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Dear Lorraine,

Where do I start?? I feel I'm so far behind I'll never catch up!!  
I just re-read your letter of Aug. 11 telling about your terrifically hot summer weather. We could surely sympathize that you couldn't even cool your trailer! We did not have an unusually hot summer here - we thought it was a little dry at times, but the rains must have come when they were really needed as the crop harvest turned out very well. It was rather warm for a few days while we were in Charleston, S.C. the last of Aug. That is a beautiful old historic city. I would like to go sometime in the spring when the azaleas are blooming. We had a little snow this morning when we got up - about enough to cover the ground and the leaves I still haven't finished getting rid of.

I wish I had known you would be interested in the "Family Of Elder John Smith" (of course I should have known!) I would have copied mine and sent it to you - free! It does have some interesting stories about my Smith relatives, but except for my Landes family, I never knew any of the rest of them. It is rather sad - in the church divide, my grandma Landes was the only one of her family to go with the "Old Orders", all the rest were Church of The Brethren. Daddy, of course, had known most of his cousins when they were young, and in his later years he would go to see some of them. I think the ones who owned the land where the big Salem Mall is now must have ended up rather wealthy!

I have been collecting some info to send you - probably rather a hodge-podge. I did a pedigree chart for Galen Wray and Angie Riffey who were married in Oct. and live near us and since it has some of the Plunketts I made a copy to send you. Do you know who the parents of Mary Brubaker who married John M. Garst, were? Also I have not been able to find the parents of Daniel P. Cripe 1843-1916, married to Leah Wolf d/o ??

Also forgot to mention while I was on John Smith family, I copied pages 28 & 29 and will send them.

So will try to answer some of your questions in the Plunkett work you sent. I'm sure the "Mrs. Sarah Meadows" in the obit of John Plunkett in the 1933 Vindicator p.61 is definitely an error. I have found them before, and it's really not too surprising considering that back then practically all articles and information sent in for publication was written in long hand. One can easily see how Meador could become Meadows with a few flourishes instead of a well formed "r". Besides, Sarah Meador lived in Virginia and the Vindicator editors were not acquainted with her, so they had to print their best guess for her name. I do not have any Plunkett info except Vindicator obituaries, but it seems to me you have figured out Algernon Plunkett's marriages correctly. I have found nothing pertaining to a first wife; Sally Brubaker's death was too early for the Vindicator, but I was pleased to find in the obituary of Moses Plunkett that he was survived by a brother, Anthony, also a half-brother and a half sister, so that confirms a second marriage. See copy of obit enclosed. Some families were "allergic" to referring to a step-mother, when perhaps she really was a good mother to her step-children, but they didn't once give a thought or care to the trouble it might cause genealogists on down the line!

Page 27 Yes, Scott Hirt who married Marsha Lynn Hirt is the son of Terry and Julie Hirt - the same one listed on page 47. Scott and Marsha have one son, Brenden (in 1994 Central States OGBB Directory)

Page 37 Family of Charles Brumbaugh - I'm sorry, I must have not made this clear before: Charles and Marlene Brumbaugh have a fourth child, **Amy Lynn** b. 1985. She is listed on page 56 as the daughter of her brother Delvin. In Ohio Directory, Delvin and Karen Brumbaugh do have a daughter, **Gwen Elizabeth** b. 1994.

Also, Kevin and Rebecca (Bowman) Brumbaugh have 4 children:  
Mary b. 1988, Leah b. 1989, Faith b. 1992, Anna b. 1994

Page 43 Juanita Jane Wagoner married Steven Kuns, son of Lee and Phyllis (Miller) Kuns.

Page 55 Bradley Flory is the son of Marvin and Anna (Mohler) Flory

Now, what about **you??** I saw Rosa at the Covington Love Feast, and she said they had invited you to come to Indiana and spend the winter in their house. We were also sorry to hear you have had a bout with

depression and hope and pray you are doing better now. Know it is a big decision to try to decide what you want to do and where you want to be. And what to do with all your "stuff". I've sometimes wondered the same thing about some of my "stuff" and I'm certain what I have in the genealogy line, does not begin to compare with what you have. Guess the main thing is just to be sure all your work isn't lost, and is preserved somewhere. If you do decide to move east, wish we were close enough to help you - but who knows, If it were the right time of year maybe it would be possible anyway! Suppose Marvin would think it was a lark driving a U-Haul across the country!?? Apparently you have not had any swift offers for your mobile home ? or <sup>are</sup> we behind times?? So just keep us posted as to your decisions, if there are any big ones!

Just noticed on the last page of your August letter you mentioned that at Annual Meeting that rainy day when we saw you in the dinning tent and introduced you to the minister whose mother had just passed away at Peabody-- it was Donald and Elsie Brubaker and his mother was Mable Brubaker.

You mentioned Gale Honeyman; I saw him at Happy Corner Gen. Meeting in Oct., but didn't talk to him. Everybody was on their own for lunch this year, so that eliminated the opportunity of visiting at lunch. *I will be interested in his Deeter book!*

We are planning to have our children and Mother Shoup for Thanksgiving dinner after church Thursday. Wish you could be here to eat turkey with us. The girls are each bringing something, so I won't have so much <sup>to do</sup> besides the turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes and maybe sweet potato casserole and mince pie. Cheryl is making pumpkin pies, Charlotte rolls and Marva cranberry salad. We really do have much to be thankful for!

I don't think of any more news so guess I'd better get this ready to go! Will hope to see you in time for A. M. next year - if not before. Hope they will have some good rates for those coming in -- they're usually better to Cincinnati or Columbus than Dayton and we can (or I can) probably pick you up wherever you can get the best deal. In the meantime don't work too hard and have a nice Thanksgiving.

P.S.

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*Love,  
Lela & Marvin*



**SUSAN EILEEN FRANTZ WYDRO 1997**

50, an English teacher with Montgomery County Public Schools, Maryland, died of metastasized breast cancer on April 20 at her home in Potomac, Maryland. She was first diagnosed with breast cancer in 1983, with reoccurrences in 1986, and most recently in 1994. Never giving up hope, Mrs. Wydro underwent aggressive treatments with courage and strength, including a bone marrow transplant, and various chemotherapies. Born in Springfield, Ohio, Mrs. Wydro was a 1964 graduate of Springfield High School and a life-long member of Grace United Methodist Church. She graduated from Baldwin-Wallace College in 1968, where she was president of Alpha Xi Delta. She moved to Montgomery County, Maryland where she began her teaching career. A teacher for 28 years, she spent the last seven years teaching at Ridgeview Intermediate School, Gaithersburg, Maryland. Prior to that, she taught at Colonel E. Brook Lee Junior High School, Wheaton, Maryland. She retired in 1996. She met her husband, William in 1970 while he was in the Army. After returning from his tour of duty in Vietnam, they were married on August 14, 1971. Mrs. Wydro was active in her community. She was a member of North Chevy Chase Christian Church, where she held many positions including, Chairman of the Board. She was also very active in the GFWC Metropolitan Community Club, where she served as president, among other positions. Susan was a loving wife and caring mother who maintained close ties to her sister and parents. Susan was a "people person" who touched many lives. She was a good listener whom family and friends would confide in and turn to for love and support. Survivors include her husband of 25 years, William, a native of Washington, D.C.; her daughters, Sarah (21) and Jennifer (17); her parents, George and Charlotte Frantz; her sister, Rebecca; and her aunt, Eleanor, all from the Springfield, Ohio area. A celebration of her life will be held at the North Chevy Chase Christian Church, 8814 Kensington Parkway, Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815 on Saturday, April 26 at 1 p.m. Inurnment private. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in her name to either Lombardi Cancer Research Center, in care of Georgetown University Development Department, Attention: Paula Slaughter, 2115 Wisconsin Avenue, Northwest 6th Floor, Washington, D.C. 2007 or to the Grace United Methodist Church, Springfield, Ohio. Arrangements by PUMPHREY'S BETHESDA-CHEVY CHASE FUNERAL HOME.



brothers, George Saurbaugh also of Astoria, Isaac Saurbaugh of Albert, Kansas, and many other relatives and friends.

He was a dutiful son, a kind and loving father and a husband much loved and respected by all who knew him, and while out loss is his great gain, we rejoice that he is not dead, but only asleep in the arms of Jesus.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock at the Old German Baptist Church conducted by Bro. Solomon Stoner of Pendleton, Indiana, assisted by the home brethren from Romans 14th chapter, 8th verse. Interment in the cemetery near the church.

MILLER—Died within the bounds of the Upper Twin Creek Church, Preble Co., Ohio, Sister Elizabeth Miller, daughter of Bro. David O., and Sister Barbara Wogoman. Was born in Montgomery Co., Ohio, Sept. 6, 1853; died July 5, 1934, aged 80 yrs., 9 mos., and 29 days. On October 13, 1872, she was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Isaiah Miller. To this union were born 4 sons and 1 daughter, of whom 3 sons preceded her in death. Her husband, Bro. Isaiah, also preceded her to the spirit world a number of years.

Soon after her marriage she united with the Old German Baptist Church to which she lived a consistent member till death. She called for the elders of the church and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. She leaves to mourn their loss her son, David Miller and her daughter, Emma Wilson, of near West Alexandria, Ohio, 5 grand-children, and 4 great-grand-children, whose loss we hope is her eternal gain.

Funeral conducted by the brethren in the Wolf Creek M. H.

Samuel Leedy.

