

## Charles ROBJOHNS and Elizabeth DRAKE

### Chart 50 - 51

(Weblink BE Robjohns Drake about 1829 England)

(Weblink to Charles's parents to be created chart 100-101)

(Weblink to Elizabeth's parents to be created chart 102-103)

#### Charles ROBJOHNS

B 19 December 1800 Tavistock Devon England

D 16 October 1877 New Zealand

M about 1829 Devon England

#### Elizabeth DRAKE

B 1807-1808 Whitchurch Devon England

D 11 September 1900 New Zealand

Children:

1. Emma Elizabeth ROBJOHN born about 1830 Tavistock Devon England
2. Eliza Jane ROBJOHNS born about 1835 Tavistock Devon England
3. Hannah Heman ROBJOHNS born about 1838 Tavistock Devon England
4. Charles John Drake ROBJOHNS born about 1841 Tavistock Devon England
5. **Mary Wilmot ROBJOHNS** born about 1843 Tavistock Devon England

### The family history of Charles ROBJOHNS and Elizabeth DRAKE

Charles ROBJOHNS was born 19 December 1800 in Tavistock Devon England

**SEARCH** (Reference FHC LDS microfilm of parish records)

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Elizabeth DRAKE was born and baptised 26 August 1807 in Whitchurch Devon England. Her parents were Wilmot formerly RICHARDS and John DRAKE.

**ORDER** (Reference FHC LDS Family Search Birth & Baptisms 1692-1837 Abbey Chapel Presbyterian microfilm 590695 item 12 OR Birth & Baptisms 1796-1936 Brook Street chapel Independent microfilm 590695 item 11)

Elizabeth daughter of John Drake and Willmott his wife was baptised 26 August 1807 Whitchurch England

*(Reference Findmypast website Whitchurch Devon Parish baptisms)*

A descendant said that Elizabeth was a descendant of Sir Francis DRAKE. I can confirm that Elizabeth was born in the same district as Sir Francis DRAKE descendants.

Perhaps there is an element of truth in the story but so far I have been unable to locate any documentation to confirm the relationship.

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Charles ROBJOHNS married Elizabeth DRAKE about 1829 perhaps Devon England

**SEARCH** (Reference FHC LDS microfilm of parish records)

Charles and Elizabeth had a daughter Emma Elizabeth ROBJOHN who was born about 1830 Tavistock Devon England

**ORDER** (Reference FHC LDS Family Search Birth & Baptisms 1692-1837 Abbey Chapel Presbyterian microfilm 590695 item 12 OR Birth & Baptisms 1796-1936 Brook Street chapel Independent microfilm 590695 item 11)

Charles and Elizabeth had a daughter Eliza Jane who was born about 1835 in Tavistock Devon England.

**ORDER** (Reference FHC LDS Family Search Birth & Baptisms 1692-1837 Abbey Chapel Presbyterian microfilm 590695 item 12 OR Birth & Baptisms 1796-1936 Brook Street chapel Independent microfilm 590695 item 11)

Charles and Elizabeth had a daughter Hannah Heman ROBJOHNS who was born about 1838 Tavistock Cornwall Devon

**ORDER** (Reference RGO UK Birth 1838 Tavistock district Volume 9 Page 463)

Charles and Elizabeth had a son Charles John Drake ROBJOHNS who was born about 1841 Tavistock Cornwall Devon

**ORDER** (Reference RGO UK birth registration 1841 March quarter Tavistock district Volume 9 Page 497)

**1841 Census** Two Bridges Mill Tavistock Devon England

- Charles ROBJOLEUS age 35 Miller Whether born in Country Y
- Elizabeth ROBJOLEUS age 33 Whether born in Country Y
- Charles ROBJOLEUS age 76 or 16 Whether born in Country Y
- Mary Anne ROBJOLEUS age 30 Whether born in Country Y
- Emma Elizabeth ROBJOLEUS age 11 Whether born in Country Y
- Eliza Jane ROBJOLEUS age 6 Whether born in Country Y
- Hannah Lemon ROBJOLEUS age 2 Whether born in Country Y
- Charles John ROBJOLEUS age 5 months Whether born in Country Y
- Wilmot DRAKE age 68 Whether born in Country Y

*(Reference National Library NZ Ancestry.com Tavistock sighted 1841 census)*

Charles and Elizabeth had a daughter Mary Wilmot ROBJOHNS was born about 1843 Tavistock Devon England.

