Smith family commonplace book, undated
MC.975.03.050
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#### Preferred Citation

Smith family commonplace book (MC.975.03.050), Quaker & Special Collections, Haverford College, Haverford, PA.
Biographical note

Richard Smith (1699-1751) was born July 5, 1699 in Burlington, N.J., the son of Samuel Smith and Elizabeth Lovett. He married Abigail Rapier in August of 1719, and the couple had one child, John Smith (1722-1771). After the death of his first wife, Smith married Jane Kirkbridge in 1741. He died in November of 1751 in Berth Amboy, N.J.

John Smith (1722-1771) was born in Burlington, N.J., on January 20, 1771, the son of Richard Smith and Abigail Rapier. He married Hannah Logan on October 7, 1748 in Germantown, Pa., and the couple had four children: Sarah Logan Smith (1749), James Smith (1750), Hannah Smith (1753), and John Smith (1761). Smith died on March 26, 1771 in Burlington, N.J.

Scope and Content note

This collection is composed of the single volume commonplace book featuring writings from the Smith family. It includes a letter from Richard Smith to his children upon their mother's death, originally written in 1737, and a memorial of his wife, Hannah, the daughter of James and Sarah Logan, originally written 1763.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Haverford College Quaker & Special Collections October 2015

Use Restrictions

Standard Federal Copyright Law Applies (U.S. Title 17).

Acquisition

Unknown.

Processing Information
Related Materials

Related Materials

- MC 975.02.020 John Smith letterbooks
- MC 975.03.051 Caleb Raper commonplace book
- MC 975.02.020 John Smith letterbooks
- MC 975.11.039 Richard S. Smith deeds
- MC 1112 Wills family papers
- MC 1184 Families of Philadelphia collection

Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

- Commonplace books
- Letters
- Memorials

Subject(s)

- Quakers
- Quakers--History
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