

# The Genealogical Oeuvre of Johann Jakob Kubly-Müller

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In more than 30 years of work (1893-1923) Kubly-Müller created a unique reference book. It comprises a total of 36 large and small volumes as well as the registry of the old Glarus genealogy and an alphabetical index. Built on the entire stock of the parish books of the Canton of Glarus and supplemented by historical directories, documents and material from public and private archives, Kubly-Müller's monumental book lists all Glarus families from the 15th century to the present (until the electronic register was implemented in Glarus) in their sequence and links in a clean and readable font.

## The Kubly-Müller Volumes

GE 1	Betschwanden
GE 2	Bilten
GE 3	Elm I
GE 4	Ennenda I
GE 5	Glarus A – Frau
GE 6	Glarus Fre – Je
GE 7	Glarus Je – Oe
GE 8	Glarus Oe – Si
GE 9	Glarus So – Tschudi
GE 10	Tschudi – Z / Katholisch Linthal / Werdenberg
GE 11	Katholisches Glarus, Netstal, Mitlödi 1733 – 1877
GE 12	Kerenzen I
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GE 14	Linthal
GE 15	Luchsingen
GE 16	Matt – Engi I
GE 17	Mitlödi
GE 18	Mollis I
GE 19	Näfels – Oberurnen A – Him
GE 20	Näfels – Oberurnen Hir – Per
GE 21	Näfels – Oberurnen Pet – Z
GE 22	Netstal I
GE 23	Niederurnen I
GE 24	Schwanden I
GE 25	Schwanden II
GE 26	Glarus Alt A – Köll
GE 27	Glarus Alt Kön – Stüssi
GE 28	Glarus Alt St – Z
GE 29	Elm II
GE 30	Ennenda II
GE 31	Matt – Engi II
GE 32	Mollis II
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GE 35	Schwanden III
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- GE 37 Register ab Rosharth-Zwingli
- GE 38 Generalregister A-Z
- GE 39 Regesten Ältere Glarner Genealogie Band I (A-Dinner)
- GE 40 Regesten Ältere Glarner Genealogie Band II (Dinner-Hässi)
- GE 41 Regesten Ältere Glarner Genealogie Band III (Hässi-Kubli)
- GE 42 Regesten Ältere Glarner Genealogie Band IV (Kubli-Milt)
- GE 43 Regesten Ältere Glarner Genealogie Band V (Milt-Schwarz)
- GE 44 Regesten Ältere Glarner Genealogie Band VI (Schwarz-Vögeli)
- GE 45 Regesten Ältere Glarner Genealogie Band VII (Vögeli-Zwingli)
- GE 46 Walenstadt (insbesondere Bernold und Heer)
- GE 47 Evangelisch Chur (Auszüge aus den Kirchenbüchern)
- GE 48 Auszüge aus den Ehegerichtsprotokollen des Staatsarchiv Zürich
- GE 49 Stadt Lichtensteig (Bannwart-Zehender)
- GE 50 Amden-Lachen-Schänis
- GE 51 Kläsi Genealogie
- GE 52 Genealogienwerke des Kanton Glarus (1912)
- GE 53 Schenkung Genealogienwerk (1927)
- GE 54 Bürgergeschlechter der Gemeinde Mitlödi (20. Jahrhundert)
- GE 55 Auszüge Wattwil - Briefe an Pfarrer Paul Thürer
- GE 56 Historisch - genealogische Skizze über die Bachmann von Näfels
- GE 57 Familienbuch der Tschudi von Glarus (20. Jahrhundert)
- GE 58 Familie Tschudi von Glarus (20. Jahrhundert)
- GE 59 Die Genealogienwerke des Kantons Glarus (20. Jahrhundert)
- GE 60 Stauffacher - Bürgergeschlecht der Gemeinde Matt, Elm, Netstal
- GE 61 Die Genealogienwerke des Kantons Glarus in Verbindung mit den Bürger-Geschlechter der Gemeinden Glarus-Riedern
- GE 62 Vortrag des Stiftsarchivar P. Rudolf Henggeler im Kloster Einsiedeln
- GE 63 Über die Entwicklung der beiden Kirchgemeinden von Glarus katholischer und reformierter Konfession
- GE 64 Postkarte von Johann Jakob-Kubly-Müller an Pfarrer P. Thürer in Netstal

