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2528 Greene Ave.,
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Sehr geehrte Herren, Thiessen, Hermann u Franz Tiessen:

I. Eueren Brief mit Post Mark, HAMELN, 11-9-'85 am 17 Sept., hier in Fort Worth, Texas, U.S.A., 2528 Greene Ave., erhalten. Die Seite mit Isaak Sudermann um 1764, getauft, 1783, auch von Abraham Sudermann, 1790, Elbing oo 16.4.1816, Elisabeth Woelke, alles sehr interesant. Beilage: SKELETAL SUDERMAN GENEALOGY, sehen Sie dasz wir schon 4 Generationen kennen: Herman W. Suderman, unser Grosvater, geb. 9-21-1825 in Koldow, Ost-Preussen; heiratete am 24 April 1862, Elisabeth Ediger, 1-21-1837, Schönsee, Süd-Russland, und ihre Nachkommen durch der 8-ten Generation aufgeschrieben 12 Seiten. Beilegend ist Seite 2. (In Amerika, Monat, Tag u Jahr wird geschrieben. Ich gebe zu, mehr logisch ist es, Tag, Monat u Jahr zu schreiben.)

II. We are not so much interested in the Thiessen Family, as to know more about the ancestors of Isaak Sudermann, 1764. We have unsuccessfully searched for our ancestors before Isaak Sudermann, as we have reason to believe they originated in Holland. During the Spanish Inquisition, the Sudermann abcestors were Protestants, - Mennonites, and they had to flee Holland for their lives, going to East Prussia, perhaps to the Elbing - Danzig area. If your book of 800 pages traces the Sudermann Family back to Holland, we would surely be interested in buying some books.

III. Upon your request I will gladly mail to you a copy of the 12 pages of the Descendants of Herman W. and Elisabeth Ediger Suderman. We are definitely interested to know IF you have names, dates and places of the Suderman ancestors before Isaak Sudermann, 1764.

Herzlich Grüssend,

Daniel E. Jansen
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J/J P. S. We know about Maria Suderman, wife of Rev. Leonhard SUDERMAN and of Sarah Suderman Quiring and their descendants, but we know of NO Genealogical Records of these Families.

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