

# ROBERTSON Family of St Stephen NB & Maine

## First Generation

### 1. William ROBERTSON was born est 1810 in , , Scotland.

The only evidence of William and Jenny, is son William's d-cert saying they were born Scotland; unknown if they came to America.

It does not seem like the Robertsons were merely destitute escapees from famines. William 1833 had a skilled job as ship carpenter. William 1857 was a sea captain commandeering his own ships. William 1885 was a 32nd degree Freemason, the highest level that they have, as well as other specialty subgroups like the Scottish Rite.

William married **Jenny MITCHELL**. Jenny was born est 1810 in , , Scotland.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 2 M i. **William ROBERTSON** was born 20 May 1833 in , , Northern Ireland and died 7 Feb 1913 in Westborough, Worcester, MA.
- 3 M ii. **James ROBERTSON** was born in Jan 1834 in , , Northern Ireland and died 15 Jan 1915 in Portland, Multanomah, OR.  
1900 Portland census says he was born Canada [Eng], parents b Scotland. He is a ship carpenter in each ensus. 1880 Portland however says that he and parents are b Nova Scotia. 1910 says he is b NS. No children. Is this really OUR Robertson?  
James married **Nellie** in 1876. Nellie was born in Nov 1853 in , , WI and died after 1910 in Portland, Multanomah, OR.

## Second Generation (Children)

### 2. William ROBERTSON (*William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 20 May 1833 in , , Northern Ireland and died 7 Feb 1913 in Westborough, Worcester, MA.

1860 Calais census Wd 5 813/827 has William Robertson 28 ship carpenter b Ireland, Rebecca 25 NB, William 3 NB, James 1 NB, Matilda McCullough 17 NB servant, Archibald McBride 45, John McBride 40 both ship carpenters b Ireland, and others. Right next door 812/826 is William P Robertson 44 surveyor of lumber b NY, Sarah 34 NB, and ch all b NB: Harriet L 12, Sarah J 10, William A 7, Mary A 5, Henrietta 2.

1870 Calais census Ward 5 742/955: William Robertson 38 Ireland shipbuilding, Rebecca 34 Canada, William 13 Can, James 11 Can, Jessie 9 ME, Annie 7 ME, Bertha 5 ME, Mary 3 ME. Ward 4 596/789 has another William Robertson 50 surveys lumber b NY, Sarah 44 Can, ch Harriet 21, William A 17, and Mary 15 all b Can, and Henrietta 12, Levina 9, Annetta 7, and Beverly 4 all b ME.

1880 Bath ME Ward 7 census, High St 193/226: William Robertson 48 ship carpenter Ire-3, Rebecca 45 NB-Ire-Ire, James 21 blacksmith NB, Jessie 18 ME, Annie 17 ME, Bertha 15 ME, Mary 13 ME, William 23 mariner NB.

1900 Groton, New London CT 476/565: both can read/write English; William Robertson 68 Apr 1832 M45 Ire-Scotland-Scotland, rents, ship carpenter, imm 1842 58y in US Alien; Rebecca 66 July 1833 M45 6-6 Can (Eng) - Scotland-Scotland, imm 1850 50y in US.

It appears that Rebecca died at daughter Bertha's house.

Westboro D/C: William Robertson, mar shipbuilder, died at 28 Blake St, age 80,9,13 born 20 May 1833 in Ireland; 1900 census had given April 1832. Parents William Robertson & Jenny Mitchell, both b Scotland. Inf Mrs A A Robinson, Westboro. He died at 6 AM of acute dilation right ventricle of the heart, and mitral regurgitation, several years. Buried Lot 22 Pine Grove Cem Westborough, an 18 acre cemetery begun in 1844, on 106 South St (Rt 135). Westborough borders the northern edge of Upton.

Rebecca's D/C: died Malden May 29, 1918 at home, age 81y, 9m, 2d. This would make her b August 27, 1836, but 1900 census says July 1833 and other censuses agree. I used the 2-days and added 27 to her birthdate.

William married **Rebecca MACFARLANE**, daughter of **John MACFARLANE** and **Ann McCULLOUGH**, about 1856 in St Andrews, Charlotte, NB. Rebecca was born 27 Jul 1833 in Bayside-St Andrews, Charlotte, NB and died 29 May 1918 in Malden, Middlesex, MA.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 4 M i. **William ROBERTSON** was born 4 Sep 1857 in St Andrews, Charlotte, NB and died 11 Jul 1930 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.
- + 5 M ii. **James ROBERTSON** was born in 1859 in St Andrews, Charlotte, NB and died after 1940 in New Haven, New Haven, CT.
- 6 F iii. **Jessie Frances ROBERTSON** was born in Jun 1863 in Calais, Washington, ME and died 18 Jul 1919 in Haverhill, Essex, MA.  
MA VR confirms correct person. Westboro marriages Harry W Smalley 22 of Westboro bookkeeper b at sea (Gulf of Siam) to Leonard D Smalley & Ellen H; md 1 Jan 1883 Jessie F Robertson 21 of

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Bath ME at home b Calais ME to William & Rebecca Robertson. His death not found in MA Deaths to 1910. Jessie is buried in Marlborough Pine Grove Cem with her parents.

1900 Framingham, Middlesex MA census 102/108: Henry Smalley 39 Dec 1860 M10 0-0 b at sea-MA-MA, rents, straw hat mfr; Jessie F 36 June 1863 M10 ME-NB-NB.

1910 Boston wd 5, Suffolk MA census 60/75 701 Washington St: Arthur M Euraious? 29 M1 2y MA-NH-NY; Helen M wife 28 M1 2y 1-1 MA-3, Helen E dau 1 6/12 MA; Jessie F Smalley aunt 46 wd 0-0 ME-3.

1920 Hopkinton Middlesex MA 211/233 Wood St: J Frances Smalley 57 wd ME-3 patient of Margaret A Milligan 37 Can (Eng)-3.

Jessie married **Harry W SMALLEY** 1 Jan 1883 in Westborough, Worcester, MA. Harry was born in Dec 1860 in Ship In Gulf Of Siam and died before 1910.

- + 7 F iv. **Annie I ROBERTSON** was born in Apr 1864 in Calais, Washington, ME and died in 1920-1930.
- + 8 F v. **Bertha Lillian ROBERTSON** was born in Mar 1866 in Calais, Washington, ME and died in 1931-1939 in Malden, Middlesex, MA.
- + 9 F vi. **Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON** was born 18 May 1868 in Calais, Washington, ME and died 10 Dec 1941 in Upton, Worcester, MA.

## Third Generation (Grandchildren)

**4. William ROBERTSON** (*William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born 4 Sep 1857 in St Andrews, Charlotte, NB and died 11 Jul 1930 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

Health notes from Mary Alward: William Robertson died from a prostate gland operation. Height about 5' 6" weight 180 lbs, not bald.

1896 M/C: Elizabeth is 35 spinster of/b Dufferin, dau of John & Jennie, Church of England, m at Christ Church Anglican St Stephen. William is wd 39 sea captain, res NYC, b Dufferin, Congregational, par William & Rebecca, father a farmer. Wit: John McBride of Dufferin & Ellen Gregory of St Stephen.

William sailed twice around the world. He shipped lumber from Calais to NYC. Old St Andrews records burned. Elizabeth was an aunt of John R McBride.

Cousin Phyllis Best wrote 3/29/2005: Read some of the history of City Island and found that it was quite a seafaring town and many seaman's families lived there---so maybe it was a port in a storm for Alice, since she was pregnant.

William married **Alice Florilla SAFFORD**, daughter of **Hiram SAFFORD** and **Ruby JUMPER**, 13 Aug 1884 in Bath, Sagadahoc, ME. Alice was born 16 Aug 1852 in Dexter, Penobscot, ME and died 29 Sep 1890 in City Island, Bronx, NY.

Died of a heart clot 2 weeks following childbirth.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 10 M i. **William Lewis ROBERTSON** was born 27 Jun 1885 in West Upton, Worcester, MA and died 10 Oct 1947 in Gardiner, Kennebec, ME.
- + 11 F ii. **Brooxie Belle ROBERTSON** was born 22 Dec 1887 in Baltimore, Baltimore, MD and died 30 Dec 1964 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.
- + 12 F iii. **Alice Safford ROBERTSON** was born 14 Sep 1890 in City Island, Bronx, NY and died 6 Jan 1982 in Whitinsville (Northbridge), Worcester, MA.

William next married **Janet Elizabeth McBRIDE**, daughter of **John McBRIDE** and **Jennie**, 31 Dec 1896 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB. Janet was born in 1861 in Dufferin, Charlotte, NB and died 23 Apr 1934 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

1881 Dufferin census Mary E 30 NB, parents John & Jenny both 62 b Ireland; Church of England

**5. James ROBERTSON** (*William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1859 in St Andrews, Charlotte, NB and died after 1940 in New Haven, New Haven, CT.

1900 New Haven, New Haven CT census, 164 Ferry St 261/467: James Robertson 38 May 1862 M14 ME-3 blacksmith; Winnifred 38 July 1861 M14 6-4 Ire-3; Bertha 12 Oct 1887 CT; James 11 Jan 1889; John 4 Sept 1895; Mary 2 May 1898.

1910 New Haven wd 9, New Haven CT census, 485 Orchard St 244/409: James Robertson 30 M1 23y Maryland-3 [sic] blacksmith own shop; Winifred 42 M1 23y 2-2 Maryland-3; Bertha 21 dau CT sales lady dry goods; James 16 son CT.

1920 New Haven wd 9, New Haven CT census Winchester Ave apt house Fam 83: John F Kemp 35 NY-3 overseer gun factory; Bertha 30 CT-ME-Ire; Winifred M 2 11/12. Fam 84 is James H Robertson 63 ME-Ire-Scotland blacksmith wire mill; Winifred S 65 Ire-3; James C 30 CT foreman gun factory married; John H 24 CT

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salesman dry goods single; Mary J 21 CT single; Janet B granddau 7 CT-3; James L 6 grandson CT-3.  
1930 New Haven, New Haven CT census 73/75: James 70 is a blacksmith in a gun factory. Winifred 71 is Ire-3.  
Son John is 33 single.  
In same apartment house 73/76 is John F Kemp 47 NY-3 gun factory foreman; Bertha wife 41 CT-ME-Irish Free State; Winifred dau 13 CT; James L Robertson nephew 16 CT-3.  
With so many James Robertsons and the varying ages and birthplaces in this family's census records, we need an actual record tying them to William & Rebecca.

