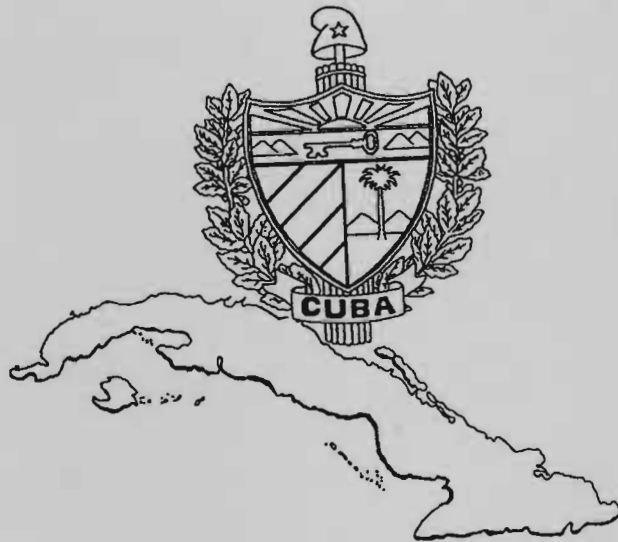


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EDITOR'S LETTER

This issue of REVISTA is a special issue with three family histories from members of the society.

Each family, unique in its own right, has a tale to tell and a legacy that will continue into the future.

The work of investigating each family is a regarding one, even though it sometimes takes a lot of time and resources.

We learn who we are and appreciate who they were and the hardships they endured and conquered.

We invite those who have their family history to publish it for their benefit. Some distant cousin might be searching for the same lineage and find you along the way.

**Mayra Sanchez-Johnson
Editor/President**

***Ancestors of
María de las Mercedes Molina y González***

By Mariela Fernández

Generation No. 1

María de las Mercedes Molina y González, born 18 May 1874 in El Cerro, La Habana, Cuba; died 12 Apr 1956 in Caserio de Luyano, Habana, Cuba¹. She was the daughter of José Estanislao Molina y Arocha and María Dionisia de Regla González y de Castro. She married Manuel Rojas y Bonilla 17 Dec 1892 in Parroquia de Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba². He was born 01 Aug 1866 in Sevilla, España, and died 18 Dec 1941 in Caserio de Luyano, Habana, Cuba³. He was the son of Manuel Rojas y Domínguez and María de la Concepción Bonilla y Giraldez.

Generation No. 2

José Estanislao Molina y Arocha, born 21 Jun 1837 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 22 Jul 1914 in Caserio de Luyano #36, La Habana, Cuba⁵. He was the son of Clemente José Molina y Delgado and Lutgarda Justa Arocha y Hernández. He married María Dionisia de Regla González y de Castro 03 Oct 1866 in Parr. de Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba⁶. She was born in San Miguel del Padrón, La Habana, Cuba; died Bef. 26 Nov 1892. She was the daughter of Juan González and Inés de Castro.

Children of José Estanislao Molina y Arocha and María Dionisia de Regla González y de Castro are:

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- i. **Ramón Molina y González, married Panchita NN. Children: Ramón, Rafael and Regla.**
 - ii. **Emilio Sisto Molina y González, born 28 Mar 1867 in La Habana, Cuba; died 20 Sep 1908 in Caserio de Luyano #13, Habana, Cuba⁹; married Agustina Comesaña; died Aft. 20 Sep 1908. Children: Ramón, José, Raúl and Prudencio.**
 - iii. **Inés María Martina Molina y González, born 12 Nov 1869 in Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba; married Juan Noriega. Child: Dorotea (Dora).**
 - iv. **Prudencio (Puro) Vidal Molina y González , born 28 Apr 1872 in La Habana, Cuba; died Aft. 24 Sep 1901.**
 - v. **María de las Mercedes Molina y González, born 18 May 1874 in El Cerro, La Habana, Cuba; died 12 Apr 1956 in Caserio de Luyano, Habana, Cuba; married Manuel Rojas y Bonilla 17 Dec 1892 in Parroquia de Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba. Children: Manuel, Roberto, Emma, Leonor, Clementina, Alicia, María Magdalena, Ignacio, Rafael and Leopoldo.**
 - vi. **Leonor Molina y González, born Abt. May 1881 in Caserio de Luyano , Habana, Cuba; died 13 Apr 1882 in Caserio de Luyano, La Habana, Cuba¹²**
 - vii. **María Lugarda Bernardina Molina y González , born 26 May 1881 in Caserio de Luyano, Habana, Cuba.**
 - ii **Eufemio Molina y González, born 20 Mar 1883 in Caserio de Luyano, Habana, Cuba; died 21 Mar 1883 in Caserio de Luyano, Habana, Cuba¹⁴**

- ix. Encarnación Molina y González, born 12 Mar 1884 in Caserío de Luyano, Habana, Cuba.

Generation No. 3

Clemente José Molina y Delgado, born 23 Nov 1793 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died Bet. 1874 - 1885. He was the son of Gaspar Molina y Rodríguez de Velasco and Josefa Tomasa Delgado y Hernández. He married Lutgarda Justa Arocha y Hernández 28 Jul 1826 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba¹⁶. She was born 14 May 1805; died Bet. 1874 - 1885. She was the daughter of Antonio Arocha y Vento and María de Regla Hernández y Álvarez Molina.

Children of Clemente Molina y Delgado and Lutgarda Arocha y Hernández are:

- i. Gaspar Valentín Molina y Arocha, born 16 Dec 1828 in La Habana, Cuba; died 27 Nov 1867 in La Habana, Cuba¹⁹
- ii. José Clemente Molina y Arocha, born 23 Nov 1831 in La Habana, Cuba; married Maria Crescencia de Armas y Díaz 10 May 1859 in Parroquia de Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba²¹; born in La Habana, Cuba. Children: José Francisco, Juan Bautista and Leandra Hermenegilda.
- iii. Rafael Julian Molina y Arocha, born 28 Feb 1834 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.

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- iv. José Estanislao Molina y Arocha, born 21 Jun 1837 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 22 Jul 1914 in Caserío de Luyano #36, La Habana, Cuba; married María Dionisia de Regla González y de Castro 03 Oct 1866 in Parr. de Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba. Children: Ramón, Emilio Sisto, Inés María, Prudencio (Puro), María de las Mercedes, Leonor, María Lugarda, Eufemio and Encarnación.
- v. Rosalia Fermina Molina y Arocha, born 07 Jul 1839 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 28 Sep 1897 in Caserío de Luyano #20, Habana, Cuba; married (1) Emilio García; children: Emilio and Alberto; married (2) José Elías Ramón Comesaña y Mesa 01 Feb 1858 in Parroquia de Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba²⁴; born Abt. 1836.
- vi. Antonio Lino Molina y Arocha, born 23 Sep 1841 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 02 Feb 1921 in Calle Caserío, Luyano, La Habana, Cuba²⁶; married Francisca Acosta y Martos; born in Batabanó, Cuba; died Bef. 03 Feb 1921. Children: Alberto Agapito, Adelaida Sista, Enrique Regino, María de las Mercedes Laura and Juana María.

Juan González, died Aft. 1874. He married Inés de Castro, died Aft. 1874.

Children of Juan González and Inés Castro are:

- i. María Dionisia de Regla González y de Castro, born in San Miguel del Padrón, La Habana, Cuba; died Bef. 26 Nov 1892; married José Estanislao Molina y Arocha 03 Oct 1866 in Parr. de Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba.
- ii. Adela González y de Castro, died Aft. 08 Mar 1903.

- iii. Juan Francisco González y de Castro, married Martina Pagés y Barceló, 31 Jul 1875 in Parr. de Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba²⁸; born in Santa María del Rosario, Habana, Cuba.

Generation No. 4

Gaspar Molina y Rodríguez de Velasco, born in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba. He was the son of Francisco Molina and Agustina Rodríguez de Velasco. He married Josefa Tomasa Delgado y Hernández 16 Oct 1780 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba²⁹. She was born 07 Mar 1757 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba. She was the daughter of José Delgado y Díaz and Felipa Hernández y Rivero.

