

# *Descendants of James Cliffe*

## *Generation No. 1*

1. JAMES<sup>1</sup> CLIFFE He married HANNAH WHITELEY 26 Feb 1827 in St Johns, Halifax (FHO).

Notes for JAMES CLIFFE:

James's occupation - Mason

1851 census HO107/2298/148/364 at 4 Back Lower Park Street, Halifax - Hannah 45 yrs widow/bread baker with children George 26 mason, William 16 machine maker and Hannah 3yrs.(FHO). James apparently died bet 1848-1851

Children of JAMES CLIFFE and HANNAH WHITELEY are:

2.
  - i. GEORGE WHITELEY<sup>2</sup> CLIFFE, b. 1824, Sowerby Bridge, Yorks WR. Bapt 26 December 1824 at Christ Church, Sowerby Bridge (IGI); d. 25 Apr 1876, aged 53 yrs at Halifax. GRO: June 1876 Halifax 9a 33 and IGI.
  - ii. MARY CLIFFE, b. 10 Oct 1827, Halifax. Bapt 13 Jan 1828 at Halifax; d. Oct 1832, aged 5 yrs. Buried 17 Oct 1832 at St Johns, Halifax (FHO).
  - iii. SARAH CLIFFE, b. 1830, Halifax. Bapt 14 Nov 1830 at St Johns, Halifax (FHO).
  - iv. WILLIAM CLIFFE, b. 22 Apr 1834, Halifax. Bapt 13 July 1834 at St Johns, Halifax (FHO).
  - v. HANNAH CLIFFE, b. 1847, Halifax. GRO: June 1847 Halifax 22 233..

## *Generation No. 2*

2. GEORGE WHITELEY<sup>2</sup> CLIFFE (*JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 1824 in Sowerby Bridge, Yorks WR. Bapt 26 December 1824 at Christ Church, Sowerby Bridge (IGI), and died 25 Apr 1876 in aged 53 yrs at Halifax. GRO: June 1876 Halifax 9a 33 and IGI. He married ELIZABETH ROBERTSHAW 18 Aug 1851 in Halifax GRO: Sept 1851 Halifax 22 174 and IGI, daughter of JONATHAN ROBERTSHAW and MARGARET SLATER. She was born 1828 in Halifax. Bapt 8 March 1829 at St Johns, Halifax (FHO), and died 1910 in Halifax aged 80 yrs. GRO Mar 1910 Halifax 9a 303.

Children of GEORGE CLIFFE and ELIZABETH ROBERTSHAW are:

3.
  - i. MARGARET WHITELEY<sup>3</sup> CLIFFE, b. 1862, Halifax. GRO: Dec 1861 Halifax 9a 367.
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    - ii. HERBERT WHITELEY CLIFFE, b. 1864, Halifax. GRO June 1864 Halifax 9a 427.
    - iii. ELIZA WHITELEY CLIFFE, b. 1869, Halifax. GRO Mar 1869 Halifax 9a 412.
  5.
    - iv. GEORGE WHITELEY CLIFFE, b. 1871, Halifax. GRO: June 1871 Halifax 9a 457.

## *Generation No. 3*

3. MARGARET WHITELEY<sup>3</sup> CLIFFE (*GEORGE WHITELEY*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 1862 in Halifax. GRO: Dec 1861 Halifax 9a 367. She married JOHN WILLIAM COLLINSON 1895 in Halifax Dec 1895 9a 938. He was born Abt. 1865 in Leeds.

Notes for JOHN WILLIAM COLLINSON:

1901 census at Cleckheaton - 36yrs Railway porter with wife Margaret 39 and son Arnold 3yrs.

Child of MARGARET CLIFFE and JOHN COLLINSON is:

- i. ARNOLD<sup>4</sup> COLLINSON, b. 1897, Cleckheaton. GRO: June 1897 N Bierley 9b 149 ?.

4. HERBERT WHITELEY<sup>3</sup> CLIFFE (*GEORGE WHITELEY*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 1864 in Halifax. GRO June 1864 Halifax 9a 427. He married JANE ELIZABETH KITCHEN 1886 in GRO: Sept 1886 Halifax 9a 598. She was born 1851 in Halifax. GRO June 1851 Halifax 22 231.

