RAJALA



The name Rajala entered the family when Ida Rajala married Richard Isaac Acey on June 24, 1914 in Peobody¹. Unfortunately, little is known of Ida because she died in the Influenza epidemic of 1918². See Appendix A (NOT INCLUDED) for more on that pandemic.

The original of the photo to the left has been lost though the author had scanned the image into the computer many years ago! Obviously, this was a formal portrait of Ida. The author's favorite photo is the one below showing Ida (with

her hair lose) and her son Richard. This was probably taken shortly before her death. The original photo (again lost) was in horrible shape and this is the best reconstruction could achieve!

SOINI FINLAND

Ida was born 22 January 1886 in Soini (see general write-up on Finland for more info on Soini). From information requested in 1989 from the Finnish Church (date convention is day.month.year) we know:

Anders Andersin Rajala, born 09.02.1851, place unknown, died 09.09.1921

Spouse Anna Lena Matin Heimari, born 16.02.1852, place unknown, died 17.02.1901, married 30.10.1876
Had the following children:

- 1. Maria Wilhelmiina born 13.05.1879 Soini, Died 02.06.1953
- 2. Lydi Johanna born 27.03.1882 Soini, died 02.07.1882
- 3. Hilda Karolina born 30.05.1883 Soini, died 08.08.1951 (goes on to discuss marriage, children, ...)
- 4. Ida Eliina born 22.01.1886 Soini, went to Amerikka



¹ Official Marriage Certificate from Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Select particulars are: Ida Eleanor Rajala, Peabody Massachusetts, Twenty-six, Domestic, Birthplace = Finland, Father's Name = Andrew Rajala, Mother's Maiden Name = Anna Heimari & Allen Greene, Clergyman ... from his name we know that he was not affiliated with St. John's Lutheran Church

² Official Death Certificate from Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Particulars are: Ida E. Acey, Date of Death = October 14, 1918, Age = 33 years, Disease or cause of death = Bronchopneumonia. Influenza, Residence = Crest Ave, Salem, Massachusetts, Place of Death = Emergency Hospital, etc...

- 5. Kaarle Aukusti born 25.04.1888 Soini, went to Amerikka
- 6. Vihtori born 09.11.1890 Soini, moved 09.02.1931 (goes on to discuss marriage, children, ...)
- 7. Juho Einari born 16.09.1893 Soini, moved 14.12.1930
- 8. Jalmari born 11.02.1897 Soini, moved 16.12.1924

A copy of the Baptism register for 1886 has:

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(Kummih refers to godparents)

Access to microfilms of the original Soini birth registers³ allowed the author to research further into the family. Some spot checks were done on records referenced in the information received from Finland. The records for some of Ida's siblings are ...

- 1. Maria Wilhelmina ... birth date of 13.06.1879 (not 13.05.1879), Father listed as Rajala Torparen Anders Andersfon, Mother listed as hustra Anna Lena Mattsdotter. Other names mentioned are Gustaf Adolf Makela and his hustra (wife) Fredrika Johans dotter and Kriestian Andersfon Isokylen and sister Amanda (some overlap with what's listed for Ida)
- 2. Lydia Johanna ... birth date of 27.03.1882, Father listed as Torparen Anders Andersfon Rajala, Mother listed as hustra Anna Lena Mattsdotter. Other names mentioned are Karl Johansfon Allikainen and wife Johanna Andersdotter and Walenden Johansfon Allikainen
- 3. Hilda Karolina ... birth date of 30.5.1883, Father listed as Rajala Torparen Anders Andersfon and wife Anna Lena Mattsdotter. Other names mentioned are Anders Davidsfon Isokytta and wife Greta Lovisa Mattsdotter and Kristian Andersfon Isokytta and Karolina Karlsdotter Wokkuri

Also, found the entry for the marriage of Ida's parents (reproduced below)

Oktober 30. Drengen Anders Anders fon Tsokytla and jugan An.

