

## Upstate New York Research Tour Form - Part 2

Name

LINDA CUNHA

Would you like to discuss the same topic you discussed during your on-tour consultation?

Yes, I would like to discuss the same topic

### On-Tour Consultation

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Denise Dial

Would you like to discuss the same topic you discussed during your on-tour consultation?

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JoAnn Ferretti

Would you like to discuss the same topic you discussed during your on-tour consultation?

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**Name**

Brody Finney

**Would you like to discuss the same topic you discussed during your on-tour consultation?**

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### On-Tour Consultation

**Specific question(s) or goals for consultation:**

I am hoping to find evidence of the families of Austin Clark and Hannah Pope being in the same location at the same time prior to their moves to Indiana.

**Pertinent information related to your question:**

I have very solid evidence that one of my 5th great grandfathers was a man named Austin Clark who was born, based on the 1850 census and later censuses of his children, in Connecticut about 1790. His sons Henry and Austin were born well before his 1818 marriage to Leah Lock in Switzerland County, Indiana.

Accepted wisdom holds that his first wife was Hannah Pope, daughter of Job Pope. The best evidence I can find for this is a monograph on the Gosnell family that cites family records in the possession of aged family members of the author.

Austin's known sons by his first wife both show New York births, so it's likely that the Clark and Pope families converged at some location in New York around 1811.

Austin is almost certainly the son of a Joel Clark who appears in the 1820 census in Switzerland County. Job Pope, presumed father of Hannah, came to the same area of Indiana late in life, where he died in 1832.

**Any additional comments related to this consultation:**

The big problem here is being able to identify the right Clarks (and to a lesser extent, the Popes). There were several Joel Clarks of about the right age, and it's unclear about which records belong to "my" Joel. "Austin Clark" was also a surprisingly common name, which causes a lot of obfuscation.

Autosomal DNA evidence seems to lend credence to the idea that Henry Clark's mother was a Pope, so I personally believe that the standard model is correct. But there's scant evidence for it. More solid evidence is what I would hope to find in New York (or Connecticut, or wherever).

My degree of confidence is fairly low, so my Ancestry tree is not well filled out, and I'm not at all sure that the Joel Clark I have listed is the right one.

The FamilySearch tree is mostly consistent with what I believe is probably true. Austin Clark's entry on FS is here: <https://www.familysearch.org/en/tree/person/details/KCBH-9FR>

**Optional: Provide a link to your PUBLIC family tree:**

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/12192410/person/202430494411/facts>

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Stephen Gavin

Would you like to discuss the same topic you discussed during your on-tour consultation?

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### On-Tour Consultation

#### Specific question(s) or goals for consultation:

I am trying to learn the maiden name of my 3rd great grandmother Catharine \_\_. Known from her gravestone as Catharine wife of Elias Reed. Particulars provided on the pre-tour form. With limited records David suggested that genetic genealogy may be a way forward in this search. I have taken DNA analysis but don't have a good understanding of how to use it in this search, and would like to get some guidance from Melanie.

#### Pertinent information related to your question:

Known dates are provided on the pre-tour form.

My Great great grandmother Jane Reed had siblings

Rachel Reed born 23 May 1803 in Seneca, Ontario, New York. No record of marriage or children.

Gravestone names Rachel Reed.

Sarah Reed born 18 Aug 1805 in Ovid, Seneca, New York. No further information.

Catharine Reed born 17 Sept 1810 Seneca, Ontario, New York. No further information.

Elias Reed Jr born 25 NOV 1813 in Seneca, Ontario, New York. Married Rachel Kiplinger in Ohio fathered 6 children.

Mary Reed born 20 June 1815 in Seneca, Ontario, New York. married Dexter Wood in Ohio. Mother to 5 children.

Elizabeth Reed born 30 Nov 1818 in Seneca, Ontario, New York. Married Isaac Smith in Ohio. 3 children.

#### Any additional comments related to this consultation:

Primary Ancestry Tree is Tom Gavin Family Tree.

