

# *Descendants of David O. THOMAS*

## *Generation No. 1*

1. DAVID O.<sup>3</sup> THOMAS (*JOHN J.<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born 09 May 1852 in Scranton, Luzerne Co., Pa.<sup>1</sup>, and died 11 Jul 1923 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>1</sup>. He married JENNIE GRIFFITHS ca. 1874, daughter of WILLIAM GRIFFITHS and MARY HUMPHREY. She was born 17 Nov 1852 in England (parents were Welsh)<sup>2</sup>, and died 08 Feb 1914 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>3</sup>.

More About DAVID O. THOMAS:

Burial: 14 Jul 1923, Washburn St. Cemetery, Scranton Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>4</sup>

More About JENNIE GRIFFITHS:

Burial: 11 Feb 1914, Washburn St. Cemetery, Scranton Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>5</sup>

Children of DAVID THOMAS and JENNIE GRIFFITHS are:

2. i. GERTRUDE<sup>4</sup> THOMAS, b. Jan 1875, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.; d. 17 Jun 1941, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
3. ii. WILLIAM GRIFFITH THOMAS, b. 04 Jul 1878, Scranton, Luzerne Co., Pa.; d. 05 Feb 1946, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
- iii. MILDRED THOMAS, b. Dec 1881, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>6</sup>; d. 28 Jan 1933, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>7</sup>; m. (1) HARRY WARREN; m. (2) CLAUSER.

More About MILDRED THOMAS:

Burial: Washburn St Cemetery, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa

4. iv. MAUD L. THOMAS, b. Dec 1883, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa..
5. v. CHESTER A. THOMAS, b. Mar 1886, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa..
6. vi. ALFRED W. THOMAS, b. Jul 1889, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa..
7. vii. ARJA THOMAS, b. Mar 1893, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.; d. 17 Jun 1941, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
8. viii. EBENEZER R. THOMAS, b. Feb 1896, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa..

## *Generation No. 2*

2. GERTRUDE<sup>4</sup> THOMAS (*DAVID O.<sup>3</sup>, JOHN J.<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born Jan 1875 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>8</sup>, and died 17 Jun 1941 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>9</sup>. She married WALTER HUNT. He was born ca. 1877 in Pennsylvania<sup>10</sup>.

More About GERTRUDE THOMAS:

Burial: 19 Jun 1941, Shady Lane Cemetery, Chinchilla, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>11</sup>

Children of GERTRUDE THOMAS and WALTER HUNT are:

- i. JENNIE M.<sup>5</sup> HUNT, b. ca. 1913<sup>12</sup>.
- ii. BERTHA HUNT, b. ca. 1915<sup>12</sup>.
- iii. CHESTER DAVIS HUNT.

3. WILLIAM GRIFFITH<sup>4</sup> THOMAS (*DAVID O.<sup>3</sup>, JOHN J.<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born 04 Jul 1878 in Scranton, Luzerne Co., Pa.<sup>13</sup>, and died 05 Feb 1946 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>14</sup>. He married SARAH MORGAN 26 Jun 1901 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>15</sup>, daughter of DAVID MORGAN and MARY BISP. She was born 20 Dec 1878 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>15</sup>, and died 02 Dec 1963 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>16</sup>.

More About WILLIAM GRIFFITH THOMAS:

Burial: 08 Feb 1946, Washburn St. Cemetery, Scranton Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>17</sup>

Children of WILLIAM THOMAS and SARAH MORGAN are:

- i. CLARENCE<sup>5</sup> THOMAS, b. ca. 1902<sup>18</sup>; d. 24 May 1926<sup>19</sup>.
- ii. WILLARD THOMAS, b. ca. 1904<sup>20</sup>; d. 26 May 1977, Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>21</sup>; m. HELEN SMITH.
9. iii. ELSIE THOMAS, b. 1906; d. 28 Oct 1974, Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa.
10. iv. DOROTHY THOMAS, b. 08 Jun 1915, Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa; d. 29 May 1997, Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa.
11. v. WILLIAM D. THOMAS, b. 22 Jun 1928, Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa.

4. MAUD L.<sup>4</sup> THOMAS (*DAVID O.<sup>3</sup>, JOHN J.<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born Dec 1883 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>22</sup>. She married FRED R. SULLIVAN. He was born ca. 1879<sup>23</sup>.

