

**Individual Narrative of Samuel<sup>8</sup> Elderd [347]  
Son of Hannah<sup>7</sup> Leverich [184] and John Elderd  
Husband of Hannah Lee**

Samuel Eldred was born circa 1810 at Flushing, Queens County, New York.<sup>1,2</sup>

Samuel Leverich Eldred was baptized 29 June 1810 at St. Georges Episcopal Church in Flushing, Queens County, New York.<sup>3</sup>

Samuel Leverich Eldred married Hannah Lee circa 1832. Their eldest child was born circa 1834, hence the estimated marriage date.<sup>4,5</sup>

Hannah Lee was born circa 1817 in New Jersey. Hannah's parents have not been identified.<sup>6,7</sup>

Samuel L. Elderd, coachman, was listed in the 1842-1843 New York City Directory living at 6 Suffolk; 1843-1844, Coach Smith, living at 143 Norfolk.<sup>8,9</sup>

Samuel L. Elderd, Coach Smith, was listed in the 1844-1849 New York City Directories living at 129 Suffolk.<sup>10,11,12,13,14,15</sup>

Samuel L. Elderd, age 39, was recorded in the 1850 U.S. Census of Manhattan, New York County, New York. Samuel's household included his wife Hannah, age 33; and his children Sarah, age 16; Amanda, age 11; Isaac, age 9; William, age 7; Adelaide, age 5; and Samuel, age 2.<sup>16</sup>

Samuel L. Elderd, coachmaker at 59 Mercer, was listed in the 1851-1852 New York City Directory living at 159 Elm.<sup>17</sup>

Samuel L. Elderd, age 50, was recorded in the 1860 U.S. Census of Bridgeport, Fairfield County, Connecticut. Samuel's household included his wife Hannah, age 43, and his children: Sarah, age 24; Amanda, age 20; Isaac, age 17; William, age 15; Adelaide, age 13; Samuel, age 11; Maria, age 9; Ella, age 5; and Emma, age 1.<sup>18</sup>

Samuel L. Elderd, Coach Smith, was listed in the 1867 Bridgeport, Connecticut City Directory, living at 76 State.<sup>19</sup>

Samuel L. Elderd, age 61, was recorded in the 1870 U.S. Census of Fairfield, Fairfield County, Connecticut. Samuel's household included his wife Hannah, age 52; and his children: William, age 26; Samuel, age 21; and Emma, age 11.<sup>20</sup>

Samuel L. Elderd, Carriage Smith, was listed in the 1873 Bridgeport, Connecticut City Directory, living at 20 Booth.<sup>21</sup>

Samuel L. Elderd, age 70, was recorded in the 1880 U.S. Census of Bridgeport, Fairfield County, Connecticut. Samuel's household included his wife Hannah, age 64; and children: William H, age 36; Samuel, age 28; Adelaide, age 30; and Emma, age 21.<sup>22</sup>

Samuel Leverich Eldred died on 31 July 1880 at Bridgeport, Fairfield County, Connecticut.<sup>23,24</sup> Samuel's burial place is unknown.

Hannah Elderd, age 80, widow of Samuel, was recorded in the 1900 U.S. Census of Huntington, Fairfield County, New Jersey. Hannah was living with her son Isaac, his wife and children.<sup>25</sup>

Hannah Elderd died after 1900, date, place, and burial unknown.<sup>26</sup>

According to census records Samuel Leverich Elderd and Hannah Lee Elderd had nine children, only six of whom are reflected at Ancestry.com. The missing persons are Sarah, Amanda, and Ella.

- i. Isaac Elderd was born circa 1841 in Manhattan, New York County, New York. Isaac was baptized 4 October 1841 at the Episcopal Church of the Epiphany in Manhattan. Isaac married Mary F. White circa 1871 place unknown. Their eldest child was born circa 1873, hence the estimated marriage date. Isaac died 1 November 1912 in Huntington, Fairfield County, Connecticut. Isaac was buried at the Huntington Lawn Cemetery West. Isaac was recorded in the 1880, 1900, and 1910 U.S Census of Fairfield County, Connecticut.<sup>27,28,29,30,31,32,33</sup>
- ii. William H. Elderd was born circa 1844 in Manhattan, New York County, New York. William was probably never married. William died after 1880 date, place, and burial unknown. William, age 36, single, iron moulder was recorded in the 1880 U.S. Census of Bridgeport, Fairfield County, Connecticut, living with his parents.<sup>34,35</sup>
- iii. Adelaide Elderd was born circa 1847 in Manhattan, New York County, New York. Adelaide married Samuel Burr circa 1867 place unknown. Adelaide's son was born in 1869, hence the estimated marriage date of 1867. Adelaide died after 1880 date, place, and burial unknown. Adelaide Burr was recorded in the 1880 U.S. Census of Bridgeport, Fairfield County, Connecticut living with her parents, not her husband. The son Adelaide had with Samuel Burr is not with her in the census.<sup>36,37,38</sup>
- iv. Samuel Elderd Jr was born September 1849 in Manhattan, New York County, New York. Samuel married first Mrs. Mary S. Sanford 12 December 1872 in Bridgeport, Fairfield County, Connecticut. What became of Mary is unknown. Samuel is a widower in the 1880 Census. Samuel married second Fannie Muttit circa 1889, place unknown. Their first child was born 1891 hence the estimated marriage date of 1889. Samuel died 2 June 1927 in Stratford, Fairfield County, Connecticut. Samuel's burial place is unknown. Samuel was recorded in the 1880 and 1900 U.S. Census of Fairfield County, 1910 Suffolk County, New York.<sup>39,40,41,42,43,44,45</sup>
- v. Maria L. Elderd was born circa 1850 in Connecticut (1860 Census). We do not know what the middle initial "L" stands for. It is not certain if Maria was married. A New York State marriages certificate (number 8069) documents the marriage of a Louise Elderd and a David W. Force on 3 November 1869 in New York City. It is not clear if Maria and Louise are the same person. The evidence is circumstantial. They were both born about the same time in Connecticut. "Louise" could have been Maria's middle name. Maria (age 19-20 at the time) is not living with her parents in the 1870 Census. Maria's date and place of death, and her burial place are unknown.<sup>46,47,48</sup>
- vi. Emma Elderd was born circa 1859 in Connecticut. It is not known if Emma were married. Emma died after 1880 date, place, and burial unknown. Emma was recorded in the 1880 U.S. Census of Fairfield County, Connecticut.<sup>49</sup>

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