

The following letter was posted on the Jacques Family of Somerset Reunion myevent.com page prior to the reunion in July 2022.

THE JACQUES FAMILY OF SOMERSET REUNION

We are the descendants of Lewis Thompson Jacques, resident of Monkland and Somerset, Saint Thomas, Jamaica in the 1860s.

Please start planning now to be in attendance. We're encouraging everyone to create a profile on this website and upload information even if you cannot attend.

This will help us build the family database for future events.

Once you have built your profile please pay the registration fee of \$160 per adult. Children ages 7-17 will have a reduced registration fee of \$70, and children under the age of 7 only need to pay for a T-shirt (\$10). These fees will cover the cost of all events and a family shirt. Payments at this point must be paid in full. We have more than 100 registrations. Please reach out to all family members and make them aware of the reunion.

Registration fees can be paid directly to the organizers of the function by mailing a check payable to: **Jacques Family of Somerset**. For information on where to mail

the check please send an email to [*JacquesFamilyReunion@gmail.com*](mailto:JacquesFamilyReunion@gmail.com) or

text [@jqfr](https://www.instagram.com/jqfr) to the number **81010**.

The 2022 Jacques Family Reunion will be held in Orlando, Florida on July 29 – August 1st. Orlando is a popular city in Orange County, it is known for being the summer home of characters like Mickey Mouse and the entire Marvel Universe. Our headquarters will be the Embassy Suites Orlando on International Drive. It is a ten-minute stroll from The Wheel at ICON Park. From here you can sit in a capsule

that rises 400 feet over Orlando and you can see a variety of attractions. We will be a short drive from Universal Studios, Disney World, and Sea World Attractions.

The Reunion will kick off with a "Family Meet & Greet, " on **Friday July 29th**. Drinks and finger foods will be available at the hotel. Come and enjoy family as we celebrate our heritage. It's the perfect start to reconnect and/or meet with distant relatives. **Everyone is encouraged to be in attendance.**

- **On Friday night**, we are offering an optional adventure to the Main Event, 9101 International Drive Suite 1032, Orlando, FL 32819. The price is an additional \$35 per person and includes; food and drink, bowling, billiards, laser tag, and 1 hour of unlimited arcade game play. Payments can be made by cash to Metris or CashApp to \$LaKishaMoss. We must secure the minimum participants to secure this price. Payment must be made by July 21st to ensure we have enough participants.
- **On Saturday**, we will meet at a local county park for a catered BBQ, music, fun, and games. Bring your card decks, dominoes, Ludo boards, and water balloons. It is going to be hot, but we plan on having tons of fun. Wear your 2022 Reunion Shirt that you received in your welcome packet.
- On **Sunday morning** we will gather for praise and worship before breakfast. That **Sunday night** will be the family reunion banquet, catered at the hotel. Wear your **ALL-WHITE** evening attire and come prepared to dance the night away.
- After breakfast, on **Monday morning**, we will vote for the committee and location of the next reunion.

While we are so excited for all of us to get together, the Reunion Committee strongly encourages those who plan to participate be COVID-19 Compliant!

We have secured rooms at the Embassy Suites Orlando on International Drive for \$134 per night in a 2-room suite. These suites can sleep up to 6 people. Click this [link](#) to get access to our special pricing. This pricing can be used for 3-days before and after the event.