

Father John Rakes-1081¹

County Formation-County Created	1 May 1761	Virginia Historical Events -9229; Created - Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ²
Birth	abt 1775	Walton Fork, Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ³
Tax Records-Witness	1775	William Rakes-3180; Buckingham County, Virginia, United States
Tax Records	Jul 1780	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ⁴
County Formation-History	1 Sep 1792	Kentucky County Formations -9227; Washington County, Kentucky, United States
Tax Records	30 Aug 1798	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ⁵
Tax Records	10 Aug 1799	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ⁶
Tax Records	22 Aug 1800	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ⁷⁻⁸
Tax Records	8 Aug 1801	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ⁹
Tax Records	9 Apr 1802	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹⁰
Tax Records	8 Aug 1803	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹¹
Tax Records	Apr 1804	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹²
Tax Records	8 Apr 1805	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹³
Tax Records	26 Aug 1806	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹⁴
Tax Records	Aug 1807	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹⁵
Tax Records	1808	No (PP) Tax Records this year; Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹⁶
Tax Records	10 Apr 1809	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹⁷
Census	1810	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹⁸
Tax Records	12 Mar 1810	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹⁹
Census	6 Aug 1810	Caroline County, Maryland, United States ²⁰
Tax Records	11 Mar 1811	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ²¹
Tax Records	9 Mar 1812	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ²²
Residence	bet 1813 and 1814	Walton Fork, Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ²³
Property	from 1813 to 1814	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ²⁴
Tax Records	1813	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ²⁵

Tax Records	12 Apr 1813	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States²⁶
Tax Records	1814	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States²⁷
Tax Records	2 May 1814	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States²⁸
Milit-Beg	29 Oct 1814	Camp Carter; Richmond, Richmond (Independent City), Virginia, United States²⁹⁻³³
Tax Records	1815	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States
Tax Records	1815	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States³⁴
Milit-End	21 Feb 1815	Virginia, United States
Tax Records	1816	No (PP) Tax Records this year; Buckingham County, Virginia, United States
Property	1816	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States³⁵
Tax Records	1816	Washington County, Kentucky, United States³⁶
Tax Records	1817	Washington County, Kentucky, United States³⁷
County Formation-History	1818	Virginia Historical Events -9229; Maysville, Buckingham County, Virginia, United States³⁸
Tax Records	1819	Washington County, Kentucky, United States³⁹
Census	7 Aug 1820	Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁴⁰
Tax Records	1821	Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁴¹
Land Grant	14 Mar 1822	Payment Receipt for Survey K LW # 8501; Kentucky, United States⁴²
Land Grant	14 Mar 1822	Payment Receipt for Survey K LW # 8502; Kentucky, United States⁴³
Land Grant	14 Mar 1822	Warrant for Survey K LW # 8501; Kentucky, United States⁴⁴
Land Grant	14 Mar 1822	Warrant for Survey K LW # 8502; Kentucky, United States⁴⁵
Land Grant	19 Sep 1823	Survey K LW # 8501; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁴⁶⁻⁴⁷
Land Grant	19 Sep 1823	Survey K LW # 8502; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁴⁸⁻⁴⁹
Land Grant	14 Jun 1824	Patent for Survey K LW # 8501; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁵⁰

Father John Rakes-1081**Mother****Children**

John Rakes-1081 (continued)		
Land Grant	14 Jun 1824	Patent for Survey K LW # 8502; Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁵¹
Tax Records	1825	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁵²
Tax Records	1826	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁵³
Tax Records	1827	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁵⁴
Tax Records	1828	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁵⁵
Tax Records	1829	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁵⁶
Research Note-Family Member	1830	Jane Radford 146-9323; Powhatan County, Virginia, United States ⁵⁷
Tax Records	1830	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁵⁸
Land Grant	29 Jan 1830	Payment Receipt for Survey K LW # 21047; Kentucky, United States ⁵⁹
Land Grant	5 Feb 1830	Warrant for Survey K LW # 21047; Kentucky, United States ⁶⁰
Census	1 Jun 1830	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁶¹
Court-Plaintiff	Oct 1830	George Radford 118-9365; Chancery Court; Powhatan County, Virginia, United States ⁶²
Land Grant	9 Mar 1832	Survey K LW # 21047; Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁶³
Tax Records	1833	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁶⁴
County Formation-History	1 Mar 1834	Kentucky County Formations -9227; Marion County, Kentucky, United States
Tax Records	1834	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁶⁵
Tax Records	1835	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁶⁶
Tax Records	1836	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁶⁷
Tax Records	1837	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁶⁸
Land Grant	29 Jan 1837	Patent for survey K LW # 21047; Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁶⁹
Tax Records	1840	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁷⁰

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Census	1 Jun 1840	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁷¹
Tax Records	1841	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁷²
Tax Records	1842	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁷³
Tax Records	1843	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁷⁴
Tax Records	1844	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁷⁵
Tax Records	1845	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁷⁶
Tax Records	1846	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁷⁷
Tax Records	1847	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁷⁸
Tax Records	1848	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁷⁹
Tax Records	1849	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁸⁰
Census-Family Member	7 Sep 1850	William Rakes-1106; Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁸¹
Legal	21 Apr 1855	Power of Attorney; Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁸²
Land Grant	21 Apr 1855	Additional Bounty Land Grant; Kentucky, United States ⁸³
Tax Records	1856	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁸⁴
Land Grant	1 May 1856	Land Grant; Kentucky, United States ⁸⁵
Death	abt 1857	Rakes Branch, Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁸⁶
Burial	1857	Old Dry Cemetery/Pioneer Cemetery, Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁸⁷
Tax Records	1857	No Tax Record for this year; Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁸⁸
Tax Records	1858	John not listed in this tax record; Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁸⁹
Census	1860	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁹⁰
Property	7 Dec 1867	Family selling property of John Rakes; Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁹¹
County Formation-History	26 Feb 1869	Virginia Historical Events -9229; Burned - Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ⁹²
Death-Mentioned	7 Mar 1885	John Rakes Jr-1086; Jefferson Township, Putnam County, Indiana, United States ⁹³⁻⁹⁴
Census	1960	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁹⁵

Alt. Name	Johnny Rakes ⁹⁶
Alt. Name	Johnney Raikes ⁹⁶
Alt. Name	John Carter Rakes ⁹⁷
Ref #	R1087
Alt. Name	John Rakes Sr ⁹⁸
Research Note	Research Notes ⁹⁹⁻¹⁰⁶
Marriage	abt 1802 Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹⁰⁷
Father	William Rakes-3180 (1748-1831)
Mother	Elizabeth [Not Proven]-9526 (-)

Mother Nancy Saunders-1082¹⁰⁸

Dis-proven	11 Mar 1784	Wentworth, Guilford County, North Carolina, United States ¹⁰⁹⁻¹¹²
Birth	abt 1785	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹¹³
Alt. Name		Nancy Rakes
Census-Family Member	7 Aug 1820	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁴⁰
Research Note-Family Member	1830	Jane Radford 146-9323; Powhatan County, Virginia, United States ⁵⁷
Census-Family Member	1 Jun 1830	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁶¹
Court-Plaintiff	Oct 1830	George Radford 118-9365; Chancery Court; Powhatan County, Virginia, United States ⁶²
County Formation-History	1 Mar 1834	Kentucky County Formations -9227; Marion County, Kentucky, United States
Death	bet 1830 and 1840	Rakes Branch, Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹¹⁴
Burial	bet 1830 and 1840	Old Dry Cemetery/Pioneer Cemetery, Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹¹⁵
Death-Mentioned	7 Mar 1885	John Rakes Jr-1086; Jefferson Township, Putnam County, Indiana, United States ⁹³⁻⁹⁴
Ref #		S1088

Father John Rakes-1081**Mother Nancy Saunders-1082****Children****Nancy Saunders-1082 (continued)****Father Zachariah Saunders-9322 (1759-1842)****Mother Jane Radford 146-9323 (1769-1797)****Children****M John "Jackie" Rakes Jr-1086¹¹⁶**

Birth	16 Mar 1803	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States¹¹⁷⁻¹¹⁸
Census-Family Member	7 Aug 1820	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁴⁰
Tax Records	1828	Washington County, Kentucky, United States¹¹⁹
Tax Records	1829	Washington County, Kentucky, United States¹²⁰
Census-Family Member	1 Jun 1830	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁶¹
Tax Records	1833	Washington County, Kentucky, United States¹²¹
County Formation-History	1 Mar 1834	Kentucky County Formations -9227; Marion County, Kentucky, United States
Occupation	abt 1838	Farmer
Residence	abt 1838	Greencastle, Putnam County, Indiana, United States
Census	1 Jun 1840	Jefferson, Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹²²
Tax Records	1841	Jefferson Township, Putnam County, Indiana, United States
Property	20 Dec 1846	Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹²³
Property-Witness	26 Dec 1846	Hezekiah Rakes-7155; Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹²⁴
Census	25 Sep 1850	Jefferson Township, Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹²⁵
Census	27 Jun 1860	Jefferson Township, Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹²⁶

Father John Rakes-1081**Mother Nancy Saunders-1082****Children**

John "Jackie" Rakes Jr-1086 (continued)		
Military	from 6 Aug 1863 to 25 Feb 1864	Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹²⁷
Burial-Witness	aft 5 Sep 1868	Hezekiah Rakes-7155; New Providence Cemetery, Mount Meridian, Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹²⁸
Census	20 Aug 1870	Jefferson Township, Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹²⁹
Census-Family Member	5 Jun 1880	George Washington Raikes-6009; Jefferson Township, Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹³⁰
Death	7 Mar 1885	Jefferson Township, Putnam County, Indiana, United States⁹³⁻⁹⁴
Burial	aft 7 Mar 1885	New Providence Cemetery, Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹³¹
Biography-Mentioned	1910	John K. Meek-9270; Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹³²
Alt. Name		Jackie Rakes
Ref #		R1092
Alt. Name		John Jackson Rakes
Spouse	Margery Hill-1087 (1814-1880)	
Marriage	aft 2 May 1831	Washington County, Kentucky, United States¹³³
F Elizabeth "Betsy" Rakes-1093¹³⁴		
Birth	calc 1805	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States¹³⁵
Census-Family Member	7 Aug 1820	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁴⁰
Census-Family Member	1 Jun 1830	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁶¹
Census-Family	1 Jun 1840	John Rakes-1081; Marion County, Kentucky,

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Member		United States⁷¹
Alt. Name		Elizabeth Turner
Census-Family Member	8 Sep 1850	Major Nathan Turner-1092; Marion County, Kentucky, United States¹³⁶
Census-Family Member	20 Jun 1860	Major Nathan Turner-1092; Marion County, Kentucky, United States¹³⁷
Alt. Name		Betsy Turner
Property-Participant	7 Dec 1867	John Rakes-1081; Family selling property of John Rakes; Marion County, Kentucky, United States⁹¹
Death	bet 1868 and 1870	Kentucky, United States¹³⁸
Burial-Witness	aft 5 Sep 1868	Hezekiah Rakes-7155; New Providence Cemetery, Mount Meridian, Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹²⁸
Ref #		R1099
Spouse	Major Nathan Turner-1092 (1820-1920)	
Marriage	calc 1844	Washington County, Kentucky, United States¹³⁹
M	Hezekiah "Kier" Rakes-7155¹⁴⁰⁻¹⁴²	
Birth	abt 1806	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States¹⁴³
Census-Family Member	7 Aug 1820	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁴⁰
Tax Records	1829	Washington County, Kentucky, United States¹²⁰
Census-Family Member	1 Jun 1830	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁶¹
County Formation-History	1 Mar 1834	Kentucky County Formations -9227; Marion County, Kentucky, United States
Tax Records	1834	Marion County, Kentucky, United States¹⁴⁴
Census-Family Member	1 Jun 1840	John Rakes-1081; Marion County, Kentucky, United States⁷¹
Tax Records	1842	Marion County, Kentucky, United States¹⁴⁵
Tax Records	1843	Marion County, Kentucky, United States¹⁴⁶
Tax Records	1844	Marion County, Kentucky, United States¹⁴⁷

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	Hezekiah "Kier" Rakes-7155 (continued)	
Property-Witness	20 Dec 1846	John Rakes Jr-1086; Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹²³
Property	26 Dec 1846	Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹²⁴
Census	25 Sep 1850	Jefferson Township, Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹⁴⁸
Property	26 Feb 1856	Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹⁴⁹
Property	26 Feb 1856	Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹⁵⁰
Census	15 Jul 1860	Mill Creek Township, Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹⁵¹
Will	28 Aug 1868	Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹⁵²
Death	5 Sep 1868	Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹⁵³
Burial	aft 5 Sep 1868	New Providence Cemetery, Mount Meridian, Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹²⁸
Probate	22 Sep 1868	Putnam County, Indiana, United States
Alt. Name		Kier Rakes
Alt. Name		Carr Rakes
Ref #		R7170
Spouse	Elizabeth Caroline Reeder-7156 (1827-1917)	
Marriage	8 Aug 1847	Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹⁵⁴⁻¹⁵⁵
M	Thomas Rakes-1090¹⁵⁶	
Birth	bet 1809 and 1810	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹⁵⁷
Tax Records	1826	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁵⁸
Tax Records	1828	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁵⁹
Tax Records	1829	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁶⁰
Census	1 Jun 1830	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁶¹
County Formation-History	1 Mar 1834	Kentucky County Formations -9227; Marion County, Kentucky, United States
Residence	3 Sep 1834	Preble County, Ohio, United States ¹⁶²

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Land Grant	3 Sep 1834	Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹⁶³
Land Grant	16 Sep 1834	Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹⁶⁴
Possibilities	6 Sep 1850	Census, Death Index, Find a Grave; Lewis County, Virginia, United States ¹⁶⁵
Research Note	6 Jan 2015	Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹⁶⁶
Ref #		R1096
Death	Deceased	¹⁶⁷
Adoption		Lebanon, Marion County, Kentucky, United States
Spouse	Mary Wilson-1091 (1809-1880)	
Marriage	12 Mar 1830	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁶⁸
M	Wilson Penn Rakes-1099¹⁶⁹	
Birth	calc 1809	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹⁷⁰
Census-Family Member	7 Aug 1820	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁴⁰
Tax Records	1829	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁷¹
Occupation	abt 1830	Farmer
Census	1 Jun 1830	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁷²
Tax Records	1833	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁷³
Tax Records	1837	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁷⁴
Census	1 Jun 1840	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁷⁵
Tax Records	1843	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁷⁶
Tax Records	1844	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁷⁷
Tax Records	1845	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁷⁸
Tax Records	1846	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁷⁹
Tax Records	1847	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁸⁰
Land Grant	4 Jan 1847	Receipt; Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁸¹
Tax Records	1848	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁸²
Tax Records	1849	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁸³
Land Grant	22 Feb 1850	Survey; Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁸⁴
Census	7 Sep 1850	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁸⁵
Land Grant	12 Jan 1852	Warrant; Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹⁸⁶
Biography	1855	Cole County, Missouri, United States ¹⁸⁷
Property	1 Jun 1859	Cole County, Missouri, United States ¹⁸⁸

Census	12 Jul 1860	Osage Township, Cole County, Missouri, United States ¹⁸⁹
Property	1 Oct 1860	Land Patent; Cole County, Missouri, United States ¹⁹⁰
Burial-Witness	aft 5 Sep 1868	Hezekiah Rakes-7155; New Providence Cemetery, Mount Meridian, Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹²⁸
Census	12 Jul 1870	Osage Township, Cole County, Missouri, United States ¹⁹¹
Census	6 Jun 1880	Cole County, Missouri, United States ¹⁹²
Death	6 Feb 1889	His farm on Osage River, Cole County, Missouri, United States ¹⁹³
Burial	7 Feb 1889	Family Cemetery on his Farm, Cole County, Missouri, United States
Obituary	8 Feb 1889	Cole County, Missouri, United States ¹⁹⁴
Ref #		R1105
Spouse	Martha J. Crouse-1100 (1810-1849)	
Marriage	abt 1833	Washington County, Kentucky, United States
Spouse	Cynthia Ann Spencer-5310 (1816-)	
Marriage	23 Feb 1865	Cole County, Missouri, United States ¹⁹⁵
F	Martha Ann Rakes-1096¹⁹⁶	
Birth	1810	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ¹⁹⁷
Census-Family Member	7 Aug 1820	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁴⁰
Census-Family Member	1 Jun 1830	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States ⁶¹
Alt. Name	Martha Deere	
Census-Family Member	1840	Felix Deere-1095; Pulaski County, Missouri, United States ¹⁹⁸
Census-Family Member	16 Nov 1850	Felix Deere-1095; Pulaski County, Missouri, United States ¹⁹⁹
Census-Family Member	12 Jun 1860	Felix Deere-1095; Dallas County, Missouri, United States ²⁰⁰

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	Martha Ann Rakes-1096 (continued)	
Death	bef 1864	Not in 1870 Census; Dallas County, Missouri, United States
Ref #		R1102
Spouse	Felix Deere-1095 (1807-1880)	
Marriage	est 1832	Washington County, Kentucky, United States
Spouse	Purdy-9565 (-)	
Marriage		
M	Benjamin R. Rakes-1097²⁰¹	
Birth	31 Dec 1811	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States ²⁰²
Tax Records	1833	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ²⁰³
County Formation-History	1 Mar 1834	Kentucky County Formations -9227; Marion County, Kentucky, United States
Tax Records	1836	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁰⁴
Tax Records	1837	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁰⁵
Tax Records	1840	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁰⁶
Census	1 Jun 1840	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁰⁷
Tax Records	1842	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁰⁸
Tax Records	1843	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁰⁹
Tax Records	1844	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²¹⁰
Tax Records	1845	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²¹¹
Tax Records	1846	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²¹²
Tax Records	1847	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²¹³
Tax Records	1848	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²¹⁴
County Formation-History	1 Mar 1848	Kentucky County Formations -9227; Taylor County, Kentucky, United States
Census	21 Aug 1850	Taylor County, Kentucky, United States ²¹⁵
Census	20 Aug 1860	Taylor County, Kentucky, United States ²¹⁶

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Benjamin R. Rakes-1097 (continued)		
Property-Participant	7 Dec 1867	John Rakes-1081; Family selling property of John Rakes; Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁹¹
Burial-Witness	aft 5 Sep 1868	Hezekiah Rakes-7155; New Providence Cemetery, Mount Meridian, Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹²⁸
Census	8 Jul 1870	Taylor County, Kentucky, United States ²¹⁷
Death	aft 1870	Taylor County, Kentucky, United States ²¹⁸
Burial		Merrimac Cemetery, Merrimac, Taylor County, Kentucky, United States
Marriage-Witness	20 Dec 1881	John Noel-7342 and Mildred Millie Rakes-7181; Taylor County, Kentucky, United States ²¹⁹
Misc	9 Jul 1884	Postmaster; Merrimac, Taylor County, Kentucky, United States ²²⁰
Death-Witness	2 Oct 1932	Mary Susan Rakes-7178; Tallula, Menard County, Illinois, United States ²²¹
Alt. Name		Benjamin Thomas Rakes
Alt. Name		Benjamin T. Rakes
Ref #		R1103
Alt. Name		B. T. Rakes ²²²
Spouse	Martha Jane Murrell-1098 (1818-1896)	
Marriage	19 Jan 1837	Green County, Kentucky, United States ²²³
M Henry Rakes-1103²²⁴		
Birth	1817	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States
Birth	bet 1821 and 1822	Washington County, Kentucky, United States
Tax Records	1835	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²²⁵
Tax Records	1837	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²²⁶
Marriage Bond-	16 Jan 1837	Benjamin R. Rakes-1097 and Martha Jane Murrell-1098; Green County, Kentucky, United

		States²²⁷
Census	20 Nov 1850	Pulaski County, Missouri, United States²²⁸
Death	abt 1853	Missouri, United States
Burial-Witness	aft 5 Sep 1868	Hezekiah Rakes-7155; New Providence Cemetery, Mount Meridian, Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹²⁸
Ref #		R1109
Spouse	Louisa B. -9525 (1828-)	
Marriage	abt 1847	Missouri, United States
M Reuben Rakes-1107²²⁹		
Birth	calc 1818	Buckingham County, Virginia, United States²³⁰⁻²³¹
Census-Family Member	7 Aug 1820	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁴⁰
Census-Family Member	1 Jun 1830	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁶¹
Tax Records	1837	Marion County, Kentucky, United States
Tax Records	1840	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²³²
Census-Family Member	1 Jun 1840	John Rakes-1081; Marion County, Kentucky, United States⁷¹
Tax Records	1842	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²³³
Tax Records	1843	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²³⁴
Tax Records	1844	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²³⁵
Tax Records	1845	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²³⁶
Land Grant-	22 Feb 1850	Wilson Penn Rakes-1099; Survey; Marion County, Kentucky, United States¹⁸⁴
Census	7 Sep 1850	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²³⁷
Tax Records	1856	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²³⁸
Tax Records	1858	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²³⁹
Census	19 Jun 1860	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁴⁰
Property-Participant	7 Dec 1867	John Rakes-1081; Family selling property of John Rakes; Marion County, Kentucky, United States⁹¹
Burial-Witness	aft 5 Sep 1868	Hezekiah Rakes-7155; New Providence Cemetery, Mount Meridian, Putnam County, Indiana, United

