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Comment = One of my ancestors Joergen Thomassen (1580-1655) used the latinized name Georgio Thomae Witlochio Nidrosiano in 1607. His father, Thomas Olsen Skotte, believed to origin from a Scottish mearchant family, was a mearchant in Trondheim, Norway. The name Whitlock has been altered several times but today its written Willoch. Former primeminister of Norway Kare Willoch is one of my relatives. Do You have any knowledge of any connection between my ancestors and Your familyname.

In beforhand Thank You

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Subject: SV: Skott family

Date: Fri, 12 Dec 2003 11:38:20 +0100

From: Wilhelm Bøe <Wilhelm.Boe@stjordal.kommune.no>

To: "Whitlock" <whitlock@bcegg.com>

Thank You for the quick response.

Is it possible that I have misled You a little bit. My eldest ancestor Thomas Olsen Skotte had Thomas as his first name, was the son of Ole or Ola (Olsen - patronym) and of scottish origin (Skotte - norwegian, meaning scottish). His father's name Ole/Ola is norwegian and could indicate that the family was well established as a merchant family in Trondheim, Norway, but still was referred to as scottish. I have not found the name Whitloch connected directly to him. His son Joergen (norwegian form of George) Thomassen (son of Thomas) used the family name Whitloch in the latinized form: Georgio Thomae Witlochio Nidrosiano. Nidrosiano refers to Nidaros, the old name of Trondheim. His son again, Joergen Joergenson used the name Huidloch at one occasion.

The model Firstname - Patronym - Origin or Trade, as in Joergen Thomassen Whitloch, can sometimes be misleading. In the countryside the Origin referred to the farm. If a person moved he would simply change the Origin in accordance with the name of the new farm. When Joergen Thomassen used the familyname Whitloch, I believe it's because it was a reference to his family's background and can be related to his mother's family's origin as well as his father's. I would appreciate if You could find any information relating to Norway and Trondheim/Nidaros.

In my sources it is speculated that the name Whitlock is of scottish origin with "Whit lock" meaning "shimmering lake". Could this be wrong?

In beforehand thank You

Wilhelm Boe