

-- STAATS --

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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.

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

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STAATS

See also: Huysen; Van Huysen

There are two lines of Staats in this country. Major Abram Staats, a physician, b. about 1618, came from Holland in 1642 and settled near Albany, N. Y. He returned to Holland in 1664 and came over again in 1668; d. 1715. Said to have had two wives, one being Tryntje Jochemse Wessels. Sons were Samuel (physician), Jochem, Jacob (surgeon), Abraham and John. While it is usually supposed that some Somerset Co., NJ descendants are from this line, it is doubtful. A Jan Pieterse Staats, who was at Gowanus, L. I., in 1652, when he m. Grietje Jans, and the next year m. (2) the widow of Frederick Jansen, seems more certainly the Somerset Co. ancestor. He d. about 1714. Sons were Pieter and Jan. Pieter lived on Long Island and had a son John, who came to near Readington, and his sons, Peter, John, Abraham and Rynear are known to have settled in Somerset, Abraham being the settler at Bound Brook. --- Honeyman, A. Van Doren, "Earliest American Ancestors of Somerset Families" in *Somerset County [NJ] Historical Quarterly*, Somerville, NJ, Vol. 6, No. 1, Jan 1917, p. 40

Staats, Abraham (Major)

Abraham Staats
son of

m. (1) 26 Jan 1642
NYC Ref Ch

Catarina/Tryn Jochemse Gijssen [Wesselse]
dau. of Jochem Gijssen Wesselse &

(1) Trijn Gerrits

b. 1620
bp. 19 Jan 1620 Nieuw Kerk, Amsterdam, Netherlands

b. Amsterdam
bp. 8 March 1622 Nieuw Kerk, Amsterdam

d. 1683-1688

Abraham Staats immigrated in 1642. Shortly after his marriage, he came to New Netherlands to serve as a surgeon for Kiliaen van Rensselaer under a 6-year contract, the only surgeon in the colony, at that time. In 1670, he and his son-in-law, Johannes Provoost, purchased from Juriaen Teunisse, his 1/3 interest in the Loonenburg Patent. He also held land near Claverack, on the east side of the Hudson, which he patented Nov 4, 1685. He was the owner of a coastal sloop which traded with Virginia. Maj Abraham Staat's Kil, at Claverack, named after him.

In his will, he wrote: 21 day of April, 1683, Major Abraham Staats, who leaves his estate to his wife, Tryntie Joachims, during her life, and then to his children, Sarah, Isaac, Joachim, Samuel, Elizabeth and Abraham Staats, Jr., and to Bruyne, son of Catharine Staats, deceased. Witnesses, Adrian Gerittse Pependorf, Peter Maser, Peter Maser Vrooman. Proved, October 23, 1694.¹

---children of Abraham Staats & Catarina Jochemse:

• **Sarah Staats**, d. Nov 1683; m. **Johannes Provoost**

• **Isaac Staats**

• **Jochem Staats**, b. 9 April 1654; d. 12 Jan 1712 buried Staats Island (Albany, NY); m. (1) **Antje Barentse (Ryndertse)**; m. (2) **Francina (Leisler) Lewis**.

• **Samuel Staats (Dr.)**, b. May 1657 Albany, NY; d. 27 Sep 1715; m. (1) 28 Nov 1684 Amsterdam, **Johanna Reijnders/Reynders**, sister of his brother Jochem's first wife; m. (2) 7 May 1708 NYC Ref Ch, **Catharina Bedlo**, widow of Thomas Howarden. He trained as a surgeon, Amsterdam. Returned to NYC, 1688. A supporter of Gov Jacob Leisler. Member, Fourth Assembly, NY Co, 1693, 94.

• **Elizabeth Staats**, m. (1) **Johannes Wendell**; m. (2) 25 April 1695 Albany, NY, **Johannes Schuyler**

• **Abraham Staats**, b. 1665 Albany, NY; d. 1739/40 Claverack, NY; m. 3 July 1696 Claverack, NY, **Elsie Wendell**.

• **Jacob Staats**, m. (1) **Rycke -?-;** m. (2) **Isabella -?-.** He was a physician; lived Albany, NY.

• (poss) **Catherine Staats**, m. **Jan Bruyn**

---Sources:

[1] Information online July 1999 from <WayneLII@aol.com> citing Pelletreau, William S., *Abstracts of New York Wills*, Vol II 1708-1728, page 405;

[2] Johnson, Monroe, "The Gouverneur Genealogy" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 70, No. 2, April 1939, p. 134;

Janet W. Morse, P.O. Box 7405, Tahoe City, CA 95730, writing Jan 1991 to Alice M. Haagensen; Information online Jan & July 1999 from Bob Protzman

<Robert.Protzman@akzo-nobel.com>; Information online from Marcie Ward Richie <dansbooks@wavetech.net>

Staats, Abraham

Abraham Staats
son of (Major) Abraham Staats &
Catrina Jochemse Wessels

b. 1665 Albany, NY

d. 1732 Claverack, Columbia Co., NY

The census of 1697 showed their new home in Albany's first ward. He joined other Albany residents in signing a loyalty oath to the King of England in 1699. In 1700, his sloop was carrying cargoes on the Hudson for the provincial government. However, within a decade, he had sold most of his Albany property and moved his family across the river to Staats lands near today's Stockport. He maintained a large farmstead and lived there for the remainder of his life. He acquired additional lands in that region.

In his will, dated 24 Sep 1731, probated 30 Jan 1739-40, Abraham Staats, of Claverack, Albany Co., [NY], yeoman, mentioned wife Elsie, daughter of John Wendell; sons Avraham, Samuel, Jochem, Johannis, Isaac and Jacob; daughters Maria, Catrina, Sarah, Elizabeth and Elsie. Mentioned real and personal estate. Executors sons Johannis and Isaac, Mrl Barent Staats, Robert Sanders and Johannis Provoost. Wit: Jacob Staats, Abraham Provoost and Barent Sanders. (Albany Co. Records, Wills, I, p. 224).¹

---children of Abraham Staats & Elsie Wendell:

• **Abraham Staats**, bp. 30 May 1697 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit Lansing, Johannes Schuyler, Elisabeth Schuyler); d.y.

• **Maria Staats**, bp. 23 Oct 1698 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Staats, Marietje Wendell)

• **Abraham Staats**, bp. 28 July 1700

• **Katharina Staats** (Catharina), bp. 1 Nov 1702 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Schuyler, Rykje Staats)

• **Johannes Staats**, bp. 24 Sep 1704 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Barent Sanders, Susanna Wendel); m. **Alida Halenbek**, dau. of Jacob Jacobse Halenbek & Maria Nanning Vischer

• **Sara Staats**, bp. 2 June 1706 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Abraham and Jannetje Provoost)

• **Isaac Staats**, bp. 26 Sep 1708 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Johannes and Elisabeth Wendel); m. about 1734, **Eva Van Valkenburg**, dau. of Bartholomeus Jochemse Van Valkenburg & Catharine Lambertse Van Alstyne

• **Jacob Staats**, bp. 7 Oct 1711 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Jacob and Isabella Staats); d. 16 Feb 1735.