Children of MAUD THOMAS and FRED SULLIVAN are:

- i. MILDRED<sup>5</sup> SULLIVAN, b. ca. 1906<sup>23</sup>.
- ii. JOHN SULLIVAN, b. ca. 1908<sup>23</sup>.
- iii. JEAN SULLIVAN, b. ca. 1910<sup>23</sup>.
- iv. ALFRED SULLIVAN, b. ca. 1918<sup>23</sup>.

5. CHESTER A.<sup>4</sup> THOMAS (*DAVID O.<sup>3</sup>, JOHN J.<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born Mar 1886 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>24</sup>. He married TYDUIL JONES. She was born ca. 1893<sup>25</sup>.

Children of CHESTER THOMAS and TYDUIL JONES are:

- i. JOSEPHINE<sup>5</sup> THOMAS, b. ca. 1914<sup>25</sup>.
- ii. DAVID THOMAS, b. ca. 1918<sup>25</sup>.
- iii. WILLIAM THOMAS, b. ca. 1920<sup>25</sup>.
- iv. CHESTER THOMAS, b. ca. 1922<sup>25</sup>.
- v. JEANNE THOMAS, b. ca. 1924<sup>25</sup>.
- vi. JOHN THOMAS, b. ca. 1926<sup>25</sup>.

6. ALFRED W.<sup>4</sup> THOMAS (*DAVID O.<sup>3</sup>, JOHN J.<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born Jul 1889 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>26</sup>. He married STELLA LANCE. She was born ca. 1892<sup>27</sup>.

Children of ALFRED THOMAS and STELLA LANCE are:

- i. VIRGINIA<sup>5</sup> THOMAS, b. ca. 1918<sup>27</sup>.
- ii. ALFRED J. THOMAS, b. ca. 1919<sup>27</sup>.
- iii. DORIS THOMAS, b. ca. 1922<sup>27</sup>.

7. ARJA<sup>4</sup> THOMAS (*DAVID O.<sup>3</sup>, JOHN J.<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born Mar 1893 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>28</sup>, and died 17 Jun 1941 in Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>29</sup>. He married ANNETTE SIMS. She was born ca. 1899 in Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>30</sup>, and died 20 Nov 1975 in Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>31</sup>.

More About ARJA THOMAS:

Burial: 20 Jun 1941, Washburn St. Cemetery, Scranton Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>32</sup>

Child of ARJA THOMAS and ANNETTE SIMS is:

- i. WARREN<sup>5</sup> THOMAS, b. ca. 1923<sup>33</sup>; d. 09 Sep 1970<sup>34</sup>.

8. EBENEZER R.<sup>4</sup> THOMAS (*DAVID O.<sup>3</sup>, JOHN J.<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born Feb 1896 in Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>35</sup>. He married CATHERINE PHILLIPS. She was born ca. 1900<sup>36</sup>.

More About EBENEZER R. THOMAS:

Fact 1: 1930, living on Amhurst St, Scranton, Ward 22

Fact 2: Roll 2055 Book 1, Page 221b, 1930 Census

Children of EBENEZER THOMAS and CATHERINE PHILLIPS are:

- i. ANITA<sup>5</sup> THOMAS, b. ca. 1919<sup>36</sup>; m. THOMAS ARGUST.

More About ANITA THOMAS:

Fact 1: 1930, 11 years old in 1930 census

- ii. AUDREY THOMAS, b. ca. 1926<sup>36</sup>; m. ANDREW ZOWE.

More About AUDREY THOMAS:

Fact 1: 1930, 4 years old in 1930 census

- iii. EBENEZER THOMAS, b. ca. 1929<sup>36</sup>.

More About EBENEZER THOMAS:

Fact 1: 1930, 1 1/12 years old in 1930 census

### *Generation No. 3*

**9.** ELSIE<sup>5</sup> THOMAS (*WILLIAM GRIFFITH<sup>4</sup>, DAVID O.<sup>3</sup>, JOHN J.<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1906<sup>37</sup>, and died 28 Oct 1974 in Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>38</sup>. She married CHARLES WHITE.

Child of ELSIE THOMAS and CHARLES WHITE is:

- i. SALLY MAY<sup>6</sup> WHITE, b. 13 Oct 1936.

