

Partial Genealogy of the Morses
(of New York)

Main Political Affiliation:	
1763-83	Whig Revolutionary
1789-1823	Federalist
1824-33	Nat Rep & Dem Rep
1834-53	Nativist & Democrat
1854-	Democrat

1600

Anthony Morse III
(1606-86)
(Emigrated from Marlborough, Wiltshire, England to Newbury, Essex co. Massachusetts, 1630)
Mary Waldro or Barnard = (1607-53) = Ann Cox (1618-80)

1650

7 Others Lt. Anthony Morse IV (1632-78)

Elizabeth Knight = (1641-67) = Mary Barnard (1645-1724)

4 Children Peter Morse (1674-1721) 3 Others

(born Newbury, Essex co. MA); (moved to Woodstock, Windham co. Connecticut)
See Carpenter of NY Genealogy

1700

John Morse (1699-1764) 12 Others

= Sarah Peake (1702-81)

Jedediah Morse I (1726-1819) 9 Others

= Sarah Childs (1722-1815)

1750

Rev. Jedediah Morse II (1761-1826); (Calvinist teacher/eminister; geographer) (born CT); (moved to Charlestown, Suffolk co. MA) 7 Others

= Elizabeth Ann Breese (1766-1828)

1800

Samuel Finley Breese Morse (1791-1872); (Rep/Nativist/Dem) 10 Others
(born Boston, Suffolk co. MA); (traveled to London, England, 1811-15, despite War of 1812) (studied at Royal Academy of Art as portrait scene painter); (painted Dying Hercules, 1813) (moved to Boston MA, 1815, then Charleston, South Carolina, 1818; painted President James Monroe, 1819-20) (moved to Connecticut, 1822, then NYC, 1823); (invented/patented marble cutting machine, 1823) (president, National Academy of the Arts of Design, 1826-42); (journeyed again to Europe, 1829-33) (worked on single wire telegraph system, 1832-44, and with partner Alfred Vail the Morse Code); (professor of literature of arts of design, University of NY, 1835-) (Candidate for NYC Mayor, 1836 for the Native American Party; anti-Catholic & anti-Immigrant) (difficulty obtaining funding for telegraph device/poverty, 1839-43); (filed for patent for telegraph invention, 1844) (US Government funding for Washington DC to Baltimore MD telegraph line, 1844) (founded, Magnetic Telegraph Co., 1845); (built up \$500,000 estate) (pro-Slavery during 1850s); (candidate for US House, 1854)

1850

Lucretia Pickering Walker of NH = (1799-1825) = Sarah Elizabeth Griswold of MI (1822-1901)

4 Children 3 Children

1900