

## Family Group Sheet

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Husband: **Samuel FLETCHER**

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Born: 1789 in West Hallam, Derbyshire <sup>1,2</sup> (see note 1)  
Baptized: 31.05.1789 in West Hallam St Wilfrid <sup>3</sup>  
Died: 1857 in Ilkeston, Derby / Nottinghamshire <sup>4,5</sup> (see note 2)  
Occupation framework knitter <sup>1</sup>  
Father: Robert FLETCHER  
Mother: Elizabeth WOODWARD  
Education & Society in 19C Nottingham by David Wardle (CUP 1971) 1815: 19% of working population in Hosiery; 27% of working population in Lacemaking  
1821 Census Radford p41 220 houses and 1157 persons. The name index has: Widow Fletcher; William Fletcher, a publican, household, 2 males, 1 female.  
Samuel Fletcher a coalminer [?], children under 5, 1 male & 1 female, 1 male under 15, 1 male 40-50, 1 female 30-40.  
1841 Census: 189/02/20 Bath Street, Ilkeston  
1851 Census: 2126.239.20 Bath Street, Ilkeston

Samuel Fletcher was quite a substantial lace manufacturer in Ilkeston in the 1840's and 1850's. His factory and house stood together on land which was later to be the site of the Central Methodist Wesleyan Church and school rooms in Bath Street... it is now the site of a Wilkinson's store.[source - Dave Johnson]

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Wife: **Ann STOCKLEY**

Married: 13.02.1814 in Nottingham St Mary <sup>6</sup> (see note 3)

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Born: 1790 in Newthorpe, Greasley, Nottinghamshire <sup>1,2</sup> (see note 4)  
Died: 1870 in Ilkeston, Derby / Nottinghamshire <sup>7</sup>  
Father:  
Mother:  
1841 Census: 189/02/20 Bath Street, Ilkeston  
1851 Census: 2126.239.20 Bath Street, Ilkeston  
1861 Census: 2437.11.15 Bath Street, Ilkeston

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M Child 1: **John FLETCHER**

Born: 1814 in Nottingham <sup>6</sup>

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M Child 2: **Joseph FLETCHER**

Born: 1816 in Radford, Nottingham <sup>8,9</sup>  
Died: 01.03.1901 in Radford, Nottingham <sup>10,11</sup>

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M Child 3: **Matthew FLETCHER**

Born: 1818 in Radford, Nottingham <sup>1,2</sup>  
Died: 19.09.1881 in Ilkeston, Derby / Nottinghamshire <sup>12</sup>

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M Child 4: **Robert FLETCHER**

Born: 20.06.1820 in Radford, Nottingham <sup>1,2</sup>  
Died: 1874 in Ilkeston, Derby / Nottinghamshire <sup>13</sup>

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F Child 5: **Mary FLETCHER**

Born: 28.05.1822 in Ilkeston, Derby / Nottinghamshire <sup>14</sup>

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F Child 6: **Caroline FLETCHER**

Born: 26.02.1824 in Ilkeston, Derby / Nottinghamshire <sup>14</sup>

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M Child 7: **Edwin FLETCHER**

Born: 26.08.1826 in Ilkeston, Derby / Nottinghamshire <sup>14</sup>

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F Child 8: **Ann FLETCHER**

Born: 1828 in Ilkeston, Derby / Nottinghamshire <sup>1</sup>

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## Family of Samuel FLETCHER - continued

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### M Child 9: **Samuel FLETCHER**

Born: 1832 in Ilkeston, Derby / Nottinghamshire <sup>1</sup>  
Died: 1892 in Ilkeston, Derby / Nottinghamshire <sup>15</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> 1841 Census.

<sup>2</sup> 1851 Census.

<sup>3</sup> PR West Hallam.

<sup>4</sup> National Burial Index.

<sup>5</sup> RGO 1857/1 Basford 7b 60.

<sup>6</sup> PR Nottingham St Mary.

<sup>7</sup> RGO 1870/1 Basford 7b 89.

<sup>8</sup> PR Radford St Peter.

<sup>9</sup> death certificate.

<sup>10</sup> RGO 1901/1 Nottingham 7b 235.

<sup>11</sup> Will: copy.

<sup>12</sup> RGO 1881/3 Basford 7b 76.

<sup>13</sup> RGO 1874/1 Basford 7b 82.

<sup>14</sup> IGI.

<sup>15</sup> RGO 1892/3 Basford 7b 88.

Note 1 1851 Census given age 62

Note 2 Here is a bit of information about his death...

In January 1857 he was returning by train from Nottingham but fell asleep during his journey, missed his stop at Ilkeston and ended up at Langley Mill. Initially the station master there demanded that Samuel pay the full fare from Nottingham but when Samuel produced his Nottingham to Ilkeston ticket he was asked only for the excess fare to Langley Mill. Samuel was indignant and refused to pay whereupon he was locked in the booking office with the station master while the latter completed his duties. Eventually the two of them were about to set off to see Robert Noon of the Shipley Boat Inn who might vouch for the framesmith when Samuel fell and suffered a compound fracture to his right leg.

After treatment by a local surgeon he was returned home where he was placed under the care of Dr. Norman. However a week later he was dead, 'mortification' having taken place. Source: The Derby Mercury 21.01.1857 - an account of the inquest into his death.

A nice note to end on !! Best wishes, Dave [Johnson]

Note 3 PR West Hallam searched & NF. Other WH marriages:- Samuel Fletcher & Rebecca Barker, both of Heanor, 07.12.1762; John Fletcher & Phoebe Manners 23.02.1784; John Fletcher & Abigail Doar 04.04.1790; Samuel Fletcher to Ann Stockley 13.02.1814 Nottingham St Mary  
Samuel Fletcher to Ann Handley 26.12.1814 Nottingham St Peter: SoG Ref. NT/R67 Vol.1 has Ann HANLEY. Radford PR marriages on Vital Records Index stop at 1812

Note 4 IGI record: Nottingham St Mary c 19.04.1790 Ann Handley to Abraham Handley & Elizabeth