JOURNAL OF ANDREW CHAPMAN

From Vickie Connor This is not a family Bible. This is a journal that was handed down through the generations. It has the birth and marriage dates of some of the first Chapmans to arrive in Monroe/Barren area of Kentucky. It also has business transactions with some of the local people.

NOTES TAKEN FROM THE JOURNAL OF ANDREW CHAPMAN Page 1

"On the 12th day of November 1778 **John Chapman & Elizabeth Kelley** were married by the Reverend Mr. Thomas Chase."

"John Chapman son of Robert & Margret Chapman was born December 1, 1747."
"Elizabeth Kelley daughter of Charles & Sarah Kelley was born February the 28th 1753."
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"On the 12th day of November 1778 **John Chapman & Elizabeth Kelley** were married by the Reverend Mr. Thomas Chase."

"James Chapman son of John and Elizabeth Chapman was born February 18,1780"

"Robert Chapman, son of John & Elizabeth Chapman was born July the 20th 1781."

"Mary Chapman daughter of John & Elizabeth Chapman was born June 7 1783."

"David Chapman son of John & Elizabeth Chapman was born September 6th 1785."

"Helen Chapman daughter of John & Elizabeth Chapman was born March 12th 1787." Page 3

"John Chapman, son of John & Elisabeth Chapman was born July the 29th 1789." "**Joshua Chapman, son of John & Elisabeth Chapman** was born March the 20th 1791." "On the 3rd day of August 1800 **Robert Lane & Mary Chapman** was married by the Reverend Mark Withers."

"Elizabeth Lane daughter of Robert & Mary Lane was born January the 24th 1801." "John Lane son of Robert & Mary Lane was born August the 11th 1802."

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"March the ...1806...**Helen Chapman & Isaac Murry** were married by the Reverend Mr Jonathan..."

"July the 5th 1807, Elizabeth Murry daughter of Isaac & Helen was born."

"Rachel Murry daughter of Isaac & Helen Murry was born January (FEB) 3rd? 1809."

"Thomas Murry son of Isaac & Helen Murry was born March the 10th 1811."

"Mary Murry daughter of Isaac & Helen was born Febuary the? 1815."

"Martha Murry daughter of Isaac & Helen Murry was born Febuary the? 1815."

"Lucinda Murry daughter of Isaac & Helen Murry was born March the 7th 1817." Page 5

"On the 2nd day of ?1806 **David Chapman & Rhoda Hale** was married by the Reverend Mr Jonathan Muthey."

"Mary Chapman daughter of David and Rhoda Chapman was born June the 4th 1807."

"Nicholas Chapman son of David & Rhoda Chapman was born March the 15th 1809."

"Malinda Chapman daughter of David & Rhoda Chapman was born July 22 1811."

"Elizabeth Chapman daughter of David & Rhoda Chapman was born April 17, 1814."

"Ruth Chapman daughter of David & Rhoda Chapman was born September 21, 1816."

"Margret Chapman daughter of David & Rhoda Chapman was born May 19th 1819."

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- "Kisiah Chapman daughter of David & Rhoda Chapman was born August 15th 1822."
- "Sarah L (K) Chapman daughter of David & Rhoda Chapman was born August the 31st 1825."

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- "On the ? day of October, 18__Robert Chapman & Anna Martin were married by the reverend Mr. Jonathan....."
- "Anna Martin daughter of James and Elizabeth Martin was born January the 19,1788."
- "James Chapman son of Robert and Anna Chapman was born August the 20th 180?.
- "Sarah Chapman daughter of Robert & Anna Chapman was born October 18th 1809."
- "Elizabeth Chapman daughter of Robert & Anna Chapman was born March the 18th 1811."
- "Mary Chapman daughter of Robert & Anna chapman was born November 8th 1812."
- "Anna Chapman the daughter of Robert & Anna was born December the 16th 1814." Page 8
- "Martha Chapman daughter of Robert & Anna was born October the 5th 1816."
- "John Chapman son of Robert & Anna Chapman was born September the 22nd 1818."
- "Isaac M Chapman son of Robert & Anna Chapman was born April the 17th 1820."
- "Melinda Chapman daughter of Robert & Anna Chapman was born May 22nd 1822."
- "Hanna Boon Chapman daughter of Robert & Anna Chapman was born October the 11th 1824."

Taken from Andrew Chapman's journal:

- "November 1819 Redmon Cruse ct (credit?) to one gallon and a half of Brandy one dollar fifty cents."
- "Read by the hand of George Cruse one gallon of whiskey 25 cents of the above account."
- "June the 1st 1822 William Jackson ct to twenty one pounds of Bacon one dollar seventy cents."
- "William Jackson ct by breaking flax one (dollar?) seventy five cents."

(The following entries are X'd out: debts paid?)

- "May the seventh 1832 David Chapman ct to John Chapman to borrow money six dollars sixty two and a half cents."
- "To 50 fifty cents paid me Norman."
- "July 27th 1831 James Marmertry (sp?) to twenty five pounds of Bacon two dollars fifty cents."
- "Read by the hand of Owin Biggers one dollar fifty cents of the above account."
- "Read the whole amount by Jesse Biggers"
- "May 1832 (22?) William Dewhitt cr by fifty six pounds of bacon five dollars sixty cents."
- "William Dewhitt cr by two dollars sixty two and a half cents."
- "By one dollar in silver"
- "By seventy 5 cents"
- "August 1822 Richard Lamb cr to John Chapman to one gun four dollars in silver."
- "six pounds of coffee one dollar 50 cents

two.....hankercheifs 75 cents

two files 25 cents

three pounds of coffee 75 cents

seven....cotton one dollar ?? cents

one...knife 121/2 cents

spinning.....one dollar one yard callico 25 cents bushel salt one dollar (signed by) David H Chapman

January 12th 1849 Erastus Ferguson dbt to James Chapman 75 cents for wagon and steers."

James Chapman born 1780 will

"In the name of God, I James Chapman being old and feeble in body but sound in mind make this my last will and testamony that upon my death, my wife Mary is to have of my property as....1st. She shall have the best bed and sted and sufficient....cloths for the same and this best chest that I own and...the bed cloths that she brought to my house and all she has made since she has been living with . This I desire, she is to have and her maintainance all provided for her, fully shown in a deed and obligation between me and Robert Chapman. This 2nd day of March 1867. James Chapman

Witnessed by: John B Page Hiram K Chapman