

-- VAN DONCK, VAN DUNK --

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Van Dunk, Annatje

On 29 November 1803 (recorded 27 March 1804, Bergen Co. R:428) Annatye Van Dunk of Harrington, conveyed to Henry Cole of same place, for £96, an 8-acre lot in Harrington, beginning at NW corner of John Conkling's land near his Dwelling House. Bounded N by Cornelius Peterson; S by land of said John Conkling; W by land of Johannes Pake, and land of Samuel Piggery; E by land of Thomas Blanch, and land of said Samuel Piggery. Signed by Annatie Van Dunk (her mark). Witnessed by Barent Waldron, John D. Haring.¹

On 14 October 1805 (recorded 25 March 1806, Bergen Co. X:228) John Conklin of Harrington and Hannah, his wife, conveyed to William M. McClain of the same place, for £49, 1 acre in Harrington; mentioned land of Anatcha Van Dunk; land of Joseph Blauvelt; Daniel Peck. Signed by John Conklin, Hannah Conklin (her mark). Witnessed by Abraham Hopper, Henry Cole.¹

---Sources:

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

Van Dunk, Arthur

Arthur Van Dunk
son of Stephen Van Dunk &
Sarah Jane DeGroat
b. 3 July 1879
d. 25 July 1933 Passaic Co., NJ
buried Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ

m. 4 July 1900
Paramus Ref Ch

Rosanna King
dau. of

b. 24 June 1880
d. 16 Jan 1934 Ho-ho-kus, Bergen Co., NJ
buried Mahwah, Bergen Co., NJ

At the time of their marriage, he was 22, of Mahwah; she was 23, of Orvil Twp.

They were listed in the 1910 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen Co., Hohokus Township, District 0028, p. 8, enumerated 13 May 1910, Darlington Road, Dwelling 81, Family 88 9both b, NJ, their parents b. NJ) -- Van Dunk, Arthur, Head, age 31, married 10 yrs., Laborer, Farm, renting home; [Van Dunk], Rosanna, Wife, age 30, married 10 yrs.

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S. and Arthur J. Goff, Paramus Reformed Dutch Church Records (Marriages 1799-1900; Baptisms 1851-1900), 1944, typescript printed [1998?] by Bergen Historic Books

[Van Dunk] Fordonck, Augustine (aka Augustine Pens, Augustine Manuels, Auguistine Anthony, Augustine de Angola, prob. Augustine Franciscus; and poss. Augustine Sordonck or Fordonck as on a 1673 list of blacks in Manhattan)

See also: Manuels, Augustyn

Augustine Van Dunk	m. 1666	Anna Maria Van Curacao Negrinne)
son of	(banns 25 April 1666 NYC Ref Ch)	(widow of Dirck Hendrickszen)
		dau. of

d. before 26 Dec 1691 (in or after 1675¹)

In the NYC Ref Ch record of their marriage banns, they were: Augustyn Pens, Neger, en Anna Maria Negrinne.

Anna Maria m. (3) as Anna Mary Van Curacao, widow of Augustyn de Angola, 26 Dec 1691 NYC Ref Ch, **Francis Bastiaenszen de Angola**, widower of Barbara Manuels; she m. (4) 5 Dec 1697 NYC Ref Ch, as Anna Marie Van Curacao (last "widow of Franciscus de Angola" of the Great Kill, (Banns 13 Nov 1697 NYC Ref Ch), **Jan Wel**, of "N. Yarsey." Jan Wel was the widower of Isabel Angola.

