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According to family histories, the family possibly descended from the Breed colony that emigrated from Germany to Breed, co. Sussex, England in 1100 during the reign of Canute of the Saxon Heptarchy. Once in America, they immediately settled in Lynn, Essex co., MA & prospered there. Name variations include: Breed, Bread, Breede, Breade, Brid, Broad, Braid, Bred, and LeBred.

I am amazed at the amount of intermarriage between the Breed clan and the family of Ensign Joseph Newhall in the fifth generation of this family. It is almost as if they were all promised to each other at birth by their parents. We also have a case of an uncle marrying his niece and first cousins marrying between the two families. An interesting connection.

First Generation

1. John¹ BREED was born in 1573 in England and died in Flitwick Parish, Bedfordshire, England on 25 May 1616; he was 43. John is buried in Westoning Parish, Bedfordshire, England. John was a yeoman and property owner in Easte End, Flitwick Parish, Bedfordshire, England. He also served as a church warden for the parish.

John's will is dated 18 May 1616 and was proved on 25 May 1616 in Westoning, Bedfordshire, England.

John married **Agnes PRITCHETT**. She was born in 1578 and is sometimes referred to as Agnes Pratchett.

They had the following children:

2	i.	Allen
3	ii.	Mary
4	iii.	Clemente1
5	iv.	Clemente2
6	v.	Margaret
7	vi.	John
8	vii.	Ann

Generation: G9 Grandparents (Joseph)/G10 Grandparents (Samuel)

Person Numbers: 3616/8096 & 3617/8097

Second Generation

Family of John BREED (1) & Agnes PRITCHETT

2. Allen² BREED, Sr. (*John¹*) was born in 1599 in Flitwick or Westoning Parish, Bedfordshire, England^[1,2] and died in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 17 March 1690/1 as "Bread, Allin, Sr."; he was 91^[2,3]. Torrey says that he was born in 1601 and died in 1692, but these years have been corrected in later research. Like his father, Allen was a Yeoman.

Family histories claim that Allen and family arrived with the Governor Winthrop Fleet in 1630, sailing on the *Arabella*; leaving Southampton, England on 29 March 1630 and arrived in Salem, Essex co., MA on 12 June 1630. However, this is not proven and neither Allen's name, nor that of any of his family members, are found on any extant passenger list^[1]. As such, this contention is no longer accepted and the status of Allen Breed & family's migration is currently unknown.

Allen was established in Saugus[t], Essex co., MA (which was renamed "Lin" or Lynn in 1637) by 1638. He was a farmer and received a land grant of 200 acres in the general distribution of the six-mile land grant of Lynn, MA that year^[1]. This rather large grant indicates that he had contributed a great deal of money towards

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the settling of the town (£50 for him and £50 each for three of his sons)^[4]. The western part of Summer Street in Lynn, Essex co., MA is still known as "Breed's End" and "Breed Square".

In 1640, he was one of the investors and first settlers of Southampton, Long Island, NY (along with John Cooper, Edward Howell, Josiah Stanbury, Henry Walton, William Harcher, John Farrington, Thomas Sayre, Daniel Howe, Job Sayre, George Webb, Thomas Halsey, Philip Kertland, Thomas Paddington, Thomas Terry, Edmund Needham, Edmund Farrington & Thomas Newhall)^[5]. He moved there for several years to help establish the colony and had returned to Lynn by 9d:5m(July):1645, when he was a witness in Salem Court^[1,6,7].

Upon his return to Lynn, Essex co., MA, Allen began to buy up property in the Lynn area. On 1d:8m(October):1648, Robert Keyne of Boston sold property to "Allen Bread of Lynn, yeoman". This property was the farm of Mr. Benjamin Keyne, which he had purchased of Mr. Thomas Cobbitt of Lynn, Essex co., MA "teacher of the church there...on condition that Allen pay unto Robert Keyne £10 in wheat, pease or barley, at the current price, or in cattle, as appraised by indifferent men, one to be chosen by Robert Keyne, them to be paid in Charlestown, to such as Tobert shall appoint; if the pay be made in cattell, they to be paid at the farm of Robert Keyne at Rumney Marsh, the first £10 to be paid the first day of the 2nd month 1648, and 20 more pounds in the following manner, viz: 10 pounds in merchantable corn or cattell or good bills that Robert shall accept of, to any of the shops in Boston, to be paid in such English goods as said Robert shall make choice of at or before the 1st day, 2nd month 1649 next following; and if the pay be income, then to be paid at the current price, delivered at his home in Boston or at the farm at Rumney Marsh; if in cattell, then at the farm...the last 10 to be paid unto Mr. Thomas Cobbett of Lynn, as the portion of Theophilus Sheppard, when he comes of age of 21, and the said farm being engaged in the purchase by Mr. Benjamin Keyne, to be security with himself for the true payment of that said 50 pounds; I do bind and engage myself and my farm, to pay the aforesaid 50 pounds unto Robert; his heirs, or unto Mr. Thomas Cobbett of Lynn; If the said Robert shall so appoint, according to the conditions mentioned in the said bill of engagement of Mr. Benjamin Keyne to Mr. Cobbett. Lastly, it is agreed, that whereas William Clark of Lynn, thacher, is also to enter upon the farm of Benjamin Keyne and jointly purchased with Allen Bread, ... only William Cleark hath his liberty of free choice within one year's trial, to refuse or accept the said purchase; If he agrees then he is bound with Allen Bread as above." Witnesses Phillip Kertland, Petter Mary[?] Signed John Person, William Cleark."^[8,9]

On 16d:1m(March):1648, Allen Bread took over the rights of John Person; with Pearson's name struck out of the above deed and Allen's put in its stead. The witnesses to this change were Joseph How, and Edward Hall^[8,10].

