

-- BENEDICT --

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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Benedict, Amos (Benedick)

Amos Benedict m. -?-

---children of Amos Benedict &

- **Solomon Benedick**, bp. 9 Aug 1752 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Amos Benedict**, bp. 27 Oct 1754 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Jacob Benedict**, bp. 20 Feb 1757 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Jonah Benedict**, bp. 20 March 1759 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record); apparently d.y.
- **Martha Benedict**, bp. 11 May 1760 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Jonah Benedict**, bp. 5 Dec 1762 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Rachel Benedict**, bp. 1 Sep 1765 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Hannah Benedict**, bp. 23 Sep 1770 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources: Baptisms of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-baptisms.html>>

Benedict, Benjamin (Lieut.? Capt.)

Benjamin Benedict m. 17 March 1775

son of Caleb Benedict &

Mehitable Hoyt

b. 21 Oct 1755 New Canaan, CT

d. 17 Oct 1832 Patterson, Putnam Co., NY

Elizabeth Gilbert¹

dau. of Abijah Gilbert &

Rebecca Brush

b.

d. 25 Nov 1838 South Salem, NY

buried Maple Ave. Cem., Patterson, Putnam Co., NY

buried Maple Ave. Cem, Patterson, NY

Captain Benjamin Benedict was born October 21, 1755, at New Canaan, Connecticut. He married Elizabeth Gilbert, daughter of Abijah Gilbert and Rebecca Brush. He and his family moved to South Salem, Westchester County, New York, (which is on the east side of the Hudson River) before 1776, and finally settled in Patterson, which is in the northeast corner of Putnam County, New York. Here he became a member of the Presbyterian church and held the office of Deacon for many years. Benjamin Benedict performed considerable service for the Westchester County, New York Militia in the Revolutionary War. He served at least one enlistment in the Continental Army in the campaign on 1777 on the northern frontier, but most of his service was in Westchester County, his residence. He lived near what was called "the lines" or neutral ground between the British Army in New York and the American armies in the interior. They were constantly in danger of raids by the British and the depredations of the "Cowboys" as they were called. He belonged to a company of organized militia called Minutemen, as they were required to be ready for action on a moments notice, and in this capacity did much service. He was a member of the guard over Major Andre during a portion of his confinement, trial and execution. Major Andre was General Clinton's Adjutant and was sent by Clinton to treat with Benedict Arnold for the surrender of West Point. Andre was captured by American Minutemen while going through the American lines on a pass given him by Arnold. Because he had a cape over his British uniform and because he was traveling under an assumed name on the pass, he was convicted of being a spy and was hanged in 1790. Benjamin was appointed an ensign on May 4, 1780. Benjamin was promoted to Captain on March 8, 1791. He died in Patterson, New York on October 17, 1832.²

---children of Benjamin Benedict & Elizabeth

- **Anna Benedict**, bp. 17 Aug 1777 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Stephen Benedict**, b. 19 Dec 1778 South Salem, Westchester Co., NY¹; bp. 31 Jan 1779 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's surname in bp. record); d. 27 Aug 1851¹; m. 1802, **Deborah Delavan**¹. Deborah Delavan was b. 25 Nov 1736¹.
- **Ruth Benedict**, bp. 26 Aug 1781 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record); apparently d.y.
- **Ruth Benedict**, bp. 14 Nov 1784 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Ellin Benedict** (Ellen), bp. 10 Feb 1788 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record; father's name: Lieut. Benj. Benedict)
- **Abijah Gilbert Benedict**, bp. 26 Dec 1790 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp., record)
- (poss) **Benjamin B. Benedict**², b. about 1800; d. 3 Oct 1872 in 72nd yr.; buried Maple Avenue Cemetery, Patterson, Putnam Co., NY; m. **Julia M. -?-**. Julia M. -?- d. 17 April 1863; buried Maple Avenue Cemetery, Patterson, Putnam Co., NY

---Sources:

- [1] U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Application 10 Nov 1960, for Joseph Lester Albertson, Jr., Attorney, New Rochelle, Westchester Co., NY, son of Joseph Lester Albertson & Ethel Sanford Martin, descendant of Benjamin Benedict;
 [2] Tombstone Inscriptions and photos posted online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>>, Maple Avenue Cemetery, Patterson, Putnam Co., NY (Benjamin Benedict and Elizabeth Gilbert, his wife, sharing a stone, with an SAR marker; Benjamin B. Benedict & Julia M., his wife, sharing a stone; tombstone photos posted online)
 Baptisms of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-baptisms.html>>

Benedict, Benjamin

Benjamin Beedict m. -?-

---children of Benjamin Benedict &

- **Son Benedict**, bp. 11 Oct 1801 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother;s name in bp. record)

---Sources: Baptisms of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-baptisms.html>>

Benedict, Daniel

Daniel Benedict m. **Mary**

Daniel Benedict and his wife, Mary, were admitted to membership in Christ Churchm South Salem, Westchester Co., NY, 19 April 1772.

