

-- DEGRAW --

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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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**DeGraw, DeGray**

European ancestor: Albert Leendertsen, from Amsterdam, Holland.

Harmen Arentsen du Grave (DeGraw) and Leendert Arentsen du Grave (DeGraw) were both in Bergen County by 14 March 1693 when they signed (Leendert with his mark) a request (from the officers and heads of families "of the congregation of Acquackanonk and Hackensack" to the Clasis in the Netherlands) that Gulliam Bertholf (who carried the request to Holland) be ordained and authorized to serve as their domine.—NYG&B Record, July 1977, p. 157

[The name] is a partial translation of the earlier Dutch form—*de Graauw*, "the Gray" ...Leendert Arentse came to New Netherland from Holland in the early part of the year 1638 in the ship *Dolphin*... (Nelson, William, *History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 326)

Various spellings of the surname are found in the New York-New Jersey area, including Margraff, McGrof.

The De Gray family are of Scotch ancestry. -- Clayton, W. Woodford & Nelson, William, *History of Bergen and Passaic Counties, New Jersey*, Philadelphia 1882, p. 560

Michael Degree, a Huguenot, m. Catherine LaForge. He was at Bushwyck, L.I. in 1691. His daughter, Jemima Degree, m. Samuel Meeks, of Paramus. — Virkus, Frederick A., *The Compendium of American Genealogy*, Vol. III, 1928, p. 202

*Genealogical material on the De Graw family includes:*

De Graw, David James, *De Graw-Van Natta & Allied Families*, 1977.

"De Gray" in *History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, by William Nelson (pp. 326-330).

Stuewer, Colista Evelyn Brown, The DeGraw Family in America, 1638-1978, 1985 (Plainwell, MI).

**Margroff, -?-**

-?- Margroff  
son of

m.

**Ellen Babcock** (Ella)  
dau. of William Babcock &  
Mary Ann Starr  
b. Nov 1863 NJ

b.

Ellen/Ella Babcock m. (2) about 1890, **Abraham John Haring**, widower of Catherine Amelia Margroff, and son of John Casper Haring & Eliza Ackerman.

*---children of -?- Margroff & Ellen Babcock:*

• **Martin Margroff**, b. 12 Aug 1883 Waldwick, Bergen Co., NJ; m. **Minnie -?-**.

In 1917-1918 when he registered for the WW I draft, he was 35, and lived at 36 Franklin St, Paterson, NJ. His nearest relative was Minnie Margroff at the same address.

In 1944 when he registered for the WW II draft, he was 56, and lived at 25-06 Kipp St., Fairlawn, Bergen Co., NJ. He was employed by Robert Williams - Paterson Morning Call.

• **John Rufus Margroff**, b. 6 June 1888 Waldwick, Bergen Co., NJ; m. (1) **Ann** (White?); m. (2) (poss?) **Martha -?-**.

In 1918, when he registered for the WW I draft, he was 30, living at 56 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ. He was married, with a wife and 2 children.

In 1942 when he registered for the WW II draft, he was 55, was self-employed, and lived at Wyckoff Ave., Waldwick, Bergen Co., NJ.

• **Amelia Margroff**, b. July 1888 NJ

**Degrau, Abel**

Abel Degrau  
son of Cornelius DeGraw &  
Geertje Ridnar

m.

**Maaike Tades Van Eydestyn** (Maayke)  
dau. of Casparus Tades Van Eydestyne  
& Jannetje Post (or Hendrickje DeGraw)  
bp.

bp. 12 Mar 1727 Hackensack Ref Ch

*---children of Abel DeGraw & Maaike Van Idestine:*

• **Jannitje DeGraw**, b. 14 Sept. 1752; bp. 1752 Paramus Ref Ch (wit: Hermanus and Jenneke Dugrau [Abel's brother & sister-in-law])

• **Geertje DeGraw**, bp. 14 Sept. 1755 Paramus Ref Ch (wit: Barend and Rachel Vanhoren)

• **Casparus DeGraw**, b. 15 Oct 1758; bp. 5 Nov 1758 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Sickels, Aagtje Blinckerhof his wife); m. 3 March 1783 **Lena Jurianse**

• **Antye DeGraw**, b. 2 April 1762; bp. 16 April 1762 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Jooris Stek, Antye Tades his wife)

• (poss) **Johannis DeGraw**, b. 30 April 1762 [Nelson, in The History of the City of Paterson... lists this child, but note conflicting birthdate of Antye, above)

• **Cornelus de Grau**, b. 9 June 1770; bp. 9 July 1770 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Hendricus Kuyper; Catrientie Gerbrans, his wife)

---Sources: Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones..., 1935; Versteeg, Dingman, and Thomas E. Vermilye, Jr., with contributions by Nicholas G. Vreeland, et. al., Bergen Records: Records of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church of Bergen in New Jersey, 1666 to 1788 (excerpted and reprinted from Year Books of the Holland Society of New York, 1913, 1914, 1915) Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., 1976; reprinted for Clearfield Co., Inc., 1990; Nelson, William, The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic, 1901, p. 329

**DeGray, Abram**

Abram DeGray

m.

**Lanah**

*---children of Abram DeGray & Lanah*

• **Richard DeGray**, b. 18 Aug 1755; d. 24 Nov 1841; buried Old Burial Ground, Hawthorne, NJ; m. **-?-**.

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, New York and New Jersey Cemeteries, 1947 (Old Burial Ground near Passaic River, Hawthorne, NJ), p. 181

**Degraf, Abraham**

Abraham degraf

m.

**Maria Gricks** (Griggs?)

*---children of Abraham Degraf & Maria Gricks:*

• **Hester Degraf**, bp. 31 May 1772 Conewago, PA Ref Ch

• **Mooses Degraf**, bp. 17 July 1774 Conewago, PA Ref Ch

---Sources: "Conewago, PA Baptisms" in Somerset County Historical Quarterly, vol. IV, No. 2, p. 181

**Degraf, Abraham**

Abraham Degraf

m.

**Catrina Voorhees**

*---children of Abraham Degraf & Catrina Voorhees:*

• **Rachel Degraf**, bp. 17 July 1774 Conewago, PA Ref Ch

• **Madelena Degraaft**, bp. Feb 1776 Conewago, PA Ref Ch

• **Machil Degraaf** (Michael), bp. 25 Jan 1778 Conewago, PA Ref Ch

• **Cornelis Degraaft**, bp. 3 Oct 1779 Conewago, PA Ref Ch

• **Catriena Degraaft**, bp. 31 March 1782 Conewago, PA Ref Ch

- **Maragrieta Degraft**, bp. 22 Feb 1784 Conewago, PA Ref Ch
  - **Abraham Degraft**, bp. 12 Feb 1786 Conewago, PA Ref Ch
- Sources: "Conewago, PA Baptisms" in *Somerset County Historical Quarterly*, vol. IV, No. 2, p. 181 etc.

**De Graaf, Abraham**

Abraham De Graaf m. 9 Feb 1790  
 ---Sources: "Conewago, PA Marriages" in *Somerset County Historical Quarterly*, vol. V, p. 78

**Magdalina Van Zant**

**Degraw, Abraham** (Margraff)

Abraham Degraw m.  
 son of (poss??) Henry DeGraw &  
 Aletta Blauvelt  
 b. abt. 1830

**Edwina**  
 dau. of

b. abt. 1831

They were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., Franklin Township, Godwinville P.O., p. 28, enumerated 16 July 1860, Dwelling 344, Family 388 (all b. NJ) -- Abraham Margraff, 30, Cotton Spinner, value personal estate \$150; Edwina [Margraff], 29; Lora [Margraff], 9; Martin [Margraff], 3; Abraham [Margraff], 1.

---*children of Abraham Margraff & Edwina*

- **Lora Margraff**, b. abt. 1851
- **Martin Margraff**, b. abt. 1857
- **Abraham Margraff**, b. abt. 1859

---Sources: 1860 Federal Census, Bergen Co., NJ, Franklin Twp., Godwinville P.O., dwelling 344, family 388

**Margroff, Abraham**

Abraham Margroff m. (poss)  
 b. about 1832  
 d. 17 Sep 1862, Antietam, MD, killed in Civil War service

**Sarah E.**  
 b.  
 d.

Abraham Margroff enlisted as a private 12 Aug 1862, age 30, in Co. K, NJ 13th Regt. Artillery under Corp. Cornelius Merserau, and was killed 17 Sep 1862.<sup>1</sup>

Sarah E. Margroff, widow of Abraham Margroff, filed for a Civil War pension 9 Jan 1863.

---Sources:

[1] *Register of the commissioned officers and privates of the New Jersey Volunteers, in the service of the United States*, 1863, p. 392; Civil War Pension Index: General Index to Pension Files, 1863 Record for Abraham Margroff (filed by widow Sarah E. Margroff);

**Degraw, Albert Leenartszen**

Albert Leenertszen DeGraw m. banns: 18 Nov 1656  
 son of Leendert Arentsen DeGraw NYC Ref Ch

**Ariaentje Corn. Trommels**  
 (widow of **Corn. Claesen Switz**)

In the record of their marriage, they were: Albert Leonards, Van Amsterdam en Ariaentje Corn. Trommels, Wede. Van Corn Claeszen Swits.

21 March 1665 -- Albert Leendertzen and Ariaantje Cornelis request by petition satisfaction and payment for, or restitution of their land taken by the Hon: Petrus Stuyvesant and laid out by allotment for the Village of N: Haerlem. Which petition being read to the Hon: Petrus Stuyvesant, he says he will answer thereunto. The W. Court under copy hereof to be furnished to Petrus Stuyvesant, to answer thereunto in writing.<sup>1</sup>

"Albert Leenartszen," along with Sara Thomas, wit bp. NYC Ref Ch 17 Apr 1680 of Margariet, dau. of Jan Thomaszen (Eckerson) and Apollonia Cornelis.

---*children of Albert Leendertsen DeGraw & Ariaentje Corn. Trommels:*

- **Leendert Albertse De Graw**, bp. 1 May 1658 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Arent Leendertzen, Jan Pieterszen, Marritie Laberts); m. (1) 24 Oct 1683 NYCRefCh **Geertje Jacobs Quick**; m. (prob) (2) **Jannetje Van Slyk**

---Sources:

[1] Fernow, Berthold, ed., *Records of New Amsterdam, 1653-1674*, 7 Vols., 1897 (on CD), Vol. V -- Minutes of the Court of Burgomasters and Schepens, January 8, 1664 to May 1, 1666, inclusive, p. 202;

Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 327; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church in New Amsterdam and New York: Baptisms*, 1901, NYG&B Society

**DeGraw, Andrew** (McGraff; Margraff)

Andrew McGraff m. 15 Nov 1817  
 son of Saddle River Ref Ch

**Catharine Terhune**  
 dau. of

He is listed in the 1830 census for Franklin Township with 2 males 5 and under; one male 30-40; two females 5-10; one female 10-15; and one female 20-30.

---*children of Andrew McGraff & Catherine Terhune:*

- **Tyna McGraff** (Catherine), b. 5 Aug 1818; bp. 19 Sep 1819 Paramus Ref Ch (no wit); m. (poss) as Catharine Margrauf, 30 Dec 1838 Kakiat Ref Ch, **Abraham Coe** of New Prospect.

- (prob) **Andrew McGroff**, m. 1844 **Anna McCloud**

---Sources: Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, *Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church [Bergen Co., NJ] Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones...*, 1935; Marriage Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of West New Hempstead, New York 1774-1898, also known as "Kakiat" and presently referred to as "Brick Church" online at <<http://www.dutchdoorgenealogy.com/>>

**McGroff, Andrew**

Andrew McGroff  
son of (prob) Andrew DeGraw &  
Catharine Terhune

m. 2 Mar 1844  
Saddle Riv. Zion Luth Ch

**Anna McCloud**  
dau. of

In the marriage record, they are both "of New Prospect."

---Sources: Westervelt, *Bergen County Marriages*, p. 84; Zion Lutheran Church, Saddle River, Marriages, copied by Herbert S. Ackerman & Arthur J. Goff, 1943

**DeGraw, Arent Leendertszen**

Arent Leendertszen DeGraw  
son of Leendert Arentsen De Grauw &  
Leuntie Alberts [Lydecker]  
b. about 1637 Grouw, Friesland, Holland<sup>1</sup>

m. (1) 30 Jan 1660  
NYC Ref Ch

**Gysbertje Hermans Coerten**  
dau. of Harmen Courten &  
Aertje Gerrits  
b. abt. 1642

m. 16 July 1679  
NYC Ref Ch

**Marritje Hendricks**  
(widow of **Wouter Gerritszen**)

Arent Leendertszen De Grauw lived at Flatlands, L.I.

In the (1) m. record, they are "Arent Leonartszen, Van Amsterdam, en Gysbertje Hermans, Van Voort huysen."

In the (2) m. record they are "Arent Leendertszen de Grauw, Wed<sup>r</sup> Van Gysbertje Hermans, en Marritje Hendricks, Wed<sup>r</sup> Van Wouter Gerritszen, beÿde woonende tot N. Yorke."

Arent Leendertszen was still in New Amsterdam in 1671 and applied for the position of Sworne Porter of the City which he received. Arent was living on the tip of Manhattan Island as late as 1686. He as well as his son Harmen are listed as living on Marketfield Street. By 1686 the last name of Arent and Harmen is spelled de Grauw. Arent's name is listed as Arent Leendertszen de Grauw while Harman is just listed as Harmen de Grauw.<sup>2</sup>

---children of Arent Leendertszen DeGraw & (1) Gysbertje Hermans Coerten:

- **Harmen Arentsen DeGraw**, bp. 13 Nov 1661 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Harmen Coerten, Albert Leendertszen, Aefje Leenderts, Rÿcke Hermans); m. (1) **Styntie Jans (Van Steenberg)**; m. (2) **Elizabeth Verwey** (or Abigail Verwey; Ebbe)
- **Leendert Arentsen DeGraw**, bp. 17 Aug 1664 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Marten Cregier, Aeltje Barents); m. **Jannetje Van Slyk**
- **Gerrit DeGraw**, bp. 18 Apr 1667 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Hesselszen, Apollonie Barents); d.y.
- **Cornelia DeGraw**, bp. 16 Nov 1669 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Hans Kierstede, Adriaentje Adriaens); m. 8 Aug 1719 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Jacob Hendrickse Banta**<sup>1</sup>.
- **Gerrit DeGraw**, bp. 18 May 1673 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jan Coesy, Tryntie Backers); m. 4 May 1696 **Dorothee Huyer**. He probably settled in New Brunswick, where he was a distiller.

---children of Arent Leendertszen DeGraw & (2) Marritje Hendricks:

- **Hendrick DeGraw**, bp. 19 Mar 1684 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Asuerus Hendrickszen, Marritie Hendricx)

---Sources:

[1] Courter, Paul, 14464 Tanglewood Dr., N., Largom FL 34644, *Harmen Coerten, His Descendants* (on computer disk from author March 1996)

[2] Information December 1997 from ryntbld@northstar.k12.ak.us (Bob Degraw);

NYC Ref Dutch Church Marriages, in NYG&B Record, Jan 1876, p. 31; NYC Ref Dutch Church Baptisms, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Apr 1876, p. 75; July 1876 p. 132; Jan 1877, p. 29; Apr 1879, p. 78; "Tryntje Jacobs and her Four Husbands" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1925, p. 267; Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 326; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church in New Amsterdam and New York: Baptisms*, 1901, NYG&B Society; "Records of the Reformed Dutch Church in the City of New York—Marriages" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1875, p. 141; Bergen, Tunis G., *Register of the Early Settlers of Kings County, Long Island, N.Y.*, 1881, p. 88

**DeGraw, Arent Hermanszen**

Arent Hermanszen DeGraw

m.

**Susanna de Lamaistre**

---children of Arent Hermanszen DeGraw & Susanna de Lamaistre:

- **Pieter DeGraw**, bp. 28 Apr 1674 NYCRefCh (wit: Jean de La Maiste, Hester de La Maistie)

---Sources: NYC Ref Dutch Church Baptisms, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Apr 1877, p. 81

**Degraw, Arent** (Arend Dugrau)

Arent DeGraw  
son of (prob) Harmanus De Grauw  
& Lysbeth Verwey  
b. NJ  
bp. 23 Aug 1704 NYC Ref Ch

m. 26 April 1727  
Kingston Ref Ch  
(banns 16 April 1727  
Kingston Ref Ch)

**Angienitje Sluyter** (Sluyter)  
dau. of

b. Marbletown, NY  
bp.

In the Kingston Ref Ch record of their marriage and banns, they were: Arent de Grauw, j.m., born in the Jeersis [the Jerseys], and Angenietje Sluyter, j.d. born in Mormel [Marbletown], the bridegroom resid. in Tappan, and the bride in Horly [Hurley].

---children of Arent DeGraeuw & Angenietje Sluyter:

- (poss) **Angenietje De Grauw**, bp. Sep 1723 Hackensack Ref Ch
- **Elisabeth De Grauw**, b. 11 Sep 1728; bp. 15 Sep 1728 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Willem Van Schyven, Eyben his wife)
- **Niclaes DeGraeuw**, bp. 7 Feb 1731 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Peter Niks; Cornelia DeGrauw)
- **Jannetie De Grau**, bp. 8 July 1733 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Jan Van Order, Rachel his wife)
- **Marriette De Grau**, b. 9 Dec 1735; bp. 18 Jan 1736 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Blauvelt, Marriette his wife)

• **Tryntye De Grau**, bp. 9 July 1738 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Lourens Veruy, Tryntie his wife)

• **Molly DeGraw**, bp. 25 Feb. 1741 Paramus Ref Ch (wit: Jacobus Vervey; Molly Bon)

---Sources: Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack [Bergen Co., NJ]...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, *Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church [Bergen Co., NJ] Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones...*, 1935; Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 327; Hoes, Roswell Randall, *Baptismal and Marriage Registers of the Old Dutch Church of Kingston...*, 1891 (reprinted 1997 by Genealogical Publishing Co., Baltimore, MD)

From *The Minutes of the Board of Proprietors of the Eastern Division of New Jersey from 1725 to 1744*, Perth Amboy: 1960; (Re: Ramapo Tract; paraphrased unless in quotes) (Vol. III, p. 323)...17 August 1758...lease for land at Romopock executed, No. 201 to Arent Degraw of 48 acres at £0.5.0 York money pr ann. for 3 years from 24th March last.

**DeGraw, Benjamin**

Benjamin DeGraw  
son of Cornelius DeGraw &  
Lea Demarest

m.

**Jemima Jearns**<sup>1</sup>  
dau. of

bp. 20 Sep 1767 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

bp.

