

# The Descendants of George Sharp

## George Sharp

George married someone. She had one son: **Isaac**.

**Isaac Sharp**,<sup>1,2,3</sup> son of **George Sharp**, died on 9 Jan 1837 in Brighton, East Sussex and was buried on 15 Jan 1837 in FBG Brighton.

Basic notes:

He lived at Brighton, East Sussex. His parents had moved to Brighton from Hampshire. Richard Barrett and William Gundry gave testimony at his funeral.

Isaac married **Mary Likeman**,<sup>1,2</sup> daughter of **John Likeman** and **Elizabeth Bourne**, on 20 Dec 1804 in FMH Brighton. Mary was born in 1776 and died on 10 Dec 1815 in Brighton, East Sussex. They had seven children: **Isaac, Elizabeth, Sarah Bourne, Mary Ann, John, George** and **Rebecca**.

Basic notes:

She was a Quaker.

**Isaac Sharp**<sup>1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8</sup> was born on 4 Jul 1806 in Brighton, East Sussex, died on 21 Mar 1897 in The Coffee House, Ettington, Warwickshire, and was buried on 26 Mar 1897 in FBG Ettington, Warwickshire.

Basic notes:

He was educated at William Impey's School, Earl's Colne in Earls Colne, Essex. He worked as an apprentice to Day and Robson on 26 May 1827 in Saffron Walden, Essex. He worked as a Private secretary to Joseph Pease. in 1830 in Darlington, County Durham. He worked as a Quaker Minister in 1843 in Darlington MM. In "Isaac Sharp, an Apostle of the Nineteenth Century", it is suggested he may have spoken in the ministry as early as 1832, which is not as ODNB, which gives 1843 as the time that he was formally recorded as a Minister.

In the course of his ministry, he visited

Norway in 1846 (with Edwin Octavius Tregelles and John Budge); Orkney and Shetland (Twice with Barnard Dickinson); Iceland (1861 with Asbjorn Kloster); Faeroes; Denmark; Greenland (1864 with Harrison Penney); Labrador (1865 with Edwin Pumphrey)

From 1877, his 7 year mission beginning with Langley Kitching and Theodore Harris to South Africa, Basutoland, Madagascar, Australia, New Zealand; Mexico, America, Turkey, India Japan China 1892 and Syria. He worked as a Secretary to the Friends' Essay Society in Darlington, County Durham. He worked as a Secretary to the Auxiliary Bible Society in Darlington, County Durham. He worked as a Secretary to the Friends' School, Great Ayton in Great Ayton, Yorkshire. He was living in 1839 in West Terrace, Darlington. He worked as a General Manager. Owners of the Middlesbrough Estate in 1850 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire. He was living 1850 to 1866 in Dairy Knoll, Middlesbrough, Yorkshire. Having endured some financial embarrassment in about 1866, he sold his home to settle with his creditors and thereafter never again had a permanent home of his own. Miscellaneous:

Introduction to "Isaac Sharp, an Apostle of the Nineteenth Century". -----

"It has been kindly suggested to me by those immediately interested in the following memoirs of Isaac Sharp that I should preface the narrative of his life with a few introductory lines. However incompetent I felt for such a task I accepted it ; I could not well refuse it, as from my boyhood I had known him ; his personal kindness to me and mine had been constant, and when many years of close business relations were closed, in his long absences from home we carried on a very constant correspondence, as old and mutual friends interested in each other's welfare and pursuits. Isaac Sharp came to Darlington when I was very young. My first clear recollections of him I think date from the election of 1832, when my father, Joseph Pease, was elected member for South Durham. At that time I remember Isaac Sharp coming in the early morning into my father's dressing-room to discuss the duties of the coming day. In this room I also was an early guest, and soon appreciated the kindness of the other visitor to the running about and probably troublesome little boy. He lived not far from my father's house, and these morning visits soon became a regular habit. His kindness and his chat at these early calls made him a favourite with my sisters and myself. I can still picture him as he was then. In those days railways were few, and the transit over them slow and uncertain. The employment of the horse was more to be depended upon on a journey than the locomotive. Isaac Sharp's dress was that of Friends of the time. He was always exceedingly neat : a " plain" cut coat and waistcoat, and often light cloth breeches and top boots. Then as I got older came the days when he, my father, and I rode some eleven miles to the collieries. Generally we breakfasted on arrival, having been previously fortified for the journey by a stirrup cup of new milk and a large slice of bread and butter. Breakfast over- whilst minutes were being read and made, and plans and " dip workings " discussed-I was perhaps sent round the pit heaps with a foreman to see the coals drawn, or the begrimed pitman coming up from his work ; or I amused myself in the colliery office with pencil and paper at a high desk, perched on a stool, about whose unusual height I wondered as I climbed up or descended its perpendicular sides. When I entered the offices in Darlington in 1845, Isaac Sharp was head of the Middlesbrough Estate Office, whilst I was obtaining my education in book-keeping in the banking office below. For the general management of the Middlesbrough Estate, I think Isaac Sharp was responsible for some twenty years. In those days he was interested in, or a witness of, the various events that laid the foundation of the town. He saw it commence from the farmhouse, and grown ere his death to one of some 90,000 inhabitants. In the early days of his Christian ministry I was several times with him at meetings held in the more remote districts of Cleveland and Durham-in these places his warmhearted Gospel addresses were welcomed by his hearers, many of whom were descended from Friends. I was

