

Revolutionary War Soldiers Buried in Old Cadiz Cemetery



Joseph Alexander

William Boggs

John Brannon

William Ferguson

Abraham Forney

Thomas Haley (Halae)

Samuel Maholm

Jacob Meacham

David Milligan

James Rankin

John Ross

Charles Timmons



Information is available for each Patriot listed above. You may view it by scrolling down through the pages that follow. The Patriots appear in alphabetical order of last name then the first name.

While these specific pages cannot be used as actual proof of Revolutionary War service, it can be very helpful as a guide. The reference section for each Patriot contains all of the sources used to validate the information presented on this webpage and would be invaluable on a membership application for the Sons or Daughters of the American Revolution.

The cemetery is located at corner of Ohio and South Streets. The only original military marker is for James Rankin. The Moravian Trail Chapter of the DAR has placed a memorial marker with the names of eight Revolutionary War men. Two markers have been placed recently. No markers for Thomas Haley, Samuel Maholm, and Jacob Meachem.



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JOSEPH ALEXANDER (lived and buried in Harrison County, Ohio)

BORN: 1754(b)

SON OF: unknown

DIED: 10 September 1832 (a)

AGE: 78 years (a)

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery (a)

MARKER: Moravian Trail Chapter of DAR Memorial in the Old Cadiz Cemetery

MARRIED: Marriage date not known

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Private, Pennsylvania Militia 1782-1784

Specific: Joseph was a member of Eleazer Williamson's Company under Lieutenant William Williamson of the Third Battalion in Washington Co., Pa., Militia (c)

RESIDED: During the Revolutionary War Alexander lived in Washington County, Pennsylvania. He and his family moved to what became Harrison County, Ohio, after 1800.

WIFE: Elizabeth (maiden name unknown) (a) daughter of: unknown

BORN: 1762 (a)

DIED: 10 September 1839 (a)

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery (a)

CHILDREN: (buried with them in Old Cadiz Cemetery.)

1) Margaret: Aged: 30 yrs 6 months, 27 days. DIED: 22 Jul 18_2 (exact date unknown) (a)

2) Samuel: BORN: 1789 (b), DIED: 16 Feb 1873 (a)

REFERENCES:

(a) "Cadiz Township Cemeteries," Harrison County Genealogical Society, Ohio

(Cadiz: Privately Printed, 1989), page 6.

(b) Calculated using death date and age at death.

(c) Thomas Lynch Montgomery, *Archives of Pennsylvania*, Sixth Series, Volume II, (Harrisburg, Pennsylvania: 1906), page 124.

WILLIAM BOGGS (lived and buried in Harrison County, Ohio.)

BORN: In the decade 1760-1770 (a)

SON OF: unknown

DIED: In the decade 1840-1850 (b)

AGE: unknown

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery, Cadiz, Ohio. (c)

MARKER: Moravian Trail Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution Memorial

MARRIED: unknown

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Private Pennsylvania militia (e)

Specific: Private of the Second Company, Third Battalion of Militia under Lt Col. John Shee. (e) He appears on the 1840 pensioner's census living in Cadiz, Ohio. (f)

RESIDED: William Boggs was living in Short Creek Township, Harrison County, Ohio, in 1830 (a). He was living in Cadiz Village, Cadiz, Ohio, in 1840 (c).

WIFE: unknown

CHILDREN: unknown

MORE OF HIS HISTORY: William Boggs was found first in Harrison County, Ohio, in Short Creek Township. Later, he moved to Cadiz where he died.

REFERENCES:

(a) Federal Population Census of 1840, Cadiz Village, Ohio.

(b) Federal Population Census of 1850, Harrison Co., Ohio.

(c) Inferred from 1840 and 1850 Census.

(d) Federal Population Census of 1830, Short Creek Township, Harrison Co. Ohio.

(e) Thomas L. Montgomery, *Archives of Pennsylvania*, Sixth Series, Volume ID, (Harrisburg, Pennsylvania:, 1907) page 1088.

(f) *Census of 1840 of Pensioners for Revolutionary or Military Service*, (Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 1989) page 173.

JOHN BRANNON (lived in and buried in Harrison County, Ohio.)

