

*The Reynolds Family Genealogy*

**I. William Reynolds & Catharine Ferre LeFevre**

- William son of William Reynolds (? – 1768) & unk.  
born c. 1743, Kilraghts County, Ireland  
died August 28, 1801, Lehman Place, PA  
buried in Carpenter-Ferree Graveyard
- Catharine daughter of Samuel Lefevre (1719-1789) & Lydia Ferree c.1731-1778  
born December 9, 1753, Leacock/Strasburg Township, PA  
died December 14, 1822, Lancaster, PA  
buried in Carpenter-Ferree Graveyard
- married c. 1778, Lancaster County, PA
- children – II-A Samuel Lefevre (1779-1814)  
II-B William (1784-1828)  
II-C John (1787-1853)  
II-D Lydia (1792-1857)

**II-A. Samuel Lefevre Reynolds & Elinor**

- Samuel son of William Reynolds (c.1743-1801) & Catharine Ferre LeFevre (1753-1822)  
born August 27, 1779, Leacock Township, PA  
died February 4, 1814, Frederick, MD
- Elinor parents unknown  
born c. 1781  
died 1855
- married before 1805

**II-B. William Reynolds**

- William son of William Reynolds (c.1743-1801) & Catharine Ferre LeFevre (1753-1822)  
born August 6, 1784, Leacock, PA  
died November 5, 1828, St. Augustine, FL
- never married, no issue

**II-C. John Reynolds & Lydia Moore**

- John son of William Reynolds (c.1743-1801) & Catharine Ferre LeFevre (1753-1822)  
born March 30, 1787, Leacock, PA  
died May 11, 1853  
buried in Lancaster Cemetery (on Lemon & Lime Sts.)
- Lydia Moore daughter of Capt. Samuel Moore (1749-1795) & Jane Fulton (1768-1847)  
born January 24, 1794, Lebanon(?), PA  
died August 5, 1843, Lancaster, PA  
buried in Lancaster Cemetery (on Lemon & Lime Sts.)
- married June 17, 1813, Lancaster, PA

- children –
- III-A. Samuel Moore (1814-1888)
  - III-B. William (1815-1879)
  - III-C. Jane Moore (1817-1817)
  - III-D. Lydia Moore (1818-1896)
  - III-E. John Fulton (1820-1863)
  - III-F. James Lefevre (1822-1880)
  - III-G. Mary Jane (1824-1901)
  - III-H. Catharine Ferree (1825-1905)
  - III-J. Edward C. (1827-1828)
  - III-K. Anne Elizabeth (1827-1832)
  - III-L. Edward B. (1829-1829)
  - III-M. Harriet Sumner (1832-1898)
  - III-N. Eleanor (1835-1923)

#### **II-D. Lydia Reynolds**

Lydia daughter of William Reynolds (c.1743-1801) & Catharine Ferre LeFevre (1753-1822)  
born January 5, 1792, Lehman Place(?), PA  
died April 27, 1857, Lancaster, PA

never married, no issue

#### **III-A. Samuel Moore Reynolds & Elizabeth Vanhorn Murray**

Samuel son of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born April 17, 1814, Lancaster, PA  
died May 29, 1888, Philadelphia(?), PA

Elizabeth born c. 1827  
died 1890

married December 1857 or January 1858, Castle Fin(?), PA

#### **III-B. William Reynolds & Rebecca Krug**

William son of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born December 10, 1815, Lancaster, PA  
died November 5, 1879, Washington, DC

Rebecca daughter of (unknown)  
born August 22, 1816  
died April 12, 1885

married August 16, 1842, Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Lancaster, PA

#### **III-C. Jane Moore Reynolds**

Jane daughter of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born April 7, 1817, Lancaster, PA  
died April 21, 1817, Lancaster, PA

#### **III-D. Lydia Moore Reynolds & Nathan Evans**

Lydia daughter of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born July 27, 1818, Lancaster, PA  
died December 28, 1896, Fort Wayne, IN

Nathan son of (unknown)  
born December 23, 1813  
died October 16, 1893

married April 14, 1846, Cornwall Furnace, PA

**III-E. John Fulton Reynolds**

John son of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born September 21, 1820, Lancaster, PA  
died July 1, 1861, Battle of Gettysburg, Gettysburg, PA

**III-F. James Lefevre Reynolds**

James son of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born March 8, 1822, Lancaster, PA  
died April 5, 1880, Philadelphia, PA

**III-G. Mary Jane Reynolds & George Gildersleeve**

Mary Jane daughter of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born February 13, 1824, Lancaster, PA  
died December 10, 1901, Baltimore, MD  
she was known as Jane

George son of (unknown)  
born May 24, 1822  
died December 31, 1900

married December 4, 1844, St. James Episcopal Church, Lancaster, PA

**III-H. Catharine Ferree Reynolds & Henry D. Landis**

Catherine daughter of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born December 11, 1825, Lancaster, PA  
died February 10, 1905  
she was known as Cate or Kate

Henry son of (unknown)  
born October 18, 1824  
died February 18, 1895

married August 8, 1854, Lancaster, PA

**III-J. Edward Coleman Reynolds**

Edward C. son of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born December 26, 1827, Lancaster, PA  
died September 25, 1828, Lancaster, PA

**III-K. Anne Elizabeth Reynolds**

Anne daughter of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born December 26, 1827, Lancaster, PA  
died June 7, 1832

### **III-L. Edward Reynolds**

Edward son of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born May 26, 1829, Lancaster, PA  
died July 6, 1829, Lancaster, PA

### **III-M. Harriot Sumner Reynolds**

Harriot daughter of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born July 29, 1832, Lancaster, PA  
died September 14, 1898

### **III-N. Eleanor Reynolds**

Eleanor daughter of John Reynolds (1787-1853) & Lydia Moore (1794-1843)  
born March 13, 1835  
died February 20, 1923, Washington, DC  
she was known as Ellie

### **Early Family History**

Catharine Ferre Lefevre (1753-1822) was the daughter of Samuel Lefevre (June 28, 1719-May 4, 1789) & Lydia Ferree (c. 1731-February 8, 1778). Her father had inherited a 383 acre tract of land in Paradise, PA from his father, Isaac. Both Samuel and Lydia are buried in the Carpenter Cemetery in Paradise, PA. Samuel was the son of Isaac LeFevre (March 26, 1669-October 1, 1751) & Catherine Fuehre (c. 1679-1749), daughter of Daniel Ferree and Marie de la Warembur (commonly referred to as Madame Ferree). Isaac and Catherine were married in Bavaria, Germany c. 1704. Isaac was "the founder of the Pennsylvania family of LeFevres". In addition to Samuel, Isaac and Catherine had five other children: Abraham, Philip, Daniel, Mary & Eshter.

Both the Lefevre and Ferree families were members of the Huguenot religion, and fled from France between 1708 & 1709, following the revocation of the Edict of Nantes in 1685. Isaac and Catherine arrived in the "New World" with Catherine's brother Daniel in January, 1709. After arriving in New York, the group traveled to New Paltz, NY (where there was a Huguenot settlement & some of Isaac's cousins lived). Madame Ferre and her other children joined them at a later time (possibly c. 1710). In the spring of 1712, Isaac and his family moved along with Madame Ferree and her family to a tract of 2000 acres that Madame Ferre was able to secure thanks to the assistance of William Penn. The land was located in what was then Chester County, PA (Lancaster County was not organized until 1729), they called the place "Paradise."