

-- STUYVESANT --

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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**Stuyvesant, Balthazar Jansz** (Rev.)

Balthazar Stuyvesant  
 son of (prob) Johannes Balthasarsz [Stuyvesant] &  
 b.  
 d. 26 May 1637 Delfzijl

m. (1)  
 (banns 18 April 1607  
 Zwolle, Netherlands)

m. (2) 22 July 1627  
 at Berlicum (banns  
 11 July 1727 (Haarlem  
 Archives)<sup>3</sup>

**Margaret Hardenstein** (Margaretha)  
 (widow of Rev. **Petrus Monches**, minister at  
 Parrega)

b. Delfzijl  
 d.  
**Styntje Pieters**  
 (widow of **Adriaen Gerrits**)

b. Haarlem, Netherlands

He was from Dokkum. He was minister at Peperga en Blesdijke (1609) - Scherpenzeel, Friesland (1619) - Berlikum (1622 - ) - Delfzijl (1634 - 1637); died, in Delfzijl, 26 May 1637; married (1), intention Zwolle, 18 Apr 1607, Margaretha Hardenstein, from Zwolle, widow of Rev. Petrus Monches, minister at Parrega; married (2), in Berlicum, [22] Jul (intention, in Haarlem, 11 Jul) 1627 Stijntje Pieters, from Haarlem, widow of Adriaen Gerritsz.

In the (2) marriage record, they were: Balthasar Stuyvesant, widower from Dokkum, servant of the holy word at Berlicum; and Stijntje Pieters, from Haarlem, widow of Adriaen Gerrits, residing in the Grote Houtstraat.

11 Oct 1635 in the Amsterdam Chamber of the Dutch West India Company, the father of Petrus Stuyffsant, *commys*, or supercargo, at Fernando Norunho [Fernanco de Noronha], requests that his son, going from there to Pernambuco, may be advanced to whatever position he may be able to fill.<sup>5</sup>

---children of Balthazar Jansz Stuyvesant & (1) Margaretha Hardenstein:

- **Peter Stuyvesant**, b. 1591<sup>2</sup>(about 1611 Peperga<sup>4</sup>); d. before 7 March 1672 (1671<sup>2</sup>); m. 13 Aug 1645 Walloon Ch, Breda<sup>1</sup>, **Judith Bayard**, dau. of Balthazar/Lasare Bayard & Judith De Vos
- **Anna Stuyvesant**, b. abt 1613 Peperga; married (1), in Amsterdam, 7 Nov 1638 **Samuel Bayard**; married (2), in Nieuw Amsterdam, 14 Oct 1656 **Nicolaas Verlet**.<sup>4</sup>
- children of Balthazar Stuyvesant & (poss) Styntje Pieters*:
- **Margaret Stuyvesant**, b. about 1628 Berlikum<sup>4</sup>; m. (1) (banns 30 Oct 1655 NYC Ref Ch) **Jacobus/Jacob Backer** (de Backer); m. (2) **Balthazar de Haerd**t [she may not have married de Haerd, although she did have his son, Daniel, bp. 1 Sep 1671]; m. (3?) 11 March 1678 **Hendrick Droogstradt**, of Elizabeth, NJ.
- **Catharina Stuyvesant**, b. about 1629 Berlikum; d. before 4 Jan 1639
- **Trijncke Stuyvesant**, b. about 1630 Berlikum; d. before 4 Jan 1639
- **Balthasar Stuyvesant**, b. about 1631 Berlikum; d. before 4 Jan 1639
- Sources:
- [1] Shorto, Russell, *The Island at the Center of the World*;
- [2] Genealogical record, Saint Nicholas Society of the City of New York, 1905, p. 14, online at <<http://historical.library.cornell.edu/cgi-bin/cul.nys/docviewer?did=nys059&view=50&frames=0&seq=5>>
- [3] Gehring, Charles T., "Petrus Stuyvesant, directeur-generaal van Nieuw-Nederland: een spannend begin 1647-1652" in *Jaarboek CBG* (Yearbook Central Bureau of Genealogy) 50 (1996); pp. 69-87 (Note: Source given by Frans Gouverneur" and posted to <mailto:Dutch-Colonies@rootsweb.com>Dutch-Colonies@rootsweb.com Sunday, November 03, 2002 11:36 PM);
- [4] Information Aug 2004 from Cynthia Zuber <RV4cats@aol.com> citing speech and article by Charles Gehring via Frans Gouverneur <gofr@concepts.nl>;
- [5] Van Laer, A.J.F., "Minutes of the Amsterdam Chamber of the Dutch West India Comany 1635-1636" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1918 (Vol. 49, No. 3), p. 221;
- 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

