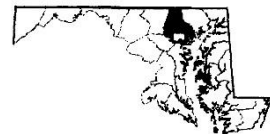


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How to Easily Shutdown Your OAC

Windows 11: How to shut down your PC: Use ALT key + F4 keyboard shortcut if you prefer not to use the power button.

On [Windows 10](#), you can conveniently sign out, shut down, restart, or hibernate your computer from the Start menu or Lock screen. The system also includes the **shutdown.exe** tool that allows you to perform the same power operations through Command Prompt.

How Often Should I Perform a Scan on my PC?

Schedule a repair at least once a week. It's only good practice to keep a content alert to what is going on. Purchase software to check for Viruses and Malware. Stay Protected!

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PhotoDater by MyHeritage

Great news: date estimation for historical photos is finally here, and is available exclusively on MyHeritage! I'm delighted to announce the release of **PhotoDater™**, a groundbreaking, free new feature that estimates the year a photo was taken using AI technology.

PhotoDater™ uses an AI model developed by MyHeritage that is trained to understand nuances such as clothing, hairstyles, facial hair, and other objects that are characteristic of a particular decade. It then calculates the estimated year the photo was taken, together with a confidence level and average error range.

You can read all about PhotoDater™ on [our blog](#), and I encourage you to share this exciting news with your audience, together with the visual below.



Now, I know what you may be thinking: why would I rely on guesswork? For undated photos with no other leads, PhotoDater™ can help you unlock further clues about who appears in the photo and the event at which it was taken, to solve mysteries in your genealogy research.

We're excited to present this feature to the community and look forward to hearing your feedback!

Enjoy,

Daniel Horowitz

Genealogy Expert

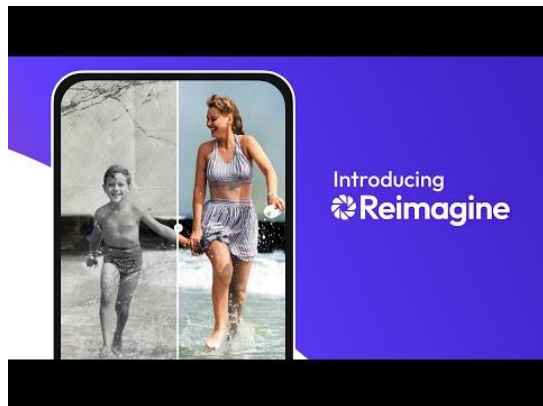
- MYHERITAGE PRODUCTS PHOTOS

Introducing Reimagine: An Innovative Photo App by MyHeritage

- By Erica Posted on MyHeritage Blog on May 30, 2023

We're excited to announce the launch of **Reimagine**, a groundbreaking new mobile app for family photos. Reimagine harnesses the power of MyHeritage's world-class AI technologies for improving historical photos, and boasts a powerful photo scanner that enables high-speed scanning of entire album pages. Reimagine is available on both **iOS** and **Android**.

Watch the cool video below for a taste of what Reimagine can do:



The first step to digitally preserving family photos stored in photo albums and shoe boxes is to scan them. To meet this need, Reimagine is a one-stop-shop where you can scan, improve, and share your photos, and indulge that sweet sense of nostalgia. Reimagine comes with a state-of-the-art, multi-page scanner feature developed by MyHeritage's AI team. This enables quick and easy scanning of entire album pages or multiple standalone photos in a single tap. The scanner then uses cutting-edge, cloud-based AI technology to automatically detect the individual photos and crop them, saving hours of work traditionally required with other scanners. Scanned photos are saved in an album within the app and backed up to an account on MyHeritage.

In just a few taps, an old, damaged black and white photo can be scanned and beautifully restored, enhanced, colorized, and even animated. The improved photos, or their original scanned versions, can easily be shared with family and friends on social media, or through your family site on MyHeritage.

Why Reimagine?

Many users who first encountered MyHeritage thanks to features like Deep Nostalgia™ and MyHeritage In Color™ expressed interest in a photo-centric app with a more affordable, photos-only subscription.

