

**Jeremiah HURLEY & Annie O'SULLIVAN & Eva Teresa LYNCH family**  
1877-1890 Upper Hutt School head teacher

**Jeremiah HURLEY**

B 1846 County Kerry Ireland  
D 16 May 1923 Wellington New Zealand  
1<sup>st</sup> M 05 November 1870 Tralee County Kerry Ireland (5 Issue)  
2<sup>nd</sup> M 1880 New Zealand (6 Issue)

**Annie O'SULLIVAN**

B 1849-1850 County Kerry Ireland  
D 06 October 1877 Upper Hutt New Zealand  
M 05 November 1870 Tralee Ireland (5 Issue)

**Eva Teresa LYNCH**

B 1857 Lower Hutt New Zealand  
D 11 March 1920 Wellington New Zealand  
M 1880 Paekakariki New Zealand (6 Issue)

Children:

1. Daniel HURLEY born 1871 County Kerry Ireland
2. Margaret HURLEY born 1873 New Zealand
3. Catherine Mary HURLEY born 17 February 1875 New Zealand
4. Ann Mary HURLEY born 09 September 1876 New Zealand
5. John Frances HURLEY born 30 September 1877 Upper Hutt New Zealand
6. Mary Mercy HURLEY born 1881 New Zealand
7. Daniel Henry HURLEY born 1883 New Zealand
8. Eva Mary HURLEY born 1884 New Zealand
9. Gertrude Mary HURLEY born 1890 New Zealand
10. Eily Mary Geraldine HURLEY born 1894 New Zealand
11. Kathleen Mary HURLEY born 1896 New Zealand

Jeremiah HURLEY born 1846 County Kerry Ireland

Ann O'SULLIVAN was born between 1849 and 1850 in County Kerry Ireland

Jeremiah HURLEY married 05 November 1870 in Tralee County Kerry Ireland to Ann O'SULLIVAN.

Jeremiah and Ann had a son Daniel HURLEY born 1871 in County Kerry Ireland.

Ship Bedington departed London 28 June 1872 arrived Wellington 25 October 1872

- Jeremiah HURLEY age 26 County Kerry Ireland occupation Farm Labourer
- Anne HURLEY age 23
- Daniel HURLEY age 9 months

On the same ship two other passengers came from Kerry Ireland

- John PRENDERVILLE age 22 County Kerry Ireland Farm Labour
- Margaret SCANLON age 21 County Kerry Ireland Servant bound for Nelson

*(Reference Ancestry website Shipping records)*

Public Education [large letter to the editor from Jeremiah Hurley Wellington 04 January 1873]

*(Reference Papers past website New Zealand Mail newspaper 11 January 1873)*

The New Education Bill [letter to the editor from Jeremiah Hurley St Joseph's [sic] School 28<sup>th</sup> April

*(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 29 April 1873)*

Jeremiah and Ann had a daughter Margaret HURLEY born 1873 New Zealand

*(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1873 folio website 1873/38359 parents Ann and Jeremiah Hurley)*

“That nominated migration was of great significance for Irish migrants is evident in the testimony given by Jeremiah Hurley a recent arrival at Wellington in 1872, “No Irish emigrants are coming here except those who receive nominations from their friends in this Colony and those who have heard from their friends there that there is such a man in London as an Agent General of New Zealand”. Mr J HURLEY to the Undersecretary for Immigration 29 November 1873  
(Reference Archives NZ wellington & National Library of NZ AJHR 1873 D-1D page 17)

Jeremiah and Ann had a daughter Catherine Mary HURLEY born 1875 New Zealand  
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1875 folio website 1875/8012 parents Anne and Jeremiah Hurley)

Jeremiah HURLEY Teacher 1867 [sic perhaps 1876] Wellington Teachers.  
I believe 1867 was a transcription error as Jeremiah did not arrive in New Zealand until 1872.  
(Reference website transcription of a New Zealand Gazette supplement 1867 page 896)

Evening Post newspaper 05 August 1876 page 2  
Death Hurley On the 05<sup>th</sup> August at Majoribank Street Wellington Daniel Joseph son of Mr Jeremiah Hurley aged 5 years  
(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 05 August 1876 page 2)

Board of Education [2] Second class Certificates Jeremiah Hurley master Boulcott Street School Wellington  
(Reference Papers past website New Zealand Times newspaper 27 July 1875)

Jeremiah and Ann had a daughter Ann Mary HURLEY born 1876 New Zealand  
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1876 folio website 1875/7697 parents Ann and Jeremiah Hurley)

Jeremiah HURLEY was a teacher at Upper Hutt School from 1877 to 1890  
(Reference notes on website with no source)

Jeremiah and Ann had a son John Frances HURLEY born 30 September 1877 Upper Hutt New Zealand  
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1877 folio website 1877/7253 parents Ann and Jeremiah Hurley)

Evening Post newspaper 06 October 1877  
Birth – Hurley On the 30<sup>th</sup> September at her residence Upper Hutt the wife of Jeremiah Hurley of a son  
(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 06 October 1877)

Annie HURLEY age 27 years died 06 October 1877 Upper Hutt New Zealand  
(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1877 folio website 1877/4344 age 27 born circa 1850)

Evening Post newspaper 06 October 1877  
Death Hurley on the 06<sup>th</sup> October at her residence Upper Hutt the beloved wife of Jeremiah Hurley RIP  
(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 06 October 1877)

It is not known were Annie HURLEY was buried but I believe it would have been St Joseph's churchyard in Upper Hutt.

