

# OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

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## Veteran's Information

**Veteran's Name:** James A. BARR

**Birth Date:** November 1841

Location: Indiana

**Death Date:** 10 January 1920

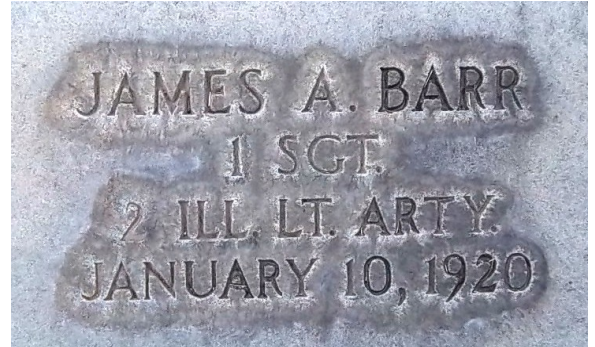
Location: Sawtelle, Los Angeles County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Anaheim Cemetery

Plot Location: AD (C3, 20, 3)

GPS Coordinates: N33° 50' 35.57908" W117° 53' 54.46162"

(DMS) Datum: NAD83. Coordinates are +/- 1.00 feet of the grave location.



**Side Served:** Union

Rank: Private

Company: I

Unit: 10<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment

State: Illinois

Rank: 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant / 1<sup>st</sup> Sergeant

Battery: C

Unit: 2<sup>nd</sup> Light Artillery Regiment

State: Illinois

**Occupation:** Farm Laborer, Farmer, Stone Mason

## Family Information

**Parents –**

**Father: James Barr**

Birth Date/Location: 3 June 1816, Tennessee

Death Date/Location: 11 June 1873, Cowley County, Kansas

**Mother: Mary A. Garner**

Birth Date/Location: 17 August 1814, Tennessee

Death Date/Location: 2 February 1874, Cowley County, Kansas

**Spouse: Martha Ann Ellis (Winn)**

Birth Date / Location: abt. 1836, Illinois

Death Date/Location: btw. 1885 and 1900, Kansas

Marriage Date / Location: 22 September 1869, Sangamon County, Illinois

## Children –

**Name: Laura Alice Barr (Walls)**

Birth Date/Location: 1870, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 17 September 1932, Nampa, Canyon County, Idaho

**Name: Charles Edward Barr**

Birth Date/Location: 13 March 1872, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 11 February 1944, Los Angeles County, California

**Name: Eslie Watson Barr**

Birth Date/Location: 18 July 1874, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 8 March 1957, Tulsa County, Oklahoma

**Name: Earnest Barr**

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1877, Kansas

Death Date/Location: unknown

**Name: Bert Isaac Barr**

Birth Date/Location: 18 February 1878, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 26 October 1934, Orange County, California

**Name: Walter Barr**

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1879, Kansas

Death Date/Location: bef 1885, Kansas

## Additional Information

Enlisted in the 10th Illinois Infantry on 21 April 1861, mustered out 29 July 1861, enlisted in the 2nd Illinois Light Artillery Regiment on 5 August 1861, mustered in 29 August 1861, promoted to Full Command Sergeant, promoted to Full 2nd Lieutenant 26 July 1865, mustered out 3 August 1865 at Springfield, Illinois

Martha was previously married to William Winn in 1857. Two of her children from the previous marriage lived in the Barr household; Emma F. Winn and Richard L. Winn, in 1870.

Photograph of tombstone for James A. Barr, Anaheim Cemetery, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 6/09/2013. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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