MEADOR—Joyce Ann Meador, daughter of Paul and Cozetta Metzger Meador, was born near Pymont, Ind., Aug. 13, 1932, and died at the home of her parents in Rossville, Ind., on June 26, 1934, aged 1 year, 10 months and 13 days. Her life which was so precious to the family and those near her was of short duration but it was long enough to endear her to her parents and the family. The cause of her death was a very sad accident. She was thought to be in the house, but unnoticed, she had gone into the yard and was playing behind her father's automobile, and when he went to back out of the driveway one of the wheels passed over her head causing almost instant death. Surviving are the parents, two sisters, Lavaun and Bethel, and two brothers, Duane and Ivan, three grand parents, Mass and Mary Meador, of near Pymont, Ind., and Noah Metzger, who is enroute to California, one great-grandmother, Elizabeth Boone, 98 years old, and many other relatives and friends to whom she had endeared herself during her short life. Funeral was conducted in the Middle Fork church, by the undersigned assisted by Eld. Joseph L. Fisher and Bro. Harrison Rule. Buried in cemetery near by.

Text used, 1 Thess. 4:13-18 and Zech. 8:5. Jacob W. Skiles.

PRICE—Jacob D., son of Abram and Sister Mary Price, of the Antietam congregation, near Waynesboro, Pa., was born Oct. 24, 1892; died Apr. 4, 1934, aged 41 years, 5 mos., 10 days. Jacob was an industrious young man, followed trucking, always seemed very agreeable to be with. He was missed around the home and on a search for him he was found out in a little woods where the children had a play-house. He was lying on the

ground, a revolver by his side, and with two bullet holes in his forehead. It is hardly known how he met the end, whether he took his own life or was shot by some one else. No one knew of him having any enemies. He apparently had no trouble, things generally being agreeable around the home. His mother preceded him in death, Feb. 23, 1933. He leaves to mourn their loss, father and two sisters.

His funeral was held in the Prices Grove meeting house, by the brethren, to a large assembly of neighbors and friends, after which the body was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. We may not know now, but some day we will understand.

E. J. Gernand.

PLUNKETT—Elder Moses Plunkett, son of Bro. Sidney and Sister Sarah Plunkett, was born near Salem, Franklin Co., Va., Feb. 4th, 1848. He departed this life July 6th, 1934, at his home near Westphalia, Anderson Co., Kansas, age 86 years, 5 months, and 2 days.

*No maiden name!*

On October 4th, 1870, he was married to Sister Sarah Filbrun, of Girard, Illinois, who survives him. To this union were born 6 daughters, two of whom preceded him in death, Clara Arvilla in 1892, and Lydia Elizabeth in 1897. Surviving children are Mary Etta Hofman, of Sawyer, Kansas, Martha Ann Beckner, of Westphalia, Kansas, Caperna Ilena Eikenberry, of Mulberry, Ind., and Emma Jane Wagoner, of Westphalia, Kansas. He is also survived by a brother, Anthony, also a half brother and a half sister, all of near Roanoke, Va. There are 21 living grand-children and 19 great-grand-children.

He was baptized early in life, in Virginia, after the Civil war. He moved to Illinois in 1881. He was

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elected to the ministry in Nebraska; he moved to Kansas in the pioneer days of 1884, when there were only six members in the vicinity. In his early days he spent most of his time at carpentry, but his most enduring structures were built by his earnest labors in the service of his Master, all of his children were led to become members of the church. He was ordained to the Eldership in the Cedar Creek church, Anderson Co., Kansas, in 1903. His church council was sought and respected by many in various parts of the Brotherhood; directness and sincerity were his typical characteristics.

His infirmities of age first confined him to his bed on July 2nd. Fortitude and patience in suffering characterized his latter days. He realized his declining strength and called for the Anointing the day before his death, his children surrounded his couch, he was conscious until near the end. He lived a long and useful life. May his ashes rest in peace, awaiting the glorious resurrection morn.

Funeral services in Cedar Creek church, Kans., on July 9, were conducted by Eld. Daniel Flory and the home brethren.

Signed by the Family.

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family moved back to Douglas Co. in when Alva was 8 years old. He attended Co. and Douglas Co. schools. He was engaged in dairying and farming all in the Douglas Co. area.

was baptized into the Willow Springs of the Old German Baptist Brother- Aug. 20, 1985, in which he was actively ed, and remained faithful until death. eived the comfort and assurance of the ing according to James 5:14, which he for prior to major surgery on Oct. 27,

was united in marriage with Ethel e) Carpenter, Nov. 4, 1942. She pre- him in death, May 19, 1985. On Aug. 17, he was united in marriage with Shirley widow of Dudley Flory. She survives of me. Also surviving are 2 sons: Allen s wife, Mickle; and Carl and his wife, ; 1 stepdaughter, Joyce Hawkins and sband, Jon; 1 stepson, Murray Flory; 4 children; 6 stepgrandchildren; 2 broth- illiam and Clarence; and 1 sister, Della shoemaker.

ra was a kind and loving husband, and grandfather. He will be greatly y by his family, neighbors, and many, friends.

neral services were conducted by the rethren in the Willow Springs meeting- on Aug. 5, at 10:00 a.m. Scriptures ere Ps. 23; 37:3-8; 100; and 1 Thess. 8. Hymns used were 533, 483, and 86, 03 and 393 being used at the Pleasant emetery where the body was laid to he resurrection morn.

#### The Family

RIKE — Elder Ray L., son of Samuel and Catherine Mabel (Gipe) Strike, orn Dec. 16, 1916, in Franklin Co., vlvania. He passed away peacefully at e on Sunday, Aug. 2, 1992, at the age ears, 7 months, and 17 days.

was baptized into the Old German : Church, Oct. 4, 1936. On Dec. 16, e was united in marriage with Myrtle ber, of Brookville, Ohio. They shared s and sorrows of life for over 52 years.

On March 8, 1951, they were elected to the office of Deacon. On March 13, 1954, they were called to the Ministry, and on July 28, 1966, ordained to the full Ministry. He tried to fulfill each office to the best of his ability. He had a sincere concern for the welfare of the Church and manifested a keen interest in children.

He spent his working years in farming and carpentry. He especially appreciated God's great creation.

Surviving, beside his devoted companion, are the following children: Carl J. and his companion, Esther; Lloyd A. and his companion, Mary Ruth; Ada Catherine and her companion, Marlin Spurrier; Elsie Mae and her companion, Keith Martin; and Eldon R. and his companion, Brenda. Also surviving are 17 grandchildren; 2 stepgrandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; 1 sister, Della Myers; 1 brother, Ralph Strike; and a host of nephews, nieces, relatives, and friends.

He was preceded in death by 2 grandsons. On Aug. 6, after a short service at the funeral home, services were held in the Falling Spring meetinghouse by the brethren, using "faith" as a text (Heb. 11:2, 10). The body was laid to rest in the Gipe's Grove Cemetery.

Servant of God well done.

#### The Family

**BOWMAN** — Henry Daniel, oldest son of Benjamin H. and Ida Elizabeth (Plunkett) Bowman, was born Feb. 27, 1898, and answered his Master's call Aug. 11, 1992, at the age of 94 years, 5 months, and 15 days. He was born in Franklin Co., Virginia, and lived most of his life within the bounds of the Oak Hill district.

He was united in marriage with Bertha Ellen Bowman on March 15, 1919. She passed from this life May 5, 1921. To this union was born 1 daughter, Elsie.

Again he was married to Sallie Ethel Peters on April 19, 1922. This union was blessed with 1 son, William, and 1 daughter, Mary.

He was baptized into the Old German Baptist Church at the age of 17 years, to which he lived faithful until death.

He, with his companion, Sallie, was elected to the office of Deacon on Nov. 12, 1923, in which he served faithfully as long as health

permitted. His great concern was for the welfare of the Church, his family, and the community.

Surviving are his 3 children and their companions: Elsie and Levi Denlinger; William and Phebe; and Mary and Jacob Montgomery; 10 grandchildren; 44 great-grandchildren; 5 great-great-grandchildren; 3 brothers: Roy; Charlie and his companion, Maxine; and John and his companion, Susie; 2 brothers-in-law: Henry Peters with his companion, Eva; and John Bowman; 2 sisters-in-law: Maggie Boone, and Mary Peters; and many nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death were his parents; his companions; 5 brothers: Lewis, Harry, Joel, Morrie, and Ezra; 1 sister, Mary Wray; 1 infant grandson, Michael Montgomery; and 1 great-granddaughter, Alice Bowman.

After a short service at Lynch Funeral Home, conducted by Elder Ezra Rutrough, a funeral service was held in the Oak Hill meetinghouse, Friday, Aug. 14, at 10:00 a.m., by Elder Robert Montgomery, assisted by Elders Virgil and Joel Jamison, with thoughts from Ps. 90, and James 5:7, 8. Interment was in the church cemetery.

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints." Beyond the sunset, O glad reunion.

#### The Family

**HUFFORD** — Elmer A., was born Aug. 2, 1911, and departed this life Aug. 12, 1992.

Elmer was born in Minot, North Dakota, the son of Simon and Amanda (Blocher) Hufford. In 1936, he moved to California where he was married March 14, 1936, to Ella Marie (Flora) Hufford. Moving to Indiana in 1937, they lived in the Wabash area. From there they moved, with their family, to Clinton Co., Indiana, where they lived in the Mulberry and Rossville area for the past 40 years. He spent most of his life doing carpenter work and farming.