Jeremiah and Ann's son John Francis HURLEY died 11 December 1877 Upper Hutt  
(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1877 folio website 1877/4421 age 10 weeks born circa 1877)

It is not known were John Francis HURLEY was buried.

Evening Post newspaper 12 December 1877  
Deaths On the 11<sup>th</sup> December at the Upper Hutt John Francis infant son of Jeremiah Hurley age 10 weeks  
(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 12 December 1877)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1879 head teacher Upper Hutt School Wellington Education Board  
(Reference NZSG kiwi index no source information)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1880 head master Upper Hutt School Wellington Education Board  
(Reference NZSG kiwi index no source information)

Jeremiah HURLEY Teacher 1880 list of Teachers  
(Reference New Zealand Gazette supplement 1880 page 1028)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1880 Education 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Report of Minister of Education  
(Reference AJHR 1880 Section H1A page 14)

1880-1881 Hutt Electoral Roll

- Jeremiah HURLEY residential Upper Hutt schoolmaster  
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Eva Teresa LYNCH born 1857 Lower Hutt New Zealand to parents Catherine and Captain Henry Lynch  
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1857 folio website 1857/4436 parents Catherine and Henry Lynch)

Jeremiah HURLEY married 1880 Eva Teresa LYNCH  
(Reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1880 folio 1728 website 1880/2905)

Evening Post newspaper 27 August 1880

Marriage Hurley – Lynch On the 25<sup>th</sup> August 1880 at the residence of the bride's parents Emerald Glen Paikakariki by the Rev Father Yardin V G, Jeremiah Hurley of the Upper Hutt to Eva Teresa the youngest daughter of Henry Lynch Esq  
(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 27 August 1880)

1880-1881 Hutt Electoral Roll

- Jeremiah HURLEY residential Upper Hutt schoolmaster  
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1881 head master Upper Hutt School Wellington Education Board  
(Reference NZSG kiwi index no source information)

Jeremiah and Eva had a child Mary Mercy HURLEY born 1881 New Zealand  
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1881 folio website 1881/11612 parents Eva Teresa and Jeremiah Hurley)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1882 head master Upper Hutt School Wellington Education Board  
(Reference NZSG kiwi index no source information)

Jeremiah and Eva had a child Daniel Henry HURLEY born 1883 New Zealand  
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1883 folio website 1883/2635 parents Eva Theresa and Jeremiah Hurley)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1883 head master Upper Hutt School Wellington Education Board  
(Reference NZSG kiwi index no source information)

Jeremiah HURLEY Teacher 1883 Education district Wellington Rank D1 list of teachers  
(Reference New Zealand Gazette 05 July 1883 page 913)

Jeremiah and Eva had a child Eva Mary HURLEY born 1884 New Zealand  
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1884 folio website 1884/6782 parents Eva Theresa and Jeremiah Hurley)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1884 head master Upper Hutt School Wellington Education Board  
(Reference NZSG kiwi index no source information)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1885 master Upper Hutt School Wellington Education Board  
(Reference NZSG kiwi index no source information)

Jeremiah HURLEY Teacher 1885 Wellington Teachers certificates  
(Reference New Zealand Gazette 1885 page 832)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1886 master Upper Hutt School Wellington Education Board  
(Reference NZSG kiwi index no source information)

1886 Upper Hutt Public School

Examination 27 September 1886 – Inspector Robert Lee – Classes PI – VI

Class PI = 10 boys & 5 girls

Class PII = 8 boys & 4 girls & 8 boys & 6 girls

Class I = 7 boys & 8 girls

Class II = 13 boys & 14 girls

Class III = 20 boys & 9 girls

Class IV = 7 boys & 8 girls

Class V = 7 boys & 4 girls

Class VI = 2 boys & 2 girls

Total 82 boys & 60 = 142 children

The only comments made by the inspector were 'stood out'. Also in the file there was a letter written and signed by H (Mrs Hannah) Barton & E Haybittle to Mr Hurley on 25 September 1886  
(Reference Archives NZ Wellington Education Board Wellington Class schedules 1886 A-Z ADEX 16412 EB-W8 1/2)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1887 master Upper Hutt School Wellington Education Board  
(Reference NZSG kiwi index no source information)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1887 education district Wellington Rank D1  
(Reference New Zealand Gazette 07 July 1887 No 43 page 896)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1888 master Upper Hutt School Wellington Education Board  
(Reference NZSG kiwi index no source information)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1889 head master Upper Hutt School Wellington Education Board  
(Reference NZSG kiwi index no source information)

