

**John Mann****XID - 8717**

**Commentary:** John Mann married Candace Upchurch in 1847. Candace was the daughter of Whitney and granddaughter of Moses, head of Upchurch clan 1.

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Candis Upchurch

North Carolina Marriages, 1757 – 1979

marriage: 19 Dec 1847

Wake, North Carolina

spouse: **John Mann****(no number)** NC Marriages- 5 Sep 05- Peterson- Wake Co

Mary Upchurch	Odom Barns	3 Feb 1806	Wake
Mary Upchurch	Odam Bunn	5 Feb 1806	Wake
Whiting Upchurch	Elizabeth Goodwin	3 Jan 1811	Wake
Mackey Upchurch	Edmund Cole	9 Aug 1816	Wake
Gilbert Upchurch	Elizabeth Upchurch	20 Mar 1819	Wake
Murray Upchurch	Nancy Scott	23 Aug 1820	Wake
Hubbard Upchurch	Esther Bird	24 Oct 1822	Wake
Frances Upchurch	Blake Baker	18 Nov 1829	Wake
John Upchurch	Angelina G. Green	29 May 1830	Wake
Kerney Upchurch	Emila Perry	22 Nov 1830	Wake
Sims Upchurch	Abigail Olive	11 Dec 1832	Wake
Acriel Upchurch	Mary Olive	30 Mar 1833	Wake
Quilla Upchurch	Nathaniel Mitchell	2 Dec 1833	Wake
Abel Upchurch	Nancy Sorrell	27 Nov 1839	Wake
Eliza Upchurch	William Beddingfield	2 Dec 1839	Wake
William C. Upchurch	Adline Royster	15 Dec 1840	Wake
Stephen Upchurch	Ann Medlin	16 Mar 1841	Wake
Gilbert Upchurch	Margaret Bird	23 Sep 1842	Wake
Bartley Upchurch	Jane Whitaker	27 Dec 1842	Wake
Clargy Upchurch	William Wilson	24 Feb 1842	Wake
Betsey Upchurch	Haywood Laurence	2 Dec 1844	Wake
Nancy Upchurch	William Hobby	19 Dec 1845	Wake
Clargy Ann Upchurch	Wesley M. Odaniel	11 Mar 1846	Wake
Candis Upchurch	<b><u>John Mann</u></b>	19 Dec 1847	Wake
Mariah Upchurch	Robert Rollins	13 Oct 1849	Wake
Alferd Upchurch	Adelia M. Crowder	23 Dec 1850	Wake
Armelia Upchurch	Hinton Hudson	31 Dec 1850	Wake

**(no number)** Partial extract No 3 from 26-page document Rebecca Lynn McLean to RPU 18 Oct 2009, daughter of Beulah Maybelle Mann, Moses Upchurch/Whitney Upchurch Sub-clan – Candis Upchurch Line

20. **John Mann** was born on 1825 in Wake County, NC. He was the son of 40 Martin Mann and 41 Sallie or Sarah Holmes. He died on about 1900 in Merry Oaks, NC. He married Candace Upchurch on 19 Dec 1847 in Wake County, North Carolina.
21. Candace Upchurch, [on partial extract 2] born 1818 in Wake Co, NC, died about 1889 in Chatham County, North Carolina, United States, married 19 Dec 1847 in Wake County, North Carolina. She was the daughter of 42 Whitney Upchurch and 43 Elizabeth Goodwin.

Children of **John Mann** and Candace Upchurch are:

- +10 i. Lindsay Sanders Mann, [on partial extract 4] born 25 May 1855 in Chatham County, North Carolina, United States, died 21 Dec 1936 in Harnett Co, North Carolina, married Mattie Irene O'Connell 19 Dec 1900 in Chatham County, North Carolina, United States' married Rebecca Catherine Holt 02 Jan 1878 in Chatham County, North Carolina, United States.
- ii. Melissa Malvina Mann, born about 1848, died after 1860.
- iii. James Frederick Mann, born 23 Sep 1849 in Chatham County, NC, died 07 Nov 1928 in Apex, Wake Co, NC, married Ruth Jane Dickens 24 Dec 1873 in Chatham Co, NC.

