

**Mennonite Deaths in the
Evangelische Kirche Zeyer (Kr. Elbing)
Kirchenbuch
1785-1815**

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Microfilm #208460 of the Mormon collection in Salt Lake City contains deaths for 1785 – 1815. These include Mennonite entries. The Mennonite entries are extracted and translated below. The abbreviations used are: y = years, m = months, w = weeks d = days and dau. = daughter. Nachbar and Mitnachbar probably refers to a landowning farmer, Einwohner likely means resident, but not landowner, as does Einsasse. A Paechter is a renter.

Peter **Enzen** of Fischerscampe dau. Anna, 17 w on July 15, 1786

Gerhard **Martens** & Maria **Isaac** of Zeyer dau. Catharina , 41w on Sept. 26, 1786.

Michael **Weis** & Maria **Rogalski** of Einlage, illegitimate dau. Maria, 8y, Feb. 24, 1788.
(Maria Rogalski is designated as a Mennonite but Michael Weis is not)

David **Woelke** & Helena **Dyck** of Zeyersche Niederkamp, son Derk, 13y, Jan. 3, 1791.

Jacob **Wienz** & Helena **Wall** of Zeyerschekamp, dau. Eva, Oct. 16, 1791.

Jacob **Wall** & Catharina ???? of Zeyerschekamp, dau. Helena, 14w, Mar. 5, 1792.

Jacob **Rogalsky** & Anna **Dyck** , son Jacob , 2½ y, Mar. 23, 1792.

Peter **Janzen** an old Mennonite of Ellerwald 3rd Trift. 67y, Apr.16, 1793.

Paul **Martens**, wife Anna of Einlage. 57y, Nov. 14, 1793.

Dietrich **Woelk** of Bollwerk?. 72y, Dec. 29, 1794.

Heinrich **Thiessen** of ZeyerscheNiederkamp, wife Helena, 55y, Mar. 19, 1796.

Johann **Dick** of Ellerwald 2nd Trift, son Martin 10y, on Nov. 29, 1796.

Peter **Dyck** & Helena **Sawatzki** of Ellerwald 4th Trift, dau. Anna, Apr. 4, 1799.

Abraham **Fast** of Zeyervorderkampen, son Cornelius, 21y on May 1, 1799.

Cornelius **Dirksen** & Maria **Martens** of Zeyersche Niederkamp, son Cornelius, 1 ½y, June 21, 1799.

Abraham **Wieler** (Mitnachbar) & Maria **Wieler** of Ellerwald 4th Trift, son Franz 6d on Dec. 21, 1799.

Heinrich **Tiessen** (Mitnachbar) & Elisabeth **Mirau** of Ellerwald 1st Trift, dau. Elisabeth, Feb. 12, 1800.

Jacob **Dirks** (Mitnachbar) & Helena **Tiessen** of Ellerwald 2nd Trift, son Gerhard, Feb. 18, 1800.

Franz **Kroeker** (Hakenbudner) of Stube son Abraham, ½y, Mar. 12, 1800.

Peter **Dyck** (Nachbar) & Helena **Sawatsky** of Ellerwald 4th Trift, 11w, Aug. 10, 1800.

David **Woelke** (Nachbar) & Helena **Siemens** of Zeyerniederkampen, dau. Elisabeth, 9y, Sept. 14, 1800.

Dietrich **Woelke** of Bollwerk, son Jacob, on Oct. 25, 1800.

Abraham **Thiessen** (Nachbar) & Catharina **Loewen** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, dau. Anna, 1y 17D, on Nov. 13, 1800.

Dietrich **Woelke** of Bollwerk, dau. Catharina, 2Y 10m, on Jan. 8, 1801.

Peter **Dyck** (Mitnachbar) of Ellerwald 4th Trift, 45y, on Dec. 3, 1801.

Franz **Kroeger** (Einwohner & Paechter) & Maria **Ens** of Zeyer, son Franz, 1y, on May 5, 1802

Abraham **Bargmann** (deceased) & Maria **Classen** of Neuendorf, 2nd son Abraham 23½ y, on May 18, 1802. (mother remarried to Heinrich Wilms)

Jacob **Wiebe** (Einwohner) wife Margaretha born **Wiebe** wife of Einlage, 56y on June 27, 1802.

Gerhard **Dyck** (Einwohner) & Christina **Neustaedter** of Einlage, son Heinrich 4y, on Nov. 1, 1802.

Johann **Niefeld** (Einwohner?) of Einlage, 40y, at Gerhard **Andreas** on Dec. 8, 1802.

