

REV. STEPHEN WILLIS.

Induction of 40th Pastor



THE 40th Pastor of Whitchurch Baptist Church is to be inducted this weekend.

The Rev Stephen Willis (left), who moved to Whitchurch with his wife Jackie and the couple's four children last month, will be installed tomorrow.

A former assistant minister at Thornhill Baptist Church, Southampton, he trained as a technician with the Royal Air Force before deciding to enter the ministry.

Mr Willis studied at Spurgeon's College, one of the country's leading Baptist colleges.

Tomorrow's induction service will take place at 3pm. Mr Willis will conduct his first services on Sunday at 11am and 6.30pm.

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE 10/2/1989



A VIP guest for new pastor

LORD DENNING joined a packed congregation for the induction of new pastor **Stephen Willis** to **Whitchurch Baptist Church**.

More than 250 people attended the service—including a coachload of well-wishers from Mr Willis's former church and representatives from other local churches.

And a special video link had to be set up in the church hall to cope with the extra numbers.

Mr Willis (32), who spent eight years as an RAF technician before entering the ministry in 1981, was previously assistant minister at **Thornhill Baptist Church** in **Southampton**.

Mr Willis said after the service that he was looking forward to becoming involved in the **Whitchurch** community.

"I intend to be a spiritual helper and to reach out into the community," he said.

Mr Willis, his wife Jackie and four children Peter, Jemma, Rebecca and Jonathan, moved to **Whitchurch** at the end of January after three years in **Southampton**.

He is pictured, left, with **Lord Denning** and right, the **Rev Geoffrey Reynolds**, of the **Southern Baptist Association**.

Picture: David Bearne.

WILLIS STRAYS.

MARRIAGES.

Thatcham. 15/10/1752 Richard WILLIS = Jane GEARDENER (or GEARDENS?)

Sheet No. _____

Occupation

Born	Place
Chr.	Place
Marr.	Place
Died	Place
Bur.	Place
Father	Mother <u>ELEANOR</u>
Other Wives	

Occupation

Born	Place
Chr.	Place
Died	Place
Bur.	Place
Father DERYCK	Mother
Other Husbands	

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BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE, 14/10/1988. (WEDDING PHOTOGRAPH)

Compiled by IRIS L. STANLEY

Year 1988

1.

HUSBAND LESLIE C WILSON-DUTTON			
BORN	1922	AT	LINCOLN
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED		AT	
DIED	12/10/2001 AGED 79	AT	ST MICHAEL'S HOSPICE, BASINGSTOKE
FUNERAL	22/10/2001	AT	BASINGSTOKE CREMATORIUM
FATHER		MOTHER	

WIFE HAZEL			
BORN			
BAPTISED			
FATHER		MOTHER	

CHILDREN

LIVED AT BRIMPTON ROAD, BAUGHURST AND 59 MOUNT PLEASANT, TADLEY.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE 'DEATHS' 19/10/2001. OBITUARY, NEWBURY WEEKLY NEWS.

LESLIE WILSON-DUTTON

LES WILSON-DUTTON

In loving memory of a
beloved Husband, Dad
and Grandad.
Passed away 12th
October 2001.
Forever in our thoughts
always in our hearts.

Hazel, Heather, Archie,
Dena, Mick and Jessica.

B.6. 11/10/2002

LES WILSON- DUTTON

12-10-21

Forever in our hearts

Hazel, Heathers &
Family, Dena & Family.

B.6. 13/10/2003

IN LOVING MEMORY

of

Les Wilson- Dutton
Died 12th October
2001

Missed, loved,
remembered always.

His wife Hazel, Dena &
family &
Heather & family

B.6. 8/10/2004

In loving memory of LES WILSON- DUTTON

left us 12th Oct 2001

Loved and
remembered always

Hazel,
Dena & Family,
Heather &
Family.



B.6. 13/10/2005

Les Wilson-Dutton 12-10-2001

Missing you, always
in our thoughts and
hearts

Love Hazel, Dena &
family

Heather & family

B.6. 12/10/2006

Les Wilson-Dutton

12-10-2001

Forever in our hearts
always in our
thoughts

Hazel, Heather &
Family, Dena &
Family

B.6. 11/10/2007

LES WILSON- DUTTON

Passed away peacefully
surrounded by his
loving family on
12th October 2001,
aged 79 years.

Funeral service
at Basingstoke
Crematorium on
Monday 22nd October
at 3 pm. Donations, if
desired, to St Michael's
Hospice, c/o Geoffrey
Church & Co, 48
Bishopswood Road,
Tadley, Tel: 0118 9814420.

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE

11/10/2001

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of the late LES WILSON- DUTTON

Would like to sincerely
thank all who sent
messages of sympathy.
We also thank all
friends for their love
and support.

Special thanks to
St Michael's Hospice
for their loving
care during his
last few days.

B.6. 16/11/2001

LES WILSON- DUTTON

12-10-2001

In loving memory.
Forever in our hearts.

Always in our
thoughts.

With love from Hazel,
Dena & Family,
Heather & Family

B.6. 9/10/2008

Leslie Wilson-Dutton

A FORMER Baughurst
parish councillor and
chairman, Mr Leslie
Wilson-Dutton, has died at
the age of 79.

Mr Wilson-Dutton died at
St. Michael's Hospice,
Basingstoke, on October 12.

A Baughurst parish coun-
cillor from 1966 until 1987,
and chairman from 1979 to
1986, he was diagnosed with
mesothelioma, an industrial
disease, the week before
Christmas 1999, which took
a toll on his breathing and
energy.

Born in Lincoln in 1922,
he took up an electrical
apprenticeship after school,
and volunteered for the RAF
in 1940, aged 18, seeing
service in North Africa and
Italy. He married Hazel, in
1947.

After working for the elec-
tricity board in Lincoln,
Peterborough and Exeter, he
joined AWRE, now AWE in
1953. Always community-
minded, and willing to assist
on local projects, many of
which he initiated, he was a
moving force in the resi-
dents' association, formed to
resolve issues on the new
AWRE housing estates.

He played tennis at AWRE
and while on the recreational
society committee, organised
the summer fete and sports
day, and was instrumental in
organising the conversion of
the games hall into the
William Penney Theatre.

Vice-chairman of Heath
End village hall for many



Leslie Wilson-Dutton

years, he was active in alter-
ations, improvements and
fund-raising, and was also a
governor at Burnham Copse
Junior School, Tadley, from
the mid 1970s to early
1980's.

He was also a governor at
the Hurst School, Baughurst,
and chairman for many
years, and organised the
building of the swimming
pool, a well-used and appre-
ciated amenity.

After retiring from AWRE
in 1987, he became an
enthusiastic radio, "ham",
and valued member of
Basingstoke amateur radio
club, passing his morse code
test to gain his Class A
licence when he was more
than 70 years old.

He is survived by his
widow, Hazel, daughters
Heather and Dena, and
granddaughter Jessica.

HUSBAND JOSEPH WISE		PLUMBER	
BORN	1849/50	AT	SULHAMSTEAD BANNISTER, BERKS
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED		AT	
DIED		AT	
BURIED		AT	
FATHER	MARK WISE	MOTHER	MARTHA GREEN

WIFE JULIA			
BORN	1858/9	AT	CLEWER, BERKS
BAPTISED		AT	
DIED		AT	
BURIED		AT	
FATHER		MOTHER	

CHILD			
WILFRED	B 1879/80 AT BASINGSTOKE 8p	-----	-----

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

CENSUS DETAILS 1891-1901

JOSEPH WISE

SULHAMSTEAD BANNISTER 1891

RG 12 / 990

F01 48

Sch3

page 5 Goddards Green Joseph Wise H M 41 Plumber Sulhamstead Ban
 Julia " W M 32 Clewer Berks
 Wilfred " S 11 Basingstoke Hants

SULHAMSTEAD BANNISTER 1901

RG 13/1142

Fol 41

Sch 3

page 6 Goddards Green Joseph Wise H m 51 Plumber Sulhamstead Ban
Julia " W m 42 Clenier Berks
Wilfred " S 21 Plumber Basingstoke Hants

HUSBAND		MARK WISE	
BORN	12/19/20	AT	SULHAMSTEAD BANNISTER, BERKS
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED	APRIL - JUNE 1943	AT	
DIED		AT	
BURIED		AT	
FATHER		MOTHER	ANN

WIFE		MARTHA GREEN	
BORN		AT	BAUGHURST
BAPTISED	5/8/1821	AT	BAUGHURST
DIED		AT	
BURIED		AT	
FATHER	RICHARD GREEN	MOTHER	MARY HAWKINS

CHILDREN				
MARK	B 1844/5 AT SULHAMSTEAD B Ap	D - - - - - Bul	M - - - - - HARRIET	✓
MARY ANN	B 1846/7 AT SULHAMSTEAD B Ap	D - - - - - Bul	M - - - - -	
JOSEPH	B 1849/50 AT SULHAMSTEAD B Ap	D - - - - - Bul	M - - - - - JULIA	✓
ELIZABETH	B 1851/2 AT SULHAMSTEAD B Ap	D - - - - - Bul	M - - - - -	
AMELIA	B 1853/4 AT SULHAMSTEAD B Ap	D - - - - - Bul	M - - - - - CHARLES DOWNTON	✓
ELLEN	B 1856/7 AT SULHAMSTEAD B Ap	D - - - - - Bul	M - - - - -	
MARTHA	B 1859/60 AT SULHAMSTEAD B Ap	D - - - - - Bul	M - - - - -	
HENRY G	B 1861/2 AT SULHAMSTEAD B Ap	D - - - - - Bul	M - - - - -	
FRANK	B 1866/7 AT SULHAMSTEAD B Ap	D - - - - - Bul	M - - - - -	
EDWIN	B 1868/9 AT SULHAMSTEAD B Ap	D - - - - - Bul	M - - - - -	

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BAUGHURST PARISH REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1813-1861.

CENSUS RETURNS 1841-1901

BMD MARRIAGE APRIL-JUNE 1843, BRADFIELD DISTRICT 6 227

A Montimer dentist named Wise a correct relative.

MARK WISE & MARTHA GREEN?

SULHAMSTEAD BANNISTER LOWER END 1841

page 20 Lockram Ann Wise 55 Grocer N
John " 25 Y
Mark " 20 Y
Mary " 20 Y
Rebecca Tanner 45 X N

SULHAMSTEAD BANNISTER 1851 HO107/1691 Fol 335 Sch 1

page 28 Mark Wise H M 31 Grocer etc Sulhamstead
Martha " W M 29 Grocer's Wife Baughurst
Mark " S 6 Sch Sulhamstead
Mary Ann " D 4 "
Joseph " S 1 At Home "
Thomas Childs V 17 Ag Labourer Waltham St Lawrence
Richard Green V M 59 Ag Labourer Beedon
David Wiggins Serv. 11 Errand Boy Brimpton

SULHAMSTEAD BANNISTER 1861 RG9/743 Fol 99 Sch 25

page 27 Mark Wise H M 41 Grocer Sulhamstead
Martha " W M 39 Baughurst
Mary Ann " D 14 Sulhamstead Ban
Mark " S 16 " "
Joseph " S 11 " "
Elizabeth " D 9 " "
Amelia " D 7 " "
Ellen " D 4 " "
Martha " D 1 " "

HUSBAND		MARK WISE	PAINTER	
BORN	1844/5		AT	SULHAMSTEAD BANNISTER, BERKS
BAPTISED			AT	
MARRIED			AT	
DIED			AT	
BURIED			AT	
FATHER	MARK WISE		MOTHER	MARTHA GREEN

WIFE		HARRIET		
BORN	1841/2		AT	HANDLEY, DORSET
BAPTISED			AT	
DIED			AT	
BURIED			AT	
FATHER			MOTHER	

CHILDREN				
ANNIE	B 1871 AT WAKEFIELD, BERKS	---	---	
	Bp			
FLORENCE	B 1872/3 AT STRATFIELD BRKS	---	---	
	Bp			
ELLA	B 1879/80 AT BURGFIELD	---	---	
	Bp			

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

CENSUS RETURNS 1871-1901

MARK WISE JNR

WOKEFIELD 1871 RG10/1276 Fol 93 Sch 24

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Mark Wise	H	M	26	Painter	Sulhamstead Barn
Harriet	"	W	M	29	Handley Dorset
Annie	"	D	2m		Wokefield Berks

BURGHFIELD 1881 RG11/1298 Fol 41 Sch 106

page 19 Burghfield Hill Mark Wise jnr H ~~Farmer~~^m 36 Farmer, Painter* Sulhamstead Barn
Harriet " W M 40 Handley Dorset
Florence " D 8 Scholar Stratfield Berks
Ella " D 1 Burghfield "
Frances Hopkins Serv. 13 General Servant Dom. " "

Farmer of 36 acres employing 4 men

FULHAM 1891 RG12/52 Fol 128 Sch 51

page 8

Mark Wise	H	M	46	Painter & Grainer	Sulhamstead B
Harriet	"	W	M	49	Handley Dorset
Ella	"	D	"	Scholar	Burghfield Berks

SPENCERS WOOD SHINFIELD EAST 1901 RG13/1155 Fol 104 Sch 178

page 25

Mark Wise	H	M	56	Journeyman Painter	Wokefield Berks
Harriet	"	W	M	59	Handley Dorset

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ASHFORD HILL

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 4th 1989

FUNERAL SERVICE FOR RICHARD WISEMAN

THE SENTENCES

PSALM 23 to Crimmond

The Lord's my shpherd, I'll not want
He makes me down to lie
In pastures green; he leadeth me
The quiet waters by.