**SEARCH** (Reference RGO UK birth registration 1843)

**1851 Census** Two Bridges Tavistock Buckland Devon England

- Charles ROBJOHNS head married age 50 Miller employing 3 men born Devon Tavistock
- Elizabeth ROBJOHNS wife married age 43 born Devon Whitchurch [sic]
- Eliza Jane ROBJOHNS daughter unmarried age 16 at Home born Devon Tavistock
- Charles John Drake ROBJOHNS son age 10 Scholar born Devon Tavistock
- **Mary Wilmot ROBJOHNS** daughter age 8 Scholar born Devon Tavistock
- Mary A ROBJOHNS sister visitor age 46 General Servant born Devon Tavistock
- Wilmot DRAKE mother-in-law widow lodger age 78 Owner of Leasehold property born Devon Buckland Monson

*(Reference National Library NZ Ancestry Tavistock ED 2d Household schedule 39 sighted census)*

Charles's wife Elizabeth's mother Willmet [sic] (Wilmot) DRAKE died 1857 Tavistock Devonshire England.

**ORDER** (Reference Ancestry website RGO UK death registration 1857 June quarter district Tavistock County Devonshire England volume 5b page 233)

**1861 Census** Higher Market Street Travistock Devon England

- Charles ROBJOHNS head married age 60 Baker Grocer Master born Devon Tavistock
- Elizabeth ROBJOHNS wife married age 53 born Devon Whitchurch
- Charles J D ROBJOHNS son unmarried age 20 Baker born Devon Tavistock
- **Mary W ROBJOHNS** daughter unmarried age 18 Assistant in Shop born Devon Tavistock
- Mary A ROBJOHNS sister unmarried age 57 General Servant born Devon Tavistock

*(Reference National Library NZ Ancestry Tavistock ED 10a Household schedule 290 sighted census)*

**1871 Census** 5 Higher Market Street Travistock Devon England

- Charles ROBJOHNS head married age 70 Baker & Grocer born Devon Tavistock
- Elizabeth ROBJOHNS wife married age 62 born Devon Whitchurch
- **Mary Wilmot ROBJOHNS** daughter unmarried age 27 Assistant in Shop born Devon Tavistock
- Kate ROBJOHNS daughter unmarried age 8 Scholar born Devon Plymouth
- Mary Ann ROBJOHNS sister unmarried age 63 Retired from work born Devon Tavistock

*(Reference National Library NZ Ancestry Tavistock ED 10 Household schedule 64 sighted census)*

Charles and Elizabeth's daughter Mary Wilmot ROBJOHNS married James EAST in 1873 at Tavistock Cornwall Devon England

**ORDER** (Reference RGO UK Marriage 1873 June Quarter Tavistock Cornwall Devon Volume 5b Page 654)

Charles and Elizabeth's ROBJOHNS left England and arrived in New Zealand between 1871 and 1877

**SEARCH** (Reference Archives NZ shipping and passenger lists)

Charles ROBJOHNS died 1877 New Zealand

**ORDER** (Reference RGO NZ death registration 1877 folio website 1877/4401 age 76 born about 1801)

Burial Records Makaraka Cemetery Gisborne

- Charles ROBJOHNS (born 1800) 17 October 1877 age 77 Gisborne Methodist
- Amy E W EAST 16 December 1882 5 months Gisborne Anglican
- Elizabeth ROBJOHNS (born 1807) 12 September 1900 93 years Gisborne Methodist

*(Reference FHC Micro Fiche NZSG Cemetery Transcripts)*

Charles ROBJOHNS death date 16 October 1877 Court Gisborne Type Will Date filed 28 June 1886.

**ORDER** (Reference Archives of NZ Auckland Probate Number BAJI 1594 30/86 Not Sighted)

1893 Electoral District Waiapu

Elizabeth ROBJOHNS occupation widow residence Gisborne 1893

*(Reference Alexander Turnbull Library microfilm of NZ Electoral Roll and Archives NZ index of 1893 Electoral Rolls)*

Elizabeth ROBJOHNS died on 12 September 1900 age 93 years in Gisborne New Zealand

**ORDER** (Reference RGO NZ death registration 1900 folio website 1900/5760 age 93 born about 1807)

Headstone Makaraka Cemetery Gisborne

Sacred to the memory of Charles ROBJOHNS, born at Tavistock Devon December 19<sup>th</sup> 1800, Died October 16<sup>th</sup> 1877 also Elizabeth wife of the above, who fell asleep in Jesus, September 11<sup>th</sup> 1900 age 93

