

Non paternity event. AFB's FamilyTreeDNA Kit 926600 Y-DNA-111 in Jan 2020 in Haplogroup I-A7112. positive on 54 SNP and has two matches at Genetic Distance 2, two at Gen Dist 3, three at Gen Dist 4, and another twenty one matches from Genetic Distance 5 to 10, most with Walker name, all in group 2 of the Walker Project.

AFB is son of Billy Saxon Bowie 1915-1989, grandson of Arthur Bowie 1881-1941, great grandson Caniza Reeves 1840-1906.

AFB's Ancestry DNA shows many matches and ThruLines with Allen Walker/Esther McCory, and John Motheral/Jane Currie families, strongest matches are in Joel Walker and Mary Motheral descendants(*one confirmed 3C 191cM x 7segments, one probable 3C1R 105cM x 4 segments*). AFB has marked more than 260 shared DNA matches in Walker/Motheral, McCrory, Allen group.

23andMe also shows AFB matches and significant DNA overlap with descendants of Joel Walker and Mary Motheral.

No Bowie/Buie/Booe/variant have shown in either Y-DNA or Ancestry DNA other than grandchildren of Arthur Bowie 1881-1941

The 1880 census of Mississippi, Tate County, Senatobia Precinct, shows James M Walker living next to Caniza Sullivan, twice widowed with her two adult children. Arthur born in May 1881 in Senatobia. While it is possible to imagine several theories to name the parents of Arthur Bowie 1881-1941, the simplest and most likely is that James Motheral Walker is his father and Caniza Reeves (Buie/Sullivan/Bowie) is his mother.