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Beginning German Genealogy

Speaker: Shirley Riemer

Explore with us the cultural, historical and genealogical facts that are essential to German ancestral research. Our speaker will take us step by step through an overview of German history, German church and civil records (and some of their peculiarities), and the basic organization of German and German-American records. Along with demonstrating basic tools, Shirley will share some creative approaches to sticky problems.

Shirley Riemer is the author of “The German Research Companion”, an essential reference work. For the past 20 years, Shirley has published “Der Blumenbaum”, the award-winning quarterly journal of the Sacramento German Genealogy Society. In response to her never-ending awe of the history and culture of our ancestors, she has made 45 visits to Germany since 1971 and has co-authored a book on such visits.



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