

CANADAY FAMILIES

in South Carolina

By 1800, there were several families in South Carolina, and virtually all used the spelling CANADAY. I don't know how they fit in, but they seem to be connected and based on the spelling perhaps back to the early Maryland and Virginia families.

More confusion, but more information.

LEWIS LAFAYETTE CANADAY of Colleton County

I have bits and pieces here from a couple of folks.

Arthur Canaday advises that **Lewis Lafayette Canaday** was born January 11, 1811 and lived in Colleton County. There is a town called Canadays in Colleton County up near the Dorchester County (SC) line.

From the notes of an ancestor of Arnold Gavin, I get a **Lewis L. Canaday** who died in Orangeburg County on June 28, 1862. I would guess they are the same person. Anyway, it seems that Lewis father was **Silas Canaday** and his grand father was another **Silas Canaday**.

There was a **Henry Canaday** born in the 1770s who married Rachel Morrer in Orangeburg County in the 1790s. Rachel was born December 1, 1779. Henry would somehow be connected to Silas I guess.

Another researcher is connected to a **Henry Cannady** born in South Carolina in 1778 with a wife named Mary born 1781 in South Carolina. They had at least one child **John Millage Cannady** born in 1796 in the Barnwell District of South Carolina. This family eventually moved to Florida. Another researcher, Mary Phillips, the family came over from Coleraine, Ireland to Charleston, South Carolina in 1799.

Then there was a **William Canaday** who married Mary Putman in Laurens County, South Carolina. William was born in the early 1820s. Don't know how or where he fits in.

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LEWIS L. & DAVID L. CANADY of South Carolina

These two brothers were born in South Carolina and moved to Indiana around 1810. The spelling is different and they were listed in the 1820 Census of Wayne County as KANNADA. But the Lewis L. name just has to have some connection to old Silas Canaday.

All the following information was supplied by Taffy Day.

LEWIS L. CANADY

Lewis was born in 1794 in South Carolina somewhere. He married Sarah Ring in Wayne County, Indiana on December 18, 1817. He died in Raleigh, Rush County, Indiana on September 8, 1884.

The children (note spellings) were:

DAVID CANADY born in 1818.

CHARLES CANADAY born in 1819. He married Martha Westerfield in Fayette County, Indiana on March 12, 1840. He died in Raleigh, Rush County.

MARGARET CANADY born in 1830.

DANIEL CANADY born in 1832.

ELIZABETH CANADY born in 1836.

MARTHA M. CANADY born in 1839.

LOUISA A. CANADY born in 1839.

DAVID L. CANADAY

Again here be sure to see how each kid spelled his name. David was born in South Carolina in 1785. He married a Martha (Dwiggins ?) in about 1804 in South Carolina. She died about 1814 in Indiana and David then married Martha Ring on December 23, 1815. Martha was born in 1803 and died in 1858 in Boone County, Indiana. David died there in 1871.

The children were:

MARY CANADAY born September 24, 1804 and died July 18, 1880. She married Simon Emmert in Union County, Indiana on April 1, 1825.

CALEB CANADAY born about 1807 in South Carolina. He married Martha Dwiggin in Union County on April 19, 1828. He appears in Spartenburg County, South Carolina in the 1850s.

SOLOMON CANADAY born in March 1808 and died February 28, 1858 in LaPorte County, Indiana. His wife was named Frances A.

DAVID CANADAY JR. born in 1813 in Indiana. He married Elizabeth Clarissa Hunt.

WILLIAM CANADAY born in 1814. He married Nancy Martin.

SUSAN CANADY born in Indiana in about 1817. She married a Lewis.

MARGARET CANADY born in about 1818. She married a Hendrickson.

NANCY CANADAY born February 12, 1821 and died March 31, 1902 in Boone County. She married Thomas Elijah Day March 19, 1843.

MARTHA ANN CANADAY born in 1824. She married John Cunningham August 26, 1862.

CATHERINE CANADY born in 1825 and married Joseph Stith.

LEWIS A. CANADAY born February 25, 1825 and died November 9, 1905 in Montgomery County, Indiana. His wife was Carolina Lee.

DELFINIA CANADY born in 1828. She married George Johnson February 12, 1844.

EMILINE CANADY born in 1832. She married Michael Marley August 8, 1850.

ELIJAH CANADA born in 1833.

FRANCIANNA CANADA born in 1836. She married Nathaniel S. Caldwell February 27, 1858.

JEMIMA CANADY born in 1838. She married Gilbert Granstaff March 18, 1857.

SIMON P. CANADY born in 1840 and died in 1917. He married Mary J. Sandlin on March 27, 1861.

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MISCELLANEOUS FOLKS IN SOUTH CAROLINA

The following are some 'odds and ends' of Canadays being researched in South Carolina.

JOBE CANADY born in South Carolina in about 1810. Had a daughter Nancy Kanady. Researched by Andrea Taylor, 904 Cannon Drive, Euless TX 76040.

JAMES J. CANNADA born in Greenville County, South Carolina June 2, 1810 and died there February 8, 1869. His father was John Cannada who was born in the Charleston SC area. His father was the one who immigrated there in the mid 1700s. Researched by Mel Odom, 9 Blue View Drive, Taylors SC 29687

JOHN KANNADY of the Union District in South Carolina bought land in Greenville District, South Carolina in 1799. Seems this family moved to South Carolina in the mid 1700s most likely from Pennsylvania. He had a son John Jr. who married Dinah Kelly in Greenville County. In 1850, John Canady and wife Dinah were in Benton County, Alabama. He was 73, Dinah was 70. Researched by Mel Odom, 9 Blue View Drive, Taylors SC 29687