

-- VAN TASSEL --

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

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

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

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

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

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

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**Van Tassel, Abraham**

Abraham Van Tassel  
son of (poss) Cornelis Van Tassel &  
(2) Wyntje Crancheyt  
b. 19 May 1714

m.

**Cornelia**  
dau. of

bp. 25/26 May 1714 Tarrytown Ref Ch

b.  
bp.

---children of Abraham Van Tassel & Cornelia

- **Wyntie Van Thexel**, bp. 23 June 1739 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Cornelis Van Texel, Wyntie his wife)
- **Cornelia Van Texel**, bp. 6 June 1741 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Barent Lametere, Esther Van Thexel)
- (prob) **Johannis Van Tessel**, bp. 3 May 1747 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis de Ravier and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (prob) **Catrina Van Tessel**, bp. 25 Oct 1748 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Hemmen and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record); m. (poss) 28 Oct 1770 Tarrytown Ref Ch, **Jan Tys** [Tyse; Tice]
- (prob) **Abraham Van Tessel**, bp. 19 Aug 1750 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Ary Buys and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (poss) **Isaac Van Tessel**, bp. 20 June 1752 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Petrus Van Tessel, Catrina Van Tessel) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (poss) **Rebecca Van Tessel**, bp. 21 April 1756 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: David Storm and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tassel, Abraham**

Abraham Van Tassel

m.

**Geertie**

---children of Abraham Van Tassel & Geertie

- **Mareitie Van Tessel**, bp. 24 June 1769 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Hendrick Van Tessel, Mareitie Van Tessel)
- **Belitie Van Tessel**, bp. 24 June 1771 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Buys, Belitie his wife)
- **Johannis Van Tessel**, bp. 17 April 1773 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Elizabeth Van Tessel**, b. 17 June 1774; bp. 3 Sep 1774 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Annatie Van Tessel**, bp. 28 April 1776 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: ---, Annatie Van Tessel, j.d.)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tessel, Abraham**

Abraham Van Tassel  
son of

m. 31 Oct 1769  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Mareitie Waldron** (Marytje)  
(widow of -?-)

dau. of Pieter Waldron &  
Maritie Anna Ackerman

bp. 19 Aug 1750 Tarrytown Ref Ch

bp.

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Aberam Van Tassel, j.m., and Mareitie Waldron, widow.

---children of Abraham Van Tassel & Maritie Waldron:

- **Marytie Van Tessel**, b. 19 Nov 1770; bp. 16 April 1771 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Isaac Hemmon, Catiena his wife)
- **Willim Van Tessel**, bp. 20 June 1772 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Ackerman, Catiena his wife)
- **Antie Van Tessel**, b. 8 Nov 1774; bp. 17 June 1775 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Elizabet Van Tessel** (Elizabeth), bp. 23 June [no year in record but prob about 1777] Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tassel, Abraham**

Abraham Van Tassel  
son of

m. 21 Jan 1776  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Elizabeth Jurckse**

dau. of

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Abram Van Tasse, j.m., and Elisabet Jurckse, j.d.

---children of Abraham Van Tassel & Elizabeth Jurckse/Yorks:

- **Marytie Van Tessel**, b. 9 June [1777?]; bp. 23 June [1777?] Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Jurckse, Susanna his wife)
- **Saara Van Tessel**, b. 3 March 1784; bp. 30 May 1784 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Susanna Van Tessel**, b. 9 Feb [no year given]; bp. [no date given, but prob. between 1785-1788] Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: John Vousie, Antie Van Wert his wife)
- **Abraham Van Tastle**, b. 11 Sep 1786; bp. 8 April 1787 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Catrena Van Tastle**, b. 17 Oct 1788; bp. 18 Jan 1789 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Bacon, Edgar Mayhew, First English Record Book of the Dutch Reformed Church in Sleepy Hollow [Westchester Co., NY], Tarrytown Historical Society, 1931; reprint 2000 Bergen Historic Books

**Van Tassel, Abraham**

Abraham Van Tassel  
son of

m.

**Hester Devouw** (Ester)

dau. of Abraham Devoe &  
(1) Lea Storms

Abraham Devow, of Mt. Pleasant, in his will dated 19 Jan 1805, mentioned children of dau. Hester Van Tassel, viz., John, Leah, Hannah, Isaac, Elena, Catherine, Abraham and Ann.<sup>1</sup>

---children of Abraham Van Tassel & Hester Devouw:

- **Annatie Van Tessel**, b. 9 Sep 1783; bp. 30 May 1784 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Johannis Van Tessel** (twin?), bp. 30 May 1784 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Van Tessel, Annatje his wife)
- **Lea Van Tessel**, (twin?), bp. 30 May 1784 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Van Tessel, Annatje his wife)
- **Catrena Van Tastle**, b. 24 Aug 1789; bp. 20 Sep 1789 Tarrytown Ref Ch
- **Abraham Van Tassel**, b. 14 Nov 1791; bp. 15 Jan 1792 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Storms and Rachel Cypher)

---Sources:

[1] Bristol, Theresa Hall, "Abstracts of Wills Recorded at White Plains, Westchester County, New York, Subsequent to May 1, 1787 (Liber A), in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Oct 1926 (Vol. 57, No. 4), p. 321 (Will of Abraham Devow);

Bacon, Edgar Mayhew, First English Record Book of the Dutch Reformed Church in Sleepy Hollow [Westchester Co., NY], Tarrytown Historical Society, 1931; reprint 2000 Bergen Historic Books

**Van Tassel, Abraham**

Abraham Van Tassel  
son of

m. 9 Feb 1802  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Sarah Minner**

(widow of -?-)

---Sources: Bacon, Edgar Mayhew, First English Record Book of the Dutch Reformed Church in Sleepy Hollow [Westchester Co., NY], Tarrytown Historical Society, 1931; reprint 2000 Bergen Historic Books

**Van Tassel, Abraham**

Abraham Van Tassel

m.

**Mary**

---children of Abraham Van Tassel & Mary

- **Ann Eliza Van Tassel**, b. 1833; d. 16 Oct 1834 age 1.3.23; buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

• **Watson Tucker Van Tassel**, b. about 1841; d. 11 Aug 1842 age 8 mos, 12 days; buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY  
 ---Sources: The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions. Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 90

**Van Tassel, Abraham**

Abraham Van Tassel

b. about 1803

d. 20 Sep 1842 age 39.0.14

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

---Sources: The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions. Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand -Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 90

**Van Tassel, Abraham** (Abraham Van Tassel, Jr.)

Abraham Van Tassel

m.

**Sarah**

b.

b. about 1792

d.

d. 2 May 1844 age 52

buried

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

---Sources: The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions. Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 30

**Van Tassel, Abraham**

Abraham Van Tassel

m. 10 Dec 1836

**Eliza Winter** (Elizabeth)

son of Cornelius Van Tassel &

Pompton, Passaic Co.,

dau. of Barent/Barney Winter &

Elizabeth Banta

b. about 1815 Pompton, NJ

b.

bp.

bp. 11 Apr 1816

They were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, New York, Rockland Co., Orangetown, p. 13, enumerated 31 July 1850, Dwelling 96, Family 109 (all b. NJ) -- Abraham Van Tassel, 35; Eliza [Van Tassel], 34; Thomas [Van Tassel], 13; Letisia? [Van Tassel], 11; Charity [Van Tassel], 7; Cornelius [Van Tassel], 1. They were listed just after the family headed by Charles D. Van Tassel (age 38) & Letisa? (age 38) Van Tassel.

They were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, New York, Rockland Co., Orangetown, Nyack P.O., p. 29, enumerated 7 June 1860, Dwelling 187, Family 238 (all b. NJ except as noted) -- Abram Van Tassel, 44, Mason, value real estate \$1500, value personal estate \$100; Elizabeth [Van Tassel], 43; Thomas [Van Tassel], 22, Painter; Letty [Van Tassel], 17; Charity [Van Tassel], 15, b. NY; Cornelius [Van Tassel], 12, b. NY; Charles [Van Tassel], 10, b. NY; Simon [Van Tassel], 5, b. NY; Agnes Steele, 66, b. NJ.

They were listed in the 1870 Federal Census, New York, Rockland Co., Orangetown, Nyack P.O., p. 49, enumerated 23 June 1870, Dwelling 306, Family 419 -- Van Tassel, Abraham, 57, Bricklayer, b. NJ; [Van Tassel], Elizabeth, 56, Keeping House, b. NJ; [Van Tassel], Charles, 18, Works in Rail Road?, b. NY; [Van Tassel], Simon, 16, Works in Rail Road?, value real estate \$5000, b. NY. Listed living in the same dwelling, Family 420 -- [Van Tassel], Cornelius, 22, Works in Rail Road, b. NJ [poss] the real estate value belongs on his line?; [Van Tassel], Esther L., 23, Works on Shoes, b. NY; [Van Tassel], Stella, 6/12, b. NY.

---children of Abraham Van Tassel & Elizabeth Winter:

• **Thomas Van Tassel**, b. 1 May 1837

• **Letty Van Tassel**, b. 1840

• **Charity Van Tassel**, b. 1843

• **Cornelius Van Tassel**, b. 13 Aug 1848; m. **Esther L. -?-**

• **Charles Van Tassel**, b. about 1850 NY

• (poss) **Charles D. Van Tassel**, b. about 1855; d. 7 Jan 1859, age 3.3.7; buried Ponds Ref Chyd, Oakland, Bergen County, NJ

• **Simon Van Tassel**, b. about 1855

---Sources: Ponds Reformed Churchyard Cemetery, Oakland, Bergen County, NJ, Gravestone Inscriptions, copied May 1909 by John Neafie and William B. Van Alstyne

**Van Tassel, Albert** (Albartus Van Thexel)

Albert Van Tassel

m. 17 Sep 1737

**Annatie Beselie**

son of (poss) Jan Van Texel &

Tarrytown Ref Ch

dau. of Jan Beselie &

Catharine

Antje Cronckheyt

bp. 25/26 May 1714 Tarrytown Ref Ch

bp. 19 April 1720 Tarrytown Ref Ch

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Albartus Van Thexel, j.m., b. and l. in Phillips Burgh, and Annatie Beselie, j.d., b. and l. on the Mennaer of Cortlandt.