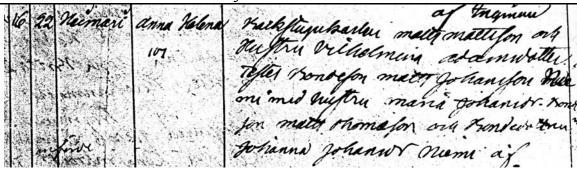
Oktober 30. Drengen Anders Anders fon Tsokytla and jugan An.

ga Lena Malls dotter Heimani i skrud a Osokytla of

Johan Porthen,

Also, found the entry for Ida's mom, Anna Helena, though it appears her birth date was August 16, not Feb 16 (see also #2 on page 3 for the earlier research done).

³ LDS Film #0067574, Finland, Soini, Births (1793-1887)



Using a birth date of 9 February 1851, this appears to be the entry for Ida's father.

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Working with the original information from Finland, it was recently possible to do further research using resources available via the www.⁴ Researched was:

1. Ida's father: the following is a possible candidate. The birth date matches given information.

Unfortunately, a surname of Rajala doesn't match any listed birth/baptism entries for a son Anders in 1851 anywhere in Finland! Surnames versus patronymics were not in common usage at the time.

1851 9.2 10.2 Storskytt B:s: Anders Davidss: Zephyr. Lov. Ericsdr 25-30 Anders This matches the entry reproduced above.

It's possible to trace siblings for this person ...

29.1.1843	29.1.1843	Storskytt	B:s: Anders Davidss:	Lovisa Ersdr	Carl Gustaf
24.4.1845	24.4.1845	Storskytt	B:s: Anders Davidss:	Zephyrina Lov: Ericsdr	Johanna
6.6.1847	6.6.1847	Storskytt	B:s: Anders Davidss:	Zehyrina Lov: Ericsdr 25-30	Johannes
4.10.1849	5.10.1849	Storskytt	B:s: Anders Davidss:	Zeph: Lovisa Ericsdr 25-30	Lovisa
19.4.1854	20.4.1854	Storskytt	B: Anders Davidss:	Zefyrina Lovisa Ericsdr 30-35	Christian (+ 11.5.54.)

⁴ www.genealogia.fi, accessed July 2000 and October 2001 and June 2002

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And, the wedding of the parents, which took place in Soini ...

26.12.1841 bd.s. And. Dav.ss. Storskytt

bd.dr. Zeph. Lov. Ersdr. Líllskytt

It is possible to trace the parents of Zephyrina and her siblings... for some reason, Zephyrina is the only child not listed as born at Lillskytt, that threw the search off for a bit!

Born	Christened	Village	Farm	Father	Mother	Child
25.6.1817	29.6.1817		Lillskytt	bd. Eric Matss.	Caisa Andreadr. 26.	Eva Mar.
18.12.1818	22.12.1818		Lillskytt	bd. Eric Mattss.	Caisa Ands.dr. 27.	Johan Eric
31.3.1820	2.4.1820		Lillskytt	Eric Mattss.	Caisa And.dr. 33.	Helena
26.8.1821	28.8.1821		Sarenketo	bd. Eric Mattss.	Caisa And.dr. 32.	Zephyrina
.11.1823	.11.1823		Lillskytt	Eric Mattss.	Caisa And.dr.	Catharina
	original - PV:	ei syntym	ä- ei kastepäiv	vää		
	original - SYN	NPV:				
12.3.1825	20.3.1825		Lillskytt.	bd. Erik Mattss.	Caisa And.dr.	Anna Helena
15.7.1827	18.7.1827		Lill Skytt	bd.s. Erik Mattss.	Caisa Andreadr. 30.	Lisa
3.9.1830	5.9.1830		Lillskytt	Memdem: Eric Mattss:	Cajsa Anderssdr	Garl

It would also appear that these are the parents and siblings of Anders Davidss ...

Born	Christened	Village	Farm	Father	Mother	Child
27.12.1813	28.12.1813		Storskytt	bd. David Erss.	Mar. And.dr. 24.	Eric
13.12.1815	13.12.1815		Storskytt	bd. David Erss.	Mar. Andreadr.	Anders
12.8.1817	17.8.1817		Storskytt	bd. David Erss.	Mar. And.dr. 33.	Mats
28.3.1819	28.3.1819		Storskytt	David Erss.	Mar. And.dr. 33.	Anna Hel. (överstv. i orig.)

