

Reinhard Arno Purfürst
a.k.a.
Reinhard Purfurst
Province of Ontario, Canada

Reinhard Arno Purfürst, hereafter referred to by his chosen Anglicized name of Reinhard Purfurst was born July 26, 1935 in Schleiz, Thuringia, Germany. He was the youngest of three sons born to Arno Purfürst (1910-1942) and Tony Wiefel (1914-1956).

In 1958 he immigrated to Canada where he married Klare Schriever. The daughter of Josef Schriever, she was born March 5, 1939 in Mittel-Selbach, Germany. They had three children: Bernita Purfurst, Gina Purfurst and Dirk Purfurst.

1. Bernita Purfurst married Jeff McHaffie and had children Brandon Clint Purfurst McHaffie, Katrina Elizabeth McHaffie, Morgan Klare McHaffie and Brittany Thea McHaffie.
2. Gina Purfurst married Gary Artuso and had children Erica Rose Artuso, Marisa Artuso and Kristen Sara Artuso.
3. Dirk Purfurst married Jennifer Sanders and had children Jacob Allen Arno Purfürst, Klare Avery Ellen Purfürst and Nicholas Adam Wilfred Purfurst.