• **Elizabeth Staats**, bp. 4 Jan 1713 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Joannis Schuyler, Elizabeth ----) (no mother's surname in bp. record)

• **Joachim Staats**, bp. 20 May 1716 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Hendrik and Debora Roseboom) (no mother's surname in bp. record)

• **Elsie Staats**, bp. 30 June 1718 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Barent and Neeltje Staats) (no mother's surname in bp. record)

• **Samuel Staats**, m. (prob) 8 Jan 1742, **Neeltje Staats**, dau. of Barent Staats & Neeltje Gerretse Vandenberg

---Sources:

[1] *New York Wills, 1626-1836*, p. 380-381;

Talcott, S. V., *Genealogical Notes of New York and New England Families*, Albany, 1883, p. 377, online Oct 1999 version at Cornell University MOA (Making of America) site: [http://moa.cit.cornell.edu/dienst/oaobrowse.fly/MOA-JOURNALS2:TALC-0006/3/1:TIFF2GIF:100;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;](http://moa.cit.cornell.edu/dienst/oaobrowse.fly/MOA-JOURNALS2:TALC-0006/3/1:TIFF2GIF:100;Records%20of%20the%20Reformed%20Dutch%20Church%20of%20Albany,%20New%20York%201683-1809;Marriages,%20Baptisms,%20Members,%20Etc.,%20excerpted%20from%20the%20Year%20Books%20of%20the%20Holland%20Society,%20NY,%20reprinted%20by%20Clearfield%20Publishing%20Co.,%201999;)

Staats, Abraham

Abraham Staats m.
son of Pieter Jansen Staats &
Annatje Jans Van Dyck
b. 166-

Rachel
dau. of
b.

---*children of Abraham Staats & Rachel*

- (prob) **Hellise Staats**
- (prob) **Rachel Staats**
- **Peter Staats**
- **John Staats**
- **Abram Staats**
- **Ephraim Staats**
- **James Staats**

• **Isaak Staats** (Isaac), bp. 21 Oct 1707 Ref Ch Port Richmond, Staten Island (wit: Harmen Joreszen, Neeltie Joreszen)

---Sources: Staten Island Church Records, Collections of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society, Vol. IV, 1909; Genealogies of New Jersey Families, Volume I, Online at Genealogy.com, "The Staats Family;" by Richard W. Cook, p. 813, 817

Staats, Abraham

Abraham Staats m.
son of Jochem Staats &
Annatje Barentse Reynders
b. 18 Oct 1682
bp.

Maria Schuyler
dau. of Col. Pieter Schuyler &
(2) Maria Van Rensselaer
b.
bp. 8 May 1692 Albany Ref Ch

---*children of Abraham Staats & Maria Schuyler:*

- **Pieter Staats**, bp. 7 Jan 1713 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Col. Pieter Scuyler, Margariet Levesthon) (no mother's surname in bp. record)
- **Barent Staats**, bp. 20 March 1717 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Geertruy and Joannes Lansingh) (no mother's surname in bp. record); m. **Magdalena Schuyler**
- **Annetje Staats**, m. **Johannes Vander Poel**

---Sources: Vander Poel, Peter, "Correction of a Staats Family Pedigree" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 88, No. 4, Oct 1957, p. 195; 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

Staats, Abraham

Abraham Staats m.
d. before 23 April 1774

Elizabeth
d.

In his will, he wrote: Abraham Staats, of Bensalem, Yeoman. February 24, 1774. Proved April 23, 1774 (Bucks Co., PA). Wife Elizabeth and sons Edmund and Daniel, exrs. Son Abraham. Dau. Hannah. Son Peter. Wit: John Carr, Abrm. Lerew, Mahlon Carver.

---*children of Abraham Staats & Elizabeth*

- **Edmund Staats**
- **Daniel Staats**
- **Abraham Staats**
- **Hannah Staats**
- **Peter Staats**

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

Staats, Abraham

Abraham Staats m.
son of Peter Staats &
Susanna Van Middlesworth
b. 19 March 1789
d. 1 Nov 1817 age 28.7.12
buried Ref Chyd, Millstone, NJ

Jane Tyson
dau. of

b. 28 Sep 1789 NYC
d. 19 Jan 1866 Blooming Grove, Orange Co., NY
buried

---Sources: Genealogies of New Jersey Families, Volume I, Online at Genealogy.com, "The Family of John Staats of Hillsborough Township" by Lewis D. Cook, p. 819, 821

Staats, Barent (Lieutenant, French & Indian War; Major)

Barent Staats m. 15 Dec 1701
son of Jochem Staats & Albany, NY
(1) Antje Barentse Reyndertse (banns: 12 Oct 1701
b. 10 Aug 1680 Albany, NY NYC Ref Ch)
d. 26 July 1752
buried Staats Island, Castleton on Hudson, NY

Neeltje Gerretse Vandenberg
dau. of Gerret Gysbertse VanderBergh &
Teuntje -?
b. about 1683 Albany, NY (1677¹)
d. 21 July 1749
buried

Barent Staats probably lived in the town of New Baltimore. The Patent of Loonenburgh was a large tract, extending along the west shore of Hudson river from the south line of the village of Athens, nearly to Cocksackie. It was bounded west by the old Indian foot path, which led from Catskill to Albany.

In his will, (Written in Dutch language.)--In den Name Godes, Amen, January 1, 1748, I, Barent Staats, I leave to my son, Joachim, my Great silver tankard, for his right of primogeniture. I also give my Bowery in the Manor of Rensselaerwyck, known by the name of Hoge Berg (Great Hill), with the meadow and upland thereto belonging, to my two sons, Joachim and Gerritt, but on the express condition that my wife Neeltie shall have her support and living during her life, and the use of certain slaves. I leave to my sons all my wearing apparell, and my guns and pistols; I also leave to them 1/2 of my right in the Patent of Loonenburgh. I leave to my seven daughters, Antie, wife of John Visser, Aryantie, wife of Hendrick Van Durzen, Catharine, wife of Abraham Schuyler, Gertrude, wife of John Schuyler, Neeltie, wife of Samuel Staats, Teuntie, wife of William Salisbury, and Elizabeth, wife of Johanen Bleecker, all the other 1/2 of my right in the Patent of Loonenburgh. I make my wife and my sons, Johanen and Gerritt, executors. Witnesses, Jacob Van Schayck, Killian Van Rensselaer, Sybrant Van Schayck. Proved, in Albany, September 25, 1752.¹

---children of Barent Staats & Neeltje Gerretse Vandenberg:

- **Joachim Staats**, bp. 3 May 1702 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Jochem and Antje Staats)
- **Anna Staats** (Antie), bp. 24 Dec 1703 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Jochem and Anna Staats); m. **John Visser**
- **Ariaantje Staats**, bp. 13 May 1706 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Gysbert Van den Berg, Marrytje Van Esch);
m. **Hendrick Willemse Van Deursen**
- **Catharina Staats**, bp. 12 Dec 1708 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Staats, Lysbeth Schuyler); m. **Abraham Schuyler**
- **Geertruy Staats** (Gertrude), bp. 11 March 1711 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit Van den Berg, Marretje Schuylders);
m. **John Schuyler**
- **Jannetie Staats**, bp. 27 Feb 1713 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Cornelis Gerritsen, Samuel Staats, Geertruy Nygel) (no mother's surname in bp. record)
- **Joachim Staats**, bp. 11 Sep 1717 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Joannes and Elyzabeth Schuyler) (no mother's surname in bp. record); d. 31 March 1804; buried Staats Island, Castleton on Hudson, NY; m. 12 May 1739 **Elizabeth Schuyler**, dau. of Nicholas Schuyler & (1) Elsie Wendel.
- **Teuntie Staats**, bp. 20 March 1720 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Isack Staats, Margarita Schuyler) (no mother's surname in bp. record); m. **William Salisbury**
- **Gerrit Staats**, bp. 3 June 1722 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Ritsert and Anna Staats) (no mother's surname in bp. record)
- **Neeltie Staats**, m. **Samuel Staats**, son of Abraham Staats & Elsie Wendell
- **Elyzabeth Staats** (Elizabeth), bp. 3 Oct 1725 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Jacob and Isabelle Staats) (no mother's surname in bp. record); m. **Johanen Bleecker**

---Sources:

[1] Information online Nov 1998 from <WayneLII@aol.com> citing Pelletreau, William S., *Abstracts of Wills*, Vol. IV 1744-1753, p. 410;

[2] Information online Dec 1998 from Dorothy Koenig <doortje@ncal.verio.com>, citing "The van den Berghs in America", compiled by D. Wade Stockman, Robert L. Grunwell, and Betsy S. Grunwell, and privately published by Robert L. Grunwell of Lynchburg, Virginia;

Janet W. Morse, P.O. Box 7405, Tahoe City, CA 95730, writing Jan 1991 to Alice M. Haagensen; *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

Staats, Hendrick

Hendrick Staats m.
son of Peter Staats &

Machteltje Van Duyn
dau. of Cornelius Gerritsz Van Duyn &
Machteltje Huycken

Cornelius Van Duyn, of Brooklyn, in his will dated 3 March 1752, mentioned his daughter, "Macheltie, wife of Hendrick Staats."

