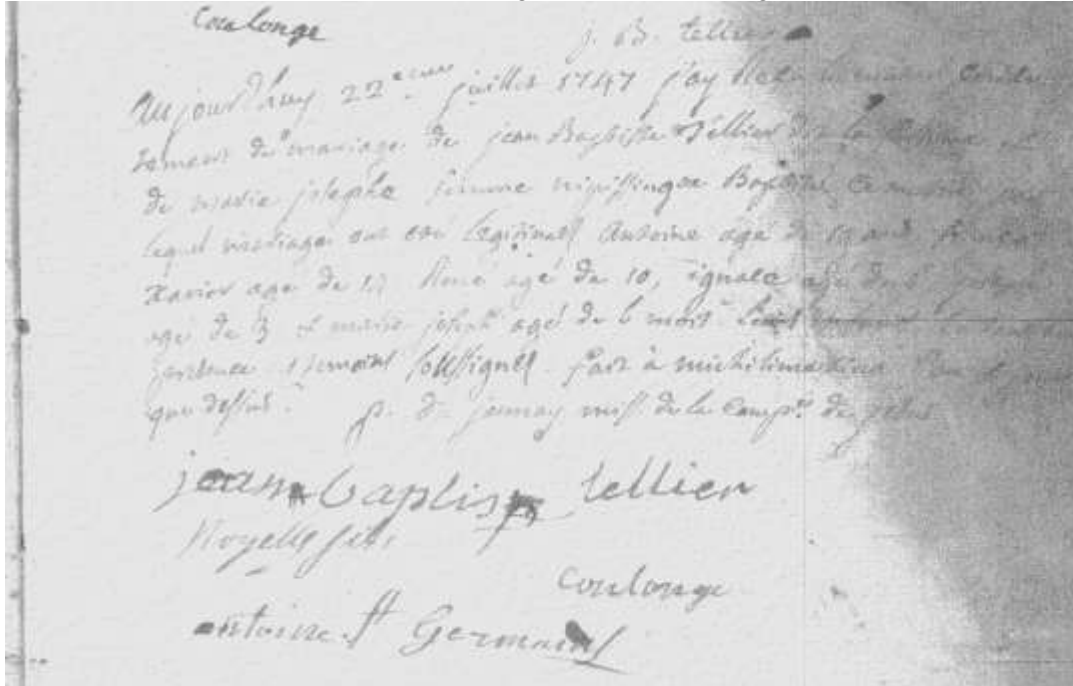


Michilimackinac and Fort St. Joseph Families – Tellier/Letellier Families
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Jean Baptiste Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune – *Marie Josèphe, a Nipissing Family

Jean Baptiste Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune, son of Jean Tellier/Le Tellier and Marie Renée Lorion, was born and baptized 29 September 1696 at Varennes [Jetté, p. 1065]. His godparents were Jean Bousquet and Marie Hayet [Lafrance].

Jean Baptiste Tellier/Le Tellier *dit* Lafortune married **Marie Josèphe**, a Nipissing, 22 July 1747 at Michilimackinac [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Marriages, 1725-1749, Image 7].



