

Husband: FUNCK, Martin (farmer) Mennonite
born: 30 Jan 1732
Place: Richen, Heidelberg, Baden, Germany
Died: 9 Dec 1796
Place: Lebanon township, Dauphin now Lebanon county, Pennsylvania
Buried:
Place: Ebenezer cemetry, near Lebanon, Lebanon, Pennsylvania
Husband's Father: Funck, Hans

Wife: WENGER, JUDITH Mennonite
Born: 19 Jan 1732
Place: Rhenish, Bavaria, Germany
Died: 4 Mar 1812
Place: Ebenezer cemetry near Lebanon, Lebanon county, Pennsylvania
Wife's Father: Wenger, Hans

Children:	When born:	Town:	County:	State:	Date of 1st marr.:	Died:
				Ctry:	To Whom:	
FUNCK						
1. (F) Ann	about 1757	of Lebanon township	Lebanon	PA	FOX, Henry	
2. (F) Barbara	about 1759	"	"	"	NEFF, Henry	
3. (F) Magdalena	6 July 1761	"	"	"	LIGHT, Henry the younger	
4. (F) Maria	about 1763	"	"	"	GLONINGER, John George	
5. (M) Martin	29 Dec 1766	"	"	"	4 Mar 1792	16 Feb 1838
					LONGENECKER, Barbara	
6. (F) Christina	15 Dec 1768	"	"	"		20 Mar 1845
					OBERHOLTZER, Christian	
7. (F) Elisabeth	25 May 1773	"	"	"		16 June 1846
					HAUERI or HOWRY, John Jr.	

Sources of information:

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CHAPTER 7

THE FUNCK AND WENGER FAMILIES

MARIA FUNCK, wife of John Georg Gloninger, was born about 1763, the daughter of Martin and Judith (Wenger) Funck who lived on a farm in Lebanon Township, Lebanon County, Pennsylvania. Her ancestors were Swiss Mennonites for several generations.

Her father, Martin Funck and his brother, Hans, arrived at the Port of Philadelphia on the ship "Brotherhood" the third of November 1750. He was born 30 January 1732 in Richen, Baden, a village about fifteen kilometers south of Sinsheim, the village where Jost Schwab was born. Martin Funck was the son of Hans Funck II, who died at Richen in 1752 and left five children: (1) Heinrich Funck, a farmer in Richen who inherited the money coming from the sale of his father's estate; (2) Jakob Funk; (3) Martin Funck (our ancestor); (4) Hans Funck, who also came to Pennsylvania; and (5) a daughter.

Hans Funck II, who died in Richen in 1752, was the son of another Hans Funck of Richen, a farmer and Mennonite preacher of the Mennonite parish of Streichenberg. He died at Richen the fifth of September 1734 at the age of

seventy three. He is believed to have been the son of Heinrich Funck of Zurich, Switzerland who was condemned to be branded with hot irons and banished from Switzerland, 30 November 1670 because he was a "Stubborn leader and teacher". After branding him, the swiss authorities took him over the border of Switzerland into Burgundy. He could not speak the language and wandered about for three days. When he did receive help and was disrobed to bind his wounds, the matter ran down his back. Later he settled in Amt Hilsbach, the area in which the village of Richen is located.

Heinrich Funck

b. about 1630	Hans Funck I			
in Zurich,	b. 1661	Hans Funck II		
Switzerland	d. 5 Sep 1734	d. 1752 in	Martin Funck	
	in Richen,	Richen, Baden,	b. 30 Jan 1732	Maria Funck
	Baden, Germany	Germany	in Richen, Baden,	b. about 1763
			Germany. He md.	in Lebanon, township Lebanon, PA.
			Judith Wenger	She md. J. George Gloninger

John George Gloninger and Maria Funck were the parents of Anna Maria Gloninger who married Christian Schwob (See chapter 12, page 143 of volume one), the grandson of Jakob Schwob I, the emigrant from Bennwil, Baselland, Switzerland.. John Georg Gloninger was the great grandson of Jost Schwab of Sinsheim.

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Maria Funck's mother, Judith Wenger, was born the 19th of January 1732 near Zweibrucken in the Rhineland Palatinate, Germany. Her father was Hans Wenger, Jr. son of Hans Wenger, Sr. a Mennonite weaver of Canton Berne, Switzerland. Hans Wenger, Sr. died before the family emigrated to Pennsylvania. Because of persecution in Switzerland, Hans Wenger, Jr. moved to a village near Zweibrucken when he was a young man. He arrived in America on the ship "Patience" the sixteenth of September 1748. He brought with him his family of five sons and two daughters: Stephen, Christian, Hans (John), Abraham, Martin, Judith and Maria. They settled near Jonestown, Lebanon County, Pa., where he and many members of his family are buried adjoining an abandoned church.

