

Descendants of Heinrich Furr

Generation 1

1. **HEINRICH¹ FURR** was born on 06 Jul 1727 in Lucerne Canton, Switzerland. He died on 27 Sep 1769 in Mecklenburg County, NC. He married Russena Rosser in 1751. She died in Mecklenburg County, NC.

Notes for Heinrich Furr:

Heinrich Furrer was born on 6 Jul 1727 in Zell Parish, Lucerne Canton, Switzerland. He died on 27 Sep 1769 in Mecklenburg County, NC. He was buried in Furrer graveyard near Georgeville, NC. According to Mae Elizabeth Herrin Perry, Heinrich Furrer's cabin was built by the west side of Buffalo Creek with the graveyard next to it. In 1762, Buffalo Creek was probably a small creek. Water flooded the cabin and graveyard. The second graveyard was made on the east side of the creek upon a hill and is called the John Furr graveyard. She believes John Furr and his wife, Catherine, are buried there. 24 Jun 1762 purchased 301 acres in Anson County (later Mecklenburg, now Cabarrus) just south of the Rowan County line. Purchased 185 acres adjoining 5 years later. On 16 February 1820, Henry Furrer, Sr. sold 146 and 1/2 acres in Cabarrus County to Tobias Furrer for \$566 (Deed Book 9, page 486, LDS Film #463,597). This land adjoined Daniel Furrer's land.

His name appears on a list of immigrants naturalized in Rowan County on Sep 22, 1763.

He was married to Russena Rosser in 1751. Russena Rosser (1) died in Mecklenburg County, NC. She was buried in Furrer graveyard near Georgeville, NC. Some sources spell her last name as Roffer. Heinrich Furrer and Russena Rosser had the following children:

- +2 i. John Furr.
- +3 ii. Paul Furr.
- +4 iii. Leonard Furr.
- +5 iv. Henry Furr.
- +6 v. Jacob Furr.
- +7 vi. Mary Magdalena Furr.
- +8 vii. Catherine Furr.
- +9 viii. Tobias Furr.

10 ix. Adam Furr was born in 1767 in Mecklenburg County, NC. He died after 1798. On Feb 6, 1798, Adam Furr was appointed by the Rowan County court administrator of the estate of Catherine Aaronhardt who had left a noncupative will.

He was an infant when his father died. He was the last of the nine children of Heinrich and Russena Furrer. The only thing that is known about him is that he became administrator of his deceased sister Catherine's estate in 1798. There is no record of his marriage, children, or death. It is speculated that he was unmarried and died at an early age as did four of his brothers and sisters.

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Heinrich Furr and Russena Rosser had the following children:

- i. JOHN² FURR was born in 1752.
2. ii. PAUL FURR SR was born in 1754. He married Mary Stutts in 1774. She was born in 1757. She died on 16 Oct 1848 in Cabarrus County, NC.
3. iii. LEONARD FURR was born in 1752 in Cold Water Creek, Anson Province. He died in 1835 in Allen, Covich Co., Mississippi. He married ELIZABETH STUTTS. She was born in 1753. She died in 1830 in Lawrence Co., Mississippi.
- iv. HENRY FURR was born on 06 Apr 1762 in Mecklenburg County, NC.

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- v. JACOB FURR was born in 1763 in Mecklenburg County, NC.
- vi. MARY M. FURR was born in 1764 in Mecklenburg County, NC.
- vii. CATHARINE FURR was born in 1765 in Mecklenburg County, NC.
- viii. TOBIAS FURR was born in 1766 in Mecklenburg County, NC.
- ix. ADAM FURR was born in 1767 in Mecklenburg County, NC.

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2. **PAUL² FURR SR** (Heinrich¹) was born in 1754. He married Mary Stutts in 1774. She was born in 1757. She died on 16 Oct 1848 in Cabarrus County, NC.

