

THE RAYMENT SOCIETY

APPLICATION FOR INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP

Please carefully read the notes overleaf before completing and returning this form to the Hon. Membership Secretary, Mr Stephen Daghish, 113 Stomp Road, Burnham, Berkshire, SL1 7NN, United Kingdom. Applications must be accompanied by both the joining fee (see note 1) and the annual subscription (see note 2), together with the required birth and marriage certificates (see note 10) or with certificate orders and appropriate fees (see note 11).

Title (Mr/Mrs/Miss/other) _____ Surname _____

Forename(s) _____ Date of birth _____

Address _____

Postcode or zip _____ Country _____

E-mail address _____

Telephone numbers (see note 9) Home _____ Work _____

I wish to apply for individual membership of the Rayment Society. I agree to abide by the Society's rules, a copy of which I have received and read. I agree that both my genealogical details and the details given above may be (a) held on the Society's computerised database, (b) disclosed (see note 9) to any other member upon request, (c) mentioned on the Society's Newline, web-site, and in such of the Society's publications as the Society deems appropriate.

I enclose a crossed sterling cheque or sterling money order (see note 5), drawn in favour of "**The Rayment Society**", covering the joining fee of £15.00 and the annual subscription of £9.00 for the current membership year, which ends on the 31 March, together with all necessary certificates (see note 10) or certificate orders and fees (see note 11).

Signed _____ Date _____

If any orders for birth and/or marriage certificates are enclosed (see note 11), please tick this box

If you would like to receive further information on making future annual subscription payments by Standing Order to a bank, or require the appropriate mandate form (see note 4), please tick this box

From where did you find out about the Rayment Society? _____

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Cheque details: Bank

Sort Code

Cheque No.

Amount: £

Date paid in:

Certificates or photocopies received: GROB

GROM

Certificate order forms received: GROB

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Membership number (incl. prefix) allocated:

Date acknowledged:

NOTES

1. The current joining fee of £15.00 is payable by all applicants for individual membership.
2. The annual subscription for individual membership is currently £9.00, which is payable upon application for membership and on the 1 April each year thereafter.
3. Members joining part way through a membership year, which runs from 1 April each year to 31 March the following year, will not be entitled to a pro-rata reduction in their annual subscription fee.
4. In accordance with the rules, any members whose subscription remains unpaid on the 1st July each year may cease to be a member. Any such person wishing to rejoin at a later date would therefore need to complete a new application form and to pay again whatever joining fee is appropriate at that date, in addition to their annual subscription fee. *In order to avoid this, UK members are strongly advised to consider the advantages of paying their future annual subscriptions by standing order.*
5. The Society is only able to accept cheques payable in sterling in the UK or sterling money orders. *Other currencies are too costly to convert into sterling.*
6. The Society is a not-for-profit organisation; all monies collected being used to defray the cost of running the Society, including expenditure on research, communications and purchase of documents, publications and services etc.
7. The Society would appreciate the inclusion of a stamped and addressed envelope with all correspondence, in order to keep its expenses to a minimum.
8. Information given on membership application forms will not be used for any commercial purpose or for any purpose other than for family history research and the tracing of living relatives.
9. Any application for membership which is submitted without a home telephone number will not be considered but applicants who require their telephone number not to be disclosed (other than to the Society's Officers) should place an X after the telephone number concerned.
10. The Society is required to examine all of those applicants' full birth and marriage certificates upon which the Rayment or variant surname appears. Applicants are therefore requested to enclose all such certificates when returning their completed forms to the Membership Secretary, who will endeavour to arrange for their prompt return. *Good quality photocopies are perfectly acceptable in place of the original certificates, provided that these are of the same size and printed in the middle of A3-sized sheets of paper.*
11. British applicants for whom the required certificates are unavailable can arrange for the Society to purchase replacements. For each certificate required an additional £11.00 should be added to the amount of their cheque. For non-British applicants different arrangements and prices apply and details of these may be obtained from the Society's Secretary.