## Notes on Florentine Strackbein

## **Generation 1**

1. **FLORENTINE**<sup>1</sup> **STRACKBEIN** was born on June 12, 1796 in Wunderthausen. She died in 1872 in Jamaica, Queens, New York. She married Johann Sebastian Strackbein, son of Johannes Strackbein and Elisabeth Gertraud Knebel, on March 07, 1818. He was born on July 01, 1788 in Wunderthausen. He died on September 16, 1869 in Jamaica, Queens, New York.

## Notes for Florentine Strackbein:

Born in Gundermanns Haus in Wunderthausen. Apparently came to America in 1818. That house was demolished to make room for the first school building in Wunderthausen.

## Notes for Johann Sebastian Strackbein:

Born in Kurts Haus in Wunderthausen. Known as Sebastian. Went to America in 1829 according to one history, but the archives in Wittgenstein say it was 1818. The family settled in what was then the independent burg of Jamaica, New York. They were members of a Dutch Reformed church. The service language may or may not have still been Dutch, but this denomination was theologically close to that of the German Reformed church. Later family members apparently used the spelling "Strockbine" which is actually close to the German pronunciation.

Johann Sebastian Strackbein and Florentine Strackbein had the following children:

- i. Sebastian<sup>2</sup> Strackbein was born in January 1822 in New York, New York. He died on May 12, 1912 in Queens, New York. He married Margaret Gannon. She was born in June 1824 in Ireland. She died on December 26, 1904 in Queens, New York.
- ii. MARY ELISABETH STRACKBEIN was born on September 25, 1823 in New York, New York
- iii. HENRY STRACKBEIN was born on June 16, 1828 in New York, New York. He died on April 03, 1902 in New York, New York. He married MARY ANN GWINN. She was born about 1828 in New York, New York.
- iv. SAMUEL STRACKBEIN was born on November 10, 1831 in New York, New York. He died on June 17, 1909 in Watertown, Litchfield, Connecticut. He married SARAH ADELAIDE SWEET. She was born on July 10, 1849 in Gibson, Susquehanna, Pennsylvania. She died on January 27, 1941 in Binghamton, Broome, New York.
- v. JOHN F. STRACKBEIN was born on June 03, 1834 in New York, New York.
- vi. CATHARINE STRACKBEIN.