

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: George Erastus MORGAN

Birth Date: 28 March 1838

Location: Ohio

Death Date: 21 November 1908

Location: Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Santa Ana Cemetery

Plot Location: North MM(-, 36, 10)

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 14.12038" W117° 50' 26.82628"

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



Side Served: Union

Rank: Private

Company: C

Unit: Hoffman's Infantry Battalion

State: Ohio

Rank: Private

Company: C

Unit: 128th Infantry Regiment

State: Ohio

Occupation: Farmer

Family Information

Parents –

Father: John Morgan

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1808, Connecticut

Death Date/Location: 15 December 1892, Orange County, California

Mother: Cornelia Eliza Bissell

Birth Date/Location: 13 August 1812, Litchfield County, Connecticut

Death Date/Location: 26 November 1901, Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Spouse: Eliza E. Pond

Birth Date/Location: July 1842, Ohio

Death Date/Location: 12 August 1911, Orange County, California

Marriage Date/Location: 11 August 1860, Norwalk, Huron County, Ohio

Children –

Name: Clara M. Morgan (Richmond)

Birth Date/Location: 1861, Ohio

Death Date/Location: 30 August 1936, Los Angeles County, California

Name: Luthera A. Morgan

Birth Date/Location: 5 June 1866, Ohio

Death Date/Location: 12 February, 1952, Los Angeles County, California

Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

Union guard garrison at Johnson's Island, Sandusky, Ohio, 16 September 1862. Mustered in Co C, 128th Infantry Regiment on 14 April 1863, mustered out 13 July 1865 at Camp Chase, Ohio

George's brother, Jerome Morgan, served during the Civil War with Co E, Michigan 6th Infantry Regiment.

Photograph of tombstone for George E. Morgan, Santa Ana Cemetery, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 3/03/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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- Card of Thanks – From Miss Lou Morgan and Mrs C. S. Richmond