

North American Medal Recipient Index
**(Being a nominal roll of known Americans and Canadians bestowed
the Order of Dannebrog and other royal Scandinavian medals)**
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Official abbreviations for Danish Orders, Decorations and Medals

R.E.	Ridder af Elefantordenen
S.Kmd.	Storkommandør af Dannebrogorden
S.K.	Storkors af Dannebrogorden
K1.	Kommandør af 1. grad af Dannebrogorden
K.	Kommandør af Dannebrogorden
R1.	Ridder af 1. grad af Dannebrogorden
R.	Ridder af Dannebrogorden
D.Ht.	Dannebrogordens Hæderstegn
D.M.	Dannebrogmændenes Hæderstegn
B.M.1*	Den kgl. Belønningsmedaille 1. grad med krone (guld)
B.M.1.	Den kgl. Belønningsmedaille 1. grad (guld)
B.M.*	Den kgl. Belønningsmedaille med krone
B.M.	Den kgl. Belønningsmedaille
F.M.1.	Fortjenstmedaljen i Guld
F.M.2*	Fortjenstmedaljen i Sølv med spænde
F.M.2.	Fortjenstmedaljen i Sølv
M.i.&a.	Medaljen Ingenio et arti
M.f.æ.D.	Medaljen for ædel Daad
M.f.D.R.	Medaljen for Druknedes Redning
Chr.X.Kr.E.M.	Kong Christian Xs Erindringsmedalje for deltagelse I krigen 1940-45
Chr.X.Fr.M.	Kong Christian Xs Frihedsmedalje
D.r.K.H.	Dansk Røde Kors' Hæderstegn
D.r.K.M.	Dansk Røde Kors' Medalje
M.T.Kha.	Dansk Røde Kors' Mindetegn for Krigsfangehjælp
D.T.H.	Danmarks Turistråds Hæderstegn

Official abbreviations for Icelandic Orders, Decorations and Medals

I.F.	Islandsk Falks Orden: storkors, storridder med stjerne, storridder, ridder
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Official abbreviations for Norwegian Orders, Decorations and Medals

N. St.O.	Norsk St. Olavs Orden: storkors, kommandør med stjerne, kommandør, ridder af 1. Klasse, ridder af 2. Klasse, medaille
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Official abbreviations for Swedish Orders, Decorations and Medals

R.S.O.	Riddare af första klassen af Kungl. Svärdsorden
R.N.O.	Riddare af Kungl. Nordstjärneorden
R.V.O.	Riddare af första klassen af Kungl. Vasaorden
Stk ...	Storkors
St-k ...	Storkommendör

Alphabetical roll of recipients

[Note: where exact dates are unknown, estimates (ca.) are based on year of death (†), etc.]

- Ahlefeldt-Laurvig, Chr. Wm. Benedict** (R.1.-1953)(R.-1946) banker, financial advisor, NY, NY
- Albani, Emma** (B.M.1) 1888, Canadian opera singer
- Andersen, Anton Marius** (R.) 1930, (b. 1847 Hopballe, to USA 1872, 1941†), pastor ordained 1874, Dana College, Blair, NE
- Andersen, Andreas Wilhelm** (R.?), 1939, pastor 1911-43, Trinity Dan. Lutheran, Chicago, IL
- Andersen, Axel Miller III** (Chr.X.Fr.M.) before 1956†, raised war funds, Chicago, IL
- Andersen, Harald** (D.M.) 1926, † prior to 1938, California
- Andersen, Julius** (R.-1971) (R.1.-1974)(R.N.O., Sweden-1975) (b. 1907 Hjørring, to USA 1948, 2003†), photo engraver, Danish and Swedish Hon. Consul for UT, ID, NV, (Vice Consul '61-'72, Consul '72-'93), Salt Lake City, UT
- Andersen, Poul Dalby** (R.) 1982, (1922-2006†), publisher of *Bien*, on 100th anniversary, LA, CA
- Andersen, Rasmus** (R.-1905)(F.M.2.-1918), (Fyn 1848, to USA 1871, 1930† NYC) first Danish priest ordained in America (1872) Waupaca, WI, to NYC 1878.
- Andersen, Sigfred Bach** (R.) 1974, board member many D-A societies, Chicago, IL
- Anderson, Eugenie Moore** (S.K.) 1953 (1909-97†) Amb. to DK (1949-53), Red Wing, MN
- Anderson, Rasmus Bjorn** (R.) 1889(declined), N. St.O. 1925(declined), (1846-1936†), Prof., historian, and founder of Scan. Dept. Univ. WI, proponent of Leif Ericsson, Madison, WI
- Anderasson, Marie** (R.) pastor, southern CA
- Anker, Kristen Petersen** (R.) 1921, (b. 1849 Krogsbølle, Fyn, to USA 1881, 1923†), pastor, associated with Dana College, Blair, NE
- Anthonsen, Clifton** (R.) service to Danish community of southern CA
- Antonsen, Carl** (R.) association director and bankruptcy administrator, b. Kbn, 1932†, Chicago
- Augdahl, Bjorn** (R.) ?, Consul General (Norway), Minneapolis, MN
- Bach, Paul Erik** (R.) 2001, engineer, Hon. Consul San Francisco (1992), CA
- Bagger, Henry H** (R.) before 1937, Rev. for Dan. Seaman's Church, Brooklyn, later Pres. Of Pittsburgh Synod United Lutheran Pittsburgh, PA
- Balanchine, George** (R.) 1980s?, Pres. Medal of Freedom, ballet choreographer, NYC Ballet
- Bansen, Norman C.** (R.) 1970, (1920-2004†) Prof. Emer. English, Dana College, Blair, NE
- Barnes, Clive** (R.) 1972, (UK-CBE 1975) Editor *Dance Magazine*, *New York Post* Dance Critic
- Bech, George** (K.-1924)(D.M.-1919)(R.-1901) Secretary Scan.-American Steamship Line, NY, partner - Bech, van Siclen & Co., NY, Consul in Chicago, New York
- Beck, Vilhelm** (R.-1951) (Chr.X.Fr.M.)(D.r.K.M.) (b. Ramme, DK, 1888, to USA 1913, 1986†) WW1 Vet, Dana College Seminary 1922, Pastor Audubon, IA; St. Ansgar's, Winnipeg, CN; Nazareth, Alberta; St. Ansgar's, Montreal) Co-founder of Danish Relief Fund in WW2.
- Bentzen, Lawrence C.** (R.) Apr 1988, (1909, to USA 1926, 2006†), USCG WWII, DOD Civ., Grand President Dania; Danish Soldiers Club of N. CA, Petaluma, CA, Aldersly Hjem, CA
- Bernstein, Stuart** (S.K.) 14 Jan 2005, U.S. Ambassador to DK.
- Bertelsen, Hjalmar** (R. 1960) (R1. 1972), (to USA 1928, 1981†), printer, *Den danske Pioneer*, Rebild Society Max Henius Award 1976, Elmwood Park, IL
- Bhatia, Vishnu N.** (R.) 1990, Director of Honors Program, Washington State Univ.
- Birkholm, H. H.** (R.), † prior to 1938, Hon. Consul, California
- Birks, William Mashev** (K.)(O.B.E.--UK)(K. Order of Phoenix--Greece)(Victory Cross--Norway)(Polonia Restitute--Poland)(G.C. of St. Sava--Yugoslavia)(K. Orange Nassau--Netherlands), Chair Henry Birks & Sons jewelers and silversmiths, (1869-1950†), Montreal

