

## *Descendants of David Walker, Sr.*

### *Generation No. 1*

1. DAVID<sup>1</sup> WALKER, SR. was born About Feb 1699/00 in Prince George Co., VA, and died About Feb 26, 1774 in Goochland Co., VA. He married MARY MUNFORD, daughter of ROBERT MUNFORD. She was born Unknown, and died About Sep 21, 1777 in St. James Northam, Goochland Co., VA.

Notes for DAVID WALKER, SR.:

From The Douglas Register, p. 345

Feb: 26 1774 -- David Walkers fun: Sermon on 1 Cor: 15-49 -- Ye old man in Gooch: p. 36

Feb. 26 1774 -- Da: Wakers fun Goochland p. 123.

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From The Douglas Register, p. 406

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Walker, David Year 1774 Book 10 Page 435  
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Goochland DB 10 pg 435-7 February 15, 1773/May 16, 1774:

Will of David WALKER Sr.

"I David Walker Senior of Goochland County considering my old age and the uncertainty of Life; and being of sound...memory; in order to do justice to all my relatives and prevent disputes in the division of my Estate after my decease...Do make and ordain this as my Last Will and Testament. I commit my Soul into ye hand of my merciful God and Saviour, begging y...he will pardon all my Sins and save me, through ye Merits of Jesus Christ my only Redeemer. -- I also Order my body to be decently interred in my own burying place; and a sermon to be preached at my funeral by the Minister of this parish, whoever he may then be. I give to my granddaughter Susannah WOODSON 20 pounds to her and her heirs forever. I give to my son John WALKER, 20 pounds allowed to him in part payment of a negro fellow he got from me, valued at 50 pounds, the other 30 pounds balance, he is to account for to my executors as part of my estate. I give to my son Peter WALKER, 20 pounds besides what he has already got: together with my tract of land upon ye forks of ye Byrd in Albemarle County; containing four hundred acres, more or less, to him and his heirs forever. I give to my son Joel WALKER 15 pounds, together with the land and plantation, where I now live, to him and his heirs forever, and in case of his dying without heirs of his own body, I order it then to be sold and ye price of it equally divided among all my children and their heirs. I give to my daughter Elizabeth THORNHILL 13 pounds besides what she has got already. I give to my daughter Mary PERKINS five pounds more than what she has got already; and also to her son Walker PERKINS fifteen pounds. I give to my daughter Judith POOR, twenty pounds, allowed to her out of the thirty pounds already paid to her husband Robert POOR, ye remaining, ballance of ten pounds, I give to ye said Robert POOR, in consideration of trouble he may be at as one of my executors. I give to my daughter Ann Stevens 5 pounds besides what she has got already. I give to Hope LANCASTER my Daughter five pounds besides what she has got already. I give to my son Peter WALKER, ten pounds besides what is appointed for him above in consideration of being one of my executors. I appoint what after all -- the above mentioned Legacees are paid off then my beloved wife Mary WALKER shall have one third part of ye remainder of my estate by way of loan during her life, and at her decease the said third part shall be equally divided among all my children and their heirs. I appoint that after my said wife has received her third, the other two thirds shall immediately be equally divided among all my children and their heirs. I appoint that in case any controversy shall arise among my relations concerning ye division of my Estate, that in order to prevent lawsuits, each of the contending parties shall choose a man to whom as arbitrators the matters shall be referred for final decision. I constitute and appoint my son Peter WALKER and son in law Robert POOR exers of this my Last Will and Testament written on this and the preceding pages, revoking hereby all other Wills by me formerly made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Fifteenth day of February 1773. Signed with a "W" David Walker and testes: Will Douglass, Richard Oglesby, Elisha Leek. Val. Wood Clerk of the Court.