---children of Albert Van Tassel & Annatie Beselie:

• **Jan Van Tassel**, b. Dec 1747; bp. 1748 Cortlandt Ref Ch, Montrose, Westchester Co. (wit: Frans Lent; Eeesebet Lent)

---Sources: Cole, David. First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"... The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Information e-mailed April 2004 by Arlene Goff <agoff@surewest.net> citing Vital Records of Cortlandtown Reformed Church, Montrose: 1741-1894; Burhans, Samuel, Jr., "Records of Baptisms of the Reformed Dutch Church of Cortlandtown, Westchester County, New York [1741-]" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Vol. 73, No. 2, April 1942, p. 137

**Van Tassel, Benjamin**

Benjamin Van Tassel m.  
 b. about 1770  
 d. 28 Feb 1855, in 85th yr.  
 buried Old Dutch Burying Gr., Sleepy Hollow, Tarrytown, NY

**Abigail Archer**  
 b. about 1775  
 d. 20 Sep 1845 age 70.0.20  
 buried Sleepy Hillow BG, Tarrytown, NY

---children of Benjamin Van Tassel & Abigail Archer:

- **Gilbert Van Tassell**, b. about 1801; d. 14 Sep 1826 age 25.4.27; buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY
- **Benjamin Van Tassel**, b. about 1806; d. 30 Oct 1825, age 18.10.27; buried Sleepy Hollow Burying Ground, Tarrytown, NY

---Sources: The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions.. Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (aonline at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 86, 99

**Van Tassel, Charles D.**

Charles D. Van Tassel m.  
 b. about 1812 NJ

**-?-**  
 b. about 1812 NJ

They were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, New York, Rockland Co., Orangetown, p. 13, enumerated 31 July 1850, Dwelling 95, Family 108 -- Charles D. Van Tassel, 38, Mason, value real estate \$300, b. NJ; Letisa? [Van Tassel], 38, b. NJ; Levina Willes?, 11, b. NY. They were listed just before the family headed by Abraham (age 35) & Eliza (age 34) Van Tassel.

**[Van Tassel] Van Texel, Cornelis Janszen**

Cornelis Janszen [Van Texel] m.  
 b. about 1600 Holland

**Catonera** ("Heather Flower")  
 b. about 1603

Cornelis Janszen [Van Texel] had a son, Jan Corneliszen, by a Long Island Indian woman named Catoneras. Catoneras was daughter of Montaukett Chief and "Chief Sachem of Long Island" Wyandanch. [There is, apparently, nothing to support the claim that Catoneras was the dau. of Wyansanch.]

---children of Cornelis Jansen [Van Texel] & Cateronas

- **Jan Cornelisen [Van Texel]**, b. 1625; m. **Annetje Alberts**. He lived mostly at Midwout (Flatbush), L.I., NY.

---Sources: "Family Record: Van Texel/Van Tassel" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1989, p. 135

**Van Tassel, Cornelis (van Texel)**

Cornelis Van Texel m. (1)  
 son of Jan Corneliszen Van Texel  
 b. 7 Jan 1668

**Antje Storms** (Annetje)  
 dau. of

d. 20 May 1713  
 buried Philipsburgh  
**Wyntje Crancheydt**  
 (widow of **Abraham de Riviere**)  
 dau. of Theunis Herricksen [Cranckheydt] &  
 Sophia Hendrickse Wiltsie  
 b. near Midwout, L.I., NY  
 bp. 16 Mar 1684 NYC Ref Ch

m. (2) 1713

Cornelis Van Texel settled in the Saw Mill River valley on a farm near the present village of Elmsford.

---children of Cornelis Van Texel & (1) Antje Storms:

- **Johannes Van Texel**, b. 4 March 1696
- **Maria Van Texel** (Marytie), b. 16 Dec 1697; bp. 2 Aug 1698 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Dirck Storm, Maria his wife)
- **Dirck Van Texel** (Derek), b. 25 Dec 1698; bp. 24 April 1699 Tarrytown Ref Ch, or 20 Aug 1700 Tarrytown Ref Ch (entered twice, under two dates, the second notated "After finding the truth, so is the son baptized") (wit: Jacob Sie, Catharina his wife); m. **Christina Buys**<sup>1</sup>
- **Antje Van Texel**, b. 7 Nov 1701; bp. 1702 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Barent d'Widtt, Sara his wife)
- **Hendrick Van Texel**, bp. [no month or day given] 1704 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Aeltje van Texel**(twin), b. 7 Dec 1705; bp. 25 March 1706 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Ester Storm, Aeltje Van Texel)
- **Hester van Texel** (twin), b. 7 Dec 1705; bp. 25 March 1706 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Ester Storm, Aeltje Van Texel); m.

**Marten Crancheydt**, son of Theunis HerricksenCranchyte & Sophia Hendrickse Wiltsie

---children of Cornelis Van Texel & Wyntje Crancheydt:

- **Abraham Van Texel**, b. 19 May 1714; bp. 25/26 May 1714 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Herrikz Krankhz., Grietje his wife); m. (poss) **Cornelia -?-**
- **Jacobus Van Texel**, b. 11 Dec 1715; bp. 18 April 1716 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Hendrick Krankhz, Antje his wife); apparently d.y.
- **Wyntje Van Texel**, b. 12 June 1717; bp. 18 June 1717 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Joannis Van Texel, Catharina his wife)
- **Catrina Van Texel** (Catharina), b. 13 Oct 1718; bp. 21 April 1719 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Gerrit Van Weert, Catharina his wife); m. 18 May 1734 Tarrytown Ref Ch, **John Hammond**
- **Jacob Van Texel** (Jacobus; Jacob), b. 13 July 1720; bp. 31 Aug 1720 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Steven Ecker, Annatie Storm); m. 16 July 1743 **Elizabeth Foshay** (Forshay), dau. of Matthew Foshay.
- **Thunnis Van Tesel** (Theunis), bp. 24 April 1722 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Hendreck Crancheydt, Antie his wife)
- **Zara van Texel** (Sara), bp. 25 April 1724 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Marthen Crancheydt, Maritie Van Texel); m. 23 April

1747 Tarrytown Ref Ch, **Johannis Gardenier**

---Sources:

[1] Romer, John Lockwood, Historical sketches of the Romer, Van Tassel, and allied families : and tales of the neutral ground, Buffalo, N.Y, 1917 (online at Ancestry.com), p. 39;

"Family Record: Van Texel/Van Tassel" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1989, p. 135; Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Getty, Innes, Jacob Janse Flodder alias Jacob Janse Gardenier and some of his Descendants, 1947, p. 56, online at Heritage Quest

**Van Tassel, Cornelis**

Cornelis Van Tassel  
son of (prob) Jacob Van Texel &  
Aeltje Storm  
bp. 8 Nov 1710 Tarrytown Ref Ch

m. 26 Aug 1732  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Antie Willems**

dau. of (prob) Robert Williams &  
Marritje Jurcks  
bp.

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Cornelis Van Texel, j.m., and Antie Willems, j.d., both b. and l. in Phillips Burgh.

---*children of Cornelis Van Tassel & Antie Willems:*

- **Jacob Van Texel**, bp. 17 April 1733 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Robbardt Willems, Maritie his wife)
- **Maratie Van Thexel**, bp. 1 April 1735 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Willem Van Thexel, Raghel Willemse)
- **Willem Van Texel**, bp. 18 Oct 1737 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Belyee, Nelly Willems his wife)
- **Johannis Van Thexel**, bp. 23 June 1739 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Van Thexel, Helena his wife)
- (poss) **Abraham Van Tessel**, bp. 31 Oct 1745 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Willium Williamse, Catrina Van Tessel) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (prob) **Cornelus Van Tessel**, bp. 30 Aug 1749 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Storm and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tessel, Cornelis** (Lieut.)

Cornelis Van Tessel  
son of Dirck Van Tassel &  
Christina Buys  
bp. 1 April 1735 Tarrytown Ref Ch  
d. 6 March 1820, in 85th yr  
buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

m. 16 Oct 1756  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Elisabeth Storm**

dau. of Nicholas Storm &  
Rachel Conklin  
bp. 29 April 1738 Tarrytown Ref Ch  
d. 13 March 1825, in 87th yr  
buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Cornelis Van Tessel, j.m., and Elisabeth Storm, j.d. Both b. and l. in Philipsburgh.

His house was burned by the British on 17 Nov 1777. He was captured by the British and taken to New York to the sugar house prison, where he was held for 11 months and 11 days. His wife hid in an earth cellar with her infant daughter in her arms.<sup>1</sup>

---*children of Cornelius Van Tassel & Elizabeth Storm:*

- (prob) **Cornelus Van Tessel**, bp. 24 April 1759 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Ary Van Wormer and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record); d. 3 Jan 1780.
- **Leah Van Tassel**, b. 20 May 1775; bp. 17 June 1775; d. 2 Jan 1843; buried Greenburg Chyd; m. **John Romer**, son of Jacob Romer & Frena Haarlager.

---Sources:

[1] Romer, John Lockwood, Historical sketches of the Romer, Van Tassel, and allied families : and tales of the neutral ground, Buffalo, N.Y, 1917 (online at Ancestry.com), p. 44, 79;

The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions. Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 37; Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tassel, Cornelius**

Cornelius Van Tassel m.

**Carstiena**

---*children of Cornelius Van Tassel & Carstiena*

- **Abraham Van Tassel**, b. 17 May 1774; bp. 7 July 1774 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tassel, Cornelius**

Cornelius Van Tassel m.

