

Brothers Caswell County NC

Register of the Middlebrook Family 1909 (Pg. 46)

**Parents: John Middlebrooks of Caswell County, NC, b. 1726, m. (p.)
Sims and died 1817.**

Children:

79 John, born Sept. 20, 1755 d. Dec. 30, 1830.

80 David, born 1757, d. 1829

81 Micajah, born 1758, d.

82 James, born 1759, d. young.

83 Sims, born 1762, d. 1839.

84 Thomas, born 1763, d. May 13, 1825.

85 Robert, born 1766, d. circa 1841.

86 Joseph, born 1770, d.

87 Garland, born 774

***Parents: Isaac Middlebrooks, New Kent Co., VA, born 1727/28, d. bef.
1771, Orange Co., NC. m. Anne Sims circa 1750-53, Louisa-Orange
Co., VA,***

Children:

Isaac, b. 1753, VA, d. 1823, Morgan Co., GA*

John, b. 1755, VA, d. 30 Dec. 1830 Newton Co. GA*

Micajah, b. 1758, Virginia, d. ca. 1840 Hancock Co., GA

Sims b. 1762 Orange Co. NC, d. 1839 Jones Co., GA*

Thomas b. 1763 Orange Co., NC, d. 13 May, 1825, Jones Co., GA*

* DNA matches

Note: The above children of Isaac and Ann (Sims) Middlebrooks appear in Orange and Caswell Co., NC records. Isaac 1753, Nathaniel 1764, John 1754 are not mentioned in the 1909 Register. of Middlebrooks Family.

Timeline Isaac Middlebrooks 1753-1823

Isaac Middlebrooks (1753–1823) was a Revolutionary War veteran who migrated from North Carolina to Georgia in the late 1700s. His life can be traced through land records, military service, and family accounts, showing his journey from Virginia to his final home in Georgia.

Early life in Virginia and North Carolina

- **1753:** Born in Virginia to Isaac Middlebrook (b. 1727) and Ann Simms (b. 1732).
- **1750s–1760s:** The family moved from Virginia to Orange County, North Carolina, possibly arriving sometime between 1750 and 1760.
- **August 4, 1760:** Isaac and his wife were baptized at a Baptist meetinghouse near Hogan's Creek in Orange County, North Carolina. This reference likely refers to his parents, Isaac and Ann.
- **1777:** Orange County, North Carolina, was divided, and the area where the Middlebrooks lived became Caswell County.
- **1780:** Isaac married Elizabeth Perkins, daughter, of Abram, Caswell Co.
- **1786:** While living in Caswell County, Isaac Middlebrooks sold 382 acres of land there to Abram Perkins.

Revolutionary War service and marriage

- **January 24, 1781:** Isaac Middlebrooks took an Oath of Allegiance in Caswell County, North Carolina, to make a **land entry**.
- **Circa 1780–1782:** Isaac married Elizabeth Perkins in Caswell County, North Carolina. They eventually had eight children.
- **Revolutionary War (undated):** Served as a private in the North Carolina Militia and possibly the Georgia Army. Family letters suggest he was present at the Battle of Savannah in December 1778, was taken prisoner in South Carolina, and later escaped.
- **December 1778:** Reportedly assisted in carrying the body of Count Casimir Pulaski from the field at the Battle of Savannah.

Migration to and settlement in Georgia

- **1790:** Isaac purchases land in the Abbeyville District. South Carolina
- **1796:** Isaac and his family move to Jackson Co., Georgia. Jackson was created in 1796, Clarke County, from Jackson, in 1801.

- **1798:** Isaac purchases 165 acres on Big Creek, Jackson, Co.
- **1799:** Appeared on the tax index in Jackson County, Georgia.
- **1801:** Isaac, due county boundary change is in Clarke Co., Georgia.
- **1812:** Isaac and his family moved to Morgan Co., Georgia.
- **1814:** Isaac purchases land on the waters of Hard Labor & Big Sandy Creeks, Morgan Co.
- **1805, 1820, 1821:** Participated in and was successful in the Georgia land lotteries.
- **1823:** Died in Morgan County, Georgia, at age 70.

Timeline John Middlebrooks 1755-1830

John Middlebrooks (1755–1830) was an American Revolutionary War veteran who moved from North Carolina to Georgia in the 1790s. His life and family history are detailed in genealogical sources and family association records.

