

This is the start or at least the recorded history of the Ling Family name. As you will see the surname has changed many times even in the same family. Langk, Lange, Lang and in our case... Ling.

Nicol sen. Langk (sen. 'Senior') born about 1469 in Crottendorf, Saxony, Germany (The Free State of Saxony is a landlocked federal state of Germany, bordering the federal states of Brandenburg, Saxony Anhalt, Thuringia, and Bavaria, as well as the countries of Poland and the Czech Republic. Its capital is Dresden, and its largest city is Leipzig.) Crottendorf is a 4 hour drive ENE from Darmstadt.

Married 1498 Crottendorf, Annaberg, Chemnitz, Saxony, Germany. Strange that records show their marriage as being in more than one place since (Crottendorf is 9 miles WSW from Annaberg and Chemnitz is a 1 hour drive ESE from Annaberg.)

Wife, Frau Langk b. abt. 1475, They had one Child, **Nicol jun. Langk (jun, 'Junior')**. May have had more but no listing in records. No name for wife. Listed as Frau Langk (Frau: wife or married woman)

Nicol jun. Langk (jun. "Junior") born about 1499 Crottendorf, Saxony, Germany

Married 1528 Crottendorf, Annaberg, Chemnitz, Saxony, Germany

Wife, Frau Langk born about 1504, They too had one Child, **Nicolaus Langk**.

Nicolaus Langk born about 1529 Crottendorf, Saxony, Germany

Married 1556 Crottendorf, Annaberg, Chemnitz, Saxony, Germany

Wife, Frau Langk born about 1534, They too had one child, **Jorge-Georg Langk**.

Jorge-Georg Langk born about 1557 Crottendorf, Saxony, Germany

Married 1577 Crottendorf, Annaberg, Chemnitz, Saxony, Germany. Wife, Frau Langk born about 1557, They had two children, **Christoph Langk, our link** and Paulus Langk Senior.

Christoph Langk born 1579 Crottendorf, Annaberg, Chemnitz, Saxony, Germany

Listed as his occupation: KG Richter, ½ interest in an estate in Crottendorf... whatever that means.

Married 1615 Crottendorf, Saxony, Germany Wife, Frau Langk born about 1557, They had three children, Christoph Langk, Christian Langk and **Michael Lang, our link**.

Michael Lang June 1628 – 5/7/1699 Crottendorf, Chemnitz, Saxony, Germany

Married about 1650 to Rosina Barbara Hubrig, 2/13/ 1631 - 3/14/1690 Crottendorf, Chemnitz, Saxony, Germany They had 9 children. Marie, Christian, Gabriel, **Paul Lang, our link**, Anna Maria, Rosina, Johann George Lange, Magdalena Lange and Michael Lange junior.

Paul Lang 1/27/ 1666 – 5/27/1720 Crottendorf, Chemnitz, Saxony, Germany, Buried Crottendorf, Annaberg, Chemnitz, Saxony, Germany.

Married about 9/3/1699 to Maria Oeser, 12/26/1672 – 2/22/1704 Crottendorf, Chemnitz, Saxony. They had 3 children, Paulus jun. Lange, **Johann Christian Lang, our link** and Anna Dorothea Lang.

After Maria passed in 1704, Paul married Regina Meyer in 1705, Crottendorf, Saxony, Germany

Johann Christian Lang 3/18/1708 – 5/1/1755 Crottendorf, Chemnitz, Saxony, Germany

Married about 10/18/1733 to Maria Elisabeth Schoenherr, 9/13/1711 - 5/20/1759 Crottendorf, Annaberg, Chemnitz, Saxony, Germany. They had 5 children, Maria Rosina Lang, Anna Dorothea Lang, Johann Christian Lange, **Anthony "Anton" Ling, our link** and Johann Heinrich Lange.

Anthony Anton Ling born 3/25/1740 Darmstadt, Hessen, Germany died 4/1813 Stoney Creek Township, Somerset, Pennsylvania. Arrived in Baltimore in 1781. He is buried in the Ling Cemetery, Shade Township, Somerset, Pennsylvania.