Jeremiah and Eva had a child Gertrude Mary HURLEY born 1890 New Zealand  
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1890 folio website 1890/14344 parents Eva Theresa and Jeremiah Hurley)

Jeremiah HURLEY Teacher 30 June 1891 Teachers register Education district North Canterbury Rank D1  
(Reference New Zealand Gazette 30 June 1891 page 747)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1892 education district North Canterbury Rank D1  
(Reference New Zealand Gazette 30 June 1892 page 925)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1892 Manakau co Horowhenua  
(Reference New Zealand Gazette 14 December 1892 page 1639)

Jeremiah HURLEY 1893 Returning Officer appointed Otaki  
(Reference New Zealand Gazette 10 November 1893 No 86 page 1624)

Eva T HURLEY signed the suffrage petition and her name was recorded on the 1893 Otaki Electoral Roll Manakau

Jeremiah and Eva had a child Eily Mary Geraldine HURLEY born 1894 New Zealand  
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1894 folio website 1894/5253 parents Eva Teresa and Jeremiah Hurley)

Jeremiah HURLEY Returning Officer Appointments 1896 Otaki  
(Reference New Zealand Gazette 1896 page 1922)

Jeremiah and Eva had a child Kathleen Mary HURLEY born 1896 New Zealand  
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1896 folio website 1896/8974 parents Eva Theresa and Jeremiah Hurley)

Jeremiah HURLEY Returning Officer Appointments 1899 Otaki  
(Reference New Zealand Gazette 1899 page 2144)

Jeremiah HURLEY Teacher 1899

*(Reference New Zealand Gazette 1899 page 1243)*

1900 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Jeremiah HURLEY Manakau farmer residential
- Eva Teresa HURLEY Manakau married women residential

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)*

Jeremiah HURLEY Teacher 1901 Teachers register

*(Reference New Zealand Gazette 1901 page 1389)*

Jeremiah HURLEY Justice of the Peace 1901 Manukau County Horowhenua

*(Reference New Zealand Gazette 1901 page 807)*

1905-1906 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Jeremiah HURLEY Manakau sheep-farmer
- Eva Teresa HURLEY Manakau married
- Mary M T HURLEY Manakau spinster

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)*

1911 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Jeremiah HURLEY Manakau sheep farmer
- Eva Teresa HURLEY Manakau married
- Mary Mercedes Theresa HURLEY Manakau spinster
- Margaret Mary HURLEY Manakau spinster
- Catherine HURLEY Foxton domestic duties
- Eileen HURLEY Otaki spinster
- James HURLEY Foxton flaxmiller

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)*

1914 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Jeremiah HURLEY Manakau sheep farmer
- Eva Teresa HURLEY Manakau married
- Mary Mercedes Theresa HURLEY Manakau spinster
- Margaret Mary HURLEY Manakau spinster
- Eileen HURLEY Otaki spinster
- James HURLEY Foxton flaxmiller
- Bridget HURLEY Main Street Foxton married

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)*

Jeremiah HURLEY Justice of the Peace 1917 Horowhenua

*(Reference New Zealand Gazette 1917 page 2495)*

1919 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Eva Teresa HURLEY Manakau married

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)*

1919 Wellington East Electoral Roll

- Jeremiah HURLEY 151 Brougham Street retired farmer
- Eva Teresa HURLEY 151 Brougham Street married
- Mary Mercedes Teresa HURLEY 157 Brougham Street spinster
- Daniel Henry HURLEY 7 Patterson Street Roman Catholic priest

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)*

Eva Teresa HURLEY died 11 March 1920

*(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1920 folio website 1920/10894 age 63 born circa 1857)*

Dominion Newspaper 12 March 1920

Social and Personal – Her many friends in the Wellington and Manawatu districts will regret to hear of the death at her residence 151 Broughton Street on Wednesday afternoon of Mrs J Hurley. The deceased lady was well known resident of Manakau for a number of year and came to live in Wellington about eighteen months ago. She was the only surviving daughter of the late Captain Henry Lynch one of the early pioneers of the Hutt district. The late Mrs Hurley was held in the highest esteem for her many kindly qualities and charitable disposition and the sincerest sympathy will be felt for her husband, five daughters and one son (the Rev Father Hurley S M Timaru) in their loss

*(Reference Papers past website Dominion Newspaper 12 March 1920)*

Otaki Mail newspaper 12 March 1920

Obituary – Mrs J Hurley - Many friends throughout the district will hear with deep regret of the death of Mrs Hurley wife of Mr Jeremiah Hurley which occurred at her home, Brougham Street, Wellington, yesterday afternoon. Deceased had been ill for a very long time, and her death was not unexpected. Mrs Hurley resided for a great many years at Manakau. She was warm favourite with all and well known for her hospitality, kindly disposition and many sterling qualities. She was the only surviving daughter of Captain Henry Lynch, one of the early pioneers of the Hutt district. Mrs Hurley is survived by her husband, five daughters and one son [Rev Father Hurley SM of Timaru until recently parish priest at St Joseph's Wellington) all of whom will have the sympathy of a very wide circle of sorrowing friends. The funeral (private) took place at Wellington this morning.