Children of Gaspar Molina y Rodríguez de Velasco and Josefa Delgado y Hernández are:

- i. Agustín Molina y Delgado, died Aft. 01 Jan 1854; married María Manuela Justa Hernández y Álvarez Molina 26 Mar 1821 in Parr del Sr. del Santo Calvario, La Habana, Cuba³¹; born 28 May 1796 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died Aft. 01 Jan 1854. Children: Josefa Tiburcia, José Agustín, María Ramona, María de Regla, Lugarda Hércula, María Paula, and Juana Francisca.
- ii. Josefa Molina y Delgado
- iii. José Francisco de Loreto Molina y Delgado, born 10 Dec 1781 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 08 Dec 1861 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba³³; married Ma. Josefa Ramona Hernández y Álvarez Molina 26 Mar 1821 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba³⁴; born Jun 1789 in El Calvario,

- Habana, Cuba. Children: Francisco, Nicolasa, Quintín, Juana de la Cruz, José Alejandro, Miguel, Mariano Antonio, Tomás, Pastor, Manuel Eusebio, Pedro Celestino and María del Pilar.
- iv. Juan Manuel Molina y Delgado, born 26 Dec 1782 in Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba; died 14 Sep 1850 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba³⁷
- v. María de Regla de la Cruz Molina y Delgado, born 14 Sep 1787 in Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba.
- vi. Gaspar Joseph Benigno Molina y Delgado, born 13 Feb 1790 in Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba.
- vii. José María Molina y Delgado, born 04 Jun 1792 in Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba; died 05 Jun 1862 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁴¹; married Juana Bautista Pérez y Guerra 20 Jan 1832 in Parroquia de Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba⁴²; born in La Habana, Cuba; died Bef. 1862. Children: José, Manuel, Ramón, Rafael and María del Rosario.
- viii. Clemente José Molina y Delgado, born 23 Nov 1793 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died Bet. 1874 - 1885; married Lutgarda Justa Arocha y Hernández 28 Jul 1826 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba. Children: Gaspar Valentín, José Clemente, Rafael Julian, José Estanislao, Rosalia Fermina and Antonio Lino.
- ix. Felipe Joseph Molina y Delgado, born 16 Jun 1797 in Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba; died 08 Oct 1822.
- x. Joseph Desiderio Molina y Delgado, born 21 May 1795 in Jesús del Monte, La Habana, Cuba.

Antonio Arocha y Vento, born Abt. 1772 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 09 Jun 1816 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁴⁶. He was the son of Miguel de Arocha y Pérez and Leonor Vento y García. He married María de Regla Hernández y Álvarez Molina 09 Dec 1802 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁴⁷. She was born 28 May 1784 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died Aft. 06 Jul 1837. She was the daughter of Jacinto Hernández y Bacallao o Vacallado and María Francisca Álvarez Molina y García Calzadilla.

Children of Antonio Arocha y Vento and María Hernández y Álvarez Molina are:

- i. José Ramón Félix Arocha y Hernández, born 31 Mar 1804 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 04 Mar 1842 in El Calvario, La Habana, Cuba⁴⁹; married María del Rosario Díaz; died Bef. 04 Mar 1842.
- ii. Lutgarda Justa Arocha y Hernández, born 14 May 1805; died Bet. 1874 - 1885; married Clemente José Molina y Delgado 28 Jul 1826 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba. Children: Gaspar Valentín, José Clemente, Rafael Julian, José Estanislao, Rosalia Fermina and Antonio Lino.
- iii. Santiago Antonio Mariano Arocha y Hernández, born 25 Jul 1806 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- iv. José María Leocadio Arocha y Hernández, born 09 Dec 1807 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- v. Manuel María Dionisio Arocha y Hernández, born 09 Oct 1809 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.

- vi. **Francisco María Inés Arocha y Hernández**, born 20 Apr 1811 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 26 Nov 1884 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁵³
- vii. **José Clemente Arocha y Hernández**, born 23 Nov 1814 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 17 Apr 1815 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁵⁵

Generation No. 5

Francisco Molina. He married **Agustina Rodríguez de Velasco**.

Child of Francisco Molina and Agustina Rodríguez de Velasco is:

- i. **Gaspar Molina y Rodríguez de Velasco**, born in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; married **Josefa Tomasa Delgado y Hernández** 16 Oct 1780 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.

Jose Delgado y Díaz, born in Lugar de Guimar, Isla de Tenerife, Islas Canarias. He was the son of **Joaquín Delgado** and **Inés Díaz**. He married **Felipa Hernández y Rivero** 01 Jul 1750 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁵⁶. She born in La Habana, Cuba. She was the daughter of **Joseph Hernández Guisola** and **Catalina Rivero y Rodríguez**.

Children of José Delgado y Díaz and Felipa Hernández y Rivero are:

- i. **Pedro Antonio Joseph Delgado y Hernández**, born 01 Aug 1751 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.

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- ii. Inés de la Candelaria Delgado y Hernández, born 18 Jul 1754 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; married Gabriel Martínez y Rodríguez 13 Sep 1773 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁵⁸; born in El Calvario, La Habana, Cuba.
- iii. Felipa Antonia Rafaela Delgado y Hernández, born 05 Sep 1755 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; married José Manuel Jorge y de las Nieves 22 Dec 1774 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba^{60,61}.
- iv. Josefa Tomasa Delgado y Hernández, born 07 Mar 1757 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; married Gaspar Molina y Rodríguez de Velasco 16 Oct 1780 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba. Children: Agustín, Josefa, José Francisco, Juan Manuel, María de Regla, Gaspar Joseph, José María, Clemente José, Felipe Joseph, and Joseph Desiderio.
- v. María Catalina Delgado y Hernández, born 21 Jul 1758 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- vi. María Josefa Delgado y Hernández, born 09 Dec 1759 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- vii. Pablo Joseph Delgado y Hernández, born 22 Jul 1761 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- Miguel de Arocha y Pérez, born in La Habana, Cuba; died 27 Feb 1784 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁶⁵. He was the son of Miguel de Fernández de Arocha and María Pérez Calzadilla. He married Leonor Vento y García 12 Feb 1763 in Parroquia del Señor del Santo Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁶⁶. She was born in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 10 Dec 1772 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁶⁷. She was the daughter of Felipe Vento and Cecilia García.

Children of Miguel Arocha y Pérez and Leonor Vento y García are:

- i. **María Josefa de la Luz Arocha y Vento**, born 19 Dec 1767 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; married Pedro Pérez y Alvertus 16 Jun 1788 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁶⁸; born in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- ii. **Joseph María Arocha y Vento**, born Abt. 1769 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 28 Jul 1769 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁶⁹
- iii. **Micaela Josefa Arocha y Vento**, born 30 Sep 1770 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- iv. **Antonio Arocha y Vento**, born Abt. 1772 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 09 Jun 1816 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; married María de Regla Hernández y Álvarez Molina 09 Dec 1802 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.

Jacinto Hernández y Bacallao o Vacallado, born in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba. He was the son of Felipe Hernández and Manuela Bacallao o Vacallado. He married María Francisca Álvarez Molina y García Calzadilla. She was born in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died Aft. 28 Nov 1807. She was the daughter of Manuel Álvarez Molina and Isabel García Calzadilla.

Children of Jacinto Hernández y Bacallao o Vacallado and María Álvarez Molina y García Calzadilla are:

- i. **María de Regla Hernández y Álvarez Molina**, born 28 May 1784 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died Aft. 06 Jul 1837;

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- married Antonio Arocha y Vento 09 Dec 1802 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- ii. María Lugarda Evarista Hernández y Álvarez Molina, born 26 Oct 1787 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- iii. María Josefa Ramona Hernández y Álvarez Molina, born Jun 1789 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; married José Francisco de Loreto Molina y Delgado 26 Mar 1821 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁷¹; born 10 Dec 1781 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 08 Dec 1861 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁷². See 8 – iii.
- iv. María Isabel Fermina Hernández y Álvarez Molina, born 07 Jul 1791 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- v. Joseph Ramón Hernández y Álvarez Molina, born 20 Sep 1792 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- vi. Tomás José Hernández y Álvarez Molina, born 20 Dec 1794 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- vii. María Manuela Justa Hernández y Álvarez Molina, born 28 May 1796 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died Aft. 01 Jan 1854; married Agustín Molina y Delgado 26 Mar 1821 in Parr del Sr. del Santo Calvario, La Habana, Cuba⁷³; died Aft. 01 Jan 1854. See 8 –i.
- viii. María Luisa Hernández y Álvarez Molina, born 13 Dec 1797 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- ix. María Gregoria Hernández y Álvarez Molina, born 09 May 1800 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.

Generation No. 6

Joaquín Delgado, born 1671 in Lugar de Guimar, Isla de Tenerife, Islas Canarias. He was the son of Juan "el Cojo" Gaspar Delgado and Catalina Francisca Viera. He married Inés Díaz 1707 in Lugar de Guimar, Isla de Tenerife, Islas Canarias. She was born 1683 in Lugar de Guimar, Isla de Tenerife, Islas Canarias. She was the daughter of Pedro Díaz Gonzalo and Catalina Delgado.