To this union were born 5 children, 4 sons and 1 daughter. They, with their companions, are: Donovan and his wife, Beverly; Delmar and his wife, Gladys; Darrell and his wife, Betty; Doran and his wife, Joyce; and Anna Lou Hendrickson and her husband, Howard.

Surviving to mourn his passing are 1 brother, Albert; his wife, Ella Marie; his

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*Elsie Bowman m. Levi Denlinger  
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1. Edwin (no other info)
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2. Dacia 3. Dustin 4. Delana
3. Nadine m. Kent Zimmer  
Ch: 1. Stacy Lynn  
2. Tara Leigh

*Mrs Levi Denlinger  
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Ch: 1. Myrl m. Judith Denlinger  
d/o Charles & Elizabeth (Bowman)  
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2. Charlene m. Kent Denlinger  
d/o Ezra & Areda (Conning)  
Denlinger. 6 Ch: Kip; Wendy;  
Troy; Brittany; Kate; Kelly

3. Rachel m. Michael Miller d/o Paul & Eula (Kuns)  
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4 Ch: Beth; Kim; Monte; Rhonda

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Kyle; Nathan

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John & Gladys (Altice) Boone.

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a. Jennie m. Michael Jamison d/o William & Irene  
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b. Erlene m. Roland Bowman d/o Edwin & Doris  
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member of the Old German Baptist Church, Antietam district. He further fitted himself for his final journey, requesting the anointing, after which he was fully resigned to the divine call.

Funeral services were conducted by the home brethren followed by burial in the Smithsburg Cemetery.

Willis A. Hess

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**MILLER**—George W., son of George and Catharine (Wampler) Miller, was born February 29, 1864 near Trotwood, Montgomery Co., Ohio. He departed this life June 15, 1957 at Good Samaritan Hospital, Dayton, Ohio. He was the fifth of ten children, two of whom survive.

Feb. 15, 1891 he was united in marriage to Carrie B. Calhoun. She preceded him in death March 14, 1933. To this union were born 3 children: Edith Smith, Hugh and Russell.

He was baptized into the membership of the German Baptist Church on Aug. 21, 1956. On May 23, 1957 he was anointed, as instruction is given by the Apostle James.

His entire lifetime was spent in farming, and he was a kind neighbor, a loving father and friend.

He leaves to mourn his departure the 3 children; 1 brother: Edward; 1 sister: Elizabeth Flory; 6 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at Zimmerman funeral parlor in Gratis by the undersigned and Elder Samuel Leedy, after which the body was laid in the Fairview Cemetery, there to await the resurrection of a new body as our Father will give.

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**BOWMAN**—James Ezra, son of Elder Benjamin H. and Sister Ida Elizabeth (Plunket) Bowman, was born in Franklin Co., Va., April 22, 1914, and died July 3, 1957, at the age of 43 years, 2 months and 11 days.

On April 21, 1934 he was married to

Annie May Montgomery. To this union were born 6 children, 4 boys and 2 girls, namely: Brother Elwood Carnice, Brother Okey Wayne, Sister Rebecca Brunk, Wylena, Eldon Lee, and Galen Riley.

He leaves to mourn his going his devoted companion, 6 children, 1 son-in-law, 1 daughter-in-law, 1 grandchild, 8 brothers and 1 sister, namely: Henry D., Lewis E., Harry B., Joel H., Mary Wray, Morrie L., Roy P., Charlie D., and John S.

His entire life was spent in Franklin Co., Va. At an early age he joined the Old German Baptist Church. He was elected to the ministry in 1949, and to the second degree in 1956, to which callings he served faithfully until death.

Funeral July 5th at the Pig River meeting house by the home brethren, assisted by Elder Joel Montgomery to an overflowing house of brethren, sisters, neighbors, and friends, after which his mortal remains were laid away in the Franklin Clearview Cemetery.

Text used: Col. 2:6, 7. Hymns used at church: 425, 384, 399, 403; at the grave: 400, 384, 393, and 422.

H. E. Boone

**THOMPSON**—Erwin Lee, son of Russell H. and Edna Marie (Bowman) Thompson, was born at Modesto, California, July 23, 1944. He departed this life July 4, 1957 at San Bernardino, California, aged 12 years, 11 months and 11 days, after a complexing illness of about seven months duration.

Lee, a kind and loving son, leaves besides his parents, 2 brothers: Gary Max and Lynn Carl; grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. G. Otto Bowman, and Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Thompson; and many uncles, aunts, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Lee's sickness was of a perplexing nature, and nothing was left undone by loving hands and physicians for him to regain his health. He answered the Lord's call and quietly in peace the

spirit took its flight, and his life the Lord.

Services were conducted July at 10 a.m. in the Modesto Modesto, California by Elders Rumble, C. J. Rumble and L. O. to a large concourse of neighbors friends in the community, and titude of school children. Text 18:2-5, 10-11. Interment was in the Wood Colony Cemetery.

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Jesse Hyre	-----
Melvin Rapp	-----
W. A. Bowers	-----
J. A. Root	-----
John Leshner	-----
John Riffey	-----
Arthur Layman	-----
Amzi Miller	-----
D. M. Larcher	-----
O. H. Flora	-----
Irvin Benedict	-----
M. E. Boyd	-----
George Rogers	-----
David Mohler	-----
Abram Baker	-----
Dena Bricker	-----
Clarence Deeter	-----
Nath'l Longenecker	-----
John Bowman	-----
Raymond Warner	-----
Jacob Shellabarger	-----
Alfred Brubaker	-----
Elbert Balsbaugh	-----
Harold Flora	-----
A. C. Austin	-----
Jay Grover	-----
W. H. Kinzie	-----
Daniel Wenger	-----
Mrs. R. A. Strong	-----
Irvin Stanton	-----
James Lewis	-----
Paul Heffley	-----
Mrs. Elizabeth Barker	-----
Sharon Rockwell	-----
Joseph Skiles	-----
Effie Holloday	-----



Mother chose to have a joint anointing service, which gave them extra strength and comfort to help them with their health problems. They enjoyed visiting, their home was always open, and friends calling found a hearty welcome.

Surviving are his companion; 2 daughters, Sarah Elizabeth and her husband, William Roth, and Norma Jane and her husband, Dale Roth; 1 son, Ezra Lee and his wife, Beverly; 8 grandchildren, Penny Roth King and her husband, Rufus, Gary, Michael, Alexa, and Mitchell Roth, and Darlene, Eldon, and Sharon Wray; 3 great-grandchildren, Troy, Melody, and Sheldon King; 2 nieces, Mary Denlinger and Ella Garber; 2 nephews, Olen and Dewitt Wray; 1 stepniece, Arthena Shoup; 2 stepnephews, Charles and Bill Deeter; and other relatives and friends.

A brief service was conducted at Trostel-Chapman Funeral Home in New Carlisle, Ohio, at 9:45 a.m., May 24, by Elder Daniel Landes, where hymn 539 was sung. The funeral service was held at 10:30 a.m. at the Maple Grove Old German Baptist Church by Elders Dallas Lavy and Dennis Landes. The Scriptures used were John 17:4 and 2 Cor. 5:1. Hymns sung were 494 and 411. While viewing hymns 459, 455, and 452 were sung. The service at the Maple Grove church cemetery was by Elder Robert Boone, where hymn 403 was used. While the grave was filled, hymns 451, 506, 484, and 384 were used. Grandsons were the casket-bearers.

#### The Family

**BOWMAN**—Orville Walton, was born Oct. 8, 1907, near New Carlisle, Ohio, where he spent his early years on the farm of his parents, David Lee and Emma Lee (Boone) Bowman.

On March 3, 1929, he was married to Margaret Fall. They began their 55 happy years together near LaHabra, California.

He and his companion were baptized into the fellowship of the Old German Baptist Brethren Church on May 24, 1930. A few weeks later they moved to the state of Ohio, where their home was blessed with 4 daughters.

On July 31, 1943, Orville and Margaret were called to the Deacon's office in the Maple Grove district. Orville served in this office with joy and deep dedication to the

last.

In Jan., 1948, he moved his family to Modesto, California, and he was a strong support in establishing the new Tuolumne district church.

Dad loved to help young men become established in life. The turkey business, which he started in Ohio, remains in the hands of younger men. Also the farming operation, which he developed in the state of California, continues in the hands of his grateful family. Many will esteem his memory as one who helped them along the way.

In 1972 Dad suffered a stroke, which left him partly incapacitated. He still enjoyed to the full the fellowship of family, friends, and Church. On May 4, 1984, Dad was hospitalized with another stroke. He was able to return home in a few days, where, with the comfort of the anointing service, hymns, Scripture reading, and prayer, he peacefully passed from this life with his loving family around him on May 23, 1984. His life on earth was 76 years, 7 months, and 15 days.

Orville is survived by his loving wife; his daughters and their husbands, Sarah Lee and David Switzer, Doris and Dallas Meador, Mary Jane and Ben Root, and Susan; his stepmother, Mary Hockman; 1 brother, Kenneth Bowman; 1 sister, Ruth Bowman; 14 grandchildren; and 23 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and 1 infant grandson.

Thus the voice of one who loved to sing the praises of the Lord is silenced here, to sound anew in the presence of the Savior.

Funeral services were held in the Tuolumne meeting house at 2:30 p.m., May 26. Bro. Harold Miller opened with hymn 455. Bro. Stanley Filbrun used hymn 463 and gave us a message of comfort from John 6:39-56, "I will raise him up at the last day." Bro. Howard Oyler closed with hymn 456. Dad's body was laid to rest in the Wood Colony Cemetery, where hymns 401, 494, 452, 457, and 390 were sung as the grave was filled. Bro. Levi Bowman then reaffirmed our hope in the resurrection and dismissed us with prayer.

