

Utie, Mary IS NOT the wife of Richard Perkins.

Mary, the wife of Richard Perkins, is not surnamed Ute or Utie. Both primary and secondary sources eliminate this possibility as follows.

In George Utie's will of Baltimore Co drawn 11 Sep 1674 and proved 24 Oct 1678 he lists his wife as Susanna, his son as George and two daughters as Mary Ann and Bethia. Other wills prove Bethia married James Philips.

Nathaniel Utie's inventory 7 Sep 1686 distributes to his unnamed widow, to "Anthony Drew who married a niece (unnamed) of deceased, George Utie (nephew of deceased), Bethya Utie (niece of deceased)." Since George had only three children, the unnamed niece must be Mary who married Anthony Drew. But this is not all.

Capt Henry Johnson's inventory of 11 Jun 1694 leaves his goods to "Anthony Drew who married an heir (unnamed) of Col. Utie, George Utie, Bethia Utie." Again George had only three children, therefore, the unnamed one has to be Mary.

The above two entries are from ABSTRACTS OF THE INVENTORIES AND ACCOUNTS OF THE PREROGATIVE COURT OF MARYLAND 1688-1698 comp by V L Skinner, Jr. Brookeville, MD 20833 Aug 1992.

BALTIMORE COUNTY FAMILIES, 1659-1759 by Robert W. Barnes, Clearfield says this p 656:

"UTIE, GEORGE (4), s. of John (1) came to Md. c. 1658; d. by 24 Oct 1676; m. Susanna, dau. of Samuel and Joanna Goldsmith; she m. 2nd Mark Richardson; the will of George Utie, 11 Sept 1674-24 Oct 1678, named w. Susanna and ch.: George, Mary Ann and Bethia, bro. Nathaniel, and friend Thomas Long; George and Susanna had iss.: GEORGE, Jr.; MARY ANN, m. Anthony Drew; and BETHIA m. James Phillips (110:59; 370; and 388

So Mary Utie was married to Anthony Drew in 1686 and 1694, exactly when she would have been having Richard Perkins' children had she been married to him. Richard Perkins' children were born between 1689 and 1701 according to St George's Parish records, Baltimore, Maryland Parish Registers, GHL 014132, pp 179, 193, 191, Family History Library SLC.

Richard Perkins b 9 Jul 1689

William Perkins b 15 Mar 1692

Mary Perkins b 2 Apr 1695

Elisha Perkins b 9 Jun 1697

Sara Perkins b 15 Dec 1699 (died young)

Martha Perkins b 31 Mar 1701.

The above records show Mary Utie md to Anthony Drew in 1686, 2-3 years before Mary Perkins' first child was born. - when she would have been courting and marrying Richard Perkins. In 1694 when Mary Utie was married to Anthony Drew, Mary Perkins was pregnant with her own Mary Perkins. It is clear Mary Utie who married Anthony Drew could not have been Mary, the wife of Richard Perkins. Research by LaRae Free Kerr

Mary's surname may be Lofton or Harlan

Is her surname Ines, Inez, Ivey or Innis? Probably not. None of the wills or inventories mentioned a Mary Innis or Perkins. This was inconclusive however.

A Mary Ivey in VA in 1660s. <http://home.nc.rr.com/rwbaird/ivey/iveythomasv.html> Several husbands given. No Mary Ines, Inez, Innis looked appropriate.