*(Reference FHC Micro Fiche NZSG Cemetery Transcripts)*

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## Charles & Elizabeth ROBJOHNS their children and descendants

**1- Emma Elizabeth ROBJOHN** born about 1830 Tavistock Devon England

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**SEARCH** (Reference FHC LDS microfilm of parish records)

**1841 Census** Two Bridges Mill Tavistock Devon England

- Emma Elizabeth ROBJOLEUS age 11 Whether born in Country Y  
(Reference National Library NZ Ancestry.com Tavistock sighted 1841 census)

**SEARCH** (Reference RGO UK marriage and death registration)

**SEARCH 1851 & 1861 & 1871 & 1881 & 1891 & 1901 census** Devon England

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**2- Eliza Jane ROBJOHNS** born about 1835 Tavistock Devon England

Eliza Jane ROBJOHNS was born about 1835 in Tavistock Devon England.

**SEARCH** (Reference FHC LDS microfilm of parish records)

**1841 Census** Two Bridges Mill Tavistock Devon England

- Eliza Jane ROBJOLEUS age 6 Whether born in Country Y  
(Reference National Library NZ Ancestry.com Tavistock sighted 1841 census)

**1851 Census** Two Bridges Tavistock Buckland Devon England

- Eliza Jane ROBJOHNS daughter unmarried age 16 at Home born Devon Tavistock  
(Reference National Library NZ Ancestry Tavistock ED 2d Household schedule 39 sighted census)

**SEARCH** (Reference RGO UK marriage and death registration)

**SEARCH 1851 & 1861 & 1871 & 1881 & 1891 & 1901 census** Devon England

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**3- Hannah Heman ROBJOHNS** born 1838 Tavistock Devon England

Hannah Heman ROBJOHNS was born 1838 Tavistock Cornwall Devon

**ORDER** (Reference RGO UK birth registration 1838 Tavistock district volume 9 page 463)

**1841 Census** Two Bridges Mill Tavistock Devon England

- Hannah Lemon ROBJOLEUS age 2 Whether born in Country Y  
(Reference National Library NZ Ancestry.com Tavistock sighted 1841 census)

**SEARCH** (Reference RGO UK marriage and death registration)

**SEARCH 1851 & 1861 & 1871 & 1881 & 1891 & 1901 census** Devon England

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**4- Charles John Drake ROBJOHNS** born 1841 Tavistock Devon England

Charles John Drake ROBJOHNS was born 1841 Tavistock Cornwall Devon

**ORDER** (Reference RGO UK birth registration 1841 March quarter Tavistock district volume 9 page 497)

**1841 Census** Two Bridges Mill Tavistock Devon England

- Charles John ROBJOLEUS age 5 months Whether born in Country Y  
(Reference National Library NZ Ancestry.com Tavistock sighted 1841 census)

**1851 Census** Two Bridges Tavistock Buckland Devon England

- Charles John Drake ROBJOHNS son age 10 Scholar born Devon Tavistock  
(Reference National Library NZ Ancestry Tavistock ED 2d Household schedule 39 sighted census)

**1861 Census** Higher Market Street Tavistock Devon England

- Charles J D ROBJOHNS son unmarried age 20 Baker born Devon Tavistock  
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**SEARCH** (Reference RGO UK marriage and death registration  
**SEARCH 1871 & 1881 & 1891 & 1901 census** Devon England

**5 - Mary Wilmot ROBJOHNS** born about 1843 Tavistock Devon England died 1920  
Gisborne New Zealand married 1873 Tavistock Devon England **James EAST refer**  
**chart 24-25** (5 Issue)

### ROBJOHNS & DRAKE miscellaneous information

**0- John DRAKE** born about 1770 England died 1841 Tavistock Devon England married  
23 March 1800 Whitechurch Devon England **Wilmot RICHARDS** born about 1773  
Bucklands Monachorum Devon England died April 1857 Tavistock Devon England  
(age 84 born about 1773) **CHART 102-103 to be created**

#Banns of marriage between John DRAKE of this parish and Willmot RICHARDS of  
this parish were published on the three Sundays underwritten That is to say On  
Sunday the 9<sup>th</sup> – On Sunday the 16<sup>th</sup> and On Sunday the 23<sup>rd</sup> of March 1800 by me  
Chr. Sprey [sic] Curate reference Findmypast website Whitechurch Devon England  
parish marriage Banns page No. 161

#John DRAKE died 1940 Tavistock Devon England reference Ancestry website RGO  
UK death registration 1940 September quarter district Tavistock County Devon  
England volume 9 page 275