**Stuyvesant, Balthazar Lazar**

Balthazar Lazar Stuyvesant m. -?-  
 son of Peter Stuyvesant & dau. of  
 Judith Bayard

---*children of Balthazar Lazar Stuyvesant*

- **Judith Stuyvesant**
- **Catharine Stuyvesant**

**Stuyvesant, Caspar** (Casparis; Kasper)

Caspar Stuyvesant son of Petrus Stuyvesant & Pryntje Pryers b. 1 March 1736 bp. 13 April 1736 Bergen Ref Ch	m. 12 July 1759 Kings Co., NY (m. 2 July 1759 NYC Ref Ch)	<b>Sara Kouwenhoven</b> dau. of Samuel Couwenhoven & Sara Drinkwater b. about 1735 bp.
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---*children of Casparus Stuyvesant & Sara Kouwenhoven*:

- **Pieter Stuyvesant**, b. 6 Nov 1761; bp. 22 Nov 1761 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Stuyvesant, Jenneke Stuyvesant, his sister)
- **Prini Stuyvesant**
- **Eduward Stuyvesant** (Edward), bp. 12 Feb 1764 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Eduward Kouwenhoven, Annatje Roome, z.h.v.); m. **Lucretia Stowe** of Oneida Co., NY
- **Samuel Stuyvesant**, b. 8 Oct 1766; bp. 23 Nov 1766 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Eckbert Post, Sara Stuyvesant, his wife)
- **Johannis Stuyvesant**, b. 22 April 1770; bp. 13 May 1770 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Kobes Brouer, Jannetye van Saen, his wife)
- **Saara Stuyvesant**, b. 15 Nov 1773; bp. 1 Jan 1774 Bergen Ref Ch (no wit); d. 26 Feb 1774.
- **Ned Stuyvesant**, b. 12 Dec 1778; bp. 15 Jan 1779 Bergen Ref Ch (no wit); d. 20 Sep 1779.

---Sources:

[1] Cocheu, Lincoln C., "The Van Kouwenhoven-Conover Family" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 83, No. 2, April 1952, p. 87; 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; *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City]*, 1902 (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), reprinted 1997 by Heritage Books

**Stuyvesant, Gerrardus**

Gerardus Stuyvesant son of Nicholas William Stuyvesant & Elizabeth Van Slechtenhorst b. 1691 d. 1777	m. 1722 NYC	<b>Judith Bayard</b> dau. of b. 1685 d.
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---*children of Gerrardus Stuyvesant & Judith Bayard*"

- **Petrus Stuyvesant**, bp. 19 Oct 1727 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Jea, Francyntje Jea, h.v. Van Fredrik Van Cortlant); d. 1805; m. **Margaret Livingston**

---Sources: Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City], 1902 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III); New York City, 1600s-1800s Marriage Index online at Ancestry.com; Genealogical record, Saint Nicholas Society of the City of New York, 1905, p. 14, online at <<http://historical.library.cornell.edu/cgi-bin/cul.nys/docviewer?did=nys059&view=50&frames=0&seq=5>>

[Stuyvesant], **Johannes Balthasarsz**

Johannes Balthasarsz [Stuyvesant] m. -?-

He was an innkeeper at Dokkum.

