

## Scholes

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### 1. John Scholes

Born c1740

Died 1799 burial 7/7/1799 Morley, West Yorkshire

Married **Mary Balmworth** (born c1742)

#### Children:

i John 5/10/1775 baptised 3/11/1775 Morley, Leeds, Old Chapel (married 26/8/1799 at Morley Hannah Balmforth). 5 children.

(2) ii **David Scholes 1784 - 1850** (married **Betty Dickinson**) See below

### 2. David Scholes (stonemason)

Born 25/7/1784 Morley, West Yorkshire baptised 20/9/1784 Morley Congregational Church.

Died 1850 buried 24/3/1850 Methodist Chapel Morley

Married 6/2/1803 at All Saints Batley **Betty Dickinson** (baptised 25/12/1776 Morley daughter of **John** and **Judith Dickinson**)

**Children:** all baptised at Morley Wesleyan Chapel

i Jabez 20/10/1803 Morley baptised 27/11/1803 (stonemason married Sarah .....) died 5/12/1875 Tunbridge Wells, Kent. 6 children.

ii Titus 8/5/1805 Morley baptised 9/6/1805 (clothier married 1. 20/11/1825 at St Peter's Bradford West Yorkshire, Martha Bywater 2. 23/7/1857 at Morley Parish Church, Mary Halls) died 27/3/1870 Morley buried 30/3/1870 Morley.

iii Mary 11/5/1807 Morley baptised 17/6/1807 buried 2/1/1828 Methodist Chapel Morley.

iv Adam 11/1/1811 Morley baptised 3/4/1811 (stonemason married 1. 1833 at Tunbridge Wells Kent, Mary Gower 2. Ruth) died 15/1/1871 Tunbridge Wells. 3 children.

v David 12/9/1815 Morley (cloth manufacturer married 1844 at Birstal, Sarah Fletcher d.1893) died 23/7/1875 Morley buried Central Methodist Churchyard, Morley. 4 children.

vi Paul 1817 Morley (stonemason married Isabella .....

vii Sarah 15/7/1821 Morley baptised 12/10/1821 (straw hat maker married 9/1/1841 at St Peters, Morley, John Killerby clothier)

viii Ruth 12/6/1823 Morley baptised 10/8/1823 (servant married 13/4/1846 at St Peters, Morley, John Auty engineer)

(3) ix **Absalom** 1825 - 1866 (carpenter joiner married 1. Martha Cooper 2. **Mary Lumb**) See below.

### **3. Absalom Scholes** (carpenter, builder)

Born 15/5/1825 Morley West Yorkshire baptised 26/6/1825 Morley Wesleyan Chapel  
Died 2/8/1866 Geelong Hospital Victoria, Australia.

Married 1. 15/5/1846 Bradford, West Yorkshire Martha Cooper (d.Aug 1855)

Married 2. 24/9/1855 Wesleyan Chapel, Huddersfield, West Yorkshire **Mary Lumb**  
**Emigrated to Australia on the *Shakespeare* arrived Melbourne 21/12/1857**

Children by Martha Cooper:

i Albert 1846 Bradford (builder married 1873 in Victoria, Australia, Sarah Oceania Pittock) died 1920 at Box Hill Victoria. 2 children.

ii Edwin 1848 Leeds, Yorkshire died 28/9/1858 Ceres, Victoria.

iii Lydia 1851 Birstal, West Yorkshire (married John Abbey in 1869, Yorkshire) died 1884 Morley. 5 children.

iv Hannah 1853 (died in infancy)

### **Children by Mary Lumb:**

i Ellen 1856 (married 1887 Victoria, Australia Theophilus Ford)

ii unnamed baby born & died 1858, Chilwell, Geelong Victoria.

iii Annie 1860 died 17/10/1872 Ceres, Barrabool Victoria buried 19/10/1872 Highton cemetery, Barrabool.

iv David Ernest c1861 died Barwon River, Geelong, 15/11/1876 buried 17/11/1876 Highton cemetery, Barrabool.

v Samuel c1863 Barrabool (Methodist minister married 1. 10/4//1889 at Hawthorn, Victoria, Lilian Susan Lelean died 1896. 2. 5/4/1899 at Wesleyan Parsonage Sebastapol, Victoria, Clara Drew Lelean. 4 children) died 31/8/1931 Surrey Hills, Victoria, buried Box Hill cemetery.

(4) vi **Mary Elizabeth** 29/10/1865 Ceres, Barrabool (married 12/1/1887 at Ceres, Victoria, **Thomas Hurley** teacher, school inspector) died 27/5/1954 Murrumbeena Victoria buried Springvale Botanical Cemetery. 7 children.

See the [Hurley chart for the descendants of Thomas Hurley and Mary Elizabeth Scholes](#)

See my story **Craftsmen and Hill Farmers** for more about the Scholes and Lumb family.

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