

## Genealogy of the Van Vulpen family of Beesd Vanderhoof Project 2003-2014

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**I. DIRCK JOOSTEN VAN VULPEN** Probably born about 1550/60 possibly son of Joost Jansz van Velpen and Maria Dircxdr Vereem. Farmer of Marienwaerd, buurmeester of that place (1586). Died after 2 Dec 1633. Marr. Elizabeth Cornelis Wouters De Cruijff, daughter of Cornelis Wouters De Cruijff, schepen of Beesd 1575,78,80-821 and grand-daughter of Wouter Willems de Cruijff of Darthuijzen and Overlangbroek<sup>2</sup>. Elizabeth Cornelis(De Cruijff was alive in 1609<sup>3</sup> 1586-1590 named as schepen (alderman) of Beesd en Rhenoy. 1586-1602<sup>4</sup>

1586 Nov 21 (Rechterlijk Archief Beesd 192/88)

Dirck Hendricksz van de Hoochsluijs en Gijsbert Vos, farmers of Marienwaerd acknowledge a debt to **Dirck Joostensz** and Goosen Anthonissen van der Poorte, buurmeesters and farmers of Marienwaerd on behalf of Willem Jansen.

1587 Nov 16 (RA Beesd 192/106v)

Arndt Jans. Valke te Deijl and Dirck Hendricks. Van de Hoochsluijs, as guardians of the children of the late Peter Willemsz. of Deijl, transfer some leases to **Dirck Joosten Van Velpen**.

1590 28 Dec (Staatsgerecht Wij Bij Duurstede 580-5 Fo115v)

**Dirck Joostens**, living in Beesd, as husband and legal representative of his wife Elizabeth Cornelis Woutersdr by whom he has fathered children, transfers for the benefit of Claes Helberch the third part of 100 carolus [gilders] to which he is entitled on behalf of his wife for the share inherited by her because of the death of Wouter de Cruijff, her grandfather. And he must pay this to a certain Peter Otten living in Darthuijzen, to whom who this same sum of money is owed for a business purchase. This in payment and reduction of the debt of the abovementioned Claes Helbert.

1591 March 6 (RA Beesd 192/47v)

Cornelis Jansz van Tricht and Arien and Gijsbert Cornelissen, his sons, declare to **Dirck Joosten Van Velpen** that they will take the lease and use of a third part of a farm in the polder of Marienwaerd, named den Hueijst (De Neust) which **Dirck Joosten** and his partners lease from Jonker Alart van Leinden.

1591 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 291

Income from the property in the polder of Marienweerd in 1591

**Dirck Joosten** and Ghijsbert Henricksen use 5 morgen of land, together for 9 guilders, 12 stuivers and 8 pennies.

1593 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 299

[Income from the farms in the polder of Marienweerd] in 1593

**Dierck Joostenssen van Velpen** uses a farm, measuring 70 morgen of land, as well as 15 morgen of land, annually for 6 guilders per morgen, being 510 guilders in total.

1600 April 9 (RA Beesd 196/1v)

**Dirck Joosten Van Velpen** farmer of Marienwaerd acknowledges a debt of 279 Carolus guilders to Willem Anthonissen on behalf of Anthonis Wilmsen, citizen of Culemborg, his father, security all of his property

1602 September 15 (RA Beesd 196.40)

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<sup>1</sup>OKG p632 and Ons Vorgeslacht March 2000 p 93 'Bestuurders in Beesd' RHC van Maanen.

<sup>2</sup>OKG p626-629.

<sup>3</sup>28 Dec 1609 (RA Beesd 196/121)

<sup>4</sup>Ons Vorgeslacht March 2000 p 93 'Bestuurders in Beesd' RHC van Maanen and Rechterlik Archief Beesd en Rhenoy

Henrick Dircksen, Aerdt van Tussenbrouck Ewoltsen, **Dirck Joosten van Velpen**, Steven Janssen, Jan Jacopsen op ter Sluys, Jan Jacop Aertsen, Gijsbert Voss and Gijsbert Andriessen, all farmers and tenants of the property of Mariënweerd, promise Cornelis Gijsbertsen[Pieck] on behalf of Ffredrick van Winssen, abbot and prelate of the Abbey of Mariënweerd and administrator of the abbey's property, to pay within eight days all of the debts and arrears of rents and tithes, which they owe him. Security: all of their property.

