

**“Rosina sailed from Le Havre France to America on the ship "JUVENTA," arriving June 9, 1854. She came with her sister, Christine. A brother, two other sisters, and her mother came at different times. An uncle, John Wolf, had emigrated between 1836 and 1842 and lived in York Co., PA.”** (Excerpt from Spade Family in America website.)



**The Juventa was of U.S. registry and had the capacity to carry a load of 1,187 tons. Its rigging type classified it as a ship and was built at Thomaston, ME. The ship was owned by the Eastern Star Line & the Black Diamond Line.**

(Courtesy of Chris Christianson, from the Clegg Family History.)

*The nearest record to the “**Juventa**” entering a port of the United States on June 9, 1854, that I could find, was the “**Invanta**” entering the harbor of New York. One must take a “leap of faith” and assume that this was a mis-transcription of a poorly handwritten record since there is no Maritime record of a ship named the “**Invanta**.” But there is a record of the “**Juventa**,” and it*

*could be assumed that someone mistakenly transcribed a sloppy “J” as an “I,” a sloppy “u” as an “n,” and an obscure “e” as an “a,” arriving at “Invanta” as an interpretation. Such mistakes are commonly found when conducting research of any kind that involves information recorded before the advent of the typewriter. The accuracy of the information hinged entirely on the legibility of the recorder’s cursive. An exhaustive search results in the preceding picture being the most-likely mode of transportation that Rosina Wolf took emigrating to America in 1853.*

**1853 German Application for Emigration to America for Rosina Dorothea Wolf and siblings.**

District: Backnang  
Name: Wolf, Rosina Dorothea  
Birth Date: 9 Apr 1832  
Birth Place: Murrhardt  
Application Date: Jul 1853  
Destination: America  
Number: 548410

District: Backnang  
Name: Wolf, Christine Friederike  
Birth Date: 7 Oct 1835  
Birth Place: Murrhardt  
Application Date: Jul 1853  
Destination: America  
Number: 548410

District: Backnang  
Name: Wolf, Johann Bernhard  
Birth Date: 9 Jul 1830  
Birth Place: Murrhardt  
Application Date: Jul 1853  
Destination: America  
Number: 548410

Partial passenger manifest of the "Juventa" entering New York harbor June 19<sup>th</sup>, 1854.

Note:

**Surname *Wolf*:**

Name: Rosine Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1830  
Age: 24  
Gender: Female  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Baviere  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 33  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Sophie Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1830  
Age: 24  
Gender: Female  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Baviere  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 9  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Suzanne Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1823  
Age: 31  
Gender: Female  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Baviere  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 11  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Cathrine Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1817  
Age: 37  
Gender: Female  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Baviere  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 18  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Margarethe Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1853  
Age: 0 Age Months: 11  
Gender: Female  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Baviere  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 14  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Philippine Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1849  
Age: 5 Age  
Months: 6  
Gender: Female  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Baviere  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 20  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: George Wolf Jr  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1833  
Age: 21  
Gender: Male  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Württemberg  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 8  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Jacob Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1835  
Age: 19  
Gender: Male  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Württemberg  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 6  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Agnes Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1825  
Age: 29  
Gender: Male  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Württemberg  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 7  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Carl Louis Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1823  
Age: 31  
Gender: Male  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Baviere

Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 10  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Carl Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1847  
Age: 7  
Age Months: 6  
Gender: Male  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Baviere  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 19  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Friedr Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1852  
Age: 2  
Age Months: 6  
Gender: Male  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Baviere  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 21  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Georg fr Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1784  
Age: 70  
Gender: Male  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Baviere  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 16  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Ph peter Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1849  
Age: 5  
Gender: Male  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Baviere  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 13  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Wilhelm Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1817  
Age: 37  
Gender: Male  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Baviere  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 17  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717

Name: Christine Wolf  
Arrival Date: 19 Jun 1854  
Estimated Birth Year: 1835  
Age: 19  
Gender: Female  
Port of Departure: Le Havre, France  
Destination: New York  
Place of Origin: Württemberg  
Ship Name: Invanta  
Port of Arrival: New York  
Line: 10  
Microfilm Roll: 141  
List Number: 717