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Merrilee Gordon

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Mary Johnson

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### On-Tour Consultation

**Specific question(s) or goals for consultation:**

Locate Rochester, NY records for Robert William Gallagher, died in Brighton Sanatorium; and William Edward Gallagher, born in Albany?? and died in Washington DC. Also looking for a Mary Gallagher supposed sister of Robert William Gallagher mentioned only in his obit as Mrs. Peter Molzen of Jersey City. NJ

**Optional: Provide a link to your PUBLIC family tree:**

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/55605949/family?cfpid=13845077664&fpid=13845077698&usePUBJs=true>

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Linda Lambert

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### On-Tour Consultation

**Specific question(s) or goals for consultation:**

I have the name of Rhoda Thomas Meeker Miller.  
She was from Rensselaerville NY bit don't have dates.

My first query is the parentage of Minor Meeker which I discussed with David. Now I am turning to Rhoda Thomas, Minor's mother.

I have evidence that her father might have been Recompence Thomas and mother Sarah Lawrence. I would like documentation about this Thomas family.

I am looking for anything about her marriage to Meeker or Miller.

My question is: what is the relationship between Rhoda and Minor Thomas (death 1830) (marriage 7Sept 1795 Nancy Winans)

Were they brother and sister or possibly cousins?

A daughter of Minor Thomas and Nancy Winans was Rachel b 1799 Albany NY married Minor Meeker.

Other children are Hewett b 27April 1805 Albany  
Samantha b 3Dec 1811  
William W b 27Junr 1810 Albany  
Ellen b 28 May 1797 NY

There are some half siblings.

Where would o look for church records or family records for the Thomas family. They seem to be located in Albany and Seneca County.

What suggestions do you have for me.

I will bring chard and family group sheets for the ones directly connected to NY.

**Optional: Provide a link to your PUBLIC family tree:**

I don't know how to do that but I have a Lambert tree in Anestey

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Eric Seaborg

Would you like to discuss the same topic you discussed during your on-tour consultation?

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### On-Tour Consultation

**Specific question(s) or goals for consultation:**

I would like to continue my discussion with David about any information I may find on the Spanish American War and in particular camps or military hospitals associated in New York. I would also like to know more about how Ellis Island immigrants usually migrated to the midwest.

**Any additional comments related to this consultation:**

I've included a variety of photos of the wall hanging I discussed with David pertaining to a possible future donation to his archive.

**Optional: Provide a link to your PUBLIC family tree:**

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**Optional: You can upload any attachments you may like to include here.**





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Janet Seaborg

Would you like to discuss the same topic you discussed during your on-tour consultation?

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### On-Tour Consultation

#### Specific question(s) or goals for consultation:

Assuming I will have a relatively clear research strategy after the initial consultation with David, I hope the on-tour consultation will simply focus on what progress I've made. If I'm struggling I'll need help identifying other resources.

My goal is to: confirm my great grandmother's parents and their country(ies) of origin.

Myra Wright b. July 6, 1856 or 1859 in Ogdensburg, St. Lawrence County, New York and d. April 18, 1908 in Baltimore MD

I think I have found the correct/same family (Robert Wright and Ann Keto Wright) on multiple censuses (1860, 1870) but Myra's marriage record (June 18, 1874 in Detroit, Wayne Co. MI) and her death certificate both claim "parents unknown".

Optional: Provide a link to your PUBLIC family tree:

View Eric-Janet's family tree on Ancestry.

<https://ancestry.com/family-tree/tools/tree/26262426/invitees/accept?inviteId=cd997e42-f5ea-45a1-bc05-ddad0c9d58a3>

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Janet Seaborg

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### On-Tour Consultation

**Specific question(s) or goals for consultation:**

Determine which couple is the right parent match for Myra Wright: Robart and Ann ; or Robert and Anne Keto.

Nail down birth places for the parents.

**Pertinent information related to your question:**

1850s-70s

Ogdensburg and

Poughkeepsie NY and

St. Lawrence County NY

1850, 1860, 1870 censuses;

Poor homes

**Any additional comments related to this consultation:**

Common names are the difficult hurdles to this research!

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Tricia Staley

Would you like to discuss the same topic you discussed during your on-tour consultation?

