

Kenneth Provine Barclay married Vanessa Trotter (born April 18, 1923), daughter of Dale Everett and Etha Lawyer Trotter of Adair, IL at the home of Vanessa's parents March 5, 1949. They moved into the homestead and raised their five children: Roger William, Scott Trotter, Allen Kenneth, Beth Ann and Robert Andrew. Kenneth and Vanessa purchased the homestead in 1973. Roger and Scott farm the Barclay homestead land. Roger William Barclay and his wife, Pamela Zeller Barclay, now own the home built in 1892. The children are Pamela Lane Barclay, Kathleen Lane Barclay, Douglas Clark and Jason Clark. Scott Trotter Barclay married Kathy Hathorn and the children are Sarah Barclay Schinckel, Laura Barclay Borchert, Katherine Lynn Barclay and Erin Alexandria Barclay. Allen Kenneth Barclay married Donna Chipman and the children are Courtney Barclay Linnemeyer and Krista Barclay Jamrose. Beth Ann Barclay married Richard Wayne Ferguson and the children are Erika Ferguson Harris and Trisha Renee Ferguson. Robert Andrew Barclay married Tracy Swigers and the children are Ethan Robert Barclay, twins Solenne Marie Barclay and Camille Helen Barclay.

**BARKLEY** – The Dr. Robert F. Barkley (paternal) and Phyllis Shoopman Barkley families (maternal) claim Scottish and German ancestry within our family genealogy. The Barkley family genealogy includes Kirkpatrick family ancestors via our paternal grandmother. Traceable to the year 1650 in Dumfriesshire,



Dr. Robert Frank Barkley,



Phyllis Ann Shoopman Barkley

Scotland, Alexander Kirkpatrick is noted as the first generation Kirkpatrick on record. The Shoopman family roots include our maternal grandmother's parents, Absalom and Merle Day Dorsett, born in 1878 and 1885, respectively and interred at Rose Hill Cemetery, Mount Ayr, Ringgold County, IA. Great, great, great maternal grandfather, Thomas Franklin Shoopman, was born in Campbell, Roane County, TN on Jan. 15, 1811, and died in Birmingham, Schuyler County, IL, on March 6, 1906. Interestingly, he is interred at Scott Cemetery, McDonough County, IL. Many of our maternal grandmother Shoopman's preceding generations include the Dorsett, Winfield, Helm, Whitford, and Rannals lineage, many of whom are buried in Bowen Cemetery, Hancock County, IL, and Hebron Cemetery, Golden, IL.

The first known Kirkpatrick that arrived in America, eventually evolving and including the Barkley lineage, was second generation son, James Kirkpatrick, one of Alexander's six children, migrating to the US in 1736, first landing in Newcastle, DE, then Reading, PA, and eventually owning, residing and farming 1350 acres at Turkey Creek, Chester County, SC. James Kirkpatrick, often referred to as "the immigrant" in Kirkpatrick genealogy, along with his wife, Mary Newton Kirkpatrick, is buried at "The Old Irish Cemetery/Graveyard" near Loves Crossing on the Broad River in Chester County, Lockhart, SC.

Our paternal ancestry traced forward from Scotland to Macomb, IL. Dr. Robert "Bob" F. Barkley, DDS, family's immediate geographical homestead area claimed relatives in both McDonough and Fulton counties. Dr. Barkley, our father and the son of Frank and Irene Kirkpatrick Barkley, was born on August 23, 1930, and raised in the Ipava and Vermont, IL areas. Bob had two sisters, Virginia and Carolyn. Attending a one-room schoolhouse during his youth, Bob graduated from V.I.T. High School and attended Western Illinois University and the Northwestern University Dental School, participating in a combined degree

program that would eventually yield him his dentist degree. His wife and our mother, Phyllis Shoopman Barkley, the daughter of Wayne and Elva (Dorsett) Shoopman, was born and raised in the Augusta, IL, area on Jan. 6, 1932, graduated from Augusta High School and attended Western Illinois University. Phyllis had one brother, Keith and one sister, Marilyn. Bob and Phyllis met at Western Illinois University while members of the chorus and band musical programs during the late 1940s to early 1950s.

Eventually marrying, Phyllis bore Bob's five children: Kevin (born 1956), a retired master-certified automotive technician and aficionado of both antique and American "muscle cars" and graduate of John Woods Community College in Quincy, IL; David (born 1957), graduate of Berklee College of Music in Boston, MA, and composer of music for the television and movie industries, diehard Boston Celtics fan and proud father of one daughter; Jon (born 1961), a career US Marine Corps veteran, dedicated Certified Substance Abuse



Grandmother Irene Kirkpatrick Barkley and the Barkley grandchildren, Kevin, David, Jon, Ann, and Sarah.