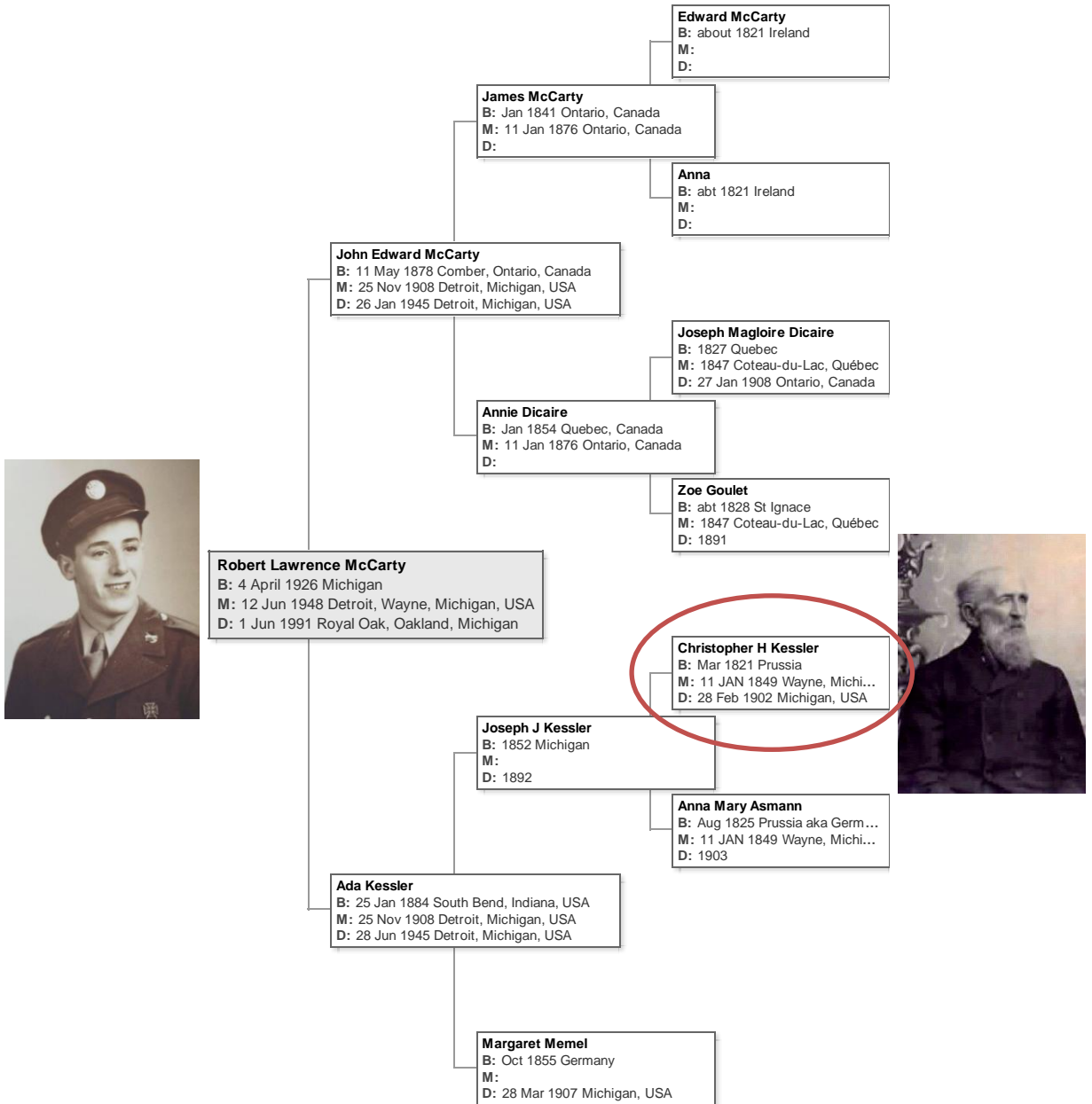


From Christopher Kessler to Robert McCarty



Fun Facts about Christopher Kessler

- Christopher was born in 1821 in St. Vits, Prussia, which is now Belgium.
- Chris came to the United States in 1846.
- Chris married Anna Asmann in 1849 in Detroit.
- Chris was a carpenter and built homes and businesses in Detroit and Walkerville, Windsor, Ontario around the Hiram Walker Distillery.
- Chris and Anna had 9 children and were married for 56 years until his death in 1902.
- Chris's 2nd oldest son, Joseph was Bob McCarty's Grandfather. Joseph died at age 40 leaving a wife and 4 daughters, Ada (Bob's mother), Eulalia, Colletta, and Clementine.
- Chris's youngest Son John Augustine was a Catholic Priest at St. James Church in Detroit.
- Another of his sons, John Clement, born in 1864, lived until age 97 and was buried in 1961 in Detroit.