Blichfeldt, Hans Frederick (R.) Prof. Math. Stanford Univ., (1873-1945†), Palo Alto, CA

Bodholdt, Knud Clausen (R.) after 1882, pastor, (b. 1855 Tyrstrup, Jylland, to USA 1870, 1931†), religious author, Racine, WI

Boeskov, Børge (R.), (I.F. Ísland) 2001, President Boeing Co., Seattle, WA

Boel, Esper (R.1.) 1981, Businessman, dairy industrialist, PR officer for Wayne State Univ., NE in DK (lives in Falster, DK?)

Borge, Victor (Rosenbaum, Børge) (K.1.)(R.)1965 (B.M.*)(D.T.H)(R.V.O., Sweden)(N.St.O, Norway)(White Rose Order, Finland)(I.F. Ísland), concert pianist, entertainer, Greenwich, CT

Borglum, Coutzon (R.) ? Texas

de la Mothe Borglum, John Gutzon (R.) 1931, sculptor, known for Black Hills Monument-Mount Rushmore, San Antonio, TX/Mount Rushmore, SD

Bork, Roy J. (R.) 1986, born Denver 1928/to DK 1933/to USA 1961, food importer, founding member Danish-American Chamber Commerce, Danes Worldwide Rep. 1999, LA, CA

Borresen, Niels H. (D.M.) (Skovbyhus Præstø 1826-1916†), 1848 war vet, Spring City, UT

Boving, Adam Glede (R.) 1927, PhD, Smithsonian Institution, Svcs to DK science, Wash DC

Brisson, Carl (Pedersen) (R.) 23 Jun 1949 (R.N.O.), (Kbn 1895, to USA 1939?, 1958† Kbn), stage singer and actor, Hollywood, CA

Brittingham, Thomas E. Jr. (R.1.-1957)(R.N.O.-1954)(N.St.O.-1955)(I.F. Ísland –1957)(White Rose 1.-1959), (1960†) Brittingham Viking Organization. Univ. WI-Madison

Bronton, Arne (R.) Fr IX 1970?, Vet. Danish Guard, Chicago, Naples, FL

Bruun, Anders (R.-1992)(R.1-2001), lawyer-partner Canadian Cooperative Assn, Hon. Consul to Manitoba (1983-)

Castenskiold, Cecily (R.) service to Danish community of southern CA

Castenskiold, Christian (K.) service to Danish community of southern CA

Carlsen, Henrik Kurt (R.) 1952, Capt. ship Flying Enterprise sink saga, b. DK, Woodbridge, NJ

Carlsen, Niels Christian (R.) 1936, (Hjørring 1884, to USA 1894, 1950†), pastor, Synodial President United Evan. Luth Church, Blair, IA (note: scheduled to receive K. at time of death)

Christensen, Carlo (R.) 1995, Los Angeles, CA

Christensen, David W. (R.) 2004, lawyer, Charfoos & Christensen, Hon. Consul for Michigan (since 1995), Detroit, MI

Christensen, Gustav Amstrup (R.) 2003, President, Crown Prince Fredericks Fund Harvard University, Chairman Alpha-Beta technology, Lexington, MA

Christensen, Thordal (R.) 2002, to USA 2005, Ballet Choreographer, Faculty Long Beach Ballet, Artistic Dir. LA Ballet, LA, CA

Christiansen, Christian Thomas (R.-1868)(D.M.-1873)(1905†), CW general, NY Vol., NYC

Christiansen, Gottlieb Bender (R.) 1921, (b. 1851 Røjleskov, Fyn, to USA 1877, 1929†), for 40 years as pastor, Ord. 1881, later Blair College, Dana, NE

Christophersen, Myrvin F. (R.) 1997, President Dana College, Blair, NE

Clark, Austin Hobart (R.) 1927, PhD, Smithsonian Institution, Svcs to DK science, Wash DC

Clausen, Jens Christian (R.) 1961, (b. Eskilstrup 1891, US citizen 1943, 1969 †), Ph.D., botanist, geneticist, ecologist, Stanford Univ., Palo Alto, CA

Clemmensen, Peter (R.) 1902, MD, physician, tuberculoses specialty, member Chicago Board of Education, (Thy 1873, to USA 1902, 1932†), Chicago, IL

