In the year 1790, living in Surry Co., N. C., the present day county seat is Danbury - was a James Rainwater who had six children.

And John Rainwater lived in present day Columbia, N. C., and had no children; but had seven (7) slaves.

Moses Rainwater lived in Johnston County, N. C., and had six children.

William Rainwater was born in N. C. in 1774. William married Patsy Hodge. They settled on a farm west of Faubush, Kentucky in 1813 which is now owned by Charley Roberts. William and Patsy had eleven (11) children - James, Bartholomew, Patsy, John, Miles, Abraham, William, Susanna, Besty, Sukey, Anson.

In 1820, William Rainwater had a brother, Abraham Rainwater, who lived in Pulaski County. There was Elizabeth Rainwater born in 1769 and lived in Pulaski County in 1850 who was 81 years old.

There was also a Rainwater who fought in the Battle of San Jacinto in 1836 when Texas won its independence from Mexico.

John and Miles Rainwater had a brother, William, who was called Billy. Billy moved over into Casey County and reared his family. There is no record of Billy's family.

James Rainwater died in the Black Hills of North Dakota back when Dakota had their Gold Rush Days.

There was also a Silas Rainwater killed in the Civil War.

There was a Perry Milton Rainwater that lived at Faubush, Kentucky and had three (3) sons: Willis Rainwater, Jesse Rainwater, and John Rainwater.

There was also a Peter Rainwater who went to Texas to live and died there at the age of middle 90's.

Stanton Rainwater, father of Wesley Oliver Rainwater and grandfather of Jesse Rainwater, Perce Rainwater, and Charles Rainwater.

Emoach Rainwater was the father of William Hanson Rainwater and the grandfather of Oscar, Herbert, and Hershel Rainwater - and great grandfather of Walter Rainwater who lives about five miles west of Nancy on Highway 80 at this date - 6-22-67.

Daniel Rainwater was the father of Bart and Warner Rainwater.

There was also a George Willis Rainwater and a Perry Rainwater who were brothers and their father was Stanton Pierce Rainwater.

There was a John L. Rainwater and a Joe Rainwater who were brothers.

John L. Rainwater had two (2) sons, Willard and Harrison Rainwater and one (1) girl, Vida.
Willis Rainwater was a brother to Perry Rainwater and had five (5) boys: Virgil Rainwater, Oliver Rainwater, George Rainwater, Edd Rainwater, Orvil Rainwater and one (1) girl — Lucy (Rainwater) Thomas.

Martha Rainwater — born June 7, 1836 — died Aug. 16, 1898 — was the wife of William Harrison Rainwater.


W. H. Rainwater — Nov. 29, 1865—1909.


Carthel Spruken Rainwater was a son of Rev. Fountain Rainwater.


Mary E. Rainwater — Nov. 2, 1855 — died Oct. 5, 1941.

Anna Rainwater, wife of D. M. Rainwater — March 22, 1829—August 28, 1898.


Mary Rainwater — wife of Warren Rainwater — born July 9, 1865 — died 6-12-62.


George Alfred Rainwater was a son of John Rainwater and a brother of Giles Rainwater. George Alfred Rainwater married Susan Garner in March 1867 and their children:


John Madison Rainwater — born April 1, 1869 and married Bertha Sharp — died Aug. 1941.


James Howard Rainwater — born Jan. 1, 1874 — died Jan. 24, 1891 at Grand Farrie, Texas. He was barely 17 years old.


Margaret Isabel — born Dec. 9, 1879 — died April 17, 1903. Never married.

Giles Alfred — born Dec. 24, 1881 — married Myrtle Lupton, they had two (2) children — Lucy lives near Wright City, Oklahoma and Susie lives in Kansas City. Giles died Feb. 25, 1945.
John Rainwater 1811-89 - Wife, Elizabeth Lawless

CHILDREN: Giles R. - George Alfred, Nancy, Susanna.

Miles Rainwater 1818-87 - (brother to John Rainwater) - Wife, Frances Channing

CHILDREN: Silas - Erasmus, Betsy, Terrell, David, Mary E., Fountain, Frances, Octavia, Sarah Ann, James.

Giles Rainwater 1844-1920 - married Sarah Emerson 1862 - they had eight children:

CHILDREN: Tilitha - born March 6, 1863
Daniel - born April 26, 1865
Matilda - born April 22, 1867
Pasty - born November 12, 1869
John Silas - born April 21, 1872
Durham - born July 18, 1874
George Mitchell - born May 22, 1879
Herbert - born July 16, 1882

Daniel P. Rainwater 1865-1913 - Wife, Serena Henson 1865-1910

CHILDREN: Elbert Lee - 1886-1913
Johnnie - 1888-1966
Hettie Rainwater Barber - 1890-1964
Joseph - 1893
Everett - 1896-1913 - Ella 1896
Sarah Rainwater Greenwell - 1898
Ruth Rainwater Irving - 1900
Ralph Rainwater (a half brother) - 1913


CHILDREN: Dovie Rainwater Groover - Aug. 6, 1901
Arthur L. Rainwater - Sept. 17, 1903
Orville R. Rainwater - Jan. 5, 1906
Artie D. Rainwater - July 9, 1908
Joe Earl Rainwater - Oct. 31, 1910
Charles Edward Rainwater - April 17, 1913
Ruby E. Rainwater Flanagin - June 6, 1916
Mary Juanita Rainwater Williams - Sept. 25, 1920
John Silas Rainwater, Jr. - Jan. 19, 1924

Durham Rainwater - June 18, 1874-1944 - wife, Hattie Vest

CHILDREN: Bertha
Clay - 12-4-05
Ernest
Cecil - 6-15-09
Ulen - 11-16-11

Frisie - 2-12-13
Hazel - 8-17-15
Vertis - 6-1-19
Ethridge - 12-15-21
Alden - 6-24-24
Orville - 10-31-26
Miles Rainwater (B 5/5/1898 S 11/17/1974

David Rainwater died when his son wasn't even 2 years old.
So I am going to give who his wife married the 2nd time.

