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Joy in the Spirit World

Speaking of preaching the gospel to the dead, President Wilford Woodruff said, “**There will be very few, if any, who will not accept the Gospel.... The fathers of this people will embrace the Gospel.**”

(Teachings of the Presidents of the Church, Wilford Woodruff, 191)

The following table summarizes the number of **ordinances** submitted by our families to date. The total is a prodigious number and we have accomplished great things. But much more remains to be done. We still have two to three years of effort to finish abstracting the notary records—and we need your financial help to continue that process—and then the various family genealogists will continue collating the families we identify from those records and submitting them for temple ordinances.

Year	Baptism		Endowment		Sealing to Spouse	Sealing to Parents	Total
	Male	Female	Male	Female			
1987-2000	155	160	155	160	151	252	1,033
2001	344	346	344	346	313	284	1,977
2002	430	444	430	444	376	285	2,409
2003	725	747	725	747	304	349	3,597
2004	886	852	886	852	399	656	4,531
2005	953	1,078	953	1,078	486	549	5,097
2006	596	586	596	586	251	76	2,691
2007*	488	496	488	496	237	315	2,520
Other**	610	610	610	610	256	596	3,292
TOTAL	5,187	5,319	5,187	5,319	2,773	3,362	27,147

* Through August 30.

** Estimated totals of the Beus and Rivoire family organizations, which have not tallied ordinances by year.

Please note that the table represents the number of **ordinances** submitted, not the number of **individuals**. The total number of individuals represented to date is **10,506** (5,187 males and 5,319 females). A special *thank you* to all who have participated in this massive research project—those who have donated money, those who have helped with the analysis of the notary records, and those who have participated in temple ordinances. We have accomplished much—and yet much remains to be done.

Cardon 2007 Reunion: Exceptional

The extended Philippe Cardon Family Reunion was held Aug 9th and 10th, 2007. Jennifer Cardon was the Chairman of the reunion, assisted by a capable committee of Cardon descendants. On Friday Aug 9th, 2007, family members gathered to do Temple Endowment work for our deceased ancestors in the Mount Timpanogos Temple and the Salt Lake Temple. This was a great beginning to our gathering.

On Saturday, Aug 10th, more than 225 descendants gathered at a church building in Orem. In the cultural hall family histories were made available to purchase, and a wonderful family photos, memorabilia, and

art work were displayed. There were present descendants from, Jean, Jean Paul, Luis Philip, Thomas Bartholome, Catherine, and Marie Madeleine.

The keynote speaker was Michael Homer, who is an expert on Waldensian history. He comes from the Bertoch family. He showed television clips made during the Winter Olympics 2006 of the Italian Alps, our family homeland. A documentary of the Italians (Waldenses) in Utah is being made and will debut soon.

Recognition was given: 1) to Ken Cardon and Brookie Cardon Petersen for their leadership in the Cardon organization. 2) to Ron Malan for his contribution to the Piedmont Family Organization and research. and 4) to Edna Cardon Taylor for her work in compiling the genealogy book, *Cardons!*.

Following the Keynote speaker, breakout sessions were held on the following topics: 1. The Notary PFO records given by Ron Malan. 2. Updates to the "Cardons!" book, adding current generations, taught by E. Carl Goodman. 3. The Cardons in Mexico given by Boyd L. Cardon.

Concurrent activities were also held for young children and youth.

A delicious lunch was served, during which many amiable conversations were had.

In the business session, funds were solicited for the PFO. We still have many notary records for Brother Giovanni Cena to compile and send to us. We are in arrears of \$17,500.

The chairman for the next Philippe Cardon Family Reunion in 2009 will be Boyd Cardon. The co-chair will be Carol Dyer. The plan is to have the reunion in Salt Lake City area on Aug 15th, 2009 just prior to BYU Education Week.

Ahnentafel Chart for Madalena Gilles

By Ron Malan

NOTE: Madalena GILLES (# 1 below) appeared in *PFO Report* No. 43, January 2006, as # 9 on page 3, part of the COMBE Ahnentafel chart.

First Generation

1. **Madalena Gilles** was born about 1640 in Pinasca, Torino, Italy. She died before 1698. She was baptized 14 Jan 1988, endowed 19 Feb 1988, and sealed to her parents 8 Jan 2004, all in the Provo Utah temple.

Madalena married **Jean Combe** son of Francesco Combe and Susanna Blenat or Bienat about 1660 in Pinasca. They were sealed on 28 May 1988 in the Provo Utah temple. Jean was born about 1636 in Pinasca, Torino, Italy. He died after 1698. He was baptized 16 Jan 1988 and endowed 19 Feb 1988, both in the Provo Utah temple, and sealed to his parents 18 Oct 1991 in the Ogden Utah temple.

In addition to **Thomas** born 1671 (Malan ancestor), they had Susanna born about 1661, Francesco about 1663, Maria about 1665, Magdeleine in 1667, Giovanni about 1669, François in 1674, and Matthieu in 1677. All ordinances completed.

Second Generation

2. **Gioanni Gilles** was born about 1613 in Pinasca, Torino, Italy. He died before 12 Feb 1658. He was baptized on 2 Dec 2003, endowed on 6 Dec 2003, and sealed to his parents on 18 Dec 2003, all in

the Provo Utah temple. He married Maria Rostan about 1637 in Villaro, Torino, Italy. They were sealed on 11 Dec 2003 in the Provo Utah temple.

3. **Maria Rostan** was born about 1617 in Villaro. She died after 1 Mar 1678. She was sealed to her parents on 22 Jan 2004 in the Provo Utah temple. She was baptized on 2 Dec 2003 and endowed 13 Dec 2003, both in the Provo Utah temple.

