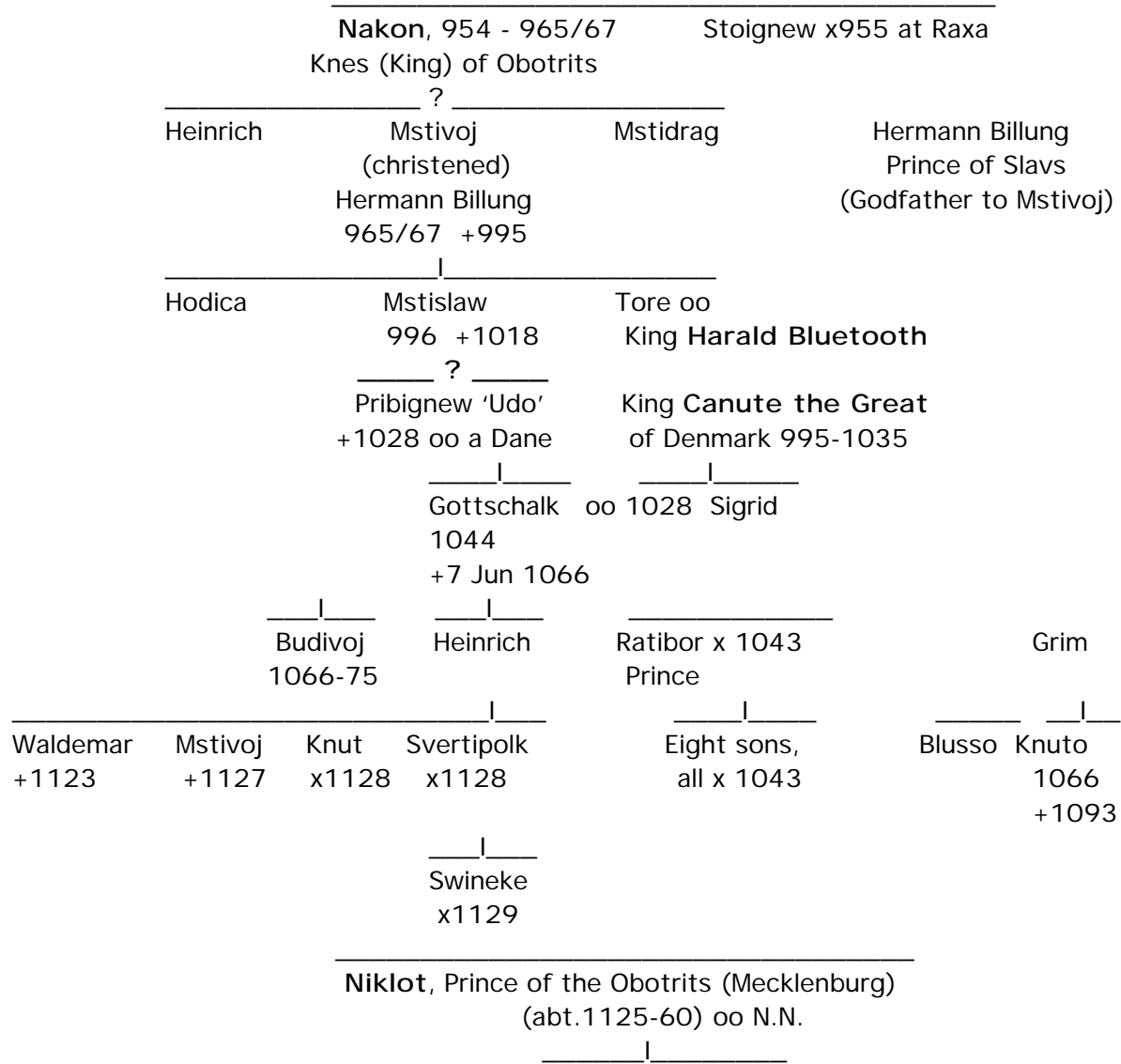
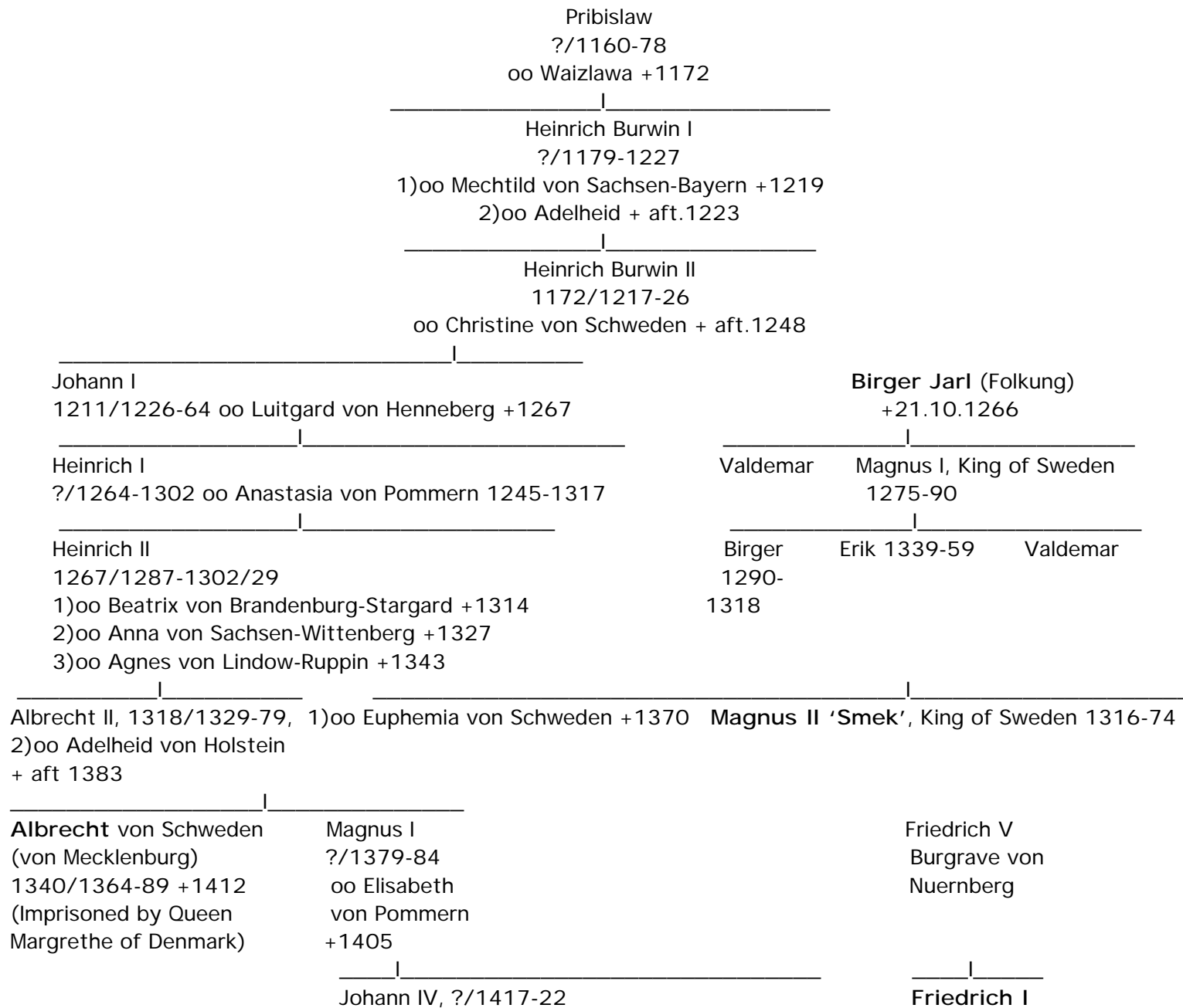
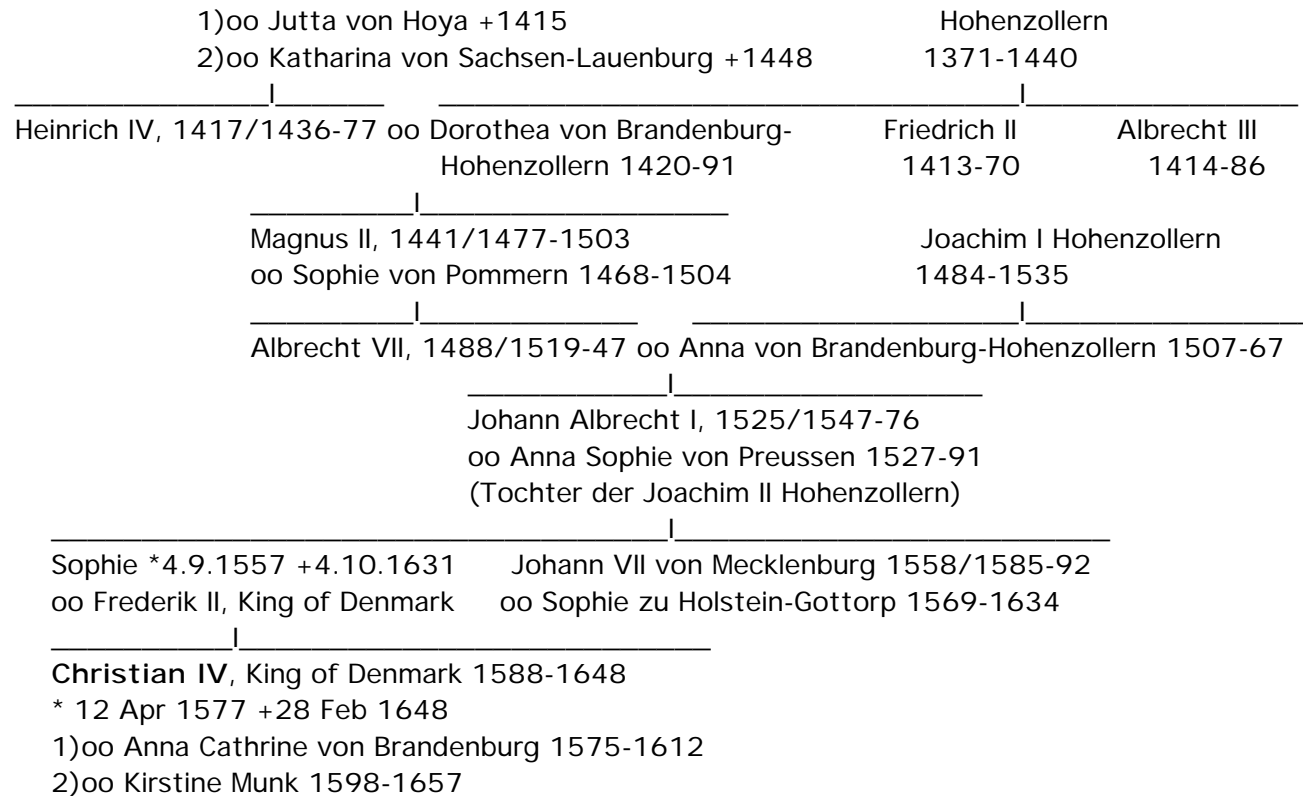


# Obotrites

(Nakonides and later rulers in Mecklenburg and their descendants)







Sources: Saxo Grammaticus, Adam von Bremen, J.P.F.Koenigsfeldt

\* The Obotrites was a sub-tribe of the Polabi, Baltic Slavs living in Mecklenburg and Holstein during the latter half of the first millenium of the Christian era. They fought with Charlemagne against their neighbors, the Saxons, and after many attempts were finally converted to Chistianity by Saxon King Heinrich der Löwe in the 12th century. Remnants of the Slavish language was still spoken in the lower Elbe river region during the 18th century.



Homes of Obotriti and other Slavs in northern Germany, about year 1000.