



# Livermore-Amador Genealogical Society Presents **Kate Penney Howard** You Are Invited

**WHEN:** Monday, April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025  
7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

**WHERE:** Attend in person or via ZOOM

Congregation Beth Emek  
3400 Nevada Court, Pleasanton

**COST:** No Charge - Visitors welcome



**Speaker will be presenting virtually.  
Preregister for ZOOM via link below:**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/join/zoom/register/tZYsduioriasG9HuhQRKapaR5Nh3fb9Y91tW>

## Squeezing All the Facts Out of Your DNA Matches

Near the top of your match list, you've got this mystery match that just might be the key to your research. The only problem is: they don't have a visible tree and they didn't respond to the message you sent two years ago. But that doesn't mean that you should give up! This class will give users of every skill level more tools to crack that difficult case. You'll learn about strategies for logically approaching your search, what you can glean from your match's profile, how free & paid resources can help you, and you'll receive a research template that will help you ensure you have left no stone unturned. This is an entertaining, fast-paced, so join us with whatever note-taking device you prefer and bring your questions for the Q&A session at the end.

**Kate Penney Howard** is a genetic genealogist, specializing in brick wall work, HighRoH, and endogamy. During a bout with cancer, she discovered that she loves sharing her knowledge with other genealogists. She is intentional about addressing injustice and myths in her presentations. Kate has presented at RootsTech, East Coast Genetic Genealogy Conference, the International Congress on Medieval Studies, NAAP/RTK's Untangling Our Roots, and the General Assembly of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). 2025 speaking engagements include RootsTech, Ohio Genealogical Society 2025, and Ontario Ancestors Webinar Series, as well as local library and genealogical society gatherings. Kate studied vocal music and earned a Master of Divinity from Christian Theological Seminary in Indianapolis in 2011 and has been pastor of North Christian Church since her ordination in 2012.

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