Cohen, S. Ralph (R.) 1977, Dir. PR for SAS North America, created scholarships, NY, NY

Commager, Henry Steele (R.1.) before 1998†, historian of American history, Amherst, MA

Corson, Harriet Emilie (“Mille”) (née Gade) (B.M.1.-1927 for swimming across English

Channel in 1926 in 15 hours) (M.f.D.R.-1918 for saving a drowning person in Vejle), NY

Corydon, Søren T. (R.) 1920s? (1952†), sponsored aid to Slesvig, Chicago, IL

Dahlerup, Alma (née Bech Brønnum)(B.M.1-1923)(R.-1955), Baroness, NY

Damholt, Einar (R.) 1976, (1902, to USA 1902, Pres. Danish Old Peoples Home, Racine, WI

Dan, Adam (R.-1912)(D.M.-1921), among first Danish pastors in America

Danielsen, Einar (R.) 1976, President D.B.A., Sec. Treas. Rebuild Soc., St. Charles, IL

Daugbjerg, Bernhard (R.) 1966, (1971†), V.P. Hedrick Eng. Co., Hon. Consul, Houston, TX

Daugbjerg, Ray Jens (R.) 1999, HR Petro-consultant, Hon. Consul TX (1990-), Houston, TX

Disney, Walter (K.) 1966, cartoonist, film director, founder of Disney Film and Disneyland, for contributions to film and friendship with DK (given Wash DC 23 May 66), Los Angeles, CA

Doane, Elisha (F.M.1.) 1794, rescuer of Danish shipwreck, Cohasset, MA

Donovan, William J. (R.) 1946?, (N.St.O)(Medal of Honor, DSM, DSC, etc.) MGen., U.S. Army, OSS WW II, Nuremburg Trials, Dir. CIA, Amb.Thailand, †1959

Dorf, Aksel Thorkel (R.) 1924, (b. 1875 Kbh, 1963†), folk school teacher in NE, pastor, parishes in Perth Amboy, Chicago, Brooklyn

Dreier, Peter Emil (K.) 1882? (1892†) Consul in Chicago, IL

Dupont-Hansen, George (R.) 1925, blind music master, organist Trinity Dan. Luth. Chicago, IL

Duus, Vagn (R.) before 1976, pastor, Dan. Evan. Luth. Church Solvang, CA

Egan, Maurice F. (R.) 1918, PhD, diplomat, former American Minister to DK, Fitchburg, MA

Eisenhower, Dwight David (R.E.) 1945? General, U.S. Army, Supreme Commander Allied Powers Europe WW II, President, R.E. on display at Eisenhower Foundation Abilene, KS

Elson, Edward, E. (S.K.) 1998, Amer. businessman, Ambassador to DK 1993-98

Engelhardt, Valdemar Ferdinand Immanuel (R.) 1913, Dir. Engelhardt Decked Life Boat Co.

Eriksen, Hans Chr. (R.) 1937, Chicago, IL

Eriksen, Knud (R.) 1987, member of Board and Pres. Dania Society-Chicago, Park Ridge, IL

Eskesen, Eckhardt Viarde (R.?) from Varde, DK, USA 1891, NJ Terra Cotta Co, Perth Amboy, NJ

Eskesen, L. Bøjenhardt (R?) ridder cross on grave stone (1822-1914), Perth Amboy, NJ

Eversen, George P. (R.-1950)(R.1.-1962)(Chr.X.Fr.M.), Hon. Consul for Michigan (1939-65)

Farstrup, Anders Ejnar (R.)(Chr.X.Fr.M.), Danish-American Lutheran pastor, President Danish Lutheran Church in America, (for work with displaced Danes in WW II), Los Angeles CA

Farstrup, Ragnhild Emilie (née Madsen) (Chr.X.Fr.M.), (Egaa 1910-2005† Solvang)(for work with displaced Danes in WW II), Los Angeles, CA

Ferris, Floyd F. (R.), RDM U.S. Navy (Ret. 1952), “services rendered to Danish people,” acceptance authorized by Private Law 85-704, 85th Congress, S. 3195 (Aug. 27, 1958)

Fitzgibbon (R.) 1946?, (Order of Southern Cross-Brazil)(Legion of Merit, Bronze Star-USA), Adm. US Navy

Flindt, Vivi (R.) 1975, Artistic Director, Ananda Dance Academy, Boulder, CO

Fredericks, Marshall M. (R.-1963)(R.1.-1971)(K.-1978)(N.St.O R1.-1972)(R.N.O.-1985) architect, designer, humanitarian, 1998†, Consul Michigan 1965-95, Birmingham, MI

Friederichsen, Poul Valdemar (R.) 1920, automotive engineer, Svc in RAF Canada, Rtn to DK?

Friis, Erik J. (R.)(N.St.O.--Norway)(R.N.O.)(I.F.--Island)(White Rose Order-Finland)(Ellis Island MOH, Antarctica Svc. Medal-USA), (Norge 1913-1999†), editor/translator, Editor *Scandinavian Review*, Dir. Pubs. American Scandinavian Foundation 25 yrs., NYC

Galindo, Ramiro A. (R.) 1979, received while Hon. Consul to Bolivia (1966-81), Bryan, TX

George, Ruddle (R.) 1990, (Dame, Order of Orange-Nassau – 1996), born Aalborg, to USVI 1978, real estate broker, Hon. Consul for USVI 1980-95, St. Croix, USVI

Goldberger, Leo (R.) 1993, Prof. Emeritus (Psych) NYU, (fled DK with Jewish family in 1943, to Canada, to USA), scholar on WW II rescue of Danish Jews, NY, NY

Graham, Martha (M.i.&A.) 1986, dance choreographer, NY

Graling, Francis J. (K.) Col. U.S. Army (Ret. 1954), reason unknown, acceptance authorized by Private Law 85-704, 85th Congress, S. 3195 (Aug. 27, 1958)

Grut, Ryan A. (R.) 1938, Vice-Consul, Los Angeles, CA

Halby, Christian (R.-1992)(R.1.-1997), (b. Aarhus, to USA 1961, Hon. Consul for Boston (1980s-2000), Wayland, Chilmark on Martha's Vineyard, MA

Halpern, Neel Resling (R.), before 1997†, Cand. Jur., ballet patron, Pres. Dan-Amer Soc, NY, NY

Hamerik, Asger (R.) 1890, Composer, Baltimore, MD

Hammer, Emil Christian (R?), Consul for Boston (1859-1894), Boston, MA.

