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Date: Tue, May 23, 2017 3:53 pm
To: Unchurch and Allied Families [phil@upchurchstory.com](mailto:phil@upchurchstory.com)
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Deborah Daniels
Sent from my iPhone
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# Subject: Re: John Upchurch III Newsletter 23 May 2C17 

From: Deborah <dedank
Date: Mon, May 29, 2017 3:40 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com
Hi Phil:
I hope your health is good. Yes, the error I alluded to was in the John
III newsietter. Last fall, You \& I both agreed that: The original Upchurch author did not see an earlier Mary Thompson marriage in Saline co lllinois to Martin Mathis, nor Census records showing all children as Mathis', nor her obituay. Very common name:
Mary Thompson in 19th century \& so 2 different women. I did send you proof with all the
Above. Ill be glad to resend if anyone has further questions.
l appreciate all the work done on both the trees \& newsletters.
Deborah

Sent from my iPad
On May 29, 2017, at 12:26 PM, [phil@upchurchstory.com](mailto:phil@upchurchstory.com) [phil@upchurchstory.com](mailto:phil@upchurchstory.com) wrote:

## Hi Deborah---

I can give you a report on the situation with the error re Mary Ellen Thompson. I assume the error is on one of the Upchurch Bulletin excerpts presented as a part of the John Upchurch,III narrative but you did not state which one. When you consider all 37 years of the Upchurch Bulletin it is certain new information surfaced showing a conflict with earlier data. We sometimes add a Commentary to show the earlier information was wrong. However, we place a higher priority on getting our Family trees correct as these are the presentations we stand behind. We downloaded these trees at a certain point (But additions to the Trees keep being made) and they are shown on the website as Descendants Reports. I have checked the one for John Upchurch,III and find that the correct information is listed for Mary Ellen Thompson.

Our collection of information on Upchurch and allied families has been compiled since 1950 and kept manually. We are now making a big effort to put more of this huge collection on our website but we must have the active participation of descendants to be successful. Please let me know if there is any way you can help.

Best~ Phil Upchurch, Manager Allied Families
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My Unchurch Clan—John III/Samuel -- very briefly:
Deborah Milligan 1951- David Daniels-spouse m 1975 Illinois my only sibling: Lana Arlene Beasley 1942-2012 m Alan Fox Illinois 1963

Esther L. Thompson 1917-2007 $1^{\text {st }}$ Freeman Beasley-spouse kia W. W. II $26^{\text {th }} \operatorname{Inf}$ m 1938 /2nd John Milligan-spouse m 1950 he was $87^{\text {th }}$ Inf WW II

Florence Ann Barker 3 Dec 1892 Hamilton Co Il - 5 Sept 1921 Wmsn Co Il Ulysses Sherman "U. S." Thompson-spouse m 26 July 1913 Watertown, Ill

Nancy Elizabeth "Lizzie" Mathis 22 July 1860 -11 May 1907 Broughton, Ill J. T. Barker-spouse m 1888

Mary Ellen Thompson 23 Aug 1841 Raleigh, Ill m 13 Oct 1859 Saline Co Il d 7 May 1930 LaSalle Co Il Martin V. Mathis-spouse

Elizabeth Unchurch b 30 Nov 1814 Wilson co Tn m 19 Nov 1840 Saline Co Ill d 11 June 1874 Raleigh, court records involving Charles Joseph Thompson-spouse who abandoned family upon birth of their twin sons: David \& Jonathan born 30 June 1850 Saline Co, Ill.

Samuel \& Mary Ellen Simmons Unchurch He: 11 Sept 1772 Va died 30 June 1841 Saline Co. Il She: 13 Oct 1772 d 19 Dec 1841 Raleigh, Il Gunner War of 1812 Battle New Orleans Pvt under Capt Mev Wms and Col Thos Williamson

Notes: My educational background is history; with specialty in European history. I taught English as $2^{\text {nd }}$ language at local colleges $\&$ worked as a period actress. My late sister had much interest in our mother's family history. We did know about Michael Upchurch, prior to her death, \& she was highly impressed with his literacy in such an early era. I have traveled in England but not to the Unchurch's area. It would be well worth a trip.

