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# THE OPENING OF THE WEST: TALES FROM JOHNNY APPLESEED, FRED HARVEY, AND BUFFALO BILL

**Speaker: Susan Steinbach**

Vignettes of three early seminal characters in the expansion of populations moving westward across the US will be described using maps, images, and timelines. **Johnny Appleseed** was busy promoting orchards and food security for early pioneers, **Fred Harvey** provided civilized access to the West on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, and **Buffalo Bill** fed nostalgia for the lifestyle of the West that was rapidly disappearing. We'll look at patterns of western movement that may parallel that of the ancestors we are researching, and view a vivid backdrop to these migrations.

Steinbach is an archivist, ESL teacher, and world traveler, as well as an experienced family history researcher and longtime Davis Genealogy Club member.



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