1607 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 294

Expenditure for taxes in the polder of Marienweerd, deducted by the farmers [in 1607]

**Dirck Joosten van Velpen** has paid 2½ stuivers per morgen, for 79 morgen and 4 hont of land, being 9 guilders, 19 stuivers and 2 pennies in total.

1607 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 294

Income from the farms in the polder of Marienweerd [in 1607]

**Dirck Joosten van Velpen** uses a farm, measuring 78 morgen and 1 hont of land, annually for 7 guilders per morgen, being (for the third year of his six-year lease) 548 guilders, 3 stuivers and 5 pennies in total. The aforesaid tenant **Dirck Joosten** also uses 1½ morgen of land in the Cleyn Peertscampen, annually for 7 guilders per morgen, being 10 guilders and 10 stuivers in total.

1608 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 295

Expenditure for taxes in the polder of Marienweerd, which may be deducted by the farmers in 1608.

**Dirck Joosten van Velpen** has paid 3 guilders and 9 stuivers per morgen, for 81 morgen and 1 hont of land, being 280 guilders and 8 pennies in total.

1608 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 295

Expenditure for deduction because of inundation in 1608. **Dirck Joosten** is deducted a quarter from his rent of 570 guilders, being 142 guilders, 10 stuivers and 13 pennies.

1609 Dec 28 (RA Beesd 196/121)

Anthonis Jansz, the elder and Dirck Jansz, brothers, and Jan Gijsbertsz Voss grant a lease for life for a principal of 300 guilders upon **Dirck Joosten Van Velpen**, farmer of Marienwaerd, his wife **Elizabeth Cornelisdr.** and her six children.

1610 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 296

Income from the farms in the polder of Marienweerd [in 1610]

**Dirck Joosten van Velpen** uses a farm, measuring 78 morgen and 1 hont of land, annually for 7 guilders per morgen, being (for the sixth year of his six-year lease) 548 guilders, 3 stuivers and 5 pennies in total. The aforesaid **Dirck Joosten** also uses 3 morgen of land in the Cleyn Peertscampen, annually for 7 guilders per morgen apart from the maintenance of the dyke, being (for the third year of his six-year lease) 21 guilders in total.

1610 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 296

Expenditure for taxes in the polder of Marienweerd, which may be deducted by the farmers in 1610.

**Dirck Joosten** has paid to the tax-collector Cornelis Ghijsbertssen because of polder-works 15 stuivers per morgen, for 81 morgen and 1 hont of land, being 60 guilders and 17½ stuivers in total.

1612 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 297

Income from the farms in the polder of Marienweerd [in 1612]

**Dirck Joosten van Velpen** uses a farm, measuring 52 morgen and 1 hont of land, annually for 8 guilders per morgen, being (for the second year of his six-year lease) 417 guilders, 6 stuivers and 8 pennies in total. The aforesaid **Dirck Joosten** also uses 3 morgen of land in the Cleyn Peertscampen, annually for 8 guilders per morgen apart from the maintenance of the dyke, being (for the second year of his six-year lease) 24 guilders in total.

1612 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 297

Income from the tithes in the polder of Marienweerd in 1612

**Dirck Joosten** rents a block of tithes in Marienweerd from the farm which he uses and from a quarter near the Noest, (the tithes estimated at 2½ morgen and a tenth of 1 morgen), for 50 guilders per morgen, being 130 guilders in total.

1612 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 297

Expenditure for expenses in Marienweerd, for repairs of the quay etc., which may be deducted by the tenants [in 1612] **Dirck Joosten** has paid to the tax-collector mr. Cornelis Ghijsbertsen for 55 morgen and 1 hont of land, 31 guilders, 3 stuivers and 15 pennies.

Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 298

Expenditure for the building of the water-mill in Marienweerd, which may be deducted by the tenants [in 1615] **Dirck Joosten** has paid to the tax-collector 2 guilders and 9 stuivers per morgen, for 55 morgen, being 136 guilders and 8 stuivers in total.

1615 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 298

Income from the farms in the polder of Marienweerd in 1615

**Dirck Joosten van Velpen** uses a farm, measuring 52 morgen and 1 hont of land, annually for 8 guilders per morgen, being (for the fifth year of his six-year lease) 417 guilders, 6 stuivers and 8 pennies in total. The aforesaid **Dirck Joosten** also uses 3 morgen of land in the Cleyn Peertscampen, annually for 8 guilders per morgen, being (for the fifth year of his six-year lease) 24 guilders in total.