#### The Family

**BOWMAN** — Lewis Eli, son of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Plunkett) Bowman, was born Oct. 18, 1899, in Franklin Co., Virginia. He

moved to Miami Co., Ohio, in 1918.

Early in life he accepted Jesus Christ as his Savior. He lived a faithful life in the service of his Lord. Father peacefully passed from this life early in the afternoon on Wednesday, June 6, 1984, at the age of 84 years, 7 months, and 19 days.

On Jan. 23, 1924, he was united in marriage with Martha Elizabeth Bowman. Father was elected to the office of Deacon on Oct. 2, 1943, in which he served faithfully until his death. Dad was engaged in farming most of his life. He retired in 1970 after having a stroke. In Sept., 1984, Dad was found to have cancer, for which he received several treatments. He was very patient and gentle through his afflictions.

Surviving are 4 foster children, Charles, Robert, Delores Watkins, and Juanita Felver, and their companions; 18 foster grandchildren; 12 foster great-grandchildren; 7 brothers, Henry, Harry, Joel, Morrie, Roy, Charlie, and John; 1 sister, Mary Wray; and many other relatives and friends.

Preceding him in death were his loving companion; his parents; 1 brother; 1 granddaughter; and 1 great-granddaughter.

The kind, gentle, and loving person we called Dad and Granddad will be greatly missed by his family, his Church, and by all who knew him.

Services were held June 9 at 9:00 a.m. at Jamieson Funeral Home, where hymn 455 was sung and a portion of Rev. 21 was read. Further services were conducted at the Covington Old German Baptist Church at 10:00 a.m. by the home brethren. Hymns used were 386 and 393. Scriptures used: John 11:25 and 1 Peter 3:4. During the viewing hymns 494, 399, and 498 were used. His body was laid to rest in the Sugar Grove Cemetery to await the resurrection, where hymns used were 384, 389, and 411. We believe our loss is his eternal gain.

#### The Family

**METZGER** — Edna L., daughter of Bro. William J. and Sister Mary Ann (Sprenkel) Knaus, was born Nov. 9, 1898, in Astoria, Illinois. In 1906 the family moved to Quinter, Kansas. She departed from this life at Heartland of Greenville Nursing Center, Greenville, Ohio, on June 7, 1984, at the age of 85 years, 6 months, and 29 days.



A short service was held Wednesday, Sept. 24, at 9:30 a.m., at the Brown Funeral Home in Rossville, by Bro. Melvin Mohler using John 14:1-3 and hymn 450. Then at 10:00 a.m., at the North Fork meetinghouse, Brethren Marion Kessler and John Beeghley used Ps. 90, 2 Tim. 4:6-8, 2 Cor. 5:1, 1 Cor. 15:51-53, 1 Thess. 4:13-18 with hymns 393, and 455. Bro. Melvin Wagoner used hymn 403 and expressed fitting words at the Maple Lawn Cemetery, Flora, Indiana, where she was laid to rest by her husband to await the glorious resurrection.

#### The Family

LANDIS — Roy H., formerly of Red River-West Grove Rd., Laura, Ohio, passed away Saturday evening, Sept. 20, 1986, at the Brethren Home in Greenville, Ohio, at the age of 80 years.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Esther, Dec. 29, 1984, and a son Robert Leroy; father and mother, Bro. Homer and Sister Ella Landis; 2 brothers, Arthur and Howard; 3 sisters, Hazel Bard, Catherine Bower, and Verna Dearth.

Surviving are 2 daughters, and their companions, Betty and Harold Albaugh, and Barbara and Joe Hobson; 2 brothers, Lawrence and Homer; 4 sisters, Sister Edna Lavy, Sister Treva Layman, Glenna Hyre, and Helen Moler; 5 grandchildren; and 2 great-grandchildren.

Roy retired in 1969, from N.C.R. He was a member of the Potsdam Church of the Brethren.

Roy and Esther were married 57 years Dec. 24, 1984, and they enjoyed their life together with much happiness and some sorrows. He was in declining health since she has been gone.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Sept. 24, at the Potsdam Church of the Brethren with Pastor Robert Kurtz and Bro. Dean Jones officiating. The hymns, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "I Know Who Holds Tomorrow," were sung. He was laid to rest in the Mote Cemetery, near Pittsburg, Ohio.

#### The Family

FLORY — Carl Raymond, son of Amos and Ida Mae (Filbrun) Flory, was born Oct. 16, 1912, in Douglas Co., Kansas. He departed from this life Sept. 23, 1986, at the age

of 73 years, 11 months and 7 days, at the Brethren Home, Flora, Indiana, where he entered as a patient in July, 1985. He had been in declining health for several years, the last 3 years with much suffering, which he so patiently bore.

In his late twenties he came to Indiana from Kansas, to make his home as a farmer.

Soon after moving to Indiana, he was baptized into the Old German Baptist Church. Two years later he moved to the Deer Creek district, where he spent the remainder of his life, until entering the nursing home.

On Jan. 1, 1941, he was united in marriage to Venna Mary Flora. To this union were born 1 daughter and 2 sons.

He is survived by his wife, Venna; daughter, Bonnie Brumbaugh, and husband, Ray; 2 sons, Glen, and Richard and wife, Barbara; 7 grandchildren; 3 stepgrandchildren; 2 sisters, Edna Wray, and Ruth Geiser, and husband, Millard; 1 brother, Leonard, and wife, Zolla; and several nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents; 3 brothers, Arthur, Lloyd, in infancy, and Winfred.

He will be sadly missed by his family and friends.

On Sept. 25, a short service was held in the Sullivan Funeral Home followed by funeral services at 10:00 a.m., in the Deer Creek meetinghouse, conducted by the home brethren. Scripture references were Rom. 8:18 and Rev. 22:14. Hymns used were 415 and 393 with 428 at the grave. Burial was made in the Wise Cemetery to await the resurrection morning.

#### Max Geiser

BOWMAN — Elder Joel Harvey, was born near Rocky Mount, Virginia, on Oct. 1, 1903, son of Benjamin Harvey and Elizabeth (Plunkett) Bowman. He spent his youth on the family farm in Franklin Co., Virginia, and was baptized on Aug. 19, 1920, at the Pigg River district, Old German Baptist Church.

On Dec. 28, 1921, he was married to Nancy Eliza Beckner of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, where they established their home, and resided there over 40 years. To this union were born 4 children and they share many family memories of their childhood on the North Carolina farm.

Joel was elected a Deacon on Aug. 17, 1940, called to the Ministry on Dec. 3, 1949,

advanced in 1956, and ordained an Elder on Dec. 3, 1960, all at the Fraternity district. In 1963, Joel and Nancy moved to Modesto, California, and served in the Ministry in the Modesto district.

They enjoyed the activities and fellowship with the brethren, and their home was hospitable and open. His beloved wife of over 61 years passed away Feb. 4, 1983.

During a previous illness several years ago, Joel called for the anointing with oil from which he received much comfort. After a brief illness, he quietly slipped away to his promised Heavenly Home, after many years of service in the Lord whom he loved and worshiped. He died at the home of his son, Levi, early Sunday morning, Sept. 28, 1986, at the age of 82 years, 11 months, and 27 days.

He is survived by 1 daughter, Ruby Jamison; 3 sons, Leslie, Elder Levi, and Lloyd; 6 brothers, Henry, Harry, Morrie, Roy, Elder Charlie, and John; 1 sister, Mary Wray; 10 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

He was also preceded in death by 1 grandson, Larry Bowman in 1973; and 2 brothers, Lewis and Ezra.

#### MINISTER

Elders' names are preceded by (x), those in Degree by (1). Telephone numbers appear on

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 x Beckner, Josiah, 3995 Schnorf-Jones Rd.,  
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 2 Bower, Isaac, 3469 Hollansburg-Tampico R



Savior and was a faithful member of the Old German Baptist Church.

His wife, Margaret, was killed in an accident in Dec., 1963.

In June, 1965, he married Orpha (Austin) Tansey.

He is survived by his wife; the following children, William and wife, Miriam, Joann and husband, Marlin Hege, Ruth and husband, Philip Ritter, Naomi and husband, Jay Bauman, Paul and wife, Ruth, James and wife, Betty; 33 grandchildren; 64 great-grandchildren; 1 stepdaughter, Ruth Ann and husband, Wendell Jones; 2 stepdaughters-in-law, Dorothy Tansey and Mildred Tansey; 10 stepgrandchildren; 8 stepgreat-grandchildren; and other relatives.

Two brothers and 2 stepsons preceded him in death.

Services by the home brethren were held at 9:00 a.m., at the Lienhart Funeral Home at Wakarusa, Indiana, and at 9:30 at the Yellow Creek meetinghouse. Burial was in the Fairview Cemetery, Englewood, Ohio, after open-casket viewing and graveside services by the undersigned for a large number of Brethren, Sisters and friends.

John R. Layman

**WRAY** — Mary Elizabeth, fifth child and only daughter of Benjamin and Ida Elizabeth "Betty" (Plunkett) Bowman, was born July 2, 1905, near Rocky Mount, Franklin Co., Virginia. She departed this life at 1:20 p.m., Friday, Sept. 29, 1989, at the Brethren Home Medical Center, Greenville, Ohio, after an extended illness. She had lived at the Home since May, 1985, and was a special patient with a smile. Her age at her passing was 84 years, 2 months, and 27 days.