		States¹²⁸
Census	28 Jul 1870	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁴¹
Death	1878	Marion County, Kentucky, United States
Ref #		R1113
Alt. Name		Richard Reubin Rakes
Alt. Name		Richard Reuben Rakes
Spouse	Louisa Mason-1108 (1828-1880)	
Marriage	abt 1844	Bradfordsville, Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁴²
F Sally Rakes-1094²⁴³		
Birth	abt 1819	Washington County, Kentucky, United States²⁴⁴
Census-Family Member	1 Jun 1830	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁶¹
Death		Rakes Branch Cemetery, Washington County, Kentucky, United States²⁴⁵
Ref #		R1100
Alt. Name		Minnie Rakes
M William Rakes-1106²⁴⁶		
Birth	abt 1820	Washington County, Kentucky, United States²⁴⁷
Tax Records	1834	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁴⁸
Tax Records	1840	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁴⁹
Tax Records	1842	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁵⁰
Tax Records	1843	Marion County, Indiana, United States²⁵¹
Tax Records	1844	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁵²
Tax Records	1845	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁵³
Tax Records	1846	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁵⁴
Tax Records	1848	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁵⁵
Tax Records	1849	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁵⁶
Census	7 Sep 1850	Marion County, Kentucky, United States⁸¹
Tax Records	1856	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁵⁷
Tax Records	1858	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁵⁸
Tax Records	1860	Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁵⁹

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	William Rakes-1106 (continued)	
Census	19 Jun 1860	Bradfordsville, Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁶⁰
Property	11 Feb 1861	Deed; Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁶¹
Milit-End	4 May 1863	Civil War; Sandusky, Erie County, Ohio, United States ²⁶²
Death	abt 1863	Sandusky, Erie County, Ohio, United States
Alt. Name		Billy Raikes
Ref #		R1112
M	James Harrison Rakes-78²⁶³	
Birth	abt 1822	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ²⁶⁴
Occupation	1840	Farmer
Tax Records	1842	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁶⁵
Tax Records	1843	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁶⁶
Tax Records	1844	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁶⁷
Tax Records	1845	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁶⁸
Tax Records	1846	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁶⁹
Tax Records	1847	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁷⁰
Tax Records	1848	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁷¹
Tax Records	1849	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁷²
Census-Family Member	8 Sep 1850	Major Nathan Turner-1092; Marion County, Kentucky, United States ¹³⁶
Tax Records	1856	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁷³
Tax Records	1858	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁷⁴
Tax Records	1859	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁷⁵
Tax Records	1860	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁷⁶
Census	19 Jun 1860	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁷⁷
Property-Participant	7 Dec 1867	John Rakes-1081; Family selling property of John Rakes; Marion County, Kentucky, United States ⁹¹

Burial-Witness	aft 5 Sep 1868	Hezekiah Rakes-7155; New Providence Cemetery, Mount Meridian, Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹²⁸
Census	18 Jul 1870	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁷⁸
Census	5 Jun 1880	Bradfordsville, Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁷⁹
Dis-proven	4 Aug 1882	Bradfordsville, Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁸⁰
Death	4 Aug 1884	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁸¹⁻²⁸³
Burial	aft 5 Aug 1884	Old Liberty Cemetery, Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁸⁴
Death-Witness	1 Jul 1946	Richard Reuben Rakes-1074; Bradfordsville, Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁸⁵⁻²⁸⁶
Death-Witness	17 Dec 1954	Nancy Logan Rakes-1069; Bradfordsville, Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁸⁷⁻²⁸⁸
Ref #		R78
Spouse	Mary Frances	Mattingly-79 (1839-1913)
Marriage	abt 1857	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁸⁹⁻²⁹⁰
M Elisha Price Rakes-1109²⁹¹		
Birth	10 Sep 1823	Washington County, Kentucky, United States ²⁹²
Birth	19 Sep 1829	Washington County, Kentucky, United States
Tax Records	1845	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁹³
Tax Records	1848	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁹⁴
Census	20 Aug 1850	Taylor County, Kentucky, United States ²⁹⁵
Tax Records	1856	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁹⁶
Tax Records	1858	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁹⁷
Tax Records	1860	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁹⁸
Census	20 Jun 1860	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ²⁹⁹
Burial-Witness	aft 5 Sep 1868	Hezekiah Rakes-7155; New Providence Cemetery, Mount Meridian, Putnam County, Indiana, United States ¹²⁸
Census	20 Jul 1870	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ³⁰⁰
Census	5 Jun 1880	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ³⁰¹
Death	13 Jan 1893	Marion County, Kentucky, United States ³⁰²

Burial		Rakes Branch Cemetery, Marion County, Kentucky, United States³⁰²
Ref #		R1115
Alt. Name		John Raikes³⁰³
Spouse	Elizabeth Rebecca Mason-1110 (1827-1899)	
Marriage	25 May 1847	Liberty, Casey County, Kentucky, United States³⁰⁴
F Mary Rakes-1105³⁰⁵		
Birth	Dec 1824	Washington County, Kentucky, United States³⁰⁶
Census-Family Member	1 Jun 1830	John Rakes-1081; Washington County, Kentucky, United States⁶¹
Census-Family Member	1 Jun 1840	John Rakes-1081; Marion County, Kentucky, United States⁷¹
Census-Family Member	7 Sep 1850	William Rakes-1106; Marion County, Kentucky, United States⁸¹
Alt. Name		Mary Burchell
Census-Family Member	20 Jun 1860	John Burchell-1104; Marion County, Kentucky, United States³⁰⁷
Burial-Witness	aft 5 Sep 1868	Hezekiah Rakes-7155; New Providence Cemetery, Mount Meridian, Putnam County, Indiana, United States¹²⁸
Census-Family Member	18 Jul 1870	John Burchell-1104; Marion County, Kentucky, United States³⁰⁸
Census-Family Member	5 Jun 1880	John Burchell-1104; Bradfordsville, Marion County, Kentucky, United States³⁰⁹
Residence	1884	Bradfordsville, Marion County, Kentucky, United States
Death-Witness	4 Aug 1884	James Harrison Rakes-78; Marion County, Kentucky, United States²⁸¹⁻²⁸³
Residence	aft 1884	Indian Territory, United States³¹⁰
Military	18 Jun 1898	Pension Civil War; Territory, United States³¹¹
Dis-proven	14 Dec 1898	Date/Place of death; Jessamine County, Kentucky, United States³¹²
Census	11 Jun 1900	Polk County, Arkansas, United States³¹³

Father John Rakes-1081**Mother Nancy Saunders-1082****Children**

	Mary Rakes-1105 (continued)	
	Death bet 1900 and 1910	Cove, Polk County, Arkansas, United States ³¹⁴
	Alt. Name	Polly Rakes
	Ref #	R1111
	Spouse John Burchell-1104 (1836-1898)	
	Marriage 30 Nov 1858	Bradfordsville, Marion County, Kentucky, United States ³¹⁵

1. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 3 Sep 2015).
The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that John Rakes is the birth name and that his parents were William Rakes and unknown mother. Currently there is no documentation to show the mother of John Rakes.

Birth Name:

In all of the documents that I have found all of them use the name John Rakes. In the 1850 Marion County census where John is listed with his son William and daughter Mary (Polly) it indicates that John cannot read or write. Many individuals who cannot read or write can still spell or recognize the spelling of their name.

Other's names have been used such as Johnny Rakes, John Carter Rakes, and the spelling of his last name as Raikes but none are able to supply a source of these names. Some of John's descendants changed the spelling of their name to Raikes but this would not have changed John's birth name.

Parents:

John father, William Rakes, comes from a tax record showing John's 75.75 acres of land was derived from his father (1813 Land Tax). It does not list his father by name. The next year's tax record (1814 Land Tax) shows John with 75.75 acres of land on Walton's Fork adjacent to the land of William Rakes.

2. Historical Events, (posted to db on 1 July 2014).

Buckingham County, lying south of the James River at the geographic center of the state, was established on May 1, 1761, from the southeastern portion of Albemarle County.

3. Birth Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 3 Sep 2015).

The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that John Rakes was born about 1775 at Buckingham County, Virginia, United States. No primary source has been found that shows the location or date of John Rakes birth.

Birth Date:

John is listed as a named tithable in 30 Aug 1798 for Buckingham County, Virginia.
aged 45+ in the 1820 Census for Washington County, Kentucky.
aged 50-59 in the 1830 Census for Washington County, Kentucky.
aged 60-69 in the 1840 Census for Marion County, Kentucky.
aged 75 in the 1850 Census for Marion County, Kentucky. [Living with son and daughter]
In a Land Grant application dated 21 Apr 1855 John's age is given as 80.

Birth Location:

His father, William Rakes, was paying property tax in Buckingham County, Virginia when John would have been born. John's father is listed as paying taxes in Buckingham County, Virginia starting in 1773.
In a Land Grant application dated 21 Apr 1855 states he is was a from of Buckingham County, Virginia.
The use of Walton's Fork is derived form stream of water at the location of John's and his fathers property location.

4. 1780 Tax Records for Virginia, Buckingham County, Buckingham County, Year Filed 1780, Certificate Number Tax List, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 17 October 2012).

Rakes, John, 1 tithable, 3, 1, 2.

[This is probably not this John Rakes but someone else. This citation needs to be reviewed].

5. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 16, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1798-B11.pdf)
Date: 30 Aug 1798, Src: (B11, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1.

6. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 17, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1799-B06.pdf)
Date: 10 Aug 1799, Src: (B06L, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1.

7. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source

Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 18, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1800-B06.pdf)
Date: 22 Aug 1800, Src: (B06L, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 2.

8. 1800 Tax Records for Virginia, Buckingham County, Publisher: Binns Genealogy, Page Number 9, 1800 PersonalB, Household of John Rakes, Line recorded on 28, (posted to db on 9 January 2013). (Digital Image: V066_008) (Paper Copy: E007)

Date: 22 Aug 1800, Persons Names Chargeable with Tax: John Rakes, Tithable: 1, Slaves: 0, Slaves above 16?: 0, Horses: 2, Dollars: ?, Cents 24.

9. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 19, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1801-B18.pdf)
Date: 8 Aug 1801, Src: (B18, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 1.

10. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 20, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1802-B09.pdf)
Date: 9 Apr 1802, Src: (B09, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 1.

11. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 21, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1803-B08.pdf)
Date: 8 Aug 1803, Src: (B08, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 1.

12. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 22, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1804-B06.pdf)
Date: Apr 1804, Src: (B06R, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 1.

13. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 23, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1805-B06.pdf)
Date: -8 Apr 1805, Src: (B06L, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 2.

14. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 24, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1806-B07.pdf)
Date: 26 Aug 1806, Src: (B06L, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 2.

15. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 25, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1807-B05.pdf)
Date: -- Aug 1807, Src: (B05R, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 1.

16. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 30 Jul 2016).
There was no tax record for this year.

17. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 26, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1809-B09.pdf)
Date: 10 Aug 1809, Src: (B09, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 1.

18. 1810 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Virginia, Buckingham County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, (posted to db on 1 July 2014).

[Looked thru complete census for various spellings of John Rakes but could not find anything that looked close. It would help establish John and his family if a census for 1810 could be found.].

19. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 27, Person(s) of

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interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1810-0001.pdf)
Date: 12 Mar 1810, Src: (A09L, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 2.

20. 1810 U.S. Federal Census, Population Schedule, Maryland, Caroline County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction: Not Stated, Sheet/Page Number: page 216, image 30, Household of: John Rakes, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

Household of: John Rakes:

Males: Under 10: 0, 10 to U16: 0, 16 to U26: 0, 26 to U45: 1, 45+: 0

Females: Under 10: 0, 10 to U16: 0, O16-U26: 0, 26 to U45: 0, 45+: 0.

[This appears to be 1 male between 26 and 44 along with 5 slaves. It would match John as he would be about 35 at this time but why would he be in Caroline County, Maryland and who do the slaves belong too?].

21. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 28, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1811-0005.pdf)
Date: 11 Mar 1811, Src: (0005, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 1.

22. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 28, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1812-0014.pdf)
Date: 9 Mar 1812, Src: (0014, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 1.

23. To Do, Originator: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).
Property derived from his father.

(9NW). 9 miles north west of the court house located at Maysville, Buckingham County, Virginia.
From Eugene Rakes proof of parents: Need to validate this source.

24. Buckingham County Virginia; Land Tax Summaries & Implied Deeds 1782-1814 Volume 1, Compiler: Roger G. Ward, Publisher: Lberian Publishing Company, Athens GA; 1993. Call Number: F232 B95 W17 1993, Record type: Book, Page number: 252, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 18 Jan 2016). (Digital Image: Rakes, Sanders Research 1/15/2016.pdf)
Rakes, John, 1813 to 1814, 1814/1813 Location residence derived from his father on Waltons Fork (9NW), adjacent Joseph Terry and James Terry on Waltons Fork (9NW) in 1813.

25. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (Land), Section: F006, Page number(s): 44, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-LandTax-0053.pdf)
Year: 1813 PDF#: 0053 Name: Rakes, John Acreage: 75.75 (residence, derived from his father)

This is the first appearance of John Rakes on the land tax rolls. It's a pity that we aren't told explicitly who his father is, but the fact that (next year) his land is shown to be on Walton's Fork, adjacent to the land of William Rakes, is strong circumstantial evidence that William is his father.

26. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 29, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1813-0019.pdf)
Date: 12 Apr 1813, Src: (0019, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 2.

27. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (Land), Section: F006, Page number(s): 44, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-LandTax-0054.pdf)
Year: 1814 PDF#: 0054 Name: Rakes, John Acreage: 75.75 (residence - on Walton's Fork).

28. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (PP), Section: F006, Page number(s): 28, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-ppTax-1812-0014.pdf)
Date: 2 May 1814, Src: (0021, Person Chargeable: Rakes, John, WhiteMTs 16+: 1, Horses: 1.

29. The Rakes Family History in America, Author: David Kyle Rakes, Publisher: J.S. Rakes 2004, Serattle. Washington. 929.273 R137, Page Number 385, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 25 February 2013). John was a private in the War of 1812, under Captain William J. Freeland's Company, Volunteer Light Infantry, 2nd Battalion and 7th Regiment of the Virginia Militia. He was stationed at Camp Carter near Richmond Virginia. The camp was probably in Henrico County, very near the line of Hanover and New Kent counties. John served in the war from August 1814 through February 1815. When he was honorably discharged, he received 150 acres from three land warrants in Washington County, Kentucky. [John purchased these land grants and did not get any as a result of the war of 1812 until 1850].
Muster Roll for August 29th, to November 6th, 1814; the roll was dated at Camp Carter near Richmond, VA. He was present from December 29th, 1814 to February 21st, 1815. For his participation in the war, he received 150 acres from three land warrants in Washington, County, KY.

Application for additional bounty land states that he was a resident of Buckingham County, Virginia when he enlisted in the Army.

Below found on line at Ancestry.Com

Name: JOHN RAKES, Company: 7 REG'T (GRAY'S) VIRGINIA MILITIA, Rank - Induction: PRIVATE, Rank - Discharge: PRIVATE, Roll Box: 170, Roll Exct: 602.

30. Wilma Jarman Research Notes, Self Published 1988, (posted to db on 11 December 2013). (Digital Image: V058_066, V058_067)
Company Muster Roll and Pay Roll War of 1812

Company Muster Roll and Pay Roll for PVT John Rakes dated Oct 29, 1814 thru Feb 28, 1815, The last one indicated that this was Expiration of Service. On the one it stated he was absent due to being sick.

John is a PVT in the 7th Gray's with Captain William J. Freeland's Co. of Light Infantry, 7 Reg't Virginia Militia in the War of 1812.

31. U.S. War of 1812, Publisher: Various, (posted to db on 2 July 2014). (Digital Image: V058_067 & V058_068)
Name: John Rakes Company: 7 REG'T (GRAY'S) VIRGINIA MILITIA. Rank - Induction: PRIVATE Rank - Discharge: PRIVATE Roll Box: 170 Microfilm Publication: M602.

32. U.S. War of 1812, Publisher: Various, (posted to db on 2 July 2014).
Content Source: The National Archives Publication Number: M602 Publication Title: Index to Compiled Service Records of Volunteer Soldiers Who Served During the War of 1812 Content Source: NARA Content Partner: NARA Source Publication Year: N/A Fold3 Publication Year: 2013 Record Group: 94 National Archives Catalog ID: 654501 National Archives Catalog Title: Indexes to the Carded Records of Soldiers Who Served in Volunteer Organizations During the War of 1812, compiled 1899 - 1927, documenting the period 1812 - 1815 Fold3 Job: 13-037 Language: English Country: United States Date Range: 1812-1815 Short Description: NARA M602. Alphabetical card index to the compiled service records of volunteer soldiers who served during the War of 1812. Roll: M602_0170 State: Virginia Given Name: John Surname: Rakes Regiment: 7 (Gray's) Virginia Militia Enlistment Rank: Pvt Discharge Rank: Pvt.

33. U.S. War of 1812, Publisher: Various, (posted to db on 2 July 2014).
Title Rakes, John. Gen. note Pay Rolls, p.333 Note Part of index to: Pay Rolls of Militia Entitled to Land Bounty Under the Act of Congress of Sept. 28, 1850 (Richmond, 1851) and: Muster Rolls of the Virginia Militia in the War of 1812 (Richmond, 1852) which supplements Pay Rolls. This collection is also available on microfilm. Note War of 1812 pay rolls and muster rolls. Subject - Personal Rakes, John. Subject -Geographic United States -- History -- War of 1812 -- Registers. System Number 000646572.

34. Rakes Research, Compiler: John Barrett Robb, Published: Self Published (2015). (Personal Library Copy Source Book F), Research Notes: Record type: Tax Records (Land), Section: F006, Page number(s): 45, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 16 Feb 2015). (Digital Image: VA-Buck-LandTax-0055.pdf)
Year: 1815 PDF#: 0055 Name: Rakes, John Acreage: 75.75 (residence - on Walton's Fork - 9NW).

35. Buckingham County Virginia; Land Tax Summaries & Implied Deeds 1815-1840 Volume 2, Compiler: Roger G.

Ward, Publisher: Lberian Publishing Company, Athens GA; 1993, Page Number 300, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 1 July 2014). (Paper Copy: E006)
 John #. 1815 to 1816, Sold 1816 - 75 and 1/2 AC to Benjamin Crews.

36. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1816, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 59, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).
 John Rakes -1--3 ~ 60.

37. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1817, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 52, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).
 John Rakes -- 1--4 ~ 1/2 ~ 340.

38. Historical Events, (posted to db on 1 July 2014).
 Name Changed - The County seat Buckingham was originally named Maysville but changed to Buckingham Court House in 1818.

39. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1819, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 66, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).
 John Rakes 1-2-3 ~ 80.

40. 1820 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Washington County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Not Specified, Washington, Page Number 9, Image 9, Household of John Rakes, (posted to db on 17 October 2012). (Digital: Image V800_003)

Name: John Bakes
 Home in 1820 (City, County, State): Washington, Kentucky
 Enumeration Date: August 7, 1820
 Free White Persons - Males - Under 10: 5 [<--Reuben]
 Free White Persons - Males - 10 thru 15: 3 [<--John Jr, Hezekiah, Wilson Penn]
 Free White Persons - Males - 45 and over: 1 [<-- John]
 Free White Persons - Females - Under 10: 1 [<-- Martha]
 Free White Persons - Females - 10 thru 15: 1 [<-- Elizabeth]
 Free White Persons - Females - 45 and over : 1 [-- Nancy]
 Number of Persons - Engaged in Agriculture: 4
 All Other Persons Except Indians not Taxed: 11
 Free White Persons - Under 16: 10
 Free White Persons - Over 25: 2
 Total Free White Persons: 12
 Total All Persons - White, Slaves, Colored, Other: 23

Recorded by Wm Brothers Ass't Marshall.

[This census is important in calculating the death of Nancy. It shows the oldest female age 45+ (Nancy) and a younger daughter 10-15 (Elizabeth).

41. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1821, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 69, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).
 John Rakes 1-2 ~ 85.

42. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Volume Receipt, Year Issued 1822, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 30 August 2014). (Paper Copy: E004)
 AUDITOR'S OFFICE, 14th March 1822 RECEIVED of Jno [John] Rakes the Treasurer's receipt to him of this date for Five Dollars - Cents, the state price on 50 acres of land to be acquired pursuant to an act passed on the 6th day of February, 1815, appropriating the vacant land in this Commonwealth, and the amendatory acts of February and November, 1826

P. Clayon
Tho Steele Ck.

[NOTE: This land grant was not given for service in the War of 1812. The land was sold by the Commonwealth of Kentucky].

43. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Volume Receipt, Year Issued 1822, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 30 August 2014). (Paper Copy: E005)

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, 14th March 1822 RECEIVED of Jno [John] Rakes the Treasurer's receipt to him of this date for Five Dollars - Cents, the state price on 50 acres of land to be acquired pursuant to an act passed on the 6th day of February, 1815, appropriating the vacant land in this Commonwealth, and the amendatory acts of February and November, 1826

P. Clayon
Tho Steele Ck.

[NOTE: This land grant was not given for service in the War of 1812. The land was sold by the Commonwealth of Kentucky].

44. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Volume Warrant, Year Issued 1822, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 30 August 2014). (Paper Copy: E004)

KENTUCKY Land Office Warrant, No. 8122

To the principal Surveyor of any County within this Commonwealth.

THIS shall be your Warrant to survey and lay off in one or more surveys, by yourself or deputy) for John Rakes his heirs or assigns, the quantity of fifty Acres of Land due unto the said Rakes in consideration of the sum of Five Dollars - Cents, current money, paid into the public Treasury; the payment whereof to the Treasurer hath been duly certified by the Auditor of Public Accounts, and his certificate received into the Land Office.

Executed in full W.M. Beall

Given under my hand, and the seal of the said office, on the 14th day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty two

John mcFoster R Left??.

[NOTE: This land grant was not given for service in the War of 1812. The land was sold by the Commonwealth of Kentucky].

45. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Volume Warrant, Year Issued 1822, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 30 August 2014). (Paper Copy: E005)

KENTUCKY Land Office Warrant, No. 8123

To the principal Surveyor of any County within this Commonwealth.

THIS shall be your Warrant to survey and lay off in one or more surveys, by yourself or deputy) for John Rakes his heirs or assigns, the quantity of fifty Acres of Land due unto the said Rakes in consideration of the sum of Five Dollars - Cents, current money, paid into the public Treasury; the payment whereof to the Treasurer hath been duly certified by the Auditor of Public Accounts, and his certificate received into the Land Office.

Executed in full W.M. Beall

Given under my hand, and the seal of the said office, on the 14th day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty two

John mcFoster R Left??.

[NOTE: This land grant was not given for service in the War of 1812. The land was sold by the Commonwealth of Kentucky].

46. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Washington County, Water Course/Identifier North side of South Fork of the Rolling Fork, Volume Survey, Year Issued 1822, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 30 August 2014). (Paper Copy: E004)

Surveyed for John Rakes 50 acres of land by virtue of a Kentucky Land Office Warrant No 8122 lying in Washington County, on the North side of the South fork of the Rolling Fork, on the North side of Solomn Goud land.

[NOTE: This land grant was not given for service in the War of 1812. The land was sold by the Commonwealth of Kentucky].

47. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Washington County, Water Course/Identifier S Fk Rolling Fk, Volume Book O, Page Number 692, Year Issued 1823, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 1 September 2014).

Grantee: John Rakes Number of Acres: 50 Survey Date: 19 Sep 1823 County: Washington Watercourse: S Fk Rolling Fk Book Number: O.

48. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Washington County, Water Course/Identifier North side of South Fork of the Rolling Fork, Volume Survey, Year Issued 1822, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 30 August 2014). (Paper Copy: E005)

[NOTE: This land grant was not given for service in the War of 1812. The land was sold by the Commonwealth of Kentucky].

49. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Washington County, Water Course/Identifier Speaks Br, Volume Book O, Page Number 692, Year Issued 1823, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 1 September 2014).

Grantee: John Rakes Number of Acres: 50 Survey Date: 19 Sep 1823 County: Washington Watercourse: Speaks Br Book Number: O.

50. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Washington County, Water Course/Identifier Rolling Fork, Volume Patient, Page Number Grant Book O-Page 218, Year Issued 1824, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 30 August 2014). (Paper Copy: E004)

John Adams Esq Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky to all to whom these presently shall come Greeting knowledge?? that by virtue and in consideration of Kentucky Land Office Warrant No 8122 there is granted by the said Commonwealth unto John Rakes a certain tract or parcel of land containing fifty acres by survey bearing date the nineteenth day of September one thousand eight hundred and twenty three lying and being in the County of Washington on the north side of the South Fork of the Rolling fork on the North side of Solomon Goud land and bounded as following (??) Beginning at his NE Corner a Sugar tree and running with his line North fifty nine degrees West one hundred and twenty poles to two Sugar trees and while walnut on the West side of a branch thence North thirty one degrees East twelve poles to a white oak and popular thence North fifty nine degrees West twenty five poles to a white walnut & popular on the East side of a gully thence North thirty one degrees East forty five, four poles to two Sugar trees and a maple in a point?? between two drained thence South fifty nine degrees East one hundred and forty five poles to a maple and chestnut oak by a gully thence South thirty one degrees West fifty seven, four poles to the beginning with the ?? to have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land with its afeprusti?? to the said John Rakes and his heirs forever In ?? where of the said John Adams Esq Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky hath here unto set his hand and caused the seal of the said Commonwealth to be affixed at Frankfort on the fourteenth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty four and of the Commonwealth the ?? ?? By the Governor John Adams
Thomas B Monroe Sect.

[NOTE: This land grant was not given for service in the War of 1812. The land was sold by the Commonwealth of Kentucky]

This information is from Ancestry.com

Book O, Grantee: Rakes,, John, Acres: 50, Book: O, Survey Date: 9-19-1823, County: Washington, Water Course: S Fk Rolling Fk, Reference: The Kentucky Land Grants, Volume 1, Part 1, Chapter VI Kentucky Land Warrants (1816-1873), The Counties of Kentucky, page 692, More Info: Grantee: Rakes, John, Acres: 50, Book: O, Page: 218, Date Survey: 9-19-1823, County: Washington, Watercourse: S Fk Rolling Fk (Warrant ##8122, Survey - K LW # 8501)

Grantee: Rakes, John, Acres: 50, Book: O, Survey Date: 9-19-1823, County: Washington, Water Course: Speaks Br, Reference: The Kentucky Land Grants, Volume 1, Part 1, Chapter VI Kentucky Land Warrants (1816-1873), The Counties of Kentucky, page 692, More Info: Grantee: Rakes, John, Acres: 50, Book: O, Page: 219, Date Survey: 9-19-1823, County: Washington, Watercourse: Speaks Br (#8123).

51. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Washington County, Water Course/Identifier Rolling Fork, Volume Patient, Page Number Grant Book O-Page 218, Year Issued 1824, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 30 August 2014). (Paper Copy: E005)

John Adams Esq Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky to all to whom these presently shall come Greeting knowledge?? that by virtue and in consideration of Kentucky Land Office Warrant No 8123 there is granted by the said Commonwealth unto John Rakes a certain tract or parcel of land containing fifty acres by survey bearing date the nineteenth day of September one thousand eight hundred and twenty three lying and being in the County of Washington on Speaks Branch and bounded as following ?? Beginning at a hickory white oak and black ?? on the west side of a hill by a small field thence North sixty degrees East eighty poles to two big ash?? Ironwood and beech on the south side of said branch thence North thirty degrees West seventy eight poles to two ?? dogwood and ?? on the North side of a small branch thence South seventy degrees ?? poles to three chestnut oaks and ?? ?? on a hill thence South thirty degrees East seventy eight poles to a stone on the East side of said branch thence North sixty degrees East 22,57/100 poles to the beginning with its ?? to have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land with its apofruti?? to the said John Rakes and his heirs forever In ?? where of the said John Adams Esq Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky hath here unto set his hand & caused the seal of the said Commonwealth to be affixed at Frankfort on the fourteenth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty four and of the Commonwealth the ?? ??

By the Governor John Adams

Thomas B Monroe Sect.

[NOTE: This land grant was not given for service in the War of 1812. The land was sold by the Commonwealth of Kentucky].

52. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1825, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 63, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

There was a Francis? Rakes but no John Rakes.

53. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1826, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 60, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

John Rakes -- 100 Farm 1--3 ~ 1-200, Thomas Rakes -- 100 Farm.

54. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1827, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 63-64, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

John Rakes 100 South Fork 1--3 ~ 1 200 (page 64), Thomas Rakes (page 63).

55. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1828, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 64, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

Thomas Rakes 1--2, John Rakes Sr 200 1--2~ 215, John Rakes Jr 200 1--1 ~ 50.

56. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1829, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 69, Person(s) of interest: Rackes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

Wilson Rackes 1, Thomas Rackes 1--2, John Rackes Sr 200 South Fork 1 ~ 250, John Rackes Jr 1, Hezekies Rackes 1.

57. A Book of Garretts Supplement Number Two, Compiler: Hester Elizabeth Garrett, Published: Self Published (1981). CS71.G24 1981, Record type: Book, Chapter number: The Radford Family, Page number: 146, Person(s) of interest: Jane Radford, (Date posted to database 01 Oct 2014).

Jane Radford; b. ca 1774; d. before Oct., 1830; m. Zachariah Saunders. (Proof of children & marriage - Suit in Chancery Court, Powhatan, Co., Va. Oct 20 1830)

Issue:

1. Nancy Saunders m. John Rakes
2. Martha Saunders m. John Bagby
3. Lucy Saunders m. John Wood
4. Betsy Saunders m. General Phelps
5. James Saunders
6. John Saunders

7. Rhoda Saunders

Note from John W. Johnson:

Rhoda Saunders was living in Christian County, Ky. with Nancy Agee Radford, widow of Benjamin Radford, when the Federal Census was taken in Jul, 1860 one day before Nancy Agee Radford died. She must have moved to the next farm and lived with Jane Radford Garrett as she died Oct. 29, 1871 aged 82 years and was buried in the Isaac Garrett family cemetery on the place.(dates from her tombstone) JWJ.

58. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1830, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 71, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).
Thomas Rakes, John Rakes.

59. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Document type: Land Grant Payment, Date recorded: 29 Jan 1830, Certificate number: KLW # 21047, Person(s) of interest: Wm M Beall, (Date posted to database 06 Sep 2014).
(Paper Copy: E011)

State of Kentucky Auditor's Office

Frankfort, 29 January 1830. Received of Wm M, Beall the Treasurer's receipt to him of this date, for Two Dollars 50 Cents, the state price on 50 acres of land, to be acquired pursuant to an act passed on the 6th day of February, 1815, appropriating the vacant land in this Commonwealth, and the amendatory acts of February and November, 1820, and January, 1825. P. Clay ??.

60. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Document type: Land Grant Warrant, Date recorded: 5 Feb 1830, Certificate number: KLW # 21047, Person(s) of interest: William M Beall, (Date posted to database 06 Sep 2014).
(Paper Copy: E011)

Kentucky Land Office Warrant, NO 19191

To The Principal Surveyor of any County within this Commonwealth:

THIS shall be your Warrant to survey and lay off, in one or more surveys, (by yourself or deputy,) for William M Beall his heirs or assigns, the quantity of fifty acres of Land, due unto the said Beall in consideration of the sum of Two Dollar's 50 Cents, current money, paid into the public Treasury; the payment whereof to the Treasurer, hath been duly certified by the Auditor of Public Accounts, and his certificate received into the Land Office.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Office, on the 5th day of February in the year of our Lord on thousand eight hundred and thirty.

Signed

Executed in full Will Beall

One the back:

I assign this to John Rakes April 6 1830: Will Beall.

61. 1830 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Washington County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Not Stated, Page Number 176, Image 95-96, Line Number 3, Household of John Rakes, (posted to db on 17 October 2012).

Name: John Rakes

Home in 1830 (City, County, State): Washington, Kentucky

Free White Persons - Males - 5 thru 9: 1

Free White Persons - Males - 10 thru 14: 3 [<--Reuben]

Free White Persons - Males - 15 thru 19: 1 [Hezekiah]

Free White Persons - Males - 20 thru 29: 1 [<-- John Jr]

Free White Persons - Males - 50 thru 59: 1 [<-- John]

Free White Persons - Females - Under 5: 1 [<-- Mary]

Free White Persons - Females - 5 thru 9: 1 [<-- Martha Ann]

Free White Persons - Females - 20 thru 29: 1 [<-- Elizabeth]

Free White Persons - Females - 40 thru 49: 1 [-- Nancy]

Free White Persons - Under 20: 7

Free White Persons - 20 thru 49: 3

Total Free White Persons: 11

Total - All Persons (Free White, Slaves, Free Colored): 11 .

[This shows the oldest female 40-49 (Nancy) and younger daughter 20-29 (Elizabeth).].

62. Virginia Chancery Court Cases, Author: County Clerks, Publisher: Library of Virginia. Powhatan Co VA 145-1850-002, 75 images, Record type: Chancery Court Files, Virginia, Jurisdiction: Powhatan County, Page number(s): 145_1850_002_0029, 145_1850_002_0002, Name: Plaintiff: Elizabeth Radford Etc; Defendant: Richard Radford Etc, Date recorded: 1830-1838, (Date posted to database 27 Sep 2014). (Digital Image: Powhatten Court Case.pdf)

George Radford of Powhatan died leaving the following brothers & sisters

1. Jno [John] Radford his brother who left
 1. Elizabeth Radford his Daughter now ??
 2. Jane Radford who marryd [married] Zack [Zachariah] Saunders and Jane died leaving
 1. Nancy who marryd [married] John Rakes
 2. Martha who marryd [married] Jno [John] Bagby
 3. Lucy who marryd [married] Jno [John] Wood
 4. Betsy who marryd [married] Genal: [General] Phelps
 5. James Saunders
 6. John Saunders
 7. Rhoda Saunders
 3. James Radford
 4. Benjamin Radford
 5. Wm [William] Radford
 6. Rebeca Radford who marryd [married] Thomas Whitlock
 7. Ann Radford now Ann Rakes the widow of Wm [William] Rakes
 8. Reubin Radford who died leaving
 1. Johnson Radford
 2. Miles Radford
 3. Josiah Radford
 4. Benjamin Radford
 5. Charles Radford
 6. Jno [John] Radford
 7. Tho [Thomas] Radford
 8. Edith Radford who marryd [married] Joseph Sublett
 9. Reubin Radford
 10. Phebe Radford who marryd [married] Frakorn Grafton
2. Richard Radford
3. Elizabeth Radford who marryd [married] Blackburn both dead and left
 1. William Blackburn
 2. James Blackburn
4. Susan Radford who marryd [married] Richard Apperson both of whom are dead leaving
 1. Frances Apperson
 2. John Apperson
5. Nancy Radford who marryd [married] John Connifax
6. Mary Radford who marryd [married] John McCargo
7. Agness Radford who marryd [married] John Bondurant both of whom are dead leaving
 1. Ann Mony the widow of Charles Mony
 2. Elizabeth Apperson who marryd [married] John Apperson
 3. Lucy Davis the widow of Jeffery Davis
 4. Joseph Bondurant
 5. Edward Bondurant

6. William Bondurant

7. Mary who marryd [married] Nathan Ayres

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This is the best I can do with the transcript using a text editor. The marryd is actually marry with a superscript of d. Also there is a note on the left side of the document indicating grandchildren which I can not reproduce in this text editor.

For a better and more complete summary see "Finding a Wife for John Rakes" by Roger W. Wells.

63. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Document type: Land Grant Survey, Jurisdiction: Washington County, Book: H-2, Volume: 1, Part 1, Page number: 692, Water course/identifier: Speaks Branch, Name: John Rakes, Date recorded: 9 Mar 1832, Certificate number: K LW # 21047, (Date posted to database 06 Sep 2014). (Paper Copy: E011)

Survey for John Rakes 50 acres of land by virtue of a Kentucky Land Office warrant No 19191. ?? of Will Beall lying on Speakes' Branch a North branch of Big South Fork, a joining his 50 acres survey on said branch, Beginning at 3 White Oaks in Peter Pennybakers line 42 poles from his N.W. corner thence with the ?? S 60 degrees E 24 poles to a stake in the former 50 acre survey, thence N 60 degrees E. 66 poles to two Sugar Trees dogwood and popular, thence S. 30 degrees 78 poles to a Sugar tree birch and dogwood thence S 60 degrees 20 poles to a birch in Pennybakers line S 60 degrees E 44 poles to a Sugar tree and hickory in Pennybakers line, thence from the same N 10 degrees 200 poles to two post Oaks chestnut oak ?? on the point of a nob thence S 40 degrees W 158 poles to the beginning, March 9 1833

Grantee: Rakes, John, Acres: 50, Book: H-2, Survey Date: 3- 9-1832, County: Washington, Water Course: Speaks Br, Reference: The Kentucky Land Grants, Volume 1, Part 1, Chapter VI Kentucky Land Warrants (1816-1873), The Counties of Kentucky, page 692, More Info: Grantee: Rakes, John, Acres: 50, Book: H-2, Page: 75, Date Survey: 3-9-1832, County: Washington, Watercourse: Speaks Br.

64. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1833, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 71, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

Benjamin Rakes, John Rakes Sr 200 South Fork 1---3 ~ 4 900, Wilson Rakes 200 South Fork 1, John Rakes Jr 100 South Fork 1--3 ~ 2 300.

65. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1834, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

John Rakes 116 acres, Benjamin Rakes, William Rakes, John Rakes.

66. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1835, Page: 34, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Hezehiah Rakes, Henry Rakes, John Rakes 70 acres South Fork, Benjamin Rakes, Wilson P. Rakes, John Rakes.

67. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1836, Page: 38-39, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

John Rakes 200 acres South Fork, Benjamin Rakes, Wilson Rakes, Henry Raikes.

68. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1837, Page: 40, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Jno Rakes 140 acres South Fork, Henry Rakes, Benjamin Rakes, Wilson Rakes, Reuben Rakes.

69. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Document type: Land Grant Patent, Jurisdiction: Washington County, Book: Grant Book H2, Page number: 75, Water course/identifier: Speaks Branch, Name: John Rakes, Date

recorded: 9 Mar 1832, Certificate number: K LW # 21047, (Date posted to database 06 Sep 2014). (Paper Copy: E011)
James Clark, ESQ. Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

To all to whom these presents shall come, greeting:

Know Ye, That by virtue and in consideration of a Land Office Warrant, No 19191 there is granted by the said Commonwealth unto John Rakes ?? a certain tract or parcel of land, containing fifty Acres, by survey, bearing date of 9th day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty two laying and being in the county of Washington on Speakes branch a North branch of the big South fork adjoining his 50 acres survey on said branch and bounded as followeth towit Beginning at 3 white oaks and Peter Pennybakers line 42 poles from his N W corner thence with the same S60 E24 poles to a stake in the former 50 acre survey thence N60 E66 poles to two sugar trees dogwood and poplar thence S30 E78 poles to a sugar tree Burch dogwood thence S60 E 44 poles in to a sugar tree and hickory in Pennybakers line then a from the same N10 W 200 poles to two post oaks chestnut oak and cedar on the point of a knob then a S 40 1/2 W 158 poles to the Beginning (Registered 27th July 1836)

With its appurtenances: To have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land, with its appurtenances, to the said John Rakes and his heirs forever.

In witness whereof, the said James Clark, Esq. Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, hath hereunto set his hand, and caused the seal of the said Commonwealth to be affixed, a Frankfort, on the 29th day of January in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven and of the Commonwealth the forty fifth.

By the Governor. Jas Clark
JM Bullock Secretary of State.

70. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1840, Page: 17, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

John Rakes 230 acres South Fork, Benjamin Rakes, Reuben Rakes, William Rakes.

71. 1840 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Record type: Census 1840, Page number: 59, Line number(s): 13, Household of John Rakes, (Date posted to database 25 Oct 2014).

Name: John Rakes Home in 1840 (City, County, State): Marion, Kentucky

Free White Persons - Males - 15 thru 19: 2 [<--Reuben]

Free White Persons - Males - 20 thru 29: 1 [<-- Hezekiah]

Free White Persons - Males - 60 thru 69: 1 [<-- John]

Free White Persons - Females - 10 thru 14: 1 [<-- Mary]

Free White Persons - Females - 30 thru 39: 1 [-- Elizabeth]

Persons Employed in Agriculture: 3 No.

White Persons over 20 Who Cannot Read and Write: 3

Free White Persons - Under 20: 3

Free White Persons - 20 thru 49: 2

Total Free White Persons: 6 Total All Persons - Free White, Free Colored, Slaves: 6.

[This census shows the oldest female 30-39 (Elizabeth). I think that Nancy has died. This would indicate that Nancy had died sometime between 1830 and 1840.].

72. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1841, Page: 45-46, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

John Rakes 120 acres South Fork, John Rakes 130 acres South Fork, Ben Rakes, Wm Rakes 50 acres South Fork, Reuben Rakes, W. P. Rakes, Hezekiah Rakes.

73. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1842, Page: 23-24, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wilson Rakes, John Rakes 230 acres South Fork, Benjamin Rakes, Hezekiah Rakes, William Rakes, Reuben Rakes,

James Rakes.

74. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1843, Page: 20, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

John Rakes 250 acres South Fork, William Rakes, James Rakes, Zachariah Rakes [-- I think this should be Hezekiah], Reuben Rakes, Benjamin Rakes, Wilson P Rakes, William Rakes.

75. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1844, Page: 23, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wilson Rakes, John Rakes 230 acres South Fork, Benjamin Rakes, Reuben Rakes, James Rakes, Hezekiah Rakes, William Rakes.

76. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1845, Page: 20, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Reuben Rakes, Wilson Rakes 40 acres South Fork, John Rakes 160 acres Speaks, Benjamin Rakes, Elisha Rakes, James Rakes, William Rakes.

77. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1846, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wilson Rakes 42 acres South Fork, William Rakes, Ben Rakes, James Rakes.
John Rakes was not listed in this tax year.

78. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1847, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Ben Rakes 50 acres South Fork, Wilson P Rakes 40 acres Rolling Fork, John Rakes 200 acres Rolling Fork, Wm Rakes, James Rakes, Clesha Rakes.
Who is Clesha? Maybe a misspelled name?.

79. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1848, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wilson P Rakes, William Rakes, James Rakes, Elisha Rakes, Ben Rakes, Jno Rakes 200 acres Rolling Fork.

80. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1849, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wilson P Rakes, Wm Rakes, James Rakes, John Rakes 200 acres Speaks Branch.

81. 1850 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, District 2, Page Number 417, Line Number 14-16, Household of William Rakes, (posted to db on 4 August 2012). (Digital Image: Rakes, John 1850 Census) (Paper Copy: E002)

William Rakes, age 30 M, Farmer, POB Kentucky

John Rakes, age 75, M, Farmer, POB Kentucky > Flagged as can not read or write

Polly Rakes, age 23 F, POB Kentucky > Flagged as can not read or write.

[Wilson P. Rakes and Reuben Rakes living next door].

82. Kentucky Legal Documents, Issued by Marion County, Year Issued 1855, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 30 September 2012). (Digital Image: Rakes, John POA) (Paper Copy: E008)

I hereby appoint William G. Kincaid, of the county of Boyle, and State of Kentucky, my lawful Attorney, to demand and receive from the Government of the United States, the Certificate of Additional Bounty Land, to which I may be entitled, under the Act of Congress, passed March 3rd, 1855, granting Bounty Land and additional Bounty Land to certain Officers and soldiers, who have been engaged in the military service of the United States. Give under my hand and seal, this 21 day of April 1855.

Signed John Rakes his mark. Witness: Alexander Gay and T. Batsell. Sworn to, subscribed and acknowledged before me, by the above mentioned John Rakes the day and year above written. T.J. Batsell J.P. Marion County, Kentucky.

State of Kentucky Marion County, set. I hereby certify, that T.J. Batsell Esq. before when the foregoing affidavits and acknowledgments were made, and who has thereunto subscribed his name, was at the time of so doing, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the County and State aforesaid, duly commissioned, sworn, and acting as such, and tat his said signature is genuine. In testimony whereof, I, as Clerk of the Marion County Court, have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of Marion County Court, Kentucky, this 2nd day of May A.D. 1855. Henry H. Hughes Clerk, Marion County Court.

83. Our Family Tree, My Genealogical Workbook, Compiler: Gertride Rachel Rakes, Self Published: Gertrude Rachel Rakes, Louisville, Kentucky, Page Number No Page, John Rakes, (posted to db on 15 October 2012). (Digital Image: Rakes, John Additional Land Grant 1) (Paper Copy: E009)
ADDITIONAL BOUNTY LAND GRANT. Under the Act of the 3rd of March 1855. STATE OF KENTUCKY, Marion County, set.

On this 21 day of April in the year of 1855, personally appeared before me T.J. Batsell, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace within and for the County and State aforesaid, John Rakes aged eighty years, a resident of Marion county, in the State of Kentucky, who being sworn according to law, declares, that he is the identical John Rakes who was a private, in the Company commanded by Captain William Freeland, in the Regiment commanded by Col. Gray (;??? Cocke) in the war with Great Britain declared by United States on the 18th day of June 1812 and that he volunteered on or about the 20th day of August 1814 for the term of six months for the term of six months and continued in actual service in said war for the term of fourteen days, and was honorably discharged from said service, on or about the 1st day of February 1815 at Camp Carter Virginia by reason of expiration of service -- Regiment was in the Virginia Militia - The Regiment was drafted, but Captain Feeland volunteered before the draft and raised his company by volunteering.

That he has heretofore made application for Bounty Land, under the Act of September 28th, 1850, and received a Land Warrant , No. (not recorded) for 80 Acres, which he has since legally disposed of, and cannot now return. He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the additional Bounty Land to which he may be entitled under the Act, approved the 3rd of March 1855. He also declares that he has never applied for, nor received, under this or any other Act of Congress, any Bounty Land Warrant, except the one above mentioned. Applicant was a resident of Buckingham County in Virginia where he served as above stated but lived in this county where he applied for Bounty Land under the law of 28 Sep 1850. (Signed) John X Rakes (Seal)

We Thomas Batsell and Alexander Gay residents of Marion County in the State of Kentucky, upon our oaths declare, that the forgoing declaration was signed and acknowledged by John Rakes in our presence, and that we believe, from the appearance and statements of the applicant, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be. (Signed:) Thomas Batsell and Alexander Guy

The forgoing declaration and affidavit were sworn to and subscribed before me, on the day and year above written; and I certify, that I know the affiants to be creditable persons; that the claimant is the person he represents himself to be; and that I have no interest in this claim. (Signed:) T. J. Batsel J.P. Marion County Kentucky.

84. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1856, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Elisha Rakes, John Rakes Sr 200 acres South Fork, William Rakes, James Rakes, Reuben Rakes.

85. Our Family Tree, My Genealogical Workbook, Compiler: Gertride Rachel Rakes, Self Published: Gertrude Rachel Rakes, Louisville, Kentucky, Page Number No Page, John Rakes, (posted to db on 15 October 2012). (Digital Image: Rakes, John Additional Land Grant 2) (Paper Copy: E010)

Following John Rakes Family Group Sheet, Letter Head of Office of Secretary of State. On the 1 May 1856 W. G. Kincaid collected for John Rakes an additional 80 acres of land. Recorded here is a total of 310 acres of land; did John

Rakes own other tracts of land not listed here?.

86. Death Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 3 Sep 2015).

The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that John Rakes died about 1857 at Marion County, Kentucky, United States.

Death Date:

I have calculated John Rakes death date based on him paying taxes in 1856 but not in 1858. (There is no 1857 tax records)

John is shown in the 1850 Marion County, Kentucky census but is not found in the 1860 census.

Death Location:

His place of death is based on where he was living at the time.

John paid taxes in Marion County, Kentucky for the year 1856.

87. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 15 October 2012).

There is no document showing the burial of John Rakes. The was known as Pioneer Cemetery. The cemetery is located outside of Bradfordsville on route 49 towards the town of Liberty by building used as a church/school/residence. This cemetery seems to be lost except for family who know about it. Paul Tungate in his book listed this as the place of burial but indicated he did not know where it was located but that it must be close to Bradfordsville.

[This cemetery has been known by the name of Pioneer Cemetery. The building on this property has been a church, school, and residence. My wife visited this cemetery and found that all of the stones had been removed and placed into a pile on the back of the property close to a small stream. We latter visited this cemetery and found that the stones were now completely gone and nothing remains except as open field used for farming.].

88. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 30 Jul 2016).

There was no tax record found for this year.

89. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1858, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Elisha Rakes, Reuben Rakes, William Rakes, James Rakes.

John Rakes is not listed in this tax record and also is not listed on any future tax records of Marion County, Kentucky. I suspect that John has died.

90. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Mortality, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Record type: Census 1860, Jurisdiction: Marion County, Issued by: State of Kentucky, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 06 Nov 2014).

John Rakes was not found in this Mortality Schedule.

91. Marion County, Kentucky - Deeds 1863/1984. FHL Film Number 997906?, Document type: Deed, Jurisdiction: Rakes Branch, Book: 4, Page number: 181-182, Date recorded: 7 Dec 1867, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 06 Sep 2014). (Digital Image: V062_013 & V062_014, Rakes, John Property Sell by Heirs) (Paper Copy: C033)

This indenture made and entered into the Seventh of December 1867 between Reuben Rakes and Treasey, his wife, and Benjamin Rakes and Martha, his wife and Major Turner and Elizabeth, his wife and James Rakes, and Frances, his wife of Marion County, State of Kentucky of the one part and Alexander Gay, of the same county and state, of the other part.

Witnesseth, that for and in consideration of the sum of sixty-five dollars and seventy-five dollars and seventy five Dollars, cash in hand paid the receipt which is hereby acknowledged, the party of the first part has this day bargained and sold, and do by these presents bargain, sell, alien, and convey to the Gay their full and entire undivided interest in their father, John Rakes (es) tract of land supposed to contain two hundred and seventy-six acres, more or less their undivided interest supposed to be about 16 acres each, without calls or distance, lying and being in Marion County, Ky on the South Fork of the Rolling Fork on the north side of said Fork known as Rakes Branch, the said Gay to have

and to hold said tract of land, with the appurtenances there unto belonging unto him and his heirs forever, and the said Reuben Rakes and Treasey, his wife; Benjamin Rakes and Martha, his wife; and Major Turner and Elizabeth, his wife; and James Rakes and Frances, his wife. Each doth warrant defend the title to the said Gay against the claim of all and every person whatever unto him and his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony where the said Reuben Rakes and Louisa, Benjamin Rakes and Martha, Major Turner and Elizabeth; James Rakes and Frances their wives doth here unto set their hands and seals the day and date above written.

James Rakes - Benjamin Rakes
his mark his mark

Frances Rakes - Martha Rakes
her mark her mark

Reuben Rakes - Major Turner
his mark his mark

Lueasy Rakes - Elizabeth Turner
her mark her mark

State of Kentucky
Marion County

I John Servance clerk of the Marion County Court certify that on the 7th day of December 1867 the forgoing deed was produced to me in Marion County and acknowledged and delivered by Ruben Rakes and Lucy his wife, Benjamin Rakes and Martha his wife, Major Turner and Elizabeth his wife, James Rakes and Francis his wife.

[Interesting note: the Alexander Gay who is buying this property is the same Alexander Gay who witnessed John Rakes Power of Attorney and helped John Rakes obtain the property through land grants].

92. Historical Events, (posted to db on 1 July 2014).

The Buckingham County Courthouse burned and most all records prior to 26 Feb 1869 were lost in the fire.

93. Putnam County, Indiana Births, Deaths 1882-1957, Originator: Putnam County (Indiana), Board of Health, Publisher: Filmed by the Genealogy Society of Utah, Salt Lake City, 1970. Family History Library Number 0840216, Putnam County, Year Filed 1885, Book A, Page 98, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes Jr., (posted to db on 2000). (Digital Image: V058_064; Rakes, John Jr Death.pdf) (Paper Copy: C001)

Certificate of Death issued by Putnam County Board of Health:

This is to Certify That our Records Show John Rakes, Jr, died March 7, 1885 at Jefferson Twp., Putnam County, Indiana. Age at death 82, sex Male, color White, married. Primary cause of death old age and heart failure. Certified by E. Hawkins, MD, Belle Union, Ind. Place of burial or removal Not Given, Date of Burial Not Given, Record filed March 12, 1885, Book No A page No 98. Signed by Health Commissioner Dated December 5, 1979.

Father: John Rakes, Sr. - B/P-Virginia
Mother: ??? Saunders-B/P-Not available
John Rakes, JR.-B/P-Virginia
Occupation: Farmer

Transcription from original record found in film 840216: Book A, page 98-99, Record # 27. Record of Returns of Deaths Putnam County, Indiana.

John Rakes Jr, Male, White, 82, Farmer, DOD Mar 7, 1885, Married, Native, VA, Duration of Illness 52 weeks, POD Jeff [Jefferson] Twsp [Township], cause of death Old Age heart failure, Father John Rakes Sr, VA, Mother Saunders, Medical Attendant E. Hawkins of Belle Union IN.

In the actual record there is no ?? or other marks by the mother; only her surname of Saunders.

94. Indiana Death Index 1882-1920, Indiana State Library Genealogy Database, Publisher: <http://web.isl.lib.in.us/INMarriages1850>, Issued by Putnam County, Year Issued 1885, Certificate Number (Book H-1, Page 98), Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (posted to db on 2 March 2013).
Name: John Rakes, Date: 7 Mar 1885, LOCATION: Jefferson Township, Age: 82 yr, Gender: Male, Race: White, Source Location: County Health Office, Greencastle, Source Notes: The source of this record is the book H-1 on page 98 within the series produced by the Indiana Works Progress Administration.
95. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, (Date posted to database 30 Jul 2016).
I am not able to find John in the 1860 census.
96. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 30 Jul 2016).
This alternate name may have been used as a nickname but I can not find any record using this name.
97. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 30 Jul 2016).
The middle name of "Carter" was never used in any document for John. .
98. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 28 Nov 2015).
The name of John Rakes Sr is shown in the death record of his son John Rakes Jr.
[I am not sure that John Rakes Sr. was ever used in John's lifetime. Maybe it was just used to separate the generations to avoid confusion?].
99. Buckingham County, Virginia church and marriage records, 1764-1822, Compiler: Mary Bondurant Warren, Publisher: Heritage Papers, Athens, GA, 1993. Call Number: F232 B96 W37 1993, Page Number 12 & 14, Person(s) of Interest Charles Rakes, (posted to db on 1 July 2014).
Only found the following on page 12 & 14: Charles Rakes paid for cutting wood for widow Flowers.
100. Buckingham County, Virginia undetermined chancery files index, Compiler: Jeanne Stinson, Publisher: Lberian Publishing Company, 1994. Call Number: F232.B96 S76 1994, (posted to db on 1 July 2014).
Page 23: Rakes, Charles for cutting wood for the widow Flowers 11/1774
Page 24: To Do for Charles Baker [Rakes?] cutting wood for the Widdow Flowers .5.
101. Buckingham County, Virginia undetermined chancery files index, Compiler: Janice L Abercromhip and Richard Slatta, (posted to db on 1 July 2014).
Nothing Found.
102. Virginia Tithables from Burned Record Counties, Compiled by: Robert F. Woodson and Isobel B.Woodson, Publisher: Isabel B. Woodson, Richmond VA, 1970. Call Number: F225.W6, Page Number 88, Person(s) of Interest Rakes, (posted to db on 2 July 2014).
Nothing Found for John Rakes
Rakes, Charles, Buckingham, 1774, 1
Rakes, Charles, see Garrott, Stephen
Rakes, David, Buckingham, 1773, 1
Rakes, Henry, Buckingham, 1774, 1
Rakes, David
Rakes, William, Buckingham, 1773, 1
Rakes, William, Buckingham, 1774, 1.
103. Book: Buckingham County Virginia Surveyor's Plat Book 1762-1858 (BK), Transcribed and Edited by: Eric G. Grundset. Call Number: F232 B96G78 1983, (posted to db on 2 July 2014).
104. Buckingham County, Virginia, Janice L. Abercrombie, Publisher: Lberian Publishing Company, 1991. Call Number: F232.B96 A340 1991, (posted to db on 2 July 2014).
Nothing Found Rakes.
105. Virginia District Courts, 1789-1809 (BK), Compiler: Mary Bondurant Warren, Publisher: Heritage Papers, Danielsville, GA, 1991. Call Number: F221.W3770 1991, (posted to db on 2 July 2014).
Nothing found for John Rakes.
106. Marriage Records of Washington County, Kentucky 1792-1809, Compiler: Marie Arrington Davidson, Schwarz

Office Machines, Twin Falls, Idaho, 1972. 976.9493 V28, (posted to db on 8 July 2014).
Nothing Found.

107. Marriage Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 3 Sep 2015).
The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that John Rakes and Nancy Saunders were married about 1802 in Buckingham County, Virginia, United States.

The marriage is documented in the Chancery Court case which started in Oct 1830 and ended 1850. The court records document that Nancy Saunders the daughter of Zach Saunders and Jane Radford married John Rakes. This court document does not give a date or place of marriage.

Marriage Date:

I have set the marriage date between John Rakes and Nancy Saunders as about 1802. This calculation is based on them being married 1 year prior to the birth of their first child, John Rakes Jr who's date of birth is found on his death record as 16 March 1803.

Marriage Location:

The parents of John and Nancy were living in Buckingham County, Virginia, United States and I list this as the place of marriage. The parents of both John and Nancy are listed in the tax records of Buckingham County, Virginia during this time period.

There are some who think John Rakes was married more than once. In my looking at all of the documents that I have I do not see an indication of multi marriages. There is a gap in the birth of children but this could be just the fact that we do not know the birth dates of most of the children. It could be because of his service in the war of 1812 and his move to Kentucky. The change of age of the oldest female in the 1840 census is from Nancy's death and the oldest female then being his oldest daughter, Elizabeth, who is still at home.

If the parents of John Rakes Jr, the oldest son, were John and Nancy and the parents of Mary Rakes the, youngest daughter, then John and Nancy would have to separate and then marry again.

108. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 3 Sep 2015).
The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that Nancy Saunders is the birth name and that her parents were Zachariah Saunders and Jane Radford.

The Chancery Court document is the only known document that shows the name of Nancy Saunders. The death record of her son John Rakes Jr has his father listed as Father: John Rakes, Sr. - B/P-Virginia; Mother: ??? Saunders-B/P-Not available.

Name:

The Chancery Court case started in Oct of 1830 and ended in 1850 shows the name as Nancy Saunders.

Parents:

The parents of Nancy Saunders are given in the Chancery Court case and the court records document that Nancy Saunders is the daughter of Zac Saunders and Jane Radford.

109. Pendleton County, Kentucky Court Order Book A, Author: Pendleton County Clerk, Abstract Court Record 1805 - 1814. Film # 7015192, Issued by: Pendleton County, Year Issued: 1810, Certificate Number: page 232, Person(s) of Interest: Thomas Williams and Nancy his wife, late Nancy Sanders, (posted to db on 21 January 2014).
1810

Page 232 - Land Division - John Sanders, "2nd Monday in January, 1810". Land is given to the widow Sarah, to Thomas Williams and Nancy his wife, late Nancy Sanders; Joel Sanders; Joseph K. Glinn, guardian of the heirs of Sarah Glinn, late Sarah Sanders; Rebecah Sanders; John Sanders; James Sanders, Dorcas Sanders; Thomas Bryan and Elizabeth his wife, late Elizabeth Sanders; Luke Bryan and Polley his wife, late Polley Sanders; Joel Sanders. This shows that Nancy Sanders the daughter of John Sanders and Sarah Grant married a Thomas Williams not John

Rakes.

110. Pendleton County, Kentucky Marriage 1799 - 1843, Author: Pendleton County Clerk, Abstract: Marriage Record. Film # 272800, Issued by: Pendleton County, Year Issued: 1801, Certificate Number: page 3, Person(s) of Interest: Thomas Williams and Nancy Sanders, (posted to db on 21 January 2014).

WILLIAMS, Thomas"; Nancy Sanders 31 Dec 1801" Minister Alexander Monroe.

This shows that Nancy Sanders married Thomas Williams on 31 December 1801 and was not married to John Rakes.

111. Biographical Record of Daniel and Mary (Jackson) Williams, Early Kentucky Pioneers, Author: Juliema M. Kelly, Published: Baltimore, MD 1898, Page Number 9, Person(s) of Interest Thomas Williams, (posted to db on 15 July 2014).

THOMAS WILLIAMS, the eldest son of Daniel and Mary (Jackson) Williams, was born in Falmouth, Virginia, Feb. 25, 1777 and immigrated with his parents to Kentucky. He was a successful school teacher, also farmer. December 31, 1801, in Pendleton County, Ky., he married Miss Nancy Sanders, (some- times written Saunders), born in Yadkin County, North Carolina, March 11th, 1784. She was a daughter of John and Sallie (Grant) Sanders and her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Grant, was a sister of the famous Kentucky hunter and pioneer, Daniel Boone. In 1840, when advanced in years, Thomas removed with his family to Livingston County, Missouri, where he died, March 30, 1845, and his wife about two years later, Feb. 9, 1847. Their children, who lived to be grown, were: Angelina; Rev. Joel Grant, (a Baptist minister); Dr. James Tully; Daniel Boone; Dr. John S; Dr. Thomas J.; Zerah Grant; Lycurgus; Musidora; and Stanishlaus; and Clementina; Elijah; Melcena; Sarah; and Nancy, who died when young.

