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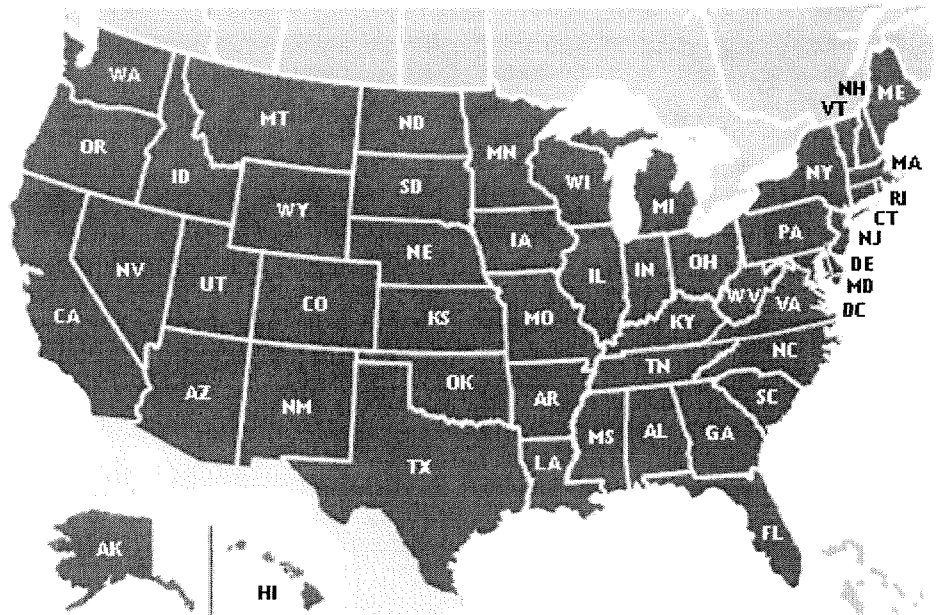
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- \$177.6 billion in subsidies 1995-2006.
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- 67 percent of all farmers and ranchers do not collect government subsidy payments in United States, according to [USDA](#).
- Among subsidy recipients, ten percent collected 74 percent of all subsidies amounting to \$130.6 billion over 12 years.
- Recipients in the top 10% averaged \$36,290 in annual payments between 1995 and 2006. The bottom 80 percent of the recipients saw only \$731 on average per year.

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Rank	Program (click for top recipients, payment concentration and regional rankings)	Number of Recipients 1995-2006	Subsidy Total 1995-2006
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2	<a href="#">Wheat Subsidies</a>	1,308,268	\$22,051,566,200
3	<a href="#">Cotton Subsidies</a>	247,879	\$21,329,862,262
4	<a href="#">Conservation Reserve Program</a>	768,180	\$20,337,282,263
5	<a href="#">Disaster Payments</a>	1,246,432	\$15,114,518,393
6	<a href="#">Soybean Subsidies</a>	985,712	\$14,239,702,740
7	<a href="#">Rice Subsidies</a>	65,533	\$11,043,795,298
8	<a href="#">Sorghum Subsidies</a>	586,766	\$4,569,912,363
9	<a href="#">Dairy Program Subsidies</a>	151,737	\$3,560,356,847
10	<a href="#">Livestock Subsidies</a>	754,842	\$2,908,502,988
11	<a href="#">Peanut Subsidies</a>	89,463	\$2,609,286,072
12	<a href="#">Barley Subsidies</a>	337,812	\$1,962,025,270
13	<a href="#">Env. Quality Incentive Program</a>	115,206	\$943,955,199
14	<a href="#">Tobacco Subsidies</a>	383,889	\$530,488,022
15	<a href="#">Sunflower Subsidies</a>	57,976	\$461,135,751
16	<a href="#">Apple Subsidies</a>	8,586	\$261,540,987
17	<a href="#">Sugar Beet Subsidies</a>	9,071	\$242,064,005
18	<a href="#">Canola Subsidies</a>	19,390	\$200,281,433
19	<a href="#">Oat Subsidies</a>	620,641	\$198,255,252
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[Appendix of Types of Exempt Organizations: IRC Section, Description of Organization, and General Nature of Activities](#). Excel ver. 4. May 2002.

