

# Coleridge Family:

## An Inventory of Their Literary File Photography Collection at the Harry Ransom Center

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### Descriptive Summary

<b>Creator:</b>	Coleridge Family
<b>Title:</b>	Coleridge Family Literary File Photography Collection
<b>Dates:</b>	undated
<b>Extent:</b>	32 items
<b>Abstract:</b>	Thirty-two photographs that are primarily portraits of members of the Coleridge family, which includes the Romantic poet, Samuel Taylor Coleridge (British, 1772-1834).
<b>Call Number:</b>	Photography Collection PH-02899
<b>Language:</b>	English
<b>Access:</b>	Open for research. To make an appointment or to reserve photography materials, please email <a href="#">Visual Materials Reference staff</a> . Researchers must create an online Research Account and agree to the Materials Use Policy before using archival materials.
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**Administrative Information**

**Preferred Citation** Coleridge Family Literary File Photography Collection (PH-02899).  
Harry Ransom Center, The University of Texas at Austin.

**Acquisition:** Internal transfers

**Processed by:** Susan McClellan and Mary Foster, 2006

**Repository:** [Harry Ransom Center, The University of Texas at Austin](#)

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## Scope and Contents

The collection consists of 32 photographs that are primarily portraits of members of the Coleridge family, which includes the Romantic poet, Samuel Taylor Coleridge (British, 1772-1834). An index at the end of this guide lists photographers whose work is featured in this file. Further descriptions of some items may be available in a card catalog in the repository.

This file forms a part of the Literary File Collection that is comprised of photographs and albums withdrawn from the libraries and/or papers of literary figures, and generally include portraits and images collected by or of those figures.

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## Related Material

Addition materials by and about members of the Coleridge Family are available in the Ransom Center's library, the Coleridge Family Art Collection (AR-00042), the Earl Leslie Griggs Art Collection of Coleridge Family Portraits (AR-00107), and the Earl Leslie Griggs Collection of Samuel Taylor Coleridge (MS-01740), and sixteen manuscript collections which follow.

Coleridge Family Collection (MS-00858)

Christabel R. (Christabel Rose) Coleridge Collection (MS-00853)

Derwent Moultrie Coleridge Collection (MS-00855)

Derwent Coleridge Collection (MS-00854)

Edith Coleridge Collection (MS-00856)

Ernest Hartley Coleridge Collection (MS-00857)

Hartley Coleridge Collection (MS-00859)

Henry Nelson Coleridge Collection (MS-00860)

John Duke Coleridge, Baron Coleridge Collection (MS-00861)

Sir John Taylor Coleridge Collection (MS-00862)

Mary E. (Mary Elizabeth) Coleridge Collection (MS-00863)

Mary Pridham Coleridge Collection (MS-00864)

Samuel Taylor Coleridge Collection (MS-00865)

Sara Fricker Coleridge Collection (MS-00867)

Sara Coleridge Collection (MS-00866)

Earl Leslie Griggs Collection of Samuel Taylor Coleridge (MS-01740)

## Index Terms

### People

Buchanan, T. R. (Thomas Ryburn), 1846-1911.  
Coleridge, Arthur Duke, 1830-1913.  
Coleridge, Derwent, 1800-1883.  
Coleridge, Ernest Hartley, 1846-1920.  
Coleridge, Hartley, 1796-1849.  
Coleridge, Samuel Taylor, 1772-1834.  
Wordsworth, Dorothy, 1771-1855.  
Wordsworth, Mary, 1770-1859.  
Wordsworth, William, 1770-1850.

### Subjects

Authors.  
Poets, English.  
Portraits.  
Portraits, Group.

### Document Types

Card photographs.  
Cartes de visite.  
Photographic postcards.  
Photographic prints.

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**Location**  
Coleridge  
Family  
Lit File

**Print Number: P1** Photographic reproduction of a drawing of an unidentified middle-aged man (Derwent Coleridge?).

**Print Number: P2** Photographic reproduction of a drawing of poet Samuel Taylor Coleridge.

**Print Number: P3** Hand-tinted cabinet card portrait of Derwent Moultrie Coleridge and his wife, circa 1870s.

**Print Number: P4-P5** Variant cabinet card portraits of Mrs. Derwent Coleridge, circa 1870s.

**Print Number: P6, P7A-P7B, P8A-P8B** Portraits of Ernest Hartley Coleridge.

**Print Number: P9** Portraits of Arthur Coleridge, an unidentified man, and an unidentified woman (3 individual portraits mounted together on one leaf).

**Print Number: P10** Cabinet card portrait of Ernest H. Coleridge and T. R. Buchanan, circa 1870s.

**Print Number: P11** Reproduction of an unpublished early drawing of William Wordsworth.

**Print Number: P12** Carte-de-visite portrait of Dorothy Wordsworth, circa 1860s.

**Print Number: P13** Portrait of an unidentified man (an actor?) in a velvet suit with a cape, seated in a carved chair.

**Print Number: P14** Photographic postcard of an exterior view of Galley Hill Church.

**Print Number: P15** Group portrait of 7 unidentified young men and boys with bicycles.

**Print Number: P16A-P16B** Exterior views of a vicarage which is the supposed birthplace of Samuel Taylor Coleridge.

**Print Number: P17** View of the chimney piece from the same vicarage.

**Print Number: P18** View of Ellen Lovett's place of business as a "licensed retailer of spirits & beer & dealer in tobacco."

**Print Number: P19** Photographic reproduction of a drawing of Old Market Cross.

**Print Number: P20** View of William and Mary Wordsworth's grave.

**Print Number: P21** View of Hartley Coleridge's grave.

**Print Number: P22** Interior view of "Christabel's" sitting room at Cheyne, Torquay.

**Print Number: P24** Photographic postcard of an interior view of an unidentified church.

**Print Number: P25** Exterior view of an unidentified church (same one as in P24?).

**Print Number: P26** Group portrait of 7 unidentified people (1 man, 3 women, 2 boys, and 1 girl) and a dog.

**Print Number: P27** Group portrait of 9 unidentified people (6 women and 3 men).

**Print Number: P29** Portrait of the Rev. Gerard Hartley Buchanan Coleridge (Alwyne Coleridge's father); signed on image recto, circa 1910s-1930s.

**Accession Number: 980:0058:0001** Portrait of an unidentified woman.

**Print Number: P28** Photographic reproduction of a drawing of Samuel Taylor Coleridge

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## **Index of Photographers**

- Elliott & Fry--P28
- Emberson, John, 1871-1948--P15
- J. Russell & Sons--P4, P8A
- Moffat, John, 1819-1894--P10
- Rose K. Durrant & Son--P7A-P7B, 980:0058:0001
- Scott, Benjamin, active circa 1860s--P12
- Scott, David, active 1857-1891--P3
- W. & E. Saveall--P14