Being the only daughter, with nine brothers, she learned at a very young age the art of housekeeping. She accepted Christ as her Savior and was baptized at 12 years of age into the Old German Baptist Church, Pigg River Congregation, Virginia. She lived a devoted Christian life.

On Dec. 25, 1929, she was united in Holy Matrimony with Joel Cline Wray. This marriage was blessed with 3 children.

Her entire married life of 55 years was lived at the farm on Palmer Road, New Carlisle, Ohio. The Lord called her companion home on May 21, 1984. They were privileged

to observe their 50th Wedding Anniversary in 1979.

She received the anointing service, along with her husband, a few years ago which gave them extra comfort and strength to cope with their health problems.

Being a very industrious person, she knew how to do many things. She was a homemaker and a craft person, a good cook, and a weaver of rugs. She liked gardening, canning, and was a seamstress, specializing in making prayer coverings and bonnets. She was a loving Mother, always concerned about our welfare. Her home was open to family and friends, and was a place where warmth and love prevailed.

Preceding her in death were her parents; husband; son-in-law, Dale Roth; and 3 brothers, Lewis, Joel, and Ezra.

Surviving are 2 daughters, Elizabeth, and husband, Bill Roth, and Norma Jane Roth; 1 son, Ezra Lee and wife, Beverly; 8 grandchildren, Penny and husband, Rufus King, Gary, Michael and Alexa Roth, Mitchell Roth and wife, Julie, Darlene and husband, Joe Montgomery, Eldon Wray and wife, Stacy, Sharon and husband, Edwin Bowman; 5 great-grandchildren, Troy, Melody, and Sheldon King, and Sara and David Montgomery; 6 brothers, Henry, Harry, Morrie, Roy, Charlie, and John Bowman; nieces and nephews; and other relatives and friends.

A brief service was held Oct. 3, at the Trostel-Chapman Funeral Home in New Carlisle, followed by services at the Maple Grove meetinghouse by the home brethren. The text was taken from Prov. 31:10-31 — a virtuous woman. Hymns used were 539 at the funeral home, 494, 455, 451, and 459 at the meetinghouse, with 403, 452, 506, 484, 384, 498, and 411 at the grave in the nearby cemetery. She was laid to rest by her late husband to await the resurrection morning.

The Family

**LAVY** — Nathan David, infant son of Bro. Bradley and Sister Molly (Root) Lavy, was stillborn Wednesday, Oct. 4, 1989, at the Modesto City Hospital, Modesto, California.

He leaves behind his loving parents; 1 sister, Heidi Rose; grandparents, Elder Ben and Sister Mary Jane Root, and Bro. Delmar and Sister Marjorie Lavy; great-grandparents, Sister Margaret Bowman, Bro. Emmert and

Sister Lois Garber, and Bro. Orville and Sister Edna Lavy; and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Graveside services were held Oct. 7, at the Wood Colony Cemetery. The day was bright and beautiful, with a soft breeze blowing. Elder Daryl Landes officiated, assisted by the home brethren. The text, which perfectly expressed the sentiments of our hearts was from 1 Sam. 1:27. Hymns 375, 518, 40, and 47 were used. Following the burial and closing remarks, the last verse of *Away in a Manger* was sung.

It was with joy that we anticipated the birth of this child into our home. Now, with peace in our hearts, we know our fondest hope and prayer for our little boy has been realized; his destiny is sealed with the Lord

The Family

**METZGER** — Grace M., youngest daughter of Elder Webster and Susie (Miller) Landes, was born June 5, 1910, in Darke Co., Ohio.

On April 20, 1930, she was united in marriage with Levi M. Metzger of Lima, Ohio. She was baptized into the Old German Baptist Church early in life and lived faithfully until her death. She spent the last 59 years of her life in Allen Co., Ohio.

She is survived by 2 children, Bro. Marvin Metzger and his companion, Sister June, and Sister Maxine and her companion, Bro. John Rutrough; 8 grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; 1 brother, Bro. Earl Landes; 1 sister, Mae Fern Simmons; 2 sisters-in-law, Sister Myrtle Landes, and Mary Landes; 1 brother-in-law, Bro. Lloyd Metzger and his companion, Sister Esther; and many nephews and nieces.

On July 2, 1981, her beloved companion of 51 years was taken to that land of eternal rest. Also preceding her in death were 1 infant daughter; 1 infant granddaughter; 3 brothers, Bro. Lee, Bro. Ralph, and Paul Landes; and 1 sister, Nancy McGriff.

She made many friends as she walked the road of life, and was an example of unquestioning faith in the promises of our Lord. She was ever ready to lend a helping hand and will be greatly missed by all.

After suffering a heart attack on Oct. 2, she appeared to be recovering, then suddenly passed away 36 hours later, on Oct. 4, 1989,



and passed away Sept. 30, 1991, at the age of 80 years, 6 months, and 16 days.

He spent his entire life in the Brookville, area, and was a retired farmer.

Amos was one of 11 children, born to George W. and Phoebe Ann (Grossnickle) Brumbaugh.

On April 16, 1932, Amos was united in marriage with Inez Marie Troutwine. This union was blessed with 2 daughters: Imo Inez Jay, and Mildred Jo Ann Takara.

Survivors include his wife; the 2 daughters; 9 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and 4 brothers: Elmer, Henry, Owen, and Ezra Brumbaugh.

He was preceded in death by 1 infant brother; 2 sisters: Iva Bayer, and Lydia Rapp; and 3 brothers: Noah, Aaron, and Lewis Brumbaugh.

Funeral services were held on Oct. 4, at 10:00 a.m., in the Old Order German Baptist Church near Painter Creek, Ohio. He was laid to rest in Mote Cemetery to await the resurrection morning.

Charles E. Diehl

**BOWMAN — Morie Leo**, son of Benjamin Harvey and Ida Elizabeth (Plunkett) Bowman, was born in Franklin Co., Virginia, June 3, 1907, and departed this life Sept. 27, 1991. He was a lifelong resident of this county, having been a farmer as long as health permitted.

On April 4, 1928, he took Myrtle Bishop to be his loving companion. Together, they experienced the joys and sorrows of life for almost 62 years. Mother passed to her reward on March 5, 1990. They always welcomed visitors in their home and enjoyed traveling over the Brotherhood.

Together, they were baptized into the Old German Baptist Church in 1930, and lived faithful till death. They were called to the office of Deacon in 1935, and served the Church faithfully to the end.

He, with his companion, were anointed in Dec. 1989, in the evening with the children gathered around. This gave him much comfort.

He was a devoted companion, father, and grandfather. He loved his grandchildren, always hoping and praying they would follow in the strait and narrow way. Many times we remember him taking us to visit the older and

the sick members. May we heed his good examples.

He leaves to mourn his passing 2 daughters: Sister Dorothy Angle and her companion, Bro. Cleophas, and Sister Janie Hubbard and her companion, Bro. Samuel; 2 sons: Bro. Vaiden and companion, Sister Virginia, and Bro. Kyle and companion, Sister Arlene; 17 grandchildren; 49 great-grandchildren; 4 brothers: Bro. Henry, Elder Charlie, Bro. Roy, and Bro. John.

Preceding him in death were his parents; 3 stillborn sons; 1 granddaughter, Rita Bowman; 4 brothers: Bro. Lewis, Harry, Elder Joel, and Bro. Ezra; and 1 sister, Sister Mary Wray.

Funeral services were conducted by the Brethren, Sept. 29, in the Pigg River meetinghouse. Thoughts were taken from Ps. 90, "He has fought a good fight; he has kept the faith" (2 Tim. 4:7,8), "Thy brother shall live again" (John 11:23-26), "In my Father's house are many mansions" (John 14:1,2), and numerous other Scriptures. Several beautiful hymns were used to comfort us. He was then laid in Franklin Clear View Cemetery to await the coming of the Lord. May he rest from his labors.

The Family

**BOWMAN — Edith Merle**, daughter of John and Nancy (Guthrie) Burns, was born Jan. 18, 1909, near Eden, Maryland. Early in her life her parents left the eastern shore and moved into the Union Bridge, Maryland, area. It was here that Daniel R. Bowman of Miami Co., Ohio, claimed her for his bride on Feb. 21, 1931. They started their home on a farm along Brown Road, west of Piqua, Ohio, where they were blessed with 8 children. In the spring of 1969, they moved to Covington, Ohio, where she spent her remaining years.

She, with her husband, was baptized May 13, 1938, into the Old German Baptist Church, Covington district. To these vows she remained faithful.

While expecting to attend a funeral of a close friend in the Union Bridge, Maryland, area, she suffered a stroke on March 4, 1983. From this affliction she never fully recovered.

Monday was spent in her usual happy way. After retiring for the night, her breathing became difficult to the extent that she had to

be taken to the Piqua Memorial Hospital where she was pronounced dead at 12:02 a.m., Tuesday, Oct. 1, 1991, at the age of 82 years, 8 months, and 12 days, thus ending 60 years of wedded bliss.

Preceding her in death were her parents 14 half brothers and sisters; and 3 brothers Herbert, Robert, and Joseph.

She leaves to mourn her passing, her devoted husband; 6 daughters: Mrs. Charles (Elizabeth) Denlinger, Mrs. Wayne (Phyllis) Miller, Mrs. Marvin (June) Metzger, Mrs. Henry (Lois) Garber, Mrs. Ronald (Mary) Shellabarger, and Mrs. David (Nancy) Sprengel; 2 sons: Harvey and wife, Robyn and Albert and wife, Carol; 42 grandchildren; 64 great-grandchildren; 1 brother, Allan; sister, Mrs. Charles (Mary) Diehl; 1 sister-in-law, Catharine Roper; and many other relatives and friends.

