

Descendants of Jesse John Dodson

Generation 1

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WILL OF CHARLES DODSON

Richmond County, Virginia
Will Book 2, pages 95 and 96

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Notes for Anne Elsmore Dodson:

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 - iii. WILLIAM DODSON was born in 1685 in North Farnham, Rappahannock, Virginia. He died on 10 Aug 1744 in North Carolina.
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 - iv. JOHN DODSON was born in 1687 in Richmond County, Virginia. He died in 1780 in Richmond County, Virginia. He married Elizabeth Goad about 1724.
 - v. LAMBETH DODSON was born in 1689 in Richmond County, Virginia. He died in 1740. He married SARAH HARRIS. She was born in 1693.
 - vi. ELIZABETH DODSON was born in 1695 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died in 1727 in Richmond County, Virginia.
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 - vii. CHARLES JOSEPH DODSON was born on 11 Jan 1702 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died on 19 Aug 1772 in Richmond County, Virginia. He married ANNE STONE. She was born in 1697 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). She died on 12 Apr 1735 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish).
 - viii. ANNE DODSON was born on 16 Jul 1715 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died in

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1719 in Virginia.

- ix. MARY DODSON was born in 1719 in Rappahannock County, Virginia. She died in 1719.
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3. **THOMAS³ DODSON** (Charles Joseph², Jesse John¹) was born on 15 May 1681 in Old Rappahannock, Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died on 21 Nov 1740 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He married Mary Durham, daughter of Thomas Durham and Dorothy Smoot, on 29 Aug 1701 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). She was born on 05 Jun 1686 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). She died in 1745 in Richmond County, Virginia.

Notes for Thomas Dodson:

3. THOMAS DODSON^{1,11} was born on 15 May 1681 in North Farnham Parish, Old Rappahannock County, Virginia.^{8,10} He died before 2 March 1741 at the age of 59 in Richmond County, Virginia.^{12,13}

Thomas was born in North Farnham Parish, Old Rappahannock County, Virginia; which part was divided, in 1692, into Richmond County, with other parts becoming Essex County. Thomas Dodson's birth is recorded in the North Farnham Parish Register.

Richmond Co VA DB 1, p.84 31 Jul 1693 Charles Dodson to well beloved son Thomas Dodson, in exchange for one sow shoat, one brown cow called Nancy.

DB 3, p.105 2 Feb 1702 Charles Dodson to Thomas Dodson; for natural love & affection I bear towards my son; 150 acres, half a tract I purchased of Capt. Samuel Travis.

DB 8,p.241 10 Dec 1723 Thomas Durham to Thomas Dodson Sen, 100 acres formerly belonging to Abraham Marshallcorner tree of Charles Dodson. Rec. 6 May 1724

DB 8, p.660 6 Aug 1733 Abraham & Winifred Daile and Ellinor Southorn to Thomas Dodson Jr ..30 acres formerly belonging to Daniel O'Neal. Rec. 6 Aug 1733

DB 9, p.14 6 Dec 1733 Thomas Dodson Sen & wife Mary and Thomas Dodson Jun and wife Elizabeth of North Farnham Parish to Jonathan Lyell ...130 acres, 100 acres of which belonged to Abraham Marshal ..Thomas Durham ...Thomas Dodson. Wit: Robt Reynolds, George Gibson, Wm Creel

Will dated 17 Feb 1739; Probate 2 Mar 1740. Wife Mary, sons Thomas, George, Greenham, Elisha, Abraham, Joshua. Daughters Alice Creel and Mary Oldam. Granddaughter, daughter of David Dodson. Wife Mary and son Greenham to be Executors. [Will in Richmond Co VA; WB 5, pp.378]

<http://www.thehenesseefamily.com/getperson.php?personID=1477&tree=henesse>
Richmond County,VA Wills:05-378,

"Will of Thomas Dodson, dated 17 Feb 1739; proved 2 March 1740

In The Name Of God Amen I Thomas Dodson of Northfarnham p'ish in Richmond County Being sick and Weak of Body but in Perfect since and Memory do make and ordain this to be my Last Will and Testam.t in manner and forme -
Impri I lend to my Wife Mary Dodson my Plantation whereon I now Live and the Land thereto Blonging with all my Negroes and Moveable Estate dureing her Natural Life -

Item. I give to my Son Thomas Dodson Five Shill.s to be Paid by Ex.rrs -

I give to my Son George Dodson and his heirs for Ever one hundred and fifty Acres of Land whereon he ye sd George Dodson is now Liveing -

I Give to my Son Greenham Dodson and his heirs for Ever the Whole Tract of Land I bought of Lambarth Dodson -

I give to my Sone Elisha Dodson & his Heirs for Ever the Plantation whereon I now Live and Land Land therto Belonging after my Wife Mary Dodsons Decease -

I Give to my Daughter Alice Creel One Negroe Girl named Sarah -

I give to my Daughter Mary Oldam one New Suit of calica Cloaths -

I Give to my Son Greenham Dodson one Negroe man Named Harry -

I Glve to my Son Abraham Dodson one Negroe Woman named Bess and one Negroe Boy

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named Joe -

I Give to my Son Josha Dodson one Negroe woman Named Sue and one Negroe Boy

named Dick -

I give to my son Elisha Dodson one Negroe Girl Named Nan -

I give to my son Greenham Dodson one feather Bed and furniture -

I give to my son Abraham Dodson one feather Bed and furniture -

I give to my son Joshua Dodson one feather Bed and furniture -

I give to my son Elisha Dodson one feather Bed and furniture -

I Give to Granddaughter ye Daughter of David Dodson Twenty Shill.s

All the Remaining Part of My Estate be the same more or Less I give to be

Equally Divided between three of my sons Vist Abraham Dodson Joshua Dodson &

Elisha Dodson

I Likewise ordain and Appoint my Wife Mary Dodson and my son Greenham Dodson

to be the true and Lawful Exr.s of the my Last will & Tesatam.t as Witness my

hand and seal this 17th Day of February 1739

(S) Thomas (T his mark) Dodson (Seal)

Wits: H. Miskell, John (X) Hightower, Charles Dodson"

The death of a Thomas Dodson is recorded in the North Farnham Parish Records as 21 Nov 1740 - this does not necessasrily conflict with the probate date of 2 Mar 1740.. Old style dating was in effect, so it was actually proved 2 Mar 1739 and the new year did not begin until 25 March 1740.

"Stamps Family History & Lineage" William Thomas Stamps <willstamps@aim.com> Updated 12 Nov 2000. His SOURCES: "Revised Edition of the Fuller Manuscript", by Charles Thomas Stamps. "History of First 300 Years of Averitts in America", by William F. Averitt. "The Registers of North Farnham Parish 1663-1814" by George King; Family History Library, Salt Lake City, Utah

THOMAS DODSON and MARY DURHAM were married on 29 August 1701 in North Farnham Parish, Richmond County, Virginia.4MARY DURHAM1, daughter of THOMAS DURHAM and DOROTHY SMOOT, was born on 5 June 1686 in North Farnham Parish, Old Rappahannock County, Virginia.14,15

Thomas Dodson and Mary Durham had the following children:

6. i. GEORGE⁴ DODSON was born on 31 Oct 1702 in Richmond County, Virginia. He died in 1770 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. He married Margaret Dagord on 30 Apr 1726 in Richmond County, Virginia. She was born on 30 Apr 1708 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died in 1770 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia.
7. ii. THOMAS DODSON was born on 01 Oct 1707 in Richmond County, Virginia. He died on 21 Oct 1783 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. He married (1) ELIZABETH ROSE, daughter of John Rose and Mary Blackerby, on 03 Apr 1724 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). She was born in 1706 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died in 1766 in Fauquier, Fauquier County, Virginia. He married (2) ELEANOR SLOAN.
- iii. ALICE DODSON was born in 1711 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). She married William Creel on 25 Nov 1729 in Richmond County, Virginia. He was born on 12 Apr 1712.
- iv. MARY DODSON was born on 05 Oct 1715 in Richmond County, Virginia.
8. v. JOSHUA DODSON was born on 25 May 1725 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died in 1798 in Surry County, North Carolina. He married Ruth Dodson, daughter of Charles Joseph Dodson and Anne Stone, about 1745. She was born in 1729 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died on 15 Jan 1803 in Prince Edward County, Virginia.
9. vi. ELISHA DODSON was born on 22 Feb 1727 in Richmond County, Virginia. He died on 27 Apr 1791 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. He married SARAH EVERETT. She was

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born on 13 Apr 1729 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died in 1824 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish).

