME'S SOUVENIR

A golden treasure's buried here
Mid souvenirs of mine -
Grandpa's faithful, old pocket watch,
His measurement of time.
Symbolically, the shining chain
From engraved case to fob,
Unbroken, like his loyalty,
Half-century on the job.
The timepiece a grand token was
For all the years he'd spent
In the small town's only bank-
The cash and kindness lent.
He used to wrap the chain around
His fingers as he talked
And check the front-vest-pocket time
As down the street he walked.
At five A.M. he would arise,
Take down his moustache cup
And, pouring rich brown coffee, say,
"I'll wake the roosters up!"
To work at nine, and home for lunch,
Then back to work at one;
But home by five? Well, maybe not-
"ne'er leave a job 'till done."
The town could set its clocks by him,
I've oft heard townsfolk say,
And, yet, the irony of it all
Comes back to me today -
The watch I thought was keeping time
Was ticking it away. ©

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WILLIAM H. FRICKE

I

First Child of Christian Fricke and Caroline Schaper Fricke

WILLIAM H. FRICKE

ANNIE MURRAY RENTON

born January 20, 1859

born December 25, 1870

died May 4, 1941

died 1910

Married June 20, 1900

William Fricke was born in Sandwich, Illinois. An "Atlas of Marshall County" dated 1907 features Mr. and Mrs. William Fricke on pages 96, 109, 141 and 151 and records the following on page 151: "William H. Fricke is one of the early settlers of Minerva Township and now resides on his handsome "Long View Stock Farm", on Section 35. He is an active and enterprising business man and is largely interested in the breeding of fine stock, making a specialty of Short Horn Cattle and Berkshire hogs and his herds embrace some of the finest animals to be found in this section of the state. The subject of this sketch was born in DeKalb County, Illinois on January 20, 1859, his father's name being Christian Fricke. He has been a resident of Marshall County since the year 1865.

His marriage to Miss Annie Murray Renton was celebrated June 20, 1900. Miss Renton's place of birth was Liverpool, England, at which place she was born December 25, 1870, to Mr. and Mrs. John Renton."

Mr. and Mrs. Fricke were married on June 20, 1900 in the Presbyterian Church in State Center, Iowa. Mr. Fricke farmed all his life; his wife was a homemaker. However, before coming to the United States she had served as a seamstress for a former Queen of England.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Fricke are buried in Hillside Cemetery north of State Center, Iowa.

Children of William H. Fricke and Annie Murray Renton

1. Christian John Fricke
b. April 28, 1901
d.
m. June 30, 1929
Cyril Gertrude Adams
b. June 1, 1911
d.
2. Alice F. Fricke
b. December 28, 1903
d.
m. December 30, 1926
William H. Frandsen
b. November 28, 1902
d. October 6, 1954
3. Annie Fricke
b. November 12, 1905
d.
m. February 28, 1925
George Gross
b. June 19, 1900
d. November 6, 1976
4. Renton Fricke
b. November 30, 1908
d.
m. January 12, 1962
Donna Trehey
b. October 17, 1928
d.

CHRISTIAN JOHN FRICKE

First Child of William and Annie Murray Renton Fricke

CHRISTIAN JOHN FRICKE

born April 28, 1901
died

CYRIL GERTRUDE ADAMS

born June 1, 1911
died

Married June 30, 1929

Christian John Fricke and his wife Cyril Gertrude Fricke live on a farm near Marshalltown, Iowa on R.R. 6. "Chris" has always been a farmer. Sometime after their children were born, "Gertie" took a Nurse's Aid course and for the past several years has worked in a hospital in Marshalltown, Iowa. On January 30, 1979, Chris and Gertie celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary in Redeemer Lutheran Church in Marshalltown, Iowa. Congratulations !

CHILDREN

William Elam	b. September 15, 1929
Dorothy Jean	b. January 30, 1931
Robert Duane	b. May 13, 1933
Marilee Ann	b. September 24, 1936
Marlene Kay	b. April 21, 1939

WILLIAM ELAM FRICKE

First Child Of Christian J. and Cyril Gertrude Fricke

WILLIAM ELAM FRICKE

born September 15, 1929
died

DOROTHY JOAN HOFFMAN

born July 29, 1934
died

Married May 24, 1953

William Elam Fricke, first child of Christian and Cyril Gertrude Fricke was born at Liscomb, Iowa.

Dorothy Joan Hoffman, a daughter of Henry and Mary A. Hoffman (nee Dykes) was from Chatom, Alabama.