She was of a meek and quiet spirit, very patient, and nice to take care of. She will be greatly missed, but we feel our loss is her eternal gain.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, Oct. 4, by Elder Carl Bowman, Elder Leste Flory, Elder Roger Rapp, and Bro. Gerald Stull, starting with a short service at the home of son Albert where the body had been viewed. Further services were held at the Sugar Grove meetinghouse, and at the Sugar Grove Cemetery where the body was laid to rest to await the Master's call.

The Family

**BOWMAN — Naomi Catherine**, daughter of Aaron and Ruth (Leedy) Flora, was born Dec. 30, 1926, in Preble Co., Ohio and grew up on a farm near West Manchester. She departed this life Oct. 1, 1991, from injuries received in an auto accident a couple of miles from home at the age of 64 years, months, and 1 day.

In Nov. 1948, at the age of 21, feeling the call of the Spirit, she received Jesus as her Savior and was baptized into the Old German Baptist Church to which she remained faithful until death.

On Aug. 14, 1949, she was married Myron Franklin Bowman. This union was blessed with 2 sons and 2 daughters. Mother's simple faith was an inspiration to all who knew her. She loved family gatherings, work



Page 32 Arthur Bowman & Annette Kinzie have 3 sons:

Garrett Bowman

Stephen Bowman

Clinton Bowman b. 1981

Dale Bowman d/o Levi & Annie Bowman m. Marcia

Rumble d/o Ward and Phyllis (Gish) Rumble

Dale & Marcia have 2 sons:

Jeffrey Bowman

Kenneth Bowman b. 1980

Page 33 Eldon Lee Bowman & Brenda Jones have 4 children

1. Benjamin Bowman m. Karen Angle d/o David and Betty (Deaton) Angle & have one son:

a. Cody Bowman b. 1996

2. Amos Bowman m. Danielle Brubaker have one son:

a. Darien Bowman b. 1996

3. Ivan Bowman

4. Heather Bowman

Galen Riley Bowman & Vickie Alice Lynch have 3 children:

1. Shannon

2. Gentry

3. Brittany

They have no Melanie Alice Bowman.

Okey Bowman and Virginia (Mohler)  
have 4 sons:

1. Dwight Bowman m. Vanessa Austin d/o Dale and  
a. Allison b. 1983 Nancy (Rutrough) Austin  
b. Myron b. 1985  
c. Thomas b. 1987  
d. Clement b. 1991
2. Clayton Bowman (you have)
3. Clifford Bowman m. Debra Bowman  
d/o Earl Bowman, Jr. & Elizabeth Hall  
a. Clayborne b. 1992  
b. Rickelle b. 1994  
c. Kenton b. 1996
4. Marcus Bowman



No. 116-45-12-4-1

Norman Dean Deeter, b June 1, 1922. m Sept 3, 1943 to Miriam  
Lecklider, b April 24, 1922, dau. of Walter and Ruth  
Hershey Lecklider.

Deborrah Kay Deeter, b July 14, 1948

David Allan Deeter, b Nov 2, 1950

No. 117-45-12-4-1

Vannis Jean Deeter, b Jan 11, 1926. m July 5, 1957 to Paul Irick,  
b Nov 4, 1919, son of Simon and Mary Long Irick.

Christopher Neil Irick, b Aug 16, 1960

Todd Neil Irick, b April 26, 1962

No. 118-45-12-4-1

Karolyn Kay Deeter, b Dec 29, 1932. m May 2, 1954 to Robert  
Collier, b Oct 8, 1932, son of Benson and Opal Bowers  
Collier.

Stephen Kerry Collier, b Nov 12, 1955

Cindy Jo Collier, b April 28, 1957; d June , 1963.

Richard Andrew Collier, b July , 1960

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No. 119-47-12-4-1

Alberta Genevieve Denlinger, b Nov 25, 1923. m Oct 21, 1945 to  
Leo F. Pohlabeln, b Feb 16, 1913, son of Nicholas J. and  
Mary Bernadine Kemper Pohlabeln, Dayton, Ohio

Theresa Lynn Pohlabeln, b Jan 28, 1949

Nicholas Earl Pohlabeln, b Sept 8, 1950

James Howard Pohlabeln, b May 9, 1953

No. 120-47-12-4-1

Marvin Jr. Denlinger, b June 25, 1925. m Dec 24, 1948 to Carol  
Leis, b Mar 6, 1926, dau. of Herbert and Norma Shanefelt  
Leis. Marvin, Jr. is a farmer.

Dennis Ray Denlinger, b June 2, 1949

Diane Lynn Denlinger, b Sept 24, 1950

Pamela Sue Denlinger, b May 5, 1959.

No. 121-47-12-4-1

Ladonna Adean Denlinger, b April 29, 1928. m April 5, 1947 to  
Herbert Flory, b Nov 14, 1925, son of Rolland F. and  
Golda Kreider Flory. Herbert is principal of George  
Rogers Clark Junior High School, Springfield, Ohio.

Alan Lee Flory, b April 13, 1948

Eric Stephen Flory, b Nov 4, 1950

Nancy Alane Flory, b Mar 10, 1952

Ruth Elene Flory, b July 9, 1959

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No. 122-49-12-4-1

Mona Eikenberry, b July 18, 1933. m Aug 28, 1954 to George Ludwick,  
b Oct 26, 1934, son of Wilbur and Margaret Ludwick.

Kimberly Ludwick, b Feb 25, 1957

Kevin Edward Ludwick, b July 29, 1959



No. 122A-49-12-4-1

Ronnie Eikenberry, b June 2, 1935. m July 1, 1961 to Judy Knoll,  
b July 26, 1937, dau. of Stanley and Virginia Knoll.  
Ronnie is a school principal in Columbus, Ohio. Members  
of the Church of the Brethren.

No. 123-49-12-4-1

Nils Eikenberry, b Feb 14, 1943. m Aug 11, 1963 to Colette Spidel,  
b dau. of  
Nils and Colette are students, 1963-64 at Oxford, Ohio.

No. 124-50-12-4-1

Judith Jean Deeter, b Sept 12, 1937. m Sept 18, 1955 to Glen  
Wagoner, b Aug 31, 1935, son of Floyd R. and M. Cecil  
Denlinger Wagoner. Glen is a Nurseryman near Clayton,  
Ohio. Members of the German Baptist Brethren Church.  
Terry Dale Wagoner, b July 28, 1956  
Bethany Ann Wagoner, b Sept 14, 1958

No. 125-50-12-4-1

Bruice Deeter, b Sept 16, 1939. m June 8, 1958 to Myrna Yoder,  
b Aug 7, 1939, dau. of Willard and Dorothy Bowman Yoder.  
Bruice is a Nurseryman near Clayton, Ohio.  
Cheryle Lynn Deeter, b April 29, 1959  
Cynthia Ann Deeter, b Oct 31, 1962

No. 126-50-12-4-1

David C. Deeter, b Dec 14, 1941. m July 23, 1960 to Sharon  
Grisso, b July 14, 1942, dau. of Maurice E. and  
Elizabeth K. Starna Grisso. David is a Nurseryman and  
Landscaping Contractor living near Clayton, Ohio.  
Danny Karlin Deeter, b June 2, 1961

No. 127-51-14-4-1

Norma Dean Landes, b Aug 1, 1935. m Aug 2, 1952 to Virgil  
Clarence Jamison, b Dec 17, 1932, son of Charlie and  
Nannie Beckner Jamison. Virgil is an electrician and  
welder.

Beverly Ann Jamison, b 1955, May 10.  
James Allen Jamison, b 1957, Aug 18.

No. 129-51A-14-4-1

Janet Layman, b Aug 25, 1938. m June 23, 1957 to Lowell Garber,  
b Dec 4, 1938, son of LeRoy and Cleo Balsbaugh Garber.  
Lowell is an electrician.