James married **Winifred** in 1886. Winifred was born in Jul 1861 in , , Ireland and died after 1940 in New Haven, New Haven, CT.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 13 F i. **Bertha J ROBERTSON** was born in Oct 1887 in , , CT and died after 1940.
- + 14 M ii. **James C ROBERTSON** was born in Jan 1889 in , , CT and died 30 Nov 1962 in New Haven, New Haven, CT.
- 15 M iii. **John H ROBERTSON** was born 21 Sep 1895 in New Haven, New Haven, CT and died 6 Oct 1975 in Rocky Hill, New Haven, CT.  
1917 WWI Draft registration gives birth date/place, res 90 Shelton Ave, New Haven, drygoods salesman for Edw Malley Co New Haven, single, weak kidneys; medium height, slender build, blue eyes, lt brown hair.  
CT Death Index on Ancestry gives death date age 80 widowed, res New Haven. State File #20428.
- 16 F iv. **Mary J ROBERTSON** was born in May 1898 in , , CT.

**7. Annie I ROBERTSON** (*William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Apr 1864 in Calais, Washington, ME and died in 1920-1930.

1900 Seattle wd 7 King WA census 1516 Madison St 117/130: James F Wetherbee 40 Nov 1859 M19 ME-Can (Eng)-Can(Eng) shipyard blacksmith; Annie R 36 Apr 1864 M19 1-1 ME-Ire-Can; Harold I? son 18 May 1882 ME.  
1920 Bremerton Ward 1, Kitsap, WA census: James F Wetherbee Owns 60 ME-Eng-Can navy yeard blacksmith; Annie R 55 ME-Ire-Can.  
1860 Bath ME census 242/233: James F is 7/12 b ME, par Timothy Weatherbee 31 blacksmith & Elizabeth 31, both b PEI. 1870 and 1880 also in Bath; father is NS-3 and mother is NB-Scotland-Scotland.  
1930 San Diego CA census 715 Broadway St 1/1: one of 23 lodgers, James F Wetherbee 70 wd ME-NB-NB. Listed right before him is Robert Robertson 55 single Scotland-3.

Annie married **James Frank WETHERBEE** about 1881. James was born in Nov 1859 in Bath, Sagadahoc, ME and died after 1930 in San Diego, San Diego, CA.

The child from this marriage was:

- 17 M i. **Harold Lee WETHERBEE** was born 2 May 1882 in Bath, Sagadahoc, ME and died 14 Dec 1955 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, CA.  
WWI Draft registration gives his full name and birthdate, wife Lillian Agusta, res 3114 Main, Vancouver, Clarke, WA, machinist at steel shipyard G M Standufer in Vancouver; tall height, slender build, brown eyes and hair.  
B/D dates from CA Death Index 1940-1997 on Ancestry.  
1920 Seattle King WA census, 713 E North Lake 182/201: Harold Weatherbee owns 37 ME-3 general marine machinist; Lillian A 33 AZ-Germany-Germany.  
Harold married **Lillian Agusta**. Lillian was born in 1886 in , , AZ and died in 1920-1930 in Seattle, King, WA.

**8. Bertha Lillian ROBERTSON** (*William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Mar 1866 in Calais, Washington, ME and died in 1931-1939 in Malden, Middlesex, MA.

1900 Portsmouth Rockingham NH wd 1 census 65/67: Norman R Bell 34 Feb 1866 M9y NY-3 painter; Bertha L wife 34 Mar 1866 M9 1-1 ME-Ire-Can(eng); Bertha F 6 Feb 1894 ME. Bertha's middle name provided on daughter's b/c.  
1920 Malden wd5 Middlesex MA census, 46 Auburn St 20/20: Norman Bell owns 52 NY-3 navy yard painter; Bertha 52 ME-Ire-NB; Frances dau 25 single ME.  
1930 Malden wd 4: Norman Bell 64 m at 25 NY-3, Bertha 57 M at 17 ME-Scotland-Can; Bertha F dau 26 [sic] dau single.  
1940 Melrose MA census 16 Hillcrest St same as 1935: Norman Bell 74 wd NY painter rents \$35 grade 8, Bertha dau single 46 ME grade 4.

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Bertha married **Norman R BELL** about 1891. Norman was born in Feb 1866 in City Island, Bronx, NY and died after 1940 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.

The child from this marriage was:

- 18 F i. **Bertha Frances BELL** was born 6 Feb 1894 in Bath, Sagadahoc, ME.  
B/C.

**9. Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON** (*William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 18 May 1868 in Calais, Washington, ME and died 10 Dec 1941 in Upton, Worcester, MA.

Ancestry tree available from pmacdonald125. Albert is the son of Leonard Robinson 1831 Sebec ME -1917 Bath ME & Olive D Baker 1834 NB -1921 Bath ME.

Marriage record not found in Maine Marriage Index 1892-2009, or in MA marriages. They are buried in Pine Grove Cem in Marlborough.

Hi Roland---always glad to find another relative. I am not of the Safford line I am a Robinson, and doing that history too. My grandmother Mary Eleanor Robertson who married Albert A. Robinson of Bath, ME, was the youngest daughter of Wm. and Rebecca McFarland---and his father, Wm. married to Jennie Mitchell is the dead end for me right now. Do you have any information on them, by chance?

I just got a copy of Mary's marriage certificate, 1889, from a long lost cousin who lives in Hawaii. Last saw him in 1938 in Baltimore. On the certificate Mary claims to be from City Island, NY altho her family was from Bath, ME. I just wondered what she was doing in City Island---maybe she eloped---and then I remembered Alice Safford died there the next year and wondered if maybe she was living with them. Not too important in the genealogy scheme---I am just curious. I have been searching for a marriage record for them for a long time with no luck, and another cousin told me she thought there was something funny about the marriage as Grandma Mary had made some remarks to her when she(the cousin) was young.

How are you related to Alice Florilla Safford? I am interested in William, her husband and the ships he captained. I have a picture supposedly of him that I got in NB but do not know which man he is. Do you have any pictures? I could send it in another email if you think you could identify him.

The last entry---James Robertson, b. 1834, d. 1915---I just found and am pretty sure it is our James. I am in the process of sending for his death certificate from OR. Will let you know what I find out. Phyllis Best March 2005 [PABest@aol.com](mailto:PABest@aol.com)

Phyllis sent the marriage certificate of Albert A Robinson of Bath & Mame? E Robertson of City Island NY, married by William P Estes, Pastor M E Church City Island. Mary died of Coronary Insufficiency.

Mary married **Albert Leonard Augustus ROBINSON** 19 Jun 1889 in City Island, Bronx, NY. Albert was born 24 Apr 1865 in Boston, Suffolk, MA and died 29 Apr 1944 in Detroit, Wayne, MI.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 19 M i. **Albert Smalley ROBINSON** was born 9 Apr 1893 in South Framingham, Middlesex, MA and died 18 Oct 1947 in Detroit, Wayne, MI.
- + 20 M ii. **Harold Burton ROBINSON** was born 19 Nov 1895 in Framingham, Middlesex, MA and died 5 Jul 1967 in St Charles, Kane, IL.
- + 21 M iii. **Edgar Russell ROBINSON** was born 27 May 1897 in Framingham, Middlesex, MA and died 10 Jul 1950 in Merchantville, Camden, NJ.

## Fourth Generation (Great-Grandchildren)

**10. William Lewis ROBERTSON** (*William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 27 Jun 1885 in West Upton, Worcester, MA and died 10 Oct 1947 in Gardiner, Kennebec, ME.

William's birth is reported as 27 June 1886 in later years, but the original birth record is in 1885 Upton birth records. The Grand Lodge of Freemasons can be reached via [grandlodge@mainemasons.org](mailto:grandlodge@mainemasons.org) and their website has a growing selection of records. Chuck Ridlon of Maine Masons emailed Roland: "Their website has his initial card from Waterville Lodge 33, he took his 1st degree in May 25, 1914; his 2nd degree June 8, 1914; and his 3rd degree, June 15th, 1914. Usually they have to wait 2 weeks between degrees, so this tells me maybe he was leaving for the service so they only left 1 week between his 2nd & 3rd degree."

WWI Draft registration res 62 Burleigh in Waterville, b Upton MA, Civil Engineer for Central Maine Power in Waterville, has wife and child, was a Sargent in Canadian Infantry; medium height and build, blue eyes, dark red hair. Family: 5'11", balding. Carole adds, strawberry blonde to red brown hair.

William graduated from the University of New Brunswick. Birth recorded in Upton VR v360 p386, year 1885 confirmed. Birth record has parents as William Robertson b ME & Alice F Roberts b Dexter ME (sic; she probably said her married name Robertson, then changed it, but the clerk had already started writing it. Alice

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Florilla Safford WAS b Dexter.). William m2 Helen Elwell (Mrs Cousens) in Gardiner ME 15 June 1940. She m3) Howard Kelley (10 Jan 1891 - April 1983 Warwick RI). Helen and Howard would come to East Rochester to visit the Rhoades family occasionally.

William Lewis Robertson's d/c says he resided at 3 Cobbossee Ave; his wife Helen Cousens was 49; he was b West Upton Mass, and he was District Supt CMP Co. His father was a sea captain b NB and mother Alice Safford b NB [sic]. He died of Pulmonary thrombosis, and prostate cancer. His prostate cancer metastasized to his ribs (which broke when he tried to get out of the car) and spine.

Memories from Muriel: How did he meet Helen and where did the big house on the hill (133 Cobbossee Ave) come from? Helen might have been one of the housekeepers. They lived on Central St/Water St in Gardiner, house belonged to Helen, it was a Cousens' house. She worked in a factory office on Water St. Helen's mother was nice, they called her Nana. Muriel and Martha mowed the big steep lawn by hand. William remodeled the house. It burned ca 2010 and was rebuilt.

Carole Hanson Guentert writes in her book *Hansons of York Maine*, p84-92: "Will introduced an unpopular step-mother into the Robertson girls' lives when he remarried a few years later. I remember Grandfather Robertson as a tall friendly man (Mom's childhood friend Edith Sanborn described him as "impressive"), who brought 3-foot tall dolls to Peggy and me for Christmas and on our birthdays. He was married to Helen Cousens by that time, and I spent time at their house on the hill in Gardiner Maine (Cobbossee Stream) in the summertime, though my mother never liked her step-mother, and we weren't allowed to either. My mother could really hold a grudge about that, but it may have been well-deserved.

Mom would tell of the huge strawberry shortcakes that her Dad would serve up in soup bowls, because he didn't want his girls to suffer deprivation like he did when he was a boy. When his father remarried, his step-mother cut him off from any financial help for college, so he got a loan from his employer, Ganong's Candy factory in St Stephen NB. Some letters from William are also reproduced in the book.

From MAINE BIOGRAPHIES, republished 2002 in two volumes, was originally published as v3 of Maine Resources, Attractions, and it's People, by Harrie B Coe 1928, v1 p379:

William Lewis Robertson, civil engineer and public utility executive of Skowhegan Maine, was born in West Upton Massachusetts, June 27, 1886, the son of William and Alice Safford Robertson. His father was born in New Brunswick Canada but his mother, died in 1891, was born in Dexter Maine.