Attached to the above deed is another deed from Thomas Cobbett, the teacher of the church of Lynn "...for 3 score pounds, 50 of which to be paid unto Theophilus Sheppard ... the other 10 to me by Mr. Benjamin Keyne of Boston... I have sold him the farm which was given to me by the town...200 acres, bounded by the farm given to Mr. Whiting, plus 20 acres; plus 10 acres of salt marsh given by the town in the last division...all of which I sold to Benjamin Keyne and his heirs. Signed 22 September 1641, witnessed by Richard Keyne, Elizabeth Cobbitt and the mark of John Denison..."^[10,11].

On 6 February 1653, Captain Robert Keyne of Boston, for himself and his heirs, as also by virtue of a letter of attorney from his son, Benjamin Keyne, late of Lynn, deeded to Allen Bread...for 4 score pounds paid by Allen Bread. Witnesses Mary Bridges and Katherine Hunt^[12,13].

On 6 August 1688, Allen Bread, Senior of Lynn, "in consideration of a valuable sum of money in hand paid to my satisfaction by Joseph Breed of Lynn" sold to Joseph Breed 4-1/2 acres, bounded by said Allen Breed, John Ballard and Nathaniel Ballard, and land to the old ferry and to the mill. Witnesses were Thomas Ivory, Jr., Thomas Burrage, and Lois Bligh^[12,14].

On 13 December 1689, Allen Breed, Sr. "for divers good causes, especially that he is my Grand Child and hath disbursed money upon my estate and manageth all my works for me, done and performed for me by my Grandchild Allen Breed Tertius of Lyn...wheelwright, do acquit the said Allin Breed Tertius,...all he owes me" Witnesses were Jeremiah Shepard, John Browne, Recorded 29 June 1691^[12,14].

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On 14 November 1622 when Allen was 23, he first married **Elizabeth WHEELER**, daughter of **Thomas WHEELER & Rebecca [surname not known]**, in Pullohill, Bedfordshire, England^[2, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27]. Torrey says that they were married in "Pulloxhill", clearly just a variation on "Pullohill".

They had the following children:

9	i.	Allen
10	ii.	Elizabeth
11	iii.	Timothy
12	iv.	Joseph
13	v.	John

Generation: G8 Grandparents (Joseph)/G9 Grandparents (Samuel)
Person Numbers: 1808/4048 & 1809/4049

In 28d:1m (March):1656 when Allen was 57, he second married **Elizabeth LEE**^[2], in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[2, 29, 27, 23, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40] as "Bread, Allen, sr. and Eliza Knight". Elizabeth was born in 1607 or 1609 in England^[1]. In a 1635 deposition, she gives her age as 26 (born in 1609); but in a 1666 deposition, she says that she is 59 (birth year 1607). Elizabeth died sometime after 10d:2m (April):1661; she was 54^[1]. On that date, she is named in the settlement of William Knight's estate, but is not named in Allen Breed's settlement in 1681, so had probably died by then.

Elizabeth migrated on the *James*, Mr. John May, master, embarking from London for New England on 19 June-13 July, 1635. She was 26 and travelled with her first husband, William, 32 and their two older children; Hester, aged 2 and John, aged 1^[41].

- Mary BREED** (*John*¹) was born on 2 May 1602.
- Clemente1 BREED** (*John*¹) was born in 1603 and died on 25 February 1603.
- Clemente2 BREED** (*John*¹) was born on 11 August 1605.
- Margaret BREED** (*John*¹) was born on 30 October 1609.
- John BREED** (*John*¹) was born in 1611 and died before 17 November 1657; he was 46.
- Ann BREED** (*John*¹) was born in 1613.

Third Generation

Family of Allen BREED (2) & Elizabeth WHEELER

9. Allen³ BREED, Jr. (*Allen*², *John*¹) was born in 1626 or 1630 in Westoning Parish, Bedfordshire, England^[2] and died in Lynn, Essex co., MA before 11 February 1707; he was 81^[2]. Torrey says that Allen, Jr. was born in 1630. Another source says that at the age of 4, Allen was baptized in Pullowhill, Bedfordshire, England on 27 January 1630^[42]. Allen died between 1704 when his will was written and 11 February 1707 when his will was recorded as Essex Probate #3188.

Allen, Jr. lived in the western end of Lynn, MA on the 230 acres inherited from his father. He was a Husbandman and the first generation to change the spelling of the family name from "Bread" to "Breed", which he did circa 1700.

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Allen's will reads as follows:

"I, Allen Breed, being of sound and perfect mind and memory...though aged and feeble in body, do constitute...this my Last Will and Testament...First...I commend my soul into the hands of Almighty God...and my Body I commit to the earth to be decently buried...and I give and dispose thereof as followeth. I will that my debts and funeral charges be discharged and paid.

I give and bequeath to my eldest son Timothy Breed, that piece of land, upland and meadow, that his now dwelling house stands upon, and 2 acres in the fresh marsh. Likewise I give him the lot below my house of salt marsh and upland from the pasture ditch downwards, except 3 acres on the west side. Also that piece of ground that was bought of Nicholas Browne, lying between Francis Burrill and Samuel Breed's land adjoining to it. Also 1/4 of my wood lot, he having the second choice.

I give...to my son Allen Breed, 1 1/2 acres where his dwelling house stands, bounded north by the highway and land of Joseph Hall...also 1 acre of fresh meadow in the fresh marsh, bounded north by land given to my son Timothy; also 1/4 of my wood lot, he having the third choice.