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http://kdl.kyvl.org/catalog/xt74qr4nkj87_7?

112. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 3 Sep 2015).

Some have speculated that the connection between Nancy Sanders and the Boone line was independently discovered by several different researchers in several different locations of the United States.

If you look at the Family Group Sheet for the temple work for this family it clearly shows that this incorrect link to the Boone line was known before February 14, 1905, as that is the date of the first temple work, and the Family Group Sheet shows Nancy Sanders being the daughter of John Sanders and Sarah Grant.

I feel that the incorrect parents of Nancy Sanders was found by one person and then spread to the rest of the family.

113. Birth Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 3 Sep 2015).

The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that Nancy Saunders was born about 1785 at Buckingham County, Virginia, United States.

Birth Date:

1820 Census of John Rakes show the oldest female as 45+ (1775-)

1830 Census of John Rakes show the oldest female as 40-49 (1781-1790)

If you use the calculated date of marriage as 1802 and females marring about the age of 21 (1781)

If you look at the birth of her mother Jane Radford then 1785 seems to fit.

Birth Location:

Nancy's birth place is based on the residence of her parents shown by the tax records of Buckingham County, Virginia.

114. Death Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 3 Sep 2015).

The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that Nancy Saunders died between 1830 and 1840 at Marion County, Kentucky, United States.

Death Date:

John's wife is shown as the oldest female in the 1820 and the 1830 Washington County, Kentucky Census. In the 1840 Census of John Rakes the oldest female is younger than Nancy should be. I think that the oldest female in the 1840

Census is John's and Nancy's oldest daughter Elizabeth. Elizabeth is not married at this time. This indicates that Nancy died sometime between the 1830 and 1840 Census.

At the start of the 1830 Court Case it appears that Nancy is still living. If not her part of the settlement would have gone to her children.

Death Location:

I have used the place of residence of John Rakes as the death location for Nancy.

115. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 19 December 2013).

Old Drye School Cemetery also know as Pioneer Cemetery? Marion County...Pure speculation. Her husband is supposedly buried in this cemetery.

Rakes Branch Cemetery Marion County... Pure speculation There is a Rakes Branch Cemetery and it is located on the property owned by John Rakes.

116. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 17 Feb 2015).

Name:

At some time John changed the spelling of his surname to Raikes. The earliest I can find John Rakes Jr is in the 1829 Washington County, KY tax records. I find John Raikes in the 1850 Census. John is shown as John Rakes Jr on his death information. I do not find any document that shows his name as John Jackson Rakes. I do not know where Jackson comes from it may be a nickname used early in his life to show a difference between him and his father.

Relationship:

John Rakes Jr is connected to John Rakes and Nancy Saunders by using his death information which shows that his father was John Rakes Sr and his mother was listed as Saunders.

117. Calculation, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 17 Feb 2015).

age 10-15 1820 Kentucky Census
age 20-29 1830 Kentucky Census
age 30-39 1840 Kentucky Census
age 47 1850 Indiana Census
age 57 1860 Indiana Census
age 67 1870 Indiana Census
age 78 1880 Indiana Census
age 82 at death of 7 March 1885.

118. The John Rakes Families of Marion Co., KY, Compiler: Paul Tungate, Publisher: Self Published, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1995. FHL: Microfiche 6007322; 929.273 R137; (Digital Version), Record type: Book, Page number: 5 , Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 26 Nov 2015). (Digital Image: Rakes, of Marion County Paul Tungate The.pdf) (Paper Copy: Personal Library of Roger W. Wells)

Born 16 March 1803, Cemetery. record says 1808. 1803 - taken from 1850 census. Probably. in Buckingham Co., Va. New Providence Cem. records in Putnam Co. states he was born 16 Mar. 1808 Died 7 Mar. 1885, (I believe he was probably born about. 1803. The death records of Putnam Co., Indiana states he was 82 yrs. old and he died Mar. 7, 1885 in Belle Union, Jefferson Township, Putnam Co. In., His parents are John Rakes and ? Saunders. Native of Virginia. If he was 82 yrs. at death, he was born 1803 and I believe the death and census record is correct.

119. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1816, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 64, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

John Rakes Jr 200 1--1 ~ 50.

120. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1816, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 69, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

John Rakes Jr 1.

121. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332,

Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1816, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 71, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).
John Rakes Jr 100 South Fork 1--3 ~ 2 300.

**122. 1840 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Indiana, Putnam County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Record type: Census 1840, Jurisdiction: Putnam County, Page number: 718 Image 11, Line number(s): 10, Household of John Rakes, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).
 Name: John Rakes, Males 30 to under 40: 1, Females under 5: 2, Females 5 to under 10: 3, Females 20 to under 30: 1.**

**123. Indiana Deed Records, FamilySearch, Record type: Deed, Film #: FHL# 1315558, Putnam County, State of: Indiana, Volume: M, Page number(s): 443, Date recorded: 1846/1847, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes To Hezekiah, (Date posted to database 20 Dec 2014). (Digital Image: Rakes, John to Hezekiah.pdf)
 This deed is between John Rakes and his wife Marda and Hezekiah Rakes. John is selling Hezekiah property for \$400. 20 Dec., 1846, John Rakes and Marda, his wife of Putnam Co. to Hezekiah Rakes of Putnam Co. for \$400, NE ¼ SE ¼ Sec. 9, Twp. 13 N, Range 3W (Putnam Co., IN Deed Book M, Pg 443).**

**124. Indiana Deed Records, FamilySearch, Record type: Deed, Film #: FHL# 1315558, Putnam County, State of: Indiana, Volume: M, Page number(s): 444, Date recorded: 1846/1847, Person(s) of interest: Hezekiah Rakes To John, (Date posted to database 20 Dec 2014). (Digital Image: Rakes, Hezekiah to John.pdf)
 This deed is between Hezekiah Rakes and his wife Elizabeth and John Rakes. Hezekiah is selling John property for \$400. 26 Dec. 1846, Hezekiah Rakes of Putnam Co. to John Rakes of Putnam Co. for \$400, SE ¼ of SE 1/4 Sec. 9, Twp. 13N, R 3W (Putnam Co., IN Deed Book M, Pg 444).**

125. 1850 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Indiana, Putnam County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jefferson, Image 21, Household Number 156, Household of John Raikes, (posted to db on 5 March 2013).

**John Raikes, Age 47, Sex M, Race W, Occupation farmer, POB Virginia
 Margery Raikes, Age 36, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky
 Sarah A Raikes, Age 18, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky
 Mary J Raikes, Age 18, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky
 Nance Raikes, Age 15, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky
 Elizabeth Raikes, Age 12, Sex F, Race W, POB Indiana
 Amanda Raikes, Age 10, Sex F, Race W, POB Indiana
 Caraline Raikes, Age 8, Sex F, Race W, POB Indiana
 John H C Raikes, Age 6, Sex M, Race W, POB Indiana
 Eliza E Raikes, Age 5, Sex F, Race W, POB Indiana
 George W Raikes, Age 3, Sex M, Race W, POB Indiana
 Martha A Raikes, Age 1, Sex F, Race W, POB Indiana.**

126. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Indiana, Putnam County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jefferson Township, Page 22, Household of Jno Raikes, (posted to db on 6 March 2013).

**Jno Raikes, Age 57, Sex M, Race W, POB Virginia
 Margery ? Raikes, Age 47, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky
 Amanda Raikes, Age 20, Sex W, Race W, POB Indiana
 John Henry Raikes, Age ??, Sex M, Race W, Occupation farm laborer, POB Indiana
 Ellen Raikes, Age ??, Sex F, Race W, POB Indiana
 Geo W Raikes, Age 12, Sex M, Race W, POB Indiana
 Marthe A Raikes, Age 9, Sex F, Race W, POB Indiana
 Orlena Raikes, Age 6, Sex F, Race W, POB Indiana.**

127. U.S. Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865, Civil War Soldiers Sailors System, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Putnam County, Person(s) of Interest John Rakes, (Date posted to database 22 May 2015).

Name: John Rakes Residence: Putnam County, Indiana Enlistment Date: 6 Aug 1863 Side Served: Union State Served: Indiana Service Record: Enlisted as a Private on 6 August 1863. Enlisted in Company H, 115th Infantry

Regiment Indiana on 6 Aug 1863. Mustered Out Company H, 115th Infantry Regiment Indiana on 25 Feb 1864 at Indianapolis, IN. Sources: 76,250.

128. Find A Grave, Publisher: Findagrave.com, New Providence Cemetery, Putnam County, Find A Grave Memorial# 68713599, Person(s) of Interest Hezekiah "Kier" Rakes, (posted to db on 26 January 2013).

Birth: unknown Death: Sep. 5, 1868 His parents were John and Margret; his brothers were: John, Reuben, Henery, Benjamin, Elisha, Wilsie, and James; and his sisters were: Polly and Betsy. (Mrs. Anna Morris, Nov. 12, 1964) Note:

Other information indicates that his mother's name was Nancy. Hezekiah Rakes died Sept 5, 1868 aged about 62y

Family links: Spouse: Elizabeth Caroline Reeder Rakes (1827 - 1917) Children: Benjamin Franklin Raikes (1848 - 1925)* Nancy Jane Lewis (1850 - 1934)* Alexander Rakes (1858 - 1862)* John Rakes (1860 - 1860)* Mary Rakes Ellis (1865 - 1939)* *Calculated relationship Burial: New Providence Cemetery Mount Meridian Putnam County Indiana, USA Created by: Jay Record added: Apr 21, 2011 Find A Grave Memorial# 68713599.

129. 1870 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Indiana, Putnam County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jefferson Township, Page 22, Household of John Rakes, (posted to db on 6 March 2013).

John Rakes, Age 67, Sex M, Race W, Occupation farmer, POB Virginia

Margrett [Margery] Rakes, Age 56, Sex F, Race W, Occupation keeping house, POB Kentucky

George Rakes, Age 22, Sex M, Race W, POB Indiana

Orlena Rakes, Age 16, Sex F, Race W, POB Indiana.

130. 1880 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Indiana, Putnam County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jefferson Township, Image 7, Household Number 54, Household of George Rakes, (posted to db on 6 March 2013).

George Rakes, Sex M, Race W, Age 36, head, Martial status M 1 Year, Occupation farmer, POB Indiana, FPOB Virginia, MPOB Kentucky

Nancy Rakes, Sex F, Race W, Age 25, wife, Martial status M, Occupation keeping house, POB Indiana, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Virginia

Mollie Rakes, Sex F, Race W, Age 7, daughter, Martial status S, POB Indiana, FPOB Indiana, MPOB Indiana

William O Rakes, Sex M, Race W, Age 5, son, Martial status S, POB Indiana, FPOB Indiana, MPOB Indiana

John Rakes, Sex M, Race W, Age 78, father, Martial status M, Occupation retired, POB Virginia, FPOB England, MPOB Ireland

Margia [Margery] Rakes, Sex F, Race W, Age 68, mother, Martial status M, Occupation retired, POB Kentucky, FPOB Virginia, MPOB Virginia

Hiram Hurst, Sex M, Race W, Age 17, Occupation farm hand, POB Indiana, FPOB Indiana, MPOB Indiana.

131. Putnam County Cemeteries Listed by Township, Publisher:

<http://www.putnamindianacemeteries.com/aweb/CemByTwp/CemList.htm>. Putnam County, Indiana, Jefferson Township Cemetery Listing.pdf, (Jefferson Township, New Providence/Providence, Date posted to database 26 Nov 2015). (Digital Image: Putnam County, Indiana, Jefferson Township Cemetery Listing.pdf)

E/W: N 7, N/S: 5, Surname: Rakes, First Name: John, Other Inscriptions: Birth: Mar 16 1804, Death: 7 Mar 1885, Age: 81y 11m 21d.

I suspect that the date of birth comes from a calculation using the death date and the age at death. In using date calculator programs the date calculation for the birth date is 14 Mar 1803 or 17 Mar 1803 depending on how the subtraction is done.

132. Weik's History of Putnam County, Indiana, Author: Jesse W. Weik, A.M., Published: Bowen & Company, Indianapolis, Indiana, 1910, Page Number 666-668, Person(s) of Interest John H. Meek, (posted to db on 22 July 2014).

The record of the gentleman whose name forms the caption to this biographical review is that of a man who has worked his way from modest beginnings to a place of influence and comparative independence, his life having been one of unceasing industry and perseverance, and the notably systematic and honorable methods he has employed have won him the unbounded confidence and regard of those with whom he has come in contact John H. Meek was born in the central part of the state of Missouri in 1856. and is the son of Abraham and Sarah Ann (Rakes) Meek. Abraham Meek was born September 1 1831 in Morgan county. Indiana, and was the son of James and Samvra (Staiev) Meek. His father died when he was but four years of age. and he inherited a tract of land in Mill Creek township, Putnam County. On attaining mature years he married and then lived on this land until 1862. He then sold the farm and

moved to near Bedford, Iowa, where he ran a stage line and operated a hotel. Subsequently they moved to Missouri, but a year later they returned to Indiana. In 1862 they again went to Iowa, where they remained a year or two, and then returned to Putnam county, locating in Jefferson township, where they spent the remainder of their lives, the mother dying on March 12, 1906, and the father on June 3, 1909. Fie was a man of prominence in the community and served as justice of the peace. Abraham Meek was married in 1848 to Sarah Ann Rakes, a daughter of John and Marjorie Rakes. She was born in Kentucky and in her young girlhood was brought to Indiana by her parents, who bought land in section 9, Jefferson township, Putnam county. At that time the young lady planted a Cottonwood tree, which is still standing and which is now sixteen feet in circumference. Only about four acres of land had been cleared on this land, but the father went to work with a will and eventually developed a fine farm, and there he and his wife spent their remaining years. The father was a radical Republican in political faith and stood high in the esteem of those who knew him.

John H. Meek was reared on a farm and accompanied his parents in their several removals, finally locating in Putnam county, where he has spent his active years. He secured a fair education in the common schools and has always followed the pursuit of agriculture. At the time of his marriage, in 1878, he and his wife established their home where he now lives, his real estate then amounting to twenty-seven and a half acres, on which was a small pioneer home. This humble building was subsequently remodeled into a very comfortable home, which served the family as a residence until February 1, 1906, when it was totally destroyed by fire, causing a serious loss. However, on the 14th of the following May the family moved into a new home which had been erected on the ashes of the old, the present home being very comfortable and attractive. Mr. Meek's present farm comprises two hundred acres of splendid, fertile land, practically all of which is under cultivation and well improved in every respect. All Mr. Meek has is the result of his own efforts and he is eminently deserving of the success which has crowned his efforts. Besides a general line of farming, he has run a threshing machine, been a dealer in and shipper of livestock, and owned a sawmill, and in each of these lines he was successful. He possesses good business ability and sound judgment and is practical and methodical in all his operations.

On October 13, 1878, Mr. Meek married Alice Lewis, a daughter of Gaskin and Margaret (Brinton) Lewis. She was born on the farm which she now lives, her father having been a native of Ohio and her mother of Kentucky. Her paternal grandfather was James Lewis, an early pioneer of this section of the state, while her maternal grandparents were Bryant and Mary (Tharp) Brinton, who came here in an early day and entered a quarter section of land lying in sections 9 and 10, Jefferson township. Gaskin Lewis followed farming, and was also a successful school teacher, having also served as assessor of Jefferson township. He died in 1872, being survived a number of years by his widow, whose death occurred in June, 1897. To Mr. and Mrs. Meek have been born five children, namely: Ora Everett, who now lives on the home place, married Marie Farmer; Elsie Jane is the wife of Harrison Hunter, of Marion township, and they have two children. Helen Irene and Harold Harrison; Margaret Ann, Emma Opal and Wilfred Claude.

Politically Mr. Meek is a staunch Republican and has taken an active interest in the success of the party in local elections, having served for twelve years as chairman of the township committee. Fie has also served as township assessor. Fraternally he is a Freemason, belonging to the blue lodge at Cloverdale. Mr. Meek has taken an intelligent interest in the welfare of the community and gives his unreserved support to every movement that promises to benefit the community along moral, educational or material lines. Genial and courteous in his relations with his fellow men, he enjoys a large circle of warm friends, who esteem him for his personal worth.

133. Washington County marriage records, 1792-1878, Compiler: Margaret Clark Kington, Publisher: Cook-McDowell, Owensboro, Ky, 1981. 976.902 W317k, Issued by: Washington County, Year Issued: 1831, Person(s) of Interest: John Rakes and Maria Hill, (posted to db on 10 February 2014).

Rakes, John, Maria [Margery] Hill bond William Adams, Book 2 - 284.

134. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).

Name:

Elizabeth Rakes is the name found in most records. She is shown as Betty Turner in the 1850 Census. Betty is a fairly common nickname for Elizabeth.

Relationship:

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www.rwfamilhistory.com

"This is a research document and many of the major events have not been proven. If no source is given then the information is just a guess and/or copied from some area where no source was given."

Elizabeth Rakes is connected to this family by using the property records showing her and her husband selling the property of John Rakes.

135. Calculation, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 19 Feb 2015).

age 10-15 1820 Census
age 20-29 1830 Census
age 30-39 1840 Census
age 40 1850 Census
age 60 1860 Census

I think the 1850 census listing Elizabeth's age is wrong and she should be 50. So my best guess for her year of birth is 1805.

136. 1850 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, District 2, Sheet 838/418B, Lines 23-26, Household Number 332, Household of Major Turner, (posted to db on 9 January 2013).

Major Turner, Sex M, Race W, Age 30, Occupation farmer, POB Virginia
Betty Turner, Sex F, Race W, Age 40, POB Virginia
Sarah B Turner, Sex F, Race W, Age 5, POB Kentucky
James Rakes, Sex M, Race W, Age 26, Occupation farmer, POB Kentucky.

137. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Bradfordsville, District 2, Image 28, Sheet 28, Lines 16-20, Household Number 197, Household of Major Turner, (posted to db on 9 January 2013).

Major Turner, Sex M, Race W, Age 37, Occupation Farmer, Value of Personal Estate 100, POB Virginia
Elizabeth Turner, Sex F, Race W, Age 60, POB Virginia
Sarah Turner, Sex F, Race W, Age 14, POB Kentucky
Martha Paul Turner, Sex F, Race W, Age 11, POB Kentucky
Mary Turner, Sex F, Race W, Age 80, POB Virginia.

The age of Elizabeth seems pretty old but I have checked the census and that is how it is recorded.

138. Calculation, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 4 January 2013).

Elizabeth and her husband Major Turner are shown signing the deed to transfer property of her father in 1867. Elizabeth was found on the 1860 census but not on the 1870 her husband was found living with another family in the 1870 Census and he is listed as a widow in the 1880 Census. .

139. Calculation, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 9 January 2013).

The marriage year for Major Turner and Elizabeth Rakes is based on estimated birth of first child, Sarah B Turner.

140. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).

Name:

Hezekiah Rakes is shown as Hezekiah "Kier" Rakes on his cemetery marker. Hezekiah surname was also spelled Raikes in the 1850 and 1860 Census. In his will he is listed as Rakes.

Relationship:

Hezekiah Rakes is connected to this family because he was born in Virginia and lived/paid taxes close to John Rakes family in Marion County, Kentucky. He is the right age and at the right place to be a son. He is living close to John Rakes Jr in Putnam County, Indiana. There are property records that show John and Hezekiah trading properties.

Elizabeth is living in the home and listed as mother of Benjamin F Rakes in both the 1900 and 1910 Putnam County, Indiana Census.

141. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, Record type: Letter(s), from Anna Elizabeth (Raikes) Morris, to Jay G. Lamb (LambJGLamb@aol.com), (Date posted to database 30 Oct 2014).

I don't know when Hezekiah Raikes came to IN. The first land he owned in Putnam Co. was purchased in 1835 at the age of 29 yrs. He probably hadn't been here long. Hezekiah Raikes parents were John and Margret; his brothers were: John, Reuben, Henery, Benjamin, Elisha, Wilsie, and James; his sisters were: Polly and Betsy. I don't have any dates

on the Raikes except for Kiah and John. (Mrs. Anna Morris, Nov. 12, 1964).

Anna Morris was Anna Elizabeth Raikes Morris the daughter of Benjamin Franklin Raikes and Basheba Jane Scott Raikes. Benjamin Franklin Raikes was the son of Hezekiah Rakes.

Anna would have know her grandmother Elizabeth Caroline Reeder the wife of Hezekiah but would not have known Hezekiah as he passed away when she was just 3 years old.

