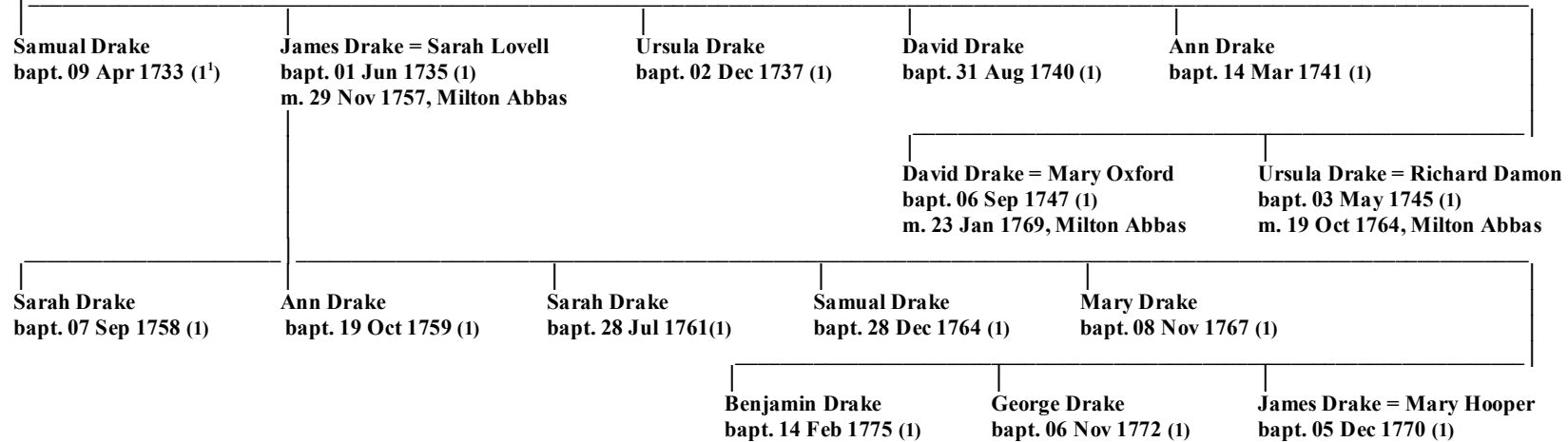


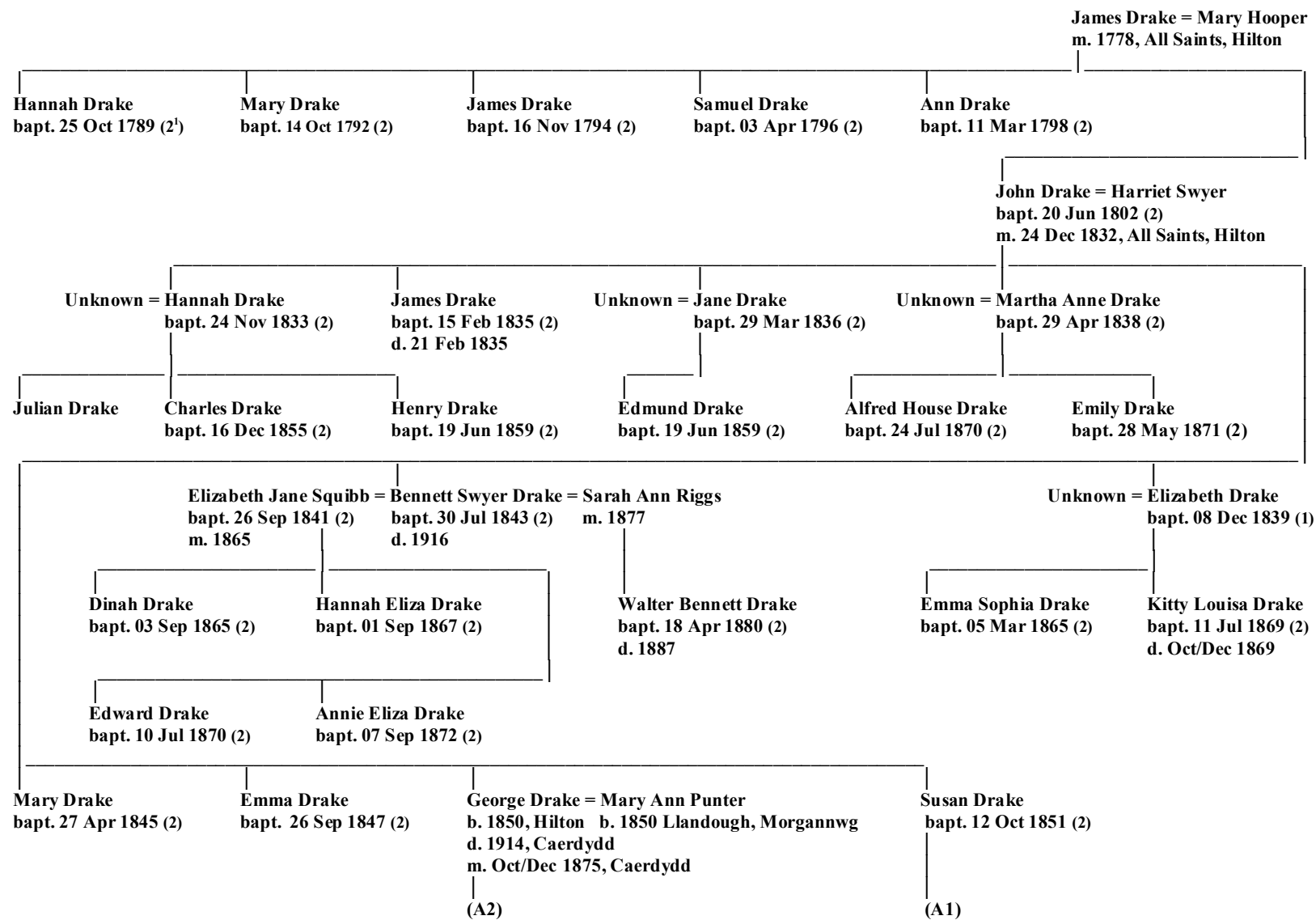
## Visitation of Drake of Dorset, Morgannwg and Gwent