William and Dorothy were united in marriage on May 24, 1953 by the Rev. W.H. Hafner in Grace Lutheran Church, Mobile, Alabama. Their present address is R.R. 3, Marshalltown, Ia. 50158. William is a salesman for John Deere.

CHILDREN

Larry Dwayne	b. May 1, 1954
Steven Alan	b. June 18, 1956
William David	b. August 14, 1960
Pamela Susan	b. September 13, 1961
Cynthia Rene	b. October 31, 1962
John Ray	b. August 2, 1964

LARRY DUANE FRICKE

First Child of William Elam and Dorothy Joan Fricke

LARRY DWAYNE FRICKE

PATRICIA ANN CAMPBELL

born May 1, 1954

born

died

died

Married May 2, 1974

Larry Dwayne Fricke and Patricia Ann Campbell were united in marriage in Albuquerque, New Mexico on May 2, 1974. Their first child, still born on May 7, 1977, is buried in the Liscomb, Iowa Cemetery on the burial spot of Granville Ivan Nelson and Anna Pearl Nelson, great grandparents. This marriage was terminated on April 26, 1978 at Marshalltown, Iowa. Larry is presently (August 1981) an employee of Fisher Controls and resides at South Street Trailer Court, Lot 27, Marshalltown, Iowa.

CHILDREN

William Elgin Fricke b. August 7, 1977 (stillborn)

STEVEN ALAN FRICKE

Second Child Born to William Elam and Dorothy Joan
Hoffman Fricke

STEVEN ALAN FRICKE

born June 18, 1956
died

PEGGY LEE GROSS

born
died

Married June 26, 1976

Steven Alan Fricke and Peggy Lee Gross daughter of Albert Gross 303 S. Third Ave., Marshalltown and Barbara Gross 406 N. 13th Ave., Marshalltown were united in marriage at Elim Lutheran Church, Marshalltown, Iowa by the Rev. O.K. Anderson. No children were born to this union. This marriage was terminated with Dissolution granted on September 12, 1977.

Steven is presently (June 1981) employed by Fisher Controls of Marshalltown, Iowa.

WILLIAM DAVID FRICKE

Third Child of William Elam and Dorothy Joan Hoffman Fricke

WILLIAM DAVID FRICKE
born August 14, 1960
died

SO-MI PARK
born
died

Married June 20, 1980

William and So-Mi were united in marriage at Seoul, Korea at the U.S. Consulate while serving with the U.S. Army. They are now (1981) living in the United States serving with Co. C. 12th M.P. Bn , Ft. McCellan, Alabama .

PAMELA SUSAN FRICKE

Fourth Child of William Elam and Dorothy Joan Fricke

PAMELA SUSAN FRICKE
born September 13, 1961
died

DOUGLAS ALAN DANNER
born
died

Married November 13, 1980

Pamela is a certified and licensed Cosmetologist having graduated from Cosmetology Career, Inc., Marshalltown, Iowa on June 7, 1980. Presently (June 1981) she is a full time homemaker.

CHILDREN

Justin Ryan

b. July 21, 1981

STEP-CHILDREN

Douglas Alan Danner, Jr. b. August 7, 1975
Christopher Andrew Danner b. November 5, 1976

by previous marriage

CYNTHIA RENE' FRICKE

CYNTHIA RENE' FRICKE

born October 31, 1962
died

PETER GIANNIS GRILLAS

born
died

Married April 10, 1982
Calvary Baptist Church
Union, Iowa

Cynthia was a mid term graduate of West Marshall High School in 1981. She gained an early entrance admittance to Marshalltown Community College for the spring term of 1981, and was working toward a triple major in Political Science, English and Journalism. Cynthia aspires to be an attorney with future plans to continue schooling at Drake University, or Central College at Pella.

Cynthia and Peter are now at home in Eldora and plan a delayed wedding trip to Mr. Grillas's Greek homeland.

JOHN RAY FRICKE

Sixth Child of William Elam and Dorothy Joan Fricke.

JOHN RAY FRICKE

born August 2, 1964

died

John is a student at West Marshall High School, State Center, Iowa where he has completed the 11th grade (June 1981). John has no future plans except to graduate in the '81-'82 school year.

DOROTHY JEAN FRICKE HEGDAHL

Second child of Christian J. and Cyril Gertrude Fricke

DOROTHY JEAN FRICKE

born January 30, 1931
died

WILLIAM HENRY HEGDAHL

born November 4, 1931
died

Married November 16, 1952

Dorothy has always worked as a bookkeeper and her husband
William is owner of "Bills Wheel Alignment"

CHILDREN

Dennis William
Douglas Michael

b. February 20, 1954
b. September 1, 1956

DENNIS WILLIAM HEGDAHL

First child of Dorothy Jean Fricke and William Hegdahl

DENNIS WILLIAM HEGDAHL

PENNY LEE GALLAGHER

born February 20, 1954
died

born October 31, 1953
died

Married September 6, 1975

Dennis is a wheel alignment specialist at "Bills Wheel Alignment"
Penny is employed at Swanco Enterprises Inc.