In addition to Magdalena, they had Giovanni-Giacomo born about 1638, Gioanna about 1642, and Anna about 1644. All ordinances completed.

Third Generation

4. **Giacomo Gilles** was born about 1580, of Talucho, Torino, Italy. He was baptized 2 Dec 2003, endowed 6 Jan 2004, and sealed to his parents 14 Jan 2004, all in the Provo Utah temple. He married Gioanna Coque about 1604 in Pinasca, Torino, Italy. They were sealed on 11 Dec 2003 in the Provo Utah temple.
5. **Gioanna Coque** was born about 1584 in Pinasca, Torino, Italy. She was baptized on 2 Dec 2003 in the Provo Utah temple, and endowed on 11 Dec 2003 and sealed to her parents on 13 Dec 2003, both in the Santo Domingo Dominican Republic temple.

In addition to Giovanni, they had Madalena born about 1605, Gioanna about 1607, Antonio about 1609, and Francesco about 1611. All ordinances completed.

6. **Gioanni Rostan-Minot** was born about 1582 in Villaro, Torino, Italy. He died on 28 Jan 1620 in Villaro. He was baptized on 14 Dec 2005, endowed on 16 Dec 2005, and sealed to his parents on 20 Dec 2005, all in the Guayaquil Ecuador temple. He married Mrs. Gioanna Rostan-Minot about 1606, of Villaro, and they were sealed on 20 Dec 2005, also in the Guayaquil Ecuador temple.
7. **Mrs. Gioanna Rostan-Minot** was born about 1586, of Villaro, Torino, Italy. She died after 28 Jan 1620. She was baptized on 14 Dec 2005 and endowed on 15 Dec 2005, both in the Guayaquil Ecuador temple.

In addition to Maria, they had Cattalina born about 1613 and Antonio about 1615. All ordinances completed.

Fourth Generation

8. **Antonio Gilles** was born about 1552, of Talucho, Torino, Italy and died before 16 Dec 1616. He was baptized on 2 Dec 2003 and endowed on 21 Jan 2004, both in the Provo Utah temple. He married Mrs. Antonio Gilles about 1576, of Pinasca. They were sealed on 2 Mar 2004 in the Provo Utah temple.
9. **Mrs. Antonio Gilles** was born about 1556, of Pinasca, Torino, Italy. She was baptized on 2 Dec 2003 and endowed on 22 Jan 2004, both in the Provo Utah temple.

In addition to Giacomo, they had Giovanni born about 1577, Bartholomeo about 1585, and Maria about 1594. All ordinances completed.

10. **Francesco Coque** was born about 1557, of Pinasca, Torino, Italy. He died after 28 Jan 1617. He was baptized on 6 Mar 2003, endowed on 27 Mar 2003, and sealed to his parents on 16 Apr 2003, all in the Santo Domingo Dominican Republic temple. He married Gioannetta Reynaud about 1581, of Pinasca. They were sealed on 15 Oct 2003 in the Santo Domingo Dominican Republic temple.
11. **Gioannetta Reynaud** was born about 1561, of Pinasca. She died before 13 Apr 1616. She was baptized on 6 Mar 2003 and endowed on 10 Jul 2003, both in the Santo Domingo Dominican Republic temple.

In addition to Matteo, they had Margarita born about 1582, Gioanna about 1584, Gioanni about 1586, Pietro about 1588, and another Gioanni about 1590. All ordinances completed.

12. **Antonio Rostan-Minot** was born about 1551 in Villaro, Torino, Italy. He died before 26 Mar 1617. He was baptized on 14 Dec 2005, endowed on 15 Dec 2005, and sealed to his parents on 16 Dec 2005, all in the Guayaquil Ecuador temple. He married Mrs. Antonio Rostan-Minot about 1575, of Villaro. They were sealed on 20 Dec 2005 in the Guayaquil Ecuador temple.
13. **Mrs. Antonio Rostan-Minot** was born about 1555, of Villaro. She was baptized on 14 Dec 2005 and endowed on 15 Dec 2005, both in the Guayaquil Ecuador temple.

In addition to Gioanni, they had Gioanna born about 1576, Margarita 1578, Martha about 1580, and Michele [male] about 1584. All ordinances completed.

Fifth Generation

20. **Gioanni Coque** was born about 1534 in Talluco, Torino, Italy. He died before 2 May 1613. He was baptized on 6 Mar 2003 and endowed on 29 Mar 2003, both in the Santo Domingo Dominican Republic temple. He married Mrs. Gioanni Coque about 1558, of Talluco, Torino, Italy. They were sealed on 17 Jun 2003 in the Santo Domingo Dominican Republic temple.
21. **Mrs. Gioanni Coque** was born about 1538, of Talluco, Torino, Italy. She was baptized on 6 Mar 2003 and endowed on 1 Apr 2003, both in the Santo Domingo Dominican Republic temple.

No other known children.

24. **Gioanni Rostan-Minot** was born about 1521, of Villaro, Torino, Italy. He was baptized 14 Dec 2005 and endowed on 15 Dec 2005, both in the Guayaquil Ecuador temple. He married Mrs. Gioanni Rostan-Minot about 1545, of Villaro, Torino, Italy. They were sealed on 20 Dec 2005 in the Guayaquil Ecuador temple.
25. **Mrs. Gioanni Rostan-Minot** was born about 1525, of Villaro, Torino, Italy. She was baptized on 14 Dec 2005 and endowed on 15 Dec 2005, both in the Guayaquil Ecuador temple.

In addition to Antonio, they had Rolletto born about 1548 and Stefano about 1554. All ordinances completed.

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