Educated in the public schools of New Brunswick Canada, and in the University of New Brunswick, and having qualified as a civil engineer, William Lewis Robertson spent 13 years in municipal employment in the construction of highways, and then specialized in hydroelectric hydro-electric engineering, while continuing his work in general engineering. He was associated with Green and Wilson, civil engineers of Waterville Maine in 1903, later with the Canada and Gulf Terminal Railroad Company, and then with the New Brunswick Hydro-electric Company. On November 2, 1915, he became identified with the engineering department of the Central Maine Power Company, and was assistant superintendent of the Bath district in 1919, where he served until September 1923, when he was promoted to be superintendent of the Skowhegan district.

He is a 32nd degree Free and Accepted Mason; and of all affiliated bodies, and is Past Commander of Dunlap Commandery, Knights Templar, of Bath Maine, and is also a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and of the Rotary Club of Skowhegan.

William L Robertson married Edith M Leavitt, daughter of Joseph C and Ellura Stinneford Leavitt, at Waterville Maine, November 11, 1914. Her parents were both born in Cambridge Maine. Their children: 1. Marguerite, born October 30, 1916, at Waterville Maine. 2. Jeanette, on October 8, 1918, at Bath Maine.

Obituary from old newspaper clipping:

William L Robertson, Gardiner CMP Company Superintendent Dies

Gardiner - William L Robertson died early Friday morning at the Gardiner General Hospital where he had been a patient for the past eight weeks. He had been in failing health for the past four months. He was born June 27, 1886, in West Upton Massachusetts, the son of William and Alice Safford Robertson.

He is survived by his wife, Helen Cousens Robertson; four daughters, Mrs. James Hanson of York Village; Jeannette Robertson, R.N. of Nashua New Hampshire; Muriel and Martha Robertson of Gardiner; one stepdaughter Mrs. Richard Dyer of Newport Rhode Island; one sister, Mrs. John McBride of St. Stephens New Brunswick; three grandchildren and nieces.

Mr. Robertson was graduated from the University of New Brunswick in 1913 where he obtained a civil engineer's degree. He has been employed by the Central Maine Power Company for 32 years. He had been employed at their offices in Bath, Waterville and Skowhegan and for the past 11 years was district superintendent at the Gardiner office.

He was a member of Waterville Lodge, No. 33, F and A.M.; Tacconnet Chapter, No. 52, R.A.M. of Waterville; Council of Royal And Select Masons of Skowhegan; Dunlap Commandery of Bath; Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Valley of Augusta; Maine Consistory S.P.R.S. 32nd degree, Valley of Portland. He was a member of DeBouillon Conclave No. 2, Knights of Red Cross of Constantine, Gardiner; past commander of Dunlap Commandery of Bath; past sovereign of Augusta Council Princes of Jerusalem.

He was past president of the Gardiner and Skowhegan Rotary clubs; treasurer of the Maine State Fair Association; race Commissioner for Windsor Fair and had been connected with Windsor Fair for many years.

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He was a member of the official board of The Highland Avenue Methodist Church and president of the Brotherhood of the church. He was a member of the Board of Trade and the Gardiner Merchants Association. Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at two o'clock at The Highland Avenue Methodist Church. Friends may call at Staples Funeral Home, Brunswick Avenue. Additional information from the funeral notice: The Rev. David R Hickland, pastor officiated, assisted by the Rev. Ondon C Stairs of the Winter Street Baptist Church. Honorary and active bearers represented business and other affiliations with which the deceased was connected. Representatives from various Masonic bodies in cities and towns where the late Mr. Robertson was active attended in a group. Burial was in the family lot at the Waterville Pine Grove Cemetery.

William married **Edith Maude LEAVITT**, daughter of **Joseph Calvin LEAVITT** and **Ellura Mae STINNEFORD**, 11 Nov 1914 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME. Edith was born 25 Oct 1889 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 2 Oct 1936 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.

1930 Skowhegan p225 taken 14 Apr. resides 101 East Leavitt St. 106/117: William L Robertson 43, own home value \$7500, radio, M29 MA-ME-ME, Supt Electric Power Co Code 17362, Veteran No, Language code 53, everyone else 50. Edith L 41 M26, Marguerite E 13, Jeannette A 10, Muriel R 1 1/12, Ellura M Leavitt mother-in-law 69 wd.

They lived in the same location in 1935, per labelled family photos. The PO says the post-911 address is now 30 E Leavitt St. Photo is on google maps and says it was a large house 1572 sq ft 8 rooms, 3 beds built in 1890, with a garage/barn, lot size .54 acre.

Edith & William are buried in the family plot with her parents at Pine Grove Cemetery Lot 548, Waterville. The April 1 1926 Kennebec Journal p2 has the Skowhegan local news, with an article headlined "Easter Concert at Federated Church". Mrs Edith Robertson played "Faith", and Jeannette Robertson was one of the "Lilies of the Field".

Genetic tree: 5'0"; wt 100; brown hair; septicaemia, possibly acutely infected gall bladder attack. Cousin Carole Guentert adds, On Edith, I heard via Mom that she died of septicemia after her gall bladder surgery as her older retired former employer Dr E. P. Fish, did the surgery as a favor and left "the proverbial sponge" in the surgical site, causing the massive infection. He realized he was too old to be performing surgery, but she wouldn't have anyone else do it. Daughter Marguerite was at her hospital bedside when she passed.

Carole also adds (p84 of her book Hansons of York Maine, "I found that my maternal grandmother, Edith Leavitt Robertson, kept a Shakespeare birthday book with both joyous and sad entries. She made shorthand entries in her memory book on Jan 11 and 18, 1914 that read "Will spoke to me but I decided it was best to wait a month but I only waited a week" and "Will asked me to be his wife. I would not have the slightest idea that he cared for me. I feel sure that he does love me." On Jan 25, 1914, Edith entered "I had my ring. It was put on with a kiss. I think it's a beauty. I do love him." She never entered their wedding date, Nov 11, 1914 in this book."

Children from this marriage were:

- + 22 F i. **Marguerite "Marge" Edith ROBERTSON** was born 31 Oct 1916 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME and died 11 Mar 1990 in York, York, ME.
- + 23 F ii. **Jeannette "Jean" Alice ROBERTSON** was born 8 Oct 1919 in Bath, Sagadahoc, ME and died 17 Aug 2004 in Manchester, Hillsborough, NH.
- + 24 F iii. **Muriel Ruth ROBERTSON** was born 19 Mar 1929 in Skowhegan, Somerset, ME and died 29 Nov 2016 in Franklin, Merrimack, NH.
- + 25 F iv. **Martha Ann ROBERTSON** was born 23 Feb 1931 in Skowhegan, Somerset, ME and died 15 Dec 1989 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.

**11. Brooxie Belle ROBERTSON** (*William*<sup>3</sup>, *William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born 22 Dec 1887 in Baltimore, Baltimore, MD and died 30 Dec 1964 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

PANB has marriage cert: John Robertson McBride 28 of Dufferin, b Au Claire WI carpenter Church of England, par Frank & Margaret; md Brooxie Bell Robertson 19 of dufferin b Baltimore MD, Church of England, par William & Alice. Mar at the St David Rectory by James W Millidge, Pastor of St David in Oak Bay NB, witnesses Maude Sloan & Katharine D Millidge of Oak Bay. Scotch nationality.

Broox and dau Elizabeth both had strokes, and Mary suffered from dementia in her last few years.

Brooxie married **John Robertson McBRIDE**, son of **Frank McBRIDE** and **Margaret**, 30 May 1906 in Oak Bay, Charlotte, NB. John was born 15 Jun 1877 in Eau Claire, Eau Claire, WI and died 11 Apr 1958 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

Children from this marriage were:

- 26 M i. **John Franklin McBRIDE** was born 14 Nov 1906 in Dufferin, Charlotte, NB and died 15 May 1981 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB. He had no known marriage and no known children.
- + 27 F ii. **Margaret Elizabeth McBRIDE** was born 24 Mar 1909 in Dufferin, Charlotte, NB and died 10 Mar 1991 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

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- + 28 M   iii. **William James McBRIDE** was born 15 Jan 1911 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB and died 24 Jun 1988 in Bedford (Halifax), Halifax, NS.
- + 29 F   iv. **Mary Ellen McBRIDE** was born 15 Mar 1914 in Dufferin, Charlotte, NB and died 28 Feb 2007.

**12. Alice Safford ROBERTSON** (*William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 14 Sep 1890 in City Island, Bronx, NY and died 6 Jan 1982 in Whitinsville (Northbridge), Worcester, MA.

Marriage in Woonsocket RI is recorded in Upton MA records v580 p412. Rollin's parents are Harmon J Mansfield & Luella Martindale. Rollin is 19, drug clerk, and b East Farnum Canada. Married by Francis H Spear, Methodist Episcopal clergyman in Woonsocket. Alice uses the name "Alice Safford Robertson Olney" 1st marriage with parents William Robertson and Alice Safford. 1909 B/C of Vernon lists Rollin as a straw worker, and Alice S R Olney b NY, NY.

Alice married **Rollin Harmon MANSFIELD** 14 Sep 1908 in Woonsocket, Providence, RI. Rollin was born in 1889 in East Farnum, Brome, QC.

The child from this marriage was:

- 30 M   i. **Vernon Harmon MANSFIELD** was born 7 Mar 1909 in Upton, Worcester, MA and died 10 Jun 1990 in Portland, Cumberland, ME.  
Vernon married **Florence CURLL** 14 Feb 1931 in Portland, Cumberland, ME. They had no children.

Alice next married **Stuart CAMPBELL** about 1921. Stuart died in 1929.

Alice next married **Carrol C CLARK** after 1930.

**13. Bertha J ROBERTSON** (*James<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born in Oct 1887 in , , CT and died after 1940.

Bertha married **John F KEMP** in 1902. John was born in 1884 in , , NY and died after 1940.

The child from this marriage was:

- 31 F   i. **Winifred M KEMP** was born 7 Feb 1917 in New Haven, New Haven, CT and died 4 Aug 1976 in New Haven, New Haven, CT.  
Winifred married **Donald Leroy HAZALL**. Donald was born 25 Feb 1918 in New Haven, New Haven, CT and died 10 May 1974 in West Haven, New Haven, CT.

**14. James C ROBERTSON** (*James<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born in Jan 1889 in , , CT and died 30 Nov 1962 in New Haven, New Haven, CT.

CT Death Index on Ancestry has his death date and first 4 letters of spouse's name, but was divorced. State File # 21404. Not found in WWI draft registrations.

James married **Char**.

