Iver Pedersen Bakke and Marit Andersdtr Lundstuen

When Iver Pedersen Kirkestuen Bakke was born on July 6, 1823, in Oppland, Norway, his father, Peder, was 39 and his mother, Sigri, was 38. He married Marit Andersdtr. Lundstuen Løsnesløkken on June 8, 1857, in Ringebu, Oppland, Norway. He was baptized 24 Jul 1823 Ringebu Lutheran Church, Norway

Iver Pedersen Kirkestuen Bakke married Marit Andersdtr. Lundstuen Løsnesløkken in Ringebu, Oppland, Norway, on June 8, 1857, when he was 33 years old. He died in 1916 at the impressive age of 93.

They had seven children in 17 years.

His son Peder Iversen Kirkestuen was born on August 19, 1857, in Ringebu, Oppland, Norway.

His daughter Gjartrud was born on October 4, 1859, in Norway.

His son Andrew Iversen was born in 1862 in Oppland, Norway.

His son Mathias was born on January 11, 1865, in Norway.

His daughter Gina was born on March 19, 1868, in Bakke, Oppland, Norway.

His daughter Pauline Iverdtr. was born on November 10, 1871, in Bakke, Oppland, Norway.

His daughter Mathia was born on August 23, 1874, in Bakke, Oppland, Norway.

Years ago, I did some research on the Bakke farm in Norway and found records going back to 1658. The book said "Oluf er brukar I 1658. Garden er kongens" or in English "Oluf is user in 1658. Farm is the king's.". In 1658 records listed 4 horse, 16 cows, 3 goats and 12 sheep. However, ten years later, there were only 4 horses and 26 cows. And in 1723, the farm had 3 horses, 22 cows and 10 sheep. By 1865, the farm had several locations and added pigs to their holdings.