I began genealogy, largely, because of our mother. My grandmother Florence passed when my mom was only four. For that reason, my late mother asked me to find out as much as we could about her maternal side, as well as, the truth of what happened to my sister's father at Laufenburg Castle, in 1944. My late mother was an enthusiastic genealogist, in her own right. My mother did remember her great grandmother, Mary Ellen Mathis, with fondness.

Currently, my sister's descendants and mine are all busy with their own careers \& lives. I have questioned my continued interest in family matters, as all of our forebears are deceased. But, I enjoy the "scavenger hunt." My plans are to leave family history in repositories in Southern Illinois. Plus, with a granddaughter born last spring---one never knows who might have interest one day.

I do appreciate your research \& documentation of this allied line of my mother's family.
Deborah Daniels
Nov 18, 2016
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Subject: Unchurch

Date: Mon, Nov 07, 2016 9:59 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com
I do see error on my gig grandmother's death cert. her mother, Elizabeth Unchurch was 5 when her family left Lebanon, Tn. Other records do list her birthplace as Tn.
lam working an election poll tomorrow so, hurriedly, sent info to you.


Oct 13, 1859 the J.P. Was Moses Willis for marriage of Mary E. Thompson \& Martin Mathis vol A pg 84 Saline Co Il marriages, is my record. So, I would say this was her sole marriage.
I do plan to join the U Assoc. It may be end of week, though.
I appreciated your video of John III. Could be my Elizabeth was named for an aunt Unchurch. I wish I had a photo of Elizabeth.
There are only several of her daw as an elderly lady.

## Hi Deborah---

Thanks for your six emails of earlier today. Our records agree down to Mary E. Thompson born 1841 (IL). I show her as one of six named siblings and have a few details on each but no descendants so what you included about your descendancy from Mary is new to me. However, I show her as married 6 MAR 1862 to William A. Jennings whereas you show her as married to Martin V. Mathias for which you show proof. Can you confirm whether this Jennings actually fits into the picture and if so was it a first or second marriage for Mary?

I have had many cooperators on the John U. III/ Samuel U SubClan and have myself been to Saline County, IL. My published inputs on this group are scattered throughout the Upchur4ch Bulletin issues. We are now making an effort to extract those related to John U.,III and to place them with the enrolled John U., III family. With effort I think you can benefit greatly form our many years of work on the John U., III family I will await your posture regarding how to proceed. Much of my material is unpublished. Best Wishes

Phil Unchurch

Subject: Re: Samuel Unchurch line

Date: Mon, Nov 07, 2016 3:08 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com
In addition to the marriage record, Mary Ellen II 's children are listed as Mathis' on census records \& all other documents. My mom always referred to her as great grandma Mathis.

Subject: RE: Samuel Upchurch line
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
1 Date: Thu, Nov 10, 2016 8:08 am
To: "Deborah Daniels" \ll

## Hi Deborah---

Re the marriage of Mary E . Thompson --- I have now had a chance to visit my Valley Office and to look up my records there. The 1862 marriage to which I referred involving Jennings came from the Olive Morgan Book "Unchurch Family" on page 244. There is more on this source I can supply if you want to pursue. I realize you do not feel that is valid an I suspect your information is more correct. However, I will keep the Jennings record as a footnote hoping someone will one day find more definitive information.

Best for Now ~
Phil Unchurch
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Subject: RE: Upchurch
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
$10 \quad$ Date: Thu, Nov 10, 2016 2:57 pm

Hi Deborah---
How sad. But in family history work we just have to take the records as they are. We all have some items like this to live with. The names supplied are of interest. The Bramlets's and Upchurches intermarried and I have great Bramlett records. Thanks for you input. Will add to my records. Cheers ~ Phil Unchurch

Subject: Re: Unchurch
From: Deborah Daniels <deddak3x>
Date: Thu, Nov 10, 2016 3:24 pm
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To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Looking forward to hearing from you
Phil Upchurch

## Subject: Re: Family Linkage


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Date: Fri, Nov 25, 2016 12:02 pm ouch (NO mESSAGES)-
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

## Greetings:

Hopefully, you received my membership by mail, by now.
When I arrive home; I will send you a photo of charter members of the Primitive Baptist church including Mary Ellen Simmons Unchurch \& her day, Rebecca. My ancestor Elizabeth, Rebecca's younger sister was not listed but she is buried next to their mother.
David Upchurch, son of Samuel \& older bro to my Elizabeth has much written about him in Galatia, III history. He was a man of many talents.
Yes, I am daw of Esther Thompson Beasley \& John A. Milligan.
Deborah Daniels

