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Dear Whitlock:

Another Whitlock researcher in Texas sent me your address. Some other correspondents also wrote that you were the expert in North America on Whitlocks.

I would like to exchange information on Winfrey Whitlock, Sr. b. c. 1755-65 ? d. just prior to June 6, 1839, Edgefield District, South Carolina m. before 1790 or shortly there after to Elizabeth ?/??? b. c. 1773 in Virginia d. July 21, 1860^d in Edgefield District, South Carolina. I have the names of their ten children, five of which were deceased by 1860.

The first record I have of this Whitlock couple is the 1790 census of Edgefield District, South Carolina. I have the names of a lot of their grandchildren and some lines to the present day.

A distant cousin who lives in West Virginia wrote me recently that he thought Elizabeth's maiden name was Boothe and that they did indeed come from Virginia. I would like to get in contact with other people working on my Whitlock line. Carpenters and Whitlocks intermarried a number of times in Edgefield County, South Carolina. My paternal Grandmother was a Carpenter from Edgefield County, South Carolina, and her mother was the Whitlock.

Enclosed is SASE. Looking forward to hearing from you. Do you know anyone who is researching Winfrey Whitlock's line?

Yours truly,



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