I give...to my son John Breed, 10 shillings, because I have already given him his portion (John was living in Stonington, CT).

I give...to my son Samuel Breed all my housing with the land adjoining except the 1 1/2 acres before given to son Allen. I also give him the picket (so called) as the fence now stands., and 3 acres of salt marsh, except that in my legacy to Timothy; also one acre of upland, except that given to Timothy; and 1/4 of my wood lot.

I give to my daughter Mary Lewis five pounds.

I give to my daughter Elizabeth Burrage five pounds. And my will...is that the legacies be paid out of my lands, and that my sons have free liberty peaceably to pass and repass through each other's land...for the bringing of the produce...

Finally I...ordain my four sons, Timothy, Joseph, Allen and Samuel joint executors...and do revoke...all former wills...made heretofore. In witness I set my hand and seal.

Witnesses: John S. Tarbox, Thomas Cheever, William Ballard, Mathan Hathorn, Hannah Scarlett.

Proved 11 February 1707 [*Essex Probate, 3188*]^[43]

Circa 1654 when Allen was 28, he married **Mary SARGENT**, daughter of **Reverend William SARGENT & Mary/Marie [surname not known]**, in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[2,27,32,29,21,44,36,45,46] Mary's pedigree, like that of **Mary GYE**, wends its way through back to the Dark Ages. It will receive its own treatment later. For now, I've given just the pedigree of the Sargent Family.

They had the following children:

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|-----------|------|---------------|
| 14 | i. | Timothy |
| 15 | ii. | Joseph |
| 16 | iii. | Allen |
| 17 | iv. | John |
| 18 | v. | Mary |
| 19 | vi. | Elizabeth |
| 20 | vii. | Samuel |

Generation: G7 Grandparents(Joseph)/G8 Grandparents(Samuel)

Person Numbers: 904/2024 & 905/2025

10. Elizabeth BREED (*Allen*², *John*¹) was born on 26 Jul 1626/1627 in Westoninge Parish, Bedfordshire, England and died before 1676; she was 49. Elizabeth married **William MERRIAM** who was born circa 1624 in Twedley, Kent, England^[10].

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11. **Timothy BREED** (*Allen², John¹*) was born in 1630 in Westoninge Parish, Bedfordshire, England.

12. **Joseph BREED** (*Allen², John¹*) was born in 1632 in Lynn, Essex Co., MA.

13. **John BREED** (*Allen², John¹*) was born on 26 December 1634 in Lynn, Essex Co., MA and died in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 28 June 1678; he was 43 as "Bread, John"^[3]. John took the Oath of Freeman on 18 April 1691^[48]. John first married **Sarah HATHORNE** who died circa 22 November 1676 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Bread, Sarah, w. John"^[3]. John second married **Sarah HART**.

Fourth Generation

Family of Allen BREED (9) & Mary SARGENT

14. **Timothy BREED** (*Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born circa 1656. Sometime after 27 November 1688 when Timothy was 32, he first married **Sarah BRAN**. On 3 Mar 1679/80 when Timothy was 23, he second married **Sarah NEWHALL**, daughter of **John NEWHALL Jr. & Elizabeth NORMANTON**^[49]. Sarah was born on 22 August 1662^[50,51] and was buried on 27 November 1688^[49]. She is Waters #68.

They had the following children:

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| 21 | i. | Joseph |
| 22 | ii. | Timothy |
| 23 | iii. | Samuel |

15. **Ensign Joseph⁴ BREED** (*Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 12d:12m(February):1657[/8] in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[2,52] as "Braid, Joseph, s. Allen, jr." and died in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 25 November 1713; he was 55^[2,53]. Joseph is buried in Old or Western Burial Ground in Lynn, Essex co., MA.

Joseph's occupation was "Coaster". He also served in the local militia, making the rank of Ensign^[56]. Along with his brother, Timothy, he signed a petition for land for service in King Philip's War. Many men were promised land grants for serving in this war. However, like the "forty acres & a mule" promised to freed slaves after the Civil War and the World War I Bonus Marchers, this land promise was often conveniently "forgotten" by the local governments once the fighting was done unless the men specifically petitioned the government to honor this promise.

Joseph took the Oath of Freeman on 18 April 1691^[54,48] and served as Selectman for the town of Lynn, Essex co., MA in 1692^[56].

Joseph's will was written on 23 November 1713 and proved on 1 January 1714/15. It is Essex Probate #3224.

"He stated that he was very sick and weak but of perfect mind and memory. He requested his debts and funeral expenses be paid, and then made the following bequests:

I give and bequeath to my well beloved [wife] Sarah Breed all the part of my land at Boston lying near Fort Hill, so called, to sell or dispose as she sees cause. Also she is to have the improvement of my real estate in Lynn until my several children hereafter mentioned come of age, then to have the easterly end of my dwelling house in Lynn so long as she remains my widow...also I give to my said wife all my moveable estate, both within doors and without after all the legacies hereafter given are paid, to be at her own disposal - all of which to be in lieu...of her thirds or right of dower and she accepting thereof. I give and bequeath to my three sons, Joseph Breed, Matthew Breed and Allen Breed, their heirs and assigns for ever all my houseing and land in Lynn...to Joseph my eldest son, the half part, and to the said Matthew and Allen, the other half part in equal parts between them, each of them to possess when they come to the age of twenty and one years...I give and

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bequeath to my six daughters, namely, Mary Lyndsy, Jane Newhall, Sarah Mansfield, Elizabeth Breed, Mercy Breed, and Mehitable Breed, 50 pounds apiece, to be paid to each of them by my Executor of my estate, as they come to the age of eighteen years or be married...my three eldest daughters before mentioned, namely Mary, Jane and Sarah have already received fifty pounds apiece which is all their several parts and portions. I appoint my beloved wife Sarah Breed and my eldest son, Joseph Breed to be my lawful executors to this my last will and testament. Signed: Joseph Breed." This is recorded in the Essex Probate records, Record Book, 311:78-79^[55].