Child of Joaquín Delgado and Inés Díaz is:

- i. José Delgado y Díaz, born in Lugar de Guimar, Isla de Tenerife, Islas Canarias; married Felipa Hernández y Rivero 01 Jul 1750 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.

Joseph Hernández Guisola. He married Catalina Rivero y Rodríguez. She was the daughter of Teniente Cristóbal Rivero (Osorio) and Francisca Rodríguez.

Child of Joseph Hernández Guisola and Catalina Rivero y Rodríguez is:

- i. Felipa Hernández y Rivero, born in La Habana, Cuba; married José Delgado y Díaz 01 Jul 1750 in Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, El Calvario, Habana, Cuba.

Miguel Fernández de Arocha, born in La Laguna, Tenerife, Islas Canarias; died 18 Dec 1758 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁸². He married María Pérez Calzadilla. She was born in La Habana, Cuba; died Bef. 19 Mar 1769 in La Habana, Cuba⁸³. She was the daughter of Miguel Pérez Calzadilla and Catharina Pérez.

Children of Miguel Fernández de Arocha and María Pérez Calzadilla are:

- i. Miguel de Arocha y Pérez, born in La Habana, Cuba; died 27 Feb 1784 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; married Leonor Vento y García 12 Feb 1763 in Parroquia del Señor del Santo Aalvario, Habana, Cuba.
- ii. María Francisca de Arocha y Pérez, born in La Habana, Cuba; married (1) Alonso Fernández de Lugo; born in Lugar de Ycod, Isla de Tenerife, Islas Canarias; died Bef. 19 Mar 1769; married (2) Balthazar González y del Cristo 19 Mar 1769 in Parroquia del Señor del Santo Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁸⁴; born in Santa Cruz, Tenerife, Islas Canarias.
- iii. Antonio Arocha(Fernández de) y Pérez, born in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 19 Apr 1783 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁸⁵; married María Josefa de Ortega y García 18 Dec 1755 in Iglesia Auxiliar de Jesús del Monte, Habana, Cuba⁸⁶; born in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba. Children: Luis Joseph, Antonia de la Trinidad, María Josefa, Nicolás Joseph, María del Rosario, Damiana Josefa, Dionisio Joseph, María Petrona and María.
- iv. Isabel de Arocha(Hernández de) y Pérez, born in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 25 Jul 1782 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁸⁷; married Francisco Vento(Melian); born in Tejina, La Laguna, Tenerife, Islas Canarias; died 01 May 1772 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁸⁸. Children: Francisca, Pedro, Isidro, Joseph de los Santos, Pablo, María Josefa, María Nicolasa, Sebastián Joseph, Francisco Joseph, María de la Concepción, Joseph Jil and María Teresa de la Cruz.

Felipe Vento, died Bef. 05 Aug 1820. He married Cecilia García.
She died Bef. 05 Aug 1820.

Children of Felipe Vento and Cecilia García are:

- i. Leonor Vento y García, born in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 10 Dec 1772 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; married Miguel de Arocha y Pérez 12 Feb 1763 in Parroquia del Señor del Santo Calvario, Habana, Cuba.
- ii. Manuela Vento y García, born Abt. 1730 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died 05 Aug 1820 in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba⁸⁹
- iii. Manuel Vento y García, died Aft. 05 Aug 1820. Children: Pedro and José.
- iv. Francisco Vento y García, died 18 Feb 1782 in El Calvario, La Habana, Cuba⁹⁰; married María Micaela de Jesús NN; died Aft. 18 Feb 1782.

Felipe Hernández. He married Manuela Bacallao o Vacallado.

Child of Felipe Hernández and Manuela Bacallao o Vacallado is:

- i. Jacinto Hernández y Bacallao o Vacallado, born in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; married María Francisca. Álvarez Molina y García Calzadilla.

Manuel Álvarez Molina. He married Isabel García Calzadilla .
She died Aft. 06 Jun 1784.

Child of Manuel Álvarez Molina and Isabel García Calzadilla is:

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- i. **María Francisca Álvarez Molina y García Calzadilla**, born in El Calvario, Habana, Cuba; died Aft. 28 Nov 1807; married Jacinto Hernández y Bacallao o Vacallado.

Generation No. 7

Juan "el Cojo" Gaspar Delgado, born 15 Jan 1632 in Lugar de Guimar, Isla de Tenerife, Islas Canarias. He was the son of Guan-che Juan Gaspar Delgado and Florencia María Pérez. He married Catalina Francisca Viera.

Child of Juan Gaspar Delgado and Catalina Viera is:

- i. **Joaquín Delgado**, born 1671 in Lugar de Guimar, Isla de Tenerife, Islas Canarias; married Inés Díaz 1707 in Lugar de Guimar, Isla de Tenerife, Islas Canarias.

Pedro Díaz Gonzalo He was the son of Gonzalo Díaz and Ana Sebastiana. He married Catalina Delgado 1660. She was born 1644 in Lugar de Guimar, Isla de Tenerife, Islas Canarias. She was the daughter of Diego Francisco Benítez and María Delgado.

Child of Pedro Díaz Gonzalo and Catalina Delgado is:

- i. **Inés Díaz**, born 1683 in Lugar de Guimar, Isla de Tenerife, Islas Canarias; married Joaquín Delgado 1707 in Lugar de Guimar, Isla de Tenerife, Islas Canarias.

Teniente Cristóbal Rivero (Osorio), born in Tacoronte, Tenerife, Islas Canarias. He was the son of Juan Rivero and Ana Leal. He married Francisca Rodríguez 07 Jul 1680 in Tacoronte, Tenerife, Islas Canarias. She born in Tacoronte, Tenerife, Islas Canarias;

died 04 Nov 1719 in La Habana, Cuba. She was the daughter of Salvador Francisco and Lucía Rodríguez.

Children of Teniente Cristóbal Rivero (Osorio) and Francisca Rodríguez are:

- i. Capitán Pedro Rivero y Rodríguez , born in Tacoronte, Tenerife, Islas Canarias; married María Hernández 16 Jul 1719 in Parr del Espiritu Santo, La Habana, Cuba⁹²; born in La Habana, Cuba.
- ii. Catalina Rivero y Rodríguez, married Joseph Hernández Guisola. Child: Felipa.
- iii. María Rivero y Rodríguez .
- iv. Teniente Cristóbal Rivero y Rodríguez, married María Montesinos 20 Jul 1709 in Parr del Santo Cristo, La Habana, Cuba⁹³; born in La Habana, Cuba. Child: José.
- v. Domingo Rivero y Rodríguez, born 26 Nov 1684 in Tacoronte, Tenerife, Islas Canarias; married Blasina Hernández 01 Jul 1715 in Parr del Espiritu Santo, La Habana, Cuba⁹⁴; born in La Habana, Cuba.
- vi. Alférez Juan Rivero y Rodríguez, born 07 Jan 1693 in Tacoronte, Tenerife, Islas Canarias; died 08 Jun 1761 in La Habana, Cuba⁹⁵

Miguel Pérez Calzadilla, born in Tenerife, Islas Canarias. He married Catharina Pérez. She born in Santa Cruz de Tenerife, Islas Canarias.

Child of Miguel Pérez Calzadilla and Catharina Pérez is:

- i. Maria Pérez Calzadilla, born in La Habana, Cuba; died Bef. 19 Mar 1769 in La Habana, Cuba; married Miguel de Fernández de Arocha.

Endnotes

1. *Certificación de Defunción - Registro del Estado Civil, Cuba*, Tomo 99, Folio 518, Centro..
2. *Certificación Literal de Partida*, lb. 8, Fo. 289, No. 226, Parroquia de Jesús del Monte, La Habana Cuba.
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33. *Certificado de Defunción*, libro 5, Fo. 148v, No. 675, Parr. del Sr. del Santo Calvario, Habana, Cuba.

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Four Related Families in Cuba

by Zilia L. Laje

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Laje

The surname Laje is a topographic surname from the word *laje*, which in Portuguese means tile or flat stone. *Da Laje*, "from the flat stone" someone who lived near a flat rock, smooth stone or stone tile. The surname is established in Galicia and extended to Asturias and Bilbao.

Josef da Laje, originally from the province of Lugo, Region of Galicia, northern Spain, married Antonia López del Río. They were the parents of Nicolás da Laje y López.

Nicolás da Laje y López, resident of Reboyra, and parishioner of San Tirso de Portocelo, married Andrea López, daughter of Roque Alvarez and Ana López, residents of San Estevan de Sumoas. They were the parents of Josef da Laje y López.

