

**BAY AREA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
MINUTES OF JULY 21, 2002**

The meeting of the Bay Area Genealogical Society was held at the University Baptist Church on Sunday, July 21, 2002 and was called to order by 1st Vice President Carolyn Farmer at 5:35 p.m. Jeanine Lawrence welcomed those present and gave the opening prayer. Vice President Farmer led the group in the Pledge to the Flag of the United States.

Dick Warren, 2nd Vice President and Program Chairman presented some ideas for programs for the coming year and asked members to submit suggestions to him for programs.

President Hellen arrived and took over conducting the meeting. She introduced the Nominating Committee and asked them to stand. They were Dick Warren, Chairman, Tammy Frey, Ann Fogleman, Flo Cox and Frank Roth. Mr. Warren announced the nominees for office for 2002-2003. They are:

President	Carolyn Hellen
1st Vice President	Resa Hennings
2nd Vice President	Dick Warren
Treasurer	Dottie Crabb
Recording Secretary	Carol Moody
Corresponding Secretary	Tammy Frey
Historian	Joanne Truman
Registrar	Neil Miserendino

President Hellen asked for nominations from the floor. There were none. The slate of nominees will be presented to the membership at the August meeting for election.

Dick Warren introduced the speaker, Kathryn Black Morrow, whose topic was "Where Did They Come From and How Do I find Them?". The audience enjoyed her presentation on the migration patterns of our ancestors and the need for knowing the history of the areas in order to understand why they moved from one place to another. Mrs. Morrow and her husband Michael are both members of BAGS.

It was announced that Volume 1, Number 3 of the society quarterly was available from Resa Hennings, and that the society yearbook was available from Joanne Truman. Members should pick up their copy during the recess.

The meeting was recessed for refreshments at 7:00 p.m.

The meeting reconvened at 7:20 p.m.

Announcements were made as follows:

There will be no decorations at the August meeting.

Continue to send in your surname lists to Carolyn Farmer. We hope to publish some sort of booklet with them in the future.

Team captains are needed for the Jack Rowe Project.

The next meeting will be August 25, 5:30 p.m. and will be a covered dish supper. This will be our member presentation meeting with both speakers and show and tell. Please feel free to call Nate Grimes if you have something that you think will be of interest to the group.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Diane S. Thompson". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Diane S. Thompson
Recording Secretary