



Family of Robert Flack and Margaret Gilroy, Prince Edward County, Ontario

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Generation One

1. **Robert (Flock) Flack** #148231, b. c. 1817 in County Monaghan, Ireland,¹ occupation 1871 - 1890 Farmer in Nottawasaga Township, religion 1871 Wesleyan Methodist, religion 1890 Methodist, d. 14 July 1890 in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario,^{1,2} buried in Banda Methodist Cemetery, Mulmuir, Dufferin County, Ontario.¹ FindAGrave: 211500653.
Surname also seen as " FLOCK..."

1861 - 1871: Family lived in Nottawasaga, Simcoe County, Ontario.

He married **Margaret Gilroy** #148232, 10 October 1850 in Home District, Ontario,³ b. c. 1818 in County Monaghan, Ireland,¹ religion 1871 Wesleyan Methodist, d. 16 January 1902 in Ontario,¹ buried in Banda Methodist Cemetery, Mulmuir, Dufferin County, Ontario.

Margaret:

1901: Widowed, lived in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario.

Children:

2. i. **Samuel Flack** #348884 b. c. 1852.
3. ii. **John Flack** #148230 b. 23 March 1855.
4. iii. **Ellen Flack** #348882 b. 04 May 1859.

Generation Two

2. **Samuel Flack** #348884, b. c. 1852 in Ontario,^{4,5} occupation 1871 - 1879 Farmer in Nottawasaga Township, d. 21 March 1924 in Stettler, Wainwright, Alberta, Canada,⁵ buried in Donalda Cemetery, Donalda, Wainwright, Alberta, Canada.⁵ FindAGrave: 121639602.

He married **Margaret Jane Dixon** #348895, b. c. 1851 in Simcoe County, Ontario,⁵ (daughter of **John Dixon** #348902 and **Amelia Brett** #348901), d. 1931 in Alberta,⁵ buried in Donalda Cemetery, Donalda, Wainwright, Alberta, Canada.⁵ FindAGrave: 121639599.

Children:

5. i. **Eva Lydella Flack** #348898 b. 19 September 1877.
6. ii. **John Reginald Flack** #348896 b. 09 April 1879.
7. iii. **Ethel Amelia Flack** #348899 b. 15 February 1881.
8. iv. **Nellie Lena Flack** #348903 b. 1883.
9. v. **Robert H.D. Flack** #348904 b. 1888.

10. vi. **Margaret Lulu Flack** #348905 b. 1890.

11. vii. **Linda Melissa Flack** #348906 b. 1892.

3. **John Flack** #148230, b. 23 March 1855 in Nottawasaga, Simcoe County, Ontario,^{6,7} baptized 24 March 1855 in Nottawasaga, Simcoe County, Ontario,⁷ occupation 1871 - 1901 Farmer in Nottawasaga Township, d. 03 February 1928 in Lacombe, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada,⁶ buried in Fairview Cemetery, Lacombe, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada.⁶ FindAGrave: 124617134.

The original family spelling of the surname was "FLACK." Other spellings in various documents include "FLAKE" and "FLOCK." (others?)

1901: Family lived in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario.

He married **Emma Hicks** #82828, 29 December 1881 in South Marysburgh, Prince Edward County, Ontario,⁸ b. 07 May 1853 in Marysburgh, Prince Edward County, Ontario,^{9,10} (daughter of **Lewis Minaker Hicks** #82825 [Blacksmith in South Marysburgh] and **Eliza Catherine Empey** #82826), baptized 07 December 1856 in Marysburgh Township, Prince Edward County,¹⁰ d. 01 February 1939 in Lacombe, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada,⁶ buried in Fairview Cemetery, Lacombe, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada.⁶ FindAGrave: 124617132.

Children:

12. i. **Lewis Findlay Flack** #348897 b. 13 November 1882.

13. ii. **Ada Luella (Gertrude) Flack** #348889 b. 24 October 1884.

14. iii. **Robert Arthur Flack** #348885 b. c. 16 November 1888.

15. iv. **Gordon Lewis Flack** #348887 b. 20 February 1891.

16. v. **Stanley Roy (Gilroy) Flack** #348888 b. 09 August 1893.

17. vi. **Edith D. Flack** #348886 b. c. 24 October 1894.

4. **Ellen Flack** #348882, b. 04 May 1859 in Ontario,^{11,4} occupation 1945 Minister's Housewife, d. 19 April 1945 in Streetsville, Peel County, Ontario,¹¹ buried 22 April 1945 in Streetsville Cemetery, Streetsville, Peel County, Ontario.¹¹

She married **W. Thomas Hicks** #348883, d. before 1945.

Generation Three

5. **Eva Lydella Flack** #348898, b. 19 September 1877 in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario,¹² d. 13 June 1880 in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario.¹³
6. **John Reginald Flack** #348896, b. 09 April 1879 in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario,¹⁴ d. 29 August 1880 in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario.¹⁵
7. **Ethel Amelia Flack** #348899, b. 15 February 1881 in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario,¹⁶ d. 10 October 1956 in Stettler, Wainwright, Alberta, Canada,⁵ buried in Donalda Cemetery, Donalda, Wainwright, Alberta, Canada.⁵ FindAGrave: 112966002.

She married **Colin Leslie McKay** #348900, 1911 in Red Willow, Alberta, Canada,¹⁷ b. 10 November 1879 in Park Corner, Queens County, Prince Edward Island,⁵ d. 24 March 1869 in Rimbey, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada,⁵ buried in Donalda Cemetery, Donalda, Wainwright, Alberta, Canada.⁵ FindAGrave: 112965977.