Hendrick & Machteltje moved to Bound Brook, NJ.

---children of Hendrick Staats & Machteltje Van Duyn:

- **Peter Staats**, bp. 18 Nov 1739
- **Cornelius Staats**, bp. 9 April 1745 Millstone Ref Ch
---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 V 1754-1760 New York, pages 39 & 40 (will of Cornelius Van Duyn)

Staats, Isaac

Isaac Staats m.

Maria (Marytje)

---children of Isaac Staats & Maria

- **Joachim Staats**, bp. 20 April 1729 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Barent States, Elyz. V. Deusen) (no mother's surname in bp. record)
- **Willem Staats**, bp. 2 May 1736 Albany Ref Ch (wit: ----V. Deusen, Anna Staats) (no mother's surname in bp. record)
- **Barent Staats**, bp. 3 June 1739 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Joachim and Theuntje Staats) (no mother's surname in bp. record)

---Sources: *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

Staats, Jacob Jansen (Skipper)

Jacob Jansen Staats

4 May 1660 -- An Acte to be given to Skipper Jacob Jansen Staats respecting Bridge money and the measuring of bricks tiles. similar tothat to skipper Jan Janzen Bestevaar. [The Bridge was a pier; the acte was to notify skippers that they were re-

quired to give 25 pounds of powder for the City.]¹

---Sources:

[1] Fernow, Berthold, ed., *Records of New Amsterdam, 1653-1674*, 7 Vols., 1897 (on CD), Vol. VII -- Minutes of the Court of Burgomasters and Schepens, Seoptember 11, 1673 to November 10, 1674, inclusive, p. 252;

Staats, Jacob (Dr.)

Jacob Staats
son of Abraham Staats &
Tryntje Jochems Gijssen

m. (1) by 3 June 1676

b. 1642-1654

d. before 28 April 1735 Albany, NY

buried 16 Feb 1735 Albany Ref Ch

m. (2) between 3 Jan-7 Oct
1711

He was a deacon of the Albany Dutch Church for many years, starting in 1678.

In 1690 he was appointed a Justice of the Peace for Albany County. He was a surgeon and was the doctor for the British garrison in Albany 1698-1708.

In his will, he wrote: I, Jacob Staats, of the city of Albany, Chirurgeon, being very sick. I leave to my wife Isabella, my house and lot where we do now live, together with the lot near the creek, during her life or widowhood, and then to my daughter Deborah; and she is to pay to my grand-son, Jacobus Van Schaick, £25. I leave to my 2 daughters, Deborah, wife of Hendrick Roseboom, and Catharine, widow of Goesen Van Schaick, all that certain meadow or pasture, in the city of Albany, near the Old Fort, joining to the road that leads from the city to the said Old Fort. Also another pasture near the same and adjoining the pasture of Warner Van Juren and Bastian Hermense. My wife is to have one wagon load of hay yearly from said meadow. "The north end of the first pasture shall be set with a good fence from east to west bounds, so far as to include the graves which now are. Which part being fenced shall forever remain for a Burying Place for such persons for whom my daughters and their heirs shall give liberty." I leave to my said daughters all my right to the estate of my father, Major Abraham Staats, viz., Lot No. 6, and whatsoever shall fall to me by division. To my wife and daughters all personal property, and to my grandson Jacobus Van Schaick, all my apparell. And whereas I made a contract with my wife before marriage, dated January 3, 1710/11, the same is to be kept. Dated September 14, 1734. Witnesses, Ryer Gerritse, Joseph Yates, William Hopkins. Proved, April 28, 1735.

---children of Jacob Staats & (1) Rycke Van Dyck:

- **Deborah Staats**, b. about 1676; buried 2 Oct 1749 Albany Ref Ch; m. 1 Nov 1694 Albany Ref Ch, **Hendrick Roseboom**, son of Hendrick Janse Roseboom & Gysbertje Lansing.
- **Catharine Staats**, b. about 1678; d. before 14 Sep 1734; m. 10 Dec 1699 Albany Ref Ch, **Goosen Van Schaick**, son of Sybrant Van Schaick & Elizabeth van der Poel.

---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 III 1730-1744, page 177 & 178 (will of Jacob Staats); Hoff, Henry B., "Dr. Jacob Staats of Albany and His Two Wives" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, April 2001 (Vol. 132, No. 2), p. 98

Staats, Jochem (Col.)

Jochem Staats
son of Abraham Staats &
Catrina Jochemse

m. (1) 4 April 1678

b. 9 April 1654 (4 April 1654, ts³)

d. 12 Jan 1712

buried Staats Island

m. (2)

Antje Barentse [Ryndertse]

dau. of Barent Ryndertse &

b. about 1660

d. 1707²

buried

Francina Leisler

(widow of **Thomas Lewis**)

dau. of Jacob Leisler &

Elsje Thymens Loockermans

bp. 16 Dec 1676 MYC Ref Ch

Joachim Staats was a Captain during various Indian campaigns.²

Whereas Joachim Staats, late of the County of Albany, died intestate, Letters of Administration are granted to his eldest son, Barent Staats. April 18, 1712.⁴

In her will, dated 19 August 1728, Francina wrote: Be it known and manifest, that I, Francina Staats, of New York, widow of Col. Joachim Staats, late of the County of Albany, being at this time very sick. "Considering the Frailty and fragility of this present life." All debts and funeral charges to be fully paid. I leave to my well beloved brother, Jacob Leisler, my two negro boys called "Jef" and "Tob," to serve him during his natural life, and after his decease, to my well beloved daughters, Jacoba Kierstede, wife of Jesse Kierstede, Francina Lewis, and Elizabeth Staats. I leave to my daughter Jacoba, a negro girl, "Annihe." To my daughter Francina, a negro girl, "Floor." To my daughters, Jacoba and Francina, my negro woman, "Diana," and her son. To my daughter Elizabeth, two negro girls, "Jenni" and "Nanni." Also £20 to buy a silver tankard. I leave to my daughters, Francina and Elizabeth, the same, and the like portion of clothes, linnen and woolen, and household stuff, as I have already given to my daughter Jacoba, at the time of her marriage. And to prevent any dispute concerning the same, I will that my brother, Jacob Leisler, ascertain the same, as to quality and value thereof. All the rest of my personal estate I leave to my three daughters. And whereas I am seized in fee, by virtue of certain mesne conveyances in the Law, made to me by my said

brother, Jacob Leisler, of sundry lots or Tofts of ground in New York, near the Commons of said city, which are denoted on a certain map made thereof, and other lots, conveyed by my brother, Jacob Leisler, to his other sisters, which map is in possession of my said brother, as will appear by his conveyance. And having already sold some of them, I dispose of the rest in manner following. My executors are to sell Lot No. 140 and pay the money to my three daughters. I leave to my daughter Jacoba five Lots, Nos. 86, 87, 113, 114, 128. To my daughter Francina, five lots, Nos. 92, 93, 118, 191, 122. To my daughter Elizabeth, five lots, Nos. 41, 42, 98, 99, 127. I make my brother, Jacob Leisler, sole executor. "I have set my Hand and Seal, in New York, this 19th day of August, in the second year of King George II, 1728." The X mark of FRANCINA STAATS. Witnesses, Jacob Marius Groen, Balthazar De Hart, Matthew Du Bois. Endorsed, "3d August, 1765, proved by the oath of Matthew Du Bois, of Dutchess County, Esq."¹

