

JACOB MATTERS 1829-1892 &
MARY MULLER 1834/1885

FAMILY OF JACOB MATTERS (aka - Matter/Mathers/Mathews/Mattas)
& MARY MULLER (aka – Mary/Maria - Miller/Fuller)

Jacob Matter

1829–1892

Birth 13 September 1829 • Kirrwiller, Bas-Rhin, Alsace, France

Death 10 March 1892 • Erie City, Erie, Pennsylvania





Departure
Le Havre, France

Age 17 — Arrival
29 Jul 1847 • New York, New York
Jacob Matter is listed as J Martin on the image
of the passenger list.

IMMIGRATION – NEW YORK

Name: J Martin
 Arrival Date: 29 Jul 1847
 Birth Date: abt 1829
 Age: 18
 Gender: Male
 Port of Departure: Le Havre, France
 Port of Arrival: New York, New York
 Ship Name: R D Shepherd
 Source Citation - Year: 1847; Arrival: New York,
 New York; Microfilm Serial: M237, 1820-1897;
 Microfilm Roll: Roll 068; Line: 12; List Number:
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R D SHEPHARD SHIP 1847

MARRIAGE RECORD

Jacob Matter & Maria Magdalena Müller

Age 20 — Marriage

6 September 1850 • Erie, Pennsylvania

St Johns Lutheran Church West 23rd St Erie PA Witnesses; George Heubeck and Joh. George Kurse. Source:Ancestry

1-John Matthers md Catherine **COLLINS** died 1934
Obit-**MATTHEWS JOHN J. 11/19/1934**
Birth of Son John Jacob Matthers(1851–1934)
May 1851 • Erie, Pennsylvania

2-Andrew Matthers md Mary **Rossiter** died 1920
Obit-**MATTHEWS ANDREW 2/14/1920**
Birth of Son Andrew George Matthers(1852–1920)
17 Apr 1852 • Erie, Erie, Pennsylvania, USA

3-Maria Matthers
Birth of Daughter Maria Matter(1853–1855)
5 September 1853 • Erie Erie Pennsylvania

Age 25 — **Naturalization** 3 Nov 1854 • Erie, Erie, Pennsylvania, United States

NATURALIZATION

Name: Jacob Matter

Arrival Year: 1847

Arrival Place: Pennsylvania

Source Publication Code: 1869

Primary Immigrant: Matter, Jacob

Source Bibliography: ERIE SOCIETY FOR GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH, compiler Erie County, Pennsylvania, Naturalizations, 1825-1906. Erie, Pa.: the society, 1983. 179p.

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Death of Daughter Maria Matter_(1853–1855)
12 November 1855 • Erie Erie Pennsylvania

4-Jacob Matthers md Mary **RILEY** died 1930
Obit-**MATTHEWS JACOB 3/10/1930**
Birth of Son Jacob Matthers Jr(1856–1930)• Erie, Erie, PA

5-George Matthers **UNABLE TO FIND OBIT**
Birth of Son George J Matthers(1857–1886) Erie, Pennsylvania

6-Maria Matthers
Birth of Daughter Maria Matter(1859–1859)
5 September 1859 • Erie Erie Pennsylvania

Death of Daughter [Maria Matter](#)(1859–1859)
18 September 1859 • Erie Erie Pennsylvania

[7-Julia Matthers](#) md Lawrence [Windermeyer](#) died 1887
UNABLE TO FIND OBIT

Birth of Daughter [Julia M Matthers](#)(1860–1887)
March 1860 • Erie Pennsylvania
Note: Listed as Mary in 1860 census)

1860 CENSUS (Parents of John & Jacob Matthers)

Name: Jacob Mathews

[\[Jacob Matthers\]](#)

Age: 5

Birth Year: abt 1855

Gender: Male

Birth Place: Pennsylvania

Home in 1860: Erie, Erie, PA

Post Office: Erie

Family Number: 1677

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members: Name Age

[Michael Tieman](#) 35

[Ann Tieman](#) 25

[Ellen Tieman](#) 3/12

[Thomas Kavanagh](#) 30

[Jacob Mathews](#) 30 1860 1830 B - France

[Nancy Mathews](#) **Mary** 28 1860 1832

(Transcribed wrong - name is **Mary** in the census record

[John Mathews](#) 9 1860 1851 B - PA

[Andrew Mathews](#) 8 1860 1852 B - PA

[Jacob Mathews](#) 5 1860 1855 B - PA

[Gorge Mathews](#) 4 1860 1856 B - PA

[Mary Mathews](#) 4/12 1860 1860 B - PA

Source Citation - Year: 1860; Census Place: Erie, Erie, Pennsylvania; Roll: M653_1107; Page: 372; Image: 385; Family History Library Film: 805107