---children of Augustyn Manuels/Van Dunk & Anna Marie Van Curacao:

- **Anna [Manuels]**, bp. 28 March 1668 NYC Ref Ch (parents: Augustyn Manuels, Anna Marie) (wit: Manuel Pieters, Sara Roelofs); apparently d.y.
- **Anna**, bp. 19 May 1669 NYC Ref Ch (parents: Augustus Anthony, Anna Maria) (wit: Sara Roelofs)
- **Augustyn**, bp. 27 Aug 1670 NYC Ref Ch (parents: Augustyn Anthony, Anna Maria) (wit: Emanuel Pieters, Anna Abrahams); m. **Fytje/Sophia** -?-'
- **Emanuel Van Donck**, bp. 1673 NYC Ref Ch

---Sources:

[1] Hoffman, Henry B., "Researching African-American Families in New Netherland and Colonial New York and New Jersey" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 136, No. 2, April 2005, p. 92;

Hoff, Henry B., "Frans Abramse Van Salee and his Descendants: a Colonial Black Family in New York and New Jersey" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Apr 1990, p. 65; NYC Reformed Dutch Church Baptisms, in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1876, p. 126, 130; Oct 1876, p. 163; Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City], 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III); Marriages from 1639 to 1801 in the Reformed Dutch Church, New Amsterdam-New York City, 1940 (Vol. IX of Collections of the New York Genealogical & Biographical Society)

Van Donck, Augustine

Augustine Van Donck`	m.	Sophia -?-(Fytje)
son of Augustine Van Dunk & Anna Marie Van Curacao		dau. of
bp. 27 Aug 1670 NYC Ref Ch		bp.

They were free negroes and were living at Tappan before 1712. They were listed in the Orange Co. Census of 1712.

---children of Augustine Van Donck & Sophia -?:-

- **Augustine Van Donck**, b. abt. 1700-1705; bp. 26 June 1717 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Reynier Reyserryck, Marretie Vlierboom) (no mother's name in bp. record); m. 28 Apr 1726 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Rachel Matthys**.
- **Elizabeth Van Donk**, m. 26 Jan 1728 Hackensack Ref Ch, **Casparus Haal**.
- **Dina Van Donck**, m. **Isaac Kromwel** (Crommel?).

---Sources:

[1] Hoffman, Henry B., "Researching African-American Families in New Netherland and Colonial New York and New Jersey" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 136, No. 2, April 2005, p. 92;

Durie, Howard I, The Kakiat Patent, p. 50; Cohen, The Ramapo Mountain People, p. 37; Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack..., 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Kelly, Arthur C. M., Baptism Record of the Tappan Reformed Church, Tappan, Rockland County, NY, 1694-1899, Kinship, 1998

Van Donk, Augustyn (free black)

Augustyn Van Donk	m. 28 Apr 1726	Rachel Matthiassen
son of Augustine Van Donck	Hackensack Ref Ch	dau. of
& Fytje/Sophia -?-	(banns 2 Apr 1726	
b. abt. 1700-1705	Hackensack Ref Ch)	b.
bp. 26 June 1717 Tappan Ref Ch		bp.
d.		d. (prob.) bef. 4 June 1793

In the Hackensack Ref Ch record of their marriage and banns, they were: Augustyn Van Donk, y.m. and Rachel Matthyse, y.d., both lived Bergen County.

Augustyn Van Donck, yeoman, purchased 26 Apr 1744 part of Lot No. 6 of the Kakiat Patent ("Dunktown & Overbrook") from Maria Flierboom Kiserike Crom (widow of Rynier Kiserike) and her husband, Wilhelmus Crom.

Augustyn Van Donk lived in a small frame house on the East side of River Vale Road, south of what is now Cleveland Avenue. He was taxed for 145 acres and cattle in 1779.

Augustine Van Donk died leaving a will dated 4 June 1774; proved 4 June 1793. In it he mentioned his wife, Rachel, and left (after her death) parcels of land to daus Sophia and Annatye (and their heirs and assigns), and grandchildren (ch. of son Augustine, deceased) John, Augustine, Lewis, and Rachel.

Note that Jan Crommel's wife's name was Lena Matthiassen, perhaps a sister to Rachel. Also note that Maria Mattyse m. Louwies Claesien (Lewis Claessen); she may have been a sister to Rachel.

