

## Patrick Kane and Bridget Rochford

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Patrick Kane and Bridget Rochford raised their family in Cloonmore located within the Kilcolman Catholic Parish of County Mayo in Ireland. The area is also known as Claremorris. Their birth, marriage, and death records have not been verified. Their parents are also unknown.

Both of their surnames have been spelled with multiple variations. Kane and Rochford are recognized as the most accurate.

Patrick Kane and Bridget Rochford had a total of seven known children, most listed as born in Cloonmore:

Child	Date of Baptism
Martin Kane	11/27/1853
Bridget Kane	1/20/1856
Patrick Kane	1/24/1858
Margaret Kane	8/14/1859
Anne Kane	9/15/1861
Mary Kane	2/11/1864
John Kane	8/2/1866

Baptism records for this time period did not list date of birth.

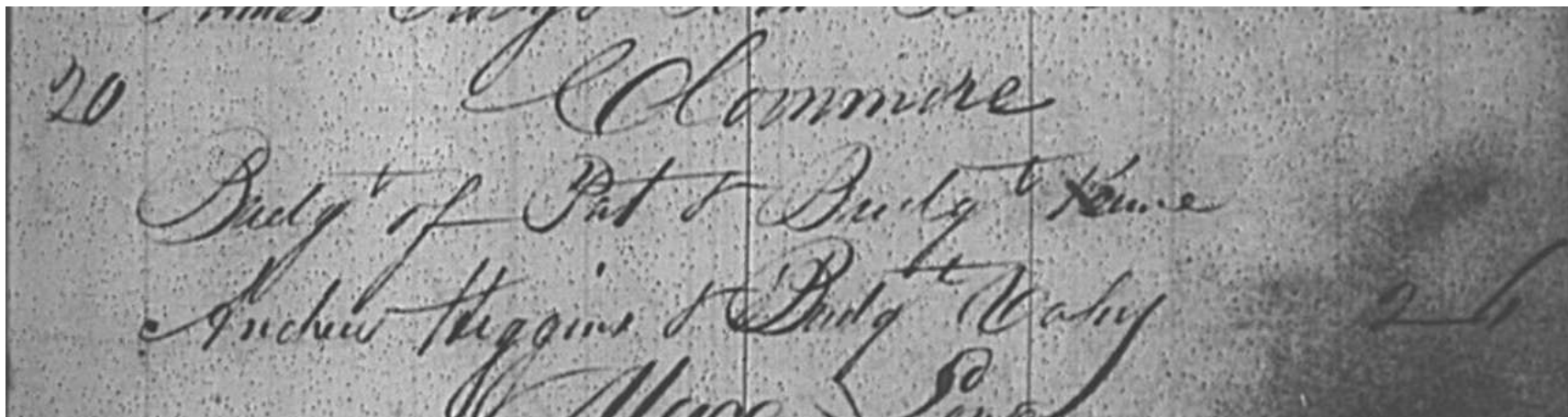
Their daughter Anna Kane married Patrick Flanagan in Chicago, IL in 1886. They are Michael E. Byczek's 2x-great-grandparents. Anna and her brothers Martin and John settled in Chicago during the 1880s. They were later joined by other members of the Kane and Rochford families from Claremorris.

Variations of Bridget's maiden name:	Roughan	Baptism for Anne, Margaret, Patrick
	Brugheen	Anne's baptism - note refers to index card for the baptism
	Rockneegan	John's Civil Birth Record
	Ruane	Martin's Baptism
	Rochford	Baptism for Mary, John
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	Rockman	Patrick I Baptism Index card

