

Descendants of William Ragland Morton

Generation No. 1

1. William Ragland⁴ Morton (William R.³, Elijah², William¹) was born 13 Dec 1783 in Kentucky, and died 30 Jan 1841 in Russellville, Logan Co., Kentucky. He married **(1) Nancy Thomson** 15 Nov 1807 in Fayette Co., Kentucky^{1,2}, daughter of Clifton Thomson. She died 29 Jun 1820 in Lexington, Fayette Co., Kentucky^{3,4}. He married **(2) Elizabeth James (Eliza) Bradford** 06 Mar 1830 in Fayette Co., Kentucky^{5,6}, daughter of John Bradford and Elizabeth James. She was born Bet. 1790 - 1800 in TN or KY⁷, and died 01 Aug 1833 in Lexington, Fayette Co., Kentucky.

Children of William Morton and Nancy Thomson are:

- 2 i. Mary⁵ Morton, born 1808 in Kentucky^{8,9}; died Apr 1861 in Lexington, Fayette Co., Kentucky¹⁰. She married John Brennan; born 1788 in Ireland¹¹; died Bet. 1850 - 1860 in Lexington, Fayette Co., Kentucky.

More About Mary Morton:

Burial: 19 Apr 1861, The Lexington Cemetery, Lexington, Fayette Co., KY¹²

- 3 ii. Sarah Morton, born Abt. 1811 in Kentucky; died in Fayette Co., Kentucky. She married Gabriel Lewis Postlethwait 16 Dec 1828 in Fayette Co., Kentucky¹³.
- 4 iii. William Morton, born 1811 in Fayette Co., Kentucky¹⁴; died 28 Aug 1833 in Fayette Co., Kentucky^{15,16}. He married Louisa.
- 5 iv. Elizabeth Smith Morton, born Bet. 1811 - 1817 in Kentucky; died in Fayette Co., Kentucky.
- 6 v. Gabriella Morton, born 1818 in Kentucky^{17,18,19,20,21}; died 02 Jul 1904 in Lexington, Fayette Co., Kentucky^{22,23}.

More About Gabriella Morton:

Baptism: 25 Mar 1841, Christ Church Cathedral, Lexington, Fayette Co., Kentucky²⁴

Burial: 04 Jul 1904, The Lexington Cemetery, Lexington, Fayette Co., KY²⁵

- 7 vi. John P. Morton.

Children of William Morton and Elizabeth Bradford are:

- 8 i. John Bradford⁵ Morton, born 28 Jan 1831 in Lexington, Fayette Co., Kentucky^{26,27,28}; died 04 Jan 1898 in Dallas, Dallas Co., Texas. He married Lutitia Ellen Burnett 23 Jan 1859 in Tipton, Moniteau Co., Missouri²⁹; born 16 Jun 1842 in Missouri^{30,31,32}; died 24 Mar 1895 in Dallas, Dallas Co. Texas.

More About John Bradford Morton:

Burial 1: Old Oak Cliff Cemetery, Dallas, Dallas Co., TX³³

Burial 2: Old Sect. 2, Lot 102 (Marker)

More About Lutitia Ellen Burnett:

Burial 1: Old Oak Cliff Cemetery, Dallas, Dallas Co., TX³³

Burial 2: Old Sect. 2, Lot 102 (Marker)

- 9 ii. James Morton³⁴, born Abt. 1832 in Lexington, Fayette Co., Kentucky³⁴; died 14 Nov 1832 in Lexington, Fayette Co., Kentucky³⁴.

Endnotes

1. Fayette County Kentucky Records, Vol. 3, Michel L. Cook, C. G. and Bettie A. Cummings Cook, C. G., Cook Publications, 1985.
2. The Kentucky Gazette 1801-1820, by Karen Mauer Green, 1985, Pg. 103, March, Vol. XXI No. 1152.
3. Kentucky Obituaries.
4. The Kentucky Gazette 1801-1820, by Karen Mauer Green, 1985, Pg. 306.
5. Notes by Bertha (Bolinger) Thompson; IGI; CD#229 FTM
6. FTM Marriage Index: KY, NC, TN, VA, WV 1728-1850 - CD #229.
7. 1880 TX Census, Clay Co., Birth Location of son's mother
8. 1850 KY Census, Fayette Co..
9. 1860 KY, Fayette Co., Lexington, Pg. 597.

10. Cemetery Records - The Lexington Cemetery, Lexington, Fayette Co., KY.
11. 1850 KY Census, Fayette Co..
12. The Lexington Cemetery, Online.
13. Fayette County, Kentucky Marriage Records - 1786 to 1850.
14. Kentucky Obituaries, 1787-1854, Compiled by C. Glenn Clift 1977, Pg. 88, William Morton, Sr. Died at the Lexington residence of William R. Morton in September, 1833, aged 22 years. OR 9/5 - Lexington Observer & Reporter.
15. William Morton, Sr. Died at the Lexington residence of William R. Morton in September, 1833, aged 22 years. OR 9/5 - Lexington Observer & Reporter.
16. His will.
17. Her obituary.
18. 1850 KY Census, Fayette Co., Lexington.
19. 1870 KY Census, Fayette Co., Lexington.
20. 1880 KY Census, Fayette Co., Lexington.
21. 1900 KY Census, Fayette Co., Lexington.
22. Her obituary.
23. Cemetery Records - The Lexington Cemetery, Lexington, Fayette Co., Kentucky.
24. Christ Church Cathedral Records.
25. The Lexington Cemetery, Online.
26. Ltr Fm J. H. Crowson, 12/19/75; Bertha (Bolinger) Thompson; 1900 TX Census
27. Death certificate of son, Ben E. Morton, Location of birth.
28. 1860 TX, Hopkins Co., Tarrant.
29. Marriage Record.
30. 1870 TX Census, Dallas Co., TX.
31. Death certificate of son, Ben E. Morton.
32. 1860 TX, Hopkins Co., Tarrant.
33. Visit to Old Oak Cliff Cemetery, Dallas, Dallas Co., TX
34. Kentucky Obituaries.