



William Tate Sr. (abt. 1702 - bef. 1751)



William **Tate** Sr. aka **Tait**, **Taite**, **Teate**

Born **about 1702** in **Virginia** ♀

Son of [James Tate](#) and [Anne \(Upham\) Tate](#) [uncertain]

ANCESTORS ⚙

Brother of [Henry Tate](#), [John Tate](#) and [Robert Tate](#)

Husband of [Sarah \(Skelton\) Tate](#) — married about 1718 in St. Peter'S Parish, New Kent, Virginia ♀

Father of [Mary \(Tate\) Jeffries](#), [Thomas Tate](#), [Elizabeth \(Tate\) Grant](#), [Nathaniel Tate](#), [William Tate](#) and [Jesse Tate](#)

DESCENDANTS ⚙

Died **before 2 Oct 1751** before about age 49 in **Virginia** ♀

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Biography

Records indicate that William Teate was christened 12 April 1702 in St. Peter's Parish, New Kent, Virginia, British Colonial America, listed as William, son of James Teate ^[1] ^[2] His father, James William Tate III, was 40 and his mother, Anne, was 38. ^[citation needed]

William married [Sarah Skelton](#)^[citation needed] before 1719, in Virginia. Sarah was b 1704 Harrison or Bristol, Virginia, d 1760 Lunenburg, Virginia. Her parents were John Skelton and Susannah Edwards^[citation needed].

William & Sarah's children b Bristol Parish, Prince George County, VA, included:

- James
- [Mary \(Tate\) Jeffries](#) b 1725, d 1800, m Nathaniel Jeffries
- John
- [Thomas Tate](#), b 1725 St Peters, Virginia, d 1781 York, SC
- Nathaniel
- Sarah
- [Elizabeth \(Tate\) Grant](#), b 1731, d 1763, m Daniel Grant
- Lucia Tate, b Feb 19 1733, ^[3] 2nd Lucia born / baptized May 20 1734 ^[4]
- Nathan Tate, born Apr 23 1736 ^[5] ^[3]
- William Tate, born Aug 25, 1738^[6] [William Tate](#), ^[7] ^[3]

DNA Connections

It may be possible to confirm family relationships with William by comparing test results with other carriers of [his Y-chromosome](#) or [his mother's mitochondrial DNA](#). However, there are no known yDNA or mtDNA test-takers in his direct paternal or maternal line. It is likely that these autosomal DNA test-takers will share [some percentage](#) of DNA with William:

~0.78% [Sandy \(Wilson\) Auch](#) ⚭: [23andMe](#) + [AncestryDNA](#) + [MyHeritage DNA](#)

~0.39% [Kelly Sinclair](#) ⚭: [23andMe](#) + [AncestryDNA](#) + [Family Tree DNA](#) Family Finder, GEDmatch [M153948](#) [compare], FTDNA kit #B17272

~0.39% [Katherine Eisele](#) ⚭: [23andMe](#)

~0.39% [Kareena Lahaye](#) ⚭: [23andMe](#), GEDmatch [M306176](#) [compare] + [AncestryDNA](#), GEDmatch [A247226](#) [compare], Ancestry member kareena2b

~0.39% [April Folmar](#) ⚭: [23andMe](#)

~0.39% [Gerald Holt](#) ⚭: [23andMe](#) + [AncestryDNA](#), GEDmatch [A527854](#) [compare], Ancestry member gerryholt + [Family Tree DNA](#) Family Finder, FTDNA kit #B176838

~0.39% [Deanna \(Dalton\) Brittain](#) ⚭: [23andMe](#), GEDmatch [M187313](#) [compare]

~0.39% [Maurice Allison](#) ⚭: [23andMe](#), GEDmatch [M363052](#) [compare] + [Family Tree DNA](#) Family Finder, GEDmatch [M363052](#) [compare], FTDNA kit #43899

~0.39% [Mary Elkins](#) ⚭: [23andMe](#),

11. Samuel Tate, b Nov 3 1741, ^[3] bpt Dec 12 1741 ^[8]
 12. [Jesse Tate](#), b 1745 Cumberland, Lunenburg, VA, d Jul 6 1806 Rutherford, NC, m Mary Miller

He passed away sometime after he signed his will on the 2nd day of April, and before his will was probated on the 2nd day of October.