Notes for Paul Furr Sr:

Paul Furr was born in 1754. Dorothy McDaniel shows as 1752. His death notice in the December 20, 1837 issue of the Charlotte Journal shows he died on December 4, 1837 at 87 years of age which would mean he was born in 1750. He died on 4 Dec 1837 in Cabarrus County, NC.(6) He was buried in Albert Widenhouse Farm, near Georgeville, NC. He came to North Carolina with his parents in 1758. He was 4 years old at the time. Paul I inherited his land in 1769 when he was only 15 years old. He identified this land in his own will as the land "I hired of my father." He was also known as "Barefoot Paul" and by

later generations as "Paul of All." He married young, but his first wife died shortly thereafter. His second wife was Mary Stutts whom he married in 1774. Paul I and his wife, Mary, were both very industrious. He was known as a man of great energy and good judgment, and she was known for her strong, forceful personality. They were Lutherans by faith, farmers by trade, and Democratic in political matters. They reared a family of 11 children: Paul, Henry, Leonard, Jacob, Daniel, Noah, Rosena, Catherine, Polly, Sally and Elizabeth. Paul I wrote his will 2 years before his death at the age 83. At this time, he owned 23 slaves, 1,342 acres of land, and a large amount of cash. Mary outlived him by 11 years before dying at the age of 85. She had obtained property of her own and, therefore, she also left a will. This was very rare in that day and age. They are both buried on a 1 acre plot surrounded by a stone wall on her estate, less than 1 mile from Heinrich and Russena's graves on Dutch Buffalo Creek.

1790 census (Mecklenburg Co): 1 male over 16, 3 males under 16, 4 females, and 1 slave.

1800 census (Cabarrus Co): 1 male over 45, one female 26-25, 1 male 10-16, 1 male 16-26, 4 female 10 to 16-24.

1820 census (Cabarrus Co): listed.

1830 census (Cabarrus Co): listed.

His death notice in the December 20, 1837 issue of the Charlotte Journal shows he was survived by a wife and 8 children.

He was married to Mary Stutts (daughter of Jacob Stutts and Elizabeth) in 1774. Mary Stutts was born in 1757. Dorothy McDaniel shows as 1763. She died on 15 Oct 1848 in Cabarrus County, NC. Dorothy McDaniel shows as 1808. She was buried in Albert Widenhouse Farm, near Georgeville, NC. Cabarrus County, NC Will Book 1, page 22 (LDS#466, 184)

In the name of God, Amen! I, Mary Furr, of the County of Cabrrus and the State of North Carolina, being sick and debilitated, but of Sound Mind and Memory and knowing it is appointed for all to die and come to Judgement, do appoint and ordain this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following. To Wit:

First, I give my Soul to God who gave it and my Body to the dust, to be buried in a decent and Christian like manner, at the descretion of my Executor, hereinafter named in the grave afore set apart by my Husband Paul Furr, Dec'd.

2nd. I give and bequeath to my beloved son Leonard Furr One-Hundren Acres of land to be laid off on the South end of the Plantation that Paul Furr did gave me to be laid off in one compact square, as near as can be without prejudice to the others. To the ballance of the land, to him and his Heirs forever.

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3rd. I ordain that the ballance of the land shall be put up to the highest bidder and reasonable credit at the discretion of my Executor, as shortly after my Death as convient and the money to be divided among my children: Sally Heilick, Rosina Klutts, Polly Ury, Paul Furr, Daniel Furr, Leonard Furr, share alike to them and their Heirs forever.

4th. I ordain that One-Acre of the aforesaid land mentioned for a graveyard at the place where my husband, Paul Furr is buried, to be fenced in by a stone wall and tombstones to be put up by my Executor, to be paid for out of my Estate, for my son Jacob, my husband, Paul Furr and myself.

5th. I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter, Roninia Klutts, one negro girl, Tamer and her increase to be her and her Heirs forever.

6th. I ordain that as shortly after my decrease as possibly that the balance of my property shall be exposed to Publick Sale Twelve Months and the proceeds after paying all my just debts and all my expenses to be divided among my children: Paul Furr, Daniel Furr, Leonard Furr, Rosinia Klutts, Polly Ury and Sally Heilick, share and share alike, to them and their Heirs forever.