Hansen, Christian H. (K.) 1889, Consul in Chicago, IL

Hansen, C. W. (R.) 1916, (b. 1863, Odense, to Argentina 1889, to USA 1893, † prior to 1938), 22nd President of Dania Society of California, San Francisco, CA

Hansen, Fred (R., B.M.) 1960, Pres. Danish National Committee, host 1960 royal visit, Chicago

Hansen, Hans (D.M.) 1927, veteran and farmer, Story City, IA

Hansen, Hans Johannes (R.) 1920s?, Professor, Reception Committee for royal visit of Crown Prince and Princess to Racine, WI in 1939

Hansen, H. Oluf (B.M.1.), Chicago, IL

Hansen, Inger (K.) 2000, Queen's Counsel (ER II), Canadian judge/ombudsman, Canada

Hansen, Kenneth (R.) founded Scandia Restaurant, (DK 1915, to USA 1920, 1980†), LA, CA

Hansen, Louise (B.M.1.) 1923, Chicago, IL

Hansen, Walter E. (R.) contractor, (Køge 1883, to USA 1897, 1954†), for services to San Francisco Bay Scandinavian community, Danish Old Peoples Home, SF, Walnut Creek, CA

Hartwick, Sophus (R.) 1916, (b. Roskilde 1868), Dan.-Amer. Author, Editor of *Bien*, southern California

Harkson, Jens Sonick Henri (R.) 1928, Vice Cons., Portland, OR

Hasselriis, Casper H.W. (F.M.1.) 1956, Dir. Danish Information Office, NY, NY

Hatchett, John (M.f.æ.D.) 1877, fisherman, St. Thomas, DVI

Hedemann, Christian J. (K.), early photographer, sugar manufacturer, Gen. Consul to Hawaii, (b. Flensburg 1842, to Hawaii 1878, 1932†), Honolulu, HI

Heilmann, Chr. Flemming (R.) 1998, Dan. Amer. Soc./ Chamber of Commerce, Ellis Island MOH, Greenwich, CT

Heller, Richard M. Jr. (R.1.) 1999, pediatric radiologist, Vanderbilt Univ., NC

Heltborg, A. L. (B.M.1*) 1932, California

Henius, Max (K.) ? (F.M.1.-1925), Ph.D., Prof., leading Danish American organizer, Chicago, IL

Henriksen, Erik Karl (R.) 1950, Prof. Univ. of Missouri, Columbia, MO

Hersholt, Jean (K.)(R.-1948)(M.i.&a.-1955), to USA 1913, actor and director, founder Motion Picture Relief Fund, 3 Academy Awards for charity work, Los Angeles, CA

Hillig, Otto (R.) 2 Jul 1931, aviator, flew across the Atlantic with Holger Hoiriis, Liberty, NY

Hilprecht, Herman V. (R.) before 1907, (Cross of Albert Bear-Germany) Prof. Ancient History

Hoffmeyer, Knud (R.) 1976, (DK 1923, to USA 1959), Chief Eng. Jacobsen Mfg. Racine, WI

Hogeland, Donald E (R.)(N.S.O)(Bronze Star-USA) lawyer, (Philadelphia 1919-1989†), Hon. Consul DK 30 yrs, and Sv. 20 yrs, former Gov. Amer. Swed. Colonial Soc. Philadelphia, PA

Holliday, Anna Thomsen (R.) Jun 2009, Honorary Vice Consul, Houston, TX

Holm, Mathias (R.) 1916, † prior to 1938, California

Holmes, Hilda (B.M.1.) 1933, Chicago, IL

Hong, Howard (R.) 1978, Prof. St. Olaf College 40 years, Kierkegaard scholar, Northfield, MN

Hong, Edna (R.) 1978, Kierkegaard scholar, Northfield, MN

Horsford, Eben Norton (R.) ?, Professor Harvard (1878-98), Boston, MA

Hovgaard, George William (R.) 1904, †ca. 1921, Cmdr Danish Navy (1879-1905), Prof. of Naval Design at MIT, Capt USN-WW I, Mason, prolific author, Scan-Amer Soc Fellow, Boston MA

Ibsen, Robert E. (R.) Apr 1988, DBIA Past National President, for Svcs to DK, Kenosha, WI

Hoyer, Steny (R.) May 2009, U.S. Congressman (D) Maryland, Majority Leader

Indevang, Axel H. (R.) service to Danish community of southern CA

Inglis, Thomas B. (K.) VADM. U.S. Navy (Ret. 1952), reason cooperation with DK Navy, acceptance authorized by Private Law 85-704, 85th Congress, S. 3195 (Aug. 27, 1958)

Ingstrup, Ole M. (K.) 1997, (b. 1941 Aarhus-), Commissioner of Correctional Service, Ottawa, CDN

Ingwersen, Niels (R.) 1997, (b. Horsens), Prof., H.C. Andersen scholar, Chair Scandinavian Studies Dept., Univ. of Wisconsin, Madison, WI

Jacobsen, Halvor J. T. (K.), (b. 1865, Kbn, to New Zealand 1874, to USA 1877), 7th President of Dania Society California, Fresno, CA