---children of Augustyn Van Donk & Rachel Matthiassen:

- **Fietje Van Donk** (Sophia Van Donk), bp. 6 Nov 1726 Hackensack Ref Ch (wit: Augustyn Van Donk, Fietje Donk)
- **Augustynus Van Donck**, b. 5 Jan 1728; bp. 30 Jun 1728 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Jan Van Donck, Anna Maria De Salee) (no mother's surname in bp. record); m. 6 Apr 1753 Tappan Ref Ch, **Elizabeth Claese**, dau. of Lewis Claese (Manuel)
- **Anatye Van Donck**, b. 8 Oct 1738; bp. 17 Dec 1738 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Vrans Van Salee, Elisabedt his wife)

---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack... 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Tappan Baptisms; Durie, Howard I, The Kakiat Patent, p. 50; Cohen, The Ramapo Mountain People, p. 37; Kelly, Arthur C. M., Baptism Record of the Tappan Reformed Church, Tappan, Rockland County, NY, 1694-1899, Kinship, 1998

Van Donck, Agustys (Augustynus)

Agustys Van Donck
son of Augustyn Van Donk &
Rachel Matthiassen

b. 5 Jan 1728
bp. 30 Jun 1728 Tappan Ref Ch
d. before 4 June 1774

m. 6 April 1753
Tappan Dutch Ref Ch
(colored people; both of
Tappan)

Elizabeth Manuel/Claese (Claese/Emmanuel/Obiese)
dau. of Lewis Claes (Manuel) &
Marytie Matheisse

b. 3 Nov 1730
bp. 20 Dec 1730 Tappan Ref Ch
d.

Elizabeth Manuel was a granddaughter of Claus Manuel of the Bowery in New York, a free negro who was one of the original patentees of the Tappan Patent.

---children of Agustys Van Donck & Elizabeth Manuel/Claese/Obiese:

- **John Van Donk** (Jan Van Dunk), b. 4 Aug 1753; bp. 26 Aug 1753 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Nicolaas Mannelse, Sophia Vandonck); poss. m. **Rebecca De Grauw**.
- **Elizabeth Van Dunk**, b. 6 Feb 1755; bp. 2 Mar 1755 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Frans Van Sae, Elisabeth his wife); d.y.
- **Rachel Van Donck**, b. 14 Oct 1757; bp. 30 Oct 1757 Tappan Ref Ch (wit: Elisabeth Van Salee); m. **Casparus Dee** (Day/Dey), possibly the son of Ari Dee & Annaetje Hael. They may have had ch.:
 - Elizabeth Dee, b. abt. 1776 NJ; m. Samuel Pigret (Piggery; Piggenny), b. abt. 1768 NJ. They are listed in the 1850 Federal Census, Bergen Co., Township of Washington, Mulattos, as "paupers" living with the white family of William and Catherine Ackerman Dwelling #742; Family #812).
 - Aurie Dee
- **Augustinus Van Donck** (Augustine Van Dunk), b. 5 Nov 1759; bp. 2 Dec 1759 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (no wit); m. **Susannah Smith** (Sook Smith)
- **Lewis Van Donck**, b. 21 Dec 1761; bp. 31 Jan 1762 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch (no wit.)

---Sources: Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Schraalenburgh [Bergen Co., NJ], 1891, (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part II); Durie, Howard I, The Kakiat Patent, p. 50, 51; New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at <genealogy.com>

Van Dunk, Augustine

Augustine Van Dunk
son of Agustys Van Donck &
Elizabeth Manuel/Claese/Obiese

b. 5 Nov 1759
bp. 2 Dec 1759 Schraalenburgh Ref Ch

m.

Susannah Smith (Sook)
dau. of

b.
bp.

