

# Descendants of Joseph Chandler

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## Generation 1

1. **JOSEPH<sup>1</sup> CHANDLER** was born on Aug 03, 1669 in Andover, Essex, Massachusetts, USA. He died about 1740. He married Sarah Abbott, daughter of Thomas Abbott and Sara Stewart, on Nov 26, 1691 in Andover, Essex, Massachusetts, USA. She was born on Jan 08, 1671/72 in Andover, Essex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on Mar 06, 1754 in Massachusetts, USA.

Joseph Chandler and Sarah Abbott had the following children:

- i. **RHONDA<sup>2</sup> CHANDLER** was born about 1692 in Andover, Tolland, Connecticut, USA. She died about 1760. She married (1) **RICHARD STUBBS**, son of Richard Stubbs and Rebecca Lobdell, on Oct 25, 1748 in Falmouth, Cumberland, Maine, USA. He was born on Jun 10, 1692 in Falmouth, Cumberland, Maine, USA. He died between 1749-1750 in Falmouth, Cumberland, Maine, USA. She married (2) **JAMES RUSSELL** on Jun 03, 1729 in Amesbury, Essex, Massachusetts, USA. He was born about 1692. He died about 1760.

Notes for Richard Stubbs:

Richard was captured by the Indians in Falmouth, Maine (Reg. 69:263)(the following sent the compiler from Gilbert Merrell Titcomb,1970).

In August 1746, a short distance from his home, a soldier with him named Clark was killed. During the fight, Mr. Stubbs shot in Indian Chief and wounded him, but was soon overpowered by superior numbers. The Indians took him to Quebec where he was sold to the French and imprisoned. He was 54 years old at the time and suffering from a shoulder wound. The hardships of the long journey, which took from 26 Aug. to 5 Oct. over Indian trails, must have been very severe. Most of the information about him in Coleman's "New England Captives" was taken from the diary or journal on fellow prisoner Capt. William Pote Jr., of Falmouth, Maine. His journal was smuggled out of the jail, hidden under a woman's dress. Years later, in 1890, it was found in Geneva, Switzerland, brought to this country and published. Quoting from the book by Coleman, new Casco (Falmouth) Maine, 26 August 1746.

Pote says it was 5 Oct. when "came Mr. Richard Stubbs who was taken by ye Indians at new Casco, and had his companion shot down right by his side, and he wounded in ye shoulder, he discharged his piece and wounded an Indian in ye arm" Stubbs gave Captain Pote news of his friends (in 1756 Stubbs's son Richard was an appraiser of the est. of Captain Pote) Richard Stubbs was returned 16 Aug. 1747, after a year in captivity, on the ship, Vierge-De-Grace (a prison-exchange ship), arriving in Boston Mass.

About three weeks after Mr. Stubbs was brought to the prison an Indian Chief came and demanded him; 'he told Mr. Stubbs that he had wounded him in the conflict, but he had now recovered he came to let him know he freely forgave him, then he carried him before the Governor & Assembly in the court where the discourse ran up on the two men who had escaped (Dunbar and Cloutman). The French officer said 'twas the monstrous piece of ingratitude in them or any prisoner to make their escape when they were so kindly used'. Mr. Stubbs answered that it was no new thing for prisoners, especially for those closely confined to make their escape. . .and that he knew of four French officers who are prisoners in New England and had the patrol of honour allowed them, let them run away with the Sloop out of the harbour & the prisoners who remained were not the worst treated . . .the small rapportie ended the dispute and he was remanded back to prison."

Mass. Arch. 38A:134

21 April 1747 Sgt. Trott, of new Casco with volunteers returned, after having vainly tried to overtake hostile Indian Captors of the Foster family, and stayed overnight with Mrs. Stubbs, Falmouth.

The following letter published in the Tower Gen by Charlemagne Tower, 1891 was from Richard Stubbs, reported lost on a whaling voyage, (his father was dead, this was written apparently by his wife's parents).