1615 Archive of the Abbey of Marienweerd, no. 298

Income from the tithes in the polder of Marienweerd in 1615

**Dirck Joosten** rents the third block of tithes in Marienweerd from his farm, (the tithes estimated at 2 morgen and a tenth of 1½ morgen), for 60 guilders per morgen, being 129 guilders in total.

31 March 1615 Judicial archive of Beesd and Rhenoy, no. 30

Court of aldermen, register of civil procedures

**Dirck Joosten** requests the execution sale of the property of Gijsbert Henricksen on account of the settlement signed by him.

31 March 1615 Judicial archive of Beesd and Rhenoy, no. 30

Regarding the request by **Dirck Joosten van Velpen**, as former buurmeester (=village official) of the polder of Marienweerd in 1607, of execution sale of the property of Gijsbert Henricksen die Roy as second heir, for payment of taxes of the land that the children and heirs of the late Henrick Dircksen have used in that year, the aldermen decide that it will suffice for Gijsbert Henricksen to pay half of the debts provided he will pay them timely.

1616 April 13 (RA Beesd 196/189)

**Dirck Joosten van Velpen** claims distress upon the property of Hubert Verweij Dircksz. Hubert Verweij and his son, Dirck, declare they cannot occupy the property any more. By public sale the property brings 10 shillings but 5 shillings remain(?)

1623 Jan 17 (RA Beesd 197/28v)

Jan Jacobsz Byland acknowledges a debt of 70 guilders to **Dirck Joosten van Velpen** farmer of Marienweerd, on account of the supply of a mare.

1633 Dec 2 (RA Beesd 198/76v)

Marcelis Peters acknowledges a debt of 81 guilders to **Dirck Joosten van Velpen** for the purchase of a horse, with a special condition, that Dirck's son Jan Dircksz van Velpen within a half year from that date "shall be bound legally to a wife as is proper to God and Christendom"

From this marriage there were six children, of whom only two are known with certainty

1. Cornelis, see IIa
2. Jan, see IIb

## **IIa. CORNELIS DIRCKSEN VAN VELPEN**

Prob. Born about 1590, farmer of Marienwaerdt, died after 13 April 1630 probably before 7 June 1641<sup>5</sup>, married unknown.

18 March 1621 (RA Beesd 197 Fo5 and repeated at 10v)

Gerrit Bauwensen, for himself and on behalf of the under-age children of Hanrick Cornelissen and Eelcken Bauwendochter, Angenitgen Jansdochter, widow of Arien Bauwensen, with her guardian, Steven Willemsen als guardian of the under-age children of Arien Bauwens, and Jan Gijsbertsen as husband of Geriken Willemsen, transfer to **Cornelis Dircksen van Velpen**, farmer at Mariënweerd, 14 hont of land, situated in Beesd, across the Graaf.

23 March 1621 (RA Beesd 197 23v)

Gijsbert Brienensen and **Cornelis Dircksen van Velpen**, farmer at Mariënweerd, with Dirck Verwey, alderman, as surety, promise Lenart Hanricksen, called Brant, to pay 140 guilders on account of the purchase and supply of malt. This payment will be required only when the States of Gelderland will conquer the town of 's-Hertogenbosch.

25 July 1625 (RA Beesd 197.45)

**Cornelis Dircksz**, farmer of Marienwaerdt, transfers to Jan and Cornelis Aert Tijssensonen 14 hont of land in Beesd “over the Graaf”

13 April 1630 (RA Beesd 198 f33)

Peter Joriansen, citizen of Culemborg, transfers to **Cornelis Dircksen van Velpen**, farmer at Mariënweerd, the title-deed of 4 morgen of land, situated in Beesd, in the Nijland, dated 24 September 1629.

From this marriage, as far as is known, order of birth not known.:

### **1. Gerrit Cornelisz van Velpen**, who possibly lived in Schalkwijk

Nov 27 1639 (RA Beesd 199/83v)

Jonkheer Jhelis Pieck, bailiff and officer of Beesd and Rhenoy, transfers to Willem Willemsen den Besten and Mr. Gerbucht van Uuytrecht in Schalkwijk on behalf of **Gerrit Cornelissen van Velpen** the mortgage-deed of 370 guilders on 2½ morgen of land, owned by Hasa Goossens.