Marriage of Jean Baptiste Tellier/Le Tellier

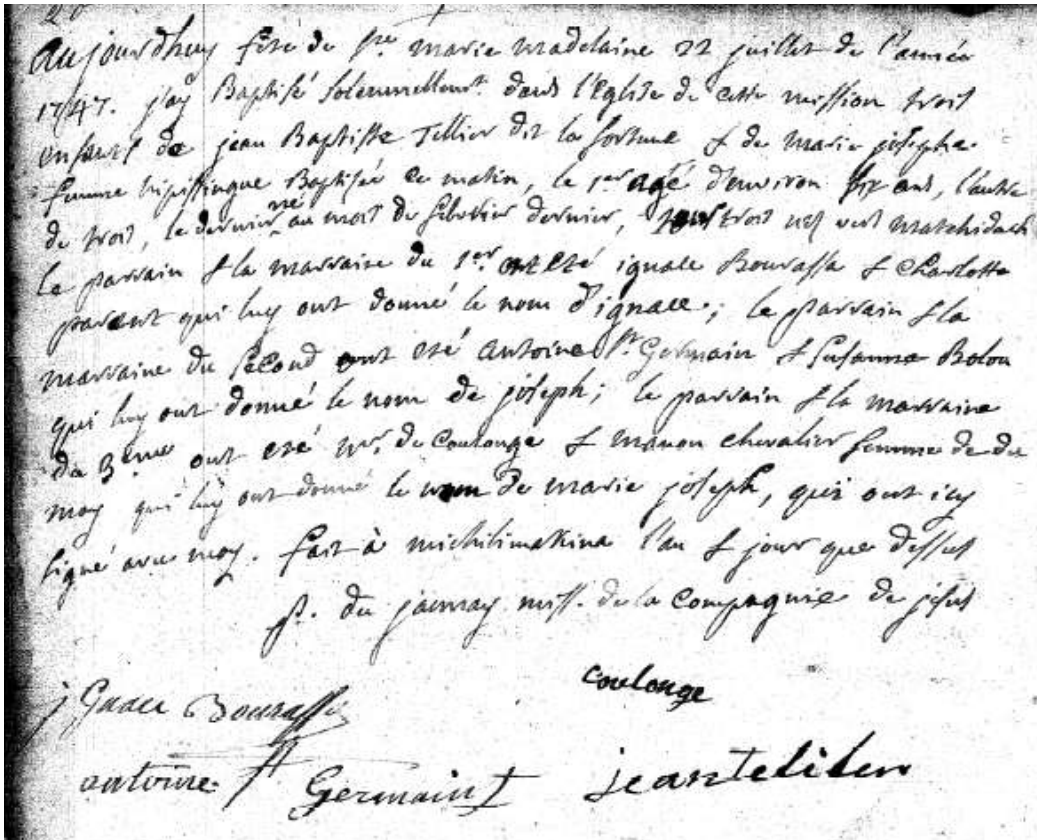
Marie Josèphe, a Nipissing, was born *circa* 1712. She was baptized 22 July 1747 at Michilimackinac. Her godparents were *Mr. de Noyelles, fils, commandant* of the post and *Mme. de Celle* [Marie Josèphe Celle *dite* Duclos], wife of Thomas Blondeau [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1695-1749, Image 21].

Au jourd'hui jour de St. Marie Madeleine 22. du mois de juillet
 de l'année 1747. j'ay baptisé Polumackine. dans l'église de cette
 mission une neophyte suffisamment instruite & devant le St. Baptême
 âgé d'environ 35 ans née aux Nipissing & St. Jacques l'aine
 âgé d'environ vingt ans, le Cadet d'environ neuf ans, son l'un & l'autre
 vend marchand de la Nation neophyte & de Jean Baptiste Tellier dit La
 fortune, la neophyte a pris au St. Baptême le nom de Marie Joseph
 son parrain a été Sr. de Noelle fils Commandant en ce poste & la
 marraine d. the de Belle épouse du Sr. Thomas Blondin voyageur,
 l'aine a pris le nom de François Xavier, son parrain a été Sr. Barthe
 voyageur & la marraine Agathe Villeneuve épouse du Sr. Boisguilbert
 l'aine a pris le nom de René François, son parrain a été René
 Bourassa fils & la marraine Esther Chevalier, qui ont signé
 avec moy. fait à Michilimackinac l'an & jour que dessus.
 Noelle fils
 Charles Joseph deselle & Baribeau
 Agathe Villeneuve
 René Bourassa fils Jean Tellier

Baptism of Marie Joséphe, a Nipissing, François Xavier Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune, and René François Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune

Jean Baptiste Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune and Marie Joséphe's children:

1. **Antoine Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born circa 1728. He was baptized 2 August 1733 at Michilimackinac [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1695-1749, Image 6 – during this time period the name of the mother and the names of the godparents are not listed in the register].
2. **François Xavier Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born circa 1733 near Matchidock. He was baptized 22 July 1747 at Michilimackinac. His godparents were Sr. François Baribeau, a voyageur, and Agathe Amiot dite Villeneuve, wife of [François] Boisguilbert [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1695-1749, Image 21]. See the image of his baptism above.
3. **René François Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born circa 1737 near Matchidock. He was baptized 22 July 1747 at Michilimackinac. His godparents were René Bourassa, fils, and Esther Chevalier [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1695-1749, Image 21]. See the image of his baptism above.
4. **Ignace Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born circa 1741 near Matchidock. He was baptized 22 July 1747 at Michilimackinac. His godparents were Ignace Bourassa and Charlotte Bourassa [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1695-1749, Image 10].