Jensen, Alfred (R.) 1949, Chr.X.Fr.M. (b. 1893 Brenderup, to USA 1966†), pastor Kimballton

Jensen, Claus (R.) before 1928†, Chicago, IL

Jensen, George Peter III (R.) before 1956†, Emissary from President Hoover to DK, Chicago, IL

Jensen, George P. (Mrs.) (R.) 1944, DK Red Cross citation 1950, 1961 for 25 Yrs Svc, Chicago, IL

Jensen, John Martin. (R) FrX (b. 1883 Toledo, OH, to DK 1897, returned USA 1911, 1968†), pastor to St. Peters, New Denmark, CN; St. Ansgar's, Montreal; Bethany, Spencer, IA; Bethany, Viborg, SD; St. Stephens, Cedar Rapids. (R) for translating Danish books into English. Blair, NE

Jensen, Knud Forum (R.) 1949, Consul for California

Jensen, Peter J. (R.) ca. 1936, Chicago, IL

Jensen-Gyde, A. H. (R.) 1935, Pastor, California

Johnson, Andrew N. (K1) ?, former Consul General, Minneapolis, MN

Johnson, Gordon A. (K1) ?, Consul General, Minneapolis, MN

Jones, Yo Yo Resdorpf (R.) 2003, Charitable work, Vice Pres. Jacob Riis Settlement House in NYC, Cambridge, Boston, MA

Jorgensen, Ottar Sejr (R.) ?, pastor, St. Peder's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Minneapolis, MN

Juhl, Olaf Rye (R) ?, Minneapolis, MN

King David Kalakaua (K.) 1881 (R.N.O. 1884), "The Merrie King" Monarch of the Hawaiian Islands (Sandwich Islands)(b. 1836, 1874--elected, 1883--coronation, 1891†), Honolulu, HI

Kallas, James (R.) 1984, President Dana College, Blair, NE

Karstensen, Karen (B.M.1*) 1927, † prior to 1938 (husband John), San Francisco, CA

Kaye, Danny (R.1.) 1982, comedian actor, R. for volunteer work with UNICEF, Los Angeles, CA?

Kennedy, Joseph Camp Griffith (F.M.1. without ring) 1865, Superintendent of Census, Washington, DC

Kisselgoff, Anna (R.) 1986, (I.F. Ísland – 2002), Columbia Univ. board member, chief dance critic *New York Times* (1977-2005)

Knudsen, Ove (B.M.1*?) ca. 1950, Chicago, San Francisco, CA

Knudsen, Signius Wilhelm Poul "William S. Knudsen" (R. -1930)(S.K.-1946) Brev. Lt. Gen. A.U.S. WWII (Distinguished Service Medal—1944,1945), President General Motors, Detroit, MI

Knudsen, Thorkild Rostgaard (K.) 1951, (B.M.*), (Galatheamedaljen – Galathea Expedition 1950-52), creamery Manufact., V.P. Rebuild Soc., Los Angeles, CA

Kofod, Martin (R.) 1990s? Gen. Consul for Los Angeles, CA

Koppel, Holger August (R.) 1920, carpentry exporter, Vice Cons., Baltimore, MD
Kramme, Lowell B. (R.) 2005, Honorary Consul of Iowa. 1996-
Krentzel, Joseph (R.) 1972, involvement in many Nat'l. Danish-American societies, New Jersey
Kuffler, Alfred J. (R.) 2000, admiralty lawyer, Hon. Consul for Phila. (1990-2000), Phila., PA
Kunst, Paul Hoff (R.) 1951, Chicago, IL
Kvist, Anton (R.) 1948, (Chr.X.Fr.M.), (1878-1965†) former editor *Dansk Tidende* in Chicago
Lantos, Tom (R.) June 2003, Cong. Rep. (R-CA), (father-in-law of former Cong. Rep. and
 Ambassador to DK, Richard Swett (D-NH)
Larsen, Christine (née Frost) (B.M.1*) 1923 (husband Niels) San Francisco, CA
Larsen, Donn (R.1.) 1996, Hon. Consul for Edmonton, AB
Larsen, Gorm (R.) service to Danish community of southern CA
Larsen, Hanna Astrup (B.M.1.) 1937, editor of *American-Scandinavian Review*, New York
Larsen, Erik (R.) 1972, U.S. Army Surgeon-Korean War, 8029th MASH, MD for Danish Old
 Peoples Home, Chicago, IL
Larsen, Niels (R.) 1925, builder and banker, b. 1865, Fangel, Fyn; to USA 1887, 1932†, San
 Francisco, CA
Larsen, Niels Hjalmar (R.) 1946?, architect, Hon. Consul for DK and Ísland 1931-41, Boston
Larsen, Svend (R.) service to Danish community of southern CA
Lauritzen, Bruce (R.) 2004, Chairman First Nat'l Bank of Omaha, Danish Immigrant Museum
 donor, Omaha, NE
Lawaetz, Fritz E. (R.) 1986, (Frederiksted DVI 1907-2005†), rancher, Sen. USVI legislature, St.
 Croix Friends of Denmark
Layssac, Paul André Jürgensen (R.) 1928, Vaudeville actor, actor several theaters, New York?
Leach, Henry Goddard (R.?) Secretary Scan-Amer Foundation, Editor of Journal, NY
Lewis, John (F.M.1.) 1794, captain, rescuer of Danish shipwreck, Cohasset, MA
Lisle, Clifton (R.) 1946, (Silver Star x2—USA WW I), Col. US Army, Military Governor
 Austria, Germany 1945-46), (1892, 1966†), Chester Springs, PA
Loeb, John Langeloth Jr. (SK) 1983 (b. 1930-) former ambassador to DK (1981-83),
 Westchester, NY
Lorentzen, Elna (R.?) 1966, Danish Home Women's Auxiliary, Chicago, IL
Lorentzen, Harry (Chr.X.Fr.M.) 1946, (R.V.O.-1960), (Friedhedsmedalje Norway-1946), b.
 Färlöf, Skåne, newspaper publisher editor (Pacific Coast Viking), Los Angeles
Lorentzen, John (R.?) 1966, President Danish Home, Chicago, IL
Lund, Frantz-Oluf (R.) service to Danish community of southern CA
Lurie, Carol (R.) 1994, founding member Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, NY, NY
Lyders, Eric (R.) 1921, California
Løwener, Aager (R.) 1914, Grosserer, Director of Union Bank of Chicago, IL
McKinnon, Alastair, (R.) 1996, Prof Emer., Kierkegaard scholar, McGill Univ, Montreal, QBC
Madison, James (K.) 1916, (b. 1859, Hvidding, S. Jylland, to USA 1873, 1927†), 4th President of
 Dania Society of California, President of Aldersly Home, San Francisco, CA
Madsen, Arne (R.) before 1976, Solvang, CA
Madsen, Jens (R.) 1903, (b. 1869 Svendborg, to USA 1893, 1946†), pastor, Brush, CO
Madson, C. Clifford (R.) 1961, 1976? President Emeritus, Dana College, Blair, NE
Marckmann, Svend Godske Alexander (R.) 1958, pastor D. Luth. Church in Pasadena, CA
Martins, Peter H. (R.) 1983, b. 1947 DK, ballet master, New York City Ballet, NYC
Mathers, Harry Isaac (R.1.) 1999, Hon. Consul for Halifax
Melchoir, Ib (Chr.X.Fr.M. ?)(K. St. Brigitteorden, Sweden)(Bronze Star, USA), theater actor and
 manager, US Army Counter Intelligence, novelist and screenwriter, LA, CA.
Melchoir, Lauritz Lebrecht Hommel (K.1.)(R.)(B.M.)(M.i.&a.), Wagnerian opera tenor