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one of the Committee of Ayton School when he served as a zealous and efficient secretary, and I followed him as secretary to the Darlington Friends' Essay Society, to which he contributed both in prose and poetry, the latter often in pieces of decided character and merit. Isaac Sharp had naturally, no doubt a decidedly sanguine temperament, and perhaps to such a man faith and strong belief in an unseen guiding power come more easily than to one of a more lymphatic temperament.

His long absences in Gospel missions necessitated arrangements which freed him from Middlesbrough cares and left him at liberty to proceed on his Gospel errands. He had a faith which often seemed to others to remove mountains. He heard the call, knew the voice, and was ready to obey ! I have sat beside his bed when to all human appearances his days were numbered, when he would assure me that his God and Master had still work for him to do-that He in whom he placed implicit faith had made it quite plain to him. In many of his letters to me the same feeling was expressed, till at last I always felt certain, that that which he had been allowed to foresee would actually come to pass. His journeyings were long and arduous - from the Moravian Settlements in the North, to the Cape of Good Hope in the South, and far away up the wide water navigations of central China in the far East-everywhere teaching, preaching, comforting, strengthening, to the cheer and comfort of those who in their very isolated positions stood really in need of encouragement. Some of his addresses in returning the certificates for service which he had held for years, often amidst illness and delays, were, to those that heard them, teaching lessons of God's faithfulness to a servant full of faith. On these occasions he told of his journeys from place to place-in the storm and in the sunshine. He narrated, with an eloquence and pathos difficult to describe, how he had been marvellously directed and sustained. His mission was essentially to preach the Gospel of the Love of God to mankind-to impress his hearer with the need of a clear assurance that all was well with his soul, and the importance that, come life or come death, Christ was his and he was Christ's. I recommend with great appreciation of its contents the study of this book. The perusal of such a life is good food for the soul. It shows to His followers that our God is not a God afar off but One that is very nigh. It proves that those who rely on Him in full faith and with earnestness of purpose are not neglected or alone. It emphatically teaches : " Let us (also) run with patience the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith."

JOSEPH W. PEASE. Hutton Hall, Guisborough, 31st October, 1898."

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He was living after 1886 in Trevor Lodge, Broadstairs, Kent. He went to live with his widowed sister Priscilla, who had moved there after her husband's death the previous year. He was living in 1888 in Ettington, Warwickshire. Miscellaneous: Extracts from the un-published Diaries of Sir Alfred Edward Pease Bt. **Thurs 29 Sept 1887** -Monthly Meeting at Ayton, & Lottie & I went as representatives - For dawdling & unbusiness like discussion, the meeting for business was remarkable - The reason being that those taking part in it are out apparently, for the day, have nothing else to do, & time no object with them - **This the case with poor little Isaac Sharp who, dear old man, is getting on to 90 & wears the real old broad brim & coat & who was moved to give us a few words on several occasions.- he preached well.**

**Mon 26 Oct 1891** - We lay outside the Dardanelles some time yesterday, steamed all night at about four knots, and reached Constantinople at about 5 a.m. The hubbub and scene as the boats sought to get to the vessel to take passengers ashore, and the confusion on board as the rabble boarded the boat I shall not forget. It was a cold foggy morning, and I was not favourably impressed by Constantinople. My luggage was overhauled at the Custom House and my revolvers and cartridges taken from me - our things were then taken on hamels to Missiris Hotel. Had breakfast, called at the Embassy, had our hair cut,, walked about Pera, and then drove to the Stamboul side **and on the way met Isaac Sharp in full Friends' uniform.** Saw San Sofia, and did some shopping in the bazaars. I never saw or smelt a fouler place than this town; ill paved, ill built, stinking, alive with mangy dogs, swarming with deformities, and without a redeeming feature. -----

Isaac married **Hannah Procter**,<sup>1,2,3,7,9</sup> daughter of **Joseph Procter** and **Elizabeth Richardson**, on 6 Feb 1839 in FMH North Shields. Hannah was born in 1808 in North Shields, Northumberland, died on 26 Jul 1842 in Low Lights, Earsden, North Shields, and was buried on 31 Jul 1842 in FBG North Shields. They had two children: **Mary Richardson** and **Elizabeth**.

**Mary Richardson Sharp**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1840, died in 1911 in The Retreat, Heslington Road, York, and was buried in FBG York.

Basic notes:

She lived at Great Ayton, Yorkshire. Miscellaneous: She was admitted to The Retreat, suffering from Mania. Patient No. 1215, 1873, Walmgate, York. She remained there for the rest of her life.

