

**Marriage Contract for Jacques Poissant & Elizabeth Magord on 23 July 1653  
at Marennes, France from the bundle 3E 3065 of notary Nicolas Aubin**

<p>Mariage Poissant Magord 23 Julliet 1653</p> <p>Sachent tous present &amp; advenir que</p> <p>Me Jacques Poissant, Sergeant Royal et Elizabeth Magord veufve de Pierre Burguet</p> <p>Residance de la presente ville de Marennes</p> <p>ledit prearle du Samuel Poissant son frere?, Jaque Sounnier? son Coussis, et la ditte prearle du Elizabeth Phillibert sa Mere?, Jaqas Cigou son Coussis</p> <p>du mariage du prearle &amp; feu Suzanne Guichard sa premier femme y a deux enfants nommez Raymond &amp; Jacques Poissant &amp; quand du mariage de ledit prearlee de feu Burguet son premier mari y a deux enfant nommez Jacques &amp; Ephilime Burguet</p>	<p>Marriage Poissant Magord 23 July 1653</p> <p>Know all present &amp; being that .....</p> <p>Monsieur Jacques Poissant, Sergeant Royal and Elizabeth Magord, the widow of Pierre Burguet</p> <p>Resident of Marennes, France</p> <p>In the presence of Samuel Poissant his brother? And Jaque Sounnier? his cousin, and of her mother Elizabeth Phillibert and her cousin Jaque Cigou?</p> <p>Of the marriage of the deceased Suzanne Guichard his first wife they had 2 children named Raymond and Jacques Poissant... Of the marriage of her and of the deceased Burguet her first husband and their 2 children named Jacques and Ephilime Burguet</p>
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**NOTES:**

- Jacques actually married Elizabeth Magord 8 months later on 25 March 1654 in the Calvinist Temple at La Tremblade, France, though they lived in Marennes. They were Huguenots. He was a Sergeant Royal in the Inferior or Lower Court in Marennes.
- Note that Elizabeth died in 1670 and she was already the widow of Jacques Poissant
- Jacques had previously married Suzanne Guichard on 31 January 1638 at Marennes
- Jacques and Suzanne's children were Raymond, Jacques, Suzanne, Jacques & Abraham
- Jacques and Elizabeth gave birth to Jacques Poissant, pioneer of La Prairie, on 12 Jul 1661 and he was baptized at the Temple in Marennes on 4 Aug 1661.
- Jacques was married in the presence of Samuel Poissant. In French, it appears to say 'fils' or son; but Jacques did not have a son Samuel, who would have been mentioned later, but he did have a brother Samuel, so I have assumed it says 'frere' or brother.
- Note the wonderful signatures of Jacques and Samuel at the end of the document!