## Subject: Re: Family Linkage


Date: Fri, Nov 25, 2016 4:18 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com
Addendum: Galatia il library says David Upchurch was an excellent furniture maker- (at least 1 piece was still in the family ca 1980) as well as having a law background \& ran a tavern, as well. Tobacco was a prime crop $\&$ he seemed involved some way with that. Busy man!
Just for the record, my mom's Thompson lines are unrelated. Her dad's from Tn \& Elizabeth Upchurch's "scoundrel" husband's were from Pa . Hope this helps!
I have photos of Elizabeth \& her mom Mrs Samuel U's tombstones but they are unreadable except in person. Deborah

Is it possible to make corrections on Mary Ellen Thompson Mathis' family?
There is no Jennings spouse. I believe I have emailed all the supporting documents as to her sole marriage to Martin Mathis that is required? Am I correct?
Also: her twin brothers David \& Jonathon were born 30 June 1850 in Saline Co il
And, lastly, her brother Henderson J. Thompson married first Maria L. 4 July 1865 Saline Co. she claimed desertion without cause in Sept 1865 divorce granted J file no. 68 April 1870 Saline Co. II. So to be totally accurate, he had 2 marriages.
Once again, I appreciate your facts with this evolving story. As we learn more, we sometimes have to change locations, dates, names, etc. Corrections were accomplished very well in Englandia; as you acquired more knowledge. I appreciated that-so many "facts" on Ancestry are, sadly, bogus.
Deborah Daniels

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Subject: Upchurch
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        Date:Tue, Nov 29, 2016 10:10 am
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Date: Tue, Nov 29, 2016 10:54 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com
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## Subject: Re: The Way Forward

From: Deborah Daniels <
Date: Mon, Dec 05, 2016 8:57 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

## Cousin:

I did see where you fit in our family. It could be likely that my Elizabeth was named for your Elizabeth, her aunt; which is lovely. Not to bore you, as a different line from your's; but a quick story: Mack Mathis ( a great grandson of Samuel's \& bro to Lizzie) \& his wife Hilda were adored by my mom \& sis. The couple traveled by camper in early 1950 s, being retired \& childless. Their goal was to see all 48 states \& as many relatives as they could. Apparently, their goal was not a common thing in the ' 50 s . My mom, as a great niece, was thrilled they spent days with us. As a couple they were full of adventure stories \& much laughter; they visited us more than once-much to our family's delight. Uncle Mack, also, knew much family lineage but, alas, I was too tiny to ask him. Hoping you enjoy the holidays! I will anticipate connecting with my clan.
Deborah

## Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 5, 2016, at 9:31 AM, [phil@upchurchstory.com](mailto:phil@upchurchstory.com) [phil@upchurchstory.com](mailto:phil@upchurchstory.com) wrote:
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Date: Sun, Dec 04, 2016 4:03 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com
Mr. Upchurch:
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Received \& read your mailing. Only correction is my grandmother Florence A. Barker Thompson was born 1892 Dec 3, not 1882.
Also, if this is of any help. My great grandma, Flo's mother Lizzie Mathis' (she was the oldest) siblings: John 30 sept 1862 d 12 Aug 1890
Viola "Ola" b 25 Jan 1866
Thomas Robert b 29 July 1869
Twins: Benjamin \& Joseph 12 Nov 1871 Ben died 11 Feb 1900. Joe died 3 nov 1886
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Edward M. "Mack"b 26 Jan 1877
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Will await your instructions.
Cousin Deborah Daniels
Sent from my iPhone
On Nov 28, 2016, at 7:49 AM, [phil@upchurchstory.com](mailto:phil@upchurchstory.com) [phil@upchurchstory.com](mailto:phil@upchurchstory.com) wrote:

## Subject: RE: John Upchurch, III Family

From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Wed, Dec 07, 2016 3:24 pm

Cc: jaycbuck@gmail.com

Hi Deborah---
Nice inputs. My comments:

1. Michael U.,I was known to have married Frances ___. Early speculation was that she was nee

Delke. The UB issues show clearly it was not nee Delke.
2. We have no solid information as to where Michael U.,I was buried except it is reasonable to believe it was in Surry Co., VA.