Married Elizabeth Rad about 1764 in Darmstadt, Hessen, Germany. Elizabeth was born in Germany about 1740 died 5/813 in

Stoney Creek, Somerset, PA. They had 8 children, Peter, **Johannes (John)**, Margaret. Maria Elizabeth, Christian Sr. Philip, Jacob and Doan.

Johannes (John) Ling born 1767 Hesse-Darmstadt, Germany died 1830 Bedford, Bedford, PA.

Married Julianna Catherine Eiler about 1781, Manheim, York, PA. Julianna was born in 1755 in Hanover, York, PA and died on 4/25 1820 in Bedford, Bedford, PA. They had 10 children, Daniel, Jacob, Margaret, Elizabeth Catherine, Isaac, Catherine, John, **Christian**, Anthony and Conrad.

Christian Ling born 2/13/1803 Bedford, PA died 5/3/1873

Married Elizabeth Imler born about 1827, in Bedford PA. They had 12 children, Mary A., Catherine, **Isaac Neil**, Sarah, Julia Ann, William H, Leah, Louisa, Barbara, Elizabeth, and twin daughters that died at birth in 1853. Elizabeth was born 2/16/1807 In Bedford, PA. Died 5/31/1872 in Bedford and is buried in Hoover Cemetery, Alum Bank, Bedford PA. There is a town in PA called Imler, not sure if Her family founded same or not.

Isaac Neil Ling born 12/13/1832 Bedford, PA d. 11/5/1898 Bedford, PA. Buried Spruce hollow, Bedford Pa Mt. Union

Married Delilah Hammer 11/20/1856 Delilah was born 11/30/1838 Bedford and died 3/6/1901 Bedford. They had 9 Children, Alexander Hammer, William Richard, Christian, **Hezekiah Nicodemus**, Margaret, Isaac Neil, Catherine, Rebecca Mae, Charles Clark.

Hezekiah Nicodemus Ling born 8/2/1868 Bedford. Died 8/28/1952 San Bernardino CA. Buried in Glendale, CA (Forest LawnI would assume)

Married Elizabeth Belle Gordon 11/22/1893 Bedford PA. They had three children, **Charles Clyde**, Delilah Ann and Mary Lethian. Belle, as she was called was born on 5/11/1877 in Pavia, Bedford PA, which was where they were married as well. She passed on 6/13/1959 In Los Angeles, and is buried in Forest Lawn in Glendale as well. I, Dennis, was a pallbearer.

Charles Clyde Ling, born 6/10/1894 in Paint Township, Somerset, PA. He died in 1977 in Tehachapi CA.

He married Mae Bell Beers (no date) Then married Edna Mae Albert born 11/7/1899 PA, died 1970 Lancaster CA.

Mae and Clyde had three Children, **George Hezekiah**, Clyde Jr. and Sally (Stamm). Clyde and Edna Mae had no children together.

George Hezekiah Ling, born 8/29/1917 in Windber, Somerset, PA died 4/11/1995 In Riverside, CA

Married Helena Maree Jansz in 1939 in Santa Monica, CA. They had four children, **Dennis**, Valerie, Martha and Cynthia. They divorced in 52. He married Aldene Greer in 56, She died in a car crash in 58. They were coming home from a Xmas party and were having an argument. He crashed his 58 Corvette into Avens Furniture store. Married Ruby in 61 and moved to Albuquerque and divorced sometime in the late 60's. According to his father, Clyde Ling, they had a fight and George shot holes in the refrigerator. He then married Becky in the late 60's in Albuquerque then moved to Sylmar Ca., where George opened a gas station. Becky was very jealous of George and in 73 she committed suicide. They lived in a trailer park. Mildred was a friend of theirs at the trailer park and when Becky died he married Mildred. They lived together in Perris Ca, until his death in 1995.

Dennis Roy Ling, born 3/26/1940 Los Angeles, CA

Married Dale Denise Andre in 1967 in Lancaster CA and divorced in 73 after moving to Northridge Ca., they had 1 child, Adrienne Cheri Ling Jones.

He was also married to Sharon Bessie Ryker in 1976. They divorced in 1982.

And here we come to the end of this Ling link. And probably not such a bad thing since starting with Clyde, marriage was not a stable commitment. George took it to new levels with 5 wives.

Anthony Ling was born 3-25-1740 and Dennis, 3-26-1940, 200 years and done. WOW!