My soul he doth restore again,
And me to walk doth make
Within the paths of righteousness,
E'en for His own name's sake.

Yea, though, I walk through death's dark vale
Yet will I fear none ill;
For thou art with me, and thy rod
And staff me comfort still.

My table thou hast furnished
In presence of my foes,
My head thou dost with oil annoint,
And my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life
Shall surely follow me;
And in God's house for evermore
My dwelling place shall be.

LESSON

ADDRESS

POEM

HYMN

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide;
The darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide
When other helpers fail, and comforts flee,
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little
day;

Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass
away;

Change and decay in all around I see;
O Thou who changest not, abide with me.

I need thy presence every passing hour;
What but thy grace can foil the tempter's
power?

Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be?
Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with
me.

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to
bless;
Ills have no weight, and tears no
bitterness;
Where is death's sting? where, grave thy
victory?
I triumph still, if Thou abide with me.

Hold Thou thy cross before my closing
eyes,
Shine through the gloom, and point me
to the skies;
Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain
shadows flee;
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.



Village sees tramp to final rest

SIXTY people attended the funeral at Ashford Hill on Saturday of 71-year-old Mr Richard Henry Wiseman, an educated and well-liked "Gentleman of the Road", who died recently. People came from the surrounding villages as far as Whitchurch and Bucklebury Slade, to attend the service.

The service in St Paul's Church was conducted by the vicar, the Rev. Fred Fox, who also read a poem written by a parishioner Mr Jim Coventry, "Man of the Road". The lesson was read by the Rev. Reginald Rabbetts, who first met him on St Patrick's Day in 1970 when he asked for his bottle to be filled with hot water and a 'bite' to eat.

Over the years, they have discussed the churches in the city of London which they both knew. Mr Wiseman sometimes walked to Oxford to see a friend and also to Petersfield where he thought it would be warmer. He enjoyed reading the *Readers Digest* and quality newspapers. He had a radio and listened to church music on it which he also discussed with Mr Rabbetts.

The organist on Saturday was Mrs Evelyn Hiscock.

Before the service started, Sister Margaret from St Gabriel's Convent at Cold

placed it on the coffin. Afterwards she said they used to give him clothes and on one occasion he was given a good pair of trousers. The next time he called he offered to pay £2 for them.

Among the floral tributes was one from the Royal British Legion as he served in the army in Greece during the 1939-45 war. The Legion was represented at the service and among the congregation were parish councillors for Ashford Hill and Headley, the ex-vicar of Kingsclere the Rev. Robert Legg and his wife Daphne.

Afterwards, Mr Wiseman was buried in Ashford Hill churchyard, and there were several floral tributes of hyacinths and snowdrops.

He had lived in a 'hay store' between Ashford Hill and Kingsclere and this was where he was found with a compound fracture to his leg caused by him jumping out of the way of a vehicle. He died in Basingstoke Hospital.

People in Ashford Hill and Wolverton collected to pay for his funeral. Mrs Terry Richardson said "The response had been overwhelming and it restores faith in human nature. We would like to thank every-



Mr Wiseman is carried to his final resting place.

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ABOVE, GEORGE, BEARING AT THE FUNERAL.



Mrs Withey in her son's garden, which made it to a shortlist of six in the national competition.

'Well planned chaos: brilliant'

GREEN-fingers recently won Mrs Margaret Withey's creation a runner-up position in the BBC's Best British Small Garden Competition.

Mrs Withey, of Shyshack Lane, Tadley, single-handedly tackled her son's garden, in Wayhill Close, after completing a two-year course in garden design at Berkshire College of Agriculture.

"All the things in the garden were made by me so it took a lot of work but not much money," she said, "There are some good ideas in this garden and they're all original."

Her son Mr Stewart Withey described

his garden, before the transformation, "It was small and unassuming. For myself this meant that there would be less lawn to cut and maintenance to partake of."

After the transformation... "Well executed and planned chaos. For the first time in my life I took a look at a garden and thought, 'brilliant.'"

Mrs Withey has created her own "easy upkeep" garden, and been arranging gardens for her friends for some time, but has now decided to go into the garden design business.

Talent for garden design brings TV fame



● Simply stunning: The garden in Weyhill Close, Tadley, after the transformation.

DAZZLING designs in a Tadley garden and a true feel for gardening very nearly won a local woman a cruise in a national TV competition.

But Mrs Margaret Withey, of Shyshack Lane, Baughurst, was pipped at the post, although she was one of five runners-up hot on the heels of the winner.

Judges in the BBC2 Gardeners' World design a small garden contest were so impressed with her initiative, they may well feature her ideas when the programme returns in the spring.

Talk gardens with Margaret and you're talking plaited ropes, wooden cubes, metal cones and split bamboo canes.

Her unusual ideas for making screens, fencing and objects d'art out of raw materials and her clever use of plants

By Kay Elston

took Gardeners' World by storm.

Now Margaret, who has studied landscape gardening at college, is so encouraged by her success she intends to become a professional designer.

The garden she entered for the contest belongs to her son Stewart and his girlfriend, Clare Humphries.

When the couple moved into their Tadley Home at Weyhill Close, the last thing on their mind was their 30ft by 20ft garden.

Stewart, 34 and Clare, 31 thought gardening was for wrinklies. They were far too young.

Then the grass began growing, the weeds flourished and there was no room for the deckchairs in the tangle of shrubs and undergrowth.

It was Margaret who came to the rescue, having just completed her gardening design training.

She said: "I loved doing it. I've found my niche. It's wonderful."

"I began the garden in March last year, concentrat-



● Mrs Margaret Withey in the garden which so impressed the judges in the BBC2 Gardeners' World contest.

ing on digging out the stones and renovating the awful clay with compost and manure.

"Half the neighbours in Shyshack Lane provided cuttings and the whole thing was ready by mid summer 1995."

Stewart, an electrician, helped with the garden lighting in artistic pots made by his sister, also Margaret.

Her second son, Gavin, a builder, chipped in, but it was watering.

mainly Margaret, unaided, who built the masterpiece, using different textured surfaces of red brick, gravel and crazy paving, bringing them alive with perfectly positioned plants.

There's not a blade of grass to be seen and the garden is virtually maintenance free.

Now all Stewart and Clare need remember is the watering.

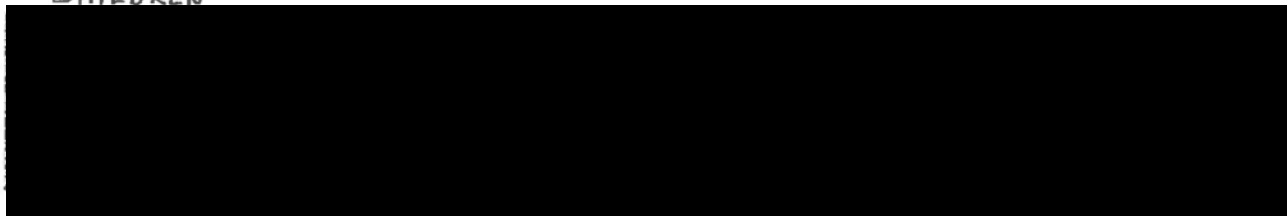


● The challenge: The garden before Mrs Margaret Withey of Baughurst set to work.

HUSBAND	ALFRED WOODALL		
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED	APRIL-JUNE 1937	AT	REGISTERED STEPNEY IC 302
DIED		AT	
FUNERAL		AT	
FATHER		MOTHER	

WIFE	EVELYN FLORENCE BOWLES		
BORN	14/12/1912	AT	REGISTERED STEPNEY IC 642 D-D 1912
BAPTISED		AT	
DIED	2/1/2007	AT	THE NORTH HAMPSHIRE HOSPITAL BASINGSTOKE,
FUNERAL	12/1/2007	AT	CREMATED MAIN ROAD METHODIST CHURCH, TADLEY
FATHER		MOTHER	CURRELL

CHILDREN



WOODALL. On January 2nd 2007, Evelyn passed away peacefully, aged 94. Mother of Patricia, Susan and Mary and a friend to many. Funeral Service to take place on Friday January 12th at Methodist Church, Main Road, Tadley at 3pm. No flowers, but donations if desired to either Missions for Seamen or Mercy Ships UK c/o Turner Brothers, 15 Hampton Road, Newbury, Berkshire, RG14 6DB.

N.W.N 11/1/2007

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BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE DEATHS AND NEWBURY WEEKLY NEWS DEATHS

B.G. 10/1/2007

Old man

What are you thinking, old man,
As you sit in the pub with your pint,
Do you think of the harvests, farms long gone,
And the sunshine in summer and snow in the winter.

With so many changes, it's hard to take in,
The computers and e-mails and modern equipment,
That changes the landscape and lives of us all.

What are you thinking of, old man,
As each day you try to remember,
When everything around us was easy to use.
Now they've got satellites, moon probes and conglomerates.

No more do we hear of the old names of our childhood,

When ills were all treated with camphor and liquorice,

When children were wrapped in flannel each winter,

And old fashioned remedies cured all our ills.

What are you thinking of, old man,
As you sit in the pub with your pint,
The world's gone to pot and the colour's all gone.
Yet there is still hope for our young, they are learning old ways,

That beat modern methods and return to the times,

When it meant one got good value for money,

We knew where we were,

God bless them all - keep the fires burning bright!

-Evelyn Woodall

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE, 14/8/2000

Pensioner's diary documents hospital stay

AN 89-year-old widow from Tadley who was stuck in hospital for six weeks after a series of heart attacks, has told how she kept her spirits up by writing a diary about her experience.

Evelyn Woodall said: "It was the diary that kept me going. The staff were saying they should be careful or they would go in the diary. I hope they don't sue me!"

The pensioner suffered her first heart attack at home while she was on the waiting list for a hip replacement. It hit Mrs Woodall at 9pm when she was in her bathroom and she crumpled to the floor in agony. Sensibly, she had a bleeper on a chord around her neck and was able to call for help.

Mrs Woodall was admitted to Basingstoke hospital and had several more heart

attacks when she was there.

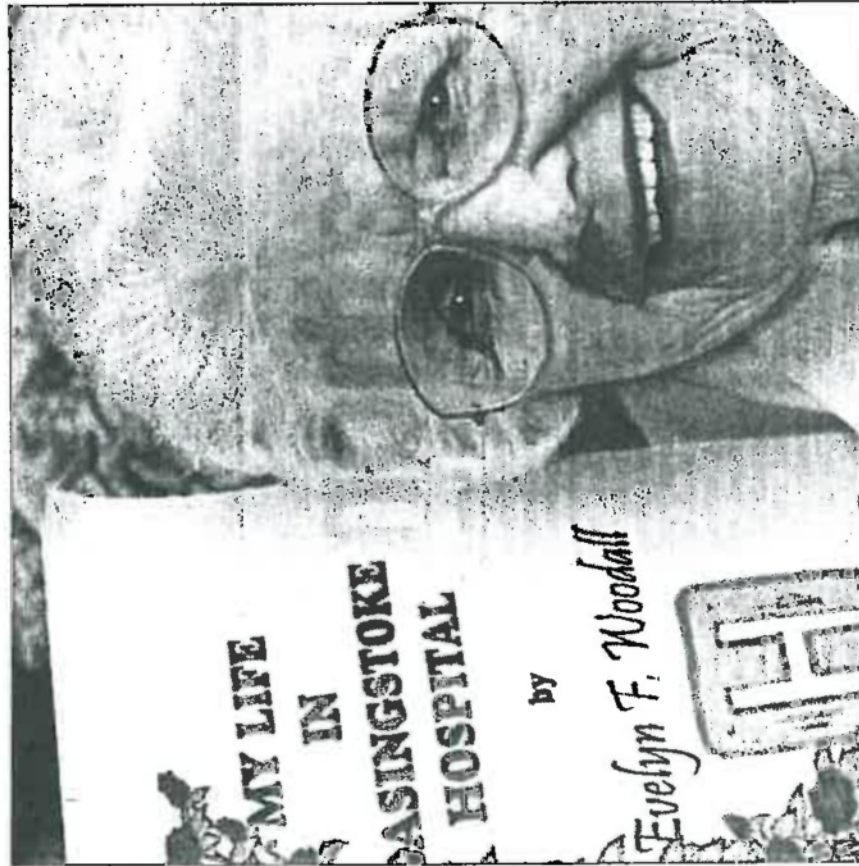
As a keen contributor to the church magazine at Main Road Methodist, Mrs

Woodall had no trouble in jotting down her sometimes wry observations of hospital life.

