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Hi Adrian,

I can help you out with your request for the ancestors of Nicholas Romain(e).

With the help of the Romine Researchers on the Romine-Lrootsweb.com list. I have been able to put together a large database on the line you are looking for.

My mother, Emily "Card" Riley is the great, great, grand-daughter of Lambert Romain and his first wife Elizabeth Van Horn. Sarah Card was his second wife.

Here is a quick look at Lambert's line. Another Romine Researcher, Joan Kraus, traced it through the wills.

Lambert S. Romain> Nicholas J.(I.)Romine> John N. Romine> Nicholas Janse Romeyn>
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There is a great story about the family being named for an ancestor who was sent to be educated in Rome, thus the origin of the name from "Peter the Roman." It appears they originated in Italy, spent a few generations in England, moved to the Netherlands, tried to colonize Brazil, moved to New Amsterdam, then to Long Island, then across the river to NJ, and from there spread across the country. If you have'nt heard it, you'll love it!

I also have a large databasae on the "Westervelt Family." The Romaines and Westervelts have been neighbors for almost 350 years! My "Card" line is very incomplete. I have found them very hard to research. I'm sure we have a lot to share. Your welcome to anything I have.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

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