### **2. Joost Cornelisz van Velpen**

7 June 1641 (RA Beesd 200/6)

**Joost Cornelissen van Velpen** transfers to his brother Anthonis Cornelissen a fifth part of 4 morgen of land, situated in Beesd, in the Nijland, that has been allotted to Joost Cornelissen in the division with his brothers and sisters.

**3. Anthonis Cornelisz van Velpen**, farmer of Marienwaerdt marr. Unknown. His property is shown on the De Bayonneville map of 1664 marked D. A shown in the references below, he acquired the shares of his brothers and sisters.

7 June 1641 (RA Beesd 200/6)

Joost Cornelissen van Velpen transfers to his brother **Anthonis Cornelissen** a fifth of 4 morgen of land, situated in Beesd, in the Nijland, that had been allotted to Joost Cornelissen in the division with his brothers and sisters.

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<sup>5</sup> By 7 June 1641 his land had been divided between his children (RA Beesd 200/6)

18 April 1648 (RA Beesd 200/108)

**Thonis Cornelissen van Vulpen** promises Aert Vos an annual interest of 12 guilders and 10 stuivers, commencing on 18 April 1649. The capital sum amounts to 200 guilders. Security: three parts of 4 morgen of land, situated in Beesd, in the Nijland.

13 November 1650 (RA Beesd 201/44)

**Anthonis Cornelissen van Velpen** transfers to Jan Aertsen Spaen 2 morgen of meadow-land, situated in Beesd, being part of 4 morgen of land, in the Nijland.

8 June 1651 (RA Beesd 201/55)

Mercus Leenaertsen Schuers, husband of Ariaentgen Cornelis van Velpen, transfers to **Anthonis Cornelissen van Velpen** his right in 4 morgen of land, situated in Beesd, in the Nijland. Subsequently Anthonis Cornelissen van Velpen transfers to Jan Aertsen Spaen his right in the foresaid 4 morgen of meadow-land.

9 August 1652 (RA Beesd 201/94)

Seger Vos and Anthonis Janssen, aldermen, Anthonis Dircksen, Schrevel Jacobsen, **Jan van Velpen**, Peter Lambersen, Hanrick Jansen van Tussenbroeck, Andries Gijsbertsen, Gerrit Aertsen van Tussenbroeck, Jan Gijsbersen and **Anthonis Cornelissen van Velpen**, all farmers at Mariënweerd, promise lord Diderick van Riemsdijck, major of Tiel, to pay 500 guilders with 6¼% annual interest in Tiel. Security: their persons and property.

5 November 1663 (RA Beesd 203/46)

Gijsbert Ryenen, for himself and on behalf of **Anthonis Cornelissen van Velpen**, farmer at Mariënweerd, stands surety for the payment of six years of rent of a farm, which he has leased from the States Deputies of the Nijmegen Quarter.

22 April 1664 (RA Beesd 203/58)

**Anthonis Cornelissen van Velpen** transfers to lady Helena Vijgh, lady at Waardenburg, and her people 400 guilders, which he has received as a subsidy from the States Deputies of the Nijmegen Quarter. This payment will be deducted from the 700 guilders, which he owes her on account of overdue rent of the abbey's property. He promises to pay the remaining 300 guilders in four annual installments, commencing on 11 November 1664.

28 September 1664 (RA Beesd 203/68v)

Thonis Cornelis van Velpen consents that the grain and furniture at his house and haystack in the Clooster (=monastery) in Beesd, that was seized by Johan de Ghyer on behalf of the lady of Waardenburg and her people, will be sold (by auction) by the judge and aldermen. Subsequently these are sold for 150 guilders to Jan de Ghyer.

24 Dec 1664 (RA Beesd 203/75)

Anthonis Cornelis van Velpen, tenant of Marienwaerdt guarantees overdue rent.

20 April 1689 (RA Beesd 205/62v)

Most probably his son was, Cornelisz Anthonis van Vulpen , (RA Beesd 205/62v) who, on 20 April 1689 made over all his property to Paulus van Remsdijk, rentmaster of the Abbey of Marienwaerdt on account of arrears of rent.

#### **4. Guertgen Cornelisdr. van Velpen**

Marr before 1638 to Cornelis Gijsbertsz van der Hoeven. Member of RDC Beesd 1656 as widow of Cornelis Gijsbertsen. Migrated to America May 1661 with her six children.

1651 April 10 (RA Beesd 201/49)

Cornelis Gijsbertsz van der Hoeven husband of Guertgen Cornelis van Velpen transports land to Jan Aertsz Spaen.

