

Descendants of Rebecca Runyon

Generation 1

1. **REBECCA¹ RUNYON** was born in 1775 in VA. She died about 1844 in Benton County, MO. She married **BENJAMIN CORDER** on 07 Apr 1798 in Montgomery County, VA, son of Edward Corder and Susannah Mary. He was born about 1769 in VA. He died on 28 Aug 1851 in St. Johns, Auglaize Co, Ohio.

Notes for Benjamin Corder:

Interred in St. John Cemetery, Union township, Ohio

Benjamin Corder first appears on the personal property tax lists of Montgomery County, VA on 21 Mar 1798 next to Edward Corder. He is taxed there through 1802, then from 1803 through at least 1820 he is taxed in Tazewell County, VA.

In 1825 he was taxed on 125 acres on Cains Creek in Lawrence County, KY.

From 1826 through 1829 he is taxed on 75 acres on Big Blain Creen in Lawrence County, KY.

1820 Census Tazewell Co., VA: Benj. Corder: 141201-21210-03

1830 Census of Lawrence Co., KY Benjamin Corder: 00010001-01010001 (both adults 50-60 & thus born 1770-1780))

Moved to Benton County, MO probably in the mid 1830's. He is there with James in the 1840 census. He moved back to Ohio in the late 1840's, probably after his wife died as she is not shown in the census in Ohio.

The 1850 census of Auglaize County, OH shows Benjamin Corder, age 80 living with his son, John Corder, and family. This was in Cloy Twp, family #451.

The names of the children were taken from "A History of the Pioneer Families of Missouri" by Wm. S. Bryan & Robert Rose, St. Louis, MO. Publ. 1876.

Benjamin Corder and Rebecca Runyon had the following children:

- i. **HANNAH² CORDER** was born in Tazewell Co, VA.
- ii. **POLLY CORDER** was born in 1800 in VA. She died after 1850. She married **JOHN C LUSK**. He was born in 1798 in VA. He died after 1850.
- iii. **SUSAN CORDER**. She married **JACOB BOWLS**.
- iv. **JOHN MILTON CORDER** was born on 13 Aug 1798 in Tazewell Co, VA. He died on 13 Nov 1883 in Wayne County, Iowa. He married (1) **RUTH LUSK** on 21 Feb 1822 in Tazewell, VA. She was born on 16 Feb 1805 in VA. She died on 11 Jul 1859 in IA. He married (2) **AGNES HOBART** on 21 Mar 1861. She was born in 1822 in Mercer County, PA, USA. She died in 1876 in Maravia, Appanoose CO, IA, USA. He married (3) **LOUISA (NANCY)** on 19 Aug 1878. She was born on 13 Oct 1804. She died on 05 Oct 1890 in Wayne County, Iowa.

Notes for John Milton Corder:

He moved to Auglaize Co Ohio about 1832 and was listed there in the 1850 Census (Clay Twp. family #451: 52 VA Merchant, \$350 real estate; Ruth 45 VA; William 24 VA; Benjamin 18 OH; Cynthia E. 15 OH; Mary A. 13 OH; Lucinda 11 OH; Caroline 6 OH; Benjamin 80 VA, grocery keeper, \$200 real estate.

- v. **WILLIAM CORDER** was born about 1799 in Montgomery CO, VA. He married **REBECCA RUNYON** on 27 Sep 1825 in Montgomery CO, VA, daughter of Richard Runyon and Hannah Carden. She was born in 1805 in Montgomery CO, VA.
- vi. **EPHRAIM CORDER** was born in 1803 in Tazewell, VA.
- vii. **JAMES CORDER** was born on 19 Dec 1804 in Montgomery CO, VA. He died on 04

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Feb 1883 in Nine Mile Prairie, Callaway Co, MO. He married (1) LEAGH JANE HYLTON on 26 Aug 1832 in Floyd County, KY, daughter of Benjamin Hylton and Nancy Preston. She was born on 20 Nov 1810 in Floyd County, KY. She died on 29 Dec 1881 in Nine Mile Prairie, Callaway Co, MO. He married (2) JUDA MURRY on 09 Feb 1826 in Floyd County, KY, daughter of Samuel Murry and Sarah Jane Stambaugh. She was born about 1810 in KY. She died about 1831 in Floyd County, KY, USA.