**(6)** See Deed File – Chatham Co, NC 14 Jan 1854

John Mann owes William Bland \$100 note dated 6 Jan 1854 secured by Whitney Upchurch. John Mann desiring to protect Whitney Upchurch “sells” to Anderson A Holt land in Chatham Co, NC on waters of Shadox Creek and on Wake Co line and adjoining Sally (Holmes) Mann and Richard Cotton. If debt not paid by 1 Apr 1854 then land is to be sold and debt paid. Otherwise John Mann keeps the land.

Note: Clayton Philip Mann is GGGGS of Anderson A Holt and John T Man and a GGGGS of Whitney Upchurch and Sally (Holmes) Mann. Richard Cotton married Mary Ann Holleman sister of Malinda Jones Holleman who married Anderson A Holt.

(7) See letter 0 Jul 1991 Clayton Philip Mann to RPU

My Great-Aunt Mary Joyce Mann Farabow told me last year at the Mann Reunion that she remembered thinking that John Mann died after Candis, that he buried her in Chatham County in the woods somewhat near Christian Chapel Christian Church and also near someone's saw mill. She admitted, though, that her memory of this was a bit foggy. I wonder if she was buried in that Mann\Cotten cemetery up the road about 300 or 400 yards from Christian Chapel. There are a few legible graves left there, but they are in the woods and hard to find now. I saw them about eight years ago, but I saw no Candis Mann gravestone. Incidentally, I never realized how close Christian Chapel and the dirt road that leads north to Merry Oaks are to the Wake County line until very recently when I was at the 1991 Mann Reunion. At some points on that short span of road I'm sure that Wake County is within 200 - 300 yards. I mention this because maybe Whitney Upchurch lived in this area of Wake county in the Buckhorn District later in his life and was actually very close by to his daughter Candis and son-in-law John Mann.

Names mentioned in above – [CJM 8 Sep 2021]

Mary Joyce Mann Farabow	John Mann	Candis	Christian Chapel Christian Church
Mann/Cotton Cemetery	Candis Mann	Merry Oaks	Whitney Upchurch
Buckhorn District			

(no number) From letter 23 Feb 2004 Gretchen Gaye Mann to RPU

I. John Mann died about 1789 (Northampton Co, NC)

A. Richard Mann born Northampton Co, NC died 1799 (Wake Co, NC)

married ( ) Lucy Martin

1. Stephen Mann, I born about 1782 ( ) died 1815 (Wake Co, NC)

married ( ) Penny Johnson

Descendants a. William Mann born about 1811 ( ) died before 1850 (Wake Co, NC)

of this couple married ( ) Grace Holt born about 1814 ( ) died before 1860 "Gracie"

married into the b. Daniel Mann born about 1814 ( )

Moses Upchurch married ( ) Susannah Womack

Sub-clan i. William Sanders Mann born 17 Dec 1839 (Wake Co, NC) died 12 Feb 1923

2. Martin Mann born about 1875 ( )

married ( ) Sarah Holmes

a. John Thomas Mann

married ( ) Candis Upchurch, daughter of Whitney Upchurch;

granddaughter of Moses Upchurch – Head of Clan

(family outline continues below)

3. Prudence Mann  
married Charles Johnston
  - a. Prudence Johnston  
married ( ) Alsey Holt
    - i. Robert Holt
4. Patience Mann  
married ( ) Richard Johnston
5. Silas Mann born about 1795
  - a. William Mann born 1820/1825 (Chatham Co, NC) died Chatham Co, NC
6. Winnifred Mann
7. Daniel Mann born about 1794 ( )  
married ( ) Charlotte Stephens
  - a. Thomas Mann born about 1816 ( )  
married ( ) Eveline Stephens born 1821/1822
    - i. James H Mann born 1839
    - ii. Mary Mann
    - iii. George W Mann born 1843
    - iv. Hester Ann Mann
  - b. William Mann
  - c. Madison Mann (buried – Bosque Cello Cemetery, Jacksonville, FL)
  - d. James Anderson Mann died 1862 (Field Hospital, Lake City, FL)
  - e. Robert N Mann
  - f. Linda Jane Mann  
married William H Thrift (married him twice)
  - g. Henry M Man born 4 Apr 1823 (Chatham Co, NC) died 1864 (VA)  
married ( ) Hannah Fitchett
  - h. C M Mann (F)  
married John H McCarn
    - i. John C McCarn born 1850

