

THE NOBLE FAMILY OF BOHUN

The noble family of Bohun takes its name from Bohun in La Manche, the northwestern corner of France and is pronounced "boone". The progenitor of the family entered England in 1066 with his cousin, William the Conqueror, and fought nobly at Hastings. His name is among those enrolled at Battle Abbey:

I. HUMPHREY DE BOHUN, Norman knight who bore the motto: "Prudens Qui Patiens"; his son:

II. HUMPHREY DE BOHUN, founder of the Priory of Farleigh in Wiltshire, married (between 1087 and 1100) MAUD DE SALISBURY, daughter of Edward, Earl of Salisbury, born 1060, who held 33 chief manors in Wiltshire in 1086; he was Steward to King William Rufus and a powerful baron; their son:

III. HUMPHREY DE BOHUN, died 6 April 1187, buried at Lanthony, Gloucestershire, Earl of Hereford, Constable of England, Steward to King Henry I, married MARGARET, eldest daughter and co-heiress of MILLO, Earl of Hereford, Constable of England, Sheriff of Gloucester, died 24 Dec. 1143, son and heir of Walter de Gloucester, hereditary castellan of Gloucester, and his wife Berta; Walter was son of Roger de Pistres, Sheriff of Gloucester. In 1121 Milo Fitz Walter married Sibyl, daughter of Bernard de Neufmarche, Conqueror of Brechnock, son of Geoffrey, Lord of Neufmarche, and his wife Ada, daughter of Richard de Hugleville who was a grandson of Duke Richard the Good of Normandy via Richard's daughter Papia of Normandy, descendant of Charlemagne. The wife of Bernard de Neufmarche and mother of his daughter, Sibyl, was Nest Fitz Osbern, daughter of Osbern (son of Richard Fitz Scrob) and his wife Nest of Wales, daughter of Gruffydd (Griffith) ap Llewelyn, King of Wales, assassinated in 1065, and his English wife, Ealdgyth (who married secondly 6 Jan. 1066 King Harold of England who was slain at Hastings 14 Oct. 1066), daughter of Alfgar III, Earl of Mercia, died 1059 (son of Leofric III, Earl of Mercia, and LADY GODIVA of Coventry, died 1080, daughter of Thorold of Buckenhall, Earl of Lincoln) and his wife, Princess Elfgifu, daughter of King Ethelred II of England (died 23 April 1016), son of King Edgar the Peaceful of England (died 8 July 975) who was the great-grandson of KING ALFRED THE GREAT of England (died 28 Oct. 901) and his wife Alswitha, daughter of Ethelred, Earl of Mercia and Gainas.

SAXON KINGS OF ENGLAND:

1. Cerdic, King of the West Saxons, died 534; his son:

2. Prince Crioda of the West Saxons; his son:

3. Cynric, King of the West Saxons 534 - 560; his son:

4. Ceawlin, King of Wessex 560 - 591; his son:

5. Prince Cuthwine of Wessex, died 584; his son:

6. King Cuthwulf of Wessex; his son:

7. Ceowald, King of Wessex, died 680; his son:

8. Cenred, King of Wessex (680 - 689); his son:

9. Saintina, King of Wessex 689 - 730; his son:

10. Prince Eppa of Wessex; his son:

11. Prince Effa of Wessex; his son:

12. Prince Ealmond of Wessex; his son:

13. Egbert, King of Wessex 802 - 838; King of England 828-838; died 838; married Redburg; their son:

14. Ethelwolf, King of England 838 - 858, married Osberga, died 856, descendant of Oslar, 1st Saxon Prince of the Isle of Wight; their son:

15. ALFRED THE GREAT, King of England 871 - 901, died 28 Oct. 901; married in 869 Elswith (died 904, daughter of Ethelred, Earl of Mercia and Gainas); their daughter Ethelfleda, died 15 June 919, founded the city of Bridgenorth, Shropshire in 912, married in 895 her cousin, Ethelred, Earl of