Andreas **Koop** (Einwohner) & Maria **Weiss** of Ellerwald, son Heinrich 19w, on Feb. 6, 1803.

David **Woelcke** (Nachbar) wife Helena born **Dyck** 43y, on Feb. 20, 1803.

Heinrich **Wieler** (Nachbar) & Maria **Dyck** of Zeyersche Niederkampe, son Paul, 2y, on Mar. 26, 1803.

David **Penner** (Einwohner) of Zeyer Niederkampe 59(or 50)y, on Jan. 22, 1804.

Arend **Woelke** (Einwohner) of Einlage, 73y, on Feb. 17, 1804.

Arend **Bickert** (Mitnachbar) & Maria **Dyck** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, son Arend 10w, on Feb. 20, 1804.

Gerhard **Dyck** (Einwohner) & Christina **Neustaedter** of Einlage, son Wilhelm, 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ y, on Apr. 29, 1804.

Arend **Bickert** (Nachbar) & Maria **Dyck** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, dau. Agneta, 5y & 5d, on May 15, 1805.

Johann **Ens** (Einwohner) of Terra Nova, 63y, on July 10, 1805.

Abraham **Tiessen** (Nachbar) & Catharina **Loewen** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, dau. Catharina 11y, 9m 17d, on Oct. 12, 1805.

David **Woelke** (Mitnachbar) of Zeyersche Nieder Campen, 60y, on Feb. 6, 1806.

Peter **Wiens** (Mitnachbar) & Anna **Tiessen** of Zeyersche Niederkamp, son Johann 18w, on July 26, 1806. (they were not designated as Mennonite)

Thomas **Siemens** bachelor (Altgesell) of Bollwerk, 82y 7m, on Nov. 21, 1806.

Gerhard **Wiens** (Paechter) & Catharina **Lewin** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, dau. Sara 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ w, on Jan. 18, 1807.

Dietrich **Woelke** (Nachbar) & Agatha **Ens** of Bollwerk, dau. Agatha 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ y, on May 18, 1807.

Dietrich **Woelke** (Nachbar) & Agatha **Ens** of Bollwerk, son Dietrich 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ y, on Aug. 27, 1807.

Abraham **Byckert** (Nachbar) & Maria **Dyck** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, son Johann 12d, on Sep. 17, 1807. (they were not designated as Mennonite)

Catharina **Martens** born **Dyck** (widow) of Einlage, dau. Maria, 4y, on Sept. 10, 1807.

Johann **Penner** (Nachbar) of Ellerwald 1st Trift. 73y, on Sept. 21, 1807.

Johann **Penner's** (see above) widow Anna born **Niefeld**, 32y on Oct. 5, 1807.

Peter **Wiens** (Nachbar) & Anna **Tiessen** of Zeyersche Niederkamp, son Johann, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ y, on Nov. 11, 1807.

(Note: about 3 – 4 times the normal number of deaths were reported in 1807, mainly due to dysentery)

Cornelius **Bergmann** (Einwohner) & Margaretha **Klaass(en)** of Neuendorf, son Heinrich 12d, on June 12, 1808.

Heinrich **Tiessen** (Nachbar) & Elisabeth **Mirau** of Ellerwald 1st Trift, son Heinrich, 15w, on July 19, 1808. (they were not designated as Mennonite)

Gerhard **Wiens** (Paechter) & Catharina **Lewin** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, son Jacob 15d, on Sept. 20, 1808.

Franz **Kroeger** (Paechter) & Maria **Ens** of Stube, dau. Maria 11³/₄ y, on Sept. 18, 1808. (they were not designated as Mennonite, but are designated as such in the 1811 census)

Abraham **Rogalki** (Einwohner) & Christina **Dyck** of Einlage, dau. Helena, 10 w, on Nov. 11, 1808.

Maria **Ziemens** born **Goertz** of Bollwerk, 45y, on Dec. 30, 1808. (she was not designated as Mennonite)

Cornelius **Dirksen** of Zeyerskamp 46y, on Jan. 20, 1809.

Abraham **Penner** (Einsasse) & Agneta **Drädiger** of Ellerwald 4th Trift, son Abraham ½ y, on Jan. 20, 1809.

Maria **Haack** widow of the late Johann **Haack** of Terra Nova 74y, on Feb. 15, 1809.

Samuel **Dirksen** son of the above named Maria **Haack** of Terra Nova, 26y, on Feb. 19, 1809. (there is more written about him)

Dietrich **Rempel** (Einwohner) of Ellerwald 2nd Trift, 62y, on Apr. 26, 1809.