On 27 September 1683 when Joseph was 25, he married **Sarah² FARRINGTON**, daughter of **Mathew FARRINGTON Sr. & Elizabeth SISLEY**, in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[2,16,32,29,58,59,36,57] as "Bread, Joseph and Sarah Farrington".

They had the following children:

24	i.	Mary
25	ii.	Jane
26	iii.	Sarah
27	iv.	Joseph
28	v.	Ruth
29	vi.	Elizabeth
30	vii.	Matthew ¹
31	viii.	Matthew ²
32	ix.	Mercy
33	x.	Mehitable
34	xi.	Allen

Generation: G6 Grandparents

Person Numbers: 452/453

16. Allen BREED (*Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born in 30d:6m(August):1660 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Bread, Allen, s. Allen, jr. and Mary"^[62]. During the lifetimes of his father, Allen, Jr., & grandfather, Allen, Sr., he was commonly known as Allen "Tertius". He took the Oath of Freeman on 18 April 1691^[48]. On 22d:3m(May):1684 when Allen was 24, he married **Elizabeth BALLARD**, in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[63] as "Broad, Allen". Elizabeth died in 1743 in Lynn, Essex co., MA. Buried in 26d:5m(July):1743 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Breed, __, wid. Allen, 'old'"^[64].

They had one child:

35	i.	Mary
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17. Captain John BREED (*Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born in 28d:11m(January):1662^[3] in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Bread, John, s. Allen, jr."^[62] and died in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 14 December 1728; he was 66^[53]. He married **Mercy PALMER**.

18. Mary BREED (*Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born in 24d:6m(August):1664 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Bread, Mary, d. Allen, jr."^[62]. She married **Thomas LEWIS**.

19. Elizabeth BREED (*Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 1d:9m(November):1667 and died on 16 June 1709; she was 22^[62]. She married **Thomas BURRAGE**.

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20. Samuel⁴ BREED (*Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born in 25d:7m(September):1669 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[2,62], as "Bread, Samuel", and died in Lynn, MA before 15 February 1755; he was 85. He was buried on 15 February 1755 in Old or Western Burial Ground in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[65]. Samuel was a Husbandman^[66].

Samuel is the patriarch of the Quaker branch of the family. He and Anna were among the first inhabitants of Nahant, Essex co., MA, living there by the time of the birth of their son Samuel on 11 November 1692. This branch of the Breed Family, the Hoods & the Alley family – all Quakers -- lived on the peninsula of Nahant. Samuel's family were staunch Puritans, so he probably came to Quakerism via his wife Anna Hood.

Samuel's will is dated 28 July 1768 and was proved on 1 October 1770^[67].

On 5 February 1691/2 when Samuel was 21, he married **Anna HOOD**, daughter of **Richard HOOD Sr. & Mary NEWHALL**, in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[2,38,68,36,69,70,32,71,72,73] as "Bread, Samuel and Anna Hood".

They had the following children:

36	i.	Samuell
37	ii.	Amos
38	iii.	Jabez
39	iv.	Abigaile
40	v.	Nathan
41	vi.	Keziah
42	vii.	Anna
43	viii.	Ebeneezer
44	ix.	Ruth
45	x.	Benjamin
46	xi.	Nehemiah

Generation: G7 Grandparents

Person Numbers: 1012/1013

Fifth Generation

Family of Timothy BREED (14) & Sarah NEWHALL

21. Joseph BREED (*Timothy⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 18 October 1681^[49].

22. Timothy BREED (*Timothy⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 31 March 1683^[49].

23. Samuel BREED (*Timothy⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 1 July 1686^[49].

Family of Ensign Joseph BREED (15) & Sarah² FARRINGTON

24. Mary BREED (*Ensign Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 4 July 1684 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[75] as "Bread, Mary" and died on 17 September 1748; she was 64. She married **Ralph LINDSEY**.

25. Jane BREED (*Ensign Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 19 October 1687 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[75] as "Bread, Jane" and died in Lynnfield, Essex co., MA on 21 March 1773; she was 85^[76].

The church record of their deaths reads: "They lived very happily together as man and wife almost sixty-five if not almost sixty-six years, then died, but three days difference between yr deaths. Thus were they lovely and pleasant in their lives, and in their death they were not divided."^[76]

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On 27 Feb 1710/11 when Jane was 22, she married **Captain Elisha NEWHALL**, son of **Ensign Joseph NEWHALL & Susanna FARRAR**^[77]. Elisha was born on 20 November 1686^[78] and died after a few days' illness in Lynnfield, Essex co., MA on 19 March 1773; he was 86^[76]. Elisha was a Farmer^[77]. He is Waters #93. In 1717, Elisha joined in a quitclaim with his siblings to his brothers Thomas and Joseph all right and interest in the estate of Ensign Joseph Newhall, with the exception of their mother's dower^[77]. As seen by his title, Elisha served in the militia and made the rank of Captain. He lived near the Salem & Reading Road^[77]. On 16 May 1718, he bought two lots totalling 90 acres from his brothers Thomas and Joseph Newhall. One parcel of land was northeast of Humphrey's Pond and the other was southeast of the same pond. Part of Elisha's home was still standing there in 1882^[79]. In 1761, he gave all his real estate to his son Matthew^[76].

