Subject: Best next steps to learn more on ancestors?
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Hello there

Firstly, a massive thank you for all of your work. I live in the UK and have been trying to find details on my grandfather for years using the likes of Ancestry.com and getting nowhere. Having looked at baptisms and marriages on your site I am as certain as I can be (too many coincidences) that I have found details of him, the birth of his brothers and sisters as well as marriage of his parents. He never talked about these details so it's been amazing to learn.

Can you advise on how best to learn more? Specifically, I cannot find details of his parents deaths as well as nmore details on his brothers and sisters. All the children were born between 1910-1919.

I can provide specifics on them if it's helpful. I believe he was conscripted (along with his brothers) into the German army when World War 2 started and fouhght on the Eastern Front. How he ended up in the UK in the early 1940s, fighting with the Polish Resettlement Corps (PRC) is unknown. I will write to the Bundesarchiv to see if they have details as well as the UK National Archives but are there any suggestions that you have to learn more?

Many thanks