Children from this marriage were:

- 32 F   i. **Janet B ROBERTSON** was born in 1912 in New Haven, New Haven, CT.
- 33 M   ii. **James L ROBERTSON** was born in 1913 in New Haven, New Haven, CT and died 2 Feb 1969 in New Haven, New Haven, CT.  
CT Death Index on Ancestry gives death date and spouse, age 55 and married to Marj, res West Haven.  
James married **Marjorie**. Marjorie died after 1969.

**19. Albert Smalley ROBINSON** (*Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 9 Apr 1893 in South Framingham, Middlesex, MA and died 18 Oct 1947 in Detroit, Wayne, MI.

Frances is the dau of Albert I Luke 1869- & Mary Todd 1868-1927, see Ancestry tree. A family story says that they eloped.

WWI Draft registration card confirms his full name and birth date/place, res 433 Taylor St in Detroit MI; Recreation commissioner for City of Detroit, has wife and child; medium height and build, blue eyes, dark brown hair.

Albert married **Frances Sophie LUKE**. Frances was born 25 Apr 1896 in Cheboygan, Cheboygan, MI and died 29 Jun 1967 in McLean, Fairfax, VA.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 34 F   i. **Frances Mary ROBINSON** was born 1 Aug 1917 in Detroit, Wayne, MI and died 15 Dec 2005 in Falls Church, Fairfax, VA.
- + 35 M   ii. **Peter Burton ROBINSON** was born 7 Jun 1921 in Detroit, Wayne, MI and died 6 Aug 1996 in

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Novi, Oakland, MI.

**20. Harold Burton ROBINSON** (*Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 19 Nov 1895 in Framingham, Middlesex, MA and died 5 Jul 1967 in St Charles, Kane, IL.

WWI draft registration not found.

Harold married **Mildred Judith Adina SWANSON**. Mildred was born 5 Aug 1897 in Ishpeming, Marquette, MI and died 18 Mar 1973 in Tillers, Oswego, IL.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 36 M i. **Donald ROBINSON** was born 2 Jun 1924 in Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI.
- + 37 F ii. **Phyllis Arlene ROBINSON** was born 19 May 1928 in Chicago, Cook, IL.

**21. Edgar Russell ROBINSON** (*Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 27 May 1897 in Framingham, Middlesex, MA and died 10 Jul 1950 in Merchantville, Camden, NJ.

WWI Draft registration not found. Buried Locustwood Memorial Park, Haddonfield NJ.

Edgar married **Clara Ruth SUTHERLAND** about 1921 in Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI. Clara was born 9 Aug 1899 in Pewaukee, Waukesha, WI and died in May 1967 in Merchantville, Camden, NJ.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 38 M i. **James Russell ROBINSON** was born 27 Jul 1922 in , MI and died in Mar 1979 in Pennsauken, Camden, NJ.
- + 39 M ii. **Albert William ROBINSON** was born 2 Jul 1931 in Baltimore, Baltimore, MD.

## Fifth Generation (Great Great-Grandchildren)

**22. Marguerite "Marge" Edith ROBERTSON** (*William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 31 Oct 1916 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME and died 11 Mar 1990 in York, York, ME.

The same April 1 1926 Kennebec Journal which mentions her mother and sister on p2 Skowhegan news has the headline "Suffers from badly scalded foot and ankle". "Miss Marguerite Robertson met with a painful accident recently, one which might have resulted much more seriously than it did. The little Miss came in from outside where she had been playing and in throwing off her coat caught it on a pail of boiling water, on the heater close by. The contents overturned upon her foot and ankle, which were badly burned. While she is improving, the foot is painful."

Genetic tree: brown hair; angina. Daughter Carole says: Marge had hazel/green eyes I think and "mousey brown" hair. Her cause of death was lung cancer as the primary site but it spread up her spine to the brain. She had larger hands, as I noticed at her wake and her shoes were size 9+ as was her ring size; not a small woman, size 14 at later years and Mom was 5'6" or 7". (Son) Dennis' hand situation (no fingers on one hand) was thought to be the result of Mom having German measles while pregnant, tho' I'm not sure that is so.

Marguerite married **James Dennis HANSON**, son of **Augustine Charles "Gus" HANSON** and **Katherine DOYLE**, 27 May 1940 in Gardiner, Kennebec, ME. James was born 14 Nov 1913 in York, York, ME and died 19 Dec 1999 in Lakeland, Polk, FL.

### Portland Press Herald (ME) - December 21, 1999

James Dennis Hanson, 86, of Beech Ridge Road and also of Lakeland, Fla., died Sunday in Lakeland. Born here, a son of Augustine C. and Katherine Doyle Hanson, he graduated from York High School, the University of Maine and received his master's degree in sanitary engineering from Harvard University. He was employed at Portsmouth Naval Shipyard in the safety division from 1942 until his retirement. He was assessor for the York Beach Corporation and trustee of the York Water District and the York Sewer District. Mr. Hanson was a communicant of St. Christopher's Church, York. He spent winters in Lakeland. His hobbies included whittling, antique collecting and reminiscing with friends. His wife of 50 years, Marguerite Robertson Hanson, died in 1990.

Surviving are a son, W. Dennis of Seville, Spain; two daughters, Mrs. John (Margaret P.) LaForge of East Harpswell and Mrs. Kenneth (Carole H.) Guentert of San Jose, Calif.; one sister, Katherine Sturtevant of York; seven grandchildren and two great-grandsons.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 9 a.m. Friday at St. Christopher Church, York. Burial will be in First Parish Cemetery. Lucas and Eaton Funeral Home.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 40 F i. **Margaret "Peggy" Patricia HANSON** was born 17 Mar 1941 in Pittsburgh, Allegheny, PA.
- + 41 F ii. **Carole Elizabeth HANSON** was born 22 Aug 1943 in York, York, ME.



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+ 42 M   iii. **William Dennis HANSON** was born 11 Sep 1948 in York, York, ME.

**23. Jeannette "Jean" Alice ROBERTSON** (*William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 8 Oct 1919 in Bath, Sagadahoc, ME and died 17 Aug 2004 in Manchester, Hillsborough, NH.

David and Jeannette are buried in St Patrick Catholic Church Cemetery in Hudson.

Obituary: Jeannette A Christie, 84, of Nashua, died Tuesday evening August 17, 2004 at the Courville at Manchester after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Christie was born October 8, 1919 in Bath Maine, daughter of the late William and Edith (Leavitt) Robertson. She resided in Maine during her youth and has been a longtime Nashua resident. She was the widow of David P Christie, whom she married February 19, 1949 in York Maine. They had celebrated their 33rd wedding anniversary prior to his death September 3, 1982.

Mrs. Christie had worked as a registered nurse at Nashua Memorial Hospital and St. Joseph Hospital for a time before marrying and raising her five children. She was a communicant of St. Patrick Church in Nashville and was a member of the St. Patrick Ladies Guild. Mrs. Christie graduated from Gardiner Maine High School in 1936 and from Kents Hill Maine Junior College in 1938. She also graduated from Memorial Hospital School of Nursing in Nashua.

She was predeceased by two sisters, Marguerite Hanson and Martha Kumpel. Survivors include two sons and a daughter in law, John and Debra Christie of Goffstown and Jay Christie of Peoria Arizona; three daughters, Jeanne Mithen of Topeka Kansas, Janet Christie, with whom she made her home, and JoAnn Grygorcewicz, both of Nashua; a grandson, Cpl. Brian C Mithen of Camp Pendleton California; two granddaughters, Karen and Vicki Grygorcewicz of Nashua; a sister and brother-in-law, Muriel and Roland E Rhoades of Lakeland Florida; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

The Fawell funeral service in Nashua in charge of arrangements. Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated in St. Patrick Church Nashua Saturday morning. Burial followed in St. Patrick cemetery in Hudson.

Genetic tree: 5'3"; wt 140; dk brown hair; hazel eyes; Jean died of cancer, though she suffered from dementia/alzheimers.

Jeannette married **David P CHRISTIE**, son of **Richard Joseph CHRISTIE** and **Claire M BEAUDET**, 19 Feb 1949 in York Village, York, ME. David was born 13 Jan 1918 in Manchester, Hillsborough, NH and died 3 Sep 1982 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 43 F    i. **Jeanne CHRISTIE** was born 31 Dec 1949 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.
- 44 F    ii. **Janet Claire CHRISTIE** was born 28 Jul 1951 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH and died 22 Feb 2015 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.

Janet Claire Christie 63, loving daughter, sister, aunt and friend, was taken from us suddenly on Sunday February 22, 2015. She was born in Nashua on July 28, 1951 a daughter of the late David P. and Jeannette A. (Robertson) Christie. Janet graduated from Nashua High School, class of 1969, and Houle's Academy of Beauty. For the past twenty one years, Janet was employed as a medical administrative assistant for the St. Joseph Family Medical Group in Hudson. Janet was devoted to her family and cherished her friends. She enjoyed working with The Actor Singers for many years, as well as ushering for The Peterborough Players. Janet loved to travel and could always be counted on to ride shotgun on family "Road Trips." Janet is survived by two sisters, Jeanne Mithen of Topeka, KS, and JoAnn Grygorcewicz of Nashua, NH, two brothers, John Christie and his wife Debbie of Goffstown, NH, and Jay Christie of Peoria, AZ, two nieces Karen Tlili and her husband Hamdi of Waltham, MA, and Vicki Grygorcewicz of Nashua, NH, two nephews Brian Mithen of Topeka, KS, and Edward Grygorcewicz and his wife Nicki of Gibsonton, FL, and three grand nephews, Max and Sam Grygorcewicz, and Haitham Tlili.

Calling hours will be held at the FARWELL FUNERAL HOME, 18 Lock Street, Nashua on Thursday evening from 5 to 8 p.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated in St. Patrick Church, 29 Spring Street, Nashua, Friday morning at 9:30 a.m. Interment will take place at St. Patrick Cemetery in Hudson. Friends are invited to attend and will gather at the church. Donations may be made in her memory to the Actor Singers Scholarship Fund, 219 Lake Street, Nashua, NH 03060.

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- + 45 F    iii. **JoAnn CHRISTIE** was born 20 Jun 1953 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.
- 46 M    iv. **John William CHRISTIE** was born 22 Aug 1957 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.  
John married **Debra**.
- 47 M    v. **Jay Richard CHRISTIE** was born 2 Jun 1960 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.

**24. Muriel Ruth ROBERTSON** (*William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 19 Mar 1929 in Skowhegan, Somerset, ME and died 29 Nov 2016 in Franklin, Merrimack, NH.

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Muriel grew up as a Methodist, but attended Sunday Schools at the Universalist churches in Skowhegan and Gardiner. Moved to Gardiner as a small child, and graduated from Gardiner High School 1947, and Burdett Business College in Lynn MA. Attended Girl Scout Camp at Cobbossee Lake in 1941 according to a letter from her father, and was a Cub Scout Den Mother. Attended Episcopal churches in Gardiner ME, and Dover and Rochester NH.

