

2025 Tarvin Reunion! Sep 11-13 in Lodi, California

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Dear Tarvin Cousins,

We would like to invite you to our 2025 Tarvin Family Reunion! This year's reunion will be in Lodi, California from September 11-13. Our visit to the San Joaquin Valley in Central California will include a trip Thursday into the Sierra Nevada mountains to visit Calaveras Big Trees State Park About the Park, home to some of the world's largest "Giant Sequoia" Redwood trees. On our way back to the Valley, we will stop for a late lunch in a Gold Rush town.

Friday's activities will include suggested visits to Micke Grove Regional Park https://www.sjparks.com/parks/micke-grove-regional-park.aspx, and also a visit to the Lodi Grape Festival https://www.grapefestival.com/p/lodi-grape-festival, a local Fair with an 80 year history celebrating Lodi's agricultural history in San Joaquin Valley's Wine Country. Our Saturday schedule will include a gathering at Heritage Oak Winery https://www.heritageoakwinery.com/, operated by our Tarvin Line 10 cousins Tom and Carmela Hoffman, where we will have our Heritage Day activities, including our dinner, auction, and Tarvin Quilt Raffle.

We have secured a contract with Hampton Inn & Suites, 1337 Beckman Rd, Lodi, for rooms and meeting accommodations. Please book your room via phone to the front desk at 209-369-2700, tell them you are with the Tarvin Family reunion, and use the group code **TFR**. The room rate will be \$151 per night for a Double Queen room, and \$161 per night for a Double

Queen Suite (slightly larger square footage with a hideaway sofa). A free hot breakfast is available each morning at the hotel. Parking at the hotel is free. If you are a Hilton Honors member or want to use a third party booking platform, like Hotels.com, you may get a slightly lower rate at this hotel, especially if you book a nonrefundable room.

This will be a rather "a la carte" reunion, so if you are local or only want to attend Saturday or Friday-Saturday, you could easily do that, and even use other hotels or BnBs in the area.

For air travel, the nearest airport is Sacramento (SMF), a 50 minute drive to the hotel.

Attached is the registration form for the reunion. We need to plan, and verify our motorcoach transportation for Thursday, so if you want to ride up to the Redwoods, please let us know early by submitting your form and providing a payment check by August 15, and email me about your plans to come. I would love to hear from you!

We will be sending local maps and more details in August to those who register for the reunion. I look forward to greeting you this September in Lodi, my hometown! I am excited to share the beauties and history of my home state and home area. Come meet me and greet your other Tarvin cousins in sunny California!

Sincerely,

Roger Hoffman, President

Tarvin Family Association