

Fanny was much more likely 19 and should not be on this list. [Click here](#)

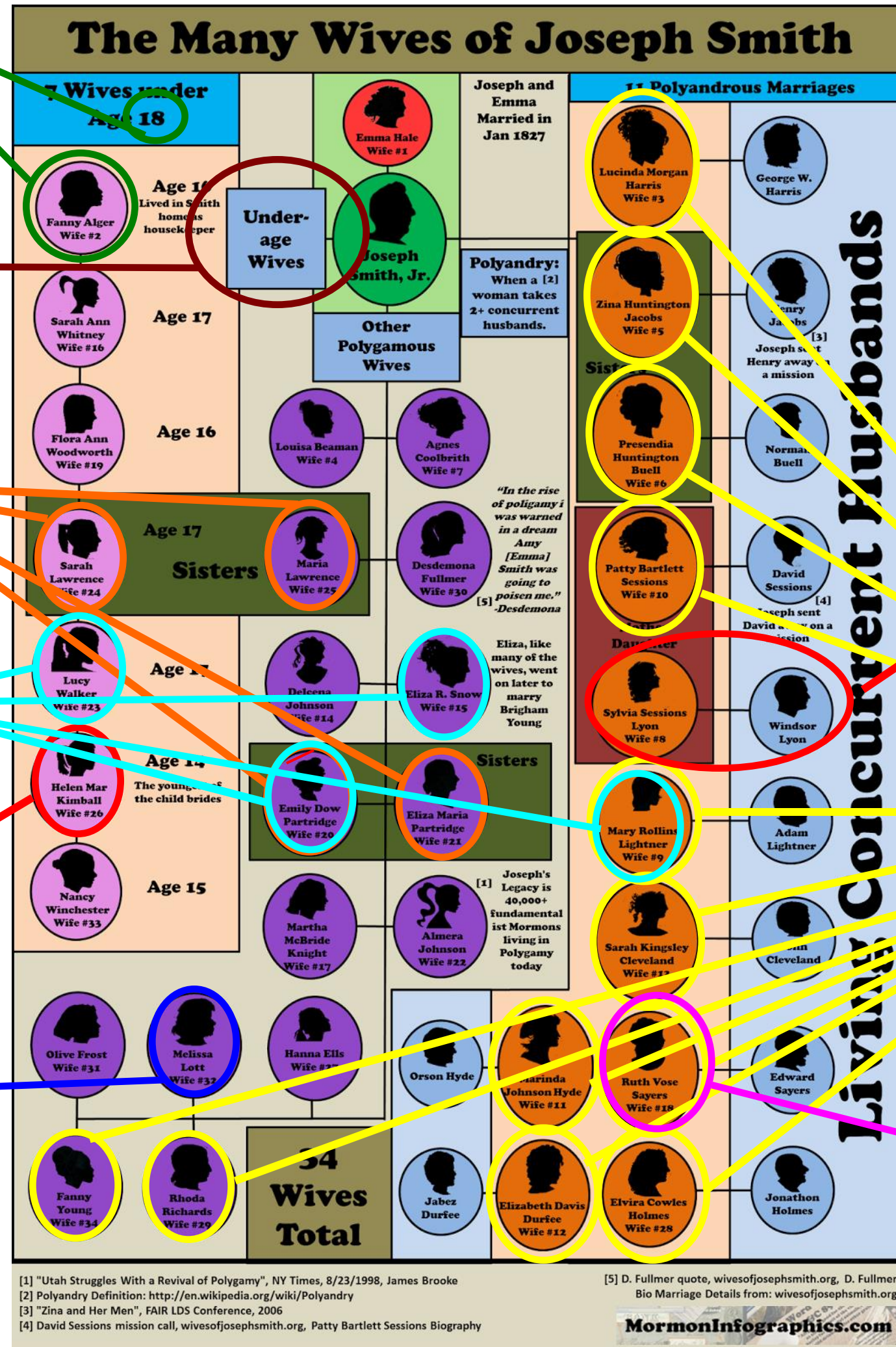
This is a classic example of "presentism." None of the wives —by the standards of the time— could be considered "under age." [Click here](#)

Emma Smith approved and participated in these four plural sealings. [Click here](#)

Many wives lived for decades and were strong defenders of Joseph Smith and plural marriage as a religious practice. [Click here](#)

This was likely not consummated. Practically speaking it was similar to a betrothal. [Click here](#)

Emma and the woman's parents specifically approved of this marriage. [Click here](#)



Charts like these sensationalize Joseph Smith's marriages by providing only selected details. They can be very misleading.

Sylvia Lyon's sealing to Joseph Smith caused her legal marriage to Windsor Lyon to be done away. Sylvia never had more than one genuine husband at a time. [Click here](#)

Non-sexual "eternity only" sealings. [Click here](#)

Ruth Vose Sayers sought out Joseph to be his eternity-only wife. [Click here](#)