

# Maria Churchill's Descendants (some, anyway)

**N. N. Watt  
& Maria Churchill**

**Maria Watt**  
b. ca 1787, Shoreham, Worcs  
d. aft 1855  
& Thomas Coster  
b. ca 1782, Derry, Wiltshire  
d. aft 1855

**Maria Churchill Coster**  
b. 2 Apr 1819  
d. 5 Mar 1906  
1st dau.  
& Sir Henry Edwards Bart  
b. 20 Jul 1812, Halifax, Yorks  
d. 23 Apr 1886  
3rd s. 1st bt: 1866. MP. Merchant, JP, DL.  
m. 19 Apr 1838, Marylebone district, London

**Thomas Oliver Watts Coster**  
1816-1886  
2 sons, 2 daus.  
Any descendants not yet found.

**Eliza Coster**  
b. ca 1821, St George's parish, Southwark  
d. 25 Jul 1879, Harefield House, Bitterne, South Stoneham, Hants  
Widow of Arthur Grant of Monymusk (with 2 children).  
& Commander Arthur Grant RN  
b. aft 1795  
d. Apr 1850, Rochford district, Essex  
Only s.  
m. 13 Apr 1848, Marylebone district, London

**Eliza Coster**  
b. ca 1821, St George's parish, Southwark  
d. 25 Jul 1879, Harefield House, Bitterne, South Stoneham, Hants  
Widow of Arthur Grant of Monymusk (with 2 children).  
& William Stedman Gillett  
b. 6 Aug 1800, London St Pancras, Mx  
d. 21 Jan 1886, Harefield House, Bitterne, South Stoneham, Hants  
Of Harefield, South Stoneham, Southampton. Land owner.  
m. 19 Jun 1855, Trinity Church, St Marylebone, Mx

**Sir Henry Coster Lea Edwards Bart**  
b. 3 Jun 1840, Halifax district, W Yorks  
d. 5 Dec 1896, Wellington district, Somerset  
1st s. and 2nd bt.  
& Laura Selina Clark  
b. abt 1855  
d. 24 Mar 1919  
2nd dau. of John Capes Clark of Bridgefoot House, Over, Bucks.  
m. 29 Sep 1887, Eton district, Berks

**Sir Arthur Henry Grant Bart**  
b. 24 Apr 1849, Southend, Essex  
d. 1 Mar 1917  
9th bt. Major in Hants Yeomen Cavalry.  
& Mary Douglas  
1st dau.  
m. 10 Oct 1878, South Stoneham district, Hants

**Mary Hodgson Gillett**  
b. 18 Sep 1856, Ham, Kingston, Surrey  
d. 9 Feb 1947, 70 Porchester Rd, Boumemouth, Hants  
Only dau and eventual heir.  
& Canon Henry Eden Trotter (bom BROWN)  
b. 2 Jun 1844, Wimbledon, Surrey  
d. 4 Jul 1922, 4 East Avenue, Boumemouth  
4th s. but 2nd surv and eventual heir in his issue. Vicar, rector and canon.  
m. 19 Apr 1877, St Peter's church, Pimlico, Mx

**Sir (Henry) Charles Serrell Priestley Edwards Bart**  
b. 1 Mar 1893, Christchurch district, Hants  
d. 3 Apr 1963, Kensington district, London  
2nd s. 4th bt.  
& Daphne Marjory Hilda Birt  
b. 30 Apr 1908, West Kensington, London  
d. Oct 1998, Wandsworth district, London  
1st dau. of Wm Birt of Kensington.  
m. 26 Apr 1935, Kensington district, London

**Sir Arthur Grant Bart**  
b. 14 Sep 1879  
d. 21 Jun 1931  
10th bt. Col 5th Bn Gordon Highlanders. DSO.  
& Evelyn Alice Lindsay Wood  
Yst dau.

**Lilian Frances Gillett Trotter**  
b. 17 Feb 1887, The Vicarage, Ardington, Berks  
d. 6 Nov 1951, Belle Heather, Branagint, Christchurch, Hants  
3rd dau. President of English Elkhound Society. Heir. in her issue, to bro. Arthur.  
& Reginald Cecil Lybbe Powys-Lybbe (bom POWYS)  
b. 12 Aug 1881, 71 rue Tour Notre Dame, Boulogne sur Mer, France  
d. 25 Mar 1930, Rectory Farm, Streatley, Berks  
1st s. Benefactor. 1914 Star in WW1. Special Constable.  
m. 12 May 1908, St Mary's, Whitchurch, Oxon

**Sir Christopher John Churchill Edwards Bart**  
b. 16 Aug 1941, Cirencester dist. Glos  
1st s. 5th bt. Company Manager and Director (In USA).

**Sir Francis Cullen Grant Bart**  
b. 5 Oct 1914  
d. 31 Aug 1966  
12th bt. Capt in RE in WW2.  
& Jean Margherita Tollemache

**Antony Powys-Lybbe**  
b. 29 Jun 1909, Rectory Farm, Streatley, Berks  
d. 10 May 2004, Raynor's, Hyde Heath, Bucks  
bur. 14 May 2004, The Lawn Cemetery, Chorleywood, Herts  
Only s. Piano tuner. Motor racing driver. Lt Col in R Signals in WW2.  
& Rosemary Priscilla Ferrand  
b. 30 Aug 1912, Morland Hall, Alton, Hants  
d. 19 Jul 1987, Whiteway House Nursing Home, Winterbourne Steepleton, Dorchester  
2nd dau. Violinist, music teacher at St Bernards Slough.  
m. 27 Nov 1937, St Mary's, Woolhampton, Berks

**Sir Archibald Grant Bart**  
b. 2 Sep 1954  
13th bt. Of Monymusk, Aberdeens.

**Timothy (b. 1938), Martin (1940), Olivia (1943), David (1946), and Rosalind (1947) Powys-Lybbe,**  
between them 8 children and (in 2012) 6 grandchildren.