- Mercia, died 912, (son of Hugh the Great, Earl of Mercia); their son:
 16. Edward I, the Elder, King of England 901 - 925, married Elflæda;
 their son:
 17. Edmond I, King of England 925 - 946, died 6 May 946, married St. Elgiva,
 died 971; their son:
 18. St. Edgar the Peaceful, King of England 959 - 975, married Elfrida
 of Devon; their younger son, Eadulf of Devon married Elfwina, Countess of
 Mercia (daughter of Princess Ethelflæda and Ethelred (died 912), Earl of
 Mercia) and was the father of Leofwine (died 1032), Earl of Mercia; son:
 19. Ethelred II, King of England 979 - 1016, died 23 April 1016, married
 (1) Elgiva; their daughter Elfgifu married 1020 Aelfgar III, died 1059,
 Earl of Mercia (son of Earl Leofric (son of Earl Leofwine (died 1032), and
 Leofric's wife, Lady Godiva of Coventry, daughter of Thorold, Earl of
 Lincoln. King Ethelred married (2) 1002 Lady Emma of Normandy; his son by
 Queen Elgiva was:
 20. Edmond II, Ironside, King of England 1016 - died 1016; married
 Eldgyth; their son:
 21. Prince Edward the Exile, died 1057, married Agatha (Anastasia of Kiev,
 daughter of Jaroslaus I, Grand Duke of Russia, died 20 Feb. 1054, by
 Ingegarde of Sweden, died 10 Feb. 1050, daughter of Olaf, 1st Christian
 King of Sweden), widow of King Andrew I of Hungary; her sister, Anne of
 Russia, died 1075, married King Henry I of France; their daughter:
 22. St. Margaret, died 16 Nov. 1093, married 1068 Malcolm III, King of
 Scotland, born 1031, slain at Alnwick 16 Nov. 1093 and his widow died the
 same day on hearing the news; he was son of Duncan I, King of Scotland,
 murdered by MacBeth 14 Aug. 1040, and his wife Lady Bane, Countess of
 Northumberland, daughter of Siward, Earl of Northumberland; their daughter
 Mary of Scotland, died 31 May 1116, married 1102 Eustace, Count of Bou-
 logne and left issue; their son, David I, Earl Northumberland, King of
 Scotland, born 1080, died 24 May 1153, St. David, married 1114 Countess
 Matilda of Huntingdon, daughter of Waltheof, Earl of Huntingdon, and their
 son was Henry, died 12 June 1152, Earl of Huntingdon; a third child of St.
 Margaret and King Malcolm was:
 23. Queen Matilda of England, born 1080, died 1118, married 11 Nov. 1100
 King Henry I of England, son of King William the Conqueror and his wife,
 Queen Matilda of Flanders; their daughter:
 24. Queen Matilda of England, died 1167, married 1129 Geoffrey IV Plantag-
 enet, Count of Anjou in France; their son:
 25. King Henry II of England married 1151 Eleanor, Duchess of Aquitaine,
 died 26 June 1202; their son:
 26. King John (Lackland) of England, signed Magna Charta 1215; married
 Isabelle d'Angouleme, daughter of Aimar, Count d'Angouleme and Alicia de
 Courtney, daughter of Prince Peter of France (son of King Louis VI of France)
 and Elizabeth, Dame de Courtney; their son:
 27. King Henry III of England, born 1 Oct. 1206, died 16 Nov. 1272, married
 14 Jan. 1236 Eleanor of Provence, died 25 June 1291, daughter of Raymond
 Berenger, died 19 Aug. 1245, Vicomte de Provence, grandson of King Alphonse
 II of Aragon (1152-1196) and his wife, Sancia, daughter of Alphonse VIII,
 Emperor of Spain and his Queen, Richilde of Poland who died 1176, and his
 wife, Beatrix of Savoy (sister of Boniface, Archbishop of Canterbury, and
 daughter of Thomas I, died 1 Mar. 1232, Count de Savoy, and Marguerite de
 Faucigny; the younger son of King Henry III was Prince Edmund Plantagenet,
 Earl of Lancaster, born London 16 Jan. 1244, died 1296, married 1276
 Blanche of Artois, daughter of Prince Robert of France, Count of Artois,
 (son of King Louis VIII of France and Blanche of Castile) and Matilda of
 Brabant (died 29 Sept. 1288); their older son:
 28. King Edward I of England, born 17 June 1239, died 7 July 1307, married
 (1) 1254 Princess Eleanor of Castile, died 27 Nov. 1290, daughter of St.

Ferdinand III, (born 1198, died 30 May 1252, married 1237 Joan, died 1279, daughter of Simon de Dammartin, Count Aumale, and Marie, Countess Ponthieu, daughter of William III, Count Ponthieu, and Princess Alice, daughter of King Louis VII of France and Queen Constance, daughter of Alphonse VII, Emperor of Spain; St. Ferdinand's grandmother was Eleanor, daughter of King Henry II of England and his Queen, Eleanor, Duchess of Aquitaine. The Princess Elizabeth, daughter of King Edward I and Queen Eleanor, was born 1286, died 1316, married 1302 Lord Humphrey de Bohun, born 1276, died 1321, as will be shown below.

Following the death of Queen Eleanor in 1290, King Edward I married (2) Princess Marguerite of France, daughter of King Philip III of France and his 2nd wife, Queen Mary, daughter of Henry III, Duke of Brabant, and Alix, daughter of Hugh IV (1212-1272), Duke of Burgundy and Yolande de Dreux, both descendants of Charlemagne. The son of King Edward I and Queen Margaret was Prince Thomas of Brotherton, born 1 June 1300, died 1338, Duke of Norfolk 1312, Earl Marshall of England 1316, married Alice, daughter of Sir Roger Hales of Harwich; their daughter, Lady Margaret Plantagenet, died March 1399, Duchess of Norfolk, married John, Baron Segrave, died 20 March 1353, as will be shown below.

The son and heir of King Edward I and Queen Eleanor was:

29. King Edward II of England, married 25 Jan. 1308 at Boulogne, Princess Isabella of France, born 1292, died 23 Aug. 1358 at Hereford Castle, daughter of King Philip IV of France (1285-1314) and his Queen, Joan of Navarre, daughter of Henry I, King of Navarre and Count of Champagne, died 1274 and his Queen, Blanche, died 1302, daughter of Prince Robert of Artois (son of King Louis VIII of France and Blanche of Castile, daughter of Alphonse VIII, King of Castile, and Eleanor of England, daughter of King Henry II of England and Eleanor of Aquitaine) and Maud of Brabant, died 29 Sept. 1288; their son and heir:

30. King Edward III of England, born 13 Nov. 1312, married 23 Jan. 1328 Philippa of Hainault (1312-14 Aug. 1369, daughter of William III, died 1337, Count Hainault, and Jeanne de Valois, died 1352, daughter of Prince Charles, Count Valois, died 1325, (son of King Philip III of France and Isabel, daughter of King James I of Aragon) and Margaret of Naples, daughter of King Charles II of Naples and Marie of Hungary, died March 1323, daughter of King Stephen V of Hungary, died 1272; their youngest son: