# Redford Genealogy

of Bishopstone, Wilts near Shrivenham

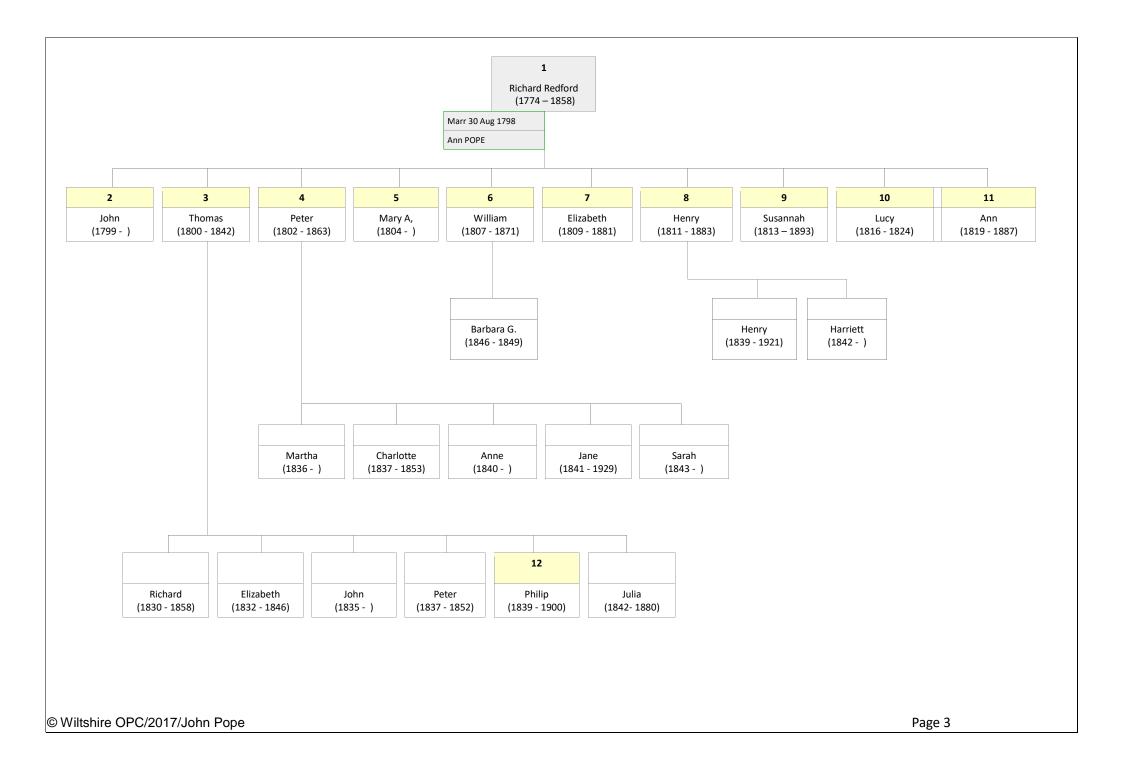
# Introduction

The Pope link to the Redford family is through the marriage of Elizabeth Pope (1778-1856) to Richard Redford (1774-1858) in 1798.

I have concentrated on the Redford children from this marriage.

Please contact me you have any corrections, omissions or additional information on the people I have highlighted.

John Pope Wiltshire OPC, Bishopstone.



# 1. Richard Redford

**Richard Redford** was baptised 31 Dec 1774, Kempsford, Glos, died 17 Sep 1858 and buried at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

## General Notes:

The 1778 Bishopstone Survey and Rental.

Updated 1804: All Cottage or Dwelling House with a Barn or Stable together with a Garden theretofore adjoining and belonging and heretofore in the tenure of Roger Spanswick for three lives; Richard Redford, John Redford, Thos Redford, two sons of Richard Redford. Consideration £10.

Census 1841: East Brook, Bishopstone.

Census 1851: Bishopstone.



Occupation: Gardener and Parish Clerk. An memorial inside St Mary the Virgin Church, reads "To the memory of Richard Redford – Parish Clerk of - Bishopstone for upwards of – 50 Years – who departed this life – 17th Sept. 1858 Aged 82 years – An Humble Christian – A True Churchman".

# **BISHOPSTONE**

COPYHOLD ESTATE
TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION

By

Mr. W. DORE

At the Kings Arms, Inn, Swindon, on Wednesday the 6th day of November, 1861, precisely at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon (by order of the Heir at Law) subject to the conditions then produced.

All that COPYHOLD DWELLING HOUSE, with the Garden belonging thereto, situate at Eastbrook,

Bishopstone, Wilts, and the property of the late Mr. RICHARD REDFORD, deceased.

Further particulars may be known of the Auctioneer, Swindon

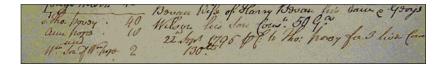
Swindon Advertiser and North Wilts Chronicle 28 October 1861

Married **Ann Pope**, 13 Aug 1798 St Mary the Virgin Bishopstone, by Banns. Witnesses William Spicer and Thomas Cue.

Ann was baptised 4 Jan 1778, St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone died 17 Sep 1856 and buried at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone, Wilts.

### General Notes:

The Bishopstone Survey and Rental: 1778. Updated 1795: One Messuage and half a Yard Lands with the Appurtenances lying in



Westbrook, for three lives Thomas Povey, William Pope and Ann Pope. Anne aged 18 years. *No. 72 on Francis Willington's survey map of 1758.* 

Census 1841: East Brook, Bishopstone. Census 1851: Bishopstone. (Clerks Wife) Informant of death: Ann Durham (dau of Ann).

Cause of death: Effusion on the chest.

Beneficiary of the Last Will and Testament of William Pope (father) dated 27 Sep 1811.

Beneficiary with her children (not named) in the Last Will and Testament of Thomas Povey (Uncle) dated 18 Dec 1832 and proved at Swindon 3 Dec 1834.

Footstone and headstone still existed in 2008. (R R 1858, A R, 1856 and L R 1824) (Richard Redford d 17 Sep 1858 age 82 yrs, Ann Redford d 17 Sep 1856 age 78 yrs and Lucy Redford d 4 Feb 1824, age 7 yrs, daughter).

They had 10 Children: John, Thomas, Peter, Mary, William, Elizabeth, Henry, Susannah, Lucy and Anne Redford.

# 2. John Redford

John Redford was baptised 28 August 1799, at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

### General Notes:

1778 and updated 1804, the Bishopstone Survey and Rental

1804: All Cottage or Dwelling House with a Barn or Stable together with a Garden theretofore adjoining and belonging and heretofore in the tenure of Roger Spanswick for three lives; Richard Redford, John Redford, Thos Redford, two sons of Richard Redford. Consideration £10. Aged 6 years.

No Trace.

# Thomas Redford

**Thomas Redford** was born 11 Mar and baptised 31 Aug 1800, at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone. Wilts and died Chickendon in 1842.

### General Notes:

1778 and updated 1804, the Bishopstone Survey and Rental

1804: All Cottage or Dwelling House with a Barn or Stable together with a Garden theretofore adjoining and belonging and heretofore in the tenure of Roger Spanswick for three lives; Richard Redford, John Redford, Thos Redford, two sons of Richard Redford. Consideration £10. Aged 4 years.

1841 Census: Chickendon, Henley & Watlington, Oxfordshire.

He married **Frances Blackall** at St. Mary's Reading 19 May 1828 by Banns. She died in 1884 aged 87 years.

General Notes:

1841 Census: Chickendon, Henley & Watlington, Oxfordshire.

1851 Census: West End, Bishopstone, (pauper, Blacksmith's wife, widow).

1861 Census: The Village, Bishopstone (Philip Redford household).

1871 Census: West End, Bishopstone (Philip Redford household).

1881 Census: Stotters Corner, Bishopstone (Annuitant. Philip Redford household).

Known children: Richard, Elizabeth, John, Peter, Philip and Julia Redford.

# 4. Peter Redford

**Peter Redford** was born 17 Sep. 1802 and baptised 15 May 1803, at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone. Wilts and died 2 Feb 1863, and buried 6 Feb 1863 at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

### General Notes:

1841 Census: West Brook, Bishopstone (Jane Horton household).

1851 Census: High Street, Bishopstone (Farm Bailiff of 36acres emp 2m, 1b).

1861 Census: The Village, Bishopstone (Ag Lab).

Married Martha Turner on 19 Mar 1835 at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

She was born 1801 at Wantage Berks and died 17 Mar 1869, aged 66 at Bishopstone.

Parents: James and Martha Turner.

# General Notes:

1841 Census: East Brook, Bishopstone.1851 Census: Village, Bishopstone.1861 Census: The Village, Bishopstone

Headstone still existed in 2008. (Peter Redford d 2 Feb 1863 age 61 yrs, Martha 17 Mar 1869 age 66 yrs and Sarah Redford d 26 Jan 1862 at Reading, aged 19 yrs, daughter).

