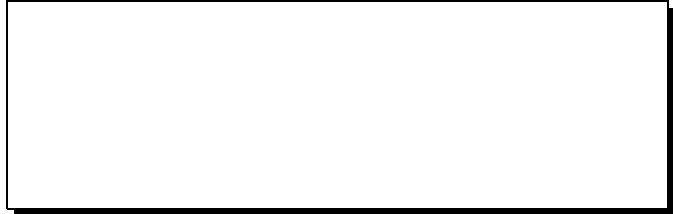


# Chavchavadze

## *Description of Arms :*



**Principal Title :** Prince Chavchavadze.

**Creation :** Georgia and Abkhasia, 1465.

**Subsidiary Titles :**

**Family Name :** Chavchavadze or Tchavchavadze

**Family History :** This family goes back to the XV century in Kakhétia, now part of Azerbaijan. It is divided into two main lines.

The first was established in Kavreli where, in 1529, it received the title of prince from King Leon II of Georgia. The second was centred in Tsinandali, where it was promoted to equal rank, by King Irakli I, in 1680.

Both titles were ratified, in Russia, in 1825.

Several members of both lines played important parts in the ceaseless struggles which marked this region.

Jason (from Kavreli) was Chamberlain to King Alexander II of Kakhétia in the XVI century; Garsevan (from Tsinandali) was army commander of King Theimouraz I, in the XVII century; Alexander, who was the god-son of Empress Catherine II, tried to restore the Bagration family in 1802 and 1832; Alexander was also Governor-General of Armenia and aide to the romantic Prince Barclay de Tolly in the battles against Napoleon and in the occupation of Paris in 1814. Ilia (of Kavreli) was an important statesman and writer, who assisted in the liberation of the serfs in 1861. He was a Counsellor of State at Saint Petersburg, was assassinated in 1907 and was buried in the Pantheon of Tiflis.

# Chavchavadze

Ist Branch of Kvareli

Prince Governor Otia, Prince of Tchavtchavadze (1529)

2nd Branch of Tsinanladi

Prince David, Prince of Tchavtchavadze

Vadime, Prince  
(1907-1928)

Prince Paul (1899-1971) = Nina of Russia

PRINCE DAVID (1924-), 1st = (1952)

Elene Husted (1933-), 2nd = (1959) Jane Clippinger (1929-) and 3rd = (1979) Eugenie de Smitt

Prince Nicolas (1866-1917)  
= Catherine Tsitsianov

Maria  
(1953-)

Akexandra  
(1954-)

Catherine  
(1960-)

Prince MICHAEL  
(1966-)

Prince Michel (1989-1965)  
= Lioubov Okhotnikov

Irina (1924-)  
= Pierre Auboyneau

Prince NICOLAS (1933-)  
= (1963) Nelly Khomeriki (1941-)

Cyrille  
(1951-)

Catherine  
(1952-)

Anne (1964-)

= Nicolas Sampsidis

Elisabeth (1966-)

= M. Karélidze

Prince MICHEL (1968-)

= Nino Djaparidze

Anastasia  
(1989-)

Marie  
(1991-)

Cecilia  
(1993-)

Anna  
(1995-)