Anna's list of brothers and sisters for Hezekiah closely correlate with what I get from other family members. Her recollection of the parents of Hezekiah are what we expect except for the mother who she names as Margaret.

There is still the possibility that Anna's list of children came from the visit of a Rakes from Kentucky who also told them they spelled their name wrong?.

142. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, From: Jay G. Lamb (LambJGLamb@aol.com), (Date posted to database 30 Oct 2014).

In the 1850 and 1860 Census of Taylor County, Kentucky there is a son W.H. and Wm H., respectively, listed with Benjamin and Martha Rakes. In the 1880 Census of Putnam County, Indiana is listed a W. H. Raker as a nephew of Elizabeth.

This helps connect Hezekiah as a brother to Benjamin.

143. Calculation, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 19 Feb 2015).

age 10-15 1820 Census - 1805-1810

age 15-19 1830 Census - 1805-1810

age 20-29 1840 Census - 1810-1820

age 42 1850 Census - 1808

age 56 1860 Census - 1804

age abt 62 at death Sep 5 1868

My best guess 1806.

144. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1834, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Hezekiah Rakes.

145. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1842, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Hezekiah Rakes.

146. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1843, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Zachariah Rakes [-- I think this should be Hezekiah].

147. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1844, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Hezekiah Rakes.

148. 1850 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Indiana, Putnam County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jefferson, Image 22, Household Number 158, Household of Hezekiah Rakes, (posted to db on 5 March 2013).

Hezekiah Raikes, Age 42, Sex M, Race W, Occupation farmer, POB Virginia

Elizabeth Raikes, Age 25, Sex F, Race W, POB Tennessee

Benjamin T Raikes, Age 1, Sex M, Race W, POB Indiana.

149. Putnam County, Indiana Deed Books, Record type: Deed, Putnam County, State of: Indiana, Book: T, Page number(s): 584, Date recorded: 1856, Person(s) of interest: Hezekiah Rakes, (Date posted to database 29 Dec 2014). 26 Feb. 1856, Hezekiah Rakes and Elizabeth Rakes, his wife, of Putnam Co. to John Runnion (Runion) of Putnam Co. NW ¼ SE ¼ of Sec 9, Twp. 13 N, R 3 W. (Putnam Co., IN, Deed Book T, Pg 584).

150. Putnam County, Indiana Deed Books, Record type: Deed, Putnam County, State of: Indiana, Book: T, Page number(s): 580, Date recorded: 1856, Person(s) of interest: Hezekiah Rakes, (Date posted to database 29 Dec 2014). 26 Feb. 1856, Hezekiah Rakes and Elizabeth Rakes, his wife, of Putnam Co. to James Lewis of Putnam Co. NE ¼ SE ¼ of Sec. 9, Twp. 13N, Range 3W (Putnam Co., IN, Deed Book T, Pg 580).

151. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Indiana, Putnam County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Mill Creek Township, Page 241, Household Number 691, Household of Hezikiah Raikes, (posted to db on 5 March 2013).

Hezikiah Raikes, Age 56, Sex M, Race W, Occupation farmer, POB Virginia
 Elisabeth E Raikes, Age 34, Sex F, Race W, POB Tennessee
 Benj Raikes, Age 12, Sex M, Race W, POB Indiana
 Nancy J Raikes, Age 10, Sex F, Race W, POB Indiana
 Alex Raikes, Age 2, Sex M, Race W, POB Indiana
 Douglas Raikes, Age 3/12, Sex M, Race W, POB Indiana.

152. Indiana Will Records, Indiana Circuit Court, FamilySearch. FHL: 1315795 item 4, Record type: Will Records, Film #: FHL 1315795 ITEM 4, Jurisdiction: Putnam County, Volume: 1, Page number(s): 533, Issued by: State of Indiana, Date recorded: 1868, Person(s) of interest: Hezekiah Rakes, (Date posted to database 18 Nov 2014). (Digital Image:: Rakes, Hezekiah Will.pdf (Paper Copy: E018)

State of Indiana Putnam County
 I Hesekiah Rakes being of sound mind I make this as my last will and testament. Item First I wish all my debts paid and funeral expenses. 2: I bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Rakes all of my property both personal; and real after paying my debts to have and to hold and to use for the benefit of my family to do as she may think best and sefit to do to make any or all of the property, real or personal to make deeds and transfer the same as fully as if she had a deed in fee simple so long as she may remain my widow and at her death or marriage I bequeath to my beloved children Benjamin Rakes my son and Nancy Jane Rakes my daughter and Mary Rakes my daughter all of the same being property of my estate both real and personal the above named three children each to have an equal share. Third I herby appoint my beloved wife Elizabeth Rakes my executrix to this my last will and and testament to do and perform all acts necessary to accomplish the settlement of my estate to five receipts and take receipts to sue and be sued and I hereby revoke all other that may at anytime have been made. As witness my hand and seal this 28th day of Aug 1868. Signed in presence of Michael M Hurst, Isaac E Grimes.
 Hesikiah Rakes (seal).

This will is followed starting on the bottom of the page and continuing the probate of his will.

153. Find A Grave, Publisher: Findagrave.com, New Providence Cemetery, Putnam County, Find A Grave Memorial# 68713599, Person(s) of Interest Hezekiah "Kier" Rakes, (posted to db on 26 January 2013).

Birth: unknown, Death: Sep. 5, 1868, Hezekiah Rakes, died Sept 5, 1868, aged about 62y, Family links: Spouse: Elizabeth Caroline Reeder Rakes (1827 - 1917), Children: Alexander Rakes (1858 - 1862)*, John Rakes (1860 - 1860)*.

154. Indiana Marriages through 1850, Indiana State Library Genealogy Database, Publisher: <http://web.isl.lib.in.us/INMarriages1850>, Putnam County, Year Filed 1847, Certificate Number not given, Person(s) of Interest Hezekiah Rake and Elizabeth C Reeder, (posted to db on 6 August 2012).

Last Name: REEDER, First Name: ELIZABETH C, Spouse- Last Name: RAKE, Spouse- First Name: HEZEKIAH, County: Putnam, Date: 8-8-1847; By Joel Vermillion Minister of the gospel.

155. Indiana Marriage 1811-2997, Originator: County Clerk, Record type: Marriage Records, Jurisdiction: Putnam County, Volume: A, Page number(s): Image 192, Issued by: State of Indiana, Date recorded: 7 August 1847, Person(s) of interest: Hezekiah Rake And Elizabeth C Reeder, (Date posted to database 23 Oct 2014).

Name: Hezekiah Rake Event Type: Marriage Event Date: 08 Aug 1847 Event Place: , Putnam, Indiana Registration Place: Putnam, Indiana, United States Marriage License Date: 07 Aug 1847 Gender: Male Spouse's Name: Elizabeth C Reeder Spouse's Gender: Female Officiator's Name: Joel Vermillion Number of Images: 1 GS Film number: 001315785 ,

Digital Folder Number: 005014422 , Image Number: 00200.

[This document contains both the license and marriage return].

156. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).

Name:

Relationship:

Some think Thomas and Benjamin are the same as Benjamin is sometimes listed as Benjamin Thomas. This needs additional work to prove.

157. Birth Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 7 Oct 2016).

Currently I have no document that indicates the birth of Thomas Rakes. Using he would be about 21 when he married plus the 1830 census. I have guessed at his birth date. I have used the place of his fathers residence as his birth place.

See note about the question if he was a separate child or maybe the same person as Benjamin Rakes.

158. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1816, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 60, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

Thomas Rakes -- 100 Farm.

159. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1816, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 64, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

Thomas Rakes 1--2.

160. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1816, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 69, Person(s) of interest: Rackes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

Thomas Rackes 1--2.

161. 1830 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Washington County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Sheet/Page Number: 200, Household of: Thomas Rakes, (posted to db on 19 December 2013).

Household of: Thomas Rakes:

Males: 20 to U30: 2, Females: 20 to U30: 1.

[Who is older male in household?].

162. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, Record type: Notes, Person(s) of interest: Thomas Rakes, (Date posted to database 13 Nov 2014).

(See Land Grant).

163. U.S. General Land Grant, Author: Bureau of Land Management, General Land Office Records, Record type: Land Grant Warrant, Jurisdiction: Putnam, Page number(s): 138, Image 128, Issued by: State of Indiana, Date recorded: 3 Sep 1834, Certificate number: 17213, Person(s) of interest: Thomas Rakes, (Date posted to database 05 Nov 2014). (Digital Image: Rakes, Thomas Land Grant 17213)

Name: Thomas Rakes Issue Date: 3 Sep 1834 Acres: 80 Meridian: 2nd PM State: Indiana County: Putnam Township: 13-N Range: 3-W Section: 10 Accession Number: IN1210__415 Metes and Bounds: No Land Office: Crawfordsville Canceled: No US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 17213.

The United States of America. To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas, Thomas Rakes of Preble County Ohio has deposited in the General Land Office of the Unites States a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Crawfordsville whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Thomas Rakes according to the provision of the act of Congress of the 24th April, 1820, entitled "An act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands." the East Half of the North East quarter of section ten in Township Thirteen north of Range Three West in the district of Lands subject to sale at Crawfordsville Indiana containing Eighty Acres according to the official plat of the survey of the said Lands, returned to the General land

Office by the Surveyor General, which said tract has been purchased by the said Thomas Rakes.
NOW KNOW YE, That the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the several acts of Congress, in such case made and provided have given and granted, and, and by these presents, do give and grant unto the said Thomas Rakes and to his heirs, the said tract above described. To have and to Hold the same, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities and appurtenances, of whatsoever nature thereunto belonging, unto the said Thomas Rakes and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I, Andrew Jackson PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, have caused these Letters to be made Patent, and the Seal of the General Land Office to be hereunto affixed.

Given under my hand, at the City of Washington, the Third day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Thirty four and of the Independence of the United States the Fiftey Ninth

By the President: Andrew Jackson By A.L. Donelson Sec'y

Elijah Hayward Commissioner of the General land Office.

I double checked to make sure this said Preble County Ohio. The only connection to Ohio for Thomas is that the parents of his wife are living in Ohio when they get married.

164. U.S. General Land Grant, Author: Bureau of Land Management, General Land Office Records, Record type: Land Grant Warrant, Jurisdiction: Putnam, Page number(s): 138, Image 128, Issued by: State of Indiana, Date recorded: 3 Sep 1834, Certificate number: 17927, Person(s) of interest: Thomas Rakes, (Date posted to database 05 Nov 2014). (Digital Image: Rakes, Thomas Land Grant 17927)

Name: Thomas Rakes Issue Date: 16 Sep 1834 Acres: 40 Meridian: 2nd PM State: Indiana County: Putnam Township: 13-N Range: 3-W Section: 11 Accession Number: IN1230__140 Metes and Bounds: No Land Office: Crawfordsville Canceled: No US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 17927

The United States of America. To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas, Thomas Rakes of Putnam County Indiana has deposited in the General Land Office of the Unites States a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Crawfordsville whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Thomas Rakes according to the provision of the act of Congress of the 24th April, 1820, entitled "An act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands." the North West quarter, of the North West quarter, of Section Eleven in Township Thirteen North of range Three West, in the District of Lands Subject to Sale at Crawfordsville Indiana containing Forty Acres according to the official plat of the survey of the said Lands, returned to the General land Office by the Surveyor General, which said tract has been purchased by the said Thomas Rakes.
NOW KNOW YE, That the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the several acts of Congress, in such case made and provided have given and granted, and, and by these presents, do give and grant unto the said Thomas Rakes and to his heirs, the said tract above described. To have and to Hold the same, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities and appurtenances, of whatsoever nature thereunto belonging, unto the said Thomas Rakes and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I, Andrew Jackson PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, have caused these Letters to be made Patent, and the Seal of the General Land Office to be hereunto affixed.

Given under my hand, at the City of Washington, the Sixteenth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Thirty four and of the Independence of the United States the Fiftey Ninth

By the President: Andrew Jackson By A.L. Donelson Sec'y

Elijah Hayward Commissioner of the General land Office.

165. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Dec 2015).

There is a Thomas C. Rakes in District 30, Lewis, Virginia, USA Census. This Thomas is 32 and has a implied wife named Mary S age 29 and a implied daughter whose name is Nancy. All are shown as being born in Virginia. Some have thought that the Thomas in this census and the Thomas who is the son of John and Nancy are the same.

In my review of the 1850, 1860, 1870 and 1880 census of this Thomas C Rakes I have come to the conclusion that they

are not the same. He also has a West Virginia death record that shows he died 22 Oct 1892 in Weston, Lewis County, West Virginia. He is also show as being burred in the Weston State Hospital Cemetery in Weston, Lewis County, West Virginia.

The Mary who married Thomas the son of John and Nancy is shown in the Putnam County, Indiana 1850 Census. It would be unlikely that she would be in both census for the same year. In the Putnam County, Indiana 1850 census she is listed with her daughter Nancy and several children with a Douglas surname. She had married a John Douglas at this time although he is not listed in the census.

Thomas C Rakes is listed in the 1860 Census with a different implied wife and is show as an infidel. He is listed in the 1870 census living in an insane asylum.

166. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, Record type: Probate Records, Film #: FHL 1315817, Putnam County, State of: Indiana, Person(s) of interest: Thomas Rakes, (Date posted to database 06 Jan 2015).
Searched this film for any reference of Douglas, Rakes, and Wilson. Did not find any reference of a probate record for them.

167. Death Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 7 Oct 2016).
Currently, 7 Oct 2016, I do not have any document that supports a death date or place.

168. Marriage Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 7 Oct 2016).
The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that Thomas Rakes Groom and Mary Wilson Groom were married on the 15 March 1830 at Washington County, Kentucky.

Marriage Date: From Bond

Marriage Location: From Bond.

169. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).
(Digital Image: V058_070)
Name:
The most common name is Wilson P. Rakes. He is shown as Wilson Penn Rakes in his obit.

Relationship:
Wilson Penn Rakes is linked to the John Rakes family using a letter from Sarah Abell listing a Wilson as a son. The letter is dated Feb 18, 1961.

Wilson is living next door in the 1830 Census and two houses away from John Rakes in the 1840 census.

170. Calculation, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 22 Feb 2015).
Date of Birth:
age 10-15 1820 Census
age 20-29 1830 Census
age 20-29 1840 Census
age 43 1850 Census
age 52 1860 Census
age 62 1870 Census
age 68 1880 Census
My best guess 1809 which is the date used in his obit.

Place of Birth:
The place of birth comes from his Obit.

171. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1816, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 69, Person(s) of interest: Rackes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

Wilson Rackes 1.

172. 1830 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Washington County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Sheet/Page Number: page 176, Household of: Wilson Rakes, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

Name: Wilson Rakes Home in 1830 (City, County, State): Washington, Kentucky Free White Persons - Males - 20 thru 29: 1 Free White Persons - 20 thru 49: 1 Total Free White Persons: 1 Total - All Persons (Free White, Slaves, Free Colored): 1.

Next door to John Rakes.

173. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1816, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 71, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).

Wilson Rakes 200 South Fork 1.

174. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1837, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wilson Rakes.

175. 1840 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Sheet/Page Number: page 333, Household of: Wilson Rakes, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

Name: Wilson Rakes Home in 1840 (City, County, State): Marion, Kentucky Free White Persons - Males - Under 5: 1 Free White Persons - Males - 20 thru 29: 1 Free White Persons - Females - Under 5: 1 Free White Persons - Females - 20 thru 29: 1 Persons Employed in Agriculture: 1 Free White Persons - Under 20: 2 Free White Persons - 20 thru 49: 2 Total Free White Persons: 4 Total All Persons - Free White, Free Colored, Slaves: 4.

Next door to John Rakes.

176. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1843, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

William Rakes.

Why is listed twice in 1843.

177. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1844, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wilson Rakes.

178. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1845, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wilson Rakes 40 acres South Fork.

179. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1846, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wilson Rakes 42 acres South Fork.

180. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1847, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wilson P Rakes 40 acres Rolling Fork.

Who is Clesha? Maybe a misspelled name?.

181. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Record type: Land Grant Payment, Jurisdiction: Marion, Book: Grant Book 35, Page number(s): 4, Issued by: State of Kentucky, Date recorded: 4 Jan 1847, Certificate number: 18003, Person(s) of interest: Wilson P Rakes, (Date posted to database 08 Oct 2014). (Paper Copy: E014)

Payment of \$25 to pay for survey.

182. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1848, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wilson P Rakes.

183. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1849, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wilson P Rakes.

184. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Record type: Land Grant Survey, Jurisdiction: Marion, Issued by: State of Kentucky, Date recorded: 22 February 1850, Certificate number: 18003, Person(s) of interest: Wilson P Rakes, (Date posted to database 08 Oct 2014). (Paper Copy: E014)
Survey of warrant 18003

Witnessed by Reuben Rakes.

185. 1850 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction: District 2, Sheet/Page Number: Image 43, Household Number: 310, Household of: Wilson P Rakes, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

Wilson P Rakes, age 42, M, Farmer, 500, POB Virginia

Lucinda Rakes, age 12, F, POB Kentucky

John Rakes, age 11, M, POB Kentucky

Ann E. Rakes, age 9, F, POB Kentucky

Bernetta Rakes, age 8, F, POB Kentucky

William Rakes, age 6, M, POB Kentucky

Nancy Rakes, age 4, F, POB Kentucky

Wilson Rakes, age 2, M, POB Kentucky.

Living next door to his brother, sister, and father.

186. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, Record type: Land Grant Warrant, Jurisdiction: Marion, Issued by: State of Kentucky, Date recorded: 12 February 1852, Certificate number: 18003, Person(s) of interest: Wilson P Rakes, (Date posted to database 08 Oct 2014). (Paper Copy: E014)

Grantee: Wilson P Rake, Number of Acres: 50, Survey Date: 22 Feb 1850, County: Marion, Watercourse: None, Book Number: 35

Patent #: 18003 Grantee: Rakes, Wilson P. Grant Book & Pg: 35 4 Acreage: 50 County: Marion WaterCourse: S. Fk. Rolling Fk. Survey Name: Rakes, Wilson P. Survey Date: 02/22/1850 Grant Date: 01/12/1852.

187. Internet Web Site. (see web tag), (posted to db on 19 December 2013).

He immigrated to Kentucky when he was a small child. He moved to Missouri in the fall of 1855, settling on Old Bolton Place. He lived in the wilderness, four to five miles from his nearest neighbor, and had to travel thirteen miles to a mill to have his grist ground. In the winter of 1856, he killed eighty-four turkeys. He killed fourteen at one shot by arranging a trap of logs stacked side by side, and leaving a space in the middle baited with corn. When there were many turkey heads in the pit, he fired killing all fourteen. That same winter, he killed sixty-three deer. At that time, he was said to be one of the finest rifle shots in Kentucky. Hobby: Hunting. According to Kentucky land grants, he had 50 acres in Marion County on February 22, 1850.

188. U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907, United States. Bureau of Land Management, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Issued by Cole County, Year Issued 1859, Certificate Number 36566, Person(s) of Interest Wilson P Rakes, (recorded 17 February 2014).

Document Number 37010, Accession/Serial Number MO3200_188, RAKES, WILSON P MO Cole 6/1/1859 Booneville 37010 MO3200__188, Booneville Land Office.

189. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Missouri, Pettis County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction: Osage Township, Sheet/Page Number: page 328,

Household Number: 919, Household of: Wm P Rakes, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

Wm P. Rakes, 52, M, Farmer, POB Virginia

Henrietta, 16, F, POB Kentucky

Wm, 15, M, POB Kentucky

Nancy, 12, F, POB Kentucky.

190. U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907, United States. Bureau of Land Management, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Issued by Cole County, Year Issued 1860, Certificate Number 38286, Person(s) of Interest Wilson P Rakes, (recorded 17 February 2014).

Name: Wilson P Rakes Issue Date: 1 Oct 1860 Acres: 29.01 Meridian: 5th PM State: Missouri County: Cole Township: 42-N Range: 11-W Section: 18 Accession Number: MO3230__155 Metes and Bounds: No Land Office: Booneville Canceled: No US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 38286.

191. 1870 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Missouri, Cole County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction: Osage, Sheet/Page Number: 309/image 618, Lines: 20, Household of: William Rakes, (posted to db on 19 December 2013).

William Rakes; age 62, M, W, Farmer, POB Kentucky

Anna Rakes, age 57, F, W, House Keeping, POB Virginia

Brunette Rakes, age 23, F, W, POB Kentucky

Nannie Rakes, age 21, F, W, POB Kentucky.