---children of Daniel Benedict & Mary

- **Mina Benedict**, bp. 19 April 1772 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's surname in bp. record)
- **Anna Benedict**, bp. 14 Feb 1773 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources: Baptisms of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-baptisms.html>>; Members of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-members.html>>

Benedict, David

David Benedict m. **Elizabeth**
 b. about 1784 NY b. about 1788 NY

They were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, New York, Westchester Co., Lewisboro, p. 4, enumerated 9 Sep 1850, Dwelling 1322, Family 1681 (all b. NY) -- David Benedict, 66, Farmer, value real estate \$8000; Elizabeth [Benedict], 62; Terah? Elmore (male), 36; Jemima M. [Elmore], 36; Sarah Jane [Elmore], 6; Thomas Flinn, 10.

---children of David Benedict & Elizabethg

- (poss) **Jemima M. Benedict**; b. about 1814 NY; m. **Terah Elmore**

Benedict, Elliot S. (Elliot Stuart Benedict; Elliot Stewart Benedict)

Elliot S. Benedict m. 11 July 1899 **Catherine V. R. Bissell**

son of James H. Benedict &
Isabella

b. 22 March 1874 Tarrytown, Westchester Co., NY¹
d. 2 Oct 1959³

Elliot Stuart Benedict graduated from Harvard University.²

Ellot Stuart Benedict was a lawyer; he lived in 1924 at 144 East 56th Street, New York City.¹

They were listed in the 1900 Federal Census, New York, New York Co., Manhattan, District 788, p. 27, enumerated 9 June 1900, 57/53, Dwelling 115, Family 255 -- Benedict, Elliot, Head, b. Mch 1874, age 26, m. 1 yr, b. CT, his parents b. CT, Lawyer; [Benedict], Catherine, Wife, b. June 1876, age 23, married 1 yr, mother of 0 children, b. CT, her parents b. CT; Walter, Sarah, Servant, b. June 1863, age 37, married 15 yrs., mother of 1 child, b. England.

They traveled extensively, to Europe, France (1909), Nova Scotia (1903), Hawaii (in 1939), etc.

---Sources:

[1] U.S. Passport Application 30 June 1924, issued 4 July 1924, Record for Elliot Stuart Benedict (includes photos of Elliot S. & Catherine Benedict, online at Ancestry.com);

[2] Boston, Massachusetts, 1913 Harvard University Alumni Directory (Elliot Stuart Benedict), online at Ancestry.com;

[3] Elliot Stewart Benedict death notice in *The New York Times*, 4 Oct 1959;

[4] "R. H. Bissell Dear; Long in Wall St.; Former Head of the Brokerage Firm Bearing His Name Succumbs at 86" in *The New York Times*, 10 Sep 1934;

dau. of Rensselaer Havens Bissell &
Fredrika Belden⁴

b. 9 April 1876 Norwalk, CT¹
d.

Benedictm Enoch

Enoch Benedict

m.

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---*children of Enoch Benedict &*

• **Newborn Infant Benedict**, d. 19 Feb 1778

---Sources: Deaths of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-deaths.html>>

Benedict, Isaac

Isaac Benedict

m.

-?-

---*children of Isaac Benedict &*

• **Infant Benedict**, d. 24 May 1776 age 15 days

---Sources: Deaths of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-deaths.html>>

Benedict, Isaac

Isaac Benedict

b. about 1781 NY

He was listed in the 1850 Federal Census, New York, Westchester Co., Lewisboro, p. 19, enumerated 13 Sep 1850, Dwelling 1644, Family 1810 (all b. NY) -- Isaac Benedict, 69, value real estate \$4000; Darius [Benedict], 45, Farmer; Harriet [Benedict], 43; Laban Fuller, 18, Farmer.