---children of Johannes Balthasarsz [Stuyvesant] &

- **Anna Jansdr. Stuyvesant** from Dokkum, m. 11 May 1621 Haarlem, **Andries Savery** from Haarlem, widower of -?-.
- **Balthasar Janszn Stuyvesant**
- **Pieter Janszn Stuyvesant**, m. -?-

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**Stuyvesant, Nicholas William**

Nicholas William Stuyvesant  
son of Peter Stuyvesant &  
Judith Bayard

b. 1648

bp.

d. on or after 13 Aug 1698

m. (1) 25 May 1672  
NYC Ref Ch

m. (2) 9 Oct 1681  
Kingston Ref Ch  
(banns: 15 Sep 1681  
NYC Ref Ch; m. in de  
Esopus)

**Marritie Beekmans** (Maria Beekman)  
dau. of Wilhelmus Beekman &  
Catharine de Boogh

b.

bp. 26 June 1650 NYC Ref Ch

d.

**Elizabeth Schlectenhorst**  
dau. of Gerret Van Schlectenhorst &  
Aeltje Lansing  
b. Albany, NY  
d.

In the NYC Ref Ch record of the (1) marriage banns, they were: Nicolaes Willem Stuyvesant, j.m. Van N. Jorck, en Maria Beekmans, j.d. als voren.

In the NYC Ref Ch record of the (2) marriage banns, they were: Nicolaes Willem Stuyvesant, Wedr Van Maria Beekman, Elisabeth Slechtenhorst, j.d. Van N. Albanien. In the Kingston Ref Ch record of their (2) marriage, they were: Nicolaus Wilhelmz Stuyvesant, widower of Maria Beekman, resid. at the "bouwery" of the late Hon. Petrus Stuyvesant, and Elysabeth van Slegtenhorst, j.d., born at Albany [Albany], and resid. in Kingston.

Nicolas was on the Aug 1673 list, 'Names of persons residing between the Fresh water and Harlem, and of negroes' and was probably living on his farm shown in I.N.P. Stokes, *The Iconography of Manhattan Island, 1498-1909* (Vol. 6), lying east of Bowery Ave. and south of Stuyvesant St. His father's farm was on the north side of Stuyvesant St. Peter's farm is shown as being 120 acres; Nicolas' farm looks to be about the same size.

"Nicolaes Willem Stuyvesant" and his 2nd wife, "Lysbeth Slichtenhorst" are shown on Dom. Selyns' 1686 list of RDC members as living beyond the Fresh Water ("Over 't Versch Water") This means north of the Fresh Water Pond (also called the Collect). Today's Center St. and Leonard St. appear to cross at about the center of where the pond was. (From another map in vol 6 of Stokes.)

In his will, he wrote: 13 day of August, 1698. I, Nicholas Stuyvesant, of the Bowery, in the city of New York, Gentleman, being at the present sick and weak." I leave to my wife Elizabeth all my estate, both real and personal, lying in the Bowery in New York, or in any other place, during her life. After her decease, then to my three children, Petrus, Gerardus, and Anna. I leave to my eldest son Petrus, one negro boy over and above his third. When my daughter Anna is married, the whole estate is to be inventoried and her share paid to her. Makes his wife executrix. (Witnesses not named.) Richard, Earl of Bellomont, Captain-General, &c. Know ye that at New York, (date?) 1698, the last will of Nicholas Stuyvesant was proved, and his wife Elizabeth is confirmed as executor.

Elizabeth m. (2) (with NY license granted 4 Nov 1698), **George Sydenham** (Sidman).

Aeltje Lansing m. 2nd Aard Martens Dooren on 9 Dec 1684 in Kingston, NY, and she married 3rd Huybert Arentsen sometime before 9 Sep 1707. She and her daughters were engaged in constant legal battles with George Sydenham for several years until Elizabeth finally petitioned for divorce from him in 1710.

