

Husband: Timothy Callaghan

Born: ABT 1838 in: Co. Cork, Ireland
 Married: February 4, 1857 in: Banteer Parish, Co. Cork, Ireland
 Died: July 25, 1892 in: Haverhill, Essex Co., Massachusetts
 Father: John Callaghan
 Mother: Mary

Wife: Catherine Sullivan

Born: October 1834 in: Co. Cork, Ireland
 Died: July 6, 1900 in: Haverhill, Essex Co., Massachusetts
 Father: Jeremiah Sullivan
 Mother: Mary Riordan

CHILDREN

1 F	Name: Mary Callaghan Born: 1858 Died: December 18, 1926 Married: November 27, 1884 Spouse: John S. Howard	in: Co. Cork, Ireland in: Haverhill, Essex Co., MA in: Haverhill, Essex Co., MA
2 M	Name: John Callaghan Born: April 8, 1860 Died: March 6, 1949 Married: April 25, 1882 Spouse: Elizabeth Sullivan	in: South Horse Mount, Kilcorney, Co. Cork, Ireland in: Glenleigh, Kilcorney, Co. Cork, Ireland in: Banteer Parish, Co. Cork, Ireland
3 M	Name: Jeremiah Callaghan Born: 1863 Died: March 27, 1943 Married: August 11, 1896 Spouse: Margaret Cronin	in: Co. Cork, Ireland in: Haverhill, Essex Co., MA in: Haverhill, Essex Co., MA
4 F	Name: Catherine Callaghan Born: November 9, 1865 Died: May 11, 1938 Married: April 20, 1893 Spouse: Timothy O'Connell	in: Co. Cork, Ireland in: Haverhill, Essex Co., MA in: Haverhill, Essex Co., MA
5 F	Name: Elizabeth "Bessie" Callaghan Born: April 25, 1868 Died: October 31, 1945 Married: July 9, 1902 Spouse: Ora J. French	in: Co. Cork, Ireland in: Haverhill, Essex Co., MA in: Haverhill, Essex Co., MA
6 F	Name: Julia Callaghan Born: April 25, 1868 Died: October 9, 1946 Married: ABT 1915 Spouse: Dennis Mahoney	in: Co. Cork, Ireland in: Haverhill, Essex Co., MA in: not known
7 F	Name: Margaret Callaghan Born: January 25, 1870 Died: July 13, 1942 Married: July 1, 1895 Spouse: Michael Melody	in: Knockgorm, Kilcorney, Co. Cork, Ireland in: Haverhill, Essex Co., MA in: Haverhill, Massachusetts
8 M	Name: Michael Callaghan Born: July 25, 1872	in: Co. Cork, Ireland

Husband:	Timothy Callaghan
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Obituary - Haverhill Gazette, Wednesday, July 27, 1892:

Timothy Callahan

His Funeral From St. James Church This Morning.

The last sad rights [sic] over the remains of the late Timothy Callahan were solemnized [sic] at 8:30 o'clock this morning at St. James church. Solemn high mass was said by Rev. Fr. Graham.

There was a large attendance, including relatives and friends. The deceased was a native of Millstreet, County Cork, Ireland, and had been a resident here at No. 11 Maple street for the past three years. He had been in the employ of the city and was regarded as an industrious citizen and made many friends among those with whom he had associated.

The floral tribute were [sic] many and beautiful, the most noticeable being a cross with the inscription "Father" from the daughters. The pall bearers were four nephews of the deceased, Timothy, John G., Daniel and Dennis, and John T. Callaghan and Jeremiah Dennehy. The interment was in the St. James cemetery.

Item - Haverhill Gazette, Tuesday, July 26, 1892:

CALLAHAN--In this city, July 26, Timothy Callahan, aged 53 years, 7 months. Burial from St. James church Wednesday. Interment in Catholic cemetery.

Wife:	Catherine Sullivan
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Obituary - Haverhill Gazette, Friday, July 6, 1900:

Mrs. Catherine Callahan, widow of the late Timothy Callahan, died at 4:30 this morning at her home, 43 Sheridan Street, at the age of 57. She has been an invalid for several months past, but her condition has not been of late regarded as serious and her demise is a painful shock to her relatives and friends. She leaves five daughters and one son--Mrs. Michael Melody, Mrs. Timothy O'Connell, Mrs. John Howard, Miss Julia Callahan, Miss Bessie Callahan and Jeremiah Callahan. Besides these, she leaves several grandchildren. She had been a resident of this city for many years, and had made many friends here by whom her death is greatly regretted, depriving them of a valued associate. The funeral will be held from St. James' church at 7:30 Monday.

