

**4e. Roberta Belle (Kelland) Garland.
22. 1. 1906 – 11. 9. 1980.**



Roberta Belle was the only child of George Henry Kelland and Mabel Isabel (Caldwell) Kelland. Her parents were both in their late thirties when she was born in Lynn, MA.

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CERTIFIED COPY OF RECORD OF BIRTH

REGISTERED NUMBER: 112

CHILD

Name: ROBERTA BELLE KELLAND ✓
Date of BIRTH: JANUARY 22, 1906 ✓
Sex: FEMALE Plurality: SINGLE ✓
Place of Birth: LYNN, MA

MOTHER

Name: MABEL I. KELLAND ✓
Maiden surname: CALDWELL ✓
Birthplace: -----, NEW BRUNSWICK ✓
Residence: LYNN, MA

FATHER

Name: GEORGE H. KELLAND ✓
Birthplace: LYNN, MA

Date of RECORD: JANUARY 24, 1906

Below are copies of some photographs taken while Roberta Kelland was growing up and kindly sent to me by her daughter Ann.

Roberta is on the Right.



Roberta with her parents George Henry Kelland and Mabel Caldwell Kelland

When Roberta was about nine or ten years old her parents moved to Saugus, the next town, to live in a house they had had built. (See George Henry Kelland's file). On the 1930 Census she is shown as a Music Teacher, but on her marriage certificate her occupation is given as a Stenographer. She was married in 1931, when she is 25 years old to a Sherman E Garland who was a printer.

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The following is a copy from the Records of Marriages, in said city:

GROOM		BRIDE	
Name	SHERMAN E. GARLAND	Name	ROBERTA B. KELLAND
Surname	-----	Surname	-----
After Marriage	-----	After Marriage	-----
Place of Residence	39 SARATOGA ST. LYNN, MA	Place of Residence	54 SUMMER ST. SAUGUS, MA
Age	27 Years	Age	25 Years
Occupation	PRINTER	Occupation	STENOGRAPHER
Birthplace	LYNN, MA	Birthplace	LYNN, MA
Father's Name	GEORGE E. GARLAND	Father's Name	GEORGE H. KELLAND
Mother's Maiden Name	ANNIE THISTLE	Mother's Maiden Name	MABEL CALDWELL
Number of Marriage	FIRST	Number of Marriage	FIRST
Name, residence and official station of		Person by whom married HAROLD THURSTON HANDLEY, CLERGYPERSON, SWAMPSCOTT, MA	
Date of Marriage JUNE 12, 1931		Place of Marriage SAUGUS, MA	

I know very little about either Roberta or Sherman except that they had two children George and Ann, whom they brought up at the family home in Summer St., Saugus. It would be nice to be able to include photographs of them both, plus any stories about their life.

Social Security Death Index

Name:	Sherman Garland
SSN:	034-03-2191
Last Residence:	01906 Saugus, Essex, Massachusetts, United States of America
Born:	17 May 1904
Died:	Jul 1974
State (Year) SSN issued:	Massachusetts (Before 1951)

Massachusetts Death Index, 1970-2003

Name:	Roberta B Garland
Certificate:	043487
Death Place:	Lynn
Death Date:	11 Sep 1980
Birth Place:	Massachusetts
Birth Date:	22 Jan 1906

Just a little about Roberta and Sherman's children.
Before I write anything I will have to check with the children that it is O.K.