Josef da Laje y López was born on October 6, 1801, at 10 in the morning in Reboyra and was baptized the seventh of that month in the parish of San Tirso de Portocelo. He married on January 29, 1825 in the same parish with María Luisa Ramona López, born on October 23, 1802 in the village of Vilachá, daughter of Josef Meitín and María López, residents of San Pedro de Juanzes. This couple were the parents of seven children: María Antonia, Manuel,

José Benito, José Miguel, Juan Teodoro, Nicolás Benito and Josefa Rosalía da Laje y López, born between April 22, 1827 and September 4, 1838.

Juan Teodoro Laje y López, previously mentioned, was born on November 9, 1834 at two in the afternoon in Reboyra, in the municipality of Jove, Province of Lugo, the fifth son of Josef da Laje and María Luisa López. He was baptized on November 10, at the parish of San Tirso de Portocelo, Dioceses of Mondoñedo, by Don Nicolás M. Barrera, and his godparents were Josefa Fernández, widow of Fernández and her son Juan Fernández y Fernández, residents of Vilachá. Juan Teodoro Laje López migrated to Cuba around 1860.

Juan Teodoro Lage¹ y López married María de la Merced Hidalgo-Gato y Flores, born in Jesús del Monte, La Habana, the daughter of Gregorio Hidalgo-Gato y Murguía and Micaela Flores y Escasúa². The ceremony took place on December 14, 1868 in the parish of San Juan Bautista de Pueblo Nuevo, in Matanzas, before Don Ramón Pellón y Gandora. At the time of his marriage Juan Lage was working in the railroads, he served in the 6th company, 7th battalion of Habana of the Corps of Volunteers from 1871 to 1888, rising to the rank of lieutenant, and he later became a merchant. The couple lived on Calle San José and they were the parents of ten children: Juan Francisco Jerónimo, who was born on September 30, 1869, Luisa, Andrés, Elvira and Carmen, all born in Matanzas. In La Habana they procreated: Luz María, Luis Beltrán,

¹ In Cuba the surname changed from Laje to Lage, when Castilian became the official language of Spain.

² This family will be treated later.

Pedro León, Mercedes and José Antonio Lage e Hidalgo-Gato, who was born in La Habana on September 25, 1895. Of which:

A. Juan Francisco Jerónimo Lage e Hidalgo-Gato was born on November 30, 1869 in Matanzas. He was a lawyer, municipal judge of the district of Jesús María, La Habana, and Property Recorder. He married Esther Tolosa Menéndez San Pedro and they resided at Calle Consulado, no. 15, in La Habana.

B. Luisa Lage e Hidalgo-Gato was born between August 1870 and July 1876. She married José Penelas, originally from Spain, and resided in Caibarién, Las Villas. They were the parents of José, Luis, Carolina, Carmen, Elvira and Guillermo Peneles y Lage. Of which:

a. José Penelas married Hilda López y Ramos.

b. Luis Penelas married Isolina Delgado and were the parents of Adelaida Penelas y Delgado.

c. Carolina Penelas married Miguel Hernández.

d. Carmen Penelas married Rafael Jover.

e. Guillermo Penelas married Isolina Delgado.

C. Andrés Lage e Hidalgo-Gato was born between 1871 and 1877. He married Luisa Gusep, originally from Cataluña, Spain. They resided in Almendares, Marianao, Habana.

D. Elvira Lage e Hidalgo-Gato was born between 1871 and 1878. She married José Alvarez and they were the parents of Carlos, María Luisa and Joaquín Alvarez y Lage. Of which:

a. María Luisa married Manuel López and they were the parents of Manuel and Dora López y Alvarez.

E. Carmen Lage e Hidalgo-Gato married Joaquín Cabal, originally from Spain, and they resided at Calle La Piedra, in Regla, Habana..

F. Luz María Lage e Hidalgo-Gato was born between 1873 and 1879. She married Emilio Ferrer. They were the parents of Oscar and Luz María Ferrer y Lage. Of which:

a. Luz María Ferrer y Lage married Nicasio Silverio y Sáenz. They were the parents of "Beba", Joaquín, Nicasio and Ana María Silverio y Ferrer.

G. Pedro León Lage e Hidalgo-Gato was born on June 29, 1888. He married Itálica Fernández y Borrego, daughter of Eva Borrego, and were the parents of Esther and Lilliam Lage y Fernández. Of which:

a. Esther Lage y Fernández married Nicanor Ortega.

b. Lilliam Lage y Fernández married José Emilio Alcaraz y Alonso, and they are the parents of José Emilio Alcaraz y Lage, who was born on January 30, 1957 in La Habana. He married Chris Stickney in May 1990 and married a second time with Barbara Byrd Shayeb in June 2002.

H. Mercedes Lage e Hidalgo-Gato was born on between 1889 and 1894 in La Habana. She married Eustaquio Robles, originally from Spain, and resided on Calle Carmen Ribalta, in Sagua La Grande, Las Villas.

Luis Beltrán Laje e Hidalgo-Gato, previously mentioned as son of Juan Teodoro Lage³ y López and María de la Merced Hidalgo-Gato y Flores, was born on October 10, 1887, while his parents lived at Calle Amistad # 426, at the corner of Dragones in La Habana. He was baptized in the parish of Nuestra Señora de la Caridad, located at Calle Manrique # 598, at the corner of La Salud.

Luis Beltran Laje married to a lady by the surname of Castro and he fathered the following children:

A. Luis Lage y Castro was born on December 13, 1913. He died as an infant.

B. María Luisa Lage y Castro, born on October 19, 1914. She resided in Rio Grijalba, Colonia Cuauhtemon, Mexico City. She married Camacho Martinez and they were the parents of

a. Mario A. Martínez y Lage, born on July 16, 1951.

C. Santiago Joaquin Silvio Lage y Castro was born in La Habana on January 12, 1916. He married in Jersey City on January 5, 1953 with Elvira Forteza y Moreno, originally from Cangas, Puerto Rico, the daughter of Benjamin Forteza and Maria Felicita Moreno, both from Alicante, Spain.

Luis Beltrn Lage's second marriage was to Zilia Isabel Bello y Riquelme, daughter of Daniel Angel Bello y Díaz and María Hortensia Riquelme y Roca. This couple resided at Calle 2 no. 258-D, between Calle Zapata and Calle 31, Vedado, Habana. Luis

³In Cuba the surname changed from Laje to Lage.

Beltrán Lage and Zilia Bello were the parents of Zilia Luisa Laje y Bello.

Zilia Luisa Laje y Bello was born on February 1 at two in the morning at the Clinic La Bondad, on Calzada del Cerro, La Habana. She was registered at the Civil Registry of El Vedado and was baptized at the Parish of Sagrado Corazón, Vedado, Habana, on August 8, with the name Zilia Luisa de la Milagrosa. Her godparents were her maternal aunt Ruth Concepción Bello y Riquelme and Francisco García y Olivares. She attended the School Alfredo M. Aguayo, on Calle Estrada Palma, in Santos Suárez.

She married Alberto Domínguez y Maidagán, born in Guanabacoa, Habana, son of Manuel Francisco Domínguez y González and Vicenta Maidagán y Otaola, on November 6, 1965, at Saints Peter and Paul's Church, in Miami, Florida. The witnesses were Heriberto Osvaldo Costales y Riquelme, a third cousin, and Isabel Bello y Riquelme. They were the parents of Alberto Luis Domínguez y Laje.

Alberto Luis Domínguez y Laje was born on March 30, 1968 in Miami, Florida, and was baptized at Saints Peter and Paul's Church, on May 4 of that year. His godparents were Lilliam Lage y Fernández, his second cousin, and Heriberto Osvaldo Costales y Riquelme.

Hidalgo-Gato

The word *hidalgo* derives from the old word *fidalgo*, a contraction from the Latin *filius* + *aliquid* meaning “son of something” and it was an occupational surname for the servant of a nobleman.

Alvaro Fernandes y Carrero and Leonor Dies, born in Portugal, at the end of the XV century were the parents of Manuel Hidalgo, born during the reign of Manuel I and was a servant to the Princess in the Royal Palace in Madrid.⁴ Manuel I, the Fortunate, reigned in Portugal until his death in 1521.

Manuel Hidalgo married Luisa Villa-Roel and they were the parents of Francisco Hidalgo y Villa-Roel, who was born in Agogalán, in the kingdom of Portugal⁵. He married María Núñez and they resided in La Habana, after arriving with the company of the ship captain Don Juan de Texeda, Knight of the Order of Santiago and who was Governor of La Habana from 1589 to 1594. Francisco Hidalgo was a scribe in La Habana and presented proof of nobility in 1589.