BORN: April 1744 (a)

SON OF: unknown

DIED: 1835 Harrison County, Ohio (b)

AGE: 89 years (b & c)

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery, Cadiz, Harrison County, Ohio (c)

MARKER: Moravian Trail Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution Memorial

MARRIED: Yes, but marriage date not known

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Private, Continental Line (d)

Specific: John was a private with Capt. Abraham Smith's Co. and Col. William Irvine's Sixth Pennsylvania Regiment of the Continental Line from 25 March 1776 to about January 1777. He was taken prisoner in July 1777 and held in Quebec for five months and eleven days. (e) About a year later he enlisted for three years and served under Capt William Alexander. He was sent home ill in 1780. (e,f) He received a pension starting 11 May 1818. (d)

RESIDED: John voted in Cadiz Township, Harrison County, Ohio, in October 1813. (h) A John Brannon, fitting his age, resided in Cadiz Village in 1820. (g) Apparently, living with his daughter, Rachel Swigert, in Rumley or North Township at the time of his death. (i)

WIFE: ELIZABETH HABORN (j)

BORN: 1755

DIED: 5 April 1821

BURIED: She is buried in Old Cadiz Cemetery. There is no marker.

CHILDREN:

The only known child is Rachel. She was living with them when he applied for the pension. (g) She married Burd Swigert on 30 October 1822. (k)

MORE OF HIS HISTORY: John Brannon's holdings at the time of his pension application were \$19.75 after his debts were subtracted. (e) No record was found of him owning property in Harrison County.

REFERENCES:

(a) Calculated using dates from his pension application

(b) Administration of Estate Papers; date of receipt for digging grave, Harrison County Historical Society, Cadiz, Ohio.

(c) Administration of Estate Papers: receipt for hauling corpse to Cadiz, Harrison Co. Historical Society, Cadiz Ohio.

(d) *Pension Roll of 1835, Volume IV, The Mid-Western States*. (Baltimore, Maryland: Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., 1994) page 192.

(e) "Application of John Brannon for a Pension, 27 Nov. 1820, Harrison County Historical Society, Cadiz, Ohio.

(f) Thomas L. Montgomery, Ed., *Archives of Pennsylvania*, Fifth Series, Volume II, (Harrisburg, Pa.: 1906), pp863-865.

(g) Federal Census of the United States for 1820.

(h) Poll Books of 1813 for Harrison County, Harrison County Historical Society, Cadiz, Ohio.

(i) Estate Papers *op. cit.*,

(j) "Harrison Telegraph," April 1821: Died 5th, Mrs. Brannon, Consort of John Brannon of this place (Cadiz).

WILLIAM FERGUSON (lived in Washington Co, Pa, & lived & rued in Harrison Co.)

BORN: 1748 (a)

SON OF: unknown

DIED: 15 December 1832 Harrison County, Ohio (b)

AGE: 84 years (b)

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery (b)

MARKER: Moravian Trail Chapter DAR Memorial in the Old Cadiz Cemetery.

MARRIED: unknown

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Private in the Washington County, Pa., Militia (c,d,e)

Specific: William was a private 8th class Capt Samuel Shannon's Company, 3rd Battalion, Washington Co., Pa.(c). In 1782 he was with William Leet's Company against the Upper Sandusky Indians, 1782. (d) Finally, he was a private 8th class, in Captain John Cotton's Co. 3rd Battalion, Washington Co., Pa., Militia returns of 15 September 1782.(e)

RESIDED: William lived in Washington County, Pennsylvania, until after the end of the war. When he came to Ohio, he lived in Cadiz. (f)

WIFE: No record of a wife found.

CHILDREN: No record of any children found.

MORE OF HIS HISTORY: Unlike several in the frontier militias, he was an active member. He lived in Cadiz and was not, as most of the people of that time, a farmer. As of this time his occupation has not been learned.

REFERENCES:

a) Calculated with cemetery information.

b) Charles Hanna. *Historical Collections of Harrison County, in the State of Ohio*, (New York: Printed Privately, 1900), page 321.

c) William H. Egle. *Archives of Pennsylvania*, Third Series, Volume XXIII, (Harrisburg, Pa: Wm. Ray, State Printer, 1887), page 319.

d) Edge, *Ibid.*, Second Series, Volume XIV, page 699,713.

e) Thomas Montgomery, Ed. *Archives of Pennsylvania*, Sixth Series, Volume D, Harrisburg, Pa: 1906), page 105.

f) Inferred from burial plans, Cadiz: Harrison County Historical Society.

