

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Joseph SHARAR

Birth Date: 26 December 1840

Location: Illinois

Death Date: 9 May 1924

Location: Orange, Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial Park

Plot Location: R-225-1

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 15.26409" W117° 50' 32.08799"

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



Side Served - Union

Rank: Private

Company: G

Unit: 1st Cavalry Regiment

State: Iowa

Occupation: Farmer

Family Information

Parents –

Father: John Sharar

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1799, Germany

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Mother: Margaret

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1797, Germany

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Spouse: Amanda Jane Johnson

Birth Date/Location: 21 September 1846, McCalin County, Illinois

Death Date/Location: 27 February 1934, Ethersville, Hardin County, Iowa

Marriage Date/Location: 16 September 1867, Hardin County, Iowa

Children –

Name: Ernest Milton Sharar

Birth Date/Location: 23 June 1867, Iowa

Death Date/Location: 21 June 1942, San Joaquin County, California

Name: Samuel Edmond Sharar

Birth Date/Location: 28 November 1868, Eldora, Hardin County, Iowa

Death Date/Location: 14 August 1869, Hardin County, Iowa

Name: Henerettie Sharar

Birth Date/Location: 27 February 1870, Iowa

Death Date/Location: 22 February 1871, Iowa

Name: Byron Milburn Sharar

Birth Date/Location: 23 June 1872, O'Brien County, Iowa

Death Date/Location: 21 September 1948, Minnesota

Name: Fred Homer Sharar

Birth Date/Location: 12 September 1874, O'Brien County, Iowa

Death Date/Location: 11 October 1958, Nicollet County, Minnesota

Name: Amy B. Sharar (Bombarger)

Birth Date/Location: 21 April 1876, Iowa

Death Date/Location: 10 October 1966, Emmet County, Iowa

Name: Joseph Leroy Sharar

Birth Date/Location: 31 July 1880, Iowa

Death Date/Location: 16 November 1966, Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Name: Raymond Sharar

Birth Date/Location: 18 April 1886, Iowa

Death Date/Location: 22 May 1965, Orange County, California

Additional Information

Joseph Shaver (Sharar), age 23, born in Illinois and residing in Hardin County, Iowa enlisted in Co G, 1st Cavalry Iowa on 29 December 1863. He mustered in 29 December 1863 and mustered out 15 February 1866 in Austin, Travis County, Texas.

Photograph of tombstone for Joseph Sharar, Fairhaven Memorial Park, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 3/16/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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- Record for Ernest M Sharar, Mother's Maiden Name: Johnson
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- Memorial 59317413, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd. Record for Amanda Jane *Johnson* Sharar
- Memorial 59317414, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd, Record for Ernest Milton Sharar
- Memorial 67791395, Created by Uncloudy Day, Record for Samuel Edmond Sharar
- Memorial 67791364, Created by Uncloudy Day, Record for Henerettie Sharar
- Memorial 63034628, Created by Merlene, Record for Byron Milburn Sharar
- Memorial 42174854, Created by Cindy Baker Record for Joseph Leroy Sharar
- Memorial 63034641, Created by Merlene, Record for Fred Homer Sharar
- Memorial 64830854, Created by Merlene, Record for Amy *Sharar* Bombarger

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