They had the following children (*surnamed NEWHALL*):

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|----|-------|---------|
| 47 | i. | Ruth |
| 48 | ii. | Sarah |
| 49 | iii. | Lydia |
| 50 | iv. | Susanna |
| 51 | v. | Jane |
| 52 | vi. | Elijah |
| 53 | vii. | Elisha |
| 54 | viii. | Matthew |

26. Sarah BREED (*Ensign Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 16 July 1689 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[75] as "Bread, Sarah". She married **Andrew MANSFIELD**.

27. Joseph BREED (*Ensign Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born in "last of" June 1691 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[75,80] as "Bread, Joseph" and died in 1762; he was 70. Joseph was buried on 29 July 1762 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[81]. On 16 July 1717 when Joseph was 26, he married **Susanna NEWHALL**, daughter of **Ensign Joseph NEWHALL & Susanna FARRAR**^[80,82]. A marriage intention was filed for them on 30 March 1717 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Joseph Breed & Susannah Newhall both of Lynn".

They had the following children:

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| 55 | i. | Theophilus |
| 56 | ii. | Ruth |
| 57 | iii. | Sarah |
| 58 | iv. | Joseph1 (<i>Twin</i>) |
| 59 | v. | Susanna (<i>Twin</i>) |
| 60 | vi. | Lydia |
| 61 | vii. | Joseph2 |
| 62 | viii. | Mary |
| 63 | ix. | Ephriam |

28. Ruth BREED (*Ensign Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 13 September 1693 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[75] as "Bread, Ruthe" and died before 1714; she was 20.

29. Elizabeth BREED (*Ensign Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 6 October 1695 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[75,84] as "Bread, Elizabeth" and died on 7 February 1770; she was 74^[84]. On 8 November 1718 when Elizabeth was 23, she married **Ensign Ebenezer NEWHALL**, son of **Ensign Joseph NEWHALL & Susanna FARRAR**^[84]. A marriage intention was published for them in Lynn as well. Ebenezer was born on 3 June 1693^[85] and died on 22 June 1766; he was 73^[84]. He was an invalid in the last few years of his life. Ebenezer was a Weaver or clothier^[84] and is Waters #96.

They had the following children (*surnamed NEWHALL*):

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| 64 | i. | Eunice |
| 65 | ii. | Elizabeth |
| 66 | iii. | Ebenezer |
| 67 | iv. | Nehemiah |
| 68 | v. | Mehitable |
| 69 | vi. | Ezra |

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30. Matthew¹ BREED (*Ensign Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 22 November 1697 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[75] as "Bread, Mathew" and died on 25 January 1697/8 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[3] as "Bread, Mathew".

31. Matthew² BREED (*Ensign Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 31 January 1698/9 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[75] as "Bread, Mathew". He married **Mary STOCKER**.

32. Mercy BREED (*Ensign Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 20 July 1701 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[75] as "Bread, Marce" and died on 6 June 1750; she was 48. She married **Robert POTTER**.

33. Mehitable BREED (*Ensign Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 21 December 1704 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[75] as "Bread, Mehitabell" and died on 14 July 1738; she was 33. She married **Jacob EATON**.

34. Allen⁵ BREED (*Ensign Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 16 Mar 1706/7 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[75,86] as "Bread, Allin" and died in Lynn, Essex co., MA after 1746; he was 39.

In a 1730/1 Deed, Allen lists his occupation as House-Carpenter. In the lawsuit against Huldah's brother Samuel Newhall, he lists his occupation as Coaster^[87]. Allen served as Constable in his brother Joseph's in 1740/1, 1746 & 1758. He was also a fence-viewer in 1740/1.

In the deed of 1 March 1730/1, Allen "...conveys to his brother Matthew Breed, coaster, one-quarter part of the homestead of their father, Joseph Breed, deceased, very near the meeting house, his wife, Hulda, relinquishing her right of dower..."^[88] In 1746, Allen Breed, Capt. Benjamin Newhall, Solomon Newhall, Benjamin Alley and Samuel Johnson were given "liberty to build a wharf at the Black Marsh where the old wharf formerly was."^[89]

On 2 June 1728 when Allen was 22, he married **Huldah NEWHALL**, daughter of **Samuel NEWHALL & Abigail LINDSEY**, in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[82,86,90]. A marriage intention was also filed in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 2 June 1788 as "Allen Breed & Huldah Newhall both of Lynn" - this was recorded twice in the town records.

They had the following children:

70	i.	Joseph
71	ii.	Love
72	iii.	Jerusha
73	iv.	Huldah
74	v.	Abigail1
75	vi.	Abigail2
76	vii.	Allen
77	viii.	Hepzibah
78	ix.	Eliphalet
79	x.	Frederick

Generation: G5 Grandparents

Person Numbers: 226/227

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Family of Allen BREED (16) & Elizabeth BALLARD

35. Mary BREED (*Allen⁴⁻², John¹*) was born in 1691^[91]. Her birth date is estimated from her death information where she is mentioned as being 84. Mary died on 1 January 1775^[91]. She died suddenly, and notice of her death was published in the *Essex Gazette*. On 20 November 1713 when Mary was 22, she married **Daniel NEWHALL**, son of **Ensign Joseph NEWHALL & Susanna FARRAR**^[76,82]. A marriage intention was also filed on 20 November 1713 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Daniel Newhall & Mary Breed, both of Lynn." Daniel Newhall was born on 5 Feb 1690/1^[92] and died before 27 November 1752; he was 62^[76]. Daniel is Waters #95. His will is dated 3 Nov 1752 and was proved on 27 Nov. 1752. In it, he names his son Jacob as executor^[76].