4. **JOHN³ DODSON** (Charles Joseph², Jesse John¹) was born in 1687 in Richmond County, Virginia. He died in 1780 in Richmond County, Virginia. He married Elizabeth Goad about 1724.

John Dodson and Elizabeth Goad had the following children:

- i. **MARTHA ANN⁴ DODSON** was born on 07 Nov 1725 in Richmond County, Virginia.
 - ii. **CHARLES DODSON** was born on 28 Aug 1726 in Richmond County, Virginia.
 - iii. **MOSES DODSON** was born on 12 Jan 1729 in Richmond County, Virginia.
 - iv. **JOHN DODSON** was born on 12 Aug 1731 in Richmond County, Virginia.
 - v. **PETER DODSON** was born on 22 May 1735 in Richmond County, Virginia.
 - vi. **ELIZABETH DODSON** was born about 1741.
5. **CHARLES JOSEPH³ DODSON** (Charles Joseph², Jesse John¹) was born on 11 Jan 1702 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died on 19 Aug 1772 in Richmond County, Virginia. He married **ANNE STONE**. She was born in 1697 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). She died on 12 Apr 1735 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish).

Charles Joseph Dodson and Anne Stone had the following child:

10. i. **RUTH⁴ DODSON** was born in 1729 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died on 15 Jan 1803 in Prince Edward County, Virginia. She married Joshua Dodson, son of Thomas Dodson and Mary Durham, about 1745. He was born on 25 May 1725 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died in 1798 in Surry County, North Carolina.

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6. **GEORGE⁴ DODSON** (Thomas³, Charles Joseph², Jesse John¹) was born on 31 Oct 1702 in Richmond County, Virginia. He died in 1770 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. He married Margaret Dagord on 30 Apr 1726 in Richmond County, Virginia. She was born on 30 Apr 1708 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died in 1770 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia.

George Dodson and Margaret Dagord had the following children:

- i. **LARARUS⁵ DODSON** was born on 07 Oct 1728 in Richmond County, Virginia. He died on 16 Sep 1799 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. He married Alice Dodson, daughter of Thomas Dodson and Elizabeth Rose, in 1752 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. She was born in 1734 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. She died in 1792.
 - ii. **THOMAS DODSON** was born on 25 May 1735 in Richmond County, Virginia.
 - iii. **GEORGE DODSON** was born on 31 Oct 1737 in Richmond County, Virginia. He died on 19 Dec 1825 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. He married **ELIZABETH REID**. She was born in 1737 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. She died in Pittsylvania County, Virginia.
7. **THOMAS⁴ DODSON** (Thomas³, Charles Joseph², Jesse John¹) was born on 01 Oct 1707 in Richmond County, Virginia. He died on 21 Oct 1783 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. He married (1) **ELIZABETH ROSE**, daughter of John Rose and Mary Blackerby, on 03 Apr 1724 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). She was born in 1706 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died in 1766 in Fauquier, Fauquier County, Virginia. He married (2) **ELEANOR SLOAN**.

Notes for Thomas Dodson:

John Glassford & Comapny of Virginia and Maryland, Purchasers at the Dumfries Store
At the Library of Congree there is a collection of colonial records from Virginia and Maryland for the mercantile firms of John Glassford and Company of Glasgow, Scotland, and his successors. These records include rough throw sheets, daybooks, journals, inventories and ledgers for the period 1753 to 1844. The largest portion of records is from the 1760 to 1820 period.

John Glassford's firm established a system of stores along the rivers of Maryland and Virginia. These stores provided a convenient collection point for the purchase of tobacco crops and a place for the colonists to purchase their necessities, using either credit or cash.....

.....Both Thomas and Joshua Dodson are listed. (See Virginia Genealogist, Volumes 31

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and 32)

Thomas Dodson and Elizabeth Rose had the following children:

- i. JOSEPH⁵ DODSON was born on 21 Feb 1725 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died in 1773 in Halifax, Halifax County, Virginia. He married MARTHA ANN FAIRFAX. She was born on 07 Nov 1725 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). She died in 1766 in Fauquier, Fauquier County, Virginia.
 - ii. THOMAS DODSON was born on 03 Oct 1728 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish/). He died before 1816 in Hawkins County, Tennessee. He married MARY NEVILLE. She was born on 21 Dec 1726.
 - iii. MARY DODSON was born on 16 Jun 1730 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish/). She died in 1730.
 - iv. SARAH DODSON was born on 27 May 1732 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish/). She married JOHN NEVILLE. He was born about 1732.
 - v. ELIZABETH BETTY DODSON was born on 27 May 1732 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish/). She married JOHN BENNETT. He was born in 1734 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. He died on 18 Jul 1791 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia.
 - vi. ALICE DODSON was born in 1734 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. She died in 1792. She married Lararus Dodson, son of George Dodson and Margaret Dagord, in 1752 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. He was born on 07 Oct 1728 in Richmond County, Virginia. He died on 16 Sep 1799 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia.
 - vii. WILLIAM DODSON was born in 1738 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. He died on 06 May 1832 in Iredell County, North Carolina. He married Winifred Johnson on 30 Nov 1763 in Fauquier County, Virginia. She was born in 1745 in Virginia. She died in 1796 in Pittsylvania, Virginia, United States.
 - viii. GEORGE DODSON was born on 17 Feb 1739 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. He died in 1816. He married ELLENOR HIGHTOWER. She was born in 1743 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia.
 - ix. ROSANNA DODSON was born in 1744 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. She died in 1792. She married JOHN CREEL. He was born on 28 Feb 1732 in Richmond, Rappahannock Co., VA. He died between 1787-1792 in Pittsylvania Co., VA.
 - x. JESSE BUFORD DODSON was born on 22 Nov 1752 in Halifax County, Virginia. He died on 22 Nov 1843 in McMinn County, Tennessee. He married Ruth Dodson, daughter of Elisha Dodson and Sarah Everett, in 1774 in Halifax, Halifax County, Virginia. She was born on 12 Dec 1754 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died on 22 Nov 1828 in Riceville, McMinn County, Tennessee.
8. **JOSHUA⁴ DODSON** (Thomas³, Charles Joseph², Jesse John¹) was born on 25 May 1725 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died in 1798 in Surry County, North Carolina. He married Ruth Dodson, daughter of Charles Joseph Dodson and Anne Stone, about 1745. She was born in 1729 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died on 15 Jan 1803 in Prince Edward County, Virginia.

Notes for Joshua Dodson:

DODSON, Joshua. Continental soldier. Indian Expedition 1777. Killed in service in Maryland.

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Revolutionary War Dead of Pittsylvania County, Virginia

Following is a partial listing of the Revolutionary War dead from Pittsylvania County, Virginia.

-
- James Arthur
 - James Conway
 - Joshua Dodson

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- James Dooley
- Abraham Goad
- John Hall
- Francis Henry

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Person Sheet NameRev. Joshua Dodson (Dotson), GGGG GrandfatherBirth25 May 1725, North Farnham Parish, Richmond County, Virginia, USABirth25 May 1725, Richmond County, Virginia, USABirth1737, Virginia, USABirth Memosome say 1725Death1793, Surry County, North Carolina, USA Age: 67Death1798, Surry County, North Carolina, USA Age: 72DeathVirginia, USADeath1798, Surry County, North Carolina, USA Age: 72Death1793, Surry County, North Carolina, USA Age: 67Birth25 May 1725, Richmond County, Virginia, USADeath1798, Stokes County, North Carolina, USA Age: 72Birth25 May 1725, Richmond, Virginia, USAOccupationBaptist ministerFatherRev. Thomas Dodson (Dotson), Jr. (1707-<1783)MotherElizabeth Rose (~1706->1766) Misc.

