## **First Generation**

1. **Thomas RYAN (caution: not verified)** was born (date unknown). I believe that Thomas and his wife, Bridget (née Healy), were the parents of Loughlin Ryan, a great-great-grandfather of my husband, Joe Gordon, because a baptism record has been located for a Loughlin Ryan, son of Thomas Ryan and Bridget Healy, who was baptised in Leighbridge on 25 March 1822. For various reasons (see my notes on Loughlin). I believe this Loughlin was Joe's great-great-grandfather but because I have no proof, I have added a caution beside the names of Thomas and Bridget.

Ryan is one of the most common surnames in Ireland. The vast majority of Ryans today are descended from the family of 'Ó Maoilriagháin', meaning 'descendant of a devotee of St. Riaghan'. In Co. Carlow and adjoining areas, Ryan may also derive from 'Ó Riagháin'. From their origin in the barony of Idrone in Co. Carlow, the Ó Riagháins spread widely into the adjoining counties of Wexford and Kilkenny.

**Bridget HEALY (caution: not verified)** was born (date unknown).

Thomas RYAN and Bridget HEALY had the following child:

+2 i **Loughlin RYAN**, born POSSIBLY ABOUT 25 MAR 1822, probably Co. Carlow; died 10 Jul 1887, Garryhill, Co. Carlow.

## **Second Generation**

2. **Loughlin RYAN** (Thomas-1) was born in POSSIBLY ABOUT 25 MAR 1822 in probably Co. Carlow. He was baptized possibly 25 Mar 1822 in Leighlinbridge, Co. Carlow. He died on 10 Jul 1887 in Garryhill, Co. Carlow. A Loughlin Ryan, son of Thomas Ryan and Bridget Healy, was baptised in Leighbridge on 25 March 1822. Given that the date ties in with our Loughlin's approximate year of birth of 1884 (extrapolated from his death record) and the proximity of Leighlinbridge to Garryhill where we believe our Loughlin to have been born, it is likely that the Loughlin Ryan baptised in March 1822 was our Loughlin above.

According to the Myshall and Drumphea Parish website, www.myshalldrumphea.com, Loughlin was hedge school master in the Garryhill area in the 1840s until Lord Bessborough of Garryhill House built a National and Agricultural School in Garryhill, where Loughlin was headmaster until his retirement in 1886. Loughlin's son Malachy and grandson John would also teach at this school.

The Myshall and Drumphea site also tells us that Loughlin was a skilled farmer. "He was awarded several prizes in agriculture, such as best cultivated tillage farm in 1854 presented by the Idrone Farming Society, also best root crop in 1854 and again in 1856, both presented by the Co. Carlow Agricultural Society". And The Freeman's Journal of 12 December 1863 tells us that "the third prize [in the second class of a national exhibition of produce from school farms] was awarded to Mr. Loughlin Ryan, Garryhill school farm. This though a small collection, contained a very fine collection of swedes. Garryhill is one of the five national schools on Lord Bessborough's property having agricultural schools attached to them".

Loughlin retired from teaching in July 1886 due to ill health. He died just a year later aged about 63. His death record tells us that he died of "Stricture of Urethra with Cystisis". His daughter-in-law Mary Ryan (presumably Malachy's wife) was present at the death.

**Bridget NOLAN** was born about 1815 in possibly Garryhill area, Co. Carlow. She died on 9 Apr 1886 at the age of 71 in Garryhill, Co. Carlow. It is not known if Bridget and her husband, Loughlin, had more children

besides Malachy below.

Bridget died of pneumonia, from which she had suffered for seven days, according to her death record Her son, Malachy, was present at her death. Her husband, Loughlin, outlived her by only 15 months.

The Nolan surname is very common throughout Ireland, especially in the south-east. It is strongly linked to the Carlow area where it is an anglicised form of O Nualláin. The prevalence of the name in counties Mayo and Galway is explained by the migration of a branch of the Carlow family there in the sixteenth century. There was also a separate Ó hUallacháin family from west Cork, whose name was also anglicised as Nolan. Given the above it is almost certain that Bridget was descended from the Carlow Nolans. Unfortunately it is not known where she was born. However, given that rural people tended to marry into local families in 19th century Ireland, and that Bridget married someone who was probably living in Garryhill at the time, it is possible that she was born in the Garryhill area.

Loughlin RYAN and Bridget NOLAN had the following child:

i **Malachy RYAN**, born abt 1850, probably Garryhill, Co. Carlow; married Mary MURPHY, 21 Jun 1887, Fairview, Dublin; died 28 Mar 1924, Garryhill, Co. Carlow.