Reimagine meets this need, enabling you to preserve, improve, and share family photos, all from a standalone photo app. Its sleek design and functionality make the app easy to use, and with its best-in-class scanner, storage capacity, and AI photo enhancement tools, Reimagine is the ideal home for cherished family photos old and new. For details about Reimagine's affordable subscription plans, see the section on cost below.

Reimagine currently supports 11 languages: English, French, German, Spanish, Dutch, Danish, Portuguese (Brazil), Swedish, Norwegian, Italian, and Finnish. Additional languages will be added in the future.

Download Reimagine from the [App Store](#) or [Google Play](#).

Integration with MyHeritage

If you already have a MyHeritage account, log in to Reimagine using the same email and password that you use on MyHeritage. Users who manage multiple family sites can direct their photos to the family site of their choice, or create a new, dedicated family site for Reimagine, if they prefer to keep the photos separate from their MyHeritage family site.

The advantage of associating the app with an existing family site is that relatives who are members of your family site will be able to see all of the content you add or create with Reimagine. In addition, all photos stored in the selected family site on MyHeritage will be available for improvement on the app, and tagged faces will be searchable.

The new photo scanner feature is exclusive to Reimagine, and is not available on the MyHeritage mobile app. We developed Reimagine as a dedicated, photos-only app, and while we've made many of our celebrated photo features available on both platforms, we also want to differentiate Reimagine as a standalone destination for nostalgic photos. This means that in the future we may add new features and experiences that are exclusive to Reimagine.

Download the Reimagine app and sign up, or log in using your MyHeritage account. Once you're logged in, tap the plus button at the bottom of the Home screen to scan or upload ad your photos. [Reimagine: photo scanner and AI photo enhancer \(myheritage.com\)](https://myheritage.com/reimagine)

Go to <https://myheritage.com/reimagine>

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The Frederick and Margaret **Kirk** Family

By Lisa Gaye Woolfson - great great granddaughter

Frederick and Margaret Rhine Kirk (formerly known as Friederich Karg and Margreth Reining) emigrated from Bremen to Baltimore Maryland on 11 June 1840 on a ship named "Ferdinand".

Frederick and Margaret Americanized their names married soon after they arrived in their new country. They began to raise a large family in the Hebbville area of Baltimore County, MD. For years there were Kirk family reunions to try to keep the family in contact with each other. I remember attending the reunions as a child. They were organized and run by Margret Kirk Davis who lived on Lyons Mills Road in Randallstown, MD. They gave birth to the following children:

- 1) Anna "Annie" Kirk who was born 02 June 1841 in Baltimore County Maryland. She married Phillip Glick (born 06 May 1835 in Bavaria). He arrived in the United States about 1853 and they married about 1861. She died on 05 Feb 1898 in Randallstown, Baltimore County Maryland and he died 28 Aug 1900 also in Randallstown, Baltimore County, Maryland. They are both buried at Mt. Olive United Methodist Church Cemetery in Randallstown, Maryland.
- 2) Adam Kirk was born December 1842 in Baltimore, Maryland. He married Susanna V. (Susan) Upton (1848-1915) in 1869. Adam was drafted into the Civil War at the age of 21 living in District 2 of Baltimore County Maryland. There were no other records on Ancestry or Fold 3 about his military service so he may have paid someone to take his place in the war. U.S. Find a Grave has his death date as being 07 Feb 1926. His wife, Susan Upton Kirk is reported to have died in 1915 as stated in an obituary in the Baltimore Sun Newspaper. However it states that she is the widow of Adam Kirk. It seems that you would have to go to the Maryland State Archives to get the death certificate for each to prove who died first. They are buried in Woodlawn Cemetery Woodlawn, Maryland.

3) Elizabeth Kirk was born 16 Jan 1844 in Baltimore, Maryland. She married Jacob Krider on 08 June 1864 at Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church in Hebbville, Maryland (her parents were founding members). She died 20 Mar 1933 in Baltimore, Maryland. They are buried at Mt. Olive Cemetery in Randallstown, Maryland.

4) Henry Kirk was born 03 Jul 1848 in Baltimore, Maryland and died the same year at the same place.