---children of Jochem Staats & (1) Antje Barentse:

- **Barent Staats** (Lt.), b. 10 Aug 1680 (18 Aug 1680²) Albany, NY; d. 26 July 1752; buried Staats Island, Castleton on Hudson, NY; m. 15 Dec 1701, **Neeltje Gerretse Vandenberg**, dau. of Gerret VanderBergh & Teutje -?-.
- **Abraham Staats**, b. 18 Oct 1682
- **Tryntje Jochems Staats**, b. 5 Jan 1685; bp. 7 Jan 1685 Albany Ref Ch (wit: father; Levinus Van Schayck. Presented by Rykje Staats) (no mother's name in bp. record); apparently d.y.
- **Isaac Jochems Staats**, b. 14 Jan 1688; bp. 15 Jan 1688 Albany Ref Ch (wit: father; Reinier Barentz. Presented by Elizabeth Banker) (no mother's name in bp. record); apparently d.y.
- **Tryntje Jochems Staats**, b. 17 Sep 1689³; bp. 8 Sep 1689 Albany Ref Ch (wit: father; Jacob Staats, Reinier Barents. Presented by Elizabeth Banker) (no mother's name in bp. record); d. April 1703
- **Isaak Jochems Staats** (Isaac), b. 22 Jan 1691³; bp. 28 June 1691 Albany Ref Ch (wit: Reinier Barents, Wyntje Bogardus); d.y.
- **Reynier Staats**, b. 27 July 1696; bp. 29 July 1696 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Baret Reyndertszen, Jannetje Barentje, h.v. Samuel Staats)
- **Richard Staats**, b. 8 Aug 1698; bp. 10 Aug 1698 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Samuel Staats & Abrah. de Peister, my laedy Catharina Koot, h.v. van my Lord Richard Koot, Graff Van Bellomont, Gouver. van N. York, Etc.)

• **Isaac Staats**, bp. 20 July 1701; m. **Maria Van Deusen**

---children of Joachim Staats & (2) Francina Leisler:

- **Elizabeth Staats**, bp. 18 June 1712 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Samuel Staats, Elizabeth, h.v. v. Joh: Schuyler)

---Sources:

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[3] Vander Poel, Peter, "Correction of a Staats Family Pedigree" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 88, No. 4, Oct 1957, p. 193;

[4] 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 II 1708-1728, p. 86 (admin., estate of Joachim Staats);

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Staats, Jochem

Jochem Staats

m. 12 May 1739

son of Barent Staats &

Neeltje Gerretse Vandenberg

b.

bapt. 11 Sep 1717 Albany NY

d. 31 March 1804

buried Staats Island, Castleton on Hudson, NY

---children of Jochem Staats & Elizabeth Schuyler:

- **Neeltje Staats**, b. 22 Aug 1739; apparently d.y.
- **Nicholas Staats**, b. 21 Oct 1743; m. -?- . He was a Colonel in the Revolutionary War.
- **Elsie Staats**, b. Oct 1747; m. (prob) 27 Jan 1772, **Francis Salisbury**, son of William Salisbury & Teuntje/Eunice Staats
- **Eleanor Staats** (Neeltje), b. 17 Feb 1750 Albany NY; m. (1) **John Amory**; m. (2) **James Malloy**; m. (3) **James Burn**.
- **Gerrit Staats**, b. 29 Aug 1752
- **Phillip Staats**, b. 12 Aug 1754
- **Johannes Staats**, b. 30 Nov 1756; m. -?- .
- **Annatje Staats**, b. 4 Jan 1760

---Sources:

[1] Information online Nov 1998 from Diane Ward Sives <lady_di@nac.net> citing "The Staats Family" by Harold Staats, approved by National Staats Reunion Association, copyright 1921

Janet W. Morse, P.O. Box 7405, Tahoe City, CA 95730, writing Jan 1991 to Alice M. Haagensen

Staats, Jan Pieterszen (van Huysen; Husum; Huisen)

Jan Pieterszen Staats

m. (1)

son of Pieter Van Staats &

Elsie Pieters

b. about 1605 Huysen, Gelderland, Netherlands

d. about 1675-76

m. (2) (banns 15 May 1652
NYC Ref Ch)

Elsje Pieters

dau. of

b.

d. 1651 Gowanus, Brooklyn, NY

Grietje Jans Van Groeningen

(widow of **Frederick Jansen [Blauw]**)

m. (3) before June 1682⁵

d. after March 1671, before Feb 1684
Elsje Pietersz (another woman, with same name as his earlier wife)⁵

Jan Pieterszen Van Huysen, (he did not use the name of Staats until late in his life), b. about 1605 (known from documents in New Amsterdam in which he gave his age), from Husum, a seaside village on a peninsula that was a part of Denmark (still there today but now a part of Holstein, Germany). At least once in the early records, he is identified as "from Holstein," in O'Callaghan's Documents. Also Evjen in his Scandanavian Immigrants to New York names him as a Dane. Some authorities believe his first wife was Elsje Pieters, origin and age unknown, to whom he was married when he came to America in 1637 or 1638.¹

He had land in Gowanes by 1642 when he is named at the northern adjoiner in the patent of Cornelis Lambertse Cool [CDNY:14:39], supplanting Claes Cornelissen Swits named in Cool's deed of 17 May 1649 [CDNY:14:20-1].

His first wife was said to have been the mother of all but two of his children and was killed by Indians in Gowanus (Brooklyn) in 1652 (See Fernow, Documents Relating to the Colonial History of New York, v 13, p 49)¹

Two Amsterdam marriage records for Jan Pieters are: "Register of marriage intentions of Amsterdam 10 November 1629 (DTB 434/345): Jan Pietersz from Hoesum, shoemaker, age 25 years. assisted with Elsyne (?) Pieters his mother, residing in the Moddermolensteeg, with Heyltje Jans from Baeren (?), age 20 years, having no parents." and "3 April 1638 (DTB 448/229): Jan Pietersz from Hoesum shoemaker widower of Heyltje Jans, residing in the Moddermolensteeg and Lysbeth Jans from Amsterdam residing in the Pieterstraat assisted by Jan Albertsz her father."²

In the NYC Ref Ch (banns) May 15, 1652, they were Jan Pieterszen Van Husum, Wed. en Grietje Jans Van Groeningen.