The mother-of-three said of her long stay: "I can't say enough for Basingstoke hospital. Everyone was marvellous."

However, she also noted the difference in approach of those workers employed by agencies who, she noted, seemed reluctant to do things on their own.

Through her jottings, Mrs Woodall outlines the battle to keep up morale and how her strong Christian faith sustained her.



● ABOVE: 89-year-old Evelyn Woodall pictured with the diary she kept during stroke hospital and had the six weeks she was in hospital
Pic by Jason Allen



JOYS OF BECOMING OLDER - BUT NOT OLD!

Having a holiday with my three daughters as a pre-90th birthday gift was the highlight of the year, every moment was a joy. But, they were all into computers and CDs and spoke of downloading and hacking and viruses and E-mails, none of which I understood.

I began to wonder if I should have taken a computer course, then I realised that:

- 1) I have nowhere to set up a 'station'
- 2) I couldn't afford the time to play about with it
- 3) What would I do with lots of useless information in my already full brain!

Growing older has so many compensations and to do one's own thing is the best habit to get into. You can get up when you like, plan the day on the spot and get ready to do whatever you want to do. No rush or bother about being on time for work, you can just stroll along the way you want to go.

Getting older is nice - I like the mornings when I look out of the window and decide whether to go into the garden, read a book, write a letter or do jobs around my flat.

God gives us so many chances in life to make the best of what we have and I constantly thank him for choosing me to do all the things I couldn't do when I was young. I have time to read my Bible and follow up on the Daily Readings, putting everything in order for the day. I love Philippians - Paul's joy, sharing love and courage. The love of Christ makes you strong, he says. Jesus found him when he was content with his life, but he gained so much knowing Jesus. Paul says, "I run straight towards the goal to win the prize".

I feel that getting older means we are well on our way to winning that prize, because we have matured and have time to ponder on these things that God has given us - peace of mind and a good heart towards our fellow man.

May the love of God fill you with the desire to grow old gracefully and happy in the knowledge of His love.

My text reading was from Nehemiah 8:10 'The joy of the Lord is your strength.'

Evelyn Woodall, Main Road

CELEBRATION - WHAT CELEBRATION?

It's amazing how time flies - a half year has passed since we were all agog waiting for my 90th. The build-up was tremendous, plans made well in advance with my daughter coming from Australia to give the holiday of a lifetime. My other two daughters chipped in and we were off in the lap of luxury to celebrate 'Mum's 90th'.

We were even able to travel to see my sister after 20 years - how time flies! We had a wonderful reunion, lots of laughs, regaling the youngsters with stories of our youth.

Then many friends wanted to help celebrate and December turned into a procession of outings, lunches and dinners. Flowers arrived, lots of gifts - what can you give an old girl of 90?

I loved it all and imagined that although I had now turned 90 I could carry on as usual, as if nothing had changed. But it doesn't work out like that. I *did* begin to feel my age and found myself dozing after lunch or having 'a day off' and occasionally feeling sorry for myself. Then a friend came and told me of all the poor elderly folk in hospital where she is a carer and others came and told me of others with terrible illnesses and friends they had lost (it's the time if the year, they said), which pulled me up with a jolt.

I opened my Bible and found that I had cut out an item from 'Everyday with Jesus' dated 27th December 2002 with the following prayer:

"Lord Jesus Christ, you have clarified my understanding of God by taking his name and linking it with objects that I can clearly comprehend. You are the Word for which I have always waited. I offer you all the gratitude and appreciation of my heart."

I offered up a further prayer and read Isaiah 40:31 and I felt stronger, ready to go on with His help. So roll on 91 and however long He needs me here.

God bless you all

Evelyn Woodall, Main Road

IS SUMMER FAR AWAY?

Here we are, half-way through another year- wondering where the first half went to. Mostly, the beginning was dull and we said 'Spring will be next', but the dull days continued and we were more miserable than ever. All sorts of complaints reared their ugly heads and visits to the doctor or the chemist were the norm.

'Would Summer never come?' we asked - then the Spring flowers appeared - and dead on time. No dates and special times to bloom, it was NOW. Tulips, daffodils, anemones, etc all gave us such a glorious display that we forgot our aches and pains for a bit and admired the beauty of the blooms. Now the white, pink and blue bells appear and still no change in the weather - the heaters indoors churned warmth far beyond their usual 'shut off' date.

When suddenly we had two days of brilliant sunshine and we cheered - out came the deck chairs and we sharpened the shears - only to have rain and dull days again.

Having experienced the most miserable Winter and Spring health-wise, I wondered what was ahead for me. I missed a posh wedding (shall I now never wear the flowing outfit and feathers in my hair?), dinner dates, lunches etc. But, I had something to look forward to!

My daughter Patricia was compiling the Family Tree, didn't get too far with my lot, but the Woodalls put up a good show. Four brothers and two sisters who had passed to glory, but left ~~heaps of children scattered over a wide area.~~

And I was the only aunt left for the whole lot!

So, on 21st May we will all meet in the centre of England (well, as near as makes no odds), many coming from Australia and all my nieces and nephews from all parts of the United Kingdom. Next month I will give you a 'run down' of what went on.

As the weather brightens up we wonder why we grumble - can't do a thing about it, but we wouldn't be British if we didn't have a moan about it.

That's life!

THE WOODALLS' PARTY

It is just as well that we do not know what is ahead - all the planning in the world is turned upside down in a flash of light.

I began this story in *The Link* last month, relating how my daughter Patricia had been compiling a Family Tree and as a result, we planned to meet together on 21st May. There were folk coming from all parts of the country - many from as far away as Australia.

We set off for Newark where two of my granddaughters live and daughters Susan and Mary (she was from Australia) had travelled up from Sussex. Susan's son Dale was due to bring his son, but he became ill and so 14 members of my family sat down to dinner together on the Saturday night.

Early on Sunday morning we were up and in touch with others to make final plans for THE PARTY in a nearby village hall at noon.

Imagine me - at 93 - meeting nieces and nephews for the first time!

Soon we were a 'fully fledged' family, exchanging photographs and memories, "Do you remember?" and "We met in 19..".

We learned so much about the Woodall family from old newspaper cuttings and photographs. So the day passed happily and there was nothing on the horizon to worry us.

BUT... Susan (my middle daughter from Bexhill) left on the Tuesday and by Friday, because no communication had been made and anxious because she was absent from a Friday morning meeting with no explanation, (Susan ran a Foreign Student School), friends went to her house and found her dead at the foot of the stairs - her neck was broken.

I have been comforted by my Church Family and realise now that her time had come. Many family members stayed on and we are all consoled that she was able to see her beloved sister.

For me, I thank God for my faith that gives me strength and peace - and the Salex tree that Susan gave me is in my garden, all pink and cream. So I sit on my seat and have a daily reminder of that shining star - Susan.

Evelyn Woodall, Main Road

EVELYN FLORENCE WOODALL

To all my dear friends

My grateful thanks to all the many people who have sent messages of love and hope at the news of Susan's death. I have been overwhelmed by the love shown by you all and especially to people I have never met. Thank you and know that I appreciate all the wishes and hopes - we are coping and look forward to a meeting later on.

Meanwhile life goes on and we are mostly worried about the world news and wonder why an eye for an eye is still the philosophy of so many people when Jesus said "Love your neighbour".

May all our futures be based on that and we live in peace with everybody.

Evelyn Woodall, Main Road

THE LINK

History in the making

Evelyn Woodhall - We were sad to learn that Evelyn, an honorary member of TADS, died on the 2nd January at the age of 94. She was an early member of TADS, and will be very much missed by her world-wide circle of friends.

'TADS' NEWSLETTER, JANUARY 2007

AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU....

By the time this copy of *The Link* reaches you we will be well into thoughts of a new year and looking back to the old one. And what a memorable one it has been - or do you think 'there is a light at the end of the tunnel'? 2006 saw war and troubles, governments prancing about, global warming, plans to digitise television and Parliament telling us what to do.

How did you fare as an individual? I shall be in my 95th year in 2007 and I can look back on many happy and fruitful years. I haven't got a computer, don't possess a mobile phone or a microwave and couldn't tell you the name one of the members or the groups of the new world of music. I do not want more programmes on the TV than we have now - having to switch around different stations of something I saw years ago. Mind you, some of the films are worth watching again.

It seems that 2007 will be a year of 'Do as you are told' by governments, television and the press. We are warned yet again of Global warming, the consequences of not adhering the Government telling us to 'use less water', buy smaller cars', 'switch off lights', 'switch off standby lights on TVs and save £24 a year', 'don't go here or there'. But, - we are a selfish lot, come to think of it - we have never had it so good, while a large population of the planet starve and go without. We have so much going for us, yet we abuse the privilege of being citizens of the world.

How are you going to help save the planet in 2007? As individuals we can only do so much and the old Sunday school hymn says 'You in your small corner and I in mine' reminds us how we can help. It's no good making New Year resolutions if your aren't going to keep them, so a Bible directive I know might help. It is 'Love your God and your neighbour as yourself'.

Look around your neighbourhood. Is there a lonely person near you? When was the last time you called on the neighbours in your road? I have a friend who invites all her neighbours to Christmas cheer, but some do not even know their neighbour. Do you smile and say 'Hello' or Good day' to a passer by? We used to do it regularly, but people frown at you now. But it all starts at your own front door and we sing 'one more step along the road I go'.

God bless you all as you step into 2007!

Evelyn Woodall, Main Road

Evelyn was a regular contributor to the Link Magazine. This was her last article as she died on January 2nd aged 94. We will miss her.



FAREWELL TO A FAITHFUL PILGRIM

Almost as the New Year chimed in, that grand old lady, Evelyn Woodall passed from us.

A prolific writer, Evelyn was better known to readers of *The Link* than probably anyone else, recalling events in her long life and reminding us all of our obligations to live as the Bible tells us. If you spoke with her on the telephone you could hear the smile that was in her voice. A gentle soul indeed. By her own admission, her life was colourful and exciting.

When the congregation at Main Road put forward plans to refurbish their church buildings, we all contributed in many and various ways to help raise funds and Evelyn phoned me asking if I would print and put together a little book - jottings and memories - that would, hopefully be sold to help raise funds. She produced three. I don't remember how many copies of each booklet I printed, but I still have one of each, and her rules for life and love of the Lord shine though each page.

