

Johan Herman Westhues Married Elisabeth Eckholt

Parents of

Alexander Westhues

Born Feb. 7, 1778 in Horst?

Baptized in Werne

Died Sept. 28, 1828

Married Nov. 25, 1806 at St. Christopher's in Werne
to Clara Elisabeth Krutmann

Born 1780 or 81

Died Feb. 5, 1845

At the time of wedding, Alexander was listed as 'farmer in Horst'.

Parents of

Theodore Herman Westhues

Born May 20, 1808 in Horst

Baptized in Werne

Died Jan. 31, 1893

Married Oct. 15, 1839 at St. Christopher's in Werne
to Anna Christina Wassmann

Born Dec. 24, 1811 in Horst

Died Oct. 23, 1882 in Horst

Parents of

Elisabeth Westhues

Born 1843

Died April 3, 1900

Married Heinrich Osthues

Died May 28, 1904

Parents of

Mary Elisabeth

Born Oct. 9, 1877

Died 1904 in childbirth

Married Bernhard Wissmann

Sept. 3, 1901

Johan Heinrich

Born Nov. 25, 1845

Died April 13, 1910

Married Sept. 17, 1878

to Anna Maria Jurgens

Born Feb. 22, 1850

Died Jan. 28, 1890

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Wilhelm Westhues

Born April 12, 1848 - Horst

Died Oct. 6, 1921 at Glasgow

Married July 15, 1878

to Theresa Peters

Born April 24, 1860

Died June 21, 1926

at Glasgow

To America in 1892

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The Westhues family home at Horst, near
Werne in Germany. Picture taken 1986.



On the doorstep of the Westhues home at Horst.
Left to Right: Franz (who now lives here),
Ludger, Sr. Mary, Ludger's wife
and Franz's wife.

The extracts from this book were sent by Ludger Westhues. As you will note it list the farm of the Westhues Family at Horst, indicating that Alexander Westhues purchased it in 1804. These were translated by Dr. Henry Staub.

Die Bauernhöfe

des

östlichen Theiles des Kreises Lüdinghausen,
in den Pfarren Werne, Hovel, Bockum, Walstedde,
Drensteinfurt, Herbern, Ascheberg,
Nordkirchen, Südkirchen.

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THE FARMSTEADS

of

The Eastern Part of the District of  
Lüdinghausen  
in the parishes of Werne, Hovel, Bockum Walstedde,  
Drensteinfurt, Herbern, Ascheberg, Nordkirchen,  
and Sudkirchen.

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## THE FARMS IN THE PARISH OF WERNE

The total parish of Werne has 31,195 acres (Morgen) of land. It is divided presently for administration into: 1. the township of Werne, 2. the rural parish of Werne, 3. the parish of Stockum, which includes the old law court jurisdiction of Stockum and the farms Stockum, Horst, and Wessel. 4. the parish Beifang or Kapelle. The city parish is under the administration of a burgomaster, the three other parishes under a magistrate.

### Die Höfe der Pfarrgemeinde Werne.

Die ganze Gemeinde Werne enthält 31195 Morgen Boden. Sie zerfällt für die Verwaltung in jetziger Zeit in: 1. Stadtgemeinde Werne. 2. Landgemeinde Werne. 3. Gemeinde Stockum, die das alte Gericht Stockum mit den Bauerschaften Stockum, Horst und Weffel umfasst. 4. Die Gemeinde Beifang oder Kapelle. Die Stadtgemeinde steht unter einem Bürgermeister, die 3 anderen Gemeinden unter einem Amtmann. — Zur Stadtgem. gehören die beiden jetzt vergessenen Bauerschaften Werne und Mottenheim. Zur Landgem. die Bauersch. Evenkamp, Holthausen, Schmintrup, Eringhausen, Barnhövel, Lenkler, Langern. — Die Mehrzahl der Höfe in der Pfarrgemeinde Werne war zu der Pfarrei Kappenberg eigenhörig. Nach der Aufhebung des Klosters, 25. Febr. 1803, fiel die Herrschaft Kappenberg an den Domänenfiskus; später wurde dieselbe von dem Minister Freiherrn v. Stein durch Vertrag vom 9./3. und 5./7. 1819 gegen die Herrschaft Birnbaum im Großherzogthum Posen eingetauscht, während derselbe bereits 1816 den Besitz angetreten hatte. Dem Domänenfiskus aber blieben bei diesem Tausch vorbehalten: 1. Die unbestimmten Eigenthumsgefälle aus den früher eigenhörigen Kolonaten; 2. die Dienste aus denselben; 3. die Theilnahme-rechte an den Holzungen der Kolonate. Diese Rechte, resp. Prästanda, mußten daher von den Kolonen an Fiskus abgelöst werden, während die übrigen Gefälle bei dem Herrn zu Kappenberg abgelöst wurden.

The township includes the now forgotten farmsteads of Werne and Mottenheim. The rural parish includes the farmstead of Evenkamp, Holthausen, Schmintrup, Eringhausen, Varnhovel, Lenkler and Langern. The majority of the farms in the parish of Werne belonged to the cloister Kappenberg.

After the closing of the cloister on February 25, 1803, the Kappenberg estate was turned over to the public treasury. The estate was later traded by the Secretary of the Interior of the State, Freiherr von Stein, through treaties of March 9 and July 5, 1819, for the Estate of Birnbaum in the Grandduchy of Posen, which had been administered by them since 1816. In this exchange of property the public treasury retained the following: 1. unexpected income from the farms previously belonging to them. 2. Services from the same. 3. Right to participate in cutting wood on the farmsteads. The farmers had to obtain release from these rights and precedents from the fiscal authorities, the other obligations were released by the Lord of Kappenberg.