---children of Nicholas William Stuyvesant & (1) Marritie Beekmans:

- **Judith Stuyvesant**, bp. 22 Oct 1673. Whereas Judick Stuyvesant lately died intestate, Letters of administration are granted to her father Captain Nicholas Stuyvesant December 5, 1694.<sup>1</sup>
- **Petrus Stuyvesant**, bp. 19 July 1676 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Nicolaes Bayard, Catharina de boog); apparently d.y.
- **Catharyntie Stuyvesant**, bp. 17 Aug 1678 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Wilhelmus Beekman, Judith Van Isendoren)

---children of Nicholas William Stuyvesant & (2) Elizabeth Schlectenhorst:

- **Petrus Nicolaesz. Stuyvesant**, bp. 26 Dec 1683 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit Slechtenhorst, Judith Bayard); apparently d.y.
- **Petrus Nicolaesz. Stuyvesant**, bp. 21 March 1685 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Brandt Schuyler, Judith Heyert); d. Dec 1705
- **Elisabeth Nicolaese Stuyvesant**, bp. 13 March 1687 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Wilhelmus Beekman, Blandina Kierstede)
- **Anna Stuyvesant**, bp. 17 April 1689 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Samuel Staats, Anna Stuyvesant)
- **Gerardus Stuyvesant**, bp. 25 Oct 1691 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Balthazar Bayard, de huysvr. Van Jan Merrit);

m. **Judith Bayard**

---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. I, 1665-1707, p. 246 (estate of Judick Stuyvesant);

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**Stuyvesant, Nicholas** (Nicolaas)  
Nicholas Stuyvesant

m.

**Judith Bayard**

---children of Nicholas Stuyvesant & Judith Bayard:

• **Nicholaas Willem Stuyvesant**, bp. 10 Oct 1722 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Augustus Jea, Anna Prichere)

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

**Stuyvesant, Pieter Janszn**

Pieter Janszn Stuyvesant m. **-?-**  
 son of (prob) Jan Balthanszen [Stuyvesant] & dau. of

[Cynthia Zuber's note: I understand from Gehring's text that he was not 100% sure that Pieter was indeed a son of Jan Balthasarszn.]

---children of Pieter Janszn Stuyvesant &

• **Anneke Pielersdr. Stuyvesant**, m. **Abelus Andreae**, notary at Leeuwarden, Oostermeer, Boornbergum en Beesterzwaag (1653).

---Sources: Information Aug 2004 from Cynthia Zuber <RV4cats@aol.com> citing speech and article by Charles Gehring via Frans Gouverneur <gofr@concepts.nl>;

**Stuyvesant, Peter**

Peter Stuyvesant m. 13 Aug 1645  
 son of Balthazar Jansz Stuyvesant & Walloon Ch, Breda<sup>3</sup>

(1) Margaretha Hardenstein

b. 1591<sup>2</sup> (about 1611 Peperga<sup>a</sup>)

bp.

d. before 7 March 1672 (1671<sup>2</sup>)

11 Oct 1635 in the Amsterdam Chamber of the Dutch West India Company, the father of Petrus Stuyffsant, *commys*, or supercargo, at Fernando Norunho [Fernanco de Noronha], requests that his son, going from there to Pernambuco, may be advanced to whatever position he may be able to fill.<sup>5</sup>

