Other than the parish records from the Drouin Collection at www.ancestry.com, which are fully cited in brackets, the full citations for other sources used are found below.¹

Joseph Lallemand – Charlotte Sauteuse (Ojibwa or Chippewa) Family: Lallemand was a dit name; it was used most frequently by the Daigle family. Joseph Lallemand had an enfant naturelle by Charlotte, a Sauteuse (Ojibwa or Chippewa). Both individuals died prior to September 1806 [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Détroit, L’Assomption de Sandwich de Windsor, 1781-1808, Image 300 – marriage of their daughter].

1. Marie Lallemand/Lallemande married François Beaugrand dit Champagne, son of Antoine Beaugrand dit Champagne and Geneviève Dubord dite Généraux, 30 September 1806 in Assumption [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Détroit, L’Assomption de Sandwich de Windsor, 1781-1808, Image 300].

¹ Christian Denissen, Genealogy of the French families of the Detroit River Region, 1701-1936 (Detroit: Detroit Society for Genealogical Research, revised edition, 1987) [although Denissen is fairly reliable for records in the Detroit area, it is less reliable than Jetté or PRDH for records from other areas; rarely lists all children born outside Detroit; and often confuses baptismal dates for birth dates. Researchers should verify birth dates with Jetté, PRDH, or the actual parish register. For most families, Denissen cuts off in the mid-1850s; René Jetté, Dictionnaire généalogique des familles du Québec des origines à 1730 (Montréal: Les Presses de l’Université de Montréal: 1983); Programme de recherche en démographie historique de l’Université de Montréal online: http://www.genealogie.umontreal.ca, hereafter PRDH [does not necessarily name all the children born in Detroit; the PRDH numbers generally refer to family sheets or certificates]; Sharon A. Kelley, editor, Marriage Records Ste. Anne Church 1701-1850 (Detroit: Detroit Society for Genealogical Research, 2001).
Marie Lallemand’s birth date and location are not known. François Beaugrand *dit* Champagne was born 4 March 1779 and baptized the following day in Berthierville (Berthier-en-Haut) [Lafrance]. Marie Lallemand and François Beaugrand *dit* Champagne had at least four children. Their ultimate fate is not known [Denissen, Vol. I, p. 68].

Children of Marie Lallemand and François Beaugrand *dit* Champagne:

- **Marie Louise [Beaugrand *dite*] Champagne** was born the night of 18 October 1807 and baptized that day in Assumption. Her godparents were Solomon Drouillard and Marie Louise Villiers, wife of Thomas Pajot [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Détroit, L’Assomption de Sandwich de Windsor, 1781-1808, Image 311 – note that Fr. Marchand mistakenly wrote Angélique Champagne in the column].

  ![](image1.png)

  **Baptism of Marie Louise Beaugrand *dite* Champagne**

Marie Louise Beaugrand *dite* Champagne died 29 September 1808 and was buried the following day in Assumption at the age of about 11 months [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Détroit, L’Assomption de Sandwich de Windsor, 1808-1820, Image 6; Denissen, Vol. I, p. 68 – mistakenly states that Marie Louise Beaugrand dit Champagne was buried 19 October 1807].

- **François Beaugrand *dit* Champagne** was born 20 January 1809 at mid-day and baptized the same day at Assumption. His godparents were Jean Baptiste Leduc and Françoise [Godet *dite*] Marentette [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Détroit, L’Assomption de Sandwich de Windsor, 1808-1820, Image 11]. François Beaugrand dit Champagne’s death date and location are not known.

  ![](image2.png)

  **Baptism of François Beaugrand *dit* Champagne**
- Antoine Beaugrand dit Champagne was born the night of 16 August 1810 and baptized the same night in Assumption. His godparents were Augustin Reneau and Victoire Beauchant [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Détroit, L’Assomption de Sandwich de Windsor, 1808-1820, Image 38]. His ultimate fate is not known.

- Élisabeth Beaugrand dite Champagne was born 30 March 1812 and baptized the following day in Assumption. Her godparents were François Boutillier and Élisabeth —— [Left blank]. [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Détroit, L’Assomption de Sandwich de Windsor, 1808-1820, Image 63].

- Élisabeth Beaugrand dite Champagne died 28 July 1812 and was buried in the new Assumption cemetery the following day [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Détroit, L’Assomption de Sandwich de Windsor, 1808-1820, Image 66].
Firmin Landry – Marguerite – a Sioux Family:

Firmin Landry, son of Charles Landry and Marie Madeleine Guérard, was born and baptized 14 February 1735 in St-François, d’Île-Orléans. His godparents were Joseph Guérard and Angélique Turcot [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, S, St-François, 1670-1798, Image 156]. Firmin Landry dit Charlot met Marguerite, a Sioux slave owned by sieur Claude Landry dit St Andre, circa 1758.