It would appear that David & Mar stopped having children and we find out that that's because Mar died a couple of weeks after giving birth to Anna Hel.

8.4.1819

12.4.1819

Maria Andrea Lill Skytt

barnsbörd

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There hasn't been a marriage between a David Erss and a mar. And that would seem to conclusively fit.

Though it would be possible to continue pursuing these lines, the author stopped here. As far as more recent information, it's not possible to get any more recent information from the web-site as the data only covers up to 1860 for Soini.

2. Ida's mother (matches entry above subsequently found looking at microfilmed records): this has been a challenge since the name Heimari matches no children born/baptized in Soini. So, the next path was to look for the use of the name at all. It was found for the following two deaths/burials (in Soini). With a Matts Heimari this could be Anna Lena's father!

1858 29.9 8.10 s. Karl Gust. rödsot 8 10 15 (years months days) relative: trp. Matts Heimari

1860 18.8 26.8 trp.g. Matts Heimari magslen 44 5 5

So, let's research the birth of Karl Gust c. 1849-1850. Aha! Searching on Karl, we get Heimari ... it's the house name!!

1849 14.11 18.11 Heimari Inh: Matts Mattss: Wilhelmina Adamsdr 30-35 Carl Gustaf

Also, this entry has a mother of Wilhelmina (guess the middle name of the oldest daughter!). Researching on this family, gives the following additional children:

Pöndinen Wilh:na Adamsdr 25-30 Timotheus 4.12 1842 5.12 Drg Matts Mattss: Vilhelm: Adamsdr 25-30 Tp: Matts Mattss: Maria 1844 9.8 11.8 Herm: Ty: Matts Mattss: Helmeri! Vilhelm: Adamsdr 30-35 Matthias 1847 15.7 Niemi 18.7 Backst: Matts Mattss: Wilh:na Adamsdr 30-35 Anna Helena 1852 16.8 22.8 Heimari Kanungs å by Niemi Tp: Matts Mattss: Heimo Wilhelmina Adamsdr 41. Johanna 1856 27.6 29.6

Maybe, for Anna Lena, instead of 16.2.1852, it should have been 16.8.1852 ... A father of Matts, a mother Wilhemina, a birth date in 1852, a farm name of Heimari, a sister Johanna (another daughter had this as a middle name), a brother Carl Gustaf (a son Kaarle Aukusti), all point to a likelihood of this being the correct family!

The marriage that goes with this family is:

2.10.1842 drg. Matts Mattss. Pöndinen Wilh. Adamsdr. Sauramäki

Obviously, Wilhemina is a not too common name so some tracking back could be done

1816 20.6 28.6 Sauramäki bd. Adam Matss. Sara Matsdr. Wilhelmina

The name, locale and father's name are all consistent. Looking for siblings gives:

1812	22.10	22.10	Sauramäki	bd. Adam Matss.	Sara Matsdr. 29.	Zephyrrina
1814	5.7	10.7	Sauramäki	bd. Adam Matss.	Sara Matsdr. 26.	Eva Joh.
1818	9.6	9.6	Sauramaki	bd. Adam Matss.	Sara Matsdr. 26.	Eleonora Soph.
1820	4.10	7.10	Sauvamäki	Adam Mattss.	Sara Mattsdr.	Hedda Stina
1823	26.3	27.3	Sauramäki	bd. Adam Mattss.	Sara	Carolina Charl.

Have not been able to pursue this research any further.



The picture to the left is obviously a studio portrait. This is a photo of the original photo and you gain some sense of what the original frame looks like.

CONFIRMATION & MOVEMENT Records

Records became available for Soini covering some of the other types of records kept by the Church. One "book" of interest is the Rippilapset (1849-1910)⁵, Confirmation Records, and another "book" is the Muuttaneet (1859-1909)⁶, Movement Records. The author held such hope for these records and issues of language certainly made examining these records challenging!

A research guide states "A person's confirmation, or first communion, generally took place between the ages of 14 and 16.