**Elizabeth Sharp**<sup>2,8</sup> was born in 1842 in Darlington, County Durham.

Basic notes:

She lived at Creek Orchard, Berryessa, San Jose, California, USA. She emigrated San Jose, California, USA. She worked as a Translator. She worked as a Secretary to the College Park Association of Friends in San Jose, Santa Clara County, California, USA. She was living in 1920 in Agnew, Santa Clara, California, USA.

Elizabeth married **Sivert Hjerleid**,<sup>2,8</sup> son of **Ole Hjerleid** and **Marit**, on 12 Sep 1867 in FMH Darlington, County Durham. Sivert was born on 8 Dec 1836 in Doore, Norway

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and died on 16 Nov 1922 in Agnew, Santa Clara, California, USA. Another name for Sivert was Sivert Hjerleid Shelley. They had six children: **Carl Sivert, Harold Ovind, Elsie Hjerleid, Ida Hjerleid, Helen Hjerleid** and **Oswald Procter**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

They were living in 1881 in 1 Bon Lea Terrace, Thornaby on Tees, County Durham. They emigrated to California, USA in 1887. They were living in 1920 in San Jose, Santa Clara County, California, USA.

Basic notes:

He worked as a Translator. He worked as a Merchant in 1881 in Thornaby on Tees, County Durham. Miscellaneous: He Anglicised his Norwegian family name from Hjerleid to Shelley.

**Carl Sivert Hjerleid** was born in 1868 in Thornaby on Tees, County Durham, died in 1869 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire, and was buried in FBG Linthorpe.

**Harold Ovind Shelley** was born in 1869 in Thornaby on Tees, County Durham and died on 17 Oct 1932 in Santa Clara, California, USA. Another name for Harold was Harrald Ovind Hjerleid.<sup>2</sup>

Basic notes:

He was educated at Ackworth School from 1879 to 1883. He worked as an Orchard keeper.

Harold married **Gertrude P.** Gertrude was born in Jun 1874 in Pennsylvania, USA. They had two children: **Thelma Lee** and **Martha Vivian**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

They lived at Moreland, Santa Clara, California, USA.

**Thelma Lee Shelley** was born in 1909 in Santa Clara, California, USA.

**Martha Vivian Shelley** was born in 1914 in California, USA.

**Elsie Hjerleid Shelley** was born in 1872 in Thornaby on Tees, County Durham and died on 9 Aug 1963 in Monterey, California, USA. Another name for Elsie was Elsie Marion Hjerleid.<sup>2</sup>

Basic notes:

She was educated at Ackworth School from 1882 to 1884. She was educated at Leland Stanford Jr. University. Zoology

Elsie married **Prof. Harold Heath**, son of **Charles Wesley Heath** and **Sarah Ann Cowgill**, on 13 May 1897 in Santa Clara, California, USA. Harold was born on 5 Jun 1868 in Vevay, Indiana, USA and died on 22 Apr 1951 in Pacific Grove, California, USA. They had four children: **Ronald Wayland, Phyllis Thoburn, Sivert Hjerleid** and **James Procter**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

They lived at 181 Oceanview Avenue, Pacific Grove, California, USA.

Basic notes:

He worked as a Professor Emeritus of Embryology, Stanford University.

**Ronald Wayland Heath** was born in 1899 in Palo Alto, California, USA and died on 1 Feb 1986 in Palm Springs, California, USA.

Basic notes:

He was living in 1940 in Long Beach, California, USA. He worked as an Executive vice-President of the Signal Oil and Gas Company in California, USA. Ronald Wayland Heath (1920), died 1st February 1986 in Palm Springs, California. He was the executive vice president and director of the Signal Oil and Gas Company. He spent the first year out of college in the City Engineer's office of the City of Palo Alto. He joined the Signal Gasoline Corp. as a gas engineer in 1923. In 1948 he was elected a director of the company and became a vice president in 1949. He became senior vice president in 1959 and executive vice president in 1961.

Ronald married **Olivia Van Anda**. Olivia was born on 1 Jan 1904 in Nebraska, USA and died on 18 Apr 1992 in Riverside, California, USA. They had two children: **Ronald Byers** and **Shelley**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

They lived at 5454 East Ocean Boulevard, Long Beach, California, USA. They lived at Smoke Tree Ranch, Palm Springs, California, USA.

**Ronald Byers Heath**

Ronald married **Constance Morgan**, daughter of **Col. Horatio Morgan** and **Unknown**.

**Shelley Heath**

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Shelley married **Walton Scott Reid Jr.**, son of **Walton Scott Reid** and **Unknown**.

**Phyllis Thoburn Heath** was born on 8 Sep 1901 in Palo Alto, California, USA and died on 28 Jan 1987 in Canterbury Woods, Pacific Grove, California, USA.

Basic notes:

She worked as an English teacher, Berkeley High School in Berkeley, Alameda County, California, USA. Her obituary was published in the Monterey Peninsula Herald on 2 Feb 1987 in California, USA.

