

1630–1640 — Addie Powell — Elizabeth Fulkerson —

Ancestral Lives

These are the Elizabeth Fulkerson–line ancestors who were alive at some point in the 1630s (with a brief “why they matter” hook for the decade). Use the link placeholders to paste in URLs from your spreadsheet (Wikitree in col. **H**, Geni in col. **I**).

Tip: keep hyphenated filenames; no spaces.

Core generation (alive in the 1630s)

Dirck *de Noorman* (a.k.a. Dirck Volckertsen)

b. 1595, Bergen, Norway • **d.** 1677, Noormans Kill, Kings County, New York

Where & why in the 1630s: Early New Netherland settler identified with *Noorman's Kill* (Brooklyn). Part of the first wave of northern European mariners/woodcutters who staked claims along western Long Island.

Family & ties: Married **Christina/Christyntje Vigne** (Walloon family tied to earliest New Amsterdam lots).

Links:

- Wikitree: [<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Volckertsen-5>]
- Geni: [<https://www.geni.com/people/Dirck-de-Noorman/6000000001876259824>]
- Fulkerson: [https://fulkerson.org/?page_id=15]
- FindAGrave: [<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/149448389/dirck-volckertsen>]

Notes: (*land entries, court mentions, Bushwick/Wallabout references in the 1630s*)

Christyntje (Christina) Vigne

b. 1610, Hainaut / Valenciennes area, France (Walloon) • **d.** 1663, Bushwick (Brooklyn), New Netherland

Where & why in the 1630s: One of the earliest Walloon families in New Amsterdam; bridges French-speaking refugee networks and Dutch colonial governance.

Family & ties: Daughter of **Guillaume Vigne** & **Adrienne Cuvellier**; wife of **Dirck de Noorman**.

Links:

- Wikitree: [<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Vigne-3>]
- Geni: [<https://www.geni.com/people/Christina-Vigne/6000000000930080337>]
- Fulkerson: [https://fulkerson.org/?page_id=48]
- FindAGrave: [<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/149448502/christine-volckertsen>]

Notes: (*lot locations, baptism sponsors, church affiliations*)

Phillip Claesz (Claeszoon) Langeland / Langelan / Langelaan

b. 1617, Netherlands • **d.** 1662, Bushwick (Kings County), New Netherland

Where & why in the 1630s: Young adult artisan/planter entering Breukelen/Bushwick circuits just as settlements formalize.

Family & ties: Parents shown in sheet as **Claes Cornelisz Langelan & Annetje Arisendr** (parent generation below).

Links:

- Wikitree: [<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Langelaen-11>]
- Geni: [<https://www.geni.com/people/Philip-Claesz-Langelaan/6000000000110259865>]
- FindAGrave: [<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/149447214/philip-claesz-langelaans>]

Notes: (*Breukelen tax lists, militia musters, court minutes*)

Pieter Jans de Witt

b. 1624, Leiden, Netherlands • **d.** 1705, Bushwick (Kings County), New Netherland

Where & why in the 1630s: Arrives/comes of age in the colony at decade's end; Leiden artisan pipeline into Long Island townships.

Family & ties: Parents in sheet appear as **Jan de Witt** & [mother unknown] (see parent generation).

Links:

- Wikitree: [<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Wit-50>]
- Fulkerson: [https://fulkerson.org/?page_id=447]
- Geni: [<https://www.geni.com/people/Pieter-de-Witt/6000000007566047201>]

Notes: (*Leiden guild origins; Bushwick lot references*)

Doretje / Dorethea Volkers

b. 1630, Netherlands • **d.** 1660, New Netherland

Where & why in the 1630s: Child of the decade within this Volckers/Volckertsen cluster—useful for mapping kin & sponsorship networks.

Family & ties: Daughter of **Dirck de Noorman** and Christina Vigne

Links:

- Wikitree: [<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Volckers-5>]
- Fulkerson: [<https://www.geni.com/people/Dorothea-Volkers-Douw/6000000007566047210>]

Notes: (*baptismal register sightings*)

Jan Janse (de) Jong

b. 1636, New York • **d.** 1740, New York

Where & why in the 1630s: New-world born Dutch; first colonial-born generation.