(1) Per attachment #34 West letter 18 May 1975 – Wake Co, NC Marriage Records  
“Candis Upchurch married John Mann 19 Dec 1847 – Witness = Jesse R Penny”

(2) Wake Co, NC Marriage Bonds  
Candis Upchurch married John Mann 19 Dec 1847

(3) See letter 14 Jul 1981 Nancy D Griffith to RPU  
“I cam across some land records of my 2 great grandfather, John Mann of Chatham Co, NC, in which Anderson Holt and a Whitney Upchurch were involved – Book Q-I, Page 187, Grantor Book, annuary 28, 1954 [1854? – CJM 8 Sep 2021]. This John Mann was married to Candis Upchurch. I am trying to find the relation, if any, of Whitney Upchurch above and this Candis Upchurch.”

**(4)** See letter 23 Jul 1981 Nancy Crayton Dobbins to RPU

Her ancestor John Mann born circ 1825 (Chatham Co, NC) married Candis Upchurch born circa 1818. John was on Chatham Co, NC Census 1850, 1860, 1870, 1880. Candis Upchurch had a child before her marriage to Joh. The child = Silas Merritt Upchurch.

1850	John Mann	25	M	
	Candis Mann	32	F	[Candis Upchurch]
	Malvina Mann	2	F	[Melissa Silas Merritt Upchurch]
	Mariah Mann	8	F	
1860	Groves PO			
	John Mann	38 or 39	M	
	Candis Mann	10		
	Melissa Mann	12	F	
	Jane Mann	9	F	[James Frederick Mann]
	Lerney Mann	4	M	[Lindsay Sanders Mann]
	Merrit Mann	18	M	[Silas Merritt Upchurch]
1870	Cape Fear Township, Chatham Co, NC			
	John Mann	67	M	[should be 47 – RPU]
	Candise Mann	55	F	[Canis Upchurch]
	James Mann	19	M	[James Frederick Mann]
	Linsay Mann	15	M	[Lindsay Sanders Mann]
1880	Cape Fear Township, Chatham Co, NC			
	John Mann	62	M	
	Candas Mann	70	F	[Candis Upchurch]
	Lindsay Mann	25	M	[Lindsay Sanders Mann]
	Rebecca Mann	18	F	[wife of Lindsay Mann – nee Rebecca Catherine Holt]
	Lemuel Mann	1	M	[son of Lindsay Mann]

**(5)** See letter 16 Feb 1986 Clayton Philip Mann to RPU

I do not know for sure that John Mann was born in 1825. I estimated his birth from NC Censuses. He died before 1900 and I am told by a few of my eldest relatives that he is buried at Christian Chapel Church near Merry Oaks, NC in an unmarked grave. My grand-uncle Garland Olander “Buck” Mann, who lives in Greensboro, NC says his middle initial was “T” probably standing for Thomas. He could be right. I don’t know.

John’s wife Candis (Upchurch) Mann lived at least until 1889. Her husband predeceased her.

**(no number)** See Biofile of Whitney Upchurch for Deed of Trust dated 14 Jan 1854 and Recorded in Book A-I, Page 187, Chatham Co, NC. – To RPU in Letter dated 08 Aug 1981 – from Nancy Crayton Dobbins. EXTRACT:

Details not 100% Clear – but **John Mann** appears to be indebted to William BIXXX for \$100 with Whitney Upchurch of Wake Co as Security and somehow to Anderson Holt of Chatham Co, NC. John Mann of Chatham Co, NC grants to Anderson Holt a Deed of Trust on a tract of land in Chatham Co., NC on Shadoxs Creek and on the Wake Co, NC Line – Richard Cotton line.

Witness: W. G. Womack

[Note: This tract is the same or close to Chatham Co., NC land owned by John Upchurch, III family about 1800 – RPU]

[John Mann homeplace, house standing is 3 – 4 miles north of County. Anderson Holt homeplace, house standing, is in Merry Oaks a few miles from Chatham Chapel Church.]