

## ROBERTSON FAMILY

*NB: The following is prepared from Falkland Islands Registers and files – there may be other family born outside the Falklands. Unless stated otherwise, all dated births, deaths and marriages occurred in the Falklands and all numbered graves are in Stanley Cemetery. Any variations which may occur in name or the spellings of names are recorded as written in the records at the time.*

**James “Jim” ROBERTSON** was born 2 April 1867 in Brightwater, Nelson, New Zealand to **James ROBERTSON** and **Jane ROBERTSON** née **HONEYMAN**. James came to the Falkland Islands, as assistant stock inspector, with John T Mowat, arriving 25 September 1895 on board the ss *Abydos*.

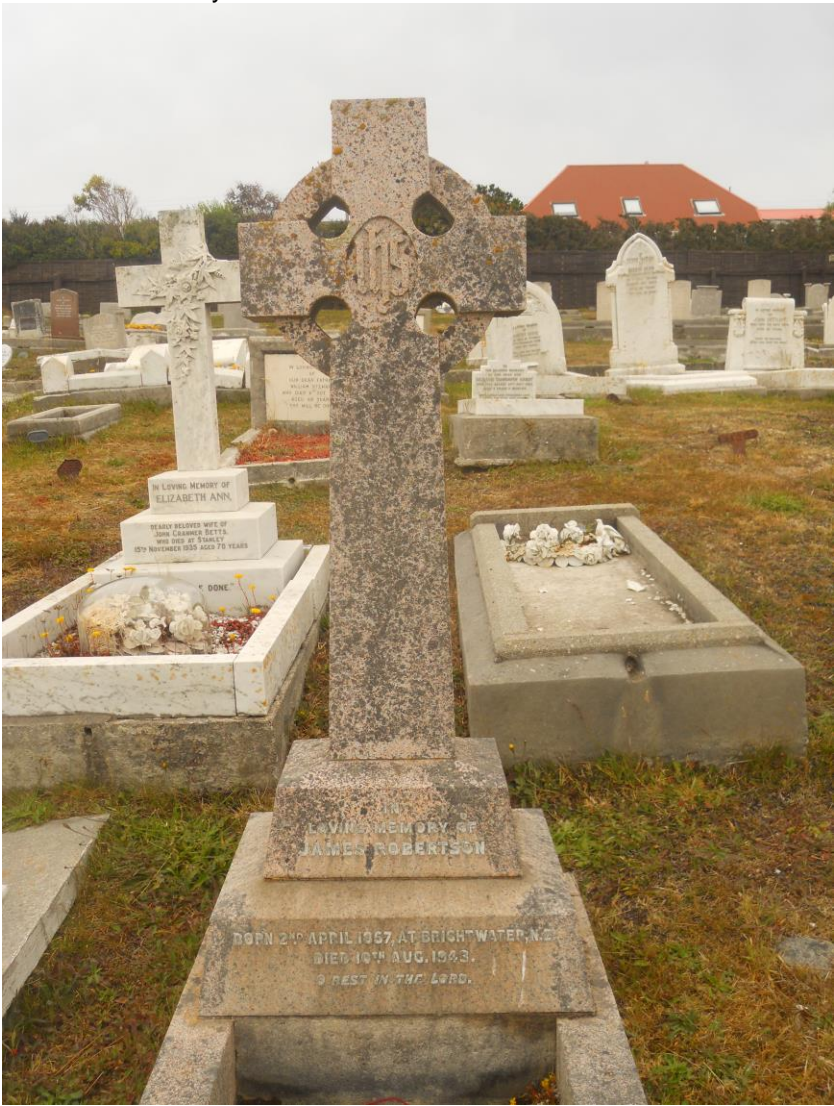
James, stock inspector, was married to **Theresa Louisa CAREY** 21 September 1898 in the Parish Church according to the Rites & Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were John /Rodgers Carey and Ella Clara Carey. James’ father was recorded as James Robertson, blacksmith, and Theresa’s father was recorded as Charles Carey, acting senior constable. Both James and Theresa were living in Stanley at the time of their marriage. Theresa was born 11 March 1876 in Stanley.

James was 6’ 4 ½ “ tall with brown hair and eyes. Theresa was 5’ 4 ½ “ tall with grey eyes.



**James age 57 and Theresa age 47**

James, age 76 and a retired farm manager, died in KEMH, Stanley Tuesday 10 August 1943 and was buried 15 August 1943 in Grave K 1243. [Obituary FI Weekly News 19 Aug 1943; Biography DFB] Theresa, age 76, died 30 March 1952 in Stanley and was buried 3 April 1952 in Grave K 1478.



**FIRST GENERATION:**

**Children of James and Theresa ROBERTSON:**

1. **Charles Honeyman “Charlie” ROBERTSON** born 2 July 1900 in Stanley and baptised 6 January 1901 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as stock inspector. Charles, jackaroo, was married to **Anne CHAVE**, schoolteacher, January 1929 in St Andrews Church, Sydney, Australia. Anne was born 5 July 1895 in Kiandra, New South Wales, Australia. Charles was 6' 3 ½ " tall with black hair and brown eyes. Anne 5' 8" tall with brown hair and blue eyes. Anne, age 79, died in Stanley 5 July 1974 and was buried 8 July 1974 in Grave U 1827. Charles died 5 December 1981 in Goulburn Base Hospital, New South Wales, Australia. [Biography DFB]



*Charles age 38 and Anne age 43*

***DESCENDANTS OF JAMES & THERESA STILL IN THE FALKLAND ISLANDS***