

Legacy Family Tree - Mapping events

Select **individual** in Legacy for whom you desire to map events

Click **Mapping Icon** – List of event locations is displayed and they are shown on map. Map can be enlarged as desired.

Hovering over a **pushpin** location displays those events which occurred at that location.

Click on **'Options'** to select those events you wish to have mapped.

Tracking Your Ancestors Around the Country With Google Maps

Go to www.maps.google.com , and select **'Get Directions'**

Enter locations for ancestral events as **Destinations**

Add as many destinations as needed

Click **'Get Directions'** to generate map. Note that your destinations are indicated by pushpins showing the alpha character used in the destination list.

Select **'My Maps'** to create personalized maps to which you can add balloons as in Legacy.

'Learn More' will take you to instructional video

'Learn More about Creating Maps' will take you to further instructional information

(Note the **Tutorials** – lots of information)

Irfanview

Can be downloaded from www.irfanview.com FREE (and very powerful) software.

A few of the things Irfanview can do:

Run a slideshow

Convert photo formats

Rename and resize photos (It can do this in batch mode as well)

Control a TWAIN scanner in batch as well as single mode.

Crop photos

Flip and rotate

Adjust color depth

Correct Red-eye

Capture computer screens

Set a photo as wallpaper
Display thumbnails
Zoom in and out

Enter, display, and edit EXIF (EXchangeable Image File format) and IPTC (International Press Telecommunications Council) metadata in individual or batch mode. This is information stored within the photo itself, and remains with the photo when it is transmitted or copied. (It's the modern equivalent of the stuff we used to write on the back of the photo). There is provision for including date and time of shooting, picture caption, categories, comments, and keywords, among numerous other items.

TopOCR

Converts photo of a document into text, permitting editing or extraction of portions of the document. Optical Character Recognition software designed specifically for use with a camera image, but works well with other media as well.

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