Mother married Elliott Bucker Watson.
John's half brother and sisters.

Mary E. Watson - 1877-1878.
George G. (Dudly) Watson - 1881-
Myrtle S. Watson - 1883-

John Siles Rainwater - Wife; Martha Jane Bault married 1891.

CHILDREN, GRAND CHILDREN, AND GREAT GRAND CHILDREN
Children - Cornellia Rainwater, 1918-. Married Kenneth Hughes.
Their Children - William Fred Hughes - 1942-
Linda Diane Hughes - 1943-

Child - Christine Frances Vaughan-1926-. Married Raymond H. Conrad-
1945.

Their Children - Sherry Elaine Conrad - 1946-
Elena Rae Conrad - 1954-

Children - Robert Jasper Rainwater-1921-. Married Nadine Newton-1947-
Coy Samuel Rainwater-1921-. Married Elizabeth Allen Smith-
1949.

Robert's Children - Janellen Rainwater-1948-.
Robert Lewis Rainwater-1949-.
Coy's Children - Teresa Jane Rainwater-1950-.
Tonya Ann Rainwater-1952-.

2nd Wife - Dorthy Roots-married 1934.
James Clay Rainwater-1939-. Married Barbara Franklin-
1957.

Child - Jewel Nell Rainwater-1960-
Betty Lou Rainwater-1941-. Married James Rucker-1966-
Louis Wayne Rainwater-1944-. Married Linda Shofner-
1961.

Child - Anthony Wayne Rainwater-1964-

Ras Manford Rainwater-1902-. Wife - Lillian Ford married 1921.
Children - Madeline Rainwater-1921-. Married Willie Bob Gave-1939.
Their Children - Morris Manford Gave-1940-
Leslie Wood Gave-1942-
Earnest Rainwater-1923-. Married Agnes Perkins-1946-
Their Children - Glenda Jane Rainwater-1947-.
Harold Wendall Rainwater-1949-

Laila Mae Rainwater-1925-. Married Frances Mitchell-1949-
Child - Larry Bell-1955-.
John Dee Rainwater-1928-. Married Frances Mitchell-1949-.  
Children: Johnnie Thomas Rainwater-1951.  
Pattie Lolis Rainwater-1953.  
Oena Lee Rainwater-1956.  
Eva Sue Rainwater-1958.  
Helen Frances Rainwater-1930-. Married Cecil Sharp-1951.  
Children: Gary Wayne Sharp-1953-.  
Linda Diane Sharp-1955-.  
Rosaline Rainwater-1932-. Married Cameron Sprowles-1953.  
Children: Michael Keith Sprowles-1955-.  
Michele Kime Sprowles-1959-.  
Jeffrey Glenn Sprowles-1962-.  
Shellie Ann Rainwater-1965-.  
Children: William Dennis Rainwater-1961-.  
Karen Renee Rainwater-1966-.  
Barbara Rainwater-1942-. Married Donald Sluggs-1960.  
Children: Timothy Ray Rainwater-1964-.  
David Lynn Rainwater-1965-.  
Walter Rainwater-1905-. Wife Hattie Harrison married 1935.  
Children: David Eugene Corbin-1959-.  
Roger Lee Corbin-1960-.  
Child: Pamela Bright-1965-.  
Children: Thomas Neal Poff-1958-.  
Pheleas Kay Poff-1960-.  
Arlene Rainwater-1941-. Married David Herron-1961.  
Children: Rhonda Herron-1962-.  
Carla Herron-1964-.  
Child: Lisa Humphries-1964-.  
Walter Douglas Rainwater-1948-.  
Ronald Keith Rainwater-1950-.  
Joanna Rainwater-1952-.  
Millie Annice Rainwater-1908-. Married Husband Roy Canada-1930.  
Children: David Utah Canada-1939-. Married Helen Colvin-1964.  
Child: Deewayne Utah Canada-1965-.  

This was done on Feb. 10, 1967.

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These people live in Taylor Co.  
But Millie Rainwater is buried in a little Graveyard just West of Flordale.
William Frederick Rainwater - born July 6, 1887 - married Lottie Garner.
Perry Rainwater lived at old Harrison near Faubush, Kentucky - had one (1) son, Sam Rainwater, who lives at Monticello, Illinois.

Sarah Ann Rainwater - married Ben Dause and they had one (1) girl, Etter, who married John Ed Jasper and now lives at Cain Store, Kentucky. Etter was a granddaughter of Miles Rainwater.

Etter is now 80 and she died in 1970

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