

This copied from a Record made by John A Harper

A Family Record from the days of my great Grand Father unto this day March 30th 1871. viz

John Harper son to James Harper and Janet Lewis was born in Ireland in the County of Derry and Parish of Newtownamivaddy the 10th day of August 1705.

Came to America in October 1720. with his Father & mother who had at that time five Children viz.

three sons, and two daughters: Anne the eldest married to James Miller in Ireland Joseph the eldest son married Merrou Thompsea in Milton near Boston. William second son died unmarried.

Sarah. second daughter married to John Montgomery in Hopkinton near Boston.

They arrived at Casco Bay in New England and settled there. but the Indians, making war two or three years after their arrival the whole family except John moved to Boston; John served near four years against the Indians, afterwards came to Boston also; and was married by the Rev Samuel Barrot the 8th day of November 1728 to Abigail Montgomery daughter of Mr Montgomery and Mary Allen in Hopkinton; who came from Kellallo in the County of Mayo in Ireland and at Casco Bay in the year 1719. and was driven off by the war as above, and settled in Hopkinton in New England where John & Abigail we married.

William Harper their eldest son was born in Modder Island at Boston in New England 14th September 1729 and recorded in the Town Records

office and was baptized by the Rev Mr Leland.

James Harper 2^d son was born in Boston 26th of March 1731. Recorded as above & baptized by the Rev Mr Moorhead

Mary Harper was born in Boston 23^d of June 1733 baptized by Rev Mr Moorhead,

John Harper 3^d son was born in Boston 31st of May 1734. baptized by the Rev Mr Moorhead

Margaret Harper born in Boston and died in the 2^d year of her age Margaret Harper the 2^d was born

in Boston 7th of Feby 1739 and was, baptized by the Rev Mr Moorhead Joseph Harper 4th son was, born

in Middletown in Connecticut 14th of Feby 1742.

Recorded in the Town Clerks office and baptized by the Rev Mr Russell

Alexander Harper 5th son was, born in Middletown 22^d of February in the year 1744. Recorded in the

Town Clerks Office and baptized by the Rev Mr Russell. Abigail Harper was born in Middletown

July 1745. Recorded in the town Clerks office and baptized by the Rev Mr Russell

Miriam Harper was, born in Windsor in Connecticut the 14th of Feby 1749. Baptized by

the Rev Mr Edwards. John Harper removed from Windsor in Connecticut to Cherry Valley

in Albany County New York Colony with all his family in October 1754. James Harper

2^d son to John & Abigail Harper departed this life by the small pox 25th of March 1760 in

the 29th year of his age interred in the burying yard in Cherry Valley. Abigail wife of

John Harper the mother of this family departed this mortal life at his house at the Beaverdam Cherry Valley 20th of

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at the Newardam Cherry Valley 20 of
December 1767 in the 59th year of her age
by a consumption and was interred by her
2nd son James on his right side in the burying
ground in Cherry Valley:

+ John Harper the
father of this family departed this life the
20th of April 1785. at Harpersfield, ^{Albany Co. N.Y.} being aged
79 years, eight months, & 21 days, and was
buried by his children in the burying ground
at Harpersfield. William Harper the eldest
son was married in Albany 13th of April 1760
by the Rev Mr Ogden to Maryann Williams,
Maryann Galt: 3rd daughter of this family
departed this life at Cherry Valley 25th of
August 1787. Mary Moore the eldest
daughter of this family departed this life at
Milford Otsego County the 10th of April 1798.
Alexander Harper the 3rd son of this family
departed this life the 10th of September 1798. at
Harpersfield Ashtabuta County State of Ohio.
Joseph Harper departed this life May 16th
1805 in Harpersfield Ashtabuta County Ohio.
Marian McFarland died April 28th 1813
in Harpersfield Ohio. John Harper died
November 20th 1810. in Harpersfield New York
aged 76 years 5 months & 10 days.
Elizabeth Harper wife of Alexander Harper died
June 11th 1833. in Harpersfield Ashtabuta County
Ohio. Alexander Harper father of this family
born Feby 22nd 1744. and was married to
Elizabeth Partholomeu July 30th 1771. Elizabeth
was born Feby 13th 1749 in the town of Bethlehem
County of Huntington & State of New Jersey

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Margaret Harper daughter of Alexander and Elizabeth was, born June 12th 1772 in Harpersfield State of New York. John A Harper born ~~March 30th 1772~~ 1774 in Harpersfield New York. James A Harper born May 6th 1776. in Harpersfield New York William A Harper born January 13th 1779. in Harpersfield New York. Elizabeth Harper born Febry 24th 1784 in Harpersfield New York. Mary Harper born March 24th 1786 in Harpersfield New York Alexander A Harper born Sept 5th 1788. in Harpersfield New York. Robert A Harper born May 16th 1791 in Harpersfield New York.

The above families use the letter A for a distinction between the families, the letter A signifying the fathers given name Towit: "Alexander"

James A Harper died September A.D. 1870

William A Harper died January 2nd 1820

Mary A. Harper ^{Harper} died May 9th 1820

Alexander A. died September 12th 1833

John A. Harper died October 30th 1841 and was buried in Harpersfield Ohio

Robert A Harper died Dec. 12th 1851 & was buried in Harpersfield Ohio.

Elizabeth Tappan died in Woodstock 78th Henry County state of Illinois.

Margaret Wheeler died in Portage City Columbia County Wisconsin,

June 26 18~~76~~
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John A Harper son of Alexander & Elizabeth Harper was born March 30th 1774 and married to Louisa Harris Dec 27th A.D. 1802 Louisa Harris was born Dec 20th 1787.

Rice Harper son of John A. & Louisa was born November 28th 1803 in Madison Township and State of Ohio.

Julius A Harper was born August 12th 1805

Luska Harper was born November 3rd 1807

Alice Harper was born April 13th 1810

Carrie Harper was born December 4th 1812

Alexander Harper was born June 4th 1815

Addison Harper was born January 5th 1818

Caroline Harper was born May 25th 1820

Louisa Elizabeth Harper was born September 14th 1822

Alexander Harper son of this family died May 15 1827. Sarah Barber the mother of this family died Aug 27 1823. & was buried in the burying ground in Harpersfield Ashland Co. O. John A Harper the father of this family was married to Lezuthia Harris of Solon ^{Ohio} April 5 1824 Lezuthia was born March 10 1782. Carrie Harper wife of John A & Sarah Harper died Sept 14 1857 in Perry Lake, O. aged 41 years, 8 months & was buried in Harpersfield Ashland Co. Ohio. Addison Perry died July 19 1857 at Jackson Elkhardt Co Ind aged 35. Lezuthia Harper the 2nd wife of John A. Harper died in Harpersfield O. August 27 1857 aged 73 years 5 months & 17 days. Alexander Harper son of John A & Lezuthia was born Sept 25th A.D. 1829 in Perry Lake, O. & was married to Jane Harper daughter of Robert A Harper & Polly Harper April 6 1852.

Suska Harper Tisdale daughter of John A & Sarah Harper died August 22 1883 in Walnut-Crawford Co. Kansas

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Julia Ann Harper Elderly Daughter of John
H. & Sarah Miss Harper died Nov 5th 1896. =
aged 91 years. 2 months & 23 days. = at the residence
of A. J. Harper in Harpersfield. A. S. H. Co. C.

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