The Riggs Surname Study

Probable Family Groups, provisionally reconstructed based on details known to date from Baptism, Marriage & Burial Registers, Censuses, Civil Registrations, and any Wills, etc

OTHER FAMILY GROUPS FROM DEVON, ENGLAND

NO CONNECTION IDENTIFIED AS YET WITH THE MAIN FAMILY GROUPS

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NAMES WITHIN FAMILY GROUPS with supplementary notes shown in blue
= legitimate descent ; = illegitimate descent (father named if stated)

italics= Information supplied by another researcher not verified at source ⇩

c=circa (about); Q=quarter; rd=reg district; nc=non conformist; mi=monumental inscription; VXXX=DEV+parish code; EXXX=ENG+county code

1851 DEV & 1881 searched completely, 1891 & 1901 not yet searched

NAMES WITHIN FAMILY GROUPS	BIRTH		BAPTISM		MARRIAGE			DEATH, ADMON etc			BURIAL			ENTRIES IN CENSUS RETURNS						
	DATE	PLACE/rd	DATE	PARISH	DATE	PARISH	PLACE/rd	DATE	PLACE/rd	AGE	DATE	PLACE	AGE	1841	1851	1861	1871	1881	1891	1901
NOT YET CONNECTED - UFFCULME & BURLESCOMBE AREA																				
HENRY Pauper - Ag Lab	1781	VUFF					- - - -								VUFF11			dead	dead	dead
m. Mary - - - - ?	1780	VCUL	not Riggs	not Riggs			- - - -								VUFF12			dead	dead	dead
Harriet House Servant	1828	VUFF					- - - -								VUFF13					
WILLIAM					1717Jne12	VUFF	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. Prudence BONIFENT	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1717Jne12	VUFF	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
DOROTHY					1720Apr19	VKNT	- - - -													
m. George SALTER	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1720Apr19	VKNT	- - - -													
FRANCIS (RIGGSalsFARLAND)					1642Jly9	VUFF	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. Abraham CADDY	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1642Jly9	VUFF	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
MARGARET					1641Jan24	VUFF	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. Robert HOLWILL	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1641Jan24	VUFF	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
MARY					1642May2	VUFF	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. Richard PERSEY	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1642May2	VUFF	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
NOT YET CONNECTED - OTTERY ST MARY AREA																				
CHRISTOPHER					1728NJan21	VOTT	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. Mary MORGAN	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1728NJan21	VOTT	- - - -				1772Jly21	VOTT		dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Eleanor			1728Jne7	VOTT			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Susanna *BENDING ONS*			*1743Dec7*	VOTT	marr twice		- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m1. Thomas BENDING *s.of Robert & Ann nee RIGGS - same source*	not Riggs	not Riggs	*1744May5*	*VOTT*	1767Jly5	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	*1788Nov4*	*VOTT*		not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m2. John BOND *BENDING ONS*	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1791Aug24	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
JAMES							- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. Ann - - - - ?	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Elizabeth			1763Dec7	VOTT			- - - -									dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
JAMES (RIGS)					1846Q2		DEV-HON													
m. - - - - ? - - - - ?					1846Q2		DEV-HON													
JOHN							- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. Johan - - - - ?	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Christian			1670Apr4	VOTT			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
JOHN							- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. Mary - - - - ?	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
John			1763Dec2	VOTT			- - - -									dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
JOHN																				
m. - - - - ? - - - - ?																				
Frederick Robert	c1873	VCOL			1904Feb16	VCOL								not born	not born	not born	not born			VBIC11
m. Marida? (Martha?) STADDEN	c1882	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1904Feb16	VCOL								not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
JOSEPH							- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. Meelony (sic) - - - - ?	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Joseph			1764May11	VOTT			- - - -							dead?	dead?	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
WILLIAM					1727Apr30	VOTT	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. Rebecca BAKER	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1727Apr30	VOTT	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Rebecca NOTE 2			1727Nov1	VOTT	1751Dec8?	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
? m. John BASSTONE	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1751Dec8?	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