More About DAVID WALKER, SR.:

Baptism: Feb 25, 1699/00, St. Peters Parish, New Kent Co., VA

Burial: Feb 26, 1774, St. James Northam, Goochland Co., VA<sup>1</sup>

Will Dated: Feb 15, 1773

Notes for MARY MUNFORD:

From The Douglas Register, p. 345

Sep 21 1777 -- Mrs Walkers fun: Ser: at Beverdam Luke 10.41, 42 -- in Gooch: p.37

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Goochland DB 12 pg 46-7 September 8, 1777/October 20, 1777:

Will of Mary WALKER of the Parish of St. James Northam. All debts paid and the valuation of my dower left us by my husband to be made good to my children according to said will. To my daughter Hope LANCASTER my young bay mare but the first 3 colts to my granddaughters Molly LANCASTER, Elizabeth LANCASTER & Nancy LANCASTER. To my daughter Ann STEVENS my Negro wench Cato or if dead, Cato to my granddaughter Dehlar STEVENS. To my daughter Ann STEVENS the remainder.

Executor: Capt. John CURD. Witness: John CURD, Mary WALKER, Elizabeth MITCHAL, Robin POOR.

More About MARY MUNFORD:

Burial: Sep 21, 1777, St. James Northam, Goochland Co., VA<sup>1</sup>

Residence: St. James Northam, Goochland Co., VA

Will Dated: Sep 08, 1777

Will Proved: Oct 20, 1777

Children of DAVID WALKER and MARY MUNFORD are:

- i. JOHN<sup>2</sup> WALKER, b. About 1716; d. 1791, Greene Co., GA; m. ELIZABETH HUNTER, May 09, 1751, Albemarle Co., VA; b. Unknown; d. Bef. Oct 29, 1803.

Notes for JOHN WALKER:

9 May 1751 John Walker m Elizabeth Hunter, daughter of John, by Rev. Robert Rose. Albemarle County, VA. ( Minister returns, Some Marriages in Virginia.) Rev. Rose was the first rector of St. Anne's Episcopal Church located on S. fork of Totter Creek where it is crossed by the road from Scottsville to Howardsville. History of Albemarle County, by Rev. Edgar Woods. Land is possibly now part of University. Rev. Rose residence was in what became Amherst County, not far from New Glasgow, but he preached occasionally in the churches in Albemarle.

John Walker witnessed a deed for Robert Rose, 13 June 1751. Rev. Rose died this same year, a book about his life is in Virginia State Library. His will dated 30 June 1751, proved 12 Nov 1751.

Indenture made 14 November 1750 between William Battersby of Co of Cumberland of one part and John Walker of Co. of Albermarle of other part... sold unto John Walker one parcel of land containing 50 acres in Co. of Albemarle on South side of Fluvanna River being heretofore granted unto William Cabell by patent. With: Bouth Napier, Thos. Phelps.

Indenture made 8 Dec 1757 between John Walker of Co. of Albemarle and one part and Richard Hall Jr of same Co... doth sell Richard Hall Jr land lying on south side of Fluvanna River containing by estimation 50 acres in Co of Albemarle being heretofore granted unto William Cabell by patient... Witn: John Hunder, Edward Hunder, Richard Taylor. 1751

1783 Guilford Co NC Land Entries

17 Nov. 1783, John Walker enterse 300 acres in Guilford Co NC on waters of Great Rockhouse Creek; border Thomas Carter, Jesse Morton, Benjamin Selman, James Roberts and said John Walker

1784 100 Acres on Reedy Fork

1785 Tax list - Wilkes Co, GA John Walker 7-1/2 polls 13 slaves, 500 acres

1789 - 9 June 1789 John Walker and Elizabeth Walker, his wife of Greene Co, VA, for love and affection to our well beloved children: John Hunter Walker and William Walker, 4 negroes to John Hunter Walker, Peter and Tamer, and to William Walker, Cisley and Dorcas. Signed John Walker, Elizabeth (x) Walker WIT: Edward Hunter, Robert Harper Junr, recorded 9 July 1791. Robert Harper attested to signatures before David Dickson, JP

