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Sam,

Hi! My name is Chrissy (VanTilburgh) Kirby. I found your name on your Wiki page about some VanTilburgh relatives that we apparently share and just thought that I would introduce myself. I live in Ohio, just north of Dayton. I see that you live in or around Seattle. I am in a long distance relationship right now with a man from the Renton area. I have been out to the area a few times and love it. Once my children are older I am considering moving out there to be with him, and I thought that it was pretty cool that I have "family" out there. Anyway, I've been poking around your blog a bit and as I said, just thought I'd introduce myself. Thomas and Margaret VanTilburgh were my great great grandparents. I haven't figured out what level of cousins that makes us or how many times removed. Every time I think that I'm sure I understand that stuff I get it wrong! :) I am actually listed in the large 250+ page VanTilburgh family tree book that the Hales (the ones that do the reunion stuff) put together, if you have that. I haven't done much research, but I'm fascinated by all of it. I just happened to Google VanTilburgh a couple of weeks ago and found that VanTilburgh.org and links to your stuff. So, hope to hear back from you.

Chrissy