

## Kump Coat of Arms & Historiography

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The Kump Coat of Arms illustrated here was drawn by an heraldic artist from information officially recorded in ancient heraldic archives. Documentation for the Kump Coat of Arms design can be found in Rietstap Armorial General. Heraldic artists of old developed their own unique language to describe an individual Coat of Arms. In their language, the Arms (shield) is as follows:

"Parti de sa, et d'or; a deux gobelets en forme de cone renv., de l'un a l'autre."

When translated the Arms description is:

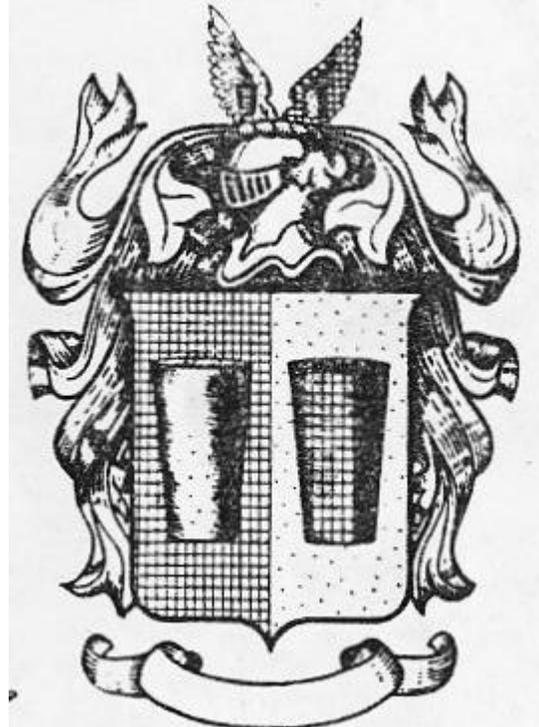
"Divided vertically: black and gold; two goblets in the shape of a cone upside down, counterchanged."

Above the shield and helmet is the Crest which is described as:

"Un vol d'or et de sa, ch des gobelets."

A translation of the Crest description is:

"Two wings gold and black charged with the goblets."



Family mottos are believed to have originated as battle cries in medieval times. A Motto was not recorded with the Kump Coat of Arms.

Individual surnames originated for the purpose of more specific identification. The four primary sources for second names were: occupation, location, father's name and personal characteristics. The surnames Kump appears to be occupational in origin, and is believed to be associated with the German meaning, "one who made basins or feeding troughs." The supplementary sheet included with this report is designed to give you more information to further your understanding of the origin of names. Different spellings of the same original surname are a common occurrence. Dictionaries of surnames indicate probable spelling variations. The most prominent variations of Kump are Kumpel, Kumpf, Kumpfer, and Cumper.

Census records available disclose the fact that there are approximately 350 heads of households in the United States with the old and distinguished Kump name. The United States Census Bureau estimates there are approximately 3.2 persons per household in America today which yields an approximate total of 1120 people in the United States carrying the Kump name. Although the figure seems relatively low, it does not signify the many important contributions that individuals bearing the Kump name have made to history.

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