Peter Stuyvesant's leg was shot off and doctors told him the stump where his leg had been amputated wouldn't heal in the Caribbean climate; if he remained, it would fester. He resisted - he had only served eighteen months as head of Dutch operations in the Caribbean - then finally gave in to the idea of recuperating at home. A sea crossing with such an affliction would have been a brutal affair in the best of circumstances. As it happened, the voyage was horrific. 'The Milkmaid' left Curacao in August of 1644, and didn't put into Dutch port until December. By ship, canal barge, and horse-drawn cart, then, past gabled facades and through a pleasant wintry swirl of peat smoke and stewed vegetables, he was hauled to the home of his sister Anna, who lived near Leiden. Life instantly transformed; the pestilential tropical endurance test of the past nine years vanished. He was in the civilized Dutch countryside, plied with boiled meat and smoked fish, his stump salved and ministered. It was a classic scenario: the wounded soldier returning home to be cared for. And, completing it, he fell in love with his nurse. Judith Bayard was the sister of Anna Stuyvesant's husband and was living with the couple when the invalid arrived. She was no gay young thing but a decided spinster - at thirty-seven, three years older than Stuyvesant - who had previously been living with her father (a minister, which no doubt gave the two something to talk about). When her father died she had joined the household; it was natural enough that she take charge of the patient. Judith came from Breda in the south, the same town from which Adriaen van der Donck hailed. She was a Huguenot, a Calvinist whose family had fled Catholic persecution in France.<sup>3</sup>

In the marriage record, of the Walloon Ch at Breda, they were: August 13, 1645 "Mons. Pierre Stuyvesant, J.H. directeur de la part de la Compagni de Oestinde en Nieu Nederland et Judith Bayard jeune fille de Mons. Bayard, en sa vie pasteur de l'Eglise Franc, a Breda."<sup>3</sup>

"Whereas Mr. Petrus Stuyvesant, heretofore Governor of these parts, for the States Generall, of the United Provinces, and West India Company, deceased, did in his last will and testament declare and appoint Mrs. Judith Bayard, his widow and Relict to be his whole and sole executrix." And the said will having been presented in ye Mayor's Court, and proof made according to Law, the said Judith Bayard is confirmed, March 7, 1671/2.

Re will of Judith Bayard: Thomas Dongan, Lieutenant-General and Governor. To all, etc. Know ye that at a Court of Record held in New York on Tuesday, March 15, 1686, the will of Judith Stuyvesant, widow, was duly proved, and Nicholas Bayard and Mr. Nicholas Stuyvesant were confirmed as executors, April 7, 1686.

Judith Stuyvesant, N. Y. "Bee it knowne unto all People, that I, underwritten Judith Stuyvesant, widow of Mr. Peter Stuyvesant, deceased, on the 29th day of January last past, being of perfect health and in full senses of memory and understanding, have made my last Will and Testament. And for some weighty reasons have caused the same to be inclosed and sealed up, declaring by these presents that the tenor thereof is my last will and Testament, willing and desiring that the same may be of full force and effect, and that immediately after my decease, that my testament may be opened in due manner, and the contents thereof, with all the articles and clauses therein, may be duly fulfilled and observed. In witness whereof I have hereunto put my hand and seale in New York, on the Island of Manhattan, in America, this 15 day of February anno 1678/9. Witnesses, Wm. Beekman, Johannes Van Brugh, Nicholas Bayard.

"In the Name of God, Amen, know all People whom this may concerne that I, underwritten Judith Stuyvesant, widow of Mr. Peter Stuyvesant, deceased, do confirm and ratify my last will and testament, made the 29th day of January, 1678/9 and lies inclosed. Whereas, by the Laws of this Government, all lands are declared to be lands of inheritance, except otherwise disposed of by will. My will is that all lands and real estate which shall be left by me, shall be held and deemed as chattels, and my heirs and executors shall have power to dispose and make sale thereof as they shall judge best, and that the division of the same shall be regulated by the inclosed will. And I do, by the form of a legacy, give and grant to the Reformed Nether Dutch Church, or congregation of the City of New York, my church or chapel, situated on my Bowery Farm, with all profits forever. With power, if they see fit, to demolish the same and apply the materials to make use of as they see fit. It is expected