[Cumulative List of 501\(c\)\(3\) Organizations, IRS Publication 78](#)

Find a searchable listing of charitable organizations, or download the complete file, or view the documentation of the file.

**Exempt Organizations Master Listing**

[The Instruction Booklet: Record Layout, Descriptions, and All Codes for the Exempt Organization Master Listing in Microsoft® Word](#). December 2008.

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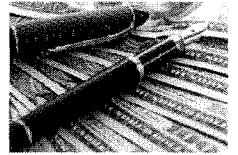
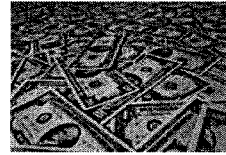
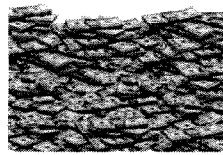
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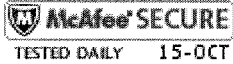
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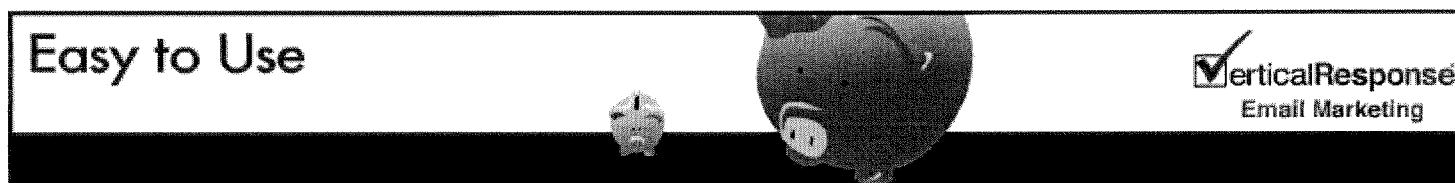
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# FEEFHS The Federation of East European Family History Societies

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## Thanks for a great conference!



### Coming this fall!

FEEFHS will soon offer a couple of new directories -- one listing genealogical speakers, and one listing genealogical research services.

These directories will be open to all members of FEEFHS. They will be of interest to genealogical societies planning conferences, as well as individuals looking for help with their research.

If you would like to be included in either of these directories (or both) please contact webmaster Dave Obee.

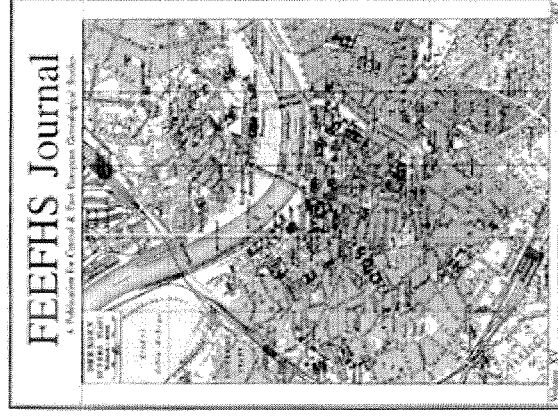


*Larry Jensen speaks about German research at the FEEFHS/SGGEE conference.*

FEEFHS and the Society for German Genealogy in Eastern Europe held a joint conference in July 2009 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. More than 100 attendees heard a dozen speakers on a wide variety of topics.

Sixteen of the presentations given at the conference have been made available by the speakers and are on this website. You will find them on our Conference Program page.

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FEEFHS.org is one of the true veterans of the Internet, linking Central and East European researchers since the spring of 1996. We helped many of our member societies make their move onto the Web at a time when HTML coding was still a mysterious art and Google was just an idea.

For comments on this site, please contact webmaster Dave Obee with your suggestions.

If you have information of interest to Eastern European researchers, please contact Journal Editor Thom Edlund.

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## the Global Anabaptist Mennonite Encyclopedia Online

GAMEO provides Reliable information on Anabaptist-related (Amish, Mennonite, Hutterite, Brethren in Christ) topics, including history, theology, biography, institutions and local congregations. Secular topics from an Anabaptist perspective and full-text source documents are also included.

