

## **El Camino Real De Tierra Adentro: Five Waves of Settlers from 1598 - 1800**

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The family names listed below are part of the officially recognized colonizing expeditions by the Spanish Crown, as listed in the original records of the journeys. During the Colonial Period (1598-1821) there were five waves of colonization. Though others traveled El Camino, their names are not listed since no records were kept. The surnames and rich cultural heritage brought to New Mexico by these travelers of El Camino Real have survived more than 400 years, and can still be found in the lineages of people of Hispanic origin in present day New Mexico.

Over time, some of the name/ surname combinations have dropped the first or last name and/or used a variation or combination of spelling. Abbreviations used in the table below:

Nueva España: NE  
Nueva Galicia: NG  
Soldier: S

### **WAVE ONE – 1598 – Expedition Led by Juan de Oñate.**

800 Españoles and Europeans, some Mexican Indians, and Blacks Born Either in the Iberian Peninsula or in the New World

<b>Name</b>	<b>Place of Origin</b>
Archuleta	Eibar, Basque province of Guipazcoa
Barela (variation of Varela - see below)	
Bernal	
Brito	Canary Islands
Cadimo	Salaícez de los Gallegos, Galicia, Spain
Carvajal	Victoria, Ayotepe, NE
Cruz	Barcelona, Catalonia
Durán de la Cruz	Valle de Toluca, NE

Griego	Greek Island of Crete
Hinojos	Cartaya, Andalucía, Spain
Jiménez	Andalucía, Spain
López de Ocanto	México City, NE
Luján	Isle of La Palma, Canary Islands
Márquez	San Lucar de Barrameda, Andalucía, Spain
Martín Serrano/Martínez	Zacatecas, NG
Morán	Mora del Toro, Spain
Pedrasa	Cartaya, Andalucía, Spain
Pérez de Bustillo	México City, NE
Robledo	Maqueda, Castilla, La Mancha, Spain
Romero	Corral de Almaguer, Castilla, La Mancha, Spain
Ruiz Cáceres	Isle of La Palma, Canary Islands
Sánchez de Monroy	México City, NE
Sosa Albornoz	Xuchíl, NG
Valencia	
Varela/Varlea/Jamarillo	Compostela, Galicia, Spain

**WAVE TWO – 1600 – Expedition Led by Two of Oñate’s Finest Capitanes (unidentified)**

65 Spaniards and their Servants.

<b>Name</b>	<b>Place of Origin</b>	<b>Marriage</b>
Capitán Cristobal Baca	México City, NE	Married Aoña Ana Oritz y Pacheco
Don Pedro Gomes Durán y Chávez	Valverde de la Extremadura	Married Isabel de Bohórquez
Alvaro García Holgado	Unknown	Married Juana de los Reyes
Juan de Herrera	México City, NE,	Married Ana López del Castillo
Juan López Holguín/Olguín y Villasana	Fuente de Ovejuna, Extremadura, Spain	Married to Catalina de Villanueva
Bartolemé de Montoya	Cantillana, Sevilla, Spain	Married to Doña María de Zamora y Abarca.

## ADDITIONAL SETTLERS – 1601-1680.

Single Men who Married the Daughters of the First and Second Waves

<b>Name</b>	<b>Earliest Known Year in NM</b>	<b>Place of Origin</b>	<b>Marriage</b>
Abendaño	By 1632	Ciudad Rodrigo, Castilla, León, Spain	Married into López Holguín family
Arbizu/Albrizu	1623		
Anaya/Almazán	1626	México City, NE	Married into Pérez de Bustillo family
de Apodaca Gonzalez	1655		
Candelaria	1680		
Cisneros/Sisneros	1662		
Dominguez de Mendoza	About 1650	México City, NE	Married into Durán y Chávez family
Fresquis/Fresquez/Fresques	1617	Flanders, Belgium	
Gallegos	1677	Parral, Nueva Viscaya	Married into Baca family
Gamboa	1661		
García de Noriega	1660	Zacatecas, NG	
Gómez	1604	Coina, near Lisbon, Portugal	Married into Robledo family
González Lobón/González Bas	1617	Portugal	Married into Carvajal and Greigo-Bernal families
Guillén	1608		
Gutiérrez	1626		
Hurtado	1661	Zacatecas, NG	
Jorge	1661		Married into Baca family
Leyba Nevares	1661	Valle de San Bartolomé, Nueva Viscaya	Married into García Holgado family
López	1680		
López de Castillo	1628		Married into Archuleta and Griego families
López de García	1638		
López Sombrano	1642	San Miguel, Culiacán, NG	
Lucero de Godoy	1616	Mexico City, NE	
Luna	1654		