*(Reference Papers past website Otaki Mail newspaper 12 March 1920)*

Jeremiah HURLEY died 16 May 1923 Wellington New Zealand

*(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1923 folio website 1923/6697 age 77 born circa 1846)*

Evening Post newspaper 6 May 1923

Deaths – Hurley – On the 16<sup>th</sup> May 1923 at his residence 1515 Broughton Street Jeremiah Hurley JP in his 79<sup>th</sup> year RIP Private interment No flowers (by request)

*(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 16 May 1923)*

Otaki Mail newspaper 18 May 1923

Obituary - Mr Jeremiah Hurley aged 78 years. The death occurred at Wellington on Wednesday of Mr Jeremiah Hurley who for some 25 year lived at Kuku, and who was for a number of years Returning Officer for the Electoral district of Otaki. The late Mr Hurley who was 78 years of age had only been ill a few days. There are five daughters and one son (Father Dan Hurley) to mourn their loss. Sister Agatha of the Otaki Convent is a daughter. The funeral took place today while requiem mass was celebrated at Buckle Street Church.

*(Reference Papers past website Otaki Mail newspaper 18 May 1923)*

Jeremiah HURLEY farmer Wellington 1923 probate Will

*(Reference Archives NZ Wellington AAOM 6029 33821 filed date 21 June 1923 Will)*

#### Sisters of the Past – Sister Agatha Catherine Hurley 17 February 1875 – 26 May 1952

Wellington New Zealand was the birthplace of Catherine daughter of Jeremiah Hurley and his wife Annie nee O'Sullivan on 17 February 1875. Jeremiah has been a teacher at Tralee Poor Law Union School in Ireland and had married Annie also a school teacher at the Catholic Chapel of Tralee on 05 November 1870. Their first son Daniel was born before they set sail for NZ in June 1872. After arrival Jeremiah became a teacher at Kaiwharawhara and in 1879 moved to a new school at Trentham [Upper Hutt]. Catherine was born in 1875 and her sister Annie in 1877. Their older brother Daniel died soon after arrival in NZ and their mother Annie also died while they were still young. They were cared for by Daniel and Bridget Hurley, brother and sister in law of Jeremiah until he was remarried to Eva Lynch in 1880. His son from the second marriage he also named Daniel and he had five more daughters. Young Daniel was born in 1883 and later became Father Dan Hurley SM and Provincial of Marist Order in Australasia. In his later years Jeremiah Hurley gave the land at Kuku near Otaki for the building of a church. Catherine and Annie were boarders at Sacred Heart in Whanganui. When she left school Catherine entered the Sisters of St Joseph on 25 April 1899, three years after her sister Annie, who became Sister

Augustine. She was professed on 04 February 1901, the name of Sister Agatha. Agatha was a primary school teacher and house sister and was a foundation member when the School and Convent were opened at Waipukurau in 1926. She also taught at Waverley, Mangaweka and Patea. Agatha was remembered as a very gentle women who was very placid and accepting of life's difficulties. Sister Agatha died in Whanganui on 26 May 1952. Her funeral was held at Sacred Heart Convent and she was buried at Aramoho Lawn cemetery

