

BASKETT
Hutt Valley - Upper Hutt
Family History – Genealogy – Miscellaneous Information
(Weblink HVF Baskett)

John Seaman BASKETT and Georgina Catherine HARPER
Family History

John Seaman / Seamour BASKETT

B 30 June 1877 Suffolk England

D 1960 New Zealand

M 1908 New Zealand

Georgina Catherine HARPER

B 08 April 1878 New Zealand

D 1973 New Zealand

Children:

1. Katherine Frances BASKETT born 07 September 1909 Te Aroha New Zealand

John Seaman / Seamour BASKETT was born 1877 Hartismere Suffolk England. His parents were Agnes Elizabeth nee Cuthbert and Nathaniel Baskett.

(Reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1877 September quarter district Hartismere County Suffolk England volume 4a page 568)

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- Nathaniel BASKETT head married age 42 farmer of 258 Acres Employing 9 men & 6 boys born Brockford Suffolk
- Agnes E BASKETT wife married age 30 born Mendlesham Suffolk
- Charles BASKETT son age 6 scholar born Wetheringsett Suffolk
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- Elizabeth BASKETT daughter 8 months born Wetheringsett Suffolk
- Mina REEVE governess unmarried age 16 Governess born Wyverstone Suffolk
- Ellen CHAPMAN servant unmarried age 16 domestic servant born Wetheringsett Suffolk

(Reference 1881 Census Brames Hall Wetheringsett cum Brockford Suffolk England ED 10 piece 1852 folio 116 page 20)

New Zealand Herald newspaper 12 November 1884

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(Reference Papers past website New Zealand Herald newspaper 12 November 1884)

1900 Ohinemuri Electoral Roll Waikato

- John Seymour BASKETT Waiorongomai carpenter residential
- Nathaniel BASKETT Waiorongomai farmer residential (John's father)
- Agnes Elizabeth BASKETT Waiorongomai domestic duties residential (John's mother)

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1905-1906 Ohinemuri Electoral Roll Waikato

- John Seamour BASKETT Te Aroha coachbuilder
- Nathaniel BASKETT Te Aroha farmer (John's father)
- Agnes Elizabeth BASKETT Te Aroha domestic duties (John's mother)
- Olive BASKETT Te Aroha spinster

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Georgina Catherine HARPER was born 08 April 1878 New Zealand. Her parents were Catherine Jane nee Given and James Harper.

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1878 folio website 1878/3894 parents Catherine Jane and James Harper)

John Seaman BASKETT married 07 October 1908 Avondale New Zealand Georgina Catherine HARPER

(Reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1908 folio 6360 website 1908/7740)

John and Georgina had a child Katherine Frances BASKETT born 07 September 1909 Te Aroha New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1909 folio website 1909/10246 parents Georgina Catherine and John Seaman Baskett)

1911 Ohinemuri Electoral Roll Waikato

- John Seamour BASKET [sic] Station Road Paeroa Coachbuilder
- Georgina Catherine BASKETT Station Road Paeroa married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1914 Ohinemuri Electoral Roll Waikato

- John Seamour BASKETT Station Road Paeroa Coachbuilder
- Georgina Catherine BASKETT Station Road Paeroa married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

World War One 1914-1918

Sapper John Seaman BASKETT 4/1889 New Zealand Expeditionary Force occupation Wheelwright self-employed address Paeroa born 30 June 1878 Wetheringsett Suffolk England next of kin wife G C Baskett Heretaunga commenced duty 17 November 1915 discharged 24 August 1919 overseas duty 2 years 307 days New Zealand service 345 days total service 3 years 281 days British War Medal (plus other details)

(Reference Archives New Zealand Wellington website Defence Force digitised Service records)

1919 Ohinemuri Electoral Roll Waikato

- John Seamour BASKETT Station Road Paeroa Coachbuilder

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1919 Hutt Electoral Roll

- John Seaman BASKETT Silverstream Soldier
- Georgina Catherine BASKETT Whitemans Valley married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1928 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- John Seamour BASKETT Silverstream builder
- Georgina Catherine BASKETT Silverstream married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

John Seamour BASKETT was a Councillor for the Upper Hutt Borough Council 1935-1938