## **Third Generation**

3. **Malachy RYAN** (Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born about 1850 in probably Garryhill, Co. Carlow. He died on 28 Mar 1924 at the age of 74 in Garryhill, Co. Carlow. He was buried in probably Drumphea Cemetery, Co. Carlow. It is not known if Malachy had siblings.

Like his father before him, Malachy was headmaster of Garryhill School, a primary school located about 100 yards from the cottage where Malachy was living (in Knocklonogad?). Malachy also taught Greek and Latin to students wishing to study for the priesthood. He and his family also ran the local post office, and it appears he also took over the Knocklonogad farm of the family of his wife, Mary.

According to the 1911 census, Malachy and Mary had been married 23 years and had six children born alive, all six of whom were alive at the time of the census.

Malachy's death record tells us that he died of "senile decay". Malachy RYAN and Mary MURPHY were married on 21 Jun 1887 in Fairview, Dublin.

**Mary MURPHY**, daughter of John William MURPHY and Mary MCDONALD, was born about 29 Mar 1857 in Knocklonogad, Garryhill, Co. Carlow. She was christened on 29 Mar 1857 in Myshall, Co. Carlow. She died on 2 Apr 1932 at the age of 75 in Garryhill, Co. Carlow. Mary was buried in Drumphea Cemetery, Co. Carlow. Sponsors at Mary's christening were John MacDonald and Margaret MacDonald.

Mary died of stomach cancer.

Malachy RYAN and Mary MURPHY had the following children:

i **Loughlin RYAN** was born on 19 May 1888 in Garryhill, Co. Carlow. He was christened on 20 May 1888 in Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow. He died on 21 Sep 1955 at the age of 67 in Knocklonogad, Garryhill, Co. Carlow. Loughlin was buried in Drumphea Church Cemetery, Co. Carlow. Sponsors at Loughlin's baptism were Michael Nolan and Bridget Murphy.

Loughlin, who never married, farmed in Knocklonogad in Garryhill.

**John RYAN** was born about 6 Apr 1890 in Garryhill, Co. Carlow. He was christened on 6 Apr 1890 in Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow. He died on 2 Apr 1916 at the age of 25 in Garryhill, Co. Carlow. Sponsors at John's baptism were Patrick Murphy and Anne McNally.

John became a primary school teacher and had been teaching at Garryhill School for just one year before his death just short of his 26th birthday. His death record tells us he died of "tubercular arthritis" from which he had been suffering for one year, and "anaemia and exhaustion".

6 iii **Bridget (Bridie) RYAN (Sr. Gertrude)** was born about 13 Mar 1892 in Garryhill, Co. Carlow. She was christened on 13 Mar 1892 in Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow. She died on 4 Oct 1969 at the age of 77 in St. Leo's Convent of Mercy, Carlow. Bridget held the title of (Sr. Gertrude). She was buried in St. Mary's Cemetery, Carlow. Sponsors at Bridie's baptism were Michael Kelly and Bridget Hogan.

Bridie entered the convent, joining the Mercy order and becoming Sr. Gertrude. She lived in Carlow.

- +7 iv **Thomas (Tom) Patrick RYAN**, born abt 22 Jul 1894, Garryhill, Co. Carlow; married Eileen Florence COLLINS, 28 Sep 1927, Church of the Most Holy Redeemer, Bray, Co. Wicklow; died 23 Feb 1941, Dublin.
- +8 v Mary Brigid RYAN, born 24 Mar 1898, Garryhill, Co. Carlow; married Stephen Joseph HUSSEY, 28 Aug 1922, Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow; died 18 Nov 1950, 'Ui Breasail', Roebuck Road, Clonskeagh, Co. Dublin.
- +9 vi **Patrick (Paddy) L. RYAN**, born abt 21 Oct 1900, Garryhill, Co. Carlow; married Cecilia (Stanzie) KEALY, 12 Aug 1931, Church of Ss Peter and Paul, Killinierin, Co. Wexford; died 16 Apr 1973, Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow.

# **Fourth Generation**

7. **Thomas (Tom) Patrick RYAN** (Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born about 22 Jul 1894 in Garryhill, Co. Carlow. He was christened on 22 Jul 1894 in Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow. He died on 23 Feb 1941 at the age of 46 in Dublin. Sponsors at Tom's baptism were James Nolan and Pauline Kearney.

Tom was a Customs and Excise officer. He and his wife, Eileen, and their family lived at 30 Wilfield Road, Ballsbridge, Dublin.

Thomas (Tom) Patrick RYAN and Eileen Florence COLLINS were married on 28 Sep 1927 in Church of the Most Holy Redeemer, Bray, Co. Wicklow.

