

McDougal Family

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William Harrison McDougal

s/o Alexander Duncan McDougal & Susannah Bubar (Riverside Cemetery)

b. 2 Jan 1825 New Brunswick

d. 16 June 1885 Fort Fairfield (Riverside Cemetery, Fort Fairfield) at 60yrs

m. 1847

Margaret Morris

d/o Isaac Morris & Huldah Nichols

b. 20 Feb 1833 California Settlement, New Brunswick (*Immigrated to Maine in 1849*)

d. 2 Nov 1901 Limestone (Riverside Cemetery, Fort Fairfield) at 70yrs

In C/1850, they were living with her parents in Letter G, Range 2 in Aroostook County with their first 2 children, Edward & Hulda. By C/1860 they were living in Maysville and by C/1870 in Fort Fairfield.

They were living in Pleasant Ridge in C/1880. She was living with her son Henry in Limestone in C/1900 noted as a Widow at 70yrs old.



Margaret (Morris) McDougal

b 20 Feb 1833 likely California Settlement, New Brunswick; d 2 Nov 1901, likely Limestone, ME
w/o **William Harrison McDougal**; married abt 1847; d/o **Isaac** and **Sarah Huldah (Nichols) Morris**
13 known children. Those not pictured below are: **Edward** b abt 1848, d unknown;
Henry Edwin, b 17 Nov 1858, d 19 Oct 1918; **Mary Ann**, b 8 Dec 1860, d 13 Apr 1921;
Donald Alexander, b 5 Mar 1863, d Apr 1900; **Stephen Prescott**, b 9 Jun 1865, d 26 Mar 1947;
Margaret "Maggie", b 10 Mar 1869, d abt 1880; **son**, b 9 Mar 1882, d in infancy



Huldah Jane McDougal
8 Jun 1850 - 24 Dec 1932
w/o **Jacob J. Howland**
married 12 Jan 1867
12 known children



Isabelle B. McDougal
9 Jul 1853 - btwn 1930 - 1940
w/o **Henry LaPointe**
married btwn 1875-1878
8 known children



Calvin Luther McDougal
15 Jan 1856 - 6 Oct 1941
h/o **Delena Chasse**
married 12 Dec 1876
9 known children



Susan A. McDougal
15 Dec 1866 - 13 Nov 1937
w/o 1st & 3rd **Edwin I. Willey**
married 1st abt 1885 and 2nd 23 May 1908
w/o 2nd **George L. Langley**
married 3 May 1895
6 known children: 3 w/each husband



William Harrison McDougal
14 Apr 1873 - 8 Nov 1937
h/o **Ruby J. Beal**
married abt 1890
12 known children



Ida Mae McDougal
10 Jan 1875 - 22 Jun 1956
w/o **Andrew Bourgoine**
married 9 Jan 1894
7 known children

Ch. MCDUGAL:

1. Edward McDougal

b. 1848

d. (before 1860?)

He was noted at 2yrs old with the family in C/1850. He does not appear with the family in C/1860.

2. Hulda Jane McDougal

b. 8 June 1850 Maine

d. 24 Dec 1932 (Advent Cemetery, Limestone) at 83yrs

m. 12 Jan 1867

Jacob J. Howland

They had 12 known children.

3. Isabelle McDougal

b. 9 July 1853

d. between 1930-1940

m. c1875

Henry LaPointe

They had 8 known children.

4. Calvin Luther McDougal

b. 15 Jan 1856

d. 6 Oct 1941 (Riverside Cemetery, Fort Fairfield) at 85yrs

m. 12 Dec 1876

Deleno Chasse

They had 9 known children.

5. Henry Edwin McDougal "Edwin"

b. 2 Nov 1858

d. 17 Oct 1918 Caswell Plantation at 58yrs

m. 1887

Lorancy Morris

They had 3 known children.

He was accidentally run over by a potato harvesting "Jigger Wagon" and killed instantly. The drop-axle jigger wagon has "U" shaped front and rear axles with the wagon bed below the height of the wheel hubs which produces a lower center of gravity giving the wagon more stability and making it easier for horses to pull. The low wagon bed made it easier to load barrels of potatoes or other heavy freight.

