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S Watts's DNA falls in Family Group C (Henry Prewit of 1654)

A belated welcome to S. Watts who's DNA falls in Family Group C (Henry of Henrico). The manually entered DNA was over-looked and put in "The Not Assigned Group" until yesterday.

[Ancestry.com](#) only uses 32 markers of S watts's 67 FamilyTree markers and we have found that the 7 MRCA value might actually be lower if the Ancestry 46 marker test was used. Anyhow, a 7 MRCA in this large group is very good.

S Watts, I hope you will let us know a little about yourself and your family history. Also, feel free to comment on any of our past discussions, etc. We have a lot of knowledgeable people and there is a file on your family in our file section called "Descendants of Henry Prewit 1654".

Comments



S Watts Dec 2, 11

Thank you! The Photo I am using as my avatar is of Greenberry Watts. The DNA is my husbands line. He is descended from Greenberry Watts b. 1839 in Allen County Ky. I was told that Greenberry was the son of Moses or Aaron Watts, but could not find a male of his age in their households. Greenberry lived with his grandmother Judah Watts and her daughters Rachel and Elizabeth Watts. I finally pushed for the DNA test and when it matched Pruitt, I took a look at the neighborhood surrounding these women. Pruitt families were all around. So I still don't know which Pruitt, but I know much more than I did before the test. Trying to be brief, hope this makes sense!



John W. Pruett-VA DF13 Dec 2, 11

Through DNA we know Henry Prewit's family is also related to several other families (Belue, Attaway and Chumley).

Marcia McClure has the most knowledge of this line and might be able to tell you about the surrounding Pruitt families. I hope she will post a reply.



Marcia McClure Dec 2, 11

Oh my yes! Greenberry is surrounded by descendants of David and Amey Bright Pruett through their son Moses B. The group seems to have had a spinning and weaving business going on. Wonder if Elizabeth, age 50, living with him in 1860 wasn't his mother?

Judah's husband was Drury Watts and they lived next to a younger Moses Pruett in 1810 in Warren Co, KY. (Allen was formed from Warren Co in 1815) Judah was born in SC. David Pruett lived in Pendleton District in 1790 next to his son Drury. There were Watts in Pendleton at the time.

Drury and Judah/Judith were not all that common of names but both were used in the Pruett/Prewitt family. I wonder if the connection between these families isn't deeper?



Sharon Brogdon Mar 27, 12

Marcia, please tell me how the Attaway family relates. I see all the near matches to my brother Randy Attaway whose test is listed on this site.



John W. Pruett-VA DF13

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