Genetic Tree: 5'2"; wt 110-130; brown hair; hazel eyes; high blood pressure; back problems/ scoliosis; Blood A+. Memory problems in late 70s, slow progression. No cancer. Had thyroid operated on in her 30s or 40s. Has been diagnosed with clinical depression in her later years. She passed at 11:50pm Nov 29 at the nursing home, mostly unresponsive for the previous week.

FTDNA test results: Haplogroup is H6a1a2a. [My maternal cousins will be the same - Robertson > Leavitt > Stinneford > Trafton > Penney > Gowen > Cole > Spencer 1698.] H6 is one of the oldest branches of haplogroup H. Its age is estimated at around 26,000 years. It is one of the most frequent branches of H found among Arabian lineages, and is the most frequent branch among those found in Central Asia. It likely originated in the Middle East or Central Asia. H6 is also found at very low frequencies in Europe. I have also uploaded my data to the mtDNA Community website for additional analysis.

23&me test refined Aug 2014 shows 99.9% European, broken down as 64.8% British & Irish, 12.7% French & German, 2.3% Scandinavian, 16% Broadly Northern European, .2% Italian, 2.1% Broadly Southern European, 1.8% Broadly European, .1% unassigned. This test also showed 2.9% Neanderthal dna.

Muriel married **Roland<sup>3</sup> Edward RHOADES**, son of **Roland Edison RHOADES** [PEAVEY] and **Marion Frances BOUDWAY**, 7 Oct 1950 in Gardiner, Kennebec, ME. Roland<sup>3</sup> was born 5 Jun 1930 in Gardiner, Kennebec, ME and died 7 May 2017 in Franklin, Merrimack, NH.

Roland attended Farmingdale and Gardiner schools, graduating from Gardiner High School in 1947. Served in the US Army Air Corps, in charge of sled dogs in Labrador. He moved to Dover NH in 1955 and East Rochester NH in 1959. He worked at GE in Somersworth NH for 11 years. He was a licensed electrician, carpenter and general contractor, a co-owner of a couple companies. He and Muriel were also owners of Hilltop Recreation Center in Somersworth NH, which he built from the ground up in the 1960s to include a golf driving range, go-karts, baseball and softball batting cages, and "Space Age" miniature golf. That was a major news attraction; each hole had a giant theme, like a flying saucer large enough to walk through, that airplane pilots said they used as a bearing for landing at the Rochester airport. It also had space creatures and planets made from steel, chicken wire and mortar. His children always had summer jobs! He was also an Eagle Boy Scout, Order of the Arrow; Scoutmaster in Gardiner ME and Salmon Falls NH; Cubmaster in East Rochester; and served on the vestry as Jr and Sr Warden of the Episcopal Church in Rochester. He converted their summer camp in Sanford to year-round and moved from East Rochester in 1980. He sold his business and retired to Lakeland FL around 1985 in a retirement park where he has been President of the Shuffleboard Club, with many trophies. He and Muriel have led a very active life in the Florida warmth; it's hard to ever find them home. In January 2011, they sold their home in Lakeland and moved in with daughter Nancy in NH.

Genetic Tree: 5'10"; wt 175; black hair; hazel eyes; balding at 40; arthritis, heart disease, back problems (the "Boudway back" acc to his mother), slight diabetes; Blood AB+. Memory problems at about age 80, rapid progression. Had a heart attack and stint 1995; pacemaker 2005. Knee replacement 2009. Prostate cancer 2009.

DNA test results from 23&me: Mtdna U2e1a. Y-dna Rhoades line belongs to Haplogroup R1b1a. 23&me autosomal test, refined Aug 2014, showed 99.8% European, broken down as 41% British & Irish, 14.8% French & German, 8.2% Scandinavian, 29.9% Broadly Northern European, 1.3% Iberian, .5% Broadly Southern European, .1% Ashkenazi, 4.1% Broadly European; .2% East Asian & Native American, .1% Mongolian, <.1% Native American. Broadly means they do not yet have the comparative data to pin it down, but it will eventually increase the Scandinavian and French amounts. This is one reason why they dropped the price to build their database to a million users. His father's story about his g-grandmother (Whalen) being an Indian princess is in question. This test also showed 2.7% Neanderthal dna.

Children from this marriage were:

48 M i. **Roland<sup>4</sup> Edward RHOADES** was born 10 Nov 1951 in Gardiner, Kennebec, ME.

Education/Work: Started 1st grade at age 5 and was almost kept back. By 5th grade I was in the advanced sections of my class in math and English. A Cub Scout and Boy Scout advancing to Star rank. Graduated from Spaulding High School in Rochester NH 1969 at 17, member of the National Honor Society. I remember taking an IQ test in school and being told the results were private, but they told me anyway. I remember being told a number in the 120s, I think it was 123 or maybe 127.

Attended the University of New Hampshire 1969-1972 where I joined the Young Socialist Alliance and anti-war demonstrations. My parents found out by neighbors calling them saying I was on the front page of Foster's Daily Democrat as the NH Campaign Coordinator for the Socialist Workers Party Linda Jenness for President campaign. Always a liberal in politics, family Democrats back to at least 1929, continuing as a diehard Bernie Sanders supporter.

Manager of my father's business, Hilltop Recreation Center in Somersworth NH 1976-1983.

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Electrician at Portsmouth Naval Shipyard Shop 99 1983-1993 where I advanced as far as I could without committing to nuclear work or being a foreman (WG-10 Step 5), and resigned to work my own business full time. Fuller Brush Man and nationwide trainer 1992-2016.

Started genealogy research in 1980. A founder and President of the French Family Assn 1984. Joined the National Association of Leavitt Families in 1984, elected VP 2004, President 2005-2009, elected Genealogist 2009-present. Actively researches many of his Maine families and maintains a genealogy website for them. Has multiple paths to 5 different Mayflower ancestors and joined Maine Mayflower Society in 1984.

Marriages: Rosalyn Tumblin m1 Donald Bernier; m3 Jim Leavitt of Alfred. Dau of Arnold C Tumblin b MA & Gertrude Gorman b ME. Married by Marguerite Stanley NP in Gowen Park, Sanford, reception at my house 118 Jackson St. Cynthia and I were married by Rev Mykel Johnson at Allen Avenue Unitarian Universalist Church on the anniversary of my grandparents' wedding.

Genetic Tree: 5'9"; wt 160-175; light brown hair, hazel eyes; non-balding at 60; slightly high blood pressure and cholesterol; Blood A+. Right handed, but partially left handed, I'm told I deal cards left handed. My Y-DNA is R1b1a2a1a1 acc to FTDNA, but my father and I on 23&me are R1b1b2a1a2d3. Shorthand is R-M269. My maternal mtdna is H6a1a.

My 23&me autosomal Aug 2014 results have been refined: 99.5% European, broken down as 46.5% British & Irish, 21% French & German, 8.4% Scandinavian, 21.5% Broadly Northern European, .2% Italian, .2% Broadly Southern European, .1% Ashkenazi, 1.6% Broadly European; .1% East Asian & Native American, .1% Broadly East Asian, <.1% Broadly East Asian & Native American, .3% Unassigned. 2.8% Neanderthal dna.

Roland4 married **Rosalyn Lee TUMBLIN**, daughter of **Arnold Clark TUMBLIN** and **Gertrude GORMAN**, 5 Sep 1987 in Sanford, York, ME. Rosalyn was born 16 Mar 1951 in Sanford, York, ME. Roland4 next married **Cynthia Ann POIRIER**, daughter of **Joseph Edward POIRIER** and **Kathleen HARRIS**, 14 Dec 2007 in Portland, Cumberland, ME. Cynthia was born 1 Oct 1950 in Newburyport, Essex, MA.

- + 49 F ii. **Nancy Jeanne RHOADES** was born 20 May 1956 in Dover, Strafford, NH.
- + 50 M iii. **Steven William RHOADES** was born 28 Oct 1958 in Dover, Strafford, NH.

**25. Martha Ann ROBERTSON** (*William Lewis*<sup>4</sup>, *William*<sup>3</sup>, *William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born 23 Feb 1931 in Skowhegan, Somerset, ME and died 15 Dec 1989 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.

Martha was a nurse and also a heavy smoker. Died of lung cancer; metastatic ovarian cancer, still smoking to the end at 58 years young. 5'6"; dk brown hair; blue eyes; cancer

Marriage is listed in Maine Marriage index, bride of York and groom of Melrose, but m/c not found in microfilm.

Martha married **Richard Brozelle "Duke" KUMPEL**, son of **Edgar Warren KUMPEL** and **Florence TRUMAN**, 10 Aug 1952 in York, York, ME. Richard was born 25 Dec 1930 in Medford, Middlesex, MA and died 22 Jul 2012 in Reading, Middlesex, MA.

KUMPEL, Richard B. "Duke" of Reading formerly of Wakefield, July 22. Husband of the late Martha Ann (Robertson) Kumpel. Father of William Kumpel and wife Patricia, Linda Lomas and husband Howard, Kristen Abbondante and husband John all of Wakefield, Judith Gonnella and husband Thomas of Gettysburg, PA and Mark Kumpel and wife Helene Van Neste of Scarborough, ME. Brother of Florence Sorenson of Reading and George Kumpel of Edmonds, WA. Long time companion of Mary Cail of Melrose. Life long friend of Donald "Cookie" Corcoran of Melrose. Papa Duke of ten and great papa of one. A period of visitation will be held at the McDonald Funeral Home, 19 Yale Ave WAKEFIELD on Wednesday, 4 - 8 P.M. Private funeral services will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Joslin Diabetes Center, 1 Joslin Pl. Boston, MA 02115 Attn: Development Office. For obit/directions/guestbook, [www.mcdonaldFS.com](http://www.mcdonaldFS.com) Richard "Duke" Kumpel, 81, passed away on Sunday July 22, 2012. Cherished dad to his five children and Papa Duke to his grandchildren and first great granddaughter, he remained a steady presence in his children's lives showing his warmth and humor that characterized his life. Duke, born on Christmas Day 1930, was raised in Melrose. He shared many happy childhood experiences with his sister Flo and brother George. It was at Lincoln Elementary School in Melrose where he met his lifelong friend and "partner in crime" Donald "Cookie" Corcoran. He graduated from Melrose High School in 1948 where he was a sprinter with the Track and Field Team. After graduating he enlisted in the Navy and served with the Seabees for two years. He met his bride-to-be Martha who was in the nurse-in-training program at Melrose Wakefield Hospital and she immediately caught his eye. He married his beautiful wife Martha in 1952, and soon after the couple moved to Greenwood where they raised five children. Their home in Greenwood was a frequent site of neighborhood pool parties and Christmas caroling get-togethers.

Duke worked for the Local 537 as a union pipefitter for over forty years working on many large scale commercial projects. While working and helping Martha raise the children, he attended Northeastern University at night for eight years finally earning his B.S. in Civil Engineering.