192. 1880 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Missouri, Cole County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction: Osage, Enumeration District 051, Sheet/Page Number: page 7, Lines: 32-33, Household Number: 48, Household of: W P Rakes, (posted to db on 29 December 2013).

W P Rakes, Race: W, Sex: M, Age: 68, Martial status: M, Occupation: farmer, POB: Virginia, FPOB: Virginia, MPOB: Virginia

Cynthia A Rakes, Race: W, Sex: F, Age: 64, Relationship: wife, Martial status: M, Occupation: keeping house, POB: Virginia, FPOB: Virginia, MPOB: Virginia.

193. Obituary, Record type: Obituary, Jurisdiction: Osage River, Volume: 1, Person(s) of interest: Wilson Penn Rakes, (Date posted to database 18 Nov 2014). (Digital Image: V058_068)

Death of an Old Citizen

Mr. Wilson Penn Rakes, an old citizen of this county, died at his home on the Osage river Wednesday, and was buried in the family cemetery on his farm yesterday. [One copy of the obit list his death date as 5 Feb 1889]

Mr. Rakes was born in Buckingham county, Va., in 1809. He came to Missouri in 1855, and has lived since that time near the Carter farm on the Osage river. He leaves three children, two of whom reside in Cole county and one who lives in Kentucky.

194. J. C. Tribune, Publisher: J.C. Tribune, Article Title: Death of Old Citizen, Published: 8 February 1889, Person(s) of Interest: Mr. Wilson Penn Rakes, (posted to db on 11 December 2013). (Digital Image: V058_068) J.C. Daily Tribune 8 Feb 1889

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Cole County, Missouri Obituaries, 1871-99 Record info about Wilson Penn Rakes

Name: Wilson Penn Rakes, Age/Birth Date: ca 1809, Death Date: 6 Feb 1889, Issue Date: 8 Feb 1889.

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195. Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Issued by Cole County, Year Issued 1865, Certificate Number Book B, Page 306, Person(s) of Interest Wilson P Rakes and Cynthia A Spencer, (recorded 17 February 2014).

Name: Cynthia A Spencer Marriage Date: 23 Feb 1865 Marriage County: Cole Spouse Name: Wilson P Rakes.

**196. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).
Name:**

Relationship:

The only way I can connect Martha Ann to this family is by using census records that show she lived close to the family.

197. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 19 February 2014).

I can not find Martha or her husband in any records. I also can not prove that Martha was a daughter of John.

198. 1840 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Missouri, Pulaski County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Record type: Census 1840, Jurisdiction: Pulaski County, Page number: 201, Image 409, Household of Sella Deer, (Date posted to database 07 Nov 2014).

Name: Selia Deer [Felix Deer] Home in 1840 (City, County, State): Pulaski, Missouri Free White Persons - Males - 20 thru 29: 1 Free White Persons - Females - 20 thru 29: 1 Persons Employed in Agriculture: 1 Free White Persons - 20 thru 49: 2 Total Free White Persons: 2 Total All Persons - Free White, Free Colored, Slaves: 2.

199. 1850 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Missouri, Pulaski County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction District No 72, Sheet/Page Number 112 B, Image 86, Lines 29-30, Household Number 565, Real Estate value 300, Household of Philix Deer, (posted to db on 16 May 2014).

**Philix Deer, Age 33, Sex M, Race W, Occupation Farmer, Value of Real Estate Owned 300, POB Kentucky
Martha A Deer, Age 30, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky.**

Could this be Martha Rakes and her husband? This also shows both being born in Kentucky where we think Martha and her husband are born in Virginia.

200. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Missouri, Dallas County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction Benton, Sheet/Page Number 189 image 15, Lines 11-13, Household Number 100, Household of Felix Dear, (posted to db on 16 May 2014).

Felix Dear, Age 44, Sex M, Race W, Occupation farmer, Value of Real Estate Owned 1800, Value of Personal Estate 1400, POB Kentucky

Martha A Dear, Age 48, Sex F, Race W, Occupation house work, POB Kentucky

Lawra [Laura] Williams, Age 7, Sex F, Race W, POB Missouri.

[This shows both being born in KY whereas my records show birth place as Virginia so I am not sure this is the right person.].

201. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).

Name:

The name of Benjamin R. Rakes is used as it is the name used on several documents. There is one document showing his name as B R Rakes.

Relationship:

Benjamin Rakes is connected to this family by using property records showing him and his wife selling John Rakes property.

There is some indication that Benjamin and Thomas Rakes are the same person. In reviewing a time line for both it is possible. At this time I have not found any document that shows them to be the same individual.

202. Birth Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 26 Nov 2015).

The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that Benjamin Rakes was born in 1811 at Buckingham County, Virginia.

Birth Date:

The first taxes paid by Benjamin was for the year 1833

Benjamin was 39 in the 1850 census
Benjamin was 49 in the 1860 census
Benjamin was 59 in the 1870 census

Each of these documents point to John's birth date as 1811. At this time I do not know where the month and day comes from.

Birth Location:

Buckingham County, Virginia is used as the birth place as he would have been born prior to his family moving from Buckingham County to Kentucky.

203. Washington County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Washington County, Kentucky. Film # MIC 6331/6332, Record type: Tax Records, Washington County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1816, Film #: MIC6331, Page number(s): 71, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 24 Nov 2014).
Benjamin Rakes.

204. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1836, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).
Benjamin Rakes.

205. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1837, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).
Benjamin Rakes.

206. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1840, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).
Benjamin Rakes.

207. 1840 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Sheet/Page Number Page 333, Household of Ben Rakes, (posted to db on 15 July 2014).
Ben Rakes household, Males 1000100, Females 1000101.

208. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1842, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).
Benjamin Rakes.

209. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1843, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).
Benjamin Rakes.

210. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1844, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).
Benjamin Rakes.

211. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1845, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).
Benjamin Rakes.

212. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1846, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).
Ben Rakes.

213. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1847, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Ben Rakes 50 acres South Fork.

214. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1848, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Ben Rakes.

215. 1850 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Taylor County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction: Division 1, Sheet/Page Number: Image 17, Household Number: 276, Household of: Benjamin Rakes, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

Benjamin Rakes, age 39, M, Farmer, POB Virginia

M. J., age 32, F, POB Virginia

J.T, age 12, M, POB Kentucky

W. H. age 8, M, POB Kentucky

Elisha W, age 4, M, POB Kentucky

M.S. age 3, F, POB Kentucky

Monroe, age 3/12, M, POB Kentucky

Jane Jennings, age 56, F, POB Virginia [This would be the aunt who raised Martha Jane Murrell].

216. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Taylor County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Division 1, Image 15, Sheet/Page Number 97, Lines 14, Household Number 661, Real Estate value 400, Household of Benja Rakes, (posted to db on 30 March 2013).

Benja Rakes, Age 49, Sex M, Race W, Occupation farmer, Value of Real Estate Owned 400, Value of Personal Estate 500, POB Kentucky

Martha Rakes, Age 43, Sex F, Race W, POB Virginia

Jno T Rakes, Age 22, Sex M, Race W, Occupation laborer, Value of Personal Estate 120, POB Kentucky

Wm H Rakes, Age 18, Sex M, Race W, POB Kentucky

Elisha Rakes, Age 14, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky

Mary S Rakes, Age 11, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky

Milly Rakes, Age 8, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky

Monroe Rakes, Age 10, Sex M, Race W, POB Kentucky

Ann E Rakes, Age 3, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky

Jane Jennings, Age 60, Sex F, Race W, POB Virginia.

217. 1870 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Taylor County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction Mansville, Sheet/Page Number 18, Lines 7-14, Household Number 131, Real Estate value 1100, Household of Benjamin Rakes, (posted 17 February 2014).

Rakes, Benjamin; age 59; M; W; Farmer; POB Virginia

Rakes, Martha; age 53; F; W; keeping house; POB Virginia

Rakes, Elisha W; age 25; M; W; blacksmith; POB Kentucky

Rakes, James M; age 20; M; W; Farm Laborer; POB Kentucky

Rakes, Millie; age 17; F; W; at home; POB Kentucky

Rakes, Ann E; age 13; F; W; at home; POB Kentucky

Name W P Courtright, Age 8, Sex M, Race W, POB Missouri

Name Jane Jennings, Age 75, Sex F, Race W, Occupation at home, POB Virginia.

[There is a 1870 census of Jefferson County, Missouri that needs to be reviewed. It shows another Martha Murrell age 61 with a mother of Elizabeth Murrell?]

http://search.findmypast.com/record?id=USC/1870/004273258/00421/039&hintId=ce4eef30-581f-40f3-9759-ea5011bb835d&hintsRequestId=5ae895fe-5fb8-4685-95af-570f0f5c963c&_ga=1.62171439.220223183.1462971790

218. Death Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 26 Nov 2015).

The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that Benjamin Rakes died after 1870 and before 1880 at Taylor County, Kentucky.

Death Date:

Benjamin is shown on the 1870 census but can not be found on the 1880 census.

Death Location:

The place of residence from the 1870 census is used as his place of death.

219. Taylor County Kentucky Marriages, Originator: Taylor County Clerk, (Date posted to database 28 Apr 2015).
Noel, John W. 2 32 Taylor Green Green, Rakes, Millie M. 30 Taylor Taylor Taylor, B: Caleb Cox by: Charles W.
James at: Charles W. James, witness: B.T. Rakes, Henry Maples, 20 Dec 1881 Bk 9 Pg 152.

220. To Do, Originator: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 8 Jan 2015).
NAME: Benjamin T Raikes POST OFFICE LOCATION: Merrimac, Taylor, Kentucky APPOINTMENT DATE: 9 Jul 1884
VOLUME #: 45 VOLUME YEAR RANGE: 1875-1892.

I am not sure if this is the right Benjamin Rakes. It could also apply to Benjamin Thomas Rakes b 15 Nov 1861?.

221. Illinois Deaths and Stillbirths, 1916-1947, Originator: Public Board of Health, Publisher: FamilySearch. FHL#
1684558, Record type: Death Index, Issued by: State of Indiana, Putnam County, Year issued: 1932, Person(s) of
interest: Mary Susan Dicker, (Date posted to database 27 Nov 2014).

Name: Mary Susan Dicker Event Date: 02 Oct 1932 Event Place: Road District 6, Menard, Illinois Gender: Female Age:
85 Birth Year (Estimated): 1847 Birth Date: 02 Feb 1847 Birthplace: Merriman, Taylor Co., Kentucky Father's Name:
Benjamin Raikes Father's Birthplace: Virginia Mother's Name: Martha Wurell Mother's Birthplace: Virginia
Occupation: at home Residence Place: Tallula Spouse's Name: Thomas E. Dicker Burial Date: 04 Oct 1932 Burial
Place: Tallula, Menard, Ill Cemetery: Greenwood Digital Folder Number: 4008345 , Image Number: 1765 , GS Film
number: 1684558 , Reference ID: 36.

222. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 03 Dec 2014).
This name comes from the marriage of his daughter Millie M. Rakes to John W. Noel. One of the witness was B.T.
Rakes. The problem is that Benjamin the son of John and Nancy had already died at this time.

223. To Do, Originator: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 19 December 2013). (Paper Copy: C032)
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The following is a list of the names of the persons citizens of Green County between whom the rites of matrimony
were solarized. (Samuel ?) 19 January 1837 B.R. Rakes and Martha J Murrell.

Not sure of source.

224. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).
Name:

Relationship:

Henry Rakes is linked to this family because he signed the bond with Benjamin Rakes in Green County in 1837. Could
this Henry be a brother of Benjamin if so this would link Henry to John Rakes.

225. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type:
Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1835, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03
Nov 2014).

Henry Rakes.

226. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type:
Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1837, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03
Nov 2014).

Henry Rakes.

227. Green County Kentucky Marriages, Originator: Green County Clerk, Record type: Marriage Records,
Jurisdiction: Green County, Book: C, Volume: 1, Issued by: State of Kentucky, Date recorded: 1837, Person(s) of
interest: Benjamin Rakes And Martha Jane Murrell, (Date posted to database 18 Nov 2014). (Digital Image: V068_100)

(Paper Copy: C031)

Know all men by these presents, That we Benj R Rakes and Henry Rakes are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Kentucky in the sum of L50, current money of said State, for the payment thereof we bind ourselves our heirs, &c. jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed and dated this 16th day of January 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said B R Rakes is about to obtain a License for a marriage intended between himself and Martha Jane Murrell.

Now if there be no lawful cause to obstruct the marriage then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force.

Test, Benjamin (seal) R Rakes and Henry (seal) Rakes
Allen T Wood.

(Source: Green County Kentucky, Marriage Book C, 1837).

228. 1850 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Missouri, Pulaski County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Record type: Census 1850, Jurisdiction: District No 72, Page number: 231-232, Line number(s): 41-3, House number: 610, Household of Henry Raikes, (Date posted to database 11 Feb 2015).

Name: Henry Raikes, Age: 33, Sex: M, Color: W, Occupation: Farmer, POB: Virginia

Name: Louisa B Raikes, Age: 22, Sex: F, Color: W, POB: Missouri

Name: William M Raykes, Age: 2, Sex: M, Color: W, POB: Missouri

Name: John A F Raykes, Age: 2/12, Sex: M, Color: W, POB: Missouri

Name: Alexander Fraine, Age: 22, Sex: M, Color: W, Occupation: Laborer, POB: Missouri.

Not sure if this is the Henry the son of John and Nancy Rakes.

229. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).

Name:

Reuben is the name used on most documents I have found.

Relationship:

Reuben is connected to this family by using his property records showing him and his wife selling John Rakes property.

230. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

For birth place also see the marriage record of his son Wesley Rakes and Sarah Lindsey which states that he was born in Virginia. See 1860 Census.

231. Calculation, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 23 Feb 2015).

Date of Birth:

age under 10 1830 Census

age 15-19 1840 Census

age 28 1850 Census

age 42 1860 Census

age 50 1870 Census

Place of birth:

The birth place used is Buckingham, Virginia the home of his father. For birth place also see the marriage record of his son Wesley Rakes and Sarah Lindsey which states that he was born in Virginia.

It seems odd that he was born in Virginia since his parents had come to Kentucky in 1816.

232. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1840, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Reuben Rakes.

233. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1842, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Reuben Rakes.

234. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1843, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Reuben Rakes.

235. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1844, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Reuben Rakes.

236. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1845, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Reuben Rakes.

237. 1850 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction: District 2, Sheet/Page Number: 833, Household Number: 312, Household of: Reuben Rakes, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

Reuben Rakes, age 28, M, Farmer, POB Virginia

Louisa Rakes, age 23, F, POB Kentucky

James Rakes, age 5, M, POB Kentucky

Jane Rakes, age 3, F, POB Kentucky

Ellen Rakes, age 2, F, POB Kentucky.

Living next door to his brother, William, sister, Polly/Mary and father, John.

238. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1856, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Reuben Rakes.

239. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1858, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Reuben Rakes.

240. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction: Bradfordsville Post Office, Sheet/Page Number: 659, Household of: Reubin Rakes, (posted to db on 19 December 2013).

Reubin Rakes, age 42, M, laborer, POB Virginia

Louisa Rakes, 31, F, POB Kentucky

James Rakes, 14, M, POB Kentucky

Sarah Rakes, 11, F, POB Kentucky

Elizabeth Rakes, 9, F, POB Kentucky

John W Rakes, 8, M, POB Kentucky

Mary Rakes, 7, F, POB Kentucky

Henry Rakes, 6, M, POB Kentucky

Martha Rakes, 5/12, F, POB Kentucky

Samuel Hagins, 50, M, Laborer.

241. 1870 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction: Bradfordsville, Sheet/Page Number: image 28, Household Number: 171, Household of: Raily Rubon, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

Raily, Ruben, age 50, M, W, Works on Farm, POB Virginia
Louisa, age 44, F, W, Keeps house, POB Kentucky
James M, age 24, M, W, works on farm, POB Kentucky
Sarah J, age 16, F, W, at home, POB Kentucky
Martha A, age 12, F, W, at home, POB Kentucky
Reuben W, age 6, M, W, POB Kentucky
George T, age 3, M, W, POB Kentucky.
This appears to be the Reuben Rakes family.

242. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 19 February 2014).

This couple is linked using a deed where Reuben Rakes is involved in selling his father's property. It list his wife Loueazy Rakes.

243. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).

Name:

The name for Sally Rakes comes from other Rakes books.

Relationship:

I can not connect Sally Rakes to this family. I have not found any document that list her as a person. Many think that John had a daughter that died young and they list her as Sally Rakes. If she died young it may be impossible to find any documentation on her unless there is some private record that has been recorded. There needs to be additional research for Sally Rakes.

244. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

I have not been able to link Sally Rakes to the John Rakes family. Family tradition indicates that John Rakes had a daughter who died young and was named Sally.

245. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

Rakes Branch Cemetery Marion County Family tradition indicates that Sally died as an infant. The date is just a guess.

246. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).

Name:

Relationship:

William Rakes is linked to the John Rakes family because John and younger sister, Mary, were living with him in the 1850 census.

247. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

This birth year is based on the 1850 census of Marion County, Kentucky showing William as the head of the house age 30, father John age 75 and daughter Polly age 23.

Not much is know about William. He was called Billy. It is said that he never married. At least, in 1861 when he sold land, no mention of a wife is given.

248. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1834, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

William Rakes.

[Too young to pay taxes?].

249. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1840, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

William Rakes.

250. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1842, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Nov 2014).

William Rakes.

251. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1843, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

William Rakes.

252. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1844, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

William Rakes.

253. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1845, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

William Rakes.

254. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1846, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

William Rakes.

255. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1848, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

William Rakes.

256. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1849, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Wm Rakes.

257. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1856, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

William Rakes.

258. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1858, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

William Rakes.

259. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1860, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

William Rakes.

260. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction District 2, Sheet/Page Number 27, Lines 16, Household Number 191, Household of Nancy Overstreet, (posted 17 February 2014).

Nancy Overstreet, age 49, F, Farming, 500, 300, POB Kentucky

James Overstreet, age 22, M, Laborer, POB Kentucky

Franklin Overstreet, age 22, M, Laborer, POB Kentucky

John Overstreet, age 18, M, Laborer, POB Kentucky

William Rakes, age 35, M, Laborer, POB Kentucky.

261. Marion County, Kentucky - Deeds 1863/1984. FHL Film Number 997906?, Record type: Deed, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Book: 3, Page number(s): 357, Water course/identifier: South Rolling Fork, Person(s) of interest: William Rakes, (Date posted to database 23 Apr 2015).

This indenture made and entered into this 11 th day of February 1861 between William Rakes of the county of Marion and the state of Kentucky of the one part and Alex Gay of the same county and state of the other part witness that four and in consideration off the sum of sixty dollars to me in hand paid the receipt of which is here acknowledged the said Rakes the party of the first part has this day bargained and sold and do by these presents bargain, sale, align, and convey unto the said Gay a certain tract or parcel of land lying in Marion County, Kentucky on the South Rolling Fork containing seventeen acres bounded as followed viz beginning at a chestnut oak and elm corner also to W. T. Purdy thence N 55 1/2 W 80 polls to a white oak stump, at the branch, thence down the branch S 60 W 27 poles to a big sycamore thence S 52 E 78 polls to a sourwood and Red Oak thence N 60 E. 46 poles to the beginning, The said Gay to have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land with the appurtenances and defend the title to said land, against the claims of himself, his heirs or assigns and against the claim of all persons and every person whatever. In testimony where all this said Rakes has here unto set his hand and seal this day and date above written.

William Rakes his mark.

262. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 11 December 2013). (Paper Copy: C034)

Name: William Rakes, Event: Military Service, Rank in: Private, Rank out: Private, Side: Confederate, State (or origin): Kentucky, Military Unit: 5th Regiment, Kentucky Mounted Infantry, Company: C, NARA Publication Title: Index to Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers Who Served in Organizations From the State of Kentucky. NARA publication number: M377, NARA Roll Number: 11, Film Number: 881390.

It has not been proven if this is our William Rakes or not.

263. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 3 Sep 2015).

The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that James Harrison Rakes is the birth name and that his parents were John Rakes and Nancy Saunders

Name:

In most cases when referring to James Harrison Rakes his name is listed as James Rakes.

In the 1870 Marion County Census it list James H Raikes.

In the 1880 Marion County Census it list James H Rakes.

Most all of his descendants list his name as James Harrison Rakes.

The International Marriage Records show his name as James Harrison Rakes. [This is not a very reliable records as it is just a compilation information supplied by others.]

Parents:

James Rakes is connected to his parents by using the property records showing him and his wife selling John Rakes property. [See Property fact dated 7 December 1867.].

