

# Female Lines for Part of the Family of Capt. Thomas Graves (Gen. 169), descended from John5

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NOTES: This chart shows female lines of descent only. Instead of testing the Y chromosome as is done for male surname tracing, the primary tool for tracing female lines is mitochondrial DNA (mtDNA). The boxes with the red outline are those for a direct all-female line. It can be seen that there are very few all-female lines that are known to us, and even those are not known beyond what is shown on this chart. Your help in carrying these lines down to the present and in finding other all-female lines is needed and will be much appreciated.

Since tracing and testing all-female lines from some male descendants can be of help in determining the wife of the male descendant and her ancestry, some of those lines are also shown on this chart.

