

Antonius L. Einzig (1804-1859)

Antonius (Anthony or Anton) L. Einzig ⁱ was born to Elias Einzig ¹ and Agnes Wiesenfad. ⁱⁱ Anton was christened February 26th 1804 as a Katholisch, ⁱⁱⁱ in the village of Ahldorf, ^{iv} located in the Schwarzwald Kreis ^v of Württemberg ^{vi} Germany. ²

We think Anton 1st married Theresia (Theresa) Findling ^{vii} on September 15th 1840 as a Katholisch (Catholic) in the village of Ahldorf, located in the Schwarzwald Kreis (Black Forest) of Württemberg Germany. ³

We aren't certain when Anton emigrated wife his wife and three of his children from Württemberg Germany. ⁴ He was naturalized as an American citizen, renouncing William the 1st, king of Württemberg Germany, on October 13th 1854. ⁵

Theresa died prior to 1845, and Anthony married Elenora Blum. ⁶ Eleanora was born about 1814 in Prussia or Württemberg Germany. ⁷

- Another source suggests that Elenora was 32 years old when she married Anton May 17th 1847 in the city of Baltimore, in Baltimore County Maryland. The source also suggests that Eleanor's maiden name is J A Eleanora V Schmidtberger, who was born April 21st 1815 in Herrenberg, Boblingen, Baden-Wuerttemberg, Germany. This Elenora died March 21st 1880 in York, York County Pennsylvania. We are still attempting to locate the original documents supporting this relationship.

In 1850 Anton, Eleanora, and family lived next door to Jacob Bloom and George Wessafat (Anthony's mother's maiden name is Wiesenfad) born 1828 in Germany. ^{viii} Anton was a blacksmith, and was ill for nine months with consumption. He was 56 years old when he died from the illness on October 4th 1859 in Spring Garden Township York County Pennsylvania. ⁸ FAG#: ^{ix}

In 1860 Eleanora's family lived next door to David Einzig and William Blum (Bloom), who was born 1825 in Germany. Except for John and Rosanne lived with their mother.

ⁱ Other spelling of Einzig includes Aensick, Ensick, Eimsich, and Eisig, and the late 19th century version of Einsig. Einzig in German means "only". Other uses include; lone, singly, sole, and unique.

ⁱⁱ Another spelling for Wiesenfad is Wisafautin.

ⁱⁱⁱ Katholisch is not a region, district, or town, and in English Katholisch means Catholic.

^{iv} Ahldorf is a village or small town situated in present day Freudenstadt district, within the Black Forest region of Baden-Württemberg Germany.

^v Swarzwald means Black Forest and Kreis means District, today it is known as Schwarzwald-Baar-Kreis Germany

^{vi} Württemberg was a state in Germany, 1806 to 1918, located in the area that is now Baden-Württemberg.

^{vii} A family oral history indicated that Teresa Findley is the wife of John Einsig (1831-1915), but this has been disproved. The oral history was provided by Roy Einsig of Warrington Township York County Pennsylvania. Roy is the great-great-grandson of John Einzig.

^{viii} The neighbor's names lend some creditability to Eleanor's last name.

^{ix} Find-A-Grave, FAG, is a web site for cemetery memorials, <http://www.findagrave.com>

In 1870 Eleanora^x was living with George and Clara, next door to John Blum and her son Herman Einzig. Herman lived next door to his brother David.

Eleanora lived on the east side of Ridge Avenue in Spring Garden Township York County Pennsylvania when she died in April 1880.⁹

Anton and Elenora may have been laid to rest in the Saint Mary's Cemetery, located in Spring Garden Township York County Pennsylvania. Joseph Brlansky, Cemetery Manager, Saint Mary's-Saint Patrick's Cemetery, Violet Hill, York PA 17402, Office: 717-764-9685 or 717-697-0206
Joseph Brlansky, Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Mechanicsburg, JBrlansky@HBGDIOCESE.ORG

Anton and Theresia had the following children.^{xi}

- i. John Einzig was born about 1837 in Württemberg Germany. He lived with the family in 1850, but by 1860 we were unable to locate him. There were two John Einzig men during this period; 1.) Anton Einzig's brother, John Einzig (1831-1915), and Anton Einzig's son John Einzig (b.1837), mentioned here. Both John's were listed in the 1850 census record living next door to each other in Spring Garden Township York Pennsylvania.
- ii. Roseanna Einzig was born about 1840 in Württemberg Germany. She lived with her parents in 1850, but by 1860 she could not be located. We did locate a Rosa Schnader who was 21 years old, born about 1839 in Prussia, and living with her husband Rueben in Spring Garden, York County Pennsylvania. This Rosa and husband lived next door to Elenora Einzig and her children. Rueben was a painter, who was born about 1839 in Pennsylvania.