Notes for James Corder:

per KLDYER@PRODIGY.NET

James Corder appeared on the Lawrence County, KY tax list in 1825 beside his father, Benjamin Corder. He was listed again in 1828 with 40 acres on Big Blaine Creek and in 1829 with 75 acres on Big Blaine Creek. There is no further record of him on these tax lists.

1830 Census he is farming outside of Paintsville, KY (Floyd County).

He left Floyd County, KY for Benton County probably in the late 1830. Family history has him in Ohio and/or Indiana prior to going to Benton County. He had two brothers living in Auglaize Co., OH at the time. His father ended up going back to Auglaize Co after his wife died in the late 1840's.

1840 Census he & Ben have farms in Benton county, MO

1850 Census he is farming in Callaway county

Cannot find him in the 1860 census.

1870 & 1880 Census has him living in Nine-Mile Prairie township (Callaway County, MO)

He is a farmer

He was born in VA and so was his father.

He bought land in 1851 (Callaway county, MO) and has that another 40 acres in 1876 Atlas. Original 40 acres are in the NE corner of Callaway county. The second 40 acres are adjacent (touch on the SW corner) to the original. Land was passed to his children upon his death. Milton eventually purchased the land from his siblings in 1883.

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CORDER, Benjamin Corder, of Va., married REBECCA RUNION, and they had John, William, James, Ephraim, Elias, Polly, Susan, Hannah, Eliza and Rebecca. James was married twice; first to JUDITH MURRAY, and second to LEAH J. HYLTON. He settled first in Benton Co., MO., and removed from there to Callaway in 1838. Note: this date is not correct as he is in Benton Co. on the 1840 census along with Ben.

Audrain County, Missouri Deaths, 1876-1905 Record

Name: James Corder

Death Date: Feb. 1883

Issue Date: 15 Feb 1883

Burial:

Buried in Mannen cemetery along with his wife. The cemetery is on private land owned by Stephen Manche, 11850 County Road 1040, Wellsville, MO 63348 573-684-6262. The gravesite is in a cow pasture. It is the farm direct to the west of

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his.

Per email from Wayne Johnson

As indicated he and second wife Leigh Jane (Hilton) Corder are buried in Mannen Cemetery which is located at 39° 01' 14"N 91° 38' 39"W, PLSS description NE NW NW SE Sec.13 Twn49N Rng07W. The cemetery is located in an open pasture with all stones down and cattle in the area. It is at the crest of a large hill with approximately 1/4 to 3/8 mile walk over rough terrain and frequent muddy conditions. It is approximately 3 miles ENE of the community of Shamrock in Callaway County and is indicated to be on property owned by Stephen Manche and cared for by Ron May. The Manche home is in the immediate area of the road providing general access to the area.

OBIT from Montgomery City RAY

The Montgomery City RAY of last week says: James Corder, of Callaway county, near the Montgomery line, was found dead near his stock pond last Sunday night, the 4th inst. He went to the pond to cut the ice so the animals could get water. Justice T. W. Hance [Hanes] held an inquest, and the jury found that death was caused by apoplexy. Mr. Corder was 79 years of age, and had resided in Callaway about forty years.

- viii. ELIAS CORDER was born in 1805 in Tazewell,VA. He married SARAH BOND JEFFRIES. She was born in 1804.
- ix. ELIZA CORDER was born in 1812 in Tazewell,VA. She married JOHN CHRISTOPHER on 23 Mar 1830 in Greenup, KY.
- x. REBECCA CORDER was born in 1814 in Tazewell Co, VA. She married DAVID BARBER about 1832. He was born in 1805 in New York.