

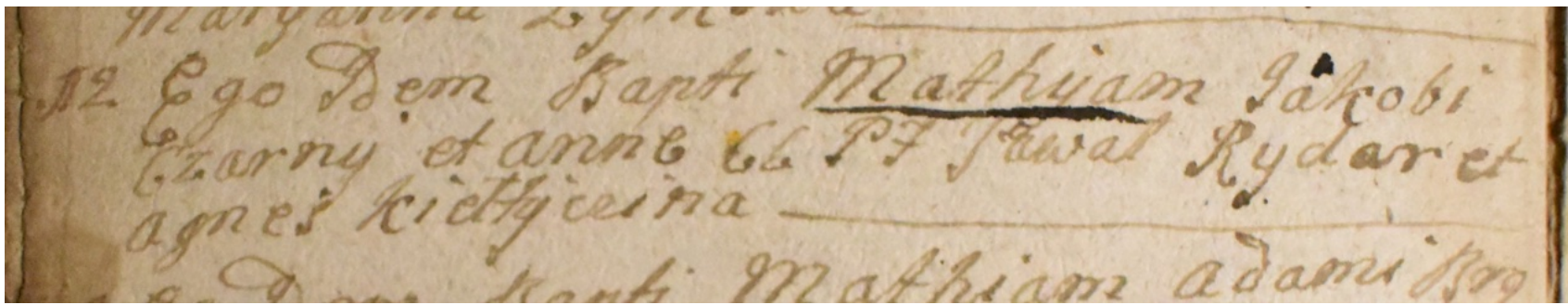
## **Jacob and Anna Czarny**

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Michael E. Byczek's 4x-great-grandparents were Matthias (Maciej) Czarny and Marianna Wątroba who were married in 1793 at the Catholic Church located in Osobnica.

The marriage record is slightly illegible, but the age of Matthias appears to be 25. This provides an estimated year of birth as 1768. Their marriage record was recorded as House #256 in Osobnica without a clear indication of who lived on this farm. Analysis of other marriage records suggests that the address referred to the groom. The available digitized church records for Osobnica do not permit a complete year-by-year search. One baptism was found in 1769 for a baby named Matthias Czarny without an address. The parents were Jacob (Jakub) and Anna Czarny. Land records for 1788 show that the farm at House #256 was owned by Anna Czarny. It is reasonable to conclude that Anna Czarny was a widow since a woman was listed as the sole owner. Three facts are known at present for analysis: (1) one baptism in 1769 has been verified for a baby named Matthias; (2) a woman named Anna Czarny lived at House #256; and (3) the 1788 land ownership records do not show Jacob Czarny listed as the owner of any other known farm. Therefore, on the balance of probabilities, Matthias Czarny, whose wife was Marianna Wątroba, was most likely the son of Jacob and Anna Czarny.



1769 Baptism of Matthias Czarny (Osobnica Parish)

1793. Januario die 28.	256	Matthias Czarny.	1	-	25	1	-	Marianna Wątrobia -ka.	1	-	10	1	-	Simon Byczek Thomas Byczek	Ho.
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1793 Marriage of Matthias Czarny and Marianna Wątroba (Osobnica Parish)  
Witnesses: Simon and Thomas Byczek

The marriage was recorded for House #256 Osobnica



Present-day Catholic Church in Osobnica  
Parafia pw. św. Stanisława BM w Osobnicy  
Source: <https://parafiaosobnica.pl>

## Additional Information

Michael E. Byczek, an Illinois attorney and managing real estate broker, has compiled original records for genealogy since 1992. Research and analysis have been published on family websites for over 30 years. A project to compile comprehensive digital, print, and video documentaries for every direct blood ancestor began in September 2024 for accurate online genealogy.

Jacob and Anna Czarny are Michael E. Byczek's 5x-great-grandparents. Their son Matthias Czarny (4x-great-grandfather) married Marianna Wątroba in 1793 in Osobnica. Their son Paul Czarny (3x-great-grandfather) married Marianna Paluch in 1830, also in Osobnica. Their daughter Catherine Czarny (2x-great-grandmother) married Adalbert Byczek in 1874, also in Osobnica. Their son Martin Byczek (great-grandfather) married Maryanna Dudek 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 son 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 is the eldest and was born in Bridgeport.

Osobnica is a village in the administrative district of Gmina Jasło, within Jasło County (Subcarpathian Voivodeship in southeastern Poland).

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