They had the following children (*surnamed NEWHALL*):

80	i.	Jacob
81	ii.	Josiah (1717-)
82	iii.	Elizabeth
83	iv.	Jemima
84	v.	Allen
85	vi.	Daniel
86	vii.	Nathaniel (1719-)
87	viii.	Joseph
88	ix.	Mary
89	x.	Rebecca

Family of Samuel BREED (20) & Anna HOOD

36. Samuell BREED (*Samuel⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 11 November 1692 in Nahant, Essex co., MA^[75] as "Bread, Samuell" and died in Nahant, Essex co., MA on 14 May 1768; he was 75^[93]. He married **Deliverance BASSETT**, daughter of **William BASSETT, JR. & Sarah HOOD**.

37. Amos BREED (*Samuel⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 20 July 1694 in Nahant, Essex co., MA as "Bread, Amos"^[75].

38. Jabez BREED (*Samuel⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 26 January 1695/6 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Bread, Jabez"^[75].

39. Abigaile BREED (*Samuel⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 7 September 1698 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Bread, Abigaile"^[75].

40. Nathan⁵ BREED (*Samuel⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 3 January 1702/3 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Bread, Nathan"^[75] and died in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 26 February 1755; he was 53^[94].

Nathan was a Cordwainer^[66] and received half of 4 acres of salt marsh "at the pines" and 1 1/2 acres of a wood lot near Blood Swamp in his father's will. Like his parents, Nathan was a Quaker.

Nathan's own will was written on 13 January 1755 and was proved on on 7 April 1755. It is recorded as Essex Probate #3240; Book 333, p. 22.

"In the name of God amen. I, Nathan Breed of Lynn...cordwainer, being apprehensive of my mortality, but of sound disposing mind and memory do make...this and this only to be my Last Will and Testament and do hereby appoint, constitute my well beloved wife Mary my sole Executrix.

Imprimis. I command my soul to the mercy of God and order that my body be decently interred at the discretion of my Executrix.

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Item: I will that my Executrix out of the money due me by book and special obligation.

Item: I will and give to my said wife Mary and to her heirs and assigns forever 20 pounds current lawful silver six and eight penny money out of my outstanding money...Also I give to my said wife...all my wrought plate except my silver Tandard: Also I give to my said wife for and during the whole time she shall remain my widow the whole and entire use and improvement of all my remaining estate both real and personal except apparel and books for her own comfortable support and to enable her to bring up our children, yet in their minority, but not to have the liberty of cutting any more fire wood off my estate annually than my said wife shall find sufficient for her family use, and in case my said wife shall see meet to marry, I then will and bequeath to her annually, for and during the whole time of her natural life five pounds lawful silver, six and eight penny money, to be paid to her on order by my three sons, Ezra, Zephaniah, and Daniel or such as shall legally represent them, in three equal parts, each son one third - my said wife accepting the above in lieu of her right of dower in my estate.

Item: I will and give to my three sons, Ezra, Zephaniah, and Daniel in three equal parts, all my wearing apparel to be delivered to them by my said Executrix at such time as she shall see meet during her widowhood.

Item: I will and give to all my children - in equal parts - all my books to be delivered to them by my said Executrix as she shall judge expedient within the terms of her natural life.

Item: I will and give to my son Ezra his heirs and assigns forever, my silver Tankard.

Item: In case my said wife shall see need to marry again, and either or all my daughters - viz Abigail, Alice, Anna and Mary, shall at the time of her marrying remain unmarried is not arrived to the age of twenty one years, I will and give to such daughter or Daughters Each of them five pounds Lawful Silver Six and eight penny money, to be annually paid to them and each of them during the time they and each of them remain unmarried, and till they arrive to twenty one years of age and no longer, by my said three sons in equal parts, as is herein provided and ordered.

Item: I will to my unmarried daughters, after my said wifes improvement of my dwelling house and estate as above ceases In case of their being then unmarried during the whole time they or either of them shall remain the improvement and whole use of the West lower room in my Dwelling House, liberty of the use of my kitchen for washing and baking, convenient cellar room, suitable garment room, and to pass and repass to the well and other ways if they may have occasion, without any Lett or Trouble.

Item: I will, give and bequeath to my daughters Hannah, Abigail, Alice, Anna and Mary and to each of them the full sum of Fifty Three pounds six shillings and eight pence current Lawful Silver, six and eight penny money - that is to say, Forty pounds of said sum to each of my said daughters at the time of my wife's improvement of my Estate ceasing in case of her or their marriage or their arrival to the lawful age and the remaining thirteen pounds six shillings and eight pence sch money to be paid to them and each of them upon my said wife's decease to be paid by my said three sons, Ezra, Zephaniah, and Daniel or such as shall legally represent them in equal parts, Each of my sons one third part as is herein provided. But in case either of my said daughters die before their marriage or lawful age, then my Will is that the sister or sisters them surviving shall Receive equally of my said sons, the monies, ordered and given as above to such of my daughters or daughter as shall so decease.

Item: I will and give to my said daughters Hannah, Abigail, Anna, Alse and Mary to them and their heirs; that is to say, to such of them as may be living or such as may have children living at the time of my said Wife's Decease or marriage, all my household moveables, Except money, books, Apparel and wrought plate (if it may be called such). After my said wife's improvement and use of the same shall expire, by her marriage or Decease to be divided among them in equal parts, in full of each (4:sd?) portion in my estate.