Evening Post newspaper 27 April 1935

Borough of Upper Hutt Triennial Election of Councillors

I hereby give notice that the following persons have been duly nominated Councillors for the Borough of Upper Hutt:

East Ward

Blewman James, Clyma Thomas Owen Sydney, Fortune Wilfred, Greig William, Guthrie George Humphrey, Heald Ralph, Keys Francis Percy, Sutherland Arthur

West Ward

Baskett John Seamour, Godber Albert Percy, Howell Amos, Purvis John, Wooffindin William Cecil

And there being only five vacancies in the East Ward and three vacancies in the West Ward a Poll will be taken as between the said candidates on Wednesday 08th day of May 1935 at the

following places - Borough Council Offices Main Road Upper Hutt, Oddfellows Hall Main Road Upper Hutt, Howell's Garage corner Camp and Main Roads Trentham, Silverstream Social Hall Silverstream, Electricity Department Harris Street near Town Hall Wellington. Polling hours 9 am to 7 pm dated at Upper Hutt this 26th day of April 1933 R C Major Returning Officer for the Borough of Upper Hutt

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 27 April 1935)

Evening Post newspaper 14 May 1935

Borough of Upper Hutt Election of Councillors - Pursuant to Section 32 of the Local Elections and Polls Act 1925 I hereby give notice that the number of votes received by each Candidate for the office of Councillor is as follows

EAST WARD

Keys Francis Percy	778
Greig William	668
Blewman James	647
Sutherland Arthur	625
Guthrie George Humphrey	493
Fortune Wilfred	487
Clyma Thomas Owen Sydney	468
Heald Ralph	424
Informal	25

WEST WARD

Purvis John	435
Howell Amos	286
Baskett John Seamour	211
Godber Albert Percy	206
Woffindin William Cecil	202
Informal	11

And there being only five vacancies to be filled in the East Ward and three vacancies to be filled in the West Ward I hereby declare that the said - Francis Percy Keys - William Greig - James Blewman - Arthur Sutherland - George Humphrey Guthrie (East Ward) and John Purvis - Amos Howell - John Seamour Baskett (West Ward) to be duly elected dated at Upper Hutt this 11th day of May 1935 R C Major Returning Officer

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 14 May 1935)

1935 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- John Seamour BASKETT Dunn's Road Silverstream coach builder
- Georgina Catherine BASKETT Silverstream married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Upper Hutt weekly Review newspaper 08 May 1936

Silverstream School Committee was elected as follows Messrs J S Baskett (chairman) K C Treanor (secretary) W Toy, C J Hannibal and Mrs R I Gard.

(Reference Papers past website Upper Hutt weekly Review newspaper 08 May 1936)

1938 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- John Seamour BASKETT Dunn's Road Silverstream coach builder
- Georgina Catherine BASKETT Silverstream married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1941 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- Georgina Catherine BASKETT Silverstream married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

John and Georgina BASKETT departed Silverstream Upper Hutt after 1941 and were settled in Auckland by 1946

1946 & 1949 Ponsonby Electoral Roll Auckland

- John Seaman BASKETT 20 Hinemoa Street N5 retired
- Georgina Catherine BASKETT 20 Hinemoa Street N5 married
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1957 Waitemata Electoral Roll Auckland

- John Seaman BASKETT 11 Stafford Road N4 retired
- Georgina Catherine BASKETT 11 Stafford Road N4 married
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

John Seaman BASKETT died 1960 New Zealand.

(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1960 folio website 1960/26379 age 83 born about 1877)

John Seaman BASKETT of 11 Stafford Road age 83 born about 1877 religion Anglican died 17 August 1960 service 19 August 1960 Funeral director Wm Morrison Funeral Service P O Box 25731 St Heliers Auckland cremated Purewa cemetery ashes scattered

(Reference Purewa cemetery Auckland website database)

1963 Waitemata Electoral Roll Auckland

- Georgina Catherine BASKETT 117 Exmouth Road N4 widow
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1972 Birkenhead Electoral Roll Auckland

- Georgina C BASKETT 117 Exmouth Road married
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Georgina Catherine BASKETT died 1973 New Zealand.

