

The Stillaguamish Star

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE STILLAGUAMISH VALLEY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

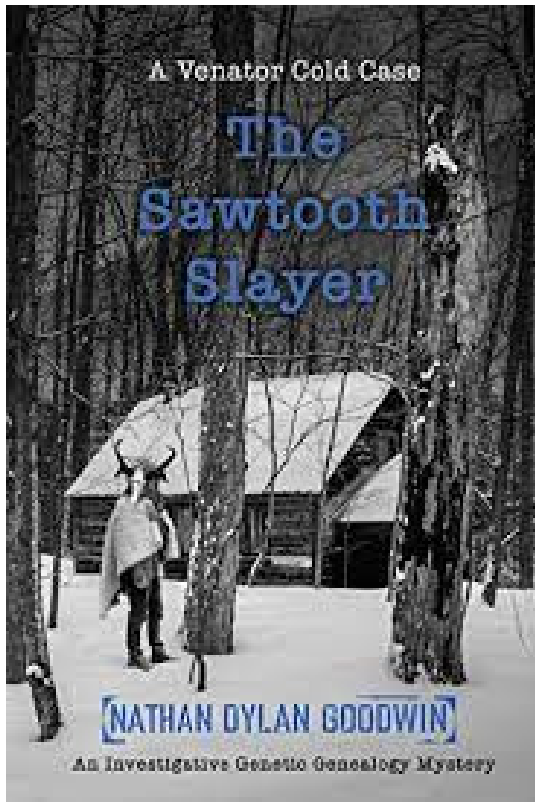
PO BOX 34, ARLINGTON WA 98223

360.435.4838
www.stillygen.org

6111 188TH PL NE, ARLINGTON WA 98223

FROM THE DESK OF DONNA POTTER PHILLIPS -A BOOK REVIEW-

It is now officially 2023 and why
not treat yourself to a new book for
the New Year???



One might guess that with eighteen books to his credit that Nathan Dylan Goodwin was running out of ideas. But nope. Book number nineteen, *The Sawtooth Slayer*, adds another star on his story flag.

The Sawtooth Slayer is set in April 2020 in Twin Falls, Idaho, where a serial killer is on the loose. A nameless man is kidnapping young women from their own homes, taking them out of the city to kill them before returning their bodies to random locations around the city. The local officers in charge in frustration turn to Venator—an investigative genetic genealogical company—in hopes that they can identify the killer from his left-behind DNA before he kills another young woman.

This book is definitely not another typical murder mystery. *The Sawtooth Slayer* is different in that DNA is featured prominently in the solving of the murders.

Will the Venator team solve this string of gruesome murders? You betchya....with the help from DNA.

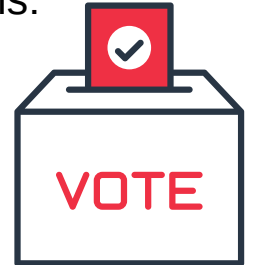
The old phrase comes to mind: "Try it, you'll like it." And I believe you will. You can order it from Amazon in Kindle format, hardcover and paperback (\$13.99).

IT'S THAT TIME OF THE YEAR AGAIN!

The SVGS Board of Directors
is calling for nominations for the following positions:



President
Vice President of the Library
Secretary



If you have an interest in volunteering for one of these positions, please contact a Board member, the nominating committee, or send an email to info@stillygen.org expressing your desire to serve.

**The election will be held following our NOON Potluck
on May 9, 2023
at 1:00pm at the SVGS library.**

*Mark your calendar for NOON and don't miss the
2023 SVGS Annual Meeting & Potluck*

Additional SVGS Board positions
to be filled by appointment are:

***Education**
***Membership**
***Newsletter**

Please contact President Ruth Caesar at: info@stillygen.org
if you are interested in filling a Board position

*Appointments are made by the society president and must be approved by the SVGS Board.



[HTTPS://WWW.THEANCESTORHUNT.COM](https://www.theancestorhunt.com)

KENNETH R MARKS

Everyone has their “go-to” websites that they often use to find genealogy resources and information. Here is a list of my favorites for the U.S., Canada, and the UK; and every one is Free!

