

-- **BEAM, BEEM** --

The family groups represented in this collection may not be complete, because information was entered bit by bit as I found it or happened upon it; I have not done any systematic research on these families. Because they do not compose whole family genealogies, these listings are arranged differently from most genealogical records or histories. Each listing is a family group, and is arranged and filed alphabetically under the name of the head of the family.

Names are generally in alphabetical order (disregarding spelling variations and middle names), then in approx. chronological order. The first sorting is by surname (mixing together any and all spelling variations), then by given name, then by approximate birthdate (when known) in approximate chronological order. For easier reference, surnames in headings are grouped together under the most common spelling usage that evolved in this geographical location, regardless of individualistic spellings in the records themselves. Cross references are used in most cases where surname spellings substantially vary.

Within the quoted records, the individual spellings have been (mostly) retained because they sometimes provide clues (although in general—but with exceptions—they seem to largely reflect the record keeper's particular orthography and not always, at this early period, any special family preference). Those interested can see the variety and evolvement of a particular name's spelling and the interesting and sometimes amusing attempts at phonetic reproduction. Keep in mind that before names and spellings were standardized, records reflected the individualistic whim of the particular recorder (often two different spellings of the same name within the same document). In addition, all records were handwritten, and sometimes deciphering a handwritten name in early records can be quite challenging! So expect to search under all possibilities of spelling (for both surnames and given names).

Given names are grouped together without regard for middle initials or middle names. Because middle names and/or initials are sometimes used, sometimes not used in various records, it seemed simplest to arrange entries as if the middle names or initials did not exist. Usually all variations of a given name are grouped together as though spelled one way: Jan, Johannes, John, etc. are all grouped as one (but also look under the other forms).

Sources and references are included with each "family" grouping, but may or may not include sources that are cited (or are obvious, such as baptismal records, etc.) within the narrative or listing itself.

As with any compiled genealogical record, researchers should regard this information as leads and clues, and should verify all data with independent research.

I welcome, and would be grateful for, any additions or corrections, especially with source citations.

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**Beem/Beam**

General Reference:

Royce, Mrs. Dayton, "The Been (Beam) Family of Bergen County, N.J." in *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, (43:2) May 1968, p. 90.

**Beam, Abraham**

Abraham Beam  
son of Anthony Beam &  
Margritie Lyn (Lyon)  
b. about 1730<sup>1</sup>  
bp. 21 June 1730 NY Luth Ch  
d. about 1812

m.  
(banns 31 March 1754  
Acquackanonk Ref Ch)

**Sarah Mead**  
dau. of Peter Meed &  
Jannetje Cadmus  
b. about 1733  
bp.  
d.

Abraham Beam is listed in the Franklin Township Rateables for 1778 and Jan-Feb 1779 with (1778) 100 acres, 4 horses, 13 horned cattle, 5 hogs, 1 single man who works for hire (in 1779, 14 horses and cattle, 0 single man).

In his will dated 29 Jan 1806, probated 1 Aug 1812, Abraham Beam (signed by mark) of Pompton Twsp, Bergen Co., mentions son John, son Conrad; dau. Jane; grandson Abraham, grandchildren ("of my son, Henry") Aaron, Moses and Sarah. N.B. annexing names of children: Peter, John, Jost, Coonrod, Margaret, Jenny, and grandson Abraham Beam. Executors named are John and Anthony C. Beam. Witnesses were John Beam, Josiah Beam, and John Keirans.

An inventory of the estate (not totalled) was made 15 May 1812 by Anthony Beam and John Beam. The inventory in-

cluded carpenter's tools and a French musket.

*---children of Abraham Beam & Sarah Mead:*

- **Anthony A. Beam**, b. 7 Feb 1756, bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Antonie Beem & Margaret); m. **Geesje Sanderse**.
- **Jannitje Beam** (twin), b. 29 Jan 1758; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch with sister Margrita; apparently d.y.
- **Margrita Beam** (Margaret) (twin), b. 29 Jan 1758; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Hendrik Bruyn & Tryntje; Coenraad Bean & Margrietje); m. **Louis Baldwin**<sup>1</sup>.
- **Peter Beam**, m. **Maria Deboog (Debow)**
- **Conrad Beam**, b. about 1762<sup>1</sup>; m. Ramapo, NJ, **Catrina Wannemaker** (or widow Buskirk).<sup>1</sup>
- **Henry Beam**
- **Abraham Beam**, b. 18 Sep 1764; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Joost Beem & Tryntje); m. **Sarah Sanders** or widow Brown
- **Johannis Beam** (John), b. 12 April 1767; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Meet & Marytje); m. **Rebecca Bush**
- **Joost Beam**, b. 30 Apr 1775; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Jan Meet & Maragriet)
- **Jannitje Beam** (Jenny), b. 27 Nov 1779

---Sources:

[1] Sources: Munsell's *American Ancestry*, Vol VIII, 1893, p. 136  
 NJ Archives, First Series, Vol. 41, Calendar of Wills, p. 30 (File 3540 B); "New Jersey Rateables: Franklin Township 1778 & 1779" in *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, Jan 1966, p. 24; "The Beem (Beam) Family of Bergen County, N.J." by Mrs. Dayton Royse, in *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, May 1968, p. 90; Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992); NY Luth Ch Baptisms, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, 97 (1966):225;

### Beam, Abraham

Abraham Beam m. Sara

*---children of Abraham Beam & Sara*

- **Joost Beem**, b. or bp. 30 April 1775 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Jan Meet, Maragriet Meet)
- **Jannitje Beem**, b. or bp. 17 Nov 1779 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

### Beam, Abraham

Abraham Beam m. Nancy Bastedo (Basteedah)

*---children of Abraham Beam & Nancy Bastedo:*

- **Maria Beam**, b. 2 March 1802; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Peter Beam**, b. 2 Feb 1810; bp. 20 Jan 1811 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

### Beam, Abraham S.

Abraham S. Beam m. Vrouwtje Hennion

*---children of Abraham S. Beam & Vrouwtje Hennion:*

- **Anthony Beam**, b. 4 Nov 1807; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Lewis Baldwin Beam**, b. 23 March 1813; bp. 11 April 1813 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

### Beam, Abraham Ryerson

Abraham Ryerson Beam m. (1) -?-  
 son of Joseph Beam & dau. of  
 Sarah Ryerson b.  
 b. 15 Oct 1807 m. (2) -?-

*---children of Abraham Ryerson Beam & (1)*

- **Sarah Beam**
- **Ellen Beam**

*---children of Abraham Ryerson Beam & (2)*

- **John Harvey Beam**

---Sources: Warner, Peter Roome, *Descendants of Peter Willemsse Roome*, New York: David H. Gildersleeve, n.d. (c. 1883), p. 10;

### Beam, Albert

Albert Beam m. Margrietjen Beesharen (Peeshaar)

*---children of Albert Beam & Margrietjen Beesharen:*

- **Marytjen Beem**, bp. 27 Aug 1721 Kingston Ref Ch (wit: Jan Oet, Hillegonda Slegtenaar)
- **Magdalena Beem**, bp. 13 Jan 1723 Kingston Ref Ch (wit: Juriaan Beem, Madalena Peeshaar)
- **Christina Beem**, bp. 24 Jan 1725 Kingston Ref Ch (wit: Willem Bolk, Christina Beeshaar)

---Sources: Hoes, Roswell Randall, *Baptismal and Marriage Registers of the Old Dutch Church of Kingston...*, 1891 (reprinted 1997 by Genealogical Publishing Co., Baltimore, MD)

**Beem, Anthony** (Bohm; Böhm)

Anthony Beam  
son of

m.  
(banns Hackensack Ref Ch  
Dec 1719)

**Margritie Lyn (Lein)**

dau. of Conrad Lein &  
Maria Margaretha -?-  
b. abt. 1697 Darmstadt, Germany  
d.

b. Flammersveld, Germany  
d. between 25 July 1773-1787

He was the immigrant ancestor of the Beam family in America, coming from Germany and settling "among the Indians at Wynoke about 1715-1720." He built a log house and afterward built a stone house, which was the west end of the house owned by his descendant, Capt. Beam, at Pompton, NJ.<sup>1</sup>

Antoni Böhm took first communion NYC Luth Ch, at "Remerbuch" [Ramapo] abt. Oct-Nov-Dec 1719.

In the Hackensack record of their marriage, they are "Antony Bien, y.m., b. Flammersveld, Germany and Margrietie Leyne, y.d., b. Darmstadt, Germany, both living Ramapo."

On 25 July 1773, Mary Lien, John Lien (executor of estate of Abraham Lien, deceased) and Daniel Lien (executor of estate of Conrad Lien, deceased) all of Wamayack, Bergen County, conveyed to Anthony Beam, of the same place, property surveyed for Joseph Kerbride...mistake in purchase of 639 acres by Richard Aashfield, deceased, of New York City. Signed by Mary Lien (her mark), John Lien, and Daniel Lien (his mark). Witnessed by John Meyer, Thomas Briggs, George Ryerse.<sup>2</sup>

Anthony Beams, yeoman of Saddle River, Bergen Co., made his will 12 Mar 1757, probated 17 Feb 1787 in which he mentioned eldest son Yost, sons Coonrat and Abraham; daus. Catren Brown, wife of Henry Brown; Annanickee Beams; and wife Margaret. Executors were sons Yost and Coonrat. Witnesses were Joseph Bartram, Abraham Lines and George Beaty.

