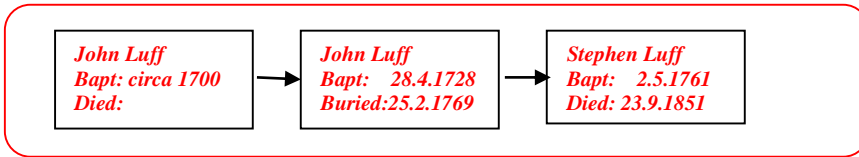


Richard Luff 1794 - 1868

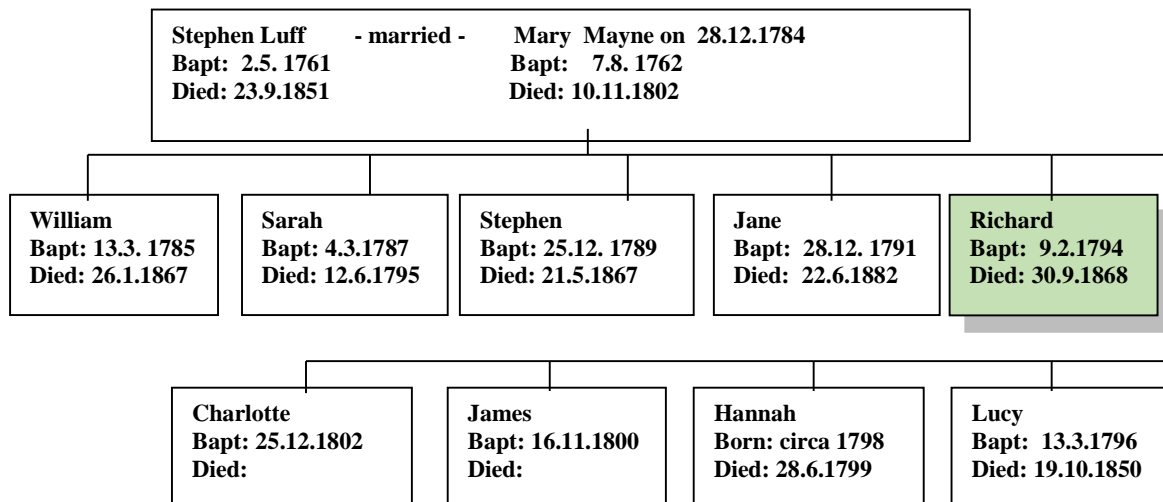
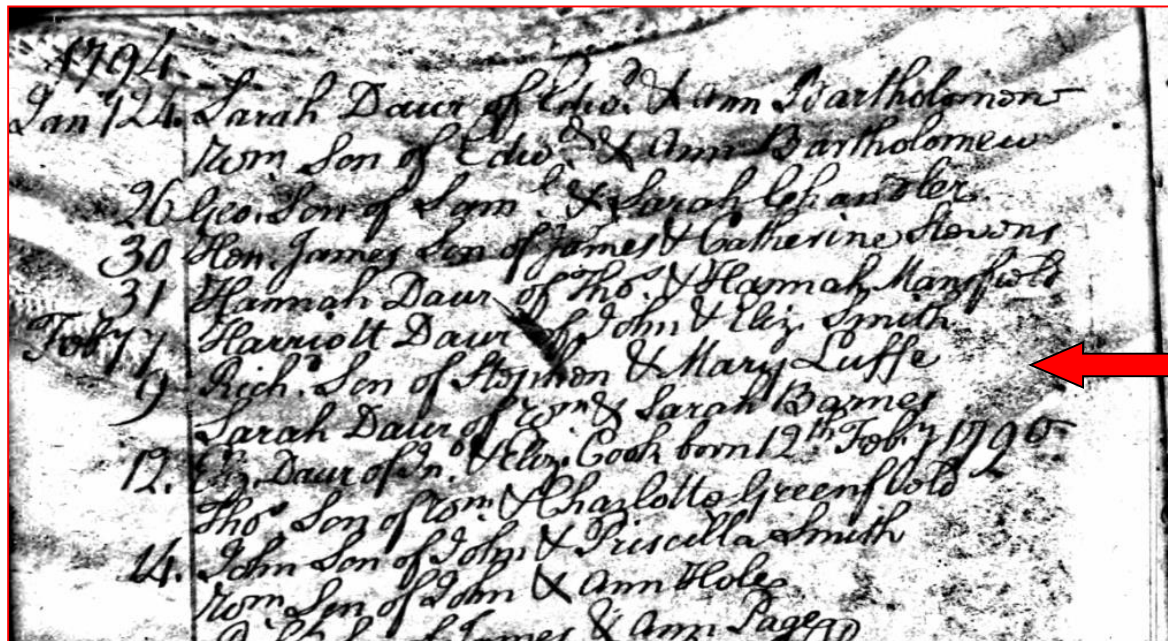
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Family Lineage:



Richard Luff was born in Farnham, and baptised on 9th February, 1794. He is the son of Stephen and Mary Luff.

Extract from the Baptism Records of St Andrew's Church for 1794.

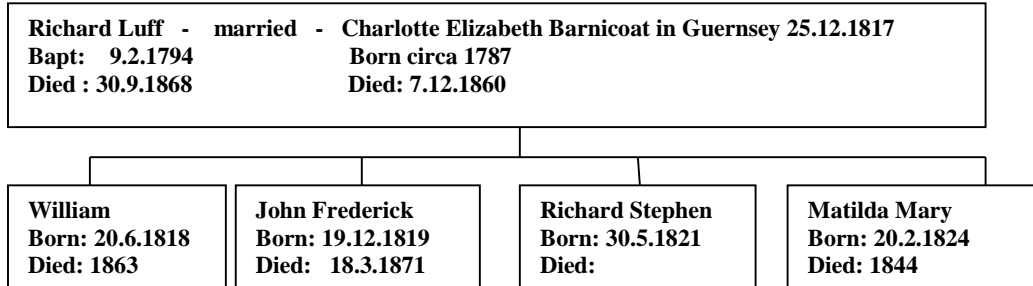


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Richard married Charlotte Elizabeth Barnicoat, a widow, at Town Church, Guernsey, on 25th December, 1817.

Charlotte was born in Falmouth, circa 1787. Charlotte was previously married to Thomas Bulford.

Richard was a nurseryman, owner of a house and nursery at Colborne Villa, Rohais, St. Peter Port. Luff's Nursery was noted on many tourist maps in the 19th century.



The 1851 Census shows Richard, aged 57, living with his family in St Peter Port, Guernsey. Richard shows his occupation as a nurseryman.

Island of Guernsey		Parish or Island of St. Peter Port		Town of North West Canton		Village of St. Anne's Dist.	
Name of Street, Place, or Road, and Name or No. of House	Name and Surname of each Person who abode in the house, in the Night of the 30th March, 1851	Relation to Head of Family	Condition	Age of Males females	Rank, Profession, or Occupation	Where Born	Married in this House
20 Lower Nicholas Lane	William Luff	Head	Mar	57	Nurseryman	England	
	Charlotte Elizabeth Barnicoat	Wife	Mar	64		Guernsey St. Peter Port	
	Henry Wilson	Nephew	Mar	9	School	England	
	Elizabeth Lime	Servant	Unm	17	Servant	America	
22 Lower Nicholas Lane	Alexander Stephen	Head	Mar	73	Chelsea Pensioner	Scotland	
	Mary Ann	Wife	Mar	62		England	
23 Lower Nicholas Lane	Charles Bratiste	Head	Mar	53	Carton	Guernsey St. Peter Port	
	Mary	Wife	Mar	52		St. Anne's S. Anne	
	Thomas	Son	Unm	15	Cabinet Maker Up	Guernsey St. Peter Port	
	Elizabeth M.	Daughter	Unm	13	Cabinet Maker Up	Guernsey	
	Lucas L.	Son	Unm	11	School	Guernsey	
	John F.	Son	Unm	4		Guernsey	
24 Lower Nicholas Lane	John Cary	Head	Mar	77	Wid. Doctor not practicing	Guernsey	
	Harriet F.	Wife	Mar	76		Guernsey	
	Henry	Son	Unm	9	School	St. Anne's Dist. St. Peter Port	
	Elizabeth Gallienne	Servant	Unm	69	Nurse	Guernsey St. Peter Port	
				Total of Persons...	109		

Name	Position in House	State	Age/Sex	Profession	Birth Place
Richard Luff	Head	Married	57 Male	Nurseryman	England
Charlotte Luff	Wife	Married	64 F/male		Guernsey
Henry Wilson	Nephew		9 Male	School	England
Elizabeth Lime	Servant	Single	17 F/male	Servant	America

Richard's wife Charlotte died in Guernsey on 7th December, 1860.