**Elizabeth**

---*children of Cornelius Van Tassel & Elizabeth*

- **Leaya Van Tessel**, b. 20 May 1775; bp. 17 June 1775 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Storm, Leeya his wife)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tassel, Cornelius**

Cornelius Van Tassel m. 30 Jan 1776  
son of Schagticoke Dutch Ref Ch

**Elsje Brouwer** (Brower)  
dau. of

---*children of Cornelius Van Tassel & Elsje Brouwer:*

- **Lea v. Tessele**, b. 28 April 1778; bp. [1778?] Schaghticoke Ref Ch (wit: Henderick Brower, Margritie Brower)
  - **Jacob V. Tessel**, b. 9 Feb 1784; bp. [1784?] Schaghticoke Ref Ch (no wit)
  - **Cornelis van Tessel**, b. 13 July 1786; bp. 21 Jan 1787 Schaghticoke Ref Ch (no wit)
  - **John van Tessel**, b. 10 April 1790; bp. 6 March 1791 Schaghticoke Ref Ch (no wit)
- Sources: New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at <genealogy.com>; Cook, William Burt, "Schaghticoke Dutch Reformed Church Records, Schaghticoke, Rensselaer County, New York" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1930 (Vol. 61, No. 3), p. 297; *Ibid.*, July 1931 (Vol. 62, No. 3), p. 302; *Ibid.*, Oct 1931 (Vol. 62, No. 4), p. 417; *Ibid.*, Jan 1932 (Vol. 63, No. 1), p. 57

**Van Tessel, David**

David Van Tessel son of Johannes Van Tassel & Magdalena/Helena Hammond	m. 18 April 1773 Tarrytown Ref Ch	<b>Margaret Brush</b> (Maragriddie Brosch) dau. of Joshua Brush & (poss) Margaret Knapp
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b. 28 June 1743 Ossining, Westchester Co., NY  
In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: David Van Tessel, j.m., and Maragriddie Brosch, j.d.  
He enlisted in the First Regiment under Col. Drake. 2 July 1779 Captured by British and held prisoner. In Capt. Honeywell's Co. under Col. Hammond. 5 Nov 1780 Released. In 1785 bought the farm he was living on from Commissioners of Forfeiture; Farm in Ossining, below center, probably leasehold of his grandfather, Jacob Van Tassel. In 1786 Sold the land to Elijah Hunter and moved to New York.

---*children of David Van Tassel & Margritje/Margaret Brush:*

- **Jan Van Tessel** (John), b. 22 May 1774; bp. 7 July 1774 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Van Tessel, Catriena his wife); m. **Susannah Hileker**
- **Eeme Van Tessel** (Amy), b. 15 Jan 1776; bp. 28 April 1776 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Catrena Van Tastle**, b. 7 June 1785; bp. 6 Nov 1785 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Chaleb Brush and Margaret Gilbert alias Van Tastle)

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Bacon, Edgar Mayhew, *First English Record Book of the Dutch Reformed Church in Sleepy Hollow* [Westchester Co., NY], Tarrytown Historical Society, 1931; reprint 2000 Bergen Historic Books; Information posted online at Ancestry.com Aug 2001 by Bill Barber <w.barber@motorola.com>

**Van Tessel, Dirck**

Dirck Van Tessel son of Cornelis Van Tassel & (1) Antje Storms b. Phillipsburgh	m. 9 Feb 1723 Hackensack Ref Ch	<b>Christina Buys</b> dau. of Peter Ariaense Buys & Grietje Hopper b. Acquackanonk
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According to the Hackensack Ch records, at the time of their marriage they both lived at "Flipsburgh."

---*children of Dirck Van Tassel & Christina Buys:*

- **Aentie Van Tassel** (Hanatyte), bp. 5 Nov 1723 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Van Texel, Catharina Buys); m. 26 Sep 1747 Tarrytown Ref Ch, **Ary/Adriaen Van Wormer**, son of Cornelius Laurentze Van Wormer & Aeltje -?-.
- **Geertie Van Thessel** (Margaret), bp. 19 Aug 1727 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Buys, Geertie his wife); m. (prob) 25 Oct 1748 Tarrytown Dutch Ref Ch, **Willem Ecker**
- **Lea Van Texel**, bp. 21 Aug 1731 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Ary Buys, Lea Buys); m. (poss) 21 Dec 1754 **Abraham Storm**, son of Nicholas/Claes Storm & Rachel Conklin
- **Cornelius Van Tassel**, bp. 1 April 1735 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Ary Buys, Maritie his wife); m. 16 Oct 1756, **Elizabeth Storms**. He was a Lieut. in the Revolution!
- (poss) **Mary Van Tassel**, m. **Zybout Acker, Jr.**

---Sources:  
[1] Romer, John Lockwood, *Historical sketches of the Romer, Van Tassel, and allied families : and tales of the neutral ground*, Buffalo, N.Y, 1917 (online at Ancestry.com), p. 39;

*Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hackensack...*, 1891 (Collections of the Holland Society of New York, Vol. I, Part I); Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Information December 1997 online from Michael H (Mickey) Pazurik, Box 679, Northport, WA, 99157, <mpaz@tra.auracom.com>;

**Van Tassel, Dirck**

Dirck Van Tassel son of	m. 25 Sep 1742 Tarrytown Ref Ch	<b>Maritie Crancheyt</b> dau. of
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In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Derck Van Thexel, j.m., and Maritie Crancheyt, j.d. Both b. and l. in Philips Burgh.

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tassel, Edward**

Edward Van Tassel son of John Van Tassel & Mary Knapp <sup>2</sup> b. 16 Nov 1814 <sup>2</sup> d. 2 Dec 1860 <sup>2</sup> buried	m. (1) 24 Feb 1836 <sup>1,2</sup>	<b>Jane Derevere</b> dau. of Abraham DeRevere & Sarah Briggs <sup>2</sup> b. 8 Sep 1817 <sup>2</sup> d. 26 April 1843 age 25.7.18 buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY
	m. (2)	<b>Sarah Ann</b>

(widow of **-?- Stephenson**)<sup>2</sup>

Mrs. Stephenson who was a widow had a son named James Mortimer who took the name of Van Tassel.

Daniel Van Tassel's (circa 1900) Van Tassel Family History lists no children born to Edward Van Tassel and Jane DeRevere, however according to this bible [the Bible for sale on eBay in Jan 2009] it is possible they had two children (possibly 3) who died young:

Ann Eliza ?Sue/See? Van Tassel b. May 12 1837, died January 24, 1846.

Abraham Dwight Van Tassel, b. Apr 14, 1843 (note: 12 days before the death of his mother) d. Oct 3, 1843.

There is also a mention of another possible son of this couple: James Sylvester Van Tassel but there is no birth or death date listed.

---Sources:

[1] Edward Van Tassel - Jane DeRevere Family Bible, for sale online at eBay, Jan. 2009 (just their marriage entry shown);

[2] Information online, Jan 2009, NY Westchester Rootsweb list, from Rick Van Tassel <RickVT@aol.com>;

The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions. Perry, William Graves, Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <[http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\\_LocHist006142-00001-1](http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm_LocHist006142-00001-1)>, p. 27;

### **Van Tassel, Hendrick** (Van Thexel)

Hendrick Van Tassel

m. 24 Oct 1730

### **Belitje Buys**

son of Jacob Jans Van Tassel &

Tarrytown Ref Ch

dau. of Pieter Ariense Buys &

Aeltje Storm

Geertie Hopper

b. 7 Aug 1704 (ts) Cortland Manor

b. about 1706 Acquackanonk

d. 9 March 1771, age 66.7.2

d. 19 March 1771, age 65

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, Westchester Co., NY

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Hendreck Van Tessel, j.m., b. on the Mennaer of Cortlandt, and Belytie Buys, b. in Acqueggenonk. Both l. in Phillips Burgh.

In his will, dated 1 March 1771, proved 3 April 1771, Hendrick Van Tassel, of Phillipsburg, left to sons John and Hendrick all his improvements; legacies to daughter Mary and grand daughter Baithy Stymers. Made wife Balitie, Peter Bont, and Cornelius Van Tassel executors. Mentions claim to lands on Long Island. Witnesses: John Embers, Thomas Buys, Robert Graham.

---*children of Hendrick Van Tassel & Belitje Buys:*

- **Raghel Van Thexel** (Rachel), bp. 25 April 1732 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Buys, Geertie his wife)
- **Joannis Van Texel** (Johannis), bp. 23 April 1734 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Buys, Geertie his wife)
- **Annatie Van Thexel**, bp. 29 April 1738 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Van Thexel, Catharina his wife); d. 10 Jan 1830 age 92; buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY; m. **Peter Bont**
- **Geertie Van Thexel**, bp. 20 April 1740 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Derck Van Thexel, Crestena his wife)
- **Hendricus Van Tessel**, bp. 26 July 1747 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannes Ceyfer and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Mary Van Tassel**

---Sources: The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions. Perry, William Graves, Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <[http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\\_LocHist006142-00001-1](http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm_LocHist006142-00001-1)>, p. 26; Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Pelletreau, William S., Early Wills of Westchester County, New York from 1664 to 1784...with Genealogical and Historical Notes, 1898, p. 240 (will of Hendrick Van Tassel, Phillipsburg); Pelletreau, William S., Abstracts of Wills on File in the Surrogate's Office, City of New York, pub. as Collections of the New York Historical Society, Vol VII 1766-1771, p. 419 (will of Hendrick Van Tassel); Sleepy Hollow Burials, posted online March 2002 by William N Forshy <bill4shay@juno.com>

### **Van Texel, Hendrick**

Hendrick Van Texel

m. 7 Aug 1731

### **Mettie Crancheyt** (Matje; bp. as Neyritje)

son of

Tarrytown Ref Ch

dau. of Jan Herricksze Crankheyt &

Grietje Jans [de Vries]

bp.

bp. 4 June 1705 Tarrytown Ref Ch

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage they were: Hendreck Van Texel, j.m., b. and l. in Phillips Burgh, and Mettie Cranheyt, j.d., b. and l. on the Mennaer of Cortlant.