ABRAHAM FORNEY (Furney) (lived in Guernsey, Harrison & buried in Harrison Co, Oh)

BORN: ca. 1740 Pennsylvania (a)

SON OF: Johan Niclaus and Magdalena Forney (b)

DIED: 27 August 1824 Harrison County, Ohio (a)

AGE: 84 years (c)

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery (d)

MARKER: yes

MARRIED: no record

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Captain in Pennsylvania militia (d)

Specific: Abraham Forney was Captain of the 4th company of the 7th Battalion of the York County, Pennsylvania, militia commanded by Lt. Col. Winterode and also, Captain in the 3rd Battalion of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania commanded by Col. Alexander Lowry. His name is spelled several different ways in official records. (d)

RESIDED: Abraham Forney was born in Pennsylvania. After the war he moved to Frederick County, Maryland, briefly to Guernsey County, Ohio, and then to Cadiz Township, Harrison County, Ohio, where he died. (e)

WIFE: SUSANNA (last name unknown)

BORN: 1752 (f)

DIED: 28 May 1842

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery (new marker) (f)

CHILDREN:

- 1) John (g)
- 2) Abraham (g)
- 3) Catharine, married, last name Biggs (g)
- 4) Mary (1775-1850), married, Charles Timmons (ca. 1752-1819) Old Cadiz (g)
- 5) Susanna, married, last name Rabe (g)
- 6) Frederick (1786-1855), married, Deborah W. Harris (1787-1872) Minksville (h)
- 7) Sophia, married, last name Barrish (g)

MORE OF HIS HISTORY: Captain Forney was involved in much of the Revolution. His service started in 1777 and continued until the end of the war. He was a farmer in Cadiz Township. One of his daughters was Mary, who married Charles Timmons.

REFERENCES:

- (a) Charles Hanna. *Historical collections of Harrison Co. in the State of Ohio*, (New York: Privately Printed, 1900) page 494
- (b) Vital Records of the Counties of York and Adams, Pa. (c) calculated from birth and death records
- (d) Thomas L. Montgomery, *Pennsylvania Archives*, Fifth Series, Volume VII, page 192 and *Pennsylvania Archives*, Sixth Series, Volume II, pages 564, 629, 687.
- (e) W.R. Liber, Frederick County, Maryland, page 690.
- (f) "Cadiz Township Cemeteries" Harrison County Genealogical Society, page 13.
- (g) *Will Book A.*, Abraham Forney, Harrison County, Ohio, Court of Common Pleas, Probate Division.
- (h) R. Moore, "Moorefield & Nottingham Townships Cemeteries, Harrison county, Ohio" page 170.

THOMAS HALEY (lived and buried in Harrison County, Ohio.)

BORN: either 1746 (a) or 1752 (b)

SON OF: unknown

DIED: 1832 Cadiz Township, Harrison County, Ohio (c & e)

AGE: ca 86 years

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery, Harrison County, Ohio (c)

MARKER: No marker

MARRIED: Yes, but date of marriage unknown

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Private, Maryland Continental Line

Specific: Thomas Haley was enlisted by John E. Howard of Baltimore, Maryland 17 July 1776. He was a member of Captain Lansdale's Company under Col. Josiah Carvell Hall in the 4th Regiment of the Maryland Continental Line from 1776-1778. He was once taken prisoner (g) and was granted a pension in 1818 (d)

RESIDED: He was in Baltimore County, Maryland when he enlisted. After the War he moved to Harrison County, Ohio. In 1820 a Thomas Haley was living with his wife in Short Creek Township. (f) When he died, he was living with Henry Pepper in Cadiz Township. (e)

WIFE: name unknown

BORN: unknown

DIED: Apparently, between 1820 and 1832 in Harrison County, Ohio (e& f)

BURIED: Location unknown, but apparently Harrison County (f)

KNOWN CHILDREN:

- (1) Joseph (died before his father) (e)
- (2) Amy married, last name Griffith (e)

MORE OF HIS HISTORY: It is purely conjecture, but Thomas could have been the son of John and Mary Haley of Prince George County, Maryland. He does not appear on the 1776 with them but would have been with the continental army in August when it was taken.

REFERENCES:

- (a) Mrs. Orville Dailey, *Official Roster of the soldiers of the American Revolution Who Lived in the State of Ohio, Roster I* (State Society of DAR of Ohio, 1929) page 169.
- (b) Harry W. Newman, *Maryland Revolutionary Records*, page 25.
- (c) Mabel Smith & Hilda Johnson, Co-chair, *Official Roster of Soldiers of the American Revolution, Buried in the State of Ohio, Roster III*. (State Society, DAR of Ohio, 1959), page 153.
- (d) *Pension Establishment of the United States*, Act of March 18, 1818, Vol. III, page 66.
- (e) *Will Book A*, Harrison Co, Oh, Court of Common Pleas, Probate Division, pp 291-192.
- (f) Federal Census of the United States: 1820.
- (g) *Archives of Maryland, Muster Rolls & Other Records, 1775-1783*, Vol. XVIII, (Baltimore, MD: Maryland Historical Society, 1900) pages 52-53.

