

## Livermore-Amador Genealogical Society Presents ~ Sally Stevens

## You Are Invited

WHEN: Monday, August 11, 2014 ~ 7:30 PM

- WHERE: Congregation Beth Emek 3400 Nevada Court Pleasanton
- COST: No Charge Visitors are always welcome



## Migration During the Gold Rush Era

Sally Stevens was born in San Francisco and grew up in San Mateo. Her great great grandfather arrived in San Francisco in 1847 from Hawaii, bringing his family over the following year. Her great grandfathers on the other side of the family arrived in San Francisco in 1860 and 1870.

Sally graduated from UC in 1959 as a history major and settled in Berkeley with her husband the following year. Although she was lucky enough to have known all four grandparents, like many of us, she didn't ask enough questions while they were still alive. Her interest in genealogy really began in earnest when she received a box of documents and letters from her grandmother's house.

Because Sally's family settled in the San Francisco area and being a docent at the Oakland Museum, she became particularly interested in the Gold Rush and the settling of California. Sally will paint a picture of what life was like coming to California and living here once people arrived.

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