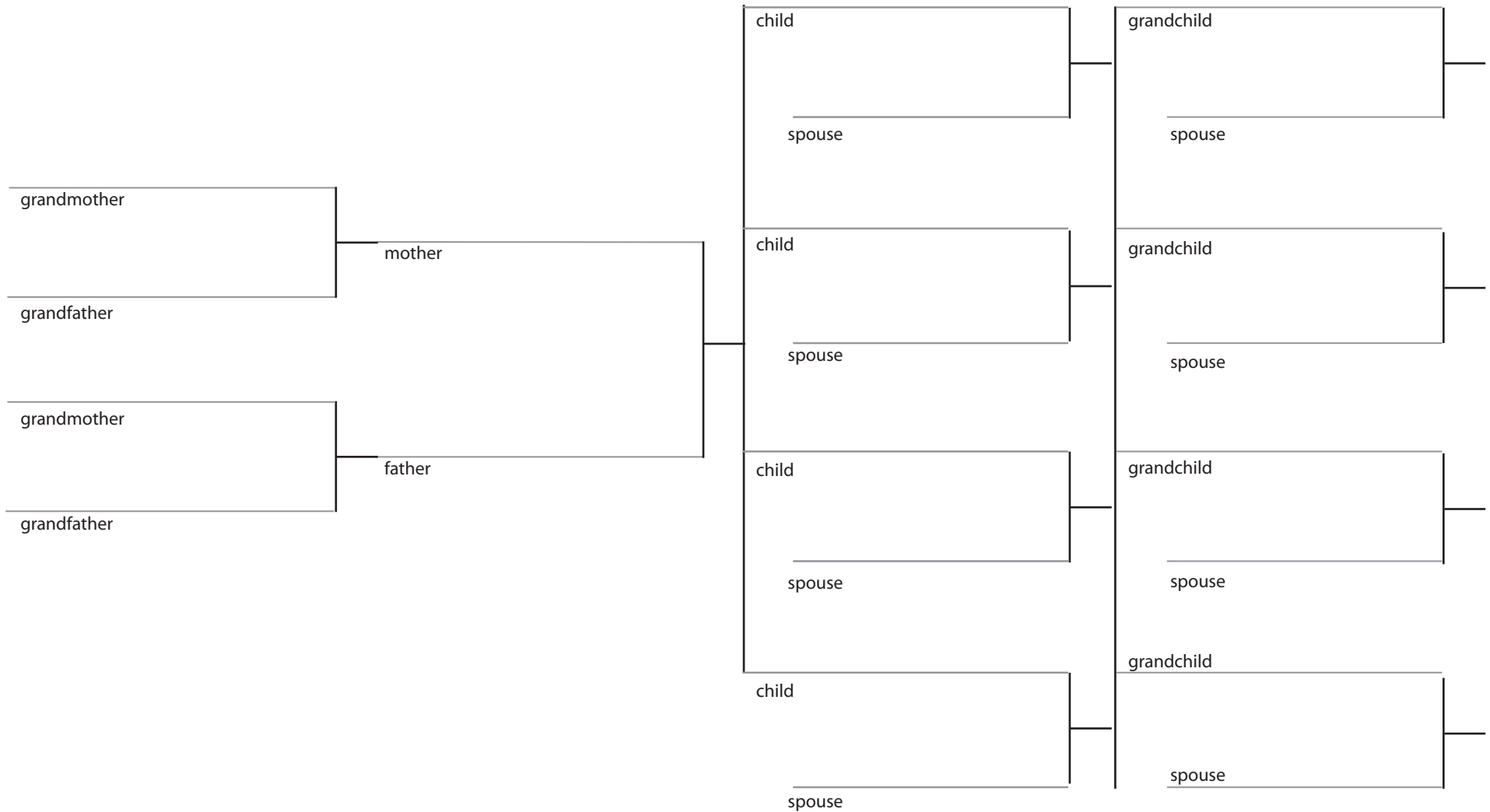


grandparents, mother, father, children, grandchildren [largest]



By the time you get to grandparents and grandchildren, charting becomes difficult. You can see the standard sports tournament brackets to the left, and the hook shape brackets to the right. The left brackets get very crowded as you add brackets to the left. The right brackets looks better, but you can only track the descendants of one descendant line per child until you reach the present. If you

wish to chart more than parents and children of a single nuclear family, try using the internet genealogy sites (the free ones, first) to chart your ancestors. Computers allow the construction of very complicated ancestor charts. Drawing your own charts for more than a nuclear family is very time-consuming and we firmly believe that your time would be better spent doing ancestor searching.