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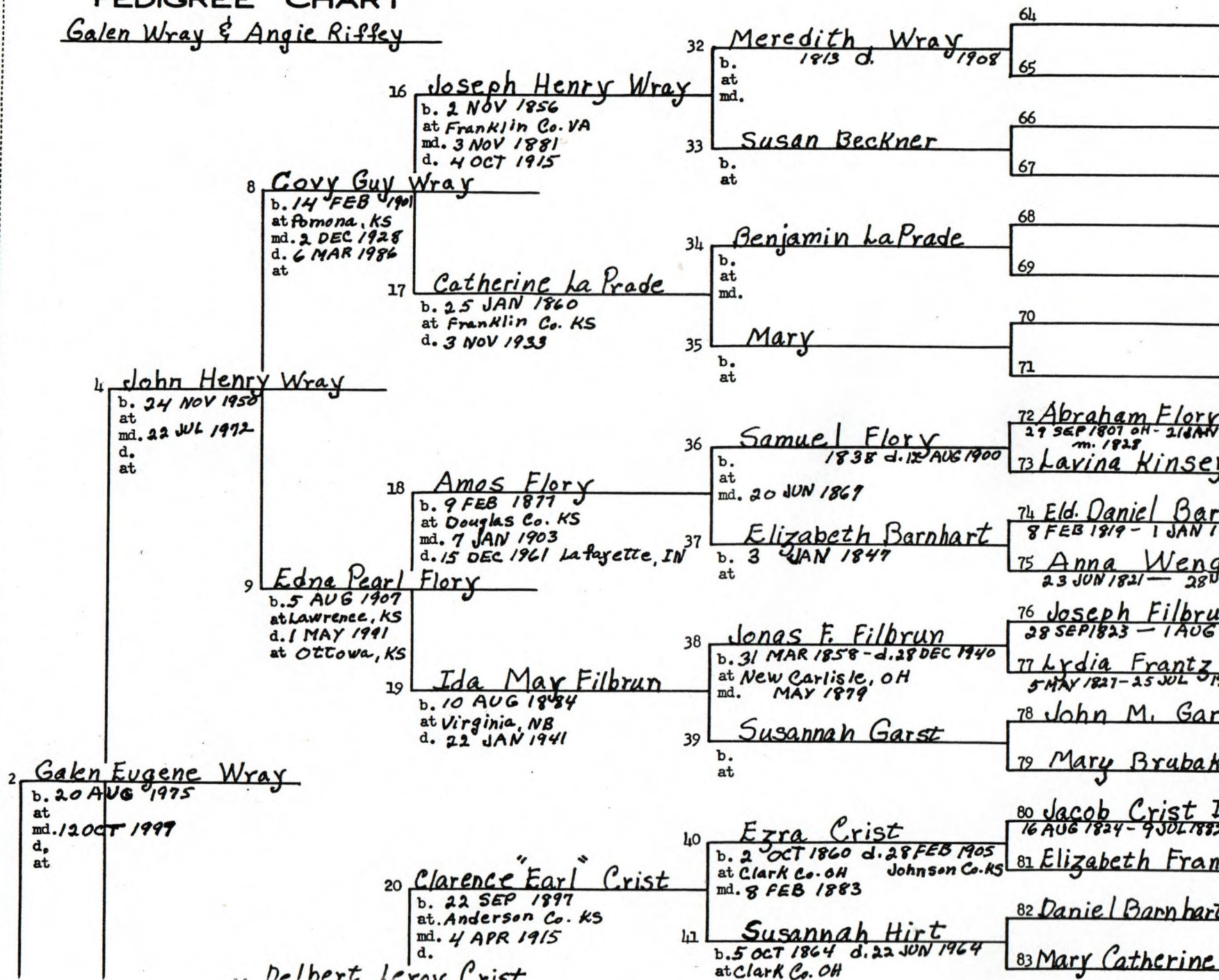
Norman Layman, b Sept 13, 1941. m Sept 3, 1960 to Rebecca  
Flory, b Oct 8, 1941, dau. of Howard and Phyllis  
Filbrun Flory. Norman is a farm mechanic at Modesto.

No. 132-52-14-4-1

Jeanette Brubaker, b Sept 4, 1940. m June 19, 1960 to Marvin  
Filbrun, b Feb 16, 1938, son of Raymond and Mary  
Aukerman Filbrun. Marvin is a farmer. German Bap. Ch.  
Wendell Lee Filbrun, b Dec 11, 1962



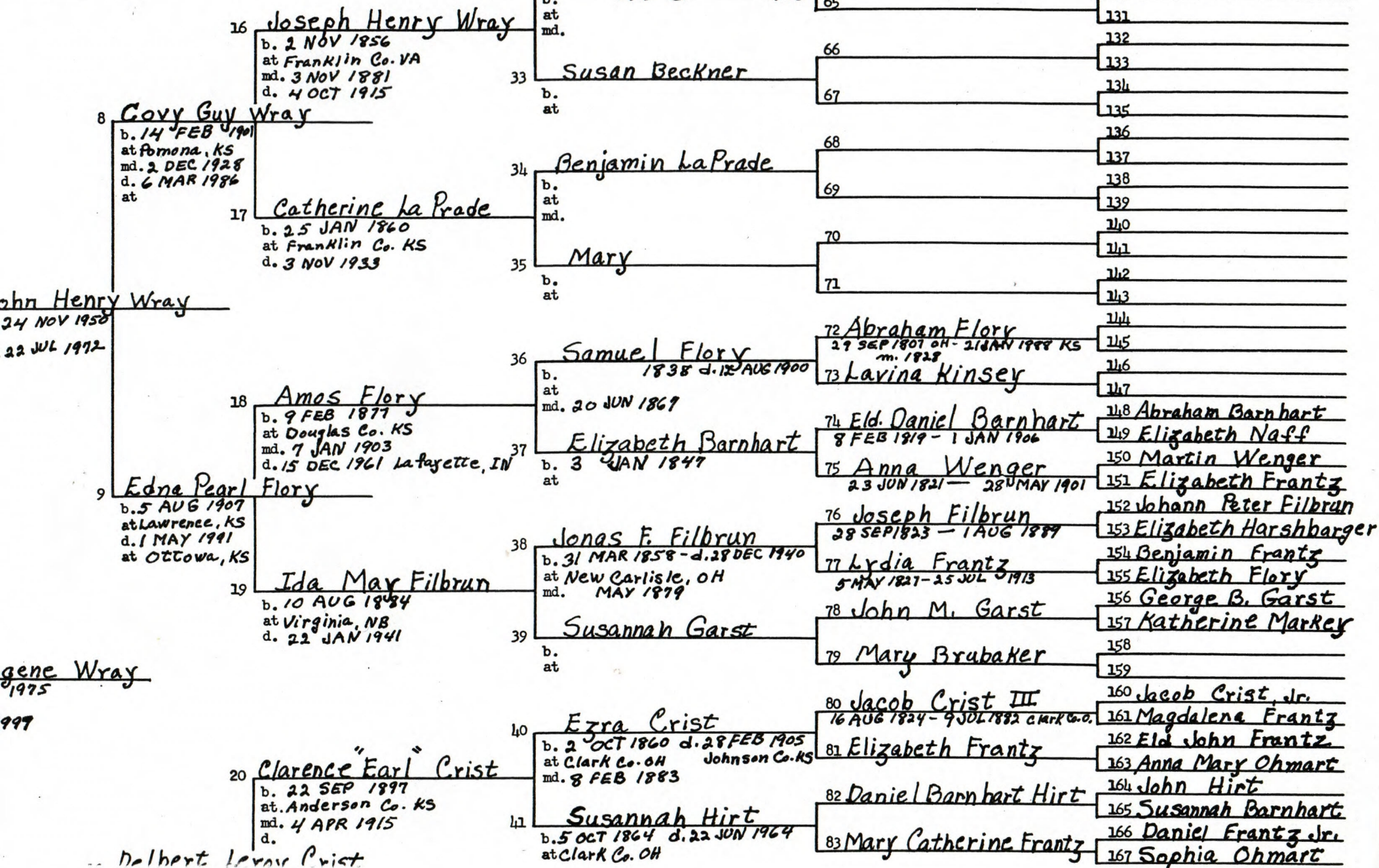
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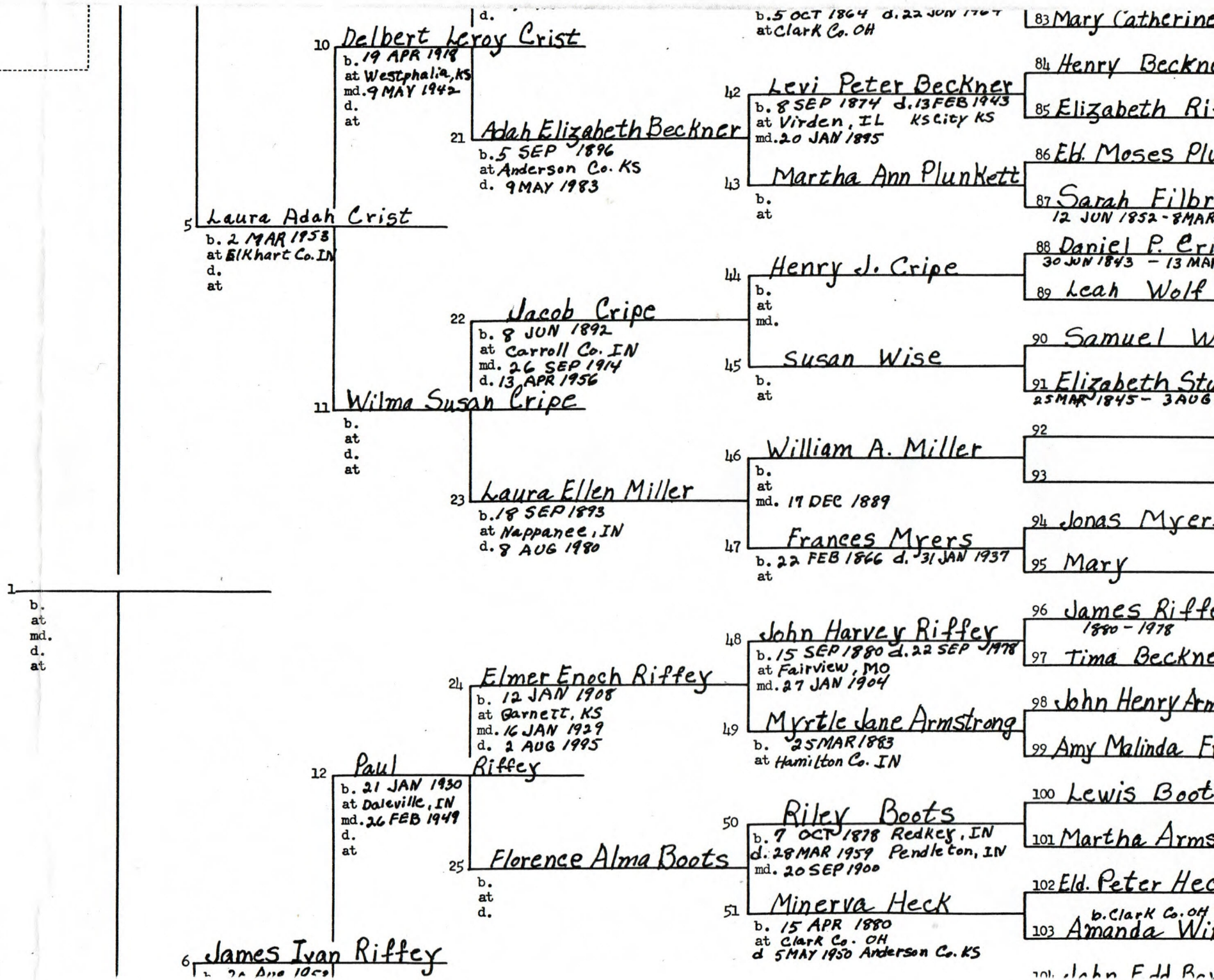


