

Descendants of Francis Aldridge

Generation No. 1

1. Francis¹ Aldridge He married **Henretta Ritter Prince**, daughter of Edward Prince and Hannah. She was born in Wilkes County, North Carolina.

Children of Francis Aldridge and Henretta Prince are:

- 2 i. Elijah² Aldridge¹, born 09 June 1755².

 More About Elijah Aldridge:
 Christening: 24 August 1755, Albemarle Parish, Virginia²
- + 3 ii. Francis Aldridge, born 1764 in Wilkes County, North Carolina; died 17 May 1845 in Science Hill, Pulaski County, Kentucky.

Generation No. 2

3. Francis² Aldridge (Francis¹) was born 1764 in Wilkes County, North Carolina, and died 17 May 1845 in Science Hill, Pulaski County, Kentucky. He married **Margaret Cole** 19 October 1789 in Rutherford County, North Carolina.

More About Francis Aldridge:
Military service: Served in Revolutionary War

Children of Francis Aldridge and Margaret Cole are:

- + 4 i. Elijah³ Aldridge, born 18 February 1792 in (Rutherford County ?) North Carolina; died 24 May 1878 in Watsonville, Santa Cruz County, California.
- 5 ii. Francis Aldridge. He married Mary Harper 24 May 1827.
- 6 iii. Nancy Aldridge. She married Sandy Hudson 09 November 1809 in Pulaski County, Kentucky.
- 7 iv. Rebecca Aldridge, born 1802 in Fayette County, Kentucky?. She married Joseph Johns (Jones?) 27 November 1822 in Pulaski County, Kentucky.
- 8 v. Margaret Aldridge, born 1796 in Rutherford County, North Carolina?. She married John Moore 17 February 1831 in Pulaski County, Kentucky.
- 9 vi. Thomas Aldridge.

Generation No. 3

4. Elijah³ Aldridge (Francis², Francis¹)³ was born 18 February 1792 in (Rutherford County ?) North Carolina^{4,5}, and died 24 May 1878 in Watsonville, Santa Cruz County, California⁶. He married **Jane White**⁷ 26 January 1812 in Kentucky (Montgomery Co. ? Clarke Co. ?)⁸, daughter of Charles White? and Nancy Harper?. She was born January 1795 in Kentucky⁹, and died 24 December 1884 in Watsonville, Santa Cruz County, California¹⁰.

More About Elijah Aldridge:
Baptism: 1839, Baptized in the Christian Church, Cloverdale Township, Putnam Co. Indiana
Burial: 24 May 1878, Pioneer Cemetery, Watsonville, California¹¹

Census 1850: 06 September 1850, Putnam County, Indiana, Cloverdale Township¹²

Funeral Service: 24 May 1878, Christian Church, Watsonville at 2:00 p.m.¹³

Occupation: 1850, Farmer¹⁴

Property: 1850, Value of real estate given in census is \$1000.¹⁴

More About Jane White:

Baptism: 1838, Baptized in the Christian Church, Cloverdale Township, Putnam Co. Indiana

Burial: Buried in Pioneer Cemetery, Watsonville, California

Census 1850: 06 September 1850, Putnam County, Indiana, Cloverdale Township¹⁴

Literacy: 1850, Cannot read or write¹⁴

Obituary: 01 January 1885, "Died. Near Corralitos, at the residence of her son, Frank, Dec. 25th, Mrs. Jane Aldrige [sic], aged about 90 yrs.¹⁵

Children of Elijah Aldridge and Jane White are:

- 10 i. David⁴ Aldridge, born Bet. 1813 - 1814 in Montgomery County, Kentucky. He married Jane McPherrin?.
- 11 ii. Hamilton Aldridge, born ca. 1818 in Montgomery County, Kentucky; died in Iowa.
- 12 iii. Charles Aldridge, born ca. 1820. He married Mary Margaret Crider in Warren County, Indiana.

More About Charles Aldridge:

Burial: Williamsport, Indiana

- 13 iv. Caroline E. Aldridge¹⁶, born 20 April 1822 in Montgomery County, Kentucky^{17,18}; died 29 August 1900 in Oneco, Manatee County, Florida¹⁹. She married Elbridge Mabrin Whitted²⁰ 09 May 1846 in Rockville, Parke County, Indiana²¹; born 28 February 1824 in Chatham County, North Carolina²²; died 06 January 1899 in Oneco, Manatee County, Florida.

