

Descendants of Thomas Benton "Bennet" Payne

Generation 1

1. **THOMAS BENTON "BENNET"¹ PAYNE** was born on Apr 15, 1841 in Lenoir, Caldwell County, North Carolina. He died on Dec 01, 1922 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. He married Mary S. Foster, daughter of George Foster and Mary Elizabeth "Polly" Walker, on Feb 23, 1867 in Lawrenceburg, Anderson County, Kentucky. She was born on Oct 29, 1847 in Ashe County, North Carolina, USA. She died on Jan 24, 1929 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA (Rainey Cemetery, Casey County, Kentucky).

Notes for Thomas Benton "Bennet" Payne:

Enlisted May 2, 1861, at Lenoir, Caldwell County, North Carolina, in Company A, 22nd Regiment, North Carolina Infantry. Captured April 3, 1865, at Petersburg, Virginia (Appomatox?); imprisoned at Hart's Island, New York Took Oath of Allegiance to the USA on June 20, 1865, to obtain release. On his marriage bond he listed his occupation as "tanner."

Notes for Mary S. Foster:

Per her appaicaion for widow's benefits, her parents did not attend her wedding.

Thomas Benton "Bennet" Payne and Mary S. Foster had the following children:

- i. **WILLIAM T² PAYNE** was born on Jul 10, 1870 in Kentucky, USA. He died on Nov 21, 1891 in Casey Co., Kentucky, USA.
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 - ii. **ELZORA PAYNE** was born in 1875 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. She died in Franklin, Indiana. She married James Evans on Sep 22, 1892. He was born in 1875. He died in Franklin, Indiana.
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 - iii. **CHARLES SHULL PAYNE** was born on Feb 14, 1878 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. He died on Dec 07, 1950 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. He married Ida Johnson Ellis on Nov 02, 1902 in Jeffersonville, Indiana. She was born on Jun 16, 1887 in Adair County, Kentucky, USA. She died in 1915 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA.
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 - iv. **MARY ELIZABETH "POLLY" PAYNE** was born in Apr 1879 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. She died in 1945 in Salem United Methodist Church Cemetery, Casey Co, Kentucky, USA. She married (1) **WILLIAM E. WITT** on Aug 15, 1894 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. He was born on Feb 17, 1872 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. He died on Dec 15, 1937 in Salem, Liberty, Casey Co., Kentucky, USA. She married (2) **WILLIE E WITT**. He was born about 1873 in Kentucky, USA.
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 - v. **CATHERINE ISABEL "DOLL" PAYNE** was born on Sep 05, 1887 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. She died on Jan 15, 1917 in Adair, Kentucky, USA. She married (1) **JOHN S. ELLIS** on Sep 09, 1903 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. He was born on Jun 28, 1875. He died on Sep 13, 1908.

Generation 2

2. **ELZORA² PAYNE** (Thomas Benton "Bennet"¹) was born in 1875 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. She died in Franklin, Indiana. She married James Evans on Sep 22, 1892. He was born in 1875. He died in Franklin, Indiana.

James Evans and Elzora Payne had the following children:

- i. **HERBERT³ EVANS** was born in 1890.
 - ii. **RUTH EVANS** was born in 1893.
 - iii. **OMER EVANS** was born in 1895.
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 - iv. **MARY EVANS** was born in 1895.
3. **CHARLES SHULL² PAYNE** (Thomas Benton "Bennet"¹) was born on Feb 14, 1878 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. He died on Dec 07, 1950 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. He married Ida Johnson Ellis on Nov 02, 1902 in Jeffersonville, Indiana. She was born on Jun 16, 1887 in Adair County, Kentucky, USA. She died in 1915 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA.

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Notes for Charles Shull Payne:

Notice that the name "Shull" is a Valle Crucis, North Carolina, family name

Charles Shull Payne and Ida Johnson Ellis had the following children:

- i. ROBERT³ PAYNE was born on Dec 02, 1903 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA.
- ii. MARY RUBY PAYNE was born on Jul 08, 1906 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA.
- iii. OWEN "JACK" PAYNE was born on Oct 06, 1912 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. He died in 1981 in Cincinnati, Hamilton County, Ohio. He married ELIZABETH BARNETT. She was born in 1917. She died in 2006.

Notes for Owen "Jack" Payne:

Jack and Elizabeth had one son and one daughter, both living as of 2010

4. **MARY ELIZABETH "POLLY"² PAYNE** (Thomas Benton "Bennet"¹) was born in Apr 1879 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. She died in 1945 in Salem United Methodist Church Cemetery, Casey Co, Kentucky, USA. She married (1) **WILLIAM E. WITT** on Aug 15, 1894 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. He was born on Feb 17, 1872 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. He died on Dec 15, 1937 in Salem, Liberty, Casey Co., Kentucky, USA. She married (2) **WILLIE E WITT**. He was born about 1873 in Kentucky, USA.

