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Genealogy Starter Pack

Everything a beginning family historian needs!

- Tips for Beginning Genealogists
- Ancestral Mathematics
- Our Family Tree chart (4 generations)

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Tips for Beginning Genealogists

Every family tree is as original and unique as you are.

Not every online hint connects to your family tree.

List women by their maiden name in your ancestor chart.

A research log & Correspondence log will save you time.

Use ancestral charts to keep the big picture in perspective.

Use family group sheets for a detailed look at each family.

Nicknames

Record all facts

Record all details you find in records.

DNA Testing:

Use genetic genealogy to confirm your paper trail and find new cousins.

Join Facebook groups for your area of research

Use the Date Month Year format for dates:

e.g., 18 Jan 1832, 7 May 1898, 30 Apr 1795

Look for naming patterns

Check for spelling variations:

Surnames were often spelled phonetically by census takers.

Smith · Smyth · Smythe

List your resources

(book? author? page? site, collection? record?)

Interview living relatives:

Do this early before their stories and memories are lost.

Go Offline:

Visit local libraries, courthouses, and historical societies for records not yet digitized.



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ANCESTRAL MATHEMATICS

IN ORDER TO BE BORN, YOU NEEDED:

2 parents

4 grandparents

8 great-grandparents

16 second great-grandparents

32 third great-grandparents

64 fourth great-grandparents

128 fifth great-grandparents

256 sixth great-grandparents

512 seventh great-grandparents

1,024 eighth great-grandparents

2,048 ninth great-grandparents

**For you to be born today from 12 previous generations,
you needed a total of 4,094 ancestors
over the last 400 years.**

Think for a moment...

How many struggles? How many battles?

How many difficulties?

How much sadness?

How much happiness?

How many love stories?

How many expressions of hope for the future?

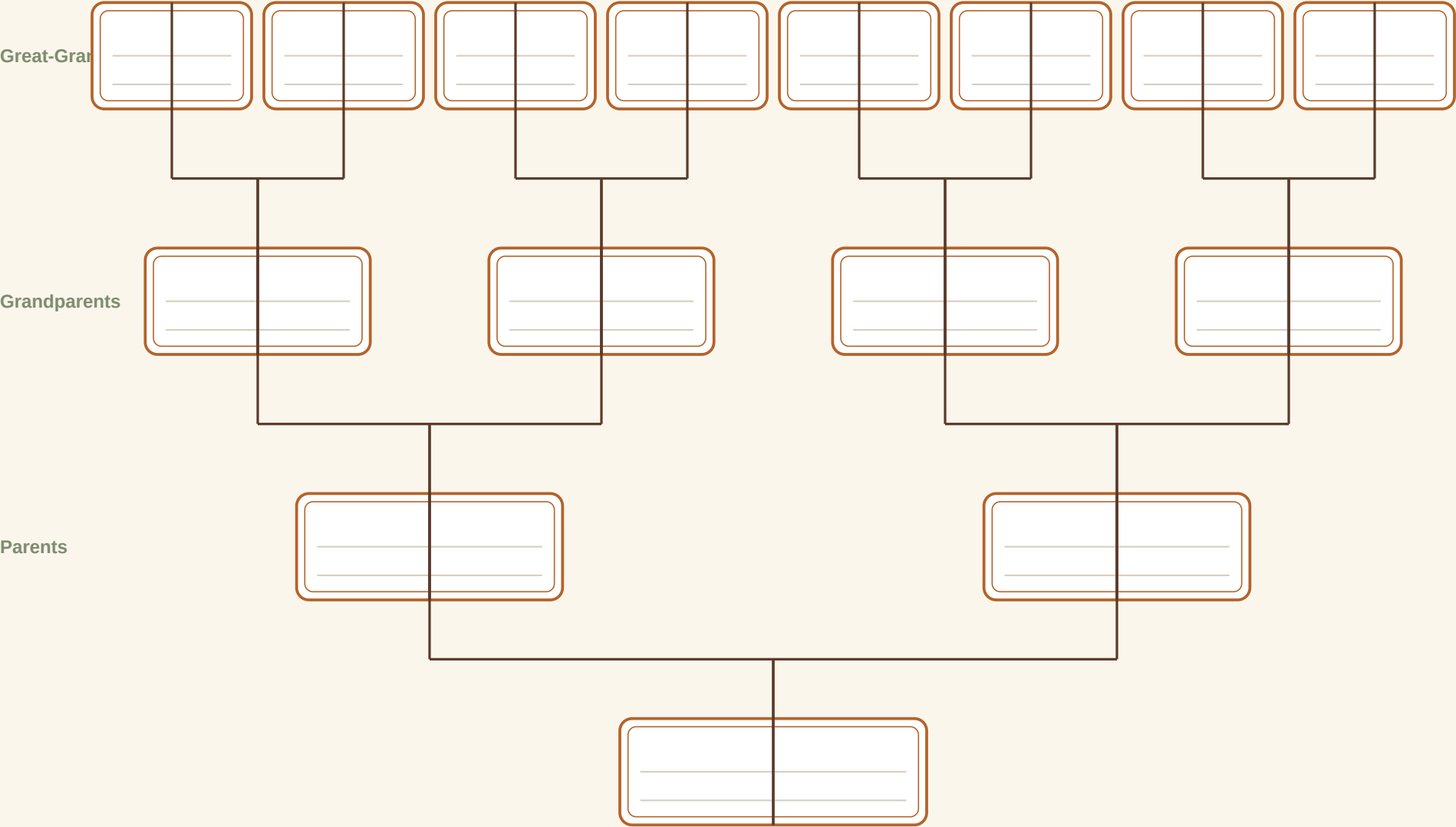
-did your ancestors have to undergo

for you to exist in this present moment...

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Our Family Tree

Four generations of the people who made us who we are





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