Jan Pietersz Van Huysen m. Grietje Jans Van Groeningen, the widow of **Frederick Jansen [Blauw]** although no marriage record remains. Frederick Jansen [Blauw] had been granted his ground-brief at New Amsterdam on March 10, 1651. Jan Pieterszen sold her deceased husband's property in New Amsterdam on 23 June 1656 (confirmed in Albany by Gov Nicolls in 1663) and in the sale contract is mentioned that Jan had married the widow. Frederick Jansen was a ships carpenter just as Jan Pieterszen was -- that's in the sale notice also. There is no question of the marriage although it probably took place in Brooklyn or Flatbush and not in New Amsterdam. It is obvious that the Frederick Jansen family lived in Brazil when daughter Altje Fredericks (spelled variously) was born but when they came to New Amsterdam is not known as yet. Aeltje Fredericks married Jacob Corneliszen Stille.³

According to Howard Durie, Jan Pieterszen "Van Husum," widower, and Grietje Jans "Van Groeningen," were married at N.Y. (NYC Ref Ch) on 15 May 1652. They removed to Brooklyn where they were members of the Dutch Church by 1660. Their daughter Elsje married Conradus Vanderbeek and they became the ancestors of the Bergen County, New Jersey, branch of that family, through their eldest son Paulus who settled at Hackensack by 1708. Their daughter Sarah m., as his 2nd wife, John Perry and they lived near the NJ/NY border in the Kakiat Patent. Jan Pieterszen had adopted the name of Staats before 1697, when his name is found "Jan Pieterszen Staats," as a witness at Brooklyn. Sarah Jans was a sponsor for Abraham bp. 1 Apr 1682 at N.Y., son of Conradus Vanderbeek and Elsje Jans, her sister.

Jan Pieterszen sold the property of Frederick Jansen, a lot located on Whitehall St, New Amsterdam, on 15 Nov 1663.⁴

---children of Jan Pietersen Staats & (1) Elsje Pieters:

- **Pieter Jansen Staats** (Pieter Johnson), b. about 1638 New Amsterdam; m. **Catrina Cousen** (or **Annetje Janse Van Dyck**)
- **Neeltje Jans Huysen [Staats]**, b. 1640; bp. 9 Sep 1640 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Barne Bal, Tryntje Koos, Sara Rappalje) (no mother's name in bp. record); d. after April 1687; m. (1) 30 Oct 1661 Brooklyn, **Gerrit Dircksen Croeson/Kroesen**. He d. 1680. Neeltje m. (2) 1680 Flatbush, **Volkert Hendricksen Bries**. Volkert Hendricksen Bries m. (2) before 15 Nov 1696 Elizabeth Paulis, dau. of Paulus Dirckszen [Huff] & Geertje Willemse.
- **Jan Jansen Van husen [Staats]**, bp. 28 June 1643 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Cornelis Ledert, Marie Thomas) (no mother's name in bp. record); m. 11 June 1682 Flatbush Ref Ch, **Annetje Praa**, dau. of Pieter Praa & (1) Marie Philippe
- **Annetje Jans Van Husen [Staats]**, bp. 28 Jan 1646 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jochem Pieterszen, Annetje Thomas, Rebecca Lubberts) (parents: Jan Pieterszen Vanhusen, Elsje); m. **Johannes Adriaens Vincent**, son of Adriaen Vincent
- **Ruth Janse Van Husen [Staats]** (prob. Rutger), bp. 22 Nov 1648 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Willem Bredenbend, Thomas Hall, Jacob Leendertszen, Claertje Everts, Femmetje Jans) (father: Jan Pieterszen; no mother's name in bp. record)

---children of Jan Pieterszen Staats & (2) Grietje Jans Van Groeningen:

- **Elsje Jans [Staats]**, bp. 13 July 1653 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Wolfertszen en syn huis vr., Tryn Hendricks) (parents: Jan Pieterszen & Grietje Jans); m. about 1675 **Conrad Paulsz Vanderbeek**.
- **Saartje Jans Pieterszen [Staats]**, bp. (as Sara) 3 Dec 1662 Brooklyn Ref Ch (wit: Frederick Lubbertzen, Annetien Jans) (parents: Jan Pieterszen, Grietie Jans, "from Cujanes"); m. 17 March 1683 New Amsterdam, **John Perie/Perry**, who was b. about 1660.

---Sources:

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[2] Information online May 2000, Dutch-Colonies List, from Dorothy Koenig <dkenig@library.berkeley.edu>;

[3] Information in e-mail Jan 2004 from Cynthia Middaugh Zuber <RV4cats@aol.com>;

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Staats, Jan Jansen (Jan Janszen Van Huysen; Van Husen)
 Jan Jansen Staats m. 11 June 1682
 son of Jan Pietersen Staats & Flatbush Ref Ch

Annetje Pieters Praa
 (widow of **Andries Juriaense**)

bp. 28 June 1643 NYC Ref Ch
d.
(banns 28 April 1682 Flatbush Ref Ch)
dau. of Pieter Praa & (1) Marie Philippe
bp. 4 Feb 1652 Leyden, Holland
d. after 30 Oct 1692

In their banns/marriage record, they were betrothed the 28th of said month [April 1682]: Jan Jansz, j.m. van Gouwanes & woonende aldaar; met Annetje Pieters; weduwe van Andries Jurriaansz; woonende op Breukelen; & aldaar getrouwd, den 11 Junii, door D. Tesschenmaker.

---children of Jan Jansen Staats & Annetje Pieters Praa:

- **Jan Jansen [Staats]**, bp. 16 March 1684 Breuckelen/Brooklyn Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Jansen, Annetje Jans Van Dijck)
- **Elsjen Staats**, bp. 7 Feb 1686 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jan Vincent and Annetje Jans); m. **Nicasius Van Couwenhoven**
- **Neeltje Staats**, bp. 17 April 1687 Brooklyn Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Pra, Neeltje Jans)
- **Anneke Janse [Staats]**, bp. 9 Sep 1688 Flatbush Ref Ch (wit: Volkert Henderickse, Lysbet Aersen)
- (poss) **Peter Janszen Staats**, m. 29 Aug 1712 Flatbush Ref Ch, **Lammetje Veghte**, dau. of Hendrick Claessen Veghte & Gerretje Reiners Wizzelpenningh
- **Aeltje Janse [Staats]**, bp. 30 Oct 1692 Brooklyn Ref Ch (wit: Jan Dircksen, Aeltje Jans)
- (poss) **Geertruij Staats**,

---Sources:

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Staats, Johannes Pietersen (Johan)

Johannes Pietersen Staats
son of Pieter Jansen Staats & Antje Janse Van Dyke
b. 1656-59 Gowanus, Brooklyn, NY
d. between 24 Feb 1735 & 18 June 1737

m. 2 June 1682

Catharina Corsen

dau. of Cornelis Corsen & Marytje Jacobse Vandergrift
b. prob. about 1667
d.

In his will, he wrote: ...February 24, 1735/6. I, John Staats, of Richmond County, Gent., atural life. After her death, I leave to my eldest daughter Maria, æ50, before any division. I leave to my grand-son, Johanes Breestede, son of my daughter Catharine, deceased, my weaving-loom and my gun, and a young horse, and all my edge-tools. "My eldest daughter Maria is to have the privilege to dwell in the house where I now dwell, with all reasonable comfort and privileges therein, and a room in the house so long as she lives." I leave all my real estate which I have on the north side of Richmond County, and all farming implements to my said grand-son, Johanes Breestede, and he is to pay £83, 6s. 8d. to each of my daughters, viz.: Maria, Cornelia, wife of John Vechte, Anne, wife of Rev. Cornelius Santvoord, Janettie, wife of Dewry Woglom, Rebecca, wife of Jacob Backher. I make my wife Catharine and my brother-in-law Christian Corsen, Esq., executors. Witnesses, John Dupui, Jacob Corsing, Teunis Van Pelt. Proved, before Walter Dongan, Esq., June 18, 1737.