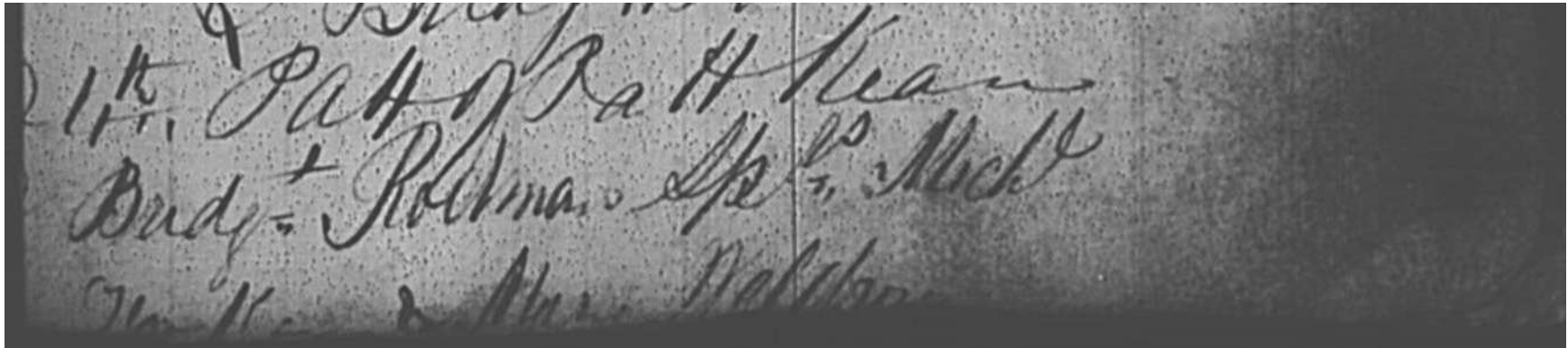
There are multiple Kane/Keane and Rochford families from Claremorris, including multiple Patrick and Bridget names. The correct death records for both Patrick Kane and Bridget (Rochford) Kane have not been verified. It is possible that these records may never be verified due to the absence of details to cross-reference families.

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Martin of Patt Keane & Bridget  
Keane s.p.s. Patt Byrne & Anne  
Higgins - Cloonmore 2

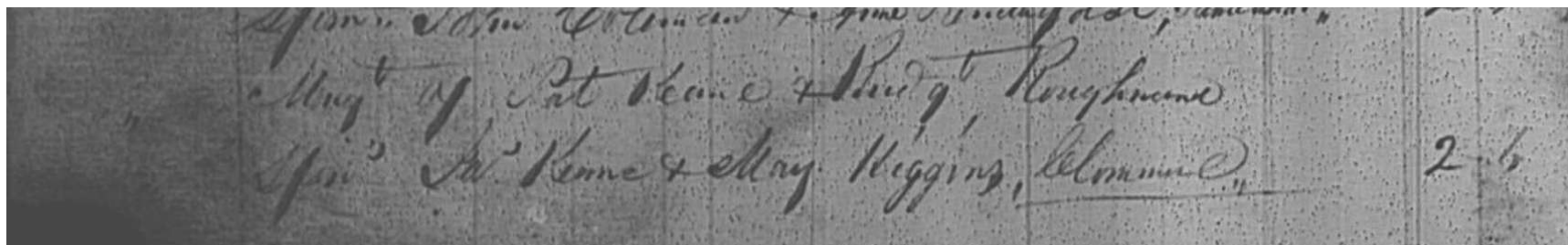
1853 Baptism for Martin Keane  
Cloonmore



1856 Baptism for Bridget Keane.  
Cloonmore, but it's unconfirmed whether this is the correct Patrick and Bridget (no maiden name)