Metzon, Martin David (R.) 1988, (1920-2003†), CPA, danske Brigade, to USA 1953, Vice Consul Seattle, Pres. Danish Club Seattle, Brd. Nordic Heritage Museum, Endowmt. UW, Seattle, WA

Meyer, Erik (R.) 1980s?, b. 1914, to USA 1952, furniture manufacturer, former Pres. Dan.-Amer. Chamber of Commerce, Dan. Nat'l Comm. Of Southern CA., Yorba Linda, CA

Mezoff, Earl Robert (R.) 1976, while President Dana College, 2000†, Elizabethtown, PA

Morden, Reid (R.1.) 1999, Canada

Mottelson, Ben (R?)(shared Nobel Prize for Physics 1975), Danish-American scientist

Moore, Grace (B.M.1.) 1936, soprano opera singer

Morse, Samuel Finley Breese (S.K.)(R.-1856), (1791-1872†) inventor of telegraph, photography pioneer, Poughkeepsie, NY

Mortensen, Christian (B.M.?) 1998?, at 115 years of age, Aldersley Home, San Rafael, CA

Mortensen, Kai (R.1.) 1996, Hon. Consul for Calgary

Moth, Axel (R.) b. 1867, Sorø, to USA 1885, chief cataloger NY Public Library, d. 1932†, NY, NY

Mølgaard, Jens (R.) 1916, (b. 1868, Risen Sogn, Jylland, to USA 1890s), physician, executive committee for 1915 Panama-Pacific Exhibition, San Francisco, CA

Mueller, Gustav (K.)(Erindringsmedalje for Krigen 1864, Battle of Sankelmark) Chicago, IL

Muller, Thorvald G. (Chr.X.Fr.M.) 1949, grocer-sent war relief packages to DK, Kimballton, IA

Murrell, Hamilton (R.) 27 Apr 1889, captain of the steamer *Missouri*, which rescued the Danish immigrant passengers of the sinking Thingvilla line steamer *Danmark*, Baltimore MD?

Møller, Mathias Peter (R.) 1928, Pres. M.P. Møller Organ works, 1937†, Hagerstown, MD

Møller, Poul Christian (R.) 1927, Palæontologist, Curator, Walker Museum, Univ. of Chicago

Mørch, Ernst Trier (M.T.Kha.) 1946, modstandsbevægelsen og dansk-svenske Exped. to koncentrationslejre, Prof., M.D., to USA in 1949, 1996†, Florida

Neble, Sophus F. (R.) 1926, 1931†, newspaperman, *Den danske Pioneer*, NE

de Neergaard, Sara Marie (née Sørensen) (B.M.1.) 1923, NY

Nelson, Barry (R.1.) 2001, Hon. Consul Wisconsin (1983), Brookfield, WI

Nelson, Peter B. (K.) before 1960, Chicago, IL

Nielsen, Andreas Sixtus (R.) 1896, pastor, Cedar Falls, IA, Trinity Dan. Luth. Chicago 1879-93

Nielsen, Arthur Charles Sr. (R.) 1961, 1980†, founded media marketing research firm, Chicago, IL

Nielsen, Axel Roger Christian (R.) 1926, Corresp., writer, ed. *Den danske Pioneer* 1913-18,

Nielsen, Elcar A. (R.) 1987, Hon. Consul for Missouri (1978-1996), Kansas City

Nielsen, Karen E. (R.) Mar. 2006, Hon. Consul for Kansas (1996-), (daughter of Elcar Nielsen) Kansas City

Nielsen, Martin (R.) ?, president of Danebo Home for Elderly, Folk High School (1924-52), Minneapolis, MN

Nielsen, Paul (R.?) 1970s, Danish Consul for Seattle, WA

Nielsen, Søren N. (R.) 1923, pastor, 1879-93, Trinity Dan. Lutheran, founded Danish Children's Home, Chicago, IL

Noto, Ingolf (R.) 1997, DK-mother / ÍS-father, Hon. Consul for Portland (1988-), Portland, OR