Phyllis married **Charles Hall Walker**. Charles was born on 28 Jul 1894 in Seattle, King County, Washington, USA, died on 25 Feb 1969 in Honolulu, Hawaii, USA, and was buried in National Memorial Cemetery, Honolulu, Hawaii. They had two children: **Shelley** and **Bradford Heath**.

Basic notes:

He worked as a Sergeant in the Medical Department, World War II.

**Shelley Walker** was born in 1923 in Seattle, King County, Washington, USA and died on 21 Sep 2007 in Santa Cruz, California, USA. Another name for Shelley was Virginia Heath Walker.

Basic notes:

She was educated at college in France and England. She worked as a Nurse. Sequoia Hospital in Redwood City, California, USA. She was living about 1975 in Santa Cruz, California, USA. Her obituary was published in The Santa Cruz Sentinel on 9 Oct 2007 in Santa Cruz, California, USA.

Shelley married **Theodore Karl Meltzer**, son of **Jacob Meltzer** and **Julia Applebaum**, on 30 Mar 1947 in Los Angeles, California, USA. Theodore was born on 22 May 1911 in Michigan, USA and died on 2 Apr 1979 in San Francisco, California, USA. They had five children: **Jane Elizabeth**, **Mark Jonathan**, **Paul Brandeis**, **Nicholas Heath** and **Anthony H.**

Noted events in their marriage were:

They lived at Santa Cruz, California, USA.

**Jane Elizabeth Meltzer** was born on 28 Jun 1948 in San Mateo, California, USA and died on 16 Nov 1950 in San Mateo, California, USA.

**Mark Jonathan Meltzer**

Mark married **Dr. Judith Wilson**. They had two children: **Eric Jonathan** and **Amy Elise**.

**Eric Jonathan Meltzer**

Eric married **Shan Kuo Wang**.

**Amy Elise Meltzer**

**Paul Brandeis Meltzer**

Paul married **Mary A. Kalbach**. They had one daughter: **Marisa Nicole**.

**Marisa Nicole Meltzer**

**Nicholas Heath Meltzer**

Nicholas married **Anita Lucila Diaz**. They had one son: **Jacob Theodore**.

**Jacob Theodore Meltzer**

**Anthony H. Meltzer**

Anthony married **Corina "Coco" K. Kauffmann**, daughter of **Samuel H. Kauffmann** and **Unknown**. They had one son: **Reid**.

**Reid Meltzer**

**Dr. Bradford Heath Walker** was born on 24 Feb 1930 in Seattle, King County, Washington, USA.

Basic notes:

He lived at Kalamazoo, Michigan, USA. He worked as a Physician in Kalamazoo, Michigan, USA.

Bradford married **Marilyn Wind**. They had two children: **Alison** and **Lauren Elizabeth**.

**Alison Walker**

Alison married **Pruitt**.

**Lauren Elizabeth Walker**

Lauren married **Bradley D. Keller**.

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**Sivert Hjerleid Heath** was born in 1903 in Palo Alto, California, USA and died on 28 Jan 1919 in Berkeley, Alameda County, California, USA.

**Dr. James Procter Heath** was born on 15 Jun 1914 in Palo Alto, California, USA and died on 6 Jun 1974 in Santa Clara, California, USA.

James married **Jane W.**

**Ida Hjerleid Shelley** was born on 22 Jun 1874 in Thornaby on Tees, County Durham and died on 13 Feb 1960 in Los Angeles, California, USA. Another name for Ida was Ida Mildred Hjerleid.

Basic notes:

She was awarded with BM. She was educated at Ackworth School from 1885 to 1887. She was educated in Berlin, Germany. She was a pupil of Karl Heinrich Barth She worked as a Pianist and Teacher in California, USA.

**Helen Hjerleid Shelley** was born in 1879 in 1 Bon Lea Terrace, Thornaby on Tees, County Durham and died after 1940 in Santa Clara, California, USA. Another name for Helen was Helen (Lena) Gertrude Hjerleid.<sup>2</sup>

Basic notes:

She was educated at Leland Stanford Jr. University before 1900. Graduate in History, with both Graduate and Foundation Scholarships. She was educated at Bryn Mawr College from 1900 to 1901 in Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania, USA. She worked as a Teacher at the Friends' Select School from 1901 to 1902 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA. She worked as a Teacher of History & German, Whittier College from 1902 to 1904 in California, USA. She was educated at Leland Stanford Jr. University from 1904 to 1905. She was educated at Pacific College of Osteopathy from 1906 to 1907.

**Oswald Procter Shelley**<sup>2</sup> was born on 23 Oct 1881 in 1 Bon Lea Terrace, Thornaby on Tees, County Durham and died on 20 Apr 1966 in Berkeley, Alameda County, California, USA. Another name for Oswald was Oswald Procter Hjerleid.

Basic notes:

He was educated at Stanford University. He was living in 1904 in Rialto Building, San Francisco, California, USA.

Oswald married **Jessica Blythe Wilson** on 30 Dec 1909 in Santa Clara, California, USA. Jessica was born on 18 Nov 1884 in California, USA and died on 19 Mar 1959 in Berkeley, Alameda County, California, USA. They had one son: **Procter**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

They lived at 2610 Woolsey Street, Berkeley, Alameda County, California, USA.