1792 - Elizabeth Walker of Greene Co, GA to Frances Silman, daughter, one negro girl, Daphney dated 5 Nov. 1792. Elizabeth Walker (her mark) Wit: John Harper, John H. Walkre, Proved 4 Mar 1797

1799 - 22 Nov. 1799 - Hancock Co, GA William Silman and Frances his wife to David Walker all that tract of

land on which William Silman now lives. Signed William and Frances, Wit: Wm. Walker, Tomas T. Walker  
rec. 10 Dec 1805

More About ELIZABETH HUNTER:  
Will Proved: Oct 29, 1803

- ii. PETER WALKER, b. About 1718; d. Unknown; m. ELIZABETH HARRIS, Dec 23, 1756, Cumberland Co., VA<sup>1</sup>; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.

Notes for PETER WALKER:

There is a marriage in Douglas Register for Peter Walker and Sarah Wadley, 6 Nov 1766, which is the year that Peter and Elizabeth Harris' last child was born, according to the Douglas Register. Could be that Elizabeth died and Peter remarried.

- 2. iii. MARY WALKER, b. About 1722, Goochland Co., VA; d. 1797, Goochland Co., VA.
- 3. iv. DAVID WALKER, JR., b. Mar 06, 1730/31, Prince George Co., VA; d. Aug 1772, Goochland Co., VA.
- v. HOPE WALKER, b. About 1738; d. Unknown; m. NATHANIEL LANCASTER, Apr 19, 1758, Goochland Co., VA<sup>1</sup>; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.

More About NATHANIEL LANCASTER:  
Residence: Henrico, Goochland Co., VA<sup>1</sup>

- vi. JUDITH WALKER, b. About 1742; d. Unknown; m. ROBERT PORE, Jan 05, 1762, Goochland Co., VA<sup>1</sup>; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.

Marriage Notes for JUDITH WALKER and ROBERT PORE:

Dates in Douglas Register are conflicting. Marriage and birth of first child are listed as the same day. Probably married earlier.

- vii. JOEL WALKER, b. About 1753; d. Unknown; m. SARAH BOWEN, Jan 13, 1774, St. James Northam, Goochland Co., VA<sup>1</sup>; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.
- viii. ANN WALKER, b. Unknown; d. Unknown; m. THOMAS STEVENS; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.
- ix. ELIZABETH WALKER, b. Unknown; d. Unknown; m. THOMAS THORNHILL; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. MARY<sup>2</sup> WALKER (DAVID<sup>1</sup>) was born About 1722 in Goochland Co., VA, and died 1797 in Goochland Co., VA. She married CONSTANT PERKINS About 1740 in Goochland Co., VA. He was born Unknown, and died About 1769.

More About MARY WALKER:  
Burial: 1797, Goochland Co., VA  
Will Dated: Dec 18, 1797<sup>2</sup>

Notes for CONSTANT PERKINS:

Goochland DB 9 pg 206 September 3, 1767/June 19, 1769:

Will of Constant PERKINS, Jr. To sons David, Walker and William PERKINS each 1/3 of the tract of land I live on. To daughter Judith PERKINS 1 negro boy now in possession of my father given to me by deed at his death. To daughter Mary PERKINS, 1 negro Boy. To daughter Ann CLARKSON 1 shilling. Residue of my estate to my wife, at her death to be divided among the rest of my children: Constantine, Nicholas, Elizabeth, Stephen and Ezekiel.

Executors: Brothers, Stephen and Joseph PERKINS. Witness: Joseph POLLARD, Nathaniel LANCASTER and William ATTKISSON.

More About CONSTANT PERKINS:  
Will Dated: Sep 03, 1767  
Will Proved: Jun 19, 1769

Child of MARY WALKER and CONSTANT PERKINS is:

- i. STEPHEN<sup>3</sup> PERKINS, b. Apr 22, 1760<sup>3</sup>; d. Unknown.