---*children of Benjamin DeGraw & Jemima Jearns*:

• **Timothy DeGraw**, b. 1796 Vermont<sup>1</sup>

• **Moses DeGraw**, b. 1798 Vermont<sup>1</sup>

• **Mary DeGraw**, b. 1800 Vermont<sup>1</sup>

• **John T. DeGraw**, b. 1802 Vermont<sup>1</sup>

• **Catherine DeGraw**, b. 1804 Vermont<sup>1</sup>

• **Sarah DeGraw**, b. 1805 Vermont<sup>1</sup>

• **Aaron DeGraw**, b. 1807 Vermont<sup>1</sup>

• **Jemima DeGraw**, b. 1809 Vermont<sup>1</sup>

• **Jacob DeGraw**, b. 15 July 1811 Mendon, Monroe Co., NY<sup>1</sup>; d. 5 Jan 1856 Lehi, UT<sup>1</sup>; m. 24 Aug 1833 Alexander, Genessee Co., NY, **Sophia Dutton**.

---Sources:

[1] Courter, Paul, 14464 Tanglewood Dr., N., Largo FL 34644, *Harmen Coerten, His Descendants* (on computer disk from author March 1996)

**DeGraw, Casparus**

Casparus DeGraw  
son of Abel DeGraw &  
Maayke Van Eiderstyn  
b. 15 Oct 1758

m. 1 Mar 1783  
Acquackanonk Ref Ch

**Lena Jurianse** (Helena)  
dau. of Christoffel Juriaense &  
Annetje Brouwer  
b. 19 Mar 1765  
bp. 21 April 1765 Acquackanonk Ref Ch

bp.

Casparus lived in New Barbadoes on the Passaic River, below Rutherford, Bergen Co., NJ where he bought lands from William Ennis 23 Apr 1787 and from Richard Bergen 29 Feb 1796.

On 29 February 1796, Richard Bergen of New Barbadoes New, conveyed to Casparus Degraw, of the same place, for £9, 0.5 acres. Signed by Richard Bergen. Witnessed by John Ernis, Nassel [Hassel] Juriansen.<sup>1</sup>

---*children of Casparus DeGraw & Lena Jurianse [Van Ripper]*:

• **Hermanus Degrauw**, b. 7 May 1783; bp. 15 June 1783 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Gerret Van Ryphen, Geertje Gerrebrantse)

• **Annaatje Degrauw**, b. 19 Sep 1784; bp. 21 Nov 1784 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Christophel Jurrianse, Annaatje Brouwer)

• **Christofel Degrauw**, b. 25 July 1789; bp. 23 Aug 1789 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Jurrie Jurrianse, Elizabeth Jurrianse)

• **Jenneke DeGraw**, b. 25 Sep 1791; bp. 30 Oct 1791 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Gerret DeGraw**, b. 5 Jan 1794; bp. 16 Feb 1794 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Van Noorstrand, Geertje Degrauw)

• **Geertje DeGraw**, b. 1 Feb 1796; bp. 13 March 1796 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: James Christie); m. (poss?) 7 Feb 1819 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC, **James Vermilya**, son of John Vermilya

• **Lena DeGraw**, b. 23 Aug 1798; bp. 27 Sep 1798 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Cornelius DeGraw**, b. 5 Mar 1801; bp. 5 April 1801 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Johannis DeGraw**, b. 7 Apr 1804; bp. 10 June 1804 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Henricus DeGraw**, b. 12 Nov 1806; bp. 30 Nov 1806 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Elizabeth DeGraw**, b. 25 Sep 1810; bp. 2 Dec 1810 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources:

[1] Davis, John David, *Bergen County New Jersey Deed Records 1689-1801*, Heritage Books, Inc., 1995, p. 174; Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 329; Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992); Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, *Records of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church in the City of New York*, Vol. 2 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society e-Library)

**Degray, Charles**

Charles Degray  
son of

m.

**Leah Lozier**  
dau. of Johannes Lozier &  
(1) Leah Banta  
b. prob. about 1732

b.

**Degray, Charles**

Claire Tholl Map of the Ramapo Tract, Bergen Co., NJ:

#199, part sold to Charles De Gray, 120 A, [vicinity of northern Midland Park]

From The Minutes of the Board of Proprietors of the Eastern Division of New Jersey from 1725 to 1744, Perth Amboy: 1960; (Re: Ramapo Tract; paraphrased unless in quotes) (Vol. IV, p. 317)...12 April 1786...On 10 January last, Charles Delprey bought 60 acres at 4 dollars per acre.

**DeGraw, Christopher**

Christopher Degraw  
son of

m. 31 May 1819  
Bergen Ref Ch  
(now Jersey City)

**Elsie Stillwell**  
dau. of

---Sources: Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, p. 62

**DeGraw, Claus**

Klaes Degrau

m.

**N. N.**

---*children of Claus DeGraw &*

• **Hermanus Degrau**, bp. 23 March 1760 Paramus Ref Ch (wit: Lucas and N.N. Van Blerkum)

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

**Degraw, Cornelius**

Cornelius DeGraw  
son of Harmanus DeGraw &  
(1) Styntje Van Steenberg  
b. 1692 NYC  
bp.

m. 7 Oct 1720  
NYC Ref Ch  
(banns at Bergen Ref Ch)

**Geertje Reddenaer** (Ridnar)  
dau. of Abel Ridnaer &  
Cathlyntje Jans Van Blarcom  
b. 3 March 1701  
bp. 3 April 1701 Bergen Ref Ch

At the time of their marriage, they were a j.m. and a j.d., he was from Acquackanonk and she was from Bergen.

---*children of Cornelius DeGraw & Geertje Ridnar:*

- **Harmanis DeGrauw**, bp. 7 Feb 1725 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Abel Riddenhors; Catharina Riddenhors);  
m. **Jannike Van Idenstein**.
- **Abel DeGrouw**, bp. 12 Mar 1727 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit Hoppe; Hendrikje DeGraw, Cornelius's sister);  
m. **Maaike Tades Van Iderstein**.
- **Catharyna DeGraw**, bp. 7 May 1729 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Walter Parsell; Fytje Riddenaers [Geertje's sister & bro-in-law.] The father's name is given as "Cornelius Grains" in the rec.)
- **Cornelis DeGrauw**, bapt. 12 December 1731 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Albert Westervelt, Maria De Marest); m. 26 August 1765, **Lea Demarest**.<sup>1</sup>
- **Elisabeth DeGraw**, bp. 24 Feb 1734 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Reinier Van Giesen; Hendrickje Van Dien)
- **Petrus DeGraw**, bp. 23 May 1736 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Aalje and wife)
- **Lucas DeGraw**, bp. 15 April 1739 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Lucas Lozier, Annetjin Valo, wife)
- **Gerret DeGrauw**, b. 2 May 1742; bp. 31 May 1741 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Theunis Helling, Grietye his wife)

---Sources:

[1] Information December 1997 from ryntbld@northstar.k12.ak.us (Bob Degraw); Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack..., 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones..., 1935; Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ...Schraalenburgh, 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II); 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; Cole, David, History of Rockland County, New York, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation

From The Minutes of the Board of Proprietors of the Eastern Division of New Jersey from 1725 to 1744, Perth Amboy: 1960; (Re: Ramapo Tract; paraphrased unless in quotes)

(Vol. II, p. 212)...14 October 1742...31 August 1742...Cornelius Degraw said he was settled upon a piece of land upon Pasaick which was claimed by Vanderlinda, that Peter Sonmans was about to have given the said piece of land to the Lutheran Church there...Degraw went to the Lutheran Church about it and was encouraged by them to settle and build upon it, which he did; had been threatened by Vanderlinda; got a lease from the Lutheran Church, but now wanted a lease from the Board if they leased to any but the Lutheran Church...Degraw said there were but about ten Lutheran families there; the minister who preached there was one Knoll, who lives in New York all summer and goes up there in winter...

(Vol. III, p. 199)...30 March 1751...lease executed to Cornelius Degraw, 200 acres at Romopock for 3 years at £1.0.0 a year.

(Vol. III, p. 318)...28 November 1757...lease for land at Romopock executed, No. 192 to Cornelis Degraw of 107-1/2 acres at 12 s 6 a year for 3 years from 24th March last.

**DeGrauw, Cornelius**

Cornelius DeGrauw  
son of John De Grauw &  
Rachel Van Horn  
b. 8 July 1742

m. 26 Aug 1765  
(NJ license)

**Lea Demarest**  
dau. of Benjamin Demarest &  
Annatie Demarest  
b. 28 Dec 1742

bp. 25 July 1742 Tappan Ref Ch

bp.

In the m. license record, he is of Orange Co., NY and she is of Bergen Co.

---children of Cornelius DeGrauw & Lea Demarest:

- **Rachel Degrauw**, b. 26 Nov 1765; bp. 22 Dec 1765 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Degrauw, Rachel his wife); d.y.
- **Benjamin De Grauw**, bp. 20 Sep 1767 So Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Benjamin Demarest and wife); d. Mendon, NY<sup>1</sup>; m. **Jemima Jearns**
- **Annatie De Graw**, bp. 24 Sep 1769 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Samuel Demarest. Annatie Demarest)
- **Rachel De Graw**, b. 26 Nov 1770; bp. 22 Dec 1770 Shraalenburgh Ref Ch; m. (prob) **Henry Shuart**, son of Joost Shuart & Lydia Concklin
- **Johannes De Grauw**, b. 30 Aug 1771; bp. 29 Sep 1771 Clarkstown Ref Ch (mother's name = Lena Demarest) (wit: Johannes De Grauw, Rachel De Grauw)
- **Margritje Degrauw**, b. 6 Oct 1774; bp. 13 Nov 1774 Clarkstown Ref Ch (wit: William De Grauw, Margrietje De Grauw)
- **Jacobus De Grauw**, b. 12 Jan 1777; bp. 2 Feb 1777 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Maria Degrauw**, b. 12 Aug 1779; bp. 28 Oct 1779 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Magdalene De Grauw** (twin), b. 7 July 1781; bp. 5 Aug 1781 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (no mother's name in bp. record) (wit: Corneles Smit and wife)
- **Maayke De Grauw** (twin), b. 7 July 1781; bp. 5 Aug 1781 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (no mother's name in bp. record) (wit: Johannes Vasei and wife)
- **Samuel De Grauw**, b. 28 May 1782; bp. 23 June 1782 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (no mother's name in bp. record) (no wit)
- **Elisabeth Degrauw**, b. 2 March 1787; bp. 10 June 1787 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources:

[1] Information December 1997 from ryntbld@northstar.k12.ak.us (Bob Degraw);

Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation; Nelson, William, *New Jersey Marriages*, p. 104; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ....Schraalenburgh*, 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II); *The Demarest Family*, 1964 (Lea Demarest is #5-74)

### DeGray, Cornelius

Claire Tholl Map of the Ramapo Tract, Bergen Co., NJ:

#39, 146 A, Cornelius Van Horn, Garret Blauvelt, Cornelius DeGray, Jan. 27, 1787 [Wyckoff/Fardale vicinity; just east of Wyckoff Ave.]

### DeGraw, Cornelius

Cornelius DeGraw  
son of Harmanis DeGraw &  
Jenneke Van Iderstein  
b. 8 Nov 1747

m.

**Catharina Vreeland**  
dau. of

b.

In 1784 he appears to have lived in the neighborhood of what was in 1901 Athenia, in Clifton, Passaic Co., NJ.

---children of Cornelius DeGraw & Catharina Vreeland:

- **Hartman DeGraw**, b. 14 Dec 1771; bp. 12 Jan 1772 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Casparus Degraau, Jannetje Degraau); m. 23 Dec 1792 **Jannetje Vreeland**. He lived near Athenia.
- (prob) **Jenneke De Graw**, m. 1794 **George Van Eydestyn**
- **Lea DeGraw**, b. 19 Oct 1778; bp. 29 Nov 1778 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit); m. (prob) **Abraham Vreeland**
- **Geertruy DeGraw**, bp. 19 Mar 1780 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Hermanus DeGraw**, bp. 16 Nov 1783 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Tryntje DeGraw**, b. 27 Dec 1788; bp. 15 Feb 1789 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 329; Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992)

### DeGraw, Cornelius

Cornelius DeGraw  
son of

m. 21 July 1805  
Second River Ref Ch

**Catharine Faulkenier (Folconier?)**  
dau. of

---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)

### DeGraw, Daniel

Daniel DeGraw  
son of Daniel DeGraw &  
Rachel Van Horn  
b. 22 May 1763

m. 2 June 1786  
Tappan Ref Ch  
"both of Welche Island"

**Breghje Blauvelt**  
dau. of Jacobus Blauvelt &  
Geertje Vervelen  
b. 30 Nov 1765  
bp. 8 Dec 1765 Clarkstown Ref Ch

bp. 26 June 1763 Clarkstown Ref Ch

---children of Daniel DeGraw & Breghje Blauvelt:

- **Johannes Degrauw**, b. 17 Oct 1786; bp. 19 Nov 1786 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Geertje Degrauw**, b. 30 March 1797; bp. 16 July 1797 Clarkstown Ref Ch

---Sources: "Betrothals and Marriages of the Dutch Reformed Church of Tappan, Rockland County, NY" in *The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, serialized, beginning in issue Vol. LXXXIV, No. 3 (July 1953); Clarkstown Baptisms; Protzmann, Robert L., "Descendants of Daniel Verveelen and Alida Schaets" draft (1/27/95); Kelly, Arthur

C. M., Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899, Kinship 1998; Moos, Dorothy A., The Blauvelt Family Genealogy, Revised Edition, Vol. I, 1987, p. 61

**DeGrow, Daniel**

Daniel DeGrow  
son of

m. 24 Nov 1804  
Warwick Dutch Ref Ch

**Anny Ward**  
dau. of

---Sources: New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at genealogy.com

**DeGray, Daniel**

Daniel DeGray  
son of William Degraw &  
Hannah Geroe

m. 2 Dec 1809  
Paramus Ref Ch

**Mary Watson** (Maria)  
dau. of (prob) Peter Watson &  
Margaret Bush  
b. abt. 1789 NJ  
d. 15 June 1868, age 79.8.4  
buried Ref Chyd, Wyckoff, NJ

b. 1789 NJ

d. 2 Aug 1877, age 88.4.9

buried Ref Chyd, Wyckoff, Bergen Co., NJ

They lived at what is today 660 Ewing Ave., Franklin Lakes, Bergen Co., NJ.

Danier Degrow received, by the will of his grandfather, Daniel Geroe, dated 24 Aug 1820, 18 acres beginning corner of John W. Packer.

On 30 April 1812 (recorded 12 May 1812, Bergen Co. G2:365) James Van Blarcom and Sally, his wife, of the Township of Franklin, conveyed to Daniel Degraw of the same place, for \$625., 23 acres more or less in the Township of Franklin, part of Lot no. 44; Daniel Gero, Junr.; James Rhodes lands; William Degraw. Signed by James Van Blarcom, Sally Van Blarcom (her mark). Witnessed by Peter Watson, Daniel Gero, Junr.<sup>3</sup>

On 23 April 1813 (recorded 5 June 1813, Bergen Co. I2:28) William Degraw and Hannah, his wife, of the Township of Franklin, conveyed to Daniel Degraw of the same place, for \$130., 4-72/100 acres being part of lot no. 45 in the Ramapo tract, beginning corner of John H. Winter and John W. Packer and line of lot 44; Jones Rhoads. Signed William Degraw (his mark), Hannah Degraw (her mark). Witnessed by Daniel Gero Jr., Peter Winter.<sup>3</sup>

1 May 1817 (Book P, 406+) -- John H. Winter and Caty, his wife, of Franklin Township both sign with X to John W. Packer of Franklin Township, for \$284, being part of lot #44 land by Daniel & William DeGrow. Witnesses Daniel Gero & Simeon VanWinkle. Interviewed 12 Sep 1817. Recorded 27 Nov 1817.<sup>2</sup>

Bergen County Orphans Court: p. 502, Oct 1825: Daniel DeGrow and James L. Ackerman, Execs. of Daniel Gero, deceased.<sup>1</sup>

They are listed in the 1850 Federal Census, Franklin Twp., dwelling #90, family #92 ("Daniel Degrau"). He is listed as a farmer, with real estate valued at \$6,000.

At the time of the 1860 Federal Census, living in Franklin Township (Godwinville P.O.), in the same household with Daniel Degray, 71, farmer, and Mary Degray, 71, were: William Snider, 25, farmer; Eliza Snider, 24; William Snider, 6; Mary Snider, 4; John Snider, 2; Martin Swats, 12; and William J. Winter, 62, farm laborer.

Mary Watson, wife of Daniel Degray, was listed in the membership roll of the Wyckoff Ref. Ch.

At the time of the 1870 census, living with Daniel DeGray are William Snyder, 36, and Elizabeth Snyder, 35 and their children.

---*children of Daniel DeGrow & Mary Watson:*

• **Peter Degray**, b. about 1814; d. 10 Feb 1839, age 24.8.14; buried Ref Chyd, Wyckoff, Bergen Co., NJ.

• (prob) **Ann DeGrow**, b. abt. 1828 NJ; m. (poss?) **Charles Wyble, Jr.**

---Sources:

[1] Abstracts of Bergen County Orphans Court records, online July 1999 from Phil O'Leary, P.O.Box 1404 Willoughby, OH 44096-1404 <pol@lubrizol.com>;

[2] Information online May 2002, Bergen Co. List, from Judith Ullman <AJULLMAN@aol.com>;

[3] Bergen County, NJ Deeds, at Bergen Co., Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs, Hackensack, NJ, abstracted by Patricia A. Wardell; 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Franklin Township, Godwinville P.O. (taken July 1860), dwelling 164, families 183 and 184; 1850 Federal Census, Franklin Township; Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, Paramus, p. 71; 1870 Federal Census, Bergen County, Franklin Township, Ramsey's P.O., dwelling 502, family 547; Ackerman, Herbert S. and Arthur J. Goff, Records of the Wyckoff Reformed Protestant Dutch Church (Wyckoff, Bergen County, NJ) January 1945

**DeGrow, Daniel**

Daniel DeGrow  
son of

m. 8 Sep 1861  
Ramapo<sup>1</sup>  
by Rev. Ephraim DeYoe<sup>2</sup>

**Julia L. Dater**  
dau. of (prob) Adam Dater &  
Mary Ann  
b. about 1841

b. about 1843

---*children of Daniel DeGrow & Julia L. Dater:*

• **Mary Lavinia DeGrow**, b. about 1862; m. 24 Aug 1881 by Rev. Ephraim DeYoe, **Michael W. May**<sup>2</sup>.

---Sources:

(1) "Vital Records, Township of Washinton, Bergen Co., NJ" copied 1991 by Mrs. Basil LoPresti, Polly Wyckoff Chapter, NSDAR

(2) Rev. Ephraim DeYoe's Informal Record Book (Bergen County Historical Society) (Rev. DeYoe was at one time Pastor of Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church, Airmont, NY, Zion Lutheran Church Saddle River, NJ, and Church of the Redeemer, Ramsey, NJ)

**DeGrow, Daniel**

Daniel DeGrow

m.

**Maria**

In December 1861 Daniel was a laborer.<sup>1</sup>

---*children of Daniel DeGrow & Maria*



• **Elizabeth DeGraw**, b. 4 Dec 1861 Saddle River, Bergen County, NJ<sup>1</sup>

---Sources:

(1) "Vital Records, Township of Washinton, Bergen Co., NJ" copied 1991 by Mrs. Basil LoPresti, Polly Wyckoff Chapter, NSDAR

**DeGraw, David**

David DeGraw  
b. about 1818

m.