**Eileen Florence COLLINS**, daughter of John COLLINS and Catherine (Kate) DOWLING, was born on 1 Jan 1899 in Lucan, Co. Dublin. She died on 3 Nov 1980 at the age of 81 in Hazeldene Nursing Home, Sandymount, Dublin. Eileen, who was one of 13 children, grew up at The Grange, Lucan, Co. Dublin. She became a teacher.

Thomas (Tom) Patrick RYAN and Eileen Florence COLLINS had the following children:

- i **Malachy RYAN** was born on 11 Jul 1928 in Dublin. He died on 31 Jan 2015 at the age of 86 in Sandymount, Dublin. He was buried in Glasnevin Cemetery, Dublin. Malachy, who never married, lived in Sandymount, Dublin.
- 11 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- +12 iii **Philomena (Phil) Mary RYAN**, born 3 Jul 1931, Dublin; married Anthony (Tony)
  Augustine SWEENEY, 23 Jul 1955, Church of Our Lady, Sandymount, Dublin; died 12 Jan 2023, Co. Dublin.

John (Sean) RYAN, born 1940, Dublin; died 2 Jun 2001, Dublin.



8. **Mary Brigid RYAN** (Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born on 24 Mar 1898 in Garryhill, Co. Carlow. She was christened on 27 Mar 1898 in Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow. She died on 18 Nov 1950 at the age of 52 in 'Ui Breasail', Roebuck Road, Clonskeagh, Co. Dublin. Mary was buried in Glasnevin Cemetery, Dublin. Sponsors at Mary's christening were Gerald Kearney and Clare O'Reilly.

Mary was educated at the Loreto Secondary School on Dublin's St. Stephen's Green. After leaving school, Mary went to England and joined the Post Office Section of the British Civil Service in the Brook Green/Kensington area of London.

Mary and her London-born future husband, Stephen Hussey, met at a local dance in west London. In comparision to his six-foot frame, five-foot-tall Mary was tiny. In 1921, about a year before their marriage, Stephen visited Ireland for the first time when Mary brought him to meet her family in Co. Carlow. After they married, Mary and Stephen lived at 214 Du Cane Road, East Acton, and later at 12 Ullswater Road (which Stephen designed and built) in Barnes in London.

Around 1948, after her eldest three daughters had moved to Ireland, Mary brought Brigie, the youngest, to Dublin to join her sisters. Mary's plan was to help her daughters settle in to the new home she and Stephen and just bought for them in Clonskeagh (named 'Ui Breasail' by Mary after the mythological island of Celtic folklore) after which she would return to London. However, while in Ireland she began to feel unwell and it was discovered she had cancer. Sadly, she never made it back to London, and died in Dublin in November 1950 aged only 52.

The cause of Mary's death was "carcinoma of colon (18 months)" and "metastasis of ovaries" (nine months)" Mary Brigid RYAN and Stephen Joseph HUSSEY were married on 28 Aug 1922 in Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow. Witnesses to the marriage were Seamus Galvin (a first cousin of Stephen's), Anne M. Hussey (probably Stephen's sister Nan) and William Hussey (probably Stephen's uncle William).



**Stephen Joseph HUSSEY**, son of James HUSSEY and Jane Frances BUTLER, was born on 25 Jul 1895 in Hammersmith, London. He died on 7 Sep 1978 at the age of 83 in Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin. He was buried in Glasnevin Cemetery, Dublin. Stephen grew up in Hammersmith, Kensington and Chelsea. Money was short, and he had to leave school at the age of 11 or 12 to help financially in the upbringing of his younger brothers and sisters. He is listed, aged 15, in the 1911 census as a builder's clerk.

In 1914, at the beginning of World War I, Stephen joined the Royal Engineers Regiment of the British Army - the 'sappers', as they were known - and was sent to France. Sappers endured the most atrocious conditions and were always the last to leave an area when a retreat was taking place, blowing up roads and bridges behind them so as to

slow up pursuit by enemy forces. During one such British evacuation, Stephen carried a wounded man to safety on his back, under gunfire, and was awarded the Military Medal.

After the war, Stephen was trained as a builder by his grandfather, Thomas Hussey, and his uncle, Will Hussey. Stephen later formed a partnership with a Mr. Worman (Worman and Hussey), eventually setting up his own building company, Hussey Bros. (Builders) Ltd., on Queensway, Bayswater, London, with his brothers, Martin and Austin. The company was mostly involved in the building of churches, schools and convents, and for many years, Hussey Bros. had a maintenance contract with Westminster Cathedral. During World War II, once the German air assault on London started, the brothers worked mostly under official government contract on emergency repair and safety building work. After the war, the company built several

modern churches.

