

## *Descendants of John Crossman*

### *Generation No. 1*

1. JOHN<sup>1</sup> CROSSMAN was born 1588 in Somersetshire, England, and died Jan 26, 1687/88 in Newport, Newport Co., RI.

Notes for JOHN CROSSMAN:

Per SAVAGE'S Genealogical Dictionary of New England Settlers, v. 1  
CROSSMAN. JOHN, Taunton, one of the first purchasers about 1639, had Robert.

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from Mass. Colonial Records - Oct 31, 1651, Book 3, p 257.

"Whereas the court and jury did not agree in John Crossman's case who is now a prisoner for blasphemy and so it necessarily coming to the court on a full hearing of the case upon evidence given in due order and determine as follows - That the said Crossman be severly whipped in open market place and immediately after to be burnt in his forehead with the letter 'B' and also be banished forever out of our juristiction."

More About JOHN CROSSMAN:

Religion: 1654, Banned from Providence for Unorthodox Quaker views

Child of JOHN CROSSMAN is:

2. i. ROBERT<sup>2</sup> CROSSMAN, b. About 1621, England; d. Oct 1692, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. ROBERT<sup>2</sup> CROSSMAN (*JOHN*<sup>1</sup>) was born About 1621 in England<sup>1</sup>, and died Oct 1692 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>2,3</sup>. He married (1) SARAH KINGSBURY May 25, 1652 in Dedham, Norfolk Co., MA<sup>4,5,6</sup>, daughter of JOSEPH KINGSBURY and MILLICENT AMES. She was born 1635 in England, and died Nov 24, 1686 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA. He married (2) MARTHA BILLINGTON About Dec 07, 1687 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>7</sup>, daughter of FRANCIS BILLINGTON and CHRISTIAN PENN. She was born About 1638 in Plymouth, Plymouth Co., MA<sup>8</sup>, and died 1695<sup>9</sup>.

Notes for ROBERT CROSSMAN:

From Pope's Pioneers of Massachusetts:

"CROSSMAN, Robert, Dedham, townsman, 1642; before General Court 10 May 1642. Had liberty to erect a water-mill in 1652 but declined. He married 25 (3) 1652 Sarah Kingsbury. Children John, born March 16, 1654, Mary, born July 16, 1655, Robert, born August 3, 1657, Joseph, born April 25, 1659, Nathaniel, born August 7, 1660, Eleazer, born March 16, 1663, died October 26, 1667, Elizabeth, born May 2, 1665, Samuel, born July 25, 1667, Mercy, born March 20, 1669, Thomas, born October 6, 1671, Susanna, born February 14, 1672. He removed to Taunton. Administration of his estate was granted 26 November 1692 to John Crossman and John Thrasher. The estate was divided 25 July 1696, to his children John, Robert, Sarah (Woodward), Mary (Gould), Elizabeth (Hayward), Samuel and Mercy (Thresher) and to the children of son Joseph, deceased.

Per SAVAGE'S Genealogical Dictionary of New England Settlers, v. 1

CROSSMAN. ROBERT, Taunton, son of John, perhaps born in England by wife Sarah had John, born 16 March 1654; Mary, 16 July 1655, who married 24 August 1673, John Gould; Robert, 3 August 1657; Joseph, 25 April 1659; Nathaniel, 7 August 1660; Eleazer, 16 March 1663, died young; Elizabeth 2 May 1665; Samuel, 25 July 1667; Mercy, 20 March 1669 or 1670; Thomas, 6 October 1671; Susanna, 14 February 1673. Nathaniel was killed by the Indians 8 March 1676, at Wrentham.

Per FARMER'S Genealogical Register of the First Settlers of New England

CROSSMAN, ROBERT, member of the artillery company, 1644.

from "Abstracts of Bristol County, Massachusetts Probate Records 1687-1745" compiled by H.L. Peter Rounds,

C.G.; vol. 1

Appointment of John Crossman & John Thresher, both of Taunton, as administrators of Estate of ROBERT CROSSMAN of Taunton, dated 26 November 1692 [probably 1:34 as falls between 1:33 and 1:35]

Prenuptial Agreement between ROBERT CROSSMAN of Taunton, Carpenter, & Martha Eatton of Bristol, widow, dated 7 Dec 1687. Witnesses: Edmond Ranger & Richard Smith [1:72]

Inventory of Estate of ROBERT CROSSMAN, Sr. of Taunton, dated 17 October 1692. Widow Martha Crossman too aged & infirm to come to court. Appraisers: James Leonard & Thomas Dean [1:73]

Division of Estate of ROBERT CROSSMAN of Taunton, between his sons & daughters, dated 29 June 1696. John Crossman (eldest son); Robert Crossman (2nd son); Sarah Woodward (eldest daughter); Mary Gould (2nd daughter); Elizabeth Hayward (3rd daughter); unnamed children of Joseph Crossman, dcd. (3rd son); Samuel Crossman (youngest son) & Mercy Thresher (youngest daughter). Comm: Thomas Leonard, Esq., Philip King, Henry Hodges & James Leonard [1:151/152].

