

## **== Original Biography of Jacob Frey == === (.pdf created on 21 August 2018) ===**

[Jacob was born] before 1640 in Gundetswil, Canton of Zurich, Switzerland

'''Jacob Frey'''

'''[[Frey-350|Jacob Frey]]''' (son of '''[[Frey-645|"Friedrich Frey"]]'') and '''[[Rudolph-149|"Maria Rudolph"]]'') was born before 1640 in Gundetswil, Canton of Zurich, Switzerland; died 1721 in Weiler, Kraichgau, Baden-Württemberg, Germany.<ref>Note: "Kraichgau Region"—formerly a part of the Palatinate, later a part of northern Baden; devastated in the Thirty Years' War, then settled in 1652 by Swiss Mennonite settlers from the Zürich Canton. From 1650 to 1679 settlements were established in the Electoral Palatinate area near Sinsheim. By 1691 Jacob Frey had relocated the family to Heilbronn on the Eastern edge of the Kraichgau Region, not far from Wimpfen and Bonfeld. "Weiler" is located South of Sinsheim and West of Heilbronn in the Kraichgau Region. "(see Google map, "Heartland of the Lower Palatinate")."</ref> Jacob married '''[[Hirtzeller-1|Anna Hirtzeller]]''' (daughter of '''Jacob Hirtzeller''') January 26, 1657 in Gundetswil, Canton of Zurich, Switzerland; born about 1638 in Hinterwil, Canton of Aargau, Switzerland; died in Baden, Province of Alsace.<ref>Source: "Sippenbuch" of Altenheim Evangelical Church.</ref>

The "Sippenbuch", or family history book, originating at the "Evangelical Church of Altenheim",<ref>The village of Altenheim is about twelve miles South of Strasbourg and forty-five miles distance from the capital city of Karlsruhe, Germany. The Altenheim Evangelical parish is very old; it became a Lutheran Evangelical Church in 1557. Altenheim church books start in 1634, and begin with extractions from church books for Ichenheim and an older Altenheim church book. The Ichenheim Catholic parish is also very old. The parish became Lutheran Evangelical in 1554-1629 and in 1649-1680.

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Note: Strasbourg is currently the capital and principal city of the Alsace region in eastern France and the seat of the European Parliament. Strasbourg's historic city centre, the "Grande Île" (Grand Island), is a UNESCO World Heritage site; it has been a site of coexistence between Catholic and Protestant cultures fused into a Franco-German culture for centuries — a "potential bridge of unity" between France and Germany. The Strasbourg Grand Mosque, inaugurated 27 September 2012, now stands as the largest Islamic place of worship in France. "(Another Grande place of worship in the Grande Île is the "Strasbourg Cathedral".)"</ref> lists family records that date back to the 1500's. Children of Jacob and Anna Frey were baptized there. "(see Google map, "Altenheim—Ichenheim, Neuried, Germany")"

Children of Jacob Frey and Anna Hirtzeller

("i") '''Johann Mathause Frey''' baptized November 15, 1657 in Altheim, Province of Alsace, Germany.<ref>This is the English representation of the location in the 17th Century. The

current English representation of the location is "Altenheim, Neuried, Germany". "(see detail on Google map, "Altenheim—Ichenheim, Neuried, Germany)".</ref>

("ii") ""[[Frey-351|Wilhelm (William) Frey]]"" born about 1658 in Altheim, Province of Alsace, Germany.

("iii") ""[[Frey-352|Andrew Frey]]"" born about 1659 in Altheim, Province of Alsace, Germany.

("iv") ""Elizabeth Frey"" born about 1660 in Altheim, Province of Alsace, Germany.

("v") ""Friedrich Frey"" baptized June 12, 1661 in Altheim, Province of Alsace, Germany.

("vi") ""Johann Jacob Friedrich Frey"" baptized June 12, 1661 in Altheim, Province of Alsace, Germany; burial in Baden, Province of Alsace, Germany.

("vii") ""[[Frey-353|Heinrich Frey]]"" baptized June 17, 1663 in Altheim, Province of Alsace, Germany; died 1734 in Zieglersville, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania; married ""[[Levering-62|Anna Maria Catherine Levering]]"" April 26, 1692 in Germantown, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania; born March 1673 in Mülheim, Germany, died 1754 in Germantown, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania.

("viii") ""[[Frey-354|Peter Frey]]"" born about 1666 in Altheim, Province of Alsace, Germany.

("ix") ""Catherine Frey"" born about 1675 in Altheim, Province of Alsace, Germany.

=== Notes ===

: Note <span id='H541'>H541</span>Records and research of Charles Burgess, co-founder of the Heinrich Frey Family Association -- from a birth certificate that appears to be for Heinrich.

== Citations ==

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\* Jacob Frey [Frey-350] adopted by [[Cunyngham-2|Jon Cunyngham]] on Feb 20, 2013.

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