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In 1947, Stephen and his wife, Mary, decided that their daughters would be better off living in Ireland, and so the girls moved to Dublin, the plan being that Stephen and Mary would initially remain in London and eventually retire to Dublin. Stephen and Mary sold their home in Barnes, moved into a flat over the premises of Hussey Bros. in Bayswater, and purchased a house on Roebuck Road in Clonskeagh for their daughters. However, on an extended visit to the girls in Dublin in 1950 Mary became ill and died without ever returning to London.

After Mary's death, Stephen visited Dublin more and more frequently. In 1957, with Maureen married, and Una and Brigie engaged to be married, he decided to sell the house on Roebuck Road, and a smaller house, at 14 Cedarmount Road in Mount Merrion, was purchased. In the 1960s Stephen retired to Dublin, and for the remainder of his life he lived with his daughter Sheila on Cedarmount Road.

Stephen died aged 83 of myocardial ischaemia with atherosclerosis, along with carcinoma of the stomach, at St. Michael's Hospital, Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin.

Stephen Joseph HUSSEY and Mary Brigid RYAN had the following children:

+14 i **Maureen Brigid HUSSEY**, born 5 Jul 1924, St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington, London; married Cormac GORDON, 4 Sep 1951, Dundrum, Dublin; died 19 Mar 1995, Mount Merrion, Dublin.

ii Sheila HUSSEY was born on 2 Jan 1927 in East Acton, London. She died on 27 Jun 2003



at the age of 76 in Mount Merrion, Dublin. She was buried on 30 Jun 2003 in Glasnevin Cemetery, Dublin. Sheila grew up in Barnes in London where she was educated at a small French convent about a mile from her home. Barnes was heavily bombed during World War II and Sheila and her family spent much time in the air-raid shelter built by her father under the garage of their home.

Sheila had an interesting encounter during World War II: one afternoon, having returned from school, Sheila was sent by her mother to run some errands in Hammersmith. She was waiting at a bus stop in Barnes and, as usual, there were many army vehicles

passing by. One of them, a large U.S. Army car with flags, stopped and a large, middle-aged officer sitting in the back of the vehicle and sporting an impressive array of medals, offered Sheila a lift. Although she may have been told by her parents never to accept a lift from a stranger, Sheila hopped in beside the driver and on the short trip to Hammersmith Broadway she and the army man in the back chatted about school and her favourite subjects before being dropped off in Hammersmith. It was only the next day, when she looked at the front page of the newspaper and saw a photograph of the same officer who had offered her the lift, that Sheila realised she had met Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

After leaving school, Sheila started work in the Irish Passport Office at the Irish Embassy in London. Some time later, Sheila acted, unknowingly, as a matchmaker for two of her sisters: a group of young Irish civil servants had been sent from Dublin to augment the staff at the Irish Passport Office, and among them were Cormac Gordon and Michael Roantree. Sheila's mother, remembering how lonely she had felt when she had first arrived in London from Ireland, told Sheila to invite the newcomers to tea the following Sunday. And that was how Sheila's sister Maureen met her future husband, Cormac. Another sister, Una, would later marry Michael's brother Tom. Sheila herself never married.

After Sheila moved to Dublin in 1947 with her sisters, she worked briefly in advertising and then moved on to publishing and some freelance journalism. She then spent a number of years in the now-defunct Irish News Agency, after which she joined Coras Trachtála (the Irish Export Board) and worked for many years in public relations and press work. She lived on Cedarmount Road, Mount Merrion, Co. Dublin and in her retirement became an active member of the Green party.

- +16 iii **Una HUSSEY**, born 1 Oct 1928, East Acton, London; married Thomas (Tom) Eamon ROANTREE, Sep 1957, Mount Merrion, Co. Dublin; died 29 Sep 1995, Dublin.
- +17 iv **Brigid (Brigie) HUSSEY**, born 21 Sep 1931, Barnes, London; married Brendan KELLY, 10 Oct 1957, Mount Merrion, Co. Dublin; died 26 Jul 2021, Booldurragh, Fenagh, Co. Carlow.
- 9. **Patrick (Paddy) L. RYAN** (Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born about 21 Oct 1900 in Garryhill, Co. Carlow. He was christened on 21 Oct 1900 in Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow. He died on 16 Apr 1973 at the age of 72 in Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow. Patrick was buried in Drumphea Cemetery, Co. Carlow. Sponsors at Paddy's christening were Patrick Joyce and Margaret Joyce.

Paddy was headmaster of Garryhill School, like his father and grandfather before him. However, Paddy taught at the new school which was built a short distance away from the old National and Agricultural School where his elder brother John, his father and grandfather had taught. In 1937 Paddy and his wife, Stanzie, built a house in Garryhill (designed by Paddy's brother-in-law Stephen Hussey) on the site of the old National and Agricultural School. Paddy retired in 1959 after more than 40 years of teaching in Garryhill.

