

Hi and I can not even attempt to say how impressed I am with your site.

I assume that Don Ballard in Augusta Maine knows about you and your site? Many of the Martha Moore Ballard followers would be intrigued as well !

My Ballard connection is through my great grandmother, Helen Augusta Ballard who married Edwin Thomas Small. She died immediately after her daughter was born, leaving as well my grandfather- three years old at the time... Harry Leroy Small.

Helen is the daughter of Charles Ballard... the son on Rufus, son of Jonathan Ballard. i.e. from your site---

Jonathan BALLARD

Birth: August 16, 1723

Marriage: Alice Ellis Moore on July 17, 1755 in Oxford, Worcester, MA

Alice born December 26, 1733 at Oxford, Mass.

Father: Collins Moore Mother: Bathsheba

Children: 1) Augustus born October 18, 1766 at Charlton <<--- "Ballard Genealogy 1911 Page #119"

2) Rufus born March 3, 1768

married Patty Moore on Dec 14, 1797

died March 17, 1855 at Vassalboro, Kennebec, ME

burial [Center Vassalboro Baptist Church Cemetery](#)

My mother migrated from East Vassalboro as a young child and the above church is the families. I have seen the graveyard and church here. When moving to Augusta in 2006, I was living down the street from the "Ballard Cemetary" and have spent many hours there and old Belgrade Road .. trying to figure out where Martha Moore Ballard is buried. I am relatedo her on both the Ballard and the Moore side.

Are you aware that there is no memorial are anything in Augusta in her name ?
I would love to share your site with others and again I am very impressed !

Regards,

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