DID YOU KNOW?

Jennifer Lawrence's mother is a Koch. I assume this means she is related to the Koch brothers, although nothing comes up on that online. Apparently I am the first person in history to ask that obvious question, and the genealogies are hiding it. Through her father, she is first cousin to Thomas Jefferson, so she is definitely from the Families. She is also related to her *Hunger Games* co-star Jeremy Renner, although they pretend that they didn't know that until recently.

Christian Bale's stepmother is Gloria Steinem. The Bale's are descended from the Baronets Bale, and are related to the Newtons, **Ridleys** (Baronets and Barons), Wests, Hamiltons, and Palmers. Christian's grandfather was in the RAF, though we aren't told his final rank. Christian's mother Jenny James is scrubbed, with no parents listed in the genealogies and no bio. She is from Zimbabwe and Christian's father is from South Africa, so best guess is he is related to the gold or diamond miners down there.

Benedict Cumberbatch is listed in the peerage. His grandfather was a famous British naval commander and *bon vivant*. His great-grandfather was General-Consul in Turkey and CMG. The family is related to Ingoldsbys, Palmers, Chaloners, Fleetwoods, and the Baronets Foulis. Most importantly, they descend directly from Sir Oliver Cromwell, uncle of the more famous Oliver Cromwell. Benedict is also third cousin to King Richard III, whom he played in *The Hollow Crown*.

Ryan Reynold's mother is unknown in all the online genealogies. She is known only as Tammy. What are they hiding there? On his father's side he is a Crowe, which may link him to Russell Crowe.

Scarlett Johansson's great uncle was Phil Schlamberg, Jewish pilot in WWII who was allegedly the last man killed in that war. Scarlett is Ashkenazi on her mother's side, which means she is technically Jewish, not Swedish. Her mother is a producer. Her grandfather Ejner Johansson is also a famous film director. Scarlett was included in the PBS series *Finding Your Roots*, where they allegedly discovered relatives who died in the Holocaust. She allegedly didn't know that, although it was the immediate family of her grandfather. When did the show air? October 31st. . . Halloween. Scarlett is also a Weinstein.

Anne Hathaway's ancestry is scrubbed, and even stranger, all the Hathaways in the peerage are also scrubbed. There are seven listed, but only four are actually Hathaways by birth. Those four are given no parents, and they didn't marry peers, so it is not clear why they are listed. Something is being hidden. It is possible (even probable, I would say) that Anne Hathaway really is descended from her namesake, wife of Shakespeare. The first clue we get is her mother's name McCauley. We find McCauleys in the peerage, related to the Barclays, which may link Anne to Barclay's Bank. If we spell McCaulley with two l's, we can also link the family to Kings and Mellons. We get another clue, since Geneanet tells us Anne's grandmother was a Hughes. This helps, because one of the four Hathaways in the peerage also married a Hughes. That can't be a coincidence, especially since that Hathaway, Russell Andrew Hathaway III, is from the US and is living. These Hughes link us to the Vyvyans (Baronets) and Robinsons. The Vyvyans take us back to the Arundels, and the highest levels of the There is a modern link of Vyvyan to Shakespeare, since John Vyvyan (b. 1908) was a Shakespeare scholar, writing the famous Vyvyan trilogy. Given the odd name (a cutesy spelling of Vivian), we can be quite sure Vyvyan is descended from the Baronets Vyvyan. The logical assumption is then that Vyvyan was so interested in Shakespeare because he was closely related to him through the Hathaways. Since the Hathaways—including the family of Anne—are still marrying the Hughes, we

may assume they are still linked to the upper levels of the current peerage. The current Earl of Arundel is a FitzAlan-Howard, and they are also Dukes of Norfolk. The current Duchess of Norfolk is a Gore, so Anne Hathaway may be closely related to the Gores, including Al Gore.

James Franco is Jewish. His mother is a Verovitz and his maternal grandmother is a Levine. He is also a Schapiro. His paternal great-grandfather was a Baptista, also spelled Bautista or Batista. This may link him to Batista of Cuba, and through him to Castro. Castro and Batista were related by marriage. Franco's line is from Madeira and Fulgencio Batista also had ties to Madeira. He died there.

George Clooney's mother is a Warren and his grandmother is an Edwards, linking him to John Reid Edwards—who was the nominee for VP in 2004—and the Bushes. His great-grandmother is a Perkins, linking him to Anthony Perkins. His 2g-grandmother is a Gray, linking him to the Grays/Greys of the peerage. He is also a Hicks, linking him to Bill Hicks and possibly to David Icke. Also related to the Stansfields and Campbells. Also to the Pratts of Queen Annes, Maryland. This links him to Chris Pratt. Also to the Hanks of Richmond, VA, linking him to Tom Hanks. Through these Hanks, he is related to the Lees of Virginia, including Robert E. Lee. This also links him to Lincolns and Roberts, and therefore to Julia Roberts and Abe Lincoln. Some sources deny this, but they are not credible in my opinion (see Geni, notorious for misdirection). He is also a Womack, and through them he is related to the **Booths** by marriage (1700s). The Booth his 6g-aunt married is scrubbed at Geni, of course. That was all on his mother's side. On his father's side he is a Farrow, linking him closely to Mia Farrow. They were originally Farrars from England (think of the Ferrars in Sense and Sensibility). Through the Farrows, Clooney is also a Lindsay, linking him to the upper reaches of the Scottish peerage. They were the Earls of Crawford and Earls of Balcarres, related to the Barclays, Dunbars, and Campbells. Through the Farrows, Clooney is related to the Bennetts, Taylors, Shores and Masons. Clooney's great-grandmother was a Koch, linking him to Jennifer Lawrence above. Both Kochs are from Kentucky at the same time, in or near Louisville. So basically, Clooney is related to every famous person you have ever heard of.