## How to prepare a successful search ?

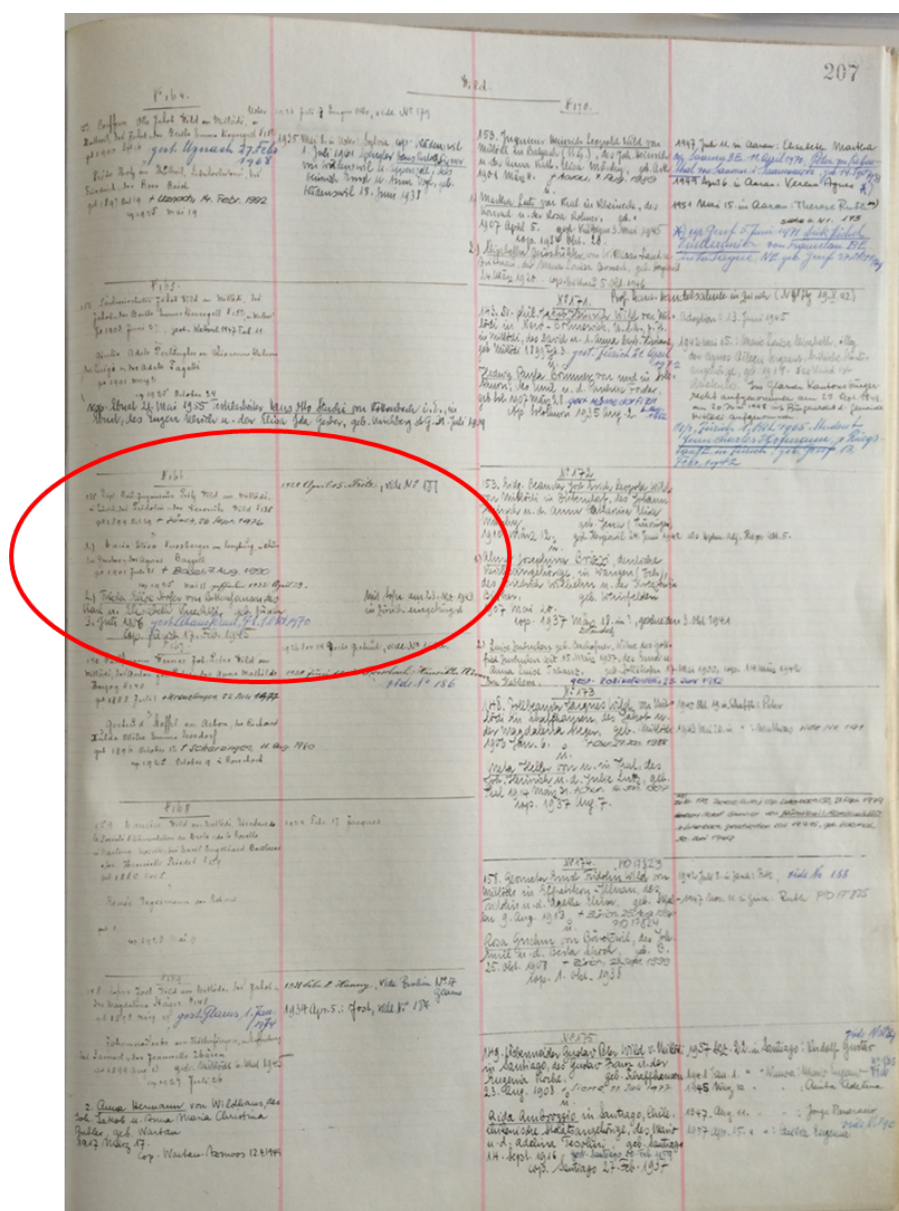
Due to the fact that the parish books and therefore also the Kubly-Müller records are split into the towns/villages of citizenship, it is important that you will know from which town or village your ancestors were a citizen of. A helpful source might be the Register of Swiss Surnames. To genealogists and historians the Register of Swiss Surnames has become an essential standard reference. Representing the status quo of the year 1962, it offers a comprehensive alphabetical listing of all the families holding citizenship in a Swiss community. Each entry contains information on the place of origin (i.e. community of citizenship), time of naturalization as well as previous place or country of origin. The register is online and you will find it here: <http://www.hls-dhs-dss.ch/famn/index.php?lg=e>