6. Mary Ann McDougal

b. 8 Dec 1859 Maysville

d. 13 Apr 1921 Limestone at 58yrs

m. 1887

George Hurd

They had 6 known children.

7. Donald Alexander McDougal I

b. 1863

d. Apr 1900 Limestone

8. Stephen Prescott McDougal
b. 9 June 1865
d. 26 Mar 1947 Spokane, Washington at 82yrs
m. 27 Nov 1895 York, New Brunswick, Canada
Fanny Case
They had 5 known children.

9. Susan A. McDougal
b. 15 Dec 1866
d. 13 Nov 1937 at 70yrs
m1. 1885
Edwin I. Willey
They had 3 known children.

m2. 3 May 1895
George L. Langley
They had 3 known children.

m3. 23 May 1908 (remarried)
Edwin I. Willey

10. Margaret McDougal "Maggie"
b. 10 Mar 1869
d. c1880

11. William Harrison McDougal
b. 14 Apr 1873
d. 8 Nov 1937 at 64yrs
m. c1890
Ruby J. Beal (Sister of Emma Estelle Beale)
d/o Charles E. Beale & Eunice Wentworth
They had 12 known children.

12. Ida Mae McDougal
b. 10 Jan 1875 Limestone
d. 22 June 1956 at 81yrs
m. 9 Jan 1894
Andrew Bourgoine
They had 7 known children.

13. Unnamed Son McDougal
b. 9 Mar 1882
d. 1882 (in infancy)

7. Donald Alexander McDougal I

b. 1863

d. Apr 1900 Limestone (Unknown Burial Location) at 37yrs

m. c.1884 (?) Limestone

Emma Estelle Beale

d/o Charles Elijah Beale, Sr & Eunice Wentworth

b. 1865 Cambridge (?)

d. 1940 Benton (Maplewood Cemetery Fairfield w/Lauren) at 74yrs

According to his family, he was named after his father's brother, Alexander Donald McDougall, (his spelling with 2 "L" s). Alexander was a Sargent in the 1st Maine Cavalry, Company K. He was called "Sandy" by those in his unit and was apparently a bit of a character as told by the stories about him in the Unit history and at reunions after the war. He was one of only five Company K enlistees who made it through from 1861 to the end of the war serving in about 30 battles during the conflict. He was also noted as a skilled swordsman according to the records.

Following Donald's death, Emma remarried to Lauren Fremont Potter, a widower neighbor, on August 19, 1900. (They were married by his father) They became known to their grandchildren as "Gram & Gramp Potter". They had four children; George Everett, Annie Mae (m. Hughes), James A. and Mary Ellen (m. Weaver) Potter. Lauren also had a son from his previous marriage, Woodford Joseph Potter (1896-1969)

"Lauren was born 21 Dec 1861 in Drew Plantation to Reverend George Everett Potter and Abigail Tryphena Trott. His mother died when he was about a year old and his father remarried to Jane Morgan. The family moved to Limestone about 1879. Lauren's 1st wife, Ida May Knox, died in 1896 at 27 yrs old of Consumption (TB) when their son, Woodford, was about 2 months old." Lauren passed away on 24 Apr 1948 at 86yrs and is interred with Emma at Maplewood Cemetery. It will be noted the spelling of his first name deviates numerous times in various documents throughout his life but for reference purposes, "Lauren" has been used for this document.

Ch. MCDUGAL:

I. Lillian Estelle McDougal

b. 11 Apr 1885 Fort Fairfield

d. 21 May 1955 Plaster Rock, New Brunswick at 70yrs

m. 13 Aug 1901 Salmonhurst, New Brunswick

Walter Joseph Thibodeau

s/o Firmin Thibodeau & Nancy Mazerolle (Assumption Cemetery, Grand Falls, NB)

b. 12 June 1882 New Brunswick

d. 18 June 1976 Plaster Rock, New Brunswick

Ch. THIBODEAU:

1. Harry Thibodeau

b. 1905 New Brunswick

d.