Madrid/Madril	1603		Married into the Márquez family
Maese/Maes/Maez	1632		
Manzanares y Sandoval	1636		
Martín Barba			
Mestas/Maestas	1655	Asturias, Spain	
Miranda	1636		
Mizquía	1677	Villa de Motrico, Guipazcoa, Spain	
Mondragón	1637		
Montaño	1640		
Morga	1632		Married into the Griego-Bernal family
Naranjo	1600 – 1643		
Nieto	1616		
Pacheco	1628		Married into the Cadimo family
Padilla Villaseñor	1688	Queretaro, NE	
Paredes	1662	México City, NE	Married into the Montoya family
Perea	1655		
Pérez Granillo	1617	NG	
Ramírez de Salazar	1626		
Rodríguez	1642	(surname passed on to New México families that came later)	
Sez/Sáiz/Sáez	1665	Villa de San Bartolomé, Nueva Vicaya	
Salazar Hachero	1625		
Sánchez de Iñigo	By 1610		
Sedillo/Cedillo	1669	Querétaro, NE	
De la Serna	1626		Married into the Luján family
Suazo	1646		
Tapia	1607		
Telles Jirón y Zapata	1660	Coyoacán, NE	
Torres	1619		
Trujillo	1632	México, NE	
Vera	1622	Tenerife, Canary Islands	
Zamora	By 1680		

### **WAVE THREE- 1693**

Approximately 800 People from 70 Families. Also Included Widows, Orphans and Servants.  
Some of the families that had fled during the Pueblo Revolt to El Paso del Norte returned in this Wave.

<b>Name</b>	<b>Place of Origin</b>
Beitia/Abeyta	Durango, Nueva Viscaya
Benavides	Nombre de Dios, Nueva Viscaya
Crespín	Zacatecas, Nueva Viscaya
de la Cruz	Sombrerete, NG
Fernández Valerio	Sombrerete, NG
Palomino Rendón	Puerto de Santa María, Castilla
Ramos	Durango, NE
Sedillo de Salazar	Sombrerete, NG
Valerio Fernández (see above)	
Velasco/Velázquez	Durango, Nueva Viscaya
Velázquez	Sombrerete, NG

### **WAVE FOUR – 1694 – Expedition Led by Capitán Cristobal Velasco and Fransico Farfán**

60 Families, Legally Married, and of Good Character.

<b>Name</b>	<b>Place of Origin</b>
Ansures	Puebla de Los Angeles, NE
Aragón	México City, NE
Archibeque	Bayonne, France
Arroyo Saygo	México City, NE
Atienza/Atencio	Puebla de los Angeles, NE
Betanzos	México City, NE
Bustos/Paz Bustillos	México City, NE