Hans Wenger, Jr.'s mother and brothers, Michael and Christian arrived in Philadelphia, 9 September 1749, on board the ship "St. Andrew" and settled in Rapho Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

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WILL OF MARTIN FUNCK

IN THE OF GOD AMEN. This third day of December In the Year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six I Martin Founk the Elder of Lebanon Township Dauphin County and State of Pennsylvania Yeoman being at present of bodily health and of Sound and disposing Mind Memory and Understanding Thanks be to God

Nevertheless calling into Mind the Mortality of my body and Knowing that it is appointed tor all men once to die do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament that is to say princpally and first of all I recommend my Soul in the hand of God who gave it and my body I recommend to the Earth to be Buried in a Christian like and decent manner and as Touching Such worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this Life I give devise and dispose of the Same in the following Manner and form. IMPRIMIS It is my will and I do hereby order In the first place that all my just debts and funeral Expences be paid off and Satisfied as Soon as Conveniently may be After my decease ITEM I give and bequeath unto my Son Martin Founk his heirn and assigns all my Plantation and Two Tracts of Land Situate in Lebanon Township Dauphin County aforesaid adjoining Several lands of George Gloninger John Stiver John Ulrich Snevely John Umberger Henry Light and others Containing Together Two Hundred and fifty acres and allowance for roads et al be the Same more or less Together with the Buildings and Improvermnts with the appurtenances To be holden by him my said son Martin Founk his heirs and assigns forever all the aforesaid Two above mentioned Tracts of Land Containing together two hundred and fifty acres and allowance be the same more or

less. It is my will and I do hereby Order that my said son Martin Founk Shall pay for the aforesaid Plantation and Two Tracts of Land the Sum of two thousand one hundred pounds in gold or Silver and Lawfull money of Pennsylvania in payment as hereunder is direcred that is to say Six Hundred pounds Six months after my decease and then yearly and every Year the sum of one Hundred Pounds money aforesaid untill the aforesaid Sum of money is fully paid as hereunder I directed ITEM It is my will and I do hereby order that my Son Martin Founk shall retain in his own hand in the first place all his part or Share arrising and becoming unto him out of all my said Lands Real and personal Estate out of the aforesaid six Hundred pounds which he Shall receive out of my Estate in the first place and the remainder of said six hundred pounds what he does not receive for his Part or Share he my ssaid son Martin shall pay six Months after my decease and no otherwise ITEM I give and bequeath unto my Dearly beloved wife Jude the sum of three hundred pounds in Gold or Silver money of Pennyslyania to be paid out of my Estate within one year after my decease to her by my Executors hereafter named. ITEM IIs is my will and I do hereby order that my said wife Jude shall have full right and priveledge to all my Little Stone house and garden adjoining or near the same with the stove therein and also all my household goods and furniture therein and all my goods or Estate that in my house wherein I now live at the Time of my decease and whatsoever to the same Belonging during her Natural Life also with the house Clock therein ITEM I further give and Bequeath unto my Said wife Jude all my household goods and furniture aforesaid Together with my corner Cubert Cheist and Cheist of Dravers Two Bed and Two Bedsteads and all my (Putles?) ind (Pelbs?) and dresser Table or any other article in my house

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whereof my said wife shall think proper To take for her own use ITEM It is my will and I do hereby order that my said Son Martin Founk shall deliver unto my said wife Jude over and above what he has to pay for my said lands yearly and every year during her natural life Twenty four bushels of good wheat fifteen Bushels of rye Twelve Bushels of Indian corn Twelve Bushels of buckwheat and give her Yearly two fatted hoggs weighing at least three Hundred pounds with the fat their in and one hundred pounds of good beef and thirty Bushels of Otes yearly as aforesaid and Ten pounds of Tallow and Keep her two Cows and horse or a mear In sufficient order Summers and winters and in Summer to run in pasture where his horses goes or runs as my said wife shall order and direct and Keep ten hens at all Times for her use and give her as much eggs at all Times as She shall stand in need off and shall also give unto my Said wife yearly five Gallons of good Rye Lichqure three Barrels of good Syder in her Celler and the choise of One Rose of appele Trees lenthways through my orchard on the Lands aforesaid give and deliver unto my Said wife yearly during her Natural life as aforesaid as much firewood to her Said House and Cut the same fine for her Either Hickory or Oak as she shall order and direct at all Times ITEM It is my will that my Said wife Shall have the holl and right to the Little Garden by my Little Stone House wherein I now Live and my Son Martin shall dung the same and keep it all Times House and Garden in Sufficient Repair as my said wife shall order and direct ITEM It is my will that my said Son Martain shall deliver unto my Said wife four bushels of turnips Ten Bushels of Potatos yearly During her life as aforesaid ITEM It is my will that my Son shall deliver the aforesaid Grain to the Mill and the meal and Bran to her again when she shall order and direct ITEM I give and bequeath unto my said wife Jude Two of the best of my Cows in my Stable and the choise thereof on one of the best of my horses or mears in my Stable for her own use ITEM It is my will that provyded that their is no horse Creatures To Suit my Said wife wherein I havee at the Time of my decease then it is my will that their shall be one Bought for her own use Imedadently out of my Estate by my Executors hereafter named agreeable to my said Wifes Request and Pleasure

