

Hood Register Report

Surname variations include Hood & Hud.

First Generation

1. Richard¹ HOOD, Sr. was born circa 1625 and died in Lynn, Essex co., MA on 12 September 1695; he was 70^[1]. He took the Oath of Freeman on 18 April 1691^[8].

Supposedly, Richard is from Lynn Regis, Norfolk, England^[3]. "In B.I.P. 58, Registry of Deeds for Essex County, Mass., appears record of conveyance by John Hood of Lynn for 30£ to Wm. Crofts of 'three dwelling howses or tenements wth all thereto belonging in Halsted in the County of Essex in old England wth a covenant for further assurance, And the said Willm is to pay 40s a peice to the sisters of the said John according to his father's will the wch areth in the bargain and sale by deed dated the 10th day of December 1652."^[3]

Richard & Mary lived on Nahant Street in Lynn, Essex co., MA. Waters maintains that they built their homestead on the larger parcel of land left to them by Mary's father Anthony (and later sold to Mathew Farrington, Jr.) instead of the smaller lot north of the brook which Anthony stipulated in his will that they were to build^[7].

On 7 July 1682, Richard & Mary deeded over to Matthew Farrington, Jr. "...a dwelling house and all that parcell of land sometime in the possession of Anthony Newhall deceased, viz., four acres more or less, or two-thirds of a six acre lot where the house stood, bounded Westerly with land of John Gillow, Easterly with land of John Hawthorne, Northerly with land of Robert Potter, Senr, Southerly with the country highway that lyeth in the mill street..." This four acre lot was bequeathed to Mary in her father, Anthony's will^[2].

"The depossion of Georg Kezer that saith that littell before Mr Geforde went away from the lorn worckes that I went to Richard hode diueres times to gett the saide Richarde hode to doe som saueing worcke for me & I couelld not gett hime to hellpe me by noe menes and I asked hime what ones the placke was for and he sayd thay was to doe something about the forge worckes and funder that I saw Richard hod sometimes a sauing of slitt worcke and some times cellowe bordes -- and the place were Richard hode saued was in the pitt before [the] lorn Workes ware housee neare to the Smith Shope and funder I say not. Sworne in Court 27d:4m:1656"^[3].

Richard swore to the inventory of his father-in-law Anthony Newhall's estate on 31 March 1656^[5]. He was also granted administration on the estate on 31 March 1657 in order to "settle it according to the will"^[6].

Richard died intestate. Administration on his estate was granted to his son Richard, Jr. on 9 December 1695. Richard died before this administration was finished and administration was then granted to Richard, Sr.'s son John on 7 September 1696. The estate was divided and an account of trust rendered on 14 December 1696. "...The children of the eldest son, he being dec'd,' two shares, and John, Samuel, Nathaniel, Joseph, Benjamin, Mary, Sarah, Elizabeth, Ruth, Rebeckah, Hannah and Anna Hood each one share..."^[4]

Circa 1652 when Richard was 27, he married **Mary NEWHALL**, daughter of **Anthony NEWHALL & Mary WHITE**, in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17].

They had the following children:

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| 2 | i. | Mary |
| 3 | ii. | Richard |
| 4 | iii. | Sarah |
| 5 | iv. | Elizabeth |
| 6 | v. | Ruth |
| 7 | vi. | Rebecca |
| 8 | vii. | John |
| 9 | viii. | Hannah |
| 10 | ix. | Samuel |
| 11 | x. | Nathaniel |

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12	xi.	Anna
13	xii.	Joseph
14	xiii.	Benjamin

Generation: G9 Grandparents and G8 Grandparents

Person Numbers: 4058/4059(via Sarah and Bassett/Mower/Carroll lines) and 2024/2025(via Anna and Breed line)

Second Generation

Family of Richard HOOD Sr. (1) & Mary NEWHALL

2. **Mary HOOD** (*Richard*¹) was born circa 1654^[18].

3. **Richard HOOD, Jr.** (*Richard*¹) was born in 18d:9m(November):1655 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Hud, Richard, s. Richard"^[18,19] and died before 7 September 1696; he was 41^[18]. Richard, Jr. took the Oath of Freeman on 18 April 1691^[8].

Circa 1688 when Richard was 33, he married **Hannah BERRY**, daughter of **Thaddeus BERRY & Hanna FARRAR**. Hannah was born on 12 August 1668 in Boston, Suffolk co., MA as "Hannah of Thaddeus & Hannah"^[20] and died in "suddenly" on 28 September 1740; she was 72.