3) John Albert Kirk was born 04 Mar 1849 (or 04 Mar 1849) in Baltimore County, Maryland. He married Charlotte "Lottie" Smith on 10 Oct 1871 in Baltimore County Maryland. She was born 03 Mar 1851 and died in 1930. John Albert died 16 Aug 1934 Hebbville, Baltimore County, Maryland. They are both buried in Mt. Olive Cemetery Randallstown, Baltimore County, Maryland.

4) Naomi Emma Kirk was born 22 May 1851 in Baltimore County Maryland. She married John W. Dunn about 1871 and died 04 Mar 1888 in Baltimore, Maryland. They are buried in Hebbville Cemetery, Windsor Mill Manor, Baltimore, Maryland

5) Frederick Kirk was born 04 Mar 1853 in Baltimore County Maryland. He married 17 Feb 1876 to Mary "Mollie" Elizabeth Dunn (1856-1931) in Baltimore County, Maryland. He died 29 April 1941 Hebbville, Baltimore County, Maryland. They are buried at Mt. Olive Cemetery, Randallstown, Baltimore County, Maryland.

6) **Andrew Eldridge Kirk was born 29 Jan 1855 in Baltimore County, Maryland. He married on 28 Oct 1881 to Amelia Virginia Euler {1862-1928}. He died 18 Dec 1944 in Baltimore County Maryland. They are buried at Mt. Olive Church Randallstown, Baltimore County, Maryland.**

7) William Henry Kirk was born in March 1857 in Baltimore County, Maryland. He married 22 Oct 1878 at Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church Hebbville, Baltimore County, MD. His wife was Mary Ann "Annie" Wallace. He died Oct 1948 Baltimore County, Maryland. They are buried at Mt. Olive Church, Randallstown, Baltimore County, Maryland.

8) Noah H. Kirk was born 24 Feb 1859 in Baltimore County, MD. He married 15 July 1880 to Agnes Louise Jones (1860-1930). Noah died 01 Mar 1938 in Baltimore City, Maryland. (Picture) They are buried in Woodlawn Cemetery Baltimore County, Maryland.

9) Martha Mary Kirk was born 22 Jan 1861 in Hebbville, Baltimore County, Maryland. She married William Henry Hine (1862-1943) on 22 Nov 1892 at Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church in Hebbville, Baltimore County, Maryland. She died 04 Jul 1948 in Catonsville, MD. They are buried at Mt. Olive Church, Randallstown, Baltimore County, Maryland

10) Louise Catherine Kirk was born in 1863 in Baltimore, Maryland. She married George Adam "Berloin" Berline on 18 Sep 1882 in Baltimore City, Maryland. Louise died on 02 Nov 1930 in Baltimore Maryland. They are buried at Druid Ridge Cemetery Pikesville, Baltimore County, Maryland.

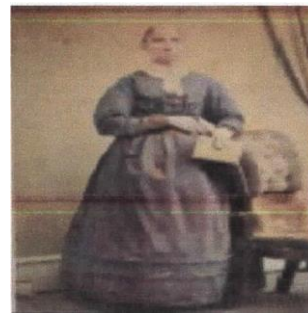
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Frederick Kirk



Picture Margreth Reining

Margaret Rhine



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b. 25 Apr 1822

m. 1840 Baltimore,
Maryland

d. 19 Jul 1896, Hebbville, Baltimore County d. 18 Dec 1891 Hebbville, Baltimore

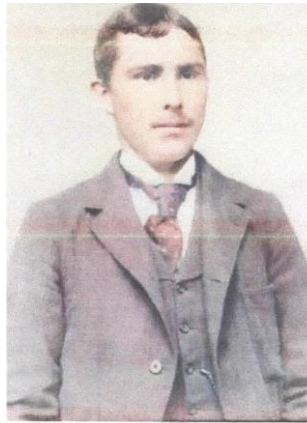
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Eighth Child (my Great Grandfather)

Andrew Eldridge Kirk



b. 29 Jan 1955 Baltimore County, Maryland

m. 28 October 1881 to Amelia Virginia Euler

d. 18 Dec 1944 Hebbville, Baltimore County, Maryland

Sources: 1860, 1870, 1880, 1900, 1910, 1920, 1930, 1940 United States Federal Censuses Beta

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