



# WHIDBEY ISLAND GENEALOGICAL SEARCHERS

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## MARJORIE KOTT

### FINDING MY HUSBAND'S FAMILY

When Marjorie Kott asked her husband if she could do genealogy research on his family, he said, "If I don't know who my family is, how can you know?" That was about 30 years ago. Though their family histories were very different, she succeeded in finding his family before she had a computer and online genealogical resources to help her. Whidbey Island Genealogical Searchers was instrumental in the unfolding of her husband's colorful heritage. Their son later commented, "Mother, your family is goody two-shoes compared to Dad's family." Come hear Margie tell "The Rest of the Story."

Margie joined WIGS in 1993 and has served as President, Vice-President, Historian, Telephone Chairman, and Trip Chairman, and helped WIGS in many other ways including telling a humorous story at the beginning of our meetings.

Margie was born near Dayton, Ohio, and lived in California, Victoria B.C., Hawaii, and Tennessee before coming to Whidbey Island in July 1974 with her husband George, a member of the Marine Corps, and their children.

**Tuesday, April 18th, 2023, at 1:00 p.m.**

**Oak Harbor Lutheran Church**

**1253 NW 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. Oak Harbor, WA**

**All are welcome. You do not have to join WIGS to attend.**

WIGS membership for one year for one person is \$15 or \$20 a couple living in the same household. Mail membership form (from website- [www.whidbeygensearchers.org](http://www.whidbeygensearchers.org)) along with a check to P.O. Box 627, Oak Harbor, WA 98277, or pay at the meeting.