Basic notes:

She was educated at Stanford University from 1903 to 1906.

**Procter Shelley** was born on 10 Mar 1914 in Berkeley, Alameda County, California, USA and died on 3 Jun 2005 in Sonoma, Sonoma County, California, USA.

Procter married **Betty Hutchison**. They had five children: **Elizabeth Blythe, Leslie, Oswald Procter, Timothy Wilson** and **Terry**.

**Elizabeth Blythe Shelley**

Elizabeth married **Bob Carver**.

**Leslie Shelley**

Leslie married **Tim Seltenrich**.

**Oswald Procter Shelley**

**Timothy Wilson Shelley**

Timothy married **Lorie Leilani**.

**Terry Shelley**

Terry married **Anne**.

**Elizabeth Sharp** was born on 23 Sep 1807 in Brighton, East Sussex.

**Sarah Bourne Sharp** was born on 18 Nov 1808 in Brighton, East Sussex.

**Mary Ann Sharp** was born on 28 Mar 1810 in Brighton, East Sussex.

**John Sharp**<sup>2,3,10,11</sup> was born on 4 Feb 1812 in Brighton, East Sussex, died on 6 Jan 1853 in Croydon, Surrey, and was buried on 9 Jan 1853 in FBG Croydon.

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Basic notes:

He was educated at Friends' School Islington (later moved to Croydon) from 1821 to 1825 in Islington, London. The school was founded in 1702, in Clerkenwell. Admitted its first boys in 1703 and the first girls in 1704. In 1796 it moved to the Islington Road and in 1825 to Croydon under the superintendence of Henry and Edith Dymond and Edward Foster Brady as Headmaster. He worked as an Apprentice Teacher at the same School from 6 Oct 1825 to 1833. He worked as a Headmaster of Croydon School from 1834 to 1842. He worked as a Superintendent of the Friends' School, Croydon on 24 Aug 1842 in Croydon, Surrey. He worked as a Quaker Minister.

John married **Hannah Irwin**<sup>3,10,11</sup> on 22 Aug 1837 in FMH Carlisle. Hannah was born on 24 Dec 1814 and died on 24 Dec 1864. They had eight children: **Mary Hannah, Rebecca, Irwin, John, Isaac, (No Given Name), (No Given Name)** and **(No Given Name)**.

Basic notes:

She worked as a Teacher. The Friends' School, Wigton in 1836 in Wigton, Cumbria. She worked as a Superintendent of the Friends' School, Croydon on 24 Aug 1842.

**Mary Hannah Sharp**<sup>3,10,12</sup> was born on 23 Aug 1838.

Basic notes:

She worked as a Superintendent of Sidcot School. She was educated at The Mount School about 1852 in York, Yorkshire.

Mary married **Josiah Evans**<sup>10,12</sup>. They had one son: **Herbert John**.

**Herbert John Evans**<sup>12</sup> was born in 1861 and died on 29 Jun 1877 in Ackworth, Pontefract, Yorkshire.

**Rebecca Sharp**<sup>13,14</sup> was born in 1841 and died on 29 Mar 1906 in Ettington, Warwickshire.

Rebecca married **Benjamin Gouch**<sup>13,14,15</sup> son of **Robert Gouch** and **Anne**, in 1875. Benjamin was born in 1833 in Waterford, Ireland and died on 11 Nov 1911 in Ettington, Warwickshire (13 Jul 1911 aslo given).

Basic notes:

He worked as a Quaker Elder. He worked as a Trainee Teacher. Sidcot School 1862 to 1863 in Sidcot, Winscombe, Somerset. He was educated at the Flounders Institute 1864 to 1867 in Ackworth, Pontefract, Yorkshire. He worked as a Teacher. Sidcot School about 1868 in Sidcot, Winscombe, Somerset. He was educated at London University. Degree in 1873 He worked as a Teacher. Ackworth School 1873 to 1875 in Ackworth, Pontefract, Yorkshire. He worked as a Teacher and Headmaster. Southport School 1875 to 1894 in Southport, Lancashire. He was living in 1894 in Ettington, Warwickshire. Went with his wife to live with Thomson Sharp He was employed in 1894 in Secretary to William Bevington Gibbins.

**Irwin Sharp**<sup>16,17</sup> was born in 1841 in Croydon School, Croydon, Surrey and died on 26 Feb 1940 in Matfield, Brenchley, Kent.

Basic notes:

He was educated at Bootham school from 1856 to 1858 in York, Yorkshire. He worked as a Schoolmaster in Weston-super-Mare, Somerset.

Irwin married **Emily Pearman**<sup>16</sup> daughter of **Alfred Pearman** and **Mary Wright**, on 1 Jul 1874 in Wallingford, Oxfordshire. Emily was born in 1841 in Wallingford, Oxfordshire.

