

This is a Broyles Family Tree that was compiled for one of Brett Broyles' class projects in 1979. All of the information prior to Joshua Broyles was sourced from the work of John Kenneth Broyles of Lake City TN. He compiled seven volumes of information on the Broyles family history. This tree has not been updated since mid 1970s.

BROYLES FAMILY

1717 to 1985

- I. JOHANNES (JOHN) BREIL Born in about 1680 to 1685 in Germany. immigrated to the English colony of Virginia in 1717. John died in Virginia in 1734.

Wife: Ursula

Child

- * 1. Jacob Broyles br. 1705 Germany d. 1763 Va.
- 2. Conrad Broyles br. Germany d. 1784 Va
- 3. John Broyles br.
- 4. Elizabeth Broyles
- 5. Catherine Broyles Wilhite

- II. JACOB BROYLES Born in about 1705 in Germany. Immigrated to Virginia in 1717 with his parents. Jacob died in Virginia in 1763.

Wife: Catharine Fleishman

Child

- 1. Adam Broyles br. 1728 Va d. 1782 Tenn.
- 2. Nicholas Broyles br 1730 Va
- 3. Cyrus Broyles br. 1732 va d 1826
- 4. Jacob Broyles br.
- 5. Peter Broyles br.
- *6. Michael Broyles br. June 1740 Va. d. 1839-1840 in Tenn.
- 7. John Broyles br. 1745 Va d. 1785
- 8. Zacharais Broyles br.
- 9. Matthais Broyles
- 10. Catherine Broyles Wayland br d. 1831
- 11. Elizabeth Broyles Wilhite

III. MICHAEL BROYLES born in 1740 in Virginia migrated to Jefferson Co. Kentucky where he entered a claim of 400 acres on the Licking. Died probably, in 1839 to 1840 in Green County Tenn. where he was receiving a pension for service in the Revolutionary war in 1836.

Wife Elizabeth Klug Married about 1764.

Child

- *1. Aaron Broyles 1767 Madison Co. Va d. about 1858 Cambell Co. TN
2. Susanna Broyles Massie
3. Samuel Broyles, b 1773, d 1855
4. Michael Broyles, b 19, Jan. 1777, Madison Co., Va. d 7 Dec 1842.
5. John Broyles, b 1785
6. Elizabeth Broyles Medcalf
7. William Broyles, b 1789
8. Ann Broyles Miller
9. Lydia Broyles Miller

IV. AARON BROYLES was born about 1767 in Madison Co., Va., married in Greene Co., Tenn., 2 Dec. 1797. He appears on the tax lists of Greene County until 1806 in which year he seems to have moved to Campbell Co., Tenn. On 13 Apr. 1811 he received grant for 100 acres on Elk Fork, probably in the immediate vicinity of Newcomb.. He is said to have died about 1858.

Wife Nancy Davis

Child

1. Felix Broyles
2. Michael Broyles
- *3. George Broyles
4. Hannah Broyles
5. Elizabeth Broyles Faulkner
6. Aaron Broyles
7. Son, burned to death in infancy

V. *GEORGE BROYLES was born about 1811. Appears in the 1850 census of Campbell Co., Tennessee

Wife Mary (Polly) Doublas

Child

1. William Broyles b 1836 d Missouri
2. Nancy Broyles Hays b 1838
- *3. Joshua Broyles b 10 Apr 1840
4. Timothy S. Broyles b 1846, d 12 Aug 1922 in Kansas
5. John Broyles, living in Rockhold, Ky. 1929
6. Sara Broyles, died single.

The preceding information has been taken from books compiled by Kenneth Broyles, Clinton, Tn. More details on these family members are contained in the ten-volumes compiled by Kenneth.

VI. JOSUHA F. BROYLES was born on 10 Feb 1840 in Elks Valley, Tenn. owned a farm in Rockholds, Kentucky which he bought from the original land grant of Rockholds. Served as a sargeant in Co. F, 16th Ky Inf, Union Army. He died on 12 Sept 1932 and is buried at the Broyles Cemetery, Rockholds.

Wife Mary A. Elliot of the New Zion Elliots.

Child

1. Ella E. Broyles Rains b 11 Jun 1874, Rockholds, Ky
d 29 Jul 1963. Buried Elliot Cemetery near New Zion.
2. Carrie Broyles Brown b. 12 Aug 1877, Rockholds, Ky
d Oxford Florida, md James Brown
3. Minnie E. Broyles Golden b 6 Jan 1882, Rockholds, Ky.
d 7 March 1958, buried Broyles Cemetery, Rockholds, Ky.
md Andrew Golden.
- *4. Leander Clayton Broyles b 19 Mar 1884, Rockholds, Ky.
d 17 Feb 1964 Williamsburg, Ky. Buried Broyles Cemetery,
Rockholds, Ky.

VII. LEANDER CLAYTON BROYLES born at the family home at Rockholds, Ky. on 19 Mar 1884. Married Angeline Harp of the Buffalo (just out of Rockholds) Harp family. He built a home about 100 yards from his father's home where all of his children were born. He was known as "Lee" to everyone except his grandchildren who called him "Pa". He died in Williamsburg, Ky. Buried at the Broyles Cemetery beside his wife who died on 1 Jan 1947.