Hendrick Van Tassel & Metje Kranckhydt witnessed the baptism 11 Oct 1741 Fishkill Ref Ch, Margaret, dau. of William Syfer & Neelletje Storm.

---*children of Hendrick Van Tassel & Metje Crankheyt:*

- **Margrietje Van Tessel**, bp. 29 April 1733 Fishkill Ref Ch (wit: Jacobus Kranckhydt, Lena Duboys)
- **Aaltje Van Tessel**, bp. 6 April 1735 Fishkill Ref Ch (wit: William Van Tessel, Lea Van Tessel); m. (prob) **Daniel Totten**
- **Hendrikus Van Tessel**, bp. 23 Jan 1736? Fishkill Ref Ch (no wit); m. (poss) **Marya Schut**
- **Metje Van Tessel**, bp. 28 May 1738 Fishkill Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Binckerhoff [Brinckerhoff], Elisabethette Lent)
- **Johannis Van Tassel**, bp. 31 May 1741 Fishkill Ref Ch (wit: Jonathan du Bois, Adriantje Osterhout)
- **Jacob Van Tessel**, bp. 16 Feb 1746 Fishkill Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Outwater, Beeltje De Marest); m. (poss?) **Elizabeth Duytser** (Duiser)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Records of the Dutch Reformed Church of Fishkill, Dutchess County, N.Y., 1731-1850 (online at Ancestry.com)

### **Van Tessel Hendrick**

Hendrick Van Tessel

m. 29 Dec 1750

### **Rachel Williams**

son of (prob) Johannes Van Texel &

Tarrytown Ref Ch

(widow of **Johannis Jurcks**)

Catharina

bp. 18 April 1716 Tarrytown Ref Ch  
d.

dau. of Robert Williams &  
Grace Cerant

bp.  
d. 1773

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Hendrick Van Tessel, j.m., and Rachel Wilyums, widow of Johannes Jurckse. Both b. and l. in Philipsburgh.

Rachel Williams m. (3) **Anthony Miller**, widower of Hannah Genung.

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tassel, Hendrik**

Hendrik Van Tassel  
son of

m. 7 July 1780  
Schaghticoke Dutch Ref Ch

**Maria Lent**  
dau. of

---*children of Hendrick Van Tassel & Maria Lent:*

• **Henderick v. Tessel** (Hendrick), b. 2 Sep 1781; bp. [1781?] Schaghticoke Ref Ch (wit: Fran Pruin, Maria v. Ness)  
---Sources: New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at <genealogy.com>; Cook, William Burt, "Schaghticoke Dutch Reformed Church Records, Schaghticoke, Rensselaer County, New York" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1931 (Vol. 62, No. 1), p. 34

**Van Tassel, Henry**

Henry Van Tassel  
b. about 1780

m.

**Ann**

b. about 1785  
d. 12 Jan 1859 in 74th yr

d. 5 Dec 1856 age 76.5.-

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

---Sources: *The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions.* Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 109

**Van Tassel, Isaac**

Isaac Van Tassel

m.

**Leeia**

---*children of Isaac Van Tassel & Leeia*

• **Cornelus Van Tessel**, bp. 10 April 1773 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: David Sie, Annatie his wife)

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tessel, Isaac**

Isaac Van Tessel  
son of

m. 19 Nov 1774  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Leena Van Tessel**  
dau. of

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Isaac Van Tessel, j.m., and Leena Van Tessel, j.d.

---*children of Isaac Van Tassel & Leena Van Tassel:*

• **Anatie Van Tessel**, bp. 2 Sep 1775 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Hendricus Van Tassel**, b. 5 July 1785; bp. 6 Nov 1785 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Bacon, Edgar Mayhew, *First English Record Book of the Dutch Reformed Church in Sleepy Hollow* [Westchester Co., NY], Tarrytown Historical Society, 1931; reprint 2000 Bergen Historic Books

**Van Tassel, Isaac**

Isaac Van Tassel

m.

**Lea Duytser**

---*children of Isaac Van Tassel & Lea Duytser:*

• **Willim Van Tessel**, bp. 17 Aug [1777?] Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tassel, I.**

I. Van Tassel  
son of

m. Nov 1794  
NYC (*New York Magazine*)

**Nancy Gordon**  
dau. of

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

**Van Tassel, Isaac**

Isaac Van Tassel

m.

**Mary Bly**

b. about 1809  
d. 13 April 1885 in 77th yr

b. 10 Jan 1810

d. 18 Feb 1840

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

---Sources: *The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions.* Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 90

**Van Texel, Jacob**

Jacob Van Texel

m.

**Aeltje Storm**



son of

dau. of Dirck Storm &  
Maria Pieters van Montfoort  
bp. 31 Oct 1680 Flatbush Ref Ch

bp.

---children of Jacob Van Texel & Aeltje Storm:

- **Johannes Van Texel**, bp. 24 April 1699 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: David Storm); m. (poss) **Helena Hammond**, dau. of William Hammond & (1) Maritie Walgraff
- **Annatje Van Texel**, bp. 10 March 1704 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Barent de Witt, Sara his wife)
- **Hendrick Van Texel**, bp. 25 March 1706 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Carel Davidze, Antje his wife)
- **Marytje Van Texel**, bp. 30 March 1708 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Gregoris Storm, Engeltje [Van Dyck] his wife)
- **Cornelis Van Texel**, bp. 8 Nov 1710 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Cornelis Van Texel, Antje his wife); m. (poss) **Antje Williams**, dau. of (prob) Robert Williams & Marritje Jurcks.
- **Wilhelmus Van Texel**, bp. 24 March 1713 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Lent, Maria Lent)
- **Catharina Van Texel**, bp. 31 Aug 1720 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Joannis Van Texel, Catharina his wife)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tassel, Jacob**

Jacob Van Tassel

m. 28 Nov 1741  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Susanna Wood**

dau. of

son of

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Jacob Van Thexel, j.m., b. and l. in Philips Burgh, and Susana Woed, j.d., b. on Lanh Eylandt, and l. in Kinck Street.

---children of Jacob Van Tassel & Susanna

- **Jan Van Thexel**, bp. 30 April 1743 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis de Revier, Catharina his wife)
- (prob) **Albartus Van Thessel**, bp. 22 June 1745 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Albartus Van Thessel, Annatie his wife) (parents: Jacob Van Thessel, Rosanna his wife [prop misreading of "Sosanna"])

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tessel, Jacob** (Major, ts)

Jacob Van Tessel

m. 23 Sep 1764  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Hester Van Tessel**

dau. of

son of

b. about 1744

b. 1734

d. 24 Aug 1840 age 95.11.23

d. 10 Dec 1811, age 77.8.10

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage they were: Jacob Van Tessel, j.m., and Hester Van Tessel.

On his wombstone it says "A Soldier of the Revolution."

---children of Jacob Van Tessel & Hester Van Tessel:

- **Weillem Van Texel**, b. 18 June 1768; bp. 8 Sep 1768 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Peterus [leaf torn], Catriena [leaf torn]); d. (prob) 22 Nov 1837 age 69.5.4; buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY
- **Jacob Van Tessel**, b. 29 Nov 1770, bp. 16 April 1771 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Hemmon, Freena his wife)
- **Isaac Van Tessel**, b. 25 Sep 1774; bp. 5 Nov 1774 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Isaac Van Tessel, j.m., Leena Van Tessel, j.d.)

---Sources: The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions. Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 66; Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Sleepy Hollow Burials, posted online March 2002 by William N Forshy <bill4shay@juno.com>

**Van Tassel, Jacob**

Jacob Van Tassel

m.

**Anatie**

---children of Jacob Van Tassel & Anatie

- **Weillem Van Tessel**, bp. 1 Sep 1770 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Van Tessel, Sosanna Monfoor)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tessel, Jacob**

Jacob Van Tessel

m. 31 Jan 1768  
Poughkeepsie Ref Ch

**Elizabeth Duytcher** (Deutcher; Duitzer)

dau. of

son of

b. Fishkill

b. Newark

---children of Jacob Van Tessel & Elizabeth Duytcher:

- **Willem Van Tessele**, b. 25 March 1769; bp. 11 June 1769 Fishkill Ref Ch (no wit)
- **Abigail Van Tessel**, bp. 14 April 1771 Fishkill Ref Ch (no wit)
- (poss) **Abraham Van Tessele**, bp. 9 Aug 1772 Fishkill Ref Ch (no wit) (mother's name in bp. record is Annatie Duitser)

---Sources: Information online June 2000, Dutch-Colonies List, from Dorothy Koenig <dkenig@library.berkeley.edu> citing Poughkeepsie Ref Ch Records; New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at <genealogy.com> Records of the Dutch Reformed Church of Fishkill, Dutchess County, N.Y., 1731-1850 (online at Ancestry.com)

**Van Tassel, Jacob**

Jacob Van Tassel

m.

**Anna Clark**

---children of Jacob Van Tassel & Anna Clark:

• **Jacobus Van Tassel**, b. 5 July 1794; bp. 25 Sep 1794 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: Bacon, Edgar Mayhew, *First English Record Book of the Dutch Reformed Church in Sleepy Hollow* [Westchester Co., NY], Tarrytown Historical Society, 1931; reprint 2000 Bergen Historic Books

**Van Tassel, Jacobus** (Jacob)

Jacobus Van Tassel  
son of Cornelis Van Texel &  
(2) Wyntje Crancheyd

m. 16 July 1743  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Elizabeth Forshay** (Fosuur)  
dau. of Matyas Fosuur &  
Magdalena Ecker  
b. 1725 Phillipsburg  
bp.

b. 13 July 1720

bp. 31 Aug 1720 Tarrytown Ref Ch

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Jacobus Van Thexel, j.m., and Elieizabeth Fosuur, j.d. Both b. and l. in Philips Burgh.