Origins in Virginia and North Carolina

- **Birth:** Middlebrooks was born in Orange County, Virginia, around 1755. The family later moved to Hogans Creek, in what would become Orange County, North Carolina.
- **Parents:** His parents were Isaac Middlebrooks (born c. 1727 in New Kent County, Virginia, and Ann Sims b. 1739, Virginia.
- **Siblings:** John was one of several brothers, including Isaac (b. 1753), Sims (b. 1762), and Thomas (b. 1763).
- **American Revolution:** As a corporal, he served in NC Continental Line, in the Caswell County regiment. Under Capt. Robert Moore's Company and Col. Lytel's Regiment.

Marriages and children

John Middlebrooks was married twice:

- **Mary Lyon:** He married Mary Lyon in Caswell County, North Carolina, on July 16, 1781.
- **Milly Sutton:** Following Mary's death, he married Milly Sutton around 1794 in North Carolina or Georgia.
- **Children:** His children included Zere, Anderson C., Abigail C., John Jr., and Isaac S. and David Middlebrooks.

Migration to Georgia

In the 1790s, John Middlebrooks and his family moved from Caswell County, North Carolina, to Georgia.

- **Hancock County:** By 1797, he was living on a farm in Hancock County, Georgia, where he stayed for 14 years.
- **1797:** John purchased 128 acres on Watery Fork of Buffalo Creek.
- **Putnam and Newton counties:** John moved to Putnam County in 1811, purchased land on Rooty Creek, 202 acres and finally settled in Newton County on the waters of Little River, by 1823. John died in Newton County in 1830.

Timeline Micajah Middlebrooks 1758-1827

While precise details for every year of Micajah Middlebrooks's life are not available, records from the Middlebrooks Family Association provide a timeline of his movements between North Carolina and Georgia, his military service, and his family connections. Note that some sources provide a slightly different death date (around 1840) than the one originally cited (1827).

Timeline for Micajah Middlebrooks

Born: 1758

- Micajah Middlebrooks was born in Orange County, North Carolina in 1758.

Revolutionary War service: c. 1775–1783

- Micajah Middlebrooks served in a North Carolina regiment during the American Revolutionary War.

Hancock County, Georgia: 1812

- Tax digests indicate Micajah was the only Middlebrooks listed in Hancock County, Georgia, in 1812. His brother, Sims Middlebrooks, had moved to Jones County by 1811.

Hancock County, Georgia: 1820s–1830s

- Micajah Middlebrooks is listed on the U.S. Census in Hancock County in 1820 and 1830.
- The 1827 death date is often cited in genealogical records, but census and estate records suggest he lived longer.

Hancock County, Georgia: 1833

- In 1833, Micajah purchased items from the estate of his father-in-law, Levin Ellis, who was also in Hancock County.

Death: Between 1833 and 1840

- Micajah was not enumerated on the 1840 U.S. Census, suggesting his death occurred between the 1833 estate record and the census date.
- His wife, Racheal, appears on the 1840 and 1850 census records in Troup County, Georgia.

Timeline Sims Middlebrooks 1762-1839

Sims Middlebrooks was born in Orange County, North Carolina, in 1762 and died in Jones County, Georgia, in 1839. The timeline of his life details his family's move from Virginia to North Carolina, his own relocation to Georgia in the 1790s, and his establishment of a family farm on Hog Creek.

Sims Middlebrooks timeline

North Carolina (1762–c. 1794)

- **1762:** Born in Orange County, North Carolina, to Isaac and Ann Sims Middlebrooks. His birthplace became part of Caswell County in 1776. His parents had moved from Orange County, Virginia, to North Carolina sometime between 1750 and 1760.
- **Early 1790s:** Left Caswell County, North Carolina, with several of his brothers—John, Thomas, Micajah, Robert, and Joseph—and moved to Hancock County, Georgia.

Georgia (c. 1794–1839)

- **c. 1794–1795:** Married Elizabeth Talbot, likely in Wilkes or Hancock County, Georgia.
- **1798:** Purchased 101 acres on North Fork Tiger Creek, Hancock, Co.
- **1808:** Purchased land on Hog Creek in Jones County, Georgia.
- **1811:** Appeared on tax lists for Jones County, having moved his family there from Hancock County. His tax payment was for 101.25 acres on Hog Creek.
- **1813–1814:** Was drafted for military service as a private in Captain William Butler's Drafted Infantry during the War of 1812 but was marked "absent without leave" for never reporting for duty.
- **1816:** Was listed on the Jones County Tax Digest in Captain Green's District, owning 101.25 acres on Hog Creek and one slave.
- **1820:** The U.S. Census recorded Sims Middlebrooks in Jones County.
- **1830:** The U.S. Census for Jones County, Georgia, again recorded a male over 45, which aligns with Sims Middlebrooks.
- **1839:** Died at approximately age 77 near Hog Creek in Jones County, Georgia. He was buried on the land he purchased in 1808. His name appeared on tax lists for the last time that year.