---children of Johannes Pietersen Staats & Catherine Coursen:

- **Maria Jans Stats**, bp. 3 Feb 1689 Flatbush Ref Ch (wit: pieter states; marijtje vander grif) (bp. also rec. Brooklyn Ref Ch, with wit: Oieter Staats, Maritje van der Grift)
- **Cornelia Staats**, bp. 5 May 1696 Port Richmond Ref Ch, Staten Island, NY (wit: Pieter Staats, Cornelia Corsen); m. **John Vechte**
- **Annetje Staats** (Anna), bp. 20 June 1700 Port Richmond Ref Ch, State Island, NY (no wit); d. about 1740-41 Schenectady, NY; m. 1719 Port Richmond Ref Ch, Staten Island, NY, Dominie **Cornelis Van Santvoord**. He m. (2) 19 Feb 1748, Elizabeth Toll.
- **Rebecca Staats**, bp. 22 Oct 1707 Port Richmond Ref Ch, Staten Island, NY (wit: Hendrick Kroessen); m. **Jacob Backher** (Baker)
- **Jannetje Staats**, b. 22 Oct 1707 Port Richmond Ref Ch, Staten Island, NY; m. **Dewry Woglom** (Douwe van Woggelum)
- (poss) **Catharina Staats**, b. 1709?; d. before 1736; m. **Willem Breestede**

---Sources: *Staten Island Church Records*, Collections of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society, Vol. IV, 1909; Information online Nov 1998 and Dec 1998 from Margery Freas <marthur@netrax.net>; Voorhees, David William, *Records of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church of Flatbush, Kings County, New York, Vol. I, 1677-1720*, Holland Society 1998; 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 III 1730-1744, p. 223 (will of John Staats); *Genealogies of New Jersey Families*, Volume I, Online at Genealogy.com, "The Staats Family," by Richard W. Cook, p. 813, 816; 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

Staats, John Pieters

John Pieters Staats
son of Peter Peterson Staats & (1) Lammetje Veghte
b. about 1713 Gowanus
bp.
d.

m. (1)

Femmetje Brokaw

dau. of John Brokaw & Sarah Van Middleswart
b. 1707
bp. 3 Aug 1707 Raritan Ref Ch
d. after 1755.

m. (2) by 1763

Magdalentje Duryee

(widow of **Cornelius Wyckoff**)
dau., of Joost Duerje & Lena
bp. 29 May 1705 Brooklyn Ref Ch

---*children of John Staats &*

- **Peter Staats**, b. 6 July 1738; d. 14 Aug 1825 Hillsborough Township; buried Ref Chyd Millstone, NJ; m. 1769 or earlier, **Susanna Van Middlesworth**, dau. of Henry Van Middlesworth & Neeltje Ten Eyck.
- **John Staats**, bp. 14 Jan 1741; d. between 1 March and 13 Apr 1803; m. **Gertrude Quick**
- **Abraham Staats**, b. 23 May 1743; d. 4 May 1821; m. 8 Nov 1770 **Margaret DuBois**, dau. of Abraham DuBois & Jane Van Dyke
- **Rynier Staats**, b. 16 March 1747; bp. 4 April 1747 Raritan, Harlingen Ref Ch (wit: Hendric Vroom, Maria Brocaw); d. 13 Feb 1826; m. **Sytche Van Neste**, dau. of Abraham Van Neste & Sara Bergen
- **Saartje Staats**
- **Lammetje Staats**, b. 24 Dec 1749; bp. May 1750 Readington; d. 27 Feb 1816 Hillsborough Twp., NJ; m. 7 May 1772, **George Van Neste**

---Sources:

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Staats, John

John Staats m. 6 Nov 1764
 son of John Staats &
 prob. (1) Femmetje Brokaw
 bp. 14 Jan 1741 NYC Ref Ch
 d. 4 March 1803 Hillsborough Twp, NJ

Gertrude Quick

dau. of
 bp.
 d. 7 Aug 1815

---*children of John Staats & Gertrude Quick:*

- **Femmetje/Phebe Staats**, b. 26 July 1766; bp. 17 Aug 1766 Harlingen; d. 31 Dec 1831; m. 23 Oct 1786, **John Nevius** (as his 2nd wife)
- **Peter Staats**, b 6 April 1768; bp. 29 May 1768 Harlingen; d. 6 May 1843 in 76th yr.; m. **Alche Cornell**.
- **Maria Staats**, b. 6 March 1770; d. 16 March 1770
- **Maria Staats**, b. 19 July 1771; bp. 8 Sep 1771 Harlingen; d. 6 Feb 1817 (d. 4 March 1816¹); m. 13 Dec 1792, **Garret Nevius**
- **John Staats**, b. 2 April 1774; bp. 10 April 1774 Harlingen; d. 16 March 1851 (d. 31 March 1852¹) (d. 16 March 1852 ts); buried near Millstone, NJ; ; m. (1) **Mary Vegte**; m. (2) **Catharine Davis**.
- **Abraham Staats**, b. 23 Aug 1778; bp. 27 Sep 1778 Harlingen; d. 28 Dec 1839 age 71.11.0; m. 22 Dec 1801 **Mary Bergen**
- **Jacobus/James Staats**, b. 12 Aug 1780; bp. 10 Sep 1780 Harlingen; d. 20 Aug 1866 Bridgewater Twp., Somerset Co., NJ; m. 4 Dec 1803 **Elizabeth Brokaw**, dau. of Henry Brokaw & Elizabeth Baird.
- **Sally Staats**, b. 16 May 1783; d. 9 Jan 1785
- **Reyneir Staats**, b. 17 May 1786 (b. 15 May 1786¹); bp. 25 June 1786 Harlingen; d. 8 Oct 1846 age 60.1.21; buried Ref Chyd, Millstone, NJ; m. 3 March 1802 **Catharine Voorhees**, dau. of Peter Voorhees & Maria Ditmars

---Sources:

[1] "Staats Family Bible Records" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 91, No. 2, April 1960, p. 77; *Genealogies of New Jersey Families*, Volume I, Online at Genealogy.com, "The Family of John Staats of Hillsborough Township" by Lewis D. Cook, p. 819, 822

Staats, Pieter Jansen

Pieter Jansen Staats m.
 son of Jan Pieterzen Van Staats (van Husum) &
 Elsje
 b. 1632 Brooklyn, NY (about 1638 New Amsterdam)
 bp.
 d. after 25 Dec 1706

Antje Janse Van Dyke

dau. of Jan Thomasse Van Dyke &
 Tryntje Haegen
 b.
 bp. 18 Nov 1640 Amsterdam¹
 d.

At his swearing on oath, he said he was "native born."

---*children of Pieter Jansen Staats & Antje Janse Van Dyke:*

- **Elsje Pieters Staats**, bp. 18 Dec 1661 Brooklyn, NY; m. **Sander Egbertse**.
- **Jan Pietersen Staats**, b. 1656-59 Gowanus, Brooklyn, NY; d. between 24 Feb 1735-18 June 1737; m. **Catherine Coursen**, dau. of Cornelis Corssen & Marytje Jacobse Vandergrift.
- (poss) **Grace Staats** (Geesje), b. 1661; bp. 18 Dec 1661 Brooklyn
- **Pieter Peterszen Staats**, bp. 8 July 1663 Brooklyn Ref Ch (wit: Dirck Stillewil, Anneken Booms); d. 1748 Bensalem, Bucks Co., PA; m. before 16 Feb 1690 **Lysbet Aertsen** [not Middagh].
- **Abraham Pieterse Staats**, b. 166-; m. **Rachel -?-**
- **Annerithe Staats**, b. 167-
- **Neeltje Pieters Staats**, b. about 1673-1674; m. 26 Jan 1694/5 Brooklyn, **Harmen Jorisse Bouman** [Bowman?], son of Joris Jacobsen
- **Annetje Pieterse Staats**, b. 1677; m. 28 Sep 1695 Brooklyn Dutch Ref Ch, **Cornelius Jorisse Bouman** [Bowman?] or Cornelis Jorise of the ferry.
- **Agneta Staats**, bp. 25 July 1680 New Utrecht (wit: Agnietje Jans and Jans Jansz van Dyk); m. (1) 2 Feb 1706 NYC Ref Ch, **Abraham Messelaar** (Metzlaer), son of Jan Adamszen & Geertruyd Dircks; m. (2) **Jan Jurcks**.
- **Isaak Pietersen Staats** (Isaac), bp. 30 June 1682 at Midwoud, Flatbush Ref Ch (wit: Jan van Dijk, Agneta Bennet)
- **Jacob Staats**, bp. 4 Oct 1685 Flatbush Ref Ch (wit: Adriaen Willemsen [Bennet] and Anneke Pieters)