---*children of Jacobus Van Tassel & Elizabeth Forshay*:

• **Cornelis Van Thexel**, bp. 10 Nov 1744 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Cornelis Van Thexel, Weyntie his wife); apparently d.y.

• **Matyas Van Tessel**, bp. 26 July 1747 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Martas Fosuer and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)

• **Sara Van Tessel**, bp. 30 August 1749 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Gardeneer and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record); m. (1) **-?- Vanderwerken**; m. (2) **-?- Hamilton**; m. (3) **Elias Lent**

• **Marytje Van Tessel**, bp. 8 Oct 1751 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Frans Pue and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record); d. after 1790; m. **John J. Smith**

• **Cornelius Van Tessel**, bp. 25 Aug 1756 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Gerret Gravenstin and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record); d. 3 Jan 1780. He served in the Revolutionary War and received a land grant in Onondaga County, NY. Onondaga Co. Records -- Van Tassel, Cornelius; deceased intestate before Jan 17, 1792, when his legatees John Smith and Mary Smith of Mt. Pleasant, Westchester Co., transfer his claim. On March 26, 1792, Isaac Van Tassel deposes that Mary Van Tassel, now Mary Smith, sister of Cornelius Van Tassel, is only heir now living of said Cornelius, who was private in Van Cortlandt's Regt. On June 9, 1792, Sarah Hamilton of Saratoga Co., sister, heir, and legatee of Cornelius Van Tassel, formerly private in Wright's Co., and Regt., transfers claim and acknowledges same before Judge John Van Rensselaer in Rensselaer Co.<sup>1</sup>

Van Tassel, Cornelius; deceased before 1794. On Jan 30 [1794] his heir Sarah Lent acknowledges before Master-in-Chancery E. C. Goodrich, her transfer of June 9, 1792. made by her as Sarah Hamilton before her marriage with her present husband Elias Lent. On February 22, his heirs John J. Smith and wife Mary acknowledge before said E. C. Goodrich their transfer of Sept. 10, 1790.<sup>2</sup>

---Sources:

[1] Scisco, L. D., "Onondaga County Records 1792-93" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, Jan 1902 (Vol. 33, No. 1), p. 19;

[2] Scisco, L. D., "Onondaga County Records 1794" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1902 (Vol. 33, No. 3), p. 160; Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Texel, Jan Cornelison**

Jan Cornelison Van Texel  
son of Cornelis [Van Texel] &  
Catoneras [a native American]

m. 1657  
New Amsterdam<sup>1</sup>

**Annetje Alberts** (Coninck)  
dau. of Albert Cuyne/Coninck &

bp.

d. before 1705

bp. 3 June 1640 NYC Ref Ch

d.

Around April 14, 1685, Jan Cornelissen successfully petitioned the government of New York for rightful ownership of the Crab Meadow area. The text of that petition reads, in part, "The humble petition of Cornelissen Showeth: That your petitioner is a native of this Province, his father a Christian, his mother an Indian of Long Island. "That he hath married a Christian in this Province, and by her hath nine children now living. "And whereas the Indians, his kindred, are willing to divide, set out and allot that share of land, which according to their wisdom is his right, and inheritance at a certain place called Tersarge, being to the eastward of the town of Huntington, on the north side of Long Island, which for the better support of himself and his family he is intended to cultivate and improve. He therefore humbly prays that your Honorable will be pleased to order him a warrant for the same, upon which he may obtain a patent or grant and confirmation from your Honorable, under his Majesty, for the same."<sup>2</sup>

But by October of that year, he transferred the deed to Judge John Palmer, a particularly influential associate to Governor Dongan whose name appears in a number of land deals and controversial transactions during the era. The names of two other Native Americans, Opsam and Venox, appear on the deed to Palmer on October 10.<sup>2</sup> [There is no evidence to show that Jan Corneliszen Van Texel transferred the deed; apparently Judge Palmer simply added a couple of Native Americans to the deed who then signed the deed and received a trivial sum to turn over ownership to Judge Palmer. That is why the Van Tassel family petitioned the State of New York in subsequent years (after Palmer had been arrested and deported from the country for land schemes perpetrated against whites in New England)--Rick Van Tassel <RickVT@aol.com>]

On December 23, 1685, the Crab Meadow Patent conferred by Governor Dongan to Judge Palmer and two other men – John Roysse of NYC and John Cornhill of Flushing (ancestor of the founders of Cornell University). The area described was as follows: "being on Long Island to the Eastward of Huntington Comonly Called or Knowne by the name of Crab Meadow and by the Indians Called Katawomeck bounded on the West by a Certaine Cove Leading to Huntington Mill and from the Head of the said Cove Running South to the Highway which Leadeth to Southampton and soe and from thence northward all along the said hollow along the Highways side to a Place Called Whittmores Hollow as the Hollow runneth to a Place Called the Fresh Pond and from thence Westward as the Sound runneth to the Westernmost Point of Land which maketh the Cove

aforesaid and so up the said Cove to the Head." Palmer's claims on the land were swept away during the turmoil over governmental control of the New York area in England over the next 30 years – he was arrested with Andros and others, a number of land transactions were picked apart by subsequent authority, and in the next several decades, the residents of Huntington asserted their rights to the land despite attempts by members of the Van Taxel family to reclaim the land in 1705 and 1712.<sup>2</sup>

One such petition stated the family's claim thus: "whereas your petitioner's father as heir to his mother, Catoneras, a native Indian of the Island Nassamo, who in her lifetime was seized of a certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being in the Island aforesaid, now in the county of Suffolk, next the town of Huntington, called by the natives, Anendesack, in English, Eader's Neck beach, and so along the Sound four miles or thereabouts until the Fresh Pond, called by the natives, Assawanama, where a creek runs into the Sound, and from the Sound running in to the woods six miles or thereabouts. And your Petitioners, being all Christians, and professing the Holy Protestant religion, and knowing that the Heathen never were disturbed in the possession of their lands of inheritance in the Government, your petitioner, as Christians, also would very willingly hold the same by his Majesty's Letters Patent under the seal of this Province. Your Petitioners therefore pray etc. Cornelius Van Texel Jacob the mark of Van Texel Jan Van Texel Hendrick the mark of Lent Barent De Witt Peter P.S. the mark of Storm."<sup>2</sup>

In one account, the ongoing legal contention over ownership of the area is described as follows: This petition was referred to the Council, which after due consideration, reported in its favor and recommended the granting of a warrant of survey. A deed and survey of the lands in question was granted April 22, 1714. By this time people from New England had settled the property that the family sought. An action was brought to oust the intruders, who although they might have purchased the lands from the Indians, had no legal title as their purchases had not been approved by the Governor, and Council of the Province of New York.<sup>1</sup>

This suit dragged along in the Courts until the Revolution, when with the change of Government it died. The last references to it are found in the will of John van Tassel dated December 23, 1771, recorded in the office of the Surrogate of New York County, who directs how "Crop Meadow" then in litigation shall be divided if recovered;" and the will of Hendrick Van Tassel mentions "an estate depending upon Long Island of some land now in dispute of the law" and directs how it shall be divided if recovered.<sup>2</sup>

This family moved from New Amsterdam to settle in the Indian town of Appamacpo, in Westchester Co., NY (which became a part of Cortland Manor). His farm comprised nearly the whole of the village of Sing Sing.<sup>1</sup>

He was appointed tax collector of Appamacpo by 1694.

In 1705, his sons, "Cornelis van Texell, Jacob van Texell, Jan Van Texell & Willem van Texell Sons of Jan Cornelisse van Texell late Deceased and Hendrick Lent husband of Catharin one of the Daughters of the said John, Barent DeWit husband of Sarah another of the Daughters of the said John, and Pieter Storm husband of Margaret also a Daughter of the said John" petitioned Gov. Cornbury & his council for a patent for land, and stated that "whereas yor Petrs father as heir to his mother, Catonoras a native Indian of the Island of Nassauw who in her life time was Seized of a certain Tract or parcell of land lying and being on the Island aforesaid now in the County of Suffolk neer the Town of Huntington called by the natives Anendeiack in English Eader necks beach and along the Sound four miles or thereabouts running till the fresh Pond called by the natives Assawanama where a Creeck runs into the Sound and from the Sound running into the woods Six miles or thereabouts..." They signed Cornelis Van Texel, Jacob van Texell (mark), Jan Van Texel, Willem van Texel, Hendrick Lent (mark), Barent de Wit, Pieter Storm (mark). Apparently no action was taken under this first petition, so in 1713 a 2nd petition was presented, on which an order was granted, referring the matter to a Committee or Official Board, to consider and report whether a survey of the lands should be made, and in due time a report was diled in favor of such a survey. The second petition describes the land as including Crap [Crab] Meadow.<sup>1</sup>

*---children of Jan Cornelisen Van Texel & Annetje Alberts [Coninck]:*

- **Catrina Janse [Van Texel]**, m. **Hendrick Abramszen Lent**
- **Cornelis Van Texel**, b. 7 Jan 1668; m. (1) **Annetje Storms**; m. (2) **Wyntje Cranchejdt**, widow of Abraham de Riviere.
- **Sara Janse [Van Texel]**, m. **Barent DeWitt**
- **Grietje Janse [Van Texel]**, m. **Peter Storm**
- **Jacob Van Texel**, bp. 23 Aug 1676 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Albert Koning, Isaac Van Vleck, Engeltje Horgers [should be Borgers/Burgers])
- **Jan Jans Van Texel**, bp. 1 May 1678 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Manus Borgers, Annetie Borgers)
- **Willem Jans [Van Texel]**, bp. 6 Oct 1681 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Hendrick Abrahamszen, Tryntie Kom) (parents in bp, record: Jan Corneliszen, Anneken Abels)
- **Annetje Van Texel**, bp. 9 Oct 1683 NYC Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources:

[1] Romer, John Lockwood, *Historical sketches of the Romer, Van Tassel, and allied families : and tales of the neutral ground*, Buffalo, N.Y. 1917 (online at Ancestry.com), p. 38;

[2] "The Deed To Crab Meadow -- The Dutchman And The Native Princess of Crab Meadow" in the *Northport Journal News in The Long Islander* (newspaper) online at Longislandernews.com Oct 2004

"Family Record: Van Texel/Van Tassel" in *New York Genealogical & Biographical Record*, July 1989, p. 135; *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church, New York [City]*, 1901 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III); Information Aug 2003, Dutch-Colonies List, from <RickVT@aol.com>

**Van Tassel, Johannes** (Johannes Textsel, m. record)

Johannes Van Tassel  
son of

m. 5 Oct 1700  
(in the Highland?)  
rec. NYC Ref Ch  
(banns 20 Aug 1700  
NYC Ref Ch

**Catharina Springsteen**  
dau. of (poss?) Joost Caspersz Springsteen &  
(2) Magdalena Jans  
b. Long Island  
bp.

b. New York  
bp.