SAMUEL MAHOLM, SR. (lived and died in Harrison Co, Ohio.)

BORN: November 1758 Lancaster County, Pennsylvania (a)

SON OF: unknown

DIED: November 1838 Harrison County, Ohio (a)

AGE: 80 years (b)

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery, Cadiz, Ohio (c)

MARKER: No

MARRIED: Date of marriage not known

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Private Lancaster, Pennsylvania (d)

Specific: In October 1775, Samuel spent 21 days as a private under Captain Morrison. Starting in November 1776 he served two months as a private under Capt. Morrison and Col. Potter. During 1777 he was in the militia for two months as a private under Captain Clark and Col. King. Again in 1781 Samuel Maholm served one month and twelve days under Capt. Clark and Col. Irwin. (d)

RESIDED: Until about 1806, he lived in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. On 6 May 1806 he received a deed for property then in Jefferson County, Ohio, now in Harrison Co. It is in the current corporation limits of the Village of Cadiz, Ohio (e & f).

WIFE: JANE maiden name unknown (a)

BORN: unknown

DIED: 20 February 1832 (a)

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery, Cadiz, OH (c) There is no marker

CHILDREN: (These are listed on his will.) [g].

- (1) Jane (1776-1833 Old Cadiz) married James Wilson (i)
- (2) Nancy (1779-1856 Old Cadiz) married Gen. Walter Beebe
- (3) Samuel married 1821 Hettie Delany (h)
- (4) Elizabeth (1787-1867 Old Cadiz) married James McNutt (1792-1855 Old Cadiz) (i)
- (5) Margaret (1790-1858 Old Cadiz) not married (i)
- (6) Polly married (first name unknown) Lysle
- (7) Dorcas married John Bleaks
- (8) James (1794 - 1859 Bethel) married Axie maiden name unknown (b. 1804-1871 Bethel) (h)
- (9) Hanna married ___ Phillips
- (10) John (1797-1856 Old Cadiz) (i)
- (11) Sarah (1803-1848 Old Cadiz) not married (i)

MORE OF HIS HISTORY: Samuel was a farmer. The family was members or at least attended the Reformed Presbyterian Church in Cadiz. The Old Cadiz Cemetery was not taken care of adequately for years. Most of the markers were removed since many were broken or fallen. No markers exist for Samuel or Jane.

REFERENCES:

- (a) Mildred Jenkins' DAR application National No. 655748.
- (b) calculated using birth and death dates
- (c) Burial data in Probate Court Records of Harrison Co., Oh. (Original records filed at Harrison County Historical Society.)
- (d) S. Maholm Rev. War pension papers S5061 Vol. M., page 236. (e) *Deed book H.*, Recorder Harrison County, Ohio, page 316.
- (f) Cadiz Village map.

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SAMUEL MAHOLM, SR. continued

REFERENCES: continued

- (g) *Will Book A*. Harrison County, Ohio, Court of Common Pleas, Probate Division, page 463.
- (h) Charles A Hanna, *Historical Collections of Harrison County, in the State of Ohio*, (New York: Privately Printed, 1900), page 376.
- (i) "Cadiz Township Cemeteries" Harrison Co. Genealogical Society, (Cadiz: Privately Printed, 1989), pages 7, 21, 24.

JOHN McFADDEN (lived and buried in Harrison County, Ohio.)

BORN: ca. 1746 County Caven, Ireland (a)

SON OF: unknown

DIED: 13 April 1835 Cadiz Township, Harrison County, Ohio (a & b)

AGE: 89 years (b)

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery (a)

MARKER: Moravian Trail Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution Memorial.

MARRIED: ca. 1777 (a)

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Private, Washington County, Pa., militia (c)

Specific: John was a private, 5th class, in Captain George Sharp's company, of the 3rd Battalion of Col. David Williams of the Washington County, Pennsylvania, Militia. On these mentioned records he was with them on 25 September 1781 and 15 April 1782. (c)

RESIDED: Around the time he was married, he and other family members settled near Buffalo Creek in Independence Township, Washington County, Pa. (a) John bought the land and built a log cabin on Section 4, Township 10, Range 5., now in Harrison County, Ohio. This 640 acres was just south of Cadiz and would today include much of Sally Buffalo Park and the fair grounds. Later, he bought the southeast quarter of Section 13 in Athens Township. (d)

WIFE: (a & b) MARGARET SHARP Daughter of Capt. and Mrs. George Sharp of Washington Co., Pa

BORN: 1751

DIED: 26 April 1826 Old Cadiz Cemetery

MARKER: No marker still exists for her.

