

## DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM COVEY (Revised July 3, 2012)

### Generation No. 1

**WILLIAM COVEY**, b. abt. 1660; d. 1713 [1713 Will, Wm. Covey: son Wm & two under aged brothers; other unnamed children; Dor. Co., MD Wills, Vol. 12, Pgs. 605-606] marr. **Mary**. ISSUE:

1. William
2. Richard [1725 Gift Deed, Mary Covey: son Richard Covey (Dor. Co., MD Land Rec. Old 8, 86B)] [1755 Will, Richard Covey: names wife & children ....in presence of Wm. Covey heir at law [Dor. Co., MD Wills, Vol. 30, ff. 6-7]
3. Matthew [1767 Inven., Wm. Covey: signed by Mary Covey & Nighest of Kindred, Matthew Covey; Dor. Co., MD Liber 96,ff. 13-14]
4. John, b. abt. 1686, Somerset Co., MD
5. Mary, b. abt. 1688, Somerset Co., MD

### Generation No. 2

**MATTHEW COVEY**, d. 1783 Caroline Co., MD [1783 Will, Matthew Covey: sons Noble, John, William, Frances; daughters Elizabeth Littleton, Ann Shileod, Mary Gray, Sarah Dukes, and Rebekah Camper.....; Caroline Co., MD Vol. JR#B, Pg. 2-3.] **Mary Noble** (Matthew Covey signed next of kin on Wm. Noble's 1772 inventory, Dorchester Co., MD -- perhaps brother-in-law??); ISSUE:

1. **WILLIAM COVEY**, see Generation 3, below
2. **NOBLE COVEY**, m. Rachel Beauchamp
3. **JOHN COVEY** [1796 Will, John Covey: wife, Polly; children Jno, Betsey, Jas, Jacob, Matthew, Thos, Joshua, Wm, Rebecca, Polly, Peter, Francis Gardner, Andrew, Tamsey [Caroline Co., Vol. JR#B, Pg. 351-353]
4. **FRANCES COVEY**, m. Rebecca Hutton
5. **ELIZABETH COVEY** (m. Littleton)
6. **ANN COVEY** (m. Thomas Shileod [sic] Chillcutt)
7. **MARY COVEY** (m. Leven Gray)
8. **SARAH COVEY** (m. Thomas Dukes, jr.)
9. **REBECCA COVEY** (m. William Camper)

### Generation No. 3

**WILLIAM COVEY**, b. abt. 1748 MD; d. 1839 [1830 Gift Deed, Wm. Covey: son, Leven L. Covey; grandson, Alfred Fleming; daug, Sally Fleming.]; m. **REBECCA ANDREW**, b. abt. 1740, MD. ([See Andrew Tree](#)). [Rebeckah, died 18 Oct., 1833, aged 93 yrs.; William, d. 14 Feb, 1839, aged 91 yrs; both buried Pleasant Garden Cemetery on Covey Hollow Rd. From McCains to Mooresville Pike, Maury, Tn.] ISSUE:

1. **LEVIN COVEY**, b. Maryland; d. 1842, Hardin Co., TN. See Generation 4, below.
2. **SARAH COVEY**, marr. Joseph Fleming

### Generation No. 4 (Photos are courtesy of Wesley Covey)

**LEVIN L. COVEY**, b. MD; d. 1842 Hardin Co., TN ([See photo](#)) [1842 Will, Leven L. Covey: Sarah, wife; Mary, daughter; Levin G. W. Covey, son; Levin Edward, grandson] [1843 Quitclaim, Leven Covey: heirs named: E. S. Covey, William W. Covey, Noble W. Covey, L. G. W. Covey, Sarah Covey, Joshua Jones, Jane D. Jones, Mary D. Covey, **Rebecca Matthews, John Matthews, Elija W. Covey, Archibald D. Covey**]; m. **SARAH EDWARDS** ([See photo](#)) 1798 in Guilford County, NC; ([See Edwards Tree](#)) ISSUE:

1. **LEVIN GREEN W. COVEY**, b. 1820, TN; d. 1887, Lawrence Co., AR. See Generation 5, below.
2. **ARCHIBALD Downing COVEY**, b. 1811, NC ([See photo](#)); m. Margaret Matthews
3. **EDWARD S.W. COVEY**, b. 1806, NC; m. Nancy Caroline Wood

4. WILLIAM W. COVEY, b. 1799, NC, m. Margaret Ann Fleming cont'd  
5. NOBLE W. COVEY, b. 1808, NC; m. Mary Brown  
6. SARAH COVEY  
7. JANE Davis COVEY, b. 1816, NC; m. Joshua Jones  
8. MARY D. COVEY.  
9. REBECCA COVEY, m. John Matthews  
10. ELIJAH W. COVEY., m. Elizabeth Fitzgerald

#### **Generation No. 5**

**LEVIN GREEN W. COVEY**, b. 1820 TN; d. abt 1887.; marr. MARTHA COBURN - See [Coburn Clan](#). ISSUE:

1. JAMES HENRY COVEY, b. 1862, TN; d. 1893, Lawrence Co., AR.
2. LEVIN L. E. COVEY, b. 1843, TN
3. WILLIAM S. W. COVEY, b. 1845, TN
4. MARY E. F. COVEY, b. 1842, TN
5. JOHN E. G. COVEY, b. 1847, TN
6. NOBLE W. COVEY, b. 1849, TN
7. SARAH COVEY, b. 1855, TN
8. MARTHA COVEY, b. 1868, AR
9. EMMA COVEY, b. 1870, AR. Child by 2nd wife, Mary Gregory.
10. MARCUS COVEY, b. 1878, AR. Child by 2nd wife, Mary Gregory. [See Photo.](#)

#### **Generation No. 6**

**JAMES HENRY COVEY**, b. 1862 TN; d. 1893 in Lawrence Co., AR. He married MINERVA CALLIE TURNER 1886 in Lawrence Co., AR. - See [Turner Clan](#) [ [See 1886 Marriage License](#)] ISSUE:

1. CHARLES HENRY COVEY, b. Nov 08, 1888, Lawrence Co., AR; d. 1946;  
[NOTE: Charles' mother, Minerva, had a 2nd marriage to Thomas Gatlin about 1894. From that marriage, Charles had 1 half sister, and 1 half brother. [See Photo of Charles' Half Sister, Emma Agnes Gatlin.](#) and [Obituary.](#)

#### **Generation No. 7**

**CHARLES HENRY COVEY**, b. Nov 08, 1888, Lawrence Co., AR; d. 1946; marr. GERTRUDE LOUISE SMITH 1913, daughter of CHARLES SMITH (See [Smith Clan](#))and MARTHA DAVIS. (See [Davis Clan](#)) ISSUE:

1. JAMES A. COVEY, b. January 19, 1918; d. July 21, 1950
2. WILLIAM HENRY COVEY, b. Jul 27, 1920, d. 1956; m. Ruby Jul 8, 1939. William served as a seaman in the U.S. Navy during World War II. [ [See Wm. Covey's Naval Ship and Crew](#) ] [ [See Wm. Covey's Naval Medals](#) ] [ [See Wm. Covey's Philippine Liberation Medal](#) ].
3. Geneva Cook, b. abt. 1910 (stepdaughter)  
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