2. Charles Thibodeau

b. 21 Oct 1906 New Brunswick

d. 12 Nov 1987

married Mary Witherly

3. Couth Thibodeau (Kenneth?)

b. 1908 New Brunswick

d.

4. Lewis Thibodeau
b. 1909 New Brunswick
d.
married Melvina Savoy

5. Donald Thibodeau
b. 10 Feb 1912 Limestone (noted as the 7th child)
d.

6. Roy Edward Thibodeau
b. 16 Mar 1913 Limestone (noted as the 8th child)
d. 1993 Perth, New Brunswick
married Isabel Marion Clark

7. Ralph Thibodeau
b. 24 Mar 1915 New Brunswick
d. 28 Sep 1924 Grand Falls, New Brunswick

8. Linwood Thibodeau
b. 1916 New Brunswick
d.

9. Anne Mary Thibodeau "Mary"
b. 8 Mar 1918 Plaster Rock, New Brunswick
d. 15 Jun 2003 New Brunswick (Alderwood Cemetery, Riverview, NB)
married Gerald Robert Burgess

10. Frederick Thibodeau "Freddie"
b. 1919 New Brunswick
d.

11. Raymond Walter Thibodeau
b. 16 Mar 1923 Plaster Rock, New Brunswick
d. 26 Aug 2006 Kitchener, Ontario, Canada
married Dora _____

12. Gordan Frances Thibodeau
b. 4 July 1925
d.

13. Maurice Thibodeau (?)
b.
d.

II. Ernest Sylvester McDougal, Sr
b. 15 Oct 1891 Limestone
d. 15 Dec 1965 Hartland (Pine Grove Cemetery) at 74yrs
m. 14 Nov 1914 Limestone
Valti Marie Ward

d/o Irdell Clark Ward & Laura M. Morris of Limestone

b. 8 Sept 1894 Limestone

d. 14 Apr 1967 Hartland (PG) at 72yrs

They were both born and raised in Limestone. Soon after they married, they moved to Woodland by 1919 then to Benton by C/1930. They moved to West Hartland in 1939.

“Ernest and Valti were known to many in Hartland, and especially those at the First Baptist Church, as Father McDougal and Mother McDougal. Their boys all called them Father and Mother, and the girls in the family called them Mama and Papa. Valti was the church organist for many years before her daughter took over for her.”

Ernest & Valti McDougal Family - 1939

1st Row: Marjorie Laura McDougal, Ernest Sylvester McDougal Jr., Mary Kathleen McDougal, Ernest Sylvester McDougal Sr., Valti Marie (Ward) McDougal, Louise Ward McDougal, Luther Gerald McDougal

2nd Row: Willis Marion McDougal, Cyrus Morris McDougal, Evelyn Estelle McDougal, Donald Alexander McDougal II, Warren Harding McDougal, Valti Leona McDougal



Ernest & Valti McDougal Family 1950

At their Family Reunion, the 1939 Family Photo was recreated except for Ernest, Jr who had passed away in 1945.

1st Row: Marjorie Laura McDougal, Mary Kathleen McDougal, Ernest Sylvester McDougal Sr, Valti Marie (Ward) McDougal, Louise Ward McDougal, Luther Gerald McDougal

2nd Row: Willis Marion McDougal, Cyrus Morris McDougal, Evelyn Estelle McDougal, Donald Alexander McDougal II, Warren Harding McDougal, Valti Leona McDougal



Ch. MCDUGAL:

1. Louise Ward McDougal

b. 8 Sept 1915 Limestone

d. 19 June 2011 Waterville () at 95yrs

m. 6 July 1942

Hugh A. McLeod

b. 11 July 1910 New Brunswick, Canada

d. 31 Aug 1982 Fort Fairfield

“Louise worked as a telephone operator, cashier, bank teller, potato harvester worker and bookkeeper but her favorite job was as librarian at Robert A. Frost Memorial Library in Limestone for thirteen years. She had a lifelong passion for mysteries and crossword puzzles. Louise was a member of the Limestone Civic Club and a past matron of the Eastern Star. With her beautiful alto voice, she was a member of the choir at the Limestone United Methodist Church for forty years. She sang solos and was a member of a quartet which sang all over Maine. After moving to Waterville in 1980, she was a member of the choir at Pleasant Street United Methodist Church.”

