

-- CRAWFORD, CROWFOOT --

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 evolution 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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Crawford, Alexander

Alexander Crawford
son of

m. 10 March 1780
Goodwill Presbyterian Ch,
Montgomery, NY

Margaret Miller
dau. of

---Sources: New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at genealogy.com; Foley, Janet Wethy, [Early Settlers of New York State: Their Ancestors and Descendants](#), Genealogical Publishing Co., 1993, Vol. I ("Presbyterian Church at Good Will, Orange Co., NY"), (online at <genealogy.com>), p. 348

Crawford, Charles G.

Charles G. Crawford
son of

m.

Maria Servant (Serven)
dau. of Peter A. Serven &
Lea Eckerson

She was a member of the Second Ref Ch in Paterson in 1850; left in 1851.

---Sources: Wells, Theodore W., [The pastor and the church, or, Rev. John H. Durvea, D.D., and the Second Reformed Church at Paterson, N.J.](#), New York: Board of Publication of the Reformed Church in America, 1984 (Marriages and Baptisms), p. 109 (online at HeritageQuest)

Crawford, Daniel

Daniel Crawford
son of William Crawford &
Ann

m. (1)

-?-
dau. of

b.

b.

d. between 1775-1778 Red Mills, Fredericks Precinct, Dutchess Co.
(now Putnam Co.), NY

m. (2) after May 1759

d.

Elizabeth Fowler
(widow of **Solomon Fowler**)
dau. of John Fowler &
Elizabeth Lyon

---children of Daniel Crawford & (1)

- **Henry Crawford**
- **Absolom Crawford**
- **Charles Crawford**

---children of Daniel Crawford & (2) Elizabeth Fowler:

- **Daniel Crawford**, b. April 1760 Red Mills
- **David Crawford**
- **John Crawford**

---Sources: Bristol, Theresa Hall, and Abraham Hatfield, "Descendants of Henry Fowler of Roxbury, Mass., Providence, R.I., Eastchester and Mamaroneck, N.Y." in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 68, No. 4, Oct 1937, p. 328

Crawford, David

David Crawford
son of

m. 27 March 1770
Goodwill Presbyterian Ch
of Montgomery, NY (he of
Goshen; she of Walkill)

Jane Miller
dau. of

b.
---Sources: New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at genealogy.com; Foley, Janet Wethy, Early Settlers of New York State: Their Ancestors and Descendants, Genealogical Publishing Co., 1993, Vol. I ("Presbyterian Church at Good Will, Orange Co., NY"), (online at <genealogy.com>), p. 348

Crowfoot, Elias (Elias Croofoot) [can this name be Crawford?]

Elias Crowfoot

m.

-?-

---children of Elias Crowfoot

- **Deborah Croofoot**, bp. 13 May 1758 Paramus Ref Ch (wit: David Rensford) (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources: Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church [Bergen Co., NJ] Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones..., 1935

Crawford, Hugh

Hugh Crawford
son of

m.

Aefje Van Gelder (Effy)
dau. of Johannes Van Gelder &
Neeltje Onkelbag
bp. 14 Aug 1715 NYC Ref Ch
d. before 31 May 1750

bp.
d. before 5 Feb 1750

Hugh Crawford was a mariner and a tavern keeper.

In her will, she wrote: ...I, Effy Crawford, of New York, "tavern keeper, and widow of Hugh Crawford, who was in his life time also tavern keeper," and executor of his will, being now sick. After payment of all debts I leave to Ann Inglesby, £25, and the remainder "to my children, John, Clepha or Effy, Jane, Catharine, and Mary. I make my brother, John Van Gilder, of New York, vintner, Peter Marschalk, of New York, baker, and John Tiebault, block maker, executors. Dated February 5, 1749/50. Witnesses, John Fred, James Mills, Elisha Dobree. Proved, May 31, 1750.