Son of Marguerite and Champagne, a voyageur:
Prior to meeting Firmin Landry dit Charlot, Marguerite had a son Pierre, by a voyageur named Champagne. Pierre was born 16 November 1753 at 8 o’clock in the evening and baptized the following day in Ste Anne’s [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Detroit, Ste Anne, 1702-1780, Image 51 – original record; www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Detroit, Ste Anne, 1704-1780, Image 180 – transcription].

Firmin Landry dit Charlot married Marguerite, a Sioux slave that had been owned by sieur Claude Landry dit St Andre, 17 July 1771 in Ste Anne’s. Sieur Landry allowed Firmin Landry to purchase Marguerite on condition that they married. At their marriage, the couple acknowledged as legitimate their two daughters. Suzanne [sic] had been born 6 June 1766. Marie Joséphe was born and baptized 28 December 1769 [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Detroit, Ste Anne, 1702-1780, Image 169].
Marriage of Firmin Landry dit Charlot and Marguerite

Marguerite, a Sioux, wife of Firmin Landry died 23 May 1773 from childbirth and was buried the following day in Ste Anne's [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Detroit, Ste Anne, 1702-1780, Image 185].
Marguerite’s Burial

Children of Firmin Landry and Marguerite:

1. **Thérèse**, daughter of Marguerite, a *panisse* slave owned by *Sieur* [Claude] Landry *dit* St. André was born 7 June 1766 at 3 o’clock in the afternoon and baptized the same day in Ste Anne’s. Her godparents were Jean Baptiste Cicotte and Thérèse Campeau [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Detroit, Ste Anne, 1702-1780, Image 136 – note that at her parent’s marriage her name was stated to be Suzanne].

2. **Marie Angélique**, daughter of Marguerite, a *panisse* slave owned by *Sieur* Claude Landry de St. Andre was born 14 December 1767 at 2 o’clock in the morning and baptized the same day in Ste Anne’s. Her godparents were *Sieur* Medart Gamelin and Thérèse Becquet Chesne [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Detroit, Ste Anne, 1702-1780, Image 149].

3. **Marie Josèphe**, son of Marguerite, a slave owned by *sieur* Claude Landry *dit* St André, was born 28 December 1769 at 6 o’clock in the morning and baptized the same day in Ste Anne’s. Her godparents were Simon Gendron and Marie Josèphe Chesne [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Detroit, Ste Anne, 1702-1780, Image 158].
4. **Antoine Landry**, son of Firmin Landry dit Charlot and Marguerite Caroline, was born 14 December 1771 at 2 o’clock in the morning and baptized the same day in Ste Anne’s. His godparents were Antoine Lefebvre dit Fabert and Thérèse Barthe [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Detroit, Ste Anne, 1702-1780, Image 174].

5. **Augustin Landry**, son of Firmin Landry and Marguerite, a Sioux, was born 19 May 1773 at 3 o’clock in the afternoon and baptized the same day in Ste Anne’s. His godparents were Augustin Ancelin and Josette Dumay [Demers] [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Detroit, Ste Anne, 1702-1780, Image 185].

6. **Firmin Landry**, son of Firmin Landry and Marguerite Sioux, died 11 June 1773 and was buried the following day in Ste Anne’s cemetery [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Detroit, Ste Anne, 1702-1780, Image 183] – the priest noted that Firmin was 2 days old but this is impossible because his mother died 23 May 1773; it is possible that the name was also an error and this could have been the burial of Augustin who was born and baptized 19 May 1773 [www.ancestry.com, Drouin Collection, D, Detroit, Ste Anne, 1702-1780, Image 183].
Burial of Firmin Landry

**Louis Laplante and a Sioux:**

**Louis Laplante**, probable son of Louis Laplante and a Native-American of the Cammanettigouia Nation, the naturel son of Louis Lériger dit Laplante who married Suzanne Hubert *dite* Lacroix, was born *circa* 1738 or 1739. He was baptized 3 July 1752 at Ste Anne’s, Mackinac. His godparents were *Mme.* Gonneville and *Mlle.* Bourassa [Marie Catherine Lériger *dite* Laplante, wife of René Bourassa and Louis’ aunt] [Ste Anne, Mackinac CD, Baptisms, 1750-1758, Image 5].

![Baptism of Louis Laplante](image)

Louis Laplante never married, although he had 10 children by one or two Native Americans named Marie. His ten children by Marie were baptized, married, or buried in the St. Lawrence settlements [*PRDH-IGD*, #89746 – Louis Laplante’s Individual Sheet].

Louis Laplante may have also had a son named Louis by a Sioux, *circa* 1774. Louis Laplante, son of *Sieur* Louis Laplante and a Sioux, was baptized 12 June 1790 at Ste Anne’s, Detroit. Louis Laplante was brought up in the home of *Sieur* Jean Baptiste François Cavalier [dit] Rangeard who acted as his father at Louis’ Baptism. His godparents were Charles François Girardin and Appoline Girardin [*www.ancestry.com*, Drouin Collection, D, Detroit, Ste Anne, 1780-1801, Image 138, Denissen, Vol. I, p. 688 – only states that he was the son of Louis Laplante and a Sioux].
Baptism of Louis Laplante, *fils*