

## What is a family tree for?

Family trees are designed to give you a clear picture of how people are related to each other for example births, deaths and marriages. They can give you a lot of information on a family.



Arthur Hill was the man who built Belvoir. His father, Michael Hill, was a very rich and powerful man who owned a lot of land.

- From looking at the family tree, can you tell how old Michael Hill was when he:

Got married .....

Died.....

- We have no birth date for Arthur Hill but can you tell from the family tree how we know it wasn't before 1693?

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- When did Arthur Hill get married?

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- How many children did he have?

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- Did Arthur Hill's eldest son die before or after him?

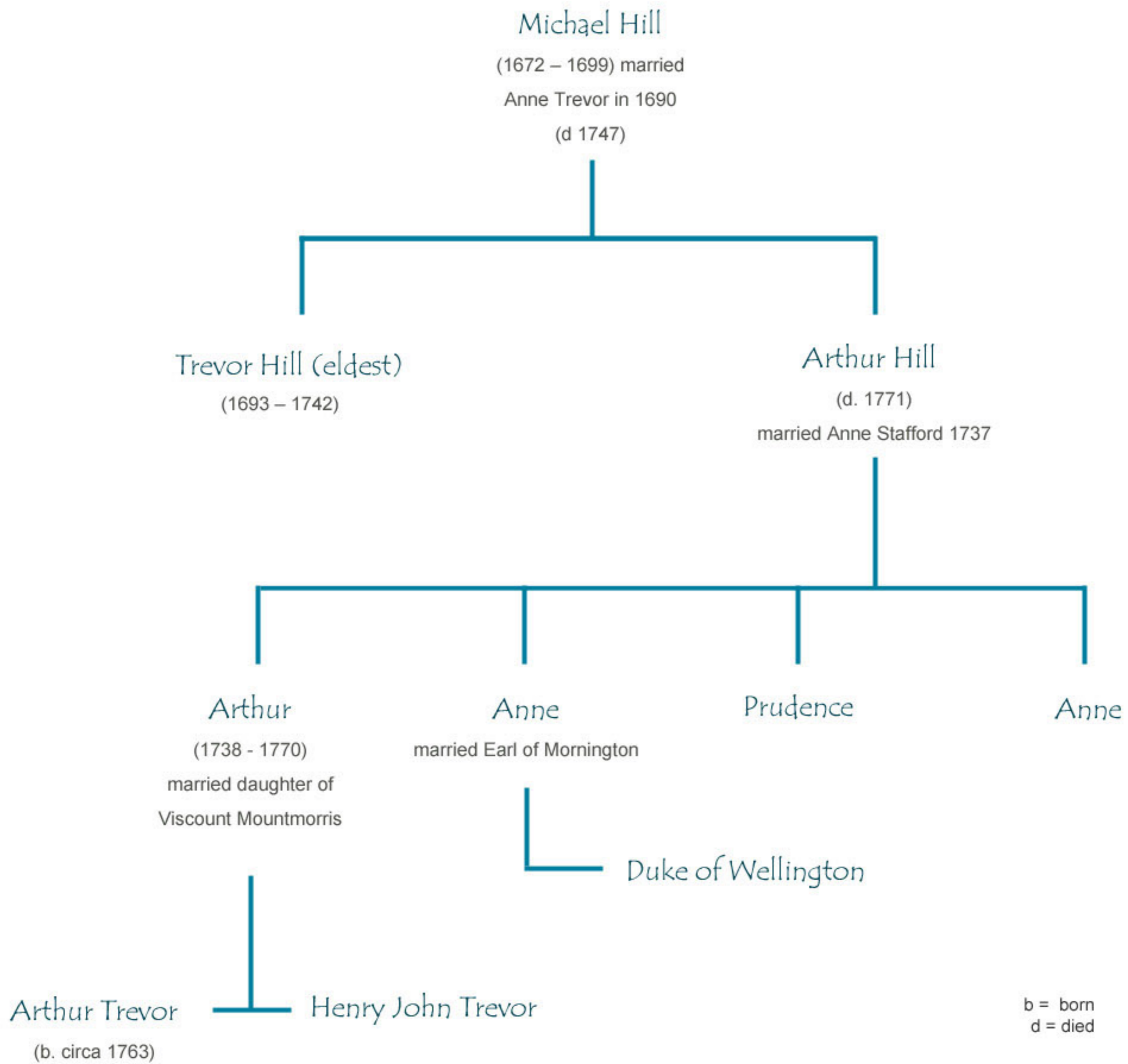
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- How many generations of the Hill family lived in Belvoir?