---Sources: *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;

**Van Tassel, Johannes** (Jan)

Johannes/Jan Van Tassel

m.

**Catharina**

*---children of Johannes/Jan Van Texel & Catharina*

- **Magdalena Van Texel**, bp. [no month or day given] 1704 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: David Davidse, Jannitje Davidse)
- **Annetje Van Texel**, bp. 25 March 1707 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Sie, Pietronella Sie)
- **Johannes Van Texel**, bp. 1 June 1709 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Hendrik Van Lent, Cathrina Van Lent)
- **Cornelia Van Texel**, bp. 6 Nov 1711 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Van Dyck, Elisabeth his wife)
- **Albertus Van Texel**, bp. 25/26 May 1714 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Leverens Cankle, Engeltje his wife); m. (prob) 17 Sep 1737 Tarrytown Ref Ch, **Annatie Beselie**, dau. of Jan Beselie & Antje Cronckheyt.
- **Henderickes Van Texel**, bp. 18 April 1716 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Ecker, Magdaleens his wife); m. (prob) **Rachel Williams** (widow of Johannes Jurckse), dau. of Robert Williams & Grace Cerant.
- **Catharina Van Texel**, bp. 21 April 1719 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Barent Duyser, Dercktie his wife)
- **Jacob Van Texel**, bp. 23 April 1723 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Bolyee, Helena his wife)

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901*

**Van Tassel, Johannis**

Johannis Van Tassel

m. 21 Nov 1724

**Catharina Buys** (Trientie)

son of Jacob Jans Van Tassel &

Tarrytown Ref Ch

dau. of Pieter Ariense Buys &

Aeltje Storm

Geertie Hopper

b. Cortland Manor

b. Acquackanonk

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Johannis Van Tessel, j.m., b. on the Minnaer of Cortlant, and Treintie Buys, j.d. of Achquakenonck. Both l. Phillips Burgh.

In his will, he wrote: ...23rd day of December, 1771. I, Johanis Van Tessel, of the Manor of Phillipsburgh, Westchester, yeoman, being in perfect health. I leave to my "will beloved" wife Trintie my black horse and chaer, and all my household within the house while she is my widow, and after her decease, the same to be divided amongst my four children, and one share to be divided between one of my granchildren, Cattrina Van Tessel, daughter of my son John, and one grandchild of my daughter, Anne Van Wormer, named Trinye Van Wormer, and Anne Van Wormer my daughter. All my moveable estate shall be divided in five parts, except the household goods for the use of my wife, Trincak Van Tessel, while my widow and then to be divided in the same manner. One fifth to my son Jacob, one to my dafter Anna, the widow of John Van Wormer, one fifth to my daughter Rachel, wife of John Van Tessel, one to my daughter Cattrinna, wife of Abraham Ecker, son of Abrm, and the other fifth to my daughter Anna and my two granchildren, Trinye Van Wormer and Cattrinna Van Tessel, daughter of my son John. Upon further consideration as there is a real estate "depending by me" a share of a tract of land at Long Island called Crop madow, in case there is after my decease any part recovered of said land I give to my eldest son's daughter Ally five shillings, said land if recovered I give to my two sons, Jacob and Peter, one half, and the other half to be equally divided amongst my three said daughters and my two granchildren, Ally and Cattrina Van Tessel, children of my son John, they to draw as much as any of the "Garrels," Anna, Cattrinna and Richal. I make my sons, Peter and Jacob, executors. Witnesses, Cornelis Van Tessel, Jacobus Devoe, William Davids, of Phillipse Manor, yeoman. Proved, Westchester County, January 13, 1785. Administration granted to Jacob Van Tessel, New York, February 1, 1785.

*---children of Johannis Van Tessel & Catharina Buys:*

- **Annatie Van Tesel**, bp. 4 Dec 1725 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Pieter Buys, Geertie his wife); m. **-?- Van Wormer**
- **Catharina Van Texel**, bp. 17 April 1733 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Van Texel, Esther Van Texel); m. 1 May 1765 Tarrytown Dutch Ref Ch, **Abraham Ecker**
- **Raghel Van Thesel** (Rachel), bp. 5 June 1736 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jacop Buys, Raghel Buys); apparently d.y.
- **Raghel Van Thexel**, bp. 23 June 1739 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Thomus Storm, Raghel his wife); m. **John Van Tassel**
- **John Van Tassel**, m. **-?-**
- **Jacob Van Tassel**
- **Peter Van Tassel**

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901*; Pelletreau, William S., *Abstracts of Wills on File in the Surrogate's Office, City of New York*, pub. as Collections of the New York Historical Society, Vol XIII, 1784-1786, pages 90 & 91 (will of Johanis Van Tessel)

**Van Thexel, Joannis**

Joannis Van Thexel

m.

**-?-**

*---children of Joannis Van Thexel &*

- (poss) **Joannis Van Thexel**, bp. 23 April 1734 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Joannis Van Thexel, Catharina his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901*

**Van Tassel, Johannes**

Johannes Van Tassel

m. 26 Sep 1726

**Helena Hammond** (Hemmen; Magdalena)

son of Jacob Van Tassel &

Tarrytown Ref Ch

dau. of (prob) William Hammond &

Aeltje Storm

(1) Marytje Walgraff

bp. 24 April 1699 Tarrytown Ref Ch

bp. 21 March 1708 NYC Ref Ch

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Johannis Van Thessel, j.m., b. in Phillips Burgh, and Helena

Hemmen, j.d., b. in Nieuw Jorck. Both l. in Phillips Burgh.

*---children of Johannes Van Tassel & Helena Hammond:*

- **Jacob Van Thessel**, bp. 19 Aug 1727 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Derck Van Thessel, Aentie Van Thessel)
- **Maritie Van Texel**, bp. 27 July 1729 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Willem Hemmen, Ester his wife)
- (poss) **Altie Van Tassel**, b. about 1731; m. **Abraham Rutan**
- **Willem Van Texel**, bp. 17 April 1733 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Willem Hemmen, Ester his wife)
- **Ester Van Thexel**, bp. 1 April 1735 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Willem Hemmen, Ester his wife)
- **Johannis Van Thessel**, bp. 23 April 1737 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Hemmen, Catharina his wife); d. (poss) 11 April 1807, age 70.-.12; buried Sleepy Hollow Cem., Tarrytown, Westchester Co., NY; m. (poss) **Rachel -?-**
- **Abraham Van Texel**, bp. 10 April 1739 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Isaac Hemmen, Maritie Hemmen)
- **Eeme Van Thexel** (or Eemeet), bp. 12 Sep 1741 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Gellewee, Annatie his wife)
- **David Van Thexel**, bp. 28 June 1743 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: David Hemmen, Marritie his wife); m. 18 April 1773, **Margaret Brush**, dau. of Joshua Brush & (poss) Margaret Knapp.
- **Isaack Van Thessel**, bp. 22 June 1745 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Thunnis Corsen, Elieizabeth his wife)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

### Van Tassel, Johannes

Johannes Van Tassel  
son of

m. 24 Feb 1733  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

### Annatie Ecker

dau. of Jan Ecker &  
Magdaleentje Vonk

bp. 4 Nov 1713 Tarrytown Ref Ch

bp.

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Joannis Van Texel, j.m., and Annatie Ecker, j.d. Both b. and l. in Phillips Burgh.

*---children of Johannis Van Tassel & Annatie Ecker:*

- **Magdaletie Van Tassel**, bp. 10 April 1736 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Ecker, Magdaletie his wife)
- **Hendreck Van Thexel**, bp. 29 April 1738 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Hendericus Van Thexel, Raghel Ecker)
- **Stefanis Van Thexel**, bp. 20 April 1740 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Mattheus Fosuur, Magdalena his wife)
- **Catharina Van Thexel**, bp. 12 June 1742 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis de Revier, Catharina his wife)
- **Annatie Van Thessel**, bp. 16 June 1744 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Nicklaes de Vouw, Annatie Van Thessel, widow of Hendreck Davidtse); m. (poss?) **Claes/Niclaes Cuiper**
- **Rachel Van Tassel**, m. **Hendrick Reviere**, son of Johannes De Reviere & Catharina Van Texel/Van Tassel

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

### Van Tassel, Johannis (Johannis Van Thexel)

Johannes Van Tassel

m.

### Catharina

*---children of Johannis Van Tassel & Catharina*

- **Jacob Van Thexel**, bp. 10 Nov 1744 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Wormel, Annatie Van Thexel)
- (poss) **Marytye Van Tessel**, bp. 3 May 1747 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Aerse and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (poss) **Rachel Van Tessel**, bp. 25 April 1749 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Van Tessel and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (poss) **Elisabet Van Tessel**, bp. 8 Oct 1751 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Martlinghs and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (poss) **Maritie Van Tessel**, bp. 24 Oct 1752 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Willum Van Tessel and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (poss) **Aeltie Van Tessel**, b. 11 Nov 1753; bp. 15 April 1754 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Sybout Ecker and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (poss) **Abraham Van Tessel**, bp. 19 Aug 1754 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Albert Artse and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

### Van Tessel, Johannis

Johannis Van Tessel

m.