Mary			1732NFeb22	VOTT	1758Mch31?	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
? m. Thomas GODFREY	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1758Mch31	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
ANN					1791Aug7	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. Charles ARTIS witness George WARE, husband of Mary - see below	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1791Aug7	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
ELIZABETH					1750Apr20	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. John FISHER	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1750Apr20	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
JANE	c1762													VOTT51	dead?	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
MARY					1787Dec24	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. George WARE	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1787Dec24	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
REBECCA					1738Nov5	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. Richard PYNE	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1738Nov5	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
SAGE					1792Dec23	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. William TRICK	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1792Dec23	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
ROBERT																				
m. Mary - - - - ?																				
Sarah			1692Feb18	VOTT	1718Sep4	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. Peter KERRIDGE	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1718Sep4	VOTT	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
- - - - ?							- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. - - - - ? - - - - ?	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Sarah NOTE 3							- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
- - - - ?							- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. - - - - ? - - - - ?	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Joel NOTE 4							- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
WILLIAM																				
m. Eliza - - - - ?	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs																
George Alexander chr.Stonehouse			*1842Dec12*	*VPDS*										not born						
WILLIAM	c1833	VPDE			?marr.twice?	- - - -												EKENA1		EHAMxx
m1?. - - - - ? - - - - ?	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1864Q3?		HAM-PSI							not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs		?dead?	?dead?	?dead?
William	1865Q2	HAM-PSI												not born	not born	not born		EKENA3		ESRYxx
m. Elizabeth - - - - ?																				ESRYxx
Charles William L	1892Q4	LNS-CAM																		ESRYxx
Edgar Herbert	1896Q4	LNS-CAM																		ESRYxx
Harold William	1898Q1	SRY-CRO																		ESRYxx
Eliza M.	1866Q3	HAM-PSI												not born	not born	not born		EKENA4		
? Charles	1867Q3	HAM-PSI												not born	not born	not born		?dead?	?dead?	?dead?
m2?. Mary ATTWOOL (surname from FreeBMD)	c1844	HAM-PSI	not Riggs	not Riggs	1869Q4		HAM-PSI							not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs		EKENA2		
Alfred	1872Q3	HAM-PSI			1897Q4?		HAM-PSI?							not born	not born	not born	not born	EKENA5		EROYxx
m. - - - - ? - - - - ?	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1897Q4?		HAM-PSI?							not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	
? John	1873Q1	HAM-PSI												not born	not born	not born	not born	?dead?	?dead?	?dead?
Harriet Sarah	1874Q2	HAM-PSI												not born	not born	not born	not born	EKENA6		
Albert	1877Q4	HAM-PSI												not born	not born	not born	not born	EKENA7		EHAMxx
? Harry	1879Q4	HAM-PSI												not born	not born	not born	not born	?dead?	?dead?	?dead?
Frances Alice	1881Q4	KEN-MED												not born	not born	not born	not born	not born		EHAMxx
Mary Young	1884Q3	HAM-PSI												not born	not born	not born	not born	not born		
George	1888Q3	HAM-ALV												not born	not born	not born	not born	not born		EHAMxx
WILLIAM JOHN Stoker RN																		??????		
m. Selina Elizabeth - - - - ?	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs										not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs				
Ethel Maud Mary b.regd as Ethel May chr.23 Gascoine St	*1891Jan19*	*DEV-EST*	*1891Feb13*	*VPLH*	1915Dec28	VPLD		not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not born	not born	not born	not born	not born		
m.Lionel Cyril STEINHAUSEN *info VH*	*c1890*	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1915Dec28	VPLD		not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
Thomas Samuel Albert Edward chr.57 Trevelle St	*1895Jly28*	*VPLY?*	*1895Aug11*	*VPLH*										not born	not born	not born	not born	not born	not born	
Olive Selina chr.137 Exeter St	*1898Sep23*	*VPLY?*	*1898Oct14*	*VPLH*										not born	not born	not born	not born	not born	not born	
