

1. **William Bremner** #4526 b. c 1785, Canisbay?, CAI, SCT, occupation Fisherman, m. 10 FEB 1803, in Halkirk; 10 JUL 1803 Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>1</sup> **Margaret McBeath** #4527, b. c 1785, Canisbay?, CAI, SCT. William died before 1841. **Margaret**: 1841: Lived with sons at Midtown of Freswick, Canisbay.  
*Children:*
  2. i **William Bremner** #8800 b. c 1805.
  - ii **Andrew Bremner** #4529 b. 1807, Canisbay, CAI, SCT, 23 AUG 1807, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>1</sup>
  3. iii **Donald Bremner** #4530 b. 1810.
  - iv **John Bremner** #4531 b. 1813, Canisbay, CAI, SCT, 09 MAY 1813, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>1</sup> occupation Fisherman, d. 21 JUL 1887, Louisburgh, Wick, CAI, SCT.<sup>2</sup> 1851: Lived with widowed brother Donald's wife at Henrietta St., Wick. 1881: Lived with brother Alexander and other family members in Wick. (unmarried).
  - v **Alexander Bremner** #4528 b. 1815, Canisbay, CAI, SCT, 17 JUL 1815, Canisbay, CAI, SCT, occupation Sawyer, d. 04 JUL 1889, Louisburgh, Wick, CAI, SCT.<sup>3</sup> 1851: Lived with widowed brother Donald's wife and family. (unmarried) 1881: Lived Louisburgh Street, Wick. 1887: Informant at brother John's death.

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2. **William Bremner** #8800 b. c 1805, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>4</sup> occupation Joiner/Fisherman, m. 14 FEB 1840, in Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>1</sup> **Anne Bain** #8801, b. c 1811, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>4</sup> (daughter of **Donald Bain** #17825 and **Ellen Manson** #17826) occupation Crofter 1881, d. 25 AUG 1901, Freswick, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>5</sup> William died 26 DEC 1876, Freswick, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>6</sup> 1851: Family lived at Mitten, Canisbay. **Anne**: 1881: Lived Freswick, widowed with children.  
*Children:*
  - i **William Bremner** #8806 b. c 1840, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>4</sup> occupation Fisherman, m. 10 MAR 1893, in Thurso, CAI, SCT,<sup>7</sup> **Jane MacKenzie** #37489, b. c 1852,<sup>8</sup> (daughter of **James Mackenzie** #37490 and **Jane Campbell** #37491). 1876: Informant at father's death. 1893: Lived at Freswick, CAI at time of marriage.
  4. ii **Helen Bremner** #8802 b. FEB 1842.
  - iii **Margaret Bremner** #8803 b. NOV 1843, Canisbay, CAI, SCT, 04 DEC 1843, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>1</sup> m. **Donald Moodie** #17829, occupation Mason, d. before JUN 1899, Canisbay?, CAI, SCT. Margaret died 28 JUN 1899, Freswick, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>9</sup>
  5. iv **Mary Bremner** #8804 b. c 1845-49.
  - v **Donald Bremner** #8805 b. c 1847, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>4</sup> occupation Tailor, d. 14 MAY 1899, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>10</sup> Unmarried
  6. vi **Alexander Bremner** #26765 b. c 1853.
  7. vii **Robert Bremner** #4537 b. c 1854.
3. **Donald Bremner** #4530 b. 1810, Canisbay, CAI, SCT, 15 DEC 1810, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>1</sup> occupation Seaman\* MS., m. 28 DEC 1841, in South Ronaldsay; 28 JAN 1841 Canisbay,<sup>1</sup> **Anne Thomson** #4532, b. c 1818, South Ronaldsay, OKI, SCT,<sup>11</sup> d. 04 APR 1908, 38 Louisburgh, Wick, CAI, SCT.<sup>12</sup> Donald died before 1851?. 1841: Lived at Midtown of Freswick, Canisbay, CAI. Note that daughter Margaret's marriage certificate gives occupation as 'Farmer'. **Anne**: 1851: Live at Henrietta St., Wick with family. (lived with brother-in-law Alexander BREMNER at Louisburgh, Wick in 1881).  
*Children:*
  8. i **Margaret Bremner** #4533 b. 23 JUN 1842.
  - ii **William Bremner** #4534 b. 1843, Canisbay, CAI, SCT, 01 NOV 1843, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>1</sup> occupation Fisherman.
  - iii **Helen Bremner** #26069 b. c 1846, Wick, CAI, SCT,<sup>13</sup> m. 16 MAR 1877, in 6 Clifton Place, Glasgow, LKS, SCT,<sup>14</sup> **Peter Robertson** #27341, b. c 1844,<sup>15</sup> (son of **James Robertson** #27342 and **Isabella Smith** #27343) occupation Engine Fitter.
  9. iv **William Bremner** #10507 b. c 1845?.
  - v **Donald Bremner** #4536 b. c 1848, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>16</sup> d. infancy?.
  - vi **Ann Bremner** #26068 b. c 1848, Wick, CAI, SCT,<sup>13</sup> occupation Tablemaid 1870, m. 29 NOV 1870, in 6 Franklin Terrace, Glasgow, LKS,<sup>17</sup> **David King** #26070, b. c 1852,<sup>18</sup> (son of **Thomas King** #26071 and **Agnes Frame** #26072) occupation Joiner (Master).
  - vii **Donaldina Bremner** #26067 b. 1850, Wick, CAI, SCT.<sup>13</sup>
  - viii **Alexander Bremner** #4535 b. c 1853, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>19</sup> \*\* verify parentage \*\*\*
  - ix **Diana Bremner** #20567 b. c 1854, Wick, CAI, SCT.<sup>11</sup> 1881: Unmarried, living with widowed mother at Uncle Alexander's house in Wick. 1908: Informant at mother Ann's death in 1908.