On 20 December 1803 (recorded 12 May 1804, Bergen Co. S:170) Augustine Van Dunk of Harington and Sook, his wife, conveyed to Major James Demarest of the same place, for \$50, 2 acres in Harington to be in actual possession of James Demarest from and after the death of Annatye Van Dunk, beginning line between land of said Augustine Van Dunk and land now in possession of said Annatie Van Dunk. Bounded N by land of said Augustine Van Dunk; S & E by land of Annatie Van Dunk; W by Public Road. Signed Augustine Van Dunk (his mark), Sook Van Dunk (her mark). Witnessed by Anne Haring, John D. Haring.¹

On 3 May 1804 (recorded 12 May 1804, Bergen Co. S:176) Augustine Van Dunk of Harington and Sook, his wife, conveyed to Major James Demarest of same place, for \$325, 10-3/4 acres and 20 Rods of land in Harington, beginning at Hackensack River, being SE corner of Sm Piggories land. Bounded N by land of Sam Piggery; S by land of Annatie Van Dunk; W by Henry Cole; E by Hackensack River. Signed by Augustine Van Dunk (his mark), Susannah Van Dunk (her mark). Witnessed by Benj. Blacklidge, David A. Demarest.¹

---Sources:

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

Van Dunk, Charles Thomas

Charles Thomas Van Dunk
b. about 1810

m.

Mary Elizabeth Mann
b.

They were of Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ.

---children of Charles Thomas Van Dunk & Mary Elizabeth Mann:

- (prob) **Margaret Van Dunk**

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Van Dunk, Charles (Mulatto)

Charles Van Dunk
b. about 1814

m.

Eliza

b. about 1821?

Charles F. [or T.?] Donk, 36, laborer, and Eliza, 29 [39?], were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: John, 11; Margaret, 7; Hannah, 4; and Charles F., 1. They were all listed as Mulatto.

Charles T.? Van Dunk, 49, team driver, and Elizabeth, 46, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Wayne Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: John, 21; Margaret, 17; Hannah, 14; Charles, 11; Mary, 8; Elias, 8; William, 6; Rosana, 2; and Joseph, 6/12. Also living with them was Anna Monks, 66, Mulatto.

---children of Charles F. Van Dunk & Eliza

- **John Van Dunk**, b. about 1839
- **Margaret Van Dunk**, b. about 1843
- **Hannah Van Dunk**, b. about 1846
- **Charles F. Van Dunk**, b. about 1849
- **Mary Van Dunk**, b. about 1852
- **Elias Van Dunk**, b. about 1852
- **William Van Dunk**, b. about 1854
- **Roseanna Van Dunk**, b. about 1858
- **Joseph Van Dunk**, b. about 1859-60

---Sources: 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, District No. 17 (taken July-August 1850 by Wm. W. Colfax), Dwelling 281, family 285; 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Wayne Township, taken June-July 1860, dwelling 428, family 417

Van Dunk, Charles Thomas

Charles Thomas Van Dunk
b. about 1830

m.

Mary Elizabeth Mann

b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Van Dunk, Charles Thomas

Charles Thomas Van Dunk
b. May 1843

m. about 1863

Hanna Margaret DeGroat

b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Van Dunk, Charles F.

Charles F. Van Dunk
b. about June 1849

m.

Jane Peterson

b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Van Donck, Daniel

Daniel Van Donck

m.

-?-

---children of Daniel Van Donck

- **Janneken Van Donk**, bp. 27 July 1659 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Johannes de Peyster, Janneken Cornelis)
- **Cathalyntie Van Donck**, bp. 23 Jan 1661 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Olof Stephenszen Van Courtlt., Tryntie Roelofs)

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

Van Dunck, Elias (Mulatto)

Elias Van Dunck
son of

m. 27 May 1833
Bergen Co.

Eliza Mann

dau. of

b. about 1806

Justice of Peace
H. B. Hagerman

b. about 1818

Elias Van Dunk, "patriarch of the mountain people" worked for 8 years for Ezra Miller on his Oweno estate.

Elias Van Dien, 44, laborer, and Eliza, 30, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township [prob. Mahwah area], Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: John, 15, laborer; Mary, 13; Elias, 10; Sarah, 10; Samuel, 8; Manney (female), 6; Ezikel, 3. They were listed as Mulattos.