Item: I will give and bequeath to my said sons, Ezra, Zephaniah, and Daniel and to their heirs and assigns forever (excepting as is herein after expressed) After my said Wife's improvement of my Estate, as above

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given her shall cease by her marriage or Decease, my whole remaining estate Real and personal wherever situate and to be found to be and abide to my said sons in equal parts, that is to say to each of them one third part and in that proportion to their respective heirs, But always on the following conditions, to be in all rewards punctually complied with - viz the true and just payment of the sum of money I have given, to my said Wife to be annually paid her in case she marries again, as in herein above ordered. Also my daughter or daughters, in all regards, improving the west lower room in my house kitchen garden well etc. as I have above ordered. Also upon condition of the just payment of the several sums of lawful silver money to my...Abigail Alie Anna & Mary to them and each of them in all regardds as I have above ordered and willed, Including the five pounds of lawful money to be annually paid to such of them as may remain unmarried, upon my said wife's being married again; as I have above willed and ordered Excepting that in case, Either of my said sons die, before they arrive to lawful age and after my wife's improvement ceases that than I will that four pounds lawful silver money (being part of the right of my son or sons, so deceased, in my estate as above given him or them) shall be duly paid to my daughters then surviving, that is to say to each of them four pounds such money, and the remainder of my Deceased son or sons interest in my estate be equally divided among my then surviving son or sons, being their full portion in my estate. In witness whereof I hereto set my hand and seal at Lynn, January the thirtieth Anno Domini 1755. Nathan Breed.

Witnesses: Nathaniel Henchmen, Ebenezer Breed, Daniel Basset.

On 28 October 1728 when Nathan was 26, he married **Mary BASSETT**, daughter of **John BASSETT & Abigail BERRY**, in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[95].

They had the following children:

90	i.	Hannah ¹
91	ii.	Hannah²
92	iii.	Ezra
93	iv.	Abigail
94	v.	Zephaniah
95	vi.	John
96	vii.	Daniel
97	viii.	Alice
98	ix.	Anna
99	x.	Mary
100	xi.	Enoch

Generation: G6 Grandparents

Person Numbers: 506/507

41. Keziah BREED (*Samuel⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 16 October 1704 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Bread, Keziah"^[75]. On 8 December 1724 when Keziah was 20, she married **Samuel NEWHALL**, son of **Ensign Joseph NEWHALL & Susanna FARRAR**^[67]. Samuel was born on 9 Mar 1700/1^[92] and died in October 1770; he was 70^[67]. He was a Husbandman^[96] and is Waters #99. Samuel was adopted by his UNCLE Thomas Farrar as a youth. Thus, in Thomas' will of 5 June 1730, Samuel and Richard Hood received the bulk of Thomas' estate^[67]. Samuel's will was written on 28 July 1768 and proved on 1 October 1770^[67]. He was a Quaker...interesting, since Thomas Farrar, Senior (father of his adopted father) had been accused in the witch furor.

They had the following children (*surnamed NEWHALL*):

101	i.	Anna
102	ii.	Elizabeth
103	iii.	Sarah
104	iv.	Lydia
105	v.	Pharaoh
106	vi.	Abijah
107	vii.	Abigail
108	viii.	Daniel
109	ix.	Rebecca

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110 x. Ruth

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42. **Anna BREED** (*Samuel⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 28 July 1706 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Bread, Anna"^[75].
43. **Ebenezer BREED** (*Samuel⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 1 May 1710 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Bread, Ebenezer"^[75].
44. **Ruth BREED** (*Samuel⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 10 March 1711/2 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Bread, Ruth"^[75].
45. **Benjamin BREED** (*Samuel⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 4 July 1715 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Bread, Benjamin"^[75].
46. **Nehemiah BREED** (*Samuel⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) married **Abigail BREED**, daughter of **Nathan BREED & Mary BASSETT**. Mary was born on 13 March 1735 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[97]. Nathan Breed is Nehemiah's brother, so Nehemiah married his niece.

Sixth Generation

Family of Joseph BREED (27) & Susanna NEWHALL

55. **Theophilus BREED** (*Joseph⁵⁻⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 2 August 1719^[80]. On 12 December 1751 when Theophilus was 32, he first married **Mary NEWHALL**, daughter of **Benjamin NEWHALL & Elizabeth FOWLE**^[98]. Elizabeth was born on 11 November 1724^[67]. On 10 December 1745 when Theophilus was 26, he second married **Martha NEWHALL**^[80].
56. **Ruth BREED** (*Joseph⁵⁻⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 30 September 1721^[80] and married **John STOCKER**.
57. **Sarah BREED** (*Joseph⁵⁻⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 6 Feb 1723/4^[80].
58. **Joseph1 BREED** (*Joseph⁵⁻⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 7 September 1726^[80] and died on 27 September 1726^[80].
59. **Susanna BREED** (*Joseph⁵⁻⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 7 September 1726^[80].
60. **Lydia BREED** (*Joseph⁵⁻⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 18 October 1729^[80].
61. **Joseph2 BREED** (*Joseph⁵⁻⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 1 Jan 1731/2^[80].
62. **Mary BREED** (*Joseph⁵⁻⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 6 Jan 1733/4^[80]. On 18 December 1755 when Mary was 22, she married **Josiah BREED**^[80].
63. **Ephriam BREED** (*Joseph⁵⁻⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 26 May 1736 in 46^[99]. On 22 November 1762 when Ephriam was 26, he married **Susanna MANSFIELD**^[80].

