

HALLIDAY FAMILY (2)

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. Various spellings of names are recorded as written at the time.

John Jardon HALLIDAY was born circa 1838 to **William** and ? **HALLIDAY**.

John came down under contract to the Falkland Islands Company Ltd and was most likely a passenger on board the *Julie Tatham* which arrived 22 September 1865 with cargo and shepherds for the Company. John started working for the Falkland Islands Company Limited in their Camp Establishment September 1865 on a monthly wage of £3-10-0. In June 1869 he was gifted with a wild horse colt for his satisfactory services and extra work done at the Blacksmith's Shop up to the end of March 1869. On 1 January 1872 he was recorded as being a gaucho working for the FIC in their Camp. He and six others had been killing since the beginning of November and he was discontented and about to leave. John finished working at the end of January 1872 and took a cash order for £26-7-2 being the balance of his account. [FIC/IW1; 416: FIC/D1; 344: FIC/IW2; 81-83]

John, a shepherd living in Stanley, was married to **Susan Elizabeth HYNAM**, age 16 and living in Stanley, 23 June 1880 in the Parish Church according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church after Banns by Lowther E Brandon MA Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Charles Hynam and Mary Jane Stentiford. John's father was recorded as William Halliday, carter, and Susan's father was recorded as George Hynam, army pensioner.

John, age 62, died 13 August 1900 in Stanley and was buried 15 August 1900 in Grave A37.

Susan advertised in the Falkland Islands Magazines of March and April 1901 that she takes in sewing.

FIRST GENERATION

Children of John Jardon and Susan HALLIDAY:

1. **Fanny Elizabeth HALLIDAY** born 25 June 1881 and baptised 17 May 1882 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Fanny, age 21 and living in Stanley, was married to **Frederick BROWNING**, age 27 and a sheep farmer living in Stanley, 30 October 1901 in the house of Mr J J Halliday according to the Rites & Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were John Burley and Susan Elizabeth Halliday. Frederick's father was recorded as Benjamin Browning, gardener, and Fanny's father was recorded as John Jardon Halliday, blacksmith. Frederick, age 52, died from cardiac disease 12 October 1926 and was buried 14 October 1926 in Grave J 947. Fanny, age 50, died from cardiac failure and valvular disease of the heart and was buried 18 November 1931 in Grave K 1026.
2. **William George HALLIDAY** born 14 June 1883 at Roy Cove and baptised 30 March 1884 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as labourer. William, a labourer, was married to **Selina Margaret Annie "Annie" POOLE**, widow, 2 January 1909 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by G Hurst, Registrar General. The witnesses were A C Kirwan and Ellen Barnes. William's father was recorded as John J Halliday, shepherd, and Annie's father was recorded as Joseph Alazia, mariner. William, age 51 and a shepherd, died at Main Point 5 February 1935 from exposure after rowing off Christmas Island and was buried at 2.30pm Thursday 7 February at Hill Cove; coroners verdict "death from misadventure". Selina was flown to Stanley 6 December 1939 by the HMS *Exeter's* plane. Selina, age 69, died 4 July 1948 in Stanley and was buried in Grave L1383.
3. **Mary Susan HALLIDAY** born 6 August 1884 and baptised 19 May 1885 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was not recorded. Mary, age 17 and living in Stanley, was married to **Ernest Robert GLEADELL**, age 24 and a shepherd living in Stanley, 8 May 1901 in the house of D Cusack according to the Rites & Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Daniel Cusack and Susan Elizabeth Halliday. Ernest's father was recorded as Enoch Gleadell, shepherd. Ernest was awarded a medal during WWII and it is now held in the FI Museum. Ernest changed his surname to **CUSACK** in 1928. Ernest, age 84 and a labourer, died 19 June 1960 in Stanley and was buried 23 June 1960 in Grave S1672.
4. **Harriet Jane HALLIDAY** born 9 February 1888 and baptised 30 October 1888 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd.
5. **Annie Eliza HALLIDAY** born 2 March 1889 and baptised 4 November 1889 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was not recorded. Annie was married to **George GLEADELL**, sailor, 17 June 1909 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by W A Thompson, Acting Registrar General. The witnesses were Mrs George Watson and George Watson. George's father was recorded as Edwin Gleadell, retired shepherd, and Annie's father was recorded as John Halliday, deceased shepherd. Annie, age 31, died 14 March 1921 from pulmonary tuberculosis and was buried 16 March 1921 in Grave J858. George, a labourer, went to Punta Arenas, Chile in 1927 to find work.
6. **John Jordan George HALLIDAY** born 31 December 1890 and baptised 26 February 1891 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. John, a shepherd, was married to **Helen LARSEN**, widow living in Stanley, 14 June 1911 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley (21 days notice) by M Craigie-Halkett, Acting Registrar General. The witnesses were Frederick Browning and Edward B Binnie. John's father was recorded as John Jordan Halliday, shepherd, and Helen's father was recorded as Henry Cull,

engineer. Helen, age 77, died 23 January 1950 in Stanley and was buried in Grave O1421. John, age 66 and a wool shed man, died 28 September 1957 in Stanley and was buried 2 October 1957 in Grave S1596.

