

# People's Temple Dates and events

Month	day	Year	Event	Key Words	#	Source
<b>Year</b>		0000	----- <b>TIMELINE</b> -----		3	
		1913	Assistant minister Archie Ijames is born in North Carolina		4	Raven, p.52
		1920's	Lynetta Putnam and James Thurman Jones get married		5	Raven, p.10
		1925	Lynetta Jones' mother, Mary Putnam, dies of typhoid fever.		6	Raven, p.10
May	13	1931	James Warren Jones is born to Lynetta and James Jones in Crete, Indiana.		7	Raven, p.9
		1934	The Jones family moves to Lynn, Indiana.		8	Raven, p.11
		1935	Lisa Layton and family flee Nazi Germany.		9	Raven, p.115
Sep		1945	Jim Jones enters high school		10	Raven, p.24
		1948	Lynetta and James T separate, Lynetta moves to Richmond, Indiana, with her son Jim.		11	Raven, p.26
		1948	Jim Jones meets Marceline Baldwin at Reid Memorial Hospital where he worked as and orderly and she was studying to be a nurse.		12	Raven, p.29
		1948	The Sun Reporter, a black San Francisco Newspaper, begins printing.		13	Raven, p.263
Jun		1949	JJ Graduated HS		14	Hall
Jun	12	1949	Jim Jones marries Marceline Baldwin at Trinity United Methodist Church		15	Raven, p.36
<b>Year</b>		<b>1950s</b>	----- <b>1950's</b> -----		16	
Jun		1952	Jim Jones accepts a position at Somerset Methodist Church as a student pastor, in Indianapolis, Indiana.		18	Raven, p.41
Apr		1952	Marceline announces to her family that Jim Jones was going to join ministry.		17	Raven, p.41
Mar		1953	Jim Jones' ministry featured in an article in the Richmond Palladium Item.		19	Raven, p.44
		1953	Jim Jones makes public debut at assembly of protestant ministers in Detroit.		20	Raven, p.45
		1954	Marceline and Jim Jones adopt Agnes Jones.		22	Raven, p.47
		1954	Jones preaches at Laurel Street Tabernacle winning over a number of converts who would move with him to California including the Cordells, Beams and Stewarts.		23	Raven, p.48
		1954	Jim Jones rents Community Unity church at Hoyt and Randolph Streets.		24	Raven
Apr	10	1954	Indianapolis Star runs front page article about Jones and his monkey-sales business.	media	21	Raven, p.46
Apr		1955	Wings of Deliverance incorporated		25	Hall
		1955	10th & Delaware Clinic founded		26	Hall
		1955	Esther Muller starts working for the Jones family as a housekeeper.		27	Raven, p.47
May		1956	Jones writes article for Herald of Faith in Chicago		28	Raven, p.51
Jun	11	1956	Jones organizes massive religious convention (11th to 15th)		29	Raven, p.50
		1956	Jones stops renting Community Unity and begins Wings of Deliverance at Fifteenth and North New Jersey.		30	Raven, p.49

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		1956	Wings of Deliverance changes its name to Peoples Temple		31	Raven, p.50
Jan	4	1957	Jim Jones is named to the human relations honor roll of the week by the local black newspaper, the Indianapolis Recorder		32	Raven, p.54
		1957	Cobb family joins Peoples Temple		33	Raven, p.53
		1957	The Layton family moves to Berkeley		34	Raven, p.115
Oct		1958	The Jones family adopts two children, Stephanie and Lew.		35	Raven, p.63
Nov		1958	Jim Jones speaks at Immanuel Gospel Temple in Los Angles (advertisement from Los Angeles Times, Ads, p15)			Ad, LA Times Nov 1958 11/1/58 p 15
Jan		1959	Cuban Revolution		36	Raven, p.62
May	11	1959	Stephanie Jones and five other Temple members were killed in a car accident.		37	Raven, p.63
Jun	1	1959	Stephan Gandhi Jones born to Jim and Marceline		38	Raven, p.64
Aug		1959	Ross and Luella Case meet Peoples Temple		40	Raven, p.67
		1959	The Jones family adopts Suzanne		41	Raven, p.64
		1959	The Jones family adopts Jim Jr.		42	Raven, p.64
Summ		1959	Jones visits Father Divine		39	Raven, p.64
<b>Year</b>		<b>1960</b>	<b>----- 1960's -----</b>		43	
Feb	24	1960	Free restaurant in INdianapolis; served 2800 meals monthly		44	BB-18 pdf142
		1960	Peoples Temple was accepted into the Disciples of Christ		45	Raven, p.67
Feb		1961	Jones is hired to the Human Rights Commission		46	Raven, p.68
May		1961	Jim Jones goes on a public fundraising camping to rebuild the homes of vandalized black families.		47	Raven, p.71
Aug		1961	Ross and Luella Case join Peoples Temple		48	Raven, p.68
Aug	4	1961	JJ receives Teaching secondary provisional certificate, comprehensive are in iSocial Studies, valid for5 years for teaching in public school in Indiana. Dated August 4, 1961		49	sec 116, pdf 41
Oct		1961	Jim Jones has vision of nuclear holocaust in Chicago and Indianapolis.		50	Raven, p.76
		1961	Jim Jones first preaches the virtues of communism		51	Raven, p.74
Jan		1962	"Nine Places in the World to Hide", Esquire Magazine, Jan 1962,listing the safest places to live free from fallout.		53	Raven, p. 77
Feb		1962	Jim goes to Brazil--Escola da Favela, Bello Horizonte		55	Hall
Feb		1962	Jim Jones goes to Brazil		54	Raven, p.79
Oct		1962	The Beam family joins the Jones in Brazil.		56	Raven, p.82
?		1962	JJ went to Cuba (2 weeks), 2nd time		57	Hall