---*children of Isaac Benedict &*

• (prob) **Darius Benedict**, m. **Harriet -?-**

Benedict, James

James Benedict

m. 1709

Sarah Hyatt

son of John Benedict &

dau. of Thomas Hyatt &

Phoebe Gregory

Mary

b. 5 Jan 1685

b.

d. 25 Nov 1762

d.

He was one of the original settlers of Ridgefield, CT.

---Sources: Reamy, Bill, *Pioneer Families of Orange County, New York*, 2007, online at Google Books, p. 9;

Benedict, James Lawrence

James Lawrence Benedict

m. 10 Sep 1846

Christina Grant Purdy

son of Joseph Benedict &

dau. of Isaac Purdy &

Betsey Brinkerhoff

b. 20 Nov 1814 North Salem, Westchester Co., NY

b. 1825¹

d. 1892¹

d. 1908¹

He lived in Cranford, NJ.

---*children of James Lawrence Benedict & Christiana Grant Purdy:*

• **Joshua Purdy Benedict**, b. 1847; m. 1877, **Phebe Elizabeth Sayre**. Phebe Elizabeth Sayre was b. 1846.¹

• **George Brinkerhoff Benedict**, b. 10 June 1857 Cranford, Union Co., NJ³

• **Horace Reid Benedict**, b. 1860; m. **Helen May Hume**. Helen May Hume was b. 1868; d. 1894.²

---Sources:

[1] U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Application Record for Hobart Lewis Benedict (of Elizabeth, NJ, Counselor at Law;

[2] U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Application Record 16 May 1917, for Thomas Hume Benedict, student, Roselle, NJ;

[3] U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Application Record, 2 Jan 1919, for George Brinkerhoff Benedict;

[4] U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Application Record, 25 April 1921, for Horace Guion Benedict, Roselle, NJ, son of Horace Reid Benedict;

Durfee, Calvin, *Williams Biographical Annals* [Williams College], 1871, online at Google Books, p. 480;

James H. Benedict (James Hoyt Benedict)

James H. Benedict m. (1) about 1852
 son of Seth Williston Benedict & Fanny Row
 b. 1 Aug 1830 Norwalk, Fairfield Co., CT
 d, before 2 July 1924

Sarah F.
 dau. of
 b. about 1835 CT
 d.

m. (2) **Isabella -?-**
 b. about 1844 MI

He was listed in the 1860 Federal Census, New York, New York Co., New York City, Ward 20, District 2, p. 185, enumerated 28 June 1860 [this census is very faded and nearly impossible to read] -- James H. Benedict, 29, b. CT; Alida Benedict, 8, b. NY; Leonard Benedict, 5, b. NY; James Beedict, 2, b. NY; Sarah F. Benedict, 25, b. CT; Charles N. Raymond, 17; Margaret Bitler, 22; Margaret Burgess, 24.

They were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, New York, Westchester Co., Greenburgh, Dobbs Ferry P.O., p. 139, enumerated 3 (or 30?) July 1870, Dwelling 737, Family 978 -- Benedict, James, 39, Banker, value real estate \$150,000, b. CT; [Benedict], Isabella, 27, K Hs, b. MissJ; [Benedict], Charles, 5, b. NY; [Benedict], Howard, 2, b. NY; [Benedict], Alida, 18, b. NY; [Benedict], Legrand, 15, b. NY; [Benedict], Henry, 12, b. NY; plus 4 domestic servants.

They were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, California, San Bernardino Co., Riverside, District 63, p. 10, enumerated 9 June 1880, Dwelling 73, Family 73 -- Benedict, James H., 48, Horticulturist, b. CT, his parents b. CT; [Benedict], Isabella, 36, Wife, House Keeping, b. Mich, her father b. NY; [Benedict], Elida, 26, Daughter, Single, at Home, b. NY; [Benedict], James H., 21, Son, Single, Horticulturist, b. NY; [Benedict], Chas. W., 15, Son, At school, b. NY; [Benedict], Howard R., 12, Son, At school, b. NY; [Benedict], Elliot S., 6, Son, b. NY; Benedict, E., 27, Sister, Single, Visitor, b. NY; plus a Chinese house servant, a farm hand and two boarders. They were living next to James' older sister, Anne Lockwood. His younger sister Emma was living with him.

---children of James H. Benedict & (1) Sarah

- **Elida Benedict** (Alida), b. about 1854 NY
- **LeGrand L. Benedict** (Leonard), b. about 1855
- **James Henry Benedict**, b. about 1859 NY. In 1924 he was retired and lived at 875 Park Avenue, NYC.