Arend **Bickert** (Nachbar) & Maria **Düick** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, son Arend 2y, on May 1, 1809.

Arend **Bickert** (Nachbar) & Maria **Düick** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, dau. Agneta 1m, on Nov. 7, 1809.

Abraham **Fast** & Agnetha **Düick** of Zeyersche Vorder Kamp, son Abraham, 4 w, on Dec. 3, 1809.

Johann **Ens** (deceased Einwohner) & Catharina **Öhmsen** of Terra Nova, son Peter 18y 4m, on Feb. 22, 1810.

Catharina **Entz** born **Oehms** of Terra Nova her dau. Anna 10y, on Oct. 23, 1810.

Arend **Bickert** (Nachbar) & Maria **Dick** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, son Jacob, 5w, on Dec. 12, 1810.

Johann **Goosen** (Häcker) & Catharina **Ham** of Zeyer, son Joham 5 w. & 2 d., on Feb. 27, 1811.

Abraham **Fast** (Einsasse) & Agnetha **Dick** of Zeyer Vorder Kampen, dau. Anna 18 w., on Apr. 17, 1811.

Gerhard **Martens** (Mitnachbar) of Zeyer Vorderkampen, wife Maria 65 y, on Apr. 23, 1811.

Jacob **Berg** (Nachbar) & Catharina **Berg** of Ellerwald 2nd Trift, dau. Catharina 1 w., on Jan. 5, 1812.

Elisabeth **Wiens** wife of Einwohner Heinrich Wiens from Koslowsky's property in Ellerwald 3rd Trift, 40 y., on Mar. 9, 1812.

Cornelius **Dörcksen** (Eigentümer) & Maria **Martens** of Zeyer Niedercampe, dau. Maria 9 y., on Mar. 13, 1812.

Widower Heinrich **Wiens** (Einwohner) of Koslowsky's property in Ellerwald 3rd Trift, son Heinrich 14 y., on Apr. 12, 1812.

Arend **Bickert** (Mitnachbar) & Maria **Dick** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, dau. Maria 14 d., on Apr. 17, 1812.

Jacob **Dick** (Mitnachbar) of Zeyersche NiederCampe, 67 y., on May 12, 1812.

Abraham **Thiessen** (Mitnachbar) & Catharina **Löwen** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, dau. Maria 10 y., on May 30, 1812.

Gerhard **Wiens** (Pächter) of Stuba, wife Catharina born **Löwen** 38 y., on Nov. 23, 1812.

Widow Agatha **Töws** Einwohner died at Böhrend **Brand's** in Ellerwald 3rd Trift on Feb. 14, 1813, aged 73 y. & 8 m.

Gerhard **Joost** (Nachbar) of Ellerwald 5th Trift, wife Anna, born **Friesen** 59 y., on Feb. 18, 1813.

Maria **Rempel** unmarried, whose parents are deceased, at widow Agatha **Penner** of Ellerwald 4th Trift, 22 y., on Mar. 25, 1813.

Abraham **Penner** (Einwohner) in the house of Mitnachbar Johann **Abramson** of ???, 42 y., on Apr. 21, 1813.

Johann **Wiebe** (Nachbar) & Anna **Blumenau** of Zeyer Vordercampe, dau. Anna, 43 w., on Dec. 1, 1813.

Peter **Wiens** (Eigentümer) & Anna **Thiessen** of Zeyer VorderCampe, dau. Agatha 22 w., on Dec. 22, 1813.

[Note: two French soldiers, presumably of Napoleon's occupational army died in Zeyer in 1813]

Peter **Wiens** (Einsasse) of Zeyer vordercampe, 46 y., on Apr. 19, 1814.

Jacob **Dick** (Einsasse) & Christina **Wall** of Zeyer VorderCampe, dau. Elisabeth, at Johann Wiebe, 36 y., Dec. 2, 1814.

Jacob **Wiebe** (Nachbar) & Margaretha **Berg** of Ellerwald 5th Trift, son Jacob, 24 w. & 2 d., Mar. 3, 1815.

Gerhard **Martens** (Mitnachbar) of Zeyer VorderCampe, 71 y., on Apr. 19, 1915.

Heinrich **Wall** (Mitnachbar) widow Agnetha of Ladekoperfeld at her son-in-law Peter **Fast** (Pächter des Hacken Bude) in Fischer Campe, 70 y., on Oct. 12, 1815.