NotesNamed in will of brother David.
North Carolina State census 1784-87, shows:
Two WM 21-60
Two WM -21 or 60+
Three WF

Had 10 children

From: betty dotson <j72p59@webtv.net>
To: DODSON-L@rootsweb.com <DODSON-L@rootsweb.com>
Date: Thursday, August 19, 1999 11:44 AM
Subject: Re: [DODSON-L] Joshua Dodson, Sr.

Joshua Dotson b. 1725 Richmond Co,VA d.1793. s/o/Thomas Dotson & Mary Durham. Joshua m. Ruth. Their children were:
Joshua
Isaac
Elisha
Daniel
Elijah "Joel"
Dorcas

After living in Fauquier county, VA Joshua & Ruth moved to Halifax county, VA and then to NC where Joshua was taxed for 300 acres on Reed Creek in Stokes county in 1782. Joshua later appears in Surry county, NC in 1786. It has been suggested that Joshua later moved to SC.

Letter from G. W. Dodson: "Now, from the records, my grandfather, Joshua, was born in 1764, and was the fourth son of Joshua, Sr. The older brothers were Charles, Elijah and Elisha. I think all these went to Kentucky soon after the Revolutionary War. The younger brothers were Isaac and Daniel. Joshua Dodson, Jr., and Sarah Warnick (or Wirnick) were married in Virginia and went to Georgia previous to November 1785, and Daniel also went to Georgia. I do not know as to Isaac, but Joshua, Sr., visited Georgia when my Father was a child.

Two of my grandfather's sisters married Creels, and one a Ballinger, and one a Stamps. If I have been correctly informed, one of Ida Autrey's boys married a Miss Robertson, who is descended from Stamps. The children of Joshua, Jr., were

- Elijah, born November 20, 1785;
- Samuel (my father), November 21, 1788;
- William, March 22, 1791;
- Dicy, April 6, 1796;
- Ruth, December 12, 1801;
- Isaiah, June 9, 1804;
- Daniel, December 9, 1806.

Of these brothers of my father, Elijah married a Miss Rowden, and raised a large family, but I know

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very little about them. My father was the second son. William , the next one, lived and died in Henry County. Only one of his sons raised a family. This one was named Newton. Frank was a Captain, I think in Gobbs Legion, and was killed at Fredericksburg. The others, Marion and Green , died unmarried. I know scarcely anything about Uncle William's daughters. One of them married a man who owned a mill on South river, but I have forgotten his name. I heard once that she was a widow living in Atlanta. Uncle Isaiah married a Miss Brabin, and had one son, Jasper, who was living about Gadsen, Alabama the last that I ever heard of him. Uncle Daniel was a Captain in some of the Indian Wars. He was never married. Aunt Dicy married Mr. Hulsey. She lived at Lithonia and raised one son and two daughters. Marion was killed, I think, and left a widow, but no child, in Atlanta. Aunt Dicy had a daughter who lived at Lithonia, but I have forgotten who she married. Another one married Dr. Clark, and came to Texas before the war. Aunt Ruth married Mr. Hollis, died young, and left one son, Andrew D. "

More information: Misc. NotesStoke County was created from Surry County, NC in 1789. BIOGRAPHY: Rev. Joshua Dodson, Sr. was a Baptist Preacher residing in Virginia. and Surry county, NC. He appeared on the Tax list in 1782 and 1787 in Surry Co., NC.Prf ParentLetter from G. W. Dodson: "Now, from the records, my grandfather, Joshua, was born in 1764, and was the fourth son of Joshua, Sr. The older brothers were Charles, Elijah and Elisha. I think all these went to Kentucky soon after the Revolutionary War. The younger brothers were Isaac and Daniel. Joshua Dodson, Jr., and Sarah Warnick (or Wirnick) were married in Virginia and went to Georgia previous to November 1785, and Daniel also went to Georgia. I do not know as to Isaac, but Joshua, Sr., visited Georgia when my Father was a child.

Two of my grandfather's sisters married Creels, and one a Ballinger, and one a Stamps. If I have been correctly informed, one of Ida Autrey's boys married a Miss Robertson, who is descended from Stamps. Spouses 1Ruth Or Rose (____), GGGG GrandmotherBirthabt 1730, Farnham, Richmond County, Virginia, USADeathPrince Edward County, Virginia, USABirth1727, Richmond County, Virginia, USABirthabt 1730, Farnham, Richmond, Virginia, USADeathPrince Edward County, Virginia, USA Misc. Notes Or RoseMisc. NotesI find the children sometimes attributed to Ruth, sometimes to Rose. They could be two different women, or just one!Misc. NotesJoshua Dodson has a brother who married a lady named (Elizabeth) Rose, and it is my guess that Joshua's wife was Ruth ROSE. Marriageabt 1745, Richmond, Virginia, USA ChildrenCharles (1747-1831) Elisha (~1751-1788) Elijah "Joel" (1755-1785) Harriet Phebe (<1763-1826) Joshua (1764-1844) Isaac (1767-1845) Daniel (1769-1848) Dorcas (~1771-) Mary (~1773-) Rebecca (~1775-) Elijah (1755-1785) Dorcas (1752-) Last Modified 23 Oct 2004Created 26 Oct 2009 using Reunion for Macintosh Contents · Index · Surnames · Contact · Web Family Card©M Lyle Web Connect

38. Joshua DODSON , Sr. (Thomas , Charles , Jesse or John , John) was born on May 25 1725 in Richmond Co., Virginia. He died in 1798 in Surry Co., North Carolina.

[Notes]

Joshua married Ruth\Rose DODSON about 1745 in Richmond, Virginia. Ruth\Rose was born in 1725.

[Notes]

Joshua and Ruth\Rose had the following children:

- 114 M i Charles DODSON was born on Feb 2 1746. [Notes]
- 115 M ii Elijah "Joel" DODSON was born about 1748. He died on Jul 1 1784. [Notes]
 - Elijah married Martha STUBBLEFIELD. Martha was born in 1748/1753. [Notes]
- 116 M iii Joshua DODSON , Jr. was born in 1750. [Notes]
- 117 F iv Dorcas DODSON was born about 1754. [Notes]
 - Dorcas married ? BALLINGER. ? BALLINGER was born in 1749/1754. [Notes]
- 118 F v Infant DODSON was born about 1756. [Notes]
- 119 M vi Elisha DODSON was born in 1760. He died in 1788. [Notes]
 - Elisha married Nancy ?. Nancy was born in 1760/1765. [Notes]
- 120 F vii Pheby DODSON was born on Apr 24 1763. [Notes]
- + 121 M viii Isaac DODSON was born about 1761. He died in 1840/1850.

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122 M ix Daniel DODSON was born on Apr 29 1769 in Dinwiddle Co., Virginia. He died on Feb 25 1848 in Clayton Co., Georgia. [Notes]

Daniel married Sarah PETERS on Feb 25 1792 in South Carolina. Sarah was born in 1769/1774. [Notes]

23. Joshua DODSON^{1,37,50} was born on 25 May 1725 in North Farnham Parish, Richmond County, Virginia.^{16,21} He died about 1793 at the age of 68.⁵⁰

Josh. Dodson found on a list of taxpayers for Hamilton Parish, Elk Run & vicinity, 1751. From the account book of Capt. John Crump, Sheriff of Prince William County. After 1759, this area became Fauquier County.

Published in the Bulletin of the Fauquier Historical Society, June 1923, p.239-242. Reprinted in the Newsletter of the Prince William County Genealogical Society, V.10, No. 6, Dec 1991, pp.43-45.