7th. I ordain and order that Elizabeth Furr and Caty Osborne, wife of Christopher Osborne, do not receive and are not entittled to one cent of my Estate.

8th. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Polly Ury, One-Hundred Dollars to be taken from Sally Heilick share of my Estate as my Daughter Sally Heilick has received One-Hundred Dollars more than her in a former distribution to or piece by me Executor out of said Sally Heilick's share of my Estate.

9th. I hereby revoke and annul all former Wills and Testaments heretofore made or by me utterly and do Publish this my Last Will and Testament and no other.

10th. I ordain that in case there should be any money of any description, silver, gold, or paper found in my possession may decrease, that the same shall be divided among my children: Paul Furr, Daniel Furr, Leonard Furr, Rosinia Klutts, Mary Ury and Sally Heilick immediately or as soon as a manager to my Estate shall be appointed to share and share alike and their Heirs forever.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 26th day of March 1845.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in Presence of and Declared to be the Last Will and Testament

Solomon Furr Mary Furr's Mark

B. Kruminger

Sopia Furr's Mark Paul Furr and Mary Stutts had the following children:

- +19 i. Henry Furr.
- +20 ii. Leonard Furr.
- +21 iii. Rosenah Furr.
- +22 iv. Paul Furr.
- +23 v. Catherine Furr.
- +24 vi. Mary Furr.
- +25 vii. Jacob Furr.
- +26 viii. Daniel Furr.
- +27 ix. Sally Furr.
- +28 x. Elizabeth Josey Furr.
- 29 xi. Noah Furr died INFANT.

Notes for Mary Stutts:

Cabarrus Co. NC willbook 1, page 22 (LDS#466, 184)

Paul Furr Sr and Mary Stutts had the following child:

- 4. i. PAUL³ FURR JR was born in 1784. He died in 1845. He married Rosena Peck,

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daughter of Frederick Peck and Elizabeth Buzzard, on 18 Oct 1803 in Cabarrus County, NC. She was born in 1794.

3. **LEONARD² FURR** (Heinrich¹) was born in 1752 in Cold Water Creek, Anson Province. He died in 1835 in Allen, Copiah Co., Mississippi. He married **ELIZABETH STUTTS**. She was born in 1753. She died in 1830 in Lawrence Co., Mississippi.

Notes for Leonard Furr:

Birth: 1752, Cold Water Creek, Anson Province., North Carolina Death: 1835, Allen, Copiah Co., Mississippi BIRTH: Per 1800 North Carolina Tax List MARRIAGE, DEATH: The Stutts Families and their Descent from Jacob Stutts of Moore Co., North Carolina, pages 18 and 69 CENSUS: 1790 Moore, North Carolina page 43 CENSUS: 1800 Moore, North Carolina page 48 CENSUS: 1810 Moore, North Carolina page 599 or 611 CENSUS: 1820 CENSUS: 1830 Copiah, Mississippi page 124 Was the first Furrer born in North Carolina Since he was born at the same time that his family arrived at Cold Water Creek, his infancy may have been a major factor in his father's decision to remain there. With this in mind, it is ironic to note that all seven of his children left North Carolina to settle elsewhere, and in later life he himself moved to Mississippi. Leonard I was only 11 years old when his father died in 1769. Although he received an equal value of the estate, he did not inherit any land. He purchased land in Moore County and farmed it. His seven children were named: Elizabeth, Jacob, Paul, Henry, Christian, Isham, and Mary. Paul left North Carolina for Georgia, and the rest of the children moved to Mississippi. In 1830, Leonard I moved to Mississippi where he died at the age of 77. He was buried in Copiah County near Allen, Copiah Co., Mississippi. 1790 census (Moore Co): Listed. 1810 census (Moore Co): 1 male over 45, 1 female over 45, 3 males under 10, 1 male 10-16, 2 males 16-26, 3 females 10 to 16-26. Merged General Note: Was the first Furrer born in North Carolina. Since he was born at the same time that his family arrived at Cold Water Creek, his infancy may have been a major factor in his father's decision to remain there. With this in mind, it is ironic to note that all seven of his children left North Carolina to settle elsewhere, and in later life he himself moved to Mississippi. Leonard I was only 11 years old when his father died in 1769. Although he received an equal value of the estate, he did not inherit any land. He purchased land in Moore County and farmed it. His seven children were named: Elizabeth, Jacob, Paul, Henry, Christian, Isham, and Mary. Paul left North Carolina for Georgia, and the rest of the children moved to Mississippi. In 1830, Leonard I moved to Mississippi where he died at the age of 77. He was buried in Copiah County near Allen, Copiah Co., Mississippi. Info from Ben Bunting @ f58905@knology.net

