## **Generation 1**

 PRICE<sup>1</sup> KEY was born on 03 Jun 1754 in Mataponi,VA. He died on 14 Jul 1829 in Barren CO, KY,USA. He married SARAH MCQUEEN on 17 Mar 1786 in Fauquier CO, VA, USA. She was born about 1762 in VA. She died on 07 Sep 1855 in Clark CO, KY,USA.

Notes for Price Key: Family data from a family tree by Scott D Kendall

Price fought for 6 years in the Revolutionary War. He was a private and served in Captain Stubblefield's company in Col. Peachy's VA regiment. Later he was a Sargent in Col. White's regiment. He served as an orderly.

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Corp. Va. Line, born about 1758. Entered service Spring of 1775 in Spotsylvania Co., Va. On Oct. 6, 1820, he is living in Clarke Co., Ky and has a wife about 60 years old and a son 16 or 17 years. Pension began May 25, 1818, certificate issued Nov. 25, 1819. Died Jly 14, 1829 in Barren Co, Ky

Notes for Sarah McQueen: From Barren County

KEY, SARAH (Widow of Price Key)

Born 1761, maiden name Sarah McQueen. Sarah McQueen and Price Key married March 17, 1786 in Fauquier Co., Va. Alexander Key aged 66 testifies Oct. 10, 1839 in Mason Co., Ky that he remembers when his uncle Price Key was married to Sarah McQueen. That Price Key and his family moved to Ky in the fall of 1792 and that he visited his uncle Price Key in Clarke Co., Ky. On Oct. 10, 1839 in Mason Co., Ky Peyton R. Key states that he remembers his uncle Price Key came to the home of Deponent's father in the uniform of a soldier and that after the war Price Key lived at the home of the deponent's father. The clerk of the court in Mason Co., Ky who took the depositions of Alexander Key and Peyton R. Key was Marshall Key. On July 3, 1855, Anderson Johns and Salley Ann Pettit give testimony in Montgomery Co., Ky and Anderson Johns being son-in-law of Sarah Key and Salley Ann Pettit being daughter of Anderson Johns and granddaughter of Sarah Key

Price Key and Sarah McQueen had the following children:

JUDITH ANN<sup>2</sup> KEY was born in 1788 in VA. She died in 1846 in Glascow twp, Barren CO, KY,USA. She married JAMES BENNETT on 26 Jan 1820 in Clark CO, KY, USA. He was born about 1775 in Culpepper County,VA. He died on 25 Jan 1850 in Barren County,KY.

Notes for Judith Ann Key: Information furnished by Carlene Trouth

- ii. NANCY KEY was born in 1789 in VA. She died in 1882 in Powell,KY. She married ANDERSON JOHNS in 1811 in KY. He was born about 1789 in VA. He died on 05 Apr 1858 in Montgomery County,KY, USA.
- iii. MARY KEY was born in 1791 in VA.
- iv. HARRISON KEY was born in 1796 in Clark CO, KY, USA. He died before 1820.
- v. MARSHALL SCOTT KEY was born on 16 Sep 1799 in Clark CO, KY, USA. He died on 19 Jan 1879 in Wyalusing, Grant, Wisconsin, USA. He married SARAH SCHOLL in 1820 in KY. She was born on 13 Mar 1804 in KY. She died on 19 Jun 1882.

Notes for Marshall Scott Key: Research by Aaron Feaver

Marshall married Sally Scholl, both natives of Kentucky. They moved to Griggsville County, Illinois with the Scholl family in 1825. The family became active in the life of the community, and in 1838 Marshall Key became involved in an

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election contest for constable of Griggsville, Illinois. Marshall, a democrat and pro\_slavery was opposed by D.F. Coffey, a whig who was anti\_slavery. A hot contest ensued resulting in the election of Coffey. The Key forces resented the results and alleged fraud. Opposing candidates came to blows.

The Marshall Key family left Griggsville in 1841 for the territory of Wisconsin and located near Montfort. From there they moved on to Lancaster and Beetown where he engaged in lead mining for many years. During his later years, Marshall farmed and ran a saw mill in Sandy Hollow, near Bagley.

vi. JOHN WILLIAM KEY was born in 1805. He married LOUISA SCHOLL on 22 Oct 1825 in Clark CO, KY, USA.