

Descendants of Johan Adam Hedrick

Generation 1

1. **JOHAN ADAM¹ HEDRICK** was born between 1670-1696. He died between 1714-1778. He married an unknown spouse between 1692-1735.

Johan Adam Hedrick had the following child:

2.
 - i. **PETER HEDRICK² (HETRICH)** was born before 17 Apr 1710 in Pfalz, Germany. He died between 1744-1801. He married Anna Otila (Milla) Blum, daughter of Hans Wilhelm Blinn and Anna Sara Theis, on 18 Mar 1731 in Lichenburg, Peussia. She was born about 1710 in Ruthweiler Prussia. She died about 1758 in Lancaster, PA.

Generation 2

2. **PETER HEDRICK² (HETRICH)** (Johan Adam¹ Hedrick) was born before 17 Apr 1710 in Pfalz, Germany. He died between 1744-1801. He married Anna Otila (Milla) Blum, daughter of Hans Wilhelm Blinn and Anna Sara Theis, on 18 Mar 1731 in Lichenburg, Peussia. She was born about 1710 in Ruthweiler Prussia. She died about 1758 in Lancaster, PA.

Notes for Peter Hedrick (Hetrich):

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The British and The Tories burned his home and buildings. They also ran off all livestock

Peter Hedrick (Hetrich) and Anna Otila (Milla) Blum had the following child:

3.
 - i. **JOHANN ADAM³ HEDRICK** was born on 12 Oct 1741 in Lancaster, PA. He died on 16 Mar 1815 in Rowan Co., NC. He married Barbary Maria Hagey, daughter of Hans George (Hage) Hege and Anna Eva Frey, on 30 Jan 1769 in Rowan Co. NC. She was born on 18 Mar 1750 in PA. She died on 18 Dec 1839 in Davidson Co., NC.

Generation 3

3. **JOHANN ADAM³ HEDRICK** (Peter Hedrick² (Hetrich), Johan Adam¹) was born on 12 Oct 1741 in Lancaster, PA. He died on 16 Mar 1815 in Rowan Co., NC. He married Barbary Maria Hagey, daughter of Hans George (Hage) Hege and Anna Eva Frey, on 30 Jan 1769 in Rowan Co. NC. She was born on 18 Mar 1750 in PA. She died on 18 Dec 1839 in Davidson Co., NC.

Johann Adam Hedrick and Barbary Maria Hagey had the following child:

4.
 - i. **JOHANN GEORGE⁴ HEDRICK** was born on 16 May 1772 in Rowan Co., NC. He died about 1844 in Davidson Co., NC. He married Elizabeth Snider between 1790-1819. She was born about 1774. She died between 1814-1869.

Generation 4

4. **JOHANN GEORGE⁴ HEDRICK** (Johann Adam³, Peter Hedrick² (Hetrich), Johan Adam¹) was born on 16 May 1772 in Rowan Co., NC. He died about 1844 in Davidson Co., NC. He married Elizabeth Snider between 1790-1819. She was born about 1774. She died between 1814-1869.

Johann George Hedrick and Elizabeth Snider had the following child:

5.
 - i. **JOHN L.⁵ HEDRICK** was born on 08 Oct 1812 in Rowan Co., NC. He died on 26 Jun 1898 in Davidson Co., NC. He married Phebe Berrier, daughter of Henry Berrier Sr. and Sarah Grimes, on 03 Feb 1836 in Davidson Co., NC. She was born on 02 Mar 1815 in Rowan Co., NC. She died on 02 Dec 1898 in Davidson Co., NC.

Generation 5

5. **JOHN L.⁵ HEDRICK** (Johann George⁴, Johann Adam³, Peter Hedrick² (Hetrich), Johan Adam¹) was born on 08 Oct 1812 in Rowan Co., NC. He died on 26 Jun 1898 in Davidson Co., NC. He married Phebe Berrier, daughter of Henry Berrier Sr. and Sarah Grimes, on 03 Feb 1836 in Davidson Co., NC. She was born on 02 Mar 1815 in Rowan Co., NC. She died on 02 Dec 1898 in Davidson Co., NC.

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Notes for John L. Hedrick:
Headstone located on Row 35 #10.

Notes for Phebe Berrier:
Headstone located on Row 35 #10.

John L. Hedrick and Phebe Berrier had the following child:

6. i. MARY ANN⁶ HEDRICK was born about 1833 in Davidson Co., NC. She died on 29 May 1857 in Davidson Co., NC. She married Joseph A. Sink, son of Adam Sink and Barbary Clodfelter, on 12 Aug 1851 in Davidson Co., NC. He was born about 1827 in Davidson Co., NC. He died on 11 Dec 1864 in Richmond, Va..