and required that the vault or tomb which was built by my deceased husband in said church shall be preserved. I leave to my son Nicholas Wm. Stuyvesant, my great and best case or cupboard, exclusive of what might be found therein. I leave to my said son and his daughter Judith, and to the two children of my eldest son, each an equal part of my linnen, the share of Judith is to be kept in care of her grandfather Mr. Wm. Beekman, and the share of my eldest son's children to be in the care of my cousin Nicholas Bayard. I also leave to the said Judith all my wearing apparell of silk and woolen, and 1,000 guilders, wampum value, when she is of age. I leave to my son Nicholas Wm. Stuyvesant all the china and earthen ware except three great pots. I leave to my cousin Nicholas as an acknowledgment from myselfe my black cabinet of ebon wood, with the foot or frame belonging to it, and the three great China Pots before named. Makes her son Nicholas Wm. Stuyvesant and Nicholas Bayard executors. But if her said son opposes the will and does not rest satisfied with it, then Nicholas Bayard is to be sole executor. Dated December 1, 1684. Witnesses, Wm. Beekman, Johanes Van Brugh, N. Bayard.

"Translation of will that was sealed up." "In the name of God, Amen. Be it known by these presents, to all whom these presents may concerne, that I, underwritten Judith Stuyvesant, widow of Mr. Peter Stuyvesant, and residing in the Island of Manhattan. I leave to my son Nicholas Wm. Stuyvesant or his children (in consideration of the portion and other extraordinary gifts and benefits heretofore received by my eldest son Balthazer Lazar Stuyvesant, deceased) all my gold and silver, coined or uncoined, consisting of jewels or otherwise. Also my best case or cupboard standing in the house of Mr. Johanes Van Brugh, with all the china and earthen ware locked up in said cupboard." Leaves the rest of her estate to her son Nicholas Wm. Stuyvesant, and to the children of her deceased son Balthazer Lazar Stuyvesant, Judith and Catharine. Makes her son Nicholas Wm. and her cousin Nicholas Bayard executors. She also leaves to Nicholas Bayard and his wife each a burying place in the tomb or vault of my late deceased husband, Mr. Peter Stuyvesant, in the Chapel or Church in my Bowery, and if the Church decay or be demolished, then from the materials a cover shall be made to the said vault. Dated January 29, 1678/9. Judith Stuyvesant. Witness, N. Bayard.

---children of Peter Stuyvesant & Judith Bayard:

- **Balthazar Lazarus Stuyvesant**, bp. 13 Oct 1647 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Lubbert Dincklagen, Jean de la Montagnie, Capt. luyt Nuton en syn huis vr., Paulus Leendertszen. Equipagiemr, Corn. Van Tienhoven, Secretrs. Commisr. Keyser, Anneken Bogardus)
- **Nicholas William Stuyvesant**, b. 1648; d. 1698; m. **Elizabeth Van Slichtenhorst**

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### Stuyvesant, Petrus

Petrus Stuyvesant  
son of Nicholas William Stuyvesant &  
(2) Elizabeth Schlectenhurst  
bp. 21 March 1685 NYC Ref Ch  
d. Dec 1705

m. (apparently not  
married)

### Rachel Eckerson

dau. of Jan Thomas Eckerson &  
Appollonia Cornelisen Swits  
bp. 11 Apr 1685 NYC Ref Ch  
d.

Petrus Stuyvesant apparently died in the wreck of the Private Ship of War called the Castel de Kay, of which Otto Van Tuyt was captain.

Rachel Eckerson m. 1 Mar 1712 **Frans Pieterse De Vries**. Previous to her marriage, she had a child by **Petrus**

**Stuyvesant**, who d. before they were to be married.

---children of Petrus Stuyvesant & Rachel Eckerson:

- **Benoni Stuyvesant**, bp. ("ongetrouwt" ('unmarried')) in bp. record after date of May 2 and before May 5, 1706) NYC Ref Ch (wit: Jan Eckeson, Jeremias Borres, Ariaantje Montagne)

---Sources: Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City], 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III); Harvey, Lester M., A Family Tree of the Five Harvey Brothers, (online at Ancestry.com), p. 31 etc.