#1841 John DRAKE Testator Travistock Residence Wilmot DRAKE Executors A  
Totreps [sic] Court 3 register 690Nts [sic] folio reference Findmypast website death  
duty and Country Wills Devon England

**#1841 Census** Two Bridges Mill Tavistock Devon England

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- Charles ROBJOLEUS age 76 or 16 Whether born in Country Y
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- Hannah Lemon ROBJOLEUS age 2 Whether born in Country Y
- Charles John ROBJOLEUS age 5 months Whether born in Country Y
- Wilmot DRAKE age 68 Whether born in Country Y

**#1851 Census** Two Bridges Tavistock Buckland Devon England ED 2d Household  
schedule 39

- Charles ROBJOHNS head married age 50 Miller employing 3 men born Devon  
Tavistock
- Elizabeth ROBJOHNS wife married age 43 born Devon Whitchurch [sic]
- Eliza Jane ROBJOHNS daughter unmarried age 16 at Home born Devon Tavistock
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born Devon Buckland Monson

#Willmet [sic] (Wilmot) DRAKE died 1857 Tavistock Devonshire England reference  
Ancestry website RGO UK death registration 1857 June quarter district Tavistock  
County Devonshire England volume 5b page 233

#1857 Willmot DRAKE Testator Travistock Residence Chas. ROBJOHNS Hatfield  
Executors PC Court 2 register 320 folio reference Findmypast website death duty and  
Country Wills Devon England

- 0-1- John DRAKE born & baptised 17 October 1802 Whitchurch Devon England died 22 October 1802 Whitchurch Devon England  
#John son of John Drake and Willmot his wife was baptised 17 October 1802 Whitchurch England reference Findmypast website Whitchurch Devon parish baptisms  
#Burials 1802 John DRAKE October 22<sup>nd</sup> reference Findmypast website Whitchurch Devon parish burials
- 0-2- Hannah DRAKE born & baptised 03 July 1805 Whitchurch Devon England died 09 October 1898 Adelaide South Australia married Samuel HILL born about 1799 died 1874 (4 issue)  
#Hannah daughter of John Drake and Willmott his wife was baptised 03 July 1805 Whitchurch England reference Findmypast website Whitchurch Devon parish baptisms
- 0-3- Elizabeth DRAKE born & baptised 26 August 1807 Whitchurch Devon England died married Charles ROBJOHNS refer this document Chart 50-51  
#Elizabeth daughter of John Drake and Willmott his wife was baptised 26 August 1807 Whitchurch England reference Findmypast website Whitchurch Devon Parish baptisms
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- 0- Henry Charles ROBJOHNS** born about 1819 died 1895 New Zealand married about 1859 England **Susan** Surname Unknown born about 1830 died 1914 New Zealand  
#Henry Charles ROBJOHNS died 1895 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1895 folio website 1895/4669 age 76 born about 1819  
#Susan ROBJOHNS died 1914 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1914 folio website 1914/4961 age 84 born about 1830
- 0-1- **Ánnie Elizabeth ROBJOHNS** born 1860 New Zealand died 1888 New Zealand married 1888 New Zealand John YOUNGHUSBAND born 1856 died 1902 New Zealand  
#Ánnie Elizabeth ROBJOHNS born 1860 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1860 folio website 1860/2460  
#Annie Elizabeth ROBJOHNS married 1888 New Zealand John YOUNGHUSBAND reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1888 folio 1309 website 1888/1352  
#Annie Elizabeth YOUNGHUSBAND died 1888 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1888 folio website 1888/4069 age 28 born about 1860  
#John YOUNGHUSBAND died 1902 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1902 folio website 1902/6836 age 46 born about 1856
- 0-2- **Henry Charles ROBJOHNS** born 1862 New Zealand died 1895 New Zealand married about 1885 Jane KINSEY born about 1856 died 1942 New Zealand  
#Henry Charles ROBJOHNS born 1862 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1862 folio website 1862/2797  
#Henry Charles ROBJOHNS died 1895 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1895 folio website 1895/4657 age 33 born about 1862  
#Jane Kinsey ROBJOHNS died 1942 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1942 folio website 1942/26512 age 86 born about 1856
- 0-2-1- **John Nelson ROBJOHNS** born about 1886 New Zealand died 1886 New Zealand (died young never married)  
#John Nelson RONJOHNS died 1886 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1886 folio website 1886/6211 age 6 months born about 1886
- 0-2-2- **Evaline Beatrice ROBJOHNS** born 1888 New Zealand died 1963 New Zealand married 1912 New Zealand Frank Clifford AÇOURT born 1885 died 1971 New Zealand  
#Evaline Beatrice ROBJOHNS born 1888 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1888 folio website 1888/14368 parents Jane and Henry Charles Robjohns

