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Finding Ancestors Using DNA Research

Speaker: James Baker, Ph.D., CG

If you're starting to wonder if trying DNA testing could be the next step in your family history research, then come to this talk and have your questions answered. This presentation offers a non-technical description of the basic DNA tests and their most effective genealogy uses in a manner that is understandable to the non-technologist. Case studies are provided to show the genealogical value of each of the three major types of tests (Y, mt, and autosomal). This talk is the first of two presentations on DNA research, with next month's program to focus more in depth on autosomal DNA tests for solving problems.

A popular returning speaker, Baker holds a PhD in sociology and has taught at both the UC and CS University systems. He has been seriously involved in the field of genealogy research for the last 15 years. Baker is retired from a career in the aerospace industry and now writes for the acclaimed newsletter of the Sacramento German Genealogy Society, *Der Blumenbaum*. He currently volunteers as a specialist at the Sacramento FamilySearch Library.

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