They had five children: **Alfred Irwin, Albert, Emily Pearman, George W.** and **Louisa M. A.**

**Alfred Irwin Sharp**

Alfred married **Jeanne Vincent**. They had one daughter: **Blanche E. G.**

**Blanche E. G. Sharp**

**Albert Sharp**

Albert married **Jessie Carman**.

**Emily Pearman Sharp**<sup>18,19</sup> was born in 1879 in Axbridge, Somerset.

Emily married **Gerald Hugh Brown**<sup>18,19</sup> son of **William Henry Brown** and **Adeline Mary Hughes**, on 15 Jun 1904 in Pangbourne, Berkshire. Gerald was born in 1878 in Pickford Hill, Luton, Bedfordshire and died in 1965. They had one son: **Aubrey Pearman**.

Marriage Notes: BROWN-SHARP.-On 15th June, 1904, at Pangbourne, Gerald Hugh Brown (1892-5), of Luton, to Emily Pearman Sharp, of Sunderland.

Basic notes:

He was educated at Bootham School from 1892 to 1895 in York, Yorkshire.

**Aubrey Pearman Brown**<sup>19</sup> was born on 20 Jun 1905 in Sunderland, County Durham and died in Aug 1995 in Tunbridge Wells, Kent.

Aubrey married **Mabel Etheridge**. They had one son: **Richard Neville**.

**Richard Neville Brown**

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George married **Margaret Purvis**. They had two children: **Alfred I.** and **Phyllis M.**.

**Alfred I. Sharp** died in 1913 in Died Young.

## Phyllis M. Sharp

**Louisa M. A. Sharp** died in 1937.

Louisa married **Ralph Sweeting**.

**John Sharp**<sup>7</sup> was born in 1844 in Croydon School, Croydon, Surrey and died on 30 Oct 1896 in Reading, Berkshire.

Basic notes:

He was educated at Bootham School 1858 to 1860 in York, Yorkshire.

**Isaac Sharp**<sup>10,20,21</sup> was born on 16 Jun 1847 in Croydon School, Croydon, Surrey and died on 9 Oct 1917 in Leytonstone, London.

Basic notes:

He was educated at Croydon School in 1857. He was educated at Bootham School 1861 to 1863. He was educated at The Flounders Institute in Ackworth, Pontefract, Yorkshire.

He worked as an Assistant Master at Till Adam Smith's School 1864 to 1869 in Woodside, Weston-super-Mare, Somerset. He worked as a Private tutor to the family of Arthur and Charlotte Wallis 1869 to 1870 in Basingstoke, Hampshire. He worked as a Headmaster with his brother Irwin, of Till Adam Smith's School in 1870 in Woodside, Weston-super-Mare, Somerset. TAS had died, so they took over. He worked as a Schoolmaster before 1879 in Darmstadt, Germany. He worked as a Headmaster of the Friends' School, Hitchin in 1879 in Hitchin, Hertfordshire. Initially for three years, with Cranstone Woodhead He was living in 1890 in Leyton, London.

Isaac married **Isabella Gregory**,<sup>10,20,21</sup> daughter of **Arthur Gregory** and **Elizabeth Parsons**, in 1876 in FMH Milldale, Ontario, Canada. Isabella was born in 1846 and died in 1931. They had three children: **Arthur John**, **Ethel** and **Harold Gregory**.

**Arthur John Sharp**<sup>10</sup> was born on 11 May 1879 in Darmstadt, Germany.

**Ethel Sharp** was born in 1880.

**Harold Gregory Sharp**<sup>20</sup> was born on 18 Aug 1886 and died on 9 Mar 1972.

Basic notes:

He was awarded with FIA FFA. He was educated at Ackworth School. He was educated at Sidcot. He worked as an Assistant Actuary, National Mutual Life Assurance Society from 1919 to 1923. He worked as a Secretary, Scottish Widows' Fund Society from 1924 to 1929. He worked as a Chairman of Associated Scottish Life Offices from 1936 to 1938.

Harold married **Hilda May Clapham**,<sup>20</sup> daughter of **Arthur Harrison Clapham** and **Unknown**, in 1917. Hilda was born in 1888 in Bradford, Yorkshire and died in 1966. They had no children.

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**George Sharp**<sup>3,22</sup> was born on 8 Feb 1813 in Brighton, East Sussex, died on 9 Mar 1843 in Darlington, County Durham, and was buried in FBG Darlington, County Durham.

**Rebecca Sharp**<sup>2</sup> was born on 4 Sep 1815 in Brighton, East Sussex, died on 25 Aug 1898 in Dulwich, London, and was buried in FBG Undercliffe, Bradford.

Basic notes:

She worked as a Milliner's Assistant to Mary Thistlethwaite in 1833 in Darlington, County Durham. She was living in 1894 in Dulwich, London.

Rebecca married **William Swann**,<sup>2</sup> son of **William Swann** and **Sarah Blake**, on 26 Jun 1843 in Darlington, County Durham. William was born on 10 Dec 1803 in Norwich, Norfolk, died on 16 Feb 1889 in Bradford, Yorkshire, and was buried in FBG Undercliffe, Bradford. They had eight children: **Elizabeth**, **William**, **Priscilla**, **Mary Hannah**, **Sarah Marina**, **Alfred**, **Frederic** and **Edith**.