CHILDREN

Nathan William

b. September 28, 1977

DOUGLAS MICHAEL HEGDAHL

Second child of Dorothy Jean Fricke and William Hegdahl

DOUGLAS MICHAEL HEGDAHL

born September 1, 1956

died

Married

Douglas lives at home. He is an auto transmission specialist at "Bills Wheel Alignment."

ROBERT DUANE FRICKE

Third Child of Christian J. and Cyril Gertrude Fricke

ROBERT DUANE FRICKE

born May 13, 1933
died

DORIS PLUMMBER

born April 4, 1932
died September 2, 1980

Married June 26, 1951

In 1951 Robert and Doris were married at the Little Brown Church at Nashua, Iowa. They operated a farm in Washington township, Marshall County, Iowa. In 1977 they became co-owners of the Melbourne Home Furnishing. Doris died in 1980

CHILDREN

Gary	b. November 28, 1951
Lorraine	b. October 25, 1953
Daryle	b. February 27, 1958
Karen	b. November 20, 1959
Carol Jean	b. June 22, 1962

Second Marriage

ROBERT DUANE FRICKE

born May 13, 1933
died

SHARLEEN WELCH

born
died

Married July 10, 1981

GARY FRICKE

First Child of Robert Duane and Doris Fricke

GARY FRICKE

born November 28, 1951
died

REBECCA VINT

born May 23, 1952
died

Married April 14, 1973

Gary is a carpet layer and co-owner of Melbourne Home Furnishings. He attended college for one year majoring in Bookkeeping. Rebecca is a graduate of an L.P.N. School of Nursing and is employed at MACH in Marshalltown. She is also a joint owner of Melbourne Home Furnishing.

CHILDREN

Christopher Dean
Timothy Robert

b. November 30, 1975
b. August 15, 1979

LORRAINE FRICKE

Second Child of Robert Duane and Doris Fricke

LORRAINE FRICKE

born October 25, 1953
died

DAVID WALTEMEYER

born February 14, 1954
died

Married January 22, 1972

David attended Hawkeye Tech in Waterloo majoring in Animal Science.
He raises purebred Duroc hogs.

Lorraine has taken nurses aide training, works part time and is an
expert housewife.

Their address is Melbourne, Iowa R.R.

CHILDREN

Jason

b. May 17, 1972

Kyle

b. January 2, 1977

Lorri

b. March 8, 1980

DARYL FRICKE

Third Child of Robert Duane and Doris Fricke

DARYL FRICKE

born February 27, 1958
died

MARCIA GEDDES

born October 27, 1957
died

Daryl is farming and Marcia is a home maker. Their address is
R.R. 3, Marshalltown, Ia. 50158

CHILDREN

Laura

b. April 16, 1980

KAREN LYNN FRICKE

Fourth Child of Robert Duane and Doris Fricke

KAREN LYNN FRICKE

born November 20, 1959
died

Karen is a parent consultant in Montgomery Wards Store in Marshalltown.
Karen lives at home with her father, R.R.3, Marshalltown, Iowa 50158.

CAROL JEAN FRICKE

Fifth Child of Robert Duane and Doris Fricke

CAROL JEAN FRICKE

born June 22, 1962

died

Carol is a waitress at the Steak Center in State Center
Iowa. Carol lives at home on R.R.3, Marshalltown, Iowa.

MARILEE FRICKE

Fourth Child of Christian J. and Cyril Gertrude Fricke

MARILEE ANN FRICKE

born September 24, 1936
died

ROBERT R. RICHTER

born April 20, 1932
died

Married February 19, 1955

Marilee and Robert are at home in Rock Falls, Illinois. Robert is a marketing officer at the First National Bank in Sterling, Illinois. Marilee is a surgical dental assistant. Both Debra Jean and Denise Lynn are engaged in clerical work.

CHILDREN

DEBRA JEAN
DENISE LYNN

b. January 5, 1958
b. May 6, 1960

MARLENE FRICKE

Fifth Child of Christian J. and Cyril Gertrude Fricke

MARLENE KAY FRICKE

JERRY JAY MILLER

born April 21, 1939
died

born May 10, 1935
died

Married September 28, 1958

Marlene attended Evangelical School of Nursing and is now Medical Secretary and Supervisor of Clerical personnel at the Des Moines General Hospital. Jerry attended the University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa and Drake University Des Moines, Ia. He now is assistant Claims Manager at the I. M. T. Insurance Company.