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4. **Helen Bremner** #8802 b. FEB 1842, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>4</sup> 14 FEB 1842, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>1</sup> m. 16 MAY 1862, in Louisburgh, Wick, CAI, SCT,<sup>20</sup> **Thomas Ross** #26339, b. c 1824,<sup>21</sup> (son of **Thomas Ross** #26340 and **Margaret Murray** #26341) occupation Mason. 1862: Lived at Freswick, Canisbay at time of marriage. **Thomas**: 1862: Lived at Stemster, Canisbay at time of marriage.
- Children:*
- i **Ann Ross** #26363 b. 26 JAN 1864, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>22</sup>
  - ii **James Ross** #26362 b. 26 AUG 1865, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>22</sup>
  - iii **Margaret Ross** #26359 b. 11 AUG 1867, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>22</sup>
  - iv **William Ross** #26360 b. 29 AUG 1869, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>22</sup>
  - v **George Ross** #26358 b. 26 NOV 1871, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>22</sup>
  - vi **Thomas Ross** #26361 b. 02 JUN 1874, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>22</sup>
5. **Mary Bremner** #8804 b. c 1845-49, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>23</sup> occupation Cook, m. 16 MAY 1877, in Edinburgh Newington, MLN, SCT,<sup>24</sup> **David Reed Davidson** #27983, b. c 1850, Liff & Benvie, ANS, SCT,<sup>25</sup> (son of **James Davidson** #27990 and **Margaret Keir** #27991) occupation Mason. 1877: Cook at 11 Hermitage Place, Leith at time of marriage. **David**: 1877: Lived at 37 Abbey Hill, Edinburgh at time of marriage.
- Children:*
- 10. i **James Alexander Davidson** #27984 b. 18 OCT 1882.
6. **Alexander Bremner** #26765 b. c 1853, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>26</sup> occupation Crofter & Fisherman, m. 18 JAN 1889, in Auckingill, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>27</sup> **Jessie Leith** #50680, b. c 1856,<sup>28</sup> (daughter of **John Leith** #50681 and **Isabella Manson** #50682) occupation Domestic Servant. 1889: Lived at Freswick, Canisbay at time of marriage. **Jessie**: 1889: Lived at Auckingill, Canisbay at time of marriage.
- Children:*
- i **Bella Manson Bremner** #50683 b. 1889, Wick, CAI, SCT,<sup>29</sup> m. 1916, in Keiss, CAI, SCT,<sup>30</sup> **David Cormack** #50687. Bella died 1970, Wick, CAI, SCT.<sup>31</sup>
  - ii **William Bremner** #50685 b. 1892, Keiss, Wick, CAI, SCT.<sup>32</sup>
  - iii **John Leith Bremner** #50684 b. 18 JUL 1900, Keiss Village, Wick, CAI, SCT,<sup>33</sup> m. 1926, in Keiss, CAI, SCT,<sup>34</sup> **Esther Davidson Bruce (Budge?)** #50686, b. c 1900, d. 1991, Inverness, INV, SCT.<sup>35</sup> John died 1973, Wick, CAI, SCT.<sup>36</sup>
7. **Robert Bremner** #4537 b. c 1854, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>16</sup> occupation Fisherman 1881, m. 1885, in Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>37</sup> **Christina Kennedy** #16140, b. c 1858, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>38</sup> Robert died 23 APR 1909, Freswick, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>39</sup> 1899: Informant at brother Donald and sister Margaret's deaths.
- Children:*
- i **William Bremner** #16145 b. c 1885, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>40</sup>
  - 11. ii **John Kennedy Bremner** #16141 b. 1887.
  - iii **Elizabeth Isabella (Lizzie) Bremner** #16142 b. 1890, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>41</sup> m. 1912, in Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>42</sup> **Donald Bain** #20718.
  - iv **Donald Bremner** #16143 b. 1893, Canisbay, CAI, SCT.<sup>43</sup>
  - v **David Kennedy Bremner** #16144 b. 11 DEC 1899, Freswick, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>44</sup> m. 1920, in Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>45</sup> **Isabella S. Moffatt?** #20717.
8. **Margaret Bremner** #4533 b. 23 JUN 1842, Canisbay, CAI, SCT, occupation Domestic Servant, m. 13 JUL 1871, in Hope St. Free Church, Glasgow, LKS,<sup>46</sup> **John McPherson** #26286, b. c 1840,<sup>47</sup> (son of **Allan McPherson** #26287 and **Helen Robertson** #26288) occupation Ploughman. 1871: Lived at 78 Caledonia Road at time of marriage. **John**: 1871: Lived at 78 Caledonia Road, Glasgow at time of marriage with wife-to-be.
- Children:*
- i **Alexina Bremner McPherson** #26290 b. 02 AUG 1872, Glasgow Milton, LKS, SCT.<sup>48</sup>
  - ii **Helen McPherson** #26289 b. 18 NOV 1873, Glasgow Milton, LKS, SCT.<sup>48</sup>
9. **William Bremner** #10507 b. c 1845?, Glasgow?, m. 12 JUL 1872, in Milton, LKS, SCT,<sup>49</sup> **Lilias Gordon MacPherson** #10508, b. c 1844, Glasgow, LKS, SCT,<sup>50</sup> (daughter of **William McPherson** #19908 and **Margaret McBeth** #19909) occupation Confectioner 1881, d. 1933, Glasgow, LKS, SCT.<sup>51</sup> William died before 1881. **Lilias**: 1881: Widowed, lived on 648 Govan Road, Glasgow.
- Children:*