**James Drake = Ursula Vacher**  
**m. 10 Apr 1725, Milton Abbas**

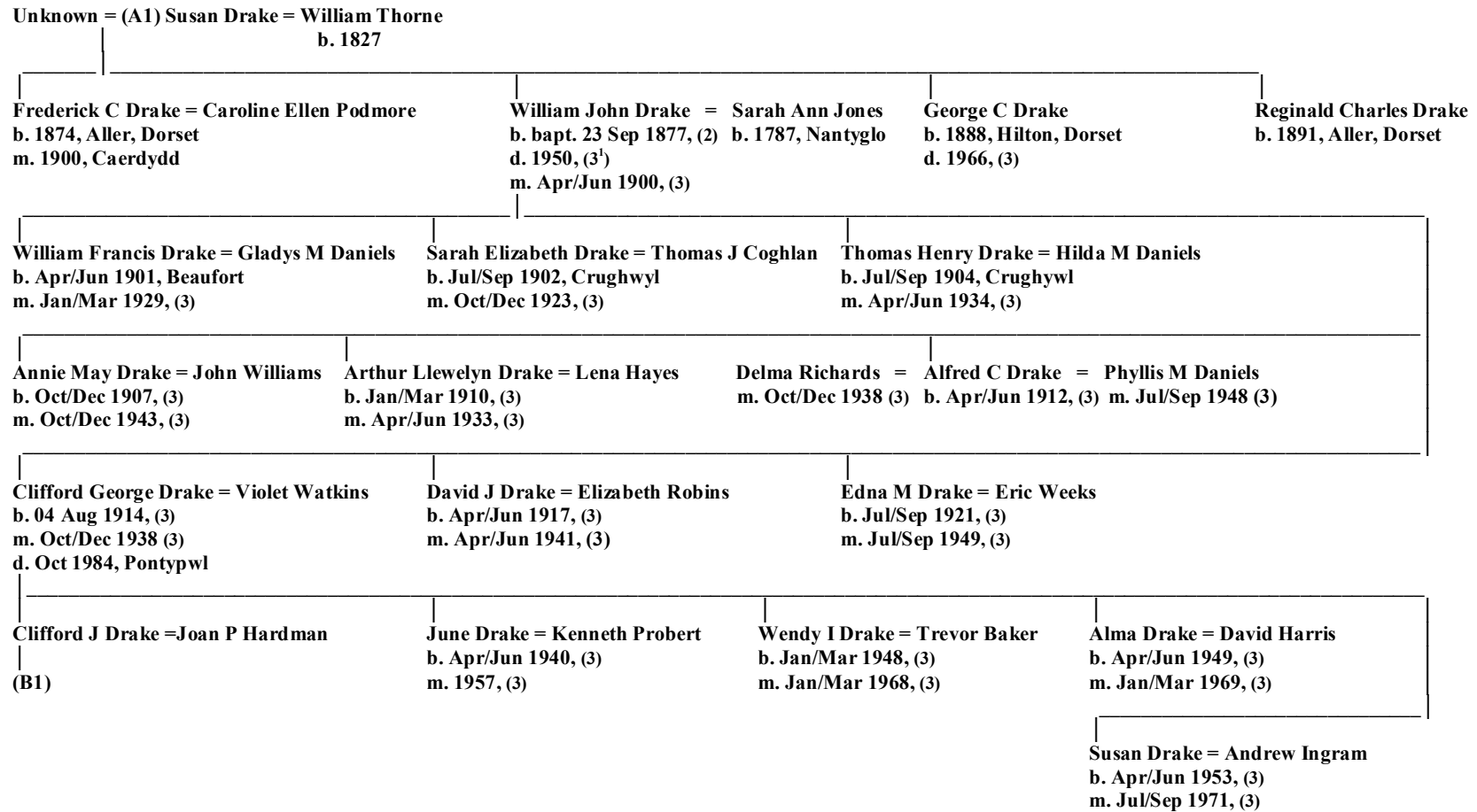


The connection with this James Drake is tentative until further information is provided.

<sup>1</sup> Baptism at Milton Abbas Church, Milton, Dorset, England



<sup>2</sup> Baptism at All Saints Church, Hilton, Dorset, England



<sup>3</sup> Bedwellty, Gwent, Cymru

(B1)

**Clifford J Drake = Joan P Hardman**  
b. Jan/Mar 1939 (3<sup>1</sup>) b. Oct/Dec 1941, (3)  
m. Apr/Jun 1963, (3)

**Steve Drake**  
b. Jan/Mar 1966, (3)

**Robert Charles Drake**  
b. Apr/Jun 1970, (3)

**Paul Drake =**  
b. 23 Oct 1974  
Y Fenni  
m. Feb 2002  
Monmouth

**Clare Dorothy Bernardi =**  
b. 26 Oct 1978,  
Edinburgh, Scotland  
(ref. Bernardi of Inverness)

**Gerwyn Geoffrey Benjamin Turner**  
b. 16 Jul 1982,  
Caerffili  
(ref. Thomas of Lydbrook)

**Angel Clare Drake**  
b. 21 Feb 1999, Y Fenni

**Brandon Paul Drake**  
b. 23 Sep 2003, Y Fenni

**Elissa Faith Turner**  
b. 20 Nov 2009, Y Fenni

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<sup>3</sup> Bedwellty, Gwent, Cymru

**George Drake = Mary Ann Punter**

(A2)

**George H Drake = Mary Jane Hailes**  
b. 1882 (4<sup>1</sup>)  
m. 1908, Caerdydd

**Alfred C Drake = Catherine Harriet Stollery**  
b. 1883 (4)  
m. 1904, Caerdydd

**Mary Harriet Drake**  
b. 1887 (4)

**Elizabeth A Drake**  
b. 1892 (4)

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<sup>4</sup> Caerdydd, Morgannwg, Cymru

**Milton Abbas** is a parish and village which was formerly a market town. It is 7 miles south west from Blandford and 11 miles north east from Dorchester. Going in a clockwise direction from the north is adjacent to the following parishes:- Ibberton, Winterborne Houghton, Winterborne