






Family Group Record for William FORRYAN

Husband		William FORRYAN [26]	
Born	5 Jan 1810	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Christened	11 Feb 1810	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Died	1 Feb 1892	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Buried	Feb 1892	Wigston Cemetery, Leicestershire, England	
Father	Abraham FORRYAN [69] (1777-1850) ^[MRIN:19]		
Mother	Elizabeth ELLIS [50] (1782-1821)		
Marriage	5 Oct 1841	Great Wigston, Leicestershire, England ^[MRIN:10]	
Wife		Jane GOODWIN [27]	
Born	13 Jan 1820	Great Wigston, Leicestershire, England	
Christened	30 Jun 1837	Wigston Magna Independent Chapel, Leicestershire, England	
Died	7 Nov 1874	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Buried	Nov 1874	St Wistans, Wigston, Leicestershire, England	
Father	George GOODWIN [88] (1787-1861) ^[MRIN:12]		
Mother	Elizabeth BENNETT [89] (1791-1867)		
Children			
1	F	Elizabeth Ann FORRYAN [30]	
Born	1842	Great Wigston, Leicestershire, England	
Christened	2 Apr 1843	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Died	19 Apr 1852	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Buried	23 Apr 1852	St Wistans, Wigston, Leicestershire, England	
Spouse			
2	F	Sarah Jane FORRYAN [33]	
Born	13 Dec 1844	Great Wigston, Leicestershire, England	
Christened	3 Mar 1845	Great Wigston, Leicestershire, England	
Died	16 Jan 1926	Walsall, Staffordshire, England	
Buried		Rushall, England	
Spouse	Edwin HURST [34] (1843-1898)		
Marr. Date	4 Jan 1870 - Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England ^[MRIN:23]		
3	F	Clara FORRYAN [29]	
Born	1845	Great Wigston, Leicestershire, England	
Christened	1 Mar 1846	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Died	14 Sep 1917	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Buried	Sep 1917	Wigston Cemetery, Leicestershire, England	
Spouse			

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Children (cont.)			
4	M	John George FORRYAN [31]	
Born	10 Oct 1849	Great Wigston, Leicestershire, England	
Christened	4 Nov 1849	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Died	17 Feb 1925	Nottingham, Nottinghamshire, England	
Buried			
Spouse	Elizabeth CARTWRIGHT [32] (1853-1931)		
Marr. Date	7 Sep 1875 - Broughton Astley, Leicestershire, England [MRIN:11]		
5	F	Ann Elizabeth FORRYAN [28]	
Born	29 May 1856	Great Wigston, Leicestershire, England	
Christened	2 Nov 1856	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Died			
Buried			
Spouse	Thomas SANSOM [790] (1858-)		
Marr. Date	27 Mar 1883 - Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England [MRIN:262]		
6	M	William Goodwin FORRYAN [35]	
Born	17 Apr 1858	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Christened	7 Aug 1864	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Died	30 Nov 1924	Wigston Magna, Leicester, Leicestershire, England	
Buried		Wigston Cemetery, Leicestershire, England	
Spouse	Louisa HEDGES [36] (1862-1946) 17 Nov 1885 - Wytham, Berkshire, England [MRIN:9]		

General Notes: Husband -

GEN 110 Photo of memorial stone in St Wistons.

GEN 015

Land at Newton Lane purchased 1858.

GEN 015 Previous history of land at Newton Lane

BIR 007

Birth cert of William Goodwin Forryan The parents are shown as William Forryan/Jane Goodwin.occ Butcher/Grazier.

GEN 144 Extract from the "Minutes of the Great Wigston Paris" Feb 27th 1851.

Bothe William FORRYAN (Butcher) and Abraham FORRYAN (Farmer) were listed as willing to serve as Wigston Contables. Neither was elected from the 18 candidates.

and

March 25th 1851 A list of possible candidates for the position of "Overseer of the Poor" was drawn up. This included William FORRYAM. Not elected.

and April 5th 1852 A list of possible candidates for the position of "Surveyor of the Highways" was drawn up. This included Willm Forryan. Not elected.

BOOK 005 Photo on inside cover of "Bygone Wigston" Vol 11 by Duncan Lucas.Also photos of Bell St. Ref. is made to FORRYANS shops in Bell St.

GEN 109 Photo of grave stone in Wigston Cemetery.

GEN 094 1886 sees William living at 2 & 4 Bell St with Clara, Annie and William G plus 2 Boarders.

WIL 005 Will of Abraham his father left him 3 pictures and a share of wearing apparel.

PAR 025 William was witness at his brother Roberts wedding at Lubbenham.

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Research done by Alan McWhirr into "Brickyards" in Wigston.

The earliest reference to brickmaking in Wigston comes from the Leicester Journal with a notice to Brickmakers:-

"Wanted a steady man who can undertake to make good bricks all the ensuing summer, he will meet with great encouragement by applying immediately to Mr Kirk, Bricklayer, at Great Wigston.

NB They will be reuired to be burnt in a clamp"

1. Gold Hill Bricl and Tile Yard was offered to let in adverts of 1866/7 (LJ 28th December 1866; 12th April 1967). It belonged to Mr Forryan who owned serveral premises in Wigston. The exact site has not been located, but it was on the Wigston / Aylestone boundary near to the present Gold Hill Road.

2. Four houses, a field and a brickyard on the corner of Newton Harcourt and Welford Roads were offered for sale (LJ 30th August 1867)

3. Wigston Junction Works was opened in the 1870's and appears on the 1885 25" O.S. map. It was visited by the Geology Section of the Leicestershire Literary and Philosophical Society in 1885 and a photograph appears in their Transactions for that year. The owner at that time was E Healy who also owned the works at Countesthorpe. In 1889 the works were taken over by Orson Wright a builder of South Wigston. By 1908 they were part of the Knighton Junction Brick Co and according to one employee closed in 1913 when Wright died. However, the 1930 25" O.S. map still shows a brickworks. A pamphlet on the Locomotive of the works entitled Wigston Junction Brickworks contains some information of the brickworks itself.

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General Notes: Wife -

GEN 011 Bir:- Family Bible

PAR 005 Birth Register Independent Congregational Church Wigston Magna NC/355/75. 13 JAN 1820 Baptised 30 JUN 1837.

GEN 111 Photo of grave stone in St Wistons showing birth and death dates. WIL 007 Fathers Will leaves all money and property in trust for his wife and then everything to Jane Forryan with the exception of 1 property in Bush Lane.

PAR 016 Jane was witness at the wedding of John Neres and Sarah Bennet on 30 Aug 1812.

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Notes: Marriage

PAR 021 LRO Microfiche DE2127 Wigston Magna Parish Records Marriages 1837 to 1874

Oct 5 1841 William FORRYAN full age bachelor butcher father Abraham FORRYAN farmer to Jane GOODWIN full age spinster father George GOODWIN publican

BENNETT

Elizabeth [89], 1

CARTWRIGHT

Elizabeth [32], 2

ELLIS

Elizabeth [50], 1

FORRYAN

Abraham [69], 1

Ann Elizabeth [28], 2

Clara [29], 1

Elizabeth Ann [30], 1

John George [31], 2

Sarah Jane [33], 1

William [26], 1

William Goodwin [35], 2

GOODWIN

George [88], 1

Jane [27], 1

HEDGES

Louisa [36], 2

HURST

Edwin [34], 1

SANSOM

Thomas [790], 2