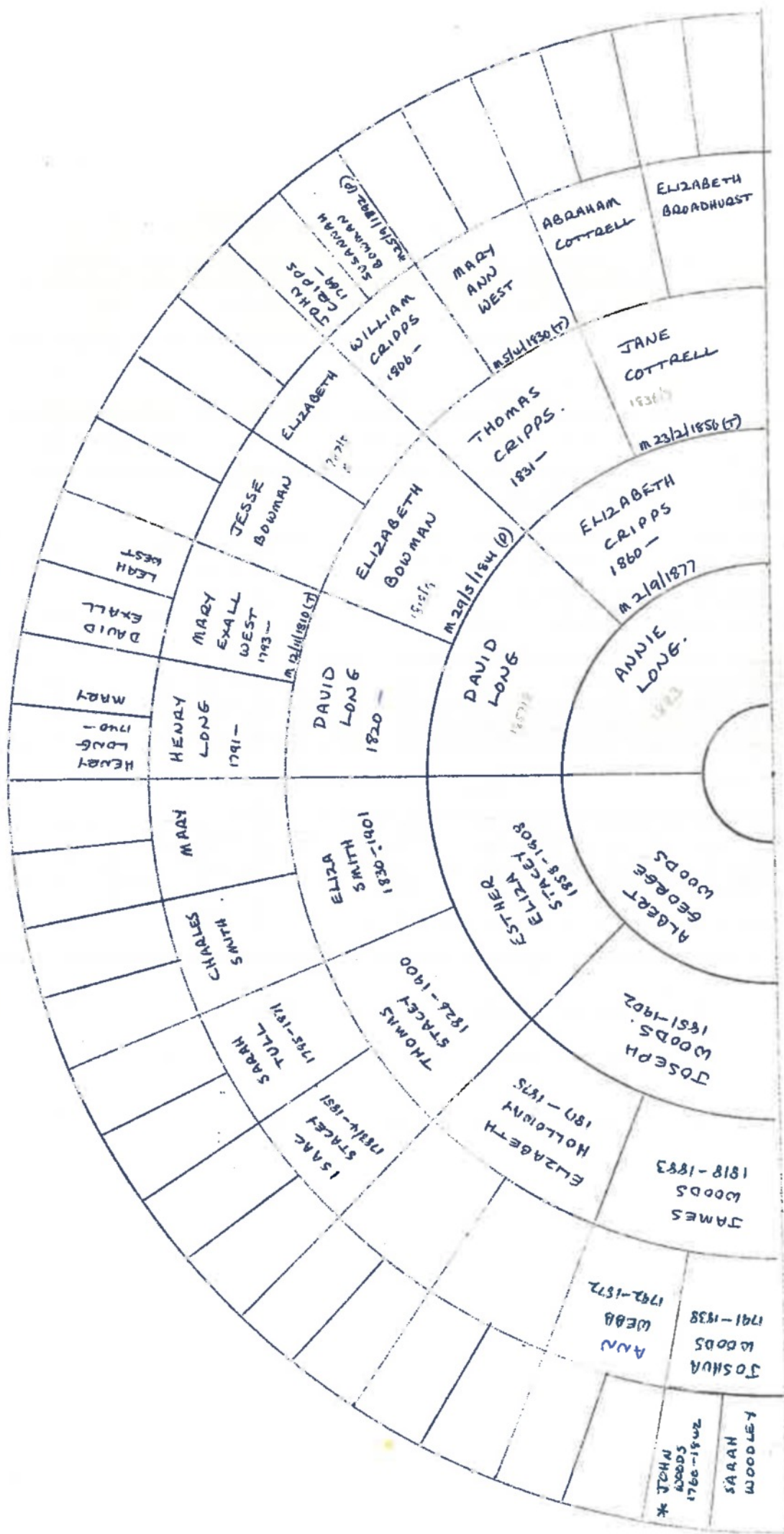
Main Road's proud new building was completed in 1996 - ten years ago. How did we miss that anniversary?

Many people will have many memories and we, like her family will miss her, and as a small tribute, we print on another page, her article "Am I a catalyst?"

It says everything.

Vickie Ward, Christchurch.

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S/D Robert Woods, Ploughmans of Burghclere. Ann Kentfield

HUSBAND	ALBERT LESLIE WOODS (BERT)		
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED		AT	
DIED	26/1/1974 AGED 67	AT	
BURIED		AT	ST STEPHEN'S, BAUGHURST
FATHER	ALBERT GEORGE WOODS	MOTHER	ANNIE LONG

WIFE	MARY ENGLEFIELD		
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
DIED	13/7/2001 AGED 85	AT	
FUNERAL	25/7/2001	AT	ST STEPHEN'S, BAUGHURST
FATHER	WILLIAM FRANCIS ENGLEFIELD	MOTHER	VIOLET MARY UNDECIMA GUNDAY

NO CHILDREN

Bert and Mary lived in the small bungalow almost opposite Ash Lane, Heath End, which was previously the home of Bert's brother Frank. Bert was disabled, having a limp and worked at the bus depot in Baughurst Road, for the Wilts and Dorset company. (Think this is the correct company)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE DEATHS 20/7/2001

BAUGHURST MONUMENTAL INSCRIPTIONS

MARY WOODS

Peacefully on July 13th,
aged 85 years.

Funeral service at
St Stephens Church,
Baughurst, on
Wednesday July 25th at
11.00 am. Flowers and
enquiries to Geoffrey
Church & Co, 48
Bishopswood Road,
Tadley, Tel: 0118 9814420.

BASINGSTOKE
GAZETTE 20/7/2001

HUSBAND FRANK WOODS		MOTOR MECHANIC BUS DRIVER	
BORN	22/5/1908	AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED		AT	
DIED	11/10/1993 AGED 85	AT	HIS HOME IN TADLEY
FUNERAL	18/10/1993	AT	READING CREMATORIUM
FATHER	ALBERT GEORGE WOODS	MOTHER	ANNIE LONG

WIFE KATHLEEN MARY ADAIR			
BORN	1/3/1911	AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
DIED	9/5/1989 AGED 78.	AT	BASINGSTOKE DISTRICT HOSPITAL
FUNERAL		AT	
FATHER		MOTHER	

CHILDREN				
RONALD GEORGE	B 29/2/1929 OF HEATH END. Bd 5/3/1930 AT PAMBER	D 4/3/2008 F 19/3/2008 AT W. BERKS CREM.	WALLY FORD	✓
ALAN ROY	B 24/4/1944 OF HEATH END. Bd 11/5/1944 AT BAUGHURST	D 21/8/1962, ROAD ACCIDENT. Bd AT TADLEY D.M. (18)		

DEATHS

WOODS, Frank, aged 85, died peacefully in his sleep at his home in Tadley, on 11.10.93. Funeral to be held at Reading Crematorium, Monday, 18th October, at 3.30pm. Sadly missed by Ron, Robin, Richard and the family. Flowers to A. Monger, Funeral Directors.

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE 15/10/1993.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION.

BAUGHURST PARISH REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1861-1953

TADLEY OLD MEETING REGISTER OF BURIALS 1948-1980 ALSO MONUMENTAL INSCRIPTIONS

PAMBER PARISH REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1869-1935

G.R.O. INDEXES. DATES OF BIRTH FRANK AND KATHLEEN MARY.

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE DEATH OF RONALD

SEE
FOLLOWING PAGES.

Dying woman trapped in lift at hospital

FRANTIC ambulancemen tried in vain to save a pensioner's life after they got stuck in a lift for almost 15 minutes at Basingstoke Hospital.

The crucial time was lost as Kathleen Woods lay dying inside the lift on the way to the third floor coronary care unit.

The 78-year-old had been rushed to hospital from her home in Stephen's Road, Tadley, suffering from a suspected heart attack.

She was raced into the hospital and then into the doomed lift.

The doors closed behind them but the lift did not move.

While ambulancemen hammered on the doors and lift buttons in a desperate bid to alert somebody, Mrs Woods suffered a massive heart attack.

"The trained ambulancemen immediately began to revive the woman with mouth-to-mouth and heart resuscitation," said hospital spokesman Toby McManus.

He said that frustrated medical staff waiting on the other side of the doors watched helplessly as the engineer struggled to open the lift.

Seconds before a rescue crew arrived from the fire station, the doors were released and Mrs Woods freed.

Further attempts to revive her were made in the corridor.

Staff then put her in the same lift to take her to the third floor—and it worked perfectly.

She later lost her fight for life in the coronary care unit.

Yesterday, ambulance bosses were waiting to interview the distraught crewmen who were caught in the ill-fated lift—one of six they could have chosen.

And hospital administrator John Smyth has ordered a full-scale investigation into the incident—a power failure is not thought to be responsible.

"There is now a full-scale investigation to find out why the lift failed to work and obviously we want to make sure this never happens again," said Mr McManus.

"I think it is unlikely that the investigation will consider whether the time delay affected Mrs Woods' chances. Obviously it is a very unfortunate occurrence."

Woman dies after hospital lift drama

AN ELDERLY Tadley woman, who died of a heart attack early last Tuesday morning, had been stuck in a hospital lift for 15 minutes, but no inquest is being held.

The woman, 78-year-old Mrs Kathleen Woods, of Stephens Road, Tadley, complained of severe chest pains last Monday evening — a doctor was called and an ambulance sped her to Basingstoke Hospital.

The ambulance crew and Mrs Woods got into the lift to take them to the coronary care unit on the third floor. The doors closed, but the lift did not move, and they were trapped inside for about quarter of an hour.

While inside the lift, Mrs Woods had a heart attack and the ambulance crew tried to resuscitate her, with a heart specialist advising them from outside.

The doors eventually opened, but only for a few seconds, just enough time for the specialist to get inside the lift and administer first aid.

The lift then went up to the third floor and Mrs Woods was taken to the coronary care unit, but despite further resus-

citation attempts she was certified dead at 2.30 am.

Business and consumer affairs manager at Basingstoke Hospital Mr Toby MacManus said the hospital was obviously very concerned about the lift failure and confirmed that the hospital unit general manager Mr John Smyth was conducting a full investigation.

"We obviously need to find out why the lift failed. The on-call engineer, got to the hospital from his home within seven minutes. Mrs Woods' family do not blame the hospital," said Mr MacManus, who added it was impossible to tell whether the broken lift contributed to her death.

Basingstoke coroner Mr Andrew Bradley is not opening an inquest, after a post mortem revealed she died of natural causes, and being trapped in a lift for 15 minutes was not a contributory factor.

Mrs Woods leaves a husband Frank, in his 80's, and four sons.

LAB. TECHNICIAN
P. S. DRIVER

HUSBAND	FREDERICK WOODS		
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED	22/8/1945	AT	BAUGHURST
DIED	27/11/1977	AT	HIS HOME, BROOMFIELD, LITTLE ALDERSHOT ROAD, BAUGHURST
FUNERAL		AT	
FATHER	ALBERT GEORGE WOODS	MOTHER	ANNIE LONG

WIFE	OLIVE MAISIE WIGLEY		
BORN	3/8/1916	AT	OF BAUGHURST
BAPTISED	17/9/1916	AT	A SILCHESTER METHODIST CIRCUIT CHAPEL, PROBABLY BAUGHURST
DIED	19/10/2003 AGED 87	AT	UNTIL RECENTLY OF SQUIRRELS, WOLVERTON ROAD, BAUGHURST
FUNERAL	29/10/2003	AT	ST STEPHEN'S CHURCH, BAUGHURST
FATHER	ALFRED THOMAS WIGLEY	MOTHER	ROSE JANE SAUNDERS

OLIVE MAISE WOODS

passed away on
Sunday 19th October
2003, aged 87 years.
At Peace. Will be
sadly missed by her
son John, daughter-
in-law Brenda and
grandchildren Joanne,
Alison, Christopher
and Julia.

Funeral service at St
Stephens Church,
Baughurst at 12.30pm
on Wednesday 29th
October. Family flowers
only, but donations in
her memory to Cats
Protection League may
be sent c/o Geoffrey
Church & Co, 48
Bishopswood Road, Tel:
0118 9814420

B.6.2410/2003

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

BAUGHURST PARISH REGISTER OF MARRIAGES 1838-1974

SILCHESTER METHODIST CIRCUIT REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1888-

BAUGHURST PARISH REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1861-1953

WOODS, In loving memory of
Fred, died November 27th 1977.
Still sadly missed.
Olive.

B.6. IN MEMORIAM. 25/11/1988

Funerals

29th October at St Stephen's Church, Baughurst **Olive Maisie Woods** aged 87. Olive was born into the local Wigley family, strong chapel folk, and being a bright girl with an active mind she got a scholarship to Newbury Grammar School for girls. She won prizes locally like the George Lamb prize several times, and her written passages, so easy to read in the book *Memories of Baughurst* about the twenties and the chapel and bands make the village 70 years ago come alive and vibrant again. Her father died when she was five, if he had not, she might have gone to university and a profession. But then Baughurst would have lost an able villager, who although she started in a laundry and later in the war at a tyre retread firm in Worting – she cycled there and back in the summer plus gas mask – she began at the new Hirst School from its start until 1981 when she retired as Headmaster's secretary. Known to many, she was the efficient 'lady with the blue rinse'. Later she became a governor but in all this she was a firm and avid supporter of Baughurst the village, and she valued village life immensely, but she understood that the changes and chances of village life were our common lot.

Although she began at the chapel she came to sing in the choir after the death of her husband Fred Woods from Pamber Heath – whom she had married at the end of the war. He died in 1977, and until recently she lived and loved her house and little bungalow along Wolverton Road. Typically, Olive was approachable and upbeat, but always questioning, helping family and friends as best she could. Her home was her base to see many friends and cheer them for she was good company. Of course, our bodies do wear out. These are only trainee days for eternal life that Olive has entered into now. Our prayers are for John and Brenda and family and friends.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Sheet No. _____

HUSBAND

JAMES WOODS

Occupation

Born

1623

Place

STRATFIELD SAYE

Chr.