On 12 October 1784, Coonrat and Clorche Lines, (alias Rutan), of Wyoming, PA, conveyed to Daniel Lines of Franklin Township, for £150, 71.51 acres...corner to survey returned to Richard Ashfield and deeded to Anthony Beam...formerly belonging to Coonrat Lines, deceased. Signed by Coonrat Lines (his mark), Clorche Lines (her mark). Witnessed by John Collins, Jacob Beam.<sup>2</sup>

---children of Anthony Beam & Margritie Lyn:

- **Johan Jost Bohm** (Joost Beam), b. 7 Sep 1720 "at Remobuch"; bp. 18 Oct 1720 at Ramapo (NY Luth Ch) (spons: Jost Brandorff and wife Magdalena); m. 23 May 1740 (banns Hackensack Ref. Ch. 10 May 1740), **Catrina Slot**, dau. of Jacobus Slot & Mary Demarest.
- **Catharina Bohm**, b. 9 Apr 1723 Remerbuch; bp. 9 June 1723 NYC Luth Ch ("at Hackinsack") (spons: Cunrad Lein & wife Margareta); m. (banns 11 Oct 1751) Acquackanonk Ref Ch, **Hendrick Bruyn**, b. Second River, son of Martin Bruyn & Jannetje Thomasse Cadmus.
- **Coenraat Beem**, bp. 23 Apr 1727 Hackensack Ref Ch (as Coenraat, son of Anthony Beem & Margritie Lyn); (wit: Coenraat Lyn, Geertruy Verwey) m. **Maragrieta Mead**, dau. of Peter Mead.
- **Abraham Beem**, b. about 1730; m. (banns 31 Mar 1754 Acquackanonk Ref Ch), **Sarah Meed**, dau. of Peter Mead.
- **Angenietje Beem**, bp. 14 Jan 1741 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Angenetie Van Houte); m. (lic. 9 Apr 1762)

**John Bartrom**, son of Joseph Bartrom.

---Sources:

[1] Munsell's *American Ancestry*, Vol. VIII, 1893, p. 135

[2] Davis, John David, *Bergen County New Jersey Deed Records 1689-1801*, Heritage Books, Inc., 1995, p. 72, 175;

"The Beem (Beam) Family of Bergen County, N.J." by Mrs. Dayton Roysse, in *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, May 1968, p. 90; *Some Early Records of the Lutheran Church, New York*, p. 79, 92; "First Communion in the Lutheran Church of New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Apr 1973, p. 109; Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest); *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I, Baptisms & Marriages)

**Beam, Anthony C.**

Anthony C. Beam  
son of Conrad Beam &  
Margrietje Mead  
b. about 1751<sup>1</sup>

m. 5 Feb 1788  
(NJ license)

**Vrouwtje Demarest** (Sophronia)  
dau. of John Demarest &  
Rebecca Ryerson

b. about 1755<sup>1</sup>  
bp. 7 Feb 1768 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch  
d. 8 Jan 1824 (18 Jan 1824<sup>1</sup>)

bp.  
d. 6 Nov 1824<sup>1</sup>

Anthony C Beam and Anthony Bartrum (signed Bartrim), both of Franklin Town in the County of Bergen... [bound to]... William Livingston... Governor... 500 pounds... 5 Feb 1788.... Certificate of Marriage between Anthony C Beam... and Vrantye Demarest...[w] Anne Westervelt and Abr: Westervelt.

---children of Anthony C. Beam & Vrouwtje Demarest:

- **John Beam**, b. 11 Aug 1788; d.y.
- **Maragrietje Beam**, b. 26 Sep 1789; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); d.y.
- **Rebecca Beam**, b. 8 Feb 1791; bp. 3 April 1791 Pompton Plains Ref Ch; d. 13 June 1846<sup>1</sup>; m. 19 Nov 1809 **Josiah Beam**
- **Peter Mead Beam**, b. 7 March 1792; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); d. 24 Sep 1864<sup>1</sup>; m. 13 June 1816
- **Sophronia (Fannie) Hennion**
- **John Demoray Beam**, b. 11 March 1794; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); d. 8 Jan 1861; buried 1st Presby. Chyd Newark, Essex Co., NJ; m. 20 Aug 1816 **Sarah Beam**.
- **Coenradt Beam** (Conrad), b. 7 Dec 1796; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); d. Oct 1874; m. 1 Dec 1821 (or 20 Nov 1821<sup>1</sup>) **Ann Ryerson**, dau. of Col. Theunis Ryerson & Eleanor Van Houten
- **Cobus Bertholf Beam** (Jacobus; James), b. 2 Apr 1799; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); said to have d. unmarried.
- **Maria Garrison Beam**, b. 14 Aug 1801; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); d. 1 April 1879; m. 23 May 1822 (1821<sup>1</sup>) **Peter A. Lines**.
- **Marten Ryerson Beam**, b. 6 Aug 1803; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch; m. (1) 1 Sep 1825 **Johanna Kingsland**; m. (2) 6 Jan

1831 **Rachel Bertholf**; m. (3) **Susan Kreps** (Kieps); m. (4) **Maria Styles**.

- **Simon Demoray Beam** (Simon Demarest Beam), b. 7 Feb 1808; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); d. 4 March 1850; m. 7 Jan 1839 **Catharine A. Lyons**.
- **Margaret Mead Beam**, b. 18 Feb 1810; bp. 20 Feb 1810 Pompton Plains Ref Ch; d. 15 Sep 1848; m. 26 Mar 1831 **George E. Ackerson**
- **Sophonria Beam**, b. 13 Jan 1812; bp. 9 Feb 1812 Pompton Plains Ref Ch; d. unmarried.

---Sources:

[1] Sources: Munsell's *American Ancestry*, Vol VIII, 1893, p. 136  
 Nelson, William, *New Jersey Marriages*, p. 21; "The Beem (Beam) Family of Bergen County, N.J." by Mrs. Dayton Royle, in *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, May 1968, p. 93; Ryerson, Albert Winslow, *The Ryerson Genealogy*, 1916, p. 26; Demarest, Voorhis D. (Demarest Family Association), *The Demarest Family*, 1964 (Vrouwetje Demarest is no. 5-285); Warner, Peter Roome, *Descendants of Peter Willemse Roome*, New York: David H. Gildersleeve, n.d. (c. 1883), p. 11; Early New Jersey Marriage [License] Extracts, 1999 by Patricia M. Bergener <brgrnr@ix.netcom.com> FHLC 0888701; Vol. A, posted online at ftp://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/nj/marriage/marr1.txt ;

**Beam, Anthony A.**

Anthony A. Beam  
 son of Abraham Beam &  
 Sarah Mead  
 b. 7 Feb 1756  
 bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch  
 d. 1806

m.  
 Upper Wynoke<sup>1</sup>

**Geesje Sanderse**  
 dau. of

b.  
 bp.  
 d.

In his will dated 1 Jan 1806, pr 28 Jan 1806, Anthony A. Beam, Pompton Twp., Bergen Co., mentions wife (unnamed); children Abraham, Peter, Sarah Ryerson, John, Henry, Mary, Jane, Egbert, Vrotey, Anny & Davis. Executors named were cousin Anthony C. Beam and son Abraham. Witnesses were Charles Board, Peter Beam, John A. Beam.

---children of Anthony A. Beam & Geesje Sanderse:

- **Abraham A. Beam**
- **Pieter Beam**, b. 3 Nov 1780; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Hendrick Bruyn & Sara Bruyn)
- **Sara Beam**, b. 6 May 1782; bp. Pompton PLains Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Beem & Sara Beem); m. 1 Mar 1800 **James Ryerson** (Jacob Ryerson<sup>1</sup>)
- **Johannis Beam**, b. 5 July 1786; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Henry Beam**
- **Maria Beam**, b. 3 Nov 1789; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Jannetje Beam**, b. 14 Oct 1791; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Egbert Beam**, b. Feb 1794; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Vrouwetje Beam** (Sophonia; Sophrina), b. 1 Jan 1796; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); m. (poss) **Jacob Post**
- **Annie Beam**, b. 11 Dec 1797; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)
- **David Beam**

Sources:

[1] Sources: Munsell's *American Ancestry*, Vol VIII, 1893, p. 137  
 "The Beem (Beam) Family of Bergen County, N.J." by Mrs. Dayton Royle, in *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, May 1968, p. 94; Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

**Beam, Anthony**

Anthony Beam  
 son of

m.

**Catherine Burk**  
 dau. of

(NJ License 27 Jan 1783)

Anthony Beam and John Beam, both of Franklin Township in the County of Bergen, yeomen... [bound to]... William Livingston... Governor... 500 pounds... 27 Jan 1783.... Certificate of Marriage between Anthony Beam... and Catherine Burk...[w] Anne Westervelt and Abr: Westervelt.

---children of Anthony Beam & Catherine Burk:

- **Joost Beem**, b. 12 Nov 1784; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Joost Beem, Tryntje Beem) (no mother's surname in bp. record)

---Sources: Early New Jersey Marriage [License] Extracts, 1999 by Patricia M. Bergener <brgrnr@ix.netcom.com> FHLC 0888701; Vol. A, posted online at ftp://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/nj/marriage/marr1.txt ; Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

**Beam, Anthony**

Anthony Beam  
 son of Johann Jost Beam &  
 Catharine Sloat  
 b. 22 April 1753  
 bp. 15 July 1753 Pompton Plains Ref Ch  
 d.

m. 2 Feb 1783  
 (NJ license: 27 Jan 1783)

**Catherine Bush**  
 dau. of Samuel Bush &  
 Rebecca Tebow  
 b. 14 Oct 1755  
 bp.  
 d. 4 March 1823

He is likely the Anthony Beam who was a Sergeant in the NJ Militia during the Revolution and at the age of 79, as a resident of Pompton, on 31 Oct 1832, applied for a pension. He testified that he was living at Wynokie when called to service under Lt. John Nafee.

---children of Anthony Beam & Catherine Bush:

- **Joost Beam** (Col.), b. 12 Nov 1784; d. 26 April 1860; m. 19 Nov 1809 **Rebecca Beam**.