**Mary A.**

b. about 1822

They were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., Franklin Twp., Godwinville P.O., enumerated 2 Aug 1860, Dwelling 524, Family 584, all b. NJ -- Davud Degraw, 43, Farm Laborer; Mary [Degraw], 39; Peter [Degraw], 20, Farm Laborer; Sarah [Degraw], 16; Charity [Degraw], 12; John [Degraw], 10; Harriet [Degraw], 3; David [Degraw], 11/12; (Same Dwelling, Family 585) Henry Winter, 22, Farm Laborer; Matilda [Winter], 24; Andrew Martine, 27, Farm Laborer; Charles Wetherwalks, 27, Farm Laborer; John Dow, 16, Farm Laborer. They were listed just after the family of Charles Wybell, and listed list before the family of David C. Bush.

David Degraw, 52, laborer, and Mary A., 48, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Harriet, 13; Harrison, 9, and Isaac, 6. Also living with them in the same dwelling, but listed as a separate family were Peter (30) and Margaret A. (27) Tice and their children.

---*children of David DeGraw & Mary A.*

- **Peter Degraw**, b. about 1840 NJ
- **Sarah Degraw**, b. about 1844 NJ
- **Charity Degraw**, b. about 1848 NJ
- **John Degraw**, b. about 1850 NJ
- **Harriet DeGraw**, b. about 1857
- **David Degraw**, b. about 1859
- **Harrison DeGraw**, b. about 1861
- **Isaac DeGraw**, b. about 1864

---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, Newfoundland P.O., taken August 1870; dwelling 228, families 263 and 264

**DeGraw, Dirck** (de Groeft) (This individual prob. is a deGroof; not of the DeGraw family)

Dirck DeGraw

m.

**Ariaentie Kierstede**

He may be identical to "Dirk Adolf alias deGroof" who , along with Tryntje Koker, wit bp. of William, son of Willem Ferbes and Abigael Falentyn 2 May 1711 NYCRefCh.

---*children of Dirck DeGraw & Ariaentie Kierstede:*

- **Maryken DeGraw**, bp. 28 June 1696 NYCRefCh (wit: Pieter de Groeft, en Aeltje Wed. Van Adolf de Groeft)
- **Adolphus DeGraw**, bp. 1 May 1698 NYCRefCh (wit: Hans Kierstede, Aefie Dirks, Wed. van Adolf de Groof)
- **Dirck de Groov**, bp. 25 Dec 1702 NYCRefCh (wit: Corneles Kierstede, Tryntie Kookers)

---Sources: NYC Ref Dutch Church Baptisms, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1883, p. 36; Apr 1883, p. 84; Jan 1884, p. 29

**DeGraw, Francois** (Francis)

Francois DeGraw

m. 2 March 1788

**Antje De Grauw** (Anne)

son of Harmanis DeGraw &  
Jenneke Van Iderstyn

Acquackanonk Ref Ch

dau. of

b. 19 Apr 1767 New Barbadoes Neck

b. Harsimus

---*children of Francois DeGraw & Antje DeGrauw:*

- **Hermanus DeGraw**, b. 9 Oct 1788; bp. 9 Nov 1788 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Geertje Degrauw [ & poss? Jacob Van Noorstrand, whose name in the record appears in the place where the mother's name should be]) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Jenneke DeGraw**, b. 29 Apr 1792; bp. 17 June 1792 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Cornelius Degrauw, Catharina Vreland); m. **James Celsey**
- **Cornelius Degrauw**, b. 16 April 1795; bp. 17 May 1795 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Jannetje Degrauw); apparently d.y.
- **Cornelius Degrauw**, b. 26 Aug 1798; bp. 23 Sep 1798 Second River Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 329; Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk, 1777* (reprinted 1992); *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)

**DeGraw, Gerrit**

Gerrit DeGraw

m. 4 May 1696

**Dorothy Hyer** (Huyer; Heyer)

son of (prob) Arent Leendertsen De Graw

NYC Ref Ch

dau. of Walter Hendricksen Hyer &

(1) Gysbertje Hermans Coerten

(banns: 10 April 1696

Tryntje Bickers

b. New York

NYC Ref Ch)

b. New York

bp. bp. 18 May 1673 NYC Ref Ch

bp. 20 Sep 1673 NYC Ref Ch

d. 1739

d.

In the NYC Ref Ch record of their banns and marriage, they were: Gerrit de Grauw, j.m. Van N. Yorck, en Dorothee Huyer, j.d. als boven, beyde woonende alhier.

Gerrit DeGraw settled in New Brunswick, NJ where he was a distiller.

In his will, dated 6 May 1739, probated 12 June 1739 New Brunswick, Middlesex Co., NJ, Gerrit De Graaw mentioned children --Walter (house and lot in New York), Gerrit, Johannes, Catharina, Gysbertje, Anna, Maria, and Cornelia, wife of Hendrick Bogaert. Bond for £75 of son-in-law, Mr. Ryall of New York City, to Johannes Jamison, deceased. Daughters married at New York, Catharina and Cornelia. Distilling furniture. Houses and lands in New Brunswick. Debt due Iszac Kip. Executors--Gerrit DeGraaw, and son-on-law, Derck Van Aersdale. Witnesses--Abraham Heyer, Benjamin van Cleave, Lucas Voorhees. Proved June 12, 1739.

---children of *Gerrit DeGraw & Dorothy Hyer*:

- **Arent DeGraw**, bp. 18 Apr 1697 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Willem Hyer, en Tryntie Bickers Wedr. Van Walter Hyer)
- **Walter DeGraw**, bp. 17 Aug 1699 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Walter Hyer & Catlina Mol, h.v. van Will: Hyer);  
m. (prob) **Marytje de Lamaar**
- **Catharina DeGraw**, bp. 19 Nov 1701 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Gerret Hyer, Sara Bos, s.h.v.); prob. m. **Evert Pels** (they had ch bp. NYC Ref Ch 1727) [Nelson says she m. Dirk Van Aesdaale]
- **Gerrett DeGraw**, bp. 6 Oct 1703 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Gerret Wouterse, Annatie Blom)
- **Cornelia DeGraw**, bp. 5 Dec 1705 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Nicolaas Pearson, Maria Hyer, jon. doghter);  
m. (prob) **Hendrik Bogert**
- **Annatje DeGraw**, bp. 30 Nov 1707 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Isaac Kip, Annatje de Mill)
- **Gysbertje DeGraw**, bp. 23 July 1710 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jan Hyer, Jannetje Stymmer, s.h.v.)
- **Johannes de Graw**, bp. 22 Feb 1713 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Victoor Hyer, Jannetje s.h.v.); apparently d.y.
- **Marytje de Graw**, bp. 19 June 1715 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Harme Bensing, Aaltje Bensing)
- **Johannes de Graw**, bp. 14 July 1717 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Victoor Hyer, Jannetje Hyer)

---Sources: NYC Ref Dutch Church Marriages, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1880, p. 126; *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; NYC Ref Dutch Church Baptisms, in NYG&B Record, Apr 1883, p. 76; July 1883, p. 127; Oct 1883, p. 179; Apr 1884, p. 86; July 1884, p. 129; Jan 1885, p. 38; Oct 1885, p. 177; Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 327; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church in New Amsterdam and New York: Baptisms*, 1901, NYG&B Society; *Calendar of New Jersey Wills*, Vol. II, 1730-1750 (online at Ancestry.com), p. 139 (will of Gerrit De Graaw)

### DeGraw, Gerrit

Gerrit DeGraw m. **Catharina Van Buren**

---children of *Gerrit DeGraw & Catharina Van Buren*:

- **Johannes de Graauw**, bp. 21 June 1747 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jan Van Buren, Maria Myer, syn h.v.)
- **Walther de Grauw**, bp. 22 June 1749 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Walther de Grauw, Maria de Graaf)
- **Maria de Graeuw**, bp. 31 July 1751 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jan Van Buuren, Maria Meyr, z.huis v.)

---Sources: NYC Ref Dutch Church Baptisms, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1894, p. 120; Jan 1895, p. 18; Oct 1895, p. 162; *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City]*, 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III);

### DeGraw, Gerrit, Jr.

Gerrit DeGraw m. 14 April 1753 **Annatje Persel** (Hannah)  
son of ?William DeGraw & Presby. Ch, Newtown, NY dau. of  
Leuntje Lynsze (Vreeland?) (NY Marriage Bond  
dated 11 April 1753) b.

In the Presbyterian Church, Newtown, NY record of their marriage, he was "Gerret De Grave of New York" and she was "Hannah Parsel."

---children of *Gerrit DeGraw & Annatje Persel*:

- **Walter DeGraw**, bp. 27 Jan 1754 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Walter de Grau, Maria de Grau, j.d.)
- **Maria de Graauw**, bp. 4 June 1758 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Nicholaas Bogaart, Maria de Grauw, j.d.)
- **Johannis deGraauw**, bp. 19 Feb 1764 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Walter de Graauw, Jannetje Persel, h.v. Richard Kip)
- **Gerrit de Graauw**, bp. 10 Aug 1766 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Richard Kip Jr., Elizabeth Kip, j.d.)

---Sources: "Records of the Presbyterian Church, Newtown (now Elmhurst), Queens County, Long Island, NY" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, April 1925, p. 173; "Records of the Reformed Dutch Church in New York—Baptisms" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Apr 1896, p. 78; Apr 1897, p. 95, Oct 1897, p. 231, Apr 1898, p. 77; *New York Marriages Previous to 1784*, p. 103; Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 328

### DeGraw, Gerret

Gerret DeGraw m. **Sarah Van Iderstyn**  
son of Harmanis DeGraw & Jenneke Van Iderstyn dau. of

---children of *Gerret DeGraw & Sarah Van Iderstyn*:

- **Hendrickje Degrauw**, b. 30 Nov 1766; bp. 21 Dec 1766 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Josua Boss, Elizabeth Van Eydestyn)
- **Geertje DeGraw**, b. 23 Jan 1769; bp. 19 Feb 1769 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Hermanus Van Eydestyn, Catharina Boss);  
d.y.
- **Cornelius DeGraw**, b. 13 June 1772; bp. 5 July 1772 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Theunis Van Eydestyn, Aaltje Van Winkel)
- **Geertje DeGraw**, b. 24 Mar 1775; bp. 16 April 1775 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Casparus Van Eydestyn, Geertje Degrauw); m. (1) -?-; m. (2) (prob) 25 Oct 1800 **Johannes Helmigh Post**
- **Caspares DeGraw**, bp. 26 July 1778 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (no mother's name in bp. record) (wit: Albert Terhuen and wife)

---Sources: *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ...Schraalenburgh [Bergen Co., NJ]*, 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II); Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 329; Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*,

1977 (reprinted 1992)

**DeGraw, Gerret**

Gerret DeGraw

son of

b. New Brunswick

At the time of their marriage, both lived at Hanover.

---children of Gerret DeGraw & Sarah Devoor:

- **Catharina Dehraw**, b. 5 Jan 1781; bp. 28 Jan 1781 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Marten Berry, Catharina Berry)
- **Maria Degray**, b. 2 April 1783; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (wit: Peter Mead, Maria Mead)
- **Hendrikus Degrauw**, b. 9 Aug 1785; bp. Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Beekman Van Buren Degrauw**, b. 4 Feb 1790; bp. 24 Jan 1791 So. Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Beekman Van Buren, Agnietje Vreeland, his wife) (also rec. Hackensack Ref Ch)

---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ...Schraalenburgh [Bergen Co., NJ], 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II); Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack [Bergen Co., NJ]... 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992); Reformed Dutch Church records of Pompton Plains, pages 1-210 : records of Montville, pages 211-258 : type-script, 1923, (online at HeritageQuest)

m. 12 May 1780

Acquackanonk Ref Ch

**Sarah Devoor** (Saerty; Sally)

dau. of

b. New York

**De Graw, Garret**

Garret DeGraw

m.

**Elizabeth Whitehead**

---children of Garret DeGraw & Elizabeth Whitehead:

- **John Whitehead De Graw**, b. 12 Oct 1818; bp. 16 Jan 1819 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC (parents in bp. record: Garret De Graw & Elisabeth Whitehead)
- **Isaac Degray**, b. 13 March 1820; bp. 14 July 1820 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC (parents in bp. record: Garret Degray & Eliza Whitehead)

---Sources: Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, Records of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church in the City of New York, Vol. 1 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society e-Library)

**Degraw, Garret**

Garret Degraw

son of Jasper Degraw &

---Sources: Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, Records of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church in the City of New York, Vol. 2, Marriages (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society e-Library)

m. 27 April 1822

Madison Ave Ref Ch, NYC

**Susan Lee**

dau. of Richard Lee &

**DeGraw, George Edwin**

George Edwin DeGraw

son of

b, about 1843 Blauvelt, NY

---Sources: Information online July 2001, Dutch-Colonies List, from R Bruce Willstaedt <brucew@inet4u.com>

m. about 1866

**Effie Ellen DeGraw**

dau. of William/James DeGraw & Mary Hopper

b. 12 June 1845 Suffern, NY

**DeGraw, Harmen Arentsen** (de Graef; De Grave; du Grave)

Harmen Ar. DeGraw

son of Arendt Leendertzen DeGraw &

(1) Gysbertje Hermans Coerten

bp. 13 Nov 1661 NYC Ref Ch

d. before 24 May 1714

m. (1) 16 Dec 1682

Kingston Ref Ch

(banns: 18 Nov 1682

Kingston Ref Ch)

m. (2)

**Styntie Jans Van Steenberg**

dau. of Jan Jansen Van Steenberg &

Catryntje Matthysen

bp.

d.

**Ebbe Verwey** (Abigail; Lysbeth Verwey)

dau. of (poss) Cornelis Verwey &

Hendrickje Jans Buys

In the (1) marriage record, they were: Harman de Graef, j.m. of Nieu Jorccck, resid. in Kingston, and Syntie Janz of Amersfoort [Amersfoort, Province of Utrecht, Holland], j/d/ of Kingston, and resid. there.

Harmen Arentsen du Grave (DeGraw) and Leendert Arendtsen du Grave (DeGraw) were both in Bergen County by 14 March 1693 when they signed (Leendert with his mark) a request (from the officers and heads of families "of the congregation of Acquackanonk and Hackensack" to the Classis in the Netherlands) that Guillian Bertholf (who carried the request to Holland) be ordained and authorized to serve as their domine.

Ebbe Verwey, as widow of Harmen De Graaun, m. (2) 24 May 1714 Tappan Ref Ch, **William Van Schyven**.

---children of Harmen DeGraw & (1) Syntie Jans Van Steenberg:

- **Gysbertie de Grau**, bp. 27 Jan 1684 Kingston Ref Ch (wit: Catryn Matyse, Jan Hendricz)
- **Catharina DeGraw**, bp. 5 Feb 1688 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit Wouterszen, Cornelia DeGraw)
- **Jan DeGraw**, bp. 11 Feb 1690 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jan Dirckszen, Maryken Hendricks Van der hoogen)
- **Cornelius DeGraw**, b. about 1692; m. 7 Oct 1720<sup>1</sup> **Geertruy Reddenors**.(Ridnar), dau. of Abel Ridnar & Cathlyntje Jans Van Blarcom.

---children of Harmanus DeGraw & (2) Lysbeth Verwey:

- **Leendert de Grauw**, bp. 21 Feb 1697 Brooklyn Ref. Ch. (wit: Jakop Buys, Hilleetje Uythuys); m. (prob) **Sara Christie** (Christyn).
- **Hendrickje DeGraw**, bp. 4 June 1699 NYC Ref Ch (wit Leendert Arentse deGraw, Catharina Appel); "Henrickie DeGraw, dau. of Harme DeGraeuw" joined Hackensack Church 13 Apr 1723; m. poss. **Casparus Tades [Iderstein?]**
- **Albartus DeGraw**, bp. 14 Jan 1702 NYC Ref Ch (wit Johannes Jooste [Van Sise], Judith Verwey, s.h.v.)
- **Arent Harmanus deGraw**, bp. 23 Aug 1704 NYC Ref Ch (wit Pieter Bogert. Fytie Serfaas); m. **Angenietje Sluysper** (Sluyter).
- **Cornelia DeGraeuw**, bp. 5 Jan 1707 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Baren Kool; Margrietie his wife) mother's name in bp. record is Ebbe Verwey); m. (banns 20 Feb 1725 Tappan Ref Ch) **Peter Nix**.

---Sources:

[1] Information December 1997 from ryntbld@northstar.k12.ak.us (Bob Degraw);

*New York Genealogical & Biographical Record* July 1977, p. 157; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack [Bergen Co., NJ]...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City]*, 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III); Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 328; van der Linde, A.P.G. Jos., *Old First Dutch Reformed Church of Brooklyn, New York First Book of Records, 1660-1752*, Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., 1983; NYC Ref Dutch Church Baptisms, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Oct 1879, p. 169; July 1880, p. 139; Hoes, Roswell Randall, *Baptismal and Marriage Registers of the Old Dutch Church of Kingston...*, 1891 (reprinted [no date] Higginson Book Co.); "Betrothals and Marriages of the Dutch Reformed Church of Tappan, Rockland County, NY" in *The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, serialized, beginning in issue Vol. LXXXIV, No. 3 (July 1953)

### DeGraw, Harmanus

Hermanus D. DeGraw  
son of Cornelius DeGraw  
& Geertje Ridnar

m. 8 April 1747  
Acquackanonk Ref Ch

**Jannike Van Idenstein** (Iderstein)  
dau. of (prob) Casparus Tadus (Van Iderstein)  
& (1) Jannetje Post  
b. New Barbadoes Neck  
bp.

b. Hackensack

bp. 7 Feb 1725 Hackensack Ref Ch

In the marriage record he was a j.m. living at Paramus; she was a j.d. living at New Barbadoes Neck.