---Sources:

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Information online February 1998 from <Lisarps@aol.com> , citing "Van Dyke" compiled by Elizabeth Preston Baty; Information online February 1998 from Scott or Kathryn Ives <skives@spacestar.com>, citing PA Vital records, "Distinguished Families in America" by William Benford Aitken, 1912, and Jack Middagh, who listed his sources as: "The Staats Family Records" by Richard W. Cool in Volume 1 "Genealogies of New Jersey Families" by the Genealogical Society of New Jersey: GMNJ- 25:27 :TGB- 273; Genealogies of New Jersey Families, Volume I, Online at Genealogy.com, "The Staats Family," by Richard W. Cook, p. 815; New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at genealogy.com

Staats, Pieter Pietersen

Pieter Pietersen Staats m. before 16 Feb 1690
son of Pieter Jansen Staats &
Antje Janse Van Dyke
bp. 8 July 1663 Brooklyn Ref Ch
d. before 8 Aug 1748

Lysbeth Aertsen (Aerentsen)
dau. of Jan Arentszen Van Heerde [Prall] &
Barentje Jans
bp.
d.

In his will, he wrote: Peter Staats of Bensalem Twp., Yeoman. May 28, 1745. Proved August 8, 1748 (Bucks Co., PA). Sons Abraham and Peter, exrs. Daus. Susannah Lewis (eldest), Magdalen wife of Thomas Morgan, Agnes wife of Michael Weesley, Lucretia wife of Jacob Stickler and Elizabeth wife of Mark Overholt. Children of eldest dau. Ann Praal, December'd. Wit: Edmund, Isaac, and Wm. Duncan.

---children of Pieter Pietersen Staats & Lysbeth Aertsen:

- **Antje Staats**, d. before 1730; m. **Arent Prall, Jr.**
 - **Pieter Pietersen Staats**, bp. 16 Feb 1690 Flatbush Ref Ch (wit: pieter staaats, angenietie van dijck); apparently d.y.
 - **Agnes Staats**, m. **Michael Weesley**
 - **Lucretia Staats**, b. 19 July 1693 L.I., NY; m. **Jacob Stickler**
 - **Pieter Pietersen Staats**, m. (1) 29 Aug 1712 **Lammetje Veghte**; m. (2) **Rebecca Ditmars**
 - **Susannah Staats**, m. -?- **Lewis**
 - **Abram Staats**
 - **Magdalena Staats**, m. **Thomas Morgan**
 - **Elizabeth Staats**, m. **Mark Overholt**
 - (poss) **Edmond Staats**, bp. 20 April 1708 Ref Ch Port Richmond, Staten Island (wit: Harmen Joiszen, Annaatie Staats)
 - (poss) **Pieter Staats**, bp. 4 May 1714 Ref Ch Port Richmond, Staten Island (wit: Abraham Metzelaer, and wife Agnietie)
- Sources: Staten Island Church Records, Collections of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society, Vol. IV, 1909; Information online May 200, Dutch-Colonies List, from Cynthia <RV4cats@aol.com>; Wright, F. Edward, Abstracts of Bucks Co. PA, Wills, 1685 - 1785, Bucks County, PA, wills executed 1685-1785, originally abstracted under the auspices of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1995, Bucks Co. Wills, Book 2, online at http://familytreemaker.genealogy.com/_glc/_7259/7259_1.html (will of Peter Staats); Genealogies of New Jersey Families, Volume I, Online at Genealogy.com, "The Staats Family," by Richard W. Cook, p. 813, 816

Staats, Peter Pietersen

Peter Pietersen Staats
son of Pieter Pietersen Staats* &
Lysbeth Aertsen
bp. 16 Feb 1690 Flatbush Ref Ch

m. (1) 29 Aug 1712
Flatbush Ref Ch
(both b. & lived Brooklyn)
m. (2)

Lammetje Veghte
dau. of Hendrick Claessen Veghte &
Gerretje Reiners Wizzelpenningh
bp. 1693 Brooklyn Ref Ch
Rebecca Ditmars

In his will, he wrote: ...October 4, 1760. I, Peter Staats, of Brookland, in Kings County, farmer, being sick. I leave to my wife Rebecca the use of all estate during her widowhood; but if she marries, she is to have £200. I also leave her a negro wench and my silver teapot and household furniture. After her death, or marriage, I leave all to my two sons Peter and John. Except that my eldest son, Peter, shall have £5 before any division. I make my wife and my brother, John Staats, and my cousin, John Cowenhoven, executors. Witnesses, Waldron Blaw, Jacob Bennet, Simon Boerum, Esq. Proved, September 20, 1761.

---children of Peter Pietersen Staats & (1) Lammetje Veghte:

- **John Pieterse Staats**, b. about 1713 Gowanus; m. **Femmetje Brokaw**. She was b. 1707; d. 1755.
- **Pieter Staats**, bp. 4 May 1714 Staten Island (wit: Abraham Metzelaer and w. Agnietie); d.y.
- **Hendrick Staats**, b. about 1715; m. **Machteltje Van Duyn**
- (poss) **Maria Margareta Staats**, m. **Johann Adam Schmit**
- **Gerritje Staats**, b. about 1717; m. **Hendrick Vroom, Jr.**
- **Anna Staats**, b. about 1719; d. Conewago Settlement, York Co., PA; m. (Rev.) **Cornelius Cozine**.
- **Peter Staats**, bp. 21 May 1721 New Utrecht; d. before 2 May 1775; m. **Jannetie -?- (or Rebecca -?-)**

* Margery <Emfrees@cs.com> writing online, Dutch-Colonies List, in Aug 2001 believed that this Peter was son of **Jan Staats & Annetje Praa**.

---Sources: Information online Aug 2000, Dutch-Colonies List, from Margery Freas <Emfrees@cs.com>; 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 VI, 1760-1766, p. 105 (will of Peter Staats)

Staats, Peter

Peter Staats m.
son of (prob) Pieter Staats &
(1) Lammetje Veghte (or (2) Rebecca Ditmars)
d. before 2 May 1775

Jannetie
dau. of
d.

In his will, he wrote: ...10 Feb 1774, I, Peter Staats, of the township of Broucklin, in Kings County, on the Island of Nassau, being sick. I leave to my wife Jannetie £100, and my negro wench, and my chair horse and my riding chair, and 4 cows, and all the household furniture my wife brought to my estate. I leave to my wife the use of all my estate to bring up my

daughter Catlyna. But if my wife marries, my executors are to take the whole. I leave to my daughter Catlyna all my estate, real and personal, in Broucklin or elsewhere. If she dies, then I leave all to my wife and my brother, Jan Staats, and my loving brother (-in-law), Abraham Ditmars. And my executors have power to sell. I make my father-in-law, Johanes Ditmars, and my mother, Rebecca Ditmars, and my wife, executors. Witnesses, Teunis Tiebout, John Caspar, Englebert Lott, Esq. Proved, May 2, 1775.