Ch. MCLEOD:

A) Bruce Robin McLeod

b.

m.

Linda _____

B) Grenda McLeod

b.

m.

Don Banton

C) Lorie McLeod

b.

m1.:

_____ White

m2.

Matt Garnett

2. Donald Alexander McDougal II

b. 7 May 1917 Limestone

d. 23 Jan 1992 Hartland (Fullers Corner Cemetery) at 74yrs

m. 29 Sep 1940

Viola Beatrice Hillman

d/o Cassie (Hillman) Hunt-Vickery (PG)

b. 19 May 1920

d. 16 Oct 1998 Hartland (FC) at 78yrs

Donald worked his farm in West Hartland during the war and at Irving Tannery. In the early 60's he attended Glen Cove Bible College and became an ordained Minister. He pastored churches in New Brunswick and Maine. Viola was raised in the home of her maternal grandparents Bruce Hillman & Georgia Augusta Stairs in West Hartland and graduated from Hartland Academy Class of 1939.

Ch. MCDOUGAL:

A) Donald James McDougal

b. 18 Aug 1941 Hartland

m1.

Donna Arnold

d/o Maurice Charles Arnold & Nellie Dorella LaFond

b. 1944 Grassmare, New Hampshire

d. 30 May 1996 Antioch, Tennessee (Palmyra Village Cemetery)

m2. 20 Aug 1983

Ann L. Vanbenthuisen

B) Sharon Ann McDougal

b. 18 Sep 1948 Hartland

m. Kenneth Lewis

3. Cyrus Morris McDougal "Cy"
b. 25 Oct 1918 Limestone
d. 10 Dec 1996 Dewey, Oklahoma (PG) at 77yrs
m. 1944 Ayer, Massachusetts

WWII U. S. Army

Helen May Higgins

WWII U. S. Army

d/o John Nelsen Higgins & Rosetta Pauline Becker

b. 2 Feb 1924 Kansas City, Kansas
d. 27 Aug 1999 Dewey, Oklahoma (Oak Hill Cemetery, Galena, Kansas)
After the war they settled in Kansas and raised their family.

Ch: MCDUGAL:

A) Barbara McDougal

b.

B) Rosetta McDougal

b.

C) Pauline M. McDougal

b.

4. Evelyn Estelle McDougal
b. 11 Dec 1919 Woodland
d. 5 July 2006 Hartland (PG) at 86yrs
m. 4 May 1941

Merle Linwood Blackden

b. 20 Nov 1920 Waterville
d. 22 Oct 1980 Powell, Kentucky (DeMotte Cemetery, DeMotte Indiana)

Evelyn and Merle lived for many years in Florida. After Merle's death, Evelyn moved back to Maine to be with her siblings. She lived with her sister Louise, also a widow at the time, for a number of years.

Ch. BLACKDEN:

A) Lee Blackden

b.

B) Owen Blackden

b.

m. 15 Aug 2014 Newport

Joyce Harding

C) Eric Blackden

b.

5. Warren Harding McDougal
b. 2 Nov 1920 Woodland
d. 21 Jan 2001 Augusta (Maine Veteran's Memorial Cemetery, Augusta) at 80yrs
m1. 29 June 1946

WWII U. S. Army Air Corps

Jacqueline G. Buker

d/o Lynn Buker & Grace Lary

b. 19 Nov 1923 Skowhegan

d. 28 Apr 1987 Augusta (Maine Veteran's Memorial Cemetery, Augusta w/Warren)

After the war, Warren worked at different jobs and then moved near Augusta, living in Winthrop and surrounding areas. He worked at the Togus Veteran's facility. She married 1st to Arland V. Stedman in 1942. She married 2nd to his Uncle, Oren F. Stedman in 1944. (See Stedman Family)

Ch. MCDOUGAL:

A) Jesse McDougal
b. 1948

B) Joel McDougal
b.