CHILDREN: (a)

- 1) Samuel Buffalo (1779-1855) married Sarah McFadden (1802 - unknown) Old Cadiz Cemetery
- 2) George (1784-1844) married Ruth Collins (1792-1871) Old Cadiz Cemetery
- 3) Mary (178_ -1814 married William Sharp (1785-1833) Uniontown Oh.
- 4) Margaret (1789-1864) Ntgm married Edward Lafferty 1789-1836) Old Cadiz Cemetery
- 5) John (1790-1857) married Mary Dunlap (1788-1858) Old Cadiz Cemetery
- 6) Joseph (1793-1859) marriage 1: Mary Thompson (1803-1844) Old Cadiz Cemetery
marriage 2: Catherine Henderson

MORE OF HIS LIFE: In 1801 he; his family; his brother, Joseph; and his nephew, John Jamison came to what is now Cadiz Township. On 15 April 1812, John McFadden, one of five trustees appointed by the Associated Reformed Presbyterian Congregation of Cadiz, bought lots 58,59, and 60 for their Union Church. This church appears to have been the first one in Cadiz. The Old Cadiz Cemetery was started by this church. (e)

Descendants of John McFadden still live in Harrison County. The Associated Reformed Church became the United Presbyterian and now has joined with the United Presbyterian Church of U.S.A.

REFERENCES:

- (a) Charles Hanna, *Historical Collections of Harrison County, in the State of Ohio*. (New York: Privately Printed, 1900), pages 538, 539.
- (b) *Ibid.*, page 324.
- (c) Thomas Montgomery, Editor, *Archives of Pennsylvania*, Sixth Series, Vol. II, (Harrisburg, Pa., 1906), pp 92, 93, 102.
- (d) Hanna, *op cit.*, page 223.
- (e) *Ibid*, page 79.

JACOB MEACHEM (from Vermont, lived and died Harrison Co.)

BORN: 21August1750 Warren, Massachusetts (a)

SON OF: Isaac and Lydia (Blancher) Meachem (a)

DIED: November 1813 Cadiz, Harrison County, Ohio (a)

AGE: 63 years (b)

BURIED: Probably the Old Cadiz Cemetery (a & c)

MARRIED: Date not found but the oldest child was born in April 1785, probably 1783 or 1784 (a & d)

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Private Vermont Continental Army and Militia (a)

Specific: He served for three months and one week dated 1August1775 with Capt. Abiather Angel's Co., Col. David Brewer's Regiment. In October 1775 he was with Capt. John Wright's Company, David Brewer's Regiment. In 2 November 1777 he was with Capt. Wright's Co., Rufus Putnam's Regiment. (b) Finally, from 21Octto30 October 1781 he was with Capt. Nathaniel Blanchard's Co. militia, in Col Thomas Lee's Regiment at Castleton in Vermont. (a)

RESIDED: Jacob was born in Warren, Massachusetts. He lived In Hinesburgh and Rutland, Vermont. His sons listed here were born in those places. After the War he and his sons moved to Ohio at the same time. (a)

WIFE: MARTHA TUTTLE

BORN & DIED: Martha's birth and death information has not been located. It appears that she was dead prior to her husband and family coming to Ohio. (a)

BURIED: Unknown

CHILDREN:

(1) Hines Meacham born 1Apr1785 Hinesburgh, Vt. - died 5 Jul 1885 Belle Plaine, Scott Co., Minnesota. He married (1st) unknown first name Wetmore, (2nd) Laura Wetmore. (a)

(2) Aaron Meacham (born 1788 Rutland, Vt. died ca. 1850 Ohio married 1847 in Delaware, Oh. Julia Ann Silkey) (a)

MORE OF HIS HISTORY: After Jacob died, Hines returned to Vermont apparently to settle the estate there. He had purchased a lot in Cadiz. He returned to Ohio after settling the estate but not to Harrison County. Aaron served in Captain Baruch Dickerson's Company from 12 March 1814 to 12 September 1814 for the War of 1812. This company was made up largely of men from Harrison County. He was married in Delaware County, Ohio. (a)

REFERENCES:

(a) Dorothea Greer, Compiler and researcher. "Our Harrison Heritage," Vol. XVII, No. 1, Spring 1999, Harrison County Genealogical Society, Cadiz: pages 5 & 6. Includes service references to microfilm of *National Archives*; Idah Meacham Stowbridge; "Connecticut Historical Society." Charles A. Hanna, *Historical Collections of Harrison County, in the State of Ohio*. (New York: Privately Printed, 1900), page 106.

