



Iowa Society DAR

PATRIOT STORIES

Gideon Ruger, New York, A099698

- Sergeant, Pension: *W18459
- Residence: Albany, NY
- Born: 1752, Albany Co NY
- Died: 16 Apr 1808, Plattsburgh, Clinton Co NY

Gideon married (on 14 Dec 1773) Mary Ferris (b 24 Aug 1756, d 4 May 1848, Plattsburgh, Clinton Co NY). As of Spring 2024, NSDAR recognizes daughters from one son: John.

Mary Ferris married a Wilson following the death of Gideon Ruger.

- John (b 29 Nov 1784, NY; d p1860, Plattsburg, Clinton Co NY) married Mary Polly Ames (b c1786, VT; d Nov 1860, Plattsburg, Clinton Co NY).

GRS Service description includes service with Capt. Jacob Yates, Col Peter Yates, Albany Co Militia. The Pension record includes Gideon serving with Ethan Allen at Ticonderoga (May 1775).

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