Cárdenas	Puebla de los Angeles, NE
Casados/Casaus-Cádiz	Andalucía, Spain
Castellanos	México City, NE
Chirinos Martínez de Cervante	México City, NE
Cortés del Castillo	Puebla de los Angeles, NE
Espíndola	Langón, Aragón
García Jurado	México City, NE
García de la Riva	México City, NE
Godines	México City, NE
Góngora	México City, NE
Gurulé	La Rochelle, France
Jaramillo Negrete	México City, NE
Jirón de Tejada	México City, NE
Lardón de Guevara	Osuna, Castilla
Márquez de Ayala	Celaya, NE
Mascareñas	México City, NE
Molina Mosquera	México City, NE
Moreno de Trujillo	México City, NE
Moya	México City, NE
Ortiz	México City, NE
Quintana	México City, NE
Rincón de Guemes	México City, NE
Rodríguez	Santa María la Real de Nueva, Castilla, León, Spain
Salas	Puebla de los Angeles, NE
Sandoval	México City, NE
Sena	México City, NE
Silva	México City, NE
de Valdéz	Oviedo, Asturias, Spain
Vallejos/Valleo González	Acazingo, NE
Vega y Coca	México City, NE
Velázquez Cortez	México City, NE

## **FIFTH WAVE – 1695 – Expedition Led by Cápitan Juan Páez Hurtado**

98 People, Comprised of 25 Families and 21 Individuals.

<b>Name</b>	<b>Place of Origin</b>
Aguliar	Valle of Toluca, NE
Arellano	Villa de Augascalientes, NE
Cruz	San Luis Potosí, NE
Durán y Armijo	Zacatecas, NE
Espinosa/Espinoza	Villa de los Lagos, NG
Lobato/Lovato	Sombrerete, NG
Montes/Monteza (branch of the Montez Vigil family – see below)	
Olivas	Sombrerete, NG
Quirós	Puesto de Covadango, NG
Ribera/Rivera	El Puerto de Santa María, Andalucía, Spain
Rodarte	Llerena, NG
Sierra	Querétaro, NE
Vigil/Vijil Montes	Zacatecas, NG

## **SOLDIERS, SETTLERS AND OTHERS – 1692-1696**

No Information on Who Led the Colonization Efforts and the Number of People Who Came

<b>Name</b>	<b>Other Information</b>	<b>Place of Origin</b>
Alderete	Soldier	Talpujagua, NE
Armenta		Origin uncertain, possibly Puebla de los Angeles, NE
Avila	Soldier	Sombrerete, NG
Díaz Blea		Puebla de los Angeles, NE
Carrillo	Soldier	Jerez, NE
Casías/Casillas		
Contreras	Soldier	San Luis Potosí, NE

Córdova	Soldier	México City, NE
Fajado	Soldier	Origin unknown
Fernández de la Pedrera	Soldier	Mondeñedo, Galicia, Spain
Flores	Soldier	Parras, Coahuila
Garduño		Querétaro, NE
Giltoméy	Soldier	Manila, Philippine Islands
Guerrero de la Mora		Samora, NE
Hernández		
López Gallardo	Soldier	Querétaro, NE
Medina	Soldier	Durango, Nueva Viscaya
Montes de Oca	Soldier	Zacatecas, NE
Muñiz	Soldier	Celaya, NE
Ojeda		
Ortega	Soldier	Zacatecas, NG
Páez/Páes/Pais Hurtado	Soldier	Villafranca de los Palacios, Andalucía, Spain
Palomino Rendón	Soldier	Puerto de Santa María, Andalucía, Spain
Peláez	Soldier	Villanueva, Austrias, Spain
Peña	Soldier	Zacatecas, NG
Pineda de la Mora	Soldier	Sombrerete, NG
Rael de Aguliar	Soldier	Lorca, Murcia, Spain. Came to El Paso del Norte by 1689
Ramírez		Zacatecas, NG
Rodríguez	Military Drummer	Guinea, Africa. Came to El Paso del Norte by 1689
Romero Cruz	Soldier	México City, NE
Roybal de Torrado	Soldier	Caldas de Reyes, Galicia
Santisteban	Soldier	México City, NE
Segura	Soldier	Cusihuiriachic, Nueva Vizcaya
Tafoya Altamirano	Soldier	Talpujagua, NE
Ulibarri/Rubalí	Soldier	Mexico City, NE
Valensuela	Soldier	Zacatecas, NG
Vargas Machuca	Soldier	Origin unknown
Vásquez de Lara	Soldier	Villa de los Lagos, NG
Villalpando/Vialpando	Soldier	La Villa de León, Castilla-Leon Spain