The only mention of Ruth is in the minutes of Broad Run Bapt Church in Fauquier Co, as they were members in Dec 1762. Joshua and Ruth were dismissed to move to Halifax. No records of them are found in Halifax. There is a Joshua Dodson on the tax list for Surry Co NC in 1782; he had 300 acres on Reed Creek [this location is now in Stokes Co] Joshua Dodson Senr was on a state census in the late 1780's, in Surry Co but he does not appear on the 1790 Census. Some of his children moved to South Carolina. Joshua Dodson and Joseph Williams, were shown as ministers of the Shoals Baptist Church, Oconee River, Greene Co GA in 1789. Most researchers agree that he died in 1793, but there's no proof.

Writings of George W. Dodson, date unknown, suggest that his great-grandfather was this Joshua Dodson, a Baptist preacher, and he had visited Georgia when George's father was a young boy. George's father, Samuel, was born in 1788, so the visit probably wasn't much earlier than 1795.

Joshua DODSON and Ruth [DODSON] were married about 1745.⁵⁰Ruth [DODSON]^{1,50} was born about 1727.

Was she Ruth Rose?

Joshua Dodson and Ruth Dodson had the following children:

- i. DORCAS⁵ DODSON was born about 1745 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). She died after 1814. She married James Ballenger, son of Francis Ballenger and Sarah Conner, on 18 Aug 1769 in Fauquier County, Virginia (Broad Run Baptist Church). He was born about 1744 in Frederick County, Virginia. He died before 28 Aug 1813 in Spartanburg, Spartanburg County, South Carolina.

Notes for James Ballenger:

Fauquier County, Virginia, D Bk 3, p 490, in which George Washington of Fairfax County, rents 120 acres in Fauquier to James Ballinger and his son, John, to hold during their natural life, whichever one lives the longest.

Three Centuries of Ballingers in America, compiled by Emma Barrett Reeves

Illinois Regiment

A List of the Officers, Non-Commssioned Officers, and Privates of "The Illinois Regiment, " who under the command of General George Rogers Clark, in an unparelled campaign, achieved the Conquest of the Northwest (from which the States of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois , Michigan, and Wisconsin were formed), and held it for the United States.

.....
Privates

.....
Ballinger, James
Ballinger, Larkin

.....

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Revolutionary Soldiers in Kentucky, by Anderson Chenault Quisenberry, page 17

From: <Cfbc@aol.com>

Subject: Larkin Ballenger, Revolutionary War Soldier

Date: Tue, 22 Sep 1998 12:29:59 EDT

This information provided to Ballenger researchers for later discussions.

Spellings may be Larken or Larkin Also note that there are several Larkin Ballengers in later years one in SC, one in TN and one in AL (I have records the one in Knox Co TN later came to Morgan Co AL. He had a child out of wedlock while in Knox Co TN and he is the brother to my John P Balinger who married Hulda Whitten. (My Clabirone Cole Carroll Chism Ballenger named a son Larkin which is my great grandfather. He is son of John P Balinger and grandsons of John "Ned" Ballinger (wife Rebecca Jane McHaffee Married in 1803 in Montgomery County VA the other name on the marriage license was John Fielder, see later note

Spellings may be Ballenger, Bellinger, Bahlinger, Balinger, Bollinger, Billinger, Balsinger, Barringer, Bedinger, Ballanger, Beglinger, Sullinger, Barringer, and many others. I have been researching my line many years and it appears that they may have been German from so many spellings which I find in the locations where they are known to have been therefore try to research all spellings.

They are known to have been in Montgomery Co VA, New Orleans LA, Knox Co TN,

McNairy Co TN, before coming to Walker Co AL (I also have many records on the Ballengers in St Clair County AL as well as Mobile County AL. I have found records of them and their relatives being in Kentucky, West Virginia, Indiana, South Carolina, North Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi and other western states in the later years.

In 1918 Sarah J. H. Johnson in Utah she provided information on the Ballinger family in the LDS files which reflects that she was a descendant of William Ballenger and Martha in Emma Barrett Reeves book She listed my "Ned Ballinger & Miss McHaaffie along with others

Most of my earlier spellings seem to be Balinger and Ballinger and based upon research of these two spellings they are believed to have German and also have quaker connections.

Today I am supplying information on Larkin Ballenger, the Revolutionary War Soldier. There are numerous connections with George Rogers Clark and James W Wilkinson. Then with War of 1812 there appears to be numerous connections with Gov William Charles Cole Claiborne governor of Louisiana Territory and Col John Ballenger. That John Ballenger was in Feliciana Parish. More information on that data and letters will be provided later from Claiborne to Col John Ballenger will be provided later. There seems to be various spellings there also.

LARKIN BALLENGER

Based upon the supporting data from the Revolutionary war file, I have ascertained the following information.

He enlisted January 19, 1779, on March 24, 1780, and on November 30, 1781. He was taken prisoner on May 28, 1781. He received full pay August 17, 1784 which was L28 S6 D6 made to Mr. Broadhead.

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He was in the Clark's Illinois Reegiment, Virginia State Troops (Revolutionary War)
as a Private and Card Numbers 35892885, 39162321, 39188368, 39190250, and 39190252 are listed. (I haven't been able to associate these numbers or know what they are. They did provide copies of what appears to be cards; however, none of these numbers are on those copies.

I find the following people were in the Clark's Illinois Regiment.

Ballenger, James, Clark's III Reg in 1782 T-GV1146

Ballenger, James, Clark's III Reg.

(Taken prisoner by Indians March 9, 1781)

Ballenger, James Capt Todd's Co 1780 mss. WD

Ballenger, Larkin, Capt Todd's Co in 1780 mss. WD

Ballenger, Larkin, Clark's III Reg

(The above information was from Historical Register of Virginians in the Revolution by John H Gwathmay)

CARD # 1 (my number)

B Clark's Illinois Regiment Virginia State Troops

Larkin Ballenger Pvt in Capt John Baley's Company of Regulars in the Illinois Regiment commanded by Col George Rogers Clark, in the Virginia State service

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Generation 4 (con't)

Copy from original in Auditor's Richmond, VA" Copist Clark

CARD # 5 (my number)

Clark's Illinois Regiment Virginia State Troops

Larkin Revolutionary appears on Pay Roll for soldiers serving in the Illinois Department for their pay up to the last of December 1781. Roll not dated Amount 28-6-8 Photostat copy number 937104

Later I hope to provide information concerning George Rogers Clark, Captain John Baley, Mr. Broadhead, James W Wilkinson, capt Robert Todd, and the James Ballenger who was also in this group of Virginia State Troops which took the midwest as a new territory and their connections with the Indiana Ballengers and connections with both Quaker and non-Quaker Ballengers. I have a very old paper which states Ned Ballinger of Indiana if any kin I know not what but must be a relative, all who spell their name that way are relatives. Also during the Civil War my Confederate Soldier appears to also have fought or been a spy for or against the Union Army based on his statement that he was in the Indiana Infantry, I believe the 157th, I will have to look that up for sure- He was Claiborne Coal (Cole) Carroll Chism Ballenger also called Clabe and Clemer)

Revolutionary War Records Virginia by brumbaugh at various libraries provides the following information. Page 165 and 167

Illinois Regiment, Bounty Land Warrants

(9) List of non-commissioned officers and soldiers of the Illinois Regiment and the Western Army under command of General G. R. Clarke, who are entitled to Bounty in Land.