*(Reference Sisters of St Joseph Whanganui website)*

#### Sister Augustine Annie Hurley 09 September 1877 – 05 November 1972

In November 1870 Jeremiah Hurley married Annie O'Sullivan at the Catholic Chapel of Tralee County Kerry Ireland. Both were school teachers. Jeremiah taught at the Tralee Poor Law Union School in Tralee. A son Daniel Joseph was born to them in 1871 and then in June 1872 with the help of a Government subsidy they set sail for New Zealand. Soon after arrival Jeremiah began teaching in Kaiwharawhara, Upper Hutt and Trentham. Anne was born on 09 September 1877 and later another daughter Kathleen but the son had died soon after their arrival. Annie's mother died while the children were young and they were taken in by Jeremiah's brother Daniel and his wife Bridget. Her father married Eva Lynch in 1880. She gave birth to a son also named Daniel and five daughters. The family moved to a farm at Kuku near Ohau. When the Marist Fathers needed land for a church a corner of the farm was given and the family worshipped at St Stephen's Church built there. Annie and her sister Kathleen were sent to board at Sacred Heart Convent in Whanganui and on completing her schooling Annie entered the Sisters of St Joseph on 07 March 1896. She was professed as Sister Augustine on 21 January 1898. Sister Augustine became a very gifted teacher, and used her talents in music and the arts to instruct many hundreds of children. During her 76 years as a Sister of St Joseph Augustine held many positions of responsibility including that of Mistress of Novices. She was the Foundation Superior of Fielding (1906) Taihape (1916) Convents and a founding member of the Mangaweka (1922 Convent also. She spent an initial ten years as head teacher in Feilding and then returned as principal for six years in 1938. She also taught at Waverley, Hastings, Waipukurau, Plimmerton and Otaki. Her last appointment was to Otaki where she endeared herself to the Maori people. Kathleen Augustine sister also entered the Sisters and was professed as Sister Agatha in 1901 and died in 1952. Her brother Daniel became a Marist Priest. Augustine died in Otaki on 05 November 1972. The respect and loyalty of her many former pupils was much in evidence at her funeral Mass held in the local parish church. As a mark of the esteem in which they held Sister Augustine and her family the Maori people placed a mat over her coffin and sang several of the hymns during the Mass. The casket was carried up the Pukekaraka Hill nearby where Sister was buried near some of the pioneer Sisters and clergy

*(Reference Sisters of St Joseph Whanganui website)*

Karori Cemetery area 03 block C row 04 plot 023 Wellington

Eva Theresa beloved wife of Jeremiah HURLEY

Died 11 March 1920 RIP

Pray also for Jeremiah HURLEY

Who departed this life 16 May 1923

### **Jeremiah and Ann HURLEY their children and descendants**

1- **Daniel HURLEY** born 1871 Ireland or England died 05 August 1876 Wellington New Zealand (died young never married)

#Ship Bedington departed London 28 June 1872 arrived Wellington 25 October 1872 reference Ancestry website shipping records

- Daniel HURLEY age 9 months

#Daniel Joseph HURLEY died 1876 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1876 folio website 1876/2771 age 5 years born circa 1871

#Death Hurley On the 05<sup>th</sup> August at Majoribank Street Wellington Daniel Joseph son of Mr Jeremiah Hurley aged 5 years reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 05 August 1876 page 2

- 2- **Margaret HURLEY** born 1873 New Zealand died 23 March 1874 New Zealand (died young never married)  
#Margaret HURLEY born 1873 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1873 folio website 1873/38359 parents Ann and Jeremiah Hurley  
#Margaret HURLEY died 23 March 1874 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1874 folio website 1874/6034 age 6 months born circa 1873  
Or perhaps  
#Margaret Mary HURLEY Manakau spinster 1911 Otaki Electoral Roll  
#Margaret Mary HURLEY Manakau spinster 1914 Otaki Electoral Roll  
#Margaret Mary HURLEY 151 Brougham Street spinster 1928 Wellington Central Elect Roll
- 3- **Catherine Mary HURLEY** born 17 February 1875 New Zealand died 26 May 1952 New Zealand (Sister Agatha)  
#Catherine Mary HURLEY born 1875 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1875 folio website 1875/8012 parents Anne and Jeremiah Hurley  
#Sisters of the Past – Sister Agatha Catherine Hurley 17 February 1875 – 26 May 1952. Wellington New Zealand was the birthplace of Catherine daughter of Jeremiah Hurley and his wife Annie nee O'Sullivan on 17 February 1875. Jeremiah has been a teacher at Tralee Poor Law Union School in Ireland and had married Annie also a school teacher at the Catholic Chapel of Tralee on 05 November 1870. Their first son Daniel was born before they set sail for NZ in June 1872. After arrival Jeremiah became a teacher at Kaiwharawhara and in 1879 moved to a new school at Trentham [Upper Hutt]. Catherine was born in 1875 and her sister Annie in 1877. Their older brother Daniel died soon after arrival in NZ and their mother Annie also died while they were still young. They were cared for by Daniel and Bridget Hurley, brother and sister in law of Jeremiah until he was remarried to Eva Lynch in 1880. His son from the second marriage he also named Daniel and he had five more daughters. Young Daniel was born in 1883 and later became Father Dan Hurley SM and Provincial of Marist Order in Australasia. In his later years Jeremiah Hurley gave the land at Kuku near Otaki for the building of a church. Catherine and Annie were boarders at Sacred Heart in Whanganui. When she left school Catherine entered the Sisters of St Joseph on 25 April 1899, three years after her sister Annie, who became Sister Augustine. She was professed on 04 February 1901, the name of Sister Agatha. Agatha was a primary school teacher and house sister and was a foundation member when the School and Convent were opened at Waipukurau in 1926. She also taught at Waverley, Mangaweka and Patea. Agatha was remembered as a very gentle women who was very placid and accepting of life's difficulties Sister Agatha died in Whanganui on 26 May 1952. Her funeral was held at Sacred Heart Convent and she was buried at Aramoho Lawn cemetery reference Sisters of St Joseph Whanganui website
- 4- **Ann Mary (Annie) HURLEY** born 09 September 1876 New Zealand died 05 November 1972 Otaki New Zealand (Sister Augustine)  
#Ann Mary HURLEY born 1876 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1876 folio website 1875/7697 parents Ann and Jeremiah Hurley  
#Catherine and Annie were boarders at Sacred Heart in Whanganui. When she left school Catherine entered the Sisters of St Joseph on 25 April 1899, three years after her sister Annie, who became Sister Augustine reference Sisters of St Joseph Whanganui website  
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- 5- **John Frances HURLEY** born 30 September 1877 Upper Hutt New Zealand died 11 December 1877 Upper Hutt New Zealand (died young never married)  
#John Frances HURLEY born 1877 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1877 folio website 1877/7253 parents Ann and Jeremiah Hurley  
#Birth – Hurley On the 30<sup>th</sup> September at her residence Upper Hutt the wife of Jeremiah Hurley of a son reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 06 October 1877  
#Jeremiah and Ann's son John Francis HURLEY died 11 December 1877 Upper Hutt reference RGO NZ death registration 1877 folio website 1877/4421 age 10 weeks born circa 1877  
#Deaths On the 11th December at the Upper Hutt John Francis infant son of Jeremiah Hurley age 10 weeks reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 12 December 1877  
#It is not known where John Francis HURLEY was buried but perhaps it was St Joseph's cemetery

