

This Table shows the genealogy of 5 generations (13, 14, 15, 16, 17) of the Ermens family. It is based on the excellent detailed genealogical work of the present-day Bastiaanssen family (see Acknowledgements) who are related to the Ermens. The Generation numbers and “person numbers” (13a, 13b, etc) follow the scheme used by the Bastiaanssens. The Table starts with the five children of Generation 13 (13a through 13e). Some of the 8 children (Generation 14) of Godefridus Ermens (13a) went to live in Manchester, England, to engage in the cotton business, and they became a very successful business dynasty (with the firms “Ermens Brothers”, ‘Ermens and Engels”, and later “Ermens & Roby”) having significant effect in the Manchester area. This related set of people is referred to as the “Manchester Ermens”. The colored cells (purple, gold, green, pink or grey) of the Table indicate the individuals (and their descendants) directly associated with the Manchester line. Detailed information is given for these ancestral lines. More cursory information is given for the Ermens not connected with the Manchester line – see the Bastiaanssen website for a great amount of detail about all these other Ermens.

Friedrich Engels, the collaborator with Karl Marx, had intimate connection with the first generation (“Generation 14) of Manchester Ermens (Peter 14c, Anthony 14f, and especially Godfrey 14x) and became a partner in the firm that bore their joint name, “Ermens & Engels”. He was directly associated with the Ermens from 1842-1844, then from 1850-1869. This connection to such an important cultural figure lends special historical interest to the Ermens family, of course.

The author would be glad to receive additions and corrections from persons having knowledge of these families described here.

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GENERATION 13	GENERATION 14	GENERATION 15	GENERATION 16	GENERATION 17
13a Godefridus ERMEN B. 1765 Bergeijk. M. Johanna P.E.A. Bertram D. 1848 in Hackenburg.	14a. Marianne B. 1796 Bergeijk. M. Rentmeister. D. 1823	NO ISSUE		

	14b. Franciscus Bernardus B. 1798, Bergeijk M. Augusta Bohle. D. 1865, Barmen	15a. Pauline B. 1830's, Germany prob. M. to Tomae ?	Hypoth. Dau Johanna TOMAE With Godfrey in 1991 Census ??	
		Carl		Granddaughter is Grete Schuchardt
		15b. Henry Edward B. 1833 Hackenberg M. Frederica Sara Schwabe 1868 in M/c D. 1913 Pendleton	16a. Bernard Godfrey B. 1869 Pendleton M.1913 Marjorie Spillane, Buxton D. 1917 Q3, Buxton	Marjorie Ermens B. 1916 Q3 Chap-le-Frith D. 1991 (May) Canterbury Gave A.C.G.'s notes to Rosemary
			Peter Stephen B. 1870 B-u-I D. 1941 Q1 Alderley Edge	
			16b. George Henry B. 1872 Pendleton M. Caroline Jackson 1920 Q4 D. 1940 Q1 Bucklow	
			Charles Francis B. 1873 M/c D. 1948 Q4 W. Didsbury	
			Rose Frederica B. 1875 Pendby. In Lincs in 21 (unmarr.) D. 1947 Q1 Surrey NE	
		Adolf 1835. Went US 1860-1890.		
		15c. Franciscus Julius B. Presumably about 1840 M. Florence Eleanor Cannon 1887 Q2. She died 1911 age 47 D. 1896 Fylde (Age 56) OTHER: Joined Ermens-Roby 1859	16c. Hugh Basil Ermens B. 1891 B-u-I M1. 1912 Q3 GwladysEVANS in Marylebone. D. 1917 Q1 M2. to Kate Betts 1924 Q4 → She died Oct '95 in Kent D. 1952 Q1 Brixworth	17a Hugh Francis Ermens B. 1928 Q2 Northampton M. 1998 to Laura Hayler 17b. Rosemary Janet Ermens B. 1935 Q1 --->TO Austral. → Jenny Trigwell
	14c. Petrus Albertus B. 1800 Bergeijk M Sarah Forster. 1825 to M/c. D. 1887 Exeter	15d. Mary Ann Mathilda B. 1832 M/c M. 1861 Dawlish to H.J.Roby D. 1889 Worsley	16d. Arthur Godfrey ROBY B. 1862 Camberwell M. 1890 Q2 to Alice K. Oakely Marriage was in Kensington	
			Frank Henry ROBY B. 1864 Camberwell M. Q2 1898 to Margaret P. Vaughan	
			John Baldwin ROBY B. 1865 Camberwell	
			Mary Temple ROBY B. 1867 Newton Abbot M. John E. King 1892 Salford	
		Emma Antonia 1834 M/c D. 1925 Q3 Newton Abb.		

