

Paul Nowak and the Parentage of Catherine Nowak

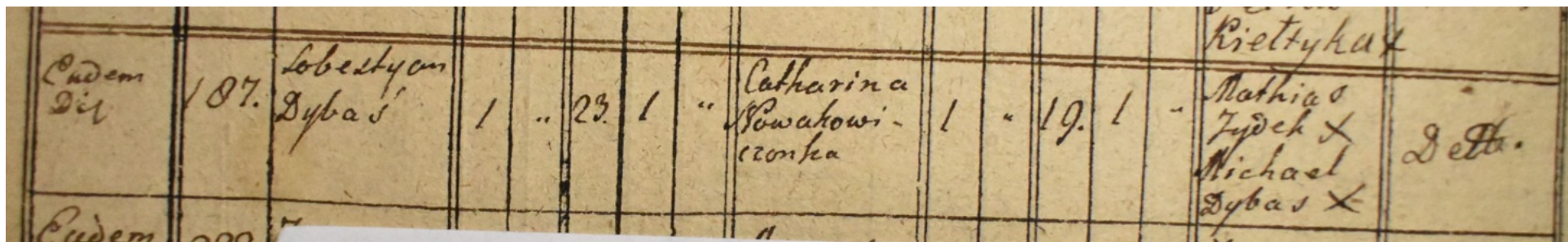
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Michael E. Byczek's 4x-great-grandparents were Sebastian Dybaś and Catherine (Katarzyna) Nowak who were married in 1805 at the Catholic Church located in Osobnica.

Catherine Nowak was listed as 19 years old in the marriage record with an estimated year of birth as 1786. Her father is verified as Paul (Paweł) Nowak, but her mother's name was not written in any known document. Catherine's baptism record has not been verified. The 1805 marriage record was listed as House #187 Osobnica. It is unclear whether House #187 was recorded in error for House #181, where Sebastian Dybaś was born, or whether the Nowak family actually lived at House #187.

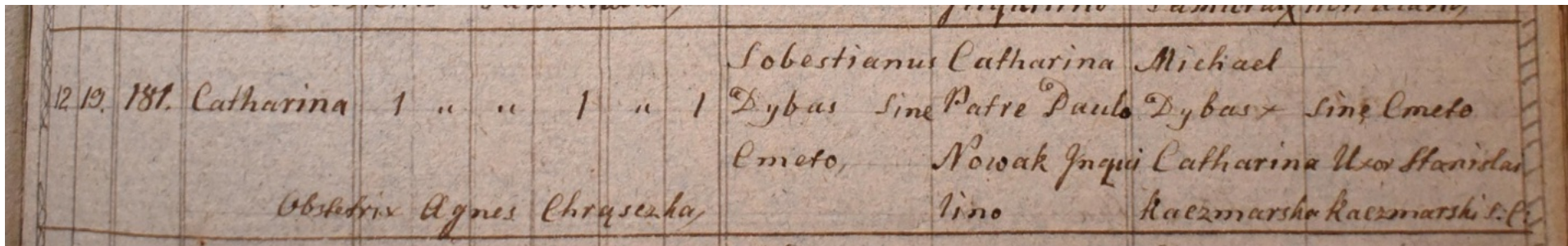
Digitized church records for Osobnica are not available for a complete year-by-year search of records pertaining to Paul Nowak. It is therefore not possible to determine the identity of his wife or their other children.



1805 Marriage of Sebastian Dybaś and Catherine Nowak
Listed as House #187 Osobnica (Osobnica Parish)
It is unknown whose address was listed, the bride or groom.

Witnesses: Mathias Zydek and Michael Dybaś

This is presumed to be the correct marriage record rather than a coincidence involving two couples with the same surnames, particularly because of House #187.



1822 Baptism of Catherine Dybaś, the daughter of Sebastian Dybaś and Catherine Nowak
House #181 Osobnica (Osobnica)

Catherine Nowak's father was listed as Paul Nowak

Godparents: Michael Dybaś and Catherine Kaczmarški



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.

Paul Nowak is Michael E. Byczek's 5x-great-grandfather. His daughter Catherine Nowak (4x-great-grandmother) married Sebastian Dybaś in 1805 in Osobnica. Their daughter Catherine Dybaś (3x-great-grandmother) married Jacob Byczek in 1842, also in Osobnica. Their son Adalbert Byczek (2x-great-grandfather) married Catherine Czarny 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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