

Partial Genealogy of the Holleys  
(of Connecticut & New York)

Main Political Affiliation:	
1763-83	Whig/Revolutionary
1789-1823	Federalist
1824-33	National Republican
1834-53	Whig
1854-	Republican

1600

Samuel Holley  
(1588-1643)  
(Emigrated from Monmouthshire, England to Massachusetts)  
= Elizabeth ????  
(1590?-at least 1630)

1650

John Holley  
(1618-81)  
= May Waitstill  
(1621-1714)  
8 Others  
Increase Holley  
(1643-1732)  
(moved to Connecticut)  
= Elizabeth Newman  
(1654-1711)

1700

3 Sons  
Joseph Holley  
(1687-1769)  
= Waitstill Webb  
(1691-at least 1737)  
11 Others  
John Holley  
(1715-95)  
= Sarah Lord  
(1723-at least 1751)

1750

Luther Holley  
(1751-1826)  
= Sally Dakin  
(1751?-at least 1791)

1800

5 Others  
John Milton Holley I  
(1777-1836)  
= Sally Porter  
(1778-1816)  
*See Porter of CT Genealogy*  
John Milton Holley II  
(1802-98); (Whig/Rep); (lawyer)  
(born Salisbury CT); (moved to New York)  
(NY assembly, 1838-41)  
(Wayne co. NY district attorney, 1842-45)  
(US House, 1847-48)  
*SEE HOLLEY OF NY GENEALOGY*  
Alexander Hamilton Holley I  
(1804-87); (Rep)  
(born Salisbury CT)  
(LT Governor of Connecticut, 1854-56)  
(Governor of Connecticut, 1857-58)  
*See Lyman of CT Genealogy Part II*  
= Jane Lyman  
(1808-32)  
Alexander Lyman Holley II  
(1832-82)  
(metallurgist/engineer)  
*SEE HOLLEY OF NY GENEALOGY*  
Myron Holley  
(1779-1841)  
(born Salisbury CT); (moved to New York, 1803)  
(Ontario co. NY clerek, 1810-14); (NY assembly, 1816)  
(NY Erie Canal commissioner, 1817-25; treasurer)  
(Anti-Masonic convention in Philadelphia PA, 1830)  
(newspaper editor/abolitionist)  
*SEE HOLLEY OF NY GENEALOGY*  
Orville Luther Holley  
(1791-1861); (lawyer)  
(moved to New York)  
(newspaper editor/abolitionist)  
(NY surveyor general, 1838)

1850

(newspaper reporter, NY Times, 1858-63)  
(purchased US rights to Bessemer steel process, 1865)  
(built first Bessemer steelworks in US at Troy NY,  
then planned and built many others)  
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1900