

Descendants of Richard Bartram

Generation No. 1

1. RICHARD¹ BARTRAM was born in England, and died 1661 in Clifton, Derbyshire, England. He married MARY. She died 1672 in England.

Child of RICHARD BARTRAM and MARY is:

2. i. JOHN² BARTRAM, b. 1650, Derbyshire, England; d. November 01, 1697, Darby, Pennsylvania.

Generation No. 2

2. JOHN² BARTRAM (*RICHARD*¹) was born 1650 in Derbyshire, England, and died November 01, 1697 in Darby, Pennsylvania. He married ELIZABETH 1670 in Derbyshire, England. She died September 04, 1723 in Darby, Pennsylvania.

Notes for JOHN BARTRAM:

John, a Quaker, suffered a great deal of persecution in England culminating in his imprisonment for religious offenses. His wife's relatives freed him and immigrated to Penn's Colony in 1683 before there was a single house in Philadelphia. John and his family settled in Darby, PA west of Darby Creek.

More About JOHN BARTRAM:

Burial: Darby

Children of JOHN BARTRAM and ELIZABETH are:

- i. JOHN³ BARTRAM, b. 1670, Ashborne, Derbyshire, England; d. August 14, 1692, Darby, Pennsylvania.
- ii. ISAAC BARTRAM, b. 1672, Ashborne, Derbyshire, England; d. March 10, 1707/08, Darby, Pennsylvania.

Notes for ISAAC BARTRAM:

Isaac devised the homestead to his mother during life and then to his nephew John the Botanist

- 3. iii. WILLIAM BARTRAM, b. 1674, Ashborne, Derbyshire, England; d. September 22, 1711, Bogue Sound, White Oak River, Carteret County, North Carolina.
- iv. MARY BARTRAM, b. 1678, Ashborne, Derbyshire, England; m. JOHN WOOD, April 21, 1696, Darby, Pennsylvania.
- 4. v. ELIZABETH BARTRAM, b. July 08, 1684, Darby, Pennsylvania; d. November 15, 1732.

Generation No. 3

3. WILLIAM³ BARTRAM (*JOHN*², *RICHARD*¹) was born 1674 in Ashborne, Derbyshire, England, and died September 22, 1711 in Bogue Sound, White Oak River, Carteret County, North Carolina. He married (1) ELIZAH HUNT May 27, 1696 in Darby Meeting, daughter of JAMES HUNT and ELIZAH CHAMBERS. She was born Abt. 1676 in Bersted, Kent, England, and died October 21, 1701 in Darby. He married (2) ELIZABETH SMITH October 01, 1707 in Darby Meeting, daughter of WILLIAM SMITH and ELIZABETH. She was born March 17, 1689/90.

Notes for WILLIAM BARTRAM:

William Bartram received 200 acres in Darby Township from his father John. He served as Supervisor of Darby Township in 1706, and member of Provincial Assembly from Chester County in 1708.

December 22, 1709 he acquired 2 tracts of land on Bogue Sound, White Oak River, Carteret County, NC. In the fall of 1710 he moved his second wife and family to North Carolina. September 22, 1711, he was killed in an uprising of Tuscarora Indians. His wife Elizabeth and two children were taken hostage, but rescued and returned to Philadelphia

in late 1712.

More About ELIZAH HUNT:

Burial: Darby

Notes for ELIZABETH SMITH:

Married John Smith of Burlington, NJ in 1715

Children of WILLIAM BARTRAM and ELIZAH HUNT are:

5. i. JOHN⁴ BARTRAM, b. May 23, 1699, Darby, Pennsylvania; d. September 22, 1777, Kingsessing, Pennsylvania.
6. ii. JAMES BARTRAM, b. October 06, 1701, Darby, Pennsylvania; d. Aft. 1765.

Children of WILLIAM BARTRAM and ELIZABETH SMITH are:

7. iii. ELIZABETH⁴ BARTRAM, b. February 10, 1709/10; d. January 15, 1731/32.
- iv. WILLIAM BARTRAM, b. June 03, 1711, Darby, Pennsylvania; d. 1770, Ashwood, Bladen, North Carolina.

4. ELIZABETH³ BARTRAM (*JOHN², RICHARD¹*) was born July 08, 1684 in Darby, Pennsylvania, and died November 15, 1732. She married (1) JOHN CARTLEDGE November 05, 1705, son of EDMUND CARTLEDGE and MARY NEED. He was born May 25, 1684 in Ridings, Derbyshire, England, and died November 1722. She married (2) ANDREW CORNISH Aft. 1722. He died 1733.

More About JOHN CARTLEDGE:

Fact 2: Noted Indian Trader of Conestoga

Children of ELIZABETH BARTRAM and JOHN CARTLEDGE are:

8. i. EDMUND⁴ CARTLEDGE, b. 1712.
9. ii. MARY CARTLEDGE, b. November 16, 1719; d. March 29, 1815.

