

## *Descendants of George Staines*

### *Generation No. 1*

1. GEORGE<sup>2</sup> STAINES (*JOSEPH*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1818 in Kelshall, Hertford, and died 12 January 1895 in Eglington, NSW, Australia<sup>1</sup>. He married MARTHA HITCH Aft. 1851, daughter of JOHN HITCH and WINNY THEOBALDS. She was born Abt. 1816 in Steeple Morden, Cambridgeshire, and died 03 August 1891 in Bathurst, NSW<sup>2</sup>.

#### Notes for GEORGE STAINES:

George arrived in Australia with his brothers James and Charles (single?) and their families aboard the "Sultana" in 1856.

George gives his age as 38, farm labourer from Kelshall, Hertford. Parents Joseph and Sarah - mother residing Kelshall. Neither reads nor writes. His brother Thomas is residing in Bathurst.

Martha 40, is from Steeple Morden, Cambridge. Parent John and Winnie, both dead.

According to a listing of Bathurst Land Owners in 1885 (Return to the Legislative Assembly 1st Jan. 1885)

Bathurst (District) Kellosiel (Name of Holding) Esrom (Post Town) George Staines (Land Owner).

#### Bathurst Cemetery Inscription:

IN MEMORY OF OUR DEAR FATHER

GEORGE STAINES

DIED JAN 12 1895 AGED 77 YEARS

AND OUR DEAR MOTHER

MARTHA STAINES

DIED AUG 3 1891 AGED 75 YEARS

AND OUR LOVING BROTHER

JOHN STAINES

DIED SEPT 9 1918 AGED 65 YEARS

ALSO

OUR LOVING SISTER

SARAH STAINES

DIED JULY 17 1927 AGED 70 YRS

SUSAN STAINES

DIED JUNE 15 1938 AGED 79 YRS

#### More About GEORGE STAINES:

Baptism: 08 February 1818, Kelshall, Hertfordshire<sup>3</sup>

Burial: 13 January 1895, Bathurst Cemetery, NSW

#### Notes for MARTHA HITCH:

Martha was living with her sister Mary at the time of the 1851 census in Kelshall and is described as a house servant.

More About MARTHA HITCH:

Baptism: 02 May 1824, Steeple Morden, Cambridgeshire

Burial: Bathurst Cemetery, NSW

Children of GEORGE STAINES and MARTHA HITCH are:

- i. JOHN<sup>3</sup> STAINES, b. Abt. 1853, Kelshall, Hertford; d. 09 September 1918, Bathurst, NSW<sup>4</sup>.

Notes for JOHN STAINES:  
Remained single

More About JOHN STAINES:  
Baptism: 11 December 1853, Kelshall, Hertfordshire<sup>5</sup>  
Burial: 10 September 1918, Bathurst Cemetery, NSW

- ii. SIDNEY WRIGHT STAINES, b. 1855, Kelshall, Hertford; d. Bef. 1856, England.

More About SIDNEY WRIGHT STAINES:  
Baptism: 13 October 1855, Kelshall, Hertfordshire<sup>5</sup>

- iii. SARAH STAINES, b. 1857, Poormans Hollow, near Bathurst, NSW<sup>6</sup>; d. 17 July 1927, District Hospital, Bathurst, NSW<sup>7</sup>.

Notes for SARAH STAINES:  
On death certificate, it states that Sarah lived at 184 Durham Street, Bathurst.

More About SARAH STAINES:  
Burial: 18 July 1927, Bathurst Cemetery, NSW

- iv. SUSAN STAINES, b. 1859, Campbells River, near Bathurst, NSW<sup>8</sup>; d. 14 June 1938, Fairleigh, 47 Wentworth Rd, Strathfield, NSW.

More About SUSAN STAINES:  
Burial: 15 June 1938, Bathurst Cemetery, NSW

2. v. MARY E STAINES, b. 1862.

*Generation No. 2*

2. MARY E<sup>3</sup> STAINES (*GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1862<sup>9</sup>. She married JOHN HENRY STOCKS 1888 in Bathurst, NSW.

Notes for JOHN HENRY STOCKS:

John was a farmer and his usual place of residence is given as Esrom, near Bathurst at his wedding in 1888. The marriage took place at the residence of Mary Eliza's parents "Keloshiel", near Bathurst.

Witnesses: John Staines, Sarah Staines.

Children of MARY STAINES and JOHN STOCKS are:

- i. WILLIAM G<sup>4</sup> STOCKS, b. 1889, Bathurst; m. GLADYS M. WRIGHT, 1915, Bathurst.

Notes for WILLIAM G STOCKS:  
Informant for his aunt Susan's death. His address in 1938 is given as 250 Howich Street, Bathurst.

- ii. DOROTHY I. STOCKS, b. 1891, Bathurst; d. 1912, Bathurst.

- iii. JOHN O. STOCKS, b. 1893, Bathurst.

- iv. LAWRENCE R. STOCKS, b. 1896, Wattle Flat, NSW; d. 1898.

- v. MARY M. STOCKS, b. 1898, Wattle Flat, NSW.

- vi. ETHEL M. STOCKS, b. 1900, Wattle Flat, NSW; m. HILTON COCHRANE, 1924, Orange, NSW. - Edward 13 yrs

- vii. GORDON FRANCIS STOCKS, b. 1902, Wattle Flat, NSW; m. LORNA M. JOHNSON, 1929, Burwood, NSW. when did

- viii. CLARENCE R. STOCKS, b. 1903, Wattle Flat, NSW.

*Endnotes*

1. NSW BDM, 1895 -#3222.
2. NSW BDM, 1891 #8716.
3. IGL C048671.
4. NSW BDM, 1918 - #12612.
5. IGL C072541.
6. NSW BDM, 1857 - #4401.
7. NSW BDM, 13751.
8. NSW BDM, 1859 - #4666.
9. NSW BDM, 1862 #4818.