---*children of Harmanus DeGraw & Jannike Van Idenstein*:

- **Cornelius DeGraw**, b. 8 Nov 1747; bp. 6 Dec. 1747 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Abel DeGraw, Geertje DeGraw); m. **Catharine Vreeland**. In 1784 he appears to have lived in the neighborhood of present (1901) Athenia.
- **Jannetje DeGraw**, b. 29 Nov 1750; bp. 25 Dec 1750 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Casparus Van Yderstein and wife); m. (1) 15 Nov 1778 **Hendrick Wesselse**; m. (2) 8 July 1798 Acquackanonk Ref Ch, **John F. Post**, widower of Antje Rutan.
- (prob) **Gerrit DeGraw**, m. **Sarah Van Eydestyn**
- (prob) **Walter DeGraw**, m. **Metje Sip**
- **Geertrui DeGraw**, bp. 14 April 1754 Paramus Ref Ch (wit: Joris and Antje Stegg); m. **James D. Christie**
- **Casparus DeGraw**, bp. 11 July 1756 Paramus Ref Ch (wit: Andries and Jannitte Debouw). In 1807 he was living between Wagaraw and Haledon.
- **Catharina DeGraw**, b. 16 Apr 1763; bp. 15 May 1763 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Hermanus Van Eydestyn, Catharina Boss); m. 12 July 1783 **John Schidmoor**
- **Franscois De Grauw**, b. 19 April 1767; bp. 24 May 1767 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Josua Boss, Elizabeth Van Eydestyn)

---Sources: Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992); Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, *Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church [Bergen Co., NJ] Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones...*, 1935; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack [Bergen Co., NJ]...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 329

From *The Minutes of the Board of Proprietors of the Eastern Division of New Jersey from 1725 to 1744*, Perth Amboy: 1960; (Re: Ramapo Tract; paraphrased unless in quotes) (Vol. III, p. 260)...27 March 1754...lease for land at Romopock executed : No. 146 to Harmanus Degraw of 117 acres, 0.12.6

### Degrauw, Harmanus

Harmanus Degrauw  
son of  
b. Sterling

m. 7 March 1789  
Acquackanonk Ref Ch

**Antje Montanje**  
dau. of  
b. Paramus

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

### DeGraw, Hartman

Hartman DeGraw  
son of Cornelis DeGraw &

m. 23 Dec 1792  
Acquackanonk Ref Ch

**Jannetje Vreeland** (Jane Freeland)  
dau. of

---*children of Hartman DeGraw & Jannetje Vreeland*:

- **Cornelius DeGraw**, b. 12 July 1795; bp. 2 Aug 1795 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Marynus DeGraw** (Marinus), b. 4 Mar 1798; bp. 8 May 1798 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)
- **John DeGraw**, b. 29 June 1800; bp. 17 Aug 1800 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Geertje Degrauw)
- **Hartman DeGraw**, b. 15 July 1802; bp. 19 Sep 1802 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit); apparently d.y.
- **Hartman Degrauw**, b. 6 March 1805; bp. 7 April 1805 Stone House Plains Ref Ch
- **Harmanus Degrauw**, b. 14 May 1807; bp. 5 July 1807 Stone House Plains Ref Ch

---Sources: Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 330; Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992); Stone House Plains Baptisms, Online at: <http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~mqqueman/stone.html>

**DeGraw, Henry** (Margroff; Degraff; DeGray)

Henry Degraff m. 13 Jan 1816  
son of Martin Margroff /Degraw & Paramus Ref Ch

Carsteana -?-

b. abt. 1788

d. 1861 (prob. about 7 Oct 1861, age 75, Franklin Twp., of dropsy<sup>1</sup>)

Henry Degraff signed a Bergen Co. Road Return application (E-193) 30 June 1827 for Franklin Township, for the establishment of a public road, apparently the easterly continuation of Brookside Avenue (in what is today Allendale). His will dated 1861 is on file in Trenton (5567B).

The family of "Henry DeGraw" is listed in the 1850 Federal Census for Franklin Township, Bergen County, N.J. (Dwelling house #235; Family #251) just after Samuel Halsted and just before Abraham Blauvelt. All listed were b. NJ. The family consisted of Henry DeGraw, 59; Letty DeGraw, 70; Margaret DeGraw, 23; Jacob Post, 29; Mary Ann Post, 32; John Henry Post 7; Rachel M. Post, 3.

At the time of the 1860 Federal Census, Henry Degraf, 72, gentleman, is listed as living with the family of Jacob Post (his son-in-law). Also living with this family is Margaret Degraf, age 43.

Ellen DeGray, 85, was living with Henry C. and Ellen Post at the time of the 1870 Federal Census, living in the 2nd Ward in the City of Paterson, Passaic, NJ.

---children of Henry DeGraw & Aletta Blauvelt:

- **Margaret Degraff**, b. 22 Feb 1817; bp. (as Peggy Degraff) 16 March 1817 Paramus Ref Ch; d. 17 Dec 1907; buried Wyckoff Ref Chyd. She was listed, as Margaret DeGraw, in the 1900 Federal Census, living in Franklin Township, Bergen County, NJ with her brother-in-law, Jacob Post. She was listed as b. Dec 1816 NJ, single (a birth date of 22 Dec 1816 is on her gravestone as well, in conflict with the birth date given at baptism).
- **Mary Ann Degraff**, bp. (as Maryann Degrove) 23 Feb 1820 New Prospect M.E. Ch; m. **Jacob Post**, son of John Post & Hannah -?-.
- **Martin Degraff**, b. 1 Dec 1826; m. (poss) **Ellen -?-** (poss. Ellen Hokum)
- (poss?) **Abraham Margraff**, b. abt. 1830; m. **Edwina -?-**

---Sources:

[1] Information online April 1999 from Jean Morris <RMorris216@aol.com> citing Franklin Township Births and Deaths (from State of NJ); 1850 Federal Census, Franklin Twp; Moos, The Blauvelt Family Genealogy, Vol. I, p. 223; Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, Paramus, p. 73; 1860 Federal Census, Franklin Twp., Godwinville P.O., dwelling 412, family 462 (Jacob Post; Wyckoff-Allendale-Waldwick area); 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, 2nd Ward, City of Paterson, taken June 1870, dwelling 171, family 241 (family of Henry C. Post); 1900 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Franklin Township (taken 22 June 1900), Dwelling 306, Family 322 (Family of Jacob Post); Ackerman, Herbert S. and Arthur J. Goff, Records of the Wyckoff Reformed Protestant Dutch Church, including gravestone inscriptions from the Chyd (Wyckoff, Bergen County, NJ) January 1945; 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

**Degray, Henry** (Henry I. or Henry J.)

Henry Degray m. (1)

son of

b. abt. 1815-19 NJ

d.

**Cynthia E.**

dau. of

b. abt. 1815-19 NJ

d.

**Eliza**

b. abt. 1819

They lived in Godwinville, Bergen Co., NJ in 1859.

Living with Henry I. DeGray, 51, Farm Laborer, and his wife Eliza, 51, in Franklin Township (Ramseys P.O.), possibly in the area that became Midland Park borough, at the time of the 1870 Census were Elmira Ackerson, 27; and James Ackerson, 2.

Henry J. Degray, 61, laborer, and Syntha L., 61, his wife, were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, living in Ridgewood Township, Bergen County, NJ. Living with them were their children: Jonathan, 23, laborer; John W., 19, laborer; and Harvy Z., 15.

---children of Henry Degray & (1) Cynthia E.

- **Robert Degray**, b. abt. 1841 NJ; m. (poss) 25 Sep 1866 Second Ref Ch, Paterson, NJ, **Amanda D. Conklin**
- **Elmyra Degray** (Elmira), b. abt. 1844 NJ; m. -?- **Ackerson**
- **Stephen Z. DeGray**, b. abt. 1845
- **William Henry DeGray**, b. 13 Dec 1853; bp. 6 March 1859 New Prospect ME Ch (Waldwick)<sup>1</sup>
- **Jonathan Degray** (John B.), b. 12 Feb 1856 NJ; bp. 6 March 1859 New Prospect ME Ch (Waldwick)<sup>1</sup>
- **John W. DeGray**, b. abt. 1862
- **Harvey Z. DeGray**, b. abt. 1865

---Sources:

[1] New Prospect Methodist Episcopal Church (now Waldwick, NJ) Baptisms, transcribed by Jean Morris <RMorris216@aol.com> online 27 Nov 1998 years 1858-1872 online at <[http://www.rootsweb.com/~njpchsgc/chu/new\\_prospect\\_me\\_bapt.htm](http://www.rootsweb.com/~njpchsgc/chu/new_prospect_me_bapt.htm)>; Second Reformed Church at Paterson, NJ, Marriages 1828-1896 online March 2001 at <[http://www.rootsweb.com/~njpchsgc/chu/second\\_reformed\\_marriages.htm](http://www.rootsweb.com/~njpchsgc/chu/second_reformed_marriages.htm)>; 1860 Federal Census, Franklin Township, Godwinville P.O., dwelling 325, family 366; 1850 Federal Census, Bergen County, Saddle River Township, dwelling 1309, family 1364; 1870 Federal Census, Bergen County, NJ, Franklin Township, Ramsey's P.O., Dwelling 51, Family 59; 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Ridgewood Township, taken June 1880, dwelling 234, family 251 (family of Henry J. Degray)

**De Gray, Isaac**

Isaac De Gray m.

son of Leonard De Gray &

Geertje/Charity Quick

-?-

dau. of

bp. 9 Dec 1699 NYC Ref Ch  
 d. before 5 April 1739  
---children of Isaac DeGraw &  
 • **Leonard DeGraw**  
 • **Jacobus DeGraw**  
 • **Isaac DeGraw**

bp.  
 d.

---Sources:

[1] 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, pub. 1895), p. 79 (will of Leonard De Graw, Isaac's father)

**DeGraw, Isaac**

Isaac De Graw

m.

**Angeltie**

In his will, he wrote: ...September 30, 1771. I, Isaac DeGraw, of Brookland, Kings County, on the Island of Nassau, blacksmith, being weak in body. My executors are to pay all debts and sell my real and personal estate. I leave to my wife Angeltie the use of all my estate until my son James shall come of age, for the support of my three children. The proceeds of the sale to go to my wife and children, Mary, Isaac, and James. But my eldest son Isaac is to have £5 before any division. I leave to my wife my silver spoons. I make my wife and my friends, Stephen Terhune and Cornelius Vandervort, executors. Witnesses, John Bryan, school master, Benjamin Waldron, John Dudley. Proved, March 3, 1772.

---children of Isaac DeGraw & Angeltie

- **Mary De Graw**
- **Isaac De Graw**
- **James De Graw**

---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. 17 (will of Isaac De Graw)

**DeGraw, Isaac**

Isaac DeGraw

m.

**Ann De Bevois**

son of

dau. of Jacobus De Bevois &

Sarah De Bevois, of Brooklyn, widow of Jacobus De Bevois, in her will dated 2 July 1776, mentioned "my granddaughter Ann, daughter of my late son Jacobus De Bevois, now Ann Degraw, wife of Isaac Degraw of Brooklyn..."

---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 IX 1777-1783, page 50 (will of Sarah De Bevois)

**De Graw, James** (Jacobus)

James De Graw

m. (1) 6 April 1751  
 Flatbush Dutch Ref Ch  
 (both from Brooklyn)<sup>2</sup>

**Anna Van Dyke**

son of

dau. of

d. 1767

m. (2)

d.

**Anna**

In his will dated 25 Jan 1767, probated 7 March 1767, James De Graw of Brookland, in Kings County, NY, turner, mentioned dau. Katharine "which I had by my first wife, Anna Van Dyke"; wife Anna; youngest child Cornelia; all children — Katharine, Mary, Anna, Ida, and Cornelia. Made friend Johanes Jansen and brother Isaac De Graw executors. Wits: Benjamin Waldron, Joseph De Groote, Robert Gilmore, shopkeeper.<sup>1</sup>

---children of James De Graw & (1) Anna Van Dyke:

- **Katharine De Graw**

---children of James De Graw & (2) Anna/Antje

- **Mary De Graw**
- **Anna De Graw**
- **Ida De Graw**
- **Cornelia De Grau**, bp. 25 March 1764 Gravesend Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources:

[1] 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. VII, 1766-1771, pub. 1898), p. 48

[2] New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at <genealogy.com>  
 Divine, Peter. Gravesend Ref Ch Records, transcription July 2001, from LDS Microfilm #1016877, Item #2, originally transcribed by Dingman Versteeg, online July 2001 at <<http://olivetreegenealogy.com/nn/church/gravesend1.shtml>>

**De Graw, James**

James De Graw

m. 17 Mar 1810

**Sally Wilson**

son of

Kakiat Ref Ch

dau. of

In the marriage record, they are both of Ramapo.

---Sources: Marriage Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of West New Hempstead, New York 1774-1898, also known as "Kakiat" and presently referred to as "Brick Church" online at <<http://www.dutchdoorgenealogy.com/>>

**DeGraw, Jasper** See: DeGraw, Caspar/Casparus

**DeGraw, John** (Johannes DeGrauw)

John DeGraw m.

son of (prob.) William Leenderts DeGraw & Leuntje Lynsze (Lyons?) (or Machielse) (Vreeland) (wid. of Coenrad Hanse Herte)

b. 19 Sept. 1716

bp. 29 Oct. 1716 Tappan Ref Ch

Johannes DeGraw & his wife Rachel wit. bp. 11 May 1740 Tappan of Johannes Nix, son of Peter Nix & Cornelia DeGraw

---children of Johannes DeGraw & Rachel Van Horn:

- **Lena DeGraw**, b. 31 Jan 1741; bp. 1 March 1741 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Leendert De Grau, Luentye DeGraw his mother)
- **Cornelius De Grau** b. 8 July 1742; bp. 25 July 1742 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Cornelius Van Hooren, Elisabeth his wife); m. **Lea Demarest**
- **Jacomyntje DeGraw**, b. 4 Aug 1744; bp. 25 Aug. 1744 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Quackenbos, Susanna his wife); m. (prob) **Jacobus Turneur**, son of John Turneur & Jannetje Turneur.
- **Grietye DeGraw**, (twin) b. 11 Aug 1746; bp. 31 Aug. 1746 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Theunis Helling, Grietye his wife); m. (poss.) **John Smith** (?)
- **Maria DeGraw** (twin), b. 11 Aug 1746; bp. 31 Aug. 1746 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Cornelius Van Hoorin, Maria his wife); m. **Jeremiah Voorese**
- **Rachel DeGraw**, bp. 26 March 1749 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: Jan Westervelt, Marytje Durie, his wife); m. (prob) **Hendrick Bush**
- **William DeGrauw**, b. 25 June 1751; bp. 14 July 1751 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Leendert DeGraw, Elisabeth his wife); m. **Annatje Gero**, dau. of Daniel B. Geroe & Mary Elizabeth House. Annaetje was born 15 Mar 1755 and was baptized 4 May 1755 Clarkstown Ref Ch
- **Johannis DeGraw**, b. 25 Nov 1753; bp. 16 Dec. 1753 Tappan Ref Ch (Johannis Van Hoorin, Henderickye his wife)
- **Elisabeth DeGrouw**, b. 18 May 1756; bp. 6 June 1756 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Leendert DeGrauw, Elisabeth his wife)
- **Lucas DeGrauw**, b. 13 Aug 1758; bp. 17 Sept. 1758 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Lucas Van Hoorin, Grietye his wife); m. **Rebecca Smith**
- **Daniel DeGrauw**, (twin) b. 22 May 1763; bp. 26 June 1763 Clarkstown Ref Ch (wit: Daniel DeKlerck, Margrietje DeKlerck); m. 2 June 1786 Tappan Ref Ch, **Brechje Blauvelt**, daughter of Jacobus I Blauvelt and Geertye Daniels Vervalen
- **Marretje De Graeuw**, (twin) b. 22 May 1763; bp. 26 June 1763 Clarkstown Ref Ch (wit: Hendrick Terneur, Marretje Terneur)

Sources: Cole, David, History of Rockland County, New York, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation; Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ...Schraalenburgh [Bergen Co., NJ], 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II); Turnure, Joan D. (work in progress, April 1996), Descendants of Daniel Tourneur, p. 55; Kelly, Arthur C. M., Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899, Kinship 1998

**Rachel Van Horn**

dau. of (prob) Cornelius Van Horn & (1) Jacquemyntje Demarest

b.

bp.

**DeGraw, John**

John DeGraw

son of

m. 9 April 1747

NYC Ref Ch

**Catalina Rapelje**

dau. of Cornelis Rapelje & Johanna Antonides

bp. 16 Oct 1720 NYC Ref Ch

bp.

---Sources: "Antonides Family Records" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 89, No. 4, Oct 1958, p. 209;

**DeGraw, John** (Jan DeGraeuw; Dugrau; Degray) (twin?)

John DeGraw

son of Leonard DeGraw & Sara Christie

bp. 25 Jan 1719 Hackensack Ref Ch (twin?)

d. abt. 1777

m. 9 June 1748

Hackensack Ref. Cjh.

(banns 30 Apr)

**Lena Reyersen** (Helena; Elenor)

dau. of Frans Marten Ryerson & Jannetje Dey

b. 13 Sep 1730

d. 17 Apr 1818

The Ryerson Genealogy (probably using information from Clayton & Nelson) calls him Johannis (John) DeGray from Scotland and says he settled in Manchester before the Revolution on a place later (perhaps late 1800s) occupied by Adam Freeman, on the Goffle Road.

John De Gray/DeGraw operated grist and flour mills at the Goffle. John bought 4 acres at the Goffle on 1 Oct 1759 (unrecorded deed) from George Vreeland. This land was a parcel cut out of the farm of Hessel Doremus (the adjoining farm to the north was that of Simeon Van Winkle). On this tract were (along with probably a dwelling and barns) a grist mill and a bolting mill.

John Degray's will was dated 12 Sep 1777 and probated 29 Jan 1806 (witnessed by Henry Doremus, John Van Blarcom, and D. Archibald).

---children of John DeGraw & Lena Ryerse:

- **Janneke DeGraw**, bp. 20 Nov. 1748 Paramus Ref Ch (wit: Anthony and Polly Van Blarcom); poss. m. **Joseph Berry** (John Berry!).
- **Jan DeGraeu**, bp. 24 Sep 1752 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Filippus Barri and wife); m. (license dated 21 Jan 1774) **Marytje Berry**. He occupied the old homestead at the Goffle and ran the mill for several years after his father's death.
- **Dirrick Degraw** (Richard DeGray), b. 19 Aug 1755; bp. 7 Sep 1755 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Albert Terhuen,

Marytje Terhuen); m. **Ann Schuyler**, of Pompton, dau. of Philip Schuyler.

- **Abram DeGraau**, bp. 3 Dec 1758 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jacobus Huysman, and wife, Marytje Blinkerhof) [in bp. record, mother's name is given as "**Sara Ryerse**")
- **Benjemen Degrauw**, b. 24 Aug 1777; bp. 14 Sep 1777 Clarkstown Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Devris, Tryntje Devris)

---Sources:

[1] Clayton, W. Woodford & Nelson, William, *History of Bergen and Passaic Counties, New Jersey*, Philadelphia 1882, p. 560; Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, *Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church [Bergen Co., NJ] Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones...*, 1935; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack [Bergen Co., NJ]...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation; Ryerson, Albert Winslow, *The Ryerson Genealogy*, p. 10-11; *Bulletin of the Passaic County Historical Society*, Vol. 3, No. 8, Nov. 1950, p. 33; Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 328; Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992)

From *The Minutes of the Board of Proprietors of the Eastern Division of New Jersey from 1725 to 1744*. Perth Amboy: 1960; (Re: Ramapo Tract; paraphrased unless in quotes) (Vol. II, p. 123)...18 August 1741...List of leases executed by the Board before and now: ...John Degrio, unimproved, 100 acres

(Vol. II, p. 153)...23 March 1741[/42 NS]...Alexander said that he delivered a lease to Joseph Minks for 100 acres...and he assigned it by their consent to John Degrie, to whom the said Alexander also leases 50 acres more...

(Vol. IV, p. 176)...4 June 1742...Paid [quit rent]: John Degree, for 150 acres, £0.15.0.