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To: phil [phil@upchurchstory.com](mailto:phil@upchurchstory.com)
Cc: 'Deborah-Y Daniels' < Led
Sent: Tue, Dec 6, 2016 2:06 pm
Subject: RE: John Upchurch, III Family

## Hello Deborah,

It is nice to meet you and I hope we can get our Samuel U tree looking great.
Do you have additions or corrections that need to be fixed on Ancestry.com?
I am descended from Samuel U (1772) - William U (1800) - Eliza Jane U (1825). I live in
Fort Worth, Texas and have been working on my family tree since 1980.
Regards,
Donna Singer



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## Subject: Re: John Upchurch, III Family Pedigree request


Date: Thu, Dec 08, 2016 9:35 am

Cc: jaycbuck@gmail.com

## Pedigree info:

You already have all the info previous so I will begin with Elizabeth Upchurch, youngest daughter of Samuel \& Mary Ellen Simmons Upchurch: bom Wilson Co, Tn 30 Nov 1814. She was 5 yrs old when her family moved to Gallatin Co. Illinois in 1819. Married Charles Joseph Thompson 19 Nov 1840 Gallatin/Saline Co III. Children: Mary Ellen 1841, Thomas 1843, Henderson 1845, Nancy 1846 and twins David \& Jonathan b 30 June 1850. Elizabeth died 11 June 1874 buried next to her parents at Bethel's Creek Primitive Baptist cemetery.

Mary Ellen Thompson Mathis-you have information from the earlier attachment I sent. Her children of Martin Mathis were: Nancy Elizabeth "Lizzie" 22 July 1860 she would marry J. T. Barker in 1888
She passed May 1907 John F bom 30 Sept 1862 Viola "Ola" born 25 Jan 1866 Thomas Robert 29 July 1869
Benjamin E. and Joseph E. borm 12 Nov 1871
Note: both mother Elizabeth and daughter Mary Ellen had twin sons
Sarah F 27 Oct 1873 Edward M. "Mack" 26 Jan 1877 \& Wm "Will" 11 June 1880
Florence Ann Barker daughter of Lizzie Mathis \& J. T. Barker bom 3 Dec 1892 Broughton, Illinois died 5 Sept 1921 Williamson Co. Illinois. married at Watertown, Illinois where she met Ulysses Sherman Thompson. Florence was a nurse \& as a teenager worked in her aunts' millinery shop in Broughton, illinois. Marriage July 26 July 1913 her siblings: Mel- no children, Ella m Bill Brennan children Bill Jr and Marian, Florence herself, Mary m Weiss 1 daughter Nellie and George- no biological children.

Florence \& Sherman's children: Victor 1914 Emest 1915 both sons died in infancy, my mother Esther Louise born Aug 9, 1917 Williamson Co Ill died April 12007 Hancock Co Indiana m Freeman Vemell Beasley Nov 26, 1938 KIA Laufenburg Castle Merode, Germany Siblings of my mother: Robert Sherman b 1919 deceased sons James Robert deceased \& Richard b 1946 James Melville b 1921 deceased no biological children

My mom \& Vernell's daughter: Lana Arlene Beasley 1942-2012 m Alan Fox their children: Todd- deceased in 2010 dau Cassandra. Terry deceased in 2001 children Zackary \& Danielle \& Tricia born 1970 m Jason Smith children: Lanie, Xander, Zoe \& Miley.

Esther m 30 June 1950 John A. Milligan veteran of 87th Infantry WW2 myself Deborah Ann Milligan b Aug 12, 1951 m David Daniels Aug 81975 children Dana LeAnn 1982 and Derik Shaun 1985 Derik m Valerie Dilts daughter Kennedi Kathleen b 11 April 2016

## ——Original Message_-

From: Donna Singer < $d$ sinngerdguxdgroupxietre

Cc: jaycbuck [jaycbuck@gmail.com](mailto:jaycbuck@gmail.com)
Sent: Thu, Dec 8, 2016 9:05 am
Subject: RE: John Upchurch, III Family

## Good morning Deborah,

I have updated the "John Upchurch III (B.1741)" tree on Ancestry with the correct spouse for Mary Ellen Thompson. If you will send me your pedigree information, death certificate, obit, and photos I will add those to our tree also. This is great!