Nyholm, Paul C. (R.) 1976?, Prof. Emeritus, Dana College, Blair, NE

Nørlund, Jette Johanne (née Hjejle) (F.M.2* "Pearyland"), 1952, Pearyland Expedition, NY

Olrik, Bent Eyvind (R.) May 2005, (b. Helsingør, to USA 1978), Pres. MRI International, Greenwich, CT, Dan.-Amer. Soc., Dan.-Amer. Chamber of Commerce, Westport, CT

Olsen, Keith Barry, (R.) 2004, (b. Canada), director, Mærsk Canada, Hon. Consul Ontario, Toronto, ONT

Olsen, Karl (R.) 1995, (Sørø 1917, USA 1941, 2005†), Danish baker in Solvang, Rebild Soc., Dan.-Amer. Chamber of Commerce, Escondido, CA

Olsen, Niels Peter (R.1.-1953)(R.-1930), (WI, USA 1888-1953†) school principal, Middelfart DK

Orlob, Thorvald (R.), (b. 1853 Odense, to USA 1884?, 1927†), 3rd President of Dania Society of California, Oakland, CA and Utah

O'Shea, William Joseph (R.) 1947, lawyer, Prof. of Law Fordham Univ., NY

Quinn, John T. (F.M.1.) 1898, school superintendent, St Croix, DVI

Quistgaard, Johann Waldemar de Rehling (R.) 1919, portrait artist, miniaturist, Washington, DC

Pack, Geoffrey (K.) Jul 2006, Capt. USN, U.S. Defense Attaché to Kbh. 2003-2006.

Parsons, Marselis C. jr. (K.) before 1971 (2001†), State Dept. Dep. Chief of Mission, U.S. Embassy Kbh, Lyme, NH

Pearce, Charles Sprague (R.) 1880s? (1851 Boston -- ?) painter

Pedersen, Christian (R.) 1960, Board Director at Aldersley Home, San Rafael, CA

Pedersen, Erik (R.) 1990?, service to Danish Club of Washington DC

Pedersen, Leif Clemens (R.) June 2003, (b. Kbh 1938, USA 1966, St. Croix 1980) civil engineer, director in US Virgin Islands, Pres. St. Croix Friends of Denmark.

Petersen, Esper (R.) 1945, Chicago, IL

Petersen, Hans (R.) 1932, school instructor, Danish Mutual Assn. 45 yrs., Elk Horn, IA

Petersen, Hjalmar (R.?), 1960s?, editor *The Askov American*, Danish-born governor of MN

Petersen, Jacob (R.) 1916, (b. 1860 Kliplev Sogn, S. Jylland, to USA 1877, 1930†) , 9th President of Dania Society of California, Oakland, CA

Petersen, Niels E. (Chr.X.Fr.M.) 1996 (retroactive?), (b. Hellerup 1919-2005†), McLean, VA

Petersen, Theodor (R.) 1934, CA

Peterson, Frederick Valdemar Erastus (S.K.) 1960, Ambassador to DK (1957-1960), Ambassador to Finland (1969-1973), Governor of Nebraska 1947-1953)

Plow, Carl (R.) 1922, (b. 1863, Hoptrup Sogn, S. Jylland, to USA 1880, † prior to 1938), 10th President of Dania Society of California, Petaluma, CA

Portman, John C. jr. (R.1.) 1983, (Officer, Order of the Crown Belgium-1975) (b. 1924-) architect, John Porter & Associates, Hon Consul for Atlanta, Atlanta, GA

Poulsen, Niels (R.) 1890s?, (b. Horsens 1843-1911†) founded Hecla Architectural Iron Works, left sizable endowment and trust for Amer. Scandinavian Foundation/Society, Long Island, NY

Prince, John D. (S.K.) 1924, (Grand Cordon of Crown of Yugoslavia)(Grand Officer of St. Sava)(Grand Officer of Polonia Restituta-Poland), Prof., former minister to DK (1921-24), Yugoslavia (1925-1928)

Rambusch, Lennard K. (R.) 1982, maritime attorney-Part. Holland & Knight LLP, ex-trustee ASF 1983-2005, Dan.-Amer. Chamber of Commerce, NY, NY

Rasmussen, Nann (B.M.1.) 1939, charity work, Chicago, IL

Read, Florence M. (B.M.1.) 1927, secretary with Rockefeller Institute

Riemann, Hans (R.) 1999, Prof. Emeritus Epidemiology, Vet. Medicine at U.C. Davis, CA

Riis, Jacob August (R.) 1899, (b. Ribe 1849-1914†, MA) journalist, photographer, and socially conscious author, NYC, & MA

Risse, A. H. (K.) 1860, Pharmacist, St. Thomas, DVI

Rohde, Ruth Bryan Owen (F.M.1.) 1949, American envoy to DK

Roll, William G. (R.1) 1953, diplomat, Embassy Kbn, for Marshall Plan work, Oakland CA

Rossel, Sven Håkon (R.) 1987, Prof. and Chair, Scan. Studies Dept. Univ. Wash. Seattle, WA

Rostropovich, Mstislav (K.) 1987?, concert cellist, b. in Russia, Washington, DC.