• **Polly Beam**, b. 12 Aug 1788; d. about 1810; m. **Peter Garrison**.

• **Rebecca Beam**, b. 20 Sep 1792; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); d. about 1878; m. 1815 **Peter Garrison**.

---Sources: Munsell's *American Ancestry*, Vol VIII, 1893, p. 135; Nelson, William, *New Jersey Marriages*, p. 21; Revolutionary War Pension No. S950; Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

### Beam, Anthony C.

Anthony C. Beam  
son of John Demarest Beam &  
Sarah Beam  
b. 24 May 1823

m. about 1846

**Elizabeth Dolbeer**

dau. of

b. about 1822

In 1850 they were living in Enon, Clark Co., OH, where he was a merchant. They returned to NJ and in the 1870 Federal Census, they were listed in Newark, Essex Co., NJ, where he worked at jewelry.

---*children of Anthony C. Beam & Elizabeth Dolbeer*:

• **Rebecca Louisa Beam**, b. about 1847 NJ

• **Edwin Beam**, b. about 1849 OH

• **Anna J. Beam**, b. about 1851 OH

• **Mary E. Beam**, b. about 1853 NJ

• **Harriet S. Beam**, b. about 1855 NJ

• **Hannah E. Beam**, b. about 1857 NJ

• **James W. Beam**, b. about 1860 NJ

### Beam, Coenrad (Conrad)

Coenrad Beam  
son of Anthony Beam &  
Margritie Lein

m.

**Margrieta Mead** (Grietje)

dau. of Peter Mead &

Jannetje Cadmus

b. about 1730

b.

bp. 23 April 1727 Hackensack Ref Ch

d. 29 Nov 1810<sup>1</sup> Franklin Twp, Bergen Co., NJ

bp.

d.

He lived between the two brooks at Wynokie.

"Coonrod Beam" is listed in the Franklin Township Rateables for 1778 and Jan-Feb 1779 with (1778) 100 acres, 4 horses, 12 cattle, 5 hogs.

In his will, dated 1 Apr 1796, probated 9 Feb 1811, Coenrad Beam (signed by mark) of Winochie, Franklin Twsp, Bergen Co., mentions eldest son Anthony, son John, and daus. Elenor, Genne, Margaret, and Mary. Executor named is son, Anthony C. Beam. Witnesses: John Beam, Anthony Beam, jno. Collins. An inventory of the estate (not tallied) was made 26 Dec 1810 by John Beam and Henry Brown. In the inventory the Testator is called "late of Pompton Twsp."

---*children of Conrad Beam & Margrieta Mead*:

• **Anthony C. Beam**, b. about 1751<sup>1</sup>; m. **Vrouwetje Demarest**

• **Helena Beam** (Elenor), b. 20 Oct 1754; bp. 24 Nov 1754 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Van Houten & Helena); m. **James Bertolf**<sup>1</sup>.

• **Pieter Beam**, b. 16 March 1757; bp. 10 April 1757 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Meedt & Janneke); d.y.

• **Jannetje Beam** (Jane; Genny), b. about 1760; m. **James Vreeland**<sup>1</sup>. They had a son, Coonraad Vreeland<sup>1</sup>. She was named in her father's will.

• **Mary Beam** (Polly), b. about 1763; m. Ponds Ref Ch, **Peter Garrison**. She was named in her father's will.

• **Pieter Beam**, b. 17 Sep 1764; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Jan Meed & Maria); was not named in father's will.

• **Johannis Beam** (John C.) (twin?), bp. 22 Mar 1767 Pompton Plains Ref Ch; m. 18 Dec 1794 Pompton Plains Ref Ch,

**Jane Berdan** (Berdon; Bordan). They had a dau., Margaret Beam, b. 26 Jan, bp. 25 Feb 1798 NYC Ref Ch.

• **Margrieta Beam** (Margaret) (twin?), bp. 22 Mar 1767 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Joost Beem & Tryntje;

Johannis Bertrum & Angenietje); m. **John Morris** of Bloomfield, NJ<sup>1</sup>.

---Sources:

[1] Munsell's *American Ancestry*, Vol. VIII, 1893, p. 136

NJ Archives, First Series, vol. 41, Calendar of Wills, p. 31 (File 3505 B); "New Jersey Rateables: Franklin Township 1778 & 1779" in *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, Jan 1966, p. 24; "The Beam (Beam) Family of Bergen County, N.J." by Mrs. Dayton Royse, in *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, May 1968, p. 93

### Beam, Conrad

Conrad Beam  
son of

m.

**Catherine Wanamaker**

(widow of **Paul Van Buskirk**)

dau. of Dirk (Richard) Wanamaker &

Margaret Fox

d. before 5 Dec 1836

d.

In her will dated 15 March 1831, probated 22 April 1831, Catherine [Beam], of Franklin Township, Bergen County, NJ mentions daus Margaret, Fanny, Sally Ann, and Catherine. She named sons-in-law Harmen Goetschius and William Ramsey executors.<sup>1</sup>

---Sources:

[1] Information August 1996 and Nov 1996 from Donna E. (Speer) Ristenbatt, Manheim, PA

### Beam, Conrad

Conrad Beam  
son of Anthony C. Beam &  
Sophronia Demarest  
b. 7 Dec 1796  
d. 1874

m. 30 Nov 1821

### Ann Ryerson

dau. of (Col.) Theunis Ryerson &  
Eleanor Van Houten  
b. 19 Jan 1804  
d. 29 Apr 1867

Conrad Beam, 53, farmer, and Ann, 47, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: John, 18; William, 14; Charles, 8; Harriet Van Orden, 14; and Ellen Bussel, 3.

He was listed in the 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Morris Co., Pequannock Township, Pompton Plains P.O., p. 21, enumerated 1 Aug 1870, Dwelling 158, Family 170 (all b. NJ) -- Beam, Conrad, 73, Farmer, value real estate \$5000, value personal estate \$500; [Beam], William, 29, Works on Farm; [Beam], Margaret, 26, Keeps House; Lines, Peter, 74, Laborer, value personal estate \$500; [Lines], Maria, 69, Keeps House; Beam, Jane, 92, Black, At Home.

*---children of Conrad Beam & Ann Ryerson:*

- **Peter Mead Beam**, b. 15 Apr 1823; m. **Mary E. Van Orden**
- **George Beam**, b. 5 Oct 1825; d. Oct 1888; m. **Hester Ryerson**, dau. of John I. Ryerson & Sarah Westervelt
- **Infant Beam**, d. at birth
- **John D. Beam**, b. 29 July 1832; d. 25 Dec 1854, unmarried
- **William H. Beam**, b. 22 Dec 1839; m. (1) 30 April 1870, **Margaret Bogaert** (Bogart); m. (2) 1897, **Elizabeth Myers**, dau. of (prob) William Meyers & Margaret -?-. He lived at Pompton, NJ.
- **Charles B. Beam**, b. 30 Dec 1841; d. 15 Feb 1899
- **Emma Augusta Beam**, b. 24 Mar 1845; d. 21 Aug 1846

---Sources: Ryerson, Albert Winslow, *The Ryerson Genealogy*, 1916; 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, District No. 17 (taken 27 July 1850 by Wm. W. Colfax), Dwelling 72, family 73; Information Oct 2010 from Pamela J. Sears, , 11483 Hessler #6, Cleveland, OH 44106. <Pjsears@stratos.net>

### Beam, David B.

David B. Beam  
son of (prob) Joseph J. Beam &  
Catherine Bartolph  
b. 1818  
d. 1897

m.

### Jane Statt Beam

dau. of  
b. 1818  
d. 1911

buried Cedar Lawn Cem., Paterson, Passaic Co., NJ

buried Cedar Lawn Cem, Paterson, NJ

They were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Paterson, enumerated 19 July 1850 -- David B. Beam, 33, Shoe Merchant, b. NJ; Jane Beam, 32, b. NY.

They were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., E Ward, Paterson, enumerated June 1860 -- Peter E. Hopper, 16, Clerk, b. Y; David B. Beam, 40, Boot & Shoe Mfr., b. NJ; Jane Beam, 42, b. NY; Mary Stitt, 35, Teacher, Comm. S., b. NY; John R. Beam, 9, b. NJ, and 1 domestic.

In Sep 1862 he was taxed as a Retail Dealer & Manufacturer, at 116 Main, with a two-horse carriage.<sup>2</sup>

They were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Paterson Ward 4, p. 78, enumerated 28 July 1870, Dwelling 477, Family 664 -- Beam, David B., 51, Boot & Show dealer, value real estate \$75,000, value personal estate \$25,000, b. NJ; [Beam], Jane, 45, Keeps House, b. NY; [Beam], John R., 19, Student, b. NJ; Burns, Kate, 35, Domestic, b. Ireland.

They were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Paterson, enumerated 8 June 1880 -- David B. Beam, 61, Keeps a Shoe store, b. NJ; Jane Beam, age 67?, Wife, b. NY; 5 boarders & 2 domestics.

*---children of David B. Beam & Jane Statt*

- **John R. Beam**, b. 19 Dec 1850 Paterson, Passaic Co., NJ; d. 4 July 1903 Paterson, Passaic Co., NJ; m. about 1879, **Carrie Swinburne Cooke**, dau. of John Cooke & Sarah A. Swinburne. Carrie Cooke was b. July 1854; d. 1929.

---Sources:

[1] Tombstone photos online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Cedar Lawn Cemetery, Paterson, NJ: David B. Beam and Jane Statt Beam, sharing a stone, tombstone photo posted online);

[2] U.S. IRS Tax Assessment Lists, 1862 Record for David B Beam, online at Ancestry.com;

### Beam, George

George Beam  
son of

m. 19 Nov 1809  
Pompton Plains Ref Ch

### Rebecca Beam

dau. of

---Sources: Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

### Beam, George

George Beam  
son of Conrad Beam &  
Ann Ryerson  
b. 5 Oct 1825 NJ  
d. Oct 1888

m. 22 Feb 1854  
Second River Ref Ch  
(he of NY; she of  
Manchester)

### Hester Ryerson

dau. of John I. Ryerson &  
Sarah Westervelt  
b. 14 Jan 1833 NJ  
d. 1900

He was a merchant.