m2. 5 Sep 1992
Flora Ann Carr

6. Willis Marion McDougal "Bill"
b. 9 May 1922 Woodland
d. 4 July 2011 Hartland (PG) at 89yrs
m1. 1942 (divorced)
Violet Mae Hamilton
d/o Gay E. Hamilton & Ida Etta Maybelle Cole
b. 26 June 1923 Burnham
d. 24 Oct 2008 Ellsworth

WWII U. S. Army

Ch. MCDOUGAL:

A) Arlo Gene McDougal
b. 27 Aug 1944 Hartland
d. 10 Sept 1994 Palmyra (Palmyra Village Cemetery)
m.
Gene Evelyn Garnett

m2. 20 Apr 1946 Hartland
Charlotte Mae Gordon
d/o James Gordon, Sr & Edith Banks
b. 22 June 1924 Woodland
d. 26 Dec 2018 Hartland (PG) at 94yrs
"Bill retired from the Irving Tanning Company in Hartland after 33 years of service and was a member of the Hartland First Baptist Church for 55 years. Bill enjoyed being a Sunday School Teacher for many years and loved ministering to the teens. Charlotte was well-known in the community for her flower arrangements and especially her paintings. She taught art classes for years in the community and at the Hartland Christian School at the Hartland First Baptist Church. She graduated from Hartland Academy Class of 1943"

Ch. MCDOUGAL:

B) Craig Gordon McDougal
b. 16 Nov 1947 Hartland
d. 3 Apr 2010 Clinton
m.
Lulu Jane Fields

C) Ryan McDougal
b.

m.
Dianna Argraves

7. Valti Leona McDougal
b. 27 May 1923 Woodland
d. 2 June 2000 Billerica, Massachusetts (Central Cemetery, Dunstable, MA) at 77yrs
m. 4 July 1941 Hartland

Earle Fred Merrow (See Cookson Family)

s/o George Earle Merrow, Sr & Bertha Johnson (Earle's sister Vivian married Lloyd Cookson Sr)

b. 1 Apr 1917 Sangerville (noted as 3rd child)

d. 9 Aug 2011 Billerica, Massachusetts (Central Cemetery, Dunstable, MA) at 94yrs

She graduated from Hartland Academy in 1941 with her sister, Mary. Earle graduated Hartland Academy in 1935. "Earle was a Patent Draftsman for Raytheon in the Waltham and Lexington offices for 35 years and was a member of the First Congregational Church in Billerica where he was a former Deacon. He was Billerica's Oldest Boy Scout and was the former leader of Troop 55. Valti worked for more than 25 years at DeMoula's Family Markets. One NEVER saw Valti with a hair out of place, always looking cool and collected and almost always very calm. Almost."

Ch. MERROW:

A) Steven Merrow

b.

m.

Bernadette Henderson

B) Joan Merrow

b.

m.

Robert Stickney, Sr

C) Susan Merrow

b.

m1.

Fred Callinan

m2.

Robert Roy, Sr

m3.

Conrad Ancil

8. Mary Kathleen McDougal
b. 6 Aug 1924 Benton
d. 14 May 2018 Brewer (PG) at 93yrs old
m. 5 Dec 1947 Hartland

Malcolm Moore Burrell "Mickey"

WWII U. S. Army

s/o Frederick O. Burrell & Blanche Moore

b. 20 Oct 1925 Dover-Foxcroft

d. 2 Jan 2010 Palmyra (PG)

He graduated from Hartland Academy with Class of 1947 after returning from his service. She also graduated there with the Class of 1941. "Malcolm proudly served our country in the Army

during World War II. He received two Purple Hearts, the Victory Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Bronze Star Medal, and the European African Middle Eastern Theater Campaign Ribbon. He fought in the Battle of the Bulge, Crossing of the Rhine and the Ardennes. Mary and Mickey had 5 boys in short order and Mary was more than a match for them. They were taught to respect their mother by both their parents. Mary was the organist at the First Baptist Church for many years, taking over from her mother, Valti, after her years of service.”

Ch. BURRELL:

A) Malcolm Ivor Burrell

Vietnam U. S. Army

b. 11 Dec 1949

d. 4 July 2014 (PG)

m1. (divorced)

Patricia Heath

m2.