Paddy died at the District Hospital in Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow. Patrick (Paddy) L. RYAN and Cecilia (Stanzie) KEALY were married on 12 Aug 1931 in Church of Ss Peter and Paul, Killinierin, Co. Wexford.

Cecilia (Stanzie) KEALY, daughter of Martin KEALY and Christina COEN, was born on 29 Oct 1903 in Co. Kilkenny. She died on 17 Nov 1990 at the age of 87 in Ballon, Co. Carlow. She was buried in Drumphea Church Cemetery, Co. Carlow. 'Stanzie' was a childhood name which stuck. Her father was a teacher and she followed in his footsteps. She was offered a job at Garryhill School and that was how she met Paddy, who was headmaster of the school. Stanzie, who came from a very musical family and was herself a talented musician, formed a highy regarded flageolet band in 1943, composed of children from her school.

Patrick (Paddy) L. RYAN and Cecilia (Stanzie) KEALY had the following children:

- +18 i **Living**.
- +19 ii **Living**.
- +20 iii Patrick (Pat) RYAN, born 17 Sep 1939, Garryhill, Co. Carlow; died 10 Aug 2024.

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12. **Philomena (Phil) Mary RYAN** (Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born on 3 Jul 1931 in Dublin. She died on 12 Jan 2023 at the age of 91 in Co. Dublin. Philomena (Phil) Mary RYAN and Anthony (Tony) Augustine SWEENEY were married on 23 Jul 1955 in Church of Our Lady, Sandymount, Dublin.

**Anthony (Tony) Augustine SWEENEY**, son of William Augustine SWEENEY and Mary Margaret BURKETT, was born on 8 Jul 1927 in 4 Belgrove Road, Clontarf, Dublin. He died on 22 Oct 1986 at the age of 59 in Our Lady's Hospice, Harold's Cross, Dublin. Tony and Phil lived in Clontarf in Dublin.

Anthony (Tony) Augustine SWEENEY and Philomena (Phil) Mary RYAN had the following children:

		Living .
+22	ii	Living.
+23	iii	Living.
+24	iv	Living.
$\pm 2.5$	V	Living

13. **John (Sean) RYAN** (Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born in 1940 in Dublin. He died on 2 Jun 2001 at the age of 61 in Dublin. Sean lived with his family in Clontarf in Dublin.

Living was born (date unknown).

John (Sean) RYAN and Living had the following children:

- i **Ciara RYAN** was born in 1970 in Dublin. She died on 27 Nov 2012 at the age of 42 in Dublin.
- +27 ii **Living**.
- 28 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- +29 iv **Living**.



14. **Maureen Brigid HUSSEY** (Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born on 5 Jul 1924 in St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington, London. She died on 19 Mar 1995 at the age of 70 in Mount Merrion, Dublin. She was buried in Shanganagh Cemetery, Dublin. Maureen grew up in East Acton and later Barnes in London. She attended school at a small French convent in Barnes and later went to the Sacred Heart Convent in Hammersmith.

By the time Maureen left school (during World War II), she had decided she wanted to be a nurse. After six months of basic training in a hospital in the Hammersmith area, she was assigned to the Navy and spent most, if not all, of her service-time at a naval base in Sherborne in Dorset.

Maureen's parents, having an Irish background, felt that their children would have a much better life if they were to settle in Ireland, so in 1947 Maureen and her sisters moved to Dublin. Within a short time, Cormac Gordon, a friend of hers whom she had first met in London when he worked in the Irish Passport Office, was back in Dublin, working in the Department of Foreign Affairs. Maureen and Cormac would later marry.

After her arrival in Dublin, Maureen began training as a medical laboratory assistant, and after qualifying, worked mainly in Trinity College and also in Dr. Steeven's Hospital. When her mother became ill, Maureen resigned from her job to care for her.

In her later years, Maureen became an active member of the Labour party; she also devoted more time to writing, a passion of hers since childhood. After her death, family members published two books of her work: a collection of poetry, 'The Tug of the Undertow', and a collection of prose and poetry, 'Into the Wind'. Maureen Brigid HUSSEY and Cormac GORDON were married on 4 Sep 1951 in Dundrum, Dublin.

Narrative Report for Thomas RYAN (caution: not verified)



**Cormac GORDON**, son of Cormac GORDON and Mary MORAHAN, was born on 20 May 1921 in Kilgarriff, Fairymount, Co. Roscommon. He died on 8 Nov 2009 at the age of 88 in Leopardstown, Dublin. He was buried on 11 Nov 2009 in Shanganagh Cemetery, Dublin. Cormac received his secondary school education at Blackrock College in Dublin, where he was a boarder. After leaving school, he joined the army and was stationed in Athlone, Co. Westmeath during 'The Emergency' (as the situation in Ireland was known during World War II). After the war, Cormac joined the civil

service and was posted to the Irish Passport Office at the Irish embassy in London. While in London he met his future wife, Maureen Hussey, through Maureen's sister Sheila, who also worked at the Passport Office. Around 1948 he returned to Dublin to work in the Department of Foreign Affairs, by which time Maureen had moved to Dublin from London with her sisters. He later moved to the Department of Labour where he spent the rest of his career, mainly as a negotiator in industrial disputes.