They were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Paterson Ward 1, p. 30, enumerated 16 June 1870,

Dwelling 156 (multi-family dwelling), Family 273 (all b. NJ) -- Beam, George, 44, Ret[ail] feed store, value real estate \$1159, value personal estate \$200; [Beam], Hester, 37, Keeping House; [Beam], John J., 15, Attends School; [Beam], George A., 11, Attends School; [Beam], Anna, 9, Attends School; [Beam], Conrad, 5, Attends School.

She was listed (as a widow) in the 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Passaic Ward 4, District 103, p. 10, enumerated 2 June 1900, 338 Harrison Street, living with her son, George A. Beam, 40, Single, Expressman.

---children of George Beam & Hester Ryerson:

- **John Beam**, b. about 1855 NJ
- **George Beam**, b. Jan 1860 NJ
- **Anna Beam**, b. about 1861 NJ
- **Conrad Beam**, b. about 1865 NJ

---Sources: Welles, Theodore W., The pastor and the church, or, Rev. John H. Duryea, D.D., and the Second Reformed Church at Paterson, N.J., New York: Board of Publication of the Reformed Church in America, 1896 (Marriages, Baptisms, Members) (online at HeritageQuest); Warner, Peter Roome, Descendants of Peter Willemse Roome. New York: David H. Gildersleeve, n.d.; Ryerson, Albert Winslow, The Ryerson Genealogy. Privately Printed. Chicago. 1916. p 143

### **Beam, Henry**

Henry Beam

d. 20 Jan 1793

buried Newfoundland Cem., Newfoundland, NJ

---Sources: Stapler, Mead, Dust to Dust: Lost and Forgotten Graveyards in the New Jersey Highlands, North Jersey Highland Historical Society, 1996, p. 2

### **Beam, Henry**

Henry Beam

---children of Henry Beam &

- **Moses Beam**, b. 17 Feb 1792; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Sara Beam**, b. 19 Aug 1793; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit) (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources: Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

### **Beam, Henry**

Henry Beam

m.

**Elizabeth Timpson**

---children of Henry Beam & Elizabeth Timpson:

- **Andrew Beam**, b. 11 Sep 1814; bp. 4 Dec 1814 Hackensack Ref Ch
- **Henry Beam**, b. 16 Feb 1817; bp. 21 April 1817 Hackensack Ref Ch
- **Abraham Beam**, b. 13 May 1819; bp. 18 July 1819 Hackensack Ref Ch
- **Maria Eliza Beam**, b. 13 Oct 1821; bp. 5 Jan 1822 Hackensack Ref Ch (presented by the Mother)

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert Stewart, and Arthur J. Goff, Hackensack Reformed Church Records, 1801-1886. Copied from Book Number Two of Records, 1943 [facsimile reprint published 1996 by Bergen Historic Books]

### **Beam, Henry**

Henry Beam

m.

**Margaret Weaver**

---children of Henry Beam & Margaret Weaver:

- **David Beam**, b. 1826 Morris Co., NJ<sup>1</sup>; d. 28 July 1894 Middle Valley, Morris Co., NJ<sup>1</sup>; buried Middle Valley Cemetery, Washington Valley, Morris Co., NJ<sup>1</sup>; m. **Margaret Sutton**<sup>1</sup>

---Sources:

[1] Tombstone Photos online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Middle Valley Cem., Washington Valley, NJ: David Beam; tombstone photo posted online)

### **Beam, Isaiah**

Isaiah Beam

m.

**Emma Morrison**

son of John Demarest Beam &

dau. of

Sarah Beam

b. 16 Dec 1819

b. about 1820

In 1850 they lived in Wayne, Passaic Co., NJ, where he was a merchant.

---children of Isaiah Beam & Emma Morrison:

- **Sarah A. Beam**, b. about 1845
- **Henry A. Beam**, b. about 1849

### **Beam, Jacob**

Jacob Beam

m.

**Ariaantje**

---children of Jacob Beam & Ariaantje

- **Maragrita Beam**, b. 9 Feb 1801; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Lyne, Maragrieta Lyne)

---Sources: Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

### **Beam, Jacobus** (James)

Jacobus Beam  
son of Johan Joost Beam &  
Catrina Slot  
b. 12 Nov 1755 Wenagge  
bp. 7 Dec 1755 Pompton Plains Ref Ch

m. (1) 15 May 1780  
Acquackanonk Ref Ch  
(banns: 11 May 1780  
Acquackanonk Ref Ch)

m. (2) 16 Oct 1790  
(NJ license)  
Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

**Rachel Van Voorhees**

dau. of

b. Wyckhoff [Wyckoff, Bergen Co., NJ]  
bp.

**Adrianje Hopper** Adriana)  
dau. of David A. Hopper &  
Rachel Van Emburgh

b. 6 Apr 1762  
bp. 25 Apr 1762 Paramus Ref Ch

Jacobus (signed Jacobes) Beam and Henry D. Hopper of the County of Bergen... [bound to]...the Honorable Elisha Lawrence Esq'r, Vice President and Commander in Chief of New Jersey... 500 pounds... 16 Oct 1790.... Certificate of Marriage between Jacobus Beam... and Adrianje Hopper...[w] Wm Ross Smith and Nehemiah Wade.

The estate of James Beam, late of the Township of New Barbadoes was administered 12 Nov 1816 and James Beam, Jr. and David Berdan were appointed administrators. (Bergen Co. Probates 1-211, A-65, C-86).

---children of Jacobus Beam & (1) Rachel Van Voorhees:

• **James Beam, Jr.**, b. about 1786; m. 1807 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Maria Terhune** (Polly)

---children of James Beam & (2) Adriantje Hopper:

• **Rachel Beam**, b. abt. 1792; m. **Albert I. Kipp**

• **Christina Beam** (Tryntje), b. 6 July 1795; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); m. (prob.) **Albert I. Berdan**

• **Abigail Beam**, b. 4 May 1798; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); m. **David I. Berdan**

• **Margaret Beam**, b. 9 Feb 1801; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Lyne & Maregrieta); m. **John I. Kipp**

---Sources: Nelson, William, *New Jersey Marriages*, p. 21; Zabriskie, George Olin, Geertje Hendricks, Mother of the Hopper and Van Dien Families" in *The Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey* (45:3), September 1970, p. 133; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of...Schraalenburgh*, 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. 1, Part II); Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992); Early New Jersey Marriage [License] Extracts, 1999 by Patricia M. Bergener <brgnr@ix.netcom.com> FHLC 0888701; Vol. A, posted online at ftp://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/nj/marriage/marr1.txt ; Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 ; records of Montville, pages 211-258 ; typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

### Beam, James

James Beam  
son of Jacobus (James) Beam &  
(1) Rachel Van Voorhees  
b. about 1786

m. between 20 Sep 1806 &  
24 Nov 1807 1st Ref. Ch.  
Hackensack, by Rev.  
James V.C. Romeyn

**Maria Terhune** (Polly)

dau. of

b. about 1791

James Beam, 64, blacksmith, and Mary Beam, 59, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in New Barbadoes Township. Listed living with them was Margaret Beam, 24.

---children of James Beam & Maria Terhune:

• **Jacobus Beam**, b. 24 Feb 1809; bp. 17 April 1809 Hackensack Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Antie Beam**, b. 29 Sep 1810; bp. 22 Oct 1810 Hackensack Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Stephen Beam**, b. 22 Aug 1819; bp. 19 Sep 1819 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

• **Margaret Beam**, b. 8 Sep 1822; bp. 11 Jan 1823 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

Sources: Westervelt, *Bergen County Marriages*, p. 27; 1850 Federal Census, Bergen County, NJ, New Barbadoes Township (taken August 1850), Dwelling 726, Family 769 (Family of James Beam); Ackerman, Herbert Stewart, and Arthur J. Goff, *Hackensack Reformed Church Records, 1801-1886, Copied from Book Number Two of Records*, 1943 [facsimile reprint published 1996 by Bergen Historic Books]; Burnett, Louise Howes, *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church...Records of Old South Church...to 1912*, transcribed Aug 1970; printed [c. 1998?] by Bergen Historic Books;

### Beam, James Bertholf

James Bertholf Beam  
son of Josiah Beam &  
Rebecca Beam  
b. 14 Oct 1815 NJ  
d. 2 Feb 1883 in 68th yr<sup>1</sup>  
buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, Passaic Co., NJ<sup>1</sup>

m. (1)

**Sarah Swan** (Sally Ann)

dau. of

b. about 1820

d. 11 March 1854 age 33.9.2<sup>1</sup>

buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes<sup>1</sup>

**Mary Perry**

(widow of -?- **Spencer**)

b. about 1820 NJ

They were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Pompton Twp., Mead's Basin P.O., p. 28, enumerated 30 July 1860; Dwelling 476, Family 468 (all b. NJ except as noted) -- James B. Beam, 44, Farmer; Mary E. Beam, 40; Jotham Beam, 18, b. NY; Mary Beam, 2; Margaret Perry, 66; plus 1 farm laborer and 2 domestics.

They were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Morris Co., Pequannock Twp., Pompton Plains P.O., p. 22, enumerated 2 Aug 1870, Dwelling 163, Family 176 -- Beam, James B., 55, Farmer, value real estate \$10,000, value personal estate \$10,000, b. NJ; [Beam], Mary E., 50, Keeps House, b. NJ; [Beam], Mary A., 12, At Home, b. NJ; Brosman, Jane I., 22, At Home, b. NY; Peltro?, Jessie, 22, At Home, b. NY; Treadwell, Jane, 27, Black, Domestic, b. NY; Treadwell, Frank, 15, Black, Works on Farm, b. NY.