(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1973 folio website 1973/35378 born 08 April 1878)

Purewa cemetery Auckland

Georgina Catherine BASKETT age 95 female religion Church of England died 10 October 1973 Funeral director H Morris Funeral Services P O Box 36273 Northcote Auckland cremated ashes interment 14 November 1973 location block Z row 47 plot 15 Purewa cemetery Auckland

John and Georgina BASKETT their children and descendants

- 1- **Katherine Frances BASKETT** born 07 September 1909 Te Aroha New Zealand died 2000 New Zealand married 1935 New Zealand Wilfred **EVERS-SWINDELL** born 1887 Pokesdown Hampshire England died 03 September 1949 Stroud Gloucestershire England
#Katherine Frances BASKETT born 1909 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1909 folio website 1909/10246 parents Georgina Catherine and John Seaman Baskett
#Katherine Frances BASKETTE married 1935 New Zealand Wilfred EVERS-SWINDELL reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1935 folio website 1935/6967
#Katherine Frances EVERS-SWINDELL Waipapa married & Wilfred EVERS-SWINDELL Waipapa farmer 1938 Bay of Islands Electoral Roll Northland
#Mrs Evers Swindell formerly of Wellington and latterly of the Bay of Islands where she was captain of the Kerikeri Troop of Girl Guides with her husband is staying with the latter's mother in Gloucester England. Mrs Evers Swindell before her marriage was Miss Baskett of Heretaunga reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 25 November 1939
#Katherine Frances EVERS-SWINDELL died 2000 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 2000 folio website 2000/26695 born 07 September 1909

John Seaman BASKETT his parents and their descendants

- 0- **Nathaniel BASKETT** born 10 January 1839 Brockford Wetheringsett Suffolk England died 14 November 1919 Cambridge New Zealand married 08 September 1869 Hartismere Suffolk

England **Agnes Elizabeth CUTHBERT** born 1848 Menlesham Suffolk England died 1927 New Zealand

#Nathaniel BASKETT married 1869 Hartismere Suffolk England Agnes Elizabeth CUTHBERT reference Ancestry website RGO UK 1869 September quarter district Hartismere County Suffolk England volume 4a page 7[56]6

#1871 Census Brames Hall Mendlesham Hartismere Wetheringsett cum Brockford Suffolk England ED 10 household 190 piece 1735 folio 135 page 35

- Nathaniel BASKETT head married age 30 Farmer of 285 acres employing 8 labourers and 4 boys born about 1841 Brockford Suffolk England
- Agnes E BASKETT wife married age 21 born Menlesham Suffolk England
- Florence A BASKETT daughter age 10 months born Wetheringsett Suffolk England
- Julia M HAYES visitor unmarried age 21 born Birmingham Warwickshire
- Robert SIMPER servant married age 56 Farm labourer born Risangles Suffolk
- Maria SIMPER servant married age 49 General servant born Eye Suffolk
- Betsy SIMPER servant unmarried age 20 General servant born Wetheringsett Suffolk
- Laura SIMPER servant unmarried age 13 General servant born Wetheringsett Suffolk
- Sophia SIMPER servant unmarried age 14 Dressmaker born Wetheringsett Suffolk

#1881 Census Brames Hall Wetheringsett cum Brockford Suffolk England ED 10 piece 1852 folio 116 page 20

- Nathaniel BASKETT head married age 42 farmer of 258 Acres Employing 9 men & 6 boys born Brockford Suffolk
- Agnes E or D BASKETT wife married age 30 born Mendlesham Suffolk
- Charles BASKETT son age 6 scholar born Wetheringsett Suffolk
- Edith M BASKETT daughter age 9 scholar born Wetheringsett Suffolk
- John S BASKETT son age 4 scholar born about 1877 Wetheringsett Suffolk England
- Elizabeth BASKETT daughter 8 months born Wetheringsett Suffolk
- Mina REEVE governess unmarried age 16 Governess born Wyverstone Suffolk
- Ellen CHAPMAN servant unmarried age 16 domestic servant born Wetheringsett Suffolk

#Nathaniel and Agnes and their family departed London England on "*Lady Jocelyn*" and arrived in New Zealand November 1884