Baptisms of Ignace Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune, Joseph Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune, and Marie Josèphe Tellier/Le Tellier dite Lafortune

5. **Joseph Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born circa 1744 near Matchidock. He was baptized 22 July 1747 at Michilimackinac. His godparents were Antoine Saint-Germain and Suzanne Bolon [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1695-1749, Image 10]. See image of his baptism above.
6. **Marie Josèphe Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born in February 1747 near Matchidock. She was baptized 22 July 1747 at Michilimackinac. Her godparents were Mr. de Colonge [Paul Joseph d'Ailleboust, sieur de Coulognes] and Manon Chevalier [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1695-1749, Image 10]. See image of her baptism above.

***Antoine Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune – *Charlotte Mig8anonjean Family**

Antoine Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune, son of Jean Baptiste Tellier/Le Tellier and Marie Josèphe, a Nipissing, was born circa 1728. He was baptized 2 August 1733 at Michilimackinac [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1695-1749, Image 6 – during this time period the name of the mother and the names of the godparents are not listed in the register].

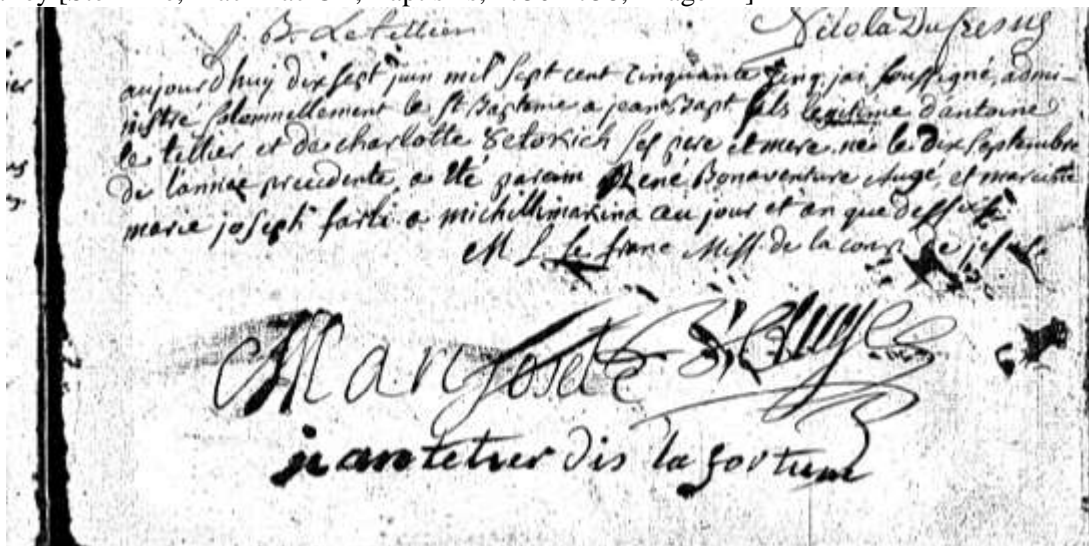
He married **Charlotte Mig8anonjean**, daughter of Pierre, an Ottawa, and Catherine, 6 June 1753 in Michilimackinac [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Marriages, 1750-1775, Image 8].