- #Evelyn Beatrice ROBJOHNS married 1912 New Zealand Frank Clifford AÇOURT reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1912 folio 1652 website 1912/2270
- #Evelyn Beatrice AÇOURT died 1963 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1963 folio website 1963/44309 age 75 born about 1888
- #Frank Clifford AÇOURT died 1971 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1971 folio website 1971/32476 age 86 born about 1885
- 0-2-3- Henry Charles ROBJOHNS born 1891 New Zealand died 1953 New Zealand married 1914 New Zealand Dorothy Ellen WADDELL born about 1894 died 1951 New Zealand
- #Henry Charles ROBJOHNS born 1891 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1891 folio website 1891/5224 parents Jane and Henry Charles Robjohns
- #Henry Charles ROBJOHNS married 1914 New Zealand Dorothy Ellen WADDELL reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1914 folio 5770
- #Dorothy Ellen ROBJOHNS died 1951 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1951 folio website 1951/20696 age 57 born about 1894
- #Henry Charles ROBJOHNS died 1953 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1953 folio website 1953/30074 age 63 born about 1890
- 0-2-3-1- Henry Charles ROBJOHNS born 24 November 1915 New Zealand died 1993 New Zealand married 1950 New Zealand Valerie May ROBINSON born 026 December 1924 died 2005 New Zealand
- #Henry Charles ROBJOHN married 1950 New Zealand Valerie May ROBINSON reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1950 folio 04836
- #Henry Charles ROBJOHNS died 1993 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1993 folio website 1993/44870 born 24 November 1915
- #Valerie May ROBJOHNS died 2005 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 2005 folio website 2005/12475 born 06 December 1924
- 0-2-4- Frederick Hubert ROBJOHNS born 1894 New Zealand died 1918 New Zealand married 1915 New Zealand Ruth Morell Mackenzie DEIGHTON born about 1890 died 1966 New Zealand
- #Frederick Hubert ROBJOHNS born 1894 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1894 folio website 1894/2802 parents Jane and Henry Charles Robjohns
- #Frederick Hubert ROBJOHNS married 1915 New Zealand Ruth Morell Mackenzie DEIGHTON reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1915 folio 07169 website 1915/4926
- #Frederick Hubert ROBJOHNS died 1918 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1918 folio website 1918/8705 age 27 born about 1891
- #Ruth Norell Mackenzie ROBJOHNS married 1920 New Zealand Frederick George Beresford GILL reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1920 folio 09840 website 1920/10605
- #Ruth Morell McKenzie GILL died 1966 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1966 folio website 1966/34215 age 76 born about 1890
- 0-2-4-1- Joy Morell ROBJOHNS / DAVYS born 28 June 1916 New Zealand died 1993 New Zealand married 1956 New Zealand Briton Napier LAND born 03 October 1919 died 1977 New Zealand
- #Joy Morell ROBJOHNS / DAVYS married 1956 New Zealand Briton Napier LAND reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1956 folio 06669
- #Briton Napier LAND died 1977 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1977 folio website 1977/35586 born 03 October 1919
- #Joy Morell LAND died 1993 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1993 folio website 1993/45280 born 28 June 1916
- 0-3- Frederick William ROBJOHNS born 1864 New Zealand died 1903 New Zealand
- #Frederick William ROBJOHNS born 1864 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1864 folio website 1864/5101

#Frederick William ROBJOHNS died 1903 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1903 folio website 1903/2862 age 39 born about 1864

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0- Henry Charles ROBJOHNS (could be above born 1891) married 1935 Ivy Georgina Sarah MARDELL born 27 August 1887 died 1980 New Zealand  
#Henry Charles ROBJOHNS married 1935 New Zealand Ivy Georgina Sarah MARDELL reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1935 folio 06472  
#Ivy Georgina Sarah ROBJOHNS died 1980 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1980 folio website 1980/47565 born 27 August 1887

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0- Herbert Harold ROBJOHNS married 1911 New Zealand Annie MCEWAN  
#Herbert Harold ROBJOHNS married 1911 New Zealand Annie MCEWAN reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1911 folio 4148

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0- Annie ROBJOHNS born about 1864 died 1951 New Zealand  
#Annie ROBJOHNS died 1951 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1951 folio website 1951/27242 age 87 born about 1864

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