They were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Morris Co., Pequannock, District 128, p. 31, enumerated 18 June 1880, Dwelling 326, Family 369 (all b. NJ; all their parents b. NJ, except as noted) -- Beam, James B., 64, Farmer; [Beam], Mary E., 59, Wife, Keeps House; Spencer, A. J., 36, step son, Single, School Teacher, b. NY, his father b. NY; Brossman, Jane?, 27, Housekeeper.



---children of James Bertholf Beam & (1) Sarah Swan:

• **Jotham Beam**, b. about 1842

---children of James Bertholf Beam & (2) Mary Perry:

• **Mary Beam**, b. about 1858

---Sources:

[1] Tombstone photos online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, NJ: J. Bertholf Beam; Sally Ann Swan; tombstone photos posted online)

**Beam, Johann Jost** (Yost; Joseph Beam; Joost)

Johann Jost Beam m. 23 May 1740  
 son of Anthony Beam & (banns: 10 May  
 Margritie Lein (Lyons) 1740 Hackensack Ref Ch)  
 b. 7 Sep 1720 Paramus  
 bp. 18 Oct 1720 Ramapo (NY Luth Ch)  
 d. about 1794<sup>1</sup>

**Catrina Slot** (Sloat)  
 dau. of Jacobus Slot &  
 Mary Demarest  
 b. on the Thienold  
 bp. 30 July 1718 Hackensack Ref Ch  
 d.

Both lived at Pompton at the time their marriage banns were posted. On 9 Dec 1752 Joost Beem and Catrina Beem were received into the Pompton Plains Dutch Church on confession of faith.

“Jost Beam, Esqr.” is listed in the Franklin Township Rateables for 1778 and Jan-Feb 1779 with (1778) 110 acres, 5 horses, 11 cattle, 5 hogs and 1 single man who works for hire (in 1779 14 horses and cattle, no single man).

He was a captain in the Bergen Co. militia.

In his will dated 16 Jan 1797, pr 22 May 1797 Joost Beam of Franklin Twsp., Bergen Co., named sons Anthony (land adjacent to testator's brothers Coenradt and Abraham), Jacobus, and John; and five daus., Margaret, Mary, Sarah, Agnes, and Eve. Executors named were Abraham Lines, Peter Slott, and James Beams. Witnesses were Abraham A. Beam, John A. Beam, and John Collins.

---children of Johann Jost Beam & Catrina Slot:

- **Maria Beam**, bp. Dec 1742 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Petrus Slot & Maria); d.y.
- **Margaretha Beam**, bp. 25 Dec 1744 Pompton Plains (wit: Anthony Beem & Mary); m. 15 Dec 1770:  
 Abraham Lyn (Lines; Lyons) “of Wynocke.”<sup>1</sup>
- **Catharina Beam**, bp. 14 Sep 1746 Pompton Plains (wit: Koenradt Beem & Tryntje Beem); d. 4 June 1770<sup>2</sup>; m. 16 Sep 1769 **Jacob Parleman**. He lived at Smith's Clove, Orange Co., NY.<sup>1</sup>
- **Maria Beam**, b. 12 July 1750; bp. 5 Aug 1750 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Petrus Slot & Maria); m. 30 May 1784<sup>2</sup>  
**Bernardus Verbryck**, son of Rev. Bernardus Verbryck of Tappan, NY.<sup>1</sup>
- **Eva Beam**, bp. 1751<sup>1</sup>; m. 28 Nov 1782<sup>2</sup> **Conrad Lyne** (Lyons) of Wynoke.<sup>1</sup>
- **Anthony Beam**, b. 21 June 1753; bp. 15 July 1753 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Anthonie Beam & Margriet); m. 2 Feb 1783<sup>2</sup> **Catherine Bush**, dau. of Samuel Bush & Rebecca Tebow<sup>2</sup>.
- **Jacobus Beam**, b. 12 Nov 1755; bp. 7 Dec 1755 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Beem & Sara); m. (1) 1780, **Rachel Van Voorhees**; m. (2) 1790 **Adriana Hopper**
- **Johannes Beam**, b. 22 April 1757; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Slotd & Christyntje); m. 21 Sep 1783<sup>2</sup>  
**Sarah Bush**, dau. of Samuel Bush<sup>2</sup>.
- **Angenietje Beam** (Agnes), bp. 7 Oct 1759 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: John & Angenietje Baterom); m. 10 May 1785<sup>2</sup>  
**Abraham Van Voorhees** of Wyckoff.<sup>1</sup>
- **Sarah Beam**, m. 22 March 1772<sup>2</sup> **Peter Slot** (Dieter Slot<sup>2</sup>).

Sources:

[1] Munsell's *American Ancestry*, Vol. VIII, 1893, p. 135

[2] O'Leary, Philip, III. "Genealogical Abstracts of Revolutionary War Pensions of Residents of Bergen County, NJ" in *The Archivist*, the quarterly publication of the Genealogical Society of Bergen County (NJ) (beginning August 1996 issue);

"New Jersey Rateables: Franklin Township 1778 & 1779" in *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, Jan 1966, p. 24; "The Beem (Beam) Family of Bergen County, N.J." by Mrs. Dayton Royle, in *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, May 1968, p. 90; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack [Bergen Co., NJ]...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

**Beam, John**

John Beam m. 21 Sep 1783  
 son of Johann Jost Beam (Joseph) &  
 Catrina Slot  
 b. 22 April 1757<sup>2</sup> Pompton, Bergen Co., NJ  
 bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch  
 d. 4 Dec 1838<sup>2</sup>  
 buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, Passaic Co., NJ<sup>2</sup>

**Sarah Bush**  
 dau. of Samuel Bush &  
 b. 4 May 1760<sup>2</sup>  
 bp.  
 d. 22 May 1848<sup>2</sup>  
 buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes<sup>2</sup>

John Beam of Pompton Twp., Bergen Co., NJ was a Pvt., NJ Militia in the Revolutionary War. He applied for Revolutionary War Pension No. W785. At the Bergen Co., NJ Common Pleas Court, 27 Sep 1833, John Beam, age 76yrs., of Pompton Twp., Bergen Co., NJ; b. 22 Apr 1757 at Pompton, d. 04 Dec 1838, record in father's family bible. Passaic Co., NJ Common Pleas Court, 27 Oct 1840, Sara Beam, age 80 yrs., of Pompton, widow of John Beam, m. 21 Sep 1783.

On 14 November 1802 (recorded 28 March 1804, Bergen Co. S:26) Theunis Ryerson of Bergen County, conveyed to John Beam of Pompton Township, for \$100.20, a 50-4/100 acre, strict measure, plot of land in the Township of Pompton, where a small brook that leads from Beams High Mountain and empties into a Brook called Deep Brook, also being the 4th of a Lot belonging to Peter Slott recorded Book S14, p. 168 at Perth Amboy. Signed by Theunis Ryerson. Witnessed by Abraham Line, Junr., Polly Ryerson.<sup>3</sup>

---children of John Beam & Sarah Bush:

- **Joost Beem** (Joseph J. Beam), b. 23 July 1788; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Joost Beem, Catriena Beem) (no mother's name in bp, record); m. **Catharine Bartolph**, dau. of David Bartholf & Caty Storms. He was age 52 as of 26 Oct 1840 and of Pompton, Passaic Co., NJ. He probably had children: John J., of Passaic Co., NJ as of 20 Oct 1851; and David B., of Passaic Co., NJ as of 20 Oct 1851<sup>1</sup>.

---Sources:

- [1] O'Leary, Philip, III, "Genealogical Abstracts of Revolutionary War Pensions of Residents of Bergen County, NJ" in *The Archivist*, the quarterly publication of the Genealogical Society of Bergen County (NJ) (beginning August 1996 issue);
- [2] Tombstone Photos Online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, NJ: John Beam and Sarah Bush his wife, sharing a stone; tombstone photo posted online);
- [3] Bergen County, NJ Deeds, at Bergen Co., Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs, Hackensack, NJ, abstracted by Patricia A. Wardell; Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

**Beam, Johannes C.**

Johannes C. Beam  
son of Conrad Beam &  
Margrietje Mead  
b. 22 March 1767<sup>1</sup>

m. about 18 Dec 1794  
Pompton Plains Ref Ch

**Jane Berdan** (Bordan)  
dau. of

bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch  
d. 17 Nov 1824<sup>1</sup> (7 Nov 1821, age 57.7.16<sup>2</sup>)  
buried Pompton Ref Chyd

b. 21 April 1773<sup>1</sup>  
bp.  
d. 26 Sep 1854<sup>1</sup> ae 81.5.5<sup>2</sup>  
buried Pompton Ref Chyd

Anthony S. Beam, 45, farmer, was listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with him were: Jane, 77; Margaret, 50; Susan, 40; Catherine A., 35. Also listed living with them, but a separate family, were: Elizabeth Waters, 50; Isaac Waters, 18, laborer; Mary, 16; and Daniel, 13.

