

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

James HUMBLE was born in 1858 in England.

James was married to **Betsy TAYLOR** (*not in the Falkland Islands*).

“James HUMBLE, a relation of ROBSON, wishes to get his family out; he is a carpenter in regular employment, and I have promised to ask you to assist him by promising 3rd class passage by November steamer, and instructing yourself to get them places as comfortably as possible. His wife’s address is 17 Horsley St, Sunderland, and I shall be obliged by your advancing her £5 to get to Dartmouth. He has already paid £35 towards the expense, and being a steady and sober young man is worthy of assistance and encouragement.” [FIC D8; desp 509, pg 353 3 Sept 1890]

“We have obtained Passage Ticket for Mrs Humble @ £45, I wanted a little reduction for the fourth child 2 years of age but Mr Staude could not grant this having given her a larger Cabin to herself, £5 is sent her with full instructions & I shall look after her carefully.” [FIC C2; desp 747, par 21 8 Nov 1890] Mrs Humble and four children arrived in Stanley via Montevideo 14 December 1890 on board the *Denderah* which departed England November 1890.

James commenced work for the Falkland Islands Company Limited in the North Arm area 12 February 1891 on a monthly salary of £8-0-0. On 21 February 1891 he received an advance of £28-3-2. On 11 May 1895 he received a cash order for the balance of his account of £30-19-10.

James and his family arrived in Stanley from North Arm 11 May 1895 on board the *Hornet*.

July 1901 Mr James Humble’s tender to extend the Assembly Room was accepted and he hoped to have it completed by next September.

Mr & Mrs Humble and nine children departed for Liverpool on board the *Oravia* 1 April 1903. [FIM May 1903] James’ children were aged 18, 14, 12, 10, 8, 6, 4, 2 and a baby (*William, Timothy, George, Richard, Dorothy, Stanley, Albert, Cyril, Norman*). [FIC/EG/1903]

James and his sons James, George and Richard, as well as James’ wife, Elizabeth, departed Liverpool 5 March 1905 on board the *Kensington* bound for Halifax, Canada.

Betsey and their remaining children, Sarah, William, Timothy, Dorothy, Stanley, Albert, Cyril and Norman departed Liverpool 13 April 1905 on board the *Tunisian* bound for Halifax, Canada.

By 1911 the family were living in Brantford, Ontario next door to Betsy’s brother, **John TAYLOR**.

Betsey, age 73, died 9 June 1935 and was buried in Mount Hope Cemetery, Brantford in Plot J2-6-9. She was born 27 June 1861 in Sunderland, Tyne and Wear, England.

James, age circa 79 and of 223 Murray Street, Brantford, died 16 April 1938 and was buried in Mount Hope Cemetery, Brantford in Plot J2-6-9.

FIRST GENERATION:

Children of James and Betsy HUMBLE:

1. **Sarah Robson 'Sallie' HUMBLE** born circa 1880 in Sunderland, Tyne and Wear, England. Sarah was married to **SKELTON**. Sarah died in 1950 and was buried in Mount Hope Cemetery, Brantford in Plot 12W-3-21.
2. **James Hunter Taylor HUMBLE** born 8 July 1882 in Sunderland, Tyne and Wear, England. James commenced work for the Falkland Islands Company Limited in the Lafonia area 2 December 1892 on a monthly salary of £1-10-0 and worked the season until 18 February 1893. He started the new season 1 December 1893 and worked through until 9 March 1894. James commenced a new season 3 December 1894, finishing 12 February 1895. James was appointed assistant gardener at Government House by the Governor 1 December 1898 on an annual salary of £40-0-0. Mr J Humble departed for Liverpool on board the *California* 16 September 1903. [FIM Oct 1903] James was married to **Elizabeth Ann NATT** 7 August 1904 in Darlington Baptist Chapel, England. [FIM Nov 1904] In January 1904 Elizabeth was living in Canada when her mother died. [FIM May 1909] On 19 July 1923, Elizabeth A Humble of the City of Brantford, in the County of Brant, the only heir as law and next of kin of George Natt, appointed George Turner as her power of attorney to sell property belonging to him on Fitzroy Road and realised £235. [Reg Off VIII, pg 163-166] James, age 72, died 29 January 1955 and was buried in Plot 12W-3-21 in Mount Hope Cemetery, Brantford, Brant County, Ontario, Canada. Elizabeth, age 92, died 17 July 1971 and was buried in Plot 12W-3-21 in Mount Hope Cemetery, Brantford.
3. **William Taylor HUMBLE** born in 1886 in Sunderland, Tyne and Wear, England. William travelled out to Lafonia on the *Fair Rosamund* 10 November 1898 and commenced work for the Falkland Islands Company Limited in the Lafonia area 1 December 1898 on a monthly salary of £1-10-0 and finished work 7 March 1899. William, age circa 18, died 19 June 1905 in Brantford and was buried in Mount Hope Cemetery, Brantford in Plot J2-6-9.
4. **Timothy Robson HUMBLE** born 29 March 1888 in Sunderland, Tyne and Wear, England. Timothy travelled out to Lafonia on the *Fair Rosamund* 10 November 1898 and commenced work for the Falkland Islands Company Limited in the Lafonia area 1 December 1898 on a monthly salary of £1-10-0 and finished work 7 March 1899. Timothy, age 28, married and a labourer living at 145 Darling Street, Brantford, Ontario, enlisted as a private in the 215th Battalion. <http://doingourbit.ca/profile/timothy-humble> Timothy, age 50, died Monday, 26 December 1938 at his home 101 Clarence Street, Brantford and was buried in Farringdon Burial Ground, Mount Hope Cemetery, Brantford, Ontario, Canada.
5. **George Taylor HUMBLE** born 6 January 1892 at North Arm and baptised 8 May 1892 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as carpenter and joiner and his godparents were recorded as his father, Wilfred Harrison and Ellen Harrison. George, age 23, single and a printer living at 148 Wellington Street, Brantford, Ontario, enlisted as a private in the 125th Battalion. <http://doingourbit.ca/profile/george-humble> George died in 1964 and was buried in Mount Hope Cemetery, Brantford in Plot J2-6-9.
6. **Richard Nicholson HUMBLE** born 2 January 1894 at North Arm and baptised 9 January 1894 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as carpenter and his godparents were recorded as James Walker Rae, James Humble and Mary Ferrias Rae. Richard was buried in Saint Joseph Catholic Cemetery, Brantford.
7. **Dorothy Malvina Taylor HUMBLE** born 4 January 1895 in Stanley and baptised 11 September 1895 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as

carpenter and her godparents were recorded as Marion Heuston and James Humble. Dorothy was married to **HUBBARD** (*not in the Falkland Islands*). Dorothy died in 1962 and was buried in White Chapel Memorial Gardens, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.

8. **Stanley Edward Robson HUMBLE** born 14 June 1898 in Stanley and baptised 3 July 1898 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as carpenter and joiner and his grandparents were recorded as Harold Adams, Frank Rawson and Emily Hocking. Stanley, age 63, died 17 May 1962 and was buried in Mount Hope Cemetery, Brantford in Plot 12W-3-4.
9. **Albert Kendal Treverton HUMBLE** born 21 December 1899 in Stanley and baptised 14 August 1900. His father's occupation was recorded as Government carpenter and no godparents were recorded. Albert, age 48, died 12 December 1947 in Caledonia, Haldimand County, Ontario, Canada and was buried in Mount Hope Cemetery, Brantford in Plot J2-17-6.
10. **Cyril John Taylor HUMBLE** born 8 July 1901 in Stanley. His father's occupation was recorded as joiner. Cyril died in 1949 and was buried in Mount Hope Cemetery, Brantford in Plot J2-22-14.
11. **Norman Falkland HUMBLE** born circa 1903 in Stanley. Norman died in 1950 and was buried in Mount Hope Cemetery, Brantford in Plot 12E-15-3.