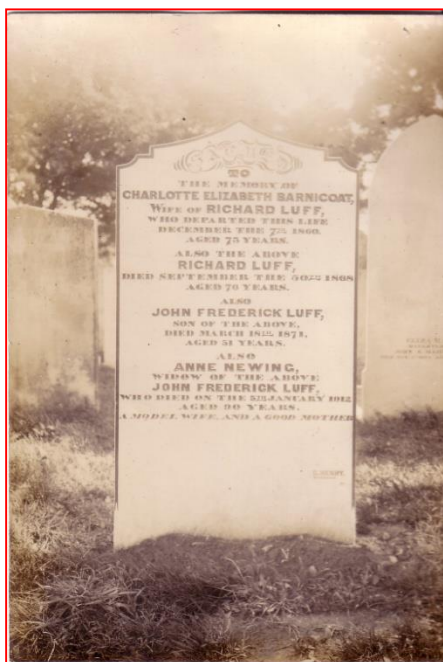
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The 1861 Census shows Richard a widower, now aged 67, living in St Peter Port, Guernsey. Richard is now a retired nurseryman.

The undermentioned Houses are situate within the Boundaries of the									
Parish of		Island or Isle of		Town of		Village of			
St. Peter Port		Guernsey		St. Peter Port					
No. of Habitable	Road, Street, etc., and No. or Name of House	HOUSES Inhabited	Name and Surname of each Person	Relation to Head of Family	Condition	Age of Males (Months)	Rank, Profession, or Occupation	Where Born	Whether Blind, or Deaf and Dumb
109	Robins Road	1	William S. Longley	Head	Wid	50	Retiree, Publican	England	
			Charlotte Longley	Wife	Wid	40	"	"	
110	"	1	Thomas S. Tidman	Head	Wid	32	Wife Maker, Embroiderer, Basket Maker	Guernsey St. Peter Port	
			Harriet	Wife	Wid	35	Wife Maker, Basket Maker	"	
			Harriet M.	Daughter	Wid	9	Scholar	"	
			Mary Ann	Daughter	Wid	1	"	"	
			Robert	Daughter	Wid	7	"	"	
			Henry	Daughter	Wid	2	"	"	
			Elizabeth, Sister, Sister-in-law	Wid	Wid	34	Wife Maker	"	
111	"	1	John O'Brien	Head	Wid	65	Baker & Grocer	"	
			Harriet	Wife	Wid	60	"	"	
			Harriet	Daughter	Wid	23	Wife Maker	"	
			Eliza	Daughter	Wid	30	"	"	
			Mary	Daughter	Wid	24	"	"	
			Harriet	Daughter	Wid	22	Wife Maker	"	
			James Oswald	Son-in-law	Wid	52	"	England	
			James Oswald	Son-in-law	Wid	16	Gardener	Guernsey St. Peter Port	
			Harriet	Daughter	Wid	10	Scholar	"	
			Mary Ann	Daughter	Wid	10	"	"	
			John	Daughter	Wid	7	"	"	
			John	Daughter	Wid	5	"	"	
			Ann Maria	Daughter	Wid	4	"	"	
112	"	1	Richard Luff	Head	Wid	67	Retired Nurseryman	England	
			Elizabeth Foley	Servant	Wid	60	House Servant	Not known (Soldiers daughter)	
Total of Houses...		1	Total of Males and Females...		9	15			

Name	Position in House	State	Age/Sex	Profession	Birth Place
Richard Luff	Head	Widower	67 Male	Retired Nurseryman	England
Elizabeth Foley	Servant	Widow	60 F/male	Servant	Not known (Soldiers daughter)

Richard remarried, on 20th May 1865 at St Peter Port Church, Guernsey; he was 71 years of age and his new wife, Julie Mary Willis was 26 years of age. Julie was born in Lyme Regis in 1839. Richard died on 30th September, 1868. After her husband died, Julie continued to live in Guernsey.