More About STEPHEN PERKINS:  
Baptism: Jun 10, 1760<sup>3</sup>

3. DAVID<sup>2</sup> WALKER, JR. (*DAVID*<sup>1</sup>) was born Mar 06, 1730/31 in Prince George Co., VA, and died Aug 1772 in Goochland Co., VA. He married FRANCES WATKINS. She was born Unknown, and died Unknown.

Notes for DAVID WALKER, JR.:

From The Douglas Register, p. 345

Aug: 30 1772 -- David Walker Junr. fun: Sermon on Philip: 1.21. -- in Gooch: p. 25.

Aug: 30 1772 -- Da: Walker Junr fun: Goochland. p. 124

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From The Douglas Register, p. 406

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More About DAVID WALKER, JR.:

Baptism: Apr 23, 1732, Bristol Parish, Prince George Co., VA

Burial: Aug 30, 1772, Goochland Co., VA<sup>4</sup>

Child of DAVID WALKER and FRANCES WATKINS is:

4. i. SUSANNAH<sup>3</sup> WALKER, b. About 1745, Goochland Co., VA; d. Bef. 1799, Shelby Co., KY.

#### *Generation No. 3*

4. SUSANNAH<sup>3</sup> WALKER (*DAVID*<sup>2</sup>, *DAVID*<sup>1</sup>) was born About 1745 in Goochland Co., VA, and died Bef. 1799 in Shelby Co., KY. She married (1) SHADRACK WOODSON Aug 14, 1766 in St. James Northam, Goochland Co., VA<sup>5</sup>, son of WILLIAM WOODSON and SARAH ALLEN. He was born About 1741 in Buckingham Co., VA, and died Oct 1795 in Franklin, VA. She married (2) HEZEKIAH FORD Jun 12, 1797 in Garrard Co., KY. He was born Unknown, and died Unknown.

Notes for SHADRACK WOODSON:

From "The Edward Pleasants Valentine Papers, Vol. 1-4, 1864-1908"

Shadrack Woodson, Grant, 134 acres in Henry Co., on the Waters of Black Water River. June 17, 1783. (26, p. 326.)

Shadrack Woodson & Susannah his wife of Buckingham Co. to Isaac Bryant, 220 acres in Buckingham & Cumberland Co. adj. John Cannon, Isaac Bryant &c. being same conveyed to said Shadrack by his father William Woodson by deed on record in Buckingham Co. Nov. 14, 1780. Ibid. p. 94.

From the "Genealogical Records of Buckingham County, VA", by Edith Rucker Whitley, Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc. 1984

Shadrach Woodson and wife Susannah, of Buckingham County, on 14 November 1780 conveyed to Isaac Bryant 220 acres in Buckingham and Cumerland Counties, adjoining land of John Cannon, Isaac Bryant, and others, being the same land conveyed to the said Shadrack by his father William Woodson. (Cumberland County Deed Book 6, p. 94)

More About SHADRACK WOODSON:

Residence: Henry Co., VA (now Franklin Co., VA)

Children of SUSANNAH WALKER and SHADRACK WOODSON are:

- i. SARAH J.<sup>4</sup> WOODSON, b. About 1768, Buckingham, VA; d. Dec 1832, Sugar Creek, Garrard Co., KY<sup>6</sup>; m. RANDOLPH HALL, Apr 28, 1784, Franklin Co., VA; b. About 1759, Brunswick Co., VA<sup>6</sup>; d. Jun 01, 1821, Sugar Creek, Garrard Co., KY<sup>6</sup>.

Notes for RANDOLPH HALL:

from "History of Kentucky Baptist," by J. H. Spencer, p. 34:

"He was a good solid preacher, of a warm, impressive address and exercised an extensive influence within

the bounds of the South District Association, of which he was moderator for many years. He was instrumental in gathering Sugar Creek Church in Gerrard County in 1801, to which, and to Stony Point in Mercer County, he preached for a number of years. He was no less distinguished for piety than for his faithful and successful labors."