Cormac and Maureen lived for over 40 years at 56 South Avenue, Mount Merrion, Co. Dublin. In 2001, six years after Maureen's death, Cormac moved to a smaller home in Shankill, Co. Dublin.

Note: Cormac's birth date is registered as 13 August 1921; it was actually 20 May 1921.

Cormac GORDON and Maureen Brigid HUSSEY had the following children:

- +30 i Living.
- +31 ii **Living**.
- 32 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- +33 iv **Living**.
- +34 v Living.
- +35 vi Joseph (Joe) GORDON (living).
- +36 vii **Living**.

16. **Una HUSSEY** (Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born on 1 Oct 1928 in East Acton, London. She died on 29 Sep 1995 at the age of 66 in Dublin. She was buried in Deansgrange Cemetery, Dublin. Una attended school at a small French convent in Barnes in London, later transferring to the Sacred Heart Convent in Hammersmith. When Una and her sister Maureen first moved to Dublin in 1947, Michael Roantree, a Dubliner whom the Husseys knew in London, asked members of his family to show them around. And that was how Una met her future husband, Michael's younger brother Tom - their first meeting was on a tour bus going to Glendalough, Co. Wicklow.

After her move to Ireland, Una began studies at the National College of Art. However, her mother became ill shortly afterwards and Una left college to help care for her. She never returned to her art course. Una HUSSEY and Thomas (Tom) Eamon ROANTREE were married in Sep 1957 in Mount Merrion, Co. Dublin.

**Thomas (Tom) Eamon ROANTREE**, son of Thomas Joseph ROANTREE and Mary BYRNE, was born in 1921 in Dublin. He died on 8 Aug 1979 at the age of 58 in Dublin. He was buried in Deansgrange Cemetery, Dublin. Tom worked for Bord na Móna. He and Una and their family lived in Kilmacud, Co. Dublin.

Thomas (Tom) Eamon ROANTREE and Una HUSSEY had the following children:

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Living.
          ii Living.
+38
+39
          iii Living.
+40
         iv Living.
          v Living.
+41
+42
          vi Donal ROANTREE, born 29 Dec 1963, Dublin; died 14 Mar 2021, Portstewart, Co. Derry.
+43
         vii Living.
        viii Conor ROANTREE was born on 24 Mar 1965 in Dublin. He died on 24 Aug 2015 at the
 44
             age of 50 in Dublin.
          ix Living was born (date unknown).
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          x Living.
+46
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17. **Brigid (Brigie) HUSSEY** (Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born on 21 Sep 1931 in Barnes, London. She died on 26 Jul 2021 at the age of 89 in Booldurragh, Fenagh, Co. Carlow. Brigie was born in the family home at 12 Ullswater Road in Barnes. She attended school at a small French convent in Barnes, later transferring to the Sacred Heart Convent in Hammersmith. Her sisters, Maureen, Sheila and Una moved to Dublin in 1947 and Brigie followed a year or so later after the new family home on Roebuck Road was built. She enrolled in a hotel management course at Cathal Brugha Street College and after graduating, worked in several hotels, including the Shelbourne, the Hibernian, the International in Bray, and Wynns. Brigid (Brigie) HUSSEY and Brendan KELLY were married on 10 Oct 1957 in Mount Merrion, Co. Dublin.

**Brendan KELLY**, son of Patrick KELLY, was born about 1934 in Booldurragh, Fenagh, Co. Carlow. He died on 7 Nov 2004 at the age of 70 in Booldurragh, Fenagh, Co. Carlow. He was buried in Lismaconly Cemetery, Myshall, Co. Carlow. Brendan ran the Kelly family farm in Booldurragh.

He and Brigie met through Brigie's first cousin Malachy Ryan who was a childhood friend of Brendan's.

Brendan KELLY and Brigid (Brigie) HUSSEY had the following children:

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+47 i Living .
+48 ii Living .
+49 iii Living .
+50 iv Living .
+51 v Living .
+52 vi Living .
+53 vii Living .
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18. Living (Patrick (Paddy) L.-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

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+54 i Living .
+55 ii Living .
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19. Living (Patrick (Paddy) L.-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

**Sean COLLINS**, son of D. COLLINS, was born in 1932. He died on 6 Feb 2010 at the age of 78 in Athy, Co. Kildare. He was buried in Drumphea Cemetery, Co. Carlow. Sean, who was originally from Old Court, Kinsale, Co. Cork, was a teacher. He lived in Killeshin, Co. Carlow.