Elias Van Dunk, 50, laborer, and Elizabeth, 48, his wife, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Samuel, 17, laborer; Manning, 15 (male); Esekial, 13; Stephen, 10; Wash, 8 (male); Winfield, 6; Amelia, 4; and Baby, 1 (female). They were listed as Mulatto.

Elias Dunck, 65, farm laborer, and Elizabeth, 52, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Washington, 18; Winfield, 16; Amelia, 14; Alfred, 16; Hannah, 12; Hildah, 8. They were listed as Mulatto. Listed living in the next dwelling were John (45) and Margaret (45) Van Dunk [prob. their son and his wife].

---children of *Elias Van Dunk & Eliza Mann*:

- **John Van Dunk**, b. about 1835; m. (poss) **Margaret -?-**.
- **Mary Van Dunk**, b. about 1837
- **Elias Van Dunk**, b. about 1840
- **Sarah Van Dunk**, b. about 1840; m. (poss?) 5 Jan 1860 Ramapo Ref Ch, **Charles Suffern**
- **Samuel Van Dunk**, b. about 1842
- **Manning Van Dunk** (Manney; female), b. about 1844
- **Ezekiel Van Dunk**, b. about 1847
- **Stephen Van Dunk**, b. about 1850
- **Wash Van Dunk** [Washington?], b. about 1852
- **Winfield Van Dunk**, b. about 1854
- **Amelia Van Dunk**, b. about 1856
- **Hannah Van Dunk**, b. about 1859
- **Hilda Van Dunk**, b. about 1862

---Sources: Westervelt, Frances A., *Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929*, Bergen Co, Justices of Peace, p. 112; Bischoff, Henry and Mitchell Kahn, *From Pioneer Settlement to Suburb*, p. 129; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs); 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken August 1850, dwelling 687, family 751; 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken July 1860, dwelling 781, family 856; 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (Ramsey's P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 458, family 506

Van Dunk, Elias J.

Elias J. Van Dunk
b. Aug 1835

m.

Lora -?-
b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Van Donk, Elias

Elias Van Donk
son of

m. 8 Jan 1860
Ramapo Ref Ch
(wit: Sam;l Van Donk,
George Loder)

Margaret Loder
dau. of

b.

b.

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, [Records of the] *Ramapo Reformed Church: Ramapo Lutheran Church*, 1944 (reprint 1997 Bergen Historic Books), p. 18

Van Dunk, Elias

Elias Van Dunk
b. about 1835

m.

Mary E.
b. about 1842

Elias Van Dunk, 35, laborer, and Mary E., 28, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: John W., 11; John T., 6; John, 68, laborer; and Samuel, 25, laborer. They were listed as Mulatto.

---children of *Elias Van Dunk & Mary E.*

- **John Van Dunk**

---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, Newfoundland P.O., taken August 1870; dwelling 188, family 217

Van Dunk, Elias J.

Elias J. Van Dunk
b. about 1844

m. about 1898

Mary Ellen Mann
b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Van Dunk, Ezekiel

Ezekiel Van Dunk
b. about 1847

m.

Sarah J. Junay
b. about

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Van Dunk, George (Mulatto)

George Van Dunk
b. about 1832

m.

Rachel A. Miller
b. about 1831

George Van Dunk, 29, teamster, and Rachel, 29, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Wayne Township, Passaic County, NJ. A note by the census taker, for this family and the following family headed by Hannah Morris, 37, black, says "These col^d. people live in the old Arsenal that Washington stored his powder during the the first war [the Revolution]."

George Van Dunk, 38, laborer, and Rachel A., 39, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Ann M., 14; Harriet, 12; Juliette, 10; George, 7; Sarah A., 5; Elizabeth J., 3; and Samuel, 1. They were listed as Mulatto.

