

Eliza STEWART 1821- 1895

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STEWART Surname

Scottish (Lanarkshire) and English: originally an occupational name for an administrative official of an estate, from Middle English stiward, Old English stigweard, stīweard, a compound of stig 'house(hold)' + weard 'guardian'. In the Anglo-Saxon period this title was used of an officer controlling the domestic affairs of a household, especially of the royal household; after the Norman Conquest it was also used more widely as the native equivalent of Seneschal, for the steward of a manor or manager of an estate. In Scotland the term was also used of a magistrate originally appointed by the king to administer crown lands, forming a stewartry. (from FamilySearch website)

Ebenezer STEWART b1791

Eliza's father was Ebenezer STEWART, born in 1791 according to his burial record. I cannot find any record of his baptism or birth in this year, but there are a few in 1788. However, a baptism in 1791 is consistent with Ebeneser's age at death. Ebenezer married Lucy WILSON in 1817 in Hundleby, Lincolnshire. Ebenezer and Lucy had seven children, the third being Eliza, born in 1821, in Walsingham, Norfolk. Ebenezer was a Presbyterian minister, so he moved around a bit with his family. He only spent 20 years as a minister before dying at the young age of 40 years, in 1832, in Doncaster, Yorkshire.

Ebenezer married at the place marked 1, and died at 2.



Eliza STEWART b1821

Eliza STEWART was born in 1821 in Walsingham, Norfolk, which would have been in her father's parish at that time. According to various newspaper articles and notices, the family were in Loughborough for a time, which is where the KEIGHTLEY family lived. Eliza must have got to know Samuel KEIGHTLEY well, for they married in 1842, in Loughborough. This was well after her father died though. Eight years later, Samuel, Eliza and the family of four children were on a ship heading to South Australia. Once in Adelaide, they settled in Angaston and had another five children. Eliza died in 1895, in Adelaide.

The story continues in the KEIGHTLEY narrative, written previously.

You can read the KEIGHTLEY narrative here:

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Facebook Summary

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Eliza Wilson STEWART

♀ 1821 - 1895 (73 years)

Generation: 1

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1. Eliza Wilson STEWART was born on 14 Jul 1821 in Walsingham, Norfolk, England; was christened on 30 May 1821 in Walsingham, Norfolk, England (daughter of Ebenezer STEWART and Lucy WILSON); died on 16 May 1895 in Whitmore Square, Adelaide, South Australia, Australia.

Eliza married Samuel KEIGHTLEY on 13 Dec 1842 in Loughborough, Leicestershire, England. Samuel (son of John KEIGHTLEY and Eleanor PALMER) was born on 2 May 1818 in Thorpe Acre, Dishley, Leicestershire, England; died on 4 Jun 1878 in Napperby, South Australia, Australia. [[Group Sheet](#)] [[Family Chart](#)]

Children:

- i. John Charles KEIGHTLEY was born in 1843 in Leicester, Leicestershire, England; died on 8 Jan 1925 in Truro, South Australia, Australia; was buried in Truro, South Australia, Australia.
- ii. Caroline James KEIGHTLEY was born in 1845 in Loughborough, Leicestershire, England; died on 30 Dec 1906 in Frederick Street, Gilberton, South Australia, Australia.
- iii. Charles Stanford KEIGHTLEY was born on 21 Feb 1848 in Loughborough, Leicestershire, England; died on 4 Feb 1927 in Wakefield Street, Adelaide, South Australia, Australia; was buried in Methodist Cemetery, Warooka, South Australia, Australia.
- iv. Herbert KEIGHTLEY was born in 1850 in Nottingham, England; died on 5 Jun 1934 in South Perth, Western Australia, Australia.
- v. Stewart Palmer KEIGHTLEY was born on 20 Oct 1853 in Angaston, South Australia, Australia; died on 15 Apr 1887 in Whitmore Square, Adelaide, South Australia, Australia.
- vi. Clarendon KEIGHTLEY was born on 21 Jul 1856 in Angaston, South Australia, Australia; died on 28 Dec 1871 in Angaston, South Australia, Australia.
- vii. Angelina KEIGHTLEY was born on 9 May 1860 in Angaston, South Australia, Australia; died on 25 Jan 1861 in Angaston, South Australia, Australia.
- viii. Florence Eleanor KEIGHTLEY was born on 17 May 1862 in Angaston, South Australia, Australia; died on 20 Oct 1869 in Angaston, South Australia, Australia.
- ix. Stanley Morton KEIGHTLEY was born on 9 Mar 1864 in Angaston, South Australia, Australia; died on 14 Sep 1937 in Glenelg, South Australia, Australia.

Generation: 2

2. Ebenezer STEWART was born in 1791; died on 24 Jan 1832 in Doncaster, Yorkshire, England; was buried on 26 Jan 1832 in Doncaster, Yorkshire, England.

Ebenezer married Lucy WILSON on 14 Jan 1817 in Hundleby, Lincolnshire, England. Lucy was born in 1791. [[Group Sheet](#)] [[Family Chart](#)]

3. Lucy WILSON was born in 1791.

Children:

- i. Lucy Weatherall STEWART was born in 1817; was christened on 4 Jun 1826 in London, Middlesex, England.
- ii. Ebenezer STEWART was born in 1819; was christened on 7 Apr 1820 in New Buckenham, Norfolk, England.
- iii. 1. Eliza Wilson STEWART was born on 14 Jul 1821 in Walsingham, Norfolk, England; was christened on 30 May 1821 in Walsingham, Norfolk, England; died on 16 May 1895 in Whitmore Square, Adelaide, South Australia, Australia.
- iv. Emma STEWART was born on 13 Aug 1822; was christened on 4 Jun 1826 in Diss, Norfolk, England.
- v. George Booth STEWART was born in 1824; was christened on 4 Jun 1826 in Diss, Norfolk, England.
- vi. Alfred STEWART was born in 1826.
- vii. William STEWART was born on 29 May 1829 in Loughborough, Leicestershire, England; was christened on 23 Aug 1829 in Loughborough, Leicestershire, England.

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