Wife Angeline Harp

Child

1. Lon Clifton Broyles b 15 Mar 1908, Rockholds, Ky.
d 1 Aug 1948 Indianapolis, Indiana. Buried Crownhill
Cemetery, Indianapolis, Ind. Married Betty Olga Geiger.
2. Clara Eva Broyles b 14 Aug 1909 Rockholds, Ky. Alive
and well at home in Williamsburg, Ky.
3. Cecil H. Broyles b 2 July 1911, Rockholds, Ky.
d 24 Nov 1947 on USS Gen Patrick. Buried Broyles
Cemetery, Rockholds, Ky.
4. James Eldon Broyles b 2 Jul 1911 Rockholds, Ky.
Alive and well at home in Los Angeles, Ca.
5. Faye Ollie Broyles b 31 Jan 1924, Rockholds, Ky.
d Buried Broyles Cemetery, Rockholds, Ky.

VIII. 6. LON CLIFTON BROYLES born at the family home in Rockholds Ky. on 17 Feb 1908. He went to Indianapolis, Indiana to take a job where one of his uncles on his mother's side worked. He met and married Betty Olga Geiger of Indianapolis. He was in service to the U.S. Army during W.W.II when Betty became seriously ill and died. Betty was born on 1 Jan 1895 and died about 1944. Lon died on 1 August 1948 and was buried beside his wife at the Crown Hill Cemetery in Indianapolis, Ind.

IX. CLARA EVA BROYLES was born at the family home in Rockholds, Ky. on 14 Aug 1909. She married Amos Mayfield of Wolford, Ky. She and Amos were divorced and she later married Gary Starkey of Louisville, Ky. Clara is presently the only heir of Lee still living in Whitley County. She lives at her home at 419 Sycamore Street, Williamsburg, Ky.

X. CECIL HERBERT BROYLES was born at the family home at Rockholds, Ky on 2 Jul 1911. He married Audie Cleo Helton of the Jacks Fork Helton family. Audie's father was William (Bill) Helton who had a farm on Jacks Fork. She was born on 5 Feb 1913 and died at Corbin, Ky. hospital on 21 Jun 1942. Cecil died on board the USS Patrick on 24 Oct 1947. He was buried beside his wife at the Broyles Cemetery at Rockholds, Ky.

Child

1. Herbert Lee Broyles b 13 May 1931, Rockholds, Ky. d 20 Mar 1971 St. Louis, Mo. Buried Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery.
2. Wanda Joann Broyles b 3 Dec 1933, Rockholds, Ky.
3. James Donald Broyles b 29 Nov 1936 Rockholds, Ky.
4. Loel Gary Broyles b 6 Dec 1938, Rockholds, Ky.

XI *James Eldon Broyles*

Ky. on 26 Apr 1917. He followed his brother Lon to Indianapolis where he met and married Gladys Rist. In about 1950 he moved his family to Los Angeles California where he now resides.

Child

1. Tommy Broyles b

XII. FAYE OLLIE BROYLES was born at the family home in Rockholds, Ky on 1 Jan 1924. Faye married Fred Grant of Williamsburg, Ky. Faye was visiting her brother in Los Angeles at the time of her death on . She was buried at the Broyles Cemetery in Rockholds, Ky.

Child

1. Betty Maven Grant, b 11 May 1939 Williamsburg, Ky.

XIII. HERBERT LEE BROYLES was born at the old home place fo Joshua (the second house at this site) Broyles on 13 Jun 1933. Herbert was marred to Betty Carol Tincher of Wallins Creek, Ky. Betty is the daughter of Percy Morton Tincher and Edith Osborne Tincher, born on 24 Jul 1933. Herbert died in St. Louis, Mo on 22 Mar 1971 and was buried at the Jefferson Barracks Military Cemetery in St. Louis.

Child

1. Kimberly Ann Broyles b 20 Oct 1956 Bowling Green, Ky.
2. Herbert Lee Broyles, Jr. b 25 Feb 1962 St. Louis, Mo.

XIV. WANDA JOANN BROYLES was born at the 2nd Joshua Broyles home at Rockholds, Ky on 1 Dec 1934. Wanda went to live with her uncle Jim Broyles in Indianapolis, Ind. where she met and married Benjamin O. Keutzer. Ben was born the son of Orval O. and Victoria Benefield Keutzer of Harrodsburg, Indiana on 8 May 1933. Wanda and Ben now reside a 7514 Rockingham Rd., Prospect, Ky.

Child

1. Debra K. Keutzer b 26 Aug 1954 Oceanside, Ca.
2. Kevin P. Keutzer b 29 Jan 1958 Beech Grove, Ind.
3. Brian A. Keutzer b 29 Oct 1960 Franklin, Ind.
4. Timothy Aaron Keutzer b 15 Oct 1967 Jackson, Mss.

XV. JAMES DONALD BROYLES was born at the 2nd Joshua Broyles home at Rockholds, Ky on 29 Nov 1936. He married his high school sweetheart Lucille Strong. Lucille was born the daughter of Don Carlos and Verna Hays Strong of Williamsburg, Ky. on 19 Dec 1938. They are presently living at 93071 Longvale Dr., Austin, Texas

Child

1. Clayton Brett Broyles b 26 Feb 1965, Lexington, Ky.
2. Brenda Lynn Broyles b 3 Jun 1969, Lexington, Ky.