Known children: Martha, Charlotte, Anne, Jane and Sarah Redford.

# 5. Mary A. Redford

Mary Ann Redford was baptised 3 Sep 1804, at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone. Wilts and died 1892 in Highworth District.

# General Notes:

1841 Census: East Brook, Bishopstone (parents household).

1851 Census: Little Hinton, Hinton Parva (Dressmaker, Charlotte Pope household).

1861 Census: 1, Ashley Terrace, St Lawrence, Reading, Berks (retired farmer).

1871 Census: Southampton Street, St Giles, Reading.

1881 Census: Shrivenham, Berks (widow & annuitant, Susannah Sayer, sister, also recorded)

1891 Census: Forty, Bishopstone (widow, living on own means).

# Married to Thomas Anger in 1851.

He was born 10 Sep and baptised 18 Nov 1785 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton and died 9 Aug 1863, age 77 yrs and buried at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

Headstone exists 2015, Thomas Ager died 9 August 1863, age 77 years.

1841 Census: East Hinton, Little Hinton.

1851 Census: Little Hinton, Hinton Parva (retired farmer).

1861 Census: 1, Ashley Terrace, St Lawrence, Reading, Berks (retired farmer).

4 Sep 1863 The Will of Thomas Anger formerly of Little Hinton in the County of Wilts but late of 1, Ashley Terrace, Reading, in the county of Berks Gentleman deceased who died 9 August 1863 at Reading aforesaid was proved at Oxford by the oaths of James Fereman of Watchfield in the said County of Berks Gentleman and Thomas Anger of Little Hinton aforesaid Gentleman the Nephews the Executors.

Effects under £14,000. Resworn at the Stamp Office January 1865 under £16,000.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS – ESTATE OF THOMAS ANGER, Deceased

ALL PERSONS having any DEMAND on the Estate of THOMAS ANGER, formerly of Little Hinton, in the county of Wilts, but late of 1, Ashley Terrace, Reading, in the county of Berks, gentleman, deceased, are desired forthwith to forward the particulars thereof either to Mr. Thomas Anger, of Little Hinton aforesaid, one of the Executors of the deceased, or to me; and all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment to the said Thomas Anger, or myself, of the amount of such debts.

GEORGE J HAINES
Solicitor to the Executors

Faringdon, 5th November 1863.

**Reading Mercury 7 November 1863** 

# 6. William Redford

**William Redford** was baptised 3 Mar 1807, at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone. Wilts and died 28 Jan 1871, Binfield Heath, Shiplake, Henley, Oxon.

General Notes:

1841 Census: no trace

1851 Census: Shiplake, Henley, Oxfordshire (Blacksmith).

1861 Census: Austin Lane, Shiplake, Henley (Blacksmith).

Probate at Oxford by Eliza Redford of Binfield Heath, widow the relict and sole executrix, Effects under £200.

Married Eliza ??

She was baptised abt 1808, Edenham, Lincolnshire, England and died 1889 Bradfield Registrar District.

1841 Census:

1851 Census: Shiplake, Henley.

1861 Census: Austin Lane, Shiplake, Henley. 1871 Census: Binfield Heath, Shiplake, Henley.

1881 Census: Binfield Heath, Shiplake, Henley (Retired Interest Of Money).

Known children: Barbara G. Redford.

# 7. Elizabeth Redford

**Elizabeth Redford** was baptised 6 Feb 1809, at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone. Wilts and buried 12 Mar 1881, St. Andrew's, Shrivenham.

General Notes:

1841 Census: West Hinton, Little Hinton, Wilts (Ann Purrier household).

1851 Census: Market Place, Wantage, Berks (Cook in William Ormond household).

1861 Census: Shrivenham, Berks (House ervant in Jane Coster household).

1871 Census: Beckett Gardens, Shrivenham (Servant in Jane Coster household).

# 8. Henry Redford

**Henry Redford** was baptised 19 May 1811, at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone. Wilts and died 22 May 1883 at Bishopstone and buried at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

# General Notes:

1841 Census: West Brook Street, Bishopstone (Labourer).

1851 Census: West End, Bishopstone (Labourer).

1861 Census: The Village, Bishopstone (Parish Clerk & Thatcher).

1871 Census: High Street, Bishopstone.

1881 Census: High Street, Bishopstone (Pensioner, Ag Lab).

1867 - Thursday 20 June - Swindon Police Court, Judgement Summons. Charles C. Packer v. Henry Redford, no money had been paid on this order, which was made in January last. Committed for 16 days, warranted suspended for 28 days.

