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Abraham Drake, Sr

BIRTH

Apr 1685

DEATH

6 May 1763 (aged 78)

BURIAL

Unknown

MEMORIAL ID

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Abraham, my 6th great-grandfather, was the son of Rev. John Drake and Rebecca Trotter, daughter of William Trotter and Cutbury Gibbs.

John and Rebecca had fourteen other children: John, Francis, Joseph, Benjamin, Sarah, Isaac, Jacob, Ebenezer, Ephraim, Rebecca, Hannah, Abigail, Mary and Elizabeth.

Abraham married Deliverance Wooden (1683-1763), daughter of Andrew Wooden (1653-1702) and Elizabeth Fitz-Randolph (1656-1702), in Piscataway, NJ in 1704.

They had seven children: Nathaniel, my 5th great-grandfather Abraham, Jacob, Elizabeth, Elisha, Joseph and Hannah.

Abraham's will was probated May 6, 1763. It was drawn July 28, 1759 and states that Abraham Drake was of Roxbury Township, Morris County, and leaves all my lands and grist mill to my grandsons Abraham and Jacob, the sons of my son Abraham; and they are to pay to my eldest son Nathaniel 20 shillings and to my son Jacob 10 shillings and to my son Elishe L 40, Executers—my said grandsons.

He appears as "Alsa Drake" in a list of Col. Thomas Farmers' Regiment in 1715, in Capt. Thomas Wetherle's Company.

In a deed of 1761 Abraham and Deliverance Drake sold 368 acres to Moses Tompkins, of Roxbury.

Records indicate that he died in Newton, NJ but no grave has as yet been found.

Family Members

Parents

Spouse



John Drake 1655–1741



Deliverance *Wooden* Drake 1683–1761



Rebecca Gibbs *Trotter* Drake 1655–1702

Siblings

- John Drake 1678–1758
- Francis Drake 1679–1733
- Samuel Drake 1680–1740
- Joseph Drake 1681–1716
- Benjamin Drake 1683–1763
- Sarah *Drake* Fullsom 1686–1749
- 2 Isaac Drake 1687–1759
- Jacob Drake 1690 – unknown
- Ebenezer Drake 1693 – unknown
- Ephraim Drake 1694 – unknown
- Rebecca *Drake* FitzRandolph 1697–1749
- Abigail Drake 1699 – unknown
- Hannah Drake 1699 – unknown
- Mary *Drake* Davis 1700–1740
- Elizabeth *Drake* Hull 1702 unknown

Children

- Nathaniel Drake 1705–1778
- Abraham Drake 1708–1759
- Jacob Drake 1710–1777
- Elizabeth Drake 1716 – unknown
- **E**lisha Drake 1716–1793
- Jacob Drake 1718 – unknown
- Hannah Drake 1720 – unknown

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