-?-

*---children of Johannis Van Tessel &*

- (poss) **Catrintye Van Tessel**, bp. 14 April 1755 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Van Tessel and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (poss) **Hendrick Van Tessel**, bp. 3 May 1757 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: -- Banker and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (poss) **Cristina Van Tessel**, bp. 24 April 1759 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Canklin and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

### Van Tassel, John

John Van Tassel

b. about 1734

d. 22 May 1813 in 80th yr

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

---Sources: The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York: a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions. Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 91

**Van Tessel, Johannes**

Johannes Van Tessel

son of

b. Phillipsburgh

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Johannes Van Tessel, j.m., and Leya Ecker, j.d. Both b. and l. in Phillipsburgh.

Leya Ecker m. (2) 4 Sep 1759 Tarrytown Ref Ch, **Jacob Van Waert.**

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

m. 17 June 1753  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Leya Ecker**

dau. of

b. Phillipsburgh

**Van Tassel, Johannis**

Johannis Van Tassel

m.

**Maria Bartyne**

---children of Johannes Van Tassel & Maria Bartyne:

- **Stevanus Van Tessel**, bp. 23 April 1760 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Van Tassel, Anatie Ecker, his wife)
- (poss) **Sara Van Tessel**, b. 20 Feb 1764; bp. 8 May 1764 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
- (prob) **Mary Van Tassel**, b. 1776; d. 31 March 1856; buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY; m. **Thomas Sherwood**

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tessel, Johannis**

Johannis Van Tessel

m. 9 Oct 1756

**Jannitye Banker**

son of

Tarrytown Ref Ch

dau. of

b. Phillipsburgh

b. Phillipsburgh

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Johannis Van Tessel, j.m., and Jannitye Banker, j.d. Both b. and l. in Phillipsburgh.

---children of Johannes Van Tassel & Jannitie Banker:

- (poss) **Frederick Van Tessel**, b. 5 April 1761; bp. 27 June 1761 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Fogel, Geertie Van Tessel)
- **Bentamin Van Tessel**, bp. 12 Sep 1761 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Enters, Sara his wife)
- **Phillipus Van Tessel**, bp. 30 April 1763 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Hendrick Van Tessel, Hanatie Van Tessel)
- **Ragel Van Tessel** (Rachel), bp. 30 June 1764 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Weillem Jurse, Catriena his wife)
- **Engeltie Van Tessel**, bp. 10 Nov 1766 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Cankelie, Weintie his wife)

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tessel, Jan**

Jan Van Tassel

m.

**Sara Ackerman**

son of Cornelius Van Tassel &

dau. of David Ackerman &  
Maritie Sie

bp. 23 June 1739

bp. 9 Nov 1740 Tarrytown Ref Ch

d. 26 May 1779

d.

Jan Van Tassel enlisted in Capt. Fowler's Co. out of Capt. Drake's Co. 1758; he was in Col. Hammond's Reg. as a private in the Revolution. He was killed during an attack on Glode Requa's house 26 May 1779.

---children of Jan Van Tassel & Sara

- **Isaac Van Tessel**, bp. 13 April 1761 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: David Ackerman, Maritie his wife); d.y.
- **Marytje Van Tassel**, bp. 2 March 1763 NYC Ref Ch; d.y.
- **Engeltje Van Tassel**, bp. 8 Aug 1765 NYC Ref Ch; d.y.
- **Catharina Van Tassel**, bp. 26 Oct 1766 NYC Ref Ch
- **Antie Van Tessel**, b. 23 Dec 1768; bp. 18 April 1769 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Isack Van Tessel, Maritie Van [leaf torn]); m. 1785 **Peter Bont**
- **Willim Van Tessel**, b. 30 Dec 1771; bp. 9 May 1772 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit); d.y.
- **Johannis Van Tessel**, b. 25 May 1774; bp. 7 July 1774 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Ackerman, Catriena his wife); m. **Elisabeth Storm**
- **Marytie Van Tassel**, bp. 17 Aug 1777 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit); d.y.

---Sources: Cole, David, First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Tobey, Barbara W., The Ackerman Family, Vol. I, 1980, p. 35

**Van Tassel, Jan** (John Van Tassel)

Jan Van Tassel

m.

**Rachel**

son of (poss) Johannes Van Tassel &

dau. of

Helena Hammond

b. 23 April 1737 (ts)

d. 11 April 1807, age 70.0.12

buried Sleepy Hollow Cem., Tarrytown, Westchester Co., NY

*---children of Jan Van Tassel & Rachel*

• **Anatie Van Tassel**, bp. 11 Sep 1763 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Van Tassel, Anatie Van Tassel)

• **Johannes Van Tassel**, bp. 28 April 1765 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Davet Van Tassel, Lena Hemmen)

• **Leeiaa Van Tassel**, b. 11 March 1767; bp. 1767 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Abraam Ratan and his wife)

• **Johannes Van Tassel**, bp. 22 April 1770 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Hemmen, Catriena his wife)

• **Marytie Van Tassel**, bp. 5 Oct 1771 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Catriena Van Tassel** (Catharine Van Tassel), b. 29 Nov (Sep, ts) 1773; bp. 16 April 1774 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Petrus Van Tassel, Catriena his wife); d. 9 June 1820 ae 37.3.20; buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

• **Eeme Van Tassel**, b. 3 April 1776; bp. 28 April 1776 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: *The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions.* Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 60, 61; Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Sleepy Hollow Burials, posted online March 2002 by William N Forshy <bill4shay@juno.com>; Horton, William P., *Cemetery Inscriptions of Westchester County, NY*, Peekskill, NY, 1928 (online at Ancestry.com), Vol. I, (A Few Old Markers near the Sleepy Hollow Ch, Tarrytown, Westchester Co., NY), p. a8

**Van Tassel, Johannes**

Johannes Van Tassel

son of

b. Fishkill

m. 27 Nov 1771

Poughkeepsie Dutch Ref Ch

**Abigail Smith**

dau. of

b. Long Island

*---children of John Van Tassel & Abigail Smith:*

• **Daniel Smith Van Tassel**, b. 1 March 1784; bp. 12 June 1784 Fishkill Ref Ch (no wit)

• **Peggy Van Tassel**, b. 1 March 1786; bp. 18 June 1786 Fishkill Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: New York #2, 1740s-1880s Marriage Index online at <genealogy.com>; Records of the Dutch Reformed Church of Fishkill, Dutchess County, N.Y., 1731-1850 (online at Ancestry.com)

**Van Tassel, Johannes**

Johannes Van Tassel

m.

**Weintie**

*---children of Johannes Van Tassel & Weintie*

• **Abraham Van Tassel**, bp. 17 April 1773 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Van Tassel, j.m., Leena Van Tassel, j.d.)

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tassel, John**

John Van Tassel

m.

**Mary Abrahams**

b.

b. (prob) about 1773

d.

d. (prob) 2 Feb 1799 age 25.8.2

buried

buried (prob) Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown

*---children of John Van Tassel & Mary Abrahams:*

• **Charlotte Van Tassel**, b. 11 Sep 1792; bp. 20 Oct 1792 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)

---Sources: *The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions.* Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 60; Bacon, Edgar Mayhew, *First English Record Book of the Dutch Reformed Church in Sleepy Hollow* [Westchester Co., NY], Tarrytown Historical Society, 1931; reprint 2000 Bergen Historic Books

**Van Tassel, John**

John Van Tassel

m. 28 Dec 1800

**Mary Knapp** (Nap)

son of

Tarrytown Ref Ch

dau. of

*---children of John Van Tassel & Mary Knapp:*

• **Edward Van Tassel**, b. 16 Nov 1814<sup>2</sup>; d. 2 Dec 1860<sup>2</sup>; m. (1) 24 Feb 1836<sup>1,2</sup>, **Jane DeRevere**, dau. of Abraham DeRevere & Sarah Briggs. She was born Sept. 8, 1817 and died April 26, 1843. Edward Van Tassel m. (2) **Sarah Ann -?-**, widow of **-?- Stephenson**<sup>2</sup>.

---Sources:

[1] Edward Van Tassel - Jane DeRevere Family Bible, for sale online at eBay, Jan. 2009 (just their marriage entry shown);

[2] Information online, Jan 2009, NY Westchester Rootsweb list, from Rick Van Tassel <RickVT@aol.com>;

Bacon, Edgar Mayhew, *First English Record Book of the Dutch Reformed Church in Sleepy Hollow* [Westchester Co., NY], Tarrytown Historical Society, 1931; reprint 2000 Bergen Historic Books

**Van Tassel, John**

John Van Tassel

m.

**Mary Bly**

b. about 1791

b. about 1809

d. 8 Oct 1836, age 45

d. 13 April 1885, age 76

buried Sleepy Hollow Cem., Tarrytown, Westchester Co., NY

buried Sleepy Hollow Cem, Tarrytown, NY

---Sources: *The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions.* Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 83

**Van Tessel, Matthys**

Matthys Van Tassel  
son of

m. 30 March 1771  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Elizabeth Storm**

(widow of **Metys Cankelie** [Conklin])

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Metys Van Tessel, j.m., and Elisabeth Storm, widow of Metys Cankelie.