9 June 1716

HONORED FATHER AND MOTHER, - I present these lines a token of my respect

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in Deuty, hoping they you will come to your view while in perfect health, for the which I Desire to Bles God thaye left me.

I suppose you have heard what was reported concerning my Being Drowned. But it was pleased God's to deal Better with Me, which I desire forever to Bles God., for I was urged to go with them, and it is not in my power to give you any Reason I did not go, save of all Mity power of God In keeping me Back from Distruction. Remember My Kind Love to all my Brothers and Sisters, and all my friends. I have but little nuse to send you. We have but a small matter as yet, there was bin no man Mortelly hurt uppon the voyage as I have heard of, the 3 bots stove and spyled (spoiled), one of which the harponeer and Bowman, with the stroke of the whale, dropt the bottom of the bot (boat), and other 4 tosed(tossed) into the are(air), and when thaye came to the water again it was reported thaye ware fourty feet a part, and yet no man hurt no More at present. I remained your dutiful child to til death.

Richard Stubbs

York County Maine probate number 18287

Will of Richard Stubbs, Falmouth, Maine, (exact copy) (Not allowed for want of evidence and not included in Sargent's "Maine Wills").

In the name of God Amen on the Seventh day of March and Annoque Domini 1749/50 I Richard Stubbs of Falmouth in the County of York in the Province of Massachusetts Bay and New England, yeoman Being very Sick and weak in Body but perfect mind and memory thanks to given unto God therefor, Calling to mind the Mortality of the Body and knowing that it is appointed for all man wants to Die, Do make an ordain this my Last Will and Testament that is to say Principally and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul into the hands of God that give it: And my Body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in decent Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but at the General Resurrection I Shall Receive the same again but the mighty power of God.....and as touching such worldly estate therefore it has pleased God to Bless me in this Life, I Give demise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form-- Imperious I give and bequeath to my-Well beloved wife Rhonda Stubbs the improvement of one half of my homestead and Falmouth or land on which my House Standeth together with the Easterly one half part of my Dwelling House and half of the Barn during the time She Shall remain my Widow-Item I Give and bequeath to my beloved son- Richard Stubbs his Heirs and Assigns forever Ten acres of Land and Falmouth and the Tract or Message of Land which we call the Upper farm which is Adjoining to North Yarmouth Line beginning at the County Rode one Mile and a half from the Seaside running South-Easterly on Said North Yarmouth Line eighty Rods then running South Westerly Twenty Rods which makes Ten acres.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Beloved Youngest son Jonathan Stub his Heirs and Assigns for Ever the Remainder of the Upper Farm which is bound as followeth North Westerly on the County Rode above said North easterly on North Yarmouth Line in part, and in part of Ten acres of Land I have given to my son Richard Stubs above mentioned South Easterly on Richard Pumroys Sixty acre Lott South Westerly on my son Richard Stubs's Land- I likewise Give and bequeath unto Said Son Jonathan Stubs the Improvement of the other half of my homestead during the time that my beloved wife Rhoda Stubs Shall remain in my Widow at the Expiration which we Shall reigne it up onto his Sisters (viz) Mary Lock, Sarah Brown, Hannah Underwood, Jael Farrow & Rebecca Stubs their Heirs are Assigns- I also, Give bequeath on to my Son Jonathan Stubs his Heirs and assigns all my movable Estate Except what I had with my beloved wife steps Rhoda Stubs, my Said Son Jonathan Stubs paying all my Just Debts and funeral Charges and in case- Smith's Heirs or Assigns Shall commence under Action or Actions against my Heirs or Executors on account of my Homestead then I Son Jonathan Stubs to pay the Charges that Shall arise thereby- Item of the Descease of my (exact copy) or Term of time that my well beloved wife Rhoda Stubs Shall remaine my Widow, then I will and bequeath unto the well beloved Daughters Mary Lock, Sarah Brown, Hannah Underwood, Jael Farrow and Rebecca Stubs