264. Birth Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 7 Sep 2015).

The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that James Harrison Rakes was born on the about 1822 at Marion County, Kentucky, United States.

Birth Date:

James first paid taxes in 1842. To be taxable the individual would have been 21 years old.

James is listed in the 1850 Census as Age 26, POB Kentucky.

James is listed in the 1860 Census as Age 33, POB Kentucky.

James is listed in the 1870 Census as Age 48, POB Kentucky.

James is listed in the 1880 Census as Age 60, POB Kentucky.

Birth Location:

In each of the Census he is listed as being born in Kentucky.

I have selected his birth place as the place of residence of his father, Washington County, Kentucky. The part of Washington County that James was born in became Marion County in 1834.

265. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1842, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03

Nov 2014).

James Rakes.

266. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1843, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

James Rakes.

267. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1844, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

James Rakes.

268. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1845, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

James Rakes.

269. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1846, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

James Rakes.

270. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1847, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

James Rakes.

271. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1848, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

James Rakes.

272. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1849, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

James Rakes.

273. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1856, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

James Rakes.

274. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1858, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

James Rakes.

275. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1859, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

James Rakes 12 acres Cabin Creek, Elisha Rakes.

276. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1860, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

James Rakes.

277. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, District 2, Image 27, Household Number 195, Household of James Rakes, (posted to db on 22 February 2013).

James Rakes, Age 33, Sex M, Race W, Occupation farming, POB Kentucky
 Francis Rakes, Age 21, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky
 Elizabeth Rakes, Age 10/12, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky.

278. 1870 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction: Bradfordsville, Sheet/Page Number: Image 16, Household Number: 88-90, Household of: James H Rakes, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

Raikes, James H, 48, M, W, Farmer, POB Kentucky
 Mary F, 34, F, W, Keeps House, POB Kentucky
 Elizabeth, 10, F, W, at home, POB Kentucky
 Mary F, 9, F, W, POB Kentucky
 Thomas H, 6, M, W, POB Kentucky
 Nancy L, 3, F, W, POB Kentucky
 James L, 9/12, M, W, POB Kentucky.

279. 1880 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction: Bradfordsville, Sheet/Page Number: 14-15, Household Number: 94-106, Household of: James H Rakes, (posted to db on 19 December 2013).

James H. Rakes, W, M, age 60, Farm, POB Kentucky, FPOB Virginia, MPOB Virginia
 Mary F Rakes, W, F, age 42, wife, POB Kentucky, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Kentucky
 Elizabeth Rakes, W, F, age 20, daughter, at home, POB Kentucky, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Kentucky
 Thomas H Rakes, W, M, age 16, son, labor, POB Kentucky, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Kentucky
 Nancy L. Rakes, W, F, age 14, daughter, POB Kentucky, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Kentucky
 James L. Rakes, W, M, age 9, son, POB Kentucky, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Kentucky
 William T. Rakes, W, M, age 8, son, POB Kentucky, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Kentucky
 Richard R. Rakes, W, M, age 6, son, POB KY, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Kentucky
 Rakes, Sallie, W, F, age 2, POB Kentucky, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Kentucky.

280. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 11 December 2013).

Death Year Several researchers have the date of death year as 1882. In checking the Lebanon Standard Times newspaper of his murder, I find his death year to be 1884. (See source for death).

281. The Lebanon Standard Times, Publisher: The Lebanon Standard Times, Lebanon, Kentucky, Article Title: Killed his Uncle. John and James Burchell Kill James Rakes and Wound Tom Rakes, Published: 6 August 1884, Page Number: Front, Person(s) of Interest: James Rakes, Tom Rakes, James Burchell, John Burchell, (posted to db on 11 December 2013). (Digital Image: Rakes, James Harrison Shooting) (Paper Copy: E015)
 Lebanon Standard Times 6 August 1884 front page

Lebanon Standard and Times: August 6, 1884.

KILLED HIS UNCLE,.

John and James Burchell Kill James Rakes and Wound Tom Rakes.

Two or three miles above Bradfordsville, on the South Fork, lived John Burchell and James Rakes, brother-in-law, Burchell having married Rakes' sister. A enmity had existed between them for years, the cause of which had not been distinctly learned. On Saturday last, it was reported, Burchell said that the trouble must be settled on Monday.

Burchell and his son Jim, and Rakes and his son Tom, went to Bradfordsville on Monday to the election. Late in the afternoon they started home. It is said that all of them were well primed with liquor. Burchell and son passed the Rakes on the road, but waited for the Rakes to come up. John Burchell attacked James Rakes, throwing a stone which struck him on the back of the head and felled him to the ground. Rakes called to his son to come to his assistance. About this time Tom Rakes was struck in the thigh by a bullet, which inflicted a serious wound. Burchell then turned his attention to James Rakes remarking, "Ill fix you." As he said this he walked up to James Rakes, as he lay on the ground and shot him in the forehead, killing him. The Burchell's then went on to Rakes' house and were abut to kill John Abell, a son-in law of James Rakes, but for some reason left without effecting this purpose. The

Burchells are evading arrest, but will probably soon be captured.

[Note from Roger W. Wells: One wonders why John Burchell would kill his brother-in-law. One of my speculations is that in 1867 the John Rakes property was sold by his children. In looking at those who signed the deed, you find all of the children who are living in the area except Mary and John Burchell. Why were they left out? Could this have been a source of contention within the family and cause John and his son to kill James Harrison?].

282. The Daily Evening Democrat, Publisher: The Daily Evening Democrat, Record type: Newspaper, Newspaper name: The Daily Evening Democrat, Volume-Number: 6-1329, Date published: 6 August 1884, Page number(s): 1, Section: Election Episodes in Kentucky, Column: 5, Person(s) of interest: John Rakes, (Date posted to database 28 Nov 2014).

Two miles above Bradfordsville, John Burchell and his son Jim waylaid and attacked James Rakes and his son Tom. John Burchell struck James Rakes on the head with a stone, knocking him down. Jim Burchell drew a pistol and shot John Rakes through the head as he lay upon the ground, killing him. He also shot Tom Rakes, inflicting a bad wound in the thigh. John Burchell married James Rakes' sister, and a feud of several years' standing existed between the families. The Burchells were not arrested, but an officer is looking for them.

[This same basic article appeared in the Reno Evening News - Reno, Nevada - Aug 6 1884, Reno Evening Gazette-Reno, Nevada - The Daily Gazette - Fort Wayne, Indiana - Aug 6 1884

Looks like this kinda news travels fast.].

283. Death Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 7 Sep 2015).

The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that James Harrison Rakes died on the 4 August 1884 at Marion County, Kentucky, United States.

Death Date:

The death date comes from the Lebanon Standard Times news article published on the 6th of August 1884. The article states that the shooting occurred on Monday afternoon. Checking the calendar for August 1884 Monday would be the 4th.

[Several of James descendants list his death year as 1882. I don't know where this information come from.]

Death Location:

The death location in the newspaper article is list the residence of James as two or three miles above Bradfordsville, on the South Fork. This South Fork was know as Rakes Branch. The Shooting occurred on their way home which would be Marion County, Kentucky. .

284. Find A Grave, Publisher: Findagrave.com, Old Liberty Cemetery, Marion County, Find A Grave Memorial# 23188698, Person(s) of Interest James Harrison Rakes, (posted to db on 5 August 2014).

Birth: 1830 Death: Aug. 8, 1884 Kentucky, USA He married Mary Frances Mattingly (1838-1913) Family links:
Spouse: Mary Frances Riggs Rakes (1838 - 1913)* Children: Elizabeth Jane Rakes Abell (1861 - 1945)* Thomas Harrison Rakes (1862 - 1932)* *Calculated relationship Burial: Old Liberty Cemetery Bradfordsville Marion County Kentucky, USA Created by: Max Turpin Record added: Nov 30, 2007 Find A Grave Memorial# 23188698.

285. Kentucky Death Index, Originator: Kentucky Department of Library and Archives, Frankfort, Kentucky, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Issued by Marion County, Year Issued 1946, Certificate Number 16134, Person(s) of Interest Richard R Raikes, (posted to db on 2 August 2014).

Richard R Raikes Birth: Circa 1873 Residence: Marion, Kentucky, USA Death: July 1 1946 Marion, Kentucky, USA Certificate: 16134 State volume: 33 Officer volume: 46.

286. Kentucky Death Records 1852-1963, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Record type: Death Certificate, Issued by: State of Kentucky, Marion County, Year issued: 1946, Certificate number: 16134, Person(s) of interest: Richard Rueben Raikes, (Date posted to database 27 Nov 2014).

Name: Richard Rueben Raikes Death Date: 1 Jul 1946 Death Location: Marion, Kentucky, USA Age: 73 Gender: Male Race: White Birth Date: 1 Jun 1873 Birth Location: Kentucky Spouse's Name: Minnie Marples Raikes Spouse's Age: 50 Father's Name: James Raikes Father's Birth Location: Kentucky Mother's name: Frances Mattingly Mother's Birth Location: Kentucky.

287. Kentucky Death Index, Originator: Kentucky Department of Library and Archives, Frankfort, Kentucky, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Issued by Marion County, Year Issued 1954, Certificate Number 25095, Person(s) of Interest Nancy L Price, (posted to db on 2 August 2014).

Nancy L Price Birth: Circa 1865 Residence: Marion, Kentucky, USA Death: Dec 17 1954 Marion, Kentucky, USA Certificate: 25095 State volume: 51 Officer volume: 54.

288. Kentucky Death Records 1911-1961, Publisher: FamilySearch, Record type: Death Records, Film #: 2251623, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Page number(s): Image Number: 00104, Date recorded: 1954, Person(s) of interest: Nancy Logan Price, (Date posted to database 28 Nov 2014).

Name: Nancy Logan Price Event Type: Death Event Date: 17 Dec 1954 Event Place: Rural, Marion, Kentucky, United States Gender: Female Age: 89 Birth Year (Estimated): 1865 Father's Name: James Rakes Mother's Name: Frances Mattingly GS Film Number: 2251623, Digital Folder Number: 004198039, Image Number: 00104.

289. Marriage Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 7 Sep 2015).

The following document(s) are used for the conclusion that James Harrison Rakes and Mary Francis Mattingly were married about 1857 at Marion County, Kentucky, United States.

The 1860 and 1870 census implies that they are married.

The 1880 Census indicates that they are married.

Marriage Date:

The marriage date is calculated based on the birth of their first child Elizabeth who was born about 4 August 1858.

This date is also given in the International Marriage Records.

Marriage Location:

The marriage location is taken from the place of residence of James.

[From some historical records there is a small church located close to the Rakes property called the Primitive Church. This would have been as logical place for them to get married but there is no document ion to support this.].

290. International Marriage Records. [This source is poor and is only used when no other documentation can be found], (Date posted to database 7 Sep 2015).

Name: James Harrison Rakes Gender: Male Birth Place: KY Birth Year: 1827 Spouse Name: Mary Frances Spouse Birth Place: KY Spouse Birth Year: 1836 Marriage Year: 1857 Number Pages: 1.

291. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).

Name:

I find that all documents list him as Elisha Rakes/Raikes. I can not find any document showing Price except family records and the book by Paul Tugate.

Relationship:

Elisha Price Rakes is linked to John Rakes family because the daughter of Elizabeth Rakes and Major Turner, Sarah, is living with them in the 1870 Census?? Another link is a letter from Sarah Abell dated Feb 18, 1961 that indicates that Elisha was a son.

292. The John Rakes Families of Marion Co., KY, Compiler: Paul Tugate, Publisher: Self Published, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1995. FHL: Microfiche 6007322; 929.273 R137; (Digital Version), Chapter Elisha Price Rakes, Page Number 1, Person(s) of Interest Elisha Price Rakes, (posted to db on 10 February 2013).

Elisha born 10 Sep 1823 in Washington Co., Ky. and very well could be what is now known as Bradfordsville, Marion Co., Ky. Elisha's birth and death, and Elizabeth's death from family records.

293. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1845, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Elisha Rakes.

294. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1848, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Elisha Rakes.

295. 1850 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Taylor County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, (Date posted to database 9 Jan 2018).

Name: James Raker [James Baker] [James Ruker] Age: 3 Birth Year: abt 1847 Birthplace: Kentucky Home in 1850: Division 1, Taylor, Kentucky, USA Gender: Male Family Number: 284

Name Age

Elisha Raker 24

Elizabeth Raker 19

James Raker 3

G W Raker 0.

[The surname, Raker, for Elisha and his family is a mis-index. When I look at that the actual record the name appears to be Rakes.].

296. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1856, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Elisha Rakes.

297. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1858, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Elisha Rakes.

298. Marion County, Kentucky, Tax Records, Author: Marion County, Kentucky. Film # MIC6200/6202, Record type: Tax Records, Marion County, State of: Kentucky, Year: 1860, Person(s) of interest: Rakes, (Date posted to database 03 Nov 2014).

Elisha Rakes.

299. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, District 2, Image 30, Post Office Bradfordsville, Page 3, Lines 23, Household Number 213, Household of James Rakes, (posted to db on 10 February 2013).

James Rakes, Age 39, Sex M, Race W, Occupation laborer, POB Kentucky

Elizabeth Rakes, Age 33, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky

John Rakes, Age 13, Sex M, Race W, POB Kentucky

George Rakes, Age 11, Sex M, Race W, POB Kentucky

Elizabeth Rakes, Age 9, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky

Martha Rakes, Age 7, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky

Nancy Rakes, Age 5, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky

Mary Rakes, Age 3, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky.

[There are some questions about this census record. The head of the house is listed as James Rakes age 39 which does not appear to be Elisha. There is a child named John who appears to be the same age as James Perry. The other members seem to match so I think it is the right family but just some miss information].

300. 1870 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Bradfordsville, Image 21, Page 21, Lines 3, Household Number 119, Household of Elisha Raikes, (posted to db on 10 February 2013).

Elisha Raikes, Age 45, Sex M, Race W, Occupation farmer, POB Kentucky

Elizabeth Raikes, Age 44, Sex F, Race W, Occupation keeps house, POB Kentucky

James P Raikes, Age 22, Sex M, Race W, Occupation works on farm, POB Kentucky

George W Raikes, Age 20, Sex M, Race W, Occupation works on farm, POB Kentucky

Sarah E Raikes, Age 18, Sex F, Race W, Occupation at home, POB Kentucky

Martha T Raikes, Age 16, Sex F, Race W, Occupation at home, POB Kentucky

Nancy Raikes, Age 14, Sex F, Race W, Occupation at home, POB Kentucky

Mary Raikes, Age 12, Sex F, Race W, Occupation at home, POB Kentucky

Ann Eliza Raikes, Age 5, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky
Mattie Susan Raikes, Age 5, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky
Maggie Raikes, Age 2, Sex F, Race W, POB Kentucky
Sarah M Turner, Age 24, Sex F, Race W, Occupation house keeper, POB Kentucky.

301. 1880 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Bradfordsville, Enumeration District 180, Image 15, Page 15, Lines 2, Household Number 107, Household of Elisha Rakes, (posted to db on 10 February 2013).
Elisha Rakes, Sex M, Race W, Age 58, head, Martial status M, Occupation laborer, POB Kentucky, FPOB Virginia, MPOB Virginia
Elizabeth Rakes, Sex F, Race W, Age 50, wife, Martial status M, Occupation keeping house, POB Kentucky, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Kentucky
Mattie Rakes, Sex F, Race W, Age 15, daughter, Martial status S, Occupation at home, POB Kentucky, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Kentucky
Annie L Rakes, Sex F, Race W, Age 15, daughter, Martial status S, Occupation at home, POB Kentucky, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Kentucky
Maggie Rakes, Sex F, Race W, Age 12, daughter, Martial status S, POB Kentucky, FPOB Kentucky, MPOB Kentucky.

302. The John Rakes Families of Marion Co., KY, Compiler: Paul Tungate, Publisher: Self Published, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1995. FHL: Microfiche 6007322; 929.273 R137; (Digital Version), Chapter Elisha Price Rakes, Page Number 1, Person(s) of Interest Elisha Price Rakes, (posted to db on 10 February 2013).
Died 13 Jan 1893 on Rakes Branch near Bradfordsville, Marion Co., Ky and is buried there.

303. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 10 Jan 2018).
See 1870 Census.

304. The John Rakes Families of Marion Co., KY, Compiler: Paul Tungate, Publisher: Self Published, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1995. FHL: Microfiche 6007322; 929.273 R137; (Digital Version), Chapter Elisha Price Rakes, Page Number 1, Person(s) of Interest Elisha Price Rakes, (posted to db on 10 February 2013).
Married Elizabeth Rebecca Mason 25 May 1847 in Casey Co., Ky.

305. Name and Relationship Conclusion, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (Date posted to database 18 Feb 2015).
Name:

Relationship:

Mary Rakes is linked to the John Rakes family using an article about her husband killing James Harrison Rakes her brother. She is listed along with the head of the house William her brother, John her father and Polly [Mary] in the 1850 census.

306. Kentucky Land Grants, Kentucky Land Office, (posted to db on 7 August 2012).
[This birth year is calculated using the 1900 census. Other census she appears on have different ages for Mary based on the census: Census 1850 age 23; Census 1860 age 32, Census 1870 age 38, Census 1880 age 52, Census 1900 age 75].

307. 1860 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Jurisdiction District 2, Sheet/Page Number 28, Lines 14-15, Household Number 200, Household of John Butchell [Burchell], (posted to db on 23 June 2014).
John Butchell [Burchell]; age 24; M; POB Kentucky
Mary Butchell [Burchell]; age 32; F; POB Kentucky.

308. 1870 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Bradfordsville, Page Number 16-17, Line Number 40-2, Household of James Burchell, (posted to db on 16 October 2012).
Burchell, John; age 40; M; W; farmer; POB Kentucky
Burchell, Polly [Mary]; age 38; F; W; keeping house; POB Kentucky
Burchell, James; age 9; M; W; POB Kentucky.
[Living next door to James Harrison Rakes].

309. 1880 U.S. Federal Census Population Schedule, Kentucky, Marion County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, Bradfordsville, Enumeration District 180, Page Number 15, Line Number 12-14, Household of John Burchell, (posted to db on 16 October 2012).

**Burchell, John; M; W; age 47; laborer on farm; POB Kentucky; FPOB Kentucky; MPOB Kentucky
Burchell, Mary; W; F; age 52; wife; keeping house; POB Kentucky; FPOB Kentucky; MPOB Kentucky
Burchell, James; W; M; age 19; son; POB Kentucky; FPOB Kentucky; MPOB Kentucky.**

310. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 12 August 2012).

[Mary and her husband John Burchell left Marion County right after John was involved along with his son James in the killing of Mary's brother James Harrison Rakes. When she files for a pension, she list herself as living in Indian Territory].

311. Civil War Pension Index: General Index to Pension Files, 1861-1934, Originator: General Index to Pension Files, 1861-1934. Washington, D.C.:, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Indian Territory, Person(s) of Interest John Burchell, (posted to db on 17 October 2012). (Digital Image: Burchell, Mary (Rakes) Pension Application)

Name: John Burchell, State Filed: Indian Territory, Widow: Mary Burchell, Roll Number: T288_61. The pension application for Mary (Rakes) Burchell states that they were married on 30 November 1858 at Bradfordsville, Marion County, Kentucky, USA by E? Bernelt. The pension also states that John Burchell died on the 29th of April 1898 at the age of 78, in Indian Territory. (Cove, Polk County, Arkansas).

312. Note, Publisher: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 8 August 2012).

Several researchers use this date as the death of Mary. There is a Mrs John Burchell died 14 Dec 1898 in Jessamine County, Kentucky but this is not Mary. Mary Burchell is found in the 1900 Arkansas Census living next door to her son so she is still alive in 1898.

313. 1900 U.S. Federal Census, Population Schedule, Polk County, Originator: U.S Bureau of the Census, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Orem, Utah, White Township, Enumeration District 105, Sheet 71, Line 42, Person of Interest Mary Burchell.

**Mary Burchell; head; W; F; DOB Dec 1824; age 75; WD; POB Kentucky; FPOB Virginia MPOB Virginia.
The census shows she has 2 children but only one living. She is also living next door to her son James and his wife.**

314. Calculation, Recorded by: Roger W. Wells, (posted to db on 10 August 2012).

This death date is calculated based on Mary being in the 1900 census but not found in the 1910 census.

315. Civil War Pension Index: General Index to Pension Files, 1861-1934, Originator: General Index to Pension Files, 1861-1934. Washington, D.C.:, Publisher: Ancestry.com, Roll Number T288_61, Indiana Territory, Person of Interest John Burchell, (accessed 21 July 2012). Digital Co;y: Burchell, Mary (Rakes) Pension Application.pdf

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