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		1962	Jim Jones and Archie Ijames go to Mexico City		58	Raven, p.77
		1962	Jim Jones goes to British Guiana, appears in article in the Guyana Graphic.		59	Raven, p.78
		1962	The Jones family adopts Bonnie in Brazil.		60	Raven, p.81
		1962	Phyllis and Bob Houston marry.		61	Raven, p.114
		1962	JJ and family visit Hawaii		52	BB-17 pdf 95
Jun		1963	The Beams leave Brazil		62	Raven, p.83
Dec		1963	The Jones family leaves Brazil and returns to Indianapolis		63	Raven, p.86
		1963	The Beams scout out areas in California		64	Raven, p.93
?		1964	Jim returns from Brazil		65	Hall
		1964	Jim Jones predicts nuclear holocaust on July 15, 1967		66	Raven, p.94
		1964	Tim Stoen admitted to California State Bar.		67	Raven, p.108
		1964	Free Speech Movement.		68	Raven, p.112
Feb	18	1965	Harold Cordell writes Ross Case a letter in support of Jim Jones.		69	Raven, p.96
Feb	24	1965	Ross Case leaves People Temple.		70	Raven, p.97
Jul		1965	Peoples Temple moves from Indiana to California.		71	Raven, p.98
		1965	Animals kept at JJ house: horses, chickens, dogs, etc Animals taken in		72	DB
Summ		1966	The Temple meets at the Church of the Golden Rule in Willits.		75	Raven, p.100
Sep		1966	Calif Teach Certif for Anderfson Valley in Soc Sci		74	BB-17 pdf43
		1966	Jim teaches 6th grade in Anderson Valley (2 yrs)		73	DB
		1966	PT Membership at 86		76	hall
?		1966	PT in peace march in Ukiah		77	Hall
		1966	Baseball/football games concessions for High school games? PT		78	DB
		1966	Bake sales to raise money		79	DB
		1966	Jones teaches American government classes, Adult eveing school		80	Raven, p.99
		1966	Larry Layton meets Carolyn Moore		81	Raven, p.115
Jul	15	1967	Date Jim Jones predicts nuclear holocaust will happen		82	Raven, p.94
		1967	Tim Stoen joins PT; Asst DA , Mendocino County in Ukiah		83	DB
?		1967	RV church building started		84	Hall
		1967	Larry Layton marries Carolyn Moore		85	Raven, p.116

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		1967	The Cobbs move to California		86	Raven, p.101
		1967	Tim Stoen becomes involved with Peoples Temple		87	Raven, p.108
		1967	JJ appointed to Mendocino County Grand Jury		88	Hall, p 149
		1968	PT Membership at 136		89	Hall
		1968	The Temple is accepted into the Disciples of Christ California regional organization.		91	Raven, p.125
		1968	JJ se4rved with Juvenile Justice COmmission, Mendocino Legal Aid Foundation & Citizen's School Commission.		90	Hall, p 149
Jun		1969	Fair ground concessions each summer: Helen		92	DB
Fall		1969	Grace Grech and Tim Stoen meet.		93	Raven, p.107
		1969	Carolyn Layton & JJ affair began (early 69)		94	hall
		1969	JJ teaches adult classes in Ukiah		95	DB
?		1969	Chris Lewis brought off heroin		96	DB
?		1969	RV church finished		97	Hall
		1969	Microphone crew: to be heard and record sermons. Tom Grubbs		98	DB
		1969	Youth Choir: Loretta Cordell & Jack Arnold Beam		100	DB
		1969	Blue Choir dresses: marathon sewing sessions		101	DB
		1969	PT Youth Band: people---		102	DB
?		1969	Met SF Benj Franklin High school		103	Hall
?		1969	First Services in SF		104	Hall
		1969	Legal Services for those who needed it		105	DB
		1969	Tues School: tutoring & swimming Tuesday nights for kid at church		106	DB
??		1969	Jones begins having armed protection.		107	Raven, p.203
		1969	Chris Lewis joins the Temple through drug rehab program.		108	Raven, p.233
		1969	letter to an editor captured Temple with catchy phrase: "highest worsip toGod is service to our fellow man."		99	Hall 149
<b>Year</b>		<b>1970</b>	<b>----- 1970 -----</b>		109	
Jan	9	1970	Time Stoen writes to Jim Jones about joining Peoples Temple and going communal.		110	Raven, p.110
Mar		1970	Junior Choir:Loretta Cordell, Don Beck		111	
Mar		1970	Guardianships of children to get them away from urban problems.		112	
Apr		1970	Church buys East house (next to church) Cartmells move in		113	
May		1970	Joyce Shaw joins Peoples Temple.		114	Raven, p.134