#The Lady Jocelyn – The ship Jocelyn Captain Watts left London for Auckland on 26th of September last. The following is a complete list of her passengers – Mrs Baskett, Miss Edith Baskett, Miss Olive Baskett, Masters Nathaniel Baskett, Charles Baskett, John Baskett (plus other passengers reference Papers past website New Zealand Herald newspaper 12 November 1884

#Nathaniel BASKETT died 1919 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1919 folio website 1919/7500 age 80 born about 1839

#Nathaniel BASKETT of Cambridge age 89 born about 1830 died 14 November 1919 buried 14 November 1919 Hautapu cemetery Waikato New Zealand

#Agnes Elizabeth BASKETT died 1927 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1927 folio website 1927/6972 age 79 born about 1848

#Death – Baskett On 20 July at the residence of her son-in-law H A Findlay Bank of Australasia Patea, Agnes Elizabeth relict of the late Nathaniel Baskett late of Cambridge in her 79th year reference Papers past website Patea Mail newspaper 22 July 1927

0-1- Florence Agnes BASKETT born 07 August 1870 Wetheringsett Suffolk England died 08 September 1881 Hartismere Suffolk England (died young never married)

#Florence Agnes BASKETT born 07 August 1870 Wetheringsett Cum Brockford Suffolk England reference Ancestry website FHL Film 0952468 and 0952470

#1871 Census Brames Hall Mendlesham Hartismere Wetheringsett cum Brockford Suffolk England ED 10 household 190 piece 1735 folio 135 page 35

- Florence A BASKETT daughter age 10 months born Wetheringsett Suffolk England

#Florence Agnes BASKETT age 12 born about 1869 died 1881 Hertismere Suffolk England reference Ancestry website RGO UK death registration 1881 September quarter district Hertismere County Suffolk England volume 4a page 356

0-2- Edith Mary BASKETT born 24 August 1871 Wetheringsett Suffolk died 01 May 1953 Perth Western Australia 1st married 14 January 1908 Perth Western Australia Robert O'NEIL

- born 1871 died 17 October 1913 Broad Arrow Western Australia 2nd marriage Edward Parnell CROSS born 1860 died 1944 Australia
#1881 Census Brames Hall Wetheringsett cum Brockford Suffolk England ED 10 piece 1852 folio 116 page 20
- Edith M BASKETT daughter age 9 scholar born Wetheringsett Suffolk
- 0-3- Nathaniel Cuthbert BASKETT born 1872 Suffolk England died 1894 New Zealand (never married)
#Nathaniel Cuthbert BASKETT died 1894 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1894 folio website 1894/5714 age 22 born about 1872
- 0-4- Charles BASKETT born 1875 Wetheringsett Suffolk England died 13 October 1918 Palestine during World War One (never married)
#1881 Census Brames Hall Wetheringsett cum Brockford Suffolk England ED 10 piece 1852 folio 116 page 20
- Charles BASKETT son age 6 scholar born Wetheringsett Suffolk
#Driver Charles BASKETT 2157 died of dysentery 13 October 1918 (WW1) Australian Imperial Force 15th Australian Light Horse son of Nathaniel and Agnes Elizabeth Baskett of Cambridge Waikato New Zealand born at Wetheringsett Suffolk England buried Damascus Commonwealth War cemetery Syria reference Commonwealth War Graves Commission website
- 0-5- John Seaman BASKETT born 30 June 1877 Suffolk England died 1960 New Zealand married 1908 New Zealand Georgina Catherine HARPER born 08 April 1878 New Zealand died 1973 New Zealand
#1881 Census Brames Hall Wetheringsett cum Brockford Suffolk England ED 10 piece 1852 folio 116 page 20
- John S BASKETT son age 4 scholar born about 1877 Wetheringsett Suffolk England
Note John and Georgina's genealogy at the beginning of this document
- 0-6- Lucy Kathleen BASKETT born 19 June 1879 Wetheringsett Suffolk England died 16 July 1879 Hartismere Wetheringsett Suffolk England (died young never married)
- 0-7- Elizabeth Olive BASKETT born 14 September 1880 Wetheringsett Suffolk England died 09 August 1953 Cambridge New Zealand married 1910 New Zealand Charles Chapman BRUNSKILL born 1875 place unknown died 1953 New Zealand
#1881 Census Brames Hall Wetheringsett cum Brockford Suffolk England ED 10 piece 1852 folio 116 page 20
- Elizabeth BASKETT daughter 8 months born Wetheringsett Suffolk
#Elizabeth Olive BASKETT married 1910 New Zealand Charles Chapman BRUNSKILL reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1910 folio website 1910/6487
#Charles Chapman BRUNSKILL died 1953 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1953 folio website 1953/22724 age 78 born about 1875
#Elizabeth Olive BRUNSKILL died 1953 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1953 folio website 1953/22737 age 72 born about 1881
- 0-8- Edmund Graham BASKETT born 30 January 1883 Brockford Suffolk England died 27 October 1918 Lokoja Nigeria married 20 August 1917 Southwark Surrey England Dorothy Mary CUTHBERT born 1890 died 1970
#Captain Edmund Graham BASKETT 9th Battalion Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry attached Nigeria Regiment W.A.F.F. aged 35 died 27 October 1918 son of the late Nathaniel and Agnes Baskett of Cambridge New Zealand formerly Eye Suffolk, husband of Dorothy Mary Baskett of "Stapleton" Bury Road Newmarket buried Lokoja Town cemetery Nigeria reference Commonwealth War Graves Commission website
- 0-9- Frederick Grimwade BASKETT born 10 November 1885 Te Aroha New Zealand died February 1969 St Heliers Auckland New Zealand married 10 November 1909 Remuera Auckland New Zealand Margaret PEAT born 1885 died 1948 New Zealand
#Frederick Grimwade BASKETT born 1885 Te Aroha New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1885 folio website 1885/17937 parents Agnes Elizabeth and Nathaniel Baskett
Frederick Grimwade BASKETT married 10 November 1909 Remuera Auckland New Zealand Margaret PEAT reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1909 folio website 1909/4475

