

# Family Group Record for Rev. Joseph Hastings

<b>Husband</b>		<b>Rev. Joseph Hastings</b>	
Born	27 Dec 1703	Northampton, Hampshire, Massachusetts	
Baptized			
Died	4 Nov 1785	Suffield, Hartford, Connecticut	
Buried			
Father	Benjamin Hastings (1659-1711)	Mother	Mary Clark (1664-1711)
Married	10 Nov 1726	Suffield, Hartford, Connecticut	
Other Spouse	Elizabeth Huxley (1710- )	22 Jun 1732 - Suffield, Hartford, Connecticut	
SealS (LDS)			
<b>Wife</b>		<b>Dorcas Smith</b>	
Born	10 Nov 1707	Suffield, Hartford, Connecticut	
Baptized			
Died	18 Jun 1731	Suffield, Hartford, Connecticut	
Buried			
Father	Ebenezer Smith (1668-1728)	Mother	Sarah Huxley (1675-1749)
<b>Children</b>			
<b>1</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Submit Hastings</b>	
Born	17 Oct 1727	Suffield, Hartford, Connecticut	
Baptized			
Died		Suffield, Hartford, Connecticut	
Buried			
Spouse	Moses Spear (1720-1782)	9 Mar 1748 - New London, New London, Connecticut	
<b>2</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Dorcas Hastings</b>	
Born	14 Jun 1731	Suffield, Hartford, Connecticut	
Baptized			
Died	4 Nov 1816	Suffield, Hartford, Connecticut	
Buried			
Spouse	Phineas Harmon (1720-1802)	11 Feb 1749 - Suffield, Hartford, Connecticut	
<b>General Notes (Husband)</b>			
<p>From "History of Suffield," p 263: *Joseph Hastings "entered his purpose of Marriage with Dorcas Smith, at Suffield Oct. 1st, 1726, and was married Nov. 10th, following." He was the founder of Suffield family, and was an elder or exhorter in the "Separate" or "New Light" Movement in 1750, and was the organizer and Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Suffield in 1769. He was a son of Benjamin, and grandson of Deacon Thomas Hastings of Watertown, Mass.; was born at Northampton, Dec. 27, 1703, and died at Suffield, Nov. 4, 1785. His son John (by a second marriage) was his eminent successor in the Baptist ministry.</p>			