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### Jeremiah & Eva Theresa HURLEY their children and descendants

- 6- **Mary Mercy/Mercedes Teresa HURLEY** born 1881 New Zealand died 1951 New Zealand  
#Mary Mercy HURLEY born 1881 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1881 folio 2563 website 1881/11612 parents Eva Teresa and Jeremiah Hurley  
#Mary Mercedes Theresa HURLEY Manakau spinster 1911 Otaki Electoral Roll  
#Mary Mercedes Theresa HURLEY Manakau spinster 1914 Otaki Electoral Roll  
#Mary Mercedes Teresa HURLEY 157 Brougham Street spinster 1919 Wellington East Electoral Roll  
#Mary Mercedes Theresa HURLEY 151 Brougham Street spinster 1928 Wellington Central Electoral Roll  
#Mary Mercy HURLEY died 1951 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1951 folio 2015 website 1951/22884 age 69 born circa 1882  
#Mary Mercy HURLEY Wellington Spinster 1951 Wellington Court probate reference Archives NZ Wellington AAOM 6031 1022/1951 filed date 17 July 1951 Will
- 7- **Daniel Henry HURLEY** born 05 January 1883 Hutt Valley New Zealand died 30 July 1974 Sydney Australia (Father Dan Hurley)  
#Daniel Henry HURLEY born 1883 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1883 folio website 1883/2635 parents Eva Teresa and Jeremiah Hurley  
#Young Daniel was born in 1883 and later became Father Dan Hurley SM and Provincial of Marist Order in Australasia reference Sisters of St Joseph Whanganui website  
#Father Daniel Henry HURLEY SM born 05 January 1883 in Lower Hutt Educated 1899-1902 St Patrick's College Wellington Professed 25 November 1905 Ordained 01 December 1907 by Archbishop Redwood Timaru 1920-1926 died 30 July 1974 image page 316 reference Thinking about Heaven a history of Sacred Heart parish Timaru by Sean Brosnahan published October 2011
- 8- **Eva Mary/Teresa HURLEY** born 1884 New Zealand died 1944 New Zealand married 1909 New Zealand **William PERRY** born date and place unknown died date and place unknown