Francisco Hidalgo y Villa-Roel and María Núñez were the parents of María, Lucía, José and Agustina Hidalgo y Núñez. Of which:

María Hidalgo y Núñez was baptized in the Cathedral of La Habana on February 18, 1590. She was known as María Núñez Hidalgo

⁴ *Historia de Familias Cubanas*, by Francisco Javier de Santa Cruz.

⁵ *Historia de Familias Cubanas*, by Francisco Javier de Santa Cruz.

and married the Portuguese Antonio Rodrigues Gato, son of Nunho Gato and María Lopes. Antonio presented proof of nobility in the village of Mora, province of Alto Alentejo, in November 1609. Antonio Rodrigues Gato and María Núñez Hidalgo were the parents of Floriana, Juana, Margarita, Antonio, José, Francisco and Matías Hidalgo-Gato. María Núñez Hidalgo died in La Habana in April 1647.

Matías Hidalgo-Gato married in January 1646 at the Cathedral of La Habana with María de Salazar y González-Carvajal, daughter of Captain Pedro de Salazar e His and María González-Carvajal y Rivadeneira. They were the parents of:

José Matias Hidalgo-Gato y Salazar, who was baptized in the Cathedral of La Habana in March 1665. He married in December 1688 with Leonor de Vergara y Córdova, daughter of Captain Gregorio de Vergara and Ignacia Córdova. They were the parents of:

Gregorio Hidalgo-Gato y Vergara, who married in February 1733 in the parish of Nuestra Señora de la Consolación, in Consolación del Sur, province of Pinar del Río with Ana María Rodríguez-Morejón y González de Alverja, daughter of Juan Rodríguez-Morejón y Martínez de la Munera and Catalina González de Alverja y González. He died in August 1778 in La Habana.

Nicolás José Hidalgo-Gato y Vergara who was baptized in September 1691, and married in February of 1734 in the Cathedral of La Habana with Eugenia Fernández de Zaldívar y Ximénez, daughter of Francisco Fernández de Zaldívar y Trimiño, of the house of the Counts of Zaldívar, and Ana Apolonia Ximénez y Borroto. Nicolás was the owner of the hacienda El Roblar, in Consolación del Sur, Province of Pinar del Río and in 1741, together with a neigh-

bor, he dammed the Río Hondo, the most important river in the area, to stop any navigation on it. He died in April 1775 in La Habana.

Nicolás Hidalgo-Gato and Eugenia Fernández de Zaldívar were the parents of:

José Matias Hidalgo-Gato y Zaldívar, who married in 1764 in the parish of Ceja de Pablo, Guamutas, province of Matanzas, with his cousin María Francisca Hidalgo-Gato y Rodríguez-Morejón, daughter of Gregorio Hidalgo-Gato and Ana María Rodríguez-Morejón. They were the parents of:

José Francisco Higaldo-Gato e Hidalgo-Gato, who married María de los Dolores Murguía y Paz, daughter of Mariano Murguía y Pita de Figueroa and Josefa Paz y Biedma. They were the parents of:

Gregorio Hidalgo-Gato y Murguía, who was born in Pinar del Río and married Micaela Flores y Escasúa, from La Habana, daughter of Juan Flores and Nicolasa Escasúa ⁶. They were the parents of Francisco, Nicolasa, María de la Merced and José Gregorio Hidalgo-Gato y Flores.

María de la Merced Hidalgo-Gato y Flores was born on September 23, 1845. She was baptized in the parish of Jesús del Monte in La Habana, on October 20, 1845, by Claudio Valdés and her godfather was Nicolás Fernández. She married Juan Teodoro Lage y López, originally from Lugo, Galicia, son of José Laje López and María Luisa Ramona López on December 14, 1868.

⁶ Baptism Certificate of Micaela Flores

The descendancy of this couple is treated in the Laje family history above.

Bello

José María Bello y Hernández-Pulgarón was born in Guanabo, in Campo Florido, in the municipality of Guanabacoa, Province of Habana around 1830. He was the son of Sebastian Bello and Monica Henández Pulgarón. He also used the surname Fano from his mother's side of the family. He married María del Rosario Díaz y Núñez, born in Guanabacoa, Province of Habana, around 1840. She was the daughter of Juan Agustín Díaz and Maria Paulina Nuñez.

They were the parents of José Saturnino, María de Jesús, Jose Ignacio. Felix Tomas, Diego José Ladislao, María del Carmen, María Luisa José María, Tranquilino, Daniel Angel, Eduardo Bello y Díaz. Of which:

- a. Eduardo Bello y Díaz was a pharmacist, he married Esperanza Tito and they were the parents of Estela Bello y Tito, who married Juan Carvajal and in turn were the parents of Martha and Juan Carvajal y Bello.
- b. Tranquilino Bello y Díaz married Encarnación Pérez and they were the parents of Aurora and José María Bello y Pérez.
- c. María Luisa Bello y Díaz married Sebastián Suárez and they were the parents of Julia María Suárez y Bello.

Daniel Angel Bello y Díaz was born in October 1873 in Guanabo, Campo Florido, Guanabacoa, Habana and married María Hortensia Riquelme y Roca, born in La Habana, about 1893, the daughter of Antonio Julián Riquelme y Armenteros⁷ and Concepción Roca y Averhoff. This couple resided at Calle Camposanto # 65, in Guanabacoa. He was a proctor and accountant and for a while worked at the establishment "La Zilia", at Aguila # 211, in Habana.

Daniel Bello and María Hortensia Riquelme were the parents of five children: Ismael Daniel, Estrella América, Zilia Isabel, Hilda Hortensia and Rutilia Concepción Bello y Riquelme, all born between 1895 and 1910. Of which:

A. Ismael Daniel Bello y Riquelme, born on March 23, 1895 in Guanabacoa, married Rosario Ríos y Arias, daughter of Caridad Arias. They resided on Calle San Benigno, in Santos Suárez, La Habana. They were the parents of Ismael Francisco Bello y Ríos.

Ismael Daniel Bello y Riquelme married a second time with Mercedes Torroella y Rooney, daughter of Mary Rooney, from Ireland. They resided at Calle Salud, # 556, La Habana.

1. Ismael Francisco Bello y Ríos was born in 1920 in La Habana and married Alida Hernández y Noda, in the Church of Monserrate in 1947. They resided at Calle Correa # 157, in Santos Suárez. He married a second time with Olga

⁷ The Riquelme family will be treated latter.

Anastasia Rodríguez y Ludevid. They were the parents of three children: Ismael Miguel, Roberto Fausto and Olga Natacha Bello y Rodríguez. Of which:

1.a Ismael Miguel Bello y Rodriguez married Lourdes López y Carbonell and they were the parents of Ismael Javier and Alejandro Bello y López.

1.b Roberto Fausto Bello y Rodríguez married Lourdes Cabrera y Chamizo. They were the parents of Karen and Yanet Bello y Cabrera.

2.c Olga Natacha Bello y Rodríguez was born in August 1962 and married on December 16, 1996 with Jorge Luis Alomá y Rodríguez. They were the parents of Melissa Alomá y Bello.

B. Estrella América Bello y Riquelme was born on September 14, 1898 in El Cerro, La Habana, and married Domingo Vallhonrat. She married a second time with Efraín Hernández y Medina, born in Las Palmas, Gran Canaria, Canary Islands, Spain, in October 1900. He was the son of Nicolás Hernández and Josefa Medina. They resided in New York, and were the parents of Efraín Ricardo Hernández y Bello.

1. Efraín Ricardo Hernández y Bello was born on February 7, 1937 in New York, and married Virginia Guerra, daughter of Albert and Madeleine Guerra. They resided in Franklin Square, New York, and were the parents of Stephen, Carolyn and Karen Hernández y Guerra. Of which:

1.a Stephen Hernández y Guerra married Karen Martínez y O'Reilly and they were the parents of Stephen and Mathew Hernández y Martínez.

1.b Carolyn Hernández y Guerra married Donald Romano and they were the parents of Victoria Ashley, Jessica Taylor and Donald Romano y Hernández,

1.c Karen Hernández y Guerra married Richard Shealey and they were the parents of Alexandria, Shamon and Lauren Ashley Shealey y Hernández. They reside in Lexington, South Carolina.

C. Zilia Isabel Bello y Riquelme was born in El Cerro and married Luis Beltrán Lage e Hidalgo-Gato. Her descendancy is treated in the section of the Laje family.