Sean died in a nursing home in Athy.

Sean COLLINS and Living had the following children:

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+56 i Living.
57 ii Living was born (date unknown).
+58 iii Living.
+59 iv Living.
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20. **Patrick (Pat) RYAN** (Patrick (Paddy) L.-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born on 17 Sep 1939 in Garryhill, Co. Carlow. He died on 10 Aug 2024 at the age of 84. Pat lived in Templeogue in Dublin.

Living was born (date unknown).

Patrick (Pat) RYAN and Living had the following children:

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+60
i Living.
+61
ii Living.
+62
iii Siobhán RYAN, born Jul 1967; died 1 Apr 2023.
63
iv Living was born (date unknown).
+64
v Living.
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Living was born (date unknown).

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**Margaret MCCANN** died on 19 Jul 2015 in Dublin. Margaret, who was was from Cootehill, Co. Cavan, worked in the Switzers and Brown Thomas department stores in Dublin.

### **Sixth Generation**

21. **Living** (Philomena (Phil) Mary Ryan-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living, daughter of Living and Living, was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

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+65 i Living . +66 ii Living .
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22. **Living** (Philomena (Phil) Mary Ryan-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living, daughter of Living and Living, was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- +67 i **Living** . +68 ii **Living** .
- 69 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 23. **Living** (Philomena (Phil) Mary Ryan-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- +71 ii **Living**.
- +72 iii Living.
- 24. **Living** (Philomena (Phil) Mary Ryan-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living, daughter of Living, was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 25. **Living** (Philomena (Phil) Mary Ryan-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living, daughter of Living and Living, was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 75 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 27. **Living** (John (Sean)-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

i **Living** was born (date unknown).

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29. **Living** (John (Sean)-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 78 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 79 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 30. **Living** (Maureen Brigid Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 31. **Living** (Maureen Brigid Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- +81 i **Living**.
- +82 ii Living.

Living was born (date unknown).

33. **Living** (Maureen Brigid Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living, daughter of Raymond C. BOX and Living, was born (date unknown).

34. **Living** (Maureen Brigid Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

35. **Joseph (Joe) GORDON (living)** (Maureen Brigid Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Helen O'CONNOR (living), daughter of Richard (Dick) O'CONNOR and Sheila TREACY, was born (date

unknown).

Joseph (Joe) GORDON and Helen O'CONNOR had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 85 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 36. **Living** (Maureen Brigid Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living, daughter of Michael BRAYSHAW and Ching WONG POI, was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Lucy Brayshaw GORDON** was born on 3 Dec 1993 in Dublin. She died on 3 Dec 1993 at the age of 0 in Dublin. She was buried in Glasnevin Cemetery, Dublin.
- +87 ii **Living**.
- 88 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- iv **Reuben BRAYSHAW-GORDON** was born on 7 Dec 2001 in Dublin. He died on 17 Dec 2007 at the age of 6 in Poitiers, France.
- 90 v **Living** was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

37. **Living** (Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- +92 ii Living.
  - 93 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 38. **Living** (Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- +94 i **Living**.
- 95 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 96 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 97 iv **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 98 v **Living** was born (date unknown).

39. **Living** (Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

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99 i Living was born (date unknown).
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- +100 ii **Living**.
  - 101 iii **Oisin ROANTREE** was born on 10 Jun 1989. He died on 15 Sep 2007 at the age of 18 in Callan, Co. Kilkenny.
- +102 iv **Living**.
- +103 v **Living**.
- vi **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 40. **Living** (Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

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i Living was born (date unknown).
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- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 41. **Living** (Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

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i Living was born (date unknown).
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- +108 ii **Living**.
- iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 42. **Donal ROANTREE** (Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born on 29 Dec 1963 in Dublin. He died on 14 Mar 2021 at the age of 57 in Portstewart, Co. Derry.

Living was born (date unknown).

Donal ROANTREE and Living had the following children:

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i Living was born (date unknown).
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- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- iv **Living** was born (date unknown).

43. **Living** (Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 46. **Living** (Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 47. **Living** (Brigid (Brigie) Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i Living was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 48. **Living** (Brigid (Brigie) Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 49. **Living** (Brigid (Brigie) Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

50. **Living** (Brigid (Brigie) Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 51. **Living** (Brigid (Brigie) Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living, daughter of Living and Living, was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 52. **Living** (Brigid (Brigie) Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 53. **Living** (Brigid (Brigie) Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 54. Living (Living-5, Patrick (Paddy) L.-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- iii **Living** was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

55. Living (Living-5, Patrick (Paddy) L.-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

56. Living (Living -5, Patrick (Paddy) L.-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

i **Living** was born (date unknown).