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He touched many lives through his associations as a player agent for Wakefield Little League for more than ten years. In addition, he served on the Board of Directors of both Little League and Wakefield Youth Hockey. Duke will be especially remembered for his tireless work leading to the growth of Massachusetts Hockey. In 1974, he became a charter member of Massachusetts Hockey and later served as a member of Mass Hockey's Executive Board. In addition, he served as USA Hockey Director-at Large for nineteen years and was proudly elected USA Hockey Director Emeritus. He received numerous accolades and awards for his work and was inducted into the Massachusetts Hockey Hall of Fame in 2001.

He moved to Reading in 1996 and served on the Condo Board for Summit Towers for many years. An avid snowbird for the past sixteen years, Duke enjoyed winters at his condo in Fort Lauderdale where he enjoyed shared dinners, reminiscing with old friends and sitting in the sunshine with his Sudoku puzzles. Oftentimes, he was joined by his companion, Mary Cail of Melrose. She was his constant and loving friend and they shared the last nineteen years together going to countless hockey games, rooting for the Red Sox together and enjoying time with family and mutual friends.

Duke never met a stranger and he had a joy for life and for helping others. He had an uncanny ability to fix things and always had a smile for others. He will be remembered and sorely missed by his five children and their spouses including Bill and his wife Pat, Linda Lomas and her husband Howie, Judy and her husband Tom Gonnella of Gettysburg Pennsylvania, Mark and his wife Helene Van Neste of Scarborough, Maine, and Kristen and her husband John Abbondante. He is also survived by ten grandchildren and one great granddaughter. He was predeceased by his loving wife Martha who died in 1989.

A visitation for relatives and friends will be held at McDonald Funeral Home, 19 Yale Ave, Wakefield on Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. A memorial service will be held at a future date.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 51 M i. **William Lewis KUMPEL** was born 19 Jul 1953 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.
- + 52 F ii. **Linda Ann KUMPEL** was born 29 Feb 1956 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.
- + 53 F iii. **Judith Marie KUMPEL** was born 28 Jul 1959 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.
- + 54 M iv. **Mark Alan KUMPEL** was born 7 Mar 1961 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.
- 55 F v. **Kristen Louise KUMPEL** was born 24 Aug 1964 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.  
Son Evan Cosmo Abbondante is adopted, born 3 Oct 1998 in Lawrence MA.  
Kristen married **John Cosmo ABBONDANTE** 11 Sep 1993 in Wakefield, Middlesex, MA. John was born 27 Apr 1963 in Concord, Middlesex, MA.

**27. Margaret Elizabeth McBRIDE** (*Brooxie Belle ROBERTSON<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 24 Mar 1909 in Dufferin, Charlotte, NB and died 10 Mar 1991 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

I had Sep 24, 1909, bur b/c says March 24, 1909 Dufferin; delayed cert by Margaret herself in 1972. "The Ledge" and Dufferin I believe are all part of St Stephen. Also used M/C.

Margaret married **John Lindsay Martin ELWELL**, son of **John Lewis ELWELL** and **Agnes S MARTIN**, 14 Mar 1930 in St Andrews, Charlotte, NB. John was born 22 Aug 1902 in Dufferin, Charlotte, NB and died 30 Dec 1965 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

The child from this marriage was:

- + 56 F i. **Patricia Marie ELWELL** was born 17 Mar 1930 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

**28. William James McBRIDE** (*Brooxie Belle ROBERTSON<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 15 Jan 1911 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB and died 24 Jun 1988 in Bedford (Halifax), Halifax, NS.

3 Ch Ronald Clayton, Carol Anne, and John, not sure of mothers.

William married **Elinor CLINCH**.

The child from this marriage was:

- 57 M i. **Ronald Clayton McBRIDE**.

William next married **Mary KIRK**.

**29. Mary Ellen McBRIDE** (*Brooxie Belle ROBERTSON<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 15 Mar 1914 in Dufferin, Charlotte, NB and died 28 Feb 2007.

Birth & marriage certs.

Mary married **Kenneth Abner ALWARD**, son of **Franklin Abner ALWARD** and **Sarah Leonie WOODARD**, 18 Oct 1933 in Calais, Washington, ME. Kenneth was born 7 Sep 1905 in Milltown, Charlotte, NB and died 18 Sep 1985 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

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The child from this marriage was:

+ 58 F i. **Donna Marie ALWARD** was born 21 Jun 1941 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

**34. Frances Mary ROBINSON** (*Albert Smalley ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1 Aug 1917 in Detroit, Wayne, MI and died 15 Dec 2005 in Falls Church, Fairfax, VA.

Arthur is the son of Arthur A Whiting 1878-1976 & Edith A Spinnin 1875-1917, see Ancestry tree.

Frances married **Arthur Alvin WHITING Jr.** Arthur was born 11 Jan 1914 in Red Bank, Monmouth, NJ and died 20 Sep 2002 in Falls Church, Fairfax, VA.

The child from this marriage was:

+ 59 M i. **Arthur Alvin WHITING III** was born 1 May 1942 in Buffalo, Erie, NY.

**35. Peter Burton ROBINSON** (*Albert Smalley ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 7 Jun 1921 in Detroit, Wayne, MI and died 6 Aug 1996 in Novi, Oakland, MI.

Peter married **Dolores YOUNG**. Dolores was born 7 Jun 1928.

Children from this marriage were:

60 F i. **Nancy Lynn ROBINSON** was born 26 Dec 1954.

61 M ii. **Matthew David ROBINSON** was born 28 Mar 1959.

**36. Donald ROBINSON** (*Harold Burton ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 2 Jun 1924 in Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI.

Donald married **Caryl Jane WIEGMAN**. Caryl was born 31 Dec 1926 in Chicago, Cook, IL and died 12 Oct 1979 in Cedar Rapids, Linn, IA.

Children from this marriage were:

62 F i. **Patricia Jo ROBINSON** was born 23 Sep 1951 in Elmhurst, Dupage, IL.

+ 63 F ii. **Susan Ellen ROBINSON** was born 3 May 1953.

+ 64 M iii. **Gary Allen ROBINSON** was born 15 Nov 1954.

+ 65 M iv. **Thomas David ROBINSON** was born 25 May 1958 in Cedar Rapids, Linn, IA.

Donald next married **Betty Lucille DUNCAN**. Betty was born 13 Jan 1925 in Mexico, Audrain, MO and died 2 Mar 2005 in Cedar Rapids, Linn, IA.

**37. Phyllis Arlene ROBINSON** (*Harold Burton ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 19 May 1928 in Chicago, Cook, IL.

Phyllis married **Glenn Rhys BEST**. Glenn was born 15 Jan 1927 in Elmhurst, Dupage, IL and died 2 Feb 1994 in Yalaha, Lake, FL.

Children from this marriage were:

+ 66 F i. **Janis Arlene BEST** was born 6 Aug 1952 in Chicago, Cook, IL.

+ 67 F ii. **Judith Catherine BEST** was born 10 Mar 1954 in South Charleston, Kanawha, WV.

+ 68 M iii. **Robert Glenn BEST** was born 17 Feb 1956 in Peru, LaSalle, IL.

**38. James Russell ROBINSON** (*Edgar Russell ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 27 Jul 1922 in , , MI and died in Mar 1979 in Pennsauken, Camden, NJ.

James married **Pat**. Pat died in 1975.

Children from this marriage were:

69 F i. **Anne Marie ROBINSON**.

70 M ii. **James Russell ROBINSON Jr.**

71 F iii. **Claire ROBINSON**.

72 F iv. **Mary Anne ROBINSON**.

73 M v. **Timothy ROBINSON**.

**39. Albert William ROBINSON** (*Edgar Russell ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 2 Jul 1931 in Baltimore, Baltimore, MD.

Cousin Phyllis Best says Sept 2010: The guy from Hawaii is my cousin, Albert William, younger son of my father's younger brother Edgar Russell Robinson. My father, Harold Burton Robinson was the middle boy, and Albert was the oldest.

Both my dad and Russell (except for Albert all the boys seemed to be called by their middle names, including my

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brother. I have no idea why). Russell had a son, Jim, who is now deceased and Albert William---whom we called Bill. Before I tracked him down I had not seen him since we visited the family in Baltimore in 1938. I did not know very much about Russell's family except his wife, Claire was my mother's best friend and introduced her to my father on a blind date. We lost track of the family after Claire died. So I kept searching and finally found him in Hawaii in 2005. He has now moved to Leesburg, FL which is the town my husband and I lived next to from 1986 till my husband died in 1994. Small world! We have been getting together now, and he is the one who had a copy of the wedding certificate for Mary and Albert.

Albert married **Bonnie**.

Albert next married **Nancy Dolores BELL**.

Albert next married **Terrall LOUD**.

Children from this marriage were:

- 74 M i. **Kenneth Albert ROBINSON** was born in 1964.
- 75 M ii. **Kevin ROBINSON**.
- 76 F iii. **Carol ROBINSON**.

Albert next married **Marilyn Marie NYLANDER**.

## Sixth Generation (3rd Great-Grandchildren)

**40. Margaret "Peggy" Patricia HANSON** (*Marguerite "Marge" Edith ROBERTSON<sup>5</sup>, William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 17 Mar 1941 in Pittsburgh, Allegheny, PA.

Family info of their children and grandchildren provided by John and Peggy. Peggy is a member of the National Association of Leavitt Families.

Margaret married **John Edward LAFORGE**, son of **Louis Albert LAFORGE** and **Frances Arlene LOWELL**, 18 Nov 1967 in York Beach, York, ME. John was born 1 Feb 1941 in Bangor, Penobscot, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 77 F i. **Michele Marguerite LAFORGE** was born 17 Aug 1969 in Presque Isle, Aroostook, ME.
- + 78 M ii. **John Edward LAFORGE II** was born 25 Feb 1971 in Bangor, Penobscot, ME.
- + 79 M iii. **Matthew James LAFORGE** was born 10 May 1974 in Portland, Cumberland, ME.

**41. Carole Elizabeth HANSON** (*Marguerite "Marge" Edith ROBERTSON<sup>5</sup>, William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 22 Aug 1943 in York, York, ME.

Family info from Carole. Carole is a member of the National Association of Leavitt Families.

Carole married **John Thomas BURROWS** 17 Oct 1970 in York, York, ME. John was born 22 Aug 1941 in San Jose, San Jose, CA and died 18 Nov 1996 in San Jose, San Jose, CA.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 80 F i. **Amy Carole BURROWS** was born 22 Feb 1973 in San Jose, San Jose, CA.
- + 81 F ii. **Erin Genevieve BURROWS** was born 5 Feb 1974 in San Jose, San Jose, CA.

Carole next married **Kenneth E GUENTERT** 23 May 1987 in San Jose, San Jose, CA. Kenneth was born 5 Oct 1948 in South Bend, St Joseph, IN.