(Vol. II, p. 195)...28 July 1742...John Degree complained that Francis Ryerson by his late lease from the Board, had taken in the meadow and land or great part thereof, which he had taken possession of by his prior lease...Lewis Conklin and 12 of his neighbors certified that John Degree had prior possession of the said lands...

(Vol. II, p. 197)...28 July 1742...a lease was requested by Lewis Conklin for 100 acres joining John Degree's...

(Vol. II, p. 278, chart)...11. Joseph Minks (100 acres; 10 shill. year rent) and John Degree (50 acres; 5 shill. year rent), lease date 18 August 1741...

(Vol. II, p. 278, chart)...19. John Degree, lease date 18 August 1741, 100 acres, no rent listed...

### Grauw, John

John Grauw

m.

**Feytje Raleman**

---*children of John Grauw & Feytje Raleman*:

- **John Grauw**, bp. 2 Nov 1748 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Mattheus Huisman, Hester Van Zant, z.h.v.)

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

### DeGree, John

John DeGree

m.

-?-

d. before 14 Oct 1785

d.

In his will, he wrote: ...I, John DeGree, of the City of New York, altho in a comfortable state of health. My will is that all my estate, real and personal, in the State of New York or elsewhere if it can be come at by my Executor, be sold at Public Vendue within six months of my decease; the proceeds to be divided equally between my following children or their heirs, William, Susannah, wife of Samuel Page; Doshea, wife of Richard Edwards, and Sarah, wife of William Jacobs, except I give to John Degree (son of my son John, deceased) £20; if so be that each of my said children have £20 when the estate is divided, but if there be anything less than £20 left after my said children have each £20, then said John Degree is not to have the £20 let my estate be what it will. If the said John Degree be not of age when my estate is divided then the £20 be put at interest and given to him with the interest when of age; if he die before of age without issue then the money to be divided between my aforesaid children. Lastly, whereas my sons, Thomas and Charles, have had as much as is their share of my estate they are to have no more. My sole Executor is my son-in-law, William Jacobs. Dated January 20, 1783. Witnesses, Andrew Thompson (of N. Y. City, Mason), Peter Thompson, Valentine Arnold. Proved, October 14, 1785.

---*children of John DeGree &*

- **John DeGree**, d before 20 Jan 1783; m. -?-

- **William DeGree**

- **Susannah DeGree**, m. **Samuel Page**

- **Doshea DeGree**, m. **Richard Edwards**

- **Sarah DeGree**, m. **William Jacobs**

- **Thomas DeGree**

- **Charles DeGree**

---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. XIII, 1784-1786 and Letters of Admin. 1785, pub. 1904), p. 207 (will of John DeGree)

### DeGraw, John (DeGrea)

John DeGraw

m.

**Hannah -?-**

son of (poss) Gerrit Arentse De Graw

---*children of John DeGraw & Hannah*

- **William DeGrea**, bp. 26 Feb. 1741 Paramus Ref Ch (wit: Nicholas & Metje Folk)

---Sources: Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, *Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church [Bergen Co., NJ] Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones...*, 1935; Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 328

### DeGraw, John (Degray)

Jan De Grauw

m. 21 Jan 1774

**Maria Berry (Polly)**



son of John DeGray & Lena Ryerson (NJ license) dau. of  
 b. about 1752 b. about 1751  
 d. 12 Oct 1834, age 82.1.25 d. 14 March 1839, age 87.4.5  
 buried Old Burial Ground, Hawthorne, NJ buried Old Burial Ground, Hawthorne, NJ  
 In the m. license record, he is "John Degray" of Bergen Co., and she is "Polly Berry" of Essex Co.  
 John Degray was a member of the Second Ref Ch of Paterson, where he was an Elder in 1827.  
 They lived at the Goffle. John DeGray, of the Goffle, dated his will 22 Sep 1827 and it was probated 4 Nov 1834. The witnesses were Jacob Goetschius, Albert Terhune and John Van Blarcom.  
 On 10 May 1803 (recorded 23 August 1805, Bergen Co. V:98) Henry Ortley of the City of New York, Tanner, and Maria, his wife, conveyed to Michael Ortley of the State of New Jersey, Tanner, for \$1, 27-75/100 acres strict measure, an equal undivided half part of a lot in Wagraw in Saddle River Precinct, beginning NW side of Wagraw Brook on fork of road and NE side of Gaffel and Prekness Road; provided said Michael Ortley shall not hinder Hessel Ryerson by damming and raising water; mentioned present water wheel; said parcel was conveyed to said Henry Ortley and Michael Ortley by Hessel Ryerson and Catherine, his wife 11 Feb 1793. Also one equal undivided half of lot in Wagraw Mountain in the Township of Saddle River, beginning NE corner Henry Terhune's lot; mentioned NE corner Richard Degray's land; John Degray's land; conveyed to said Henry Ortley and Michael Ortley by Garret Van Wagenen and Sophiah, his wife, 19 Nov 1793. Signed by Henry Ortley. Witnessed by John Berdan, Valentine Shmoull!<sup>1</sup>  
 ---*children of John DeGraw & Maria Berry*:  
 • **Maria DeGraw**, b. 25 Feb 1774; bp. 3 Apr 1774 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Harmen Van Reipen and wife, Maria Berrie); m. 23 June 1792 **John J. Berdan**.  
 • **Lena DeGray** (Ellen), b. 10 Dec 1780; bp. 28 Jan 1781 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: Dirck Degrauw, Lena Berry); m. 3 May 1800, **Garret Marselusse** (Merselis) of Preakness.  
 ---Sources:  
 [1] Bergen County, NJ Deeds, at Bergen Co., Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs, Hackensack, NJ, abstracted by Patricia A. Wardell; Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992); Hackensack Baptisms; Nelson, William, *New Jersey Marriages*, p. 104; Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 329; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947 (Old Burial Ground near Passaic River, Hawthorne, NJ), p. 181; Wells, 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. 110 (online at HeritageQuest);

**DeGraw, Johannes** (Jan)

Johannes DeGraw m.  
 son of

**Lea DeVries**  
 dau. of Johannes De Vries &  
 Tryntje Geroe

---*children of Johannes DeGraw & Lea DeVries*:

- **Benjemen Degrauw** (Benjamin), b. 24 Aug 1777; bp. 14 Sep 1777 Clarkstown Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Devris, Tryntje Devris)
- **Cornelis De Grauw**, b. 2 Oct 1779; bp. 28 Oct 1779 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Isaac De Grauw**, b. 19 Oct 1780?; bp. 16 Dec 1787 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Abraham Degrau**, b. 4 Jan 1782; bp. 3 Feb 1782 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Polhemus, Anatye Devries)
- **Daniel De Grauw**, b. 23 May 1785; bp. 11 July 1785 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Jacob De Grauw**, b. 29 Dec 1791; bp. 5 Feb 1792 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Kelly, Arthur C. M., *Baptism Record of the Clarkstown Reformed Church, West Nyack, Rockland County, NY 1749-1899*, Kinship 1998; Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation

**DeGraw, John** (Jan)

John DeGraw m. 8 Dec 1786  
 son of Leendert DeGraw & Elizabeth Haring Tappan Ref Ch  
 b. 27 June 1762  
 bp. 18 July 1762 Tappan Ref Ch  
 d. 5 Sep 1846  
 buried Blauvelt Cem., Harrington Park, Bergen Co., NJ

**Maria Duryea** (Durie)  
 dau. of David Duryea & Margrietje Van Horn  
 b. 8 Oct 1765  
 bp. 20 Oct 1765 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch  
 d. 26 Feb 1844  
 buried Blauvelt Cem., Harrington Park

They lived on his father's farm of about 110 acres along Schraalenburgh Road in present Harrington Park, Bergen Co., NJ. He bought, in 1840, the Hopper farm at 308 Kinderkamack Road, Emerson, Bergen County NJ; in 1846 he devised it to his grandson, John D. Smith.<sup>1</sup>

---*children of John DeGraw & Maria Duryea*:

- **Leendert DeGraw**, b. 22 June 1793; bp. 8 Aug 1793 Tappan Ref Ch; d. 10 Nov 1794; buried Blauvelt Cem., Harrington Park, Bergen Co., NJ
- **Margrietje DeGraw**, b. 25 Dec 1795; bp. 8 Jan 1796 Tappan Ref Ch; m. 23 Oct 1813 Tappan, **Cornelius Quackenbush**, son of Johannes Quackenbush & Sarah Smith.
- **Elizabeth DeGraw**, b. 24 April 1801; bp. 25 May 1801 Tappan Ref Ch; d. 31 March 1821, age 19.11.7; buried Blauvelt Cem., Harrington Park, Bergen Co., NJ ("Elizabeth Degrau wife Cornelius J. Smith"); m. 22 May 1819 Tappan, **Cornelius Smith**, son of Jacobus Smith & Elizabeth Perry. Howard Durie in The Durie Family (p.75) says Elizabeth m. **John Smith**.

---Sources:

[1] Bergen County Historic Sites Survey - Emerson, published 1981-1982; Moos, *The Blauvelt Family Genealogy*, Vol. 1, p. 148, 318; Durie, Howard I., *The Durie Family*, 1985, p. 75 (#73 Maria Durie); "Betrothals and Marriages of the Dutch Reformed

Church of Tappan, Rockland County, NY" in *The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, serialized, beginning in issue Vol. LXXXIV, No. 3 (July 1953); Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947, p. 153; Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation

**DeGraw, John**

John DeGraw  
son of

m. 11 Mar 1802 Kakiat  
Ref Ch by Rev. G.G.  
Brinkerhoff

**Peggy Pemie**  
dau. of

---Sources: Marriage Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of West New Hempstead, New York 1774-1898, also known as "Kakiat" and presently referred to as "Brick Church" online at <<http://www.dutchdoorgenealogy.com/>>

**DeGray, Jan R.** (John D. Degrauw; John R. Degrauw; John R. Degray)

Jan DeGray  
son of Richard DeGray &  
Ann Schuyler

m. 5 Aug 1810  
Acquackanonk Ref Ch

**Mary Garrison** (Maria; Marretje Gerritse)  
dau. of

b. 10 Feb 1787  
bp. 18 Mar 1787 Totowa Ref Ch  
He lived at Wagaraw, NJ.

b.  
bp.

---*children of Jan DeGray & Marretje Gerritse:*

- **Richard I. Degray**, b. 31 Oct 1811 (30 Nov 1811, ts); bp. 28 Dec 1811 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit); d. 6 Apr 1891 ("only child of John R. & Mary DeGray and grandson of Richard DeGray"); buried Old Burial Ground, Hawthorne, NJ; m. 25 July 1834 **Maria Jacobus Miles**, (b. 6 Sep 1818; d. 16 Feb 1881) dau. of William Miles and Sara Van Blarcom. He was a farmer and miller at Wagaraw.

---Sources: Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 329; Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992); Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947 (Old Burial Ground near Passaic River, Hawthorne, NJ), p. 181

**DeGray, John**

John DeGray  
son of

m.

**Sarah Storms**

dau. of Isaac Storms &  
(2) Elizabeth Parlman  
b. 29 July 1794  
bp. 1 Oct 1794 Paramus Ref Ch  
d. before April 1824

b.  
bp.  
d.

**Degray, John** (DeGraw)

John Degray  
son of

m. 13 Feb 1819  
Saddle River Ref Ch

**Levina Terhune** (Wyntje)

dau. of Albert Terhune &  
Leah -?-  
b. 23 June 1801  
bp. 21 July 1801 Paramus Ref Ch  
d. 2 Sep 1852, age 51.2.29  
buried Saddle River Ref Chyd, U.S.R., NJ

b. about 1790  
bp.  
d. d. 9 March 1858, age. 69.4.22  
buried Saddle River Ref Chyd, Upper Saddle River, Bergen Co., NJ

---*children of John Degray & Levina Terhune:*

- **Lea Degray**, b. 14 Jan 1822; bp. 3 Feb 1822 Saddle River Ref Ch; m. Nov 1838, **Nicholas Hemion/Henyon**

---Sources: Saddle River Reformed Church (Upper Saddle River, Bergen Co., NJ) Records, including gravestones inscriptions from the adjacent chyd (typescript)

**Degraw, John**

John Degraw

m.

**Hannah Polhemus**

---*children of John Degraw & Hannah Polhemus:*

- **Mary Ann Degraw**, b. 22 Nov 1819; bp. 20 Jan 1820 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC (parents in bp. record: John Degraw & Hannah Pulhemus)

---Sources: Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, *Records of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church in the City of New York*, Vol. 1 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society e-Library)

**DeGraw, John**

John DeGraw  
son of

m.

**Anna** (poss. Edsall?)

dau. of  
b. abt. 1807

b. abt. 1805

They are listed in the 1860 Federal Census, Hackensack Township, Hackensack P.O. (John as a Master Carpenter). Living with them were Margaret Kelly, 16, servant; and Mary Edsall, 80, Widow Lady.

---*children of John DeGraw & Anna*

- **William DeGraw**, b. abt. 1845

---Sources: 1860 Federal Census, Bergen County, NJ, Hackensack Township, Hackensack P.O., Dwelling 582, Family 609

### Degraw, John

John Degraw  
son of

m. 24 Sep 1842  
Saddle River Ref Ch

**Susan Miller**  
dau. of

According to the Martha Ann Zabriskie entry of their marriage, they were both from Debauntown.

*---children of John Degraw & Susan Miller:*

• **Daniel Degraw**, b. 17 Dec 1843; bp. 8 Jan 1844 Saddle River Ref Ch

• **Jacob Hurrey Degraw**, bp. 11 Oct 1854 Saddle River Ref Ch

---Sources: Saddle River Reformed Church (Upper Saddle River, Bergen Co., NJ) Records, including gravestones inscriptions from the adjacent chyd (typescript); Martha Ann Zabriskie Memorandum Book (Typescript at Bergen County Historical Society Library)

### Margroff, John Rufus

John Rufus Margroff  
son of -?- Margroff &  
Ellen Babcock

b. 6 June 1886 Waldwick, Bergen Co., NJ<sup>2</sup>  
d. April 1963 NJ<sup>3</sup>

m.

**Ann (White)**  
dau. of (poss) Jacob White &  
Ella -?-  
b. about 1887 Holland (16 March 1877?<sup>4</sup>)  
d. (poss) Nov 1968 Oakland, Garret Co., MD<sup>4</sup>  
(poss) **Martha**

m. (poss 2?)

In 1918, when he registered for the WW I draft, he was 30, living at 56 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ. He was married, with a wife and 2 children.<sup>1</sup>

They were listed in the 1920 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Hawthorne, District 15, p. 48, enumerated 28 Jan 1920, 499 Goffle Road, Dwelling 488, Family 549 -- White, Jacob, Head, Owned home, age 58, b. NJ, his parents b. Holland, no occupation; [White], Ella, Wife, 52, immigrated 1871, naturalized 1886, b. Holland, her parents b. Holland. Living in the same dwelling, Family 550 -- Margroff, John R., Head, Renting, age 33, b. NJ, his father b. NJ, his mother b. NY, Foreman; [Margroff], Anna, Wife, 33, b. NJ, her parents b. Holland; [Margroff], Mildred, Daughter, 12, b. NJ.

In 1942 when he registered for the WW II draft, he was 55, was self-employed, and lived at Wyckoff Ave., Waldwick, Bergen Co., NJ.<sup>2</sup>

*---children of John Rufus Margroff & Anna*

• **Mildred Margroff**, b. about 1908 NJ

---Sources:

- [1] World War I Draft Registration Card, 1918 for John R Margroff, online at Ancestry.com;  
[2] U.S. World War II Draft Registration Card, 1942 for John Rufus Margroff, online at Ancestry.com;  
[3] Social Security Death Index, John Margroff, online at Ancestry.com;  
[4] Social Security Death Index, Ann Margroff, online at Ancestry.com;

### Degray, Jost

Jost Degray

On 21 March 1806 (recorded 11 April 1806, Bergen Co. X:305) Garrit Garritse of the City of New York, and Maria, his wife, conveyed to Harmen Vanderbeak of the Township of Saddle River, for \$49.25, 11-82/100 acres strict measure in Wagara mountains in the Gerritsons Patent, beginning line of Francis Van Winkle. Bounded N by Francis Van Winkle; W by Richard Degray; S by Francis Ryerson; E by Jost Degray. Signed by Garrit Garritson, Mary Garritson (her mark). Witnessed by John P. Vanderbeck, Paul P. Vanderbeck.<sup>1</sup>

---Sources:

- [1] Bergen County, NJ Deeds, at Bergen Co., Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs, Hackensack, NJ, abstracted by Patricia A. Wardell;

### DeGraauw, Leendert Arentsen

Leendert Arentsen De Graauw  
son of  
b. 1601  
d. prob. before 24 Mar 1664

m.

**Leuntje Alberts [Lydecker]**  
dau. of Jan Albertsz Leydecker<sup>1</sup>  
b.  
d.

A document dated 12 September 1648, states that Leendert gave his home as being Aalsmeer, a village about 10 miles southwest of Amsterdam in Holland. This document also listed his wife as Leuntje Alberts the daughter of Jan Albertsz Leydecker. They came on a ship named "der Dolphin" in the early part of the year 1638 before April 15th. He brought his wife and children with him and although there is not documented proof at this time of how many children he had with him, we know he had at least two. We can surmise through colonial records and documents that he had at least five children altogether.

Leendert Arentsen De Graauw came to New Netherland from Holland on the *Dolphin* in 1638. The voyage that Leendert and his family came on was a rather stormy voyage and apparently, according to documents found in Manhattan Colonial Manuscripts, the Dolphin was not a real sturdy ship. The Captain, Jacob Teunesen, twice before they sailed from the Texel, complained that he needed time to repair the boat and that it wasn't safe for the journey. After they arrived at New Amsterdam, he had his crew make a formal statement as to the stormy passage that resulted in the damage of part of the cargo belonging to the West Indies Company. In a document put forth by the passengers of the Dolphin, they claimed that the Captain had not supplied them with the required number of meals and therefore they were not going to pay him for their voyage. This matter was investigated by Cornelis Van Tienhoven, the Secretary in New Netherland, on April 15th 1638 which means the ship must have arrived before that date. I have not been able to find a passenger list for this ship. I also don't know how long it took for ships to make the voyage from Holland to New Amsterdam.<sup>1</sup>

Leendert had several land transactions and it is here that we first see the name "de Grauw" used. It is in parentheses beside his mark. The first land transaction was the leasing of Bowery #3 to him by William Kieft, Director General in New Netherland. Leendert received it and some livestock on a lease that was for six years. This lease was dated 18 May 1639. On the 19th of October 1645 he received a patent to this land. Sometime in the early part of 1663 he sold it to Peter Stuyvesant. Other transactions that are recorded include both the purchase and sale of Lot 4 and 5 of Block B on Manhattan Island. These dates are from Sept. 22, 1645 to May 27 of 1656. There are several other documents concerning Leendert that deal with discrepancies about land and fences and livestock.<sup>1</sup>

Leendert was also called Leendert Arentsen and Aerden. The name DeGrauw was not used exclusively until the 3rd generation. July 18th 1663 is the date given that Leendert deeded his farm to Pieter Stuyvesant. A transfer of land dated May 15 1668 from Governor Nichols, the new English Governor, to Leendert's daughter Marriety (married to Barent Jacobson) states that Leendert is deceased. From this we must deduce that Leendert died sometime between July 18th 1663 and May 15th 1668. Another document states that Leendert was dead by March 24th of 1664. No will or record of where he was buried has been found.<sup>1</sup>

*---children of Leendert Arentsen DeGrauw & Leuntje Alberts Lydecker:*

- **Marretje [DeGrauw]**, b. about 1620 Utrecht, Holland; d. about 1670 Ulster Co., NY; m. about 1638 **Barent Jacobszen Cool**.<sup>1</sup>
- **Arent Leendertszen [De Grauw]**, m. (1) 30 Jan 1660 **Gysbertje Hermans Coerten** of Voort huysen; m. (2) 16 July 1679 **Marretje Hendricks**, widow of Wouter Gerritsen. Arent Leenderstsen lived at Flatlands, L.I.
- **Albert Leenderts [De Grauw]**, m. **Ariaentje Corn. Trommels**, widow of Corn. Claesen Switz.
- **Aefje [De Grauw]**, m. (1) 5 Feb 1655 **Jan Perie** (Perier) from Pont Le feecke; m. (2) 23 July 1661 **Cornelis Andriessen Hooglant** from the Hague.
- **Cornelia [DeGrauw]**.