- #Eva Mary HURLEY born 1884 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1884 folio website 1884/6782 parents Eva Teresa and Jeremiah Hurley  
#Eva Teresa [sic] HURLEY married 1909 New Zealand William PERRY reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1909 folio website 1909/5141  
#The engagement is announced of Miss Eva Hurley daughter of Mr J Hurley "Avonmore" Manakau to Mr W Perry LLB Wellington reference Papers past website Free Lance newspaper 23 January 1909 page 9  
#Eva Teresa PERRY died 1910 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1910 folio website 1910/8968 age 26 born circa 1884
- 8-1- Mary Angela PERRY born 1910 New Zealand  
#Mary Angela PERRY born 1910 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1910 folio website 1910/4194 parents Eva Teresa Mary and William Perry
- 9- **Gertrude Mary HURLEY** born 06 November 1890 New Zealand died 1980 New Zealand (never married)  
#Gertrude Mary HURLEY born 1890 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1890 folio website 1890/14344 parents Eva Theresa and Jeremiah Hurley  
#Gertrude Mary HURLEY 151 Brougham Street spinster 1928 Wellington Central Elect Roll  
#Gertrude Mary HURLEY died 1980 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1980 folio website 1980/42643 born 06 November 1890
- 10- **Eily Mary Geraldine HURLEY** born 1894 New Zealand died 19 June 1972 New Zealand married 1923 New Zealand **Edward Arthur ROBINSON** born 1891 place unknown died 1961 New Zealand  
#Eily Mary Geraldine HURLEY born 1894 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1894 folio website 1894/5253 parents Eva Teresa and Jeremiah Hurley  
#Eily Mary Geraldine HURLEY married 1923 New Zealand Edward Arthur ROBINSON reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1923 folio website 1923/1183  
#Edward Arthur ROBINSON died 1961 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1961 folio website 1961/32781 age 70 born 1891  
#Eily Mary Gerald ROBINSON died 1972 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1972 folio website 1972/26469 born 29 January 1894  
#Eily Mary Geraldine ROBINSON died 19 June 1972 RIP buried Karori cemetery Wellington
- 11- **Kathleen Mary HURLEY** born 1896 New Zealand died 1969 New Zealand (never married)  
#Kathleen Mary HURLEY born 1896 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1896 folio website 1896/8974 parents Eva Theresa and Jeremiah Hurley  
#Kathleen Mary HURLEY 151 Brougham Street spinster 1928 Wellington Central Elect Roll  
#Kathleen Mary HURLEY died 1969 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1969 folio website 1969/35991 age 72 born circa 1897  
#Kathleen Mary HURLEY spinster Wellington probate Wellington Court reference Archives NZ Wellington AAOM 6031 1076/1969 filed date 05 September 1969 Will

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### Jeremiah HURLEY his parents and siblings

- 0- **Daniel HURLEY** born 1805 Kerry Ireland died 26 June 1876 Kerry Ireland married **Margaret LENIHAN** born 30 March 1806 Cools Kerry Ireland died 1876 Kerry Ireland
- 0-1- Mary HURLEY born 13 February 1836 Milltown Kerry Ireland married 1880 Kerry Ireland Mr O'LEARY
- 0-2- Johanna HURLEY born 19 May 1837 Milltown Kerry Ireland died September 1917 Tralee Ireland
- 0-3- John HURLEY born 15 February 1840 Cullinee Milltown Killarney Kerry Ireland died 03 December 1918 88 Liverpool Street Wanganui New Zealand
- 0-4- Thomas HURLEY born 14 July 1843 Callenay Milton County Kerry Ireland died 1935 Sale Victoria Australia
- 0-5- **Jeremiah HURLEY** born 01 March 1846 Balymolis County Kerry Ireland died 16 May 1923 Wellington New Zealand 1<sup>st</sup> married Annie O'SULLIVAN 2<sup>nd</sup> married Eva Theresa LYNCH
- 0-6- **Daniel HURLEY** born 21 July 1851 Lalaishan Milltown County Kerry Ireland died 04 August 1939 Hurleyville South Taranaki New Zealand married 25 September 1878 Wellington

- New Zealand **Bridget SULLIVAN** born 1859 Ireland died 09 December 1942 Patea Taranaki New Zealand  
#Daniel HURLEY married 1878 New Zealand Bridget SULLIVAN reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1878 folio website 1878/3220  
#Daniel HURLEY died 1939 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1939 folio website 1939/20815 age 89 born circa 1850  
#Bridget HURLEY died 1942 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1942 folio website 1942/31374 age 83 born circa 1859
- 0-6-1- Jeremiah Edward HURLEY born 1891 New Zealand died 1970 New Zealand married 1913 Sarah Olive AMON  
#Jeremiah HURLEY born 1891 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1891 folio website 1891/18599 parents Bridget and Daniel Hurley  
#Jeremiah Edward HURLEY married 1913 Sarah Olive AMON reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1913 folio website 1913/4750  
#Jeremiah Edward HURLEY died 1970 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1970 folio website 1970/47652 age 79 born circa 1891
- 0-7- Timothy HURLEY born 22 June 1853 Ireland died 29 December 1936 New Plymouth New Zealand
- 0-8- Margaret HURLEY born 1855 Ireland died October 1943 New Zealand married 1884 New Zealand Michael James LYNCH born 1852 died 1921 New Zealand
- 0-9- Patrick HURLEY born 11 May 1856 Ireland died 1907 Brussellton Western Australia

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### HURLEY miscellaneous information

Comment - there were other Jeremiah Hurleys who settled in early New Zealand

- 0- Jeremiah HURLEY born 1815 place unknown died 19 March 1867 New Zealand  
#Jeremiah HURLEY died 19 March 1867 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1867 folio website 1867/41 age 52 born circa 1815  
#Death on 19 March at his residence Upper Queen Street Mr Jeremiah Hurley late of the 65<sup>th</sup> Regiment Deeply regretted aged 52 years reference Papers past website Daily Southern Cross newspaper 20 March 1867 & 01 April 1867 & New Zealand Herald newspaper 01 April 1867

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- 0- Jeremiah HURLEY born 1854 place unknown died 1941 New Zealand  
#Jeremiah HURLEY died 1941 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1941 folio website 1941/28935 age 87 born circa 1854

