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Joseph Hough (bef. 1749 - bef. 1815)



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Patriot Joseph Hough

Born **before 1749** in **Edgecombe, North Carolina, British Colonial America** [?]

Son of [Joseph Hough Sr.](#) and [mother unknown]

ANCESTORS ⁴

Brother of [Amos Hough](#) and [Sampson Hough](#)

Husband of [Jane McClendon](#) — married [date unknown] [location unknown]

Father of [John Hough](#), [Abraham Hough](#), [Needham Hough](#), [Reuben Hough](#) and [Jane Hough](#)

Died **before 1815** in **Chesterfield, South Carolina, United States** [?]

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Biography

Joseph held land on Lane's Creek and Brown Creek in Anson Co until 1777 when he and Joel MCLENDON moved into SC. Joseph was a probably a Patriot in SC as Joseph HUFF during the Rev. War, then was in Washington Co, GA, in 1794. Joel MCLENDON also moved to Washington Co, GA, where he was quite active in the militia. Joseph in 1794 bought two tracts of land in Chesterfield Co, SC, recorded in 1796. Where he went after that is uncertain but like lived out his life in Chesterfield District.

Two early Anson County land grants (#0323 Lane's Ck. on 25 Sep 1766 and #2507 Brown Ck. on 22 Dec 1768) were obtained by Joseph HOUGH in Anson county. Lanes creek was for Junior and the latter grant on Brown Creek for Senior.

SC historian, professor and author, Louise Pettus referenced ^[1] a new regulation showing that in 1763, it was directed that no person hereafter applying for warrants of survey should be allowed land for children above the age of 15. Thus, our subject must have been born no later than 1749 to receive his property. In 1766 these NC grants were required to be signed over (through a Memorial) to the "New State of SC" in order to maintain legal title.

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[Betty \(Vanderford\) Malone](#) : [23andMe](#), GEDMatch M327399

[Adele DeBruhl](#) : [23andMe](#), GEDMatch M220064

[Bill Vinson](#) : [AncestryDNA](#), GEDMatch A310805, Ancestry member Jomarievinsonbrown

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