---children of Hugh Crawford & Aefje Van Gelder:

- **Aefje Crawford**, bp. 13 June 1736 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit Van Gelder, Neeltje Onckelbag); m. April 1757, **Joseph Louwrey**
- **John Crawford**, m. 4 Feb 1759, **Sara Demilt**
- **Clepha Crawford** (Effy), perhaps the Effe Crawford whose gravestone in Trinity Chyd is dated 1744.
- **Jane Crawford**
- **Catharine Crawford**, m. Nov 1763, **Stephen Dibble**
- **Mary Crawford**, m. Aug 1770, **Andrew Aunan**
- **William Crawford**, d. 15 Dec 1744; buried Trinity Chyd, NYC.²

---Sources:

[1] Randolph, Howard S. F., "Jacob Boelen, Goldsmith, of New York and His Family Circle" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 72, No. 4, Oct 1941, p. 292;
[2] Van Gelder, Arthur Pine, Early Van Gelder families in the United States of America, Wilmington, Del.: A.P. Van Gelder, 1945?, p.7;
Pelletreau, William S., Abstracts of Wills on File in the Surrogate's Office, City of New York, pub. as Collections of the New York Historical Society, Vol IV 1744-1753, pages 287 & 288 (will of Effy Crawford)

Crawford, James

James Crawford

m.

Mary Wilkin

He was of Ayrshire, Scotland (a native of Ireland); she was a native of Wales. He emigrated in 1718 and established a home in New Windsor, Orange Co., NY.¹

---children of James Crawford & Mary Wilkin:

- **John Crawford**, b. 15 Dec 1719; poss. settled in Westchester Co., NY
- **James Crawford**, b. 21 Jan 1722. His will, dated 1777, was probated in 1783.

- **Jean Crawford** (Jane), b. 3 March 1724; d. 14 Aug 1795; m. **James Crawford**
- **David Crawford**, b. 11 Aug 1729
- **Samuel Crawford**, b. 9 June 1732; m. **Anne -?-**. His will was dated 17 March 1749, probated 31 Jan 1767.
- **Joseph Crawford**, b. 21 Feb 1734

---Sources:

[1] 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, 1984 (Marriages, Baptisms, Members), p. 12 (online at HeritageQuest);

Crawford, James

James Crawford m.
son of

Jean Crawford (Jane)
dau. of James Crawford &
Mary Wilkin

b. Enniskellen, Co. Fermanaugh, Ulster, Ireland¹
d. 23 Feb 1802

b. 3 March 1724
d. 14 Aug 1795

He emigrated in 1731 and purchased a tract of land in what has become the town of Crawford, Orange Co., NY.

---*children of James Crawford & Jane Crawford*:

- **Samuel I. Crawford**, b. 10 Dec 1750; d. 17 Oct 1828; m. 29 Feb 1776, **Jeannette McCurdy**. She was b. 13 Feb 1757.
- **Mary Crawford**, b. 6 May 1752; m. **John Barkley**
- **Elizabeth Crawford**, b. 27 Nov 1753; m. **James Barkley**
- **Nathan Crawford**, b. 22 July 1755
- **Jonathan Crawford**, b. 27 April 1757
- **David Crawford**, b. 6 Feb 1759; d. 3 Nov 1822
- **Jane Crawford**, b. 26 Feb 1761; d. 7 Jan 1827; m. **John Martin**
- **Sarah Crawford**, b. 11 Feb 1763; d. 19 Sep 1826; m. **Thomas Barkley** of Montgomery, Orange Co., NY
- **Moses Crawford**, b. 1 May 1765; d. 14 Aug 1770
- **Joshua Crawford**, b. 17 May 1767; m. **Nancy Crawford**, William Crawford of Little Britain.

---Sources:

[1] 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, 1984 (Marriages, Baptisms, Members), p. 12 (online at HeritageQuest);

Crawford, John

John Crawford m. **Jane**

In his will, he wrote: ...I, John Crawford, of Old Poundridge, in North Castle, Westchester County, "being something indisposed." All debts to be paid. I leave to my wife Jane one bed and furniture, and a 3-year-old heifer, and my son James shall pay her £20, "if she comes to want it." I leave to my son Robert 57 acres of land where he now lives, and 10 acres of another piece which is possessed by him and his brother Archibald. I leave to my son Archibald 57 acres of land in his possession. I leave to my son John 40 acres of land, beginning at a stone wall at the north side of the North meadow, thence running to the road as the wall runs, then north along the road to Joseph Lockwood's land, then east to a fence, then south to the first bounds; Also 2 pair of oxen and 2 cows and £6. I leave to my daughter Ann a suit of Camlet curtains, and 1/2 of household goods and 6 sheep. I leave to my daughter Margaret "a new cupboard, to be made such as her sister had," and a pewter pot and 2 basons, and 1/2 of all household goods. My son James is to pay all debts and to have all debts due, "and he shall buy for each of my sons such a Great Bible as I now have," and I leave my Great Bible to my son James. I make John Thomas, of Harrison's Purchase, Judge, and Aaron Furman, Jr., and my son James, executors. Dated December 15, 1770. Witnesses, Lewis McDonald, Joseph Lockwood, Ebenezer Scofield. Proved, December 30, 1773.