He may be buried in Saint Peter's Episocopal Church Cemetery, Lunenburg County, Virginia. ^[9] No documentation to prove this burial location

Will

Will of William Taite of Lunenburg County and Parish of Cumberland. Lunenburg Co., VA, WB 1 (1746-1762), pp. 43-44, will dated 2 Apr 1751, recorded in Lunenburg County 2 Oct 1751. Digital image at Ancestry.com - <https://ancstry.me/2THP8IF> ^[10]

- son James Taite
- daughter Mary Jeffers
- son John Taite
- son Thomas Taite
- son Nathaniell Taite
- daughter Sarah Taite
- daughter Lucy Taite
- wife Sarah Taite
- son William Taite
- my three sons
 - Nathan Taite
 - Samuel Taite
 - Jesse Taite
- daughter Elizabeth Taite

Exr: wife Sarah Taite

Wit: Matthew Tanner, Rebekah _?

Research Notes

Mother is uncertain because of uncertainty about maiden name of mother or if his father had one or two wives - [Anne \(Upham\) Tate \(abt.1664-abt.1750\)](#) or [Anne \(Waddy\) Tate \(abt.1664-1743\)](#).

Nicknames / middle name of Matthew and Jesse were introduced with the last merge, but there are no sources with those names, so they have been removed until sources are found with those names.

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~0.39% [Penny Nordin](#) ^[?] : [AncestryDNA](#), GEDmatch [A859382](#) ^[compare], Ancestry member red51580772

~0.39% [Paula \(VanDersarl\) Mosman](#) ^[?] : [AncestryDNA](#)

~0.39% [Virginia \(Mcclure\) Edwards](#) ^[?] : [AncestryDNA](#), GEDmatch [A936982](#) ^[compare], yourDNAportal VIRf720e540, Ancestry member vedwards5

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~0.39% [Tonda \(Matney\) Fluke](#) ^[?] : [MyHeritage DNA](#)

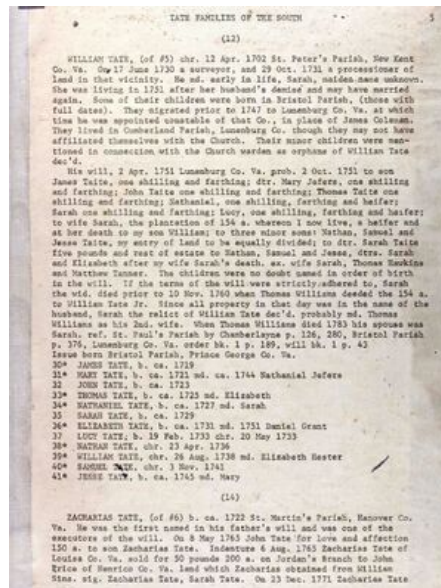
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Would you please share your source for William Tate's middle name being Matthew? From what I can find middle names were not used until the late 1700s, except by the very wealthy.

Thank you.

posted Aug 25, 2021 by [Margaret Leatherman](#)



Robert Knight

The Life Summary of William

When William Tate was born before 12 April 1702, in St. Peter's Parish, New Kent, Virginia, British Colonial America, his father, James William Tate III, was 40 and his mother, Anne Waddy, was 38. He married Sarah before 1719, in Virginia, British Colonial America. They were the parents of at least 8 sons and 4 daughters. He died before 2 October 1751, in Lunenburg, Virginia, British Colonial America, at the age of 49, and was buried in Cumberland Parish, Lunenburg, Virginia, British Colonial America.

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