- #Marriages – BASKETT – PEAT On 10th November 1909 at St Luke's Church Remuera by the Rev Robt. Ferguson, Frederick Grimwade youngest son of Nathaniel Baskett of Te Aroha to Margaret Peat third daughter of the late John Peat of Remuera and late Thames reference Papers past website Auckland Star newspaper 11 December 1909
- #Margaret BASKETT died 1948 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1948 folio website 1948/30209 age 63 born about 1885
- #Frederick Gwimwade BASKETT died 1969 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1969 folio website 1969/25419 age 83 born about 1886
- 0-10- Ada Helen BASKETT born 29 December 1887 Te Aroha New Zealand died 18 February 1889 Te Aroha New Zealand (died young never married)
- #Ada Helen BASKETT born 1888 Te Aroha New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1888 folio 213 website 1888/1556 parents Agnes Elizabeth and Nathaniel Baskett
- #Ada Cuthbert BASKETT died 1889 Raglan New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1889 folio 101 website 1889/563 age 1 year 2 months born about 1888
- 0-11- Agnes Aroha BASKETT born 14 June 1891 Waiorongomai Te Aroha New Zealand died 30 April 1985 Levin New Zealand married 13 January 1912 Cambridge New Zealand Hugh Armstead FINDLAY born 1887 died 1946 New Zealand

Georgina Catherine HARPER her parents and their descendants

- 0- James HARPER married 1872 New Zealand Catherine Jane GIVEN
- #James HARPER married 1872 New Zealand Catherine Jane GIVEN reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1872 folio website 1872/4071
- 0-1- William James HARPER born 1874 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1874 folio website 1874/25159 parents Catherine and James Harper
- 0-2- Susan Sydney Jane HARPER born 1875 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1875 folio website 1875/3426 parents Catherine Jane and James Harper
- 0-3- Frances Elizabeth Mary HARPER born 1876 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1876 folio website 1876/12249 parents Catherine and James Harper
- 0-4- Georgina Catherine HARPER born 08 April 1878 New Zealand
- #Georgina Catherine HARPER born 08 April 1878 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1878 folio website 1878/3894 parents Catherine Jane and James Harper
- 0-5- Mary Maud HARPER born 1882 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1882 folio website 1882/5979 parents Catherine J and James Harper
- 0-6- John Reid HARPER born 1884 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1884 folio website 1884/8937 parents Catherine J and James Harper
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