Marriage of Antoine Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune and Charlotte Mig8anonjean

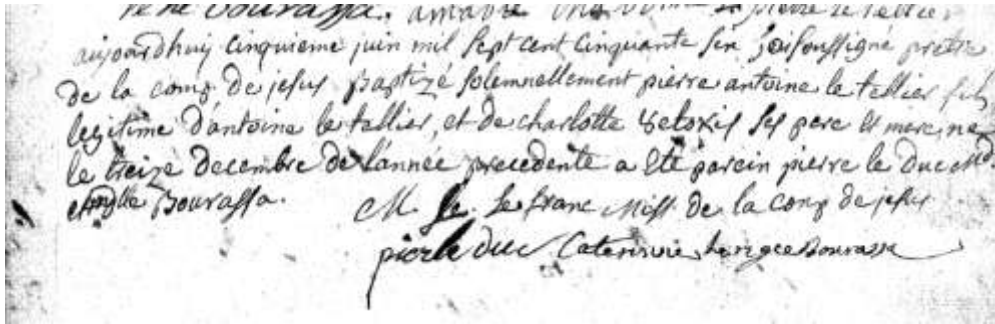
Antoine Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune and Charlotte Mig8anonjean's children:

1. **Jean Baptiste Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born 10 September 1754. He was baptized 17 June 1755 at Michilimackinac. His godparents were René Bonaventure Auger and Marie Josèphe Farley [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1750-1758, Image 12]



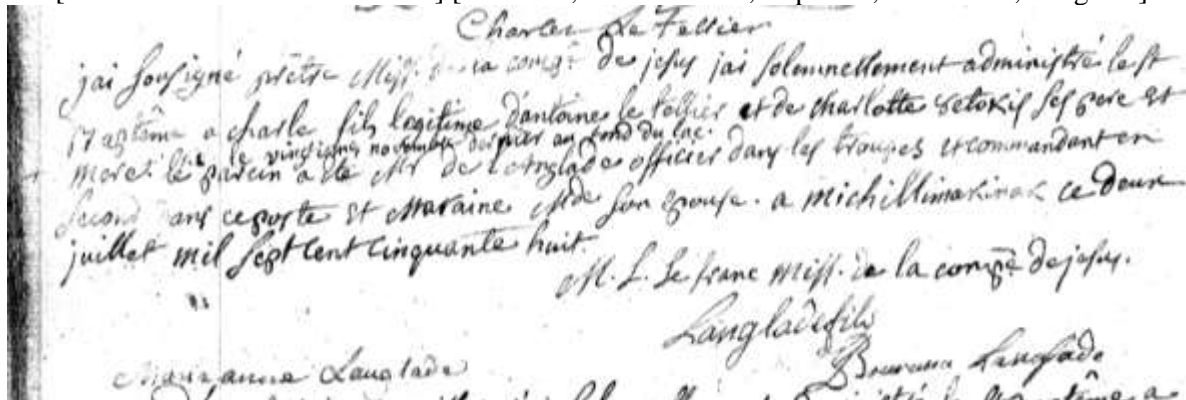
Baptism of Jean Baptiste Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune

2. **Pierre Antoine Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born 13 December 1755. He was baptized 5 June 1756 at Michilimackinac. His godparents were Pierre Leduc and Mme. Bourassa [Catherine Lériger dite Laplante] [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1750-1758, Image 16].



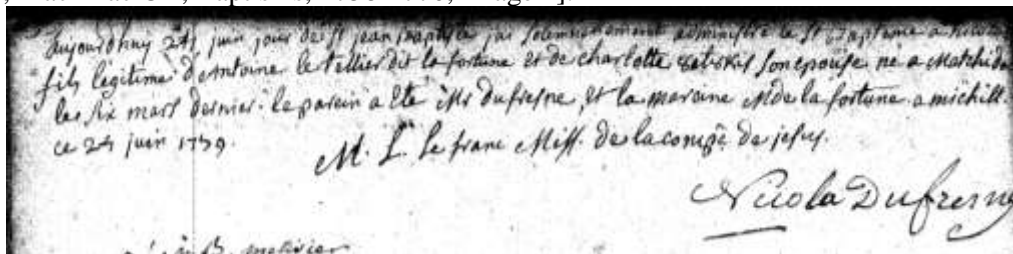
Baptism of Pierre Antoine Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune

3. **Charles Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was baptized 2 July 1758 in Michilimackinac. His godparents were *M. de Langlade*, fils, an officer and commandant of the troops and second commandant of the post of Michilimackinac [Charles Michel Mouet de Langlade] and *Mme.* his wife [Charlotte Ambroisine Bourassa] [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1750-1758, Image 23].