Place

Marr.

Place

Died

Place

Bur.

Place

Father

THOMAS WOODS

Mother

LUCY WATKINS.

Other Wives

WIFE

ELIZA DRAPER

Occupation

Born

1835/4

Place

SHERFIELD-ON-LODDON

Chr.

Place _____

Died

Place

Bur.

Place _____

Father

JOHN DRAPER

Mother

CHARLOTTE BLACKMAN

Other Husbands

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Sources of Information

Compiled by

Year

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Occupation

Born		Place	
Chr.		Place	
Marr.	29/4/1802.	Place	STRATFIELD SAYE. (BOTH OF STRATFIELD SAYE)
Died		Place	
Bur.		Place	
Father		Mother	
Other Wives			

Occupation

Born	Place
Chr.	Place
Died	Place
Bur.	Place
Father	Mother
Other Husbands	

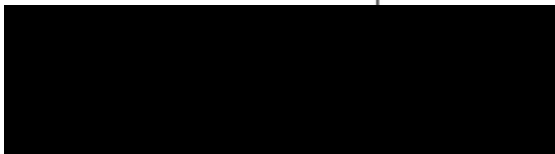
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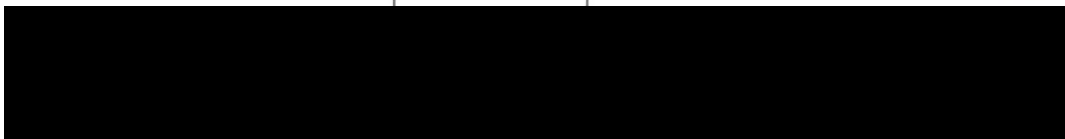
Sources of Information

Compiled by

Year

SECOND
MARRIAGE

HUSBAND JOHN N. WOODS			
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED			
MARRIED			
FATHER		MOTHER	

WIFE HEATHER MAY STANLEY			
BORN			
BAPTISED			
FATHER	LESLIE GEORGE STANLEY	MOTHER	LILY MAY SMITH

CHILD			
			

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

FAMILY NOTES.

HUSBAND RONALD GEORGE WOODS (RONNIE)			
BORN	28/12/1929	AT	OF HEATH END
BAPTISED	5/3/1930	AT	PAMBER
MARRIED		AT	
DIED	4/3/2008	AT	HOME
FUNERAL	18/3/2008	AT	WEST BERKSHIRE CREMATORIUM
FATHER	FRANK WOODS	MOTHER	KATHLEEN MARY ADAIR

WIFE MOLLY FORD			
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
FATHER		MOTHER	

CHILDREN			
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RON WOODS
4 March 2008
Beloved husband of Molly,
Dearest Dad of Kathy, Irene, Alan and the late Diane,
Adored Granddad and Great Granddad,
Greatly missed by all and
always in our thoughts.

B.G. 4/3/2010

RON WOODS
4 March 2008
Beloved husband of Molly,
Dearest Dad of Kathy, Irene, Alan and the late Diane,
Adored Granddad and Great Granddad,
Greatly missed by all and
always in our thoughts.

B.G. 5/3/2009

WOODS Ronnie
28 Dec 1929
to
4 March 2008
Ronnie passed away peacefully in his sleep at home.
Beloved husband of Molly and dearest Dad of Kathy, Irene, Alan and the late Diane.
He will be sadly missed by them and all their families.
Cremation will take place at the West Berkshire Crematorium at 1.30pm on Tuesday 18th March.
Family flowers only please, donations may be made in aid of The Sue Ryder Home at Nettlebed,
c/o Geoffrey Church & Co,
48 Bishopswood Road, Tadley. RG26 4HD

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

PAMBER PARISH REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1869-1935

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THOMAS WOODS.

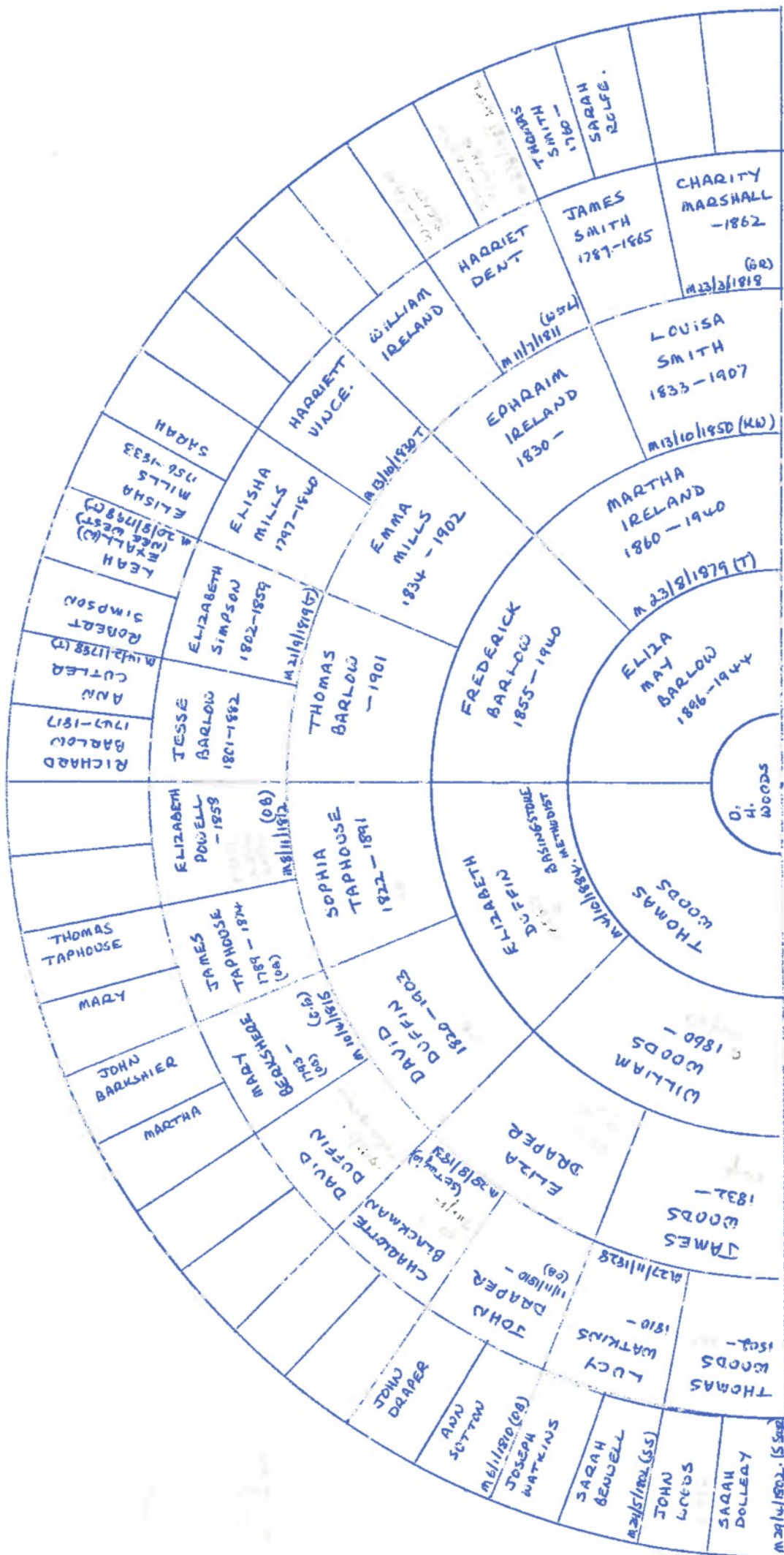
Born		Place
Chr.		Place
Marr.	27/11/1838	Place
Died		Place
Bur.		Place
Father	JOHN WOODS	Mother
Other Wives		

LUCY WATKINS.

Born	Place	
Chr.	Place	
Died	Place	
Bur.	Place	
Father		Mother
Other Husbands		

[illegible]

Year



HUSBAND JOHN GRAHAM WOODWARD

BORN

AT

BAPTISED

AT

MARRIED

FATHER

MOTHER

WIFE

ZEPHANIE JANE BRADLEY

BORN

BAPTISED

FATHER

BRIAN BRADLEY

MOTHER

SANDRA LESLEY STAMP

HUSBAND ARTHUR ANTHONY T. WOOLLETT			
BORN	29/12/1920	AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED		AT	
DIED	28/5/2001 AGED 80	AT	THE NORTH HAMPSHIRE HOSPITAL, BASINGSTOKE
FUNERAL	5/6/2001	AT	ST MICHAEL'S R.C. CHURCH, TADLEY
FATHER		MOTHER	

WIFE BETTY M			
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
DIED	30/9/2007 AGED 83	AT	IN HOSPITAL
FUNERAL	8/10/2007	AT	ST MICHAEL'S R.C. CHURCH, TADLEY
FATHER		MOTHER	

Think there were two adopted sons

Arthur and Betty lived at 55 Hunksmoor Road, Tadley.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LOCAL KNOWLEDGE

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE DEATHS 1/6/2001

BETTY WOOLLETT
Peacefully passed away in hospital on Sunday 30th September 2007 aged 83 years.
She will be sadly missed by all her family and friends.
Funeral service to take place at 11.30 on Monday 8th October 2007 at St Michaels Church Tadley.
Flowers and enquires to Geoffrey Church & Co, 48 Bishopswood Road, Tadley, Hampshire, RG26 4HD
Tel : 01189 814420

B.G. 4/10/2007

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

WOOLLETT
Betty and family would like to thank all friends, neighbours and relations for all the kind messages of sympathy, floral tributes and donations sent during their recent sad loss of Arthur.
Also to so many people who were able to attend the funeral service.
Please accept this as a personal thank you.

B.G. 13/6/2001

ARTHUR WOOLLETT

In hospital on 28th May 2001.
A dear husband, father and grandfather. Sadly missed by all his family and friends.
Funeral service at St Michael's Church, Tadley on Tuesday 5th June 2001 at 11.30 am. Family flowers only.
Donations to Parkinson's Disease Society may be sent c/o Geoffrey Church, 48 Bishopswood Road, Tadley, Hants, Tel: 0118 9814420.

B.G. 11/6/2001

HUSBAND CHARLES ERNEST WOOTTEN (ERN)			
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED		AT	
DIED	7/8/1993 AGED 82	AT	BASINGSTOKE DISTRICT HOSPITAL
FUNERAL	19/8/1993	AT	PAMBER PRIORY
FATHER	CHARLES EDGAR WOOTTEN	MOTHER	ELIZABETH ALICE BLEWEN OF OAKLEY.

WIFE DAISY STANLEY OF CRAMLEY			
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
DIED		AT	
FUNERAL		AT	
FATHER	FREDERICK JOHN STANLEY	MOTHER	EDITH MARY ELDERKIN

CHILD			

SOURCES OF INFORMATION.

WOOTTEN. On August 7th, 1993 peacefully in BDH. Charles Ernest (Ern), aged 82 years. A loving dad, grandad and great grandad. At Rest. Funeral service at Pamber Priory, 2.30pm, Thursday 19th August.

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE
16/8/1993.

RETURN THANKS
WOOTTEN. Hazel and family wish to thank relatives, friends and neighbours for kind messages of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes received following their recent sad loss. Please accept this as a personal acknowledgement.

B.G.EXTON 25/8/1993

HUSBAND DONALD EDGAR WOOTTEN			
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED	29/11/1930	AT	PAMBER.
DIED	24/8/1989 AGED 82	AT	
BURIED		AT	PAMBER PRIORY
FATHER CHARLES EDGAR WOOTTEN		MOTHER ELIZABETH ALICE BLEWDEN.	
		OF OAKLEY.	

WIFE AGNES MARY WICKS (NEE HINTON)			
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
DIED	30/8/1986 AGED 85	AT	
BURIED		AT	PAMBER PRIORY
FATHER		MOTHER	

CHILDREN			
EILEEN ALICE	B — OF PAMBER GREEN 86 12/12/1931 AT PAMBER	D 21/10/2009 A.C.N.H.H. AGED 78 F	M 1/11/1952 AT PAMBER — LEWIS RAYMOND FELL

SOURCES OF INFORMATION.

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE EXTRA 30/8/1989, ALSO THE GAZETTE 29/10/09. (EILEEN)

PAMBER PARISH REGISTER OF MARRIAGES 1926-1936, 1948-1962

PAMBER BANNS OF MARRIAGE 1852-1920 (C.E.W & E.A.B)

PAMBER MONUMENTAL INSCRIPTIONS.