William E. Witt and Mary Elizabeth "Polly" Payne had the following children:

- i. ALNIER ?³ WITT was born about 1893. She died on Apr 12, 1904 in convulsions.
- ii. ADA WITT was born on Aug 16, 1895 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. She died on Sep 08, 1895 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA.
7. iii. ETHEL WITT was born in Aug 1896 in Kentucky, USA. She died in 1983. She married BERKLEY L. ALLEN REV.. He was born in Jan 1893 in Kentucky, USA. He died on Oct 23, 1967 in Campbell, Kentucky.
8. iv. ALBERT WITT was born on Oct 24, 1898 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. He died on Jun 29, 1980 in Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio, USA. He married FANNY OVERSTREET. She was born on Apr 14, 1900 in Kentucky, USA. She died on Jul 26, 1966 in Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio, USA.
9. v. CLAUDE LILBURN WITT was born on Mar 07, 1900 in Liberty, Casey Co., Kentucky. He died on Jan 10, 1981 in Cincinnati, Hamilton Co, Ohio. He married Edna Bell Norman in 1923 in Casey Co., Kentucky, USA. She was born on Sep 24, 1902 in Casey Co., Kentucky, USA. She died on Aug 31, 1992 in Miamisburg, Montgomery, Ohio.
- vi. ALMA WITT was born on Apr 27, 1903 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. She died on Apr 12, 1904 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA.
10. vii. STANLEY MOSER 'PETE' WITT was born on Jun 01, 1907 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. He died on Aug 15, 1982 in University Hosp. Cinci General. He married LELA LORENE RODGERS. She was born on Apr 21, 1914 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. She died on Oct 21, 1988 in Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio.
- viii. MYRTLE WITT was born on May 15, 1909 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. She died on Aug 08, 1990 in London, Laurel, Kentucky, USA.
11. ix. ADELE WITT was born on Dec 02, 1910 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. She died on Feb 17, 1993 in Fairfield, Butler, Ohio, USA. She married Andrew Norris on Sep 17, 1926 in Greenup, Ky. He was born about 1905.
- x. LORAIN WITT was born in May 1912 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. She died in Sep 1946 in Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio, USA.
- xi. MILDRED WITT was born on Oct 03, 1913 in Casey Co. Ky. She died on May 10, 1998 in Mother's Day 1998.
5. **CATHERINE ISABEL "DOLL"² PAYNE** (Thomas Benton "Bennet"¹) was born on Sep 05, 1887 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. She died on Jan 15, 1917 in Adair, Kentucky, USA. She married (1) **JOHN**

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S. ELLIS on Sep 09, 1903 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. He was born on Jun 28, 1875. He died on Sep 13, 1908.

John S. Ellis and Catherine Isabel "Doll" Payne had the following children:

- i. INFANT³ ELLIS was born on Sep 21, 1904. He died on Oct 23, 1904.
12. ii. NELLIE MAE ELLIS was born on Feb 19, 1906 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. She died on Apr 25, 1986 in Plainfield, Hendricks, Indiana, USA. She married WILLIAM HARLAN CHAPPEL. He was born on Feb 15, 1902 in Asheville, North Carolina, USA. He died on Jul 16, 1970 in Alexander, Morgan, Illinois, USA.

Generation 3

6. **MARY³ EVANS** (Elzora² Payne, Thomas Benton "Bennet"¹ Payne) was born in 1895.

Mary Evans had the following children:

- i. JERRY⁴ WILLIAMS.
 - ii. PATRICIA WILLIAMS.
 - iii. GARNETT WILLIAMS.
 - iv. JANET WILLIAMS.
 - v. JERRY WILLIAMS.
 - vi. PATRICIA WILLIAMS.
 - vii. JANET WILLIAMS.
7. **ETHEL³ WITT** (Mary Elizabeth "Polly"² Payne, Thomas Benton "Bennet"¹ Payne) was born in Aug 1896 in Kentucky, USA. She died in 1983. She married **BERKLEY L. ALLEN REV.**. He was born in Jan 1893 in Kentucky, USA. He died on Oct 23, 1967 in Campbell, Kentucky.
- Berkley L. Allen Rev. and Ethel Witt had the following children:
- i. NELLIE MABLE⁴ ALLEN was born on Feb 18, 1914 in Kentucky, USA. She died on Jan 03, 2004 in Ohio, USA.
 - ii. ALBERT C ALLEN was born on Mar 27, 1915 in Casey, Kentucky, USA. He died on Jun 15, 2007.
 - iii. AVIL ADA ALLEN was born on Jun 03, 1916 in Casey, Kentucky, USA. She died on Oct 23, 2013.
 - iv. OTHA EDWARD ALLEN was born on May 21, 1918 in Kentucky, USA. He died on Dec 23, 1999 in Columbus, Bartholomew, Indiana, USA.
 - v. PAUL ALLEN was born about 1921 in Kentucky, USA.
 - vi. HOWARD ALLEN was born about 1924 in Kentucky, USA.
 13. vii. GENEVA L ALLEN was born on May 06, 1925 in Casey, Kentucky. She died on Jul 26, 2012 in Miamisburg, Montgomery, Ohio, USA. She married PAUL BYFORD WOOTEN. He was born on Jan 13, 1926 in Boyd County, Kentucky, USA. He died on Apr 16, 2009 in Dayton, Montgomery, Ohio.
 - viii. SYLVIA ALLEN was born about 1927 in Kentucky, USA.
8. **ALBERT³ WITT** (Mary Elizabeth "Polly"² Payne, Thomas Benton "Bennet"¹ Payne) was born on Oct 24, 1898 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. He died on Jun 29, 1980 in Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio, USA. He married **FANNY OVERSTREET**. She was born on Apr 14, 1900 in Kentucky, USA. She died on Jul 26, 1966 in Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio, USA.
- Albert Witt and Fanny Overstreet had the following child:
- i. CHARLES CLIFTON⁴ WITT was born on Sep 16, 1924 in Liberty (Todd County), Todd County, Kentucky, USA. He died on Aug 27, 1992 in Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio, USA of America.
9. **CLAUDE LILBURN³ WITT** (Mary Elizabeth "Polly"² Payne, Thomas Benton "Bennet"¹ Payne) was born on Mar 07, 1900 in Liberty, Casey Co., Kentucky. He died on Jan 10, 1981 in Cincinnati, Hamilton Co, Ohio. He married Edna Bell Norman in 1923 in Casey Co., Kentucky, USA. She was

