IAN'S GOOGLE GENEALOGY SEARCH TIPS AND TRICKS

- Enclose " " marks around search string   e.g. "Mark Smith" not Mark Smith
- Add birth date to search name   e.g. "Frederick Strange" 1852
- Add death date to search name   e.g. "Albert Chomoldary" 1899
- Add marriage date to search name   e.g. "Stephen Fenton" 1904
- Add location to search name   e.g. "James Browne" Chalgrove, Oxfordshire
- Add spouse surname to search name e.g. "Mary Beaumont" "Anderson"
- Add spouse full name to search name e.g. "Mary Beaumont" "Philip Anderson"
- Try full name e.g. "Margaret Hazel Saitherwaite"
- Don't be too specific   e.g. use 1903 rather than "3rd July 1903"
- Add profession to search name   e.g. "Allen Parsons" farrier
- Use married surname for women   e.g. "Ethel Ramsbottom" rather than her birth name "Ethel Smith"
- Use childrens' names to find parents e.g. "William Moore" might find father "Simon Moore"
- Use spelling variations e.g. "Ian Hendricks" might find "Ian Handricks"
- Use image search e.g. Entering "Phoebe Laprace" might locate a webpage for the family