*A Midwife’s Tale* People

* Laurel Thatcher Ulrich, modern day historian
* Martha Ballard- wife, mother, midwife, diary writer
* Ephraim Ballard- Martha’s husband

 Their Children:

* Cyrus
* Lucy
* Jonathan
* Hannah
* Dolly
* Ephraim, Junior
* Parthenia, Martha’s niece
* Joseph North, judge
* Sally, Johnathan’s girlfriend

Vocabulary

* Tarry- to stay or wait
* Expire- to die or end
* Laudanum- pain relieving drug (related to opium & morphine)
* Daughter- pronounced like “daufter”