18 Ballinger, Larkin Private Entitled to land for the war

#35 Butler, John, Private Entitled to land for service during the war...my ancestor

#63 Ballinger, James Private Entitled to land for the war

68 Butts, William (prisoner Entitled to land for the war)...my ancestor

Also on page 198

A list of the non-commissioned officers and soldiers of the Virginia Centennial line who names are on the army register of Virginia, and who have not received bounty land will be reported as soon as it shall be completed. Richmond November 25

1834 John H Smith. Com'r We find Sgt Jenry Ballance (Inf) Might be Ballinger

Woldier James Ballinger, Inf Soldier Valentine Balsinger (I have seen Valentine Ballenger in some documents to be discussed at a later time)

Bounty Land Warrants on page 199

Bellinger, Larkin, Soldier, Inf, Bollinger, Larkin, Soldier, Inf and on page

221 Ballenger, William, Soldier, Inf. and Bellinger, John Soldier, inf.

On page 400 Revolutionary War Records Virginia

Number Warrantee (A-B) Rank & Service (C)

4394 Beasley, Larkin (Wm reynolds assnee of rep soldier 3 years

4377 Butler, Wm (Leroy Beasley, heir at law soldier 3 years

4443 Ballenger, William Sgt 3 years

4627 Bedinger, Henry Capt 8 years

other names which may provide information are on this list Bowyer and Bowles especially a Robert Broadus, Thomas Youn and John Crane. I'll have to discuss some of this in more detail later.

Note: John Fielder was the person who signed marriage license with my John Edward "Ned" ballenger and Rebecca Jane McHaffee in Montgomery Co Virginia and

I have found the following article.

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John Fielder getting 60,000 acres at the Falls of the Ohio for himself and for 59 others. (The Revolutionary war records for this man is very interesting which I hope to provide later because it shows much connections)

The Barringer records in Montgomery Virginia also show much connections to this puzzle.

A List of Officers in the Illinois Reegiment and of the Crockett Regiment

Illinois Regiment Brigadier General George Rogers Clark

Lieutenant Colonel John Montgomery

Majors Thomas Quirk aand George Slaughter

Captains John Bailey, Benjamin Field, Tobert Todd

and others

Lieutenants Clark, Merriweather, Montgomery,

Williams & "

Now I'm aware all of this is probably sounding very confusing at this point but I have so much to provide, it will take several months to provide all the data. If your not interested in the historial and military parts just ignore it; however this is what has been solving my complex puzzle.

In the meantime be reading articles about George Rogers Clark, James Wilkinson, and William Charles Coal Claiborn in the Revolutionary war and War of 1812.

One last note: There appears to be a Larkin Sullinger on a list of Kentucky solders for 1874 to 1811 which may be this same man further research is being conducted on this line to ascertain if he might be the Revolutionary Larkin Ballinger. It is known that Widow Sullinger was mentioned in Essex County VA before the records whereas Williams family thehusband, wife and Ballenger children were mentioned in the early 1700's. (I will have to cover this later if you don't have that information)

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This thread:

•Larkin Ballenger, Revolutionary War Soldier by <Cfbc@aol.com>

James Ballinger Family
Virginia, South Carolina

James Ballenger
b. c1744 Fauquier Co.,VA
d. before 1810
m. Dorcas Dodson 18 Aug 1769
Broad Run Baptist Church, Fauquier, VA
b. abt 1745
d. aft 1814
father: Joshua Dodson, Sr.
her mother: unknown

his father: Francis Ballinger

Generation 4 (con't)

his mother: Sarah Conner

Children

John Ballenger# b. 17 Mar 1769 Fauquier Co.,VA d. 1848 m. Alsie Leachman 1790 (b. 1761 d. 1850)

Edward Ballenger b. 1773 VA d. before 1855 m. Nancy T. Edwards

James Ballinger#

"Wagoner James" b. 6 Nov 1780 probably in VA d. 8 Aug 1823 1m. Judith Foster (b. abt1800)

2m. Susan Davis after 1817 Spartanburg Co., SC

Elijah Ballenger b. 1782 SC d. 27 Jan 1843 m. Mary Wingo 2 Jan 1809 (b. 12 Nov 1791 SC d. 19 Sep 1870)

William Ballenger b. 1783 d. 1827

(left on heirs) 1m. Polly Wingo (b. 1800) dau. of Obediah Wingo and Oney Seay

2m. Miss Wilson about 1815 (b. abt 1790)

Frances Ballenger b. 1783 d. ? m. Isaac Blshop (b. abt 1780)

Margaret Ballenger b. 1784 d. ? m. David Lewis (b. abt 1780)

Tabitha Ballenger b. 1785 d. ? m.

#Ballenger. p.59-62

1768, June 13- James Ballenger joins the Broad Run Baptist Church in Fauquier Co., VA. Dorcas has already been listed as a member. Even though no marriage record was ever discovered, it is believed by most researchers that JamesBallenger and Dorcas married in this church due to their earlier and coincidental dates.

[Ballenger 59]

1769, 17 March - James Ballinger of Frederick Co., wife Dorcas and son, John, leased 120 acres from George Washington. Francis Ballinger executed and identical lease. [Ballenger p.60]

1813 - James wrote his will dated 19 JULY 1813. His estate is probated 28 Aug 1813.

James "the Wagoner" Ballenger, son of James, becomes well known as a teamster. He runs several wagons across the area around Spartanburg to deliver goods. A road in the area is still known as Ballenger Road from a toll road that he probably initially built and maintained. This James was the progenitor of the Ballengers in the Spartanburg area.

sources:

#Ballenger, Bruce G. Ballengers of Tryon and A Ballenger Genealogy, 1996. 6605 Gaywind Drive, Charlotte, N. C. 28226, (704)365-9211

[Return to Ballinger Index](#) | [Return to Ancestral Chart #16](#)

Spartanburg Wills, Will Book A, pages 34-35

Abstract of Will

James Ballenger, senr. of District of Spartanburg; rec. 3 Sep 1813; plantation on which I now live, Negroes, cattle to my wife Dorcas Ballenger during her life; to my daughter Frances Ballenger, \$300; unto my daughter Peggy Lewis a mare; to Richard Foster, \$1; to my sons, John Ballenger, Edward Ballenger, James Ballenger, William Ballenger, Elijah Ballenger, Peggy Lewis, Frances Ballenger and Tabitha Foster, an equal share of my estate; sons, Edward and James, Exrs; 19 July 1813; James Ballenger (Seal). Wit; W. Perrin, Edward Ballenger, Senr., James Ballenger, son of John.

Proven by James Ballenger and William Perris 2 Aug 1813. W. Lancaster, O.S.D.

Generation 4 (con't)

- ii. CHARLES DODSON was born on 02 Feb 1747 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died on 02 May 1831 in Allen County, Kentucky. He married CAROLINA LUCY MORGAN. She was born in 1761 in South Carolina. She died in 1823 in Allen County, Kentucky.

Notes for Charles Dodson:

Virginia Military Records 1983

General Order for Major George Waller

A list of militia ordered from Henry County to the assistance of General Greene:
under Hamon Critz's Co.

Charles Dodson,William Dodson...

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- iii. ELIJAH DODSON was born about 1749 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He married MARTHA STUBBLEFIELD. She was born about 1757 in Wilkes County, North Carolina.
- iv. ELISHA DODSON was born about 1751 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died in 1788.
- v. ISAAC DODSON was born about 1761 in Richmond County, Virginia.
- vi. HARRIET PHOEBE DODSON was born on 24 Apr 1763 in Farquier, Virginia, USA. She died in 1826 in Allen, Kentucky, USA. She married Thomas Creel in 1786 in Surry, North Carolina, USA. He was born in 1760 in Pittsylvania, Virginia, USA. He died in 1825 in Georgia, USA.
- vii. JOSHUA DODSON was born in 1764 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died in 1844 in Henry County, Georgia. He married Sarah Warnock in 1785 in Prince Edward County, Virginia.
- viii. DANIEL DODSON was born on 29 Apr 1769 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died on 25 Feb 1848 in Forest Park, Georgia. He married Sarah Peters in Jun 1792 in Pendleton District, South Carolina. She was born in 1774.
- ix. MARY DODSON was born about 1773 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish).
- x. REBECCA DODSON was born about 1775 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish).