*---children of Matthys Van Tassel & Elizabeth Storm:*

- **Marytie Van Tessel**, b. 11 March 1772; bp. 9 May 1772 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Abraham Storm, j.m., Carstiena Cankle, j.d.)
  - **Elizabeth Van Tessel**, bp. 5 Nov 1774 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
  - **Caetrina Van Tessel** (Catrina), bp. 6 July [no year, but prob. about 1777] Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
  - **Mino Van Tessel** (Jemima?), b. 30 Nov 1778; bp. [date not given] Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
- Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tessel, Pieter** (Petrus)

Pieter Van Tassel  
son of

m. 1 May 1765  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Catharine Ecker**

dau. of (prob) Sybout Ecker &  
Aeltje DeRonde

b. 15 May 1728 (ts)  
d. 17 Sep 1784, age 56.4.3

b. 10 Nov 1736 (ts)  
d. 10 Jan 1793 age 56.2.-  
buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, Westchester Co., NY

*---children of Pieter Van Tassel & Catharine Ecker:*

- **Peterus Van Tessel**, bp. 22 April 1766 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Van Tessel, Ragel his wife)
- Sources: *The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions.* Perry, William Graves., Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (online at Ancestry.com at <http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\_LocHist006142-00001-1>, p. 38; Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Sleepy Hollow Burials, posted online March 2002 by William N Forshy <bill4shay@juno.com>

**Van Tassel, Petrus**

Petrus Van Tassel

m.

**Annatje Vincent** (Vinsen)

*---children of Petrus Van Tassel & Annatje Vincent:*

- **Petrus Van Tassel**, b. 4 Aug 1791; bp. 4 Dec 1791 Tarrytown Ref Ch (no wit)
- Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tassel, Philip**

Philip Van Tassel

m.

**Eliza -?-**

b.  
d.  
buried

b. about 1801  
d. 10 Sep 1830, age 29.0.21  
buried Hopper Farm Cem., Oakland, NJ

---Sources: Hopper Farm Cemetery, Oakland, [Bergen County] NJ Gravestonesrecorded (prob) early 1900s prob. by John Neafie; Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, *Thirty Seven Cemeteries*, 1946 (John W. Ackerman Farm Cemetery, Oakland, NJ/aka Hopper Farm Cemetery), p. 60

**Tecxe, Tomas**

Tomas Tecxe

m.

**Margrietje Tecx**

*---children of Tomas Tecxe & Magrietje Tecx:*

- **Willem Tecxe**, bp. 25 March 1679 Bergen Ref Ch (wit: Jan Davitse, Margrietje Krets)
- 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

**Van Tessel, Tunis**

Tunis Van Tessel  
son of

m. 15 Nov 1746  
Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Sofia Jacobse** (Fytje Jacobs)  
(widow of **Jacob Fosuur**)

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: Tunis Van Tessel, j.m., b. and l. in Philips Burgh, and Sofia Jacobse, widow of Jacob Fosuur, b. in West Farms, and l. at Nieuw Haerlem.

*---children of Tunis Van Tassel & Sofia Jacobse:*

- **Cornelius Van Tessel**, bp. 1 May 1748 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Cornelius Van Tessel and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Aeltye Van Tessel**, bp. 25 April 1749 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Hendrick Bancker, Aeltye Jacobse)
- **Jacob Van Tessel**, bp. 12 June 1751 NYC Ref Ch (wit: John de Lanoy, Maria Krankheid, z.h.v.)
- **Hendrik Van Tessel**, bp. 21 March 1755 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Mattheus Hoppe, Aaltje Jakobse, z.huis v.)
- **Hester Van Tessel**, bp. 10 Oct 1756 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Hendrik Jakobs, Hester Van Tessel, j.d.)
- **Abraham Van Tessel**, bp. 18 Oct 1758 NYC Ref Ch (wit: Elias Brevoort, Le Persel, z.h.v.)

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; *Baptisms in the Reformed Dutch*



Church, New York [City], 1902 (Collections of the NY Genealogical & Biographical Society, Vol. III)

**Van Tassel, William**

William Van Tassel  
son of

m.

**Wyntje Sybouts Cronkite**

dau. of Sybout Hercks Cronkite &  
Marytje Abrahams Lent

b. 1680

b. 1678

*---children of William Van Tassel & Wyntje Sybouts Cronkite:*

- **Marytje Van Texel**, bp. 1 April 1702 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Sybout Herrickse, Merrytie Herricks)
- **Jan Van Texel**, bp. [no month or day given] 1704 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Theunis Crankheyt, Sophia his wife)
- **Jan Van Texel** (twin?), bp. 22 Aug 1705 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Sybout Herrikze, Maritke Syboutze)
- **Marritje Van Texel** (twin?), bp. 22 Aug 1705 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Cornelis Van Texel, Sara de Widt)
- **Abraham Van Texel**, bp. 1 June 1709 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Willem Hendrikse, Antje Brouwer)
- **Antje Van Tassel**, bp. 5 June 1711 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Lent, Feytje de Ronde)
- **Sara Van Texel**, bp. 25 March 1712 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Hendrik Lent, Sara his wife)
- **Rachgel Van Texel** (Rachel), bp. 25/26 May 1714 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Steeven Ecker, Wyntje Krankheyt)
- **Lea Van Texel**, bp. 18 April 1716 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Wolfart Ecker, Marryetie his wife)
- **Cornelia Van Texel**, bp. 29 Oct 1717 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Herrick Lent, Cornelia his wife)
- **Jacob Van Texel**, bp. 16 Oct 1719 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Hendreck Brouwer, Jannitie his wife)

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901; Information online Jan 2000, Dutch-Colonies List, from Dorothy Koenig <dkoenig@library.berkeley.edu>

**Van Tessel, William**

William Van Tessel  
son of

m. 1 Nov 1746

Tarrytown Ref Ch

**Susanna Williams**

dau. of

In the Tarrytown Ref Ch record of their marriage, they were: William Van Tessel, j.m., and Susanna Williams, j.d. Both b. and l. in Philfsburgh.

*---children of William Van Tassel & Susanna Williams:*

- (prob) **Jacob Van Tassel**, bp. 22 June 1748 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Van Tessel, Catrina Van Tessel) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (prob) **Cornelus Van Tessel**, bp. 17 April 1750 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jan Cankling and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (prob) **Johannis Van Tessel**, bp. 8 Oct 1751 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Van Tessel and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (prob) **Maria Van Tessel**, bp. 16 June 1753 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Cornelus Williams and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (prob) **Altie Van Tessel**, bp. 14 March 1755 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Barent Duythser and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (prob) **Altye Van Tessel**, bp. 5 Nov 1756 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Johannis Van Tessel, Yannittie Banker) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- (poss) **Catrina Van Tessel**, bp. 24 April 1759 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Hendrick Banker and his wife) (no mother's name in bp. record)
- **Benyamen Van Tessel** (Benjamin), bp. 13 April 1761 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Benyamen Bruyn, Christina his wife)
- **William Van Tessel**, bp. 30 April 1763 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Isaac Hemmon and his wife)
- **Susanna Van Tessel**, bp. 21 April 1767 Tarrytown Ref Ch (wit: Jacob Van Tessel, Hester Van Tessel)

---Sources: Cole, David, *First Record Book of the "Old Dutch Church of Sleepy Hollow"...*The First Reformed Church of Tarrytown, NY, 1901

**Van Tassel, William**

William Van Tassel  
d. before 27 Dec 1781

m.

**Esther**

d.

In his will, he wrote: ...I, William Van Tassel, of Dutchess County, in Phillips Precinct, farmer, being sick. I leave to my wife Esther all my estate, real and personal, while she remains my widow, and after her death to Isaac Van Tassel, whom I have taken as my son, who now lives with me. If my wife marries, she is to have one-third of my estate and Isaac Van Tassel two-thirds." Joseph Bard, John Lickly, Esther Van Tassel, executors. Dated October 31, 1781. Witnesses, Philip Steenback, Isaac Odle (Odell). Proved, December 27, 1781.

*---children of William Van Tassel & Esther*

- **Isaac Van Tassel** (adopted?)

---Sources: Pelletreau, William S., *Abstracts of Wills on File in the Surrogate's Office, City of New York*, pub. as Collections of the New York Historical Society, Vol IX 1777-1783, page 243 (will of William Van Tassel)

**Van Tassel, William**

William Van Tassel  
son of William Van Tassel &

m.

**Elizabeth Van Woert (Van Wert)**

dau. of Martinus Van Woert &  
Rachel Williams

b.  
bp. 30 April 1763  
d.  
buried

---children of William Van Tassel & Elizabeth Van Woert:

- **Edward Van Tassel**, b. 1800; d. single at sea.
- **William Van Tassel**, b. 1802; d. single at sea.
- **Albert Van Tassel**, b. 1804
- **Henry Van Tassel**, b. 1807
- **Eliza Van Tassel**, b. 1812

---Sources: "Bergen County Tombstone Inscriptions from the Old Burial Ground, River Road, Edgewater, Bergen County, NJ" copied 27 July 1912 by John Neafie, in (prob) *Proceedings of the New Jersey Historical Society*, p. 60; Information December 1997 online from Michael H (Mickey) Pazurik, Box 679, Northport, WA, 99157, <mpaz@tra.aura.com.com>;

b. about 1777  
bp.  
d. 24 Oct 1840, age 63  
buried River Rd. B.G., Edgewater, NJ

### **Van Tassel, William**

William Van Tassel

b. about 1768  
d. 22 Nov 1837 age 69.5.4

buried Sleepy Hollow BG, Tarrytown, NY

---Sources: The old Dutch burying ground of Sleepy Hollow, in North Tarrytown, New York : a record of the early gravestones and their inscriptions. Perry, William Graves,. Boston. Rand Press. 1990 (aonline at Ancestry.com at <[http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm\\_LocHist006142-00001-1](http://content.ancestry.com/Browse/BookView.aspx?dbid=19535&iid=dvm_LocHist006142-00001-1)>, p. 66

### **Unplaced Van Tassel Women:**

**Altie Van Tassel**, m. before April 1755, **Abraham Rutan**

**Maratie Van Tessel**, m. 13 April 1754 Tarrytown Ref Dutch Ch, **Harmen Willumse**

**Maritie Van Tessel**, m. 26 Nov 1758 Tarrytown Dutch Ref Ch, **Jacobus Sie**