

## John Dodson



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Born: 1721 Richmand, VA

Married: Sarah Barron

Died: 1830 (109 years old)

Parents: Lambeth Dodson & Sarah Harris

John Dodson. the 1830 census of White County, TN shows John Dodson age 100-110 thus born between 1720 and 1730. While the possibility always exists for making an error in marking the bracket of this extra ordinary age, still there should be no doubt that this is a very old ma. If he is a descendant of Charles Dodson SR AND the records point to that direction his father would almost have to be a son of Charles SR.

The early yrs of John Dodson's life remained hidden. The earliest record we can find for a John who fits this man is the listing on a 1750 delinquent tax list of Augusta County, VA. The next record is 1771 tax list of Surry Count NC. The next occurance is the name of John Dotson in 1782 signed a petition of inhabitants of Bedford County, VA.

The first record of John Dodson who went to White County, TN is the 1789 tax list of Montgomery County, VA when John, James and Samuel Dodson were taxed each for 1 white poll over age 21. By 1793 Wythe County had been created from Montgomery County and John, James and Samuel Dodson were on the Wythe tax list for that yr. In 1794 their place of residence fell into the newly created Grayson County.

The Dodson's began leaving Grayson County in 1795 or 96 and over the next few yrs regrouped in Grainger County, TN

The children of John Dodson Sr were:

John Dodson Jr, \***Samuel Dodson Sr.** and James Dodson.