**42. William Dennis HANSON** (*Marguerite "Marge" Edith ROBERTSON<sup>5</sup>, William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 11 Sep 1948 in York, York, ME.

William married **Linda VALENTINO** about 1976.

William next married **Susan Marie INGOLD** 13 Sep 1981 in Las Vegas, Clark, NV. Susan was born 24 May 1957 in Lake Forest, Lake, IL and died 20 Jun 1996 in York, York, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- 82 M i. **Bryce Thatcher HANSON** was born 26 Nov 1986 in Portsmouth, Rockingham, NH.
- 83 M ii. **Jonathan Taylor HANSON** was born 19 Nov 1989 in Dover, Strafford, NH.  
Adopted June 1990, last name Taylor.

William next married **Ana Maria Lobo PEREZ** 5 Aug 2000 in Utrera - Seville, Andalucia, Spain.

**43. Jeanne CHRISTIE** (*Jeannette "Jean" Alice ROBERTSON<sup>5</sup>, William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 31 Dec 1949 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.

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Jeanne married **Jerome MITHEN** 29 May 1976 in New Orleans, Orleans, LA. Jerome was born 25 Aug 1948 in New Orleans, Orleans, LA.

The child from this marriage was:

84 M i. **Brian C MITHEN** was born 1 Jun 1981 in Manhattan, Pottawatomie, KS.

**45. JoAnn CHRISTIE** (*Jeannette "Jean" Alice ROBERTSON<sup>5</sup>, William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 20 Jun 1953 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.

JoAnn married **Edward W GRYGORCEWICZ**, son of **Stanley GRYGORCEWICZ** and **Erna SCHMIDT**, 13 Oct 1973 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH. Edward was born 24 Jul 1944 in Clausthal-Zellerfeld, Lower Saxony, Germany and died 17 Aug 1999 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.

Edward W. Grygorcewicz, 55, of 617 W. Hollis St., Nashua, died Tuesday morning, Aug. 17, 1999, at St. Joseph Hospital in Nashua following a brief illness.

He was born July 24, 1944, in Clausdal-Zellerfeld, Germany, son of the late Stanley and Erna (Schmidt) Grygorcewicz. Mr. Grygorcewicz came to the United States as a young man and settled with his family in Cleveland, and later made his home in Maple Heights, Ohio, before moving to Nashua several years ago. Mr. Grygorcewicz was the husband of JoAnn (Christie) Grygorcewicz, with whom he celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary in October 1998.

A machinist and tool crib attendant, Mr. Grygorcewicz had been employed with Improved Machinery, a division of Ingersoll-Rand -- now owned by the Beloit Corp. -- for the past 25 years. Mr. Grygorcewicz was a Marine Corps veteran, having served during the Vietnam War. An avid golfer, he also loved collecting sports cards and memorabilia. He was educated in Cleveland schools.

Besides his wife, survivors include a son, Edward W. Grygorcewicz Jr. of Claremont; two daughters, Karen and Vicki Grygorcewicz, both of Nashua; a grandson, Joshua Grygorcewicz of Rhode Island; a brother and sister-in-law, Peter and Doris Arnecke of Wildeman, Germany; a nephew, Tom Arnecke of Germany; his mother-in-law, Jeannette Christie of Nashua; and brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law and their families.

The Farwell Funeral Service in Nashua is in charge of arrangements.

Children from this marriage were:

85 F i. **Karen Christie GRYGORCEWICZ** was born 20 Jul 1980 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.

86 F ii. **Vicki GRYGORCEWICZ** was born 3 May 1983 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.

**49. Nancy Jeanne RHOADES** (*Muriel Ruth ROBERTSON<sup>5</sup>, William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 20 May 1956 in Dover, Strafford, NH.

Nancy is left-handed. Nancy m2 Ronald Gould 3 June 1980 in Sanford ME; Marriage annulled because he was already married.

Nancy married **Bruce CONNICK**, son of **Wendell Spaulding CONNICK** and **Bernice A McALISTER**, 6 Mar 1976 in Rochester, Strafford, NH. Bruce was born 8 Mar 1956 in Newmarket, Rockingham, NH.

The child from this marriage was:

+ 87 M i. **Eric Mark CHAGNON** was born 13 Sep 1977 in Rochester, Strafford, NH.

Nancy next married **Mark CHAGNON**, son of **Arthur E CHAGNON** and **Florence F MORGRIDGE**, 5 Jun 1982 in Rochester, Strafford, NH. Mark was born 16 Oct 1962 in Fort Belvoir, Fairfax, VA.

The child from this marriage was:

+ 88 M i. **Ryan Mark CHAGNON** was born 6 Nov 1982 in Dover, Strafford, NH.

Nancy next married **Norman LABRECQUE**, son of **Robert J LABRECQUE Sr**, 7 Aug 2000 in Rochester, Strafford, NH. Norman was born 3 Jun 1950 in York Harbor, York, ME.

**50. Steven William RHOADES** (*Muriel Ruth ROBERTSON<sup>5</sup>, William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 28 Oct 1958 in Dover, Strafford, NH.

Graduated Spaulding High School in Rochester NH in 1977; joined the Army for one term where he served mostly in NC. Divorced but remained friendly with Joanne. Joanne's middle name is just M.

Steve and Joanne are 9th cousins descended from immigrant John Libby and his son Matthew.

Steve & Carla div Dec 13, 2013.

Steven married **Joanne M NASON**, daughter of **Ernest Raymond "Sonny" NASON Jr** and **Meredith J COOK**, 30 Jul 1978 in Rochester, Strafford, NH. Joanne was born 10 Oct 1960 in Wolfeboro, Carroll, NH.

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The child from this marriage was:

89 M i. **Nicholas Vincent RHOADES** was born 20 Sep 1980 in Sanford, York, ME.

Steven next married **Carla WRIGHT** 1 Aug 2000 in Franconia, Grafton, NH. Carla was born 15 Feb 1954 in Exeter, Rockingham, NH.

**51. William Lewis KUMPEL** (*Martha Ann ROBERTSON<sup>5</sup>, William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 19 Jul 1953 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.

Bill Kumpel provided updates 7/5/02, 26 Lafayette St. Wakefield, MA 01880 781-245-2710 bkumpel@aol.com

William married **Patricia Mary Elaine JENNINGS** 5 Jun 1976 in Wakefield, Middlesex, MA. Patricia was born 5 Jun 1954 in Everett, Middlesex, MA.

Children from this marriage were:

90 F i. **Amy Elizabeth KUMPEL** was born 18 Aug 1979 in Boston, Suffolk, MA.

91 F ii. **Emily Katherine KUMPEL** was born 28 May 1984 in Stoneham, Middlesex, MA.

**52. Linda Ann KUMPEL** (*Martha Ann ROBERTSON<sup>5</sup>, William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 29 Feb 1956 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.

Linda married **Howard LOMAS** 28 Jul 1979 in Wakefield, Middlesex, MA. Howard was born 23 Dec 1955 in Boston, Suffolk, MA.

Children from this marriage were:

92 F i. **Cassandra F A E LOMAS** was born 3 Jan 1983 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.

93 M ii. **Mark Howard LOMAS** was born 20 Nov 1986 in Malden, Middlesex, MA.

**53. Judith Marie KUMPEL** (*Martha Ann ROBERTSON<sup>5</sup>, William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 28 Jul 1959 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.

Judith married **Thomas Alan GONNELLA** 26 Jul 1980 in Wakefield, Middlesex, MA. Thomas was born 3 Nov 1956 in Stoneham, Middlesex, MA.

Children from this marriage were:

94 F i. **Cynthia Lynn GONNELLA** was born 9 Jan 1982 in Alexandria, Alexandria, VA and died 9 Jan 1982 in Alexandria, Alexandria, VA.

95 M ii. **Bryan Thomas GONNELLA** was born 11 Nov 1982 in Alexandria, Alexandria, VA.

96 M iii. **Eric Thomas GONNELLA** was born 21 May 1984 in Myrtle Beach, Horry, SC.

97 F iv. **Kellye Marie GONNELLA** was born 8 Mar 1989 in Landstuhl, Kaiserslautern Rhineland-Palatinate, Germany.

98 M v. **Jason Thomas GONNELLA** was born 15 Jul 1990 in Landstuhl, Kaiserslautern Rhineland-Palatinate, Germany.

**54. Mark Alan KUMPEL** (*Martha Ann ROBERTSON<sup>5</sup>, William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 7 Mar 1961 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.

Mark was on the US Olympic Hockey Team, professional hockey teams, coach of the Portland (ME) Pirates hockey team, and has spent his lifetime involved in hockey with various teams.

Mark married **Helene VAN NESTE** 30 May 1987 in Québec City, Quebec, QC. Helene was born in , , QC.

The child from this marriage was:

99 F i. **Chloe Martha KUMPEL** was born 5 Apr 1991 in Winnepeg, MB, Canada.

**56. Patricia Marie ELWELL** (*Margaret Elizabeth McBRIDE<sup>5</sup>, Brooxie Belle ROBERTSON<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 17 Mar 1930 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

Patricia married **David Earl GETCHELL**, son of **Curtis GETCHELL** and **Mildred HOOPER**, 19 Jul 1952 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB. David was born 22 Jun 1931 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

Children from this marriage were:

+ 100 M i. **Darrell John GETCHELL** was born 26 Jul 1955 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

+ 101 F ii. **Brenda Margaret GETCHELL** was born 23 Jun 1959 in St John, St John, NB.

**58. Donna Marie ALWARD** (*Mary Ellen McBRIDE<sup>5</sup>, Brooxie Belle ROBERTSON<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 21 Jun 1941 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.



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Donna married **Herman DEMPSEY** 2 Apr 1960 in Oakville, Halton, ON. Herman was born 22 Dec 1933.

Children from this marriage were:

- 102 M i. **Darrell Wayne DEMPSEY** was born 24 Jun 1960 in Oakville, Halton, ON.
- 103 M ii. **Kenneth Ronald DEMPSEY** was born 27 Jul 1961 in Oakville, Halton, ON.
- + 104 M iii. **Richard James DEMPSEY** was born 13 Sep 1963 in Oakville, Halton, ON.

Donna next married **Mike COTTON** 14 Jul 1973.

Donna next married **Robert TYMSTRA** 7 Jul 1984 in Burlington, Halton, ON. Robert was born 22 Feb 1958.

**59. Arthur Alvin WHITING III** (*Frances Mary ROBINSON<sup>5</sup>, Albert Smalley ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1 May 1942 in Buffalo, Erie, NY.

Arthur married **Sandra Ann FEINER**. Sandra was born 27 Oct 1942 in Buffalo, Erie, NY.