D. Hilda Hortensia Bello y Riquelme was born on April 23, 1907 in El Cerro. She married Julio Rodríguez y Lamult, son of Luisa Lamult, born in Martinique, French Antilles. They resided in Santos Suárez and were the parents of Julio Leopoldo Rodríguez y Bello.

1. Julio Leopoldo Rodríguez y Bello was born on September 30, 1943 in La Habana. He married María Mellado and were the parents of Julio J. Rodríguez y Mellado. Julio Rodríguez married a second time with Martha Sánchez and they were the parents of Jumar, born in 1970, and Marjú, born in 1972, Rodríguez y Sánchez. They reside in Miami, Florida.

E. Rutilia Concepción Bello y Riquelme was born on May 2, 1910 in La Habana, and married Francisco García y

Olivares, son of Remedios Olivares. They resided in Santos Suárez and they were the parents of Rut Hortensia García y Bello. Rutilia died in childbirth.

1.a Rut Hortensia García y Bello was born on January 11, 1942 in La Habana. She married Victoriano Alvarez and resides in Miami. They were the parents of Ruth María and Vivian Marie Alvarez y García.

Riquelme

This surname of Germanic origins is composed of the words *Rico* and *Elme*, meaning rich chief.

Don Ignacio Riquelme y Rivera was born in La Habana and married Doña Antonia María Hano y Palomares, also born in La Habana. He was a Frigate Lieutenant and they were the parents of Antonio Riquelme y Hano

In the XV century the letter H did not exist, the letter F was used instead. The surname's original spelling was Fano, derived from the Latin word *fanum*, which means temple of sacred land among the pagans, which lead to believe that it was a topographic surname. When the Spanish language evolved and the letter H started to be used, all the words that started with the letter F were instead written with the letter H.

Antonio Riquelme y Hano, was born in La Habana between 1795 and 1814. He married on March 24, 1834 to María Inés del Carmen Armenteros-Guzmán y Muños de Roxas, at the Prish of

Jeromino de Mordazo, Puetnes Grandes, Habana.⁸ María Inées was also born in La Habana, the daughter of Rafael Armenteros-Guzman y Sandoya, Mayor of the Holy Brotherhood.⁹

⁸ Book 1 Folio 16v, no, 43

⁹ Rafael Armenteros-Guzmán was the younger of eight children of Captain Miguel Armenteros y Zaldivar and his first wife Juana Rosa Sendoya y Chirinos. She was the daughter of José Sendoya and Ana Gregoria Chirinos. Miguel and Juana married in the parish of Jesús del Monte on December 5, 1750.

Rafael Armenteros-Guzmán married María de Jesús Muñoz de Roxas y Alberro in 1784. She was the daughter of Damian Muñoz de Roxas who married María de Jesús Alberro on January 23 1809, at the parish of Santo Angel Custodio, La Habana.

Miguel Armenteros y Zaldivar was baptized in the Parish of Santo Cristo in La Habana on October 6, 1732, according to the work "*Historias de Familias Cubanas*" by Francisco Xavier de Santa Cruz y Mallén, volume 3, pages 47 to 50. Miguel was the third of six children of José Armenteros y Guzman y Sotolongo, Captain of Horsemen of de Plaza of La Habana, who married the first time on November 21, 1721 in the parish of San Matías de Río Blanco del Norte, Consolación del Norte, province of Pinar del Río, with María Micaela Fernández de Zaldivar y Ximenez, daughter of Francisco Fernández de Zaldivar y Trimíño, of the house of the Counts of Zaldivar, and Ana Apolonia Ximenez Borroto. This couple was also the parents of Eugenia Fernández de Zaldivar y Ximenez, the wife of Nicolás José Hidalgo-Gato y Vergara, treated in the body of this article.

Miguel's older brother, José Armenteros y

Antonio Riquelme and María Inés Armenteros-Guzman were the parents of Francisco and Antonio de Padua Julian Riquelme y Armenteros. Of which:

1. Francisco Riquelme y Armenteros fathered Sarah Riquelme, who married Manuel Cañedo and they were the parents of Manuel, Estrella, Elia, René, and Rubén Cañedo y Riquelme. The family resided in Calle Colina, Chaple, La Habana.
2. Antonio de Padua Julian Riquelme y Armenteros was born on January 25, 1835 in La Habana. He was baptized in the parish of Ntra. Sra. De Guadalupe on March 18 of that year.

Together with his brother Francisco, Antonio Riquelme owned the sugar mill San Antonio in Madruga, province of Habana, the ranch El Estanque, in Alacranes, province of Matanzas, the hacienda La

Zaldivar, born on May of 1743, in La Habana, was Marquis of Casa-Armenteros, and responsible for the building of Puentes Grandes in the 18th century. He married in 1767 with his maternal cousin, Josefa Zaldivar y Murguía, daughter of José Fernandez Murguía y Cárdenas. He was the owner of the hacienda Los Sietes Principes and opened the slaughter house in 1798.

José Armenteros y Guzman y Sotolongo was in turn the son of Captian Silvestra Armenteros y Guzman y del Calvo, Knight of the Order of Calatrava, who was recipient of the merced of land called Corral Cabezas on March 28, 1680, in San Antonio de Cabezas, province of Matanzas. His mother was Graciana Sotolongo y Calvo de la Puerta.

Hanábana, and tile kiln in Puentes Grandes, La Habana and a lumber yard.

Antonio Riquelme y Armenteros married María de la Concepción Roca y Averhoff, born in La Habana, daughter of Santiago José Camilo Roca y Martínez and María de la Concepción Averhoff y Prieto. They were the parents of Arturo, Amelia, María Hortensia and César Riquelme y Roca. Of which:

1. Arturo Riquelme y Roca married Dolores Suárez y Cabral and they were the parents of Ada Nohemí Riquelme Suárez

Nohemí Riquelme married Osvaldo Costales y Rodríguez and they were the parents of Heriberto Osvaldo Costales y Riquelme.

Heriberto Costales married María Concepción Hernández y Rodríguez and they were the parents of Noel Heriberto Costales y Hernández, born on October 29, 1954 in La Habana. He married María Teresa Fajardo. His second marriage was to Marcia Togores and they were the parents of Amanda Costales y Togores.

2. María Hortensia Riquelme y Roca was born in the month of August of 1875 in El Vedado, Habana. She married Daniel Angel Bello y Díaz, born in Guanabo, son of José María Bello y Hernández-Pulgaron and Rosario Díaz y Nuñez. They resided in Primelles no. 17, between Velarde and Daoiz, Reporto Las Cañas, La Habana. They were the parents of five children: Ismael Daniel Victoriano, Estrella América Ana, Filia Isabel, Hilda Hortensia and Rutilia Concepción Bello y Riquelme. The descendants of this branch is treated in the Bello family history above.

The Ruiz de Ugarrio Lineage: From Spain to Cuba

By Mayra Sánchez-Johnson

First Generation

San Pedro del Romeral is one of the villages of the Valle de Pas in the mountain of Santander. The village overlooks the valley full of pastures and fields of wheat. The Ruiz lineage is believed to have originated in Ogarrio, a town north east of San Pedro del Romeral in the valley of Ruesga.

1. Juan Ruiz de Ugarrio was born about 1640 in S Pedro Del Romeral, Santander, España.

Juan married Cathalina Ortiz. Cathalina was born about 1640 in S Pedro Del Romeral, Santander, España. The child from this marriage was:

+ 2 M i. Santiago Ruiz de Ugarrio was born on 1 May 1663 in S Pedro Del Romeral, Santander, España.

Second Generation (Children)

2. Santiago Ruiz de Ugarrio was born on 1 May 1663 in S Pedro Del Romeral, Santander, España.

Santiago married Angela Ruiz de Ugarrio, daughter of Pedro Ruiz de Ugarrio and María Gomez, on 3 Jan 1679 in S. Pedro Del Romeral, Santander, España. Angela was born on 10 Feb 1660 in S Pedro Del Romeral, Santander, España and was christened on 10 Feb 1660 in Par. San Pedro, Romeral. The child from this marriage was:

+ 3 M i. Matheo Ruiz de Ugarrio was born on 6 Feb 1691 in S Pedro Del Romeral, Santander, España and was christened on 6 Feb 1691 in Par. San Pedro, Romeral.

Third Generation (Grandchildren)

3. Matheo Ruiz de Ugarrio was born on 6 Feb 1691 in S Pedro Del Romeral, Santander, España and was christened on 6 Feb 1691 in Par. San Pedro, Romeral.

