



CAPROCK

genealogy conference
12 MAY 2018



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Forensic Genealogist

Please join us for the first annual **CAPROCK GENEALOGY CONFERENCE**, sponsored jointly by the Amarillo, South Plains (Lubbock) and Hi-Plains (Plainview) Genealogical Societies.

It is a distinct honor to have as our speaker Certified Forensic Genealogist Kelvin Meyers. A popular speaker, Kelvin brings a great knowledge of social sciences, history, genealogy and some “PI” techniques to his work.

He is a Texas Tech graduate and worked for several years as a staff member of the Dallas Public Library Genealogy Department. Kelvin attended the Institute of Genealogy and Historical Research of Samford University and currently contracts with attorneys, the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Services, and heir-searching companies to locate missing or unknown heirs to estates or oil and gas royalties.

WHEN: May 12, 2018

WHERE: Wayland Baptist University, Plainview, TX

COST: \$50.00*

Topics include:

- Plowing Through the Land Records to Find Your Ancestors
- Probate, More Than a Will
- All the News That’s Fit to Print (and a lot that wasn’t): 19th Century Secular and Religious Newspapers
- I Thee Wed . . . or Not

*Includes catered lunch, conference packet, goodie bags, door prizes and more!

For more information and to register: <https://spgstx.org/> (click conference link)



| Time | Event |
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| 8:30-9:00 a.m. | Registration |
| 9:00-9:15 a.m. | Conference Welcome and Speaker Introduction |
| 9:15-10:25 a.m. | Session 1: Plowing Through Land Records to Find Your Ancestors |
| 10:25-10:45 a.m. | Morning Break |
| 10:45-11:55 a.m. | Session 2: Probate: More than a Will |
| 11:55 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. | Catered Lunch |
| 1:15-2:25 p.m. | Session 3: All the News That's Fit to Print (and a lot that wasn't): 19th Century Secular and Religious Newspapers |
| 2:25-2:45 p.m. | Afternoon Break |
| 2:45-4:00 | Session 4: I Thee Wed . . . or Not Questions and Answers Conference Wrap-up |