*---Sources:*

[1] Information December 1997 from ryntbld@northstar.k12.ak.us (Bob Degraw);

Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 326; Information online Aug 1999 from jean.boutcher <sealover2@juno.com>

### DeGraw, Leendert Albertse

Leendert Albertse DeGraw  
son of Albert DeGraw &  
Ariaentje Corn. Trommels  
b. New York  
bp. 1 May 1658 NYC Ref Ch

m. (1) 24 Oct 1683  
NYC Ref Ch  
(banns 13 Oct 1683  
NYC Ref Ch)

**Gerritje Jacobs Quick** (Charity)  
dau. of Jacob Quick

b. Albany, NY  
bp.

In the (1) marriage record, they were Leendert Albertszen de Grau, j.m. Van N. Yorke, en Gerritje Jacobs Quick, j.d. Van N. Albanie, beyde woonende alhier.

William Nelson in *The History of Paterson* says Leendert Albertse DeGraw prob. m. (2) Jannetje Van Slyk, but this does not seem possible. Jannetje Van Slyk prob. m. Leendert Arentszen DeGraw.

In his will dated 5 April 1739, probated 15 April 1746, Leonard De Graw of New York, yeoman, mentioned wife Charity; grandson Leonard de Graw, eldest son of my son Isaac de Graw, deceased; son-in-law William Warner, deceased; grandchildren Leonard, Jacobus and Isaac, children of my son Isac, deceased; dau. Jane, wife of Thomas Ware, mariner; dau. Cornelis, wife of William Cook, victulor; dau. Rachel Saunders, widow; William Leonard and Thomas, children of my son-in-law William Warner and my daughter Ariante, deceased. Made wife Charity and daus. Jane, Cornelia and Rachel executors. Wit: John Phaster, Isaac Garnier, James Lyne.

*---children of Leendert Albertszen DeGraw & Gerritje Quick:*

- **Adriaentje DeGraw**, bp. 2 July 1685 NYCRefCh (wit: Jacobus de Key, Adriaentie Cornelis); d. before 5 April 1739; m. 20 Nov 1705 NYC Ref Ch, **William Warner**.
- **Jenneken DeGraw** (Jane), bp. 1 May 1687 NYCRefCh (wit: Albert Leendetszen, Neeltje Quick); m. (poss) 27 Sep 1706 NYC Ref Ch, **Alexander Hooms** (Holmes); m. **Thomas Ware**.
- **Jacobus DeGraw**, bp. 9 May 1689 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Carsten Luurszen, Geertie Quick)
- **Cornelia DeGraw**, bp. 16 Aug 1691 NYC Ref Ch (wit Jan Eckens, Applonia Quick); poss. m. (1) 11 Mar 1711 NYC Ref Ch, **Richard Mahone**; m. (2) 7 Dec 1723 NYCRefCh **William Koek**
- **Albertus de Graeu**, bp. 7 Jan 1694 NYCRefCh (wit Theunis Quick, Marritie Conincx); apparently d.y.
- **Jacob DeGraw**, bp. 26 Apr 1696 NYC Ref Ch (wit Gerrit DeGraw, Marritje Martens, h.v. Paulus Turck, Jr.); apparently d.y.
- **Isaac DeGraw**, bp. 9 Sep 1699 NYC Ref Ch (wit Cornelis Quick & Vroutje Haring, h.v. van Teunis Quick); d. before 5 April 1739; m. -?-.
- **Rachel DeGraw**, bp. 3 Feb 1703 NYC Ref Ch (wit Theunis Quick, Janneke de Kay); m. **Eduard Sanders/Saunders**.

*---Sources:* *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City]*, 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III); NYC Ref Dutch Church Marriages, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Apr 1876, p. 82; Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 327; *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church in New Amsterdam and New York: Baptisms*, 1901, NYG&B Society; *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)

### DeGraw, Leendert Arentse

Leendert DeGraw  
son of Arent Leendertszen DeGraw &  
Gysbertje Coerten  
b. 17 Aug 1664 NYC

m. 26 Aug 1688  
Albany, NY

**Jannetje Willemsz Van Slyk** (Annetje?)  
dau. of Willem Pieterse Van Slyke &  
Baertje/Barentje -?-  
b. about 1665-1667 Albany, NY

Annetje Van Slyk, widow of Leendert de Grauw, m. 25 Nov 1704 NYC Ref Ch **Pieter Gerretsz (Van Velsor)**, a widower from Esopus.

*---children of Leendert DeGraw & Jannetje Van Slyk:*

- **Gysbertje Grauw**, bp. 19 May 1689 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Willemsz Van Slyk. Presented by Barentje Willemsz VanSlyk)
- **Willem Leendertsen [DeGraw]**, bp. 12 Oct 1690 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Arent Leendertszen de Graauw, Maryken Arents); m. 2 Dec 1715 Tappan Ref Ch, **Leuntie Machielse Lynsze** (or Leuntie Machielse Vreeland!)
- **Cornelia DeGraw**, bp. 12 Mar 1699 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jan Willemsse Romen & Maria s.h. vrou.); m. 8 Aug 1719 **Jacob Banta**.
- **Maria DeGraw**, bp. 14 Sep 1701 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Dirk Slyk & Henderikje s.h. vrou.)

*---Sources:*

[1] Courter, Paul, 14464 Tanglewood Dr. N., Largom FL 34644, Harmen Coerten. His Descendants (on computer disk from author March 1996) NYC Ref Church Baptisms, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1880, p. 143; July 1883, p. 124; Oct 1883, p. 178; DeGraw Correction in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1934, p. 88; 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); Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Albany, New York 1683-1809, Marriages, Baptisms, Members, Etc., excerpted from the Year Books of the Holland Society, NY, reprinted by Clearfield Publishing Co., 1999; Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City], 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III);

### **DeGraw, Leonard** (Leendert DeGraeuw)

Leonard DeGraw  
son of Harmen De Grauw &  
(2) Lysbeth Verwey  
bp. 21 Feb 1697 Brooklyn Ref Ch

m. (banns)  
22 June 1717  
Hackensack Ref Ch

**Sara Christie** (Christyn)  
dau. of Jan Christie &  
Elene Been [Boon?]  
bp.

In the marriage record, they are "Leendert DeGraeuw, y.m., b. New York, living N. Barbades, and Sara Christyn, y.d., b. and living Ackinsack."

Leendert De Graw settled at Polifly, near Moonachie, where he lived on a small farm until in his old age he moved to the Goffle and lived with his children. He was a mason by trade. His will was dated 25 Sep 1781, probated 4 Feb 1784 (witnessed by Albert Stagg, Abraham Van Houten, and Abraham Ackerman). It his will he describes himself as "Liendert De Graw late of New Barbadoes precinct now at present resident in Saddle River precinct...Masoner &c."

It is through this line that the DeGray surname emerged.<sup>1</sup>

On 21 Jan 1785 Simon and Elizabeth Van Winkle, John DeGraw and Richard Degraw, for £62.8; Leendert Degraw, deceased willed to his daughter Elizabeth Degraw [Van Winkle] and son John Degraw, bounded by Abraham Houseman and Nicholas Terhune. Signed Simon Van Winkle, Elizabeth Van Winkle (her mark). Witnessed by Abraham Ackerman, Abraham Van Houten.<sup>2</sup>

*---children of Leendert DeGraw & Sara Christie:*

- **Jan DeGraeuw** (twin?), bp. 25 Jan 1719 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jan Cristyn; Hendrik Kip; Hendrikie DeGraeuw; Maritie Cristyn); m. **Lena Ryerse** (they had ch. bp. Hack 1752, 1758)
- **Elisabeth DeGraeuw** (twin?), bp. 25 Jan 1719 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Jan Cristyn; Hendrik Kip; Hendrikie DeGraeuw; Maritie Cristyn); m. **Simon Van Winkel** (Simeon Van Winkle) (they had ch. bp. Hackensack Ref Ch 1740).  
Simon Van Winkel was a carpenter and lived at or above the Goffle.
- **Elena DeGraeuw**, bp. 2 Feb 1724 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Antie Cristyn); m. **Philip Berry**, son of John Berry and Mary Bradbury (they had ch. bp. Hackensack Ref Ch 1744, 1745, 1751). They lived at or near present Carlstadt, Bergen Co., NJ.

*---Sources:*

[1] Information December 1997 from ryntbld@northstar.k12.ak.us (Bob Degraw);  
[2] Davis, John David, Bergen County New Jersey Deed Records 1689-1801, Heritage Books, Inc., 1995, p. 75; Hackensack Baptisms & Hackensack Marriages in Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack..., 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); NYC Dutch Ref Church Marriages, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1881, p. 42; Nelson, William, The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic, 1901, p. 326, 327; Maszalec, Edward T., The Christie Families of Northern New Jersey, Baltimore: Gateway Press, 1989, p. 68

### **DeGraw, Leendert**

Leendert DeGraw  
son of William DeGraw &  
Leuntje Lynsze  
b. 5 Sept. 1721

m. 8 March 1751  
Tappan Ref Ch

**Elizabeth Haring**  
dau. of John C. Haring &  
Amerensje Blauvelt  
b. 31 Dec. 1729

bp. 11 Oct. 1721 Tappan Ref Ch  
d. 2 March 1814, age 92.5.25  
buried Blauvelt Cem., Harrington Park, Bergen Co., NJ

bp. 25 Jan. 1730 Tappan Ref Ch  
d. 14 Nov. 1823, age 93.10.14  
buried Blauvelt Cem., Harrington Park, NJ

John and Maria Haring sold their farm, exclusive of the burying ground, to Leendert Degraw in 1785. Leendert's wife was John's sister Elizabeth Haring. John and Maria moved to Franklin Lakes.

Leendert DeGraw and his wife, Elizabeth Haring, lived in Harrington Township where he owned a 122-acre farm extending from the old Tappan Road to Hackensack River. His will was dated 28 May 1813, probated 8 Apr 1814. Elizabeth's will was dated 2 Jan 1819, probated 10 Jan 1824.

*---children of Leendert DeGraw & Elizabeth Haring:*

- **Rensye DeGrauw**, b. 23 Dec. 1754; bp. 12 Jan. 1755 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Jan Haring, Rensye his wife); m. (prob) **Abraham Quackenbush**. Rensye was not named in father's Will.
- **Grietye De Grauw**, b. 18 Nov. 1756; bp. 5 Dec. 1756 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit Eikesen, Grietye his wife); d.y.
- **Grietye De Grauw**, b. 19 July 1760; bp. 10 Aug. 1760 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Gerret Eekesen, Grietye his wife); not in

father's Will.

- **Jan De Grauw**, b. 27 June 1762; bp. 18 July 1762 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Jan Haring, Rensye his wife); m. **Maria Duryea**
- **Willim De Grauw**, b. 26 April 1766; bp. 19 May 1766 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Johannes De Grauw, Rachel his wife); d. 10 July 1852, age 86.2.14; buried Blauvelt Cem., Harrington Park, Bergen Co., NJ; m. **Vroutje Blauvelt**
- **Elisabet Degrauw** (Elizabeth), b. 24 June 1773; bp. 18 July 1773 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Jan Haring, Elisabet his wife); m. (1) **Gerrit Nagel**; m. (2) **John W. Ferdon**.

---Sources: "Betrothals and Marriages of the Dutch Reformed Church of Tappan, Rockland County, NY" in *The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, serialized, beginning in issue Vol. LXXXIV, No. 3 (July 1953); Blauvelt Genealogy, p. 57; Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation; Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 328; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947, p. 153; Ackerman, Herbert Stewart, *The Haring Family*, 1952, p. 26 (Elisabeth Haring is no. 465)

### DeGraw, Lucas

Lucas DeGraw  
son of Johannes DeGraw &  
Rachel Van Horn

m.

**Rebecca Smith**  
dau. of

b. 13 Aug 1758

b.

bp. 17 Sept. 1758 Tappan Ref Ch

bp.

---children of *Lucas DeGraw & Rebecca Smith*:

- **Rachel De Grauw**, b. 12 July 1779; bp. 5 Aug 1779 Clarkstown Ref Ch (wit: Johannes De Grauw, Rachel De Grauw)
- **Daniel De Grauw**, b. 5 April 1781; bp. 29 Apr 1781 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Johannes Degrauw**, b. 7 Aug 1786; bp. 10 Sep 1786 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation

### DeGraw, Martin (aka Boljer Margroff; Molgraf; Degraff; Megraf; Balthasar, etc.)

Martin DeGraw  
son of

m. abt. 1784

**Carsteana -?- (Christina)**  
(surname poss. Fisher)

b. abt. 1760

b.

d. Dec 1822

d.

Martin was possibly of a different ancestry (probably of more recent emigration and likely of German descent) than many of the other Degraws in Bergen County. He lived in the Van Zile-Margroff house at 714 Godwin Ave., Midland Park, Bergen Cp., NJ. "Balser Mergroff" is listed in the Bergen County Tax Rateables for Franklin Township in July 1785 and again in July 1786. By 1789 he is listed as "Martin Mergroff." In the Tax Rateables for subsequent years until 1802 his name is spelled D'-Grauf, Grauf, McGraff and Degraw.

On 13 May 1800, Harmanus and Patte Van Zile, of Bergen Township, conveyed to Henry Massacar, of Franklin Township, for \$525, 56 acres...between Cornelis Acker and Cornelius Wortendyke...line of Isaac Van Berkum, James Cane [Cairn?], Theodorus Perhamus [Polhamus], Morter Groff [Martin Margrauf], Abraham Lozier. Signed by Harmanus Van Zile (his mark), Paty Van Zile (her mark). Witnessed by John A. Boyd, David P. Haring.<sup>1</sup>

On 1 May 1806 (recorded 11 November 1806 Bergen Co. Z:69) Henry Messeker of the Township of Franklin and Famitye, his wife, conveyed to Martin Megrauf, for \$317, 12-1/2 acres, 32 perches in the Township of Franklin, beginning at road; land of said Martin Megrauf. Signed by Henry Masecar (his mark), Fanitye Masecar (her mark). Witnessed by Abraham H. Zabriskie, Albert G. Lydecker.<sup>2</sup>

---children of *Martin Degraff & Carsteana -?-:*

- **Greitje Margroff**, (Margaret; Peggy), bp. 4 Sep 1785 Paramus Ref Ch (her parents are given as Boljer and Chritien Molgraf; wit were Lodewyk and Grietje Fisher); d. 6 March 1882 aged 96-8-20; buried Wyckoff. She m. (1) (as Peggy Megrauve) 3 Aug 1805 Paramus, **Cornelius A. Blauvelt**, b. 26 Feb 1780, d. 27 Nov 1821; m. (2) **James J. Pulis**; m. (3) **-?- Stevens**.
- **Henry Degraff**, b. abt. 1788; d. 1861; m. 13 Jan 1816 Paramus Ref Ch, **Altie Blauvelt**, dau. of Abraham Blauvelt & Mary -?-, and sister of Cornelius Blauvelt, Henry's sister Peggy's first husband. He used the Degraff spelling of the surname.
- **Maria Megrauf** (Polly), b. abt. 1790-92; m. (as Megrauf) 3 July 1813 Paramus Ref Ch, **Samuel Quackenbush**.
- **Rachel Mekraaf**, bp. 23 Aug 1794 Paramus Ref Ch; m. **-?- Covert**.
- **Andrew Graf**, bp. (as Andrew Graff) 30 Sep 1798 New Prospect M.E. Ch (Waldwick); m. 15 Nov 1817 Saddle River, **Catharine Terhune**.

---Sources:

[1] Davis, John David, *Bergen County New Jersey Deed Records 1689-1801*, Heritage Books, Inc., 1995, p. 271;

[2] Bergen County, NJ Deeds, at Bergen Co., Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs, Hackensack, NJ, abstracted by Patricia A. Wardell;

Randolph, Howard S. F., and Russell Bruce Rankin, *Paramus...Reformed Dutch Church [Bergen Co., NJ] Baptisms...Together with Records from the Gravestones...*, 1935; New Prospect Baptisms; Durie, Howard, "A History of the Van Zile-Margroff-Kempf House."

### Degraw, Martin (Martin Margraph)

Martin Margraph  
son of (prob) Henry Degraw &  
Aletta Blauvelt (Altie)

m.

**Ellen**  
dau. of

b. 1 Dec 1826 NJ

b. 10 May 1823 NY

d. 7 Dec 1898<sup>1</sup>

d. 23 Feb 1902<sup>1</sup>

buried Valleau Cem., Ridgewood, Bergen Co., NJ<sup>1</sup>

buried Valleau Cem., Ridgewood, NJ<sup>1</sup>

Martin Margroff was a Civil War veteran, serving in the 22nd NJ Infantry. He was awarded a Civil War pension as an invalid on 14 Sep 1881; in 22 Dec 1898 his widow, Ellen, received a widow's pension.<sup>2</sup>

In the 1860 Federal Census, Franklin Twp., Godwinville P.O., "Martin Margraph" is listed as a cotton spinner. In the next listed dwelling is the family of Horris Hokum [Horace Holcomb?], age 38 (perhaps a bro. of Ellen? Horris/Horace an unusual name for this area and time; prob. Horace Holcombs, who m. 28 June 1840 Saddle River/Ramapo Luth Ch., Susan McGroff).

Martin Margrauf, 46, worker in cotton factory, and Ellen, 48, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Franklin Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed with them were: Martin, 13; and Harris, 11.

Martin Magroff, 56, bark. [or bask.?] manf., and Ellen Magroff, his wife, 57, were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, living in Ridgewood Township. Living with them were: Horace Magroff, 21, works in bark mill; Martin Magroff, 24, son, works in bark mill; and Matilda, 29, daughter-in-law.