Most parishes kept confirmation records, the earliest dating from the mid 1700s. The records frequently list boys and girls separately by villages or residences, giving their names and birth dates or ages." Also that "In the 1800s parishes began using special arrival and removal records [sisään- ja ulosmuuttaneet; seurakuntaan ja seurakunnasta muuttaneet/in- och utflyttningslängder]. These records, which are frequently essential to family history research, chronologically list the people who moved into or out of the parish. The records give the following information about a person: Name, Occupation, Parish moved to or from, and

⁵ LDS Film #0067674, Finland, Soini, Church Records

⁶ LDS Film #0067575, Finland, Soini, Church Records

previous or subsequent residence in the parish. In more recent records, the residence is indicated by the page number in the communion book." ⁷

There were some pertinent entries found and these are:

 Here is Ida's father's Confirmation Record (last entry). He was confirmed in 1866. The left column (By) refers to the village, then there's a number of unknown importance, the persons name, birth date, and then several unidentified columns referring to being confirmed.

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• Also found Ida's mother ... she is the 5th entry down and listed as Niemi (consistent with one of the villages listed in the birth records for her family)

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The column headings have been shown for completeness.

• Ida was confirmed in 1903 and is listed as residing in Kuninkaanjoki (notice also the entry for Lydia Pontinen, she'll factor in later!)

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⁷ accessed 2 March 2002, Ancestry.org web-site, Finland Research Outline

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	MONTHS
tammikuu	January
helmikuu	February
maaliskuu	March
huhtikuu	April
toukokuu	May
kesäkuu	June
heinäkuu	July
elokuu	August
syyskuu	September
lokakuu	October
marraskuu	November
joulukuu	December

The movement records have been more of a challenge. It helps to understand the naming convention for months.

Looking at the records for 1907, since we know that Ida emigrated by May, we see that on 19 April, a name is listed that is an approximation of Ida's name. Though, Amalia Pontinen (Ida's traveling companion) is not listed! I suspect that Muttia (in this entry) could be a variant of muuttanut which means emigrated. We do have to watch this entry also because there is a surname Ojala so it may not be a bad transcription of Rajala!

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EMMIGRATING TO AMERICA

Haven't been able to locate any information on Ida's passport though her passage to America is known. Not all the Finnish passport authorities records are on-line yet. We can trace the first portion of Ida's Journey.⁸

⁸ www.migrationinstitute.fi, accessed 10 December 2000



Her entry is:

Last Name = Rajala, First

names = Ida, Age = 21, Port of

Departure = Hanko, Place of

Destination = Salem, State of

Destination = MA, Country of

Destination = USA, Price of

Ticket = FIM 208, Ship from

Finland = Urania, Date of

Departure from Finland =

01.05.1907, Ship from England = Cymric, Date of Departure from England = 10.05.1907, Ocean Line = White Star Line, Port of Departure in England = *, List and Page = 57/67 lauthor's note: though the above Finnish record lists the ship as the Cymric from England to America, she actually traveled on the Adriatic ... see next page for more information]

S/S Urania was part of the Finland Steamship Companies Fleet and is described by 9:

S/S URANIA

Passenger steamer, one deck & spar deck

Passengers I: 22 II: 34 III: 186

Ice class 1

Tonnages 1,136 GRT 664 NRT

Length over all 68.63 m
Breadth 10.11 m

Draught ?

Engine Triple steam engine 3 cy. by the shipbuilders.

Horse powers 1,600 IHP
Speed 12 knots
12.9.1891 Completed by

Wigham Richardson & Co., Newcastle, as S/S Urania for Finska Ångfartygs Aktiebolaget, Helsinki. Sailed mainly on Finland - Copenhagen - Hull line.