4. **Sarah**² **HOOD** (*Richard*¹) was born on 2d:6m(August):1657 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Hud, Sara, d. Richard"^[18,21].

Sarah was accused of being a witch in the Salem Witch Hysteria of 1692. She was tried at Salem on 21 May 1692^[22] and imprisoned in Boston until 3 December 1692. Note that she gave birth to Joseph only 12 days after her release. She took her 22 month old child (most likely Ruth) with her to prison and named her next daughter "Deliverance" in honor of her freedom. In 1693, she was recompensed £9 for her experience.

The Case of Sarah Bassett

Indictment v. Sarah Bassett

Province of the Massachusetts Bay in New England Essex \ Ano RR & Reginae Gulielmi & Mariare Angliae &c Quarto Anoq'e\Dom. 1692.

The Jurors for o'r Sov'r lord & Lady the King & Queen pr'sent The Sarah Bassett wife of William Bassett of Lyn in the County of Essex aforesaid Upon or about the 23'rd day of May last Anno: 1692 aforsaid

And Divers other Days & Times as well before as after Certaine Detestable Arts Called Witchcraft & Sorceries Wickedly Mallitiously & feloniously hath used practised & Exercised at & in the Towne of Salem, in the County of Essex aforesaid Upon & Against One Mary Walcott of Salem Single Woman By Which Wicked Arts The Said Mary Walcott is Tortured afflicted Tormented Consumed Wasted & Pined the Day & yeare aforesaid & Divers other Days & times as well before as Contrary to the peace of o'r Sov'r lord & lady the King & Queen their Crowne & Dignity & the Laws in that Case made & provided.

Wirrness

Ann Putnam

Marcy Lewis

Ignoramus

Robert Payne foreman

Salem Court 3 January 1693^[23,24]

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On 25 October 1675 when Sarah was 18, she married **William BASSETT Jr.**, son of **William BASSETT Sr. & Sarah [surname not known]**, in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[9,25,26,27,28,29,30,31,32,33,34,35].

They had the following children (*surnamed BASSETT*):

- i. Sarah
- ii. William
- iii. Mary
- iv. John**
- v. Hannah
- vi. Ruth
- vii. Joseph
- viii. Deliverance
- ix. Abigail

Generation: G8 Grandparents

Person Numbers: 2028/2029

5. Elizabeth HOOD (*Richard¹*) was born ca. 1658-1659^[18].

6. Ruth HOOD (*Richard¹*) was born ca. 1660-1661^[18].

7. Rebecca HOOD (*Richard¹*) was born on 7 February 1662/3^[18].

8. John HOOD (*Richard¹*) was born on 7d:3m(May):1664 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[18,38].

9. Hannah HOOD (*Richard¹*) was born on 21d:8m(October):1665 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[18,38].

10. Samuel HOOD (*Richard¹*) was born on 12 May 1667 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Hud, Samuell, s. Richard"^[18,39].

11. Nathaniel HOOD (*Richard¹*) was born on 9 June 1669 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Hud, Nathaniell, s. Richard"^[18,40].

12. Anna² HOOD (*Richard¹*) was born on 16d:12m(February):1672 in Lynn, Essex co., MA as "Hood, An, d. Richard"^[9,41].

On 5 February 1691/2 when Anna was 19, she married **Samuel BREED**, son of **Allen BREED & Mary SARGENT**, in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[9,42,43,44,45,46,47,48,49,50]. Their record reads "Bread, Samuell and Anna Hood". Samuel and Anna were among the first inhabitants of Nahant, Essex co., MA, which became the haven for the Quakers in the Lynn, Essex co., MA community. They were living there by the time of the birth of their son Samuel on 11 November 1692.

They had the following children (*surnamed BREED*):

- i. Samuell
- ii. Amos
- iii. Jabez
- iv. Abigaile
- v. Nathan**
- vi. Keziah
- vii. Anna
- viii. Ebenezer
- ix. Ruth
- x. Benjamin
- xi. Nehemiah

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Generation: G7 Grandparents
Person Numbers: 1012/1013

13. **Joseph HOOD** (*Richard*¹) was born on 8 July 1674 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[18,55].

14. **Benjamin HOOD** (*Richard*¹) was born on 3 January 1677 in Lynn, Essex co., MA^[18,41].

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