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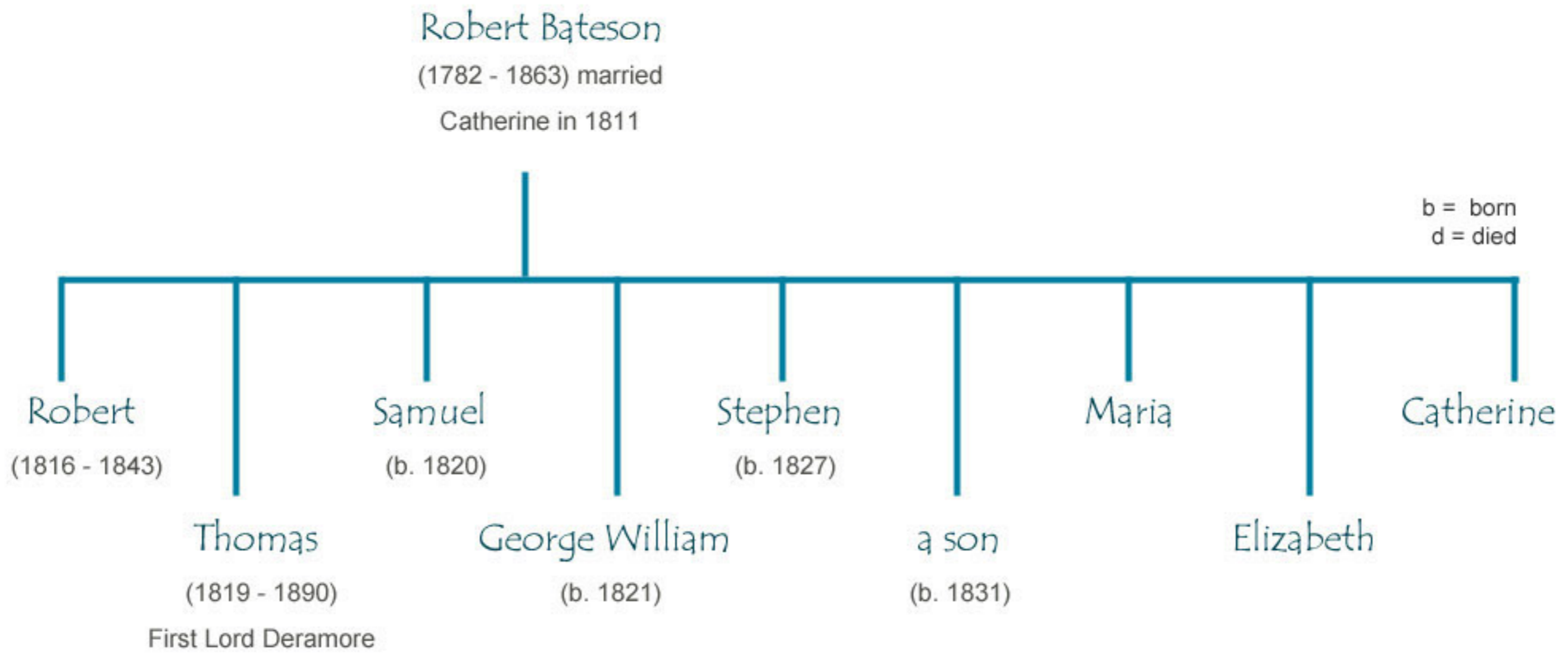


## HILL FAMILY TREE





## BATESON FAMILY TREE



- How old was Robert Bateson when he got married?

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- How many children did he and his wife have?

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- When Robert Bateson died in 1863 the estate went to his second son Thomas instead of his eldest son Robert. Can you find a reason for this in the family tree?

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Design your own family tree!  
Ask your parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles for  
the information you need.

