

THE TRIBBLE FAMILY II

(DESCENDANTS OF PETER TRIBLE
OF ESSEX COUNTY, VIRGINIA)

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58. FRANCES TANDY TRIBBLE (Andrew 4, George 3, George 2, Peter 1)

b. 3 Sep 1769 (birthdate from Tribble Family Bible. The Stoner Family Bible gives 3 Nov 1769).

m. 1) circa 1786 in Fayette Co., Ky. to Geo. Michael Stoner.

2) 12 Oct 1831 in Madison Co., Ky. to Thomas Chilton.

d. 11 May 1852 in Bath Co., Ky.

Frances Tandy Tribble was the eldest child of Andrew and Sarah (Burrus) Tribble and was named for her maternal grandmother. Frances Tandy Tribble married first Michael Stoner in Fayette County, Kentucky in 1786. The early marriage records of Fayette County were burned so the marriage record is lost. Michael Stoner was a friend and companion of Daniel Boone. He was born George Michael Holstein in 1748. He was the second son of Leonard and Barbara Holstein. He later took the name Stoner. He was born on the Schuylkill River, near what is now Philadelphia, and was only four or five years old when his parents died. As a youth, he was apprenticed to a saddler in Hickory-town (now Lancaster) but was not of a disposition to spend his life sitting at a saddler's bench. When about sixteen, following a quarrel with his master, he left his home in Berks County, Pa. and went to New River, Va., where he became acquainted with Daniel Boone at a public gathering. He was his companion on many expeditions into the then unexplored regions beyond the frontier.

Stoner was at Boonesborough during the seige by Indians in 1775. From an interview with Samuel Tribble prior to 1853 (Draper Manuscript Collection, Series CC, Vol. 12, pp 43-44):

"Michael Stoner was at Boonsboro at the time of the attack. In the morning - the 1st intimation was in the killing of Skegg's - he had started out to go on a hunt & was shot. Say some 6 or 7 ran out, concluding it was some stragling man. Michael Stoner was one of them. He recd. 2 wounds - a flesh wound in the right hip - the ball going in & out about 2 ins. apart - and a wound in the left arm, the ball passing between the bones. Wm. Hays ran to him to help him along. Stoner called to him for God's sake to let him go, they were too big a mark, one was enough to shoot at. He then scuffled along on his well leg and arm into the fort. Monk fired from the gate, when the indns. pressed on and made a hole through there and that kept them back. Stoner had fainted from loss of blood and exhaustion, and Mima Boon was bathing him. When he had come to himself a little, he asked her what she was doing. She explained to him what had happened and how that the indns. had attacked the fort. "---- my life," sd. he, "My gun, my gun," and that day killed several indns. while Mima ran bullets for him. Stoner was married to my oldest sister."

After the marriage of Michael Stoner and Frances Tandy

Tribble, they settled in Clark Co., Ky. In 1797 they moved to Pulaski Co., Ky. and eventually to Wayne Co., Ky. He died on 3 Sep 1814 (Death from Tribble Family Bible. Stoner Family Bible gives 3 Sep 1815) and is buried near Monticello, Wayne Co., Ky.

As discovered by Evelyn Wallace, Frances Tandy (Tribble) Stoner married second, Thomas Chilton on 12 Oct 1831 in Madison Co., Ky. Her daughter, Frances Stoner, had previously married his son, Thomas Chilton, on 10 Aug 1815 in Wayne Co., Ky.

Frances Tandy Tribble died 11 May 1852 and is buried in MacPelah Cemetery, Mt. Sterling, Montgomery County, Ky. Her tombstone is inscribed, "Frances, consort of Michael Stoner. Died May 11, 1852, Aged 82 yrs. and 6 mos. 8 days."

Children:

- +176. George Washington Stoner, b 25 Oct 1787.
- 177. Andrew Stoner, d circa 1856, never married.
- 178. John Leonard Stoner, d 20 May 1812, never married.
- 179. Sarah Ann Stoner, d 23 Apr 1831, married Jasper Lewis and lived in Palmyra, Mo.
- 180. Frances Stoner, twin of Michael Lower Stoner, b 1798, m 10 Aug 1815 to Thomas Chilton (the son of Thomas Chilton, Sr. who was to marry Frances Stoner, the mother of the bride) in Wayne Co., Ky.
- +181. Michael Lower Stoner, twin of Frances Stoner, b 1798.
- +182. Peter Burrus Stoner, b 9 Dec 1802.
- 183. Nancy Stoner, b 5 Nov 1805, married her cousin, Samuel Tribble No. 202, and their descendants are given under his name and number.

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