---children of Johannes C. Beam & Jane Berdan:

- **Conrad Beam**, b. 3 March 1795; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); d. 18 Dec 1831; m. about 1818 **Maria Hurst** of Baltimore, MD.<sup>1</sup>
- **Margaret Beam**, b. 26 Jan 1798; bp. 25 Feb 1798 NYC Ref Ch (no wit); d. unmarried.<sup>1</sup>
- **John V. Beam**, b. 30 Dec 1800; d. 6 May 1874; buried Pompton Ref Chyd; m. (1) 7 Jan 1826 **Charlotte Clark**, dau. of William Clerk of NY (she buried Pompton Ref Chyd); m. (2) 27 Jan 1846 **Catherine Duce**, of Orange Co., NY. He acquired wealth in the grocery business in NY and built a mansion at Pompton, NJ.<sup>1</sup>
- **Maria Beam**, b. 28 Sep 1803<sup>1</sup>
- **Anthony Beam** (twin), b. 8 Feb 1805<sup>1</sup>; d. 26 May 1886<sup>3</sup>; buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, Passaic Co., NJ<sup>3</sup>
- **David Beam** (twin), b. 8 Feb 1805; d. 16 Dec 1831.<sup>1</sup>
- **Eleanor Beam**, b. 3 May 1807; m. 12 Feb 1834 **Calvin McCarty**.<sup>1</sup>
- **Susanna Beam**, b. 8 Dec 1809; bp. 23 Jan 1810 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); d. 13 Oct 1885<sup>3</sup>; buried (as Susan Beam) Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, Passaic Co., NJ<sup>3</sup>
- **Jane Beam**, b. 17 Apr 1812<sup>1</sup>; d. 27 Oct 1889<sup>3</sup>; buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, Passaic Co., NJ<sup>3</sup>
- **Caty Beam**, b. 11 March 1815<sup>1</sup>

---Sources:

- [1] Munsell's *American Ancestry*, Vol VIII, 1893, p. 136;
- [2] Stapler, Mead, *Dust to Dust: Lost and Forgotten Graveyards in the New Jersey Highlands*, North Jersey Highland Historical Society, 1996, p. 11;
- [3] Tombstone photos posted online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, NJ: Anthony Beam; Jane Beam; Susan Beam; tombstone photos posted online);  
1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, District No. 17 (taken July-August 1850 by Wm. W. Colfax), Dwelling 209, families 212 and 213; Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest); *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City]*, 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III)

**Beam, Johannes A.**

Johannes A. Beam  
son of Abraham Beam &  
Sarah Mead  
b. 12 April 1767<sup>1</sup>

m.

**Rebecca Bush**  
dau. of

He lived on the Beam homestead.

b.

She may be the Rebecca Beam, 80, who is listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ, with the family of John Christie Bush, 33 and his wife Rachel Ann Wanamaker, 26, and their family.

---children of Johannis A. Beam & Rebecca Bush:

- **Joost Beam**, b. 23 Jan 1788<sup>1</sup>
- **Abraham Beam**, b. 15 Feb 1794, bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Lena Beam**, b. 20 Dec 1795; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Sara Beam**, b. 22 May 1798; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Samuel Beam**, b. 15 Aug 1801; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch
- **John Beam**, b. 21 Jan 1805; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Margaret Beam**, b. 1 March 1809; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Peter Beam**, b. 22 Oct 1810; bp. 20 Jan 1811 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources:

- [1] Sources: Munsell's *American Ancestry*, Vol VIII, 1893, p. 137;  
*Genealogies of New Jersey Families*, Volume I, The Beem (Beam) Family of Bergen County, N.J. (online at Genealogy.com), p. 130; Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

**Beam, John**

John Beam m. 5 June 1808 **Eleanor Lines**  
 son of Pompton Plains Ref Ch dau. of  
 ---Sources: Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

**Beam, John Demarest**

John Demarest Beam m. 20 Aug 1832 **Sarah Beam**  
 son of Anthony C. Beam & dau. of Johannes Beam &  
 Vrouwtje Demarest Rebecca Bush  
 b. 11 March 1794 b. 22 May 1798  
 bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch  
 d. 8 Jan 1861 d.  
 buried 1st Presby. Chyd Newark, Essex Co., NJ buried  
---children of John Demarest Beam & Sarah Beam:  
 • **James Bertholf Beam**, b. 11 Nov 1817; d. 14 July 1819  
 • **Isaiah Beam**, b. 16 Dec 1819; m. **Emma Morrison**  
 • **Peter Mead Beam**, b. 24 Dec 1820; m. **Louisa Dolbeer**  
 • **Rebecca Beam**, b. 22 Feb 1822; d. 14 June 1843  
 • **Anthony C. Beam**, b. 24 May 1823; m. **Elizabeth B. Dolbeer**  
 • **John Edward Beam**, b. 5 July 1825; m. **Sarah E. Swallow**  
 • **Sarah Beam**, b. 14 Dec 1826; m. **John Cross**  
 • **Simon D. Beam**, b. 27 Dec 1828; d. 18 Dec 1846  
 • **Benjamin C. Beam**, b. 18 Nov 1831; m. **Anna Mead**  
 • **Abraham Beam** (twin), b. about 1835; d. 26 April 1835  
 • **Daniel A. Beam** (twin), b. about 1835; m. **Martha B. English**  
 ---Sources: Information Oct 2010 from Pamela J. Sears, , 11483 Hessler #6, Cleveland, OH 44106. <Pjsears@stratos.net>

**Beam, John**

John Beam m. 19 Sep 1832 **Lydia A. Carman**  
 son of dau. of  
 b. 14 Aug 1809 b.  
 d. 7 Sep 1866 d.  
---children of John Beam & Lydia A. Carman:  
 • **Sarah Louisa Beam**, d. 16 Sep 1835  
 • **Catharine Frances Beam**,  
 • **Adelia Beam**, d. 15 May 1845  
 • **John Mead Beam**, d. 24 Dec 1875  
 • **Virginia Beam**  
 • **Emma Beam**  
 • **Adella Beam**  
 ---Sources: Warner, Peter Roome, Descendants of Peter Willemse Roome, New York: David H. Gildersleeve, n.d. (c. 1883), p. 10;

**Beam, John J.**

John J. Beam m. 7 Jan 1842 **Sophonra H. Beam**  
 son of Joseph J. Beam & Pompton, Passaic Co., NJ dau. of Peter Mead Beam &  
 Catherine Bartolph Sophronia Hennion  
 b. 4 Jan 1813<sup>1</sup> b. 7 Sep 1819<sup>1</sup>  
 d. 26 Sep 1857<sup>1</sup> d. 17 Dec 1878 aged 60 yrs<sup>1</sup>  
 buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, Passaic Co., NJ<sup>1</sup> buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes<sup>1</sup>  
 ---Sources:  
 [1] Tombstone photos posted online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, NJ: Joseph I. Beam and Catharine Bartolph his wife, sharing a stone; John J. Beam and Sophronia H. Beam, his wife, sharing a stone; tombstone photos posted online)

**Beam, John Edward**

John Edward Beam m. **Sarah E. Swallow**  
 son of John Demarest Beam & dau. of  
 Sarah Beam b. about 1826  
 b. 5 July 1825  
 In 1850 they were living in Enon, Clark Co., OH where he was a jeweler.  
 By 1860 they were living in Newark, Essex Co., NJ, where he was a jeweler.  
---children of John Edward Beam & Sarah E. Swallow:  
 • **Mary E. Beam**, b. about 1848 NY  
 • **Sarah E. Beam**, b. Sep 1849 OH

• **John Beam**, b. about 1853

---Sources: Information Oct 2010 from Pamela J. Sears, , 11483 Hessler #6, Cleveland, OH 44106. <Pjsears@stratos.net>

**Beam, John R.**

John R. Beam  
son of David B. Beam &  
Jane Statt

m. about 1879

**Carrie Swinburne Cooke**

dau. of John Cooke &  
Sarah A. Swinburne

b. 19 Dec 1850 Paterson, Passaic Co., NJ  
d. 4 July 1903 Paterson, Passaic Co., NJ

b. 10 Feb 1854 Paterson, Passaic Co., NJ  
d. 26 Dec 1929

They were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Paterson, enumerated 9 June 1880 -- John Cooke, 56, Manfr of Locomotives, b. Canada; Sarah A. Cooke, 52, Keeping House, b. NY; John S. Cooke, Son, 24, Draftsman, b. NJ; Fred W. Cooke, Son, age 20, Student, b. NJ; Chris? D. Cooke, Son, age 15, at School, b. NJ; John R. Beam, 29, Son-in-Law, Lawyer, b. NJ; Carrie S. Beam, Dau, age 26, Boarding; Edward K. Beam, Gr-Son, age 1 month [May].

They were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Paterson Ward 4, District 133, p. 3, enumerated 4 June 1900, 390 Broadway, Dwelling 21, Family 22 -- Beam, John R., Head, b. Dec 1850, age 49, married 21 yrs., b. NJ, his parents b. NJ, Lawyer; [Beam], Carrie T., Wife, b. July 1854, age 46, married 21 yrs., mother of 3 children, 3 children then living, b. NJ, her parents b. NY; [Beam], Edward B., Son, b. May 1880, age 20, Single, b. NJ, Student - Princeton; [Beam], John C., Son, b. Dec 1887, age 12, b. NJ, at school; [Beam], William B., Son, b. April 1890, age 10, b. NJ, at school; Gustafsen, Annie, Cook, b. Nov 1876, 23, Single, b. Sweden.