## How to read the records ?

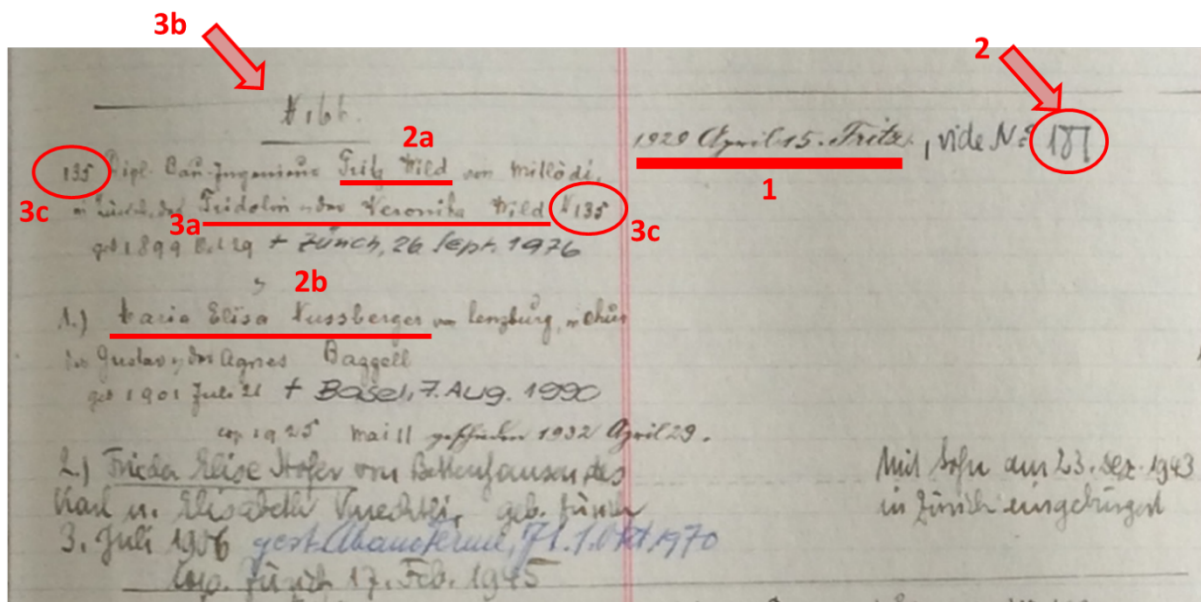
We are looking for Fritz Wild, born 15<sup>th</sup> April 1929 from Mitlödi (GL), son of Fritz Wild and Maria Elisa Nussberger, grandson of Fridolin Wild and Veronika Wild.