## SOLDIERS AND SETTLERS – 1697-1800

No Information on Who Led the Colonization Efforts and the Number of People Who Came

<b>Name</b>	<b>Other Information</b>	<b>Earliest Known Year in NM</b>	<b>Place of Origin</b>
Abreau		1795	Cataluña
Aguero/De Aguero		1708	Zacatecas, NG
Alrí/Alarid		1740	Frenchman from Canada
Alire/Aliri		1728	México City, NE
Angel		1749	
Arguello	Soldier	1716	Zacatecas, NG
Arteaga/Artiaga		1761	México City, NE
Bachicha		1740	European
Baldonado/ Maldonado		1754	
Butiérrez/ Gutiérrez			
Vázquez Borrego	Soldier	1733	Toluca, NE
Bueno	(branch of the Villalpando family)	1751	
Bustamante		1728	Aranda de Duero, Castilla-Léon, Spain
Campos Rendondo	Soldier	1777	México City, NE
Del Castillo Alvarez		By 1750	
Castro		1705	Zacatecas, NG
De la Cerda/Serda		1721	Valladolid, Michoacán, NE
Chacón		1716	
Corís/Coríz		1750	
Delgado		1778	Pacuca, NE
Encina/Enciñas/Encinias		1757	
Escudero		1751	
Esquibel/Esquivel		1697	México City, NE
Estrada			
Febre/Febro		1749	Frenchman from New Orleans, Louisiana
Fragaso	Soldier	1756	Guadalajara, NE

Gabaldón		1731	Puebla de Los Angeles, NE
Galves/Galavéz		1753	
Gaóna/Gaana		1750	
García de la Mora		1735	Villa de Pozuelo de Almagro, Castilla la Mancha, Spain
Guerrero	Soldier	1752	
Gutiérrez García		1755	Aragón, Spain
Horcasitas		1732	
Jáquez		1754	
Jiménez		1728	San Juan del Río
Labadie/Lavadie/Labadía		1776	France
Larrañaga	Military Surgeon	1775	
Leal		1752	
León		1747	
Maldonado		1754	
Manchego		1790	
Mares		1716	
Marmalejo		1763	
Miera y Pacheco		1756	Valle de Carriendo, near Burgos, Spain
de Mirabal		1734	Spain
Montes/Belmontes		1796	El Real de Santa Rosa
Mora			
Moreno		1732	Spain
Muñoz			
Nuárez/Noárez/Nuñez		1731	
Ocaña		1785	
Olona		1773	Aragón, Spain
Otero	(branch of the Durán y Chávez/ family)	1759	
de la Peña		1783	México City, NE
Peralta			
Pino	Merchant	1747	México City, NE
Prada	Soldier	1787	Chihuahua, Nueva Viscaya
Rendón	Soldier, Interpreter of Indian languages	1771	

Riba/Riva/Rivas		1763	El Real Santa Eulalia, Nueva Viscaya
Sáñez de Garvisu		1743	Spain
Sánchez Bañuelos		1719	Zacatecas, NG
Santillanes		1774	
Saavadera/Savedra		1772	
Senteno		1759	Querétaro, NE
Solano y Castro	Soldier	1763	México City, NE
Terrus		1734	Vique, Cataluña
Toledo			
Trebo Navarro	Soldier, Interim governor of NM	1796	
Troncoso		1790	México City
Uríoste	Soldier	1727	
Urbán		1728	
Valverde			
Vargas			
Varos/Baros		1770	
Vázquez		1715	
Velarde		1725	Muriedas, Asturias, Spain
Villegas		1785	Puebla de los Angeles, NE
Vitón		1731	
Yrisarry/Irizarry		By 1780	Spain
Yturietta/Turietta		1763	