Child:	Mary Callaghan
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In the 1920 Federal Census (ED76, sheet 12A), Mary is living on Maple Street in Haverhill with

Michael Howard, age 32, son
 Margaret Mansur, age 29, daughter
 Frank Mansur, page 34, son-in-law
 Frank Mansur, age 5, grandson
 Helen Mansur, age 2, granddaughter
 Anne [Breen], age 28, daughter
 Bertha Howard, age 25, daughter
 Lillian Howard, age 23, daughter
 David Breen, age 30, son-in-law

Obituary - Haverhill Evening Gazette, Monday, December 20, 1926:

Mrs. Mary T. Howard

The death of Mrs. Mary T. Howard, age 64, occurred Saturday afternoon at her home, 107 Cedar street, after a long illness. Mrs. Howard was born in Ireland, coming to this city when she was 23 years of age. She had been a resident of Haverhill for 41 years. She attended St. James church.

She leaves four daughters, Mrs. Frank Mansur, Mrs. David Breen, Mrs. Leon Chandler, and Lillian Howard; a son, Michael Howard; four sisters, Mrs. Catherine O'Connell, Mrs. Margaret Melody, Mrs. Dennis Mahoney of Medford, and Mrs. Ora French; two brothers, Jeremiah Callahan and John Callahan of Ireland, and 18 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted from the late home, 107 Cedar street, tomorrow morning at 7:45. Requiem high mass will be celebrated at St. James church at 8:34. Burial will be in St. James cemetery.

Child:	John Callaghan
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John Callaghan (1860-1949) and his wife Elizabeth Sullivan (1861-1926) reared their family in Knockgorm, Kilcorney, Co. Cork. As the eldest son, he remained on the family farm, and his parents and several siblings immigrated to Haverhill, Massachusetts in the 1880s and 1890s. Three of John and Elizabeth's children also moved to the United States: Timothy, John, and Ellen (Nellie).

The 1901 Irish census shows the Callaghan family living in Knockgorm, Kilcorney. All are listed as being born in Co. Cork.

John Callaghan is 40, and his occupation is agricultural labourer. He speaks Irish and English.

His wife is Elizabeth, 40. She speaks Irish and English. Their children are:

Timothy (16) letter carrier
 Catherine (14) scholar
 John (9) scholar
 Ellen (5) scholar
 Honora (3) scholar

None of the children speaks Irish.

His mother-in-law, Mary, is 85. She is a widow. She speaks Irish and English, but cannot read. Her maiden name was Mary Howard.

In the 1911 Irish census, John Callaghan is 51 and listed as an agricultural laborer. His wife Elizabeth is 50. They were married for 29 years. Six of 11 children are alive.

The children living at home are:

John (20) agricultural laborer
 Ellie (13+) scholar
 Honorah (12) scholar
 Julia (9) scholar

According to his granddaughter Betty Daley, John walked with a cane in his old age. He didn't like thunder. He was afraid of bulls--he would walk miles out of his way to avoid them.

Child:	Jeremiah Callaghan
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In the 1900 Federal Census (ED 311, sheet 5B), the family is living on 4 Garden Street in Haverhill.

In the 1910 Federal Census (ED 323, sheet 14A), the family is living on Primrose Street in Haverhill.

In the 1920 Federal Census (ED 76, sheet 13A), the family is living on Primrose Street in Haverhill.

In the 1930 Federal Census (ED 73, sheet 7A), the family is living on Seventh Avenue in Haverhill.

The children listed in the censuses are:

Timothy Callahan, born June 1897 [died 1949, married to Margaret Sullivan]
 Catherine Callahan, born November 1899
 Mary Callahan, born about 1900
 John Callahan, born around 1908
 Margaret Callahan, born around 1911, [married Scamporino]

Obituary - Haverhill Evening Gazette, March 29, 1943:

The funeral of Jeremiah Callahan, who died Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Margaret Scamparino, 233 Franklin street, will be held

tomorrow morning at 8 from the home, followed by a high mass of requiem at 9 at St. James church. Burial will be in St. James cemetery.

Mr. Callahan, a plasterer, was born in Ireland and had lived the greater part of his life in Haverhill. He was a member of St. James parish and the Holy Name Society of the parish.

Besides his daughter, he leaves two sons Timothy and John Callahan of Haverhill; a granddaughter, Geraldine Callahan; two sisters, Mrs. Ora French and Mrs. Dennis Mahoney of Haverhill; a brother John Callahan of Ireland; and several nieces and nephews.

Child: Catherine Callaghan

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Catherine's baptism was recorded in Banteer Parish, Ireland in 1865.

Obituary - Haverhill Evening Gazette, May 12, 1938:

Mrs. Catherine A. O'Connell

Mrs. Catherine A. O'Connell, age 67, widow of Timothy O'Connell, died late last night at the Hale hospital after a short illness. She was born in Ireland, Nov. 1, 1870, the child of Timothy and Catherine (Sullivan) Callahan. She came to this country 55 years ago and settled in Haverhill, where she had been a member of St. James parish for the same number of years. She also belonged to the confraternity of the parish and to Pride of Pentucket Circle Companions of the Forest of America.