PAMBER PARISH REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1869-1935

WOOTTEN. Donald Edgar, aged 82 years. Peacefully at home on August 24th, 1989. Dearly loved father of Eileen and Audrey. Enquiries to: Eric Monger, Funeral Director, 6 Aldermaston Road, Sherborne St. John. Tel: Basingstoke 860349.

B.G.X. 30/8/1989.



Part of the old workhouse in 1960, prior to its demolition some years later



The chapel room in the old workhouse, where inmates learnt about the Bible

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY MAY 10th 2000

The days of the workhouse

NEWS that the Hampshire Clinic is to have a £6 million extension to improve its services will be looked upon by most people as good news, although once upon a time this same site was regarded with trepidation by many in the locality, for it was on this land that the Basingstoke Workhouse was built in 1836.

This large building, built at a cost of £7,500, was one of many erected in Britain at that time to provide employment and shelter for poor people.

The 1834 Poor Law Amendment Act made it necessary for anyone seeking assistance to enter a workhouse, but those who took advantage of this service found themselves being treated in an inhumane way.

A Board of Guardians was appointed for the Basingstoke area and it was them who laid down strict rules for the inmates, who at one time numbered 450 people.

A master and matron were also appointed, who were paid £50 and £25 per annum respectively, and it was in their record books that any incidents were recorded. One such event was a fire, started by an inmate in June 1877, which damaged part of the building.

In the workhouse, there was a chapel room, where every Sunday, religion was taught to those who had never been to church.

In 1898, another building was added in the grounds of the workhouse, but this time it was a hospital for elderly people which was erected in an effort to ease the pressure on the Cottage Hospital, built in 1879, in Hackwood Road. Unfortunately, when any-one was told that they were going to Basing Road, where the workhouse was situated, they automatically thought that they were headed for the dreaded building.

Finally, the Local Government Act of 1929 abolished the Workhouse Board of Guardians and its functions, but the building remained until the late 1960s, when it was demolished.

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HUSBAND ERNEST FREDERICK WORSFOLD			
BORN	JULY - SEPT 1893 11/6/1893	AT	REGISTERED HAMBLEDON, SURREY 2a 142
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED		AT	
DIED		AT	
FUNERAL		AT	
FATHER	JOHN WORSFOLD	MOTHER	ALICE

WIFE LILY MITCHELL			
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
DIED	JAN - MARCH 1935 AGED 45	AT	SURREY N.W.
FUNERAL		AT	
FATHER		MOTHER	

CHILDREN			
1 SON	B - - - - -	- - - - -	- - - - -
	Bp		
ROSAMOND PAISCILLA	B 2/1/1931 - - -	- - - - -	M. OCT-DEC 1949 ST. S. W. 1515 RAYMOND P. FULLBROOK.
	Bp		

B.M.D. INDEX. MARRIAGE ERNEST WORSFOLD = ^{AGNES} TUPP GUILDFORD 2a 186 JAN-MARCH 1918

CHECKED MARRIAGES ERNEST 1918-1925, EXCEPT D-D 1923, J-M 1924,

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

B.M.D. INDEX BIRTHS. ERNEST ONLY HAMBLEDON, SURREY 2a 142.

B.M.D. INDEX, ROSAMOND P. M.M.N.

B.M.D. INDEX DEATHS. SURREY, N.W. JAN-MARCH 1935, LILY.

B.M.D. INDEX MARRIAGES ROSAMOND, P. SURREY SW Sg 1515, OCT-DEC. 1949

HUSBAND	ERNEST FREDERICK WORSFOLD (WIDOWER)		LABOURER
BORN	11/6/1893	AT	REG. HAMBLETON, SURREY 29 142
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED	4/8/1935	AT	ALDERMASTON, BEAKS.
DIED		AT	
FUNERAL		AT	
FATHER	JOHN WORSFOLD	MOTHER	ALICE

WIFE	NELLIE MATILDA CARTER		
BORN	5/4/1889	AT	LATER NAMED BELMONT 55 BAUGHURST ROAD, ALDERMASTON.
BAPTISED		AT	
DIED		AT	ELSTEAD, SURREY
FUNERAL		AT	
FATHER	ROBERT CARTER	MOTHER	THIRZA GEORGINA JACOB

NO CHILDREN.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

FAMILY RECORDS, ETC.

ALDERMASTON PARISH REGISTER OF MARRIAGES 1837-

GEORGE WORSFOLD SENIOR AND GEORGE WORSFOLD JUNIOR.

BRAMLEY, SURREY 1841

Bramley R	George WORSFOLD	70	Ag Lab	Y
	Mary "	72		Y
	George "	30		Y
	Harrlott FARR	13	F.S.	Y
	Elijabeth KENNARD	30		No

BRAMLEY 1851

118	George WORSFOLD	H	M	41	Ag Labourer	Surrey, Bramley
	Jane "	W	M	33		" Elstead
	Harrlott "	d		12		" Bramley
	Charlotte "	d		8		" "
	Jane "	d		7		" "
	George "	S		4		" "
	Ellen "	d		2		" "

BRAMLEY 1861

57	Village	George WORSFOLD	H	M	51	Farm Carter, Surrey	Bramley
		Jane "	W	M	43	"	Elstead
		Charlotte "	d	Unm	19	Serv.	Bramley
		Jane "	d		17	"	"
		George "	S		14	Shepherd's Boy.	"
		Ellen "	d		12	Schoolat	"
		Caroline "	d		9	"	"
		Elijabeth "	d		6	"	"
		William "	S		2		

ALFOLD, BRAMLEY 1871

81	Bramley Street.	George WORSFOLD	H	M	61	Ag Lab	Surrey, Bramley
		Jane "	W	M	54		" Elstead
		Elijabeth "	d	Unm	16		" Bramley
		John "	S		9		" "

GEORGE WORSFOLD AND JOHN WORSFOLD, ALSO ERNEST FREDERICK WORSFOLD

BRAMLEY, SURREY 1881

42 Bramley Street.	George WORSFOLD	H	m	71	Ag Lab. (Infirm) Sy. Bramley.	
	Jane "	W	m	61		"
	Elizabeth KNIGHT	d	W	25	Chalwoman	"
	Edith KNIGHT	Gd		4	Schoolat	"
	John WORSFOLD	S		19	Ag Lab	"
	Richard T. BROOMFIELD	^{unm.} Lodger		44	Lab to Blacksmith	"

BRAMLEY 1891

170 High Street	Jane WORSFOLD	H	W	70	(Sick) Nurse & Shopkeeper Sy. Elstead	
	John "	S	m	29	Carter (Farm) Horse	" Bramley
	Alice "	d in L.	m	22		" Woking
	Amy "	Gd		5		" Outwood
	Annie "	Gd		4		" Bramley
	John "	Gs		2		" "
	William "	Gs		2m		" "
	John COOKE	Lodger		36	Ag Lab	" Godalming
	Harry "	"		38	" "	" "

BRAMLEY 1901.

162 The Buildings.	John WORSFOLD	H	m	43	Builder's ?	Bramley
	Alice "	W	m	36		"
	John "	S		12		"
	<u>Ernest</u> "	S		7		"
	James "	S		4		"
	George (OR DANES?) DAWES	Boarder		37	Bricklayers Labourer	Hants Clondrie.

Worsfold

Marriage Ernest = Lily Mitchell.

Death of Ernest.

Death of Nellie Matilda.

Death of Agnes Worsfold.

Birth of son.

Who was Lily Mitchell

" " Agnes Turpin.

Who was wife of Ernest Nellie

Sheet No. _____

Occupation

Father	Mother
Other Wives	

Occupation

Father	ALBERT CHARLES MURRELL	Mother	FLORENCE ELIZABETH HARVEY
Other Husbands			

[illegible]

RAMSDELL PARISH REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1867-
INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY HARRY WRIGHT

Year 1985 .

HUSBAND THOMAS FREDERICK WYKES

BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED	OCT-DEC. 1946	AT	REGISTERED NEWBURY
DIED		AT	
FUNERAL		AT	
FATHER		MOTHER	

WIFE MAGGIE WEST

BORN	1914	AT	WEST STREET, TADLEY
BAPTISED	28/2/1915	AT	TADLEY OLD MEETING
DIED	24/8/2000	AT	HER HOME AT THATCHAM
FUNERAL	4/9/2000	AT	BRIMPTON
FATHER	JOB WEST	MOTHER	ADA ELIZABETH DAMARIS APPLETON

CHILDREN

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

TADLEY OLD MEETING REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1886-1931

INFORMATION FROM ALBERT WEST (MAGGIE'S BROTHER)

G.R.O. INDEXES

WYKES. On August 24th 2000, Maggie (Margaret) Wykes, died peacefully at home, aged 85 years. A loving mother and grandmother who will be sadly missed. The funeral service is to be held at Brimpton Church on Monday September 4th at 2pm, followed by burial in Brimpton Cemetery. All enquiries to Camp Hopson & Chivers, Funeral Directors, 90, West Street, Newbury, RG14 1HA. Tel. (01635)522210.

NEWBURY WEEKLY NEWS
31/8/2000

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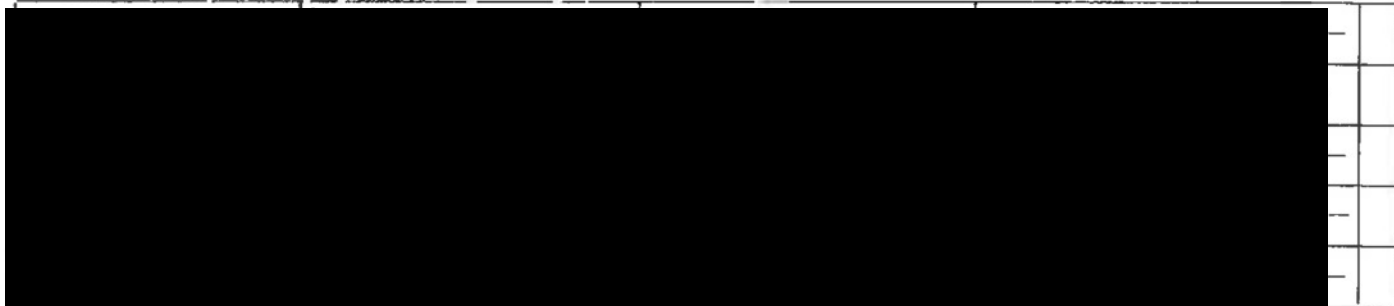
HUSBAND ALBERT CLEMENT WYTHE (CLEM)

BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED	27/3/1948	AT	BAUGHURST METHODIST CHURCH
DIED	9/2/1996	AT	HOMEFIELDS HOUSE, PARK PREDETT HOSPITAL, BASINGSTOKE
FUNERAL	15/2/1996	AT	HAUGHURST HILL METHODIST CHURCH BURIED AT HANNINGTON
FATHER			

WIFE MARY HANSFORD FOSTERED BY WALTER HENRY & ALICE MATTHEWS

WIFE	MARY HANFORD	FOSTERED BY	WALTER HENRY & ALICE MATTHEWS
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
FATHER		MOTHER	

CHILDREN



WYTHE. Peacefully at Homefields House on the 9th February 1996, Clem, a dear husband, father and grandfather. Sadly missed by all his family and friends. Funeral Service at Haughurst Hill Methodist Church on Thursday, 15th February at 2pm. Family flowers only. Donations to the Alzheimers Disease Society or the Methodist Church may be sent c/o Geoffrey Church & Co., 46 Bishopswood Road, Tadley. Tel. (01734) 814420.

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE EXTRA
14/2/1996

WYTHE. Mary and family sincerely thank relatives and friends, Hannington Band, Salvation Army, Ministers, "Homefields" and everyone for their support, help, sympathy and donations on our loss of Clem.

RETURN THANKS - 8-6-11/31/1996

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

PERSONAL DIARY, MARRIAGE OF CLEM & MARY

PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE.

HUSBAND	HENRY GEORGE WYTHE (KNOWN AS GEORGE)		
BORN	1900/7	AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED		AT	
DIED	8/4/1987 AGED 80	AT	BASINGSTOKE DISTRICT HOSPITAL
FUNERAL	15/4/1987	AT	SERVICE HANNINGTON METHODIST CHAPEL CREMATED AT ALDERSHOT
FATHER		MOTHER	

WIFE	ALICE BEATRICE FREEMAN		
BORN	1909/10	AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
DIED	26/4/1999 AGED 89	AT	
FUNERAL		AT	
FATHER		MOTHER	

CHILDREN

Lifetime spent at Hannington

HENRY GEORGE WYTHE (80), a member of the well-known Wythe family of Hannington, died at Basingstoke Hospital after a long period of ill health.