---children of James H. Benedict & (2) Isabella

- **Charles W. Benedict**, b. about 1865 NY
- **Howard R. Benedict**, b. about 1868 NY
- **Elliot Stuart Benedict**, b. 22 March 1874 Tarrytown, Westchester Co., NY; m. 11 July 1899, **Catherine -?-**. Catherine -?- was b. 9 April 1876 Norwalk, CT. Elliot Stuart Benedict was a lawyer; he lived in 1924 at 144 East 56th Street, New York City.

---Sources:

- [1] U.S. Passport Application 30 June 1924, issued 4 July 1924, Record for Elliot Stuart Benedict (includes photos of Elliot S. & Catherine Benedict, online at Ancestry.com);
 [2] U.S. Passport Application 16 April 1902 Record for James H Benedict, online at Ancestry.com;

Benedict, John

John Benedict m.
 b. 1701¹
 d. 1770¹

Dinah Bouton
 b.
 d.

---children of John Benedict & Dinah Bouton:

- **Joseph Benedict**, b. (prob) 20 May 1730 Norwalk, Fairfield Co., CT; d. 24 Aug 1785 South Salem, Westchester Co., NY; m. 1750¹, **Keziah Wood**. Keziah Wood d. 1817¹.

---Sources:

- [1] U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Application Record for Hobart Lewis Benedict (of Elizabeth, NJ, Counselor at Law, citing Jerseymen in the Revolution, p. 744;

Benedict, Joseph (Lieut. Joseph Benedict) (Col.)

Joseph Benedict m. 1750¹
 son of John Benedict & Dinah Bouton

Keziah Wood
 dau. of

b. (prob) 20 May 1730 Norwalk, Fairfield Co., CT
 d. 24 Aug 1785 South Salem, Westchester Co., NY
 b.
 d. 1817¹

Joseph Benedict was Capt., 2nd Co., NY Continental Regt; Major in 1777; Lieut. Col. of Regt. of Associated Exempts.¹

---children of Joseph Benedict & Keziah Wood:

- **Rhoda Benedict**, bp. 7 Oct 1759 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Timothy Benedict**, b. 24 Jan 1762¹ South Salem, Westchester Co., NY; bp. 4 April 1762 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record); d. 11 Sep 1830; m. 12 Dec 1783 Presbyterian Ch, Bedford, NY, **Phoebe Rockwell**, dau. of Thomas Rockwell & Rumahah Hull. Phhene Rockwell was b. 15 May 1768; d. after 15 Aug 1843
- **Betsey Benedict**, bp. 27 May 1764 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (No mother's name in bp. record)
- **Keziah Benedict**, bp. 5 Oct 1766 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (No mother's name in bp. record)
- **Jared Benedict**, bp. 19 March 1769 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **John Benedict**, bp. 9 Dec 1770 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record); d. 4 Feb 1775 age about 4

- **Stephen Benedict**, bp. 1 Aug 1773 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Infant Benedict**, stillborn 27 July 1774 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY
- **Benjamin Benedict**, bp. 25 May 1777 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Hannah Benedict**, bp. 8 Nov 1778 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Holly Benedict** (son), bp. 20 Aug 1780 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)

record)

---Sources:

[1] U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Application Record for Hobart Lewis Benedict (of Elizabeth, NJ, Counselor at Law, citing *Jerseymen in the Revolution*, p. 744;

Baptisms of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-baptisms.html>>; Deaths of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-deaths.html>>

Benedict, Joseph

Joseph Benesict
son of Timothy Benedict &
Phebe Rockwell

m. 1811¹

Betsey Brinkerhoff
dau. of

b. 22 June 1787¹
d. 1863¹

b. 1790¹
d. 1834¹

---*children of Joseph Benedict & Betsey Brinkerhoff:*

- **James Lawrence Benedict**, b. 1814; d. 1892; m. 1846, **Christiana Grant Purdy**¹

---Sources:

[1] U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Application Record for Hobart Lewis Benedict (of Elizabeth, NJ, Counselor at Law, citing *Jerseymen in the Revolution*, p. 744;

Benedict, Joshua Purdy

Joshua Purdy Benedict
son of James Lawrence Benedict &
Christiana Grant Purdy

m. 1877¹

Phebe Elizabeth Sayre
dau. of

b. 1847¹

b. 1846¹

---*children of Joshua Purdy Benedict & Phebe Elizabeth Sayre:*

- **Hobart Lewis Benedict**, b. 29 Oct 1880 Union, Union Township, Union Co., NJ. He was a lawyer.