CHILDREN

TAB ALLEN
TROY LANCE
TAMARA JEAN
TARA KAY

b. April 13, 1959
b. August 1, 1961
b. June 12, 1965
b. November 16, 1967

TAB ALLEN MILLER

First Child of Marlene Fricke Miller and Jerry Miller

TAB ALLEN MILLER

born April 13, 1959
died

ELIZABETH LYNN HUTT (Beth)

born June 17, 1960
died

Married June 14, 1980

Tab attended Area VI Community College and is presently Service Manager at Firestone Center in Des Moines. Elizabeth attended Iowa State University at Ames, Iowa and Drake University in Des Moines. She is at present a student in Drake University in Des Moines.

TROY LANCE MILLER

Second Child of Marlene Fricke Miller and Jerry Miller

TROY LANCE MILLER

born August 1, 1961

died

Troy is a graduate of Hoover High. At present he is a salesman in Younkers Department Store in Des Moines, He resides at the parental home.

TAMARA JEAN MILLER

Third Child of Marlene Fricke Miller and Jerry Miller

TAMARA JEAN MILLER

born June 12, 1965

died

Tamara has completed her Sophomore year at Hoover High School. (July 1981)

TARA KAY MILLER

Fourth Child of Marlene Fricke Miller and Jerry Miller

TARA KAY MILLER

born November 16, 1967

died

Tara Kay is a 7th grade student at Meredith Jr. High.
(July 1981).

ALICE FRICKE FRANDSEN

Second Child of William and Annie Murray Renton Fricke

ALICE FRICKE

born December 28, 1903
died

WILLIAM H. FRANDSEN

born November 28, 1902
died October 6, 1954

Married December 30, 1926

Alice was graduated from Iowa State Teacher's College, Junior College, in August 1924. She taught in the rural schools in Iowa for two years. Later she enrolled in Pestalozzi-Frobel College in Chicago and graduated with a Bachelor of Science Degree on June 7, 1958. Alice taught in New Milford, Illinois (Rockford District) for five years and in the Nashold Charter District of Rockford for ten years. She retired at 66 years of age. Bill was a machinist.

CHILDREN

VIRGINIA MARIE FRANDSEN	b. February 3, 1936
COLEEN ELIZABETH FRANDSEN	b. August 29, 1939

VIRGINIA MARIE FRANDSEN

First Child of Alice Fricke Frandsen and William Frandsen.

VIRGINIA MARIE FRANDSEN

born February 3, 1936
died

MARSHALL ALAN BLOMBERG

born May 13, 1927
died

Married August 10, 1957

Marshall Blomberg was a welder.

CHILDREN

DANIEL MARSHALL

b. March 26, 1962

DAVID LEE

b. April 18, 1964

SARA KRISTINE

b. July 26, 1969

COLEEN ELIZABETH FRANDSEN

Second Child of Alice Fricke Frandsen and William Frandsen

COLEEN ELIZABETH FRANDSEN

born August 29, 1939
died

DENNIS ALVIN POTTER

born July 13, 1938
died

Married June 10, 1961

Divorced October 1980

Coleen is a High School Teacher of Science and holds a Master of Arts Degree.

Dennis is a salesman and holds a Bachelors Degree.

CHILDREN

DIANNE LYNN
ROBERT STEVEN

b. May 9, 1968
b. January 7, 1970

ANNA CAROLINE FRICKE

Third Child of William and Anna Murray Renton Fricke

ANNA CAROLINE FRICKE

born November 12, 1905
died

GEORGE GROSS

born June 19, 1900
died November 6, 1976

Married February 28, 1925

George and Anna Gross operated a cafe in State Center, Iowa until 1966 when they retired.

CHILDREN

MYRNA JOAN
MARLYS JEAN

b. May 7, 1938
b. June 7, 1942

MYRNA JOAN GROSS

First Child of Anna Fricke Gross and George Gross

MYRNA JOAN GROSS

born May 7, 1938
died

DONALD SHAFFER

born July 8, 1934
died

Married August 24, 1956

Donald Shaffer was a maintenance man for Swift Packing Plant
in Marshalltown, Iowa.