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Jun		1970	Maria Katsaris graduates high school		115	Raven, p.188
Jun	27	1970	Grace and Tim Stoen are married in the Redwood Valley Church.		116	Raven, p.111
Sep	4	1970	donation to Families of Slain Police Officers SF Chron 9/4		117	
?		1970	First Communes: Ukiah. Letter writing center		119	
?		1970	Green goose bus to Seattle		120	
?		1970	PT buys laundromat in RV		121	
?		1970	Met LA Embassy Aud ?		122	
?		1970	Met SF Benj Franklin School		123	
		1970	Dr Carlton Goodlett support (editor of <i>Sun Reporter</i> )		124	
?		1970	Trip by green bus to Sacramento Disciples of Christ Church mtg		125	
		1970	Need new bus: start to buy Greyhound busses		126	
		1970	Lee Ingram and Sandy Bradshaw become involved with Peoples Temple.		127	Raven, p.157
<b>Year</b>		<b>1971</b>	<b>----- 1971 -----</b>		128	
Jan		1971	SF services: meet at Benj Franklin High school		129	hall
Jan		1971	Peoples Temple initiates a membership card for its members.		131	Raven, p.135
Feb		1971	First LA services: Embassy Aud		132	hall
Apr		1971	Grace pregnant		133	hall
Jun		1971	Kids trip in summer to Emily Leonard's Ranch in Oregon & Baja Beach		134	db
Jul		1971	Temple members go to Philadelphia in cross country tour.	WRONG YEAR 1972	135	Raven, p.139
Jul		1971	Temple member Chris Lewis got into a fight with redeveloper Justin Herman, choking him with his own tie.		136	Raven, p.234
Oct	14	1971	Jones and the Temple's healing services appear in an article in Indianapolis Star.	WRONG YEAR 1972	137	Raven, p.208
Dec		1971	Jones visits Indiana on Temple tour.		138	Raven, p.210
		1971	College Program begun: dorm in Santa Rosa		139	
		1971	people come from SF & LA to RV for weekend services		141	db
?		1971	PT buys Greyhound bus --eventually fleet of 13		142	db
		1971	Peoples Temple can be heard on the radio from Canada to Mexico.		143	Raven, p.133
		1971	Temple offered to Nixon and the USSR to exchange Black US communistg ASngela Davis for Russians being persecuted. (Ukiah Daily Journal)		140	Hall, p 147
<b>Year</b>		<b>1972</b>	<b>----- 1972 -----</b>		144	

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Jan		1972	SF Services: meet at Benj Franklin High school		129	
Jan		1972	Still buying busses		145	db
Jan	25	1972	John Victor Stoen born		146	hall
Jan	25	1972	John Victor Stoen born to Grace Stoen		147	Raven, p.130
Feb		1972	Publishing work Deana Mertle heads behind laundormat RV		148	db
Feb	1	1972	John Victor's birth certificate states Tim Stoen is father		149	Raven, p.130
Feb	6	1972	Tim Stoen signs Temple document stating that Jim Jones is really John Victor's father.		150	Raven, p.131
Mar		1972	Trip to Seattle		151	PP-15-Misc
Apr		1972	PT buys the "Happy Acres" Ranch in RV	date?	152	db
Apr		1972	The Sun Reporter presents Jim Jones with its Special Merit Award.		153	Raven, p.263; PP-15-Misc
May		1972	Shots thru church in RV: Security established		154	PP-15-Misc
Jun		1972	Cross Country Trip: Phila, Wash DC		155	PP-15-Misc
Jun		1972	Jim goes to father divine homes and recruits		156	PP-15-Misc
Jun		1972	Chaikins move to RWV		157	PP-15-Misc
Jun		1972	Peoples Temple takes another cross country tour.		158	Raven, p.140
Summ		1972	Gunfire erupts at Temple gathering. Jones was later accused of faking an assassination attempt.		159	Raven, p.201
Summ		1972	Members of the Temple take gun training course with the San Francisco Police Department		160	Raven, p.202
Summ		1972	Lester Kinsolving begins investigation of Peoples Temple.		161	Raven, p.210
Jul		1972	Radio broadcasts: SF, Seattle, Blaine WA, Middleton, OH		162	Living Word 1
Jul		1972	Living Word-An Apostolic Monthly, v1. no 1--published in RV		163	Living Word 1
Jul		1972	Peoples Temple publishes first edition if the Living Word.		164	Raven, p.137
Aug	1	1972	Jim Jones extends personal invitation to Steve Katsaris in an attempt to recruit him and his family to the Temple		165	Raven, p.191
Sep		1972	Santa Rosa Dorm for college students		166	hall
Sep		1972	Sacto Bee: "Probably the largest Protestant congregation in No Calif."		167	PP-15-Misc
Sep		1972	150 to 200 Temple members protest in front of the Examiner's offices.		169	Raven, p.213
Sep		1972	The Examiner stops its series on Peoples Temple		170	Raven, p.214
Sep		1972	Lester Kinsolving articles		168	PP-15-Misc
Sep	12	1972	Tim Stoen writes to Kinsolving affirming Jones had brought people back from the dead.		171	Raven, p.211

