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DEAR AUNT JERRIE,

I HOPE THIS FINDS YOU WELL. WE ARE LIVING IN UNPRECEDENTED TIMES IN MULTIPLE WAYS. I KNOW YOU HAVE WITNESSED A LOT OF THINGS THAT HAVE BECOME CHAPTERS IN HISTORY. I RECALL ONE TIME WHEN WE VISITED YOU THAT YOU MENTIONED HISTORY HAS A WAY OF SWINGING BACK AROUND. THE TIMES CAN BE DISCOURAGING, BUT IT IS A REMINDER THAT WE ARE JUST TRAVELERS HERE. MY CITIZENSHIP IS IN HEAVEN. I DO CARE ABOUT OUR REPUBLIC NONETHELESS. WHAT ARE YOUR THOUGHTS ABOUT THE TIMES?

SPEAKING OF HISTORY, I HAVE FINALLY PROVEN - OR BETTER SAID - VERIFIED - DIRECT ANCESTRY TO KING ROBERT THE BRUCE OF SCOTLAND AND DUE TO EXCELLENT BOOKS AND DOCUMENTATION THEREOF, THIS POINTS BACK ALSO TO DIRECT ANCESTRY TO THE FOLLOWING: KING HENRY I OF ENGLAND, WILLIAM THE CONQUEROR, MALCOLM CANMORE (WHO SLEW MACBETH), DUNCAN I (WHOM MACBETH SLEW), HUGH CAPET, AND CHARLEMAGNE. ROBERT THE BRUCE WAS THE KEY. HIS BRUCE LINE MARRIED INTO THE STEWART LINE, WHICH MARRIED INTO THE DOUGLAS LINE, WHICH MARRIED INTO THE FORBES LINE WHERE AGNES FORBES MARRIED ALEXANDER DE SKENE, LAIRD OF SKENE. DE DESCENDED FROM ALEXANDER IS OUR VERY OWN NANCY CHARITY SKEEN JOHNSON. THIS WAS A BIG FIND AND TOOK A COUPLE YEARS TO PUT TOGETHER. WELL, ON THAT NOTE, LOVE TO YOU AT CHRISTMAS & ALWAYS.

*Jamie*