### Stuyvesant, Petrus

Petrus Stuyvesant  
son of

m. 27 Oct 1733  
Bergen Ref Ch

### Pryntje Pryers

dau. of Casparus Pryer &  
Sara Andrisse  
b. 22 Oct 1717 (b. rec. Bergen Ref Ch)  
d. 22 June 1763

b.  
d.

In the Bergen Ref Ch record of their marriage they were: Petrus Stuyvesant, Y.M., born at New York, and Pryntje Preyer, Y.D., born and living at Bergen.

---children of Petrus Stuyvesant & Pryntje Pryers:

- **Pieter Stuyvesant**, bp. 4 March 1735 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Michiel Cornelissen Vreeland, Jenneke his wife); apparently d.y.
- **Kasper Stuyvesant** (Caspar), b. 1 March 1736; bp. 13 April 1736 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Marselis, Jenneke Pryer, his wife); m. (prob) **Sara Kouwenhoven**
- **Jenneke Stuyvesant**, b. 28 Nov 1737; bp. 5 March 1738 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Michiel Vrelrnt, Jenneke Van Houten, his wife); m. (prob) **Hendrick Sickles**
- **Pieter Stuyvesant**, b. 7 Oct 1739; bp. 15 Oct 1739 Bergen Ref Ch ("Third son") (wit: Cornelis Van Vorst,

- Claasie de Moth, his wife); m. **Magdalena/Lena de Mare** (Demarest)  
 • **Zara Stuyvesant** (Sara), b. 1 Nov 1741; bp. 2 Nov 1742 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Arent Toers, Anna Spier, his wife); m. (poss) **Egbert Post**  
 • **Catriena Stuyvesant**, b. 15 April 1744; bp. 16 April 1744 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Casparus Preyer, Sara Andrise, his wife); d. 21 June 1780; m. (prob) **Jacob Van Horn**  
 • **Johannis Stuyvesant**, b. 2 Jan 1746; bp. 21 April 1746 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Jan van Hoorn, Helena Sip, his wife); d. 6 March 1777.

---Sources: 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; Harvey, Lester M., A family tree of the five Harvey brothers : containing all the known antecedents of Thomas, James, Peter, Philip and Andrew Harvey of Skaneateles, New York, 1990, (online at Ancestry.com), p. 31 etc.

### Stuyvesant, Peter

Peter Stuyvesant  
 son of Gerardus Stuyvesant &  
 Judith Bayard  
 b. 13 Oct 1727  
 d. 31 Aug 1805

m. 17 Oct 1764  
 Kingston, Ulster Co.,  
 NY

**Margaret Livingston** (Peggy)  
 dau. of Gysbert/Gilbert H. Livingston &  
 Cornelia Beekman  
 b. 20 June 1738 Kingston, Ulster Co., NY  
 d. 8 Jan 1818 NYC

---*children of Peter Stuyvesant & Margaret Livingston:*

- **Nicholas William Stuyvesant**, b. 1769; d. 11 March 1833 ae 63; m. **Catharine Livingston Reade**. She was b. 27 Jan 1777 Poughkeepsie, NY; d. 27 Nov 1867.
- **Elizabeth Stuyvesant**, b. 1775; d. 1854; m. **Nicholas Fish**
- **Peter Gerard Stuyvesant**, b. 21 Sep 1777; bp. 2 May 1779 Trinity Ch Parish, NYC (wit: John & Judith Moore & Isaac Lowe)
- **Gilbert Livingston Stuyvesant**, b. 22 July 1779; bp. 12 Aug 1779 Trinity Ch Parish, NYC (wit: Henry White, Wm. Saml Johnson of Stratford & Judith Stuyvesant)

---Sources: "Records of the Trinity Church Parish, New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*. Vol. 68, No. 3, July 1937, p. 272; Genealogical record, Saint Nicholas Society of the City of New York, 1905, p. 14, online at <<http://historical.library.cornell.edu/cgi-bin/cul.nys/docviewer?did=nys059&view=50&frames=0&seq=5>>; "Records of Trinity Church Parish, New York City" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 68, No. 2, April 1937, p. 169