---children of George Van Dunk & Rachel A. Miller:

- **Ann M. Van Dunk**, b. about 1856
 - **Harriet Van Dunk**, b. about 1858
 - **Juliette Van Dunk**, b. about 1860
 - **George Van Dunk**, b. about 1863
 - **Sarah A. Van Dunk**, b. about 1865
 - **Elizabeth J. Van Dunk**, b. about 1867
 - **Samuel Van Dunk**, b. about 1869
 - (prob) **John V. Van Dunk**, b. 6 Oct 1871; d. 20 Jan 1872; buried Ringwood Private Cem., Ringwood, NJ.
- Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, Newfoundland P.O., taken August 1870; dwelling 187, family 216 "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs); Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *New York and New Jersey Cemeteries*, 1947 (Ringwood Private Cemetery, Ringwood, NJ, p. 179)

Van Donck, Jan

Jan Van Donck

Jan Van Donck and Ariaentie De Vries wit the bp. 5 May 1728 at Tappan Ref Ch, of Jan, son of Casparus Haal and Elisabet Van Donck.

Jan Van Donck and Anna Maria De Salee wit. the bapt. of 30 June 1728 Tappan Ref Ch of Augustynus, son of Augustynus & Ranche Van Donck.

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

Van Donk, John

John Van Donk

m.

Rebeka de grauw

---children of John Van Donk & Rebecca DeGraw:

- **John Van Donk**, b. 4 July 1776; bp. 22 Sep 1776 Kakiat Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: *Baptisms at the Reformed Dutch Church of West New Hempstead, Rockland County, NY*, aka Brick Church, aka Kakiat Ref Ch, 1774-1898 in undated George H. Budke Collection, transcribed May 2003 by Bruce E. Hopper

Van Dunk, John

John Van Dunk

m. before 1802

Clarissa DeFreese

b. 1776

b.

---children of John Van Dunk & Clarissa DeFreese:

- **Betsey Van Dunk**, m. -?- **Morgan**.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Van Dunk, John (black)

John Van Dunk

m 25 March 1826

Maria Cronck (Mary)

b. 27 Jan 1802

b.

John Van Dunk, 48, laborer, and Mary Van Dunk, 38, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Rachel A., 19; John , 17, laborer; Elias, 14; William H., 11; Thomas, 7; Hannah E., 4; Eliza A., 2; and Mary J., 2/12. No race was specified, which usually meant, in this census, "white."

John Van Dunk, 58, team driver, black, was listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Wayne Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with him were: Hannah, 14; William, 19; Charles, 17; Eliza, 12; Mary 10; and Sarah, 8. All were listed as black.

He may be the John Van Dunk, 68, laborer, living with the family of Elias (35) and Mary E. (28) Van Dunk in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ.

---children of John Van Dunk & Mary Cronck:

- **Rachel A. Van Dunk**, b. about 1831
- **John Van Dunk**, b. about 1833
- **Elias Van Dunk**, b. about 1836
- **William H. Van Dunk**, b. about 1839
- **Thomas Van Dunk**, b. about 1843
- **Charles Van Dunk**, b. about 1843
- **Hannah E. Van Dunk**, b. about 1846
- **Eliza A. Van Dunk**, b. about 1848
- **Mary J. Van Dunk**, b. 1850
- **Sarah Van Dunk**, b. about 1852

---Sources: 1850 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, District No. 17 (taken July-August 1850 by Wm. W. Colfax), Dwelling 294, family 298; 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Wayne Township, taken June-July 1860, dwelling 415, family 403; 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, Newfoundland P.O., taken August 1870; dwelling 188, 217; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Van Dunk, John (Mulatto)

John Van Dunk m. **Margaret Carbre**
 son of (prob) Elias Van Dunk & dau. of
 Elizabeth
 b. 31 Oct 1834 b. about 1836
 John Van Dunk, 26, laborer, and Magt., 24, wife, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Elizabeth, 5; and John, 2. They were listed as Mulatto.
 John Van Dunk, 45, farm laborer, and Margaret, 45, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Eliza, 14; Jno., 12; and Mary A., 7. He was listed as Mulatto; the others were listed as white.
---children of John Van Dunk & Margaret Carbre:
 • **Elizabeth Van Dunk**, b. about 1855
 • **John Van Dunk**, b. about 1858
 • **Mary A. Van Dunk**, b. about 1863
 ---Sources: 1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken July 1860, dwelling 781, family 857; 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township (Ramsey's P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 459, family 507; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Van Dunk, John

