

# Descendants of William Johnston

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## Generation 1

### 1. William Johnston-1.

Hannah McCartney was born in 1786.

William Johnston and Hannah McCartney were married in 1843 in New York City, New York. They had the following children:

2. i. **Sarah Johnston** was born in 1823 in New York City, New York. She married Robert P. Aitkens on 19 Mar 1843 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI. She died in 1886.
3. ii. **Matilda Johnstone** was born on 17 May 1827 in New York City, New York. She married Jabez Bigelow Blackington on 12 Dec 1850. She died on 07 Jan 1887 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.

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## Generation 2

### 2. Sarah Johnston-2 (William-1) was born in 1823 in New York City, New York. She died in 1886.

**Robert P. Aitkens** son of William Aitkens was born in 1819 in Mt. Guemsey, Fulton Co., New York. He died on 03 Apr 1905 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.

Robert P. Aitkens and Sarah Johnston were married on 19 Mar 1843 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI. They had the following children:

- i. **Mrs. John McKercher Aitkens.**
- ii. **William H. Aitkens** was born in 1843. He died on 16 May 1873 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.
- iii. **Robert H. Aitkens** was born in 1849.
- iv. **Grace Aitkens** was born on 19 Aug 1852 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan. She died on 01 Mar 1920 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan.
- v. **David Demorest Aitkens** was born in 1854.
- vi. **Annie Aitkens** was born in Jan 1858.
- vii. **Jennie Aitkens** was born in Feb 1861.
- viii. **Jane Aitkens** was born in 1862.

### 3. Matilda Johnstone-2 (William-1) was born on 17 May 1827 in New York City, New York. She died on 07 Jan 1887 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.

**Jabez Bigelow Blackington** son of William Blackinton and Ann Bigelow was born on 14 Jun 1815 in New Lebanon, New York. He died on 21 Jun 1883 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.

Jabez Bigelow Blackington and Matilda Johnstone were married on 12 Dec 1850. They had the following children:

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4. i. **William J. Blackington** was born on 27 Feb 1853 in Lyone, Michigan. He married Ivy Till on 23 Jan 1879 in Burton, Genesee Co., Michigan<sup>[2]</sup>.
- ii. **Robert Aitkens Blackington** was born on 10 Mar 1855 in Tyrone, Livingston Co., MI. He married Rosetta B. Nessel on 07 Sep 1893 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI<sup>[3]</sup>. He died on 21 Jan 1925 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.
5. iii. **Anna Blackington**<sup>[4]</sup> was born in 1857 in Michigan. She married Joseph McGlinchy on 12 Mar 1878 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI<sup>[5]</sup>.
- iv. **Charlie Blackington** was born in 1858 in Flint, Genesee Co, MI. He died on 29 Mar 1859 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.
- v. **Sara J. Blackington** was born in 1860. She died on 25 Feb 1860.
6. vi. **Charles Blackington** was born in 1860. He married Tessie H. Persons in 1884 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI. He died on 02 Jun 1942 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.
- vii. **Henry Blackington** was born in 1863. He died on 15 Jun 1870.
7. viii. **Sarah F. Blackington** was born on 22 Oct 1864 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI. She married Walter Cronk Persons on 02 Dec 1885 in Flint, Michigan. She died on 23 Jan 1947 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.
- ix. **George Blackington** was born on 01 Mar 1869 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI. He died on 16 Nov 1873 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI<sup>[6]</sup>.

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### Generation 3

4. **William J. Blackington-3 (Matilda-2, William-1)** was born on 27 Feb 1853 in Lyone, Michigan.

#### Ivy Till.

William J. Blackington and Ivy Till were married on 23 Jan 1879 in Burton, Genesee Co., Michigan<sup>[2]</sup>. They had the following children:

- i. **George W. Blackington** was born on 28 Dec 1880 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI<sup>[7]</sup>.
- ii. **Eva B. Blackington** was born on 21 Aug 1882 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI<sup>[8]</sup>.
- iii. **Walter J. Blackington** was born on 05 Jan 1888 in Otter Lake. He married Cecila Blakely on 14 Nov 1908 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI<sup>[9]</sup>. He died on 03 Jun 1957 in Alpena, Michigan.
- iv. **Joseph Robert Blackington** was born on 31 Oct 1893 in Otter Lake, Lapeer Co., Michigan. He married Lucy McCallum on 13 Dec 1929 in Lansing, Ingham, Michigan<sup>[10]</sup>. He died on 19 Jun 1980 in Monrovia, Los Angeles, California.

5. **Anna Blackington-3 (Matilda-2, William-1)**<sup>[4]</sup> was born in 1857 in Michigan.

**Joseph McGlinchy** was born in 1856 in Michigan.

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Joseph McGlinchy and Anna Blackington were married on 12 Mar 1878 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI<sup>[5]</sup>. They had the following children:

i. **Edith McGlinchy** was born in 1883 in Michigan.

6. **Charles Blackington-3** (Matilda-2, William-1) was born in 1860. He died on 02 Jun 1942 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.

**Tessie H. Persons** daughter of Marvin Persons and Catherine Smith was born in 1861. She died on 06 Dec 1937 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.

Charles Blackington and Tessie H. Persons were married in 1884 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI. They had the following children:

8. i. **Jabez Guy Blackington** was born on 30 Mar 1885 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI<sup>[11]</sup>.

ii. **Marvin Blackington** was born on 03 Mar 1893 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI<sup>[12]</sup>. He died on 16 Mar 1893 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI<sup>[13]</sup>.

7. **Sarah F. Blackington-3** (Matilda-2, William-1) was born on 22 Oct 1864 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI. She died on 23 Jan 1947 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.