Generation 6

6. **MARY ANN⁶ HEDRICK** (John L.⁵, Johann George⁴, Johann Adam³, Peter Hedrick² (Hetrich), Johan Adam¹) was born about 1833 in Davidson Co., NC. She died on 29 May 1857 in Davidson Co., NC. She married Joseph A. Sink, son of Adam Sink and Barbary Clodfelter, on 12 Aug 1851 in Davidson Co., NC. He was born about 1827 in Davidson Co., NC. He died on 11 Dec 1864 in Richmond, Va..

Notes for Mary Ann Hedrick:
Headstone located on Row 31 #1.

Notes for Joseph A. Sink:

Davidson Co., NC 1850 census indicates Joseph Sink was 23 years old. Served in Company "A" 13th. Regiment, in the Civil War. Company muster roll shows he enlisted at Camp Holmes, NC on February 28, 1864. RECORD OF EVENTS from original military records indicate following: "On the 4th. of May 1864 this Company left camp near Orange Co., Courthouse, Va. and marched about 10 miles from the town in direction of Vidursville and there camped for the night and after quite an early start on the following morning and marching quite rapidly we met the advance force of General Grant in quite an extensive wilderness and rushing on to them we drove them (resisting stubbornly) into quite a march and then halted and engaged them until near night. When we were relieved and retired some three or four hundred yards and retired for the night. Early on the sixth, (the following morning) we were rushed upon by an overwhelming force and we were pressed back until General Longstreet's forces came to our assistance, we were then marched to the left and joined General Ewell's forces and remained in this position until General Grant flanked off to the left and having followed him parallelly we then again met him again at Spottsylvania Courthouse, Virginia and having fought him for several successive days and punishing him severely he again flanked off to the left and having followed parallelly we again met him at Hanover and fought them on May 23rd on the central railway and whipped them". Notes are signed by 1st. Lt. James N. Williamson, Company A 13 NC.

Records show he was wounded May 5, 1864. The major battle of May 5 & 6, 1864 was "The Battle of the Wilderness". 13th. NC (Scales Brigade - Brig. Gen. Alfred M. Scales & Col. J.H. Hyman) fought in this battle. He rejoined his group in July 1864. Seige of Petersburg in June of 1864, Battle of the "Crater" in July of 1864. Joseph could have taken part in any of these battles. He died in General Hospital Camp Winder, Richmond, Va. on December 11, 1864. Is buried in Richmond, Va. The 13th. NC Regiment of 4th. Brigade fought under command of Col. Joseph H. Hyman & Lt. Col. H.A. Rogers at Gettysburg in July of 1863. 13th. NC was part of the Pender-Scales Brigade of Major Gen. A.P. Hill's famous light brigade. Few regiments in northern Virginia saw more fighting than did this regiment. At Chancellorsville (May 1-4, 1863) the regiment carried 342 men into battle and suffered 203 casualties, included 50 killed. The first day of battle at Gettysburg the 13th. fielded only 185 men. They were part of the force that charged Seminary Ridge, the regiment was shot to pieces. About 150 men fell, leaving only 30 men and 2 officers. On the 3rd. day at Gettysburg, the 13th. participated in the Pettigrew-Pickett charge. Only 22 men returned. Joseph Sink joined a very heroious unit.

May 5-6, 1864
General Robert E. Lee, CSA commanding
III Army Corps Lt. Gen. Ambrose P. Hill

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Wilcox's Division Maj. Gen. Cadmus M. Wilcox
Scale's 4th. Brigade Brig. Gen. Alfred M. Scales
Scale's Brigade Brig. Gen. Alfred M. Scales
13th NC Col. J. H. Hyman
16th NC Col. W. A. Stowe 22nd NC
34th NC Col. W. L. J. Lowrance
38th NC Lt. Col. John Ashford
Buried Hollywood Cemetary, Richmond, VA
13th. NC (Joseph A. Sink) Barney Michael's kin by marriage

Joseph Sink's (enlisted 2/28/1864 - died 12/11/1864) unit participated in battles listed below: The 13th. fought in the following battles:

The Wilderness (May 5-6, 1864)
Spotsylvania Court House (May 8-21, 1864)
North Anna (May 22-26, 1864)
Cold Harbor (June 1-3, 1864)
Petersburg Seige (June 1864- April 1865)
Globe Tavern (August 18-21, 1864)
Ream's Station (August 25, 1864)
Fort Harrison (September 29-30, 1864)
Jone's Farm (September 30, 1864)