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### **Sample article: Rembrandt Harmensz van Rijn (1607-1669)**



Rembrandt Harmensz van Rijn (Ryn), probably the greatest painter of the Western world, was born 15 July 1607 at Leiden, and died 4 October 1669 at Amsterdam. In an age when the tradition of Christian painting had been practically abandoned in the Netherlands under the influence of the Dutch Reformed spirit, Rembrandt devoted about one third of his life's work to the depiction of Biblical scenes. Contrary to the trend of contemporary art, in which the "genre" picture, still life, and seascapes predominated, he founded a new style of interpretation of the Bible. To be sure, the young painter frequently drew his themes from the Bible because of the wealth of dramatic material found there, especially in the Old Testament. But after the death of his wife Saskia in 1642 an increasing religious sincerity becomes evident in Rembrandt's work. Especially his etchings and drawings (there are about 600 of these showing Biblical scenes) show Rembrandt's reactions to the message of the Gospel.

Officially Rembrandt was a member of the Reformed Church, and as yet there has been no evidence that he severed this connection in spite of serious conflicts with the church council, such as the exclusion of Hendrickje Stoffels from communion in 1653, who lived with him after his wife's death. Nevertheless there is some indication that Rembrandt was in close contact with Mennonite circles and from them received essential religious motivations.

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As of 20 February 2009 GAMEO includes or updates all articles that were published in volumes 1-5 of *Mennonite Encyclopedia* published by Herald Press of Scottdale, Pennsylvania and Waterloo, Ontario. On that date there were

14,160 articles in GAMEO. Thanks to the many volunteers who made this possible.

GAMEO is a project of the Mennonite Historical Society of Canada, Mennonite Church USA Historical Committee, Mennonite Brethren Historical Commission, Mennonite Central Committee and Mennonite World Conference.

# Who We Are

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The Global Mennonite Encyclopedia Online began in 1996 as a project of the Mennonite Historical Society of Canada (under the name Canadian Mennonite Encyclopedia Online). It was intended to be a dynamic source of information about the Anabaptist-Mennonite groups in Canada. It emerged from a congregational database created by Marlene Epp for the three-volume *Mennonites in Canada* history series. Later the Society obtained permission from Herald Press in Scottdale, PA to copy and modify entries of the four-volume *Mennonite Encyclopedia* published in the 1950s, and a supplemental fifth volume published in 1990. In 2005 two partners -- the Mennonite Brethren Historical Commission and the Mennonite Church USA Historical Committee -- joined the project, and expanded it to become a English-language Global Anabaptist Mennonite Encyclopedia Online (GAMEO). Mennonite Central Committee joined the partnership in early 2006 and Mennonite World Conference in January 2007.

The project in time will include the full text of the print *Mennonite Encyclopedia*, and will add new content both from North America and around the world. Additional partners will be added as possible, and content in non-English languages is possible at a future time. Because of this expansion it was necessary to move to a new website, devoted entirely to GAMEO.

Articles in GAMEO are assigned and editorially reviewed before upload; GAMEO is not a "Wiki"-style project. Encyclopedia subjects include, but are not limited to, history, statistics, biography, education, the arts and family history. The Encyclopedia Search provides for a word or phrase search on the Encyclopedia's content, or browsing an alphabetical index.

If you have corrections or suggestions for an encyclopedia article, please contact the Managing Editor. Be specific in your comments and give the exact name/address of the article (this can be copied from the bottom of each article).

## Our Mission

The Global Anabaptist Mennonite Encyclopedia Online provides reliable, freely-available English-language information on Anabaptist-related congregations, denominations, conferences, institutions and significant individuals, as well as historical and theological topics. Secular subject articles from an Anabaptist perspective and full-text source documents are also included.

## Donations

If you would like to make a **donation** to the ongoing development and expansion of GAMEO we'd be glad for your help! Donations from within Canada should sent to the Treasurer of the Mennonite Historical Society of Canada and

designated for the Encyclopedia. Donations from within the United States can be directed to the Mennonite Church USA Historical Committee, 1700 South Main Street, Goshen, IN 46526-4794 and designated for the Encyclopedia project. Donations from other countries should be directed to the Canadian office.

## Corrections and Suggestions

If you have specific **corrections** to articles or **suggestions** that should be added to the encyclopedia send them to the GAMEO's email address at [gameo@uwaterloo.ca](mailto:gameo@uwaterloo.ca). As a volunteer organization we are unable to respond to questions on Mennonite history or genealogical questions of any kind. For questions of that type, please contact a local genealogical society, or check with a Mennonite historical library or archives.