[Access Genealogy](#)

Transcribed U.S. genealogy records

-

[Allen County Public Library Genealogy Center](#)

Genealogy collections and records

-

[American History & Genealogy Project](#)

Transcribed U.S. genealogy records

[Ancestry Free Index Collections](#)

Genealogy collections and records

-

[Automated Genealogy](#)

Indices to Canadian Censuses

-

[CanGenealogy](#)

Links to Canadian Genealogy websites

-

[Castle Garden](#)

Immigration records

-

[Chronicling America](#)

Digitized U.S. newspapers

[Civil War Soldiers and Sailors Database](#)

Civil War veteran records

-

-

-

[Commonwealth War Graves Commission](#)

Commemoration of war dead from World War I and II

[Cyndi's List](#)

List of links to genealogy-related resources

[David Rumsey's Historical Maps](#)

120,000 worldwide maps

[Dead Fred](#)

Miscellaneous searchable photo database

[Death Indexes](#)

Links to death, cemetery, and obituary collections

[DP.LA](#)

Search facility for genealogical collections and records

[Ellis Island](#)

Immigration records

[FamilySearch](#)

Search facility for genealogical records

[FamilySearch Catalog](#)

Genealogical materials; mostly browsing

[FamilySearch Wiki](#)

Links and information for collections and records

[Interment.net](#)

Cemetery and Burial records

[FindAGrave](#)

Cemetery and Burial records and tombstone photos

[Internet Archive](#)

Genealogy records, newspapers, and related collections

[Free BMD](#)

England and Wales birth, marriage, and death records

[Irish Genealogy](#)

Variety of church & civil records including vital records

[FreeCEN](#)

UK Census Records

[Italian Genealogical Group](#)

New York City records

[Freedmen's Bureau Online](#)

African-American Collections

[Jewish Gen](#)

Jewish genealogy records

[FreeREG](#)

UK records from Parish Registers

[LDS Genealogy](#)

List of links to genealogy-related resources

[Fulton History](#)

Over 50 million digitized newspaper pages

[Library and Archives Canada](#)

Canadian Genealogy records

[Genealogy Trails](#)

Transcribed U.S. genealogy records

[Library of Congress Digital Collections](#)

Genealogy collections and records

[GENUKI](#)

United Kingdom and Ireland collection links

[Linkpendium](#)

List of links to genealogy-related resources

[German Genealogy Group](#)

Mostly New York records

[Lowcountry Africana](#)

African American Genealogy in SC, GA and FL

[Google](#)

Genealogy resources search

[Midwest Genealogy Center](#)

Regional genealogy plus railroad pension records

[Google Books](#)

Digitized books

[National Archives and Records Administration](#)

Genealogy collections and records

[Guild of One Name Studies](#)

Worldwide Surname Research

[National Archives Resources for Genealogists](#)

Links to genealogical records and collections

[HathiTrust](#)

Digitized books and other printed materials

[National Cemetery Administration](#)

Veterans cemetery records

[I Dream of Genealogy](#)

List of links to genealogy-related resources

[New Horizons Genealogy](#)

Transcribed U.S. genealogy records, New England

[New York Public Library Digital Collections](#)

Over 900,000 digitized items

[Olive Tree Genealogy](#)

Ship passenger lists and other genealogy records

[One-Step Webpages by Stephen P. Morse](#)

Links to search genealogical records and collections

[Patriot and Grave Registry](#)

Revolutionary War grave and patriot information

[Reclaim the Records](#)

Genealogy collections and records

[RootsWeb.com](#)

Huge genealogy community

[Sanborn Maps](#)

Fire Insurance maps that show building details

[The Ancestor Hunt](#)

Links to genealogical records and collections

[The Official Land Records Site](#)

Federal land title records from 1788

[US GenWeb](#)

Transcribed U.S. genealogy records

[US GenWeb Archives](#)

Transcribed U.S. genealogy records

[WorldGenWeb](#)

Worldwide genealogy records

Book Restoration and Repair

On Tuesday, March 14

The Stillaguamish Valley
Genealogical Society is
pleased to announce an in-
person ONLY event will be
provided to the public at
1:00PM at our library.



David Richardson will share
his process and techniques
for giving old books new life.

If you have a volume you
treasure that needs some
love, bring it and get his
advice.

Our **Society Library** is
**located at 6111 188th Place
NE, Arlington, WA 98223.**

Our business meeting will
follow the presentation.

(Please note: This
presentation
and meeting will **not**
be available via Zoom)

Send us your submissions!

If you have a story that our readers might enjoy, please send it to us!

Newsletter submissions for the **May/June** issue should be sent
to newsletter@stillygen.org by **April 26th**



Find us on Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/stillygen/>



Check out our Blog:

<https://stillygen.wordpress.com/>



Stillaguamish Valley Genealogical Society
PO Box 34
Arlington, WA 98223

The Stillaguamish Star

MARCH/ APRIL 2023