

## Livermore-Amador Genealogical Society

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## **Ted Shapas**

## You Are Invited

WHEN: Monday, January 11, 2016 ~

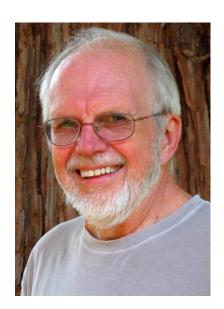
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**WHERE:** Congregation Beth Emek

3400 Nevada Court

**Pleasanton** 

**COST:** No Charge ~ Visitors welcome



## What To Do With All Those Photos

A picture may still be worth a thousand words, but what if you don't know what the picture is about, where to find it on your computer, or how to archive it? Dealing with family photographs used to be relatively easy, but with the advent of digital media, things have gotten a lot more complicated. In this talk, Ted will address some simple ways to manage your image collection so you and your family members can identify, find, archive and enjoy these very important aspects of your family history.

Ted lives in Alamo with his wife, Barbara. They are both members of San Ramon Valley Genealogical Society, Barbara as Corresponding Secretary, Ted as newly elected President. Ted grew up in and near Chicago, IL, attended Roosevelt University (where he met Barbara) and got his PhD in Entomology, from the University of Wisconsin in Madison. Ted worked in R&D management in the consumer products industry for most of his working career. In his non-working career, he participates in fly-fishing, native plant gardening, traveling, and photography. Genealogically, Ted tries to figure out his Eastern European family history, a challenge since most of the records, if they can be found, are in languages we don't normally learn in school. Despite the obstacles and thanks to the internet, he's been able to trace his Lithuanian roots back to the late 1700s when his farming family lived in a tiny village in the northwest part of the country. Ted and Barbara visited that village a few years ago, and found some of his relatives still farming there.

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