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Wray & Angie Rifley









10 Delbert Leroy Crist  
b. 19 APR 1918  
at Westphalia, KS  
md. 9 MAY 1942  
d.  
at

21 Adah Elizabeth Beckner  
b. 5 SEP 1896  
at Anderson Co. KS  
d. 9 MAY 1983

Laura Adah Crist  
b. 2 MAR 1958  
at Elkhart Co. IN

22 Jacob Cripe  
b. 8 JUN 1892  
at Carroll Co. IN  
md. 26 SEP 1914  
d. 13 APR 1956

11 Wilma Susan Cripe  
b.  
at  
d.  
at

23 Laura Ellen Miller  
b. 18 SEP 1893  
at Nappanee, IN  
d. 8 AUG 1980

24 Elmer Enoch Riffey  
b. 12 JAN 1908  
at Garnett, KS  
md. 16 JAN 1929  
d. 2 AUG 1995

12 Paul Riffey  
b. 21 JAN 1930  
at Daleville, IN  
md. 26 FEB 1949  
d.  
at

25 Florence Alma Boots  
b.  
at  
d.

James Ivan Riffey  
b. 21 APR 1959

b. 5 OCT 1864 d. 22 JUN 1967  
at Clark Co. OH

42 Levi Peter Beckner  
b. 8 SEP 1874 d. 13 FEB 1943  
at Virden, IL KSCity KS  
md. 20 JAN 1895

43 Martha Ann Plunkett  
b.  
at

44 Henry J. Cripe  
b.  
at  
md.

45 Susan Wise  
b.  
at

46 William A. Miller  
b.  
at  
md. 17 DEC 1889

47 Frances Myers  
b. 22 FEB 1866 d. 31 JAN 1937  
at

48 John Harvey Riffey  
b. 15 SEP 1880 d. 22 SEP 1978  
at Fairview, MO  
md. 27 JAN 1904

49 Myrtle Jane Armstrong  
b. 25 MAR 1883  
at Hamilton Co. IN

50 Riley Boots  
b. 7 OCT 1878 Redkey, IN  
d. 28 MAR 1959 Pendleton, IN  
md. 20 SEP 1900

51 Minerva Heck  
b. 15 APR 1880  
at Clark Co. OH  
d. 5 MAY 1950 Anderson Co. KS

83 Mary Catherine Frantz

84 Henry Beckner

85 Elizabeth Riffey

86 Eb. Moses Plunkett

87 Sarah Filbrun  
12 JUN 1852 - 8 MAR 1936

88 Daniel P. Cripe  
30 JUN 1843 - 13 MAR 1916

89 Leah Wolf

90 Samuel Wise

91 Elizabeth Studebaker  
25 MAR 1845 - 3 AUG 1896

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94 Jonas Myers

95 Mary

96 James Riffey  
1880 - 1978

97 Tima Beckner

98 John Henry Armstrong

99 Amy Malinda Frey

100 Lewis Boots

101 Martha Armstrong

102 Eld. Peter Heck

103 Amanda Wingert  
b. Clark Co. OH

104 John F. D. Bowman

167 Sophia Ohmart

168 John Beckner

169 Elizabeth Brubaker

170 John Riffey

171 Susannah

172 Algernon Sydney Plunkett

173 Sarah "Sally" Brubaker

174 Joseph Filbrun

175 Lydia Frantz

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182 John Steele Studebaker

183 Elizabeth Landis

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192 John Riffey

193 Susannah

194 Jacob Beckner

195 Catherine Bean

196 Jacob Armstrong

197 Lovina Ullom

198 Eb. Enoch Frey

199 Cathryn

200 Aaron Boots

201 Nancy

202 Jacob Armstrong

203 Lovina Ullom

204 Samuel Heck

205 Barbara Click

206 Abraham Wingert

207 Elizabeth Burkholder

208 John "Johnny" Bowman



6 James Ivan Riffey

b. 20 Aug 1953  
at Madison  
md. 11 Nov 1972  
d.  
atat Clark Co. OH  
d. 5 MAY 1950 Anderson Co. KS

26 Ivan H. Bowman

b. 28 JUN 1891  
at WIFEZ, VA  
md.  
d. 10 MAR 1953 Troy, OH

52 Samuel Hopkins Bowman

b. 24 AUG 1864 d. 20 AUG 1948  
at Franklin Co VA  
md. 29 DEC 1887

104 John Edd Bowman

105 Elizabeth Mary

106 Peter Lay

107 Magdalene F

108 Joel Bowman

m. 3 OCT 1838

109 Irene Lay

110 Benjamin V

111 Mary Angl

112 Samuel Flo

1838-1900 m. 20 J

113 Elizabeth Bar

114 Lewis Boots

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1851-1925

117 Nancy A. Be

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119 Amy Malinda F

1856-1933

120 Benjamin Bar

1824-1910

121 Elizabeth Brun

1828-1904

122 John Erisman

123 Malinda

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13 Ruth Anna Bowman

b. 26 MAR 1928  
at Covington, OH  
d. 24 JUN 1958  
at Anderson Co. IN

53 Martha Layman

b. 27 NOV 1866 d. 31 AUG 1955  
at Franklin Co VA

54 Daniel A. Bowman

b. 30 MAR 1849 d. SEP 1936  
at Franklin Co. VA  
md. 23 FEB 1871

55 Jane Wray

b. 30 MAR 1849 d. 2 MAY 1935  
at Franklin Co. VA

56 Eld. Noah Flory

b. 10 FEB 1875 d. 25 JUN 1952  
at  
md. 27 DEC 1900

28 William Riley Flory

b. 14 JAN 1904 Kingman Co. KS  
at  
md. 2 JUN 1926  
d. 26 SEP 1968 Pendleton, IN

57 Luella "Louie" Boots

b. 27 AUG 1876 d. 2 DEC 1940  
at Randolph Co. IN

114 Leo Lavern Flory bur. Pleasant Valley Cem.

b. 7 AUG 1930  
at Westphalia KS  
md. 24 MAR 1951  
d. 7 MAY 1972  
at Pendleton IN

Jennie Myrtle Filbrun

b. 23 FEB 1902  
at Anderson Co. KS  
d.

58 John T. Filbrun

b.  
at  
md. 25 DEC 1895

59 Lydia E. Armstrong

b. 23 NOV 1877 Noblesville, IN

7 Jennie Sue Flory

b. 20 DEC 1954  
at  
d.  
at

30 Benjamin E. Bowser

b. 4 FEB 1895  
at New Lebanon, OH  
md. 9 OCT 1915  
d. 20 JAN 1968 Homestead, FL

60 Ira Bowser

b. 10 DEC 1865 d. 29 MAY 1933  
at Montgomery Co. OH  
md. 10 AUG 1890

61 Amanda E. Erisman

b. 6 NOV 1870 d. 16 DEC 1957  
at Montgomery Co. OH bur. Trissel Cem.

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b. 2 MAR 1934



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11 Nov 1972

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at WIFEZ, VA  
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d. 10 MAR 1953 Troy, OH

13 Ruth Anna Bowman

b. 26 MAR 1928  
at Covington, OH  
d. 24 JUN 1958  
at Anderson Co. IN

27 Ethel Lydia Bowman

b. 13 MAY 1893  
at Rocky Mt. VA  
d. 19 SEP 1948

Marie Riffey  
1973

28 William Riley Flory

b. 14 JAN 1904 Ringman Co. KS  
at  
md. 2 JUN 1926  
d. 26 SEP 1968 Pendleton, IN

14 Leo LaVern Flory bur. Pleasant Valley Cem.

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at Franklin Co VA  
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b. 27 NOV 1866 d. 31 AUG 1955  
at Franklin Co VA

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b. 30 MAR 1849 d. SEP 1936  
at Franklin Co. VA  
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207 Elizabeth Burkholder

208 John "Johnny" Bowman

209 Parizade Ferguson

210 George W. Hopkins

211 Elizabeth Dawdy

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226 Daniel Barnhart

227 Anna Wenger

228 Aaron Boots

229 Nancy

230 Jacob Armstrong

231 Lovina Ullom

232 Joseph Filbrun

233 Lydia Frantz

234 John C. Beckner

235 Elizabeth Brubaker

236 Jacob Armstrong

237 Lovina Ullom

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240 George Bowser Sr

241 Elizabeth Mayer

242 David Brumbaugh, Sr.

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