---*children of John R. Beam & Carrie S. Cooke:*

• **Edward Babcock Beam**, b. 12 May 1880; m. **Bertha Walder**

• **John Cooke Beam**, b. 12 Dec 1887 Paterson, Passaic Co., NJ; d. 26 Nov 1960 VA; m. **Catherine -?-**

• **William B. Beam**, b. April 1890; d. March 1955

---Sources: Family Tree posted online at Ancestry.com;

**Beam, Joseph**

Joseph Beam  
son of

m. 20 Aug 1806

**Sarah Ryerson**

dau. of Ryer Ryerson &  
Elizabeth Bartholf

b.  
d.

b. 6 Sep 1778  
d. 3 Dec 1821

They lived at Hackensack

---*children of Joseph Beam & Sarah Ryerson:*

• **Abraham Ryerson Beam**, b. 15 Oct 1807; m. (1) -?-; m. (2) -?-

• **John Beam**, b. 14 Aug 1809; m. 19 Sep 1832 **Lydia H. Carman**

• **Gilliam Beam**, b. 9 Mar 1812; bp. 12 April 1812 Hackensack Ref Ch (no wit); m. **Louisa F. Schenck**

• **Henry Beam**, b. 8 Nov 1814; bp. 1 Jan 1815 Hackensack Ref Ch (no wit); d. 2 Jan 1815

• **Elizabeth Beam**, b. 26 Mar 1816; bp. 5 May 1816 Hackensack Ref Ch (no wit); d. 30 Sep 1816

• **William Beam**, b. 29 Jan 1818; bp. 1 March 1818 Hackensack Ref Ch (no wit); d. 29 July 1818

• **Maria Beam**, b. 20 Sep 1819; bp. 10 Oct 1819 Hackensack Ref Ch (no wit); d. 2 Oct 1820

---Sources: Ryerson, Albert Winslow, *The Ryerson Genealogy*, 1916, p. 56; Ackerman, Herbert Stewart, and Arthur J. Goff, *Hackensack Reformed Church Records, 1801-1886*, Copied from Book Number Two of Records, 1943 [facsimile reprint published 1996 by Bergen Historic Books]

**Beam, Joseph** (Joost; Joseph I. Beam, ts)

Joseph Beam  
son of John Beam &  
Sarah Bush

m.

**Catherine Bartolph**

dau. of David Bartholf &  
Caty Storms

b. 21 July 1788<sup>1</sup>  
d. 30 July 1860<sup>1</sup>

b. 11 Aug 1796<sup>1</sup>  
d. 21 Jan 1864<sup>1</sup>

buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, Passaic Co., NJ<sup>1</sup>

buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes<sup>1</sup>

He probably had children: John J., of Passaic Co., NJ as of 20 Oct 1851; and David B., of Passaic Co., NJ as of 20 Oct 1851.<sup>2</sup>

Joseph P. Beam, 61, farmer, and Catherine, 54, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: John J., 37, farmer; Sophronia, 39; Sarah, 7; David, 4; and John Bell, 54, shoemaker; Judson [A.?] Ackerson, 10; Eliza Johnson, 24, black.

---*children of Joseph J. Beam & Catherine Bartolph:*

• **John J. Beam**, b. 4 Jan 1813; d. 26 Sep 1857<sup>1</sup>; buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, Passaic Co., NJ<sup>1</sup>; m. (prob)

**Sophronia H. Beam**, dau of Peter Mead Beam & Sophronia Hennion. Sophronia H. Beam was b. about 1818; d. 17 Dec 1878 aged 60 yrs<sup>1</sup>, buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, Passaic Co., NJ<sup>1</sup>.

• **David B. Beam**

---Sources:

[1] Tombstone photos posted online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, NJ: Joseph I. Beam and Catharine Bartolph his wife, sharing a stone; John J. Beam and Sophronia H. Beam, his wife, sharing a stone; tombstone photos posted online);

[2] O'Leary, Philip, III, "Genealogical Abstracts of Revolutionary War Pensions of Residents of Bergen County, NJ" in *The Archivist*, the quarterly publication of the Genealogical Society of Bergen County (NJ) (beginning August 1996 issue);

1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, District No. 17 (taken 27 July 1850 by Wm. W. Colfax)



**Beem, Joseph**

Joseph Beem  
son of

m.

**Susan Ver Bryck**

dau. of Bernardus Verbruyck &  
Maria Beem

b. 22 Jan 1789

bp. 15 Feb 1789 Hackensack Ref Ch

b.  
bp.

*---children of Joseph Beem & Susan Ver Bryck:*

• **Mary Ann Beem**, b. 14 Feb 1815; bp. 5 March 1815 Second River Ref Ch (wit: Bernardus Ver Bryck)

---Sources: Register of baptisms, births, marriages, membership of the Dutch Reformed Church at Second River, New Jersey, 1794-1848, Newark, N.J.: Nova Caesarea Chapter, D.A.R., 1929 (Online at HeritageQuest through Godfrey Library)

**Beam, Joost** (Col.) (Josiah)

Joost Beam  
son of Anthony Beam &  
Catharine Bush

b. 12 Nov 1784

d. 26 April 1860

He was of Pompton, NJ.<sup>1</sup>

Josiah Beam, 64, farmer, was listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with him were: James B. Beam, 34, farmer; Rebecca Beam, 15; Peter G. Beam, 14; Charles Smith, 43, laborer; Martha Fulton, 40, Mulatto; and Lewis Fulton, 6, Mulatto.

*---children of Joost/Josiah Beam & Rebecca Beam:*

• **Anthony Beam**, b. 5 Aug 1811; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); d. 12 Feb 1890<sup>2</sup>; buried Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, Passaic Co., NJ<sup>2</sup>; m. **Louisa Luck**<sup>1</sup>

• **James Bertholf Beam**, b. 14 Oct 1815; m. (1) 6 May 1852 **Sally Ann Swan** (Sarah) of Orange Co., NY; m. (2) 18 Aug 1857

**Mary Ellen Perry** (widow of -?- Spencer).

---Sources:

[1] Munsell's *American Ancestry*, Vol. VIII, 1893, p. 135;

[2] Tombstone Photos online at <<http://www.findagrave.com/>> (Pompton Ref Ch Cem, Pompton Lakes, NJ: Anthony Beam; tombstone photo posted online); 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, District No. 17 (taken July-August 1850 by Wm. W. Colfax), Dwelling 124, family 125; Warner, Peter Roome, *Descendants of Peter Willemse Roome*, New York: David H. Gildersleeve, n.d. (c. 1883), p. 12; Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210; records of Montville, pages 211-258; typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

**Beam, Juriaan** (Yuriaan; Jury)

Juriaan Beam  
son of

m. 14 Nov 1719  
Kingston Ref Ch

(banns 25 Oct

Kingston Ref Ch)

**Elisabeth Adam Herten** (Hertel)

dau. of

b. Germany

b. Germany

In the Kingston Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Jury Beem, j.m., born in Hoog-duytsland [Germany], and Elisabeth Hertel, j.d., born in Hoog-duyts-land [Germany], and both now resid. under the jurisdiction of Kingstown.

*---children of Juriaan Beam & Elisabeth Adam Herten:*

• **Hendrik Beam**, bp. 25 Sep 1720 Kingston Ref Ch (wit: Hendrik Beam, Apolonia Schoole)

• **Adam Beem**, bp. 9 Dec 1722 Kingston Ref Ch (wit: Adam Herten, Geertruy Smit)

• **Willem Beem**, bp. 1 March 1724 Kingston Ref Ch (wit: Willem Douty, Nenny Beem)

---Sources: Hoes, Roswell Randall, *Baptismal and Marriage Registers of the Old Dutch Church of Kingston...*, 1891 (reprinted [no date] Higginson Book Co.)

**Beam, Lewis**

Lewis Beam  
son of

m. 28 Nov 1835  
Ponds Ref Church

**Elizabeth Auten**

dau. of

---Sources: Westervelt, Frances A., *Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records*, 1929, Ponds Church, p. 79

**Beam, Martin Ryerson**

Martin Ryerson Beam  
son of Anthony C. Beam &  
Vrouwtje Demarest

b. 6 Aug 1803

bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch

m. (1)

**Johanna Kingsland**

dau. of

b.

bp.

**Rachel Bertholf**

b. 1803

**Susan Kreps**

b. 1813

**Maria Styles**

m. (2)

m. (3)

m. (4)

In 1850 they livd in NYC, Ward 16, Dist 2; he was a carman. In 1860 They were in the 12th Ward, NYC' he was a book

keeper.

*---children of Martin Ryerson Beam & (1) Johanna Kingsland:*

• **Nathaniel B. Beam**, b. 1830; m. **Jennie Buchanan**, dau. of -?- Buchanan & Jane -?-. Jennie Buchanan was b. about 1834. He lived in NYC, where he was a painter.

• **Selina Beam**, m. **Robert Milliken**

*---children of Martin Ryerson Beam & (2) Rachel Bertholf:*

• **James B. Beam**, b. 1832; m. **Elizabeth Kreps**. He lived in NYC where he was a sash & blind maker

• **Anthony C. Beam**, b. 1835; d. in infancy

• **Anthony Conrad Beam**, b. 1835; m. **Julia Tuthill**

• **Sophonra Beam**, b. 1838; m. **James R. Dyke**

• **Rachel Beam**, b. 1840; m. (1) **William Hogencamp**; m. (2) **James Steel**

• **Mary E. Beam**, b. 1844; m. **Charles H. Cochran**

---Sources: Warner, Peter Roome, *Descendants of Peter Willemsse Roome*, New York: David H. Gildersleeve, n.d. (c. 1883), p. 13; Information Oct 2010 from Pamela J. Sears, , 11483 Hessler #6, Cleveland, OH 44106. <Pjssears@stratos.net>

**Beam, Moses** (Beam)

Moses Beam  
son of Henry Beam &

m. 10 July 1813  
Paramus Ref Ch

**Jane Banta**  
dau. of John D. Banta &  
Rachel Van Horn  
b. 5 July 1791

b. 17 Mar 1792

*---children of Moses Beam & Jane Banta:*

• **Elizabeth Smith Beam**, b. 6 Feb 1814; bp. 27 March 1814 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

• **Rachel Van Horn Beam**, b. 10 Dec 1816; bp. 26 Jan 1817 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

• **Henry Beam**, b. 30 Jan 1818; bp. 20 March 1818 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

• **John Banta Beam**, b. 5 Sep 1820; bp. 24 Sep 1820 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

• **Jane Beam**, b. 16 Dec 1823; bp. 19 July 1829 Kingston Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Jemima Selina Beam** (twin), b. 10 May 1828; bp. 19 July 1829 Kingston Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Maria Louise Beam** (twin), b. 10 May 1828; bp. 19 July 1829 Kingston Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Westervelt, Frances A., *Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929*, Paramus, p. 72; "The Beam (Beam) Family of Bergen County, N.J." by Mrs. Dayton Royse, in *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, May 1968, p. 95; Banta, Theodore M., *A Frisian Family: The Banta Genealogy*, 1893, p. 103 (#1716 Jane Banta); Burnett, Louise Howes, *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church...Records of Old South Church...to 1912*, transcribed Aug 1970; printed [c. 1998?] by Bergen Historic Books; Ackerman, Herbert S. and Arthur J. Goff, *Paramus Reformed Dutch Church Records (Marriages 1799-1900; Baptisms 1851-1900)*, 1944, typescript printed [1998?] by Bergen Historic Books; Roney, Lila James, *Baptisms of the old Dutch Church of Kingston, New York, 1810-1877*, unknown, 1942 (online at HeritageQuest through Godfrey Library)

**Beam, Pieter**

Pieter Beam  
son of Abraham Mead &  
Sarah Mead

m.