Cynthia Pearl Willey

d/o David Lawrence Willey & Noreen C. Russell

B) Michael Donlin Burrell

b. 14 June 1951 Palmyra

m. 13 June 1973 (divorced)

Patty Lou Cote

d/o Leo Allen Cote, Jr & Eleanor Katherine Brooker

b. 14 June 1955 Fort Fairfield

d. 16 Oct 2015 Bangor

C) Reagan Ernest Burrell

b.

m1.

m2.

Sandra _____

D) Sherwood Moore Burrell

b. 27 Nov 1954

d. Sept 1974 (PG)

E) Brian Allison Burrell

b.

m1.

_____ Godsoe (divorced)

m2.

Laurel Stewart

9. Ernest Sylvester McDougal, Jr

b. 27 Oct 1927 Benton

d. 7 May 1945 Hartland (PG) at 17yrs of Lukemia

He never married.

10. Marjorie Laura McDougal
b. 11 Oct 1931 Benton
d. 28 Aug 2016 Athens (St Albans Village Cemetery) at 84yrs
m. 3 Jan 1953

Wendell George Bubar
s/o Corey M. Bubar & Flora Emma Fletcher

b. 18 Dec 1926 St Albans

“They had a big Guernsey farm in St. Albans, working closely with the University of Maine and the Extension programs. They lost their original farm to fire and rebuilt both home and barns. She graduated from Hartland Academy Class of 1951 and Wendell in the Class of 1945. Marjorie worked alongside her husband many years on their dairy farm in St. Albans. She served as a substitute teacher in St. Albans and Hartland and worked as a certified nurse’s assistant for several years. She also volunteered for Hospice for 15 years. She was active in her home church, both at St. Albans Union Church and Hartland First Baptist, where she enjoyed playing the organ and singing in the choir.”

Ch. BUBAR:

A) Roger Wendell Bubar

b. 10 May 1953

m1.

Leila _____

B) Dennis Edward Bubar

b. 25 Nov 1954

m.

Nancy Jones

C) Ernest C. Bubar

b. 28 May 1956

d. 1 July 2011 New Sharon (St Albans Village Cemetery)

m.

Maureen _____

D) David Bubar

b. 7 Sept. 1958

m.

Laura Fields

E) Anna Marie Bubar

b. 7 Feb 1960

m1.

Richard Graff

m2.

James Wilber

F) Stephen Corey Bubar

b.

m1.

Robin Turner

m2.
Debbie Varisco

11. Luther Gerald McDougal
b. 10 Oct 1932 Benton
d. 14 Nov 2014 Hartland (Fullers Corner Cemetery) at 82yrs
m. 25 Apr 1953

Constance Shirley Clement "Connie" **(See Clement Family)**
d/o Byron Glenwood Clement & Fern Martha Woodard
b. 17 Oct 1936

"Luther worked in many departments of the tannery in Hartland for 34 years, during which time he worked evenings and weekends and attained his electrician's license. When he left the tannery, he was working as an electrician there. He then worked at Cianbro and then Pride Mfg. Connie worked as a waitress at different times in a few restaurants, at Northeast Shoe, and retired from the hot lunch program with SAD #48. They have been very involved at the Hartland First Baptist Church over the years. He was a Deacon, the Choir Director for years, a Sunday School teacher and a lay preacher. He and his brother Bill, and a friend had a jail ministry in Skowhegan back in the 1960's. Connie has also sung in the choir, taught Sunday School and was involved with the finance committee, the former Pioneer Girls program, and others."

Ch. MCDUGAL:

A) Colin Luther McDougal

b. 21 May 1953
m. 13 Nov 1976

Verdonna Lee Nichols
b. 4 Apr 1948

B) Catherine Elaine McDougal

b. 20 Sept 1955
m. 20 Sept 1975

Bruce Alan Johnson
b. 10 Mar 1952

C) Jay Allan McDougal

b. 14 May 1957
m1. 16 June 1978 (divorced)

Serena Marie Bemis
b. 11 Mar 1960

m2. 11 July 1987 (divorced)

Sandra Lee Bettencourt
b. 4 Oct 1966