

# No(r)ster Family History

Place: Harwich, Essex

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| Norster, Abraham (*1825 - †1837)      | 2 |
| Norster, Samuel Henry (*1829 - †1859) | 3 |
| Noster, Abraham (*? - †?)             | 4 |
| Steight, Elizabeth (*? - †?)          | 5 |

# Abraham Norster

\*28 Nov 1825 - †after Oct 1837

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Father: Abraham Noster (\*? - †?)

Mother: Elizabeth Steight (\*? - †?)

Siblings: Elizabeth Noster (\*? - †1871)  
Samuel Henry Norster (\*1829 - †1859)

Birth: 28 Nov 1825  
Harwich, Essex

Baptism: 21 Dec 1825  
St Nicholas Church, Harwich, Essex

Death: after Oct 1837

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Note: <sup>a)</sup> Application for admission to Royal Hospital School, Greenwich in Oct 1837.

# Samuel Henry Norster

\*2 Apr 1829 - †6 May 1859

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Father: Abraham Noster (\*? - †?)

Mother: Elizabeth Steight (\*? - †?)

Siblings: Elizabeth Noster (\*? - †1871)  
Abraham Norster (\*1825 - †1837)

Birth: 2 Apr 1829  
Harwich, Essex

Baptism: 8 Jul 1829  
St Nicholas Church, Harwich, Essex

Death: 6 May 1859  
Royal Artillery Hospital, Greenwich, London

Funeral: 9 May 1859  
Woolwich Old Cemetery, Plumstead, London

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Note: <sup>a)</sup> 1841-Census: HO107/344/18 page 7nDovercourtnAbraham Noster 55 Not born in Essex.  
PensionernElizabeth Noster 50 Not born in Essex.nSamuel Noster 12 Born in Essex.nnMILITARY:  
Royal Horse Artillery 6th Battalion, No. 2858nEnlisted 18/12/1848 @ ColchesternDied 06/05/1859  
aged 30nleft 18s 8dnBorn St Nicholas,Harwich,EssexnAge 19 yrs 6 mthsnShoemakern5 ft 8 1/2  
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# Abraham Noster

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Father: John Nosciter (\*? - †?)

Mother: Elizabeth Otter (\*? - †?)

Siblings: John Norseter (\*? - †1796)  
John Noster (\*? - †1837)  
Elizabeth Norster (\*? - †1863)  
Mary Noster (\*? - †1825)  
Anne Nossiter (\*? - †1833)  
Francis Nossiter (\*? - †1833)  
John Nossiter (\*? - †1843)  
Grace Noster (\*? - †?)  
Elizabeth Noster (\*? - †1798)  
Richard Noster (\*? - †?)  
Ann Pearce Nosster (\*? - †?)

Wives: Elizabeth Hansford (\*1783 - †1817)  
Elizabeth Steight (\*? - †?)

Children: Elizabeth Noster (\*? - †1871)  
Abraham Norster (\*1825 - †1837)  
Samuel Henry Norster (\*1829 - †1859)

Baptism: 7 Jun 1783  
Parish Church, Portland, Dorset

Wedding: 9 Mar 1825  
All Saints, Dovercourt-Cum-Harwich, Essex  
(Elizabeth Steight)

Funeral: 19 Feb 1860  
All Saints Church, Dovercourt, Essex

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Notes:

a) BIOGRAPHY: Notes from Wikipedia re HMS Surly :-nOn 20 April 1810 the boats of Firm, Surly, and Sharpshooter, under the command of Lieutenant Hodgkins of Firm, and Mr Lagaw, 2nd Master of Sharpshooter, cut out the French privateer cutter Alcide from the mouth of the Pirou River, where she had taken refuge after the British vessels had chased her. Alcide was moored under the protection of 400 troops on shore, who kept up an incessant fire while the boarding party carried her. Alcide had thrown her four 4-pounder guns overboard during the chase to lighten her. One man was killed and another wounded, both from Firm.[12] In 1847 the Admiralty awarded the Naval General Service Medal with the clasps "Firm 24 April 1810" and "Surly 24 April 1810", to all survivors of the action. nnOCCUPATION: 1815 Seaman1825 Mariner - Harwichn1829 Mariner - Harwichn1839 Norster Abraham, Dover Court - listed in Boot and Shoe Makers - Pigot's Directory Essex 1839n1839 Norster Abraham, Dover Court - listed in Academies and Schools - Pigot's Directory Essex 1839n1841 (C) Pensionern1848 Sailorn1848 Appointed to post officen1851 (C) Greenwich Pensionernn1841-Census: HO107/344/18 page 7nDovercourtnAbraham Noster 55 Not born in Essex. PensionernElizabeth Noster 50 Not born in Essex.nSamuel Noster 12 Born in Essex.nn1851-Census: HO107/1780/f.118. Dovercourt High Road.nAbraham Norster Head 66 Greenwich Pensioner b Portland DorsetnElizabeth Norster Wife 59 b LondonnCharles Winder Grandson 10 Scholar b London

b) Elizabeth Hansford is mother of: Elizabeth Noster (\*?)

c) Elizabeth Steight is mother of: Abraham Norster (\*1825) and Samuel Henry Norster (\*1829)

# Elizabeth Steight

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Father: ???

Mother: ???

Husband: Abraham Noster (\*? - †?)

Children: Abraham Norster (\*1825 - †1837)  
Samuel Henry Norster (\*1829 - †1859)

Birth: London

Baptism: 27 Apr 1794  
St Paul, Shadwell, London

Wedding: 9 Mar 1825  
All Saints, Dovercourt-Cum-Harwich, Essex  
(Abraham Noster)

Death: Dovercourt, Essex

Funeral: 7 Dec 1876  
All Saints Church, Dovercourt, Essex

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