



Rogue Valley Genealogical Society presents a spring
WORKSHOP and SEMINAR

OUR ANCESTORS:

Did They Serve? Did They Plow? Did They Move?

Nationally known Speakers

Rick Sayre, CG, CGL and Pam Sayre, CG, CGL

WORKSHOP, Friday April 20th, 2018, 1:30-3:30 PM

Fee for Workshop: Members \$30; Non-Members \$40

Rick Sayre, Presenter

THE POWER OF GOOGLE EARTH FOR GENEALOGISTS

This two-hour live demonstration provides an overview of how to put the power of Google Earth to work and view your genealogy in a new way. Mark and map sites; view your ancestors' communities on period maps or land plat maps. Experience a new visual learning experience. Learn the Google Earth tools.

SEMINAR, Saturday, April 21st, 2018

8:30 AM Registration; Program 9:00 AM-4 PM

Fee for Seminar: Members \$45; Non-Members \$55

SEMINAR CLASSES:

➤ **Did He Serve? Researching Military Service Records**

Even if your ancestors were too poor to own land or valuable belongings, chances are that one or more of them served in some arm of the US military within the past 200-plus years. Records reveal vital statistics, locales, health histories and often birth, marriage or death records. Class covers these and much more.

➤ **The Civil War:** More than 3 million men served and it provides an extraordinarily rich genealogical resource for researchers. Rick Sayre has had a 31-year Army career and knows military research.

➤ **Rural Research:** City research has many sources, but not so for our rural ancestors. The records are less plentiful and less obvious. Pam Sayre will share what we can work with in our rural family history research.

➤ **Clues in Missouri Migration:** Many Americans trace ancestry to Missouri, but lack clues as to where they lived before Missouri. This lecture explores the migration paths and geographic roots of settlers.

Pam is a 5th generation Missourian! You will enjoy her presentation style and expertise.

Registration for members, Nov. 1; Non-members, Jan. 15, 2018

Location of events: Jackson Co. Genealogy Library

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