---children of Peter Staats &

• **Catlyna Staats**

---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. 257 (will of Peter Staats)

Staats, Peter

Peter Staats m. 1769 or earlier
son of John Staats &

Susanna Van Middleworth
dau. of Henry Van Middlesworth &
Neeltje Ten Eyck

b. 6 July 1738

b.
bp. 5 May 1745 Readington Ref Ch

bp.

d. 7 May 1826 in 81st yr.

d. 14 Aug 1825 in 87th yr., Hillsborough Twp.

buried Ref Chyd, Millstone, NJ

buried Ref Chyd Millstone, NJ

---children of Peter Staats & Susanna Van Middleworth:

- **Femmetje/Phebe Staats**, b. June 1770; bp. 25 Sep 1770 Harlingen Ref Ch; d. Aug 1813, ae 43.2.0, unmarried; buried Ref Chyd, Millstone, NJ.
- **Nellie Staats**, bp. 2 Feb 1772; d. before 1824; m. **Henry Quick**
- **Magdalantie Staats**, bp. 10 March 1776; m. **John Van Derveer**
- **Jan/John Staats**, bp. 17 April 1777 Raritan Ref Ch; d. 6 Dec 1792; buried Ref Chyd Millstone, NJ.
- **Susanna Staats**, b. 17 Aug 1779; bp. 26 Sep 1779 Harlingen Ref Ch; d. 28 Sep 1858 unmarried
- **Hendrick Staats**, bp. 16 Dec 1781; d. 20 May 1855 ae 74.6.3.; buried Millstone Ref Chyd, NJ; m. **Elizabeth Schenck**
- **Peter P. Staats**, bp. 7 Dec 1783; m. 7 Sep 1809 **Catharine Voorhees**. They moved to IL about 1840.
- **Abraham P. Staats**, b. 19 March 1789; bp. 10 May 1789; d. 1 Nov 1817, ae 28.7.12; buried Ref Chyd, Millstone, NJ; m. **Jane Tyson**. Had descendants in Orange Co., NY.

---Sources: *Genealogies of New Jersey Families*, Volume I, Online at Genealogy.com, "The Family of John Staats of Hillsborough Township" by Lewis D. Cook, p. 819, 821

States, Peter

Peter States m. 16 Feb 1778
son of Presbyterian Ch, New
Windsor, NY

Lettee Woodard
dau. of

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

Staats, Peter

Peter Staats m. 23 Dec 1789
son of John Staats &

Alche Cornell
dau. of

Gertrude Quick

b. 6 April 1768

b. 29 Nov 1769

d. 6 May 1843

d. 15 July 1838

They lived near Millstone, NJ.

---children of Peter Staats & Alche Cornell:

- **Gitty Staats**, b. 25 Oct 1790; m. 20 Dec 1809, **John Ditmars**
- **Cornelius Staats**, b. 31 March 1793; m. 1 March 1815, **Magdalena Garretson**
- **Sally Staats**, b. 29 Dec 1794; d. 24 June 1819; m. 6 Jan 1816, **Isaac Van Nuys**
- **Phebe Staats**, b. 28 Nov 1796; d. 11 Jan -?--; m. 19 Feb 1820, **Christopher Hoagland**
- **Letty Staats**, b. 18 Sep 1798; m. 13 Jan 1820, **John Sutphin**. John Sutphin d. 13 Sep 1837.
- **Maria Staats**, b. 8 Feb [1801?]; m. 16 Aug 1827, **John Veghte**
- **Jane Staats**, b. 6 Feb 1803, d. 22 Dec 1866; m. Nov 1836, **James Stryker**
- **John Staats**, b. 7 Feb 1805, m. 7 Feb 1828, **Joanna Margaret V.C. Van Doren**
- **Peter Staats**, b. 20 Oct 1807, m. 4 Nov 1830, **Catherine Ann Wilson**
- **Lemmetie Staats** [Lammetje?], b. 5 Nov 1809; m. 21 Dec 1830, **John C. Van Harlingen**

---Sources:

[1] "Staats Family Bible Records" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 91, No. 2, April 1960, p. 77;

Staats, Samuel (Dr.)

Samuel Staats m. (1) 28 Nov 1684
son of (Major) Abraham Staats &
Amsterdam

Johanna Reynders
dau. of

Trijn/Catrina Jochemse Gijssen

b. May 1657 Albany, NY

b.

d. 27 Sep 1715

d.

m. (2) 7 May 1709
NYC Ref Ch
(License 7 May 1709)

Catharina Bedlo
(widow of **Thomas Howarden**)
dau. of (prob) Isaac Bedlo &
Lysbeth de Potter/Potters
bp. 22 May 1663 NYC Ref Ch

Samuel Staats trained as a surgeon, Amsterdam. Returned to NYC, 1688. A supporter of Gov Jacob Leisler. Member, Fourth Assembly, NY Co, 1693, 1694.

---children of Samuel Staats & (1) Johanna Reynders:

- **Sarah Staats**, bp. 20 April 1687 Noorder Kerk, Amsterdam (wit: Cornelis van Beveren, Femmetje Jans); m. 24 June 1704 NYC Ref Ch, **Isaac Gouverneur**. His dau., Sarah, was the second wife of Lewis Morris and the niece of Lewis's first wife.
- **Gertrude Staats**, m. (1) 25 May 1711, **Peter Nagle/Neagle**; m. (2) 13 June 1716, **Andries Coeymans**
- **Catalina Staats**, bp. 16 June 1689 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jan Bruyn, Henricus de Meyert, Debora Meyert); m. 28 Aug 1713, **Stephen Van Cortlandt**
- **Anna Elisabeth Staats**, bp. 21 Dec 1690 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jochem Staats, Chiliaen Van Renselaer, Anna Reynders); m. 28 Aug 1713 NYC Ref Ch, **Philip Schuyler**
- **Johanna Staats**, bp. 31 Jan 1694 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Capt. Gerard Douw, Alegonda Van Hertsbergen); m. 26 Jan 1717, **Anthony White**².
- **Tryntje Staats** (Catherine), bp. 5 April 1697 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Joachim Staats, Hester Leyslaar); d. 11 March 1730/31; m. 17 March 1723 (Col.) **Lewis Morris**, son of Lewis Morris & Isabella Graham. He m. (2) Sara Staats. According to Gov. Kemble, Tryntje/Catherine's mother was an East Indian "Begum" or princess whom Dr. Staats married while holding an appointment in India.

---Sources:

[1] De Lancey, Edward F, "Original Family Records, Morris of Morrisania" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1876, p. 16;

[2] Information online June 2000, Dutch-Colonies List, from Diane Ward Sives <lady_di@nac.net>;

[3] Information online July 2000, Dutch-Colonies List, from "Frans Gouverneur" <gofr@concepts.nl>;

[4] Johnson, Monroe, "The Gouverneur Genealogy" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 70, No. 2, April 1939, p. 134, 136;

[5] Vander Poel, Peter, "Correction of a Staats Family Pedigree" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 88, No. 4, Oct 1957, p. 193;

Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City], 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III); Information online Dec 1998 from Terry Gordon <Farransrch@aol.com>; Information online Jan 1999 from Bob Protzmann <Robert.Protzman@akzo-nobel.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

Staats, William

William Staats
son of

m.

Anatie Yates

dau. of Johannes Yates &

Johannes Yates, of the Manor of Rennselaerswyck, in his will dated 27 Dec 1775, mentioned his daughter, Anatie, wife of William Staats.

---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. 349 (will of Johannes Yates)

Unplaced Staats Women:

Geesje Steedts, m. (banns 27 July 1658 NYC Ref Ch), **Dirck Houthuys** (Oothuys)