John Van Dunk, one of the "mountain people" was herdsman (c. 1875-80?) for Ezra Miller, on Miller's estate, Oweno, in Mahwah.
 ---Sources: Bischoff, Henry and Mitchell Kahn, *From Pioneer Settlement to Suburb*, p. 129

Van Dunk, Samuel (Mulatto)

Samuel Van Dunk m. **Hannah Briggs (Breaks)**
 b. about 1805 b. about 1809
 Samuel Van Dunk, 66, laborer, and Hannah, 61, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in West Milford, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them was Hannah, 16. They were listed as Mulatto.
---children of Samuel Van Dunk & Hannah Briggs:
 • **Hannah Van Dunk**, b. about 1854
 ---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, West Milford Township (Newfoundland P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 380, family 404; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in *Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings*, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Van Dunk, Stephen (black or Mulatto)

Stephen Van Dunk m. about 3 July 1870¹ **Mary Jane DeGroot**
 ---Sources:
 [1] Maria Ferdon Journals, covering 1863-1891, records of events mostly in the vicinity of Closter, Bergen County, NJ, where she lived (in collection of Bergen County Historical Society)

Van Dunk, Thomas (Mulatto)

Thomas Van Dunk m. **Mary E.**
 b. about 1834 b. about 1838
 Thomas Van Dunk, 36, laborer, and Mary E., 32, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in West Milford Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were Hannah, 17, domestic; and John, 16. They were listed as Mulatto.
 ---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, West Mildord Township (Newfoundland P.O.), taken June 1870, dwelling 390, family 414

Van Dunk, Thomas (Mulatto)

Thomas Van Dunk m. **Hannah M. (Milligan?)**
 b. about 1842 b. about 1848
 Thomas Van Dunk, 28, laborer, and Hannah M., 22, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ, in the household headed by Samuel (20) and Mary E. (18) Milligan. They were listed as living in the same dwelling, but as a separate family. Living with Thomas and Hannah were: Frona, 4; and Nellie, 3/12. All were listed as Mulatto.
---children of Thomas Van Dunk & Hannah M.
 • **Frona Van Dunk**, b. about 1866
 • **Nellie Van Dunk**, b. about 1870
 ---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, Newfoundland P.O., taken August 1870; dwelling 197, family 227 and 228

Van Dunk, William H. H.

William H. H. Van Dunk m. about 1865 **Hannah Van Dunk**
 b. Noc 1842 b. about 1846
 William H. Van Dunk, 29, laborer, and Hannah, 24, keeping house, were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, living in Pompton Township, Passaic County, NJ. Listed living with them were: William H., 4; and Almira, 2. They were listed as Mulatto.

---children of William H. Van Dunk & Hannah Van Dunk:

- **William H. Van Dunk**, b. about 1866
- **Almira Van Dunk**, b. about 1868

---Sources: 1870 Federal Census, New Jersey, Passaic County, Pompton Township, Newfoundland P.O., taken August 1870; dwelling 189. family 218; "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Van Dunk, Zigma

Zigma Van Dunk

b. about 1849

m.

Sarah Jane Mann

b.

---Sources: "Report of Roger D. Joslyn" in Response of the Ramapough Mountain Indians to Proposed Findings, 8 May 1995 (at Bergen County Division of Cultural & Historic Affairs)

Unplaced Van Dunk Women:

Eleanor/Helen/Ellen Van Dunk, m. 13 Sep 1834, **James De Groat**

Mary Adeline Van Dunk, m. about 1869, **DeWitt Clinton De Groat**