



Tower

## Tower Family Crest

The Coat of Arms is a shield with three castle towers, a chevron with three roses, a knight's helmet above the shield and a Mason's square and compass

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CALENDAR REMINDERS**JUNE 26-28, 2009****NATIONAL TOWER FAMILY REUNION IN HINGHAM, MA**

- 400TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF JOHN TOWER
- 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CHARTERING OF THE TOWER FAMILY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

# TOWER TALK NEWSLETTER

## MAY 2009 ISSUE

By the  
Tower Genealogical  
Society  
Chartered in **1909**

37 DAYS FROM MAY 19th, 2009  
UNTIL THE START OF THE  
NATIONAL TOWER  
FAMILY REUNION  
QUADRUCENTENNIAL & CENTENNIAL  
CELEBRATIONS



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( THE NEW OFFICIAL T-SHIRT DESIGN FOR TGS REUNION )

A continuing series of Special Edition newsletters dedicated to the 400th Anniversary of John Tower's birth and the 100th Anniversary of the founding of the Tower Genealogical Society.

### WE NEED YOUR FEEDBACK ASAP!

TAKE 1 MINUTE TO COMPLETE THE SHORT ONLINE SURVEY (if you have access to a computer)

GO TO: <http://www.zoomerang.com/Survey/?p=WEB22986979835>  
A LINK TO THIS SURVEY WILL BE POSTED ON THE TGS WEBSITE [www.TOWERGENEALOGY.com](http://www.TOWERGENEALOGY.com) FOR YOU TO CLICK ON.

## Message from the 2009 Reunion Chair

Dear Cousins,

We are 155 strong and growing. Yes, as of today, May 18, 2009, we have 155 people registered to attend the reunion on Saturday and 112 on Sunday. We have exceeded our projected attendance of 100 and I know there are more coming. I fully expect that we might have 200 people for Saturday. We are moving the evening banquet to a larger venue to accommodate everyone. The banquet will now be held at the Holiday Inn, which is across from the Best Western.

Due to the obvious interest in the reunion, the [Registration Deadline has been extended to June 5th](#). Please have your registrations mailed by that date. You do not want to miss out on this event. The \$5.00 membership fee is per family address and is for name badges. If you are not a member of the Tower Genealogical Society, please sign up for either a single or couple membership. It's not too late to renew either.

Please check the following pages for new information on: hotel reservations, schedule of events and tour options, keynote speakers information, theme basket raffle, attire, t-shirt pre-sale, Photo-CD, family speakers, and Sunday's services.

While we do have speakers for the evening, everyone is encouraged to share their family history during the banquet. If you have someone special to tell us about, a special event, or historical anecdote, please contact your reunion chair at the reunion.

Housekeeping: Please let us know if you need: Vegetarian/vegan meal, Gluten-free meal, Handicapped Access, or have special circumstances, in the comments section of the registration form.

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ALL REUNION INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTS ARE  
AVAILABLE ONLINE AT: [www.TOWERGENEALOGY.com](http://www.TOWERGENEALOGY.com)