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0- John HURLEY married Ellen

- 0-1- Jeremiah HURLEY born 1872 New Zealand died 1955 New Zealand  
#Jeremiah HURLEY born 1872 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1872 folio website 1872/25458 parents Ellen and John Hurley  
#Jeremiah HURLEY died 1955 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1955 folio website 1955/30854 age 84 born circa 1871

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0- Michael HURLEY married Maria

- 0-1- Jeremiah HURLEY born 1888 New Zealand died 1964 New Zealand  
#Jeremiah HURLEY born 1888 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1888 folio website 1888/9666 parents Maria and Michael Hurley  
#Jeremiah Joseph HURLEY died 1964 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1964 folio website 1964/25547 age 75 born circa 1889

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0- Jeremiah HURLEY married 1853 Mary MCDONNELL

- #Jeremiah HURLEY married 1853 Mary MCDONNELL reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1853 folio website 1853/681

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0- Jeremiah HURLEY married 1884 Mary DUDLY

- #Jeremiah HURLEY married 1884 Mary DUDLY reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1884 folio website 1884/2869
- 0-1- Eugene John HURLEY born 1885 New Zealand  
#Eugene John HURLEY born 1885 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1885 folio website 1885/11187 parents Mary and Jeremiah Hurley
- 0-2- William HURLEY born 1888 New Zealand  
#William HURLEY born 1888 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1888 folio website 1888/1796 parents Mary and Jeremiah Hurley
- 0-3- James Edward HURLEY born 1889 New Zealand  
#James Edward HURLEY born 1889 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1889 folio website 1889/8266 parents Mary and Jeremiah Hurley
- 0-4- Mary Ellen HURLEY born 1891 New Zealand  
#Mary Ellen HURLEY born 1891 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1891 folio website 1891/17343 parents Mary and Jeremiah Hurley
- 0-5- Joseph HURLEY born 1895 New Zealand  
#Joseph HURLEY born 1895 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1895 folio website 1895/6356 parents Mary and Jeremiah Hurley
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- 0- Jeremiah HURLEY married 1904 Hannah Bridget O'HARA  
#Jeremiah HURLEY married 1904 Hannah Bridget O'HARA reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1904 folio website 1904/4765
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- 0- Jeremiah HURLEY married 1929 Ellen AXUP  
#Jeremiah HURLEY married 1929 Ellen AXUP reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1929 folio website 1929/727
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- 0- Jeremiah HURLEY and Unknown

- 0-1- Female HURLEY born 19 February 1872 Wellington New Zealand  
#Births On the 19<sup>th</sup> instant at her residence Ingestre Street Wellington the wife of Mr Jeremiah Hurley a daughter reference Evening Post newspaper 19 February 1872
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- 0- James Arthur HURLEY born 1853 Ireland died 1937 New Zealand married 1882 New Zealand Alice STYLES

#James Arthur HURLEY married 1882 New Zealand Alice STYLES reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1882 folio website 1882/1691

#James Arthur HURLEY died 1937 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1937 folio website 1937/17647 age 84 born circa 1853

#Alice HURLEY died 1937 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1937 folio website 1937/29559 age 74 born circa 1863

- 0-1- Margaret Mary HURLEY born 10 July 1883 New Zealand died 1974 New Zealand  
#Margaret Mary HURLEY born 10 July 1883 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1883 folio website 1883/13274 parents Alice and James Arthur Hurley  
Perhaps #Margaret Mary HURLEY Manakau spinster 1911 Otaki Electoral Roll (this was the same address as Jeremiah the teacher and his children so perhaps there is a connection)  
Perhaps #Margaret Mary HURLEY Manakau spinster 1914 Otaki Electoral Roll (this was the same address as Jeremiah the teacher and his children so perhaps there is a connection)  
Perhaps #Margaret Mary HURLEY 151 Brougham Street spinster 1928 Wellington Central Electoral Roll (this was the same address as Jeremiah the teacher and his children so perhaps there is a connection)  
Perhaps #Margaret Mary HURLEY married 1928 James Joseph O'GORMAN reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1928 folio 05899 website 1928/3505  
Perhaps #Margaret Mary HURLEY died 1974 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1974 folio website 1974/49317 born 10 July 1883
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#### New Zealand Electoral Rolls

#Jeremiah HURLEY Wellington household Ingestre place house & Jeremiah HURLEY Ingestre Street Household Ingestre Place house and shop & Joseph HURLEY Molesworth Street Household Molesworth Street house and shop 1875-1876 Wellington Electoral Roll  
#Jeremiah HURLEY residential Ghuznee Street engineer & William Ellis HURLEY residential Molesworth Street clerk 1880-1881 Wellington Electoral Roll  
#Jeremiah HURLEY residential Brancopeth labourer & John HURLEY residential Masterton shoemaker 1885-1886 Wairarapa North Electoral Roll

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