Matheo married Andrea Revuelta, daughter of Antonio Revuelta and Casilda Mazón Madraso, on 6 Oct 1715 in S. Pedro Del Romeral, Santander, España. Andrea was born on 25 May 1690 in S Pedro Del Romeral, Santander, España and was christened on 25 May 1690 in Par. San Pedro, Romeral. The child from this marriage was:

+ 4 M i. Marcos Ruiz de Ugarrio y Revuelta was born on 2 Mar 1717 in S Pedro Del Romeral, Santander, España, was christened on 2 Mar 1717 in Par. San Pedro, Romeral, and died on 27 Apr 1778 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España at age 61.

Fourth Generation (Great-Grandchildren)

4. Marcos Ruiz de Ugarrío y Revuelta was born on 2 Mar 1717 in S Pedro Del Romeral, Santander, España, was christened on 2 Mar 1717 in Par. San Pedro, Romeral, and died on 27 Apr 1778 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España at age 61. He proved his Hidalguía in 1742 when he moved to Barcena de Carriedo.

Barcena is in the valley of Carriedo just north of Valle de Paz. The town is mostly dedicated to raising cattle and the making of cheese.

Marcos married María López y Del Castillo, daughter of Marcos López and Serafina Del Castillo y Pérez de la Riva, on 2 Apr 1739 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. María was born in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España, was christened in Par. San Pedro, Barcena, and died on 1 Apr 1784 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. Children from this marriage were:

+ 5 M i. Antonio Ruiz de Ugarrío y López was born on 19 Sep 1749 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España, was christened on 19 Sep 1749 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena, and died on 29 Jan 1825 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España at age 75.

6 M ii. Manuel Antonio Ruiz de Ugarrío y López was born on 15 Feb 1745 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 15 Feb 1745 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

7 F iii. Angela Martina Ruiz de Ugarrío y López was born on 16 Oct 1747 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España

and was christened on 16 Oct 1747 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

+ 8 M iv. Matheo Ruiz de Ugarrío y López was born on 21 Sep 1755 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 24 Sep 1755 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

+ 9 F v. Josefa Ruiz de Ugarrío y López was born before 1745 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and died on 11 Jan 1801 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España.

Fifth Generation (Great Great -Grandchildren)

5. Antonio Ruiz de Ugarrío y López was born on 19 Sep 1749 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España, was christened on 19 Sep 1749 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena,6 and died on 29 Jan 1825 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España at age 75.

Antonio married Cecilia Rodríguez de Arce y Manteca on 23 Apr 1770 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. Cecilia was born in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and died on 3 Oct 1794 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. The child from this marriage was:

10 M i. Vicente Ruiz de Ugarrío y Rodríguez was born on 24 Jan 1771 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 27 Jan 1771 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

Antonio next married María Herrero y Barcena before 1795 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. María was born in 1768 in Llerena, Santander, España and died on 28 Dec 1799 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España 18 at age 31. Children from this marriage were:

11 F i. Antera María Ruiz de Ugarrío y Herrero was born on 3 Jan 1798 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 5 Jan 1798 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

12 F ii. Angela Luisa Ruiz de Ugarrío y Herrero was born on 13 Dec 1795 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 14 Dec 1795 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

Antonio next married Josefa Pacheco y Sainz de Trueba, daughter of Juan Manuel Pacheco y Alonso de Ceballos and María Ventura Sainz de Trueba y Thexero, on 10 Feb 1800 in Sandoñiana, Santander, España. Josefa was born on 18 Mar 1764 in Sandoñiana, Santander, España, was christened on 21 Mar 1764 in Par. Sta. Eulalia, Sandoñiana, 21 and died on 27 Sep 1808 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España at age 44. Children from this marriage were:

+ 13 M i. José Ruiz de Ugarrío y Pacheco was born on 12 May 1801 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 12 May 1801 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

14 F ii. Monica Ruiz de Ugarrío y Pacheco was born on 4 May 1805 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 5 May 1805 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

15 F iii. Bentura Ruiz de Ugarrio y Pacheco was born about 1806 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and died on 23 Jun 1824 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España, about age 18.

8. Matheo Ruiz de Ugarrio y López was born on 21 Sep 1755 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 24 Sep 1755 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

Matheo married María Pérez Campero y Conde on 20 Mar 1773 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. María was born in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. Children from this marriage were:

+ 16 M i. Bernardo Antonio Ruiz de Ugarrio y Pérez Campero was born on 30 Oct 1784 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España, was christened on 31 Oct 1784 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena, and died on 22 Sep 1861 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España at age 76.

17 M ii. Marcos Bernardo Ruiz de Ugarrio y Pérez Campero was born on 20 Aug 1787 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 23 Aug 1787 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

18 M iii. Liborio Andrés Ruiz de Ugarrio y Pérez Campero was born on 23 Jul 1792 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 25 Jul 1792 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

+ 19 F iv. Joana Francisca Ruiz de Ugarrio y Pérez Campero was born on 24 Jun 1793 in Barcena de Carriedo,

Santander, España and was christened on 26 Jun 1793 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

20 F v. María Juana Ruiz de Ugarrío y Pérez Campero was born on 13 Sep 1796 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 14 Sep 1796 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

+ 21 F vi. Celedonia Ruiz de Ugarrío y Pérez Campero was born on 3 Mar 1799 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 3 Mar 1799 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

+ 22 M vii. Juan Ruiz de Ugarrío y Pérez Campero was born on 25 May 1803 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 26 May 1803 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

9. Josefa Ruiz de Ugarrío y López was born before 1745 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and died on 11 Jan 1801 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España.

Josefa married José Gómez de Porras on 8 May 1767 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España.. José was born in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. Children from this marriage were:

23 M i. Francisco Gómez de Porras y Ruiz de Ugarrío was born in 1781 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened in 1781 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

24 M ii. Joaquin Bautista Gómez de Porras Y Ruiz de Ugarrío was born on 2 Sep 1777 in Barcena de Carriedo,

Santander, España and was christened on 2 Sep 1777 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

25 M iii. Joan Gómez de Porras y Ruiz de Ugarrío was born on 22 Jun 1773 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 24 Jun 1773 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

Sixth Generation (3rd Great-Grandchildren)

13. José Ruiz de Ugarrío y Pacheco was born on 12 May 1801 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 12 May 1801 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

After being an apprentice to a silversmith in Valladolid, José migrated to Cuba in 1820. He established himself in La Habana and opened a silversmith shop in Habana Vieja. In 1848 he travel back to Spain with his family and his youngest daughter was born in Santander, during the trip. He made his last will and testament in that city, where he tells about his life and accomplishments in his new country.

José married Joaquina Salvador, daughter of Juan Francisco Salvador and Cecilia González, on 23 May 1833 in La Habana, Habana, Cuba. Joaquina was born about 1810 in Habana, Habana, Cuba. Children from this marriage were:

+ 26 M i. Antonio Eduardo Ruiz de Ugarrío y Salvador was born on 13 Oct 1843 in Habana, Habana, Cuba, was christened on 27 Nov 1843 in Par. El Santo Angel Custo-

dio, La Habana,²⁹ and died on 1 Dec 1909 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba at age 66.

27 M ii. José Carlos Ruiz de Ugarrio y Salvador was born on 4 Nov 1835 in La Habana, Habana, Cuba and was christened on 2 Dec 1835 in Par. Santo Angel Custodio, Habana. José Carlos became a priest.

28 M iii. Rafael Felix Ruiz de Ugarrio y Salvador was born on 24 Oct 1845 in La Habana, Habana, Cuba and was christened on 6 Dec 1845 in Par. Santo Angel Custodio, Habana.

29 M iv. Francisco Isidro Ruiz de Ugarrio y Salvador was born on 15 May 1842 in La Habana, Habana, Cuba and was christened on 4 Jun 1842 in Par. Santo Angel Custodio, Habana.

+ 30 M v. Ricardo Pablo Ruiz de Ugarrio y Salvador was born on 15 Jan 1851 in La Habana, Habana, Cuba, was christened on 13 Feb 1851 in Par. Santo Angel Custodio, Habana,³⁴ and died on 17 Feb 1897 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba at age 46.

31 F vi. Enriqueta Froilan Ruiz de Ugarrio y Salvador was born 5 Oct 1848 in Santander, Santander, España and was christened on 7 Oct 1848 in Par. Santo Cristo, Santander. Enriqueta did not marry. She established the School for girls Ntra. Sra. De los Desamparados, in Guanabacoa.²

² Her nieces and nephews continued the function of the school until 1961.