?JOHN & Ellen, JOHN & Jenie, or WILLIAM & Selina (see above)																				
? Arthur burd from 32 Exeter St	*1899Aug15*	*VPLY*	not baptised	- - - -	(died unm)	- - - -	- - - -	1899Q3	DEV-PLY 0		1899Aug15	no service	6days	not born	not born	not born	not born	not born	not born	dead
? Reuben burd from 32 Exeter St	1902Sep	VPLY	not baptised	- - - -	(died unm)	- - - -	- - - -				1902Sep26	no service	2hrs	not born	not born	not born	not born	not born	not born	not born
? Ruby burd from 32 Exeter St	1902Sep	VPLY	not baptised	- - - -	(died unm)	- - - -	- - - -				1902Sep26	no service	3hrs	not born	not born	not born	not born	not born	not born	not born
ELIZA	c1828/9	VPDE													VPDS11					
NOT YET CONNECTED - OTHER AREAS																				
GEOFFREY RYGES 1524 Subsidy Roll - Cullompton goods £4	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
JOHN RYGGES 1524 Subsidy Roll - Cullompton goods £2	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
BARNARD					1718Jan16	VHON	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. Elizabeth BUFFETT	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1718Jan16	VHON	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Barnard					1732May11	VHON	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. Alice PORTER	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1732May11	VHON	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Elizabeth					1774Sep13	VHON	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. Robert FOWLER	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1774Sep13	VHON	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
RICHARD					1737Jan24	VBRI	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. Mary BOWEN	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1737Jan24	VBRI	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Mary			*1738Nov27*	*VBRI*	1761Dec 8	VBRI	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. William SMITH	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1761Dec 8	VBRI	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
Richard			*1740Jne29*	*VBRI*			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Elizabeth			*1743Dec4*	*VBRI*			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
THOMAS ?HENRY?	1863Q4?	VCLY												not born	not born	not born		VLYM21		
WILLIAM					1705Nov28	VMAR	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
m. Rose GEORGE			not noted		1705Nov28	VMAR	- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
Mary			*1708Feb17*	*VMAR*	1731Jan 9	VBRI	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. John COLLYER	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1731Jan 9	VBRI	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
William			*1716Jan24*	*VMAR*			- - - -							dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead	dead
WILLIAM					1810Sep25	VSTV	- - - -											dead	dead	dead
m. Mary Pomeroy	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1810Sep25	VSTV	- - - -											dead	dead	dead
? Mary Elizabeth			*1821Dec9*	*VWTNnc*																
? Rebekah			*1824Sep13*	*VWTNnc*																
GRACE					1758Jne21	VHEA	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. John WILCOCKS	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1758Jne21	VHEA	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
JANE					1858Feb 2	VSAL	DEV-HON	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. John TAPLEY	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1858Feb 2	VSAL	DEV-HON	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
SARAH					1738Feb11	VROC	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. Joseph SAUNDERS	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1738Feb11	VROC	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
THOMAZIN					1789Aug23	VWIL	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs
m. John LOCKYER	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	1789Aug23	VWIL	- - - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	- - -	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs	not Riggs

NOTES **1** References such as AB12.34 are site references to locate burials at Plymouth Ford Park Cemetery (PLF), as transcribed by Terry Williams. Prefix letters H and L denote Higher and Lower Ground and the suffix letter S denotes Slip, with the numbers identifying row and location. Identical site references means burial in the same grave, which implies a close family relationship and addresses from the Register are quoted in the Notes column above if they are identical or sufficiently similar also to suggest a family relationship (please bear in mind that the numbering of the houses in Plymouth and Devonport changed over time to reflect new housing being built),

2 Rebecca Riggs apprenticed in 1738 by VSDM to James Kestell apothecary

3 Sarah Riggs apprenticed in 1740 by VSDM to William Whicker of Netherbury Dorset yeoman for an estate called Hooks

4 Joel Riggs apprenticed in 1791 by VSDM to John Carslake for Asaton, Esquire