

-- LAGRANGE --

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

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

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

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

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

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

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**de Lagrange, Arnoldus**

Arnoldus de Lagrange  
son of Joost de La Grange &  
Margrieta van Persijns

b. about 1653

bp.

d. before 1703

buried

They came to America in 1678 (to settle the issue of the ownership of Tinicum Island in the Delaware River near New Castle). They appeared to return to the Netherlands, settling in Rotterdam, where many are buried, according to Rotterdam archives.

---children of *Arnoldus de Lagrange & Cornelia de Lafonteyne*: (speculative)

- **Arnoldus de Lagrandge**, bp. 22 Jan 1679 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jeremias Janszen, Sara de Foreest); d. of smallpox before 28 Sep 1679, aged under 1
- **Cornelia de La Grange**, bp. 23 April 1681 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Dr. Johan Kerfbyl, Cornelia Hartmans, Cornelia Depeyster); d. 1746 age 64; buried 17 Nov 1746 Rotterdam
- (poss) **Daniel de La Gransje**, d. 1703; buried 2 Dec 1703 Rotterdam; m. **Marija Danoel**
- (poss) **Margrieta de La Grange**, b. poss. New Castle, DE 1680s; buried 6 Aug 1769; m. (1) 26 March 1720, **Pieter De Windt**, widower; m. (2) 31 Jan 1745 **Gerrit Blankenbul**, widower
- (poss??) **Susanna Chatrina De Lanrage**, b. (prob) Rotterdam; m. 16 March 1727 (license), m. 31 March 1726 Rotterdam,, **Adriaen Kock**, widower. She may more likely be dau. of Daniel De La Grange & Marija Danoel.
- **Agata De La Grange**, buried 5 Oct 1749 Rotterdam, elderly, unmarried; she never married
- **Maria de La Grange**, buried 10 Dec 1760 Rotterdam

---Sources: Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City], 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III); Information online Dec 2002, Dutch-colonies List, from "John Halsey Flannery" <jhflann@drizzle.com>

**La Grange, Gillis/Jellis** (Jelis; Gillis De la Grange)

Gillis De la Grange m.  
son of Omi (De) La Grange &  
Annetje De Vries  
b. about 1670  
bp.  
d.

**Jenneke Adriaans [Molenaar]**  
dau. of Joost Adriaens [Molenaar] &  
(2) Lysbet/Elizabeth Willems [Crom]  
b.  
bp. 5 April 1672 Kingston Ref Ch  
d. 1710

---children of Gillis De la Grange & Jenneke Adriaans:

- **Christyntje De la Grange**, bp. 24 Sep 1693 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Appell, Annetje Appell); m. **Abraham Truax**
- **Elisabeth De la Grange**, bp. 6 Oct 1695 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Tomesz, Marietje Mingal); m. **Jacob Truax**
- **Jannetje La Grange**
- **Anni La Grange**, bp. 29 Dec 1700 Schenectady Ref Ch (parents in bp. record: Jelles De Lagranse & Jannetje Molenaar)
- **Christian La Grange**, bp. 25 July 1703 Albany Ref Ch; m. about 1727 **Catalyntje Dumont**

---Sources:

[1] Randolph, Howard S. F., "The House of Truax: Descendants of Philippe du Trieux, 1586-1653" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1927 (Vol. 58, No. 1), p. 78 Footnote;

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; Information online June 2000, Dutch-Colonies List, from John Van Buskirk <jvanbus1@twcny.rr.com>

**Lagrange, Isaac**

Isaac Lagrange m. 6 April 1722  
son of Omi LaGrange &  
Annetje De Vries  
bp. 28 April 1686 Albany Ref Ch

**Maria Burschard (Marytje)**  
dau. of  
bp.

---children of Isaac Lagrange & Maria Burschard:

- **Omi Lagransie**, bp. 4 March 1723 Zion Luth Ch, Athens, Greene Co., NY (b. or bp. Kinderhoek)
- **Coenraed Lagrangie**, bp. 23 Sep 1726 Zion Luth Ch, Athens, Greene Co., NY (b. or bp. Normans Kill)
- **Antje Lagrangie**, bp. 25 Dec 1728 Zion Luth Ch, Athens, Greene Co., NY (bp. Albany)

