

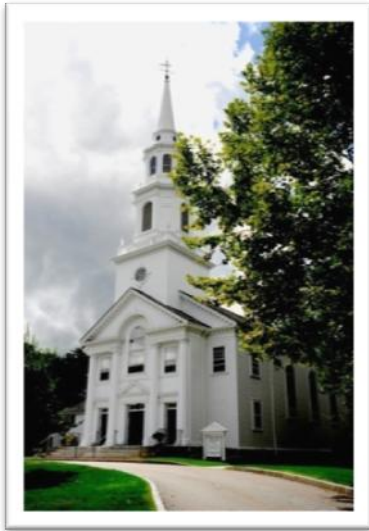
HADLEY NEWSLETTER

(Hadley, Headley, Hadlee, Hadly, Hadleigh, etc and their related kin)

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Hadley Reunion: July 15 & 16 2011: Theme: Hadleys as Pioneers



All our Saturday July 16th 2011 reunion presentations & workshops will take place at the **Trinitarian Congregational Church**, 250 North Great Road, Educational Facilities. The church is considered by many to be one of the most beautiful of all the old New England style churches and their educational facility is one of the most contemporary and well equipped facilities anywhere. Lunch will be at the church and the Buffet Dinner will be at the **Bedford Plaza Hotel**
<http://www.bedfordplazahotel.com/>.

On Friday July 15, 2011 from 10:00-11:30 we have arranged a special tour and hands-on genealogy research demonstration at the National Archives and Records Administration in Waltham, Ma. At 1:00 we have reserved the entire auditorium at the **Minute Man Visitors Center**, Lincoln, MA

<http://www.nps.gov/mima/index.htm> for a films and presentation on **“The Road to Revolution.”** The remaining part of the afternoon will be yours to tour and explore the battle field, historical homes, museums and the many other educational and cultural sites in the area. Early Friday evening, we will meet at a restaurant for a Dutch-treat dinner and social time.

For both Friday and Saturday nights we have reserved a block of rooms at the **Bedford Plaza Hotel**, 340 Great Pond Road, Bedford, MA. <http://www.bedfordplazahotel.com/> We have obtained a special price of \$69/night for the rooms. You must make your own reservations by calling 800-607-9867 **before** June 15st and use the special code **#1575**.

Watch for many more details to be forth-coming.

All facilities we will be using are fully accessible to the physically challenged.

Battles at Saratoga:

Peter Hadley, nanzihad@aol.com of Greenwich, CT has forwarded to us information about the **“American Participants at the Battles of Saratoga, NY.”** Not only does the website, <http://saratoganygenweb.com/sarapk.htm>, list those with the sir name Hadley and information about their conditions of service, it lists similar information about most all who served.

Colorful Hadleys:

As we continue our efforts to share information about some of the Hadley's that had colorful lives, we thought you might find the attachment of Kathryn Hadley of interest.

CANADA/USA HADLEY CONNECTION:

As many know, we have a Hadley DNA project underway <http://www.hadleydna.org/> . A principal goal of this project is to prove our trans-Atlantic connection, which is most likely from the British Isles. It is our hope to find a male Hadley in England who can trace his roots back to the 1500s. If we can find such a person who will participate in our DNA study, we may be able to establish a connection with our George who settled in Massachusetts we think around 1628.

To that end, **Hilton Hadley**, lindahadley@xplornet.com, from Alberta, Canada was previously unknown to most of the US Hadleys who are participating in our DNA study. His results proved he was connected to **Jim Hadley**, Jags@hvc.rr.com, Port Ewen, NY. Jim has proof of his lineage to our patriot, George, (ca 1612-1686.)

We knew Hilton was from Canada although knew nothing else about him. A simple "White Page" phone directory search, found a **Linda and Hilton Hadley** in Alberta, Canada. Lots of research done by **Linda Hadley**, the wife of Hilton facilitated having Jim finding his genealogical connection to Hilton. This yielded about 900 Canadian Hadleys mainly from the Provinces of Ontario, Alberta, Manitoba, and British Columbia. Genealogical work done by **Ardella MacPhee**, ardella@ns.sympatico.ca, of Nova Scotia had previously established about 600 Canadian Hadleys in and around that Province.

Joseph (Headley) Hadley (1724-1801) immigrated to Nova Scotia and William Hadley (ca 1785-ca, 1861) immigrated to Ontario. These two men came from two different locations and time periods within the United States. The DNA results proved these men and their respective off-spring are related to each other as well as to our George. If you wish to explore these connections, with the inclusion of these 1,500+/- Canadian Hadleys, see the website: www.hadleygenealogy.net, (or specifically <http://www.hadleygenealogy.net/gp8281.html>), which now had listed over 21,700 Hadley's and their related kin. There have been many people who have made and continue to make significant contributions to this website and we thank you all.

Please forward this newsletter to any you think might find it of interest. To receive the free monthly Hadley newsletters, contact Jim Hadley at the address below.

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