Children of HERBERT CLIFFE and JANE KITCHEN are:

6.
  - i. LOUIS<sup>4</sup> CLIFF, b. 1888, Halifax. GRO Halifax 9a 419.
  - ii. ETHEL CLIFF, b. Abt. 1890, Halifax.
  - iii. ELIZA CLIFF, b. Abt. 1887, Halifax.
  - iv. EMMA CLIFF, b. Abt. 1890, Halifax.
  - v. CHARLOTTE CLIFF, b. Abt. 1880, Halifax.

5. GEORGE WHITELEY<sup>3</sup> CLIFFE (*GEORGE WHITELEY<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1871 in Halifax. GRO: June 1871 Halifax 9a 457. He married MARTHA ELIZABETH WEST 1897 in Halifax. GRO: Sep 1897 Halifax 9a 807, daughter of WILLIAM WEST and SELINA DYSON. She was born 1871 in Halifax. GRO: June 1870 Halifax 9a 430.

Notes for GEORGE WHITELEY CLIFFE:

1901 census at Halifax - 29yrs bricklayer with wife Martha 30yrs and children Elsie 2 and Arthur 1 mth.

Children of GEORGE CLIFFE and MARTHA WEST are:

- i. ELSIE<sup>4</sup> CLIFFE, b. 1898, Halifax WR. GRO: Sep 1898 Hx 9a 417.
- ii. ARTHUR CLIFFE, b. 19 Feb 1901, Halifax WR. GRO: Mar 1901 Hx 9a 398; d. Jul 1988, Halifax aged 87 yrs. GRO: July 1988 Halifax 4 656.

Notes for ARTHUR CLIFFE:

GRO (death) gives d.o.b as 19.2.1902 should be 1901.

#### *Generation No. 4*

6. LOUIS<sup>4</sup> CLIFF (*HERBERT WHITELEY<sup>3</sup> CLIFFE, GEORGE WHITELEY<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1888 in Halifax. GRO Halifax 9a 419. He married MARTHA NORCLIFFE 1911 in Halifax GRO Dec 1911 Halifax 9a 877, daughter of JONATHAN NORCLIFFE and HANNAH ROTHERY. She was born 1887 in Birchencliffe. GRO Sept 1887 Huddersfield 9a 382.

Children of LOUIS CLIFF and MARTHA NORCLIFFE are:

- i. HERBERT<sup>5</sup> CLIFFE, b. 1913, Halifax. GRO: June 1913 Halifax 9a 758.
7. ii. EVA CONSTANCE CLIFFE, b. 19 Nov 1916, 73 Wadsworth Street, Halifax; d. Jun 2000, Halifax aged 83 yrs. GRO June 3 2000 Halifax C26C 282.

#### *Generation No. 5*

7. EVA CONSTANCE<sup>5</sup> CLIFFE (*LOUIS<sup>4</sup> CLIFF, HERBERT WHITELEY<sup>3</sup> CLIFFE, GEORGE WHITELEY<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 19 Nov 1916 in 73 Wadsworth Street, Halifax, and died Jun 2000 in Halifax aged 83 yrs. GRO June 3 2000 Halifax C26C 282. She married WILFRED THORP 23 Mar 1940 in Salvation Army Citadel, North Parade, Halifax, son of WILLIAM THORP and EDITH CROOKS. He was born 1911 in Chorlton. GRO: June 1911 Chorlton 8c 750, and died Jan 1996 in Halifax aged 83 yrs. GRO: Jan 1996 Halifax A16C 81.

Children of EVA CLIFFE and WILFRED THORP are:

8. i. JEAN<sup>6</sup> THORP, b. 11 Aug 1940, Halifax.
- ii. GEOFFREY THORP, b. 11 Aug 1940, Halifax.

Notes for GEOFFREY THORP:

Emigrated to Australia. Now lives near Adelaide

- iii. GILLIAN THORP, b. 21 Jul.
- iv. ARTHUR THORP.

#### *Generation No. 6*

8. JEAN<sup>6</sup> THORP (*EVA CONSTANCE<sup>5</sup> CLIFFE, LOUIS<sup>4</sup> CLIFF, HERBERT WHITELEY<sup>3</sup> CLIFFE, GEORGE WHITELEY<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 11 Aug 1940 in Halifax. She married HARRY KITTERINGHAM, son of ANTHONY KITTERINGHAM. He was born 21 Aug 1926, and died Oct 1996 in aged 70 yrs. GRO: Oct 1996 Halifax A17C 199.

Child of JEAN THORP and HARRY KITTERINGHAM is:

- i. STEVEN<sup>7</sup> KITTERINGHAM.