## Volunteers

GAMEO has appreciated the volunteers who have assisted in bringing the print *Mennonite Encyclopedia* to the web. It would not have been possible without the assistance of Richard Thiessen, David Giesbrecht, Victor Wiebe, J. J. Neufeld, Larry Kehler, Ammar Naseer, Adolf Ens, Abe Dueck, Susan Huebert, Ernie Braun, Alf Redekopp, Bert Friesen, Kevin Enns-Rempel, Peggy Goertzen, John D. Thiesen, Andrew Klager, Sam Steiner, and anonymous Columbia Bible College students.

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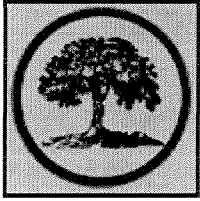
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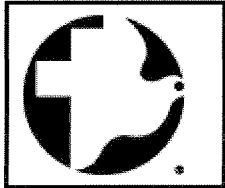
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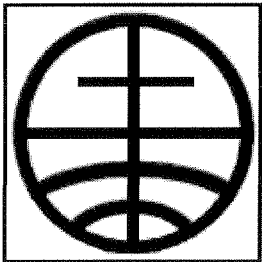
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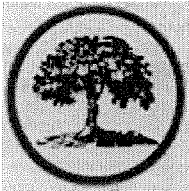
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Alternatively you can contact any member of the Mennonite Historical Society of Canada Board.

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# Rocky Cape Christian Community

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## Who We Are

We, the families and single residents of the Rocky Cape Christian Community, come from various places around the world. Some of us live here on a permanent basis, others are here for a time. Some of us grew up in Christian homes, others did not.

Together we form an Anabaptist (Hutterite) community, baptising believers on confession of faith, holding our goods in common, and choosing non-violence as followers of Christ.

While we have close and direct links to other Anabaptist communities like ours, we seek fellowship with all serious believers regardless of their background or credentials—that know Christ and follow him. We accept the baptism, church order, and witness of other groups beside our own.

A number of us at Rocky Cape belong to families that fled for their faith from Switzerland, Austria, and Germany during the 1500s. From there, we found our way through Eastern Europe to America and Australia. But this is only one detail of a much more involving story that began with . . .

## A Strange Assignment Long Ago

"You will receive power," Jesus told a small group of friends that followed him to sunny heights above Galilee, "when the Holy Spirit comes on you. And you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judaea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." Then he was taken up before their eyes and a cloud hid him from their sight.

The little group stood and stared.

Only a short while before this Jesus had told them the secret of the Kingdom of God (Mark 4:11). They had just begun to know what that kingdom included and who would belong to it. But of the "ends of the earth" they knew nothing—nor how to get there. Much less of the people or a place on the other side of the world called . . .

## Tangdimmaa

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All winter long, after short-tailed shearwaters had flown, and storms drove the waves in night-long thunder onto rocks below, the men of Tangdimmaa hunted possums and kangaroo. Far into the dripping bush they followed cushioned trails under tea trees and towering gums. Raucous birds told them where berries had turned  
 One morning, when a new fair breeze pushed their way southward, they found those with untold fears and

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To find our place, half way between Burnie and Smithton, Tasmania, look for what used to be the Araluen Camp at Detention River. A sign marks the main entry off the Bass Highway.

To find our place on Google Earth or Maps, look for the Rocky Cape National Park on the Northwest Coast of Tasmania. Move westward from the park, along the beach toward Stanley, until you see the Detention River estuary with a large bridge crossing the river. Our community sits just east of the bridge and petrol station, a cluster of buildings on the south side of the Bass Highway.

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“It was like the works of a clock where every cogwheel drives another, and everything turns in an orderly way, or like a hive of bees where all work together, some making wax, some making honey, and some carrying nectar to the hive,” (Klaus Braitmichel, ca 1540).

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## The Bookshelf

The first Christians wrote what they learned from Christ. So have others that followed him through the centuries. May the Light of Christ shine through the books we offer here and guide you along the way!

The Secret of the Strength What would the first Anabaptists tell this generation? Peter Hoover, 1991

The Mystery of the Mark Anabaptist Mission Work under the Fire of God, (tells the story of Jakob and Trindl Hutter, and of the community they founded in the 1530s) Peter Hoover, 2008

Why We Live in Community Our life explained in Jesus' Kingdom terms by Eberhard Arnold.