*---children of Martin Margraph & Ellen Margaret*

- **Catharine Amelia Margraph**, b. abt. 1848; m. 24 Dec 1866 Paramus Ref Ch, **Abraham Haring**, son of John Casper Haring & Eliza Ackerman
- **Abraham Margroff**, b. 1850; d. 7 Jan 1852, age 1.1.26; buried Valleau Cem., Ridgewood, Bergen Co., NJ.
- **Martin Margraph**, b. abt. 1856-1857 NJ; m. (prob) 7 July 1877 Allendale, NJ (as Martin Margroff, Jr.)
- **Matilda Jane Zabriskie**, dau. of Henry Zabriskie & (1) Charity Wigans.
- **Horris Margraph** (Horace), b. 15 May 1859 NJ; d. 21 Oct 1888; buried Valleau Cem., Ridgewood, Bergen Co., NJ.

---Sources:

[1] Tombstone photos posted online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Valleau Cemetery, Ridgewood, NJ: Martin Margroff and Ellen Margaret sharing a stone; Abraham Margroff; ts photos posted online);

[2] Civil War Pension Index: Pension File Record for Martin Margroff, online at Ancestry.com;

1860 Federal Census, Franklin Twp., Godwinville P.O., dwelling 272, family 309; 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Franklin Township, Ramsey's P.O., taken Aug 1870, dwelling 369, family 406; 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Ridgewood Township, taken June 1880, dwelling 5, family 5 (family of Martin Magroff); Val-leau Cemetery, Ridgewood, Bergen Co., NJ, Gravestone Inscriptions, copied by Herbert S. Ackerman & Arthur J. Goff, Feb 1944

### Margroff, Martin

Martin Margroff  
son of (prob) Martin Margroff &  
Ellen

m. 7 July 1877  
Allendale, NJ

**Matilda Jane Zabriskie**  
dau. of Henry Zabriskie &  
(1) Charity Wigans

b. about 1856-1857

b. 29 Dec 1850 Ridgewood

They were listed in the 1910 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., Ridgewood, District 48, p. 62, enumerated 27 May 1910, Erie Street, Dwelling 642, Family 663 -- Margroff, Martin, Head, age 58, married 32 yrs., b. NJ, his father b. NJ, his mother b. NY, Own Income; [Margroff], Matilda, Wife, age 59, married 32 yrs., mother of 0 children, b. NJ, her parents b. NJ.

---Sources: Zabriskie, George Olin, *The Zabriskie Family: A Three Hundred and one Year History of the descendants of Albrecht Zaborowskij (Ca 1638-1711) of Bergen County, New Jersey*, 1963, 1963, Vol. 1, p. 694 (#Henry Zabriskie; #8362 Matilda Jane Zabriskie)

### Margroff, Martin

Martin Margroff  
b. 18 Feb 1862  
d. 29 Nov 1929  
buried Nanuet True Ref Chyd, Nanuet, NY

(marker erected by John H. Secor Post 327 American Legion).

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947 (Nanuet True Reformed Church Cemetery, Nanuet, Rockland County, NY), p. 205

### Margroff, Martin

Martin Margroff  
son of -?- Margroff &  
(prob) Ellen Babcock  
12 Aug 1883 Waldwick, Bergen Co., NJ<sup>3,4</sup>  
d.

m.

**Minnie**  
dau. of

b. about 1876  
d. 11 June 1945 age 85 [?]<sup>2</sup>

In 1917-1918 when he registered for the WW I draft, he was 35, and lived at 36 Franklin St, Paterson, NJ. His nearest relative was Minnie Margroff at the same address.<sup>3</sup>

They were listed in the 1920 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic Co., Totowa, District 156, p. 21, enumerated 22-23 Jan 1920, 36 Franklin St, Dwelling 213, Family 234 (all b. NJ, all their parents b. NJ except as noted) -- Margroff, Martin, Head, Renting, age 36, Newspaper B---[cannot read word]; [Margroff]. Minnie, Wife, age 44, b. NJ, her parents b. Germany; [Margroff], Ella, Daughter, 16, Single, Cutter Appr. Rubber Mill; [Margroff], Eva, Daughter, 10; [Margroff], Rufus, Son, 8; [Margroff], Gertrude, Daughter, 7.

In 1930 he was a Janitor in the [Paterson] Call office.

He was listed in the 1936 Totowa Directory: Margroff, Martin (Minnie M) janitor h 18 Charles.<sup>1</sup>

In 1944 when he registered for the WW II draft, he was 56, and lived at 25-06 Kipp St., Fairlawn, Bergen Co., NJ. He was employed by Robert Williams - Paterson Morning Call.<sup>4</sup>

About 1945 he moved to East Paterson, NJ.

*---children of Martin Margroff & Minnie*

- **Ella Margroff**, b. about 1904 NJ
- **Eva Margroff**, b. 31 Oct 1909 NJ; d. Sep 1985 age 75; m. **Patrick Torricollo**

- **Rufus Margroff**, b. about 1912 NJ
- **Gertrude Margroff**, b. about 1913 NJ

---Sources:

- [1] 1936 Paterson Haledon, Hawthorne, Prospect Park, Little Falls Totowa Borough, West Paterson Directory, online at Ancestry.com;
- [2] 1946 Ridgewood Glen Rock Midland Park Fair Lawn Directory, online at Ancestry.com;
- [3] World War I Draft Registration Card, 1917-1918 for Martin Margroff, online at Ancestry.com;
- [4] U.S. World War II Draft Registration Card, 1942 for Martin Margroff, online at Ancestry.com;

**Degree, Michael** (Michiel deGrae)

Michael Degree m.  
son of

**Catherine La Forge**  
dau. of Adriaen La Forge  
Jannetje Jans Loyse

b. France

b.

d. about 1741 Forham Manor, NY

d.

Michael Degree, a Huguenot, was at Bushwyck, L.I. in 1691. Machill De Gewe, on 3 May 1698, bought for £200 from Alexr. Cockyeer, a parcel of meadows in Bushwyck.

---*children of Michael Degree & Catherine La Forge:*

- **Jemima Degree**, m. **Samuel Meeks**, of Paramus, son of Edward Meeks & Maria Bastiaense Kortright.
- **Jannetje De Gree**, m. 8 March 1722 NYC Ref Ch, **Sachariah Sikkels, Junior**.
- **Marytje de Gree**, bp. 18 Jan 1702 Brooklyn Ref Ch (wit: Jan Miserole, Marrytje, his wife); m. 8 March 1722 NYC Ref Ch **James Caller** (Calyer; Collard).

- **Charel deGrae**, bp. 26 Sep 1708 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jan Meserol, Barber Meserol, jo. dochter)

---Sources: Virkus, Frederick A., *The Compendium of American Genealogy*, Vol. III, 1928, p. 202, Vol V, 1933, p. 34; *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; Old First Dutch Reformed Church of Brooklyn, New York; First Book of Records 1660-1752 trans. and ed. by A.P.G. Jos van der Linde, 1983; Bergen, Teunis G., *Register in Alphabetical Order of the Early Settlers of Kings County, Long Island, N.Y. from its First Settlement by Europeans to 1700...*, New York: 1881, p. 88

**Degraaf, Michael** (m. (1) Rachel Swart; m. (2) Maregrieta Cray/Kray) See filed under Degraaf, DeGroof

**DeGraw, Nicholas** (Niklas De Gran<sup>1</sup>)

Nicholas DeGraw m.  
son of (prob) Arent DeGraw &  
Angenietje Sluyter

-?-  
dau. of

bp. 7 Feb 1731 Hackensack Ref Ch

bp.

---*children of Nicholas DeGraw &*

- **Jannica De Gran**<sup>1</sup> (Janetje DeGraw), bp. 7 Sep 1762 Ramapo Lutheran Church (no mother's name in bp. record) (wit: Arent De Gran and wife Elizabeth)<sup>1</sup>

---Sources:

- [1] "Ramapo Lutheran Church Records, 1750-1817" in *Proceedings of the New Jersey Historical Society*, Vol. VIII, No. 1 (April 1913), p. 10
- Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack [Bergen Co., NJ]..., 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I)

**de Graw, Nicholas** (Nicolaus de Graauw)

Nicholas DeGraw m.  
---*children of Nicholas DeGraw &*

-?-

- **Barent de Graauw**, b. 25 July 1776; bp. 28 Sep 1776 Walkill Lutheran/Harrison Meeting House, Montgomery, Orange Co., NY (wit: Parents) (parents in bp. record: Nicolaus de Graauw [mother not named])

---Sources: "Walkill Lutheran/Harrison Meeting House, Montgomery, Orange County [NY]" in *The New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 140 (Jan 2009), p. 71

**Degray, Richard** (He apparently used the spelling "DeGray") (Dirk)

Richard Degray m. 1 Aug 1786  
son of John DeGraw & (NJ license)  
Lena Ryerson

**Ann Schuyler** (Annaetye)  
dau. of Philip Schuyler

bp. 19 Aug 1755

bp.

Richard DeGray ran a store at the Goffle and added a saw mill to the grist mill that had been operated by his father. He also established a pot-ash works at the mills, and a factory for the manufacture of heading and staves. He later converted the old Ryerson farmhouse, located at the Passaic River and Wagaraw brook, into a store. He also constructed a mill on the brook, near the Passaic River, which he leased to John Morrow, and which was known as Morrow's Mills.

On 23 March 1796, Harmanus and Ann Brass, of Saddle River Precinct, conveyed to Richard DeGraw of the same place, for £90, 17.6 acres bounded by Francis Van Winkle, Andrew Snyder, and Garrabrant Garretson. Signed by Harmanus Brass, Ann Bross (her mark). Witnessed by Jacob Snyder, Margaret Snyder (her mark).<sup>1</sup>

On 10 May 1803 (recorded 23 August 1805, Bergen Co. V:98) Henry Ortley of the City of New York, Tanner, and Maria, his wife, conveyed to Michael Ortley of the State of New Jersey, Tanner, for \$1, 27-75/100 acres strict measure, an equal un-divided half part of a lot in Wagraw in Saddle River Precinct, beginning NW side of Wagraw Brook on fork of road and NE side of Gaffel and Prekness Road; provided said Michael Ortley shall not hinder Hessel Ryerson by damming and raising water; mentioned present water wheel; said parcel was conveyed to said Henry Ortley and Michael Ortley by Hessel Ryerson



and Catherine, his wife 11 Feb 1793. Also one equal undivided half of lot in Wagraw Mountain in the Township of Saddle River, beginning NE corner Henry Terhune's lot; mentioned NE corner Richard Degray's land; John Degray's land; conveyed to said Henry Ortley and Michael Ortley by Garret Van Wagenen and Sophiah, his wife, 19 Nov 1793. Signed by Henry Ortley. Witnessed by John Berdan, Valentine Shmoull?<sup>2</sup>

On 13 November 1804 (recorded 5 July 1805, Bergen Co. U:340) Cornelius Westervelt of Wagraw in the Township of Saddle River, and Margaret, his wife, conveyed to Richard Degray of the Goffle, for \$457.75, 18 acres strict measure at Wagraw, beginning at 20th corner of land of Richard Degray. Bounded S and E by Cornelius Westervelt; N by John Bardon; W by Richard Degray. Signed by Cornelius Westervelt, Margret Westervelt (her mark). Witnessed by Simeon Van Winkle, John S. Van Winkle.<sup>2</sup>

On 2 June 1806 (recorded 3 June 1806, Bergen Co. Y:50) Lawrence Van Norden of the Township of Saddle River, conveyed to Richard Degray of the same place, for \$235., 9-47/100 acres, but after deducting the house lot of John Old's of 7/100 acres, [thus] contains 9-40/100 acres strict measure, in the Township of Saddle River, beginning at public road that leads from the Ponds to Wagraw; lot of Michael Ortley. Signed by Lawrence Van Norden. Witnessed by Henry Godwin, Abrm. Willis.<sup>2</sup>

---children of Richard DeGray & Ann Schuyler:

• **Jan Degray**, b. 10 Feb 1787; bp. 18 Mar 1787 Totowa Ref Ch (wit: De Vader en Moeder) (parents' names in bp. record: Dirk Degray and Annaetie Schuyler); m. 5 Aug 1810 **Mary Garrison**

• **Rebecca Degra**, b. 26 July 1790; bp. 26 Sep 1790 Totowa Ref Ch (wit: De Vader en Moeder); m. 12 Dec 1807

**Joseph Baldwin** from Godwinville

---Sources:

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

[2] Bergen County, NJ Deeds, at Bergen Co., Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs, Hackensack, NJ, abstracted by Patricia A. Wardell;

Clayton, W. Woodford & Nelson, William, History of Bergen and Passaic Counties, New Jersey, Philadelphia 1882, p. 560; Nelson, William, New Jersey Marriages, p. 104; Bulletin of the Passaic County Historical Society, Vol. 3, No. 8, Nov. 1950, p. 33; Nelson, William, History of the Old Dutch Church at Totowa [Paterson, NJ], 1892 including Baptisms 1756-1808; Nelson, William, The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic, 1901, p. 329

### DeGraw, Richard

Richard DeGraw	m.	-?-
b. 10 May 1779		b.
d. 21 Dec 1862		d.
buried Island Ref Cem., Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ		buried

---children of Richard DeGraw

• (?poss?) **Walter DeGraw**, b. 20 Feb 1806; d. 20 July 1828, age 22.4.28; buried Island Ref Cem, Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ.

---Sources: Island Road Cemetery, Mahwah, Bergen County, NJ Gravestone Inscriptions (Ramapo Ref Ch Cem Extension)

### DeGray, Richard I.

Richard I. DeGray	m. 25 July 1834	<b>Maria Jacobus Miles</b>
son of Jan DeGray &		dau. of William Miles &
Marretje Gerritse (Mary Garrison)		Sara Van Blarcom
b. 31 Oct 1811 (30 Nov 1811, ts)		b. 6 Sep 1818
d. 6 Apr 1891		d. 16 Feb 1881, age 62.5.10
buried Old Burial Ground, Hawthorne, NJ		buried Old Burial Ground, Hawthorne, NJ

Richard I. DeGray was a farmer and miller at Wagraw.

Richard DeGray, 38, farmer, and Maria, 33, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Manchester Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Mary E., 14; William M., 12; Richard, 9; John W., 2. Also living with them were: John [J.?] DeGray, 63; and Mary, 59. Also living in the same dwelling were: Lodowick Hiram [Hisum?], 29, laborer; and Getty, 63, black, slave.

They were listed in the 1880 Federal Census, living in Manchester Township, Passaic Co., NJ, where he was a farmer. Living in the same dwelling with them were their son, William M. DeGray and his wife, Mary E, and their family.

On his tombstone is "only child of John R. & Mary De Gray and grandson of Richard DeGray."

---children of Richard I. DeGray & Maria Jacobus Miles:

• **Mary Hellen DeGray**, b. 31 May 1836; bp. 24 Sep 1844 Second Ref Ch, Paterson, NJ; d. 26 Mar 1856; m. 10 May 1853

**Henry Dater**, who was b. at Ramapo but was living at Branchville, Somerset Co.

• **William Miles DeGray**, b. 30 Mar 1838; bp. 24 Sep 1844 Second Ref Ch, Paterson, NJ; d. 7 Jan 1910;

m. **Mary E. Demarest**, dau. of David W. Demarest & Maria Van Horn of New Bridge.

• **Richard DeGray**, b. 30 Aug 1840; bp. 24 Sep 1844 Second Ref Ch, Paterson, NJ; m. 1862 **Mary Godwin**. He graduated from Rutgers College in 1861, studied law with Cortlandt Parker in Newark, and was admitted to the bar in 1863. Two years later he moved to New Orleans.

• **John Winfield Scott DeGray**, b. 16 Aug 1847; d. 11 May 1873, ae 25.6.26 unmarried; buried Old Burial Ground, Hawthorne, NJ.

---Sources: Nelson, William, The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic, 1901, p. 329, 330; 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Manchester Township (taken 24 August 1850 by James Nightengale), Dwelling 399, family 535; 1880 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Manchester Township, ED 139, taken June 1880, Dwelling 77, Family 89; The Demarest Family, 1964, # 7-1112 (Mary E. Demarest); Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, New York and New Jersey Cemeteries, 1947 (Old Burial Ground near Passaic River, Hawthorne, NJ), p. 181; Second Reformed Church at Paterson, NJ, Baptisms 1828-1882 online March 2001 at <[http://www.rootsweb.com/~njpchsgc/chu/second\\_reformed\\_chu.htm](http://www.rootsweb.com/~njpchsgc/chu/second_reformed_chu.htm)>

### DeGray, Robert

Robert DeGray	m. 25 Sep 1864	<b>Amanda D. Conklin</b>
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son of Second Ref Ch, Paterson dau. of

In their marriage record, he was of Godwinville; she was of Sloatsburg, NY.

---Sources: Second Reformed Church at Paterson, NJ, Marriages 1828-1896 online March 2001 at <[http://www.rootsweb.com/~njpchsgc/chu/second\\_reformed\\_marriages.htm](http://www.rootsweb.com/~njpchsgc/chu/second_reformed_marriages.htm)>

**DeGraw, Walter**

Walter DeGraw m. 5 June 1726 **Marytje DelaMaar** (Maria La Maar; de Lamaier)  
 son of Gerret DeGraw & NYC Ref Ch dau. of  
 Dorothy Huyer (License 3 June 1726)  
 bp. 17 Aug 1699 NYC Ref Ch bp.

In the NYC Ref Ch record of their marriage they were: Walther De Grauw & Mary de Lanoir.

---children of *Walter DeGraw & Marytje DelaMaar*:

- **Gerret de Graw**, bp. 16 July 1727 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Gerret DeGraw, Susanna de Lemaar, Teuntje de Graw); m. (poss.)  
**Catharina Van Buren**
- **Susanna DeGraw**, bp. 28 Sep 1729 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Evert Pels & Catharina De Graaw, z.h.v.)
- **Dorothea DeGraw**, bp. 16 Apr 1732 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Hendrik Bogert, Cornelia DeGraw, syn h.v.)
- **Johannes DeGraw**, bp. 20 Mar 1734 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Arent Van Hoek, Marytje Heyer, s.h.v.)
- **Maria de Grauw**, bp. 28 May 1736 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit Heyer, Sara Post, z.h.v.)
- **Catharina de Grauw**, bp. 8 Nov 1738 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Victor Hyer, Jannetje Van Gelder, syn h.v.); m. (?poss?)

**William Nixon**

- **Walter de Grauw**, bp. 11 Feb 1741 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Walter Heyer, Jenneke Van Voorst, syn h.v.); m. **Geertje Ackerman**
  - **Arent de Grauw**, bp. 3 Aug 1746 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Isaak Van Hoek Jr, Susanna de Grauw, j.d.)
- Sources: NYC Ref Dutch Church Baptisms, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Oct. 1889, p. 164; Apr 1890, p. 70; Jan 1891, p. 9; Apr 1891, p. 88; July 1892, p. 134; Jan 1893, p. 22; Apr 1894, p. 72; Jan 1892, p. 19; Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City], 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III); 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)

**DeGraw, Walter** (de Graaf)

Walter DeGraw m. NY Marriage Bond **Geertje Ackerman** (Catharina)  
 son of Walter De Grau & dated 27 June 1765 dau. of Abraham Ackerman &  
 & Maria de Lamaier (with her name as Lena Roeger  
 b. Catherine Ackerman) b. 12 Feb 1750  
 bp. 11 Feb 1741 NYC Ref Ch m. 27 June 1765 bp. 11 Mar 1750 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch  
 d. NYC Ref Ch d.

