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April 21, 1975

San Fernando Cathedral
114 Military Plaza
San Antonio, Texas

Dear Sirs;

I am enclosing a copy of a "Certificate" of the marriage of Santiago Bowie and Ursula de Beramendi. I received this copy from Reverend Joseph Nuevo, C.M.F. in 1974.

It has been called to my attention that there may be a mistake in copying from the original.

First, Chabot with makes of San Antonio page 246 states that on April 25, 1831 Bowie was married to Ursula Maria de veramendi (small v) by Father Refugio de la Garza. The same priest who baptized him in 1828 read the marriage ceremony; Jose Angel Navarro and Juana Francisco(?) Bueno standing sponsors for the marriage.

I would appreciate if possible a photostat copy of the original entry and if not a corrected copy. I would also appreciate the last name of the other witness, Jesus _____?

Secondly, Chabot states that on "June 26, 1828" Bowie was baptized into the Roman Catholic Church. Juan Martin and Joseph Navarro de Veramendi standing sponsors in baptism and that he was baptized by the priest "Refugio de la Garza". The copy that was sent to me reads "Refugio de la Garcia".

I am sending a check for \$10.00 to assist in this matter. I would appreciate if possible a photostat of both the

1. Bowie Baptism June 26, 1828
2. The Marriage April 25, 1831

If you could not send me a photostat copy of both items above then send me a copy of the records.

Thank you,


Dr. Hector P. Garcia

Enclosure 1. copy certificate of marriage

Certificate of Marriage

San Fernando Cathedral
 114 Military Plaza
 San Antonio, Texas

This is to Certify

That Santiago Bowie
 and Ursula de Beramendi
 were lawfully Married
 on the 25 day of April 19831
 According to the Rite of the Roman Catholic Church
 and in conformity with the laws of the State of Texas
 Rev. Refugio de la Garcia officiating,
 in the presence of Jose Angel Navarro
 and Jesus Vias Witnesses,
 as appears from the Marriage Register of this Church.
 Date Oct. 7, 1970
Rev. Joseph Nuevo, C.M.F. Rector

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PAY TO THE ORDER OF

San Fernando Cathedral

April 21, 1975 ⁸⁸⁻⁴¹⁰ ₁₁₄₉

\$ 10⁰⁰

Ten and no cents

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HECTOR P. GARCIA M.D.



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For copies historical records on James (Santiago) Bowie etc.

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