	14d. Anna Catharina B 1802 Bergeijk M. to P.J.Devora D. 1885, Hackenburg	Josephine DEVORA		
	14e. Maria Elisabetha B. 1804 s'Hertog. M. To Count Theodore D. 1879 in Wiesbaden	Eleven children 1825 – 1847 (15 e, f, g, h,i, j, k)		
	14f. Godefridus Antonius B. 1807 s'Hertog. M. Julia Sartorius. D 1886 B-u-I. Went to M/c 1834	Adelina B. 1839 Weaste D. 1914 Q2 Chapel – le F		
		Eliza Anthonetta Julie b/d 1840		
		Antoinette B. 1841		
		15l. Julie B. 1846 Engelsk. M. Edward Schwabe 1873 C-o-M D. 1916 N. Devon	16r. Julie Alice SCHWABE B. 1875 M. Thomas Adolphus Falcon	
			16s. Godfrey Albert SCHWABE B. 1878 B-u-I M. 1913 K.E.Harper in Devon D. 1945 Bexhill on Sea	
		15m. Johanne B. 1849 Ger. M. Francis Julius G. Ermens (15o) (Cousin) in 1874 in B-u-I Arrived in England 1865 D. 1938 Q3 Bathavon	No Name Ermens (died near birth ?)	
			16t. Walter (Francis A.) Ermens B. 1875 Q3 B-u-I M. 1899 Q2 to Florence B. Shirt In Cambridge D. 1936 (Bath)	Helen Ermens B. 1900, Mass., USA Other evidence in 1913 boat trip to Brazil and US 1900 Census
				17d. Anthony C. G. Ermens (LEFT NOTES) B. 1904 Q2 Belper, Derbs. M1. Christine F. Hirst, 1927 Q2 In Birmingham. She b. 1903 M2. Marjory Gorham Murray D. 1967 Q1 Sutton
				Olga Ermens C. About 1905 Only evidence in 1913 boat trip to Brazil

			16u. Godfrey Henry Ermen B. 1879 B-u-I M. Nora Boggs, Q2 1904 Wirral D. 4 May 1915 (WW1)	17e. Nancy Johanna Ermen B. 1905 Went to S. Africa M1. to FLETCHER (Rhodesia) M2. to TATE. Went to S.Africa Sons Alistair '37 & David Fletcher '40 D. 1975 Torquay
				Godfrey Bennett Ermen B. 1909 Skipton D. 1961 Q1, Tonbridge
			Emil Cuthbert Ermen B. Q1 1883 B-u-I 1902 – 1935 in Borneo D. 1959 Q1, Bathavon	
			Norman Anthony Frank Erman ??? B. c1885 Bul D. 1945 Q1, Totnes	
		Agatha S.1850 Engelsk. D. 1933 Q3 Croydon		
		Anthony 1851 in ?		
		15n. Octavia Henrietta B. 1852 Germ. M. 1881 B-u-I to Lawrence Schwabe D. 1907 Hemel Hampstead	16v. Eric Anthony (Bill) SCHWABE B. 1883 B-u-I M. Catherine Powell, Reno USA D. 1945, Bexhill on Sea	
			16w. Randolph SCHWABE B. 1885 B-u-I M. 1913 Gwendolan R. Jones D. 1948 Dunbartonshire	
		Edwin 1854 Germ D. 1879 Derbyshire		
	14g. Franciscus B. 1809 s'Hertog. M. Name not known D. 1859	Antonia B. about 1849 D. 1931 Wiesbaden		
		15o. Francis Julius Godfrey. B. 1850 Germany M. Cousin, Johanne Ermens, 1874 (SEE ABOVE) B-u-I D. 1924 Bath Joined Ermens firm 1867, partner 1875 Known as 'Frank'	See ABOVE – Johanne Ermens	
	14x. Petrus Jacobus Godefridus (GODFREY") B. 1812 D. 1899 Dawlish, Devon	NO ISSUE		

13b. Petrus Ermens B. 1768 Bergeijk M. 1799 Maria C. Aarts D. 1816 s'Hertog.	Arnoldus 1801 s'Hert. D. 1879			
	14h. Anna Maria B. 1803 s'Hertog. M. 1826 Petrus Verhulst s'Hertog D. 1881 s'Hertog	Catherina VERHULST 1826		
		15p. Maria Henrica VERHULST 1831		
		15q. Catherina J VERHULST 1833		
		15r. Henricus A VERHULST 1837		
	Franciscus Antonius 1805 s'Hert. Died 1805	NO ISSUE		
	Franciscus Antonius 1807 s'Hert. Died 1807	NO ISSUE		
	Godefridus Antonius 1808 s'Hert. Died 1874			
	Petrus Johannes 1809 s'Hert Died 1867			
	Johanna Maria 1811 s'Hert D. 1813	NO ISSUE		
	Franciscus Josephus 1814 s'Hert Died 1817	NO ISSUE		

13c. Franciscus Egidius Ermens 1772 Bergeijk M. 1802 to Maria Anna Verbeek D. 1828 Zierikzee	14i. Franciscus B. 1803 Bergeijk M. 1853 to Maria Plaum (b.1832) D. 1884 Zierikzee	9 Children including ...		
		15s. Maria Anna Catharina Ermens B. 1855 Zierikzee M. IDELER 1879 Zierikzee D. 1914 Zierikzee	10 Children including 16 x, y, z, aa, ab, ac	
		15t. Franciscus Matteus Ermens B. 1860 Zierikzee M. Piaternella C. Appels 1885 D. 1867 Zierikzee	7 Children, all ERMENS born in Zierikzee incg. 16 ad, ae, af, ag, ah, ai	
	Theodorus 1804 Bergeijk D. 1831			
	14j. Anna Catharina 1806 Bergeijk M. 1828 to Wilhelmus von Nieuwland D. 1849	7 Children (15 u, v, w)		
	Maria Digna 1808 Bergeijk D. 1808	No issue		
	14k. Maria Digna 1809 Bergeijk M. 1854 to Lambertus Cornelis Vermunt D. 1875 Zierikzee	No Issue		

13d. Maria Margaretha Ermen B. 1877 Bergeijk M. Govardus Hendrik AARTS D. 1859	7 children (14 l, m, n)			
13e. Margaretha Catherina B. 1784 M. BUSSING D. 1861	7 children (14 o, p, q, r)	Children (15 x, y, z. aa, ab)		