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Sep	17	1972	Articles appear in the Indianapolis Star and the San Francisco Examiner, critical of the healing services.		172	PP-15-Misc
Sep	19	1972	Lester Kinsolving spoke on tv.. I think he is a phoney, etc. : basis for libel suit by Furth Sept 22, 1972		175	NN-1 pdf62
Sep	20	1972	Jim Jones is interviewed by the San Francisco Examiner for the first time.		173	Raven, p.214
Sep	21	1972	KUKI radio (Ukiah) rebuttal to Kinsolving		174	PP-15-Misc
Sep	22	1972	The Examiner prints interviews of Jim Jones.		176	Raven, p.215
Sep	3-4	1972	Peoples Temple Los Angeles church blessed and dedicated. The church is locate Alvarado and Hoover Streets.		177	Raven, p.164
Oct		1972	Buying chruches in LA & SF		178	PP-15-Misc
Oct		1972	David Wise as assoc Pastor in LA	date	179	Hall
Oct		1972	Michael Prokes joins Peoples Temple		181	Raven, p.265
Nov		1972	Mike Prokes Joins		180	BB-29 pdf42
Dec		1972	PT buys SF Temple on 1859 Geary		182	PP-15-Misc
Dec		1972	PT buys LA Temple at Alvarado & Hoover		183	PP-15-Misc
		1972	Agnes & Ray from Indiana with Billy, Stephanie, Jimbo		146	
		1972	Maxine Harpe's suicide		118	
?		1972	Puirifoys rebuild SF Temple (find right date)	date	184	db
?		1972	Bus 7 fixed up as Jim's bus		185	db
<b>Year</b>		<b>1973</b>	<b>----- 1973 -----</b>		186	
Jan	7	1973	Incident in Los Angeles Temple where ambulance arrives to assist someone who had been healed by Jones. Four temple members were arrested or cited, including Jones.		187	Raven, p.230
Feb		1973	Donation to Free Press		188	PP-15-Misc
Feb		1973	Bought Project center & printing set up in RV (Laundromat complex)		189	PP-15-Misc
Apr		1973	PT Church burns (note right after getting back from Aug trip?)		191	PP-15-Misc
Apr	26	1973	Roseville ,CA Train explosion. 120 cars enrout to Concord, CA. 21 cars contained 335 bombs per car		190	89-4286-757
May		1973	Congressional Record		192	PP-15-Misc
Jun		1973	Peoples Temple is included in the Congressional Record		193	Raven, p.167
Jul		1973	Choir album, "He's Able"		194	PP-15-Misc
Jul		1973	"3" leave		197	PP-15-Misc
Jul		1973	Organizing article on JJ; Harriet tropp et al		195	BB-18 pdf119
Jul		1973	Movie of LA service; Samuel Goldwin Studios. "The Miracle Healers" Don Como, IntnlTV Productions		196	HH-1 pdf 103

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Aug		1973	Cross country Trip: Houston, Washington, Philadelphia, Chicago		198	PP-15-Misc
Aug		1973	"College 8" letter		199	PP-15-Misc
Aug	18	1973	The Temple appears in an editorial in the Washington Post		200	Raven, p.167
Aug	23	1973	SF Church burns-Services in Ben Franklin till Spr 74		201	PP-15-Misc
Aug	28	1973	Former member Ross Case is encouraged to stop investigating Peoples Temple by members of the group.		202	Raven, p.219
Sep		1973	PC decides to find/build an alternative place		203	PP-15-Misc
Sep		1973	Gang of eight leaves the group		204	Raven, p.226
Fall		1973	Peoples Temple publishes Peoples Forum.		205	Raven, p.137
Oct	8	1973	Board of Directors of Peoples Temple unanimously passes Resolution 73-5, authorizing construction of church and agricultural mission in Guyana.		206	Raven, p.239
Nov		1973	Purchased Fireside Lodge Rest Home (escrow closed)		207	PP-15-Misc
Nov		1973	The Living Word, v2, no.3		208	PP-15-Misc
Nov		1973	Temple member Chris Lewis kills Rory Hithe from the Western Addition Project Area Committee but is later acquitted.		209	Raven, p.234
Dec		1973	A group of Temple people scout an area around Mathew's Ridge for future Jonestown settlement.		210	Raven, p.238
Dec	13	1973	JJ run in with RTamparts in park - to judge less than 1 week later		211	
Dec	13	1973	Jim Jones is arrested in a movie theater in Los Angeles for homosexual activity.		212	Raven, p.231
Dec	20	1973	EC (Gene Chaikin) to G'town nice to Archie		213	PP-15-Misc
Dec	20	1973	Charges of lewd conduct dismissed against Jones.		214	Raven, p.232
Dec	21	1973	First Group to Guyana to look over		215	PP-15-Misc
		1973	LA Service: Police respond to phony "riot" call		193	SS-1 pdf27
		1973	PT Federal Credit Union created	date?	216	db
?		1973	Mr Muggs come to PT	date?	217	db
?		1973	Membership statewide Calif over 7,500		219	hall
		1973	\$200 donation to Steven Katsaris, Director of Ukiah's Trinity School for Children.		218	Hall150
<b>Year</b>		<b>1974</b>	<b>----- 1974 -----</b>		220	
Jan		1974	Paula Adams to Guyana and is joined by Archie Ijames and Gene Chaikin.		221	db
Feb		1974	Peoples Temple submits lease applications for the Johnstown Guyana property.		222	Raven, p.240
Feb		1974	Temple offered to exchange several members for Patty Hearst for safe conduct out of US.		226	Hall 148
Feb	4	1974	Patty Hearst is kidnapped.		223	Raven, p.235



