

Johann and Sarah settled near Rosehill in Cavalier County. Langdon being the County Seat. Johann and Sarah became active in Church and Community and helped to construct the Mennonite Brethren Church in that area. After fifteen years in this area, Johann and Sarah began looking elsewhere for free land. This over populated Mennonite Community did not have enough land for their large family.

1910 In the early 1900's the Province of Saskatchewan, Canada offered free homesteading opportunities. In 1910 Johann and Sarah, along with ten other Low German Mennonite Families from Rosehill, took advantage of the offer and moved to Saskatchewan, settling in the Hodgeville, Main Centre, and Herbert area.

Aron and Abraham, along with the Goertzen step children settled in Saskatchewan area with their families.

1914 Johann Thiessen died on Aprin 5, 1914 at Queen Centre and was buried at Kelstern in the Elim Mennonite Brethren Cemetery.

1922 Sarah died on March 25, 1922 and was buried near her husband Johann.

Further research now shows Johann Thiessen to be the sixth son of Abraham and Judith Loepp Thiessen. Our records indicate his brothers and sisters to be:

ABRAHAM THIESSEN IS # 3

1. Aron Thiessen Maria Wiebe	Aug. 21, 1825	6. Johann Thiessen Katherina Fast	Feb. 11, 1835
2. Anna Thiessen	July 19, 1827	7. Derk Thiessen Anna Flaming	July 13, 1837
3. Peter Thiessen Maria Dueck	July 27, 1829	8. Susie Thiessen	Feb. 28, 1840
4. Abraham Thiessen Anna Neufelt	Feb. 2, 1831	9. Jacob Thiessen Anna Kunkel	Oct. 20, 1842
5. Sara Thiessen	Nov. 2, 1832	10. Katherina Thiessen Dietrich Loewen	Nov. 25, 1844