Generation No. 4

5. JOHN⁴ BARTRAM (*WILLIAM³, JOHN², RICHARD¹*) was born May 23, 1699 in Darby, Pennsylvania, and died September 22, 1777 in Kingsessing, Pennsylvania. He married (1) MARY MARIS April 25, 1723, daughter of RICHARD MARIS and ELIZABETH HAYES. She was born in Springfield Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania, and died 1727. He married (2) ANN MENDENHALL December 11, 1729, daughter of BENJAMIN MENDENHALL and ANN PENNELL. She was born September 22, 1703 in Concord, Delaware County, Pennsylvania, and died January 29, 1789 in Kingsessing, Pennsylvania.

More About JOHN BARTRAM:

Fact 1: Corresponded with Linnaeus

Fact 2: Close friend of Benjamin Franklin

Fact 3: Corresponded with the Queen of Sweden

Fact 4: Corresponded with Peter Collinson

Fact 5: 1765, Named Royal Botanist to King George III

Children of JOHN BARTRAM and MARY MARIS are:

- i. RICHARD⁵ BARTRAM, b. March 24, 1723/24; d. January 19, 1727/28.
- ii. ISAAC BARTRAM, b. November 17, 1725, Darby, Pennsylvania; d. June 22, 1801, Philadelphia; m. (1) SARAH ELFRETH, December 17, 1747; b. August 26, 1730; d. August 05, 1778; m. (2) MARY RENSHAW, 1779; b. 1730; d. March 18, 1818.

More About ISAAC BARTRAM:

Fact 1: Member of American Philosophical Society

Fact 2: Druggist in Philadelphia

Children of JOHN BARTRAM and ANN MENDENHALL are:

- iii. JAMES⁵ BARTRAM, b. August 25, 1730, Kingsessing, Pennsylvania; d. September 04, 1824; m. SARAH BUNTING, October 18, 1752; b. June 11, 1732; d. December 25, 1767.

More About JAMES BARTRAM:

Fact 1: Farmer in Kingsessing

Religion: Member of the Free Quakers

- iv. MOSES BARTRAM, b. August 16, 1732, Kingsessing, Pennsylvania; d. February 25, 1809, Philadelphia; m. ELIZABETH BUDD, July 10, 1764, Bank Meeting-House Philadelphia; b. 1742; d. July 09, 1808.

More About MOSES BARTRAM:

Fact 1: Sailor & Ship Captain

Fact 2: Apothecary in Philadelphia

Fact 3: Partner with Brother Isaac

Fact 4: Member of American Philosophical Society

Fact 5: Original member and trustee of Free Quaker Meeting

- v. ELIZABETH BARTRAM, b. October 27, 1734; d. Abt. 1735.

Notes for ELIZABETH BARTRAM:

Died in infancy

- vi. MARY BARTRAM, b. November 21, 1736, Kingsessing, Pennsylvania; d. August 05, 1817; m. BENJAMIN BONSALL, December 17, 1755; b. February 04, 1727/28; d. December 26, 1769.
- vii. WILLIAM BARTRAM, b. April 09, 1739, Kingsessing, Pennsylvania; d. July 22, 1823, Kingsessing, Pennsylvania.

Notes for WILLIAM BARTRAM:

Also a noted botanist, naturalist, traveler, and artist. Member of the American Philosophical Society. Accompanied his father John Bartram on a number of collecting expeditions. Went to Florida and the South in 1765, and again 1773-1777. Published "Travels..." in Philadelphia in 1791. First systematic ornithologist in North America, tutored Alexander Wilson.

More About WILLIAM BARTRAM:

Education: Bet. 1752 - 1756, Philadelphia Academy

- viii. ELIZABETH BARTRAM, b. April 09, 1739; d. October 29, 1824; m. WILLIAM WRIGHT, August 02, 1771; b. December 23, 1737; d. March 08, 1794.

Notes for ELIZABETH BARTRAM:

Twin sister of William Bartram.

More About ELIZABETH BARTRAM:

Burial: Wright family burial ground

More About WILLIAM WRIGHT:

Burial: Wright family burial ground

- ix. ANN BARBARA BARTRAM, b. August 24, 1741; d. February 16, 1824; m. GEORGE BARTRAM, January 06, 1764, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; b. February 06, 1734/35, Scotland; d. April 19, 1777.
- x. JOHN BARTRAM, b. December 24, 1743, Kingsessing, Pennsylvania; d. November 16, 1812, Kingsessing, Pennsylvania; m. ELIZAH HOWELL, May 09, 1771; b. July 03, 1751; d. December 15, 1784.

