

R.135 FAMILY GROUP SHEET OF THE REV. WILLIAM HILL JR 2/ OF  
SURRY, GUILFORD, ROCKINGHAM COUNTIES OF NC.

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Sources of Information: Constructed from bits and pieces of  
the book "East GOES West. by Alta Craft, deceased, Auto  
Biography of Abner Hill & DAR files.

Note: I have used the book "East Goes West," by Alta Craft  
(now deceased) because it agrees with all other publications  
I found, plus the fact that a lot of the book was devoted to  
the family of William Hill Sr 1/ & wife, Susannah Smithers.

This book briefly mentions a possibility of two marriages for  
Reverend William Hill Jr 2/, but later research shows that  
Reverend William Hill only married once, to Elizabeth  
Halbert.

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REV. WILLIAM HILL JR 2/.

BORN: ca 1738 in Caroline Co., Va.

MARRIED: Elizabeth Halbert between 1764 & 1767

DIED: ca. January/February 1785.

FATHER: William Hill SR 1/ MOTHER: Susannah Smithers

WIFE:

ELIZABETH HALBERT

BORN: ca. 1747 Caroline Co., Va.

DIED: AFTER 1811 IN NC.

FATHER: Joel Halbert Sr. MOTHER: Elizabeth Frances Jones

1. John (Big John) Hill 3/, b. ca, 1767 in Caroline County,  
Va., was included OR mentioned in several transactions of  
his father's estate as being one of the heirs . On the  
17th October 1797, he was living in Davidson Co., TN.  
when he sold a tract of land on Ash Camp Creek, NC,  
QUOTE: "which is entitled to as one of the heirs of Rev.  
William Hill, deceased." End of Quote. He d, ca. 1829-  
1830 in Wayne Co., TN.
2. James Hill 3/, b. ?? (ca, 1768-70 in Va or NC??).
3. William Hill 3/, b. 23rd September 1773 in Surry Co., NC,  
m. Sarah Geddy. A second marriage to a widow Blount. He  
died in Raleigh, NC on 29th October 1859.
4. Elizabeth Hill 3/, b. ?? (ca. 1775) in Surry Co., NC,  
listed as a minor in 1792 court records (Aproximately age  
17?). She m. John Moore in 1795, possibly named after  
mother or maternal grandmother, Elizabeth Frances Jones.  
A DAR Application (Number 129796, dated 25th April 1906,  
submitted by Mamie Moore Willis, was the great great  
granddaughter. She states Elizabeth Hill was the  
daughter of REV. Wm. HILL & Hannaniah (sic) Halbert.

5. Cynthia Hill 3/ b. ca. 1776 in Surry Co., NC, was a minor in 1792 court records, (Aproximately age 16?). She m. a Mr. Crawford and they moved to TN.
6. Frances (Frankey) Hill 3/, b. 1778 in Surry Co., NC, was a minor in 1792 court record, (Aproximately age 14?). She m. Major Mark Hardin of US ARMY PAYMASTER during the Seminole Indian War. This was verified by their great granddaughter on the 12th of June 1903 (Application NO. 44735). It states Frances was the daughter of QUOTE: "William Hill & Hannaniah Halbert." End of quote. She appears to have been named after her maternal grandmother, Elizabeth Frances Jones.
7. Green Hill 3/, b. ca. 1782 in Surry Co., NC, m. Nancy Mitchel in Wake Co., NC. He died in Wake Co., NC. "Early Families of Rockingham County," DAR Files in Tennessee and University of NC Library and a FGS by Winifred Jacob shows he married Nancy Mitchell on 19th June 1803.
8. Mary (Polly) Hill married Osborne Childress.

Note: The DAR Applications that list the wife of Reverend William Hill Jr 2/ as Hannah or Hannaniah is wrong. Her name was simply Elizabeth Halbert.

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