Leonard Furr and Elizabeth Stutts had the following children:

- i. **LEONARD³ FURR** was born in 1771. He died in 1845.
- ii. **MARY ELIZABETH FURR** was born in 1778.
- iii. **JACOB FURR** was born in 1785. He died in 1860.
- iv. **PAUL M. FURR** was born in 1786. He died in 1867.
- v. **D. HENRY FURR** was born in 1790. He died in 1880.
- vi. **CHRISTIAN JACOB FURR** was born in 1792. He died in 1850.
- vii. **ISHAM FURR** was born in 1794. He died in 1850.
- viii. **MARY FURR** was born date Unknown.

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4. **PAUL³ FURR JR** (Paul² Sr, Heinrich¹) was born in 1784. He died in 1845. He married Rosena Peck, daughter of Frederick Peck and Elizabeth Buzzard, on 18 Oct 1803 in Cabarrus County, NC. She was born in 1794.

Notes for Paul Furr Jr:

Paul Furr Jr owned large plantation in Locust, NC. Was very wealthy and owned 11 slaves in 1820 census.

Notes for Rosena Peck:

Rosena Furr known as Rosa.

Paul Furr Jr and Rosena Peck had the following children:

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- i. FREDERICK⁴ FURR was born about 1820 in Cabarrus County, NC.
5. ii. W. MATHIAS FURR was born on 18 Jul 1804. He died on 16 Mar 1860 in Stanfield, NC. He married Mary Page on 17 Jan 1829 in Cabarrus County, NC. She was born in 1804. She died in Stanfield, NC.
- iii. LAVINA FURR was born on 05 Oct 1806.
- iv. ELIZA E. FURR was born in 1808.
- v. PAUL P. FURR was born on 09 May 1814 in Cabarrus County, NC.
- vi. LEE FURR was born in 1815 in Stanly County, NC.
- vii. MOSES H. FURR was born on 21 Nov 1816 in Stanly County, NC.
- viii. ALLEN FURR was born on 21 Jul 1820 in Cabarrus County, NC.

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5. **W. MATHIAS⁴ FURR** (Paul³ Jr, Paul² Sr, Heinrich¹) was born on 18 Jul 1804. He died on 16 Mar 1860 in Stanfield, NC. He married Mary Page on 17 Jan 1829 in Cabarrus County, NC. She was born in 1804. She died in Stanfield, NC.

Notes for W. Mathias Furr:

1850 Federal Stanly County, NC census page 38. Mathias Furr was a very wealthy man who owned many slaves and a large plantation. He purchased one slave named, Patsy, who was caught in Africa by slave traders, for three guns. Also known as Tise.

W. Mathias Furr and Mary Page had the following children:

6. i. WILSON M.⁵ FURR was born about 1829. He died in Stanfield, NC. He married Nancy Annie Motley, daughter of Robert Motley and Elizabeth Reed, on 10 Jan 1853 in Stanly County, NC. She died in Stanfield, NC.
- ii. ISRAEL JACKSON FURR was born about 1832 in NC.
- iii. LAWSON ALEXANDER FURR was born about 1834 in NC.
- iv. LEVI LEE FURR was born about 1836 in NC.
- v. JOHN J. FURR was born on 12 Aug 1838. He died on 10 Aug 1862 in Stanfield, NC. He married MARY E. FURR. She was born on 24 Apr 1840. She died on 14 Mar 1921 in Stanfield, NC.
- vi. EPHRAIM H. FURR was born about 1840 in NC.
- vii. SERRENA FURR was born about 1842 in NC.
- viii. ALLEN M. FURR was born about 1846 in NC.