Joseph A. Sink and Mary Ann Hedrick had the following children:

7.
 - i. CORNELIA FOSTINE⁷ SINK was born on 29 Sep 1852. She died on 26 Nov 1925 in Lexington, NC. She married Daniel Monroe Michael, son of Barney Michael and Barbara Cobb, on 21 May 1871 in Davidson Co., NC. He was born on 22 Nov 1848. He died on 17 Dec 1942 in Lexington, NC.
 - ii. JOHN FRANKLIN SINK was born on 12 Apr 1855. He died on 22 Nov 1930 in Davidson Co., NC. He married MARY ELIZABETH HEDRICK. She was born on 13 Jan 1863. She died on 27 Jun 1923 in Davidson Co., NC.
 - iii. MARY ANN JOSEPHINE SINK was born on 27 Feb 1857. She died on 06 May 1935. She married Jacob Lindley Sink on 29 Apr 1876.

Generation 7

7. **CORNELIA FOSTINE⁷ SINK** (Mary Ann⁶ Hedrick, John L.⁵ Hedrick, Johann George⁴ Hedrick, Johann Adam³ Hedrick, Peter Hedrick² (Hetrich), Johan Adam¹ Hedrick) was born on 29 Sep 1852. She died on 26 Nov 1925 in Lexington, NC. She married Daniel Monroe Michael, son of Barney Michael and Barbara Cobb, on 21 May 1871 in Davidson Co., NC. He was born on 22 Nov 1848. He died on 17 Dec 1942 in Lexington, NC.

Daniel Monroe Michael and Cornelia Fostine Sink had the following children:

- i. JOHN D.⁸ MICHAEL was born on 02 Feb 1866. He died on 28 Mar 1895 in Davidson Co., NC.
- ii. MARY ELDORA MICHAEL was born on 28 Sep 1874. She died on 20 Oct 1957 in Pilgrim UCC Cem..
- iii. ADDIE L. MICHAEL was born in May 1877. She died on 01 Jul 1904 in Ebernezer Meth. Cem..
- iv. WILLIE HENRY MICHAEL was born on 30 Jul 1879. He died on 05 Aug 1902 in Davidson Co., NC.
- v. IDA MAE MICHAEL was born on 25 Sep 1882. She died on 17 Nov 1925 in Lexington, NC.

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- vi. INFANT MICHAEL was born on 28 Nov 1885. She died on 28 Nov 1885 in Davidson Co., NC.
- vii. JOSEPH EARL MICHAEL SR. was born on 24 Nov 1886. He died date Unknown in Sarasota, Fl..
- 8. viii. EFFIE ESTELLA MICHAEL was born on 14 Oct 1889 in Lexington, NC. She died on 04 Nov 1988 in Concord, NC. She married Louis Allen Patterson Sr., son of John Richard Patterson and Mary Lucretia Propst, on 05 Mar 1911. He was born on 28 Sep 1882 in Concord, NC. He died on 02 Apr 1962 in Concord, NC.
- ix. HATTIE REA MICHAEL was born on 03 Apr 1892. She died in 1966.

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8. **EFFIE ESTELLA⁸ MICHAEL** (Cornelia Fostine⁷ Sink, Mary Ann⁶ Hedrick, John L.⁵ Hedrick, Johann George⁴ Hedrick, Johann Adam³ Hedrick, Peter Hedrick² (Hetrich), Johan Adam¹ Hedrick) was born on 14 Oct 1889 in Lexington, NC. She died on 04 Nov 1988 in Concord, NC. She married Louis Allen Patterson Sr., son of John Richard Patterson and Mary Lucretia Propst, on 05 Mar 1911. He was born on 28 Sep 1882 in Concord, NC. He died on 02 Apr 1962 in Concord, NC.

Louis Allen Patterson Sr. and Effie Estella Michael had the following children:

- i. LOUIS ALLEN⁹ PATTERSON JR. was born on 24 Dec 1911 in Lexington, NC. He died on 06 Mar 1991 in Concord, NC. He married Nan Lee Justice on 23 Aug 1940 in Mooresville, NC. She was born on 23 Mar 1920 in Mooresville, NC. She died on 17 Aug 2011 in St. Andrews Assisted Living Center, Concord, NC.

Notes for Louis Allen Patterson Jr.:

Louis Patterson entered the Army in April 1943. His service was at Camp Barkley, Texas. He left service in July 1943 due to medical problems.

