

James Strong and Mary Immenheiser

The following are the facts we know or guess about the life of James Strong Sr. and his wife Mary Immenheiser. All known facts about James Strong Sr. are bold, all possible connections in regular.

- 1727 Schim Strang tombstone; age 77 years, one month and three weeks.
- 2 Nov. 1763 James Strong marries Mary Immenheiser in St. James Episcopal Church; Lancaster, Lancaster, Penn.**
- 11 Feb. 1765 John Strong born, Lancaster, Lancaster, Penn in the First Reformed Church to James and Magdalena Strong**
- 16 Feb. 1765 James Strong born
- 11 Jan 1768 Francis Henry born, Lancaster, Lancaster, Penn in the First Reformed Church to James and Magdalena Strong**
- 13 Sept. 1769 Adam born, Lancaster, Lancaster, Penn. In the First Reformed Church to James and Magdalena.**
- 1775 Revolutionary War Service, James Strong, Windsor, York County, Pennsylvania.
- 1776 Warrant of 30 acres. John Strong, Germany Township.
- 1777-1778 Revolutionary War service, Schim Strang Windsor, York County, Pennsylvania.
- 1778 (April) Revolutionary War service, James Strong, Hellam Township, York Country, Penn.
- April 2, 1779 Rev. War Service, James Strong, born North Ireland, 1743, Cumberland Co. service under Capt. Israel Caron's company of Artillery, died Steubenville OH 1818
- 1779 Tax list, Windsor, York Co, Pennsylvania: James Phillip Born, Chanceford, York Co., Penn: James and Magdalena. St. Lukes, Stahley Lutheran Church**

- 1780** **Membership St. Luke's Stahley Lutheran Church, Chanceford, York Co., Penn. James and Mary
Census, York County - James Sr. and James Jr.**
- 1781** **Tax List; Chanceford Township, York Co., Penn. James Strong
Maria Magdalena born 11 Aug., 1781, St. Luke's Stahley
Lutheran Church, Chanceford, York Co., Penn.**
- January 1777-78** **Rev. War Service, Chanceford Twp., York Co., Penn.
James Strong - James and Maria Magdalina**
- 1783** **John Strong working in a mine as a young man, Germany Twp,**
- Dec. 18, 1783** **Johan Jacob born, St. Luke's Stahley Lutheran Church,
Chanceford, York Co., Penn.**
- 1787** **Tax List, Windsor Twp., York Co., Penn., James Strong**
- *1790** **Tax List, Windsor Twp., York Co., Penn., James Strong
Warrant of land James Strong Jr. to James Strong Sr. Windsor
Twp., York Co., Penn.
Census: Windsor Twp., York Co., Penn., James Strong**
- 1792** **Tax Record, Windsor Twp., York Co., Penn., James Strong
*James Strong Jr. marries Catherine Hauer, Chanceford Twp.
York Co., Penn.**
- 1793** **Tax List, James Sr. and James Jr., Windsor Twp., York Co.,
Penn.**
- June 16, 1793** **Maria Barbara born to James Jr. and Catherine
Chanceford Twp., York Co., Penn.**
- 1795** **Property List. James Strong Sr., Windsor Twp., York Co., Penn.**
- June 16, 1796** **Daughter born, Schim Strang, Chanceford Twp., York
Co., Penn.**
- 1797** **Tax List; James Strong Sr. and James Strong Jr., Windsor Twp.,
York Co., Penn.**

- 1804** **James Strong and Mary, abstract of will., Windsor Twp., York Co., Penn. Jacob Strong administrator.**
Schim Strang, Tombstone, Canadochly Cemetery, Lower Windsor, York Co., Penn.
- 1810** **Jacob Strong, brother of James Jr. and son of James Strong Sr. land deed**

Conclusions and Questions

A. *Conclusions:*

- 1. Samuel Strong (DNA Test) located in Ohio, he traveled there from Center County and Mifflin County in central Pennsylvania. He is related to our James Strong. Probably the son of John Strong born 1765.**
- 2. There are at least 3 different James Strong's in York County, Penn., during this time period.**
- 3. Our James Strong Sr. moved from Lancaster, Lancaster Co., Penn to York Country, Penn., then James Jr. moved to Indiana County, Penn. (1803)**
- 4. James Strong Sr. had 8 children, at least 2 of them female. (will) We only can name one female.**

B. Questions

- 1. Was Schim Strang born 1727 really James Strong Sr.?**
- 2. Were James Strong Jr. and John Strong the same person.? (Not possible if Samuel Strong from John).**
- 3. Where did we get the birth date of James Strong Jr.? (16 Feb. 1765)**
- 4. If John Strong and James Strong Jr. are different people, how could they be born only 5 days apart?**

5. Which Revolutionary War soldier(s) belong to our family?
6. Who was Jacob Strong (executor of James Strong Sr. will)?
7. Who was Samuel Strong (DNA), son of James Sr., or grandson of James Sr.?
8. Was Schim Strang an entirely different person and family living in Penn.?
9. Who was the James Strong who died in Steubenville, OH?
10. Elizabeth Strong, need to find correct birth record, June 16, 1796 an assumption, not proven. (Daughter of James Strong Jr.)
11. Are Mary Strong, Magdelina Strong, Maria Magdalena and Margaret Strong the same person?
12. If James Strong and Schim Strang are the same person, why are both listed in the Revolutionary War enlistments?
13. Where is the wedding record of James Strong Jr. and Catherine Hauer?
14. Who is James Strong and Margaret Strong church membership on May 21, 1814?
15. Who is James Strong Sr. and James Strong Jr. listed on list for Windsor County for 20 Jany, 1835; 11 July 1864 and 11 Nov. 1865?

Assumptions:

1. There was more than one James Strong family in York Co.
2. DNA cousin needs to be helped to further connect her to James Strong Sr.
3. We are a long way from finding all eight correct children of James Sr. and Mary Immenheiser.
4. At least some of the data we have about James Sr. is incorrect.
5. Continued limited research still needs to be done on this lline.