(b) Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors of the War of the Revolution, Volume 10, page 575.

DAVID MILLIGAN, Sr. (lived in and buried in Harrison County, Ohio.)

BORN: 1749 (a)

SON OF: unknown

DIED: 8 December 1833 Harrison County, Ohio. (a)

AGE: 84 years (a)

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery (a)

MARKER: Daughters of the American Revolution Marker (b)

MARRIED: Yes but date of marriage unknown

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Private Pennsylvania Continental Army (c)

Specific: He was listed on the pay roll for seven months under Lt. Michael Johnson of the Bedford Pennsylvania Rangers. David Milligan is found also in Captain Boyd's Company of Rangers. (d) He received a pension for his service on 28 October 1833. (c)

RESIDED: David Milligan was living in Archer Township in 1813. (e) He continued to live there until he died in that he is there in the 1820 census and 1830 census (f) and his will gives his home as 110 acres, part of the southeast quarter of Section 13, Township 11, and Range 5 in Archer Township. (g)

WIFE: No information.

CHILDREN:

- 1) David (g)
- 2) Joseph married (1825) Isabella Wallace (h & g)
- 3) John
- 4) William married (1823) Lydia Miller (1799-1838 Old Cadiz) (h & g)
- 5) Sarah Jane (g)
- 6) Mary married, last name Miller (g)

MORE ON HIS HISTORY: We can learn from his will that he was a farmer. Section 13 is close to Cadiz and he is buried there. Old Cadiz Cemetery was the only cemetery in Cadiz at that time. So, we cannot determine their church of preference. Their child, David, is buried in the Old Cadiz Cemetery, too. He died when he was a year old.

REFERENCES:

- (a) Charles A. Hanna, *Historical Collections of Harrison County, in the State of Ohio*. (New York: Privately Printed, 1900), page 325.
- (b) "Cadiz Township Cemeteries," Harrison County, Ohio, Genealogical Society, (Cadiz: Privately Printed, 1989), page 5.
- (c) *Pension Roll of 1835, Volume JV, The Mid-Western States*. (Baltimore: Maryland: Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., 1994), page 256.
- (d) Thomas L. Montgomery, Ed., *Archives of Pennsylvania*, Fifth Series, Volume V., (Harrisburg, Pennsylvania: 1906) page 91.
- (e) Poll Books of 1813, Harrison County, Harrison County Historical Center.
- (f) Federal Census of the United States for 1820 and 1830.
- (g) *Will Book A*, David Milligan, Harrison County, Ohio, Court of Common Pleas, Probate Division, pages 321,322.
- (h) Hanna, *op. cit.*, page 284.

JAMES RANKIN (lived and buried in Harrison County, Ohio.)

BORN: October 1747 Ireland (a)

SON OF: unknown

DIED: 23 September 1823 Cadiz, Harrison County, Ohio (a, c)

AGE: 76 years (b, c)

BURIED: Originally in Old Cadiz, moved to Cadiz Union (Section 8-Lot 21)

MARKER: Cadiz Old - Original & DAR Memorial & Cadiz Union - An old and new marker **MARRIED:** 1772 (a)

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Private in Pennsylvania Militia (d)

Specific: James served in Captain Joseph Clsna's Company of the Washington County, Pa., Rangers of the Frontier 1778-1782 (d) and with Col. Crawford's expedition (e) The note after his name is that he escaped, suggesting that he was captured. (e)

RESIDED: James Rankin moved to Ohio after the Revolutionary War and lived in Harrison County, nine years of the time in Cadiz, Ohio. (g)

WIFE: MARY HAMILTON

BORN: 21 October 1754 (a)

DIED: unknown, possible August 1835

BURIED: unknown

CHILDREN: (a)

- (1) Elizabeth (b. 1773)
- (2) Ann (b. 1774) not married
- (3) Catherine (b. 1778) m. William Walker
- (4) Rachel (b. 1780) m. ___ Fisher
- (5) Mary (b. 1783) m. Robert Neal
- (6) William Scott (b. 1786) m. Martha Cooke
- (8) Nancy (b 1790) m. William Henry
- (9) Samuel (b. 1793) m.
- (10) James (1795-1796)
- (11) Margaret (b. 1797) m. James Hanna

MORE OF HIS HISTORY: His land grant, finalized on 15 October 1815, was in what is now Athens Township. (h) He lived in Cadiz for the last nine years of his life. (g)

REFERENCES:

- (a) Mrs. Orville Dailey, Ed., *Official Roster of the Soldiers of the American Revolution Who Lived in the State of Ohio, Roster I* (State Society DAR of Ohio), page 423.
- (b) Calculated using birth and death years.
- (c) "Cadiz Township Cemeteries" Harrison County Genealogical Society, (Cadiz, Ohio, 1989), pages 28 & 130.
- (d) William H. Egle, Ed., *Archives of Pennsylvania*, Third Series, Vol. XXIII, (Harrisburg, Pa.: William S. Ray, State Printer, 1887), page 308.
- (e) *ibid.*, Second Series, Vol. 14, page 722.
- (f) Charles A Hanna, *Historical Collections of Harrison County, in the State of Ohio*, (New York, Privately Printed, 1900) page 229.
- (g) "Harrison Telegraph" (Cadiz, Oh., 1 Oct 1823).
- (h) Hanna, *op. cit.*, page 229.

JOHN ROSS (lived and buried in Harrison County, Ohio.)

BORN: 3 September 1750 Ireland (a)

SON OF: unknown

DIED: 8 September 1833 Ohio (a) Milt 83 years (b)

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery, Cadiz, Ohio. (a, c)

MARKER: Moravian Trail Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution Memorial. (c)

MARRIED: (date at this time unknown)

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: John Ross was a Ranger on the Frontier, Militia Pennsylvania. (d)

Specific: He served as a private and ensign from 1778 to 1783. (d) John Ross received a pension for his Revolutionary War Service. (e)

RESIDED: This family lived in Washington County, Pennsylvania. About 1804 they settled within four miles of Cadiz, Ohio. (a)

WIFE: CHARLOTTE HATCHER (a)

BORN: unknown

DIED: unknown

BURIED: unknown

CHILDREN:

(1) Adam (died in War of 1812, Sandusky, OH) married Susannah Rowe (1779-1847 Moravian Ridge) (c)

(2) William (a) married Mary McKitoric

(3) John (a) married Mary Tipton

(4) James (1791-1878 Pugh) (War 1812) 1st marriage Martha Phillips (1799-1836 Pugh)
2nd marriage Jemima Hines (1809-1832 Pugh) (f)

(5) Hannah (a) married Samuel Osburn

(6) Eve married James Wagstaff(?) (a)

(7) Susannah (1798-1889) married Miles Tipton (a)

(8) Mary (a)

(9) Nacher married Sophie Arnold

MORE OF HIS HISTORY: John was a farmer in Cadiz Township. He died in Morgan County. He was living with one of his children. He is buried in Harrison County.

REFERENCES:

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(f) R Moore, "Moorefield & Nottingham Townships Cemeteries" Harrison County, Ohio, Genealogical Society, (Freeport: Privately Printed, 1987), page 196.

(g) J H. Beers. *Commemorative Biographical Record of the Counties of Harrison and Carroll, Ohio*. (Chicago: J.H. Beers & Co., 1891), pp 645, 646

CHARLES TIMMONS (lived and buried in Harrison County, Ohio.)

BIRTH: 1751 Pennsylvania (a) 1755 Charleston, South Carolina (b, c) (Note: The birth date and place of birth are not clear. Of the three sources two say 1755 and one 1751.)
SON OF: unknown
DIED: ca 1819 (d)
AGE: around 65 years
BURIED: The Associated Reformed Presbyterian or Old Cadiz Cemetery (d)
MARKER: yes
MARRIED: 11 September 1793 Frederick County, Maryland (e)

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION:

General: Private York County, Pennsylvania, Militia (f)

Specific: His name appears on the muster roll of Capt. Hugh Campbell's Company of the 2nd Battalion of York County, Pennsylvania, commanded by Col Robert McPherson on 17 September 1776 (f)

RESIDED: After the war he married and lived in Maryland. Around the start of the War of 1812 he and his family moved to Harrison County, Ohio. (b)

WIFE: MARY FORNEY DAUGHTER OF: Abraham and Susanna Forney (also Furney)

BORN: 1775 (g)

BORN: 5 August 1850

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery (g)

CHILDREN : (a & d)

- 1) Abraham (born, 11Aug1794) married 11Apr1816 Martha Dent
- 2) Eli (1796-1829) marriage 1 Naomi,
marriage 2 Mary Ann (1822-1848) Old Cadiz
- 3) William (born, 15 June 1798)
- 4) Charles (born, 28 Sep 1800-1801)
- 5) Catherine T. (1802-1831) Old Cadiz
- 6) Frederick (1805-1837) Old Cadiz married 1828 Eliza Lacy (10) Forney (1817-1886) married Elizabeth Lacy (1818-1898) Cadiz U
- 7) Emanuel (born, 9 May 1808 - not in mother's will)
- 8) Benjamin (1810-1898) married Mary Meek (1828-1903) Cadiz Union
- 9) Samuel (born, 1813)

