

The CUTHBERTSON Family

Julie, Wendy and Don Cuthbertson attended the Maleny State School from 1940 to 1952 and their mother **Clarice** went from 1914 - 1923.

Their father, **Guy**, came to Maleny about 1928. He was closely related to the **Hankinson, Evans and Salloway** families. After the war he ran the auctioneering and real estate firm, Stephen Porter & Co. His main income was derived from the monthly cattle sales held at the old saleyards next to the Hotel where Woolworths Supermarket now stands.

Clarice was a member of the large **Porter** family who arrived in Maleny in 1913. They lived in Redcliffe in their retirement.

- **Julie** married **Lester Geritz**. They have three children and live in Yarraman.
- **Wendy** married **Jim Hanfling** (decd) and had four children.
- **Don** joined the Commonwealth Bank and was transferred to Far North Queensland region in 1957. He never left the area and married **Edna Jarred** from Babinda. They have three children. He left the bank in 1980 and purchased a camping and army disposals store in Cairns where he still resides.

Wendy was a teacher at Witta (a two teacher school) and began in 1955 to 1957 when she left to be married and moved to Bald Hills, where she still lives. The Head Master was **Mr. Harold Muller** and she taught his younger children. He led parade each morning with the reading of a Psalm. He was also a Baptist lay preacher. Her time there was a very happy couple of years. **Bert Brooker** drove the school bus and she mostly drove out with him, as she lived in Maleny with her parents.



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