---children of *Walter DeGraw & Geertje Ackerman*:

- **Walter DeGraw**, bp. 6 Apr 1766 NYC Ref Ch (wit: William Nixon, Catherine de Grauw, z.h.v.)
- **Lena DeGraw**, bp. 4 Aug 1771 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Arie Akkerman, Lena Rugen, h.v. Abraham Akkerman)
- **Abraham Degraw**, bp. 5 Dec 1773 [NYC Ref Ch?] (wit: John Cornelison, Sara Akkerman)
- **John Degrauw**, b. 23 Jan 1776; bp. 10 May 1776 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: David Cambel, Hannatje Ackerman, his wife)
- **Aaron Degrau**, b. 13 May 1779; bp. 1 Aug 1779 Tappan Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Catrina Degrau**, b. 23 March 1782; bp. 14 April 1782 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (wit: William Campbel, Wyntie Nagel)
- **William DeGraw**, b. 2 Oct 1786; bp. 22 Oct 1786 NYC Ref Ch (no wit)
- **David DeGraw**, b. 1 June 1789; bp. 21 June 1789 [where? not found Hack or Schraal.] (wit: David Campbell, Elizabeth Campbell)

---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ...Schraalenburgh [Bergen Co., NJ], 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II); Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation; Tobey, *The Ackerman Family*, vol. 2, p. 89; "Records of the Reformed Dutch Church in New York—Baptisms" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Oct 1898, p. 197; *New York Marriages Previous to 1784*, p. 103; *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)

**DeGraw, Walter**

Walter DeGraw m. **Metje Sip**  
 son of (prob) Harmanus DeGraw & dau. of  
 Jenneke Van Iderstyn

Sometime prior to 8 July 1794 he bought from Cornelius Enoch Vreeland a tract of land at "Gotham" on what became Main avenue, Passaic, near Washington Place, or south of that street.

---children of *Walter DeGraw & Metje Sip*:

- **Gerret DeGraw**, b. 5 Dec 1772; bp. 1 Jan 1773 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (wit: John Wanshaar, Helena Schoonmaker)
- **Helmich Degrauw**, b. 3 Sep 1775; bp. 1 Oct 1775 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Dirck DeGraw**, b. 18 May 1779; bp. 20 June 1779 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Johannes DeGraw**, b. 18 Feb 1781; bp. 1 April 1781 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Jannetje DeGraw**, b. 3 Nov 1782; bp. 8 Dec 1782 Acquackanonk Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Nelson, William, *The History of the City of Paterson and the County of Passaic*, 1901, p. 329; Kelly, Arthur, *Vital Records of the Protestant Dutch Reformed Church at Acquackanonk*, 1977 (reprinted 1992)

**DeGraw, Walter**

Walter DeGraw m. **Ida**  
 ---*children of Walter DeGraw & Ida*  
 • **Hannah Degrauw**, b. 8 Feb 1781; bp. 11 March 1781 Trinity Ch Parish, NYC (wit: Charles Chambers, Hannah & Ida Degrauw)  
 ---Sources: "Records of Trinity Church Parish" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 68, No. 4, Oct 1937, p. 381

**DeGraw, Walter**  
 Walter DeGraw m. **-?-**  
 ---*children of Walter DeGraw &*  
 • (prob) **Maria Degrauw**, m. (1) 9 Sep 1815 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC, **Abraham Campbell**, son of Abraham Campbell; m. (2) **James Hazard**  
 • (prob) **Catharine Degrauw**, m. (poss) (1) 23 Sep 1815 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC, **Martin C. Shirlock**, son of John Shirlock; m. (poss) (2) 13 Jan 1822 Madison Avenue Ref Ch, NYC (she dau. of Walter De Graw; but she is not noted as a widow), **Andrew M. Humbert**, son of Jonas Humbert (wit to marriage: James Hazard and his wife, Maria De Graw)  
 ---Sources: Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, Records of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church in the City of New York, Vol. 2 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society e-Library)

**DeGraw, Walter**  
 Walter DeGraw m. **Elizabeth Taylor**  
 ---*children of Walter DeGraw & Elizabeth Taylor:*  
 • **Margaret Ann DeGraw**, b. 17 Dec 1828; bp. 17 Feb 1834 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)  
 • **Elizabeth Jane DeGraw**, b. 26 March 1831; bp. 17 Feb 1834 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)  
 • **Phebe Catharine DeGraw**, b. 6 April 1833; bp. 17 Feb 1834 Pompton Plains Ref Ch (no wit)  
 • **John Degrouw**, b. 9 Oct 1737; bp. 19 Nov 1737 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)

**DeGraw, William Leendertszen**  
 William DeGraw m. **Leuntie Machielsze Lynsze**  
 son of Leendert Arentszen DeGraw & Jannetje Van Slyk banns 12 Feb 1715 (widow of **Coenrad Hanse Hertje**)  
 b. Tappan Ref Ch dau. of  
 b. abt. 1675-1678? in Zeeland at Seradtskerke  
 In the Tappan Ref Ch record of their betrothal, they were "Willem De Grauw j.m. born in the City of New York and Leuntie Magielsze, late widow of Koenrad Harte born at Schriskerken and island, both living here at Tappan."  
 ---*(children of Coenraet Hanse Hertje & Leuntje Miggelse Lynsze:)*  
 • **Hans Jacob [Hertje]**, bp. 16 Oct 1700 Tappan (wit: Isaac Blawvelt, Maritje Pieterse, Maritje Jos. Van Elslant); m. (1) **Antie Pietersen**; m. (2) **Margrietje Andriessen**  
 • **Lysabeth [Hertje]**, bp. 16 Oct 1700 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Isaac Blawvelt, Maritje Pieterse, Maritje Jos. Van Elslant); m. (prob.) (1) 21 May 1714 Tappan Ref Ch, **Ari Krom** (or Aire Koning?); m. (2) 5 Sep 1724 Tappan Ref Ch, **Jacobus Jorckse**  
 • **Geertye [Hertje]**, bp. 11 Apr 1705 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Matys Franse, Geertye his wife); prob. m. **Coenraet Roeger**  
 • **Marytye [Hertje]** (Maria), b. Nyack; bp. 13 Jan 1708 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Jakob Harte, Tryntyte Stratemakers); m. 9 Nov 1728 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch, **Samuel Brouwer**, son of Abram Brouwer & Leah Demarest  
 • **Jannetie Harte**, b. 29 Oct, 1710; bp. 16 Jan 1711 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Harte, Jannetie De Remes); m. **Jacobus Brouwer**  
 ---*children of William DeGraw & Leuntie Macielse Lynsze:*  
 • **Johannis De Grauw**, b. 19 Sep 1716; bp. 29 Oct 1716 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Jackop Cool, Barber Cool); m. **Rachel Van Horn**  
 • **Leendert De Graauw**, b. 5 Sep 1721; bp. 11 Oct 1721 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Bante, Cornelia De Graauw, his wife); m. **Elizabeth Haring**  
 • **Gerrit DeGraeuw**, bp. 8 Feb 1724 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Heeringh; Margritie his wife); m. (prob) **Hannah Parcel**  
 ---Sources: *Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack....* 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation; "Betrothals and Marriages of the Dutch Reformed Church of Tappan, Rockland County, NY" in *The New York Genealogical and Biographics Record*, serialized, beginning in issue Vol. LXXXIV, No. 3 (July 1953)

**DeGraw, William**  
 William DeGraw m. **Annaetje Gero (Hannagh)**  
 son of Johannes DeGraw & Rachel Van Horn dau. of Daniel Geroe & Mary **Elizabeth** House  
 b. 25 June 1751 b. 15 March 1755  
 bp. 14 July 1751 Tappan Ref Ch bp. 4 May 1755 Clarkstown Ref Ch  
 d. d. before 24 Aug 1820  
 On 23 April 1813 (recorded 5 June 1813, Bergen Co. I2:28) William Degraw and Hannah, his wife, of the Township of Franklin, conveyed to Daniel Degraw of the same place, for \$130., 4-72/100 acres being part of lot no. 45 in the Ramapo

tract, beginning corner of John H. Winter and John W. Packer and line of lot 44; Jones Rhoads. Signed William Degraw (his mark), Hannah Degraw (her mark). Witnessed by Daniel Gero Jr., Peter Winter.<sup>2</sup>

On 30 April 1813 (recorded 5 June 1813, Bergen Co. I2:29) William Degraw and Hannah, his wife, of the Township of Franklin, conveyed to John W. Packer of the same place, for \$908.22, 33-28/100 acres, part of lot no. 45 in the Ramapo tract; corner John H. Winter and John W. Packer on line of lot 44; Jones Rhoads; Daniel Gero, Jr. Signed by William Degraw (his mark), Hannah Degraw (her mark), Daniel Gero. Witnessed by Daniel Gero Jr., Daniel Degray.<sup>2</sup>

1 May 1817 (Book P, 406+) -- John H. Winter and Caty, his wife, of Franklin Township both sign with X to John W. Packer of Franklin Township, for \$284, ;and beginning and being part of lot #44 land by Daniel & William DeGraw. Witnesses Daniel Gero & Simeon VanWinkle. Interviewed 12 Sep 1817. Recorded 27 Nov 1817.<sup>1</sup>

---*children of William DeGraw & Annaetje Gero*:

- **Rachel De Grauw**, b. 20 Aug?, bp. 31 Aug 1777 Clarkstown Ref Ch (wit: Johannes De Grauw, Rachel De Grauw)
- **Elisabeth De Grauw**, b. 16 July, bp. 16 Aug 1780 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); m. **Peter W. Winter**.
- **Maria Degrauw** (Mary), b. 20 Dec 1783; bp. 18 Jan 1784 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit); m. **Garret Van Blarcom**.
- **Daniel Degrow**, b. about 1789; m. **Mary Watson**. By the will of his grandfather, Daniel Geroe, he received 18 acres beginning corner of John W. Packer.
- **Johannes Degrauw**, b. 23 Dec 1791; bp. 16 Jan 1792 Clarkstown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources:

[1] Information online May 2002, Bergen Co. List, from Judith Ullman <AJULLMAN@aol.com>;

[2] Bergen County, NJ Deeds, at Bergen Co., Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs, Hackensack, NJ, abstracted by Patricia A. Wardell;

Cole, David, *History of Rockland County, New York*, 1884 (reprinted 1986), appendix includes early Baptisms of the Tappan Ref Ch, the Clarkstown Ref Ch, and the Tappan Irregular congregation; Bergen County Deeds, abstracted by Pat Wardell

### Degraff, Willem Swart

Willem Swart Degraft m.

**Willempje Neefis** (Nevius)

---*children of Willem Swart Degraft & Willempje Nevius*:

- **Rachel Degraff**, bp. 5 Feb 1775 Conewago, PA Ref Ch
- **Johannes Degraff**, bp. 28 July 1776 Conewago, PA Ref Ch
- **Jannete Degraaf**, bp. 4 Jan 1778 Conewago, PA Ref Ch
- **Abraham Degraaft**, bp. 28 Nov 1779 Conewago, PA Ref Ch
- **Jeremia Degraft**, bp. 10 Nov 1782 Conewago, PA Ref Ch
- **Femmetie Degraft**, bp. 25 June 1786 Conewago, PA Ref Ch
- **Martinus Degraff**, bp. 4 April 1790 Conewago, PA Ref Ch

---Sources: "Conewago, PA Baptisms" in *Somerset County Historical Quarterly*, vol. IV, No. 2, p. 181, etc.

### DeGraw, William

William DeGraw  
son of Leendert DeGraw &  
Elizabeth Haring

m. 10 Oct 1788  
Tappan Ref Ch  
"both of Tappan"

**Vroutie Blauvelt**  
dau. of Jacobus Blauvelt &  
Catharina Smith

b. 26 Apr 1766  
bp. 19 May 1766 Tappan Ref Ch  
d. 10 July 1852, age 86.2.14

b. 16 Nov 1768  
bp. 14 Dec 1768 Tappan Irregular Ch  
d. 19 Mar 1846, age 77.4.3  
buried Blauvelt Cem., Harrington Park, NJ

buried Blauvelt Cem., Harrington Park, Bergen Co., NJ

---*children of William DeGraw & Vroutie Blauvelt*:

- **Elizabeth De Graeu**, b. 26 July 1790; bp. 25 Aug 1790 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Leendert De Graeu, Elizabeth his wife);  
m. 5 July 1806 Tappan Ref Ch, **David Kipp**, son of Isaac Kipp & Maria Banta.

---Sources: "Betrothals and Marriages of the Dutch Reformed Church of Tappan, Rockland County, NY" in *The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, serialized, beginning in issue Vol. LXXXIV, No. 3 (July 1953); Tappan Baptisms; Moos, *The Blauvelt Family Genealogy*, Vol. I, p. 318; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947, p. 153

### DeGraff, William

Claire Tholl Map of the Ramapo Tract, Bergen Co., NJ:

#149 (two adjoining lots are given this same #), Wm. DeGraff, 94 A (house shown) [Ramsey vicinity; main business section]

### Degraw, William

William Degraw  
son of Walter Degraw &

m. 14 Dec 1817  
Madison Ave Ref Ch, NYC

**Susan Blackwell**  
dau. of Thomas Blackwell &

---Sources: Vosburgh, Royden Woodward, Records of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church in the City of New York, Vol. 2 (online at New York Genealogical & Biographical Society e-Library)

### Degraw, William

William Degraw  
son of

m. 12 Sep 1818  
Saddle River Ref Ch

**Martha Wilson** (Patty)  
dau. of

---*children of William Degraw & Martha Wilson*:

- **Catharina Haring Degraw**, b. 9 June 1820; bp. 18 May 1821 Kakiat Ref Ch

• **Maria Haring DeGraw**, b. 22 June 1822; bp. 27 Oct 1822 Pascack Ref Ch

---Sources: Baptisms at the Reformed Dutch Church of West New Hempstead, Rockland County, NY, aka Brick Church, aka Kakiat Ref Ch, 1774-1898 in undated George H. Budke Collection, transcribed May 2003 by Bruce E. Hopper; Saddle River Reformed Church (Upper Saddle River, Bergen Co., NJ) Records, including gravestones inscriptions from the adjacent chyd (typescript)

**Degraw, William H.**

William Degraw m.  
son of  
b. abt. 1835 (or 1828)  
d. 27 Feb 1873, age 44  
buried Valleau Cemetery, Ridgewood, Bergen Co., NJ

**Mary M.**  
dau. of  
b. abt. 1838  
d.  
buried

---*children of William H. Degraw & Mary*

- **John Henry Degraw**, b. 17 July 1858; bp. 3 Oct 1858 New Prospect M.E. Ch (wit: Aaron Ackerman) (mother's name in bp. record is Margaret)<sup>1</sup>
- (prob) **Theodore H. Degraw**, b. 20 Oct 1870; d. 2 Oct 1911, age 41; buried Valleau Cemetery, Ridgewood, Bergen Co., NJ.
- (prob) **Emma Malisa Degraw**, b. about 1873; d. 27 Nov 1875, age 2.1.0; buried Valleau Cemetery, Ridgewood, Bergen Co., NJ.

---Sources:

[1] New Prospect Methodist Episcopal Church (now Waldwick, NJ) Baptisms, transcribed by Jean Morris <Rmorris216@aol.com> online 27 Nov 1998 years 1858-1872 online at <[http://www.rootsweb.com/~njpchsgc/chu/new\\_prospect\\_me\\_bapt.htm](http://www.rootsweb.com/~njpchsgc/chu/new_prospect_me_bapt.htm)>; 1860 Federal Census, Franklin Twp., Godwinville P.O., dwelling 300, family 339; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, Valleau Cemetery (Ridgewood, Bergen County, NJ) Gravestone Inscriptions (typescript), copied Feb 1944, p. 52

**DeGray, William Miles**

William Miles DeGray m. 5 Nov 1863  
son of Richard DeGray & Paterson, NJ  
Maria Jacobus Miles  
b. 30 Mar 1838  
d. 7 Jan 1910

**Mary E. Demarest**  
dau. of David W. Demarest &  
Maria Van Horn  
b. 17 Dec 1839  
d. 25 Jan 1923

---*children of William Miles DeGray & Mary E. Demarest:*

- **Ann DeGray**, d.infancy.
- **Harry DeGray**, m. **Elizabeth McFarland**. They had children: Henry DeGray; Elizabeth DeGray (m. -?- Masten); Alice DeGray; Mary DeGray; and Robert DeGray.
- **William DeGray**
- **Minnie DeGray**
- **John DeGray**, m. **Harriet Moore**. They had children: Julian DeGray; Richard DeGray.

---Sources: Demarest, Voorhis D. (Demarest Family Association), The Demarest Family, 1964, Vol. I, No. 7-1112 (Mary E. Demarest)

**Unplaced Degraw Women:**

**Catharine Amelia Magroff**, m. 24 Dec 1866 Paramus, **Abraham John Haring** Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929s, p. 77

**Ellen DeGraw**, b. 29 Dec 1822; m. **William N. Blauvelt**, son of Nicholas Jos. Blauvelt & Catharina Jurre/Youry

**Elizabeth Graw**, m. **Michiel Moor**. They had ch bp c. 1720s NYC Ref Ch.

**Elizabeth DeGrauw**, m. 8 Sept. 1749 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Nicholas Kerlach** (Carlough)

**Elizabeth DeGrauw**, m. before April 1759, **Jacobus Brouwer**

**Elsje Degraw**, m. m. 23 Oct 1768 NY Luth Ch, **David Degrot**

**Geertje Degrauw** (Charity?), m. 2 March 1783 Acquackanonk Ref Ch, **Jacob Van Noorstrand**

**Henkje De Graw**, m. 21 July 1766 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch, **Johanes Luttllet**.

**Janneke De Graw**, j.d. Van N. York, m. 2 Nov 1705 NYC Ref Ch, **Arnall Williams**, j.m. Van O. Englt.

**Katherine Margroff**, d. 12 Dec 1977; buried Valleau Cem., Ridgewood, Bergen Co., NJ; m. -?- **Chapman**

**Maria DeGrave**, m. (1) **Andries Tibout**; m. (2) **Albert Terhune**; m. (3) **Jean Alyea**.

**Maria DeGraw**, m. after 1778, **Jacobus/James Springsteen**, widower of Cornelia Voorhees.

**Sarah DeGraw** (Sally), b. 23 Jan 1797; m. **David P. Campbell**

**Sarah DeGraw**, m. 15 March 1837 Second Ref Ch, Paterson, NJ, **Andrew Paul**

**Susan McGroff**, m. 28 June 1840 Saddle River/Ramapo Luth. Ch., **Horace Holcombs** (both of New Prospect) Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, p. 83