- ii. JOHN WILLIAM PATTERSON SR. was born on 03 Sep 1914 in Concord, NC. He died on 22 Jul 1995 in Salisbury, NC. He married Ruth Ruffy, daughter of Oliver Oscho Ruffy and Nanny Mary Lizer Lemly, on 10 Jan 1943 in Salisbury, NC. She was born on 29 Aug 1923 in Salisbury, NC. She died on 04 May 2005 in Salisbury, NC.

Notes for John William Patterson Sr.:

John Patterson was unable to serve in the military due to medical problems. He did work Wright's Automatic Machine Shop, Durham, NC. They built bomb sights for military aircraft.

Family history at:

<http://www.RowanCounty.info/rowanroots>

- iii. FRANK EARL PATTERSON SR. was born on 28 Dec 1918 in Concord, NC. He died on 28 Nov 2002 in Concord, NC. He married RUTH MANN. She was born date Unknown.

Notes for Frank Earl Patterson Sr.:

Frank Patterson entered the Army in January 1941. Company E, 30th. Division, 119 Infantry. His unit left Boston and landed in South Hampton, England. They visited France, Belgium, Netherlands & Germany. Were in 5 major battles including the Battle of the Bulge. He left service in September 1945.

- iv. DOROTHY CORNELIA PATTERSON was born on 09 Oct 1921 in Concord, NC. She died on 05 Nov 2008 in Concord, NC. She married George Bagby Brandon Jr., son of George Bagby Brandon Sr and Lillian Suther, on 10 Jul 1943 in Houston, TX. He was born on 29 Jun 1922 in Kannapolis, NC. He died on 30 Jun 2001 in Salisbury, NC.

Notes for George Bagby Brandon Jr.:

2nd. LT. George Brandon (0-711323) entered the Army Air Corp. in March 1943. 93rd. Heavy bomb group. Squadron 330 flying B-24's for General Doolittle. Flew 11 missions and shot down on June 20, 1944. He was a navigator in B-24 # 42-95039. His unit flew to England via Labrador, Iceland and then England. They flew missions all over Europe. On a mission to bomb a synthetic oil refinery, He

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was shot down near Langenberg (near Poltitz) 16km north-north east of Stettin in swamps. Aircraft was hit under right wing, and went into slow roll to left. When aircraft got half way over it went into a dive. He spent time in POW camp "Stalag Luft #3 in Sagan, Poland". When Russians got to close they were moved to Moosburg, S. Germany. "Stalag 7A". He left service in September 1945. Returned back to USA at Boston.

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Stalag VII A was liberated on 29 April 1945 by Combat Command A of the [[U.S. 14th Armored Division|14th Armored Division]] after a pitched battle with a large defending force of 5,000-7,000 German troops. Foremost among the defending units was the 17th SS Panzer Grenadier Division supported by a few remaining self-propelled guns and 88 mm antitank guns. Combat Command A had a total strength of 1,750 officers and men, including only a single company of armored infantrymen. The American force learned of the existence of the camp, and its approximate location only a few hours before the attack. Because so many Allied POWs were in the area, the U.S. artillery, a major factor in any attack, was ordered not to fire, and remained silent during the attack. POWs inside the wire heard the Germans open fire on the American liberators as they crossed a bridge leading into Moosburg. The American response was instantaneous. Outnumbered, but not outgunned, the men of the combat command waded into the SS troops with a ferocity and volume of weapons fire that stunned even the most veteran SS officers. Resistance was eliminated, and the camp liberated. Among the 130,000 Allied POWs liberated were 30,000 American soldiers, sailors, airmen, and even a few Marines. It was the largest single liberation of American POWs in the history of the US military. Following the war, the U.S. Army officially designated the 14th Armored Division as the "LIBERATORS" for liberating so many American and Allied POWs from German camps... Returned back to USA at Boston. His pilot was Edward J. Woodward - shot while evading German train guards. CP was Harry M. Purdy. KIA. Although hundreds of attempts to escape from the camp have been undertaken, Stalag Luft 3 has become world famous because of the "Great Escape" in the night from March 24-25, 1944. It involved the construction of a 336 ft (102 m) long tunnel ("Harry")- the longest ever built in Germany during World War Two. Seventy-six officers escaped. All but three were re-captured and of these, upon the order of Hitler, fifty were turned over to the Gestapo and were executed by shooting.

- v. LIVING PATTERSON. She married JAMES RUSSELL SHROPSHIRE SR.. He was born on 02 Feb 1927 in Concord, NC. He died on 21 Dec 2006 in Concord, NC.
- vi. LIVING PATTERSON. She married LIVING BIGGERS.