Colin:

(one son, three daughters).

8. **Nellie Lena Flack** #348903, b. 1883, d. 1923.
9. **Robert H.D. Flack** #348904, b. 1888, d. 1965.
10. **Margaret Lulu Flack** #348905, b. 1890, d. 1979.
11. **Linda Melissa Flack** #348906, b. 1892, d. 1941.
12. **Lewis Findlay Flack** #348897, b. 13 November 1882 in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario.¹⁸
13. **Ada Luella (Gertrude) Flack** #348889, b. 24 October 1884 in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario,¹⁹ occupation School Teacher in Lacombe and Blackfalds, d. 17 December 1956 in Red Deer, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada,²⁰ buried in Red Deer Cemetery, Red Deer, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada.²⁰ FindAGrave: 128124168.

She married **Arthur James Goodey** #348890, 1916 in Lacombe, Alberta, Canada, b. 17 February 1881 in Plumstead, London, England,²⁰ (son of **Thomas Goodey** #348926 and **Alice Eleanor Baker** #348927), d. 04 December 1950 in Red Deer, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada,²⁰ buried in Red Deer Cemetery, Red Deer, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada.²⁰ FindAGrave: 128124169.

Arthur:

Emigrated from England to Canada in 1907.

Children:

18. i. **John Arthur (Jack) Goodey** #348891 b. 01 August 1917.
14. **Robert Arthur Flack** #348885, b. c. 16 November 1888 in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario,²¹ occupation 1901 Farmer in Nottawasaga Township, d. 02 August 1969 in Lacombe, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada,²² buried in Fairview Cemetery, Lacombe, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada.⁶ FindAGrave: 124617135.
15. **Gordon Lewis Flack** #348887, b. 20 February 1891 in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario,^{21,23} d. 14 September 1958 in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.²⁴
16. **Stanley Roy (Gilroy) Flack** #348888, b. 09 August 1893 in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario.^{21,25}
17. **Edith D. Flack** #348886, b. c. 24 October 1894 in Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario.²¹

Generation Four

18. **John Arthur (Jack) Goodey** #348891, b. 01 August 1917 in Red Deer, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada,²⁶ d. 25 January 2005 in Red Deer, Alberta, Canada,²⁶ buried in Lakeview Cemetery, Sylvan Lake, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada.²⁶ FindAGrave: 123362932.

He married **Elsie Blanche Heenan** #348892, 28 August 1946 in Rainy Creek, Alberta, Canada,²⁷ b. 1919,²⁶ (daughter of **R.J. Heenan** #348893 and **(unidentified)** #348894), occupation Beauty Parlor Operator, d. 20 April 2003 in Red Deer, Alberta, Canada,²⁶ buried in Lakeview Cemetery, Sylvan Lake, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada.²⁶ FindAGrave: 123362957.

Children:

19. i. **Jerry John Goodey** #348928 b. 1856.
20. ii. **Linda Pearl Goodey** #348929 b. 1960.

Generation Five

19. **Jerry John Goodey** #348928, b. 1856, d. 1992.
20. **Linda Pearl Goodey** #348929, b. 1960, d. 1975.

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- ¹ findagrave.com, Banda Methodist Church, Mulmuir, Dufferin County, Ontario.
² ONVS Deaths, ref. 015683-1890; c/d: La Grippe, six months; Informant: John FLACK, Son.
³ Details from son John's 1881 marriage record.
⁴ 1871 Nottawasaga, Simcoe County, Ontario census; age/birthplace/relationship.
⁵ findagrave.com, Donalda Cemetery, Donalda, Wainwright, Alberta, Canada.
⁶ findagrave.com, Fairview Cemetery, Lacombe, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada.
⁷ Wesleyan Methodist Baptismal Register, 1828-1910.
⁸ ONVS Marriages, ref. 009845-1881; Witnesses: Finley HICKS, Sara MCCKLURE?; both in South Marysburgh.
⁹ 1881 South Marysburgh, Prince Edward County, Ontario census; age/birthplace/assumed relationship.
¹⁰ Wesleyan Methodist Baptismal Register, 1828-1910.
¹¹ ONVS Deaths, ref. 025109-1945; c/d: Myocardial failure, Broncho-pneumonia, arterio-sclerosis; Informant: Miss Mebel HICKS, Daughter, Streetsville.
¹² ONVS Births, ref. 027437-1877.
¹³ ONVS Deaths, ref. 014903-1880; c/d: Croup. about 30 hours; Informant: Samuel FLACK, Farmer, Nottawasaga.
¹⁴ ONVS Births, ref. 028321-1879.
¹⁵ ONVS Deaths, ref. 014909-1880; c/d: Croup, two days; Informant: Samuel FROST, Farmer in Nottawasaga.
¹⁶ ONVS Births, ref. 030456-1881.
¹⁷ Alberta Canada Marriage Index, ref. 263-1911.
¹⁸ ONVS Births, ref. 031488-1882.
¹⁹ ONVS Births, ref. 033279-1884.
²⁰ findagrave.com, Red Deer Cemetery, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada.
²¹ 1901 Nottawasaga Township, Simcoe County, Ontario census; age/birthplace/relationship.
²² Alberta Death Index, ref. 006-940.
²³ ONVS Births, ref. 037161-1891.
²⁴ British Columbia Death Index, ref. 1958-09-010081.
²⁵ ONVS Births, ref. 031019-1893.
²⁶ findagrave.com, Lakeview Cemetery, Sylvan Lake, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada.
²⁷ Red Deer Advocate (Red Deer, Alberta), 04 SEP 1946; Marriage announcement, HEENAN/GOODEY.