JAY,
Do you have a protocol for adding sources to trees on Ancestry?

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At the time Galatia was surveyed, this county was a part of Gallatin, but in 1847, Feb. 25, this county was organized and called Saline. Raleigh was the county capital. Galatia was slow in its growth, as late as 1860 there were only about fifty houses. Its principle growth has been in the past fifteen years. A Mr. Upchurch was the first Postmaster here in Galatia.) The government must have established an office here between the year 1835-1840.

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Subject: Upchurch

Date: Thu, Nov 10, 2016 9:01 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com
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#### Abstract

I found at least 3 court appearances by Elizabeth Upchurch Thompson. I suspect her brother David Upchurch with a law background helped her. Sadly, Charles Thompson left his family just after Elizabeth gave birth to twin sons. At the old Bethel cemetery I was touched by Elizabeth being buried closely to her parents, Samuel \& Mary Ellen U. Her children have had put on her stone " wife of Charles Thompson". I believe they didn't know their dad's whereabouts. My gg grandma, as a result, was a hired girl at age 9 . Her brother Henderson,also, abandons his wife in Saline Co. following his dad's example.


Sent from my iPhone

## 10 January 1852

Whereas HORATIO R. COFFEE of Saline County filed and approved bond as guardian for JAMES HIRAM COFFEE, PERRY COFFEE and JOHN ROBERT COFFEE, Minor heirs of CHARLES GRANDERSON COFFEE deceased, before A. SLOAN, Probate Justice in and for said county dated on the 31 October 1848 , and the said Probate Justice having given a certificate of bond as aforesaid being filed it is therefore ordered that HORATIO $R$. COFFEE be and he is hereby appointed guardian on the estate and persons of the above named JAMES HIRAM COFFEE.....

## 2 February 1852

On this day personally appeared before court ELIZABETH THOMPSON be her friend C.B. BRAMLET and made application to have her children bound to apprenticeship; she not being able to support her said children and that their father, CHARIES THOMPSON, without having any just cause deserted and abandoned his family. Whereupon it is ordered that a jury be empannelled to hear and determine said application: Whereupon came $H . R$. COEFEE, JOHN IRVIN, A. COFFEE, ALERED COOK, R.C. NEISON, J.I. WIIIIFORD, S.H. LEDFORD, F.G. GULIEDGE and J.M. LEDFORD and upon their oaths say that from the jury made, do find their verdict in favor of MRS. ELIZABETH THOMPSON, having the right to apprentice her children; her husband, CHARLES THOMPSON, having willfully deserted his said family and failed to provide for them for the space of two years...THOMAS S. MITCHEII, foreman.

On this day came MARTHA SPENCER by her attorney and made a motion to amend the indenture of apprenticeship of JESSE ELIAS

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i Johns Upchurch was born about 1741.
(5) Johm ${ }^{5}$ Upchurch, (James ${ }^{4}$, John ${ }^{3}$, Richard², Michael ${ }^{1}$ ) was born about 1741 and married in VA, Anm Hramilton who was born about 1750. John died 1795 in Chatham Co, NC. Children:
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(6) Samurels Upchumch, (John ${ }^{5}$, James ${ }^{4}$, John ${ }^{3}$, Richard², Michael) was born 11 Sep 1772 in Brunswick Co, VA, and married 22 Mar 1793 in NC, Mary EllenrSimmons who was born 13 Oct 1772 in VA. Samuel died 30 Jun 1841 in Gallatin Co, IL and was buried in Bethel Creek Cem, Raleigh, II. Mary Ellen died 16 Dec 1841 in Gallatin Co, II. and was buried in Bethel Creek Cem, Raleigh, II.
Samuel was in Chatham Co, NC in 1800 , in Bedford, VA in 1810 . Shortly after the 1810 census of Bedford, VA Samuel and his family left Virginia for Temnessee. They arrived in Wilson Co, TN before the war of 1812 .
They were members of the Bethel Creek Church, located in Raleigh Township, of present lay Saline Co, II. Mary and her daughter, Rebecca Upchurch, are listed as charter nembers.

## Children:

7 i Sally Upchurch was born 30 Jan 1795 in VA. Sally died 1816.

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