Rueben and Rosa cannot be found after 1870.

- iii. Catherine Einzig was born April 6th 1844¹⁰ in Württemberg Germany.^{xii} She married Leo Mayer June 21st 1865 at the Christ Lutheran Church in York, York County Pennsylvania.¹¹

Leo was born November 17th 1841 o Schantz and Mary Ann Myers in the Baden region of Germany. Leo served as a private in the Civil War as a private in Company C of the 208th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry. He was a farmer by occupation, and stood 5' 7" tall with black hair and black eyes.¹²

Leo died May 17th 1896 while living in York Pennsylvania. He was laid to rest in the Saint Mary's Cemetery in Violet Hill in York. FAG#: 21074845

In 1900 Catherine was a widow, and indicated she had one child. She lived next door to her brother David Einsig and his family. Catherine was a widow living at 55 Ridge Avenue in York Pennsylvania when she died at 73 years old on April 14th 1917. She was laid to rest April 17th

^x The census record indicated her last name was Auble, but this was an error. On all the census records cited in the bibliography, Elenora lived next door to the same families.

^{xi} According to the 1850 census record and death certificates these children were identified being born in Germany.

^{xii} Catherine's death certificate indicated her father was John Einsig, and an unknown mother. The only John Einsig old enough to have a child in 1844 would be John Einzig (1830-1915). Census records and John Einzig Civil War records disproves Catherine's death certificate.

1917 at the Saint Mary's Cemetery in Violet Hill in York. ^{xiii} Mrs. Nora Keller was the informant on the death certificate. ¹³ The cemetery is located in Spring Garden Township York County Pennsylvania. ¹⁴ FAG#:140214655 ^{xiv}

Anton and Elenora had the following children.

- i. Herman Einzig (1846-1927) ¹⁵
- ii. George Einzig (1849-1879) ¹⁶
- iii. David K. Einzig (1850-1911) ¹⁷
- iv. Amelia Einzig was born June 1850, ^{xv} and died 2 months old in August. The cause of death, Inward Fits, which we believe is a baby born breach. ¹⁸
- v. Theresa Einzig (1859-1922)

Theresa Einzig (1859-1922)

Theresa Einzig was born July 12th 1859 to Anton L. Einzig ^{xvi} and Elenora Blume in York, York County Pennsylvania. Theresa was living with the family in 1860, and in 1870 her name was listed as Clara living with her mother Elenora and her brother George next door to her brother David in Dallastown York County Pennsylvania.

Theresa married Fredrick Myers ^{xvii} in York. Fred was born October 23rd 1852 to Jacob Myers in Prussia Germany. ¹⁹

In 1880 Theresa and her new family lived next door to her brother David Einzig in Freystown Spring Garden Township in York County Pennsylvania. Fred was a blacksmith, and by 1900 the family lived at 970 East Philadelphia Street in York Pennsylvania.

Fredrick was 67 years old when he died at home on January 27th 1920. He was laid to rest January 29th 1920 at the Mt Rose Cemetery in York. Florence Myers of 974 East Philadelphia Street York Pennsylvania was the informant on his death certificate. ²⁰ FAG#:151349034 ^{xviii}

^{xiii} Saint Marys-Saint Patricks Cemetery is also known as: Saint Mary Cemetery, Saint Patrick Cemetery

^{xiv} Find-A-Grave, FAG, is a web site for cemetery memorials, <http://www.findagrave.com>

^{xv} Amelia Einzig parents were not identified. Her affiliation to Anton Einzig is based on the marriages of the Einzig members.

^{xvi} Theresa's death certificate identified David Einzig as her father, but this was an error. There was only one David at a time to have Theresa as a child; David Einzig (1829-1908). This David's child was named Annie Theresa Einzig, who was born November 23rd 1863.

^{xvii} This marriage should not be confused with Ferdinand (Fred) Myers who married Elizabeth (Lizzie) Einzig on March 26th 1877. Lizzie is the cousin of Teresa and the daughter of John Einzig (1831-1915).

^{xviii} Find-A-Grave, FAG, is a web site for cemetery memorials, <http://www.findagrave.com>

Theresa continued to live in the home at 970 East Philadelphia Street in York, when at 62 years old, she died May 11th 1922.²¹ She was laid to rest May 13th 1922 with her husband at the Mt Rose Cemetery in York. Harry H. Keller was the informant on her death certificate. FAG#:151348913

Fredrick and Theresa had 10 children, and by 1900 only 8 were still living.