Theil der Pft. mit den Höfen: Haus Bedendorf, Irge, Krusenbaum, Kroes, Destermann und Möllenhof, bildet den Unterbauerschaftsbezirk Bedendorf, früher Bedentorpe oder Bidentorpe genannt. Ueber die früher in dieser Pft. gelegene Kapelle und das Rittergut Bedendorf siehe: Schwieters, Geschichtl. Nachrichten des östl. Theiles des Kreises Lüdinghausen, S. 88 u. 169. Ueber die Theilung der Marken Ribichhaide u. s. w. Schließ, Pantoh, an der alle oder einzelne Eingeseffene von Horst theilhaftig waren, siehe Stockum und Gem. Bodum.

1. Kolonat **Westhues**, 86 Mg. groß, zum Amtshofe Stockum hofhörig. Den letzten Gewinnbrief verlieh Graf v. Gourcy dem Alexander Westhues 9. April 1804. Die hohsherrlichen Gefälle an St. wurden 1852 an Graf Westerholt, Cessionar der Erben des Grafen Gourcy, mit 238 Thlr. abgelöst; es waren folgende: Die ungewissen hohsherrlichen Gefälle zum Theil, 1 1/2 Sch. R., 7 Sch. S., 2 Spanndienste, 4 Schill. 9 Pf. terminus Petri et Crucis. — An die Abtiffin zu Herford 1 Thlr. 25 Sgr. Pandemialgeld beim Regierungsantritt, dazu der Gewinn, und 2 Schweine jährlich. An Haus Byink ein Blutzehnte: 1 Gans, Huhn, Ferkel, Bothen Flachs und 1 Schill. Mehlkorn an den D. u. R. je 1 Sch. S., an die Kirche 1 1/2 B. Saat. Westhues erhielt 1839 als Abfindung aus den Marken 388 Thlr. oder 20 Mg. Grund. 1579 war das Erbe wüst, d. h. ohne hofhörigen Inhaber. Der Name ist wahrscheinlich aus dem Gegensatz von Osthues entstanden, und umgekehrt.

2. Kotten **Tiggemann**, früher 65 Mg., jetzt nur noch 11 Mg., zu St. hofhörig. Den letzten Gewinnbrief erhielt 13. August 1805 B. S. Osthues und A. Maria Tiggemann von Leopold Graf v. Gourcy. Die Gefälle: 2 Sch. R., 7 Sch. S., 4 1/2 Schill. Pet.- et Crucis-Geld, 2 Spanndienste, 1 Weibehuhn und 5 Eier: wurden 1843 an Graf Westerholt mit 564 Thlr. abgelöst. An die Abtiffin zu Herford Abgabe genau wie bei Westhues. An die Amtskrentel Berne gingen 21 Schill. Schutzgeld. Mehlkorn an den D. und R. je 1 Sch. S. und an die Kirche

1. WESTHUES farmstead, 86 morgan (acres) belonging to the Stockum estate. The last patent was given by Count von Gourcy on April 9, 1804 to Alexander Westhues. The obligation to the landlord were terminated upon payment of 238 Thalers to Count Westerholt, the executor for the heirs of Count Gourcy; these obligations had been: a part of unexpected income, 1 1/2 bushel rye, 7 bushels of oats, twice service with horse and wagon, 4 shillings and 9 pence, due at the feast of Peter and the Cross. To the prioress at Herford 1 Thaler and 25 groschen as a fee at the start of her term, also profit and 2 pigs a year. To the house of Byink a tenth of livestock, 1 goose, chicken, piglet, flax and one measure of corn.

To the deacon and to the sexton, each, one bushel of barley, and to the church one and one half measure (Becher) of seed. In 1839 Westhues received an award of 388 Thalers or 20 acres of land. In 1579 there was no heir and no legal farmer.

The name originated probably as an opposite to Osthues and vice versa.

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Johan Heinrich Westhues  
Born Nov. 25, 1845 at Horst  
near Werne, Germany  
Died April 13, 1910

Married  
Sept. 17, 1878  
in  
St. Christophorus  
Werne a.d. Lippe

to

Anna Maria Jurgens  
Born Feb. 22, 1850 in Wessel  
daughter of Theodore Heinrich  
Jurgens and Anna Maria Rupke  
Died Jan. 28, 1890

Heinrich

Never married. Lived on the  
farm at Horst with his brother's  
family.

Theodore Hermann To Pg. 13

Born Feb. 8, 1880 in Horst  
Died Mar. 15, 1962  
Married Nov. 11, 1919  
to Antonia Zucker of Holthausen  
Born June 13, 1888  
Died

Elizabeth

Married to Feldkamp

Maria

Married to Theodore Dortmann

Johanna

Married to Radtke

From Pg. 12

Theodore Hermann Westhues  
Born Feb. 8, 1880 in Horst  
Died Mar. 15, 1962

Married  
Nov. 11, 1919  
to

Antonia Jucker  
Born June 13, 1888  
in Holthausen  
Died

Maria  
Born 1920, Dec. 19  
Married Hermann Hibbe  
Children: Maria  
Hermann  
Franz  
Ewald  
Ludger

Franz Theodore  
Born Feb. 22, 1922  
Married Elisabeth Frie  
Children: Ewald born Nov. 14, 1958  
Ferdinande born Feb. 13, 1960  
Maria born Feb. 17, 1963  
Ursula born Nov. 22, 1967

Joseph (twin)  
Born Aug. 8, 1925  
Married Paula Voss  
Children: Elisabeth  
Ernst Joseph died 10 yrs. old  
Ludger  
George

Ludger (twin)  
Born Aug. 8, 1925  
Married Wilhelmina Buelskampen  
Born Jan. 3, 1924  
Children:  
Birgit Born May 18, 1960  
Ruth Born August 18, 1961