- i **Alexander William Bremner** #10509 b. 07 JUN 1873, Milton, LKS, SCT.<sup>49</sup>
- ii **Ann Bremner** #10510 b. c 1878, Glasgow, LKS, SCT.<sup>50</sup>
- iii **William McPherson Bremner** #10511 b. 1879, Maryhill, LKS, SCT,<sup>52</sup> m. 1933, in Uphall, WLN, SCT,<sup>53</sup>  
**Helen Fleming MacBeath** #48361, b. c 1882,<sup>54</sup> d. 1954, Partick, LKS, SCT.<sup>55</sup> William died 28 NOV 1941, 8 Fairlie Park Dr., Glasgow, LKS, SCT.<sup>56</sup>

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- 10. **James Alexander Davidson** #27984 b. 18 OCT 1882, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,<sup>25</sup> m. 21 JAN 1903, in Colorado, USA,<sup>25</sup> **Ethel A. Whaley** #27985, b. 12 DEC 1883, Coolidge, Hamilton Co., KS, USA,<sup>25</sup> d. 22 FEB 1967, Los Angeles, CA, USA,<sup>25</sup> buried: 24 FEB 1967, Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Glendale, CA.<sup>25</sup> James died 31 MAY 1948, Los Angeles, CA, USA,<sup>25</sup> buried: 03 JUN 1948, Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Glendale, CA.<sup>25</sup>  
*Children:*
  - i **Mina A. Davidson** #27986 b. 21 DEC 1904, Denver, Denver Co., CO, USA,<sup>25</sup> d. 16 DEC 1954, California, USA,<sup>25</sup> buried: 18 DEC 1954, Live Oak Cemetery, Monrovia, CA.<sup>25</sup>
  - ii **David Reed Davidson** #27987 b. 18 OCT 1905, Denver, Denver Co., CO, USA,<sup>25</sup> d. 01 MAR 1981, Hollywood Hills, CA, USA,<sup>25</sup> buried: 05 MAR 1981, Forest Lawn Hollywood Hills Cemetery, CA.<sup>25</sup>
  - iii **William Bremner Davidson** #27988 b. 29 MAR 1908, Denver, Denver Co., CO, USA,<sup>25</sup> d. 09 MAR 1989, West Covina, Los Angeles Co., CA, USA,<sup>25</sup> buried: 13 MAR 1989, Oakdale Memorial Cemetery, Glendora, CA.<sup>25</sup>
  - iv **James Whaley Davidson** #27989 b. 26 MAR 1910, Englewood, CO, USA,<sup>25</sup> d. 27 OCT 1969, Panorama City, Los Angeles Co., CA, USA.<sup>25</sup>
- 11. **John Kennedy Bremner** #16141 b. 1887, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,<sup>57</sup> m.<sup>58</sup> **Margaret Mary Redmond** #34444. John died 10 NOV 1977, Fort St. John, BC, CAN.<sup>59</sup>  
*Children:*
  - i **Ian Conroy Bremner** #34445 m.<sup>58</sup> **Gwenneth Hutchings** #34447.
  - 12. ii **Margaret Ella Bremner** #34446.

