

Mathias Król and Thecla Lepa

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Mathias Król and Thecla Lepa were married on 5/27/1821 at the Catholic church located in Przeczyca.

The parents of Mathias Król were Philip Król and Sophia Lacki from Zagorze. Thecla Lepa's parents were Gasper Lepa and Marianna Lis.

There is uncertainty about the Gasper Lepa and Marianna Lis family. It is possible that two families with similar names may have lived within the Przeczyca Parish at the same time. The documents are being reviewed to determine the accuracy of all birth, marriage, and death records.

Thecla's surname is spelled as both Lepa and Lempa across a variety of documents. The spelling 'Lepa' has been determined to be the most accurate variation of the surname.

The surname for Mathias appears to have been used interchangeably as Krul and Król. The spelling Król tends to have been used more frequently. Therefore, the spelling 'Król' is recognized as the most accurate variation of the surname, while acknowledging the two spellings because that is how the records were written (as is also the case with Lepa/Lempa). It remains unclear whether this was the family's choice or how the church recorded birth, marriage, and death entries.

Mathias and Thecla Król had a total of four known children:

Child	Baptism	Godparents	Notes
Marianna Król	8/15/1822	Bartholomew Dziejdzic (?) and Sophia (wife of Peter ?) Woytonik (?)	
Anna Król	6/17/1824	John Kurek and Thecla (wife of Bartholomew) (surname illegible)	Died when seven years old
Martin Król	10/23/1825	John Lackzki and Marianna Dudek (wife of Jacob)	Died when five years old
Catherine Król	10/21/1829	John Dudek and Sophia Woytowicz (wife of Peter)	Died when one year old

Marianna Król married Gregory Dudek in 1844. They are Michael E. Byczek's 3x-great-grandparents.

Two of the births took place at House #25 Zagorze with the other two at House #5. It's possible that this is a mistake and that all the children were born at House #25.

Mathias Król passed away in 1831 at House #25 Zagorze. Thecla (Lepa) Król remained at House #25 throughout her life. She passed away in 1874.

Feb 20	25	Mathias	1	1	1	Philipus Krol	Sophia Lepa	Stanislaw Klusek Christina Lepena	Herb
25	23	Franciska	1	1	1	Lucas	Marianna	Jacobus	

1790 Baptism for Mathias Król - House #25 Zagorze (Przeczyca Parish)
 Baptized on 2/2/1790 (date of birth not listed)
 Godparents: Stanislaw Klusek ? and Christina Lepena ?

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Death for Mathias Król - House #25 Zagorze (Przeczyca Parish)
 Died on 7/3/1831

April 6	32	Thecla	1	.	.	1	.	1	Gasper Lepa	Marianna Lis	Agnes Krolka	Wojciech Kobylanski
7	5	Adalbertus	1	.	1	.	.	1	Nicolaus	Catharina	Agnes Liana	Mrs. Krolka

Baptism for Thecla Lepa - House #32 Zagorze (Przezyca Parish)
 Baptized on 4/6/1800 (date of birth not listed)
 Godparents: Casimir Lacki (?) and Agnes (?)

This is the most likely baptism record, but has not been verified
 It is possible that two families with the parental names of Gasper Lepa and Marianna Lis lived in Zagorze at the same time

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Death for Thecla (Lepa) Król - House #25 Zagorze (Przezyca Parish)
 Died on 5/16/1874



Marriage for Mathias Król and Thecla Lepa - 5/27/1821

Listed as House #25 Zagorze (Przeczyca Parish)

An address was not provided for Thecla, which would have cross-referenced which Lepa family lived on that farm

Witnesses: Peter Woytowski (?) and Paul Maziarka (?)

Children of Mathias Król and Thecla Lepa

Representative documents are described below.

Kodolach, Hort

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								Woll.	Gasper
								Hort	Lepa
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									Petri
									Wojtowicz.
									Hort
									Matias

Baptism for Marianna Król
 8/15/1822 - House #25 Zagorze (Przeczycza Parish)

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		Obit. Rosalia Ronkowska							
		Bapt. ut supra.							

Baptism for Anna Król
6/17/1824 - House #5 Zagorze (Przezyca Parish)

23	25	25	Martinus	1	"	1	"	"	1	Mathias Król.	Thecla Lepa pari Lepa filia.	Johannes Ligacki. Marianna Jauobi Duz Bek uxor.	hochw.
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26	26	26	M. L.	1	1	1	1	1	1	Mathias	Jannica	P. J.	

Baptism for Martin Król
10/23/1825 - House #25 Zagorze (Przeczyca Parish)

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Baptism for Catherine Król
 10/21/1829 - House #5 Zagorze (Przeczyca Parish)

Additional Information

Mathias Król and Thecla Lepa are Michael E. Byczek's 4x-great-grandparents. Their daughter Marianna Król (3x-great-grandmother) married Gregory Dudek in 1844. Their son Adalbert Dudek (2x-great-grandfather) married Victoria Król in 1886. Their daughter Maryanna Dudek (great-grandmother) married Martin Byczek in Chicago, IL at St. Mary of Perpetual Help in the Bridgeport neighborhood in 1907. Their son Michael S. Byczek (grandfather) married Marie Flanagan 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.

Southeast Poland - Dębica County, Subcarpathian Voivodeship:

- Przekyca is a village in the administrative district of Gmina Brzostek
- Zagórze is a village in the administrative district of Gmina Jodłowa

Michael E. Byczek has been compiling actual records for the Przekyca Catholic Church Parish over the past ten or more years through direct messages to diocese archives and access to digitized microfilm. He has gathered an extensive collection of actual documents, including land ownership records. This compiled documentary is intended as an accurate source of genealogy for Mathias Król and Thecla Lepa.

Feel free to send a message for more information or genealogy collaboration.

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