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Feb	7	1974	Records in Jones' lewd conduct case ordered destroyed, but records of the incident survived.		225	Raven, p.232
Feb	13	1974	Temple contributes \$2,000 towards the people-in-need food campaign in response of the Hearst kidnapping.		224	Raven, p.235
Mar	1	1974	PT buys Cudjoe an "Oil Screw Rig-Shrimp trawler" - 61 tons Miami. \$45,500.00 (bill of sale)		211	PP-2 pdf21ff
Mar	9	1974	Bomb under JJ bus in SF at Ben Franklin		229	PP-15-Misc
Mar	18	1974	Three members of the Temple go to Guyana, Tim Swinney, Anthony Simon, Mike Touchette to G'Town; six members of Temple go to Guyana (Raven).		230	entry records; Raven, p.241
Mar	23	1974	Attempt to blow up bus--summer, Blue Horizon incident		231	PP-15-Misc
Apr		1974	Jonestown Leasehold official		232	PP-15-Misc
May		1974	Group of 9 to Miami to go on Cudjoe to Guyana:12 on CUDjoe: Mike T, Tim Swinney, Anthony Simon, Joyce T, Charlie T, Tom Bogue, Jack BARRon, Jerry Livingston, Chuck Beikman, Jeff Carey, Debbie T, Al Touchette		233	PP-15-Misc
Jun		1974	First group to interior – living at Mathews Ridge, as work proceeds in Jtown. Initial work hired: carving out the road into the chosen initial 20 acfres to be cleared.		236	db
Jun	11	1974	The Temple boat Cudjoe leaves Guyana and picks up first group of 9 Temple settlers in Miami.		236	Raven, p.242
Jun	15	1974	Don Beck goes to Guyana to help with initial set up.		237	db
Jun	27	1974	Pop Jackson & wife to Guyana with Chris Lewis, Mae Lewis, Lester Matheson, & Greg Frost. First group to interior – living at Mathews Ridge, as work proceeds in Jtown. Gene Chaikin also; Don Beck Joins them.		235	entry records
Jul		1974	Cross country trip: Houston, New Orleans, Atlanta, Washington, DC, Phila, NY, Canada, Detroit, Chicago, LA: Blue Horizon Incident.		238	PP-15-Misc
Aug		1974	Bus Garage finished (RV)		238.1	PP-15-Misc
Aug	29	1974	Cudjoe arrives Guyana--to Pt Kaituma 8/29		239	db
Sep		1974	Bob and Phyllis Houston are divorced.		240	Raven, p.254
Sep	9	1974	Minutes record shootings, insults, etc. in Mendo County		241	PP-15-Misc
Oct	2	1974	Bob Houston marries Joyce Shaw.		242	Raven, p.254
Dec		1974	\$2,500 deposit not set TOS got in 75-76	what is this?	243	PP-15-Misc
Dec	30	1974	Jones holds healing service in Georgetown Guyana.		244	Raven, p.247
?		1974	Planning Commission created	date	245	db
?		1974	Services in Seattle	date	246	PP-15-Misc
?		1974	Services in Vancouver	date	247	PP-15-Misc
?		1974	SF Church burns again	date	248	PP-15-Misc
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Jan		1975	Resolution to expand Guyana project		250	PP-15-Misc

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Jan		1975	Jim Jon (Kimo) Prokes was born to Carolyn Layton and Jim Jones. Michael Prokes marries Carolyn.		251	Raven, p.180
Jan	10	1975	The Catholic Standard in Guyana distanced the Church from Peoples Temple which had recently held a healing service at a local Catholic church.		252	Raven, p.249
Jan	11	1975	TOS goes off board		253	PP-15-Misc
Mar		1975	Joyce Shaw and Bob Houston have falling out over commune.		254	Raven, p.261
Mar	2	1975	Guyana Corporation completed		255	PP-15-Misc
Spring		1975	PT attends Black Muslim service	date	256	PP-15-Misc
Apr		1975	Formal resolution to find an airplane		257	PP-15-Misc
Apr		1975	JJ "one of nation's100 most outstanding clergy" by religions in America		269	PP-15-Misc
Jun		1975	No Cross country trip		258	PP-15-Misc
Summ		1975	PT goes to Disneyland	date	259	db
Summ		1975	Walter Jones to Guyana to layout electrical syste: poles, lines, generastors	date?	260	
Jul		1975	Norman directed to find a plane		261	PP-15-Misc
Oct		1975	Mertles leave PT		263	Hall p 178
Oct	19	1975	John Head suicide in LA; jumps from a bridge/warehouse... both accounts		262	HH-1 pdf 76
Nov		1975	Board authorizes "Community kitchen" in SF church		264	PP-15-Misc
Dec		1975	2 busses to Chicago--JJ saw Muslims		266	PP-15-Misc
Dec		1975	George Moscone elected mayor of San Francisco.		267	Raven, p.267
?		1975	PT buys apartment house next to church: 1435 Alvarado Terrace (HH-9 pic pdf 159)	date	268	PP-15-Misc
		1975	Human Freedom Center organized by Al & Jeanie Mills		270	Hall
		1975?	PT buys house in Lamaha Gardens		1	
<b>Year</b>		<b>1976</b>	<b>----- 1976 -----</b>		271	
Jan		1976	PT moves to be centered in SF not RV.		273	PP-15-Misc
Jan		1976	Resolution of independence for Guyana Corp		274	PP-15-Misc
Jan	1	1976	Planning commission had to drink a glass of "poison" to check its loyalty.		272	Hallp.135
Feb		1976	Mertles became Mills		275	Hall p 180
Feb		1976	Trip, Chicago, Houston, Phila, NY, Detroit		277	PP-15-Misc
Feb		1976	Bailed out Dennis Banks wife, Ka-mack		278	PP-15-Misc
Feb		1976	Final Lease executed in Guyana		276	Hall, p.133

