

**First annual Family History Research Trip
With Michael John Neill, MS
Salt Lake City Library
17 May-24 May 2006**

Trip Website: <http://www.rootdig.com/slctrip.html>

Why Go With Us?

Use the outstanding resources of **one of the top genealogy collections in the United States**. The Family History Library in Salt Lake City has the nation's largest collection of genealogical materials, both in print and in microform.

You'll have **expert, experienced guidance from nationally-known genealogist Michael Neill, M.S, columnist for *Ancestry Daily News*, and genealogy lecturer and speaker**. Michael will help you get the most out of your trip through individualized attention. Michael will:

- **Assist** in pre-trip preparation, with a private website, mailing list and individualized suggestions. **Pre-trip planning is an integral part of our trip experience.**
- **Assist** you in developing research strategies and using resources while you are at the library.
- **Answer** your follow-up questions after the trip.
- **Maximize your library experience** through consultations before and after the trip to help you make more effective use of library time

You'll be staying **with-in walking distance of the library** at The Best Western Salt Lake Plaza Hotel at Temple Square.

Be a part of a small **congenial group** and network with others. You will not be at the library in complete isolation, and we don't just drop you off at the door and leave!

If you have always wanted to go to the Family History Library, but never wanted to go by yourself...then this is your opportunity. We will get to know each other before the trip through our mailing list where any question related to the trip can be asked and answered!

The Details

Your 7-day trip includes:

- 1 Pre-trip planning assistance, via a private website and email list.
- 2 Consultations with Michael while in Salt Lake City.
- 3 7 nights at the Best Western Salt Lake Plaza Hotel
- 4 Sunday brunch
- 5 5 morning presentations by Michael Neill
- 6 Free shuttle service to and from the hotel

- I. **Registration (includes hotel room, presentations, assistance).**
Not included are airfare, meals [except as listed above],
beverages, telephone, and incidentals. All prices include 11.2%
hotel tax.

Early Registration: deposit by 1 February 2006

Single Room (no roommate):

Deposit: \$80.00 by 1 February 2006

Remainder: \$785.00 by 1 April 2006

Double Room:

Deposit: \$80.00 by 1 February 2006

Remainder: \$510.00 by 1 April 2006

Late Registration: Subject to availability after 1 March 2006

Single Room (no roommate):

Deposit: \$80.00 by 1 March 2006

Remainder: \$815.00 by 1 April 2006

Double Room:

Deposit: \$80.00 by 1 March 2006

Remainder: \$540.00 by 1 April 2006

Note: Trip size is limited; first come, first served. Register early!

A credit card will be required by the Best Western upon registration for room incidentals. Your room charges are included in the registration fee.

Refund Policies:

Full refunds (less a \$25 administrative fee) will be given if cancellation is done before 1 April 2006. Refunds after that date and before 1 May 2006 will be subject to a \$50 administrative fee. If a roommate was requested and we can not find another roommate for your roommate you will be responsible for your half of room charges (approximately \$300). If a roommate can be found for your former roommate, your half of room charges will be refunded. Refunds after 1 May 2006 will be reduced by a \$75 administrative fee and any hotel expenses incurred as a result of the cancelled reservation.

Roommate Policy:

If you request a roommate, the trip sponsors will make every effort to try to find you a compatible person, but there is no guarantee. If a roommate cannot be found by April 15, you will have the option of canceling with a full refund or agreeing to continue with the trip at the single person rate. If after April 15 a roommate is found, the rate will revert back to the double occupancy rate and the difference will be refunded.

Salt Lake City Research Trip With Michael John Neill General Terms and Conditions

- 1 Trip participants are responsible for their own transportation to the Salt Lake City Airport (if arriving by air) or the Best Western Plaza (if arriving by car). Those who are flying to Salt Lake International Airport will be provided shuttle transportation to and from the hotel. Reasonable efforts will be made to greet trip participants at the time of their arrival in Salt Lake City to assist with last minute concerns where possible.
- 2 One-on-one research consultations with Michael John Neill are a part of this trip and will be scheduled as much as practical to allocate a reasonable amount of time to all trip participants.

Participants

- 1 The trip is open to participants who are at least 18 years of age.
- 2 Participants are expected to conduct themselves responsibly and courteously at all times and to be punctual in arriving at scheduled events that are a part of the trip.
- 3 The use of any illegal substances or excessive drinking will not be permitted. Please be aware that smoking will not be permitted at presentations, the brunch, or the library.
- 4 Participants will abide by library regulations specifying that NO food and beverages in the library are permitted. There is a snack room in the library where limited food items can be purchased.

Liability

- 1 Rootdig.com and trip leaders cannot be responsible for events beyond their control, nor for personal injury, theft, or property damage, or for any act or omission by hotel, or other firm, company, or individual. We are not responsible for the loss of luggage or any personal items.
- 2 We reserve the right to cancel the trip due to adverse weather conditions, emergency, or the lack of sufficient reservations; to modify the services by substituting comparable services, varying the itinerary, etc. In the event of cancellation our liability will be limited to registration fee, and we shall not be liable for any claims, demands, losses, or damages of any kind participants may have.

Salt Lake City Genealogy Research Trip With Michael John Neill Registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email (necessary for planning mailing list): _____

Geographic areas or topics you plan to research:

1 Please indicate any **special needs/dietary restrictions** we should accommodate at the brunch.

2 Please indicate any **disability** that requires special accommodations: _____

3 Will you be rooming with someone? Please list their name: _____

4 Would you like help finding a roommate? If so, please indicate your preferences below:

Smoking _____ Early Riser _____ Early Bedtime _____

Non-Smoker _____ Late Riser _____ Late Bedtime _____

Any other preferences: _____

Please indicate type of registration and fee enclosed:

	<u>Deposit</u>	<u>Remainder</u>
_____ Early Single _____ Double _____	by 1 Feb.	By 1 April
_____ Late Registration Single _____ Double _____	by 1 March	by 1 April

**Send this form & agreement page with your deposit (or full fee) to
SLC Family History Research Trip, P.O. Box 108, Rio, Illinois 61472-0108
(make checks payable to Michael Neill)**

Agreement -----Please sign and send in with the Registration Form.

(Please read the Trip Details brochure and Trip General Terms and Conditions page before you sign this registration form.)

I have read the terms and conditions outlined on the Salt Lake City Trip Details brochure and the Trip General Terms and Conditions page and I fully accept all of them.

Signature

Date

FOR OUR INFORMATION: Please let us know the following to help us plan for the future.

- 1 Where did you learn about our trip?

- 2 What genealogical societies are you a member of?

- 3 Reasons you are going on the trip (mark all that apply)
 - a. Group environment
 - b. Pre-trip help
 - c. Friend/relative is going
 - d. Always wanted to go but didn't want to go alone the first time
 - e. On-site help

Thank you for your registration-----we look forward to having you on our trip! Your registration will be confirmed by email or regular mail. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Contact information:

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