Mia Farrow's father is a **Villiers**, linking her to the peerage. Although the Farrows were from Australia, they were there as governors, not convicts. Farrow is also a Taylor and a Savage, linking her to Elizabeth Taylor, Keanu Reeves, and John Savage, among many others. She is also a Makepeace and a Groves, linking her to the author Thackeray. In fact, this is where Geneanet scrubs her, breaking her earlier links to Makepeace and Groves. We have to switch to thepeerage.com, where we find the Makepeace Thackerays marrying into the Webb family in 1776. This likely ties them to the current Queen, who is a Webb. The Groves link us to the Russells, Ridleys, Stuarts and Dunbars. This is how we link to the Villiers, explaining Mia's father's name despite the scrubbing. On her mother's side, almost all the women past her mother are scrubbed, which is a big red flag. However, if we go back far enough they stop scrubbing so well, and we find Mia is related to Francis Walsingham, Queen Elizabeth I's famous spymaster.

Paul Simon, Carrie Fisher, and Debbie Reynolds are all listed in the peerage, though it is not clear why any of them are peers. They link to no longstanding families in the peerage, and the names Simon, Fisher and Reynolds go nowhere on a search. Which of these people married into the peerage? The way the names are listed, it appears Simon and Fisher may have both been of the peerage *before* they married. Art Garfunkel's genealogy is also extremely slender, with no info before his grandparents. They admit he is Ashkenazi but little else.

Justin Bieber is a cousin of Madonna, Celine Dion, Robert Goulet, Genevieve Bujold, Hillary Clinton, Camilla Parker-Bowles, Ryan Gosling, Angelina Jolie, Brad Pitt, Kevin Bacon, Justin Trudeau, Anna

Paquin, and many others. The mainstream sites admit this, but tell you it isn't so rare. That is a lie. They also lie about the closeness of the kinship in most cases, telling you he is a 12th cousin when he is really a 4th cousin, for instance. We have seen them do this over and over.

Added September 25, 2019: Keira Knightley is a Pepper through her great-grandmother, which probably links her to head of BSC Maj. John Pepper. Pepper is of course the namesake for Sgt. Pepper, and the Beatles' album. BSC is the American arm of MI6, linking Keira to Intelligence. Keira is also a Hosgood through her grandfather. That should probably be spelled Hosegood, and it links us directly to the Stewarts/Stuarts. See Stanley Hosegood of the peerage, who married Rose Bligh in 1923. She was the daughter of Marion Stewart-Savile. This also links us to the Nevilles. That was the nearest link I could find, but Keira's ancestry has been heavily scrubbed, especially by Tim Dowling at Geneanet. Nonetheless, Keira is also a MacDonald through her mother, which should link us to the Stewarts again. Which would mean Keira's Knightleys are also in the peerage: see the Baronets and Barons of Fawsley. This would also link us to the Valentines (see my paper on Lincoln and Twain). And remember Mr. Knightley of Jane Austen's Emma. Keira got to play Elizabeth Bennett in Pride and Prejudice, but she was a few years too late to play Emma, since her cousin Gwyneth Paltrow had recently played her in 1996.

Although Gwyneth's father and husband are Jewish, her mother Blythe Danner is only crypto-Jewish. The Danners go back to Solomon Danner of New York, and before that to Switzerland, where they were bankers named Tanner. Also Muellers, Reitlickerins, Bayers, Hoffs, Kehrs, Overholsers, Bollingers, Shaffers, Baumans, and Yetters. The Danners are still bankers: Blythe's father was a rich banker. Nonetheless, Wikipedia tries to sell Blythe Danner as German, English, and Irish. Blythe's mother is a Kile, which is a variant of Kiel, and Jewish. Kiel means "crowned with laurel" in Yiddish. In the Paltrow line, Gwyneth is an Epstein and Scheinman from Poland. More importantly, she is a Lewitanski (Levin) and HaKohen. Also a Levinson. It is this scrubbed Levinson line that probably links her to major action in Hollywood, explaining why she climbed even higher than her mother. It is also how she is a cousin to these actresses in England. The Levinsons link us to the Stewarts, you see. Levinson=Livingstone, which links us to the Stanleys (Stoneleighs=Levi-stones), Murrays, and Rockefellers.