Generation 5

6. **WILSON M.⁵ FURR** (W. Mathias⁴, Paul³ Jr, Paul² Sr, Heinrich¹) was born about 1829. He died in Stanfield, NC. He married Nancy Annie Motley, daughter of Robert Motley and Elizabeth Reed, on 10 Jan 1853 in Stanly County, NC. She died in Stanfield, NC.

Notes for Wilson M. Furr:

Wilson Furr served as private in Co. D, 28th. NC Inf., enlisted in Stanly County 15 3 1862 (age 28), wounded in head and captured Wilderness, Va. 6 May 1864, hospitalized Washington, DC, confined Old Capital Prison, 7 Sept. 1864. Transferred to Fort Delaware, DE. 19 Sept. 1864, paroled 19 June 1865.

Wilson M. Furr and Nancy Annie Motley had the following children:

7. i. JAMES ADAM⁶ FURR was born on 29 Sep 1858. He died on 15 Aug 1920 in Locust, NC. He married PRUDENCE BELINDA TEETER. She was born on 08 Apr 1858. She died on 13 Mar 1926 in Locust, NC.
- ii. JOHN W. FURR.

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7. **JAMES ADAM⁶ FURR** (Wilson M.⁵, W. Mathias⁴, Paul³ Jr, Paul² Sr, Heinrich¹) was born on 29 Sep 1858. He died on 15 Aug 1920 in Locust, NC. He married **PRUDENCE BELINDA TEETER**. She was born on 08 Apr 1858. She died on 13 Mar 1926 in Locust, NC.

Notes for James Adam Furr:

1900 Federal Stanly County, NC census sheet 237 A 3

James Adam Furr and Prudence Belinda Teeter had the following children:

8. i. **NANNIE⁷ FURR** was born in Oct 1882. She died in 1967 in Locust, NC. She married **MILLARD FILMORE HUNEYCUTT**. He was born in 1875. He died in 1952 in Locust, NC.
9. ii. **MARTHA ROSA FURR** was born on 05 Oct 1884 in Stanly County, NC. She died on 19 Jul 1971 in Concord, NC. She married **JAMES TITUS TREECE**. He was born on 14 Mar 1880 in Stanfield, NC. He died on 26 Jan 1968 in Concord, NC.
10. iii. **PRUDENCE FURR** was born on 05 Jul 1886. She died on 16 Mar 1961 in Locust, NC. She married **DANIEL A. TREECE**. He was born on 17 Aug 1878. He died on 05 Oct 1968 in Locust, NC.
 - iv. **BESSIE M. FURR** was born in Mar 1889. She married **C.C. HONEYCUTT**.
 - v. **ARTHUR JOHN FURR** was born in Dec 1890. He died on 08 Dec 1972 in Locust, NC. He married **COSSETTE S. FURR**. She was born on 21 Nov 1879. She died on 26 May 1991 in Locust, NC.
 - vi. **MARY U. FURR** was born on 29 Mar 1892. She died on 26 Oct 1929 in Locust, NC. She married **JAMES STARNES**.
 - vii. **LIVING FURR**.

Generation 7

8. **NANNIE⁷ FURR** (James Adam⁶, Wilson M.⁵, W. Mathias⁴, Paul³ Jr, Paul² Sr, Heinrich¹) was born in Oct 1882. She died in 1967 in Locust, NC. She married **MILLARD FILMORE HUNEYCUTT**. He was born in 1875. He died in 1952 in Locust, NC.