Grave of Richard Luff and family
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The 1871 shows Julia living at St Mary de Castro, living with her were her 2 brothers, Urban and John Willis. Both her brothers were unmarried and employed as nurserymen. Also living with them was their sister Mary Willis, single aged 14.

The unincorporated Houses are situate within the Boundaries of the

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Parish of <i>St. Mary de Castro</i>		Island or Isle of <i>Guernsey</i>		Town of		Village of <i>73</i>			
No. of Inhabitants	ROAD, STREET, &c., and No. or NAME of HOUSE	NUMBER of Inhabitants in each House	NAME and Surname of each Person	RELATION to Head of Family	CON- DITION	AGE if Male	Rank, Profession, or OCCUPATION	WHERE BORN	When 1. Date of Birth 2. Date of Baptism 3. Locality or District 4. Parish
83	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	1	<i>Julia M. Luff</i>	Head	W	31	<i>Annuitant</i>	<i>Eng. Land</i>	
			<i>Urban J. Willis</i>	Brother	Unm	29	<i>Nursery man Florist</i>	<i>St. Andrew Guernsey</i>	
			<i>John R. Willis</i>	Brother	Unm	27	<i>Nursery man</i>	<i>St. Andrew Guernsey</i>	
			<i>Mary Willis</i>	Sister	Unm	14	<i>Scholar</i>	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	
84	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	1	<i>Caroline Gard</i>	Head	W	37	<i>Hotel Keeper</i>	<i>St. Andrew Guernsey</i>	
			<i>Caroline A. Gard</i>	Daughter	Unm	16	<i>Scholar</i>	<i>St. Andrew Guernsey</i>	
			<i>Thomas H. Marshall</i>	brother	Unm	21	<i>Ag. Lab.</i>	<i>St. Andrew Guernsey</i>	
			<i>Walter Marshall</i>	brother	Unm	20	<i>Cross Maker</i>	<i>St. Andrew Guernsey</i>	
85	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	1	<i>Henry C. Marshall</i>	Head	Unm	51	<i>Sailor's Wife</i>	<i>St. Peter Port</i>	
86	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	1	<i>Nicolas Jacob</i>	Head	Mar	32	<i>Ag. Lab.</i>	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	
			<i>Maria Jacob</i>	Wife	Mar	29		<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	
			<i>William J. Jacob</i>	son	Unm	7	<i>Scholar</i>	<i>St. Peter Port</i>	
			<i>Alfred J. Jacob</i>	son	Unm	6		<i>St. Peter Port</i>	
87	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	1	<i>John H. Gilbert</i>	Head	Mar	46	<i>Laceman</i>	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	
			<i>Margaret Gilbert</i>	Wife	Mar	36	<i>Mariner's Wife</i>	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	
			<i>John H. Gilbert</i>	son	Unm	5	<i>Scholar</i>	<i>St. Andrew Guernsey</i>	
			<i>Alfred J. Gilbert</i>	son	Unm	6		<i>St. Andrew Guernsey</i>	
			<i>Alfred H. Gilbert</i>	son	Unm	2		<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	
			<i>Alfred H. Gilbert</i>	son	Unm	1 month		<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	
88	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	1	<i>John de la Roche</i>	Head	Mar	77	<i>Retired Farmer</i>	<i>St. Peter Port</i>	
			<i>Margaret de la Roche</i>	Wife	Mar	62		<i>St. Peter Port</i>	
			<i>Thomas de la Roche</i>	son	Unm	17	<i>Coach Maker</i>	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	
89	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	1	<i>Thomas Verfosky</i>	Head	Wid	33	<i>Farmer</i>	<i>St. Mary de Castro</i>	
			<i>Elizabeth Verfosky</i>	Wife	Wid	33	<i>Annuitant</i>	<i>St. Peter Port</i>	
Total of Houses..		6	Total of Males and Females..		11	13			

Name	Position in House	State	Age/Sex	Profession	Birth Place
Julia M Luff	Head	Widow	31 F/male	Annuitant	England
Urban J Willis	Brother	Single	29 Male	Nurseryman Florist	St Andrews, Guernsey
John R Willis	Brother	Single	27 Male	Nurseryman	St Andrews, Guernsey
Mary Willis	Sister		14 F/male	School	Guernsey

Julie Mary Luff died on 7th October 1876.