From the Low Countries to England and Scotland in the 14th & 15th Centuries

Philippa d’Avesnes of Hainault 1314 -1369 1 m King Edward III Plantagenet 1312 – 1377
                      John of Gaunt 1340 – 1399, Duke of Lancaster
                       m (1) Blanche of Lancaster 1345 - 1368 ISSUE King Henry IV Plantagenet, Philippa Queen of Portugal 2
                       m (2) Constance of Castile 1354 - 1383 ISSUE Catherine Queen of Castile (mother of Maria Queen of Aragon) 3
                       m (3) Katherine Swynford 1350 - 1403 4 ISSUE Beaufort line of Earls and Dukes of Somerset
                                    Joan Beaufort 1379 1440 m (1) Robert Ferrers , m (2) Ralph de Neville, 1st Earl of Westmoreland
                                    John Beaufort 1373 1410 1st Earl of Somerset m Margaret Holland 1385 -1439
                                    John Beaufort 1403 -1444 1st Duke of Somerset m Margaret Beauchamp of Bletso 1410 - 1482
                                    Joan Beaufort 1404 –1445 m King James I of Scotland 1394-1437
                                    King James II of Scotland 1430 – 1460 m Maria van Egmont- Gelre 1434 -1463 5

1 Descent from Charlemagne, Swedish Kings, Grand Princes of Kiev, Byzantine Emperors, Princes of Antioch, Kings of Hungary, Cumanian Princess, French royal connections, Counts of Flanders, Louvain, and Hainault
2 Philippa 1360 -1415 m King John I of Portugal 1357 1433. Their issue included Henry the Navigator.
3 John of Gaunt claimed succession to the Spanish throne in jure uxoris. Their daughter Catherine of Lancaster married King Henry III of Castile, whose daughter Maria of Castile married King Alfonso V of Aragon.
4 daughter of Sir Paon Gilles de Roet 1310 -1380 of Hainault ( d’Avesnes and probably some Jewish ancestry). Katherine’s sister Philippa de Roet 1346 -1387 married Geoffrey Chaucer.
5 aka Mary of Guelders, daughter of the Duke of Gelderland and niece of Philip the Bold, Duke of Burgundy

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_of Hainault_
1314 – 1369
m
King Edward III
1312 -1377
| |
John of Gaunt
Duke of Lancaster
1340 -1399
m(3) Katherine de Roet
1350 - 1403
| |
| John Beaufort
1373 – 1410
| |
1st Earl of Somerset
| |
Beaufort line

Sir Paon Gilles de Roet
_of Hainault_
(Guiponne Herald King of Arms)
1310 – 1380
| |
Philippa de Roet
1346 – 1387
m Geoffrey Chaucer
1343 – 1400
and
m(1) Sir Hugh Swynford
1340 – 1371
| |
| Sir Thomas Swynford
1368 - 1432
Constable of
Pontefract Castle

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