---Sources:

[1] U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Application Record for Hobart Lewis Benedict (of Elizabeth, NJ, Counselor at Law, citing *Jerseymen in the Revolution*, p. 744;

Benedict, Lewis

Lewis Benedict

m.

Jemima

Jemimah, wife of Lewis Benedict was admitted to membership in Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY, 22 March 1789.

---*children of Lewis Benedict & Jemima*

- **Child Benedict**, b. about Jan 1776; d. 12 Feb 1776 ae 15 days
- **Anne Benedict**, bp. 22 March 1789 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Nancy Benedict**, bp. 26 May 1789 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Lydia Benedict**, bp. 26 May 1789 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Joseph Benedict**, bp. 26 May 1789 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **David Benedict**, bp. 26 May 1789 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Susannah Benedict**, bp. 26 May 1789 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Jemima Benedict**, bp. 22 Dec 1793 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Sally Mariah Benedict**, bp. 5 Oct 1797 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)

record)

---Sources: Baptisms of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-baptisms.html>>; Deaths of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-deaths.html>>; Members of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-members.html>>

Benedict, Nathan

Nathan Benedict

m.

Deborah

Deborah, wife of Nathan Benedict, was admitted to Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY, 4 June 1786.

---*children of Nathan Benedict & Deborah*

- **John Benedict**, bp. 4 June 1786 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Polly Benedict**, bp. 4 June 1786 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Joseph Benedict**, bp. 4 June 1786 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Joel Benedict**, bp. 14 Jan 1787 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Betsy Benedict**, bp. 1 April 1792 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources: Baptisms of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-baptisms.html>>; Members of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-members.html>>

Benedict, Peter

Peter Benedict
son of James Benedict &
b. Ridgefield, CT
d. 1787 North Salem, NY

m. (1)

m. (2) 23 June 1737

-?-
dau. of
b.
d.
Agnes Tyler
(widow of Rev. **Samuel Heaton**)
dau. of John Tyler &

---children of Peter Benedict & (2) Agnes Tyler:

- **Abner Benedict**, b. 9 Nov 1740 North Salem, NY; d. 19 Nov 1818 Roxbury, NJ; m. **Lois Northrup**. He was a graduate of Yale (1765) and was a chaplain in the Continental Army in the Revolution.

---Sources: Reamy, Bill, *Pioneer Families of Orange County, New York*, 2007, online at Google Books, p. 9;

Benedict, Peter

Peter Benedict
son of (prob) -?- Benedict &
Molly -?-
b. about 1789 NY

m.

Betsey
dau. of

b. about 1793 NY

They were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, New York, Westchester Co., Lewisboro, p. 19, enumerated 13 Sep 1850, Dwelling 1641, Family 1807 (all b. NY) -- Peter Benedict, 61, Farmer, value real estate \$12,500; Betsey [Benedict], 57; Jonah S. [Benedict], 24, Farmer; George L. [Benedict], 22, Farmer; Molly Benedict, 80; Edward Russell, 19, Farmer; Arminia Sears, 11.

---children of Peter Benedict & Betsey

- **Jonah S. Benedict**, b. about 1826 NY
- **George L. Benedict**, b. about 1828 NY

Benedict, Seth Williston

Seth Williston Benedict
b. 16 Nov 1803 Norwalk, Fairfield Co., CT
d. 10 Nov 1869 NY

m.

Fanny Row (Roe)

b. 30 Dec 1798 Norwalk, Fairfield Co., CT
d. 8 Jan 1854

They were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, New York, New York Co., New York City, Ward 8, District 1, p. 294, enumerated 28 Aug 1850, Dwelling 1043, Family 2275 -- Seth W. Benedict, 46, Printer, b. CT; Fanny R. [Benedict], 51, b. CT; Chas. W. [Benedict], 24, Clerk, b. CT; Jane [Benedict], 26, b. NJ; James [Benedict], 20, Clerk, b. CT; Frances [Benedict], 14, b. CT; Emily [Benedict], 8, b. NY; Fanny L. [Benedict], 2, b. NY; Legrand Lockwood, 30, Broker, b. CT; Ann L. [Lockwood], 27, b. CT; Legrand [Lockwood], 6, b. NY; Williston [Lockwood], 4, b. CT; plus 3 domestic servants.