Timeline Thomas Middlebrooks 1763-1825

Thomas Middlebrooks (1763–1825) was born in North Carolina and died in Georgia after serving as a soldier during the Revolutionary War. Genealogical records from family history sites like FamilySearch, Ancestry.com, and Geni outline his life and family connections. While the initial query provides a death year of 1827, records indicate he died in 1825.

Birth and early life in North Carolina

- **Birth:** Thomas Middlebrooks was born in 1763 in Orange County, North Carolina, to Isaac Middlebrook and Ann P. Sims. Some records cite his mother as Peggy Ann Sims.
- **Family connections:** His ancestors are part of a Middlebrooks family line that traces back to early American history. A 2018 report by the Middlebrooks Family Association notes that Isaac and Ann Middlebrooks were baptized at a Baptist meeting house in Orange County, North Carolina, in 1760.
- **Military service:** While living in North Carolina, Middlebrooks served as a soldier in the Revolutionary War. Though mentioned in some historical records, a 2025 Facebook post by the Middlebrooks Family Association indicates that specific documentation confirming his service has not yet been located on genealogical sites like Fold3.

Life and death in Georgia

- **Marriage and move to Georgia:** In 1790, Middlebrooks married Anna Selman (1778–1859). The couple and their children later relocated to Georgia.
- **1793-94:** Thomas and his brothers, John, Sims, Thomas, Robert, Joseph and Micajah were listed on the Hancock tax list.
- **1796:** Thomas was awarded land grant on Shoulder Bone Creek, 366 acres, Hancock Co.
- **Residence and death:** By 1808-11, Middlebrooks and his family were living in Jones County, Georgia.
- **1808:** purchased land on Falling Creek, Jones County
- He died there on May 13, 1825, at age 62.
- **Will and burial:** Middlebrooks's will was recorded in Jones County on June 6, 1825. He was buried in Upson County, Georgia.

Timeline Robert Middlebrooks 1766-1841

According to genealogical records from FamilySearch and WikiTree, Robert Middlebrooks was born in North Carolina, moved to Georgia, and died there in the early 19th century.

Timeline of Robert Middlebrooks (1766–1841)

1766: Birth

- Robert Middlebrooks was born in Caswell County, North Carolina.
- He was the son of Issac John Middlebrooks and Peggy Ann Sims.

1801: Marriage

- He married Nancy Talbot in Monroe County, Georgia.
- They would go on to have at least six sons and six daughters.

1805: Land acquisition in Georgia

- Middlebrooks was successful in the Georgia land lottery.
- He won land in what was then Baldwin County, which today is Jones County.
- He and his family lived in the area near the Hog Creek drainage.

After 1820: Move to Monroe County, Georgia

- The family purchased land and relocated to Monroe County, Georgia.

1837: Death

- While his death year is often cited as 1841, genealogical records indicate that Robert Middlebrooks actually died on April 10, 1837.

Land records for Robert Middlebrooks

1. 1805 Land Lottery

- **Source:** WikiTree and the Middlebrooks Family Association both confirm Robert Middlebrooks won land in the Georgia land lottery of 1805.
- **Location:** He won land in what was then Baldwin County. The land was in the Hog Creek drainage area, in a part of the county that later became Jones County.

2. Land in Monroe County

- **Source:** Family records and historical documents state that after 1820, Robert and his family purchased land and moved to Monroe County, Georgia.
- **Significance:** While living in Monroe County, Robert and his wife, Nancy Talbot Middlebrooks, were charter members of the Holly Grove Baptist Church, which was established in 1823. The church was located on land donated by a fellow church member, Edward Callaway, and was situated about nine miles east of Forsyth on the Dames Ferry Road.

Timeline Joseph Middlebrooks 1773-1853

Joseph Middlebrooks (1773–1853) was born in North Carolina and was a prominent landowner who migrated with his family to Georgia and then to Mississippi, where he died. His movements across the American South mirrored the westward expansion of the United States.