- i. Catharine Myers was born about 1875
- ii. John Myers was born about 1877
- iii. Ellen Myers was born in October 1880
- iv. William Myers was born about 1882
- v. Ellen Myers was born about 1886
- vi. Freddie Myers was born about 1888
- vii. Annie Myers was born in 1891
- viii. Unknown Myers child prior to 1900
- ix. Unknown Myers child died prior to 1900
- x. Edward Myers was born about 1897

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³ Anton Einsig's 1st Marriage: The information came from the following record; Name: Anton Einsig; Spouse's Name: Theresia Findling; Event Date: 15 Sep 1840; Event Place: Katholisch, Ahldorf, Schwarzwaldkreis, Wuerttemberg; Indexing Project (Batch) Number: M96856-1, System Origin: Germany-ODM , GS Film number: 958296; Deutschland Heiraten, 1558-1929; Deutschland Heiraten, 1558-1929, database, FamilySearch (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:JHF8-C8V> : accessed 12 July 2015), Anton Einsig and Theresia Findling, 15 Sep 1840; citing Katholisch, Ahldorf, Schwarzwaldkreis, Wuerttemberg; FHL microfilm 958,296.

⁴ Anton Einzig Emigration: We found only one Anton that emigrated from Germany; Anton emigrated from his home in Württemberg Germany, arriving in New York on June 29th 1846. The information came from two records: 1.) Name: Anton Einzeg, Arrival Date: 29 Jun 1846, Age: 40, Gender: M (Male), Port of Arrival: New York, Port of Departure: Bremen, Place of Origin: Deutschland, Ship:Homer; Family Identification: 197957, Microfilm Serial Number: M237, Microfilm Roll Number: 62, Original data: Registers of Vessels Arriving at the Port of New York from Foreign Ports, 1789-1919. Microfilm Publication M237, rolls 1-95, National Archives at Washington, D.C. 2.) Name: Anton Einzig, Arrival Year: 1846, Arrival Place: North America, Source Publication Code: 8057.5, Primary Immigrant: Einzig, Anton, Source Bibliography: SCHENK, TRUDY, and RUTH FROELKE, The Wuerttemberg Emigration Index. Vol. 2., Salt Lake City: Ancestry, 1986. 240p., Page: 38, Original data: Filby, P. William, ed. Passenger and Immigration Lists Index, 1500s-1900s. Farmington Hills, MI, USA: Gale Research, 2012.

⁵ Anthony Einzig naturalization: The information came from his naturalization record at the York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, Pennsylvania, 17402; Copy at Taylor-Graham Library, 479 County Line Road, York Springs PA, 17372.

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⁷ The name Elenora Schmidberger, who had as sister named Agatha Schmidberger, was identified as the wife of Anton Eizig. This Eleanor was born in either Prussia or Württemberg Germany. The information came from the 1860 and 1870 census records cited in the bibliography. Other collaborative information came from Jean at meje5@netzero.com, but it is still being verified.

⁸ Anthony Einzig Occupation, Age, Month and Year of Death, Cause of Death, Surname: The information came from the following record; Census Year 1859 and 1860; Name: Anthony Einzig; Year: 1860; County: York Co.; State: PA; Age: 56; Gender: M (Male); Month of Death: Oct; State of Birth: PR (Prussia); ID#: 317_21791; Occupation: Blacksmith; Cause of Death: Consumption; Federal Census Mortality Schedules Index, 1850-1880; Jackson, Ron V., Accelerated Indexing Systems, AIS Mortality Schedules Index. Compiled and digitized by Mr. Jackson and AIS from microfilmed schedules of the U.S. Federal Decennial Census, territorial/state censuses, and/or census substitutes.

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¹⁰ Catherine Einzig Name and Father's Name, John: The father's name is most likely an error; The information came from her Pennsylvania Death Certificate #46778, Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1944; Pennsylvania (State). Death certificates, 1906-1963; Series 11.90 (1,905 cartons); Records of the Pennsylvania Department of Health, Record Group 11; Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. <http://www.phmc.state.pa.us>. Copy, Taylor-Graham Library, 479 County Line Rd, York Springs Pennsylvania, 17372

¹¹ Catharine Einzig Marriage: The information came from the following record; Pennsylvania, Marriages; Name: Leo Meyers, Spouse's Name: Catharine Einzig, Event Date: 21 Jun 1865, Event Place: Christ Lutheran Church, York, York, Pennsylvania; Pennsylvania, Marriages, 1709-1940," database, FamilySearch (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:V2XV-KM2> : accessed 17 August 2015), Leo Meyers and Catharine Einzig, 21 Jun 1865; citing Christ Lutheran Church, York, York, Pennsylvania; FHL microfilm 1,320,516.

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¹⁵ Herman Einzig (1846-1927) Research Paper, 479 County Line Road, York Springs Pennsylvania, 17372; <http://taylorgrahamlibrary.net>

¹⁶ George Einzig (1849-1879) Research Paper, 479 County Line Road, York Springs Pennsylvania, 17372; <http://taylorgrahamlibrary.net>

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