More About ROBERT CROSSMAN:

Estate Inventory: Oct 27, 1692, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>10,11</sup>

NOTE: Outfitted Taunton soldiers with drums and guns for Canada Expedition in 1690

Occupation: Carpenter

Residence: 1642, Dedham, Norfolk Co., MA, 1654 Taunton, Bristol Co., MA

Title (Facts Pg): The Drum Maker of New England

Children of ROBERT CROSSMAN and SARAH KINGSBURY are:

- i. SARAH<sup>3</sup> CROSSMAN, b. About 1652<sup>12,13</sup>; d. Aft. Jun 29, 1696<sup>14</sup>; m. JOHN WOODWARD, Nov 11, 1675, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>15,16,17</sup>; b. 1650, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA; d. May 10, 1688, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA.

Notes for JOHN WOODWARD:

Per SAVAGE'S Genealogical Dictionary of New England Settlers, v. 4

WOODWARD JOHN, Taunton, married 11 November 1675, Sarah Crossman. Perhaps he had John, born at Taunton, 2 March and Israel, 30 July 1681.

3.
  - ii. JOHN CROSSMAN, b. Mar 16, 1653/54, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA; d. Dec 1731.
  - iii. MARY CROSSMAN, b. Jul 16, 1655, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>18,19,20</sup>; d. Aft. Jun 29, 1696<sup>21</sup>; m. JOHN GOULD, Aug 24, 1673, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>22</sup>; b. Jul 28, 1646, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA; d. Dec 14, 1711.

Notes for JOHN GOULD:

Per SAVAGE'S Genealogical Dictionary of New England Settlers, v. 2

GOULD, JOHN, Taunton, married 24 August 1673, Mary, daughter of Robert Crossman, had Mary, born 19 June following; Hannah, 9 November 1677.

More About JOHN GOULD:

Residence: Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>23</sup>

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  - iv. ROBERT CROSSMAN, b. Aug 03, 1657, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA; d. About 1738, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA.
  - v. JOSEPH CROSSMAN, b. Apr 25, 1659, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>24,25,26,27</sup>; d. Jun 1693, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA; m. SARAH ALDEN, Nov 24, 1685, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>28,29</sup>; b. About 1663; d. Unknown.

Notes for JOSEPH CROSSMAN:

Per SAVAGE'S Genealogical Dictionary of New England Settlers, v. 1

CROSSMAN. JOSEPH, Taunton, son of the first Robert, married 24 November 1685, Sarah Alden.

- vi. NATHANIEL CROSSMAN, b. Aug 07, 1660<sup>30,31,32,33</sup>; d. Mar 08, 1675/76, Wrentham, Norfolk Co., MA<sup>34,35,36,37</sup>.

More About NATHANIEL CROSSMAN:

Cause of Death: Killed by Indians<sup>38,39,40</sup>

- vii. ELEAZER CROSSMAN, b. Mar 16, 1663/64, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>41,42,43,44</sup>; d. Oct 26, 1667, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>45,46,47</sup>.
- viii. ELIZABETH CROSSMAN, b. May 02, 1665<sup>48,49,50,51</sup>; d. Dec 26, 1739, East Bridgewater, MA; m. NATHANIEL HAYWARD, Dec 19, 1686; b. Apr 26, 1664, Bridgewater, MA<sup>52</sup>; d. Jul 11, 1734, Bridgewater, MA.

More About NATHANIEL HAYWARD:  
Residence: Bridgewater, Plymouth Co., MA<sup>52</sup>

- ix. SAMUEL CROSSMAN, b. Jul 25, 1667, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>53,54,55,56</sup>; d. May 01, 1755, Raynham, MA; m. (1) ELIZABETH BELL, Dec 19, 1689, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>57</sup>; b. Nov 15, 1668, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA; d. Unknown; m. (2) MARY SAWYER, Dec 22, 1696, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>57</sup>; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.