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their Heirs and Assigns for ever the whole of my homestead in Falmouth afforsaid wich Extends as far as Richard Pumroys Sixty Acre Lott Equally to be Divided amongst them-

Item I Give and bequeath unto my Grand son William Stubbs the Son Richard Stubbs his Heirs and Assigns forever on my Canada Right-

I do Constitute make and ordain my Sole Executors of this last Will and Testament my Trusty friends John Farrow & Jonathan Underwood both of Falmouth afore Said: I do hereby utterly disalow revoke and disanul all and every other former Testaments Wills Legacies & bequests & Executors by me in any way before named Will and Bequeathed, Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my Last Will and Testament- In Witness therefore I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the day and Year above written

Signed Sealed Published  
pronounced & Declared by

the Said Richard Stubbs

as his last will and testament

in presence of us the subscribers

Richard Stubbs (seal)

(his red wax seal was a double-headed eagle)

Sam'l Royal

Nathaniel Coffin

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(exact copy, spelling, etc.)

An Agreement made & Concluded this Twenty-Fifth Day of August 1750 Between the widow & Heirs of Richard Stubbs Late of Falmouth deceased about the Settlement & division of all Estate Both real & Personall that the said Deceased Richard Stubbs Died Possessed of which Estate We Rhoda Stubbs, Richard Stubbs, Benjamin Morgrage Guardian of Jonathan Stubbs Nathanie Lock & Mary his wife, Jonathan Underwood and Hannah his wife, Sarah Brown, John Farrow, and Jael his wife & Rebecca Stubbs\_\_\_\_\_ We & Each of us Do by these Presants Joyntly and Severally agree shall be Settled and Divided as follows \_\_\_\_\_Viz.

The Widow Rhoda Stubbs to have returned to her what she Brot with her when she married said Richard Stubbs to have the Improvements of one half of the homestead the Eastern half of the Dwelling House now Standing on said. Farm and one half of the Barn as Long as she Shall Continue as the widow of the above Mentioned Richard Stubbs deceased & whenever She shall Cease by Marriage or Death she Said Stubbses widow then the said one half of the homestead & buildings to return to Mary Lock, Sarah Brown, Hannah Underwood, Jael Farrow & Rebecca Stubbs their heirs & assigns forever to be Divided Equally between them \_\_\_\_\_

Richard Stubbs to have ten acres of Land out of that track or Lot of Land which the said Deceased Richard Stubbs called in his life time his upper Farm to be taken out of that Part of the said lot or Farm that shall be thought to be most reasonable so as not to Discommode the Settlement of the remaining part too much to have half his Deceased Fathers wearing clothes & one third of the Farming utensills that this Father Died possessed off and said. Richard Stubbses eldest son William Stubbs to have his Deceased Grandfather Richard Stubbs Canada Rights which came to him by his Uncle William Stubbs being on the Former Canada Expedition\_\_\_\_\_ & if the Heirs of John Smith late of Boston Deceased shall sue for the above mentioned homestead said Richard stubbs his heirs & Assigns oblidge themselves to be at half the cost of Defending the Same as far as thirty-three pounds Tener will go to pay the Charges in the Defense of it \_\_\_\_\_ Jonathan Stubbs to have the remaining Part of the upper Farm so

called after his Brother Richard Stubbs ten acres be taken out & a grant of 10 acres Drawn in the Right of John Powell &-- as Yet laid out & to have the use & improvement of one half of the homestead one half of the house & one half of the Barn for & during the Space of Two years and seven months from the first day of Aprill in the year 1750 Said Jonathan is not to cut and carry off from the said