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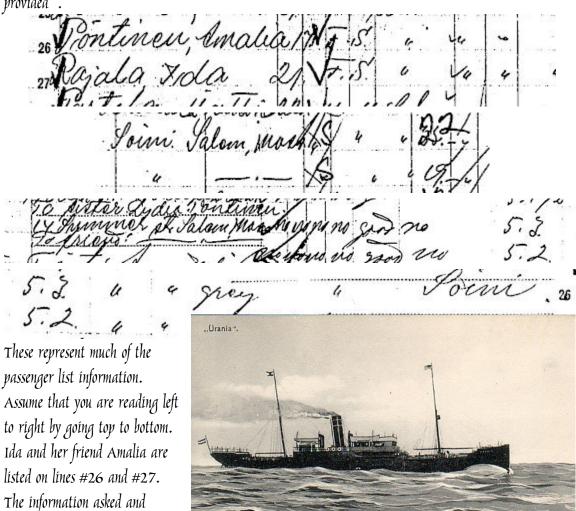
° www.genealogia.fi, accessed 1 October 2001

3 NW of Kullen in Kattegatt after collision in fog with the Norwegian S/S Fancy while on passage from Hull to Copenhagen with coal and general cargo. Crew and passengers brought safely by the heavily damaged Fancy to Elsinore.

[Source: The Ships of Our First Century : The Effoa Fleet 1883-1983. Ed. by Matti Pietikäinen & Bengt Sjöström. Keuruu 1983, 231 p. ISBN 951-99438-5-4.]

Traveling on the S.S. Adriatic from Liverpool to New York (arrived in New York, May 16, 1907), Ida was with a friend, Amalia Pontinen (or Pontineu). In fact, they were traveling to her sister, Lydia Pontinen at 14 Summer St., Salem. See Appendix D for more information on the Pontinen family.

Below are scanned images of part of the ships manifest, followed by a summary of the complete information provided¹⁰.



provided is:

¹⁰ copy of microfilm of original passenger list from NARA and access to www.ellisisland.org (September 2001) – S.S. Adriatic sailing from Liverpool Arriving at Port of New York 16 May 1907

Name	Ida Rajala
Age	21
Sex	F
Marital Status	S
Calling or Occupation	servant
Able to read/write	yes
Nationality	Finland
Race or People	Finnish
Last Permanent Residence	Finland, Soini
Final Destination	Salem, Mass
Whether Having a Ticket	to Such Destination
yes	
By Whom Was Passage P	aid Self
Whether in Possession of \$	550 and if less, how
much \$19	·
Whether Ever Before in th	ne US No

We may never know who exactly is the other person in the picture to the right. The author wonders if it could be Ida's traveling companion, Amalia Pontinen? (see Appendix C) (NOT INCLUDED)



Below is the logo of the White Star Line, operator of the S.S. Adriatic. See Appendix B for

Whether Going to Join a Friend or Relative
Friend (Lydia Pontineu, 14 Summer
St., Salem Ma
All the questions about polygamy, anarchist,
etc...

Personal Description Height (5 2),
Complexion (light), Color of Hair (brown), Color
of Eyes (grey),
Marks of Identification (none)
Place of Birth Soini



more information on the S.S. Adriatic.

Though the information from Soini indicates that Ida's brother Kaarle went to America, nothing to substantiate that claim has been found (see Appendix D for another tidbit about brother Kaarle) (NOT INCLUDED). Some searching in the Institute of Migration Passenger Lists (www.migrationinstitute.fi) gave the following who might be Ida's brother if one assumed a transcription error on the last name! Of course, this is already implying that a "Kaarle Rajala" with the appropriate statistics could not be found!

Rahkola Kaarle 19 Hanko Fitchburg MA FIM 212 Polaris (16.01.1907) Ivernia (22.01)
Ragvals Karl 20 Hanko Boston MA FIM 211 Polaris (21.04.1909) Columbia (01.05)

(latter, traveling with a wife, Karolina)

"Our early parish records reflect the fact the early pastors of St. John rode the circuit between Peabody, Lanesville, and Rockport on Cape Ann. Those records are in Finn and are located in Lanesville ... St. Paul Lutheran church, 1123 Washington Street, Gloucester, MA 01930-1034" The Rev. Raymond H. Phyles Pastor Saint John Evangelical Lutheran Church Ellsworth Road at King Street Peabody, MA 10960 (latter dated 28 January 2002)

SALEM & PEOBODY MA

Once Ida arrived in America, we lose track of her till her marriage in 1914. Many examinations of the 1910 census' for Peobody (where she lived around the time of her marriage and later) and Salem did not reveal where she was living at this time. Neither she nor the Pontinen's were still at 14 Summer St. (the address provided

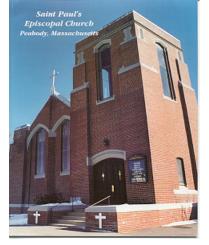
on the passenger record). Additionally, her future husband Richard Acey was not living with his parents and an entry for him has not been found either!