CHILDREN

DEBRA KAY
DENISE ANN
DIANA LYNN
TERRY RAY
JAY ALLEN
JIMMY GENE

b. May 28, 1957
b. August 2, 1958
b. June 21, 1961
b. March 6, 1967
b. November 10, 1969
b. October 30, 1971

DENISE ANN SHAFFER

Second Child of Myrna Gross Shaffer and Donald Shaffer

DENISE ANN SHAFFER

born August 2, 1958
died

JAMES THORNBURY

born November 25, 1954
died

Married January 12, 1980

MARLYS JEAN GROSS

Second Child of Anna Fricke Gross and George Gross

MARLYS JEAN GROSS

born June 7, 1942
died

LYLE JACOB LARSON

born October 18, 1940
died

Married January 6, 1962

Lyle is Executive Vice President of Holiday Stores, Minneapolis, Minn. Marlys works part time for an Association of Nursing Homes. She is, also, very active in club activities related to ice skating.

Loni is a high school graduate and ice skates competitively. She also teaches Music Theory and Competition Endurance for a Music School. Within the next year she will teach ice skating as a profession.

Lynette is a high school junior and skates competitively. She is an honor student and will be taking two tests in order to start college at the sophomore level in two subjects. She plans to join an ice show for a year or two.

Both daughters will further their ice skating training in Sun Valley, Idaho this coming summer.

CHILDREN

LONI LEE
LYNETTE ANN

b. October 20, 1962
b. February 27, 1964

RENTON FRICKE

Fourth Child of William Fricke and Annie Murray Renton

RENTON FRICKE

born November 30, 1908
died

DONNA TREHEY

born October 17, 1928
died

Married January 12, 1962

Renton Fricke is now a retired farmer. Renton and Donna live on R.R.6, Marshalltown, Iowa.

Dennis is a traveler.

Angela is serving with the U.S. Navy, Currently (1981) stationed in the Aleutian Islands. While living in Marshalltown Angela assisted with Vacation Bible School at Redeemer Lutheran Church, Marshalltown.

Charles Renton Fricke is confined to the Woodward State Hospital for the Retarded.

Valerie Kay lives at home. Valerie is a student at Marshalltown High School. Valerie has served as Assistant teacher for Vacation Bible School at Redeemer Lutheran Church.

CHILDREN

LINDA ADEL TREHEY
MARY LOUISE TREHEY
DENNIS ALLEN TREHEY
JULIA ANN TREHEY

b. November 14, 1949
b. October 13, 1951
b. October 7, 1952
b. August 30, 1954

These four children
are by a previous
marriage of Donna
Trehey.

CHARLES RENTON FRICKE
ANGELA SUSAN FRICKE
VALERIE KAY FRICKE

b. June 9, 1962
b. June 9, 1962
b. February 2, 1964

LINDA ADEL TREHEY

First Child of Donna Trehey and Step-Daughter of Renton Fricke

LINDA ADEL TREHEY

born November 14, 1949
died

VERN MCDONALD

born
died

Married December 8, 1967

Divorced September 24, 1974

Linda is a licensed practical nurse. Jennifer plays the saxophone and Bobby plays the trombone.

CHILDREN

JENNIFER MCDONALD
BOBBY MCDONALD

b. July 10, 1968
b. May 14, 1970

SECOND MARRIAGE

LINDA ADEL TREHEY

born November 14, 1949
died

RICHARD KING

born
died

Married September 25, 1981

MARY LOUISE TREHEY

Second Child of Donna Trehey and Step-Daughter of Renton Fricke

MARY LOUISE TREHEY

born October 13, 1951
died

WALTER GERHARD KRETZMAN

born October 21, 1944
died

Married June 21, 1969

Walter is a Manufacturing Engineer with Fisher Controls.
Daniel Ray plays the violin, Sarah Elizabeth plays the piano.
Martin Paul will enter school this September (1981).

CHILDREN

DANIEL RAY

b. March 19, 1970

SARAH ELIZABETH

b. January 10, 1972

MARTIN PAUL

b. December 2, 1975

JULIA ANN TREHEY

Fourth Child of Donna Trehey and Step-Daughter of Renton Fricke

JULIA ANN TREHEY

born August 30, 1954
died

DAVID EARL GLENNEY

born July 18, 1951
died

Married May 6, 1971

David is a shop superintendent. Julia and David live in
Des Moines, Iowa

CHILDREN

JODI LYNN

b. October 11, 1980

ANGIE SUSAN FRICKE

Second Child of Renton Fricke and Donna Trehey Fricke

ANGIE SUSAN FRICKE

born June 9, 1962
died

DENNY BURTON

born
died

Married November 1, 1981

Both Angie and Denny are serving with the U. S . Navy.
They are presently living in Hawaii.