Swindon Advertiser and North Wilts Chronicle 24 June 1867

1878 – This village was the scene of great rejoicing on Whit Monday, the occasion being the marriage Mr. Robert Inge to Miss Elizabeth Bowsher, third daughter of Mr. Henry Redford. Parish Clerk etc. The nuptials were solemnised at St. Mary's Church, by the Rev. R Corser. A crowd of people numbering 200, watched the proceedings with great interest. The bells rang out merry peals during the whole of the day.

Swindon Advertiser and North Wilts Chronicle 15 June 1878.

Headstone still existed in 2008. (Henry Redford died 22 May 1883, aged 72 years, 23 years Clerk of the Parish).

# 1<sup>st</sup> marriage

Married **Ann Taylor** in 1840 at Bishopstone.

She was baptised 29 Mar 1801, St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone, and died 22 Sep 1856, Bishopstone Parents were Thomas and Rachel Taylor.

# General Notes:

1841 Census: West Brook Street, Bishopstone

1851 Census: West End, Bishopstone.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> marriage

Married **Eunice Ann Bowsher** (nee Holdway) in 1867 at Bishopstone.

She was baptised 2 Apr 1809 at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone and died 16 Feb 1885 at Bishopstone.

Parents were John and Sibella/Sibill Holdway.

# General Notes:

1871 Census: High Street, Bishopstone.

1881 Census: High Street, Bishopstone.

1885 : Feb 16 - Death at Bishopstone, Eunice Ann, widow of Henry Redford, aged 76 years.

Swindon Advertiser and North Wilts Chronicle 21 February 1885.

Known children: Henry and Harriett Redford.

# 9. Susannah Redford

**Susannah Redford** was born 9 Dec 1813 and baptised 28 Aug 1814, at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone, Wilts, and died 1893, Bishopstone.

### General Notes:

1841 Census: East Brook, Bishopstone (Mary Pope household).

1851 Census: no trace

1861 Census: The Village, Bishopstone.

1871 Census: Eastbrook, Bishopstone (entry as Sayer, Shop Keeper).

1881 Census: Swindon Street, Shrivenham (Annuitant, Mary Jane(Ann) Anger household).

1891 Census: Layers Bank, Bishopstone (Living On Her Own Means).

Married Thomas Sawyer/Sayer in 1852 at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

He was baptised 6 Aug 1775, St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone and died 1862 at Bishopstone.

### General Notes:

1841 Census: East Brook, Bishopstone (wife named Jane).

1851 Census: Bishopstone (Widower, Gardener & Seedsman).

1861 Census: The Village, Bishopstone (entry as Sayer, Gardener, aged 85 years).

# 10. Lucy Redford

**Lucy Redford** was baptised 5 May 1816, at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone, Wilts, died 4 Feb 1824 and buried 6 Feb 1824 at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

Footstone and headstone still existed in 2008. (R R 1858, A R, 1856 and L R 1824) (Richard Redford d 17 Sep 1858 age 82 yrs, Ann Redford d 17 Sep 1856 age 78 yrs and Lucy Redford d 4 Feb 1824, age 7 yrs, daughter).

# 11. Ann Redford

**Ann Redford** was baptised 23 May 1819, at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone, Wilts., and died 1887, Faringdon Registrar District.

# General Notes:

1841 Census: East Brook, Bishopstone.

1851 Census: Bishopstone.

1861 Census: 17, Moon Court, St Mary, Reading, Berks

1871 Census: Marsh, St Mary the Virgin, Marlborough, Wilts.

1881 Census: Grocer Shop, High Street, Ogbourne St George, Wilts.

Married Thomas Dixon 25 Sep 1836, St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

He was baptised about 1813 at Lambourn, Berks., and died 1882 Marlborough Registrar District.

### General Notes:

1841 Census: East Brook, Bishopstone

1851 Census: Bishopstone (Baker & Grocer).

1861 Census: 17, Moon Court, St Mary, Reading, Berks (Baker).

1871 Census: Marsh, St Mary the Virgin, Marlborough, Wilts.

1881 Census: Grocer Shop, High Street, Ogbourne St George, Wilts (Baker and Grocer (Master))

Known children: Sarah, Elizabeth, Benjamin, Celia, Thomas, William, Mary Jane, Ann, Emily, John and Henry Dixon.

# 12. Philip Redford

A trustee, along with A. Ball, J. Povey of the "True Heart" Lodge of Oddfellows, in 1887.