Additionally "I looked through our microfilm index of the Peabody newspapers which covers the late 1800s to 1924, as well as our poll books for the years, 1904, 1906, 1908, 1911, and 1915, and found no listing for Ida Rajala. In fact, I did not see

St. Paul's Episcopal Church It appears that Ida and Richard married in St. Paul's Episcopal Church ... "The groundwork for St. Paul's current location began on July 21, 1913 with the cornerstone being laid on September 27, 1913 under the direction of the Rev. Allen Greene. The building is of English Gothic design, built of brick with concrete stone trimmings. The entrance is through a bell tower at the southwest corner. The church has a spacious nave with a seating capacity of 275. In 1972 a free-standing altar was installed. A large cross made by Alfred Foulks from the old altar now hangs in the back of the church as a memorial to all past parishioners of St. Paul's Church." (Accessed 19 June 2002, 12 Washington St., Peabody, MA Hhttp://hometown.aol.com/mvaguener/index.htmlH)

and, "Reverend Allen Green was the minister at St. Paul's Church, 12 Washington Street, Peabody (Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts) from 1908 to 1918."

(e-mail received 19 June 2002, from Gwendolyn Charter, Head of Reference, Hcharter@noblenet.orgH, Peabody Institute Library, 82 Main Street, Peabody MA 01960 Telephone: 978 531-0100)



any listings for the name Rajala."11

Ida and Richard had a son Richard A. on December 11, 1914 while the family was residing at 21 Berry St. 12 Unfortunately, a few short years later, Ida died in the great Influenza Epidemic of 1918 (see Appendix A) (NOT INCLUDED).

According to the Secretary at St. Paul's Lutheran church¹³ Ida was not affiliated with St. John's (Peabody) and as such, only a record of

¹¹ e-mail received 9 October 2001, Kelly Flynn, Reference Librarian, Peabody Institute Library, Peabody Massachusetts, flynn@noblenet.org, North of Boston Library Exchange

¹² Commonwealth of Massachusetts, County of Essex, City of Peabody, Official Birth Certificate for Richard A. Acey – additional select particulars are: Father = Richard Acey, Leather Worker, born Finland & Mother = Ida Ratulla, born Finland

¹³ e-mail received 23 February 2002, Joanne Peterson, Secretary St. Pauls, "The only information I could find was in the records of funerals in 1918 and the fact that she was not a member I do not expect to find any other information on her." See Text Box for why this information resides at St. Pauls!

her funeral could be found. Also note the reference to Lyydia Johanna Makela and see Appendix C (NOT INCLUDED).

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At the time of her death, the family was listed at Crest Ave and this corresponds with a 1918 Directory listing at 40 Crest Ave. Unfortunately, Crest Ave is one of the streets that has disappeared. "The 1918 Polk Directory lists R.I. Acey and C.T. Kirby at 40 Crest Ave (runs from Holly to Newcastle Rd) in Peabody. Neither Holly nor Crest Ave. exist today, but Newcastle is a short street that runs from Route



lived in this section of Peabody.

114 (Margin St) to Central Street in the north-eastern part of Peabody, close to the Salem line."¹⁴

The author seems to remember Anna or Joanna Kimball (see ACEY) saying something about Crest and Walsh being one and the same street (just as Holly is now Driscoll?!?!!?). With that in mind, more than likely, the family

¹⁴ Received 19 June 2002, e-mail from: Gwendolyn Charter, Head of Reference, charter@noblenet.org, Peabody Institute Library, 82 Main Street, Peabody MA 01960, Telephone: 978 531-0100