More About JOHN BARTRAM:

Burial: Darby

Fact 1: Botanist in Kingsessing

Fact 2: Farmer in Kingsessing

Religion: Member of the Free Quakers

- xi. BENJAMIN BARTRAM, b. September 06, 1748, Kingsessing, Pennsylvania; d. March 17, 1826; m. ELIZABETH HUNT, April 04, 1773; b. November 06, 1756; d. 1796.

More About BENJAMIN BARTRAM:

Fact 2: Farmer in Darby

6. JAMES⁴ BARTRAM (*WILLIAM³, JOHN², RICHARD¹*) was born October 06, 1701 in Darby, Pennsylvania, and died Aft. 1765. He married ELIZABETH MARIS September 30, 1725, daughter of RICHARD MARIS and ELIZABETH HAYES. She was born in Springfield Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania, and died 1771.

Notes for JAMES BARTRAM:
Cabinetmaker

Children of JAMES BARTRAM and ELIZABETH MARIS are:

- i. MARY⁵ BARTRAM, b. November 12, 1727; d. December 16, 1756; m. ISAAC HOWELL, November 21, 1745; b. March 17, 1721/22; d. 1797.
- ii. FEMALE BARTRAM, d. Bef. 1761.
- iii. MALE BARTRAM, d. Bef. 1761.

7. WILLIAM⁴ BARTRAM (*WILLIAM³, JOHN², RICHARD¹*) was born June 03, 1711 in Darby, Pennsylvania, and died 1770 in Ashwood, Bladen, North Carolina. He married ELIZABETH LOCKE, daughter of THOMAS LOCKE and SUSANNA. She died 1772.

Children of WILLIAM BARTRAM and ELIZABETH LOCKE are:

- i. WILLIAM⁵ BARTRAM, d. 1771.

Notes for WILLIAM BARTRAM:

He died of Yellow Fever just prior to his marriage; allegedly his fiancée was so broken hearted she jumped in the Cape Fear River and drowned; her ghost can be seen at the Bartram home in Ashwood;

- ii. SARAH BARTRAM, d. 1779; m. THOMAS BROWN, Abt. 1769; d. 1814.
- iii. MARY BARTRAM, b. July 08; d. October 26, 1799; m. (1) JAMES MOREHEAD; m. (2) THOMAS ROBESON, 1763; b. January 11, 1739/40; d. May 02, 1785.

8. EDMUND⁴ CARTLEDGE (*ELIZABETH³ BARTRAM, JOHN², RICHARD¹*) was born 1712. He married ELIZABETH KEBLE December 09, 1743. She was born 1728.

Children of EDMUND CARTLEDGE and ELIZABETH KEBLE are:

- i. SARAH⁵ CARTLEDGE, b. November 25, 1763; d. October 16, 1835; m. REUBEN BLANCHARD, 1777; b. 1758; d. March 08, 1790.
- ii. JAMES CARTLEDGE, b. September 18, 1755; d. April 09, 1845; m. REBECCA AYRES, 1784; b. 1765; d. September 11, 1836.

9. MARY⁴ CARTLEDGE (*ELIZABETH³ BARTRAM, JOHN², RICHARD¹*) was born November 16, 1719, and died March 29, 1815. She married WILLIAM WRIGHT 1733. He was born Abt. 1716, and died November 13, 1765.

Children of MARY CARTLEDGE and WILLIAM WRIGHT are:

- i. HANNAH⁵ WRIGHT, b. January 23, 1733/34; m. JOHN POSTLEWAITE, 1759; b. January 23, 1733/34; d. Abt. 1766.
- ii. JOHN WRIGHT, b. May 31, 1736; m. CAROLYN FRAZER, October 02, 1762.
- iii. WILLIAM WRIGHT, b. December 23, 1737; d. March 08, 1794; m. ELIZABETH BARTRAM, August 02, 1771; b. April 09, 1739; d. October 29, 1824.

More About WILLIAM WRIGHT:
Burial: Wright family burial ground

Notes for ELIZABETH BARTRAM:
Twin sister of William Bartram.

More About ELIZABETH BARTRAM:
Burial: Wright family burial ground

- iv. MARY WRIGHT, b. November 05, 1739.
- v. ELIZABETH WRIGHT, b. November 16, 1741; m. JAMES BARBER, December 15, 1768.
- vi. ELINORE WRIGHT, b. August 25, 1743.
- vii. ANN WRIGHT, b. June 25, 1745.
- viii. JAMES WRIGHT, b. December 03, 1747; d. 1808; m. DOROTHEA WAGGONER.

- ix. JOSEPH WRIGHT, b. November 06, 1750; m. (1) MARY RAY; m. (2) CATHARINE LEEK.
- x. THOMAS WRIGHT, b. March 23, 1757; d. 1826.
- xi. MARY WRIGHT, b. March 09, 1760; m. (1) JOHN PATTON, December 23, 1777; m. (2) JOHN MAY, March 04, 1788.