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From "History of Garrard County Kentucky and its Churches" by Forrest Calico, 1947

"Randolph Hall came from Franklin County, Virginia. He was a veteran of the Revolution either as a soldier or chaplain or both. Just when he came is not known, but it is certain that he came somewhere near the close of this war for all authorities agree that he was the first pastor at the Forks of Dick's River Baptist Church which was first constituted in 1782. He was, Spencer says, "A good solid preacher of warm address and had a large influence in this region very early." He was moderator of the South District Association for a number of years, and a close friend of James Thompson, the first surveyor of Lincoln County, who lived near Old Sugar Creek Meetinghouse and gave the site which he reserved in 1818 for the Baptist Society. Randolph Hall, about 1798, was collector of the tax for the town district and James Thompson was his bondsman. Hall performed hundreds of marriages in this region and dozens were given as a Christian name Randolph or Hall. The writers' own great-grandfather was married by him and named for him, and it is almost certain he was a grandson or nephew of Randolph Hall. His name was Randolph Stormes. He married Catherine Hardin. Randolph Hall was instrumental in regathering Old Sugar Creek Church about 1800. It had been organized first in 1792, most probably by Moses Dooley and James Thompson and ten others. Hall died in 1821 of a paralytic stroke after having lived about seventy years. His was a long and very useful life. A son Nathan became a very prominent Presbyterian minister. His biography will be found in the history of that church in this volume. A daughter married a minister named John Holland, a man of great promise but died early. One daughter married Royal Bettis, of the family of that name in this county. Under his preaching the second and third pastors of the Fork Church embraced his profession. John S. Higgins succeeded him followed by Burdette Kemper, who had married the daughter of his friend James Thompson. Her name was Jemima."

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From "Garrard Co., KY Will Abstracts; Vol. II 1819-1833"

HALL, Randolph Will Book E, p. 159

Dated 3 Aug., 1816 Recorded July, 1821

Wife Sally Hall

Son (Afflicted) Jonathan Hall

Son Nathan Hall

Dau. Susannah Downing

Son Shadrach Hall

Dau. Elizabeth Hanley

Son David Hall

Dau. Anna Hall

Son Mason Hall

Dau. Polly Hall

Son Randolph Struther Hall

Exec. James Sellers

Garrard Banks

Wit. Beverly Brown

Charles Parker

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from Will Book E, p. 159

In the name of God, Amen, Randolph Hall, of the County of Garrard, and the State of Kentucky, being sensible of my mortality, and knowing that life is uncertain do make my last will and testament in manner and form following, to wit: I give to my beloved wife Sally Hall the tract of land on which I now live together with my negro man Ned with as much of my other personal estate as she may think necessary for her comfortable support during her natural life or widowhood, she keeping my poor afflicted son Jonathan Hall, and maintaining him and at her death or marriage for the land on which I now live to be rented and for the rent to be applied to the support of my afflicted son Jonathan and my faithful servant Ned to be free. My land in Pulaski county, Kentucky, I wish to be sold, together with my other personal estate which my wife dont take, and the money equally divided amongst all my children, viz: Nathan Huston Hall, Susanna Downing, Shadrack Hall, Elizabeth Hanly, David Hall, Anna Hall, John Mason Hall, Polly Hall and Randolph Strother Hall. I do appoint my trusty friends James Sellers and Garrard Banks executors of this my last will and testament. As witness my hand and seal this 3rd day of August in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

(Signed) Randolph Hall

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He was a very strong and active minister and missionary in the Baptist Church, spending his life in active ministry in various locations. In 1783 he removed to Garrard County, Kentucky, where he became pastor of the newly formed Forks of Dix River Baptist Church. He was taxed there in 1797, for "100 acres on Sugar Creek, 1 black, 3 horses." For a time he was back in Henry Co., VA, then in Stokes Co., NC, and finally returned to Garrard Co., KY, where he spent the remainder of his life.

