

**Robert¹ of Concord
Fourth Generation**

No. 11419

NAME: Robert⁴ Chamberlin

Father: Robert³ Chamberlin (No. 11273)
[Robert² (Robert¹⁻⁰)
and Cecily (Hall) Chamberlin]

Mother: Ann Painter

Born: About 1751, probably Concord, Chester Co., PA

Died:

Buried:

Married: About 1774, probably Chester Co., PA

Other Marriages:

No. 15438

SPOUSE: Margaret Steen (or Stene)

Father: James Steen

Mother: Nancy Jordan

Born: About 1754 (?), perhaps Newlin Twp., Chester Co., PA

Died:

Buried:

Other Marriages:

CHILDREN
(Order Uncertain – Probably Others)

M 11522 Pierce⁵ Chamberlin, b. About 1775, probably Chester Co., PA. Married Nancy —?—. Settled in New Albany, Floyd Co., IN.

F 11523 Margaret or Patsey⁵ Chamberlin, b. 11 Sep 1776, Logtown, Chester Co., PA. Married Clement Nance Jr. Settled in New Albany, Floyd Co., IN.

M 11524 Frederick⁵ Chamberlin, b. About 1779, probably Chester Co., PA. Married Hannah. Settled in New Albany, Floyd Co., IN.

M 11525 Samuel⁵ Chamberlin, b. About 1781 (?), probably Chester Co., PA. Settled in New Albany, Floyd Co., IN.

F 11526 Ruth⁵ Chamberlin, b. About 1783, probably Chester Co., PA. Married Mr. Calhoun (or Cahoon), and had a daughter Margaret who married Dr. C.D. Nance. Settled in New Albany, Floyd Co., IN.

F 11527 Martha⁵ Chamberlin, b. About 1786 (?), probably Chester Co., PA. Married Mr. Nance.

M 11528 John⁵ Chamberlin, b. About 1789 (?), probably Amwell Twp., Washington Co., PA.

- F 11529 Daughter⁵ Chamberlin, b. About 1793, probably Amwell Twp., Washington Co., PA. Married A.B. Ransdale (?). Perhaps a daughter; connection not proven.
- M 11530 Thomas ⁵ Chamberlin, b. About 1801, probably Amwell Twp., Washington Co., PA. Married Margaret Shoemaker, 12 June 1828, Harrison Co., IN

BIOGRAPHICAL

Not proven that this man is a son of Robert & Ann (Painter) Chamberlin, but all evidence thus far examined supports this connection.

The Robert of this record is probably the Robert Chamberlin Jr. who was disowned by the Concord Meeting House on 5 Oct 1774, because on 9 Mar 1774, the Concord Preparative Meeting brought a complaint against a Robert Chamberlain Jr., for fighting, non-attendance at meetings and being concerned in lotteries (*Early Church Records of Delaware County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 2, P. 128*). A committee was appointed to visit with him, which they did over a period of months, and finally felt he had not seen the error of his ways so he was disowned (*Ibid, Vol. 2, P. 129*)

In 1790, a Robert was living York County, PA, heading a family of 1-0-0, which seems unlikely to be a record of this man. In 1800, Robert was living in Amwell Twp., Washington Co., PA, aged 45 years and upwards, heading a family of 00001-0001. In 1810, again of the same place, aged 45 years and upwards, his family consisted of 01001-0101. In 1820, still of the same place and age group, he headed a family of 000001-10001.

The family eventually moved on to Indiana where they settled in Harrison and Floyd counties.

Robert Chamberlin left a will according to Floyd Emerson, who said he named sons Pierce, Frederick, Thomas, John, A.B. Ransdale (a son-in-law?), Samuel, and daughters Ruth Cahoon (or Calhoun ?), and Martha Nance. This list may or may not be accurate as the daughter Margaret was not named and she was definitely known to be a daughter

PREPARATION OF THIS RECORD

This record was prepared by the late David C. Chamberlin Sr., using data obtained from various sources as listed. Comments and additional information are welcome and should be sent to the World Chamberlain Genealogical Society. < www.chamberlain-society.org >

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Nance Memorial (History of the Nance Family),

History of Chester County, Pennsylvania, with Genealogical and Biographical Sketches, By J. Smith Futhey and Gilbert Cope, Philadelphia: Louis H. Everts, 1881. Press of J.B. Lippincott & Co., Philadelphia.

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Biography of the Steen Family, [not seen]

Information supplied by Floyd Emerson, 2510 Pembroke Court, Apt. B, Timber Okas, Port Richey, FL 33568, to Portia Chamberlain, 10 Dec 1977

1800 Federal Census, Amwell Twp., Washington Co., PA [48-11]

1810 Federal Census, Amwell Twp., Washington Co., PA [49-16]

1820 Federal Census, Amwell Twp., Washington Co., PA [542-22]

Early Church Records of Delaware County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 2, pp. 128-29 [SN 2010]

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