

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Addison Martin BAKER ^m

Birth Date: 15 August 1846 ^a

Location: Rock County, Wisconsin ^d

Death Date: 24 July 1940 ^{a, d}

Location: Orange County, California ^d

Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial Park^a

Plot Location: W-334-1 ^a

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 11.86329" W117° 50' 35.95937"

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



Side Served: Union ^{a, b}

Rank: Private

Company: D

Unit: 38th Infantry Regiment

State: Wisconsin

Occupation: Farmer ^f

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Benjamin Cornell Baker ^{c, e}

Birth Date/Location: 19 January 1817, [New York](#) ^{c, e}

Death Date/Location: 15 April 1865, Monticello, Green County, Wisconsin ^c

Mother: Lydia Caroline Case ^{d, e}

Birth Date/Location: 21 November 1819, Onondaga County, New York ^{c, e}

Death Date/Location: 21 November 1897, Clear Lake, Cerro Gordo, Iowa ^c

Spouse: Melissa Wood ⁿ

Birth Date/Location: 12 December 1852, Wisconsin ^m

Death Date/Location: 20 December 1882, El Dorado, Butler County, Kansas ^m

Marriage Date/Location: January 1871, Green County, Wisconsin ⁿ

Children –

Name: Arthur Baker ^g

Birth Date/Location: 24 July 1882, Kansas ^g

Death Date/Location: October 1966, Rockford, Floyd County, Illinois ^s

Name: Orrin Grant Baker^d

Birth Date/Location: 17 July 1872, Iowa^d

Death Date/Location: 21 September 1954, Santa Barbara County, California^d

Name: Jennie Baker (Hopper)

Birth Date/Location: ABT 1879, Iowa^t

Death Date/Location: AFT 1940^t

Spouse: Hattie Belle Peck Hendersonⁿ

Birth Date/Location: 21 April 1868, Wisconsin^m

Death Date/Location: 22 January 1924, Orange County, California^m

Marriage Date/Location: 26 February 1884, Green County, Wisconsinⁿ

Children –

Name: Perley Amos Baker^o

Birth Date/Location: 24 March 1885, Monroe, Green County, Wisconsin^o

Death Date / Location: 23 June 1959, Riverside County, California^d

Name: Ethelyn Baker (Paul)^{d, g}

Birth Date/Location: 25 January 1887, Iowa^{d, g}

Death Date/Location: 3 October 1967, Tulare County, California^d

Name: Benjamin H. Baker^g

Birth Date/Location: 13 November 1888, Iowa^{d, g}

Death Date/Location: 13 August 1966, Orange County, California^d

Name: Hazel Hattie Baker (Stump)^g

Birth Date/Location: 24 November 1890, Iowa^d

Death Date/Location: 2 September 1987, [Ventura County, California](#)^d

Name: Jessie Joy Baker (Jacobson)^{g, r}

Birth Date/Location: 6 December 1893, Iowa^h

Death Date/Location: 6 April 1968, Fillmore County, Minnesota^r

Name: Martin Addison Baker^g

Birth Date/Location: 31 August 1897, Iowaⁱ

Death Date/Location: 24 January 1955, Kirkland, King County, Washington^q

Name: Vaida Fern Baker (Foster, Coker)^j

Birth Date/Location: 22 October 1902, Lake Township, Iowa^k

Death Date/Location: 24 May 1998, Santa Barbara County, California^s

Name: Lois Lila Baker (McBride)^{j, d}

Birth Date/Location: 23 August 1909, Iowa^d

Death Date/Location: 27 August 1993, San Bernardino County, California^d

Additional Information

Member of Gordon Granger Post No 138, GAR – Post Commander

U.S. Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles

Enlisted 31 March 1864, mustered out 2 June 1865

Obituary – Addison Baker, Orange Daily News, July 24, 1940

- Last living Civil War veteran in Orange County
- Came to California in 1920 from Clear Lake, Iowa
- Born in Rock County, Wisconsin on August 15, 1846 to Benjamin C and Lydia Baker both natives of New York
- He married Melissa Wood in 1870. She died in Eldorado, Kansas leaving three children; Orrin Baker of Escondido, Mrs. Jennie Hopper of Beloit, Wisconsin and Arthur Baker of Rockford, Illinois
- He married Mrs. Hattie Henderson in 1884 and they had eight children; Perley Baker of Riverside, California, Mrs. Ethelyn Paul of Orange, Benjamin H. Baker of Santa Ana, Mrs. Hazel Stump of Orange, Mrs. Jessie Jacobson of Spring Valley, Minnesota, Martin A. Baker of Washington, Mrs. Vaida Foster of Orange and Mrs. Lois McBride of Bakersfield

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Comments

- There is no direction connection between Addison M. Baker in sources a and b and the Addison M. Baker in sources c through l except for the birth year, death year, he lived in Wisconsin and he was living in Orange, Orange County, California in 1920.