Baptism of Charles Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune dit Lafortune

4. **Nicolas Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born 6 March 1759 at Matchidock. He was baptized 24 June 1759 at Michilimackinac. His godparents were *Mr. Nicolas Dufresne* and *Mme. Lafortune* [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1758-1770, Image 4].



Baptism of Nicolas Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune

5. **Joseph Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born 2 March 1761 at their wintering place and baptized 13 May 1761. His godparents were *Pierre Dugast/Duguay* and *Mlle. Nanette Chaboillé* [Marie Anne Chevalier] [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1758-1770, Image 7].

Joseph Tellier
 Aujourd'hui troisième may mil sept cent soixante et un j'ai solennellement administré le St
 Baptême à Joseph fils légitime d'Antoine Le Tellier dit La Fortune et de Charlotte
 Uetzkis ses père et mère le parrain a été Pierre Auguste la maine et la marraine
 cet enfant néquit en hivernement le deuxième mois dernier.
 J. Sugars Off. L. le franc Miss. de la Course de jesus
 Marie Chaboille
 Antoine La Fortune
 i. B. Bourassa Administré le St-Baptême à Cholette

Baptism of Joseph Tellier/ Le Tellier dit Lafortune

6. **Ignace Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born 5 January 1763 at their wintering place in Wisconsin. He was baptized 30 June 1763. His godparents were Ignace Bourassa dit Laronde and Charlotte Bourassa [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1758 – 1770, Image 14]

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 Ignace Lafortune
 Aujourd'hui trentième du mois de juin de l'année mil
 Sept cent soixante et un j'ai solennellement administré le St-Baptême
 avec les cérémonies
 prescrites par les P. Eglises Romaines à Ignace fils légitime d'
 Antoine Tellier dit La Fortune et de Charlotte Bourassa ses parents
 né est né au haut du Wisconsin le 5. janvier de la présente
 année. le parrain a été le P. Ignace Bourassa dit La Ronde
 & la marraine Charlotte Bourassa. Parz à Michilimackinac
 Van & jour cy dessus
 J. Bourassa Off. L. le franc Miss. de la Course de jesus
 Marie Ducharme

Baptism of Ignace Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune

7. **Antoine Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born 23 January 1765 on the Mississippi at the mouth of the Wisconsin River. He was given emergency baptism by Amable Roy. His godparents were Nicolas Marcheteau and Angélique Sejourne wife of Sr. [Jean Baptiste] de Cauchois [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1758-1770, Image 17].

antoine Lafortune

Ce Vingtisme jour du mois de juin de l'année mil Sept
 cent Sixante cinq j'ay baptisé M. Antoinette du St. Baptême
 à Antoine fils légitime d'Antoine La Fortune & de Charlotte
 d'Esprit son épouse né le 23 Janvier dernier dans la paroisse
 au diff. de Vambouchure de Michilimackinac. Le parrain a été le Sr.
 Michel Marchessau & la marraine Marguerite Sejourne épouse
 de Sr. Charbonnier qui ont été signés avec moi fait à Michilimackinac
 le premier jour de Juillet
 J. Du Jarney m. p. de la Comp. de J. p.
 M. Marchessau Marguerite Sejourne
 & ce enfant avec elle ont été envoyés par Amable Rivet

Baptism of Antoine Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune

René François Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune – Maccatemic8e8e Family

René François Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune, son of Jean Baptiste Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune and Marie Josèphe, a Nipissing, had a son by **Maccatemic8e8e**, daughter of Miss8ssic8e.