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homestead any wood Timber fruit trees or fencing stuff During said Term of Time and at the Expiration of said Term of Time delivers up Quiet and Peaceable Possession of said home stead & building to Mary Locke, Sarah Brown, Hannah Underwood, Jael Farrow & Rebecca Stubbs heir or assigns forever said Jonathan to have one half of his Deceased Fathers wearing clothes and two thirds of the Farming Utensills said Jonathan to have all the Stock together and all the Debts that can be found due to said Estate and to pay all Debts that is due from the Estate and if the Debts that is Due to said Estate and Stock will not pay all the Debts that is Due from said Estate with a reasonable rent of one half of the homestead that said Jonathan is to improve. During the time which he is to Improve the same and Pay all the Necessary Charges that shall arise and Settling to said Estate a true account being rendered in upon both then each of the heirs to pay their equal part of what is behindhand\_\_\_\_\_ & and if the Debts due to the Estate & the Stock & a reasonable rent of the said half of the place will more than Pay the Debts & Charge the over plush of the divided equally between all the Heirs and if the Heirs or Assigns of John Smith late of Boston Deceased shall sue for the home stead then the said Jonathan Stubbs obliges himself his heirs & assigns to be the Cost of Defending the same in the best manner he can at the Inferior end to Superior Courts if it should be Prosecuted as far as to come to a\_\_\_\_\_? Mary Lock, Sarah Brown, Hannah Underwood, Jael Farrow & Rebecca Stubbs to have a grant of ten acres of land drawn in right of John Owens & all the Household Goods. . . the House with all the woll & Flax in the House to be Equally divided among them

In Witness Whereof We the whole Names are Within mentioned have Set our hands and Seals the Day and Year within Mentioned August 25, 1750

Signed Sealed and Delivered (Signed) Rhoda Stubbs

Un the Presence of mark

Joseph York

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Richard Stubbs

Benjamin Mogerage

Guardian of Jonathan Stubbs

Nathaniel Lock

Mary Locke

Sarah Brown

Jonathan Underwood

Hannah Underwood

John Farrow

Jael Farrow

Rebecca Stubbs

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At a Court of Probate held at Falmouth 5 Nov.1750 Rhoda Stubbs, John Stubbs Benjamin Mogerage, Guardian for Jonathan Stubbs, Nathaniel Lock Mary Lock, Sarah Brown, Jonathan Underwood, Hannah Underwood, John Farrow, Jael Farrow & Rebecca Stubbs ye Widow and Heirs of Richard Stubbs late of Falmouth aforesaid Deceased appeared and acknowledged the within written Instrument to be their Act and Deed of Settlement and the Estate of the Said Deceased and, I do hereby allow and confirm the same

Jere Moulton, Judge

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- ii. MEHITABEL CHANDLER was born about 1694 in Andover, Essex, Massachusetts, USA. She died about 1760.
- 2. iii. JOSEPH CHANDLER was born about 1696. He died about 1766. He married Mary Tucker on Mar 27, 1718. She was born about 1696. She died about 1766.

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### Generation 2

- 2. **JOSEPH<sup>2</sup> CHANDLER** (Joseph<sup>1</sup>) was born about 1696. He died about 1766. He married Mary Tucker on Mar 27, 1718. She was born about 1696. She died about 1766.

Joseph Chandler and Mary Tucker had the following children:

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**Generation 2 (cont.)**

- i. SARAH<sup>3</sup> CHANDLER was born on Jan 25, 1719 in Amesbury, Essex, Massachusetts, USA. She died about 1790.
- ii. MARY CHANDLER was born on Aug 15, 1721 in Salsbury Cove, Hancock, Maine, USA. She died about 1790.
- iii. JOSEPH CHANDLER was born on Mar 11, 1724 in Salsbury Cove, Hancock, Maine, USA. He died on Apr 08, 1724 in Salsbury Cove, Hancock, Maine, USA (0 Age: 0).
- iv. JOSEPH CHANDLER was born in 1725 in Salsbury Cove, Hancock, Maine, USA. He died on Sep 17, 1776 in Massachusetts, USA (51 Age: 51).
- v. HANNAH CHANDLER was born on Oct 05, 1730 in Salsbury Cove, Hancock, Maine, USA.
- vi. LYDIA CHANDLER was born on Feb 03, 1735 in Salsbury Cove, Hancock, Maine, USA. She died about 1810.

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