More About Caroline E. Aldridge:

Birth Fact: 20 April 1822, Julia Jeanettie Whitted, informant on Thomas Austin Whitted's death certificate, gives Bowling Green, KY, as the place of birth of his mother, Caroline Aldridge.²³

Burial: New Cemetery, Bradenton, Manatee County, Florida. New Cemetery now called Major Adams Cemetery.²⁴

Census 1860: 1860, Dodge Twp., Boone County, Iowa²⁵

Census 1870: 1870, Dodge Twp., Boone County, Iowa²⁶

Census 1885: 30 June 1885, Manatee County, Florida²⁷

Census 1900: 04 June 1900, Tampa, Hillsborough County, Florida²⁸

More About Elbridge Mabrin Whitted:

Burial: 07 January 1899, New Cemetery, Bradenton, Manatee County, Florida²⁹

Census 1850: 19 September 1850, Parke County, Indiana, District #83³⁰

Census 1860: 1860, Boone Co., Iowa, Dodge Township, p. 44, dwelling #360.³¹

Census 1870: 1870, Boone Co., Iowa, Dodge Township, P.O. Mineral Ridge, p. 26, Family #169.³²

Census 1885: 30 June 1885, State of Florida, Manatee Co., no Page #, Dwelling #505.³³

Occupation: 1850, Farmer³⁴

- 14 v. Nancy Jane Aldridge, born Bet. 1823 - 1824 in Montgomery County,

- Kentucky; died ca. 1885 in Oregon. She married Thomas Hubbard 24 April 1845.
- 15 vi. Franklin A. Aldridge, born 20 April 1826 in Montgomery County, Kentucky; died 23 November 1900 in Watsonville, Santa Cruz County, California. He married (1) Elizabeth Young 1846. He married (2) Sarah Jane Bradley 1864; born February 1847³⁵; died 13 November 1869³⁶. He married (3) Anna Margaret Frarler 1871.
- 16 vii. Wesley Aldridge, born 1828.
- 17 viii. Sarah Margaret Aldridge³⁷, born 1831 in Indiana³⁸. She married Absalom Kelly³⁹ 26 March 1852; born ca. 1829 in Kentucky⁴⁰.

More About Sarah Margaret Aldridge:
Burial: Nebraska

More About Absalom Kelly:
Census 1850: 29 August 1850, Putnam County, Indiana, Cloverdale Township⁴¹
Name Fact: 1850, Recorded in census as Kelley⁴¹
Occupation: 1850, Farmer⁴²

- 18 ix. Rebecca Ann Aldridge⁴³, born 1834 in Indiana⁴⁴; died 19 July 1914 in Lompoc, California. She married Austin C. Warwick 13 December 1855 in Boone County, Iowa.
- 19 x. Alvin Aldridge, born 1835 in Indiana; died in Putnam County, Indiana.

More About Alvin Aldridge:
Burial: Mt. Zion Cemetery, Putnam County, Indiana⁴⁵

- 20 xi. William Aldridge, born Aft. 1840 in Indiana; died in Putnam County, Indiana.

More About William Aldridge:
Burial: Mt. Zion Cemetery, Putnam County, Indiana⁴⁵

- 21 xii. Mary Aldridge, born 14 December 1840 in Indiana; died in Putnam County, Indiana.

More About Mary Aldridge:
Burial: Mt. Zion Cem., Putnam County, Indiana⁴⁵

Endnotes

1. Register of Albermarle Parish, Surry and Sussex Counties, [Virginia], 1739-1778, transcribed and ed. by Gertrude R. B. Richards, National Society Colonial Dames of America, Virginia, 1958, 202 (p.105 in original register), Name of father is Francis Eldridge and his wife is Ritter (her middle name).
2. Register of Albermarle Parish, Surry and Sussex Counties, [Virginia], 1739-1778, transcribed and ed. by Gertrude R. B. Richards, National Society Colonial Dames of America, Virginia, 1958, 202 (p.105 in original register).
3. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.556, family #153.
4. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.556, family #153, 6 September 1850, age is given in census as 57, place of birth N.C.
5. Letter from Frank Aldridge to his sister Caroline Whitted, 1878, Resumé of letter excerpted from the book "Aldridge Records," by Franklin Rudolph Aldridge. 1966., Gives date of birth but not place.