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Mar		1976	Checking out Alpine County, CA as possible haven to buy		279	db
Mar		1976	Jim Jones appointed to San Francisco Human Rights Commission		280	Raven, p.268
Spring		1976	Passport applications and photos	date?	316	db
Apr		1976	First issue People's Forum -- Published for 1976 and 1977.		281	PP-15-Misc
May		1976	Tim Stoen left district attorney job in Ukiah to run investigation into SF voter fraud.		283	
Jun		1976	Tom Grubbs & Don Beck fly to Guyana for summer from JFK NY from bus pamphleting		286	db
Jun		1976	Cross Country trip: 13 busses US tour: Houston, Phila, NY, Chicago		285	PP-15-Misc
Jul		1976	RV govt mtg "move on for Guyana"		287	PP-15-Misc
Jul	4	1976	Grace Stoen & Walter (Smitty) Jones leave PT		289	Grace
Jul	16	1976	Joyce Shaw leaves	date	288	PP-15-Misc
Aug		1976	Neva leaves PT		290	Neva
Aug		1976	Liz Forman leaves PT		291	Liz
Sep		1976	Meeting with Muslims Kans City, St Louis, Chicago, Phila,		294	PP-15-Misc
Sep	9	1976	PT Marches in Fresno: Fresno 4, Free Press: 9/9 & 10 Thurs & Fri		292	
Sep	17	1976	PT Marches in Fresno: Fresno 4, Free Press:: Photo: J Anderson		293	
Sep	25	1976	Testimonial dinner honoring JJ. Guests: Lt Gov Mervyn Dymally, Willie Brown, George Moscone, Joe Freitas, Angela Davis, Eldridge Clever, REV Cecil Williams, Charles Garry, Vincent Hallinan.		295	D.Layton, p105
Fall		1976	Temple members become members of the board of the NAACP, causing some to fear a takeover.		296	Raven, p.271
Fall		1976	Charlesw Garry spoke at PT service about San Quentin 6 after PT support of Fresno Bee 6. 1st contact to PT		307	Hall p 163
Oct		1976	JJ Dennis Banks, Cecil Williams appeared at rally protesting Bakke decision by Calif supreme court		301	p163
Oct	5	1976	Bob Houston death	date	299	hall
Oct	8	1976	JJ and Mayor Moscone met Vice Pres candidate Walter Mondale		300	PP-15-Misc
Oct	18	1976	Jim Jones is appointed to the San Francisco Housing Authority Commission.		295	Raven, p.269
Oct	21	1976	Civic Center...chicago protest speech		298	PP-15-Misc
Nov		1976	JJ appointed to Housing Authority Commission SF		302	PP-15-Misc
Nov		1976	David Wise leaves LA	date	303	dw
Nov		1976	Meeting at Glide Memorial, JJ came out for Socialism		304	PP-15-Misc
Nov		1976	Demonstration in LA Free Press issue with Wm Farr, 3000 people		305	PP-15-Misc
Nov		1976	Chilean refugees in SF church		306	PP-15-Misc

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Nov		1976	Linda Mills followed the rest of her family out of the temple.		309	Hall 181
Nov	7	1976	Unita Blackwell spoke at PT in SF		308	PP-15-Misc
Nov	7	1976	Mr Dawsey outside SF PT eavesdropping on service, recording, working with Airforce		310	MM-1pdf4ff
Nov	27	1976	Joyce Shaw writes a letter to her former in-law Bob Houston informing him of concerns she had for the safety of Houston's two grand children, her former step-children. She encouraged him to not let them go to		311	Raven, p.3
Dec		1976	Laura Allende in SF church		312	PP-15-Misc
Dec		1976	JJ to Guyana, banquet, met Burnham, Reid with Mervyn Dymally		314	PP-15-Miscdb
Dec		1976	SF Chronicle quoting JJ as favoring "some kind of democratic socialism."		313	Hall 163
Dec		1976	Mike Prokes and other Temple staff met with Jewish Community Relations Council about combating Nazi propaganda in Bay area.		317	Hall p. 164
Dec	17	1976	Temple member Mike Prokes sends letter to Diane Feinstein offering Temple guards for her home which had been recently bombed.		315	Raven, p.270
		1976	PC session: Peter Wotherspoon July 76?	date	318	db
		1976	Jim Jones and Carlton Goodlett invest money to save the third oldest black owned paper in the country, the Journal and Guide.		319	Raven, p.265
		1976	Jim Jones and Carlton Goodlett invest in businesses together.		320	Raven, p.265
		1976	JJ & PT sent \$2,500 to support RIAL organizations work		321	Hall, 160
May		1976	Muslim Jubilee spiritual Jubilee, JJ Addressing LA Convention Center (picture HH-9 pdf 165)		282	PP-15-Misc
May		1976	Per Kinsolving opinion T.O.S., OK to accept gift	????	284	PP-15-Misc
<b>Year</b>		<b>1977</b>	<b>----- 1977 -----</b>		322	PP-15-Misc
Jan		1977	EC returns from Europe		323	
Jan		1977	Membership boasted at 3000		353	
Jan	15	1977	MLK Celebration SF PT church, Gov Jerry Brown, etc.		324	Hall p 175
Jan	16	1977	International Hotel, Picket and Demonstration: PT part of demonstration		325	Hall 170
Feb		1977	Jim visits Huey Newton in Cuba (or 1976? HH-9 pdf 102 pic)		326	Hall p.136
Feb		1977	Jim meets with US attny Griffin Bell		327	
Feb		1977	JJ Elected Chairman of SF Housing Authority Commission		326.5	D.Layton p.105
Feb	19	1977	JJ Keynote speech to "Officers for Justice" SF		328	
Mar		1977	Testimonial Dinner for JJ, Claude Morrell, Religion in American Life		329	
Mar		1977	JJ sits with Rosalynn Carter at Head Table of Democratic Convention DINNER		329.5	