Early life and family

- **1773:** Born on April 18 in Caswell County, North Carolina, to John Middlebrook and Peggy Ann Sims.
- **1795:** Married Rachel Baxter in Caswell County. They had at least six children, including Elizabeth, Ibzan, Thomas Baxter, Seaborn Sims, Anna, and James Birdsong Middlebrook.

Migration to Georgia

- **1793-1794:** Arrived in Georgia, settling in what would become Hancock County. His name appeared in the Hancock County tax digest in 1794.
- **1797:** Purchased 66 acres of land located on Shoulderbone Creek in Hancock County from Dr. Seth and Pollie Kennedy. The land deed was recorded in 1800.
- **1800-1815:** His children were born in Georgia:
 - **1800:** Elizabeth.
 - **1805:** Ibzan and Thomas Baxter.
 - **1807:** Seaborn Sims.
 - **1811:** Anna.
 - **1815:** James Birdsong.
- **1830:** His wife, Rachel Baxter, died in Georgia.

Move to Mississippi and later life

- **1840s:** Migrated from Georgia to Buena Vista, Chickasaw County, Mississippi.
- **1853:** Died on September 18 at the age of 80 in Buena Vista. He was buried in Thornton Cemetery in McCondy, Chickasaw County.

Timeline Nathaniel Middlebrook 1764-1829 Virginia

Nathaniel Middlebrook (1764–1829) was a resident of Orange County, Virginia, who worked as a farmer. The Middlebrooks Family Association has researched his life, and his timeline can be constructed using land and family records.

Timeline for Nathaniel Middlebrook (1764–1829)

- **1764:** Nathaniel Middlebrook is born in Virginia.
- **1782:** At the age of 18, he marries Mary Thompson.
- **1783:** Their first child, John Middlebrook, is born.
- **1790:** A son, Anderson Middlebrook, is born.
- **1791:** Anderson Middlebrook passes away.
- **1800:** He acquires 74.75 acres of land in Orange County, Virginia, on the waters of Riga Run. He also leases an additional 100 acres on the east side of Rocky Run from James Terrill.
- **1829:** Nathaniel Middlebrook dies on his Orange County land, where he is likely buried.
- **1832:** After Nathaniel's death, his widow, Mary, and children, Archibald and Martha, sell the Orange County property back to James Terrill for one dollar. The transaction was recorded at the Orange County Courthouse.

Nathaniel Middlebrook's land in Orange County, Virginia, consisted of two parcels acquired in 1800: a smaller plot he purchased and a larger tract he leased.

Purchased land: 74.75 acres

- **Acquisition date:** November 22, 1800.
- **Size:** 74 and three-quarter acres.
- **Location:** Situated on the headwaters of Riga Run.
- **Later sale:** After Nathaniel's death in 1829, his widow Mary and children Archibald and Martha sold this property back to James Terrill for one dollar in 1832.
- **Approximate location today:** The Middlebrooks Family Association places the general location of this property east of U.S. Highway 522, between Virginia Routes 629 and 20 (Constitution Hwy), where Riga Run still crosses Independence Road.

Leased land: 100 acres

- **Acquisition date:** 1800.
- **Size:** 100 acres.
- **Landowner:** The land was leased from James Terrill.
- **Location:** On the east side of Rocky Run.

Timeline John Middlebrook 1754-1815 Virginia

A comprehensive timeline for a specific John Middlebrook born in 1754 is difficult to construct because records from that period are often incomplete and contradictory. Genealogical sources refer to several different men named John Middlebrook or Middlebrooks who were born in Virginia in the mid-18th century. The most prominent candidate associated with the 1754 birth year lived and died in Virginia.

Timeline for John Middlebrook (1754–1815)

- **c. 1754:** Born in Hanover County, Virginia.
- **c. 1785:** Married Lucy Turner in Virginia. Together, they had several children, including Sally, John, Matilda, Jane, and Thomas.
- **1776–1780:** Enlisted in the Continental Army during the Revolutionary War, serving in the 6th and 10th Virginia Regiments.
- **May 12, 1780:** Taken prisoner by the British at the surrender of Charleston, South Carolina.
- **1785–1815:** Resided in the Caroline County, Virginia area, living near Steven's Mill Run.
- **May 9, 1815:** Died in Caroline County, Virginia.
- **Post-1815:** His widow, Lucy, applied for and received a pension based on his service in the Revolutionary War.
- **2011:** The Middlebrooks Family Association, along with the Daughters of the American Revolution, installed a commemorative plaque at the family cemetery in Caroline County.

Note: Some of the information documented in timelines was generated by AI. Facts and dates should be verified and properly sourced.