---Sources: Zion Lutheran Church of Athens, Greene Co., NY - Baptisms - Extracted from J.B. Beers "History of Greene County", published in 1884, Online at <[http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/zion\\_lutheran.htm](http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/zion_lutheran.htm)>

**LaGrange, Jacob** (Jacobus; De La Grange)

Jacob LaGrange m. 24 Oct 1717  
son of Omi LaGrange &  
Annetje De Vries  
bp. 23 April 1692 Albany Ref Ch

**Engeltje Veeder**  
dau. of  
bp.

---children of Jacob LaGrange & Engeltje Veeder:

- **Omi Lagranzie**, bp. 10 April 1726 Zion Luth Ch, Athens, Greene Co., NY (b. or bp. Normans Kill)

---Sources: Zion Lutheran Church of Athens, Greene Co., NY - Baptisms - Extracted from J.B. Beers "History of Greene County", published in 1884, Online at <[http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/zion\\_lutheran.htm](http://www.rootsweb.com/~nygreen2/zion_lutheran.htm)>

**Lagrange, Johannes**

Johannis Lagrangie m. (1) 28 Sep 1697  
son of Omi La Grange & NYC Ref Ch  
Annetje De Vries (banns 18 Sep 1697  
b. about 1665 Albany, NY NYC ref Ch)  
d. 1743

**Ytie Croesvelt**  
dau. of  
b. NYC  
d. 1741

In the NYC Ref Ch record of their banns and marriage, they were: Johannes Lagrandje, j.m. Van N. Albanien, en Ytie Croesvert, j.d. Van alhier, beyde woonende alhier.

---children of Johannis Lagrangie & Ytje Croesvelt:

- **Annetje Lagrangie**, bp. 15 April 1700 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Van Noorstrant, Antje Van Ekele, h.v. van Hans Cros)
- **Margaret La Grange**, b. Feb 1704; d. 6 Jan 1774; m. 18 May 1730, **Jacobus Van Buskirk**, son of Peter Van Buskirk & Treyntje Harmanse. He was b. Dec 1705; d. 3 Jan 1767.
- **Johannes La Grange**
- **Christian La Grange**
- **Omie La Grange**
- **Christina La Grange**

---Sources: Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City], 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III); Information online June 2000, Dutch-Colonies List, from John Van Buskirk <jvanbus1@twcny.rr.com>; 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

**La Grange, Johannes**

Johannes La Grange m. **Metye**  
 b. about 1665 b. about 1714  
 d. 6 May 1748 in 84th yr d. 1 Feb 1754 age about 40 yrs  
 buried Graveyd, Constable's Hook (Bayonne), NJ buried Gryd, Constable's Hook (Bayonne), NJ  
 ---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *Thirty Seven Cemeteries*, 1946 (reprinted by Bergen Historic Books) (Graveyard, Constable's Hook, Bayonne, NJ), p. 49

**LaGrange, Joost** (Joost de la Grange) m. **Margaret**  
 Joost La Grange m. Margaret  
 They moved to Maryland in 1684.  
 Margaret m. (2) **Andrew Carr**.

---children of Joost LaGrange & Margaretha

- **Arnoldus La Grange**, m. **Cornelia De LaFountain**
- **Amulda LaGrange**, bp. 22 Jan 1678
- **Ornelia LaGrange**, bp. 21 April 1681

---Sources: Information online June 2000, Dutch-Colonies List, from John Van Buskirk <jvanbus1@twcny.rr.com>

**Lagrange, Omi** (Omi De la Grange) m. 1664 **Annetje De Vries** (Freese)  
 Omi Lagrange m. 1664 Annetje De Vries (Freese)  
 son of dau. of John Freese (prob Jan Vriesen Able Horst) &  
 b. 1625 b. about 1650  
 d. 26 April 1731, age 106 d. 1735

Omie (De) La Grange, a master tailor and one of three brothers who came from from Normandy to New Netherland in 1656, purchased land at Albany 20 Oct 1665.