Millard Filmore Huneycutt and Nannie Furr had the following child:

- i. **DEWEY⁸ HUNEYCUTT** was born on 11 Jul 1916. He died on 11 Jul 1916 in Locust, NC.
9. **MARTHA ROSA⁷ FURR** (James Adam⁶, Wilson M.⁵, W. Mathias⁴, Paul³ Jr, Paul² Sr, Heinrich¹) was born on 05 Oct 1884 in Stanly County, NC. She died on 19 Jul 1971 in Concord, NC. She married **JAMES TITUS TREECE**. He was born on 14 Mar 1880 in Stanfield, NC. He died on 26 Jan 1968 in Concord, NC.

Notes for James Titus Treece:

1900 Federal Stanly County, NC census sheet 249 B 15

James Titus Treece and Martha Rosa Furr had the following children:

- i. **LIVING TREECE**. She married **LIVING LAMBERT**.
- ii. **COLE TREECE** was born on 22 Aug 1910. He died on 01 Nov 1910.
- iii. **YOUNG TREECE** was born on 06 Sep 1911 in Stanly County, NC. He died on 08 Oct 1990 in Concord, NC. He married **HAZEL HATLEY**.

Notes for Young Treece:

Buried at N35°27.076 W080°36.715

- iv. **LIVING TREECE**.
- v. **LIVING TREECE**. She married **COMUS CLEO WHITE**. He was born on 15 Sep 1910 in Madison County, Ga.. He died on 28 Nov 2000 in Kannapolis, NC.
- vi. **ARABELLE TREECE** was born on 30 Jul 1914 in Stanly County, NC. She died on 11 Feb 2001 in Kannapolis, NC. She married **FRED HERMAN SMITH**. He was born on 11 Sep 1912. He died on 12 Apr 1986.
- vii. **HUGH CHARLES TREECE** was born on 13 Oct 1916 in Stanly County, NC. He died in Concord, NC. He married **FRANCES STAPP**.

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Notes for Hugh Charles Treece:
Hugh Treece was a World War II veteran.

- viii. LIVING TREECE.
- ix. LIVING TREECE.
- x. CHARLOTTE (DOT) TREECE was born on 07 Mar 1921 in Stanly County, NC. She died in 1983 in Concord, NC.
- xi. MATTIE ELLA TREECE was born on 09 Dec 1922 in Stanly County, NC. She died on 18 Sep 1999 in Salisbury, NC. She married William Jay Smith, son of William Oleander Smith and Frances Tobitha Annie-Hix Boger, on 05 Jan 1941 in Kannapolis, NC. He was born on 05 Sep 1919 in Cabarrus Co., NC. He died on 05 Oct 1978 in Salisbury, NC.

Notes for William Jay Smith:

William J. Smith served in the Army Air Force during World War II. He was a B-24 navigator. He entered service on 14 Aug. 1942. He served 20 months over seas and received the EAME medal and the good conduct medal. Discharged 22 Sept. 1945.

- xii. BEN TREECE was born on 25 Mar 1925 in Stanfield, NC. He died on 27 Feb 1998 in Morehead City, NC. He married LIVING MCINTOSH.
10. **PRUDENCE⁷ FURR** (James Adam⁶, Wilson M.⁵, W. Mathias⁴, Paul³ Jr, Paul² Sr, Heinrich¹) was born on 05 Jul 1886. She died on 16 Mar 1961 in Locust, NC. She married **DANIEL A. TREECE**. He was born on 17 Aug 1878. He died on 05 Oct 1968 in Locust, NC.

Daniel A. Treece and Prudence Furr had the following children:

- i. LEE⁸ TREECE.
- ii. RALPH C. TREECE was born on 04 Oct 1910. He died on 02 Mar 1988. He married LIVING TREECE.
- iii. FRED TREECE.
- iv. HOYLE TREECE.
- v. MAYDELLE TREECE.
- vi. J.C. TREECE was born on 03 Jul 1919. He died on 18 Mar 1989 in Locust, NC. He married MILDRED MORGAN.

Notes for J.C. Treece:

J.C. Treece served in the Navy during World War II.