

Hi Julian

As you know, Rachel Levie Gomes, born in Madrid [in 1652] had a brother, Jacob Levie Gomes, who was born also in Madrid, in 1658 and married in Amsterdam in 1693:

[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3497&itemNumber=9](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3497&itemNumber=9) and

[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3497](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3497)

Jacob was uncle of Abraham Bernal, born in 1663:

[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3493&itemNumber=9](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3493&itemNumber=9) and

[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3493](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3493)

And of Jacob Bernal, born in 1670:

[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=2908&itemNumber=8](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=2908&itemNumber=8) and

[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=2908](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=2908)

These Bernal can be relatives of Benjamin Bernal, born in Sevilla in 1656

(he married Rachel Gomes, born in Bayonne, daughter of Diego Gomes\*),

whose uncle was Joseph Bernal:

[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3474&itemNumber=50](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3474&itemNumber=50) and

[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3474](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3474)

And I think that Jacob Levie is called also uncle of Salomon Baruch Louzada, born in 1678:

[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=2747&itemNumber=7](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=2747&itemNumber=7) and

[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=2747](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=2747)

\* Diego Gomes can be a brother of Clara Gomes, born in Rouen, France, in 1610:

[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3785&itemNumber=51](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3785&itemNumber=51) and

[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3785](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3785)

And brother also of Abigael Gomes, born also in Rouen in 1610:

[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3786&itemNumber=52](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3786&itemNumber=52) and

[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3786](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3786)

Both of them, Clara and Abigael, married men born in Segovia, Spain.

It seems that Jacob and Rachel Levie Gomes had a sister named Ester Levie Gomes, who married in 1692 and was born in Madrid too in 1662:

[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3454&itemNumber=6](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3454&itemNumber=6) and

[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3454](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3454)

Her mother, witness of her marriage, was called Abigael.

Ester Levie, born in 1657, could be also a sister of them:

[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3189&itemNumber=41](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3189&itemNumber=41) and  
[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3189](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3189)

She had a brother named David, and married to Mozes Gomes Porto, born in Bordeaux in 1659 and brother of Abraham de Porto.

This David can be David Levie, married in 1684 in Amsterdam born in 1648, son of Abigael Levie, witness of his marriage:  
[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3243&itemNumber=0](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3243&itemNumber=0) and  
[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3243](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3243)

So, their mother, Abigael, was likely in Madrid at least in 1652, 1658 and 1662, and perhaps in 1648 and 1657. If she was alive in (1684 and) 1692 in Amsterdam and had a child in 1648, she could be born about 1625/1630. But it seems [as you wrote] that in 1677 she lived in Madrid:  
[http://www.barrow-lousada.org/references\\_and\\_sources.htm](http://www.barrow-lousada.org/references_and_sources.htm) > > 101

It is interesting that one Gomes Moreno was born also in Madrid in those years:  
David Gomes Morenu, son of Joseph Gomes Morenu, in 1662:  
[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3248&itemNumber=42](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3248&itemNumber=42) and  
[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3248](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3248)

He had a sister called Rachel Gomes Morenu, born in 1658:  
[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3245&itemNumber=0](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3245&itemNumber=0) and  
[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3245](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3245)

Perhaps Esther Gomes Silveira, born in Arevalo, Segovia, Spain, in 1660, daughter of Sara Ximenes, was a relative of the Levie Gomes:  
[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3422&itemNumber=49](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3422&itemNumber=49) and  
[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3422](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3422)

It is very probable that Abraham Gomes Silveira, born in Castille in 1656 was a brother of her.  
[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3499](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3499)

Ribca Gomes, born in Sevilla in 1649, had an uncle named Emanuel(=Manuel) de Lara:  
[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3218&itemNumber=42](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3218&itemNumber=42) and  
[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3218](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3218)

She could be a daughter of Isaac Gomes, born also in Seville in 1606, and Ribca da Veiga, born in Lisbon in 1622, who married in 1648:  
[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3809&itemNumber=55](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3809&itemNumber=55) and  
[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3809](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3809)

Isaac is named Diego Gomes Mendes in  
[http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim\\_wit\\_tim/E\\_S\\_Getuigen\\_detail.asp?key=3889&itemNumber=56](http://www.akevoth.org/tim/sephardim_wit_tim/E_S_Getuigen_detail.asp?key=3889&itemNumber=56) and

[http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim\\_sephard\\_marriages/amsterdam\\_tim\\_sephard\\_marriages\\_view.php?editid1=3889](http://www.dutchjewry.org/phpr/amsterdam/tim_sephard_marriages/amsterdam_tim_sephard_marriages_view.php?editid1=3889)

In the Sephardim marriages in Amsterdam there are 51 grooms born in Madrid between 1605 and 1700, and 39 brides between 1620 and 1700.

Cheers,

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