

Robert MURRAY and Mary SUTHERLAND
Chart 66-67

Robert MURRAY

B 27 August 1751 Scotland

D Scotland

M 26 April 1782 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland

Mary SUTHERLAND

B 1762 Scotland

D Scotland

Children:

1. William MURRAY born baptised 22 February 1784 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland
2. **Elizabeth Hamilton MURRAY** born 30 April 1786 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland

Robert MURRAY was born in Scotland if he followed the Scottish naming pattern then his father would have been William.

William and Lilius had a son Robert MURRAY born 27 August 1751 baptised 03 September 1751 Scotland. William MURRAY married Lilius BORROWMAN in Scotland
(Reference LDS FHC microfilm 1067742 & 1067741 Scotland OPR baptism records)

Mary SUTHERLAND was born in Scotland if she followed the Scottish naming pattern then her mother would have been Elizabeth. One of Mary's ancestors may have had the surname HAMILTON.

Robert MURRAY married Mary SUTHERLAND 26 April 1782 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland.

(Reference FHC LDS film 1067743 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland marriage banns)

Robert and Mary had a son named William MURRAY

William MURRAY a son was born 15 February 1784 baptised 22 February 1784 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland.

(Reference FHC LDS film 1067742 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland OPR baptism records)

Robert and Mary had a daughter named Elizabeth Hamilton MURRAY

Elizabeth Hamilton MURRAY a daughter was born 30 April 1786 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland. Parents were Mary SUTHERLAND and Robert MURRAY.

(Reference FHC LDS film 1067742 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland OPR baptism records)

Another researcher stated that Elizabeth's mother was Margaret GOURLAY. This was because Elizabeth (Mrs John Lessels) named her first daughter Margaret Gourley Lessels. I do not think this is correct and I believe that the above baptism, recording mother as Mary is correct.

"In 1804 he (John LESSELS) having married Elizabeth Hamilton MURRAY went to reside with his father-in-law Mr MURRAY in Kirkcaldy until his new home at Raith was ready for his occupation, afterwards called the Heather Lodge."

(Reference RCAHMS Royal Commission on the Ancient and Historical Monuments of Scotland 'Architects' File for John LESSELS "A Brief Account of the Ancient Family of LESSELS in Fifeshire)

When Elizabeth Hamilton LESSELS nee MURRAY died on 17 March 1866 in Kirkcaldy Scotland her parents were recorded as Robert MURRAY Inn Keeper deceased and Mary MURRAY maiden name not known deceased. The parents match the 1786 birth of Elizabeth Hamilton MURRAY (Mrs John Lessels).

(Reference General Register Office Scotland Scottish death registration 1866 Kirkcaldy Fife Entry number 57 RD 442/00)

Robert MURRAY and his wife Mary nee SUTHERLAND died in Scotland but the date and place are unknown.

Robert & Mary MURRAY their children and descendants

- 1- **William MURRAY** born 15 February 1784 baptised 22 February 1784 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland
#William MURRAY a son was born 15 February 1784 baptised 22 February 1784 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland reference FHC LDS film 1067742 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland OPR baptism records
- 2- **Elizabeth Hamilton MURRAY** born baptised 30 April 1786 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland died 17 March 1866 West End High Street Kirkcaldy Fife Scotland married 30 August 1804 Tolbooth Church Edinburgh Midlothian Scotland **John LESSELS** born 22 March 1784 Kinghorn Fife Scotland died 03 February 1865 Kirkcaldy Fife Scotland (10 children) refer chart 32-33

MURRAY miscellaneous information

- 0- William MURRAY married Scotland Lillias BORROWMAN
- 0-1- Robert MURRAY born 27 August 1751 baptised 03 September 1751 Scotland
#William and Lillias had a son Robert MURRAY born 27 August 1751 baptised 03 September 1751 Scotland. William MURRAY married Lillias BORROWMAN in Scotland reference LDS FHC microfilm 1067742 & 1067741 Scotland OPR baptism records

BORROWMAN miscellaneous information

- 0- George BORROWMAN married Margaret SYMB
- 0-1- Lillias BORROWMAN born baptised 11 May 1718 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland
#Lillias BORROWMAN was baptised 11 May 1718 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland parents George Borrowman and Margaret Symb reference Family Search LDS microfilm 1067741 Canongate Edinburgh Scotland
- 0- Alexander BORROWMAN married Marion LAMB
- 0-1- Lillias BORROWMAN born baptised 14 August 1719 Penicuik Midlothian Scotland
#Lillias BORROWMAN was baptised 14 August 1719 Penicuik Midlothian Scotland parents Alexander Borrowman and Marion Lamb reference Family Search LDS microfilm 1067788 Penicuik Midlothian Scotland

GOURLEY miscellaneous information

A researcher stated that Elizabeth Hamilton MURRAY mother was Margaret GOURLAY. This was because Elizabeth named her first daughter Margaret Gourley LESSELS. I do not think this is correct. Refer to the information on page one.

- 0- Margaret GOURLAY and William WILSON
- 0-1- Margaret GOURLAY born 15 October 1817
#GOURLAY - Margaret GOURLAY daughter of William WILSON and Margaret GOURLAY was born 15th October 1817 reference FHC Film 1040142 Abbotshall Fife Scotland OPR 1650-1860