Basic notes:

He worked as a Warehouseman in Bradford, Yorkshire. He was a Quaker.

**Elizabeth Swann** was born on 17 Apr 1844 in Bradford, Yorkshire.

Elizabeth married **Thomas William Crosland**,<sup>16</sup> son of **Robert Crosland** and **Tabitha Parkinson**, on 8 Feb 1865 in Bradford Registry Office, Bradford, Yorkshire. The marriage ended in separation in 1875. Thomas was born on 26 Apr 1843 in Melbourne Place, Little Horton, Bradford, Yorkshire. They had five children: **Robert George**, **William**

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Basic notes:

He was a Quaker. He worked as an Ironmaster. The Union Foundry in Manchester Road, Bradford, Yorkshire.

**Robert George Crosland** was born in 1866 in Bradford, Yorkshire and died in 1916.

Basic notes:

He emigrated to Australia in 1884.

**William Howard Crosland** was born in 1868 and died in 1953 in Sutton, Surrey.

Basic notes:

He worked as a Pharmacist.

William married **Nelly**. They had one son: **John**.

### **Dr. John Crosland**

**Ernest Crosland** was born in 1871.

**George A. Crosland** was born in 1874.

**Ethel Crosland** was born in 1876.

**William Swann** was born on 10 Dec 1845 in Bradford, Yorkshire.

**Priscilla Swann** was born on 28 Apr 1847 in Bradford, Yorkshire.

**Mary Hannah Swann** was born on 31 Dec 1848 in Bradford, Yorkshire.

**Sarah Marina Swann** was born on 8 May 1852 in Bradford, Yorkshire, died on 30 Dec 1910 in Southend-on-Sea, Essex, and was buried in FBG Winchmore Hill.

Sarah married **Arthur Wadham** on 30 May 1876. Arthur died on 3 Jul 1923. They had three children: **Mary, Robert** and **Millicent**.

Basic notes:

He lived at Scalebeck, Keswick, Crosthwaite, Cumbria. He lived at 11, Ridge Road, Stroud Green, Hornsey, Middlesex.

**Mary Wadham**

**Robert Wadham**

**Millicent Wadham**

**Alfred Swann** was born on 16 May 1854 in Bradford, Yorkshire and was buried in FBG Undercliffe, Bradford.

**Frederic Swann** was born on 27 May 1860 in Bradford, Yorkshire.

**Edith Swann** was born on 26 Jan 1862 in Bradford, Yorkshire.

Isaac next married **Esther Thomson**.<sup>2</sup> They had six children: **Thomson, Theophilus, Jane Margaret, Esther, Priscilla** and **Isabella**.

**Thomson Sharp**<sup>2,23</sup> was born on 22 May 1819 in Brighton, East Sussex and died on 5 Aug 1901 in Stokesley, Yorkshire.

Basic notes:

He was living before 1888 in Ettington, Warwickshire.

Thomson married **Martha Matilda Soden**<sup>7</sup> in 1867. Martha was born in 1806 and died on 27 Sep 1897 in Ettington, Warwickshire.

**Theophilus Sharp** was born on 9 Aug 1820 in Brighton, East Sussex, died on 27 Feb 1821 in Brighton, East Sussex, and was buried on 4 Mar 1821 in FBG Brighton.

**Jane Margaret Sharp** was born on 3 Aug 1821 in Brighton, East Sussex.

**Esther Sharp** was born on 25 Nov 1822 in Brighton, East Sussex.

**Priscilla Sharp**<sup>2,24,25</sup> was born on 21 Jan 1826 in Brighton, East Sussex and died on 1 Nov 1887 in Trevor Lodge, Broadstairs, Kent.

Basic notes:

She was living after 1885 in Trevor Lodge, Broadstairs, Kent.

Priscilla married **John Dunning**,<sup>2,5,20,24,25</sup> son of **Jonathan Dunning** and **Elizabeth**, in Jun 1850 in Darlington, County Durham. John was born on 29 Jul 1826 in Thirsk,

Yorkshire, died on 5 Mar 1885 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire, and was buried in FBG Ayresome, Middlesbrough. They had five children: **John Thomson, Caroline Esther, Alice Mary,**

**Maria** and **Arthur Henry**.



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Basic notes:

He was educated at Ackworth School in 1836. He worked as a Miller 1842 to 1845 in Thorpe Corn Mills, Stockton on Tees, County Durham. Owned by his older brother He worked as a Clerk. Owners of the Middlesbrough Estate in 1845. He worked under his future father-in-law, Isaac Sharp. Within a short time, Isaac Sharp commenced his travels in the Quaker Ministry and Dunning took over his position, at the behest of Joseph Pease (son of Edward and father of Joseph Whitwell Pease). Ultimately, with regards to his career with the Pease family at OME, Sir Joseph Whitwell Pease had to dismiss him for showing favour to a particular contractor and favouring them with discounted materials. *This last information comes from the journals of Joseph Whitwell Pease, courtesy of Sir Joseph Gurney Pease Bt. Oct 2012* He worked as a Secretary of the Middlesbrough Gas Company in 1847 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire. He worked as a Borough surveyor for Middlesbrough 1855 to 1869 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire. He worked as a Founding Partner in Jones, Dunning, and Co., Normanby Ironworks in 1868 in Cargo Fleet, Middlesbrough, Yorkshire. He worked as a Town Councillor, Middle Ward in 1872 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire. He worked as a Mayor of Middlesbrough in 1875 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire. Succeeded Thomas Hugh Bell He worked as an Alderman in 1877. He was living before 1881 in 11 Southfield Villas, Middlesbrough, Yorkshire.

