

Lineage from Francis Cooke to Rebecca Faunce Maxham

Francis Cooke was a passenger on the Mayflower, and it is easy to trace the path of his descendants to Rebecca Faunce. We know that Rebecca Faunce married Edmund Maxham, Jr. and one of their children was Silas Maxham.

The lineage is taken completely from *Mayflower Births and Deaths (Volume 1)* by Susan E. Rosser, Genealogical Publishing Company, Baltimore, 1992.

Page 316 states that Francis Cooke and his wife Hester Mahieu had five children in Plymouth, MA including a daughter Mary Cooke who was born between 1624 and May 22, 1627 and who died March 21, 1714.

Page 384 notes that Mary Cooke married John Tomson who was born about 1616 and died June 16, 1696 in Middleboro, MA. The couple had eleven children, including a daughter named Lydia Tomson who was born October 5, 1659 and died March 14, 1741 or 1742.

Page 384 states that Lydia Tomson married James Soule, and the lineage from this couple to Rebecca Faunce Maxham is given in *Lineage from George Soule to Rebecca Faunce Maxham*.

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FRANCIS COOKEMICRO #1 of 30

Francis COOKE, d. 7 Apr. 1663, Plymouth <MD 3:95><1>
 Hester MAHIEU, d. betw. 8 June 1666 - 18 Dec. 1675 <MD 3:103,242><2>
 CHILDREN OF Francis COOKE & Hester MAHIEU: (5)
 John COOKE², b. (); d. 23 Nov. 1695, Dartmouth <MD 2:116,3:33>
 Jane COOKE², b. pre 1613<2a>
 Jacob COOKE², b. c1618 (deposition) <MD 2:45>; d. betw. 11-18 Dec. 1675, Plymouth <MD 3:236>
 Hester COOKE², b. pre 22 May 1627 (cattle division); d. betw. 8 June 1666 - 7 Dec. 1675 (will of son John) <MD 3:105>
 Mary COOKE², b. betw. 1624 - 22 May 1627 <MD 1:149,3:98>; d. 21 Mar. 1714, Halifax g.s.

HESTER COOKE² (Francis¹)

Richard WRIGHT, d. 9 June 1691, Plymouth <MD 16:62>
 CHILDREN OF Richard WRIGHT & Hester COOKE²: (6) <Plymouth>
 Adam WRIGHT³, b. c1645, d. 20 Sept. 1724, 79th or 80th yr, Plympton g.s. <MD 1:178>
 John WRIGHT³, b. pre 1656; d. betw. 7 Dec. 1675 (will) - 7 June 1676 (prob.) <MD 3:105><3>
 Esther WRIGHT³, b. 1649, d. 28 May 1717, 68th yr <MD 16:121>
 Isaac WRIGHT³, b. 26 Aug. 1652 <MD 16:238>; d. betw. 7 Dec. 1675 - 7 June 1676, unkn.<3>
 Samuel WRIGHT³, b. (); d. betw. 7 Dec. 1675 - 7 June 1676, unkn.<3>
 Mary WRIGHT³, b. ()
 CHILDREN OF Eleazer DUNHAM & Bathsheba (): (9) <MD 1:141>
 Eleazer DUNHAM, b. 15 Jan. 1682
 Nathaniel DUNHAM, b. 20 Mar. 1685
 Mercy DUNHAM, b. 10 Dec. 1686
 Israel DUNHAM, b. Oct. 1689
 Elisha DUNHAM, b. Aug. 1692
 Josiah DUNHAM, b. June 1694
 Bathsheba DUNHAM, b. 26 Apr. 1696
 Susanna DUNHAM, b. June 1698
 Joshua DUNHAM, b. 1 Apr. 1701
 Sarah SOULE³ (John²), d. betw. 16 Mar. 1690/1 - 1699 <MD 4:160,11:242>
 CHILDREN OF Adam WRIGHT³ & 1st Sarah SOULE: (6) <MD 4:240>
 John WRIGHT⁴, b. c1680, d. 31 May 1774, 94th yr, Plympton g.s. <MD 11:197>
 Isaac WRIGHT⁴, b. Jan. 1685/6, d. 11 Jan. 1766, se 80 wanting 8 days, Plympton g.s. <MD 11:196>
 Rachel WRIGHT⁴, b. c1688, d. 7 Dec. 1779, 91st yr <Rochester VR 2:341>
 Mary WRIGHT⁴, b. (); d. aft. 14 Nov. 1738* <"E.H.W. notes">
 Sarah WRIGHT⁴, b. (); d. betw. 9 Apr. 1725 - 1738<4>
 Esther WRIGHT⁴, b. (); d. betw. 1 Oct. 1703 - Oct. 1706 (b. last child & hus. 2nd marr.)
 Mehitable BARROW, (dau of Robert), d. aft. 2 Nov. 1744 <MD 4:241>
 CHILDREN OF Adam WRIGHT³ & 2nd Mehitable BARROW: (4) <MD 4:240>
 Samuel WRIGHT⁴, b. c1699, d. 5 Jan. 1773, 74th yr, Plympton g.s. <MD 11:197>
 Moses WRIGHT⁴, b. pre 9 Apr. 1702*
 James WRIGHT⁴, b. aft. Apr. 1702*
 Nathan WRIGHT⁴, b. 12 May 1711 <MD 5:183>; d. pre 7 Apr. 1762 (adm.) <Plymouth Co.PR #23535>
 CHILDREN OF Isaac WRIGHT: <ChR. - unidentified>
 Rachel WRIGHT, b. 6 May 1733
 Isaac WRIGHT, b. 12 Sept. 1736