**Walter Cronk Persons** son of Marvin Brace Persons I and Catherine Smith was born on 06 May 1863. He died on 07 Feb 1906 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.

Walter Cronk Persons and Sarah F. Blackington were married on 02 Dec 1885 in Flint, Michigan. They had the following children:

9. i. **Matilda C. Persons** was born on 12 Mar 1892 in Lennon, Michigan. She married Hamilton Vane Patterson Sr. on 18 Jun 1913 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan. She died on 07 Aug 1955 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan.

ii. **Anna Persons** was born on 07 Jul 1896 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI. She married Howard Handley on 12 Oct 1946.

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### Generation 4

8. **Jabez Guy Blackington-4** (Charles-3, Matilda-2, William-1) was born on 30 Mar 1885 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI<sup>[11]</sup>.

**Mary Kuykendal Willett** daughter of Frank Eberly Willett and Mary Florence Orrell was born on 15 Apr 1886 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.

Jabez Guy Blackington and Mary Kuykendal Willett married. They had the following children:

i. **Mary Ann Blackington.**

10. ii. **Esther Blackinton** was born on 31 Oct 1911 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI. She married William Mair Russell II on 13 Jun 1936.

11. iii. **James G. Blackington** was born on 29 Jan 1915 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI. He married Lucia Ruth Severson on 09 Apr 1918.

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### Generation 4 (con't)

9. **Matilda C. Persons-4** (Sarah F.-3, Matilda-2, William-1) was born on 12 Mar 1892 in Lennon, Michigan. She died on 07 Aug 1955 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan.

**Hamilton Vane Patterson Sr.** son of Charles Edwin Patterson and Ida Tripp was born on 09 Sep 1892 in Caro, Tuscola Co., Michigan. He died on 09 Aug 1947 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan.

Hamilton Vane Patterson Sr. and Matilda C. Persons were married on 18 Jun 1913 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan. They had the following children:

12. i. **Hamilton Vane Patterson Jr.** was born on 07 Mar 1914 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan. He married Majorie May Dobbs on 24 Oct 1936 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan. He died on 10 Jul 1985 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan.
13. ii. **Frances Jo Ann Patterson** was born on 10 Apr 1932 in Flint, Michigan. She married Geoge Brent Nelson on 17 Jun 1954 in New Bern, North Carolina. She died on 17 Mar 1980 in New Bern, North Carolina.

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### Generation 5

10. **Esther Blackinton-5** (Jabez Guy-4, Charles-3, Matilda-2, William-1) was born on 31 Oct 1911 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.

**William Mair Russell II** was born on 20 Jul 1911 in Glasgow, Scotland.

William Mair Russell II and Esther Blackinton were married on 13 Jun 1936. They had the following children:

- i. **William Mair Russell III** was born on 28 Jun 1939. He married Charlotte Brown on 04 Aug 1962.
- ii. **Charles Andrew Russell** was born on 29 Oct 1941. He married Nancy Jean Tussey on 11 Aug 1962.

11. **James G. Blackington-5** (Jabez Guy-4, Charles-3, Matilda-2, William-1) was born on 29 Jan 1915 in Flint, Genesee Co., MI.

**Lucia Ruth Severson** was born on 09 Apr 1918.

James G. Blackington and Lucia Ruth Severson were married on 09 Apr 1918. They had the following children:

- i. **James Grant Blackington** was born on 01 Aug 1943.
- ii. **Arthur Drake Blackington** was born on 11 Nov 1945.
- iii. **Mary Beth Blackington** was born on 12 Jan 1951.

12. **Hamilton Vane Patterson Jr.-5** (Matilda C.-4, Sarah F.-3, Matilda-2, William-1) was born on 07 Mar 1914 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan. He died on 10 Jul 1985 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan.

**Majorie May Dobbs** daughter of Wallace E. Dobbs and Florence May Sanborn was born on 14 Nov 1913 in Mentor, Lake Co., Ohio. She died on 06 Aug 1980 in Cleveland, Ohio.

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## Generation 5 (con't)

Hamilton Vane Patterson Jr. and Majorie May Dobbs were married on 24 Oct 1936 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan. They had the following children:

- i. **Lawrence Vane Patterson** was born on 17 Nov 1942 in East Tawas, Michigan. He married Sandra Kay Keyser on 26 Jul 1974 in Bay City, Bay County, Michigan<sup>[14]</sup>.
- ii. **Robert Bruce Patterson** was born on 30 Jul 1949. He married Deborah Nichols on 09 Dec 1972 in Saginaw, Saginaw Co., Michigan.

### Frances Thomas.

Hamilton Vane Patterson Jr. and Frances Thomas were married in 1981. They had no children.

13. **Frances Jo Ann Patterson-5** (Matilda C.-4, Sarah F.-3, Matilda-2, William-1) was born on 10 Apr 1932 in Flint, Michigan. She died on 17 Mar 1980 in New Bern, North Carolina.

**Geoge Brent Nelson** was born on 07 Dec 1929 in New Bern, North Carolina. He died on 05 Mar 1986 in New Bern, North Carolina.

Geoge Brent Nelson and Frances Jo Ann Patterson were married on 17 Jun 1954 in New Bern, North Carolina. They had the following children:

- i. **George Brent Nelson Jr** was born on 23 Feb 1956 in New Bern, North Carolina. He married Regina Joyce Boehm on 24 Oct 1987 in New Bern, North Carolina.
- ii. **Gregory Neil Nelson** was born on 08 May 1957 in New Bern, North Carolina. He married Georgia Payne Small on 05 Sep 1981 in New Bern, North Carolina.

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