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### On-Tour Consultation

#### Specific question(s) or goals for consultation:

Relating to the family of George Haun and Phebe Glover of Claverack, Columbia, New York"

- 1) Is William Henry Haun (1830-1910) their son?
- 2) The 1850 census lists children Jane (born abt 1830-31), Jacob (prob born 1841) and Christina (prob born 1844). They never appear again. What happened to them?
- 3) Who is Joseph's wife?  
1870 census – Lizzie  
She prob died 1872, Charles b 1871-72, by 1875, Phebe and Rachael are living with him.  
What happened to his children James and Charles?  
Niece Sarah?

The boys are in some census/marriage records- but cousins with same names confuse who's who. Still sorting that out.

#### Pertinent information related to your question:

I have checked census records, marriages in Claverack Reformed Church, also Mellenville and Philmont. They are not in the family burial plot in Union Cemetery, Mellenville.

Rachael is with Phebe, then they are both with Joseph/Norman 1875-1880  
Phebe died 1881.

Rachael is identified as Joseph's wife, but pending discovery of a marriage record, I am fairly convinced it is his sister.

I plan to stop at Hillsdale Town Hall on my drive to Albany on Tuesday, may discover more.

#### Any additional comments related to this consultation:

William Haun's grandchildren all died without issue (I knew them, so quite certain of that), so there aren't any direct line family members/researchers.

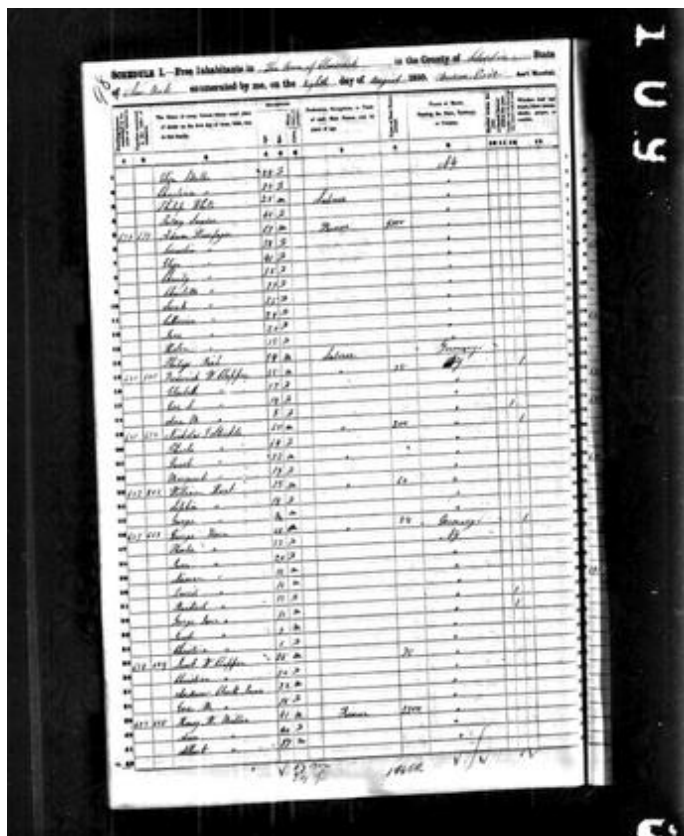
My great-grandmother and her sister would have been his nieces.

The sister and her husband raised my father; I grew up in his house (he lived to 91) and often visited family with him. He regularly visited William Haun's granddaughters in Hillsdale after visiting the family burial plot in Mellenville.

Optional: Provide a link to your PUBLIC family tree:

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/198359657/family/pedigree?cfpid=292605435812>

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Haun , George poss 1855 NY census.docx

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Ken Stevens

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### On-Tour Consultation

**Specific question(s) or goals for consultation:**

Would like additional information on parents/ancestors of Joseph Rheaume and Adeline J Brunelle (chart 9 of the ancestral charts I submitted previously). Information I have listed is from family bible.

**Pertinent information related to your question:**

See ancestral charts I sent for part 1, attached again below..

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Stevens Ancestral Charts 042626.pdf

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Theresa Stone

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### On-Tour Consultation

**Specific question(s) or goals for consultation:**

I have a family who moved from western New York to Illinois In 1835. There were many new families with land patents sold at this time, Is there any records that talk about this movement?