Notes for SAMUEL CROSSMAN:  
Per SAVAGE'S Genealogical Dictionary of New England Settlers, v. 1  
CROSSMAN. SAMUEL, Taunton, brother of the preceeding married 19 December 1689, Elizabeth Bell; and 22 December 1696, he married Mary Sawyer.

- x. MERCY CROSSMAN, b. Mar 20, 1669/70, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>57,58,59,60</sup>; d. Aft. Jun 29, 1696<sup>61</sup>; m. JOHN THRASHER, Jan 26, 1686/87, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>62,63</sup>; b. Dec 08, 1653, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA; d. Unknown.
- xi. THOMAS CROSSMAN, b. Oct 06, 1671, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>64,65,66</sup>; d. About 1690, Expedition to Canada<sup>67</sup>.

Notes for THOMAS CROSSMAN:  
Per SAVAGE'S Genealogical Dictionary of New England Settlers, v. 1  
CROSSMAN. THOMAS, youngest brother of the preceeding was a soldier of Gallop's company in the Canada expedition 1690.

More About THOMAS CROSSMAN:  
Cause of Death: Killed in Sir William Phipp's Expedition to Canada<sup>67</sup>  
Military service: 1690, Enlisted in Capt. Gallop's Company, Sir William Phipp's Expedition to Canada<sup>68,69</sup>

- xii. SUSANNA CROSSMAN, b. Feb 14, 1672/73, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>70,71,72,73</sup>; d. Bef. Jun 29, 1696.

### *Generation No. 3*

**3.** JOHN<sup>3</sup> CROSSMAN (*ROBERT*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>) was born Mar 16, 1653/54 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>74,75,76,77,78</sup>, and died Dec 1731. He married JOANNA THAYER Jan 07, 1689/90 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>79,80,81,82</sup>, daughter of NATHANIEL THAYER. She was born Dec 13, 1665 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>83,84</sup>, and died Bef. 1734.

Notes for JOHN CROSSMAN:  
Per SAVAGE'S Genealogical Dictionary of New England Settlers, v. 1  
CROSSMAN. JOHN, Taunton, perhaps eldest son of the first Robert, married 7 January 1690, Joanna Thayer.

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From Bristol County, Massachusetts Probate Records, p. 200  
Will of John Crossman, Sr. of Tau., "being very sick," dated 18 May, 1727, prob. 21 Dec. 1731. Wife included but not named. 4 sons: John, Jonathan, Benjamin and Henery Crossman. Daus: Abigail White, childn. of my dec. dau. Sarah Babit, Johannah Rogers, Mercy Linkon, & Deborah Crossman. Grdau. Abigail White. Witns: Morgan Cobb 2nd, John Harvey and Nathaniel Burt [7:272/3/4].

Child of JOHN CROSSMAN and JOANNA THAYER is:

- i. JOANNA<sup>4</sup> CROSSMAN, b. Mar 29, 1695, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>84</sup>; d. Unknown; m. THOMAS RODGERS, Jul 28, 1720, Dighton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>84</sup>; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.

**4.** ROBERT<sup>3</sup> CROSSMAN (*ROBERT*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>) was born Aug 03, 1657 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>85,86,87,88</sup>, and died About 1738 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA. He married HANNAH BROOKS Jul 21, 1679 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>89,90</sup>, daughter of GILBERT BROOKS and ELIZABETH SIMMONS. She was born 1659 in Scituate, Plymouth Co., MA<sup>91</sup>, and died Aft. Jul 04, 1695 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>92</sup>.

Notes for ROBERT CROSSMAN:

Per SAVAGE'S Genealogical Dictionary of New England Settlers, v. 1

CROSSMAN. ROBERT, Taunton, son of the preceeding married 21 July 1679, Hannah Brooks, had Nathaniel, b. 10 March 1680.

Child of ROBERT CROSSMAN and HANNAH BROOKS is:

5. i. NATHANIEL<sup>4</sup> CROSSMAN, b. Mar 10, 1680/81; d. Unknown.

#### *Generation No. 4*

5. NATHANIEL<sup>4</sup> CROSSMAN (*ROBERT<sup>3</sup>, ROBERT<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>93</sup> was born Mar 10, 1680/81<sup>94,95</sup>, and died Unknown. He married SARAH MERRICK Oct 21, 1703 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>96,97</sup>, daughter of STEPHEN MERRICK and MERCY BANGS. She was born 1688 in Norwich, New London Co., CT<sup>98</sup>, and died Unknown in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA.

Child of NATHANIEL CROSSMAN and SARAH MERRICK is:

6. i. BETHIAH<sup>5</sup> CROSSMAN, b. About 1708, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA; d. Jul 11, 1787, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA.