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- 12. **Margaret Ella Bremner** #34446 m.<sup>58</sup> **Glenn LeRoy Green** #34448.  
*Children:*
  - 13. i **Michael Erwin Green** #34449.
  - 14. ii **Mitchell Gregory Green** #34450.
  - 15. iii **Gwenn Louise Green** #34451.
  - iv **Mark LeRoy Green** #34452 b. 26 MAR 1965, Trail, BC, CAN,<sup>58</sup> d. 01 MAY 1985, Chetwynd, BC, CAN.<sup>58</sup>

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- 13. **Michael Erwin Green** #34449 m. (1)<sup>58</sup> **Cindy Lee Clavis** #34453, m. (2)<sup>58</sup> **Beverly Pitman** #34456.  
*Children by Cindy Lee Clavis:*
  - i **Cody Lane Green** #34454.
  - ii **Stacey Lin Green** #34455.
- 14. **Mitchell Gregory Green** #34450 m.<sup>58</sup> **(unidentified) Large** #34457.  
*Children:*
  - i **(unidentified) Green** #34458.
  - ii **(unidentified) Green** #34459.
- 15. **Gwenn Louise Green** #34451 m.<sup>58</sup> **Dan Byron Bourdon** #34460.  
*Children:*
  - i **Julie Lane Bourdon** #34461.
  - ii **Therese Lynn Bourdon** #34462.