Annetje died on a boat at Raritan NJ 1735 as she stepped off the boat onto the dock, on the way to visit her grand children (the Van Buskirks).

Omie La Grange dated his will 9 Feb 1723. In it he mentioned sons Omi Jr., Isaac, Jacob.

---children of Omi LaGrange & Annetje De Vries:

- **Johannes La Grange**, b. 1665; d. 1743; m. (1) 1699 -?-; m. (2) Sep 1728 **Ytie Croesvelt**. She d. 1741.
- **Jellis La Grange**, b. 1670; m. 1690 **Jannetje Adriaense Molenaer**. She d. 1710.
- **Omi La Grange**, b. 1672; d. 22 Jan 1725; m. 28 March 1697 Albany Ref Ch, **Elsje Van der Loon** (Van Loon).
- **Annetje La Grange**, b. 1675; d. 1761; m. 19 May 1700 Kingston Ref Ch, **Adriaen Molenaer**
- **Christiaan La Grange**
- **Isaac De la Grange**, bp. 28 April 1686 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Tryntje Rutte) (no mother's name in bp. record); m. 6 April 1722 **Marytje Burschard**.
- **Jacob De la Grange** (Jacobus), bp. 23 April 1692 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Tryntje Ruten) (no mother's name in bp. record); m. 24 Oct 1717 **Engeltje Veeder**
- **Christina De la Grange**, bp. 10 Oct 1699 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Lansing, Cornelia Croesvelt)

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**La Grange, Omi** (De la Grange) m. 28 March 1697 **Elsje Van der Loon** (Van Loon)  
 Omi La Grange m. 28 March 1697 Albany Ref Ch Elsje Van der Loon (Van Loon)  
 son of dau. of Jan Van Loon &  
 Maria Albertie  
 d. before June 1727 d. 22 Jan 1742  
 Elsje Van der Loon, widow of Omi La Grange, dau. of Jan Van Loon & Maria Albertie, m. (2) June 1727, **Barent Egbertse Metselaer**.

In her will, she wrote: ...January 30, 173 8/9. I, Elsie Egbertse, of Rensselaerwyck, in Albany County, executor of the last will of Omy Lagransie, Jr., late of the Colony of Rensselaerwyck. Whereas Omy Lagransie, Jr., did some time before his death, viz., on January 22, 1724, make his last will, and did among other things leave to his wife, the said Elsie, his personal estate, and make her sole executor; And whereas after his death the said will was proved in common form, Now know ye, that I, the said Elsie, being of sound and perfect memory, make this my last will. All my debts and funeral charges are to be paid. I leave to my brother, Albert Van Loon, 10 shillings, with which he is to be satisfied frommaking any claim as heir at law. I give to my man, named Peter Franciscus, my plow, harrow, sled, horse, and hogs, which he now owns; Also my gun, which was given to him by my husband, Omy Lagransie, and all the rest of my farm tools. I leave to Antie, daughter of Isaac Lagransie, my second mourning suit of clothes, and my clock. I leave to my brothers, Albert Van Loon, Jan Van Loon, Klaas Van Loon, and Matys Van Loon, all the rest of my live stock. I leave to Elsie, daughter of my brother, Albert Van Loon, the curtains of my bedstead. I leave to Rachel, wife of Egbert Egbertse, and daughter of my brother Jan Van Loon, my brass fire tongs and shovel, and pewter dishes, and my cupboard (or in Dutch "Cass"). I leave to my negro "Tobias Norman" and "Mary" his wife, some bedding and household stuff. I leave to Barent Sanders, of Albany, merchant, æ30, lying in the hands of Johanes Lagransie, of New York, and given me by my husband, by his will dated January 22, 172 4/5, and all the rest of my personal estate. Witnesses, John Sanders, Myndert Veeder, Symon Jans Veeder. Proved in Albany, June 18, 1753.

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