ITEM It is my will that my Said Son Martain Founk Shall deliver unto my Said Wife Yearly During her Life an aforesaid Twenty five pounds of good Hachled Flax and Twenty of good wool and my said wife shall have as many Hens and Eggs an she stands in need of to be kept by my son Martin on the Lands aforesaid as she shall have full right and priveledge To cut as much grass in the meadows on the Lands aforesaid as she shall Stand in need of her Cow from Time to Time ITEM I give and bequeath unto my Said wife all my Linnen and flax I have at the Time of my decease and all my Yearn ITEM I give and bequeath unto my children Namely Ann now the wife of henry Fox Barbara now the wife of Henry Neave Mary now the wife of George Gloninger Magdalena now the wife of Henry Light the younger and my said son Martin Founk and my two Daughters Christine now the wife of Christian Overholtzer Elisabeth now the wife of John Howery all the money arising out of all my Lands and personal Estate To be equally divided between all my Said Children share and share alike Except what I have heretofore Given and bequeathed unto my Said wife Jude ITEM It is my will and I do hereby order the yearly payments arising out af all my Lands aforesaid Shall be paid unto Two of my Children yearly as they succeed each other In age that is to say fifty pounds To each of the Two and so on yearly as the Succeed each other in age untill sum being paid (except my Son Martin Founk Shall his full part

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or Share out of all my Estate In the first place out of the aforesaid Six hundred pounds and he shall pay the same as

above directed and no otherwise whatsoever so that his full share be in the first place Reduced out of the aforesaid Six Hundred pounds and the remainder of Sd. sum pay as above Directed ITEM It is my will and I do hereby order that in case Either of my Said Children have Received in money or goods more than the other from me such child or children Shall not Receive any more of my Estate untill my other Children have Received as much as Such child or Children ITEM It is my will that provided any or either of my Children have received any money of me in my Life Time such child or Children shall not be Charged any Interest for the Same in any respect whatsoever ITEM I Do hereby Impower my friend Isaac Sheaffer one of Executors hereafter Named To Sign seal and execute a good and Suffichant deed or deeds unto my Said Son Martain Founk his Heirs and assigns Forever for all the above mentioned Two Tracts of Land when and at Such Time or Times as he thinks proper ITEM I give and bequeath unto my Said wife Jude all my Linnen which I have at the Time of my decease ITEM It is my will that in case I shall happen To die and their should be grain in the Ground on the Lands aforesaid or Growing thereon I give and bequeath all the Grain that is soed or in the Ground on the Land aforesaid at the time of my decease unto my said Son Martain Founk and also Two Ton of hay and thirty Bushels of wheat and thirty bushels of Rye and fifty Bushels of otes over and above his equal Share with one of the rest of my Children ITEM I give and Bequeath unto my Son Martin Founk Beast Horse or mear I have in my stable at the Time of my decease and also the Stove in my house over and above his shear with the rest of my Children. It is my will and I do hereby order that my Said wife shall have full right and privilidge te one acre of land or thereabouts that is the clover Patch adjoining the Little house wherein I now Live within fence and my Son Martin shall Dung plow & soe the Same for her During her Life as She shall order and direct at all Times whatsoever . It is my further will that my Said Son Martain Shall pay perform and deliver all the above articles privledges Yearly unto my Said Wife During Natural Life And Lastly I do hereby Nominate and appoint my friend Isaac Shaeffer and my wife Jude Executors by me heretofore made Ratifying and confirming this and no other To be my Last will and Testament
IN WITNESS Whereof I the said Martin Founk the Elder have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the Day and Year aforesaid.

Martin Founk (LS)

Signed Sealed puablished pronounced and declared
by the above Named Martin Founck the Elder the
Testator for his Last will and Testament in the presence of us
Jo. Luther Thomas Clark
Proved Jany. 9th 1797