

3 Son **Johan Fast** (1813-1892) married Elizabeth Isaac (b. 1811). She was a sister to Justina above. Both Johan and his bride were baptised in the Orloff Gemeinde, presumably by his uncle **Bernhard Fast**, who was Aeltester at the time. Johan Fast was a school teacher in the village of Schoenau where he was born. They lived in the village school house for over 20 years.<sup>78</sup> By 1867 the Johan Fast family had moved to the village of Annenfeld, Crimea, as nephew Peter Fast (1831-1916) reports visiting them there in that year.

Peter Fast (1831-1916) reports that the books of his uncle Johan Fast were sold very cheaply at an auction held at Kornelius Fast's place in Tiegenhagen.<sup>79</sup> In 1873 the Johan Fasts, together with son-in-law Heinrich Flaming, emigrated to America settling in Marion County where they selected and reserved land for the main contingent of the K.M.B. arriving the following year. This became the village of Gnadenu where Johan Fast and his wife established their new home.<sup>80</sup> A number of letters written by Johan Fast (1813-1892) are extant including seven letters written by him to relatives in Russia during his 1873 inspection of various settlement possibilities in the United States.<sup>81</sup> His "Family Album" was invaluable for the preparation of this family sketch.<sup>82</sup>

Gen	Name	Birth	Marriage	Death
3	<b>Johan Fast</b>	Sep 5,1813	Sep 2,1834	May 22,1892
m	Eliz Isaak	Aug 7,1811		Dec 6,1878
4	Peter Fast	Oct 12,1835		Jan 9,1837
4	Elis Fast	Jan 18,1838		Dec 30,1898
4	Marg Fast	Nov 5,1840		Nov 11,1847
4	Peter Fast	Dec 11,1843		Mar 23,1849
4	Helena Fast	Dec 12,1845		Mar 21,1875
4	Johan Fast	Nov 14,1847		Dec 30,1847
4	Bernhard Fast	Jan 24,1849		Jan 24,1849
4	Jacob Fast	Jan 24,1849		Jan 25,1849
4	Johan Fast	Jan 26,1851		

4 Daughter **Elizabeth Fast** (1838-1898) married Johan Harder of Blumstein, the son of Johan P.Harder (1811-1875) Aeltester of the Orloff Gemeinde.<sup>83</sup> Johan Harder was a teacher serving for the first three years in Friedensruh, and then for four years in Schoenau, his wife's paternal home. In 1862 they moved to the village of Annafeld, Crimea, where Johan Harder was elected as a minister of the newly formed K.M.B. in 1871. In 1874 they emigrated to America settling in Gnadenu, Kansas. In 1886 Johan Harder moved out of the village settling on his own quarter of land. In 1900 he returned to Russia for a visit where he met his second wife.<sup>84</sup>

5 Son **Johan Harder** (1860-1949) married Helena Klassen of Sparrau. The family lived near Buhler, where he was a farmer, minister and teacher. Daughter **Elizabeth Harder** married Jakob D.Klassen of Alexanderthal and the family lived near Inman, Kansas. Son **Isbrand Harder** married Anna Friesen of Prangenau and the family lived in Canton, Kansas. Son **Heinrich Harder** moved to East Bernard, Texas, and then to Korn, Oklahoma. Sons **Abraham, David,** and **Bernard Harder** stayed in the Hillsboro and Lehigh, Kansas, area.<sup>85</sup> Son **Peter Harder** moved to Borden, Saskatchewan. Daughter **Helena Harder** and her husband Dietrich Z.Wiebe moved to Hooker, Oklahoma, and from there to Grand Prairie, Alberta, where they are buried.<sup>86</sup> For additional information see "Johan Harder Genealogy" cf.

Gen	Name	Birth	Marriage	Death
4	<b>Eliz Fast</b>	Jan 18,1838		Dec 30,1898
m	Johan Harder	Aug 20,1836	Nov 16,1858	Feb 23,1930
5	Johan Harder	Apr 22,1860		Feb 1,1949
m	Helen Klassen	Oct 25,1862	Aug 20,1882	Jun 1,1945
5	Eliz Harder	Oct 10,1861		Nov 7,1861
5	Eliz Harder	Sep 8,1862	Oct 29,1882	Mar 25,1910
m	Jak Klassen	Apr 8,1858		Aug 9,1946
5	Abr Harder	Jun 17,1865		Oct 24,1943
m	Anna Loewen	Dec 23,1867	Oct 20,1889	Feb 28,1919
2m	Hleo Markus	Apr 5,1861	May 24,1922	Dec 5,1949
5	Isbr Harder	Feb 25,1867		Sep 7,1945
m	Anna Friesen	Aug 4,1869	Sep 6,1891	Aug 14,1939
5	Hein Harder	May 15,1870		Jul 17,1928
m	Maria Koop	May 31,1877		
5	David Harder	Apr 2,1872		Oct 16,1930