Clenstone, Winterborne Whitchurch, Milborne St Andrew, Dewlish, Cheselbourne, Hilton, Stoke Wake and Tarrant Launceston. The parish has a long monastic history. **Milton Abbey** as it now stands was built in 1771 on the site of the old Abbey house by the first Earl of Dorchester, who also removed the village to its present site in 1787. The parish church of St James was built by the Earl in 1786. The church registers date from 1650. In 1882 a part of the parish known as Lypscombe was amalgamated with Chesilbourne and Holworth was added to Overmoigne, part of Winterborne Whitchurch was added to Milton Abbas. The soil is chalk. The area is 2420 acres. A parish school was built on 1840.

**Hilton** is a parish and a village 8½ miles west-south-west from Blandford, situated in a valley not far from Milton Abbey. Many Roman coins and artefacts have been found in the parish and on Bulbarrow hill there is a Celtic hill fort. There is evidence of a church existing at this location since Saxon and Norman times. The present church of All Saints probably dates from the 15th century although it incorporates some earlier masonry. The windows and North wall are said to have been brought from the cloisters of Milton Abbey after the dissolution. The church also contains some fine medieval paintings from the late 15th century that also came from the Abbey. The church underwent the usual Victorian restoration in 1891. The church registers date from 1603. The 2,953 acres are chalk, sand and clay and are mainly laid down to pasture although some corn used to be grown. A National School was built in the village in 1863; in 1891 the population was 567 persons. The nearby hamlet of Ansty used to have a large brewery which gave employment.