**Maria Debow**  
dau. of

b. about 1760<sup>1</sup>

b.

*---children of Pieter Beam & Maria Debow:*

• **Abraham Beam**, b. 8 Nov 1780; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit); m. **Nancy Basteedah**<sup>1</sup>

• **Geesie Beam**, b. 13 May 1783<sup>1</sup>; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Paulus Deboog & Geesje Deboog)

• **Jannetje Beam**, b. 30 Jan 1785<sup>1</sup>; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: John Debow & Jannitje Debow)

• **Paulus Beam** (Powlus), b. 17 Sep 1787<sup>1</sup>; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Paulus Deboog & Cathalyntje Deboog)

• **Sarah Beam**, b. 7 Oct 1789<sup>1</sup>; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Gerrit**, b. 30 Oct 1791; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Hendricus Beam**, b. 8 Dec 1793<sup>1</sup>

• **Cathalyntie Beam**, b. 9 May 1796; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Johannis Beam**, b. 2 Jan 1799; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources:

[1] Sources: Munsell's *American Ancestry*, Vol VIII, 1893, p. 137  
*Genealogies of New Jersey Families*, Volume I, The Beam (Beam) Family of Bergen County, N.J. (online at Genealogy.com), p. 129; Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : typescript, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

**Beams, Peter**

Peter Beams  
son of

m. 22 Feb 1801  
NYC Ref Ch

**Elizabeth Pulis**  
dau. of

---Sources: *Marriages from 1639 to 1801 in the Reformed Dutch Church, New Amsterdam-New York City*, 1940 (Vol. IX of Collections of the New York Genealogical & Biographical Society), reprinted 1997 by Heritage Books

**Beam, Peter Mead**

Peter Mead Beam  
son of Anthony C. Beam &  
Vrouwtje Demarest

m. 3 June 1816

**Sophonra Hennion** (Fanny)  
dau. of

b. 7 March 1792

b.

d. 24 Sep 1864

d.

---children of Peter Mead Beam & Sophronia Hennion:

- **Sophronia H. Beam**, b. 7 Sep 1819; m. **John J. Beam**
- **Margaret Ann Beam**, m. **Charles Sigler**
- **Jane B. Beam**, m. 11 June 1851 Wynoche, NJ (Pompton Passaic Co., NJ), **Moses T. Sigler**, son of James M. Sigler & Gertrude -?-

---Sources: Sawyer, Ray C., *New Jersey Marriages, as published in the Christian Intelligencer of the Reformed Dutch Church from 1830 to 1871*, Vols. 1 & 2, pub. 1932-1933 (reprinted 1998 in one vol., by Bergen Historic Books); Warner, Peter Roome, *Descendants of Peter Willemsse Roome*, New York: David H. Gildersleeve, n.d. (c. 1883), p. 12

**Beam, Peter Mead**

Peter Mead Beam  
son of John Demarest Beam &  
Sarah Beam  
b. 24 Dec 1820  
d. 7 Nov 1907

m.

**Maria Louisa Dolbeer**

dau. of  
b. 25 Feb 1825  
d. 6 Oct 1906

In 1850-1880 They were living in Newark, Essex Co., NJ, where he was a carpenter and later a sash & blind maker.

---children of Peter Mead Beam & Mary Louisa Dolbeer:

- **May Rebecca Beam**, b. about 1852
- **Isaiah Willard Beam**, b. about 1855
- **Amelia Beam**, b. about 1862

---Sources: Information Oct 2010 from Pamela J. Sears, , 11483 Hessler #6, Cleveland, OH 44106. <Pjsears@stratos.net>

**Beam, Peter Mead**

Peter Mead Beam  
son of Conrad Beam &  
Ann Ryerson  
b. 15 April 1823 NJ

m. about 1849

**Mary Elizabeth Van Orden**

dau. of  
b. about 1827 NY

---children of Peter Mead Beam & Mary Elizabeth Van Orden:

- **Emma Augusta Beam**, b. 10 Aug 1853; bp, Pompton Plains Ref Ch

---Sources: Information Oct 2010 from Pamela J. Sears, , 11483 Hessler #6, Cleveland, OH 44106. <Pjsears@stratos.net>

**Beam, Peter G.**

Peter G. Beam  
son of

m. 31 Dec 1857  
Hackensack Ref Ch, by  
Rev. Alexander H. Warner

**Mary Elizabeth Brouwer**

dau. of Daniel V. Brouwer &

At the time of their marriage, he was of NYC and she was of English Neighborhood, Bergen Co., NJ.

---Sources: Sawyer, Ray C., *New Jersey Marriages, as published in the Christian Intelligencer of the Reformed Dutch Church from 1830 to 1871*, Vols. 1 & 2, pub. 1932-1933 (reprinted 1998 in one vol., by Bergen Historic Books)

**Beam, Simon Demaray** (Simon Demarest Beam)

Simon Demaray Beam  
son of Anthony C. Beam &  
Vrouwkje Demarest  
b. 7 Feb 1808  
bp, Pompton Plains Ref Ch  
d. 4 March 1850

m. 7 Jan 1839

**Catharine Ann Lyons** (Lynes)

dau. of  
b. 1816  
bp.  
d.

---children of Simon Demaray Beam & Catharine Ann Lyons:

- **Sophronia Beam**, b. 1 June 1839; m. 24 May 1865 Pompton, Passaic Co., NJ, **Warren Fellows**. Warren Fellows was b. about 1830.
- **Simon Demaray Beam**, b. 9 Feb 1841; m. 31 March 1860 Paterson, Passaic Co., NJ, **Catharine Brown**. Catharine Brown was b. about 1840.
- **Anthony C. Beam**, b. 26 March 1843; d. 15 May 1863

---Sources: Warner, Peter Roome, *Descendants of Peter Willemsse Roome*, New York: David H. Gildersleeve, n.d. (c. 1883), p. 13

**Beam, William H.**

William H. Beam  
son of Conrad Beam &  
Ann Ryerson  
b. 22 Dec 1839 NJ  
d.

m. (1) 30 April 1870

**Margaret Bogaert** (Bogart)

dau. of  
b. 21 Oct 1843 NJ  
d. 8 Feb 1897

m. (2) 1897

**Elizabeth Myers**  
dau. of (prob) William Meyers &  
Margaret  
b. Dec 1872 NJ

They were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Morris Co., Pequannock Township, District 128, p. 33, enumerated 18 June 1880, Dwelling 340, Family 384 (all b. NJ, all their parents b. NJ) -- Beam, William H., 40, Farmer; [Beam], Maggie, 36, Wife; [Beam], Charle B., 9, Son; [Beam], Samuel B., 2, Son; Bogert, E. Jennie, 20, sister-in-law, Single, House Keeper; Vreeland, George, 16, Laborer.

They were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Morris Co., Pequannoc Township, District 73, p. 10, enumerated 9 June 1900, Dwelling 98, Family 99 -- Beam, William H., Head, b. Dec 1839, age 60, married 3 yrs., b. NJ, his parents b. NJ, Farmer, owned home; [Beam], Elizabeth, Wife, b. Dec 1872, age 27, married 3 yrs., mother of 1 child, 1 child then living, b. NJ, her father b. Germany, her mother b. Ireland; [Beam], Charlotte, Daughter, b. July 1898, age 1, b. NJ; Howard, Ruben, Servant, Black, b. Jan 1879, age 21, Single, b. NY, his parents b. VA, Farm Labor. They were listed just after the family headed by William (age 53, b. Germany) & Margaret (age 51, b. Ireland) Meyers.

---children of William H. Beam & (1) Margaret Bogaert:

- **Charles B. Beam**, b. 19 May 1871
- **James B. Beam**, b. 2 May 1877 Pompton Plains, Morris Co., NJ; poss. d.y. (not listed in 1880 census)
- **Samuel B. Beam**, b. 1878

---children of William H. Beam & (2) Elizabeth Myers:

- **Charlotte Beam**, b. July 1898 NJ
- **Ella May Beam**, b. about 1903 NJ

---Sources: Information Oct 2010 from Pamela J. Sears, , 11483 Hessler #6, Cleveland, OH 44106. <Pjsears@stratos.net>

### **Unplaced Beam Women:**

**Ann Beam**, m. 9 Nov 1830 Second Ref Ch, Paterson, NJ, **Charles E. Sherwood**

**Catharine Beam** (Christina), m. 4 Jan 1838 1st Ref Ch Hackensack, by Alexander H. Warner, **James B. Westervelt**, son of Benjamin Westervelt & Maria Ackerman