

Descendants of John Greer

Generation 1

1. **JOHN¹ GREER** was born in 1723 in Greerstown, Magherall, Antrim, Ireland. He died about 1783. He married **ROSE HAMILTON** on 04 Jan 1742 in Mageragall, Antrim, Ireland. She was born in 1725 in Belfast, Antrim, Ireland.

John Greer and Rose Hamilton had the following child:

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 - i. **JOHN² GREER** was born about 1762 in Laurens Co. SC. He died about 1836 in Greenville Co. SC. He married **JANE MCCREARY** about 1789 in Laurens Co., SC, daughter of Thomas McCreary and Letitia Brandon. She was born about 1765 in Laurens Co., SC. She died about 1825 in Greenville Co. SC.

Generation 2

2. **JOHN² GREER** (John¹) was born about 1762 in Laurens Co. SC. He died about 1836 in Greenville Co. SC. He married **JANE MCCREARY** about 1789 in Laurens Co., SC, daughter of Thomas McCreary and Letitia Brandon. She was born about 1765 in Laurens Co., SC. She died about 1825 in Greenville Co. SC.

Notes for John Greer:

Gave aid in the American Revolution
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John Greer and Jane McCreary had the following children:

- i. **JESSE³ GREER**.
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 - ii. **JOSIAH GREER** was born on 11 Oct 1793. He died on 02 Feb 1866. He married **AMELIA GOLDSMITH** on 10 Sep 1818. She was born on 08 Sep 1800 in Greenville Co. SC. She died on 24 Jul 1863 in Cobb Co., GA.
 - iii. **CATHERINE GREER** was born on 04 Mar 1795. She died on 09 Oct 1873. She married **MOSES MCCRARY**.
 - iv. **ELIZABETH GREER** was born on 23 Oct 1796. She died on 11 Jun 1862 in Greenville Co. SC. She married **JOHN DAWSON SMITH**.
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 - v. **MOSES GREER** was born on 19 Feb 1799 in Greenville Co. SC. He died on 20 Jul 1864 in Ellijay, Gilmer Co., GA. He married **FRANCES REED** on 21 Nov 1822, daughter of William Reed and Frances Rebecca Robbins. She was born on 06 Feb 1801 in Greenville Co., SC. She died on 07 Mar 1872 in Ellijay, Gilmer Co., GA.
 - vi. **JOHN GREER** was born about 1801. He married **DELANEY GARRETT**.
 - vii. **CHRISTOPHER GREER** was born about 1805 in Greenville Co. SC. He died about 1871. He married **ELIZABETH SMITH** on 12 Nov 1869.
 - viii. **ISAAC GREER** was born about 1807 in Greenville Co. SC. He married **MARY SNOW**.
 - ix. **KEZIAH GREER** was born about 1808. She married **WILLIAM A. WARD**.

Generation 3

3. **JOSIAH³ GREER** (John², John¹) was born on 11 Oct 1793. He died on 02 Feb 1866. He married **AMELIA GOLDSMITH** on 10 Sep 1818. She was born on 08 Sep 1800 in Greenville Co. SC. She died on 24 Jul 1863 in Cobb Co., GA.

Josiah Greer and Amelia Goldsmith had the following child:

- i. **TURNER GOLDSMITH⁴ GREER**.
4. **MOSES³ GREER** (John², John¹) was born on 19 Feb 1799 in Greenville Co. SC. He died on 20 Jul 1864 in Ellijay, Gilmer Co., GA. He married **FRANCES REED** on 21 Nov 1822, daughter of William Reed and Frances Rebecca Robbins. She was born on 06 Feb 1801 in Greenville Co., SC. She died on 07 Mar 1872 in Ellijay, Gilmer Co., GA.

Notes for Moses Greer:

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Moses Greer and Frances Reed had the following children:

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 - i. JANE M.⁴ GREER was born on 17 Sep 1823 in Laurens Co., SC. She married ANDERSON STEPHENS about 1854, son of James Stephens and Druscilla Anderson. He was born on 14 Jan 1821 in Laurens Co., SC. He died between 1868-1913 in Ellijay, Gilmer Co., GA.
 - ii. SUSANNA GREER was born in 1825.
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 - iii. LEVI MANNING GREER was born on 23 Dec 1827 in Gilmer Co., GA. He died on 29 Mar 1896 in Ellijay GA. He married PRISCILLA JANE ELLINGTON on 06 Jan 1856. She was born on 02 Sep 1834 in Gilmer Co., GA. She died on 13 Sep 1885 in Ellijay GA.
 - iv. FRANCES ROBBINS GREER was born on 23 Dec 1830.
 - v. JOHN WILLIAM GREER was born in 1831.
 - vi. ELIZABETH KAZIAH GREER was born in 1832.
 - vii. MARY CATHERINE GREER was born on 20 Aug 1838.
 - viii. MOSES BENTON GREER was born on 23 Jan 1842.