- 9. **ELISHA⁴ DODSON** (Thomas³, Charles Joseph², Jesse John¹) was born on 22 Feb 1727 in Richmond County, Virginia. He died on 27 Apr 1791 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. He married **SARAH EVERETT**. She was born on 13 Apr 1729 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died in 1824 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish).

Elisha Dodson and Sarah Everett had the following child:

- i. RUTH DODSON was born on 12 Dec 1754 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died on 22 Nov 1828 in Riceville, McMinn County, Tennessee. She married Jesse Buford Dodson, son of Thomas Dodson and Elizabeth Rose, in 1774 in Halifax, Halifax County, Virginia. He was born on 22 Nov 1752 in Halifax County, Virginia. He died on 22 Nov 1843 in McMinn County, Tennessee.

- 10. **RUTH⁴ DODSON** (Charles Joseph³, Charles Joseph², Jesse John¹) was born in 1729 in Richmond County, Virginia. She died on 15 Jan 1803 in Prince Edward County, Virginia. She married Joshua Dodson, son of Thomas Dodson and Mary Durham, about 1745. He was born on 25 May 1725 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died in 1798 in Surry County, North Carolina.

Notes for Joshua Dodson:

DODSON, Joshua. Continental soldier. Indian Expedition 1777. Killed in service in Maryland.

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Revolutionary War Dead of Pittsylvania County, Virginia

Following is a partial listing of the Revolutionary War dead from Pittsylvania County, Virginia.

Generation 4 (con't)

- James Arthur
- James Conway
- Joshua Dodson
- James Dooley
- Abraham Goad
- John Hall
- Francis Henry

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Person Sheet NameRev. Joshua Dodson (Dotson), GGGG GrandfatherBirth25 May 1725, North Farnham Parish, Richmond County, Virginia, USABirth25 May 1725, Richmond County, Virginia, USABirth1737, Virginia, USABirth Memosome say 1725Death1793, Surry County, North Carolina, USA Age: 67Death1798, Surry County, North Carolina, USA Age: 72DeathVirginia, USADeath1798, Surry County, North Carolina, USA Age: 72Death1793, Surry County, North Carolina, USA Age: 67Birth25 May 1725, Richmond County, Virginia, USADeath1798, Stokes County, North Carolina, USA Age: 72Birth25 May 1725, Richmond, Virginia, USABirth25 May 1725, North Farnham, Richmond County, Virginia, USAOccupationBaptist ministerFatherRev. Thomas Dodson (Dotson), Jr. (1707-<1783)MotherElizabeth Rose (~1706->1766) Misc.

NotesNamed in will of brother David.

North Carolina State census 1784-87, shows:

Two WM 21-60

Two WM -21 or 60+

Three WF

Had 10 children

From: betty dotson <j72p59@webtv.net>

To: DODSON-L@rootsweb.com <DODSON-L@rootsweb.com>

Date: Thursday, August 19, 1999 11:44 AM

Subject: Re: [DODSON-L] Joshua Dodson, Sr.

Joshua Dotson b. 1725 Richmond Co,VA d.1793. s/o/Thomas Dotson & Mary

Durham. Joshua m. Ruth. Their children were:

Joshua

Isaac

Elisha

Daniel

Elijah "Joel"

Dorcas

After living in Fauquier county, VA Joshua & Ruth moved to Halifax county, VA and then to NC where Joshua was taxed for 300 acres on Reed Creek in Stokes county in 1782. Joshua later appears in Surry county, NC in 1786. It has been suggested that Joshua later moved to SC.

Letter from G. W. Dodson: "Now, from the records, my grandfather, Joshua, was born in 1764, and was the fourth son of Joshua, Sr. The older brothers were Charles, Elijah and Elisha. I think all these went to Kentucky soon after the Revolutionary War. The younger brothers were Isaac and Daniel. Joshua Dodson, Jr., and Sarah Warnick (or Wirnick) were married in Virginia and went to Georgia previous to November 1785, and Daniel also went to Georgia. I do not know as to Isaac, but Joshua, Sr., visited Georgia when my Father was a child.

Two of my grandfather's sisters married Creels, and one a Ballinger, and one a Stamps. If I have been correctly informed, one of Ida Autrey's boys married a Miss Robertson, who is descended from Stamps. The children of Joshua, Jr., were

Elijah, born November 20, 1785;

Samuel (my father), November 21, 1788;

William, March 22, 1791;

Dicy, April 6, 1796;

Generation 4 (con't)

Ruth, December 12, 1801;

Isaiah, June 9, 1804;

Daniel, December 9, 1806.

Of these brothers of my father, Elijah married a Miss Rowden, and raised a large family, but I know very little about them. My father was the second son. William, the next one, lived and died in Henry County. Only one of his sons raised a family. This one was named Newton. Frank was a Captain, I think in Gobbs Legion, and was killed at Fredericksburg. The others, Marion and Green, died unmarried. I know scarcely anything about Uncle William's daughters. One of them married a man who owned a mill on South river, but I have forgotten his name. I heard once that she was a widow living in Atlanta. Uncle Isaiah married a Miss Brabin, and had one son, Jasper, who was living about Gadsen, Alabama the last that I ever heard of him. Uncle Daniel was a Captain in some of the Indian Wars. He was never married. Aunt Dicy married Mr. Hulsey. She lived at Lithonia and raised one son and two daughters. Marion was killed, I think, and left a widow, but no child, in Atlanta. Aunt Dicy had a daughter who lived at Lithonia, but I have forgotten who she married. Another one married Dr. Clark, and came to Texas before the war. Aunt Ruth married Mr. Hollis, died young, and left one son, Andrew D. "

More information: Misc. NotesStoke County was created from Surry County, NC in 1789.

BIOGRAPHY: Rev. Joshua Dodson, Sr. was a Baptist Preacher residing in Virginia. and Surry county, NC. He appeared on the Tax list in 1782 and 1787 in Surry Co., NC.Prf ParentLetter from G. W. Dodson: "Now, from the records, my grandfather, Joshua, was born in 1764, and was the fourth son of Joshua, Sr. The older brothers were Charles, Elijah and Elisha. I think all these went to Kentucky soon after the Revolutionary War. The younger brothers were Isaac and Daniel. Joshua Dodson, Jr., and Sarah Warnick (or Wirnick) were married in Virginia and went to Georgia previous to November 1785, and Daniel also went to Georgia. I do not know as to Isaac, but Joshua, Sr., visited Georgia when my Father was a child.

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38. Joshua DODSON, Sr. (Thomas, Charles, Jesse or John, John) was born on May 25 1725 in Richmond Co., Virginia. He died in 1798 in Surry Co., North Carolina.

[Notes]

Joshua married Ruth\Rose DODSON about 1745 in Richmond, Virginia. Ruth\Rose was born in 1725.

[Notes]

Joshua and Ruth\Rose had the following children:

114 M i Charles DODSON was born on Feb 2 1746. [Notes]

115 M ii Elijah "Joel" DODSON was born about 1748. He died on Jul 1 1784. [Notes]

Elijah married Martha STUBBLEFIELD. Martha was born in 1748/1753. [Notes]

116 M iii Joshua DODSON, Jr. was born in 1750. [Notes]

117 F iv Dorcas DODSON was born about 1754. [Notes]

Dorcas married ? BALLINGER. ? BALLINGER was born in 1749/1754. [Notes]

118 F v Infant DODSON was born about 1756. [Notes]

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119 M vi Elisha DODSON was born in 1760. He died in 1788. [Notes]

Elisha married Nancy ?. Nancy was born in 1760/1765. [Notes]

120 F vii Pheby DODSON was born on Apr 24 1763. [Notes]

+ 121 M viii Isaac DODSON was born about 1761. He died in 1840/1850.