CIVIL WAR

Name: Jacob Mathers

[\[Jacob Matthers\]](#)

Birth Year: abt 1829

Place of Birth: France

Age on 1 July 1863: 34

Residence: Pennsylvania

Congressional District: 19th

Class: 1

Source Citation – National Archives and Records Administration (NARA); Washington, D.C.; *Consolidated Lists of Civil War Draft Registration Records (Provost Marshal General's Bureau; Consolidated Enrollment Lists, 1863-1865)*; Record Group: 110, *Records of the Provost Marshal General's Bureau (Civil War)*; Collection Name: *Consolidated Enrollment Lists, 1863-1865 (Civil War Union Draft Records)*; NAI: 4213514; Archive Volume Number: 3 of 3

1870 CENSUS (Parents of John & Jacob Matthers)

Name: Jacob Mattas
[\[Jacob Matthers\]](#)
Age in 1870: 16
Birth Year: abt 1854
Birthplace: PA
Home in 1870: Erie Ward 1, Erie, PA
Race: W
Gender: M (Male)
Post Office: Erie

Household Members:	Name	Age		
	Jacob Mattas	40	1870	b 1830 France d 1892 Laborer
	Mary Mattas	39	1870	b 1831 Prussia d 1885 Keeping house
	John Mattas	19	1870	b 1851 PA Sailor
	Andrew Mattas	18	1870	b 1852 PA Laborer
	Maria Matthers			b, 1853 PA
	Jacob Mattas	16	1870	b 1854 PA At house - idiotic
	George Mattas	13	1870	b 1857 PA Drives team
	Maria Matthers			b. 1859 PA
	Julia Mattas	10	1870	b 1860 PA At home
	Listed as Mary in 1860 census			
	James Mattas	1/12	1870	b 1870 PA At home
	Minnie Matthers			b. 1882 PA

Source Citation - Year: 1870; Census Place: Erie Ward 1, Erie, Pennsylvania; Roll: M593_1340; Page: 292B; Image: 88776; Family History Library Film: 552839

Birth of Son [James Matthers](#) (1870–)
May 1870 • Erie City, Erie, Pennsylvania
[8-James Mattas](#) died 1879

Obit-MATTHEWS JAMES W. 9/30/1879 nil

1880 CENSUS (Parents of John & Jacob Matthers)

Name: Jacob Matthers
Age: 50
Birth Year: abt 1830
Birthplace: France
Home in 1880: Erie, Erie, PA
Race: White
Gender: Male
Relation to Head of House: Self (Head)
Marital Status: Married
Spouse's Name: Mary Matthers
Father's Birthplace: France
Mother's Birthplace: France
Occupation: Teamster
Household Members: Name Age

Jacob Matthers	50
Mary Matthers	48
George Matthers	23
Laurence Windermeyer	21
Julia E. Windermeyer	20

Source Citation - Year: 1880; Census Place: Erie, Erie, Pennsylvania; Roll: 1127; Family History Film: 1255127; Page: 139B; Enumeration District: 146; Image: 0

WIFE

Maria Magdalena Müller

1834–1885

Birth 1834 • Grand Duchy of Baden, Germany

Marriage 6 September 1850 Erie, Erie, Pennsylvania

St Johns Lutheran Church West 23rd St Erie PA Witnesses; George Heubeck and Joh.

George Kurse

Death 20 June 1885 • Erie, Erie, Pennsylvania, USA

Source: Ancestry

CEMETERY RECORDS

Jacob Matthers

Birth: Sep. 13, 1829
Kirrwiller, Departement du Bas-
Rhin, Alsace, France
Death: Mar. 10, 1892
Erie, Erie County, Pennsylvania, US
Burial: [Erie Cemetery](#)
Erie, Erie County, Pennsylvania, USA
Find A Grave Memorial# 5989722



CEMETERY RECORDS

Mary E Matthers

Birth: 1834
Death: 1885
Burial: [Trinity Cemetery](#)
Erie, Erie County, Pennsylvania, USA
Find A Grave Memorial# 113874666



MATTHERS JACOB

Obituary dated 3/14/1892

March 10—Jacob Matthers, 63y, Germany, St. Vincent's Hospital; hemorrhage of lungs.

MATTHERS MARY

Obituary dated 6/22/1885

June 20—Mary E. Mathers, 52y 2m, native of Alsace; dropsy.