**John Thomson Dunning**<sup>20</sup> was born in 1851 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire and died on 4 Dec 1931.

Basic notes:

He worked as a Painter and Artist. He lived at 5 Belsize Studios, Glenilla Road, Hampstead, London.

**Caroline Esther Dunning**<sup>24</sup> was born in 1853 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire and died on 22 Jul 1880 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire.

**Alice Mary Dunning** was born in 1855 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire.

Alice married **George Richard Tweedie**.

**Maria Dunning**<sup>16,26,27</sup> was born in 1857 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire and died in 1943.

Maria married **Robert Foster Spence**,<sup>26,27,28,29</sup> son of **John Foster Spence** and **Elizabeth Corder**, on 4 Jul 1883 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire. Robert was born on 31 Jan 1855 in North Shields, Northumberland and died on 16 Sep 1932. They had four children: **Alwyn Foster, Erica, Ronald** and **Max Thomson**.

Marriage Notes: SPENCE-DUNNING.-On the 4th July, 1883, at Middlesbrough, Robert Foster Spence (1866-71), of North Shields, to Maria Dunning, of Middlesbrough.

Basic notes:

He was awarded with MIME. He was educated at Bootham School from 1861 to 1866 in York, Yorkshire. He worked as a Colliery manager.

<http://www.dmm.org.uk/whoswho/s532.htm>

**Alwyn Foster Spence** was born in 1884 in Cramlington, Northumberland and died in 1948.

Basic notes:

He was educated at Ackworth School. He worked as an Engineer. He was living in 1915 in Backworth Lodge, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Alwyn married **Edith Stonier Brockbank**, daughter of **James Brockbank** and **Unknown**, on 12 Oct 1915 in St. Michael's, Flixton, Lancashire. Edith was born in 1887 in Barton Upon Irwell, Lancashire.

**Erica Spence**<sup>16,21,30,31,32</sup> was born in 1885 and died in 1980.

Basic notes:

She was educated at Ackworth School from 1896 to 1900.

Erica married **Stanley Redfern**,<sup>16,21,30,31,33</sup> son of **Samuel Jones Redfern** and **Maria Jane Barringer**, about 1910. Stanley was born in 1880 in Urmston, Manchester and died on 9 Aug 1927. They had three children: **Foster, Cecily** and **Peter**.

Basic notes:

He was educated at Bootham School from 1897 to 1899 in York, Yorkshire. He worked as a Commercial traveller.

**Foster Redfern**<sup>30</sup> was born on 3 Apr 1911 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

**Cecily Redfern**<sup>31</sup> was born on 21 Apr 1914 in 119 Rotton Park Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire.

**Peter Redfern**<sup>21,34,35</sup> was born on 24 May 1918 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in 2001.

Basic notes:

He was educated at Bootham School from 1932 to 1935 in York, Yorkshire.

Peter married **Joan Pope**.<sup>34,35</sup> They had one daughter: **Angela**.

**Angela Redfern**

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Erica next married **David Burlingham Grubb**,<sup>16,32,36,37</sup> son of **John Grubb** and **Madeline Kenway**, on 22 May 1928. David was born on 13 Mar 1878 in Claremont Road, Handsworth, Birmingham and died on 31 Jul 1964 in Taunton Hospital, Taunton, Somerset.

Basic notes:

He was educated at Bootham School from 1893 to 1895 in York, Yorkshire. He worked as a Gas & Electric light fittings manufacturer in Birmingham, Warwickshire. He lived at Winscombe, Somerset. after his first wife died and he retired.

**Ronald Spence** was born in 1886.

**Max Thomson Spence**<sup>26</sup> was born in 1888 and died on 29 Apr 1902 in North Shields, Northumberland.

Basic notes:

He was educated at Ackworth School.

**Arthur Henry Dunning**<sup>2,38</sup> was born in 1864 in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire.

Basic notes:

He was living in 1901 in Betchworth, Surrey.

Arthur married **Beatrice Marie**.<sup>38</sup> Beatrice was born in 1861 and died on 1 Nov 1913 in Tunbridge Wells, Kent. They had one daughter: **Hilda Mary**.

**Hilda Mary Dunning**

**Isabella Sharp** was born on 17 Oct 1827 in Brighton, East Sussex and died in 1888 in The Retreat, Heslington Road, York.

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