122 M ix Daniel DODSON was born on Apr 29 1769 in Dinwiddle Co., Virginia. He died on Feb 25 1848 in Clayton Co., Georgia. [Notes]

Daniel married Sarah PETERS on Feb 25 1792 in South Carolina. Sarah was born in 1769/1774. [Notes]

23. Joshua DODSON^{1,37,50} was born on 25 May 1725 in North Farnham Parish, Richmond County, Virginia.^{16,21} He died about 1793 at the age of 68.50

Josh. Dodson found on a list of taxpayers for Hamilton Parish, Elk Run & vicinity, 1751. From the account book of Capt. John Crump, Sheriff of Prince William County. After 1759, this area became Fauquier County.

Published in the Bulletin of the Fauquier Historical Society, June 1923, p.239-242. Reprinted in the Newsletter of the Prince William County Genealogical Society, V.10, No. 6, Dec 1991, pp.43-45.

The only mention of Ruth is in the minutes of Broad Run Bapt Church in Fauquier Co, as they were members in Dec 1762. Joshua and Ruth were dismissed to move to Halifax. No records of them are found in Halifax. There is a Joshua Dodson on the tax list for Surry Co NC in 1782; he had 300 acres on Reed Creek [this location is now in Stokes Co] Joshua Dodson Senr was on a state census in the late 1780's, in Surry Co but he does not appear on the 1790 Census. Some of his children moved to South Carolina. Joshua Dodson and Joseph Williams, were shown as ministers of the Shoals Baptist Church, Oconee River, Greene Co GA in 1789. Most researchers agree that he died in 1793, but there's no proof.

Writings of George W. Dodson, date unknown, suggest that his great-grandfather was this Joshua Dodson, a Baptist preacher, and he had visited Georgia when George's father was a young boy. George's father, Samuel, was born in 1788, so the visit probably wasn't much earlier than 1795.

Joshua DODSON and Ruth [DODSON] were married about 1745.⁵⁰Ruth [DODSON]^{1,50} was born about 1727.

Was she Ruth Rose?

Joshua Dodson and Ruth Dodson had the following children:

- i. DORCAS⁵ DODSON was born about 1745 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). She died after 1814. She married James Ballenger, son of Francis Ballenger and Sarah Conner, on 18 Aug 1769 in Fauquier County, Virginia (Broad Run Baptist Church). He was born about 1744 in Frederick County, Virginia. He died before 28 Aug 1813 in Spartanburg, Spartanburg County, South Carolina.

Notes for James Ballenger:

Fauquier County, Virginia, D Bk 3, p 490, in which George Washington of Fairfax County, rents 120 acres in Fauquier to James Ballinger and his son, John, to hold during their natural life, whichever one lives the longest.

Three Centuries of Ballingers in America, compiled by Emma Barrett Reeves

Illinois Regiment

A List of the Officers, Non-Commssioned Officers, and Privates of "The Illinois Regiment, " who under the command of General George Rogers Clark, in an unparelled campaign, achieved the Conquest of the Northwest (from which the States of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois , Michigan, and Wisconsin were formed), and held it for the United States.

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Privates

Generation 4 (con't)

.....
Ballinger, James
Ballinger, Larkin
.....

Revolutionary Soldiers in Kentucky, by Anderson Chenault Quisenberry, page 17

From: <Cfbc@aol.com>
Subject: Larkin Ballenger, Revolutionary War Soldier
Date: Tue, 22 Sep 1998 12:29:59 EDT

This information provided to Ballenger researchers for later discussions.

Spellings may be Larken or Larkin Also note that there are several Larkin Ballingers in later years one in SC, one in TN and one in AL (I have records the one in Knox Co TN later came to Morgan Co AL. He had a child out of wedlock while in Knox Co TN and he is the brother to my John P Balinger who married Hulda Whitten. (My Clabirone Cole Carroll Chism Ballenger named a son Larkin which is my great grandfather. He is son of John P Balinger and grandsons of John "Ned" Ballinger (wife Rebecca Jane McHaffee Married in 1803 in Montgomery County VA the other name on the marriage license was John Fielder, see later note

Spellings may be Ballenger, Bellinger, Bahlinger, Balinger, Bollinger, Billinger, Balsinger, Barringer, Bedinger, Ballanger, Beglinger, Sullinger, Barringer, and many others. I have been researching my line many years and it appears that they may have been German from so many spellings which I find in the locations where they are known to have been therefore try to research all spellings.

They are known to have been in Montgomery Co VA, New Orleans LA, Knox Co TN, McNairy Co TN, before coming to Walker Co AL (I also have many records on the Ballengers in St Clair County AL as well as Mobile County AL. I have found records of them and their relatives being in Kentucky, West Virginia, Indiana, South Carolina, North Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi and other western states in the later years.

In 1918 Sarah J. H. Johnson in Utah she provided information on the Ballinger family in the LDS files which reflects that she was a descendant of William Ballenger and Martha in Emma Barrett Reeves book She listed my "Ned Ballinger & Miss McHaaffie along with others

Most of my earlier spellings seem to be Balinger and Ballinger and based upon research of these two spellings they are believed to have German and also have quaker connections.

Today I am supplying information on Larkin Ballenger, the Revolutionary War Soldier. There are numerous connections with George Rogers Clark and James W Wilkinson. Then with War of 1812 there appears to be numerous connections with Gov William Charles Cole Claiborne governor of Louisiana Territory and Col John Ballenger. That John Ballenger was in Feliciana Parish. More information on that data and letters will be provided later from Claiborne to Col John Ballenger will be provided later. There seems to be various spellings there also.

LARKIN BALLENGER

Based upon the supporting data from the Revolutionary war file, I have ascertained the following information.

Generation 4 (con't)

He enlisted January 19, 1779, on March 24, 1780, and on November 30, 1781. He was taken prisoner on May 28, 1781. He received full pay August 17, 1784 which was L28 S6 D6 made to Mr. Broadhead.

He was in the Clark's Illinois Reegiment, Virginia State Troops (Revolutionary War) as a Private and Card Numbers 35892885, 39162321, 39188368, 39190250, and 39190252 are listed. (I haven't been able to associate these numbers or know what they are. They did provide copies of what appears to be cards; however, none of these numbers are on those copies.

I find the following people were in the Clark's Illinois Regiment.

Ballenger, James, Clark's III Reg in 1782 T-GV1146

Ballenger, James, Clark's III Reg.

(Taken prisoner by Indians March 9, 1781)

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Clark's Illinois Regiment Virginia State Troops

Larkin Revolutionary appears on Pay Roll for soldiers serving in the Illinois Department for their pay up to the last of December 1781. Roll not dated Amount 28-6-8 Photostat copy number 937104

Later I hope to provide information concerning George Rogers Clark, Captain John Baley, Mr. Broadhead, James W Wilkinson, capt Robert Todd, and the James Ballenger who was also in this group of Virginia State Troops which took the midwest as a new territory and their connections with the Indiana Ballengers and connections with both Quaker and non-Quaker Ballengers. I have a very old paper which states Ned Ballinger of Indiana if any kin I know not what but must be a relative, all who spell their name that way are relatives. Also during the Civil War my Confederate Soldier appears to also have fought or been a spy for or against the Union Army based on his statement that he was in the Indiana Infantry, I believe the 157th, I will have to look that up for sure- He was Claiborne Coal (Cole) Carroll Chism Ballenger also called Clabe and Clemer)

Revolutionary War Records Virginia by brumbaugh at various libraries provides the following information. Page 165 and 167

Illinois Regiment, Bounty Land Warrants

(9) List of non-commissioned officers and soldiers of the Illinois Regiment and the Western Army under command of General G. R. Clarke, who are entitled to Bounty in Land.