Family & ties: Husband of **Catherina de Brul** (below).

Links:

- Wikitree: [https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/De_Jonge-1296]
- Geni: [<https://www.geni.com/people/Jan-Janse-de-Jong/6000000007962730521>]
- FindAGrave: [https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/185545442/jan-janszen-de_jong]

Notes: (*property, militia, later migrations*)

Catherina de Brul

b. 1639 • **d.** 1740, New York

Where & why in the 1630s: Another colonial-born pivot into the later Dutch-English transition period.

Family & ties: Wife of **Jan Janse de Jong**.

Links:

- Wikitree: [https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/De_Brull-1]
- Geni: [<https://www.geni.com/people/Catharina-de-Brul/6000000013715883240>]

Notes: (*family sponsors, surname variants: De Brul/De Bruhl/De Bruijl*)

Hendrick van Leeuwen

b. 1630, Utrecht • **d.** 1653, Utrecht

Where & why in the 1630s: “Old Country” cousin/anchor in Utrecht—a reminder to treat the Dutch homeland as an active theater during this decade.

Family & ties: Van Leeuwen kin who intermarry with New Netherland families later.

Links:

- Wikitree: [https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Van_Leeuwen-692]
- Geni: [<https://www.geni.com/people/Hendrik-Van-Leeuwen/4872512151650046660>]

Notes: (*why he stays in Utrecht; any kin who migrate*)

Parent generation & older kin (context)

Guillaume Vigne (Guiliam, Willem)

b. c.1580s, Valenciennes area (Walloon) • **d.** 1632, New Amsterdam

Role: Among the very first Walloon households granted lots at New Amsterdam; anchors the Vigne/Cuvellier network that threads through many baptisms.

Spouse: Adrienne Cuvellier

Links:

- Wikitree: [<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Vigne-2>]
- Geni: [<https://www.geni.com/people/William-Vign%C3%A9/6000000004371229221>]
- Fulkerson: [https://fulkerson.org/?page_id=48]

Notes: (lot map, list of known children, 1620s arrivals)

Adrienne (Ariantje) Cuvellier

b. c.1589, Valenciennes area • **d.** after 1650, New Netherland

Role: Matriarchal node; appears across baptisms/marriages into the 1650s.

Links:

- Wikitree: [<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Ayrensdre-1>]
- Geni: [<https://www.geni.com/people/Annetgen-Adriaansdr-Pijnacker/6000000004664219724>]
- Fulkerson: [https://fulkerson.org/?page_id=48]

Notes: (sponsorship chains, Walloon church connections)

Claes Cornelisz Langeland & Annetje Arisendr (Arisendrsdr)

b. late 1500s–early 1600s (Netherlands) • **d.** 1640s Netherlands (approx.)

Role: Parents kin to **Phillip Claesz Langeland**; tie your Bushwick Langeland presence back to Holland parish & guild records.

Links: Wikitree: [paste] • Geni: [paste]

Notes: (town of origin; naming patterns across children)

Jan de Witt & [mother unknown]

b. late 1500s–early 1600s (Leiden?)

Role: Parent set behind **Pieter Jans de Witt**; look for Leiden textile guild entries and Dutch Reformed baptisms.

Links: Wikitree: [paste] • Geni: [paste]

Notes: (Leiden notarial records; emigration traces)

Jean Hochede de la Vigne & Jeanne des Perrone (Walloon forebears)

Jean: b. c.1560, Valenciennes • d. 1620, Amsterdam

Jeanne: b. c.1560s, France • (death unknown)

Role: Earlier Walloon generation feeding the Vigne/Cuvellier migration into Amsterdam, then to New Netherland.

Links: Wikitree: [paste] • Geni: [paste]

Notes: (*French Reformed registers; Amsterdam Walloon Church*)

(Placeholders for additional parents flagged in the sheet)

- **Neeltgen Jansdr parents:** [paste names if listed] — **Notes:**
 - **Doretje Volckers parents:** [paste] — **Notes:**
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 3. Fill “Notes” with citations: baptism sponsors, court minutes, town grants, and any “New ↔ Old Country” evidence.
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