- <sup>1</sup> OPRI CD
- <sup>2</sup> SDR Wick, ref. 0156-1887; c/d: Bronchitis, 6 days; Informant: Alexander BREMNER, Brother; (Image 04-6911).
- <sup>3</sup> SDR Wick, ref. 0097-1889; c/d: Cerebral softening, senilia, coma; Informant: George FORBES, Neighbour; (Image 03-4263)
- <sup>4</sup> 1851 Canisbay census; age/birthplace
- <sup>5</sup> SDR Canisbay, ref. 0018-1901; c/d: Old Age; Informant: Robert BREMNER, Son; (Cert. Image. 03-0151).
- <sup>6</sup> SDR Canisbay, ref. 0055-1876; c/d: Bronchitis, 20 days; Informant: William BREMNER, Son; (Image 04-6960).
- <sup>7</sup> GRO(S) Thurso, ref. 0010-1893; Witnesses: John BANKS, Jemima DUNCAN; Minister: John C. CONNELL, Free West Thurso; (Image 07-2238).
- <sup>8</sup> Age 41 at marriage in 1893.
- <sup>9</sup> SDR Canisbay, ref. 0022-1899; c/d: Chronic bronchitis, bleeding internally; Informant: Robert BREMNER, Brother; (Cert. Image 03-0086).
- <sup>10</sup> SDR Canisbay, ref. 0018-1899; c/d: Exhaustion due to gangrene of leg; Informant: Robert BREMNER, Brother; (Cert. Image 03-0076).
- <sup>11</sup> 1881 Wick census; age/birthplace.
- <sup>12</sup> GROS(SS Wick, ref. 0060-1908; c/d: Influenza and Old Age, 2 months; Informant: Diana BREMNER, Daughter; (Image 07-5658).
- <sup>13</sup> 1851 Wick census; age/parents.
- <sup>14</sup> SWR Glasgow Kelvin, ref. 0128-1877; Witnesses: William MCCORKINDALE, Catherine WATERS; Minister: Alexr. URQUHART, Hope Street FC; (Image 05-0018).
- <sup>15</sup> Age 33 at marriage in 1877.
- <sup>16</sup> 1881 Canisbay census; age/birthplace
- <sup>17</sup> SWR Glasgow Anderston, ref. 0301-1870; Witnesses: Hugh KING, Margaret BREMNER; Minister: Alexander URQUHART, Hope Street F.C.; (Image 04-6973).
- <sup>18</sup> Age 27 at marriage in 1870.
- <sup>19</sup> 1881 Canisbay census; age/birthplace no OPRI ?
- <sup>20</sup> SWR Wick Burgh, ref. 0009-1862; Witnesses: Douglas WEIR, Anne WEIR; Minister: William LILLIE, Wick; (Image 05-0038).
- <sup>21</sup> Age 37 at marriage to Helen BREMNER in 1862.
- <sup>22</sup> IGI LDSFS DEC 2004.
- <sup>23</sup> 1851 Canisbay census; age/birthplace; Age 27 at marriage in 1877.
- <sup>24</sup> Darel E. Paul, MAY 2005, GRO Edinburgh Newington, ref. 0177-1877; Witnesses: Margaret BREMNER, James SERVICE; Minister: John PIRIE, Cowgate Free Church; (Image 05-2534).
- <sup>25</sup> Darel E. Paul, MAY 2005.
- <sup>26</sup> 1861 Canisbay census; age/birthplace/parents.
- <sup>27</sup> GRO(S) Keiss, CAI; ref. 0003-1889; Witnesses: Charles LEITH, Margaret REID; Minister: D.F. SAGE, Keiss Free Church; (Image 09-0459).
- <sup>28</sup> Age 33 at marriage in 1889.
- <sup>29</sup> 1891 Keiss, Wick, CAI census; age/birthplace/relationship; GRO(S) Keiss, Wick, CAI; ref. 0028-1889.
- <sup>30</sup> GRO(S) Keiss, CAI; ref. 0001-1916.
- <sup>31</sup> GRO(S) Wick, CAI; ref. 043/00 0088-1970.
- <sup>32</sup> 1901 Keiss, Wick, CAI census; age/birthplace/relationship; GRO(S) Keiss, Wick, CAI; index ref. 0009-1892.
- <sup>33</sup> 1901 Keiss, Wick, CAI census; age/birthplace/relationship; GRO(S) Wick, CAI; ref. 0014-1900.
- <sup>34</sup> GRO(S) Keiss, CAI; ref. 0001-1926.
- <sup>35</sup> GRO(S) Inverness, INV; ref. 240/00 0354-1991.
- <sup>36</sup> GRO(S) Wick, CAI; ref. 163/00 0008-1973.
- <sup>37</sup> SWRI Canisbay, ref. 0002-1885
- <sup>38</sup> 1901 Canisbay census; age/birthplace
- <sup>39</sup> SDR Canisbay, ref. 0008-1909; c/d: Carcinoma of pylorus...exhaustion; Informant: William BREMNER, Son; (Cert. Image 03-0157).
- <sup>40</sup> 1891 Canisbay census; age/birthplace
- <sup>41</sup> 1901 Canisbay census; age/birthplace; SBRI Canisbay, ref. 0009-1890
- <sup>42</sup> SWRI Canisbay ref. 0009-1912 (verify).
- <sup>43</sup> 1901 Canisbay census; age/birthplace; SBRI Canisbay, ref. 0017-1893
- <sup>44</sup> 1901 Canisbay census; age/birthplace; NRH Canisbay, ref. 0053-1899.
- <sup>45</sup> SWRI Canisbay, ref. 0007-1920.
- <sup>46</sup> SWR Glasgow Blythswood, ref. 0309-1871; Witnesses: A. MCDONALD, Maria MCPHERSON; Minister: James GREENFIELD; (Image 05-0021).
- <sup>47</sup> Age 31 at marriage in 1871.
- <sup>48</sup> IGI LDSFS 2004.

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- <sup>49</sup> IGI CD  
<sup>50</sup> 1881 Govan census; age/birthplace  
<sup>51</sup> GRO(S) Glasgow Plantation, ref. 644/20 0065-1933 (scotlandspeople index).  
<sup>52</sup> SBRI Maryhill, ref. 0096-1879; 1881 Govan census, age/birthplace  
<sup>53</sup> Marriage verified by William's death certificate; GRO(S) Uphall, WLN, ref. 0035-1933.  
<sup>54</sup> Age 62 at death in 1954.  
<sup>55</sup> GRO(S) Partick, LKS index ref. 0050-1954.  
<sup>56</sup> SDRI Partick ref. 0775-1941  
<sup>57</sup> 1901 Canisbay census; age/birthplace; SBRI Canisbay, ref. 0027-1887  
<sup>58</sup> Ancestry.com OneWorld Tree (JUL 2006).  
<sup>59</sup> Ancestry.com OneWorld Tree (JUL 2006); BC Archives, ref. 1977-09-16464.