16. Bernardo Antonio Ruiz de Ugarrio y Pérez Campero was born on 30 Oct 1784 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España, was christened on 31 Oct 1784 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena, and died on 22 Sep 1861 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España at age 76.

Bernardo married Joaquina Cano y Carral before 1806 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. Joaquina was born in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. Children from this marriage were:

32 F i. Manuela Paula Ruiz de Ugarrio y Cano was born on 15 Jan 1820 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 16 Jan 1820.

33 F ii. Ciriaca Ruiz de Ugarrio y Cano was born on 8 Aug 1816 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 9 Aug 1816.

34 M iii. Fructuoso Ruiz de Ugarrio y Cano was born on 21 Jan 1815 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España, was christened on 23 Jan 1815, and died in Apr in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España.

+ 35 F iv. Rosa Ruiz de Ugarrio y Cano was born on 5 Sep 1812 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 8 Sep 1812.

38 F vii. Eulalia María Ruiz de Ugarrio y Cano was born on 14 Dec 1806 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 14 Dec 1806.

+ 39 F viii. Juana Ruiz de Ugarrio y Cano was born on 27 Jul 1809 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 30 Jul 1809.

19. Joana Francisca Ruiz de Ugarrío y Pérez Campero was born on 24 Jun 1793 in arcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 26 Jun 1793 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena. Joana was the mother of:

40 F i. Atanacia Ruiz de Ugarrío was born on 3 May 1817 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 3 May 817.

21. Celedonia Ruiz de Ugarrío y Pérez Campero was born on 3 Mar 1799 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 3 Mar 1799 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

Celedonia married Juan Ruiz y Cobo before 1827 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. Juan was born in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. The child from this marriage was:

41 M i. José Antonio Ruiz y Ruiz de Ugarrío was born on 12 Oct 1827 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 12 Oct 1827.

22. Juan Ruiz de Ugarrío y Pérez Campero was born on 25 May 1803 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 26 May 1803 in Par. San Pedro, Barcena.

Juan married Vicenta Lazo y Obregón, daughter of Bernardo Antonio Ruiz de Ugarrío y Pérez Campero and Joaquina Canoy Carral, before 1828 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. Vicenta was born in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. Children from this marriage were:

+42 M i. Clemente Ruiz de Ugarrío y Lazo was born on 27 Nov 1828 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España,

was christened 30 Nov 1828, and died on 27 Jul 1860 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España at age 31.

43 F ii. Josefa Bruna Ruiz de Ugarrio y Lazo was born on 6 Oct 1842 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 8 Oct 1842.

Seventh Generation (4th Great-Grandchildren)

26. Antonio Eduardo Ruiz de Ugarrio y Salvador was born on 13 Oct 1843 in Habana, Habana, Cuba, was christened on 27 Nov 1843 in Par. El Santo Angel Custodio, La Habana, and died on 1 Dec 1909 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba at age 66. Antonio worked as a librarian at the University of Habana.

Antonio married Francisca Urrutia y Saenz de Manjarez, daughter of José María de Urrutia and Casiana Saenz de Manjarez, on 27 Nov 1881 in La Habana, Habana, Cuba. Francisca was born on 29 Jan 1847 in Matanzas, Matanzas, Cuba, was christened on 10 Feb 1847 in Par. San Carlos Borromeo, Matanzas,³⁶ and died on 20 Jan 1934 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba at age 86.

The descendants of Antonio Ruiz de Ugarrio were treated in a previous issue of REVISTA.

30. Ricardo Pablo Ruiz de Ugarrio y Salvador was born on 15 Jan 1851 in La Habana, Habana, Cuba, was christened on 13 Feb 1851 in Par. Santo Angel Custodio, Habana,³⁴ and died on 17 Feb 1897 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba at age 46.

He studied dentistry in the University of Pennsylvania and became a United States Citizen. He moved back to Cuba established his dentist practice in Guanabacoa. In 1897, during the last years of the War of Independence, he was accused of treason and was taken prisoner by Spanish Governor of Guanabacoa. Even though his wife objected and notified the US government of the injustice, he was killed in prison and an international investigation was conducted to investigate his death. His family was moved to Washington DC by President Truman.

Ricardo married Rita Lesca y Maestri before 1883 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba. Rita was born on 3 Jan 1865 in La Habana, Habana, Cuba, died on 22 Jul 1937 in Washington DC, USA at age 72, and was buried in St Mary's Cemetery, N. E. Washington DC. Children from this marriage were:

+ 51 F i. Mercedes Ruiz de Ugarrio y Lesca was born on 14 Nov 1883 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba, died 18 Aug 1971 in Rockville, Maryland, USA, 49 and was buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery.

+ 52 F ii. Evangelina Ruiz de Ugarrio y Lesca was born on 12 Aug 1885 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba, died on 25 Dec 1941 in Washington DC, USA 50 at age 56, and was buried in Glenmont Cemetery, N. E. Washington DC.

53 M iii. Ricardo Ruiz de Ugarrio y Lesca was born on 10 Apr 1887 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba, died on 23 Jun 1943 in Blandednbury, Maryland, USA 50 at age 56, and was buried in Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

+ 54 M iv. René Ruiz de Ugarrio y Lesca was born on 8 Dec 1889 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba, died on 22 Feb

1947 in Fairfax, Virginia, USA 51 at age 57, and was buried on 23 Feb 1947 in Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

+ 55 F v. Gloria Ruiz de Ugarrío y Lesca was born on 4 Aug 1893 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba, died on 26 Nov 1963 in Farmingdale, Long Island, New York, USA 50 at age 70, and was buried in St. Charles Cemetery.

35. Rosa Ruiz de Ugarrío y Cano was born on 5 Sep 1812 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 8 Sep 1812. Children from this marriage were:

56 M i. Juan Mepomuceno Ruiz de Ugarrío was born on 17 May 1845 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 18 May 1845.

57 M ii. Manuel Ruiz de Ugarrío was born on 13 Aug 1858 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España, was christened on 13 Aug 1858, and died on 12 Sep 1858 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España.

58 M iii. Servando Gregorio Ruiz de Ugarrío was born on 9 May 1856 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 9 May 1856.

39. Juana Ruiz de Ugarrío y Cano was born on 27 Jul 1809 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 30 Jul 1809. Juana was the mother of:

66 M i. Manuel Ruiz de Ugarrío was born on 15 Apr 1831 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 15 Apr 1831.

42. Clemente married Agueda Lavín before 1851 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. Agueda was born in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España. Children from this marriage were:

67 M i. Ernestino Alejo Ruiz de Ugarrio y Lavín was born on 17 Jul 1851 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 17 Jul 1851.

68 M ii. Donato Ruiz de Ugarrio y Lavín was born on 21 Apr 1853 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 21 Apr 1853.

69 F iii. Dominga Ruiz de Ugarrio y Lavín was born on 18 Aug 1854 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 28 Aug 1854.

70M iv. Juan Ruiz de Ugarrio y Lavín was born on 4 Jul 1856 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 4 Jul 1856.

26 71F v. Constantina Ruiz de Ugarrio y Lavín was born on Jul 1855 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 26 Jul 1855.

72F vi. María del Carmen Ruiz de Ugarrio y Lavín was born on 25 May 1857 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 25 May 1857.

73F vii. María Guillerma Ruiz de Ugarrio y Lavín was born on 4 Jun 1858 in Barcena de Carriedo, Santander, España and was christened on 4 Jun 1858.

Eighth Generation (5th Great-Grandchildren)

51. Mercedes Ruiz de Ugarrío y Lesca was born on 14 Nov 1883 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba, died 18 Aug 1971 in Rockville, Maryland, USA, 49 and was buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery.

Mercedes married John Tyrone Kelley. John was born in Ireland.

52. Evangelina Ruiz de Ugarrío y Lesca was born on 12 Aug 1885 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba, died on 25 Dec 1941 in Washington DC, USA 50 at age 56, and was buried in Glenmont Cemetery, N. E. Washington DC. Evangelina married Mr. Seay.

54. René Ruiz de Ugarrío y Lesca was born on 8 Dec 1889 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba, died on 22 Feb 1947 in Fairfax, Virginia, USA 51 at age 57, and was buried on 23 Feb 1947 in Fort Lincoln Cemetery. René married Sidney W..

55. Gloria Ruiz de Ugarrío y Lesca was born on 4 Aug 1893 in Guanabacoa, Habana, Cuba, died on 26 Nov 1963 in Farmingdale, Long Island, New York, USA 50 at age 70, and was buried in St. Charles Cemetery. Gloria married Lloyd H. Oetjen.