Children from this marriage were:

- 105 F i. **Sandra Jeanne WHITING** was born 12 Nov 1968 in St Petersburg, Pinellas, FL.  
Sandra married **Donald ASHLEY**.
- 106 M ii. **Steven Arthur WHITING** was born 3 Mar 1971.  
Steven married **Karen Lea IVEY**.

**63. Susan Ellen ROBINSON** (*Donald ROBINSON<sup>5</sup>, Harold Burton ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 3 May 1953.

Susan married **Philip BUZBY**.

Children from this marriage were:

- 107 M i. **Adam Philip BUZBY** was born 19 Feb 1981.
- 108 F ii. **Robyn Patricia BUZBY** was born 3 Aug 1983.

**64. Gary Allen ROBINSON** (*Donald ROBINSON<sup>5</sup>, Harold Burton ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 15 Nov 1954.

Gary married **Jane**.

Children from this marriage were:

- 109 F i. **Staci Caryl ROBINSON** was born 22 Dec 1979 in Cedar Rapids, Linn, IA.  
Staci married **Timothy RIGGS**.
- 110 M ii. **David ROBINSON** was born 7 May 1983 in Cedar Rapids, Linn, IA.

**65. Thomas David ROBINSON** (*Donald ROBINSON<sup>5</sup>, Harold Burton ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 25 May 1958 in Cedar Rapids, Linn, IA.

Thomas married **Wendy WEIDMAN**. Wendy was born 21 Dec 1960.

Children from this marriage were:

- 111 M i. **Andrew Thomas ROBINSON** was born 7 May 1987 in Omaha, Douglas, NE.
- 112 M ii. **Alexander Burton ROBINSON** was born 24 Mar 1990 in Omaha, Douglas, NE.

Thomas next married **Jodi Rene HARSHBARGER**. Jodi was born 27 Jan 1967 in Falls City, Richardson, NE.

**66. Janis Arlene BEST** (*Phyllis Arlene ROBINSON<sup>5</sup>, Harold Burton ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 6 Aug 1952 in Chicago, Cook, IL.

Janis married **Ralph Elliot CINTRON**. Ralph was born 19 May 1948 in Mercedes, Hidalgo, TX.

The child from this marriage was:

- 113 F i. **Colleen Rosaura CINTRON** was born 28 Apr 1981 in Aurora, Du Page, IL.

**67. Judith Catherine BEST** (*Phyllis Arlene ROBINSON<sup>5</sup>, Harold Burton ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 10 Mar 1954 in South Charleston, Kanawha, WV.

Judith married **Jack Michael GASKIN**. Jack was born 8 Jan 1943 in Watertown, Jefferson, NY.

Children from this marriage were:

- 114 M i. **Glenn Michael Robert GASKIN** was born 29 Sep 1995 in Gainesville, Alachua, FL.
- 115 F ii. **Robin Judith GASKIN** was born 14 Jan 1997 in Gainesville, Alachua, FL.

**68. Robert Glenn BEST** (*Phyllis Arlene ROBINSON<sup>5</sup>, Harold Burton ROBINSON<sup>4</sup>, Mary Eleanor ROBERTSON<sup>3</sup>*,

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*William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born 17 Feb 1956 in Peru, LaSalle, IL.

Robert married **Mary Elizabeth GLEASON**. Mary was born 12 Jun 1953.

Children from this marriage were:

- 116 F i. **Casey Gleason BEST** was born 23 Jan 1985 in Aurora, Du Page, IL.
- 117 F ii. **Jessica Mary BEST** was born 12 Nov 1987 in St Charles, Kane, IL.

## Seventh Generation (4th Great-Grandchildren)

**77. Michele Marguerite LAFORGE** (*Margaret "Peggy" Patricia HANSON*<sup>6</sup>, *Marguerite "Marge" Edith ROBERTSON*<sup>5</sup>, *William Lewis*<sup>4</sup>, *William*<sup>3</sup>, *William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born 17 Aug 1969 in Presque Isle, Aroostook, ME.

Michele married **James Reid ADOLF** 27 Jun 1998 in Harpswell, Cumberland, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- 118 F i. **Josephine Laforge ADOLF** was born 30 Jun 2000 in Trenton, Mercer, NJ.
- 119 F ii. **Marguerite Laforge ADOLF** was born 5 May 2002 in Trenton, Mercer, NJ.

**78. John Edward LAFORGE II** (*Margaret "Peggy" Patricia HANSON*<sup>6</sup>, *Marguerite "Marge" Edith ROBERTSON*<sup>5</sup>, *William Lewis*<sup>4</sup>, *William*<sup>3</sup>, *William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born 25 Feb 1971 in Bangor, Penobscot, ME.

John married **Cara Suzanne CROWLEY** 17 Mar 2001 in Sarasota, Manatee, FL.

Children from this marriage were:

- 120 F i. **Phoebe Evelyn LAFORGE** was born 18 Jan 2002 in Sarasota, Manatee, FL.
- 121 M ii. **Maxon Edward LAFORGE** was born 19 Nov 2003 in Sarasota, Manatee, FL.

**79. Matthew James LAFORGE** (*Margaret "Peggy" Patricia HANSON*<sup>6</sup>, *Marguerite "Marge" Edith ROBERTSON*<sup>5</sup>, *William Lewis*<sup>4</sup>, *William*<sup>3</sup>, *William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born 10 May 1974 in Portland, Cumberland, ME.

Matthew married **Hilary Mccullum LYLE** 17 Jul 1999 in Freeport, Cumberland, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- 122 M i. **Matthew Julian LAFORGE** was born 16 Sep 2002 in Brunswick, Cumberland, ME.
- 123 M ii. **Braden Michael LAFORGE** was born 25 Feb 2005 in Brunswick, Cumberland, ME.
- 124 F iii. **Elinor "Nora" Beatrice LAFORGE** was born 24 Mar 2009 in Brunswick, Cumberland, ME.

**80. Amy Carole BURROWS** (*Carole Elizabeth HANSON*<sup>6</sup>, *Marguerite "Marge" Edith ROBERTSON*<sup>5</sup>, *William Lewis*<sup>4</sup>, *William*<sup>3</sup>, *William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born 22 Feb 1973 in San Jose, San Jose, CA.

Amy married **Allan Clifford ANDERSON Jr** 25 May 1996 in , CA. Allan was born 25 Feb 1973 in Mountain View, Santa Clara, CA.

Children from this marriage were:

- 125 M i. **Aidan James ANDERSON** was born 8 Feb 1998 in Bremerton, Kitsap, WA.
- 126 F ii. **Ainsley Quinn ANDERSON** was born 10 Feb 2004 in Bremerton, Kitsap, WA.

**81. Erin Genevieve BURROWS** (*Carole Elizabeth HANSON*<sup>6</sup>, *Marguerite "Marge" Edith ROBERTSON*<sup>5</sup>, *William Lewis*<sup>4</sup>, *William*<sup>3</sup>, *William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born 5 Feb 1974 in San Jose, San Jose, CA.

Erin married **Allan Michael PASHKOW Jr** 12 Mar 1997.

Children from this marriage were:

- 127 M i. **Jonathan Michael PASHKOW** was born 1 Dec 1997 in Killeen, Bell, TX.
- 128 F ii. **Kaitlyn Marie PASHKOW** was born 30 Dec 2002 in Tulsa, Tulsa, OK.

**87. Eric Mark CHAGNON** (*Nancy Jeanne RHOADES*<sup>6</sup>, *Muriel Ruth ROBERTSON*<sup>5</sup>, *William Lewis*<sup>4</sup>, *William*<sup>3</sup>, *William*<sup>2</sup>, *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born 13 Sep 1977 in Rochester, Strafford, NH.

Eric Connick adopted by second husband Mark Chagnon. Lisa was first married to Mr DeForge.

Eric had a relationship with **Sonya DUNTON**, daughter of **Kenneth I DUNTON** and **Patricia**. This couple did not marry. Sonya was born 3 May 1977 in Rochester, Strafford, NH.

Their child was:

- 129 M i. **Tyler Dean CHAGNON** was born 2 Jan 1997 in Rochester, Strafford, NH.

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Eric married **Lisa DUPONT** 26 Sep 2009 in Franklin, Merrimack, NH. Lisa was born 24 Jan 1969 in Laconia, Belknap, NH.

**88. Ryan Mark CHAGNON** (*Nancy Jeanne RHOADES<sup>6</sup>, Muriel Ruth ROBERTSON<sup>5</sup>, William Lewis<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 6 Nov 1982 in Dover, Strafford, NH.

Ryan married **Jamie Meredith TATUM** 11 Jun 2011 in Rollinsford, Strafford, NH. Jamie was born 1 Mar 1983 in Rochester, Strafford, NH.

Children from this marriage were:

- 130 M i. **Bradford Ryan CHAGNON** was born 15 Jan 2007 in Dover, Strafford, NH.
- 131 M ii. **Oliver Ryan CHAGNON** was born 10 Aug 2014 in Dover, Strafford, NH.

**100. Darrell John GETCHELL** (*Patricia Marie ELWELL<sup>6</sup>, Margaret Elizabeth McBRIDE<sup>5</sup>, Brooxxie Belle ROBERTSON<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 26 Jul 1955 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

Darrell married **Sheila McLAUGHLIN** 29 Mar 1980 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

Children from this marriage were:

- 132 M i. **Michael GETCHELL** was born 25 May 1981 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.
- 133 F ii. **Amy Elizabeth GETCHELL** was born 18 Feb 1985 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB and died 19 Feb 1985 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.
- 134 M iii. **David John GETCHELL** was born 24 Dec 1986 in St John, St John, NB.

**101. Brenda Margaret GETCHELL** (*Patricia Marie ELWELL<sup>6</sup>, Margaret Elizabeth McBRIDE<sup>5</sup>, Brooxxie Belle ROBERTSON<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 23 Jun 1959 in St John, St John, NB.

Brenda married **Colin Herbert BARTER** 5 Jul 1980 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB. Colin was born 31 Oct 1958 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

Children from this marriage were:

- 135 M i. **William David BARTER** was born 5 Nov 1982 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.
- 136 M ii. **Adam James BARTER** was born 7 Jul 1986 in St Stephen, Charlotte, NB.

**104. Richard James DEMPSEY** (*Donna Marie ALWARD<sup>6</sup>, Mary Ellen McBRIDE<sup>5</sup>, Brooxxie Belle ROBERTSON<sup>4</sup>, William<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>*) was born 13 Sep 1963 in Oakville, Halton, ON.

Richard married **Amanda ADAMS** 22 Dec 1984 in Oakville, Halton, ON. Amanda was born 25 Jan 1965.

Children from this marriage were:

- 137 F i. **Melody Ann DEMPSEY** was born 12 Feb 1986 in Oakville, Halton, ON.
- 138 M ii. **Daniel James DEMPSEY** was born 28 Sep 1989 in Oakville, Halton, ON.