

ROOT(E) FAMILY

We often receive enquiries, especially from America about the Root or Roote family.

There are no monuments, gravestones nor descendants of the family that we can identify in Badby village today.

The 17th century Parish Records record births, baptisms, marriages and burials of a few members of the family. The records are now housed at the Northamptonshire Records Office and Archives: website

<http://www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/en/councilservices/community/archives/pages/northamptonshire-record-office-archives.aspx>

which includes these details for contact:

Email

- Historic Environment Record - her@northamptonshire.gov.uk

Write

Records Office (archives)
Wootton Hall Park
Northampton
NN4 8BQ
UK

Former resident Cristine Orr has researched the parish registers and other documents and has left us with this information:

1600 John Roote married Anne Russall at Badby. [The Russall family also appears as Rushall and later as Russell at different times]

1600 Marie daughter of J & A. R.

1603 Susanna

1605 Thomas - went to America 1637

1608 John - went to America 1637

Thomas Roote died 1609 in Badby

Thomas was the father of John. Thomas married in Milton Malsor [- another village in Northamptonshire]. His son John born in Milton Malsor probably in 1570.

This Thomas had a field and house in Badby in 1597, but gave it up in 1606.

There are several family genealogy websites that can be found through Google. We have come across these:

http://www.griffinfamilytree.com/bios/bio_roote_thos.html

<http://familytreemaker.genealogy.com/users/o/b/e/Denise-Michelle-Oberlies/GENE1-0060.html>

<http://www.ancientfaces.com/research/story/402176>

http://books.google.co.uk/books/about/Root_Genealogical_Records_1600_1870.html?id=X6VPAAAAMAAJ&redir_esc=y

<http://www.reocities.com/Heartland/Plains/7621/root.html>

<http://boards.ancestry.com/surnames.plantagenet/76.2/mb.ashx>