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Mar	23	1977	Dennis Banks, GeorgeCoker and David Conn met at 12:30 am . Conn pressing Banks to denounceJJ		330	Hall p183
Spring		1977	Concerned Relatives formed	date	330	
Apr		1977	Jim ivisits Guyana		331	
May	5	1977	JJ, Marcie,Tim S,Carolyn,Johnny Brown,Terri,Gene,Harriett to Grenada		332	
Jun		1977	Peoples Forum Issue v2 #3		333	
Jun	2	1977	JJ, Merv Dymally, Eric Gairy (from Granada) meet at SF Church		335	
Jun	16	1977	JJ gets Freedom of the Press award from National Newspaper Pulishers' Association in St Louis, Missouri		334	Hall 159
Jun	17	1977	JJ to Guyana to stay		336	
Jun	18	1977	Pollice Chief Gains, SF, orders prob of New West burglary		334.1	D.Layton p107
Jul		1977	Tim Stoen leaves PT time 2	dqte	336	
Jul		1977	Community supportrally for PT, and JJ in SF		337	
Jul		1977	Howard Wallace, Yvonne Golden, visit PT (Pictures)		339	HH-9 pdf103ff
Jul	17	1977	"Inside Peoples Temple." New West Magazine (Aug 1'77 issue)		338	
Aug		1977	Curtis Buckley dies, drug related after leaving		340	
Aug	29	1977	Customs opened crate in Miami prior to sailing.		341	MM-2 pdf156
Sep		1977	Shooting at JJ in J'town, day crisis over John and Dana		342	
Sep		1977	Banks deal publicized. -- Conn tries to blackmain Banks		343	
Sep	26	1977	Steven Katsaris visits Guyana to see his daughter, Maria Katsaris, but does not see her.		344	jonestown.sdsu.edu
Nov		1977	Kidnap foray in Jtown was foiled		345	
Nov		1977	Harvey Milk elected city supervisor in SF		346	Raven, p.267
Nov	3	1977	Steven Katsaris visits Guyana again to see his daughter, Maria Katsaris, is able to see her in company of three PT members.		347	jonestown.sdsu.edu
Nov	10	1977	Article in Sun Reporter about Charles Garry visit to Jonestown "I've been to Paradise"		348	89-4286-1127
Dec		1977	PT broke "Mazor" story; anti conspiracy demonstration		349	
Dec	9	1977	Death of Lynetta Jones, about 6pm in her sleep peacefully.		350	FBIsec 64 pdf274
Dec	18	1977	Chris Lewis killed (born Sept 24, 1943)		351	FBI Sec7 pdf6
Dec	19	1977	Howard and Beverly Oliver visited Guyana to see sons William Oliver (17) and Bruce Oliver (20), but did not see them.		352	jonestown.sdsu.edu
		1977	Set up the "Apostolic Corporation" to allow members to live communally	date?	2	

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<b>Year</b>		<b>1978</b>	<b>----- 1978 -----</b>		354	
Jan	4	1978	Timothy and Grace Stoen visit Guyana to retrieve John Victor Stoen per California court order, but do not.		355	jonestown.sdsu.edu
Jan	20	1978	Edith Roller arrives Guyana		356	
Feb	13	1978	Long distance Caesarian. Dr Albert Greenfield in WashingtonDC helped advise over ham radio to Jonestown. SF Chronicle 2-18-1978 & Washington Star Thurs2-16-78		359	89-4286-1127
Feb	16	1978	Day of Crisis in Guyana--Edith Roller's description		357	
Spring		1978	Archie Ijames: work crew readying property for sale Ukiah		359	
May		1978	Bought Albatros, boat in Guyana to go to Trinidad & back	date	363	
May		1978	FCC monitors and finds wrong use of ham radio SF to Guy; prohibits its use this way	first time? or??	358	MM-4 pdf187
May	12	1978	Debbie Layton gives affidavit to US Consul, Guyana, gets assistance to leave.		360	D.Layton,p236
May	13	1978	Discussion suicide in Guyana, May 13 1978		363	
May	15	1978	Rev John Moore & wife visit Guyana visit #2		364	
May	15	1978	White night practice		365	
Jun	14	1978	Debbie Layton affidavit "The Threat and Possibility of Mass Suicide by Members of the Peoples Temple" mailed and telegraphed to a multitude of organization and individuals.		366	D.Layton,p279
Jun	25	1978	Someone hired by concerned relatives flew over Jonestown and took pictures which they sold to National Enquirer; same person met with Ryan before Ryan left.		368	89-9286-980
Jun	29	1978	Enquirer plane flyover Jonestown		367	
Jul		1978	Feeler for a movie on church and black internationally... WGBH Boston ST Claire Bourne		372	HH-1 pdf 106
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Jul	1	1978	First trip of Albatros to G'Town to Kaituma back to Kaituma . worked on for several months		370	89-4286-796
Jul	26	1978	Alert Meeting		369	
Jul	28	1978	White night practice in Guyana, July 1978		371	
Aug		1978	Don Freed visits Jonestown Aug 22-25 ++		374	
Aug		1978	Charles Garry visits		375	
Sep		1978	Mark Lane visits		376	
Oct	27	1978	Terri Buford leaves PT		377	
Nov	05	1978	Albatros arrived in Trinidad. Was still there on Nov 18		380	89-4286-796
Nov	10	1978	Lisa Layton died		378	D.Layton, p 294
Nov	13	1978	Garry & Lane visit Jonestown		379	