SECOND GENERATION

Children of William (2) and Annie HALLIDAY:

1. **Joseph Falklands HALLIDAY** born 11 August 1907 in Stanley. He was privately baptised by Christ Church Cathedral. [FIM Sep 1907]. His father's name and occupation was not recorded on the form but William registered the birth as the father.
2. **Guy Pembroke HALLIDAY** born 18 March 1909 in Stanley and baptised 20 May 1909 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Guy, age 31 and a labourer, died 11 September 1940 in Stanley from tuberculosis and was buried 13 September 1940 in Grave L1166.
3. **Muriel Eliza Ivy HALLIDAY** born 23 September 1910 in Stanley and baptised 8 November 1910 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Muriel was married to **Norman MORRISON**, labourer, 26 October 1935 at Hill Cove by Registrar's General Licence by H C Harding, Acting Registrar. The witnesses were Alfred David Summers and L Halliday. Norman's father was recorded as Roderick Morrison, mason, and Muriel's father was recorded as William George Halliday, deceased shepherd.
4. **John Arthur Leslie HALLIDAY** born 7 October 1912 in Stanley and baptised 5 November 1912 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as labourer. John, age 88, died 25 June 2001 in Stanley and was buried 28 June 2001 in Grave V3336. John was married to (1) **Beatrice May PECK** 11 January 1941 at St Mary's Catholic Church by Special Licence by H F Drumm, Priest in Charge. The witnesses were Norman Morrison and Audrey Kiddle. John's father was recorded as William George Halliday, deceased shepherd, and Beatrice's father was recorded as Archibald Riley, naval rating. John and Beatrice were divorced in 1945. John, a divorced labourer, was married to (2) **Jane Christina WATTS**, widow, 19 April 1948 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by J E Hamilton, Registrar General. The witnesses were M Henricksen and Albert James Henricksen. John's father was recorded as William George Halliday, deceased shepherd, and Jane's father was recorded as John Johnsen, deceased handyman. Jane, age 82, died 19 August 1985 in Stanley and was buried 23 August 1985 in Grave V3039. John, age 88 and a pensioner, died 25 June 2001 and was buried 28 June 2001 in Grave V3336.

Children of John (6) and Helen HALLIDAY:

1. **Stanley Stanford HALLIDAY** born 7 December 1911 and baptised **Stanley Stanbury HALLIDAY** 17 October 1912 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Stanley, a labourer, was married to **Susan Elizabeth "Diddy" BROWNING** (*first cousin*) 2 September 1935 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by A R Hoare, Ag Registrar General. The witnesses were David Leonard Browning and Agnes Caroline Sornsen. Stanley's father was recorded as John Jordan Halliday, labourer, and Susan's father was recorded as Frederick Browning, deceased sheep farmer. Stanley, a certified lunatic, was sent to the UK on the *Rippingham Grange* June 1953 and detained in an institution. Susan, age 63 and a housemaid, emigrated to New Zealand in 1972. Stanley died in England in October 1979. Susan, age 73, died 28 December 1982 in Stanley and was buried 31 December 1982 in Grave V1990.
2. **John Henry HALLIDAY** born 23 March 1913 and baptised 28 November 1916 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. John, a labourer, was married to **Fanny Stanbury BROWNING** (*first cousin*) 27 April 1939 at the Nonconformist Church (Tabernacle), Stanley by Special Licence by Walter Forrest McWhan,

Nonconformist Minister. The witnesses were Lucy Rowlands and Fred Browning. John's father was recorded as John Jordan Halliday, labourer, and Fanny's father was recorded as Frederick Browning, farmer. Fanny, age 65, died 25 October 1980 in Stanley and was buried 28 October 1980 in Grave U1958. John, age 76 and retired, died 24 April 1989 and was buried 28 April 1989 in Grave U1959.

3. **Gladys Elizabeth HALLIDAY** born 25 March 1915 on Speedwell Island and baptised 28 November 1916 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Gladys was married to **Henry Stanbury BROWNING** (*first cousin*), farmer, 31 October 1934 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by A R Hoare, Ag Registrar General. The witnesses were George Albert Sornsen and Fanny Stanbury Browning. Henry's father was recorded as Frederick Browning, deceased farmer, and Gladys' father was recorded as John Jordon Halliday, labourer. Henry, age 39 and a farmer, died 15 June 1943 from cardiac weakness and exposure and was buried 18 June 1942 in Grave L 1217. Gladys, age 62 and a widow at Mullet Creek, died 28 September 1977 in Stanley and was buried 30 September 1977 in Grave U 1901.

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN AND SUSAN STILL IN THE FALKLAND ISLANDS