

Matthew Fontaine Maury Papers
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Notes on family members mentioned in the correspondence

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Ann Hull Herndon of Fredericksburg, Virginia; born 1811, died 1901; married Matthew Fontaine Maury 1834 July 15. She was the daughter of Dabney Herndon, a prosperous businessman in Fredericksburg, VA.

Children of Matthew Fontaine Maury and Ann Herndon

- Elizabeth ("Betty," "Sister Betty"); born 1835 June 25; married William Arden Maury; died 1903
- Diana ("Nannie", "Nannie Curly"); born 1837 June 25; married Spotswood Wellford Corbin, 1858; died 1900.
- Richard Lancelot; born 1840 Oct 9; married Susan Gatewood Crutchfield, 1862; died 1907 Oct 14
- John Herndon ("Davy" "Davy Jones"); born 1842 Oct 21; captured and killed while on reconnaissance near Vicksburg, Mississippi, January 1863; body not located.
- Mary Herndon ("Molly," "Tots"); born 1844 Nov 13, died 1928 Nov 16; married James Rhodes Werth, 1877 May 10.
- Eliza Hull ("Glum"); born 1846 Dec 5; married Thomas Withers in 1878; died in childbirth, 1881
- Matthew Fontaine, Jr. ("Boy," "Brave"); born 1849 Jan 9, died 1886 Dec 31; married Rose Robinson (1856-1937), 1877 Dec 18
- Lucy Minor Maury; born 1851 May 8; married Meverell Locke Van Doren, 1877 June 28

Others

- Ellen Herndon (niece); daughter of William Lewis Herndon; nickname "Sr. E," "Sister E"