Rev. Randolph Hall took an active part in the Revolution, along with his father, Rev. Nathan Hall, but whether as chaplain or soldier or both is not clearly known.

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1800 HALL RANDOLPH Garrard County KY Tax list KY Early Census Index KYS1a1395441  
1810 HALL RANDOLPH Garrard County KY 220 22001-11111-03 Federal Population Schedule KY 1810  
Federal Census Index KYS1a1395438  
1820 HALL RANDOLPH Garrard County KY 105 No Township Listed Federal Population Schedule KY  
1820 Federal Census Index KY35330972

More About RANDOLPH HALL:

1820 Census: 1820, Garrard Co., KY - Randolph Hall, males: (1) 10 to 16, (2) 16 to 25, (1) 45 and over; females: (1) 16 to 26; (1) engaged in commerce; (1) slave 14 to 25 (There are also TWO Randolph Hall's listed in Franklin Co., VA in this census)<sup>7</sup>

Cause of Death: Paralytic Stroke

Occupation: Minister

Religion: Baptist

Will Dated: Aug 03, 1816<sup>8</sup>

Will Proved: Jul 01, 1821<sup>8</sup>

- ii. DAVID WOODSON, b. Apr 08, 1770, Goochland Co., VA; d. Unknown; m. MARGARET RITTER, Oct 07, 1795, Franklin Co., VA; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.
- iii. FRANCES WALKER WOODSON, b. About 1771, Cumberland, VA; d. Aft. 1850; m. JOSEPH ELLIS, Jul 01, 1790, Franklin Co., VA - By Rev. Randolph Hall<sup>9</sup>; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.
- iv. WILLIAM WOODSON, b. About 1774, Cumberland, VA; d. Unknown; m. (1) TABITHA NOWLIN, About 1797, Garrard Co., KY; b. Unknown; d. Unknown; m. (2) ANN BAKER BURTON, 1835, Jennings, IN; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.
- v. ELIZABETH WOODSON, b. Unknown; d. Unknown.
- vi. JANE WOODSON, b. Unknown; d. Unknown.
- vii. JOSEPH WOODSON, b. Unknown; d. Unknown.

More About JOSEPH WOODSON:

Residence: Oklahoma

- viii. JUDITH WOODSON, b. Unknown; d. Unknown.
- ix. SHADRACH WOODSON, b. Unknown; d. Unknown.

More About SHADRACH WOODSON:

Residence: Callaway Co., MO

### Endnotes

1. William Macfarlane Jones, *The Douglas Register, Being a Detailed Register of Births, Marriages and Deaths. . . as Kept by the Rev. William Douglas, from 1750 to 1797*, (c. 1928, reprint 2001, Genealogical Publishing Company).
2. Will Book, v. 17, p. 172.
3. William Macfarlane Jones, *The Douglas Register, Being a Detailed Register of Births, Marriages and Deaths. . . as Kept by the Rev. William Douglas, from 1750 to 1797*, (c. 1928, reprint 2001, Genealogical Publishing Company).
4. William Macfarlane Jones, *The Douglas Register, Being a Detailed Register of Births, Marriages and Deaths. . . as Kept by the Rev. William Douglas, from 1750 to 1797*, (c. 1928, reprint 2001, Genealogical Publishing Company), p. 25, 124.
5. William Macfarlane Jones, *The Douglas Register, Being a Detailed Register of Births, Marriages and Deaths. . . as Kept by the Rev. William Douglas, from 1750 to 1797*, (c. 1928, reprint 2001, Genealogical Publishing Company), p. 96.
6. Thomas B. Hall III, 2402 West 71st Terrace, Shawnee Mission, KS 66208-3324.
7. *1820 Federal Census*.
8. Charles M. Franklin, *Garrard Co., KY Will Abstracts, Vol. II, 1819 - 1833*, (Heritage House; 1986).
9. *Marriage Bonds of Franklin County Virginia 1786-1858*.