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born on Sep 24, 1902 in Casey Co., Kentucky, USA. She died on Aug 31, 1992 in Miamisburg, Montgomery, Ohio.

Claude Lilburn Witt and Edna Bell Norman had the following children:

- i. LOLA ALMER⁴ WITT was born on Jan 08, 1923 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. She died on Feb 21, 1924 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA.
- ii. EVERETTE EUGENE WITT was born on Jul 03, 1925 in Cincinnati, Hamilton County, Ohio. He died on Jan 31, 2002 in York, York County, Pennsylvania.
- iii. VERNA LUCILLE WITT was born on Feb 05, 1927 in Port Clinton, Ottawa, Ohio. She died on Oct 29, 2002 in Castalia, Erie County, Ohio.
- iv. CHARLES WITT.
- v. WANDA WITT.

10. **STANLEY MOSER 'PETE'³ WITT** (Mary Elizabeth "Polly"² Payne, Thomas Benton "Bennet"¹ Payne) was born on Jun 01, 1907 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. He died on Aug 15, 1982 in University Hosp. Cinci General. He married **LELA LORENE RODGERS**. She was born on Apr 21, 1914 in Casey County, Kentucky, USA. She died on Oct 21, 1988 in Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio.

Stanley Moser 'Pete' Witt and Lela Lorene Rodgers had the following children:

- i. BERNICE⁴ WITT was born on Oct 25, 1935 in Casey, Kentucky. She died on Jun 22, 2003 in Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio.
- ii. DILLARD FORREST WITT was born on Mar 15, 1939 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. He died on Apr 05, 1986 in Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio USA.
- iii. CHRISTOPHER DEWEY WITT. He died in 2010 in Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio USA.

11. **ADELE³ WITT** (Mary Elizabeth "Polly"² Payne, Thomas Benton "Bennet"¹ Payne) was born on Dec 02, 1910 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. She died on Feb 17, 1993 in Fairfield, Butler, Ohio, USA. She married Andrew Norris on Sep 17, 1926 in Greenup, Ky. He was born about 1905.

Andrew Norris and Adele Witt had the following child:

- i. DONALD GENE⁴ NORRIS was born on Feb 19, 1935 in Cinn, Ohio. He died on Sep 17, 1981 in Columbus, Ohio.

12. **NELLIE MAE³ ELLIS** (Catherine Isabel "Doll"² Payne, Thomas Benton "Bennet"¹ Payne) was born on Feb 19, 1906 in Liberty, Casey, Kentucky, USA. She died on Apr 25, 1986 in Plainfield, Hendricks, Indiana, USA. She married **WILLIAM HARLAN CHAPPEL**. He was born on Feb 15, 1902 in Asheville, North Carolina, USA. He died on Jul 16, 1970 in Alexander, Morgan, Illinois, USA.

William Harlan Chappel and Nellie Mae Ellis had the following children:

- i. OPAL E⁴ CHAPPEL was born about 1925 in Illinois.
- ii. WILLIAM L CHAPPEL was born about 1928 in Illinois. He died in 2013 in Greenville, Bond, Illinois, USA.
- iii. CLARENCE R CHAPPEL was born about 1929 in Illinois. He died about 2002 in Tyler TX.
- iv. SHIRLEY A CHAPPEL was born about 1936 in Illinois.

Generation 4

13. **GENEVA L⁴ ALLEN** (Ethel³ Witt, Mary Elizabeth "Polly"² Payne, Thomas Benton "Bennet"¹ Payne) was born on May 06, 1925 in Casey, Kentucky. She died on Jul 26, 2012 in Miamisburg, Montgomery, Ohio, USA. She married **PAUL BYFORD WOOTEN**. He was born on Jan 13, 1926 in Boyd County, Kentucky, USA. He died on Apr 16, 2009 in Dayton, Montgomery, Ohio.

Paul Byford Wooten and Geneva L Allen had the following child:

- i. JACQUELINE ANN⁵ KEEN was born on Jan 20, 1954 in Michigan, USA. She died on May 01, 2016 in Florida, USA.