**10.** DOROTHY<sup>5</sup> THOMAS (*WILLIAM GRIFFITH<sup>4</sup>, DAVID O.<sup>3</sup>, JOHN J.<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born 08 Jun 1915 in Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>39</sup>, and died 29 May 1997 in Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>39</sup>. She married JOHN DIXON SHAW, son of CHARLES SHAW and GWENNIE BROWN. He was born 07 May 1904 in Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>39</sup>, and died 25 Jan 1987 in Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>39</sup>.

More About JOHN DIXON SHAW:

Burial: 28 Jan 1987, Washburn St. Cemetery, Scranton Lackawanna Co., Pa.<sup>39</sup>

Children of DOROTHY THOMAS and JOHN SHAW are:

- i. ARLENE<sup>6</sup> SHAW.
- ii. JOHN WILLARD SHAW.
- iii. THOMAS EDWARD SHAW.
- iv. WILLARD DAVID SHAW.
- v. RONALD SHAW, b. 03 Mar 1947, Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>40</sup>; m. CATHERINE ANN MARTIN, 05 Sep 1970<sup>40</sup>; b. 23 Sep 1947, New York City, New York<sup>40</sup>.
- vi. RICHARD SHAW, b. 1949, Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>40</sup>; d. 11 Mar 1949, Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>40</sup>.
- vii. GLEN SHAW.
- viii. ALAN GARY SHAW.
- ix. LAURIE JOY SHAW, b. 05 Nov 1957, Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>40</sup>; m. BRIAN STEINMETZ; b. 10 Aug 1957, Easton, Northampton Co., Pa<sup>40</sup>.

**11.** WILLIAM D.<sup>5</sup> THOMAS (*WILLIAM GRIFFITH<sup>4</sup>, DAVID O.<sup>3</sup>, JOHN J.<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born 22 Jun 1928 in Scranton, Lackawana Co., Pa<sup>41</sup>. He married ENID STUART 03 Aug 1953 in St. Johns Church, Aberdare, Wales<sup>41</sup>. She was born 22 Apr 1928 in Aberdare, Wales.

Child of WILLIAM THOMAS and ENID STUART is:

- i. ANN<sup>6</sup> THOMAS, b. 19 Apr 1966<sup>41</sup>.

## *Endnotes*

1. Death Certificate of David O. Thomas, file no. 80598, Pa. Department of Health.
2. 1900 Census, 4th Ward, 2nd District, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa & information from descendant Tom Shaw.
3. Obituary of Jennie Thomas, Scranton Republican, 9 Feb 1914.
4. Death Certificate of David O. Thomas, file no. 80598, Pa. Department of Health.
5. Obituary of Jennie Thomas, Scranton Times, 9 Feb 1914.
6. 1900 Census, 4th Ward, 2nd District, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
7. Obituary of Mildred Warren, Scranton Republican, 28 Jan 1933.
8. 1900 Census, 4th Ward, 2nd District, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
9. Obituary of Gertrude Hunt, Scranton Times, 18 June 1941.
10. 1920 Census, 4th Ward, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
11. Obituary of Gertrude Hunt, Scranton Times, 18 June 1941.
12. 1920 Census, 4th Ward, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
13. Date provided by grandson Tom Shaw.
14. Obituary of William G. Thomas, Scranton Times, 5 Feb 1946.
15. Date provided by grandson Tom Shaw.
16. Date of death provided by grandson Tom Shaw.
17. Obituary of William G. Thomas, Scranton Times, 8 Feb 1946.
18. 1920 Census, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
19. Date provided by family member Tom Shaw.
20. 1920 Census, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
21. Date provided by family member Tom Shaw.
22. 1900 Census, 4th Ward, 2nd District, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
23. 1930 Census, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
24. 1900 Census, 4th Ward, 2nd District, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
25. 1930 Census, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
26. 1900 Census, 4th Ward, 2nd District, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
27. 1930 Census, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
28. 1900 Census, 4th Ward, 2nd District, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
29. Obituary of Arja Thomas, Scranton Times, 18 June 1941.
30. 1930 Census, 1st Ward, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
31. Date provided by family member Tom Shaw.
32. Obituary of Arja Thomas, Scranton Times, 18 June 1941.
33. 1930 Census, 1st Ward, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
34. Date provided by family member Tom Shaw.
35. 1900 Census, 4th Ward, 2nd District, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
36. 1930 Census, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
37. 1920 Census, Scranton, Lackawanna Co., Pa.
38. Date provided by family member Tom Shaw.
39. Date provided by son Tom Shaw.
40. Date provided by brother Tom Shaw.
41. Date provided by family member Tom Shaw.