---*children of John Crawford & Jane*

- **James Crawford**
- **Robert Crawford**
- **Archibald Crawford**
- **John Crawford**
- **Ann Crawford**
- **Margaret Crawford**

---Sources: Pelletreau, William S., *Abstracts of Wills on File in the Surrogate's Office, City of New York*, pub. as Collections of the New York Historical Society, Vol. VIII, 1771-1776, pub. 1899, p. 167 (will of John Crawford)

Crawford, John

John Crawford m. **Margaret Martin**
d. before March 1794 d.

Margaret Martin m. (2) 15 March 1794 Acquackanonk Ref Ch, **John Humble**.

---Sources: Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992)

Crawford, Moses

Moses Crawford m. **Isabel**
d. before 8 Nov 1751 d.

In his will, he wrote: Moses Crawford, of Warwick Twp., Joiner. September 2, 1751. Proved October 31, 1751 (Bucks Co., PA). Wife Isabel and Robert Scott of Warwick, exrs. Sons Archibald, Robert, John, James, Moses and Samuel. Daus. Elinor,

Anne and Jane. Wit: William Abernethy, James Pook, Elinor Poak.

In her will, she wrote: Isabel Crawford of Warwick, Widow. August 1, 1763. Proved August 24, 1763 (Bucks Co., PA). Son James and Robert Stewart of Warwick, exrs. Sons Archibald, Robert, Moses, John, Samuel. Daus. Isabel, Hellen, Ann and Jane. Wit: James Pook, Eleanor Poak, Robert Scott.

---children of Moses Crawford & Isabel

- **Archibald Crawford**
- **Robert Crawford**
- **John Crawford**
- **James Crawford**
- **Moses Crawford**
- **Samuel Crawford**
- **Isabel Crawford**
- **Elinor Crawford** (Hellen)
- **Anne Crawford**
- **Jane Crawford**

---Sources: Wright, F. Edward, *Abstracts of Bucks Co. PA, Wills, 1685 - 1785*, Bucks County, PA, wills executed 1685-1785, originally abstracted under the auspices of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1995, Bucks Co. Wills, Book 2, online at http://familytreemaker.genealogy.com/_glc_/7259/7259_1.html (will of Moses Crawford); Ibid, Book 3 (will of Isabel Crawford)

Craford, Pieter

Pieter Craford

John Cholwell, Pieter Craford, and Anna Vincent, witnessed the baptism, 16 Aug 1702 NYC Ref Ch, of John, son of John Schot & Helena Vincent.

---Sources: *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City]*, 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III)

Kraford, Pieter

Pieter Kraford, along with Wyntje Ree, wife of Hendrick Myer, wit. bp. NYC Ref Ch, 20 Feb 1709 of Elsje, dau. of Richard Rhee & Elsje Sanders.

---Sources: *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City]*, 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III)

Crawford, William

William Crawford

m.

Sidney (Poss. Buchanan)

In his will, he wrote: ...I, William Crawford, of New York, cooper, being of sound mind. I leave to my wife, Sidney Crawford, 1/2 of all my real and personal estate, and the rest to my daughter, Mary Crawford. "If either die, the other is to be my lawful heir." I make Smith Ramage and Robert Goelet, of New York, merchants, executors. Dated February 24, 1773. Witnesses, John Dunlop, Gent., Ryer Smyth, tailor. Proved, May 2, 1773.

---children of William Crawford & Sidney

- **Mary Crawford**

---Sources: Pelletreau, William S., *Abstracts of Wills on File in the Surrogate's Office, City of New York*, pub. as Collections of the New York Historical Society, Vol. VIII, 1771-1776, pub. 1899, p. 114 (will of William Crawford)

Unplaced Crawford/Crowfoot Women:

Catherine Craford wit. bp. 31 Oct 1705 NYC Ref Ch of Johanns, son of Richard Rhee & Elsje Sanders.

Rachel Crafort, m. (before Nov 1767) **John de Noyelles**