

## JOHN BYRNE AND HATTIE LOUANN TITTLE FAMILY

John Byrne, b. 5 February 1886 – d. 20 November 1955 married Hattie Louanne Tittle, b. 23 November 1887 – d. 11 February 1976 on 5 January 1908 in Granville, Tennessee. Their 9 children were born at this place, and they resided there until December, 1937 when they moved to Hendersonville, Sumner County, Tennessee. They later purchased a dairy farm two miles north of Gallatin, Tennessee. The younger children, John Marvin, Anna Sue, and Herman helped them run the dairy farm. Only one of the daughters continues to live in Jackson County. She taught school at Granville Elementary school, married and reared her family there. Five of the daughters were school teachers, the others children were in other businesses. The children were:

1. Carrie Etoile, b. 28 November 1908 married Bernice Bartlett on 28 March 1926. They reared 4 children (a) Wylene, b. 20 June 1928) married Charles Pete Gillespie, 3 sons; (b) Elna Lee, b. 3 April 1930) married Robert T. Butler, II, 3 sons and 1 daughter; (c) Frances Dawn, b. 2 September 1932) married Edward Davis, 3 daughters, 1 sons; (d) Frank Hill, b. 16 August 1934) married Jo Ann Gillespie, 2 sons and 2 daughter.
2. Willie Franklin, b. 29 April 1910 - d. 21 May 1994 married Thomas Porter Curtis, II who died on his 86<sup>th</sup> birthday, 19 April 1994. Their children are: (a) Billie June married first Archie Loftin and second William O'Brian, 3 children, 3 grandchildren; (b) Thomas Porter, III married\_\_\_\_\_ 3 children, 3 grandchildren; (c) Jerry Byrne, and invalid who never married.
3. Mattie Mai, b. 7 July 1911 married Joseph T. Carr, Jr. Their daughter Mary Kay Pruitt, b. 18 September 1946 has 1 daughter, Penny.
4. Ida Frances, b. 29 July 1913 – d. 22 September 1934 married Joel Hensley. No children. She is buried in Cookeville City Cemetery.
5. Mary Lee, b. 6 November 1915 – d. 3 November 1980 married Andrew Conway Jennings. Their children are: (a) Elizabeth Ann married Robert Seaman, their children are Robert Terrell – 1 daughter, Scott – 1 daughter, and Kenneth; (b) Andrew Conway, Jr., married Chris Wolff, 1 daughter, Erin Louise; (c) Jennifer married Michael England, 4 children.
6. Floy B., b. 26 March 1917 married Lovell Young Wooten, a pharmacist who owned Wooten Drug Company in Gainesboro, Tennessee. He died December 26, 1987. They had 3 daughters, (a) Jane Lovell, b. 23 September 1943 married Stephen G. Walker-Murphy, a CPA. Their children are Jill Byrne, b. 12 March 1970, Paul Brendan, b. 17 March 1972 and Michael Stephen, b. 17 March 1972. (b) Helen Young, b. 5 September 1948 married Daniel Patrick Gleason, III and has 2 daughters, Shannon Dawn, b. 18 May 1971 who has one daughter, Maya Young, b. 22 June 1994 and Katherine Kiley. (c) Laura Byrne, b. 7 November

1952 married James Leighton Neal; their children are John Thomas, b. 4 September 1985 and Ellen Byrne, b. 11 June 1989.

7. John Marvin, b. 23 September 1919 married Mary Ann Heitt, b. 26 June 1920. Their 3 sons are (a) John Alan, b. 10 May 1941 married Rebecca Durham, b. 10 September 1943; their children John Calvin, b. 21 June 1962, Shawn Alan, b. 30 July 1963 and Lee Michael, b. 3 June 1967. (b) Dan Neil, b. 21 November 1944 married Frances Hocot, b. 19 September 1946; their children are Patrick Robert, b. 21 December 1970, Carry Ann, b. 2 August 1972 and Kelly Lynn, b. 24 April 1974. (c) William "Bill" Isham, b. 18 December 1946 married Denise Tarras, b. 1948. Their children are Abram, b. 24 December 1971, Tamrak, b. 25 October 1975, Daeg, b. 28 January 1977, and Jubal, b. 2 November 1980.
8. Anna Sue, b. 23 September 1921 married Herbert Morris Haile, Jr., b. 13 July 1919 – d. 21 November 1994, a native of Jackson County, Tennessee. Their daughters are (a) Harriette Ellen, b. 27 September 1944 married Ralph Shiver, b. 24 September 1944; their children are: Judith, Anne Sizemore, Kathleen Chestnut, Stephen Haile, Sarah, and Evelyn Evan who died as the result of an accident. (b) Martha Helen Haile, M. D., b. 1947 married Richard Lowenstein, M. D. Their children are John Haile, b. February 1986 and Roy Anthony, b. 1 September 1991. Herbert Morris Haile, Jr., is buried in Rob Draper Cemetery in Jackson County, Tennessee.
9. Herman Tittle, b. 5 September 1929 married Ruth Duncan, b. 15 February 1930. Their children are (a) Yvonne married Phillip Beyer; 1 son, Brandon, b. August 1989; (b) Nancy Gail married Kevin Crabtree; 2 children, Bethany and Lauren; and (c) Joseph Marty.

Although members of the John Byrne family are now living in many parts of the United States the family holds a reunion at least once a year and attendance is good.

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\*See Lovell Young Wooten Obt.