### Stuyvesant, Pieter

Pieter Stuyvesant  
 son of

m. about 1770

**Lena de Mare** (De Marre)(Magdalena Demarest)  
 dau. of Peter DeMaree &  
 (2) Mary Batton  
 b.  
 bp. 8 May 1748 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch  
 d.

b. about 1744 Bergen, NJ  
 bp.

d. about 1822 Hackensack, Bergen Co., NJ

---*children of Pieter Stuyvesant & Lena de Mare:*

- **Pieter Stuyvesant**, b. 20 Sep 1770; bp. 7 Oct 1770 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Hendrick Sickels, Jenneke Stuyvesant, his wife)
- **Johannes Stuyvesant**, b. 19 Oct 1772; bp. 1 Nov 1772 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Johannes De Marre and his wife)
- **Maria Stuyvesant**, b. 22 Nov 1780; bp. 26 Nov 1780 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Jacop Preyer, Selli Ido, his wife)

---Sources: 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; Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of ....Schraalenburgh, 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II)

### Stuyvesant, Peter

Peter Stuyvesant

On 15 October 1787, John and Phebe Day of Bergen County, conveyed to Peter Stuyvesant, of Bergen County, for £93, 15 acres...line of Seil Marselius and Jacob Newkerk. Signed John Day, Phebe Day. Witnessed by Peter Day, Hannah Gilbert.<sup>1</sup>

On 31 October 1803 (recorded 5 June 1804, Bergen Co. S:280) Peter Stuyvesant of the Township of Bergen, conveyed to Joseph Waldron of same place, for \$437.50, release and quit claim rights to 5 acres more or less in Township of Bergen, beginning corner of land of Michael Vreeland at the Communipaw Lane. Bounded N by Communipaw Lane; W by land of said Michael Vreeland; S by Church land; E by land of John Post and John Collerd. Signed by Peter Stuyvesant (his mark). Witnessed by Sylvester Van Buren, John Van Horne.<sup>2</sup>

On 15 May 1806 (recorded 16 May 1806, Bergen Co. W:388) Peter Stuyvesant of Bergen, yeoman, conveyed to Conover Bowne of the City of New York, for \$10, property in the Township of Bergen, beginning at line of Jacob Newkirk; mentioned road that leads to Hoboken ferry. Signed by Peter Stuyvesant (his mark). Witnessed by Peter Stuyvesant Jr., John Stuyvesant.<sup>2</sup>

---Sources:

[1] Davis, John David, Bergen County New Jersey Deed Records 1689-1801, Heritage Books, Inc., 1995, p. 155;

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

### Stuyvesant, Peter (Peter Stuyvesant, Jr.)

Peter Stuyvesant  
 b.  
 d.

m.

**Mary**  
 b. about 1768  
 d. 13 April 1814 age 45.10.6

buried

buried Old Presbyterian Ch Cem., Rahway, NJ

---Sources: Thomas, George W., "Tomstone Inscriptions" (Easterly part of cemetery at Rahway, N.J., on St. George Avenue, formerly the cemetery of the old Presbyterian Church. Copies from stones standing in 1903), in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Oct 1906 (Vol. 37, No. 4), p. 310;

**Unplaced Stuyvesant Women:**

**Anne Stuyvesant**, m. 1705 NY, **Thomas Pritchard**

**Jenneke Stuyvesant**, m. before 1770, **Hendrick Sickels**

**Judith Stuyvesant**, d. before 18 Aug 1714: Robert Hunter, Captain-General and Governor. Whereas Judith Stuyvesant, of New York, died intestate, Letters of administration are granted to Gerard Stuyvesant, her brother, August 18, 1714. -- Pelletreau, William S., Abstracts of New York Wills, Vol II 1708-1728, page 139.

**Sara Stuyvesant**, m. before 1766 **Egbert Post**