18 Ballinger, Larkin Private Entitled to land for the war

#35 Butler, John, Private Entitled to land for service during the war...my ancestor

#63 Ballinger, James Private Entitled to land for the war

68 Butts, William (prisoner Entitled to land for the war)...my ancestor

Also on page 198

A list of the non-commissioned officers and soldiers of the Virginia Centennial line who names are on the army register of Virginia, and who have not received bounty land will be reported as soon as it shall be completed. Richmond November 25

1834 John H Smith. Com'r We find Sgt Jenry Ballance (Inf) Might be Ballinger

Woldier James Ballinger, Inf Soldier Valentine Balsinger (I have seen Valentine Ballenger in some documents to be discussed at a later time)

Bounty Land Warrants on page 199

Bellinger, Larkin, Soldier, Inf, Bollinger, Larkin, Soldier, Inf and on page

221 Ballenger, William, Soldier, Inf. and Bellinger, John Soldier, inf.

On page 400 Revolutionary War Records Virginia

Number Warrantee (A-B) Rank & Service (C)

4394 Beasley, Larkin (Wm reynolds assnee of rep soldier 3 years

4377 Butler, Wm (Leroy Beasley, heir at law soldier 3 years

4443 Ballenger, William Sgt 3 years

4627 Bedinger, Henry Capt 8 years

other names which may provide information are on this list Bowyer and Bowles especially a Robert Broadus, Thomas Youn and John Crane. I'll have to discuss some of this in more detail later.

Generation 4 (con't)

Note: John Fielder was the person who signed marriage license with my John Edward "Ned" Ballenger and Rebecca Jane McHaffee in Montgomery Co Virginia and I have found the following article.

John Fielder getting 60,000 acres at the Falls of the Ohio for himself and for 59 others. (The Revolutionary war records for this man is very interesting which I hope to provide later because it shows much connections)

The Barringer records in Montgomery Virginia also show much connections to this puzzle.

A List of Officers in the Illinois Regiment and of the Crockett Regiment

Illinois Regiment Brigadier General George Rogers Clark
Lieutenant Colonel John Montgomery
Majors Thomas Quirk and George Slaughter
Captains John Bailey, Benjamin Field, Tobert Todd
and others
Lieutenants Clark, Merriweather, Montgomery,
Williams & "

Now I'm aware all of this is probably sounding very confusing at this point but I have so much to provide, it will take several months to provide all the data. If your not interested in the historial and military parts just ignore it; however this is what has been solving my complex puzzle.

In the meantime be reading articles about George Rogers Clark, James Wilkinson, and William Charles Coal Claiborn in the Revolutionary war and War of 1812.

One last note: There appears to be a Larkin Sullinger on a list of Kentucky solders for 1874 to 1811 which may be this same man further research is being conducted on this line to ascertain if he might be the Revolutionary Larkin Ballinger. It is known that Widow Sullinger was mentioned in Essex County VA before the records whereas Williams family thehusband, wife and Ballenger children were mentioned in the early 1700's. (I will have to cover this later if you don't have that information)

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This thread:

•Larkin Ballenger, Revolutionary War Soldier by <Cfbc@aol.com>

James Ballinger Family
Virginia, South Carolina

James Ballenger
b. c1744 Fauquier Co.,VA
d. before 1810
m. Dorcas Dodson 18 Aug 1769
Broad Run Baptist Church, Fauquier, VA
b. abt 1745

Generation 4 (con't)

d. aft 1814

father: Joshua Dodson, Sr.

her mother: unknown

his father: Francis Ballinger

his mother: Sarah Conner

Children

John Ballenger# b. 17 Mar 1769 Fauquier Co.,VA d. 1848 m. Alsie Leachman 1790
(b. 1761 d. 1850)

Edward Ballenger b. 1773 VA d. before 1855 m. Nancy T. Edwards

James Ballinger#

"Wagoner James" b. 6 Nov 1780 probably in VA d. 8 Aug 1823 1m. Judith Foster
(b. abt1800)

2m. Susan Davis after 1817 Spartanburg Co., SC

Elijah Ballenger b. 1782 SC d. 27 Jan 1843 m. Mary Wingo 2 Jan 1809 (b. 12 Nov
1791 SC d. 19 Sep 1870)

William Ballenger b. 1783 d. 1827

(left on heirs) 1m. Polly Wingo (b. 1800) dau. of Obediah Wingo and Oney Seay

2m. Miss Wilson about 1815 (b. abt 1790)

Frances Ballenger b. 1783 d. ? m. Isaac Blshop (b. abt 1780)

Margaret Ballenger b. 1784 d. ? m. David Lewis (b. abt 1780)

Tabitha Ballenger b. 1785 d. ? m.

#Ballenger. p.59-62

1768, June 13- James Ballenger joins the Broad Run Baptist Church in Fauquier
Co., VA. Dorcas has already been listed as a member. Even though no marriage
record was ever discovered, it is believed by most researchers that JamesBallenger
and Dorcas married in this church due to their earlier and coincidental dates.

[Ballenger 59]

1769, 17 March - James Ballinger of Frederick Co., wife Dorcas and son, John,
leased 120 acres from George Washington. Francis Ballinger executed and
identical lease. [Ballenger p.60]

1813 - James wrote his will dated 19 JULY 1813. His estate is probated 28 Aug
1813.

James "the Wagoner" Ballenger, son of James, becomes well known as a teamster.
He runs several wagons across the area around Spartanburg to deliver goods. A
road in the area is still known as Ballenger Road from a toll road that he probably
initially built and maintained. This James was the progenitor of the Ballengers in the
Spartanburg area.

sources:

#Ballenger, Bruce G. Ballengers of Tryon and A Ballenger Genealogy, 1996. 6605
Gaywind Drive, Charlotte, N. C. 28226, (704)365-9211

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Spartanburg Wills, Will Book A, pages 34-35

Abstract of Will

James Ballenger, senr. of District of Spartanburg; rec. 3 Sep 1813; plantation on
which I now live, Negroes, cattle to my wife Dorcas Ballenger during her life; to my
daughter Frances Ballenger, \$300; unto my daughter Peggy Lewis a mare; to
Richard Foster, \$1; to my sons, John Ballenger, Edward Ballenger, James
Ballenger, William Ballenger, Elijah Ballenger, Peggy Lewis, Frances Ballenger and
Tabitha Foster, an equal share of my estate; sons, Edward and James, Exrs; 19

Generation 4 (con't)

July 1813; James Ballenger (Seal). Wit; W. Perrin, Edward Ballenger, Senr., James Ballenger, son of John.
Proven by James Ballenger and William Perris 2 Aug 1813. W. Lancaster, O.S.D.

- ii. CHARLES DODSON was born on 02 Feb 1747 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died on 02 May 1831 in Allen County, Kentucky. He married CAROLINA LUCY MORGAN. She was born in 1761 in South Carolina. She died in 1823 in Allen County, Kentucky.

Notes for Charles Dodson:
Virginia Military Records 1983
General Order for Major George Waller
A list of militia ordered from Henry County to the assistance of General Greene:
under Hamon Critz's Co.
Charles Dodson,William Dodson...
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- iii. ELIJAH DODSON was born about 1749 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He married MARTHA STUBBLEFIELD. She was born about 1757 in Wilkes County, North Carolina.
- iv. ELISHA DODSON was born about 1751 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died in 1788.
- v. ISAAC DODSON was born about 1761 in Richmond County, Virginia.
- vi. HARRIET PHOEBE DODSON was born on 24 Apr 1763 in Farquier, Virginia, USA. She died in 1826 in Allen, Kentucky, USA. She married Thomas Creel in 1786 in Surry, North Carolina, USA. He was born in 1760 in Pittsylvania, Virginia, USA. He died in 1825 in Georgia, USA.
- vii. JOSHUA DODSON was born in 1764 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died in 1844 in Henry County, Georgia. He married Sarah Warnock in 1785 in Prince Edward County, Virginia.
- viii. DANIEL DODSON was born on 29 Apr 1769 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish). He died on 25 Feb 1848 in Forest Park, Georgia. He married Sarah Peters in Jun 1792 in Pendleton District, South Carolina. She was born in 1774.
- ix. MARY DODSON was born about 1773 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish).
- x. REBECCA DODSON was born about 1775 in Richmond County, Virginia (North Farnham Parish).