Generation 4

5. **JANE M.⁴ GREER** (Moses³, John², John¹) was born on 17 Sep 1823 in Laurens Co., SC. She married **ANDERSON STEPHENS** about 1854, son of James Stephens and Druscilla Anderson. He was born on 14 Jan 1821 in Laurens Co., SC. He died between 1868-1913 in Ellijay, Gilmer Co., GA.

Notes for Anderson Stephens:

Anderson Stephens went to the California Gold Rush in 1848. Returned to GA.

Anderson Stephens and Jane M. Greer had the following children:

- i. SUSAN LEVADY⁵ STEPHENS was born on 26 Apr 1855 in Ellijay, GA. She died on 03 Apr 1858 in Ellijay, GA.
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 - ii. JAMES MOSES STEPHENS was born on 05 Nov 1858 in Ellijay, GA. He died on 18 Oct 1939 in Aska, GA, Buried Macedonia Cemetery GA. He married TELITHA CATHERINE MCLEOD on 17 Jan 1884 in Pickens Co., GA by Abraham Chadwick, daughter of Ebenezer McLeod and Elizabeth Jane Brawley. She was born about 1862 in Pickens Co., GA. She died on 07 Jan 1891 in Pickens Co., GA, bur Macedonia Ch. Cemetery.
 - iii. JOHN ANDERSON STEPHENS was born on 06 Jan 1860 in Ellijay, GA. He died on 22 Oct 1938 in Ellijay, GA. He married MARTHA LOVINGOOD.
 - iv. FRANCIS D. STEPHENS was born on 13 Oct 1861 in Ellijay, GA. He died on 19 Sep 1863 in Ellijay, GA.
 - v. SARAH JANE STEPHENS was born on 23 Mar 1864 in Ellijay, GA.
 - vi. ALICE L. STEPHENS was born on 26 Dec 1866 in Ellijay, GA.
6. **LEVI MANNING⁴ GREER** (Moses³, John², John¹) was born on 23 Dec 1827 in Gilmer Co., GA. He died on 29 Mar 1896 in Ellijay GA. He married **PRISCILLA JANE ELLINGTON** on 06 Jan 1856. She was born on 02 Sep 1834 in Gilmer Co., GA. She died on 13 Sep 1885 in Ellijay GA.

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Levi Manning Greer and Priscilla Jane Ellington had the following child:

8. i. SARAH PRISCILLA (SALLIE)⁵ GREER was born on 04 Dec 1878 in Ellijay GA. She died in Jan 1957 in Ellijay GA. She married EMERSON FRANKLIN WATERS on 25 Feb 1898. He was born on 13 May 1867 in Murray Co., GA. He died in Aug 1950 in Ellijay GA.

Generation 5

7. **JAMES MOSES⁵ STEPHENS** (Jane M.⁴ Greer, Moses³ Greer, John² Greer, John¹ Greer) was born on 05 Nov 1858 in Ellijay, GA. He died on 18 Oct 1939 in Aska, GA, Buried Macedonia Cemetery GA. He married **TELITHA CATHERINE MCLEOD** on 17 Jan 1884 in Pickens Co., GA by Abraham Chadwick, daughter of Ebenezer McLeod and Elizabeth Jane Brawley. She was born about 1862 in Pickens Co., GA. She died on 07 Jan 1891 in Pickens Co., GA, bur Macedonia Ch. Cemetery.

Notes for James Moses Stephens:

1920 census lists him as "roomer" in Polk Co., TN

James Moses Stephens and Telitha Catherine McLeod had the following children:

- i. LOUISE CATHERINE⁶ STEPHENS was born on 09 Mar 1887 in Talking Rock GA. She died in Feb 1974 in Aska, GA Macedonia cemetery.
- ii. CALDONA JANE STEPHENS was born on 02 Nov 1884 in Talking Rock GA. She died on 04 Aug 1972 in Cincinnati, Oh. She married (1) LEVI JACKSON PETTETT on 22 Oct 1905 in Morganton GA, son of Perry Warren Pettett and Billie Louisa Landsdown. He was born on 18 Jun 1882 in Tate GA. He died on 18 Aug 1966 in Cincinnati, Oh. She married (2) EDWIN H. READ about 1925, son of Read and Sophia. He was born on 26 Feb 1893 in Gwithian, Cornwall, England. He died on 06 Aug 1967 in Cincinnati, Hamilton CO., OH.

Notes for Caldonia Jane Stephens:

"Donna, " after her divorce from Jack Pettett, became a cosmetologist and lived some of the time in Birmingham later moving to Cincinnati Ohio to be near her children.

8. **SARAH PRISCILLA (SALLIE)⁵ GREER** (Levi Manning⁴, Moses³, John², John¹) was born on 04 Dec 1878 in Ellijay GA. She died in Jan 1957 in Ellijay GA. She married **EMERSON FRANKLIN WATERS** on 25 Feb 1898. He was born on 13 May 1867 in Murray Co., GA. He died in Aug 1950 in Ellijay GA.

Emerson Franklin Waters and Sarah Priscilla (Sallie) Greer had the following child:

- i. SARAH⁶ WATERS was born on 27 Dec 1918 in Ellijay GA. She married WADE STUART MANNING.