



Livermore-Amador Genealogical Society Presents Dawn Kosmakos You Are Invited

WHEN: 7:00 – 8:30 p.m., Monday, April 13, 2026

WHERE: Join us in person or via ZOOM

Congregation Beth Emek
3400 Nevada Court, Pleasanton

COST: No Charge - Visitors welcome



**Speaker will be presenting virtually.
Preregister for ZOOM via link below:**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/join/raister/tZYsduioriasG9HuhQRKapaR5Nh3fb9Y91tW>

Genetic Genealogy Case Studies

In this presentation, Dawn will be sharing three interesting but very different case studies: one involving an unknown father mystery with multiple unexpected twists, another detailing the identification of a John Doe that had been unidentified for 30 years, and a third highlighting how she uncovered the identity of her own great-grandfather's biological father.

Speaker bio - Dawn Kosmakos is a professional genetic genealogist based in the Bay Area, where she lives with her software engineer husband and two college-age sons. Her passion for genetic genealogy began in 2016, when she solved the mystery of her own unknown biological father. Since then, she has helped hundreds of clients uncover their roots and better understand their DNA results. Through her company SunriseDNA, she offers compassionate, ethical and research-focused support for those navigating DNA surprises or seeking unknown family identifications.

In addition to her private client work, Dawn volunteers with Moxxy Forensics as an Investigative Genetic Genealogist (IGG), assisting in the identification of unknown individuals in forensic cases. She is also on the board of DNA Justice, a non-profit DNA database built solely to assist with IGG case work.

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