



Clan MACKILLOP

ARMS
CREST
MOTTO

Black shield with a silver stag's head, cabossed.

Not available

Cadal cha'n aom air fear faire

MACKILLOP. G. *Mac Fhilib*. 'son of Philip: but who the Philip was who first gave name is not known. The aspiration of the *t* in the genitive case causes it to disappear. Philip is originally a Greek personal name (*Philippos*) meaning 'horse-lover: Some of this name are said to have been standard-bearers to the Campbell's of Dunstaffnage, others are included as septs of Macdonald of Glencoe and of Macdonells of Keppoch, and Mackillop also occurs as a surname in Arran. Finlaid Macpilibh, priest of the diocese of Argyll, is in record in 1488, and in 1487 John, son of Fynlaid Prioris Macpilibh, appears as perpetual vicar of Kilcalmonell (*Sancti C olmaneli*) in Cnapdul (ibid., p. 625). William Makinop, a follower of the earl of Cassills, was respited for murder in 1526. Donald M'Gillip is mentioned in 1582, Robert Makillip was a witness at Penkill, Ayrshire, in 1545, Malcum M'Killib witnessed a Glenurquhay bond of manrent in 1547, Tharlocht M Killib was a witness at 'Iill of Lochtay' in 1649, and Duncan M'gillop in the Kirktone of Weeme is in record in 1692. Makellop 1509. The name is also current in the abbreviated form MACGILP. A family of this name took the name Macdonald on their intermarrying with the Keppoch family. The Gaelic "motto" of the family, *Cadal cha'n aom air tear faire*. is of twentieth century origin. McKillip and McKyllap 1692. See also MACGILP.

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Clan MAC KILLOP Septs

MAC CALEP(S)
MAC CALIP(S)
MAC CALIFF
MAC CALOP

MAC CULIP
MAC GILP
MAC KELLIP(S)
MAC KELLOP

MAC KILLOP,-IP
MAC PHI~(L)IP(S)
MAC PHILP(S)
PHILIP(P)

PHILIPSON
PHILLIP(S)
PHILPOT

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