

Ancestors of Alban and Frances Gredler (Grethler) Wick

Chapter IX of the 1993 Gehrlein Family History identifies Alban Wick as the German immigrant from Baden who settled near Erie, with his wife Frances Gredler Wick. Susan Sacco of Torrance, CA sent results that she had obtained regarding the ancestors of Alban and Frances Gredler Wick in Baden. The information that Sue Sacco found includes:

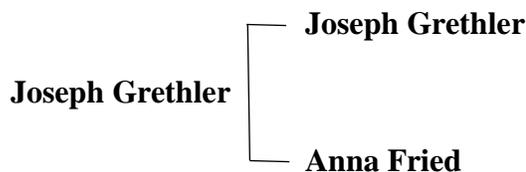
Landing records at New York show the listing for Alban Wick and Francesca Wick aboard the Ship Sagamore on September 17, 1836. The list of children travelling with them includes: Rosa (Age 9), Carl (Age 6), and Martin (Age 2).

A copy of the baptismal record for Franziska Grethler on 7 March, 1806 at the Catholic Church in Biengen, Baden, which identifies her parents as Joseph Grethler and Magdalena Aescher (Escher). Her parents are listed as passengers on the Sagamore, accompanied by their son Joseph Grethler and his family.

Alban Wick is shown as a resident of Biengen, Baden in 1831 as a witness at a christening.

Alban Wick's naturalization records appear in Erie County, PA under the name 'Aberon Wiggs'.

Records from Germany show the lineage of Frances Gredler's father Joseph Grethler as:



The following pages show the lineage of Frances Grethler's mother Magdalena Escher and a copy of Magdalena Escher's baptismal record.

William V. Gehrlein
January, 2015
Lewes, Delaware

Michael Escher
Died 10/8/1725
Merdingen, Baden

Sebastianus Escher
Born 12/24/1687
Died 1/5/1728
Merdingen, Baden

Ursula Maria Hinderegger

Michael Freund

Anna Freund
Born 4/1/1687
Died 4/25/1727
Merdingen, Baden

Anna Hauser

Fridolin Escher
Chr. 7/29/1718
Merdingen, Baden

Sebastian Escher
6/11/1741
Merdingen, Baden

Sebastian Weber

Anastasia Weber
Chr. 5/23/1713
Merdingen, Baden

Maria Frey

Magdalena Escher
Born March 1774
Merdingen, Baden

Josef Mayer

Magdalena Mayer
11/15/1740

Marie Schnurr

1806

Geburtsbuch Church, Biengen, Baden, G.E.R. 293

Jahr.	Monat	Hau- num- mer	Name	Religion		Geschlecht		Parents		God parents	
				Katholisch	Protestantisch	Mädchen	Jung	Vater	Mutter	Namen	Stand.
7. März			Franka Franziska Geylmann					Joseph Gretler	Magdalena Bauch	Joseph Bauch	Magdalena Bauch
			Wanda Wanda Wanda					Joseph Gretler	Magdalena Bauch	Joseph Bauch	Magdalena Bauch
			Joseph Gretler					Joseph Gretler	Magdalena Bauch	Joseph Bauch	Magdalena Bauch
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