She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Frances Durnin, this city; and Mrs. Delores Sullivan, North Andover; a son, Joseph O'Connell, Peabody; three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Melody, Mrs. Ora French and Mrs. Dennis Mahoney, all of this city; and a brother, Jeremiah Callahan, this city.

The funeral will be held from the home, 15 Lawrence street, Saturday at 7:45 with solemn high mass of requiem at 8:30 at St. James church. Burial will be in St. James cemetery.

Child: Elizabeth "Bessie" Callaghan

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Obituary - Haverhill Evening Gazette, Thursday, November 1, 1946:

Mrs. Elizabeth B. French

Mrs. Elizabeth B. French, age 71, 82 Fifth avenue, died late yesterday at the Hale hospital after an illness of three weeks. She was born in Ireland and had resided in Haverhill for 50 years. She was a member of St. James parish.

Beside her husband, Ora J. French, she leaves one son, Pfc Howard J. French, USA, Haverhill; one sister, Mrs. Julia Mahoney; one brother, John Callahan, Ireland, and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be held Saturday morning at 8:15 from her home. Requiem high mass will be celebrated in St. James church at 9. Burial will be in the family lot in St. James cemetery.

Child: Julia Callaghan

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In the 1930 Federal Census (ED 73, sheet 9A), the couple is living on 11 Sixth Avenue in Haverhill.

Item - Haverhill Gazette, Tuesday, July 26, 1892:

Julia, daughter of Timothy Callahan, deceased, is extremely low and doubts are entertained of her recovery. A telegram has been sent to her sister in Cleveland, O., to come immediately to attend the funeral of Timothy Callahan held tomorrow.,

Obituary - Haverhill Gazette, Wednesday, October 9, 1946:

Mrs. Julia F. (Callahan) Mahoney

Mrs. Julia F. (Callahan) Mahoney, age 74, 127 Winter street, widow of Dennis Mahoney, was found dead in her apartment this morning by Thomas Lemoux, 15 Maple street, janitor at the Pentucket apartments, who entered her apartment through a window when he became concerned over the woman's absence.

Officer William E. Lane investigated. Medical Examiner Dr. Leroy T. Stokes said death was due to natural causes and that the woman had been dead about 34 hours.

Mrs. Mahoney, who was born in Ireland, had been a resident of this city for 60 years. She was the daughter of the late Timothy and Catherine (Sullivan) Callahan. Mrs. Mahoney was a member of St. James parish. She leaves several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be held from the home of her niece, Mrs. Joseph Durnin, 15 Lawrence street, Friday morning at 8:15 with a solemn high mass in St. James church at 9. Burial will be in St. James cemetery. Mrs. Mahoney may be seen tonight from 7 to 10, and tomorrow from 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 p.m.

Child: **Margaret Callaghan**

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Wedding announcement - Haverhill Evening Gazette, July 2, 1895:

Melody-Callahan

Lawrence Man Weds a Haverhill Young Lady

St. James church was this morning the scene of a pretty wedding. The contracting parties were Mr. Michael Melody, of Lawrence and Miss Margaret Callahan of this city. The ceremony was performed at 7:30 by Rev. Fr. Graham in the presence of a large party of relatives and friends. The bride was gowned in a handsome dress of cream-colored cassmere [sic] trimmed with lace. The best man was Mr. William Maloney of Lawrence and the bridesmaid Miss Julia F. Callahan, sister of the bride. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Melody were driven to the residence of the bride, No. 85 Fifth avenue, where a wedding breakfast was served. They left on the 12 o'clock train for Boston and on their return will hold a reception tomorrow evening at 90 Margin street, Lawrence. The presents were very handsome and included among them were:

Carpet, Mrs. John Howard; parlor lamp, Bessie Callahan; Bible, Julia Callahan; toilet set, Mrs. John Cronin; table cloth, Mrs. John Lane; picture, Mary Bresnahan; picture, Mary Twohig; picture, Nellie Jones; cake plate, Mollie Temple; table set, Bessie Callahan; table set, Katie Callahan; half dozen silver teaspoons, Mrs. John Collins; half dozen silver knives and forks, Maggie Twomey; bed spread, Hannah Stanton; lemonade set, Mrs. Lacombe; carpet, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy O'Connell; book-rack, Katherine Frances O'Connell; pillow shams, Mamie Howard; silver sleeve-holders, Michael Howard; feather bed, Mrs. Kate Callahan; parlor lamp, Mrs. A. Melody-Larned; dinner set, Mrs. W. Melody, Lawrence; rug, Sabina Melody, Lawrence; pair of pictures, Mrs. Bridget W. Delaney; enamelled ware tea cup, Marie Bell; table cloth, Mrs. [?]. W. Duffy; table cloth, Mrs. Foley.

Child: **Michael Callaghan**

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