**Kolping Genealogy: Google Earth & Google Maps**

Reviewing two applications: Google Earth and Google Maps.

1. Google **Earth** (copy down the Application [vs. the evolving web-based program (link next): [Earth Versions – Google Earth](https://www.google.com/earth/versions/) Choose *Google Earth Pro on desktop* and install on your Windows computer or Macintosh.
   1. Example of home and Kolping
      1. 3D view
      2. Street View
   2. Example of German family village locations
      1. Önsbach “pin” family church and homes
      2. Mosbach “pin” family church and great-grandmother’s home
   3. View Tools menu along top of screen
   4. **Pins**: drag a Yellow pin to mark a location.
   5. **Details**: review three main menus on the left (turn off and on):
      1. Search
      2. Places
      3. Layers
   6. Review several of the other Tools
      1. 6th button = Historical imagery and slide bar
      2. 12th button = Save Image (allows you to capture a picture of the area)
      3. 13th button = switch to Goolge Maps (always on web)
      4. 14thbutton = switch to NEWER evolving web-based Earth
      5. Right-Click to mark **Distances**
         1. Choose point A and “Directions from here”
         2. Choose point B and “Directions to here”
         3. A colored line links both places
         4. Review Car, Transit, Walk and Bicycle to compare transportation times.
2. Google **Maps** Feel free to use the web-based application; link here**:** [Google Maps](https://www.google.com/maps/@39.3489243,-84.5624216,15z)
   1. Search your Locations;
      1. Review the 7 buttons across the top
      2. Review the 8 buttons across the bottom left
         1. Transit
         2. Traffic
         3. Biking
         4. Terrain
         5. Street View is evolving
         6. NEW-COVID-19
         7. Default
         8. Satellite
      3. Restaurants
         1. Locate “Weber Destillate”
      4. Churches
3. *Resources*
4. Bulletin Announcement
5. PowerPoint presentation
6. Google My Maps – 5 pages
7. How to Virtually Drive the Roads Your Ancestors Traveled – 7 pages
8. Over the Borderline – 1 page (handed out)
9. Google Maps -4 pages-
10. Overlay Maps in Google Earth- 2 pages
11. Quick Guide-Gazetteers – 1 page (handed out)
12. Quick Hits-Online Historical Maps-1 page (handed out)
13. Cheat Sheet-German Genealogy-Geography Guide- 1 page (handed out)
14. Old German Baden-Putzger map –1 page
15. Changing Borders-5 pages
16. This summary page