Rye, Sven (R.) 1990s?, (1906-2004†),freelance journalist, Laguna Beach, CA

Sadik, Marvin (R.) 1990s?, former director of National Portrait Gallery, Scarboro, ME

Sanderson, Lillian (B.M.1.) 1890, concert singer

Saugstad, Jesse E. (R.)(N.St.O., Norway)(+ Japan) (1973†) former diplomat, State Dept, Washington, DC

Savage, Arthur (R.) 2002, Hon. Consul for Central FL (also Consul for Norway), Tampa, FL

Sawkins, Anelise (R.) 2004, Hon. Consul for Minnesota and Dakotas (1995-), Minneapolis, MN

Schmitt, Margaret Barry (R.) 1994, St. Peter's Dan. Luth. Church volunteer, Sheffield, IL

Shaw, Josias Crocker (B.M.) 1794, village priest, Danish shipwreck assistance, Cohasset, MA

Shaw, Ted (R.) 1957, Dance Director, sponsored dancers of Kgl. Ballet in 1955, Pittsfield, MA

Simpson, John (D.M.) ?, † prior to 1938, Hon. Consul, CA

Skelbeck, Axel (R.) 1959, (1904 Hørne, Fyn, to USA 1923, 1986†) Secretary Treasurer Emeritus, DBIA, Omaha, NE

Skjerne, Axel (R.) 1954, Prof. Music, Oberlin Conservatory, (DK 1891-1968†), Oberlin, OH

Skovmand, Bent (R.) 2004, Univ. of Minnesota Alumnus and Professor, for work in Mexico

Sporon-Fiedler, A. (R.) 1926, (D.M.) 1937, Consul, CA

von Stamp, Hendrick (R.) 1890?, Colonel, Former minister of DK to the USA, Baltimore, MD

Steffensen, Chris (R.) 1996, Editor *Den Danske Pioneer*, Chicago (Hoffman Estates, IL)

Steffensen, Poul V. (R.) 1972, Dan.-Amer. Athletic Club, Rebild Society, Engineer, Omaha, NE

Stern, Isaac (K.) 1985, Pres. Medal of Freedom –1992, b. Russia, 2001†, concert violinist, CT

Stockholm, Charles (R.) 1916, CA

Strand, Kaj Aage (R.) 1977, (b. 1907 DK, to USA 1938) Ph.D., Astronomer, Washington, DC

Strandskov, Holger (R.) 1958, (b. 1893 MN, 1977†), former pastor St. Peter's Dan. Evan. Luth. Church, Sheffield, IL; Immanuel Dan. Luth. Church Kimballton, IA

Swett, Richard N. (S.K.) 2001, architect, former Congressman (D-NH), Ambassador to DK, Bow, NH

Sørensen, Ferdinand (R.) 29 July 1976, developer of Solvang, CA, Solvang, CA

Sørensen, Hilda (B.M.1.) 1939, charity work, Chicago, IL

Sørensen, James A. (R.) 1916, † prior to 1938, CA

Sørensen, Knud (R.) 1973 (b. 1922 Thisted, to USA 1949, 2004†), remained DK citizen, Plumrose 1949-1982, Red Oak Marketing, Bridgewater, NJ (36yrs), Lebanon, NJ

Søegaard, Peter Thyge Jesper (R.) 1896, teacher, syndicated writer, vice Cons., New Orleans

Taafe, Gustaf O'Hara (R.) 1873, † prior to 1938, Hon. Consul, CA

Talley, William W. II (R.) 1997, Ph.D., Chemical Engineer, Hon. Consul for OK (1988-2005†), Oklahoma City, OK

Tapshire, William (M.f.æ.D.) 1825, Lieutenant, Fire Corps, St. Thomas, DVI

Tarpgaard, A. J. (R.) ca. 1911, pastor, Our Saviors Dan. Ev.Church (1903-1911) Bridgeport, CT

Thomsen, Thomas S. (R.) service to Danish community of southern CA

Tobias, Tobi (R.) 1990s?, author children's books, oral history of Danish ballet, NY, NY

Tower, Levi (F.M.1.) 1794, captain, rescuer of Danish shipwreck, Cohasset, MA

Tragos, Lilli (R.) Jun. 2004, b. Randers, Board Member Dan. Amer. Soc., Pres. 2001-03, NY, NY

Ugilt, George (R.) 1957, Chicago, IL

Valentiner, Niels Erik (R.) 2002, (b. Kbn, to USA 1965), Mormon missionary, (Valentiner, Crane, Brunjes & Onyon Architects), Hon. Consul for Salt Lake City (1993-), UT

Valeur-Jensen, Werner (R.-1972)(R1.-1983), (b. Nykobing Falster 1921, to USA 1946), Engineer, member many D-A Socs., Rebild, ASF, etc., Stamford, CT

Videbeck, Christian Magnus (R.) 1950s? (Chr.X.Fr.M.), pastor, painter (b. 1893 Ringsted, to USA 1913, 1971†)(to US 1913) pastor-Staplehurst, NE; Harlan, Elk Horn, Atlantic, IA; Chicago, Brooklyn, NY

Videriksen, Ebbe (R.) 1995, architect, Los Angeles, CA

Vig, Peter Sørensen (R.) 1921, (b. 1854 Bøgvad, Østjylland, to USA 1879, Ord. 1885), pastor and author, Dana College, Blair, NE

Vogensen, H. P. (R.) 1929, (b. Hoptrup, Sogn, S. Jylland, to USA 1883, † prior to 1938, 20th
President of Dania Society of California, Petaluma, CA

Wanting, Emma M. (B.M.1.) 1923, NY

Westergaard, Knud (R.) 2000, dairy and food importer, Dk-Can. Chamber Commerce, Toronto,
ONT

Westergaard, Waldemar Christian (R.) 1946? (Chr.X.Fr.M.) 1946? (1882-1963†), Prof.
Emeritus - History, UCLA-Berkeley, 1945-46 Cultural Attaché American Legation Kbn

Zassenhaus, Hiltgunt Margret (R.) 1964? (N.St.O. - 1964); Cross of the Order of Merit,
Germany - 1969), 1974 nominee for Noble Prize Peace, (Hamburg 1916-2004†), aided
Danish Jews in WW II, physician in Baltimore, MD.

Øckenholdt, Bertha (B.M.1.) 1923, Trinity Lutheran Church, Chicago, IL

Østergaard, Jacob Andersen (D.M.) farmer in DK, bank director, (1838-1914†), Ogden, UT