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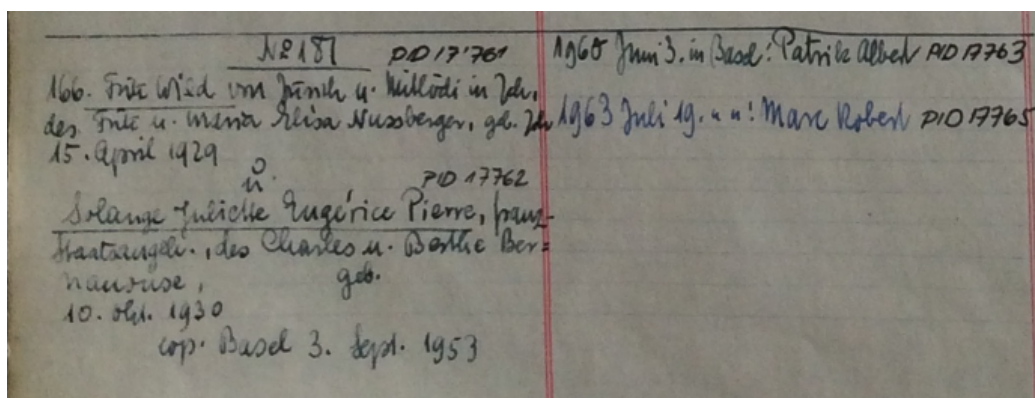
Go to the volume GE 17 (Mitlödi, this is the so-called Bürgerort, the place of citizenship) and look for the section for the family WILD. Within this section look for Fritz Wild born April 15, 1929 in the second or fourth column.



Once you have found the right person with the correct birth date you will find basic information about him and more detailed information about his parents and paternal grandparents.



- 1 Fritz [Wild] born 1929 April 15
- 2 Reference Number 181, this is the reference number indicating the family of Fritz Wild, born 1929. If you want to see his wife and children, you have to go to Number 187 Wild family in the same Volume Mitlödi (GE 17). His wife is Solange Juliette Eugénie Pierre and they have two sons: Patrick Albert and Marc Robert.



- 2a Fritz Wild jun. is the son of Fritz Wild from Mitlödi living in Zurich. He was born in Mitlödi October 29, 1899 and died in Zurich September 26, 1976. His profession was a graduated construction engineer. Sometimes the profession or official posts are indicated most of the time not.
- 2b Fritz Wild jun. is the son of Maria Elisa Nussberger from Lenzburg [Canton Aargau] living in Chur, daughter of Gustav [Nussberger] and Agnes Bazzell, born July 21, 1901 and died August 7, 1990 in Basel.
- 3a Fritz Wild sen. is the son of Fridolin [Wild] and Veronika Wild (Veronika's surname is also Wild); these are the grandparents of Fritz Wild jun.
- 3b Fritz Wild sen. has the family reference number 166 Wild family in the Volume Mitlödi (GE 17).
- 3c The parents of Fritz Wild sen. will be found under the reference number 135 Wild family in the Volume Mitlödi (GE 17). If no other village/town is indicated after the number, the place of citizenship (Bürgerort) is the same, in this case Mitlödi. If the place of citizenship of the parents is different than the other place will be indicated after the number and one has to look in the respective volume for the ancestors. If you want to see the parents of Fritz Wild sen. respectively the grandparents of Fritz Wild jun., you have to go to Number 135 Wild family in the same Volume Mitlödi.

## **Authorization for an inspection of the genealogy records**

Since January 1, 1998, newer, stricter rules apply in the civil sector in relation to the personal data protection. It is thus no longer easily possible to investigate in the volumes of genealogy. An authorization of the cantonal civil citizenship service is required for an inspection. A respective application has to be sent in advance to [ruth.bertsch@gl.ch](mailto:ruth.bertsch@gl.ch) with the reasoning of such an inspection. The permit will be normally given without any problem if you want to do research about your own family.

The Kubly-Müller volumes are archived in the Landesarchiv in Glarus.

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## **And last but not least**

Plan for enough time for your research. It may take 5 minutes or it may take several hours. If a family name is unique to one village (Zopfi of Schwanden or Disch of Elm) it narrows down the search considerably. A family name like Wild or Stuessi may originate from a number of villages. And common names (like Anna Hefti or Barbara Hösli) might add complexity and time to a search.