CHILD OF David KEMPTON⁷ & Joanna MAXFIELD:

David Batchelder KEMPTON⁸, b. 1818, d. 4 Mar. 1899, ae 80y10m7d, cirrhosis of liver, New Bedford
<Mass.VR 492:308>

CHILD OF Abner KIRBY⁶ (Justus⁵, Nath.⁴, Rob.³, Richard²⁻¹) & Thankful SOULE, (dau of Jos):

Phebe KIRBY, b. 18 Feb. 1798, d. 31 May 1880, New Bedford <Kirby Gen.:297>

MARY COOKE² (Francis¹)

John TOMSON, b. c1616, d. 16 June 1696, ~80th yr, Middleboro g.s. <MD 19:95>

CHILDREN OF John TOMSON & Mary COOKE²: (11) <5-10, Barnstable>

Adam TOMSON³, b. pre 26 Sept. 1646, d. c1648, ae about 1y6m

John TOMSON³, b. 1648, d. 11 Feb. 1648, Plymouth <MD 15:27,28>

John TOMSON³, b. 24 Nov. 1649, Plymouth <MD 16:121>; d. 25 Nov. 1725, Middleboro <MD 14:219>

Mary TOMSON³, b. () ; d. 3 May 1734* <Austin's Gen.Dict. RI:195>

Esther TOMSON³, b. 28 July 1652 <MD 14:86>; d. betw. 26 Oct. 1705 - 12 Sept. 1706 <MD 23:72,74>

Elizabeth TOMSON³, b. 28 Jan. 1654 <MD 14:86>

Sarah TOMSON³, b. 4 Apr. 1657 <MD 14:86>; d. ? 2 Dec. 1730*, ae 73, unkn. <134>

Lydia TOMSON³, b. 5 Oct. 1659 <MD 14:86>; d. 14 Mar. 1741/2, The Green Cem., Middleboro <MD 14:134>

Jacob TOMSON³, b. 24 Apr. 1662 <MD 14:86>; d. 1 Sept. 1726, Middleboro, g.s. <MD 14:219>

Thomas TOMSON³, b. 19 Oct. 1664 <MD 14:86>; d. 26 Oct. 1742, Halifax <MD 14:9><134a>

Peter TOMSON³, b. (), d. pre 29 Apr. 1731 (adm.) <MD 22:135>

Mercy TOMSON³, b. c1671, d. 19 Apr. 1756, 85th yr, Thompson St. Cem., Halifax <MD 14:8>

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Elizabeth THOMSON, wife of Tho., d. 24 Feb. 1779, ae 75, Plymouth g.s. <Kingman:51>

George D. THOMSON, d. 2 Apr. 1798, ae 24, Plymouth g.s. <Kingman:79>

James SOULE³ (John²), b. c1659, d. 27 Aug. 1744, 85th yr, The Green Cem., Middleboro <MD 14:134>

CHILDREN OF James SOULE & Lydia TOMSON³: (See micro #5 of Soule Family)

(NOTE: Line of descent for the following William Swift line has been changed to show descent from William Swift³, not Elizabeth Tomson³. This is not a Cooke Mayflower line.) <135>

William SWIFT³ (Wm. 2-1), b. 28 Aug. 1654, Sandwich <MD 14:173>; d. betw. 17 June 1700 (will) - 1 May 1701 (inv.) <MD 30:112>

CHILDREN OF William SWIFT³ & Elizabeth (): (10) <Sandwich VR; 3-10, MD 30:64>

William SWIFT, b. 24 Jan. 1679 <MD 14:172>; d. pre 13 Oct. 1750 (adm.) <Barnstable Co.FR 7:190>

Benjamin SWIFT, b. ? c1682*

Joseph SWIFT, b. Nov. 1687; d. betw. 13 Jan. 1755 (will) - 1 July 1760 (prob.) <Barnstable Co.FR 12:85,86>

Samuel SWIFT, b. Dec. 1690

Joanna SWIFT, b. 9 Mar. 169()

Thomas SWIFT, b. Dec. 169(); d. 24 Dec. 1770*, 79th yr, Old Parish Cem., Rochester

Elizabeth SWIFT, b. 11 Jan. 169()

Thankful SWIFT, b. 11 Jan. 1690/() (twins)

Josiah SWIFT, b. (no date); d. aft. 31 Mar. 1718* <Barnstable Co. Deed>

Rhenezer SWIFT, b. (no date)

CHILDREN OF Benjamin MOREY⁵ & Thankful SWIFT⁴ (Wm. 3): (See micro #26, Warren Family)

CHILDREN OF Benjamin SWIFT⁴ (Wm. 3) & Hannah WING: (4 of 7) <Sandwich VR, MD 30:104> <136>

Samuel SWIFT, b. 11 Sept. 1704

Mary SWIFT, b. 11 Oct. 1706

Content SWIFT, b. 12 Dec. 1708