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Nov	13	1978	Debbie Layton speaks to State Department in Washington, DC with Ryan about her affidavit/experience.		381	D.Layton.p285
Nov	15	1978	Ryan party arrives GTown		382	
Nov	17	1978	Ryan party flies in to Kaituma		383	
Nov	18	1978	Joyce Beam Parks in Caracas at medical conference		384	db
Nov	18	1978	Group murder/suicide 913 died		385	db
Nov	19	<b>1978</b>	=====		339	
Nov	19	1978	Items were stolen out of Ryans briefcase on the Kaituma tarmac: Ryan's interview tapes missing.		387	89-4286-2171
Nov	22	1978	Body Lift out to states		388	
Nov	26	1978	Counts: 912 all at Dover, DE; 84 surv (Hardcore:46;Docile:25;Arrested:4;Hospital:3; Cudjoe:2; Albatros:4)		389	89-4286-1838
Nov	27	1978	Moscone and Milk assassinated in SF by Supervisor Dan White		390	history
Dec	4	1978	Monies seized by Guyanese Govt from Jonestown, Kaituma, Gtown and Russian Embassy: US\$2,650,561.27		391	89-4286-1840
Dec	6	1978	Mac applies for info thru FOI to CIA		392	
Dec	6	1978	17 arrive from Guyana in JFK		393	89-4286-1087
Dec	7	1978	US army Helicopter pilots in Panama flew into JamestownGuy; took JJ papers, holding till "price is right"		394	89-4286-923
Dec	15	1978	Calif PT Corporation filed petition for dissolution in Superior Court SF.		396	89-4286-2164
Dec	28	1978	Robert Fabian, court appointed receiver, to amass and liquidate PT		395	
Apr		1978	Enolla Maxwell & Marcie at PT (HH-9 pdf127)		361	
Apr	11	1978	Concerned Relatives accusation of Human Rights Violations by JJ in Guyana statement		362	jonestown.sdsu.edu
Jan	22	1979	Suit filed US Dist Court on behalf of US to recover \$4,298,000: Actual cost of repatriating remains PT members		397	89-4286-2164
Feb	29	1979	Stephen Jones returns to US. Interviewed by FBI in JFK.		398	89-4286-1944
Mar	13	1979	Mike Prokes 7pm news conference Modesto, CA; commits suicide.		400	89-4286-1996
Mar	14	1979	Federal grand jury returned indictment against Laurence Layton charging with assassination & conspiracy re: Ryan, indictment sealed as Layton currently under trial in Guyana.		401	89-4286-2164
Apr	18	1979	FBI entered agreement with court appointed receiver to become sole receiver for temple assets to help reclaim		399	89-4286-2164
May	9	1979	248 bodies unidentified remaining at Dover AirForce Base. Identification efforts discontinued.		402	89-4286-2170
May	11	1979	After review materials brought to States, non evidentiary mtl's being returned to GoG (Govt of Guyana)		404	89-4286-2201
May	17	1979	PT estimated at \$26 million. J'town \$5mill; Ca assets\$1.5mill; Cash,etc Guy: \$2.57mill; wrld bankacct\$17.2 mill		403	89-4286-2195
Feb	26	1980	Al and Jeanie Mills (the Mertles) were fatally shot. No indication murders were result of a "death squad."		405	89-4286-2415
Jul	31	1980	US attorney in SF requested immunity for 4 individuals for info furnished		406	

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Fall		1980	Information from RYMUR investigation being computerized for easier retrieval and organization for trial.		407	89-4286-2525
Nov	21	1980	Larry Layton expelled from Guy 11/21/80; Prelim hrg US District Court 11/ 24/80; trial set 5/12/81		408	89-4286-2562 &85
Sep	26	1981	Jury deadlocked: mistrial declared. Retrial set Oct 1. Larry Layton free on bail.		409	89-4286-2667
Dec	1	1986	Second trial finally begun. Layton convicted various accounts.		265	89-4286-2750
Feb	21	1989	Supreme Court denied appeal.		410	89-4286-2750
Spring		1998	Jonestown.com website launched by Laurie Efrain. Ran for 6 years with more than 6 million hits.		411	
Oct		1998	Jonestown site first online in No Dakota		412	
Nov	18	1998	<b>20th memorial</b>		413	
Oct		1999	Jonestown site first online in San Diego		414	
Oct		2001	Fondakowski approached to write a play		415	
		2001	Mac applies for info thru FOI to FBI	date?	0	
		2002	Layton case reheard. Layton freed after testimony from Vern Gosney.		416	
Nov	18	2003	<b>25th Memorial</b>		417	
Apr	16	2005	Pre-opening <i>The Peoples Temple</i> for PT survivors		418	
Apr	16	2005	Dinner gathering 2 blocks from play 4:30-7:30		419	
Apr	20	2005	Play <i>The Peoples Temple</i> Opens Officially in Berkeley		420	
Jun	4	2005	CHS panel re the play and peoples responses		421	
Jun	5	2005	Play <i>The Peoples Temple</i> closes in Berekeley (extended a week)		422	
Aug		2005	Play <i>The Peoples Temple</i> Opens in Alaska		423	
Nov		2005	Video Documentary by KQED-PBS on making of <i>The Peoples Temple</i> as opened in Berkeley April 2005		424	
Jan		2006	Play <i>The Peoples Temple</i> Opens in Minnesota		425	
Feb		2006	Play <i>The Peoples Temple</i> Closes in Minnesota		426	
			Came back from Chicago (cross country summer trip) with stow-away. teenager who said he was homeless. Contacted parents broughtt hem out to California for a month. Returned Chicago with son. and no lawsuit!	date?	2	
			Play opens in New York		2	
			CHS first gets materials to organize	date	2	
			Radio services from SF	date	2	
			PT at the US Capitol building: everyone cleans up Capitol lawns	date	2	
			Phil Blakey comes to PT	date	2	



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			Planning Commission first organized	date?	2	
			CA Hiway Patrol help on Grapevine		2	
			Street collecting of monies in SF, LA...		2	
			Public catharsis sessions: Linda Mertle 75 whacks?	date?	2	
			Public catharsis sessions: Bob Houston boxing	date?	2	
			First Hire Charles Garry	date?	2	
			Church/healing service in Georgetown			