---children of Seth Williston Benedict & Fanny Row:

- **Anna Louisa Benedict**, b. 17 Aug 1823 Norwalk, Fairfield Co., CT; d. 1882; m. **LeGrand Lockwood**, son of Benjamin Lockwood & Elizabeth Kellogg. LeGrand Lockwood was b. 14 Aug 1820¹ Norwalk, Fairfield Co., CT; d. 24 Feb 1872.
- **Charles Williston Benedict**, b. 2 Aug 1825 CT; m. 9 Sep 1846, **Jane McAlpin**
- **James Hoyt Benedict**, b. 1 Aug 1830 Norwalk, Fairfield Co., CT; d. before 2 July 1924; m. (1) about 1852, **Sarah F. -?-;** m. (2) **Isabella -?-**. Isabella -?- was b. about 1844 MI.
- **Frances Benedict**, b. about 1836 CT
- **Emily Benedict**, b. about 1842 NY
- **Fanny L. Benedict**, b. about 1848 NY

---Sources:

[1] U.S. Passport Application 27 April 1864 Record for Legrand Lockwood and his wife Anna Louisa;

Benedict, Solomon

Solomon Benedict
d. 15 Feb 1777

---Sources: Deaths of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-deaths.html>>

Benedict, Thomas

Thomas Benedict

m.

-?-

---children of Thomas Benedict &

- **Molly Benedict**, bp. 5 March 1771 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources: Baptisms of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-baptisms.html>>

Benedict, Timothy

Timothy Benedict
son of Col. Joseph Benedict &

m. 12 Dec 1783
Presbyterian Ch, Bedford

Phoebe Rockwell (Phebe)
dau. of Thomas Rockwell &

Keziah Woof

b. 24 Jan 1762¹ South Salem, Westchester Co., NY
bp. 4 April 1762 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY
d. 11 Sep 1830³

Rumahah Hull

b. 15 May 1768¹
bp.
d. after 15 Aug 1843 (1845³)

He served in the Revolutionary War as a private in the New York Line under Capt. Samuel Delavan in Col. Thomas Thomas's Regt, and also as a sergeant in Capt. Goodwin's Co., 2nd Regt, New York line. He was a Receiver of Cattle about 1780. He applied for a pension 25 May 1827. His brother also served in the Revolution, and his father was a Captain. His lawyer for his application (in 1830) was Elbert Herring. His widow, Phebe received a pension of \$80 a year, 9 Dec 1843.

About 1808 he was living in Nassau. Rensselaer Co., NY, where he witnessed the will of Thomas Clark, dated 13 Jan 1808.²

Phoebe, wife of Tim Benedict, was admitted to membership of Christ Churchm South Salem, Westchester Co., NY, 23 March 1794.

---children of Timothy Benedict & Phebe Rockwell:

- **Thomas R. Benedict**, b. 7 Oct 1784¹
- **Joseph Benedict**, b. 22 June 1787^{1,3}; d. 1863³; m. **Betsey Brinkerhoff**³
- **Nancy Benedict**, b. 20 April 1790¹; m. **-?- Huler?**
- **Phebe Benedict**, b. 8 Aug 1792¹
- **Ruth Benedict**, b. 11 March 1795¹; bp. 19 April 1795 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co., NY (no mother's name in bp., record)
- **David Smith Benedict**, b. 25 Aug 1797¹; bp. 5 Oct 1797 Christ Church, South Salem, Westchester Co. NY (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources:

[1] Revolutionary War Pension Record, Phebe Benedict, widow of Timothy Benedict (including letter [to Phebe Rockwell Benedict?] dated ,31 Dec 1774 from Ruth Wakeman, Grandmother; and letter dated 7 Oct 1835 Ephratah from Cousin Jasper M. Benedict, mentioning Grandfather Smith and Grandmother Benedict in North Salem, , containing vital records), online at Ancestry.com;

[2] Abstracts of wills of Rensselaer County, New York : in the office of the Surrogate at Troy, New York, 1791-1850, p. I-51 (will of Thomas Clark of Phillipstown);

[3] U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Application Record for Hobart Lewis Benedict (of Elizabeth, NJ, Counselor at Law, citing *Jerseymen in the Revolution*, p. 744;

Baptisms of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-baptisms.html>>; Members of South Salem Church, Westchester Co., NY, online at <<http://the-red-thread.net/NY-south-salem-members.html>>