

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: William Boyer

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Birth Date: 1 January 1840

Location: Harrison, Indiana

Death Date: 31 May 1914

Location: Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial park

Plot Location: S-145-2

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 15.01845" W117° 50' 29.54086"

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



Side Served: Union

Rank: Corporal

Company: G

Unit: 36th Infantry Regiment

State: Iowa

Occupation: Farmer

Family Information

Parents –

Father: unknown

Birth Date/Location: Pennsylvania

Death Date/Location:

Mother: unknown

Birth Date/Location: Pennsylvania

Death Date/Location:

Spouse: Mary Elizabeth Worthington

Birth Date / Location: 7 February 1846, Morgan County, Ohio

Death Date/Location: 9 June 1918, Orange, Orange County, California

Marriage Date / Location: 8 March 1866, Appanoose County, Iowa

Children –

Name: James Thomas Boyer

Birth Date / Location: 27 January 1867, Chariton Township, Appanoose County, Iowa

Death Date / Location: 15 April 1871, Chariton Township, Appanoose County, Iowa

Name: Alfred Boyer

Birth Date / Location: 1869, Chariton Township, Appanoose County, Iowa

Death Date / Location: 1869, Chariton Township, Appanoose County, Iowa

Name: Martha Ellen Boyer (McDanel)

Birth Date / Location: 4 January 1871, Chariton Township, Appanoose County, Iowa

Death Date / Location: 18 June 1948, Orange County, California

Name: Ryman Nathaniel Boyer

Birth Date / Location: 20 September 1873, Chariton Township, Appanoose County, Iowa

Death Date / Location: 13 December 1917, Aurora, Hamilton County, Nebraska

Name: George Rallie Boyer

Birth Date / Location: 8 Aug 1886, Chariton Township, Appanoose County, Iowa

Death Date / Location: 20 August 1958, Orange, Orange County, California

Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

U.S. Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles

Enlisted 8 September 1862, mustered in 4 October 1862 as a private promoted to full 3rd Corporal 2 July 1865, mustered out 24 August 1865 at Devall's Bluff, Arkansas

William's son George R. Boyer was a Private in Co H, 364th Infantry in World War I

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Footnotes

1 Photograph of tombstone for William Boyer, Fairhaven Memorial Park, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 3/09/2007. Retrieved 9 January 2013, from Findagrave.com. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.