



Martha Cauble

Martha Cauble was born in 1828 probably in Marion County, Alabama, where Mary Ann Rotan and Peter Cauble lived, and came to Texas in 1839, when she was about eleven years old. At seventeen Martha married **Benjamin Green, Jr.**, probably in Tyler County where both her family and Benjamin's lived.

Late in 1859 or early in 1860, Benjamin Green, Jr., died, leaving Martha with seven children under fourteen years of age. Martha and her children remained in Hill County on their farm.

Late in 1865 or early in 1866 Martha Cauble Green married **Peter Keesee** (1830 Missouri-about 1900 Taney County, Missouri) in Hill County. Peter Keesee had abandoned Martha and her children between 1866 and 1870 and Benjamin Green III had apparently died. She probably died before 1874.



G1 **Mary E. Green** (1846 Tyler or Limestone County, Texas-unknown), a daughter of Martha Cauble and Benjamin Green, Jr., married **William L. Carmichael**, between 16 July 1860 when the U. S. census was taken and 30 March 1863 when her name appeared as Carmichael on the probate record of her father. No descendants of Mary E. Green were found.



G2 **Charles E. Green** (1849 Limestone County, Texas-unknown) was a son of Martha Cauble and Benjamin Green, Jr., but no marriage for him or the names of any possible descendants were found.

G3 **Isaac Butler Green** (January 1850 Limestone County, Texas-February 1850 Limestone County, Texas), a son of Martha Cauble and Benjamin Green, Jr., was ill for one day and died. His illness was called hives on the mortality list. He was about one month old.



G4 **Ann Green** (1852 Limestone County, Texas-unknown), a daughter of Martha Cauble and Benjamin Green, Jr., was age 19 and lived with her mother and siblings at their Hill County farm on 21 July 1870. No facts about her adult life were found.

G5 **Thomas G. Green** (April 1853 Freestone County, Texas-unknown), a son of Martha Cauble and Benjamin Green, Jr., moved to Hill County with his parents and continued to live on the family farm there on 16 July 1860 and on 21 July 1870. He lived in Brown County, Texas, in 1880 where he was listed with his wife, M. A. ___ (1864 Tennessee-unknown).



G6 **Virginia Green** (30 January 1855 Hill County, Texas-10 March 1950 Marshall County, Oklahoma; buried Shay Cemetery, Marshall County, Oklahoma), a daughter of Martha Cauble and Benjamin Green, Jr. She married **Ottoway B. Nance** (22 June 1853 Hill County, Texas-05 November 1935 Murray County, Oklahoma; buried Shay Cemetery, Marshall County, Oklahoma) on 03 July 1874. They had nine children—five daughters, three sons, and an unnamed infant. They lived in Hill County in the early years of their 61-year marriage, migrating to Jim Town, Indian Territory, by 18 August 1889. Virginia and Ottoway Nance lived out their lives in Oklahoma.



G7 **William H. Green** (1857 Hill County, Texas-unknown), a son of Martha Cauble and Benjamin Green, Jr., married M. P. ___ (1855 Texas-unknown) about 1877. William Green lived in Brown County, Texas, in 1880 and had a son and a daughter.

G8 **Benjamin Green III** (1859 Hill County, Texas-before 1870 Hill County, Texas), a son of Martha Cauble and Benjamin Green, Jr., lived with his mother and siblings on their family farm in Hill County on 16 July 1860. He probably died between 1860 and 1870.

G9 **John Keesee** (19 July 1866 Hill County, Texas-13 July 1943 Brown County, Texas; buried Macedonia Cemetery, Brown County, Texas), was born in Hill County, Texas, to the short-lived marriage of his mother and her second husband, Peter Keesee. He migrated to Brown County, Texas, in 1875, probably the year his mother died. John Keesee first married **Martha Hanna Earp** (30 July 1866-20 March 1910; buried Macedonia Cemetery, Brown County, Texas) on 17 October 1884 in Brown County, Texas. Martha and John Keesee were the parents of ten children—six sons and four daughters.