Eberhard Arnold Key passages from his writings.

God's Revolution by Eberhard Arnold

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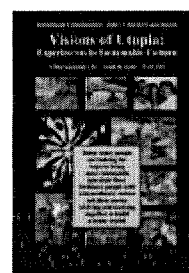


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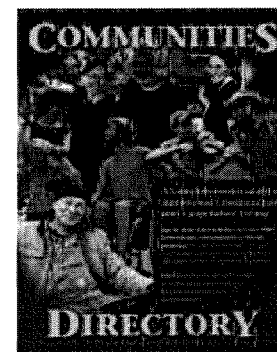
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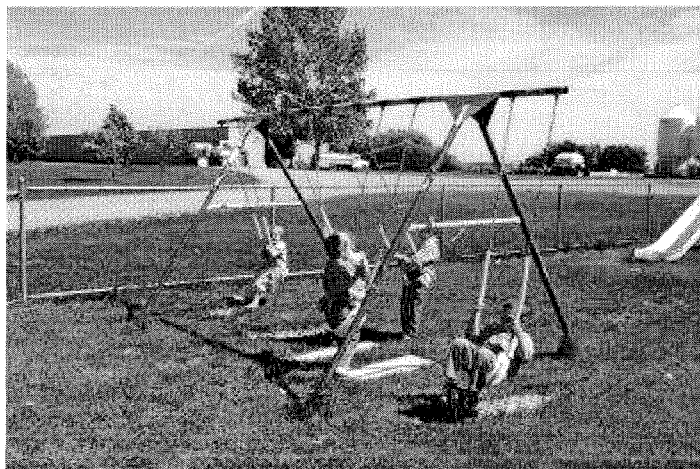
This communal lifestyle finds its roots in the biblical teachings of Christ and the Apostles. Emerging as a distinct culture and religious group in the early 16th century, this non-resistant Anabaptist sect endured great persecution and death at the hands of the state and church in medieval Europe. However, the Hand of God remained on the shoulder of these people, and their descendents survived to battle on to this very day...

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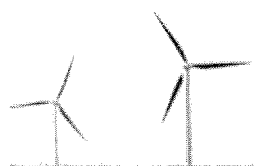
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### About the Hutterite Directory

This web application provides contact information for Hutterite colonies and businesses including, but not limited to, phone, fax, switchboard, email, websites and maps.

We just added all the Lehrerleut and Dariusleut colonies to Schmiedeleut collection we previously made available.

This project has become the most comprehensive hutterite contact directory online.

We took special care to make this site work well on smaller screens, a fact you'll appreciate when you're accessing from a mobile device.

### It doesn't stop here

The contact information which appears in this directory is being **integrated with** upcoming versions of Members and Pocket Members.

Because this data is presented to such a wide audience, it is important that you report any errors you happen to find while using the service.

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## ABOUT CEDRONTECH

Cedrontech was established as a trademark in 2004 by Newdale HB, Inc. Cedrontech represents a number of not-for-profit efforts primarily related to software development.

All Cedrontech projects are hobbies which are managed amid serious time constraints.

Despite their priority status, our software applications are widely appreciated for their completeness and for the way they merge a clean design with a sophisticated feature set.

Information on project specific goals and intentions may be available on the pages associated with each project.

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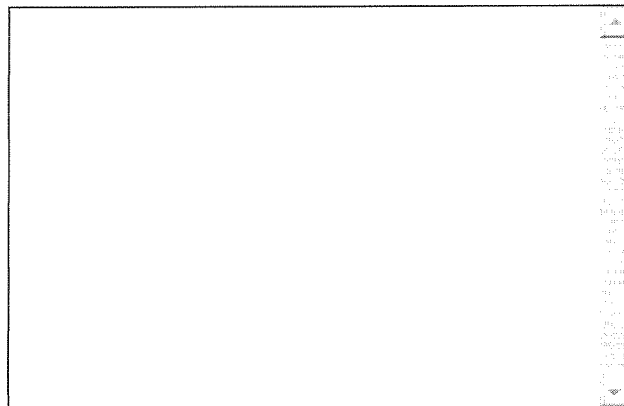
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