MORE OF HIS HISTORY: Charles was a farmer and lived in Cadiz Township, Harrison Co., Ohio. His father-in-law sold him his household furnishings, livestock and other chattel when he went to Baltimore, Md., and then to Guernsey County, Ohio. Benjamin was born in Martinsburg, Va., in 1810 and Samuel appears to have been born in Harrison Co., OH, in 1813. Catherine, Frederick, Emanuel, Benjamin, Samuel, and Forney were minors when Charles died. Eli, Charles, Catherine, Frederick, and probably Emanuel died fairly young. (a & h)

There are several pages in Charles Hanna's book and the "Cadiz Township Cemeteries Book" that give information about the children.

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(d) "Cadiz Township Cemeteries" Harrison County Genealogical Society, (Cadiz: Privately Printed, 1989), page 31.

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CHARLES TIMMONS continued

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- (g) "Cadiz Township Cemeteries" page 32
- (h) Probate Charles Timmons Will, Harrison County, Ohio, Probate Records

WILLIAM WAGSTAFF (lived and buried in Harrison County, Ohio.)

BORN: 1752 Birmingham, Warwickshire, England. (a)

SON OF: Believed to be Thomas or Basil Wagstaff (b)

DIED: 28 May 1840 Harrison County, Ohio (c)

AGE: 88 years (d)

BURIED: Old Cadiz Cemetery, Cadiz, Ohio. (e)

MARKER: Moravian Trail Chapter of DAR Memorial.

MARRIED: 24 January 1783 Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania. (f)

SERVICE IN THE REVOLUTION: Pensioned (g)

General: Private Virginia Militia.

Specific: He entered service in October 1778 as a private and substitute for Wm. Olford serving under Capt. Guy Hamilton, Benjamin Harrison's Regiment of the Virginia Militia. He was discharged on 17 Mar 1779. (h)

RESIDED: Born in England, he was living in Rockingham County, Va., when he enlisted. (b) By 1780 he was in Cumberland County, Pa.(b) From the 1790 to the 1810 census he was in Robinson Township, Allegheny Co, Pa.(i) but moved to Harrison County, Ohio, around 1815. They lived on a farm in Archer Township., southeast quarter of Section 14, Township 11, Range 5. (j) About a year before he died, he sold the farm and bought a lot on Market Street in Cadiz.

WIFE: CHARITY SOUTHARD (f)

BORN: 1762

DIED: 3 August 1855 Guernsey Co, Oh. (k)

BURIED: Kimbolton Cemetery, Liberty Township, Guernsey Co., Ohio. (k)

MARKER: Yes

CHILDREN:

- (1) infant (1783-1783) (m)
- (2) Elizabeth married (1809) Alexander Edie (c & k)
- (3) Jerimia (1786-1811 Pa.) (k)
- (4) James married (1817) Eve Ross (Guernsey Co) (c & k)
- (5) infant (1794-1794) (c)
- (6) Joseph (1798-1875) married (1818) Elizabeth Williams (c & k) Anderson (c & k)
- (7) Mary (1799-1829)
- (8) William H. (b. 1801) married 1823 Minerva Johnson (c, k)
- (9) Daniel B. (b. 1803) married Matilda (c & k)
- (10) Edie Jane (b. 1805) married James Welsh (c & k)
- (11) John (b. 1806) married (1828) Mary I. Turner (c & k)
- (12) Robert (1808) married (1831) Sarah Duncan (c & k)
- (13) Matilda (1812) married (1837) Dr. Wm.

MORE OF HIS HISTORY: William Wagstaff was a farmer until he retired. Then, he moved to the Village of Cadiz. He belonged to the Moravian Trail Chapter of Veterans for the Revolutionary War.

REFERENCES:

- (a) Revolutionary War Pension Abstracts; "The Cross Road of Our Nation Records & Pioneer Families, Vol XXXVII 1996.
- (b) Ralph Wagstaff, "Wagstaff Family Chart" Naples, Florida 1969.
- (c) *Will Book B* ~ Harrison County, Ohio, Court of Common Pleas, Probate Division, page 13.
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- (j) Charles A. Hanna, *Historical Collections of Harrison County, in the State of Ohio*. (New York: Privately Printed, 1900) page 234.
- (k) Collected and documented material including gravestone inscriptions, marriage records, and census results, etc. from Jackie Wagstaff Medsker.

Note: Most of the compiling by Jackie Medsker with added information from Charles Wallace.