58. Living (Living -5, Patrick (Paddy) L.-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 59. Living (Living -5, Patrick (Paddy) L.-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 60. **Living** (Patrick (Pat)-5, Patrick (Paddy) L.-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 61. **Living** (Patrick (Pat)-5, Patrick (Paddy) L.-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 62. **Siobhán RYAN** (Patrick (Pat)-5, Patrick (Paddy) L.-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born in Jul 1967. She died on 1 Apr 2023 at the age of 55.

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Siobhán RYAN had the following child:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 64. **Living** (Patrick (Pat)-5, Patrick (Paddy) L.-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i Living was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).

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65. **Living** (Living-6, Philomena (Phil) Mary Ryan-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 66. **Living** (Living-6, Philomena (Phil) Mary Ryan-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

**Living**, daughter of Living and Living, was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 67. **Living** (Living-6, Philomena (Phil) Mary Ryan-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 68. **Living** (Living-6, Philomena (Phil) Mary Ryan-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 71. **Living** (Living -6, Philomena (Phil) Mary Ryan-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

72. **Living** (Living -6, Philomena (Phil) Mary Ryan-5, Thomas (Tom) Patrick-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

81. **Living** (Living -6, Maureen Brigid Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

82. **Living** (Living -6, Maureen Brigid Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

**Living**, daughter of Living and Living, was born (date unknown).

87. **Living** (Living-6, Maureen Brigid Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

**Living**, son of Living and Living, was born (date unknown).

92. **Living** (Living-6, Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 94. **Living** (Living -6, Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 100. **Living** (Living-6, Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

i **Living** was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- iv **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 102. **Living** (Living-6, Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

- i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 103. **Living** (Living-6, Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

Living was born (date unknown).

ii **Living** was born (date unknown).

108. **Living** (Living-6, Una Hussey-5, Mary Brigid Ryan-4, Malachy-3, Loughlin-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

i **Living** was born (date unknown).

<no surname=""></no>	NOLAN
Living 3, 6-21	Bridget (b. 1815) 1
BOX	O'CONNOR
Raymond C 12	Helen (living) 12
BRAYSHAW	Richard (Dick) (b. 1919) 12
Michael (b. 1934) 13	ROANTREE
BRAYSHAW-GORDON	Conor (b. 1965) 9
Reuben (b. 2001) 13	Donal (b. 1963) 9, 14
BURKETT	Oisin (b. 1989) 14
	Thomas (Tom) Eamon (b. 1921)
Mary Margaret 6 BUTLER	8
Jane Frances (b. 1867) 4	Thomas Joseph (b. 1890) 8
BYRNE	RYAN
Mary 8	Bridget (Bridie) (Sr. Gertrude) (b.
COEN	1892) 3
Christina 6	Ciara (b. 1970) 7
COLLINS	John (b. 1890) 2
D 10	John (Sean) (b. 1940) 3, 7
Eileen Florence (b. 1899) 3	Loughlin 1
John (b. 1856) 3	Loughlin (b. 1888) 2
Sean (b. 1932) 10	Malachy (b. 1850) 2
DOWLING	Malachy (b. 1928) 3
Catherine (Kate) (b. 1858) 3	Mary Brigid (b. 1898) 3–4
GORDON	Patrick (Paddy) L. (b. 1900) 3, 6
Cormac (b. 1870) 7	Patrick (Pat) (b. 1939) 6, 10
Cormac (b. 1921) 8	Philomena (Phil) Mary (b. 1931)
Joseph (Joe) (living) 8, 12	3, 6
Lucy Brayshaw (b. 1993) 13	Siobhán (b. 1967) 10, 18
HEALY	Thomas (caution: not verified) 1
Bridget (caution: not verified) 1	Thomas (Tom) Patrick (b. 1894)
HUSSEY	3
Brigid (Brigie) (b. 1931) 6, 9	SWEENEY
James (b. 1865) 4	Anthony (Tony) Augustine (b. 1927)
Maureen Brigid (b. 1924) 5, 7	6
Sheila (b. 1927) 5	William Augustine 6
Stephen Joseph (b. 1895) 4	TREACY
Una (b. 1928) 6, 8	Sheila (b. 1923) 12
KEALY	WONG POI
Cecilia (Stanzie) (b. 1903) 6	Ching (b. 1938) 13
Martin 6	,
KELLY	
Brendan (b. 1934) 9	
Patrick 9	
MCCANN	
Margaret 10	
MCDONALD	
Mary (b. 1820) 2	
MORAHAN	
Mary (b. 1877) 7	
MURPHY	
John William (b. 1811) 2	
Mary (b. 1857) 2	