1858 Baptism for Patrick Keane  
No mention of location



1859 Baptism for Margaret Keane  
Cloonmore  
Godfather is a Keane (perhaps John?)



11 Mary of St Anne of Bridget Rochford  
 Martin Rochford and Mary Rochford  
 21 Bridget of the same parish as the 11th

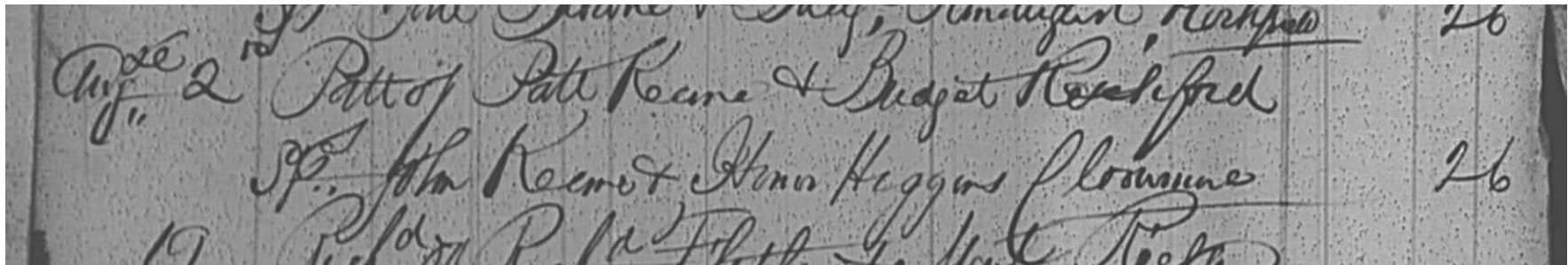
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Baptism for Mary Kane (2/11/1864)  
 Godfather is Martin Rochford

18	February 18 <sup>th</sup> 1864. Cloonmore.	Mary.	Female	Patrick Kane Cloonmore	Bridget Kane formerly Rochford	Small Landholder	Bridget x Kane Mark Cloonmore	March 9 <sup>th</sup> 1864.	John Ryan	✓
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Civil birth record for Mary Kane

Note: The date of birth is listed as 2/18/1864  
 The date of birth is obviously wrong compared to the baptism 7 days earlier



Baptism (8/2/1866) for Patt Keane  
Cloonmore

Godfather is John Keane

No.	Date and Place of Birth.	Name (if any).	Sex.	Name and Surname and Dwelling Place of Father.	Name and Surname and Maiden Surname of Mother.	Rank or Profession of Father.	Signature, Qualification, and Residence of Informant.	When Registered.	Signature of Registrar.	Baptismal Name, if added after Registration of Birth and Date.
304.	Seventeenth September 1866- Cloonmore. Kilcolman	John	Male	Patrick Kane Cloonmore	Bridget Kane formerly Rockeyan	Cottier	Bridget Kane Mother Cloonmore	October Sixth 1866	Wm. J. Ryan Registrar	

Civil Birth Record for John Kane  
The birth was registered by Bridget on 10/6/1866  
The date of birth is listed as 9/7/1866

It is presumed that these two records are for the same baby named John. The baptism is a mistake when it refers to Patt.  
Anna (Kane) Flanagan's two brothers Martin and John joined her in Chicago, IL  
It appears that John Kane was baptized as Patrick. It is unclear whether this was a mistake, or that the first Patrick died as a child.



### **Additional Information**

Patrick Kane and Bridget Rochford are Michael E. Byczek's 3x-great-grandparents. Their daughter Anna (2x-great-grandmother) married Patrick Flanagan at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Chicago, IL in 1886. Their son Martin Flanagan (great-grandfather) married Marie Talbot at Holy Name Cathedral in 1922. Their eldest child Marie Flanagan married Michael S. Byczek in 1950 at St. Bridget's in Bridgeport. Their eldest child Michael M. Byczek (father) married Betty A. Bykowski in 1974 at St. Helen's on Augusta and Oakley in Chicago. They have two children, Michael E. Byczek (the eldest) and Katherine S. Byczek, both born in the Bridgeport neighborhood.

Michael E. Byczek has been compiling actual records for the Kilcolman Catholic Church Parish over the past twenty or more years through direct messages to diocese archives and access to digitized microfilm. He has gathered an extensive collection of documents, including land ownership records. This compiled documentary is an accurate source of genealogy for Patrick Kane and Bridget Rochford.

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