

ANDERWALD

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME: **ADAMIETZ**

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| HUSBAND'S NAME | Francis / Franz (Frank) Anderwald |
| BIRTH DATE | 24 August 1809 |
| BIRTH PLACE | Kadłub, Poland |
| BAPTISM DATE | 25 August 1809 |
| BAPTISM PLACE | Św. Michała (St. Michael), Rozmierz, Poland |
| OCCUPATIONS | Texas: carpenter, shingle maker, and farmer |
| RESIDENCES | Kadłub, Poland; Bandera, Texas |
| DEATH DATE | 22 October 1887 |
| BURIAL PLACE | St. Stanislaus Cemetery, Bandera, Texas |

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| WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME | Elizabeth Adamietz |
| BIRTH DATE | Circa 1811-1814 |
| BIRTH PLACE | Poland |
| RESIDENCES | Kadłub, Poland; Bandera, Texas |
| DEATH DATE | 29 October 1887 |
| BURIAL PLACE | St. Stanislaus Cemetery, Bandera, Texas |

Sources and Additional Information

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| BAPTISM | Husband: Św. Michała, Rozmierz, Poland, p. 263 (LDS Microfilm #0922849) |
| SHIP AND PORT | <i>Weser</i> arrived Galveston, Texas, on 3 December 1854. |
| TAX ROLLS | Texas: 1856 and 1858 Bandera County |
| LAND RECORDS | Bandera County Deeds, Volume A3, p. 329, date of instrument: 28 May 1860, date filed: 28 May 1860 (bought from Charles de Montel, John James, and John Herndon); Volume I, p. 494, date of instrument: 24 November 1886, date filed: 29 November 1886 (Two town lots and 18 and 3/4 acres sold for one dollar through an agreement with "...John W. Anderwald that he will support us during our lives and pay our funeral expenses.") |
| FEDERAL CENSUS | Texas: 1860 and 1870 Bandera County |
| BURIAL RECORDS | St. Stanislaus Catholic Church, Bandera, Texas (LDS Microfilm #0024903) |
| TOMBSTONES | Husband: p. 272, entry #1 Wife: p. 272, entry #2 Both original tombstones in Polish in St. Stanislaus Cemetery, Bandera, Texas; newer tombstones in English added later |

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Franz was the son of John Anderwald and Barbara Lippok. He married Elizabeth Adamietz, and they had 10 children in Poland. In 1854 they sailed for Texas on the *Weser*. The Franz Anderwald family was one of the 16 original Silesian families that settled in Bandera in 1855 (Bandera County History Book Committee, 1986, p. 152; Bandera County Historical Commission, 1993, p. 2). They lived in a two-room log house located behind St. Joseph's School near the Old Mill Dam (Bandera County Historical Commission, 1993, p. 2).

Franz, a carpenter and shingle maker, worked at the local sawmill operated by John James and Charles de Montel, founders of Bandera (Hunter, 1953, pp. 2, 77). Franz was also a farmer, and in 1870 his assets included 10 acres of improved land, 10 unimproved acres, farm implements and machinery valued at \$25, 2 horses, 4 milk cows, 15 other cattle, 75 bushels of Indian corn, 10 bushels of sweet potatoes, 100 pounds of butter, a ton of hay, and \$38 in animals slaughtered or sold for slaughter. The cash value of his farm was estimated at \$50, and the estimated value of all farm products was \$118 (U.S. Agricultural Census, Bandera County, 1870, line 10).

After residing in Bandera for over 30 years, Franz died in 1887. Within one week of his death, Elizabeth also passed away. They were both buried in the St. Stanislaus Cemetery in Bandera, Texas.

Baptism Records of Anderwald Children

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| 27 July 1834 | Jacob | p. 110, entry #112 | Św. Michała, Rozmierz, Poland (LDS Microfilm #0922993) |
| 24 May 1836 | Valentine | p. 105, entry #18 | |
| 27 March 1838 | Maria | p. 68, entry #54 | |
| 9 April 1840 | Francisca | p. 154, entry #43 | |
| 10 October 1841 | Hedwig | p. 206, entry #132 | |
| 15 January 1844 | Anton | p. 275, entry #9 | |
| 12 May 1846 | Johann/John | p. 345, entry #63 | |
| 24 January 1848 | Catherine | p. 430, entry #134 | (LDS Microfilm #0922994) |
| 24 March 1851 | Gabriel | p. 98, entry #46 | |
| 13 May 1854 | Joseph | p. 237, entry #95 | |

Links: Valentine married Josepha Mazurek on 8 May 1862 (Bexar County Marriage Records, Volume D2, p. 328, entry #2152; see Thomas Mazurek profile).

Anton married Catharina Długosz on 10 November 1867 (Bandera County Marriage Records, Volume A, p. 50, entry #49; see Johann Długosz profile).

Św. Michała of Rozmierz



This church originated in the 15th century. It was enlarged in the 17th century and again in the 19th century, always maintaining the integrity of the individual architectural styles. Thirteen families in *Silesian Profiles* had baptisms and / or marriages recorded at Św. Michała in Rozmierz: Anderwald, Anioł, Długosz, Gaurzel, Kałka, Kasperczyk, Kolibaba, Michalski, Mroz, Mutz, Pierdoła, Ploch, and Wacławczyk. Also profiled were Glinka, Hadrion, Jaskoła, Polok, Pyka, Urbanczyk, and Woicik.

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Founders' Monument
St. Stanislaus Catholic Church, Bandera, Texas



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