

CONVEYANCE & DESCENT

HISTORICAL HOLDER REGISTER

Manor:

Carlton

Location:

Bedfordshire

Recorded historical holders:

9

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Public record URL:https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_manor=carlton

Colour key: green - direct blood, blue - collateral, purple - marriage-linked blood, amber - in-law, grey - unclassified. Colours describe the saved relationship classification, not documentary certainty.

SUCCESSION AT A GLANCE

Earliest recorded holder to present. Relationship descriptions are reproduced from saved published paths; categories are not evidence ratings.

1. Lord Luke

Transfer: current_holder_statement

Relationship to present holder: Not recorded

2. John de Pavenham | 13th century - 1269

Transfer: held land in Carlton by one fifth of a knight's fee; his Carlton holding is recorded in the 1269 inquisition

Holding: one fifth of a knight's fee

Relationship to present holder: Not recorded

3. Pavenham family | 13th century - 1348

Transfer: descent and continued possession

Relationship to present holder: Not recorded

4. Sir William Lucy of Charlecote, Knight, Warwickshire | 1471 - 1492

Transfer: descent through his mother Alice Pavenham, whose first husband was Thomas Lucy

Relationship to present holder: Not recorded

5. Edmund Lucy | 1492 - 16th century

Transfer: descent on the death of Sir William Lucy

Relationship to present holder: Not recorded

6. **Agnes Adams | 1564 - 1594**

Transfer: purchase

Relationship to present holder: Not recorded

7. **William Goddard | 1594 - 1704**

Transfer: purchase

Relationship to present holder: Not recorded

8. **Goddard descendants | 1594 - 1704**

Transfer: descent

Relationship to present holder: Not recorded

9. **Alston family | 1704 - early 20th century**

Transfer: acquisition; subsequent family possession

Relationship to present holder: Not recorded

DETAILED CONVEYANCE & DESCENT

HOLDER 1

Dates not recorded

Lord Luke

Transfer:

current_holder_statement

Holding arrangement:

sole

Narrative / explanation:

Source role: catalogue_stated_current_holder. The present owner is Lord Luke.

Source citation:

Lot #2 of Manorial Holdings Auction - December 1989

Relationship to present holder

No published relationship path recorded.

HOLDER 2

13th century - 1269

John de Pavenham

Holder position:

holder

Transfer:

held land in Carlton by one fifth of a knight's fee; his Carlton holding is recorded in the 1269 inquisition

Holding arrangement:

sole

Share / interest:

one fifth of a knight's fee

To / transferee:

John de Pavenham

Assets / rights concerned:

manor_and_title

Instrument type:

feudal holding and inquisition

Manor and title passed together:

1

Carlton

Evidence status:

provisional

Narrative / explanation:

John de Pavenham is the earliest expressly named medieval holder of the Carlton lordship or its principal holding in the supplied account.

Other parties:

John de Pavenham

Historical person profile:https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=john-de-pavenham**Relationship to present holder**

No published relationship path recorded.

HOLDER 3**13th century - 1348****Pavenham family****Holder position:**

holder

Transfer:

descent and continued possession

Holding arrangement:

sole

To / transferee:

Pavenham family

Assets / rights concerned:

manor_and_title

Instrument type:

descent

Manor and title passed together:

1

Evidence status:

provisional

Narrative / explanation:

The lordship continued with the Pavenham family, together with Pavenham, until 1348.

Other parties:

Pavenham family

Relationship to present holder

No published relationship path recorded.

HOLDER 4

1471 - 1492

Sir William Lucy of Charlecote, Knight, Warwickshire

Holder position:

holder

Transfer:

descent through his mother Alice Pavenham, whose first husband was Thomas Lucy

Previous holder:

Alice Pavenham and Thomas Lucy

Holding arrangement:

sole

From / transferor:

Alice Pavenham and Thomas Lucy

To / transferee:

Sir William Lucy of Charlecote

Assets / rights concerned:

manor_and_title

Instrument type:

descent

Manor and title passed together:

1

Evidence status:

provisional

Narrative / explanation:

Sir William Lucy of Charlecote entered into possession of the Carlton lordship in 1471 as the son of Alice Pavenham and Thomas Lucy.

Other parties:

Sir William Lucy of Charlecote

Historical person profile:https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=william-lucy**Person dates:**

died 1492

Relationship to present holder

No published relationship path recorded.

HOLDER 5**1492 - 16th century****Edmund Lucy****Holder position:**

holder

Transfer:

descent on the death of Sir William Lucy

Previous holder:

Sir William Lucy of Charlecote

Holding arrangement:

sole

From / transferor:

Sir William Lucy of Charlecote

To / transferee:

Edmund Lucy

Assets / rights concerned:

manor_and_title

Instrument type:

descent

Manor and title passed together:

1

Evidence status:

provisional

Narrative / explanation:

Edmund Lucy succeeded his father Sir William Lucy in 1492 and is described as a soldier who commanded a division of the royal army at the Battle of Stoke in 1487.

Other parties:

Edmund Lucy

Previous holder profile:https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=william-lucy**Historical person profile:**https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=edmund-lucy**Relationship to present holder**

No published relationship path recorded.

HOLDER 6**1564 - 1594****Agnes Adams****Holder position:**

holder

Transfer:

purchase

Previous holder:

Sir Thomas Lucy

Holding arrangement:

sole

From / transferor:

Sir Thomas Lucy

To / transferee:

Agnes Adams

Assets / rights concerned:

manor_and_title

Instrument type:

sale

Manor and title passed together:

1

Evidence status:

provisional

Narrative / explanation:

The Carlton lordship was sold to Agnes Adams in 1564.

Other parties:

Agnes Adams

Historical person profile:https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=agnes-adams**Relationship to present holder**

No published relationship path recorded.

HOLDER 7**1594 - 1704****William Goddard****Holder position:**

holder

Carlton

Transfer:

purchase

Previous holder:

Agnes Adams

Holding arrangement:

sole

From / transferor:

Agnes Adams

To / transferee:

William Goddard

Assets / rights concerned:

manor_and_title

Instrument type:

sale

Manor and title passed together:

1

Evidence status:

provisional

Narrative / explanation:

William Goddard acquired the lordship in 1594; his descendants continued to hold it until 1704.

Other parties:

William Goddard

Previous holder profile:https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=agnes-adams**Historical person profile:**https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=william-goddard**Relationship to present holder**

No published relationship path recorded.

HOLDER 8**1594 - 1704****Goddard descendants****Holder position:**

holder

Transfer:

descent

Previous holder:

William Goddard

Holding arrangement:

sole

From / transferor:

William Goddard

Carlton

To / transferee:

Goddard descendants

Assets / rights concerned:

manor_and_title

Instrument type:

descent

Manor and title passed together:

1

Evidence status:

provisional

Narrative / explanation:

The descendants of William Goddard continued to hold the Carlton lordship until 1704.

Other parties:

Goddard descendants

Previous holder profile:https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=william-goddard**Historical person profile:**https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=goddard-descendants**Relationship to present holder**

No published relationship path recorded.

HOLDER 9**1704 - early 20th century****Alston family****Holder position:**

holder

Transfer:

acquisition; subsequent family possession

Previous holder:

Goddard descendants

Holding arrangement:

sole

From / transferor:

Goddard descendants

To / transferee:

Alston family

Assets / rights concerned:

manor_and_title

Instrument type:

acquisition and descent

Manor and title passed together:

1

Carlton

Evidence status:

provisional

Narrative / explanation:

After 1704 the lordship was acquired by the Alston family, who held it until the early part of the twentieth century.

Other parties:

Alston family

Previous holder profile:

https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=goddard-descendants

Relationship to present holder

No published relationship path recorded.