

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Rezin LOVITT

Birth Date: 8 March 1841

Location: Muskingum County, Ohio

Death Date: 19 January 1928

Location: Huntington Beach, Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Loma Vista Memorial Park

Plot Location: Roselawn-164-1

GPS Coordinates: N33° 54' 07.25190" W117° 55' 00.04617"

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



Side Served: Union

Rank: Private

Company: K

Unit: 24th Infantry Regiment

State: Ohio

Rank: Private

Company: H

Unit: 97th Infantry Regiment

State: Ohio

Rank: Private

Company: G

Unit: 26th Infantry Regiment

State: Ohio

Occupation: Farmer, Cattle Raising

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Daniel W. Lovitt

Birth Date/Location: 20 May 1812, Muskingum County, Ohio

Death Date/Location: 15 December 1897, Hancock County, Illinois

Mother: Deborah Burch

Birth Date/Location: 4 October 1810, Muskingum County, Ohio

Death Date/Location: 8 February 1885, Hancock County, Illinois

Spouse: Maria Esther Staats

Birth Date/Location: 27 March 1847, Knox County, Ohio
Death Date/Location: 22 October 1867, Knox County, Ohio
Marriage Date/Location: 31 December 1865, Knox County, Ohio

Children –**Name: Female Lovitt**

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1866, Ohio
Death Date/Location: 31 May 1867, Knox County, Ohio

Name: Maria Lovitt

Birth Date/Location: 22 October 1867, Knox County, Ohio
Death Date/Location: unknown

Spouse: Mary Magdalene Horn

Birth Date/Location: 16 February 1849, Knox County, Ohio
Death Date/Location: 14 December 1923, Orange County, California
Marriage Date/Location: 7 February 1869, Knox County, Ohio

Children –**Name: Wilmer Lovitt**

Birth Date/Location: 30 November 1869, Ohio
Death Date/Location: 22 February 1946, Orange County, California

Name: Myrtie Alice Lovitt (Forbes)

Birth Date/Location: 21 September 1871, Ohio
Death Date/Location: 9 January 1962, Orange County, California

Name: Minnie Esther Lovitt

Birth Date/Location: 16 February 1874, Ohio
Death Date/Location: 20 November 1876, Sumner County, Kansas

Name: William Everett Lovitt

Birth Date/Location: 24 January 1876, Kansas
Death Date/Location: 24 June 1958, Los Angeles County, California

Name: Charles Abe Lovitt

Birth Date/Location: 10 July 1878, Wyandotte County, Kansas
Death Date/Location: 8 July 1947, Los Angeles County, California

Name: Eva Belle Lovitt

Birth Date/Location: 20 May 1883, Wyandotte County, Kansas
Death Date/Location: 19 December 1949, Orange County, California

Name: Daniel Clyde Lovitt

Birth Date/Location: 13 August 1886, Kansas
Death Date/Location: 30 January 1963, Orange County, California

Additional Information

Member of Malvern Hill Post 131, GAR – Post Commander

Member of Sedgwick Hill Post No 17, GAR

Military Service

Co K, 24th Infantry Regiment, enlisted 1 June 1861, mustered out 23 June 1864.
Re-enlisted 28 February 1865 in Co H, 97th Ohio Volunteer Infantry and in June was transferred to Co G, 26th Ohio Volunteer Infantry. He mustered out 15 November 1865.

Photograph of headstone for Rezin Lovitt, Loma Vista Memorial Park, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 2/19/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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