## **5. Ariaentgen Cornelisdr van Velpen**

Marr before 1651 to Marcus Lenaertsz Schuers

1651 June 30 (RA Beesd 201/55v)

Marcus Leenaertsz Schuers, husband of **Ariaentgen Cornelis van Velpen** transfer to Anthonis Cornelisz van Velpen, his share of four morgen of land in the Nijland. Subsequently, Anthonis transfers all his rights to Jan Aertsz Spaen.

### **I**b** JAN DIRCKSEZ VAN VELPEN**

Prob. born about 1600, farmer of Marienwaerdt, owned land there and in Rumpt and Wadenojien, schepen of Beesd (1662/63 1668). Member and Elder of the DRC Beesd. Died after 1668, marr. About 1634 to Gerritje Dircksdr Verweij who died after 3 June 1652, daughter of Dirck Hubertsz Verweij, and Christiana Jans.

1651 June 16 (RA Beesd 201/54v)

Mels Mathijs Bos releases **Jan Dircksz van Velpen**, executor of the estate of the married couple Dirck Huberts Verweij and Christiana Jans.

1651 April 30(Register Leenaktenboek Kwartier Nijmegen Blz 746)

**Jan Dircksen Van Vulpen** receives the freehold of half of 9 morgens of land in Beesd as heir of his brother-in-law Henrick Dirxen Verweij

1657 Dec 8 (RA Beesd 202/62)

**Jan Dircksen van Vulpen** transfers to Floris Mathijssen Bos a mortgage on the authority of Mels Mathijssen Bos.

1660 May 14 (RA Deil 125/44)

**Jan Dircksen van Velpen** representative of the heirs of Geurdt Jan Dircksz van Vulpen transfers 4 morgen farm and meadowland in Rumpt to Berndt Cornelisz.

1661 Dec 19 (RA Deil 125/90v)

Metgen Aertsz van Eck and **Jan Dircksz van Velpen** her uncle and blood relative, agree a rent of 24v guilders per year on 4 hont of land in Wadenojien , in favour of Goris Jaspersoon of that place.

1663 May 23 (Leenaktenboek Kwartier Nijmegen p 746)

**Jan Dircksen van Vulpen** lays his testament before the Feudal Chamber and divides his feudal holdings among his children as approved by Grietjen Derks Verweij

1665 Aug 23 (RA Beesd 203/98)

**Jan Dircxz van Vulpen**, Jan Gijsbertsz, Seger Petersz Vos, Schrevel Jacobsz Cosijn and Jan Aertsz Spaen, all living in Marienweerd are mortgaged for an annual interest of 62 gld. per year to Lady Margaretha Becker, widow of Aernt de Bie, knight.

On 15 Nov 1661, Jan Dircksz van Velpen sealed with the symbol of a chequered cross. (RA Arnhem, Volmachten Gelderse Leenkamer)

From this marriage as far as is known, order unknown

**1 Geurt Jan van Vulpen** died before 14 May 1660

**2 Cornelis Jansz van Vulpen** died before 7 Jan 1694. His unnamed wife remarried Aert Berntsz van Zutphen. A daughter Gerarda born from this marriage.

1668 Jan 3 (RA Beesd 203/159v)

The heirs of Heydenrijck transfer to Cornelis Jansen van Velpen a house outside Beesd and an orchard inside Beesd.

1694 Jan 7 (RA Beesd205/95v)

Gerarda van Vulpen, daughter of Cornelis Jansen van Vulpen assisted by Aert van Zutphen, her stepfather, transfers to Adriaen van Vulpen, her uncle, a sixth part of 51/2 morgen farmland named the Daelakker, inherited from the late Jan Dircksz van Vulpen.

**3 Adriaen Jan van Vulpen**, farmer of Marienweerd. Mentioned 9 May 1684, 3 Dec 1690 and 7 Jan 1694(RA Beesd 205/16/73v/95v)

#### **4 Huibert**

#### **5. Jacob Jans van Vulpen**

As Number I mentioned in my former report (7 June 1966) with his descendants. His number is now IIIb

1684 May 9 (RA Beesd 205/16v)

Arien, Hubert and Jacob van Vulpen take over a mortgage dated 30 Jan 1649 from Stintgen Jans, Dirck Dirksen Verweij, Aert Dircksen Verweij, Jan van Velpen and Mels Mathijssen Boss, in favour of Hubert Alerts van Barden.