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Family of Allen BREED (34) & Huldah NEWHALL

70. Joseph BREED (*Allen⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 3 June 1729 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[88,100] and died before 4 April 1774; he was 44. Joseph is Waters #317 and on 1 November 1750 when Joseph was 21, he married **Rebecca MERRIAM**^[88].

71. Love BREED (*Allen⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 16 August 1731 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[88,100] and died on 10 November 1774; she was 43. Love is Waters #318 and on 29 March 1750 when Love was 18, she married **Allen NEWHALL**, son of **Daniel NEWHALL & Mary BREED**^[101,102]. He is Waters #238.

72. Jerusha BREED (*Allen⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 2 September 1733 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[88,100] and died on 12 July 1826; she was 92. She is Waters #319 and on 4 April 1758 when Jerusha was 24, she married **Henry BACHELLER**^[88].

73. Huldah BREED (*Allen⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 10 September 1736 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[88, 103] and is Waters #320. Huldah married **Nehemiah LINDSEY**.

74. Abigail1 BREED (*Allen⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 8 September 1739 in Lynn, Essex co., MA but her birth is not recorded in the Lynn Vital Records. She died in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 16 September 1740; she was aged 1y. 8d^[104].

75. Abigail2 BREED (*Allen⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 7 November 1741 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[88,97] and is Waters #321. On 2 December 1761 when Abigail2 was 20, she married **Richard RICHARDS**^[86].

76. Allen BREED (*Allen⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 19 April 1744 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[86,97] and died before February 1798; he was 53. He is Waters #322 and on 4 March 1766 when Allen was 21, he married **Abigail LINDSEY**^[86].

77. Hepzibah⁶ BREED^[105] (*Allen⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 15 December 1746 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[103,106] as "Breed, Hepsebah" and died in Epping, Rockingham co., NH in 1816; she was 69^[107]. She was also referred to as Hepsebah and is Waters #323.

On 6 February 1765 when Hepzibah was 18, she married **Hanson NEWHALL**^[108], son of **Joseph NEWHALL & Abigail HANSON**, in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[109,110]. A marriage intention was also filed in Lynn, Essex co., MA. Hanson & Hepzibah were first cousins.

They had the following children (*surnamed NEWHALL*):

- i. Timothy
- ii. Sally
- iii. Jerusha
- iv. **Allen**

Generation: G4 Grandparents

Person Numbers: 112/113

78. Eliphalet BREED (*Allen⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 4 June 1750 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[88,112] as "Breed, Eliphet, d. [*sic*]" and died in 1790/1795; he was 39. Eliphalet is Waters #324 and on 10 December 1772 when Eliphalet was 22, he married Mary JOHNSON^[88].

79. Colonel Frederick BREED, Esq. (*Allen⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 20 August 1755 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[88]. His birth is not recorded in the Lynn Vital Records. Frederick died in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 17 June 1820; he was 64^[113]. He is Waters #325 and married **Sarah MANSFIELD**.

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Family of Nathan BREED (40) & Mary BASSETT

90. Hannah¹ BREED (*Samuel⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 20 July 1729 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[115] and died in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 18 August 1730; she was 1^[116].

91. Hannah² BREED (*Samuel⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born in 30d:5m(July):1731 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[117,118,119] and died in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 31 October 1804; she was 73^[117,120].

On 11 November 1754 when Hannah² was 23, she married **John MOWER Jr.**, son of **John MOWER Sr. & Mary BURRILL**, in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[117,121,122]. The marriage record is recorded as a misentry under "Mower, Hannah" in the same bible source; as well as the actual "Mower, John, and Hannah Breed" and another misentry in the bible as "Mower, John, jr., and Hannah Mower, Nov. 1, 1795.

They had the following children (*surnamed MOWER*):

- i. Enoch¹
- ii. Lydia
- iii. Alice
- iv. Abigail
- v. Elizabeth
- vi. Enoch²
- vii. Mary
- viii. Martha (*Twin*)
- ix. **John (*Twin*)**
- x. Nathan
- xi. [unnamed child]

Generation: G5 Grandparents

Person Numbers: 252/ 53

92. Ezra BREED (*Samuel⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 16 March 1733 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[115] and died in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 23 August 1821; he was 88^[126]. Ezra married **Huldah BREED**, who died on 5 October 1817 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[127].

93. Abigail BREED (*Samuel⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 13 March 1735 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[97] and married **Nehemiah BREED** (46), son of **Samuel BREED** (20) & **Anna HOOD**.

94. Zephaniah BREED (*Samuel⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 10 March 1737 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[128]. Zephaniah first married **Ruth PHILLIPS** and second married **Abigail COLLINS**.

95. John BREED (*Samuel⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 8 May 1739 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[100] and died in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 1 July 1740; he was 1^[129].

96. Daniel BREED (*Samuel⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 9 July 1742 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[130] and married **Elizabeth PHILLIPS**.

97. Alice BREED (*Samuel⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 22 September 1744 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[97]. Variations on her name are Alice, Alse & Alie. Alice first married **William GRAY** and second married **Colonel Ezra NEWHALL**.

98. Anna BREED (*Samuel⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 17 September 1746 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[97] and married **Ezra BURRILL**.

99. Mary BREED (*Samuel⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 4 August 1748 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[131] and married **Phillips SAWYER**.

100. Enoch BREED (*Samuel⁵, Joseph⁴, Allen³⁻², John¹*) was born on 13 April 1750 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[112] and died on 7 September 1750 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[132].

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