

## William Holden

### 1871 Census, Convert Cottage, Carisbrooke

<b>William Holden</b>	<b>Head</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>Gardener, Domestic Serv.</b>	<b>Hurst Green, Lancs.</b>
Susanna Holden	Wife	31		Parbold, Lancs.
Jane Holden	Daughter	6		Hurst Green, Lancs.
Henry Holden	Son	4		Hurst Green, Lancs.

### 1891 Census, Little Whitcombe Farm, Carisbrooke, Hampshire

<b>William Holden</b>	<b>Head</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>Farmer</b>	<b>Lancashire, England</b>
Susannah Holden	Wife	51		Wigan, Lancashire
James Holden	Son	18	Farmers Son	Carisbrooke,
Mary Holden	Daughter	16		Gatcombe, Hampshire
William Holden	Son	14	Farmers Son	Gatcombe, Hampshire
Leyonie Holden	Daughter	12	Scholar	Gatcombe, Hampshire
John Holden	Son	10	Scholar	Gatcombe, Hampshire

### Isle of Wight County Press – 15 July 1899

#### DEATH OF MR. W. HOLDEN, OF LITTLE WHITCOMBE.

We regret to to announce the death, which took place on Monday after a painful illness, of Mr. William Golden, the well-known and esteemed tenant of Little Whitcombe Farm for the past 20 years. Deceased, who had reached the age of 66, came to the Island some 32 years ago as bailiff to the Convent authorities, and his familiar figure – he was a man of fine physique – will be much missed in the district, whilst his death is a loss to the Catholic community, of which he was a highly respected member and stanch supporter. The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon at Carisbrooke Cemetery, the ceremony being conducted according to the impressive rites of the Catholic Church by the Rev. Father Gregory Kelly, assisted by the Revs. Canon Conway, D.D. and Father Lawrence Doran. The family mourners included the widow, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald, and Messrs. John, James and William Holden, and the Misses Annie and Philomena Holden (sons and daughters of the deceased), and among others present were Dr. Groves, J.P., Messrs. T. Ford, D. Brown, J. Stark, H. White, Payne, C. Cooke, C. Burt, J. Cooke, H. Russell, and Frank King (representing Messrs. Gunner and Wilson, Solicitors), Mr. and Mrs. Grey, Mr. F. Barnes, and others. There were many floral tributes, those sending them including “His sorrowing wife and family,” Henry and Kittie, M. Roe, Miss Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Brackey and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Grinham and family, the Rev, Mother Prioress and community (Convent), Joseph, Kathleen, and William, Mr. and Mrs. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stark (Frogland), and Mr. and Mrs. H. Brown (Wootton). The coffin was of polished oak, with brass mounts, and the breast-plate bore the following inscription: “William Holden, died July 10<sup>th</sup>, 1899, aged 66 years. *R.I.P.*” Mr. S. Salter was the undertaker.

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