

Gen2 kids and Sandra Day O'Connor are 8th cousins twice removed

The children of Roy, William, Rex, and Alma Knowles (Gen2) and Sandra (Day) O'Connor (1930-2023) are both descendants of James Burt (abt.1622-bef.1680)]

1. Gen2 are the children Roy, William, Rex, and Alma Knowles (Gen1)
2. Gen1 are the children of Sarah Leora (Canedy) Knowles (1894-1975) DNA✓
3. Sarah is the daughter of Clifton Lewis Canedy (1869-1944) DNA✓
4. Clifton is the son of Lewis Gilbert Canedy (1837-1911) [confident]
5. Lewis is the son of Aden Canedy (1807-1874) [confident]
6. Aden is the son of Thomas Canedy (1774-1857) [confident]
7. Thomas is the son of Hugh Canedy (1744-1808) [confident]
8. Hugh is the son of Anna (Hathaway) Canady (1714-) [unknown confidence]
9. Anna is the daughter of Isaac Hathaway (abt.1678-bef.1758) [unknown confidence]
10. Isaac is the son of Hannah (Burt) Hathaway (abt.1653-1727) [confident]
11. Hannah is the daughter of James Burt (abt 1622-1680) [confident]

This makes James the **ninth great grandfather** of Gen2 kids.

1. Sandra is the daughter of Henry Alfred Day (1898-1984)
2. Henry is the son of Henry Clay Day (1844-1921)
3. Henry is the son of Hollis Day (1813-1889)
4. Hollis is the son of Lettice Carlyle (Cobb) Day (1789-1852)
5. Lettice is the daughter of Samuel Cobb (1753-1839)
6. Samuel is the son of Constant (Burt) Cobb (1728-1810)
7. Constant is the daughter of Nathaniel Burt (abt.1692-1765)
8. Nathaniel is the son of James Burt (abt.1659-abt.1743)
9. James is the son of James Burt (abt 1622-1680) [confident]

This makes James the **seventh great grandfather** of Sandra.

Having the same grandparents equals first cousins. Every "Great" adds one number. When there is a difference in generations, each step is the number of times removed. In this case, 7th great grandfather equals 8th cousins. The differing number of generations makes "twice removed".