

The Gilbert family of Abbotsley, Huntingdonshire and Littleport, Cambridgeshire

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1. James Gilbert married Elizabeth Hale

- a. **Elizabeth Gilbert** (bpt.18/11/1726, Abbotsley)
- b. **James Gilbert** (bpt.09/10/1728, bur.04/07/1778, Abbotsley)
- c. **Mary Gilbert** (bpt.1731, Abbotsley)
- d. **Jane Gilbert** (bpt.1734, Abbotsley) married **William Pentlow** in 1760 at Abbotsley, Huntingdonshire.
- e. **John Gilbert** (bpt.29/11/1736, Abbotsley) married **Mary Peck** on 27th September 1763 at Abbotsley, Huntingdonshire.
 - i. **John Gilbert** (bpt.15/04/1770, Abbotsley) married **Hannah Lamb** on 30th October 1800 at Abbotsley, Huntingdonshire.
 - ii. **George Gilbert** (bpt.01/07/1772, bur.??/03/1773, Abbotsley)
 - iii. **Edward Gilbert** (bpt.06/03/1774, Abbotsley) married **Susan Gillions** (bpt.24/11/1771, Wrestlingworth, Bedfordshire). *Edward is noted as a labourer in 1813 and he is noted on the 1851 Abbotsley Census as a pauper. Susan's maiden name's spelling alternates between Gillions and Gillings. She appears on the Abbotsley 1851 Census with Edward as a "blind pauper", both lodging with Thomas Cade, their son-in-law.*

1. Sarah Gilbert (bpt.26/06/1795, Abbotsley) married Samuel Haynes (b.c.1795)

- a. **Gilbert Haynes** (b.c.1814, d.1843) married **Mary Stokes** (b.c.1814)
- b. **Elizabeth Haynes** (b.c.1816) married **William Lincoln** (b.c.1816)
- c. **Rhoda Haynes** (b.c.1819, d.1850) married **William Lucas** (b.c.1819)
- d. **Jeremiah Haynes** (b.c.1820)
- e. **Elanor Haynes** (b.c.1828)
- f. **William Haynes** (b.c.1830)
- g. **Edward Haynes** (b.c.1834, d.1834)
- h. **Amos Haynes** (b.c.1834)
- i. **Sarah Ann Haynes** (b.c.1834)
- j. **Samuel Haynes** (b.c.1836)
- k. **Caroline Haynes** (b.c.1839)

2. George Gilbert (bpt.14/04/1797, Abbotsley)

3. Mary Gilbert (bpt.05/08/1799, Abbotsley) married Thomas Cade (b.c.1799) *Thomas Cade is alive in Abbotsley 1851. His wife's parents are living with him as paupers.*

- a. **Mary Cade** (b.c.1830, d.1841)
- b. **Thomas Cade** (b.c.1833) married **Rhoda Jaikes** (b.c.1833)
- c. **Rhoda Cade** (b.c.1835) married **Holden Pratt** (b.c.1825)
- d. **Ann Cade** (b.c.1840, d.1858)
- e. **John Cade** (b.c.1840) married **Mary Haynes** (b.c.1840)

4. Elizabeth Gilbert (bpt.07/06/1802, Abbotsley)

5. William Gilbert (bpt.04/01/1807, Abbotsley) married Elizabeth Brightly (b.c.1806, 'Camps', Littleport, bpt.27/05/1810, Littleport) on 25th January 1828 at Littleport, Cambridgeshire. *William's family are noted as living at Burnt Chimney Drove, Littleport on the 1841 to 1871 Census. In 1851 he is noted as a farmer of 20 acres, 1861 and 1871 40 acres. Elizabeth's maiden name is occasionally spelt Brightle. Elizabeth appears on the 1881 Census as a widow living with her son James at Burnt Chimney Drove, Littleport.*

- a. **Jane Gilbert** (b.c.1828)
- b. **Sarah Gilbert** (b.c.1830)
- c. **Elizabeth Gilbert** (b.c.1837)
- d. **Ann Gilbert** (b.c.1839, d.c.1840s)
- e. **Ann Gilbert** (b.c.1842, Littleport) married **William Drake** (b.1820, Littleport)
 - i. **Edward Gilbert** (b.1866, Littleport)
- f. **Mary Gilbert** (b.c.1842, Littleport)
- g. **William Gilbert** (b.c.1844, Littleport)

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- h. **Martha Gilbert** (b.c.1846, Littleport) married **Golden Fletcher** (b.c.1844) on 1st November 1872 at Littleport, Cambridgeshire.
- i. **James Gilbert** (b.1849, d.12/12/1916, Littleport, bur. Littleport Cemetery) married **Elizabeth Howlett** (b.1856, Kenny Hill, Mildenhall, Suffolk, d.19/08/1916, Littleport) on 15th February 1878 at Littleport, Cambridgeshire.
 - i. **Caroline Gilbert** (b.09/04/1878, bpt.05/05/1878, Littleport) married **Jack Oakes**
 - 1. **Percy Oakes**
 - 2. **Ella Oakes**
 - 3. **Claud Oakes**
 - 4. **Dorothy Oakes**
 - 5. **Mary Oakes**
 - 6. **Constance Oakes**
 - ii. **Mary Gilbert** (b.22/04/1879, Littleport) married **Jabez Peacock**
 - 1. **Evelyn Peacock** married **Harry Fairweather** *Noted as the "proprietor of the "Halesworth Times"*
 - 2. **Doris Peacock**
 - 3. **Lottie Peacock**
 - 4. **Tom Peacock**
 - iii. **William Gilbert** (b.21/10/1880, Littleport) married **Selina Crag**
 - 1. **Mary Gilbert**
 - 2. **James Gilbert**
 - 3. **William Gilbert** (b.1913, d.11/08/1919, Littleport) *"Willie" is buried in Littleport Cemetery with his grandparents, James and Elizabeth Gilbert, who died the same year.*
 - 4. **Irene Gilbert**
 - 5. **Ethel Gilbert**
 - 6. **Edward Gilbert**
 - 7. **Luther Gilbert**
 - 8. **Henry Gilbert**
 - iv. **Ellen Gilbert** (b.30/01/1883, Littleport) married **Frank Gotobed** *This branch lived at Diss, Norfolk. Ellen Gilbert was known as "Nell" and it is reported that she made homemade wine.*
 - 1. **William Gotobed** *died as an infant*
 - 2. **Ivy Gotobed** *died as an infant*
 - 3. **Winifred Gotobed**
 - 4. **Leonard Gotobed** *Lost in WWII*
 - 5. **Joan Gotobed**
 - 6. **Freda Gotobed** married **Jack Spalding** of Cromer, Norfolk.
 - v. **Clara Gilbert** (b.1885, Littleport, d.1973, Ely) married **Alfred Newman** (b.23/04/1883, Ely, d.1969, Ely) in 1909 at St. Mary's, Ely, Cambridgeshire.
 - 1. **Phyllis May Newman** *More info on Newman tree*
 - 2. **Elizabeth Iris Newman** *More info on Newman tree*
 - 3. **Wilfred Newman** *More info on Newman tree*
 - 4. **Leslie Newman** *More info on Newman tree*
 - 5. **Edna Olga Newman** *More info on Newman tree*
 - 6. **Owen Gilbert Newman** *More info on Newman tree*
 - vi. **Elizabeth Gilbert** married **James Gibson**
 - 1. **Margaret Gibson**
 - 2. **Joan Gibson**