#### *Generation No. 5*

6. BETHIAH<sup>5</sup> CROSSMAN (*NATHANIEL<sup>4</sup>, ROBERT<sup>3</sup>, ROBERT<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born About 1708 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>99</sup>, and died Jul 11, 1787 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>100,101</sup>. She married SAMUEL DANFORTH Nov 24, 1730 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>102,103</sup>, son of SAMUEL DANFORTH and HANNAH ALLEN. He was born Jan 04, 1696/97 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>104</sup>, and died Feb 18, 1755 in Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>104,105</sup>.

More About SAMUEL DANFORTH:

Occupation: Farmer and Clothier<sup>106</sup>

Public Service: Some time town treasurer<sup>106</sup>

Children of BETHIAH CROSSMAN and SAMUEL DANFORTH are:

- i. SAMUEL<sup>6</sup> DANFORTH, b. Aug 29, 1731, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>106</sup>; d. Feb 10, 1808<sup>106</sup>; m. EUNICE GIBBS, Nov 15, 1757, Easton, MA<sup>107</sup>; b. About 1731; d. Dec 28, 1789, Norton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>108</sup>.

More About SAMUEL DANFORTH:

Occupation: Farmer and Clothier<sup>109</sup>

More About EUNICE GIBBS:

Residence: Easton and Norton, MA

- ii. ABIGAIL DANFORTH, b. Feb 14, 1731/32<sup>109</sup>; d. May 30, 1803, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>109,110</sup>.
- iii. SON DANFORTH, b. Feb 14, 1731/32<sup>111</sup>; d. Feb 14, 1731/32<sup>111</sup>.
- iv. NATHANIEL DANFORTH, b. Sep 26, 1734<sup>111</sup>; d. Sep 1755, Expedition to Crown Point<sup>111</sup>.

More About NATHANIEL DANFORTH:

Cause of Death: Died in Expedition to Crown Point<sup>111</sup>

Military service: 1755, Expedition to Crown Point<sup>111</sup>

- v. JOHN DANFORTH, b. Feb 11, 1735/36, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>111</sup>; d. Unknown; m. RHODA DEAN; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.
- vi. BETHIAH DANFORTH, b. Apr 29, 1740<sup>111</sup>; d. Unknown.
- vii. MOLLY DANFORTH, b. Dec 03, 1741<sup>111</sup>; d. Mar 30, 1769, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>112</sup>.
- viii. OLIVER DANFORTH, b. Jul 06, 1743, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>113</sup>; d. Nov 27, 1828, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>114</sup>; m. HANNAH PRATT, May 19, 1767, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>115,116</sup>; b. About 1747; d. Dec 11, 1835, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>117</sup>.

More About OLIVER DANFORTH:

Military service: Revolutionary War

Occupation: Farmer <sup>118</sup>

- ix. JOB DANFORTH, b. Apr 10, 1745, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>118</sup>; d. Nov 23, 1838, Providence, Providence Co., RI<sup>118,119</sup>; m. SARAH COY, Nov 05, 1769, Providence, Providence Co., RI<sup>120</sup>; b. Aug 28, 1752, Bristol, Bristol Co., RI<sup>121,122</sup>; d. Mar 05, 1811, Providence, Providence Co., RI.

Notes for JOB DANFORTH:

Index to Providence, Rhode Island Probate 1646-1899

Year	Last Name	First Name	Type	Number
1839	Danforth	Job	will	A5876
1839	Danforth	Job	pensioner	A17946

More About JOB DANFORTH:

Burial: Swan Point Cemetery, Providence, Providence Co., RI

Military service: Revolutionary War; Ensign, pensioned at \$70 per annum

More About SARAH COY:

Baptism: Nov 12, 1752, Church of Christ, Bristol, Bristol Co., RI<sup>123</sup>

Burial: Swan Point Cemetery, Providence, Providence Co., RI

- x. HANNAH DANFORTH, b. Mar 14, 1746/47<sup>124</sup>; d. Unknown.  
 xi. ELKANAH DANFORTH, b. Aug 05, 1750, Taunton, Bristol Co., MA<sup>124</sup>; d. Feb 16, 1813, Woodford, Bennington Co., VT<sup>124</sup>; m. SIBYL TISDALE, Nov 25, 1773<sup>124</sup>; b. About 1755<sup>124</sup>; d. May 31, 1818<sup>124</sup>.

Notes for ELKANAH DANFORTH:

1790 Census Bennington, Bennington Co., VT

Danforth, Elhenah - 2 free white male 16 & older, 3 free white males under 16, 4 free white females

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