George, as he was known to a wide circle of friends, had lived at Hannington all his life and with his brothers was a founder member of the Hannington Silver Band, in which he played for 50 years.

The band and his devotion to Hannington Methodist Chapel formed the background to a long life of farming.

For many years, with his brothers, he farmed at Ibworth.

Before becoming a farmer he was well known as a skilled thatcher and sheep shearer.

He leaves a widow, Beatrice, a daughter and son-in-law, Pam (Sue) and Neville, a son Michael and daughter-in-law Sue, four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The funeral took place at Hannington Methodist Chapel on Wednesday and was followed by cremation at Aldershot.

BEATRICE WYTHE

A dear mum and nan passed away on 26-4-99, aged 89 years and now at peace.

Much loved, and will be greatly missed by Pam, Sue and Neville, Michael and Sue, her grandchildren, great grandchildren, family and her many friends.

B.6-30/4/1999

WYTHE

The family of Beatrice, a much loved mother and nan, thank everyone for their presence at her funeral and for the generous donations to St Michael's Hospice.

Our thanks also to everyone for their kind thoughts and messages of sympathy, much appreciated at this time of sorrow.

B.6 19/5/1999

WYTHE. On April 8th, 1987, Henry (George) passed away after illness borne with great courage. Devoted husband of Beatrice, loving father of Pam/Sue and Neville, Michael and Sue, a dear, great grandd and great grandd, will be greatly missed by us all. Cremation has taken place but if desired donations to 'The Diabetic Eye Camera Appeal', c/o D. N. Howe, Funeral Directors, 1 Basingstoke Road, Kingsclere, Nr. Newbury.

B.6-16/4/1987

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE 16/4/1987

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

SILCHESTER METHODIST CIRCUIT REGISTERED OF BAPTISMS 1890 -

G.R.D. BIRTHS, (MOTHERS MAIDEN NAME)

HUSBAND	LESLIE ERNEST WYTHE	FARMER
BORN	1902/3	AT HANNINGTON
BAPTISED		AT
MARRIED		AT BAUGHURST METHODIST CHAPEL
DIED	14/12/1989 AGED 86	AT BASINGSTOKE DISTRICT HOSPITAL
FUNERAL	21/12/1989	AT SERVICE AT HANNINGTON CHAPEL ALDESHOT CREMATORIUM
FATHER		MOTHER

WIFE	BRIDGET GRAGG	
BORN		AT IRELAND
BAPTISED		AT
DIED	4/7/2000 AGED 88	AT THE NORTH HAMPSHIRE HOSPITAL, BASINGSTOKE
FUNERAL	12/7/2000	AT SERVICE AT BASINGSTOKE CREMATORIUM THANKSGIVING SERVICE ALL SAINTS, HANNINGTON
FATHER		MOTHER

CHILDREN



WYTHE Leslie. Died December 14th 1989 in BDH, aged 86. Much loved husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. Cremation has taken place. It broke our hearts to lose you, you did not go alone. For part of us went with you. That day God called you home.

B-G-22/12/1989

WYTHE The family of Leslie Wythe wish to thank ever one for their messages of sympathy and donations to the Chest, Heart and Stroke Association. Our special thanks to all the staff at Elders for their care and attention.

B-G-EXTRA 10/11/1990



BRIDGET WYTHE

Tony and Shelagh wish to thank all the family, friends and neighbours for their support & messages of sympathy.

BASINGSTOKE
GAZETTE. 21/7/2000

BRIDGET WYTHE

Passed away peacefully on July 4th 2000, at the North Hampshire Hospital, after a short illness. She was 88 years old.

A very special mother, nanna & great nanna. She will be so sadly missed by all her family and friends.

The funeral service for the family will be at Basingstoke Crematorium at 11.15 am on

Wednesday July 12th, followed by a Thanksgiving Service for her life at

All Saints Church, Hannington, at 2.30 pm, for all her family and friends. No flowers please, but donations may be made to Cancer Research. Enquiries to Howe & Son, Funeral Directors, Kingsclere, Tel: 01635 298303.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

SILCHESTER METHODIST CIRCUIT REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1889 —

G.R.O. INDEX OF BIRTHS (MOTHERS MAIDEN NAME)

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE DEATHS 22/12/1989 AND 12/7/2000

OBITUARY

Leslie Wythe

WITH the death of Mr Leslie Ernest Wythe at the age of 86, Hannington has lost one of its outstanding characters.

He died at Basingstoke Hospital, after recently being moved there from The Elders at Park Prewett where he was admitted, following a stroke, a year ago.

Born at Hannington and educated in the village school, the village had always been his home.

Farming was his life. He helped his father on the farm and in the early 1930s, with his brothers,

bought Balstone Farm, Ibworth, which they farmed until 1967, when he retired.

Throughout his life he was a member of the Hannington Methodist Chapel and for many years he was treasurer.

Among his achievements was to form the Hannington Silver Band in conjunction with Mr George Watts—a band that has provided entertainment for thousands of people and is still thriving today.

The band was formed

originally to play at the chapel, which had no organ. At one time the band personnel came from three local families.

He leaves a widow, Bridget, a son, Tony, and a daughter, Shelagh, two grandchildren, Carolyn and David, and a great grandson, Alexander John. He is also survived by a brother and sister of a family of eight.

The funeral took place yesterday at Hannington Methodist Chapel and was followed by cremation at Aldershot.

HUSBAND REGINALD ARTHUR WYTHE		OCCUPATION, FARMER.	
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED		AT	
DIED	20/10/1982 AGED 71	AT	CRISPINS MEAD, HANNINGTON
BURIED	25/10/1982	AT	
FATHER		MOTHER.	

WIFE ALICE MARTHA BANBURY			
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
DIED	5/12/2001	AT	THE NORTH HAMPSHIRE HOSPITAL, BASINGSTOKE
FUNERAL	13/12/2001	AT	HANNINGTON PARISH CHURCH
FATHER	ARTHUR ISRAEL BANBURY	MOTHER.	

CHILDREN



SOURCES OF INFORMATION.

SILCHESTER METHODIST CIRCUIT REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1889 -

PERSONAL RECORD OF DEATHS

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE DEATHS 10/12/2001

WYTHE. Loving memories of Reg,
called home 20.10.82.
Rest in the Lord.
Alice and family.

B.G.X. 15/10/1989
IN MEMORIAM.

SEE OVERLEAF.

Household Record

1881 British Census

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Household:

Name	Relation	Marital Status	Gender	Age	Birthplace	Occupation	Disability
Walter WYETH	Head	M	Male	37	Wooton St Laurence, Hampshire, England	Boot Manufacturer	
Fanny WYETH	Wife	M	Female	35	Basingstoke, Hampshire, England		
Ernest W. WYETH	Son		Male	12	Basingstoke, Hampshire, England	Scholar	
Frank P. WYETH	Son		Male	9	Wooton St Lawrence, Hampshire, England	Scholar	
Maria PALMER	Mother In Law	W	Female	60	Mortimer, Berkshire, England	Nurse (3/3)	

Source Information:

Dwelling	New Street 2 West Side
Census Place	Basingstoke, Hampshire, England
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Public Records Office Reference	RG11
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AGS. N^o 3765.

Dear M^r & M^{rs} Stanley,

I believe you are researching the name WYTHE in
Hampshire.

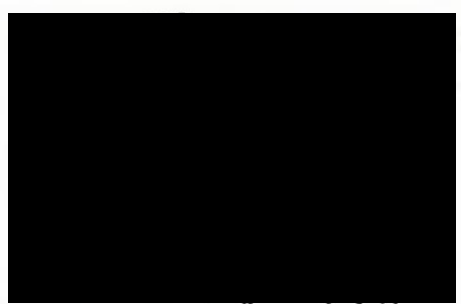
In my wife's male line, STEPHEN HUNT, christened 30 Dec 1721
at Kingsclere married ELIZABETH WYTHE at Newtown in 1747. I
do not know the exact date. They had five children, all christened
at Kingsclere. That is all I know about the Wythe family.

I would be pleased to receive any information which would
enable me to trace back from 1747 in respect of the WYTHE and
HUNT families

Yours sincerely

206
Wythe
Ham
Hannington

H/ps No 2188



Dear Sir/Madam

20.1.99

Kingsclere Settlement Examination

1976 A & C

Tha is for your letter of the 22nd - although your remit is Hannington, Baughurst is so near that perhaps this is relevant:-

44b Thomas Wythe of Baughurst formerly Bailiff to the Prince of Wales; he hired William Spicer for a year at Bawestoke fair on Michaelmas Day 1795 for a wage of 8d a week and a guinea at the end of the year; Spicer served at Kempshott for half a year and then removed to the Grange (at the time Thomas Wythe left the service 1800

+ Kempshott House - the Grange & Northampton frequented by "Prinny" (the Prince Regent) (Deposition by Spicer to 4658) (i.e. Removal Order seen for the above)

X scandalous even for the early 19c - however, maybe a mistake for Ps. (of course I haven't seen the original)

Yours sincerely



A bit further ahead:-

Removal Order From Kingsclere: 19th Nov 1805
198 William Wythe
- wife Elizabeth

+ children: William 7, Sarah 5, Elizabeth 3,
- John 1 To Aldermaston Berks 1780 p 50

(58) Copy No 58 = ^{Farmhouse} Cottage opposite Church WYTHE OF HANNAINGTON
(Now Tan-y-Bryn + several fields around Village + School).

(74) Copy No 74 was part of No 58 originally divided up in ¹⁷⁰⁹ ~~1709~~ - now cottage south of school only.

Gr = Grant of copyhold interest

b = born

d = died

Sr = Surrendered interest

adm = admitted as tenant

* = tenant

RICHARD WYTH - recorded as Juror in 1609

*JOHN WYTHE Gr. 1623 (58) d. before 1662

*JOHN WYTHE Gr 1641 (58) d. 1676

*RICHARD Gr. 1662 (58) d. 1709

= *Elizabeth Adm. 1709 (Surr 1709-58) (74)
- division of 58 into 58 & 74

ANN
Gr. 1662 (58)

*RICHARD Gr. 1679 (58) d. 1773.
& (74) Surr 1746 (74)

*RICHARD
Gr 1710 (58) & (74)
d. 1795 Surr. 1746 (74)

= *Elizabeth Adm 1795 d. 1807 (58)

JOHN
Gr. 1710 (58)
d. 1747

JOSEPH
b. 1717
Gr. 1747 (58)
d. 1757

*WILLIAM
Gr. 1746 (74)
Surr 1782

ELIZABETH
b. 1755
= Henry Baggs

*RICHARD
b. 1757
Gr. 1757 (58)
d. 1824

= *Hester
Adm 1824 (58)
d. 1828

JOHN
b. 1764
Gr. 1773 (58)
d. before 1824

*THOMAS
b. 1795
Gr. 1795 (58)
d. 1837

= *Jane
Adm 1837 (58)

*ELIZABETH
b. 1739
Gr. 1746 (74)
Adm 1808
= John Jacob

WILLIAM
b. 1745
Gr. 1746 (74)
d. before 1808

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Wythe
Ham
Hammington
pre 1739
Sc 173

Hgs
No 2188

Dear Sir Madam,

King's College Settlement Examination

19M76A P04

23 William Wythe of Kingsclere; born in Hammington;
14 years old he was bound as an apprentice
to Thomas Webb of Hammington Wheeler
for 7 years; after his apprenticeship he had
lived with Edward Elton of North Waltham
Wheeler for 9 months by the week; he worked
a further year with Edward Elton and another
year with Thomas Webb; he has a wife
Elizabeth and children Elizabeth 7, Mary 5,
and William 20 weeks 1746

There is a Thomas Wythe of Bingham, but it is 1800
I have yet to copy the Removal Orders, etc.

Done

Yours Sincerely

Removal order from Kingsclere, 134) William Wythe to Hammington 1746
wife Elizabeth, children Elizabeth 8, Mary 5, William 5 months.

(19M76A Page 5)

WYTHE, MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

Hunts & Berke Gazette Saturday April 12th 1902.

DEATH. WYETH, On the 26th March at the Asylum, Farnham, Henry Wyeth of Hannington, aged 71 years.

Hunts & Berke Gazette, Saturday March 28th 1891

DEATH WYETH. On the 2nd March at Clapham Junction, Mabel Edith (May) daughter of Walter Wyeth, late of Basingstoke, aged 5 years.



