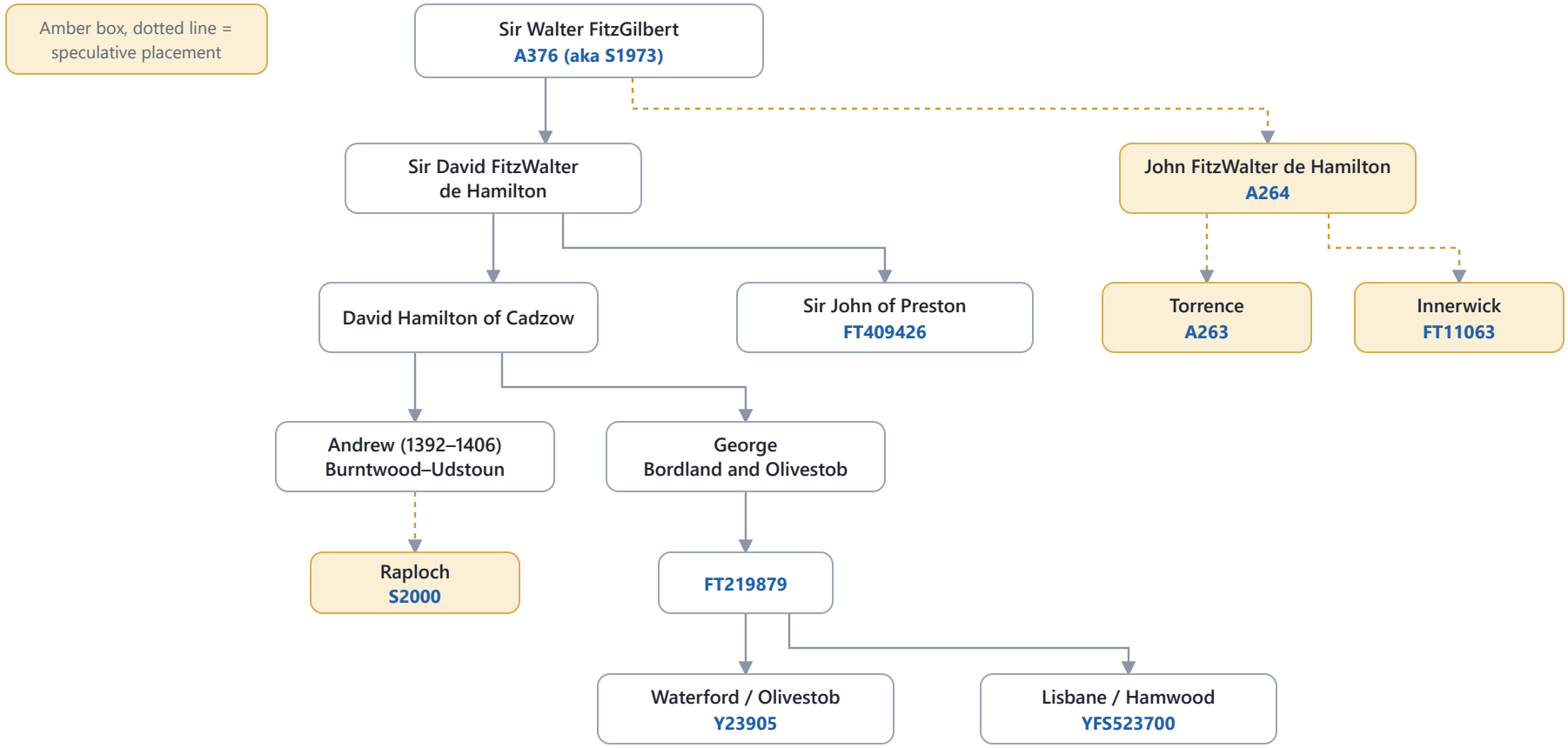
Group A Hamilton Pedigree: A Working Theory Based on Y-DNA SNP Results

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Each box pairs a person or family with the Big Y SNP branch (in blue) whose members are thought to descend from them. The SNP branches are measured results from members' Big Y tests. The people and families linking them come from historical records and are a working theory, which will be revised as more members test.

White boxes are placements with stronger support. **Amber boxes** and **dotted lines** are speculative and still to be confirmed. To find your own place, look up your haplogroup on FamilyTreeDNA (for example I-A262) or on the Group A Hamilton Y-DNA SNP Tree. A branch further down the tree (such as A262, below A263) belongs with the box it falls under.



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