Son of René François Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune and Maccatemic8e8e:

1. **François Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune** was born 1 January 1764 at Grande Rivière. He was conditionally baptized 3 July 1765 at Michilimackinac. His godparents were *Sieur* Charles Chaboillé, a merchant, and the wife of *Sieur* Lagrandeur [Marie Anne Parent, wife of François Brisbé dit Lagrandeur [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1758-1770, Image 18].

françois Lafortune

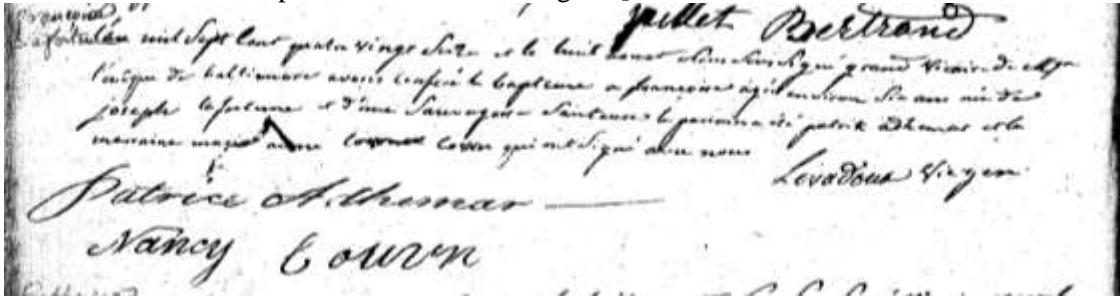
Aujourd'hui Vingtisme jour du mois de juillet de l'année mil 2
 Sept cent Sixante cinq j'ay administré les sacrements du St.
 Baptême & baptisé Louis Condouin françois né à la grande Rivière
 le 1. Janvier 1764. fils naturel de Louis La Fortune & d'une Sauvage
 nommée Maccatemic8e8e fille de M. Marchessau. Le parrain a été le
 Sr. Chaboillé Marg. & la marraine de la femme du Sr. Lagrandeur
 qui ont été signés avec moi fait à Michilimackinac le premier jour de
 J. Du Jarney m. p. de la Comp. de J. p.
 la fortune Chaboillé
 Joseph Maria Cadot marianne parent

Baptism of François Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune

Joseph Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune – Chippewa/Ojibwa Family

Joseph Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune, probably the son of Antoine Tellier/Le Tellier dit Lafortune and Charlotte Mig8anonjean, had a daughter by a Chippewa/Ojibwa in 1790.

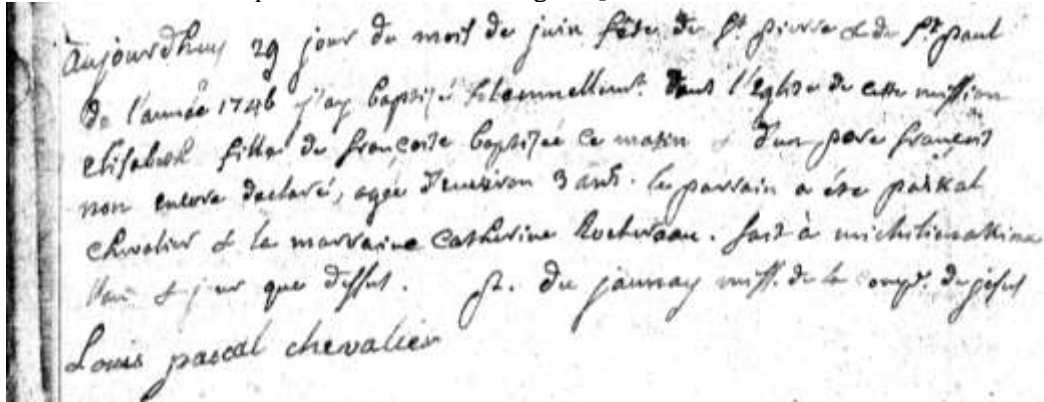
1. **Françoise Tellier/Le Tellier dite Lafortune** was born *circa* 1790. She was baptized 8 August 1796 in Michilimackinac. Her godparents were Patrice Adhémar and Marie Anne [Nancy Cowen] [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1792-1799, Image 15].



Baptism of Françoise Tellier/Le Tellier dite Lafortune

Unknown Family

- A **French Canadian** fathered a daughter by **Françoise** in 1743. Their daughter **Élisabeth** was baptized 29 June 1746 at Michilimackinac. Her godparents were Louis Pascal Chevalier and Catherine Rocheleau [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1695-1749, Image 18].



Baptism of Élisabeth