6. Letter from Frank Aldridge to his sister Caroline Whitted, 1878, Resumé of letter excerpted from the book "Aldridge Records," by Franklin Rudolph Aldridge. 1966., The letter gives information on his illness and death, his funeral and his life.
7. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.556, family #153.
8. Letter from Frank Aldridge to his sister Caroline Whitted, 1878, Resumé of letter excerpted from the book "Aldridge Records," by Franklin Rudolph Aldridge. 1966., Letter gives date but not place of marriage.
9. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.556, family #153, age is given in census as 55, place of birth, KY.
10. Obituary of Jane [White] Aldridge, 1795-1884, Watsonville, California, The Pajaronian, vol. xvii, #48, 1 January 1885, Newspaper obituary gives Dec. 25 as date of death.
11. Gravestone for Elijah Aldridge, 1792-1878, Pioneer Cemetery, Watsonville, California.
12. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.556, family #153.
13. Letter from Frank Aldridge to his sister Caroline Whitted, 1878, Resumé of letter excerpted from the book "Aldridge Records," by Franklin Rudolph Aldridge. 1966., He apparently died at 2:30 in the morning and the funeral was that afternoon at 2:00.
14. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.556, family #153.
15. Obituary of Jane [White] Aldridge, 1795-1884, Watsonville, California, The Pajaronian, vol. xvii, #48, 1 January 1885.
16. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Parke County, District #83, p.327, family #921, 19 September 1850.
17. 1900 U.S. Census. Florida, Hillsborough County, John R. Williams household, E.D. 67, Supv. Dist. #2, sheet #6, dwelling #117, family #119, p.250A.
18. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Parke County, District #83, p.327, family #921, 19 September 1850, age given in census as 25, place of birth, KY.
19. Evanco, Col. Michael and Anita, *The Whitted Family*, (Sarasota, Florida, 1988).
20. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Parke County, District #83, p.327, family #921, 19 September 1850.
21. Marriage License and Certificate of Elbridge Whitehead [Whitted] and Caroline Aldridge, State of Indiana, Parke County, Circuit Court of Rockville, License No. 1487. Date of License and Marriage May 9, 1846.
22. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Parke County, District #83, p.327, family #921, 19 September 1850, age in census given as 25, place of birth, N.C.
23. Death Certificate of Thomas Austin Whitted, Florida, Registrar of Vital Statistics, Pinellas Co. Health Dept, St. Petersburg, Certificate # 783.
24. Evanco, Col. Michael and Anita, *The Whitted Family*, (Sarasota, Florida, 1988).
25. 1860 U.S. Census. Iowa, Boone County, Dodge Township, Bridgeport P.O., p.44, dwelling #360.
26. 1870 U.S. Census. Iowa, Boone County, Dodge Township, P.O. Mineral Ridge, p.26, Family #169.
27. 1885 State Census, Florida, Manatee County, no Page #, Dwelling #505, FHC MF 0888969.
28. 1900 U.S. Census. Florida, Hillsborough County, E.D. 67, 27th Precinct, Highland Ave., Living with son-in-law, John R. Williams.
29. Family Group Sheet from Col. Michael & Anita Evanco, 1980s.
30. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Parke County, District #83, p.327, family #921, 19 September 1850.
31. 1860 U.S. Census. Iowa, Boone County, Dodge Township, Bridgeport P.O., p.44, dwelling #360.
32. 1870 U.S. Census. Iowa, Boone County, Dodge Township, P.O. Mineral Ridge, p.26, Family #169.
33. 1885 State Census, Florida, Manatee County, FHC MF 0888969.
34. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Parke County, District #83, p.327, family #921, 19 September 1850.
35. Gravestone for Sarah Jane Bradley Aldridge, d.1869, Aldridge Plot, Pioneer Cemetery, Watsonville, California, "died Nov. 13, 1969, age 22 yrs, 9 mo's, & 9 d's."
36. Gravestone for Sarah Jane Bradley Aldridge, d.1869, Aldridge Plot, Pioneer Cemetery, Watsonville, California.
37. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.556, family #153.
38. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.556, family #153, age given in census is 19, place of birth, Ind.
39. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.549, dwelling #59, enumerated with Owen Owen and family.
40. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.549, dwelling #59, age is given in census as 21, place of birth, KY.
41. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Parke County, Cloverdale Township, p.549, dwelling #59.
42. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.549, dwelling #59.
43. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.556, family #153.
44. 1850 U.S. Census. Indiana, Putnam County, Cloverdale Township, p.556, family #153, age given in census is 16, place of birth, Ind.

45. Letter from Frank Aldridge to his niece Eliza Ann Whitted, 11 September 1900, Resumé of letter excerpted from the book "Aldridge Records," by Franklin Rudolph Aldridge. 1966..