B-G. 19/6/2008



Teresa Wythe & Elliot Dawson
Married at All Saints
on 20th May with
4 bridesmaids and
pageboy. Reception at
the Rugby Club.
Love both Families.
Honeymoon Maldives

B-G-11/6/2006

YESTERDAYS

July 24, 1897 - 100 years ago

PROVIDENTIAL ESCAPE FROM LIGHTNING: A Hannington correspondent writes:- "Two men in this village, David and Henry Wyeth, had a narrow escape from death by lightning on Tuesday last. They were engaged in thatching a hay rick belonging to Mr. George Webb. When the thunderstorm came on they took refuge from the rain under the straw at the foot of the rick. Suddenly they felt themselves struck by lightning, and lost consciousness. On recovering themselves, they found their limbs powerless, and noticed that the rick was on fire. Henry managed after a time to walk back to the village to give the alarm, while his father who was not so much injured, with great pluck, saved the rick by pouring water into the burning holes made by the lightning, until help arrived. Both the men are recovering from the shock, though terribly shaken, and show by singed hair and burnt skin what a providential escape they have had.

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE 28/7/1897

WYTHE. David and Joanne are delighted to announce the arrival of Maisie Anne on 17.5.97 at West Drayton. A sister for Anthony.

B-G. 23/5/1997

WILLIAM WINTER

(BILL)

Passed away on
11th May 2002 at
N.H.H. aged 80 years
Much loved Husband,
Dad, Grandad and
Great Grandad. Will be
greatly missed by all.

Funeral service has
taken place at Ramsdell.

T. 6. 17/5/2002

WILLIAM WINTER

(BILL)

Olga and Family would
like to thank all friends,
neighbours and relatives
for all the kind
messages of sympathy,
floral tributes and
donations sent during
their recent sad loss.
Please accept this as a
personal thank you.

T. 6. 24/5/2002

**RICHARD
WOODS**

Peacefully at home on
7th January 2003 after
a long illness.

Very much loved
husband of Yen. Will
be sadly missed by all
his family and friends.

Funeral service at
Basingstoke
Crematorium on
Monday 20th January
at 11.15am. Family
flowers only,
donations to North
Hants Medical Trust
Fund may be sent c/o
Geoffrey Church &
Co. 48 Bishopswood
Road, Tadley
Tel: 0118-9814420

T. 6. 7/1/2003



TERESA WYTHE

Look who's 30
30.01.03

Love Elliot,
Mum & Dad,
Denis, Sharon, Sophie
and Marie.

B. 6.

**EDITH ANNIE
WYETH**

Passed away
peacefully at North
Hampshire Hospital
on 5th February 2004,
aged 94 years.

Much loved Mother,
Grandmother, and
Great Grandmother,
will be sadly missed
by all her Family and
Friends.

Reunited with her
Husband Joe.

Funeral Service at
Basingstoke
Crematorium on Friday
13th February at
11.15am.

Family flowers only.
Donations if desired to
St Michaels Hospice.
Care of Spencer &
Peyton.
Tel: 01256 323165.

B. 6. 13/2/2004

WYETH

The family wish to
thank everyone for
their kind messages of
sympathy and
donations to St
Michaels Hospice on
the sad loss of
Edith Annie.
Please accept this as a
personal
acknowledgement.

B. 6. 20/2/2004



**Gotcha
JANET WYTHE**

Happy 60th Birthday.

Love
Cliff, Teresa, Elliot,
Denis, Sharon, Sophie
and Marie.

B. 6. 25/4/2003



**MUM and DAD
(WYTHE)**

Happy Diamond
Anniversary
1.5.2003.
Love and best wishes
Valerie, Raymond,
Audrey and Family.

**Diamond couple
raised charity cash**

Sir-Everyone at ICE would like to thank Ray and Doris Wythe, who celebrated their diamond wedding anniversary on May 1 (and attended the mayor's reception). Instead of having presents, they asked everyone to make a donation to ICE.

We were thrilled to receive cheques totalling £295 from their friends and family.

The money raised will be used to fund helpers for our forthcoming holidays to Tenerife and Majorca. This enables local disabled people to go on holiday and receive the help they need to give their carers and family a well-earned break.

Please pass on our thanks to Ray and Doris, and all their friends and family, and wish them many more happy years together.

-Lesley Vass,
ICE Secretary.

B. 6. 12/5/2003

In Loving Memory of

JEFF WOOLFORD

18 June 1965-13 October 1994

Ten years on, the memories are strong
A Memorial Service will be held on
Saturday, October 9, 3.00 p.m. at
St. Peter's Church, Tadley
All are welcome

B. 6. 29/10/2004

**WELLS, Valerie
M.W**

(nee Larke)

of Tadley, Hampshire.

Passed away
peacefully on 16th
September 2004.

Funeral has recently
taken place.

Sadly missed by her
husband Donald, sons
Philip and Martin,
daughter-in-law
Shiela and
grandchildren
Chris and Stephanie.

B. 6. 8/10/2004

**Marjorie Louisa
Walker**

Passed peacefully
away at the North
Hampshire Hospital
on 23rd May, aged 85
years. She will be
sadly missed by all
her family and
friends.

All are welcome at
Funeral service at
Basingstoke
Crematorium on
Thursday 1st June at
2pm. No flowers
please, donations to
Arthritis Research or
British Heart
Foundation, may be
sent c/o Geoffrey
Church & Co. 48
Bishopswood Road,
Tadley.
Tel: 0118 9814420

LES WARD



Happy 60th

14/2/2005

Love all the Family.

B. 6. 14/2/2005

**GUY WATERFIELD AND
NATALIE MOODY**

Both families are happy to
announce Guy and
Natalie's marriage on
Tuesday 25 August 2009,
2.00 pm, St Stephen's
Church, Basingstoke. All
friends welcome at church.

B. 6. 20/8/2009

WELLS Donald

of Tadley,
Hampshire.

Passed away
peacefully on
14th March 2010.
Funeral has recently
taken place. Sadly
missed by his sons
Philip and Martin,
family David and
Shiela and
Grandchildren
Christopher and
Stephanie.

B. 6. 1/4/2010

WHEELER

On October 16th 2007,
Jon died peacefully at
home after a brave
fight against cancer.

He is sorely missed by
his Wife Carol.

Jon was a loving
Father to Melanie and
Zoe and their
Husbands Mike &
Andy.

He will be missed by
his adored
Grandchildren Harry
& Milly and all his
extended family and
friends.

Funeral service to be
held on Tuesday 30th
October at St
Stephen's Church
Baughurst at 1pm.

Family flowers only
please donations if
desired to Royal
Marsden Hospital in
Jon's Memory.

All enquiries to
Alexander & Dry 1 Scel
Road Basingstoke
RG21 7NQ

B. 6. 25/10/2007

OF STONE LODGE,
BAOWING HILL.

**Sharon Margaret
WHITAKER**

nee

McLOUGHLIN

Died suddenly on
13 June 2008
at North Hants
Hospital, Basingstoke.

The lifetime partner
of Nigel Foster and
loving mother of
Paige and Kayleigh.
Grandmother to Kyle.

First born child of
Jean and Alistair
McLoughlin and
loving, caring and
selfless sister to
James, Amanda,
Kristan and Amy and
nieces and nephews.

Service at Basingstoke
Crematorium at
11.45am on
Wednesday

25 June 2008

Family flowers
only please.

Alternatively donations
to St. Michaels Hospice
may, if preferred,
be sent c/o

Geoffrey Church & Co,
48 Bishopswood Road,
Tadley. RG26 4HD

B. 6. 23/6/2008

HUSBAND	JACK YARHAM	CRANE DRIVER
BORN		AT
BAPTISED		AT
MARRIED		AT
FATHER		MOTHER

WIFE	SOPHIA MARJORIE PIKE
BORN	
BAPTISED	
FATHER	JAMES STANLEY PIKE
MOTHER	AMY

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

 * JACK & SOPHIE *
 * YARHAM *
 * Many thanks to our family *
 * for the lovely surprise Ruby *
 * Wedding Party and for all *
 * the lovely gifts and cards *
 * from family and friends *
 * THANK YOU ALL *

BASINISTON GAZETTE 21/10/94

SOURCES OF INFORMATION.

TADLEY PARISH REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1885-1945, 1945-1976

HUSBAND GEORGE HERBERT YARWOOD			
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED	13/2/1954	AT	ST PETER'S, TADLEY
DIED	18/3/1996 AGED 76	AT	
FUNERAL	26/3/1996	AT	ST MARY'S CHURCH, TADLEY
FATHER	ROBERT ERNEST YARWOOD	MOTHER	

WIFE GLADYS DOREEN WICKENS.			
BORN		AT	OF LILAC COTTAGES, TADLEY
BAPTISED	7/10/1928	AT	ST SAVIDOUR'S, TADLEY.
DIED	19/2/1993 AGED 64	AT	
FUNERAL	1/3/1993	AT	SERVICE ST MARY'S, TADLEY.
FATHER	FRANK WICKENS	MOTHER.	ETHEL MAY

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

TADLEY PARISH REGISTER OF BAPTISMS 1885-1945

YARWOOD. Peacefully on 18th March 1996 Bert. A dear father and grandfather, sadly missed by all his family and friends. Funeral Service at St. Mary's Church, Tadley on Tuesday March 26th at 11.30am. Family flowers only, donations if desired to St. Michael's Hospice, may be sent care of Geoffrey Church & Co, 46 Bishopswood Road, Tadley. 01734 814420.

36-3.13.1996

YARWOOD. Suddenly on 19th February 1993, Gladys, a dear wife, mother and grandmother. Sadly missed by all her family and friends. Funeral service at St. Mary's Church, Tadley on Monday, 1st March, at 10am. Family flowers only. Donations to the Chest, Heart & Stroke Association may be sent c/o Geoffrey Church & Co., 46 Bishopswood Road, Tadley. Tel. (0734) 814420.

BASINGSTOKE GAZETTE

26/2/1993.



From the Registers

Funerals

26th January at St Stephen's, Baughurst, **Margaret Augusta Yates**, aged 98. Born in Kingsclere in 1905 with Dad a Post Office worker in Basingstoke, he died when she was young. She worked in brother Stan's butcher's shops in Kingsclere, Alton and Portsmouth. After they were bombed out in Portsmouth, they came back to Browning Hill. It became Stan's Cottage after Stan's early death in 1957 and Margaret did then what she did for other loved ones - nursed them in their final illnesses - fiancée Percy, and her mother among them. She enjoyed good health until quite recently, and always kept herself busy. The old ways were the best for her, and you fended for yourself first, but also looked after friends in need. Bright as a button to the end she was a determined lady, and will be sorely missed. The twinkle in her eye was still there, as was her friendliness, though you'd to watch out for a 'bit of Yates' but with a smile too. By the mercy of God she can now take a break from the frailties of old age in a better place, reunited with Stan. An amazing village character - May she rest in peace, her prayers answered.

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MARGARET YATES

Passed away
peacefully at North
Hants Hospital, on the
18th January 2004.

Will be sadly missed
by Family and
Friends.

*Funeral Service to take
place at St Stevens
Church, Baughurst,
Tudley on Monday 26th
January 2004, at
2.00pm.*

*Flowers or donations to
St Michael's Hospice,
c/o Spencer & Peyton.*

B.G. - 26/1/2004

HUSBAND STEPHEN YOUNG			
BORN			ST PETER'S, TADLEY
BAPTISED			
MARRIED			
FATHER		MOTHER	
WIFE SUSAN			
BORN			
BAPTISED			
FATHER		MOTHER	



A COUPLE who are civil servants at the AWE, Aldermaston, have married at St Peter's Church, Tadley.

Susan Grist is the daughter of Mr and Mrs D A Grist, of Stratfield Avenue, Tadley, and Stephen Young is the son of Mr and Mrs L G E Young, of Long Grove, Baughurst.

Given away by her father, the bride was attended by chief bridesmaid Natasha Sturgess, a school friend; Julie Young, the groom's sister; Helen Robbins, the groom's cousin; and Emma Sallis, the groom's niece. Best man was William Carter.

After a reception at Heath End Village Hall, Baughurst, the couple left for a honeymoon in Belgium.

Picture: National Wedding Photo Services

HUSBAND		ZEEN	
BORN		AT	
BAPTISED		AT	
MARRIED		AT	
FATHER		MOTHER	

WIFE		LINDA ANN STAMP	
BORN			
BAPTISED			
FATHER	WALTER CHARLES STAMP	MOTHER	MARY JANE GALLOWAY.

CHILDREN			

SOURCE OF INFORMATION .

MICHAEL J. GUEST, 226 AKATARAWA ROAD, UPPER HUTT, NEW ZEALAND.