

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Joshua L. LEWALLEN

Birth Date: February 1839

Location: Stark County, Ohio

Death Date: 2 July 1918

Location: Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial Park

Plot Location: K-96-6

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 18.34240" W117° 50' 30.14955"

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

Side Served: Union

Rank: Private

Company: F

Unit: 74th Infantry Regiment

State: Indiana

Occupation: Farmer, Stock Raiser

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Thomas Lewallen

Birth Date/Location: 1801, New Jersey

Death Date/Location: 1873, Clayton County, Iowa

Mother: Rhoda Tillis

Birth Date/Location: 8 May 1803, Ohio

Death Date/Location: 19 July 1864, Marshall County, Indiana

Spouse: Elvina

Birth Date/Location: 2 September 1844, Indiana

Death Date/Location: 11 March 1897, Benton County, Arkansas

Marriage Date/Location: 1860, Indiana

Children –

Name: Randybell Lewallen

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1861, Indiana

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Name: Minnie G. Lewallen

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1865, Indiana

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Name: Eva M. Lewallen

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1867, Indiana

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Spouse: Melvina J. Shenk

Birth Date/Location: 15 September 1871, Arkansas

Death Date/Location: 12 November 1944, Benton County, Arkansas

Marriage Date/Location: 28 August 1897, Benton County, Arkansas

Children –**Name: Roby Lawrence Lewallen**

Birth Date/Location: 9 September 1899, Arkansas

Death Date/Location: 7 February 1984, Madison County, Alabama

Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

U.S. Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles

Enlisted 9 August 1862 at Fort Wayne, Indiana, mustered out 7 March 1865 at Madison, Indiana

Civil War Pension Index

F, 74 Ind Inf

Joshua L Lewallen, invalid, 30 Jan 1875

Melvina Lewallen, widow, 10 June 1918, Arkansas

Died 2 January 1918

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- Memorial 76374877, Created by Gregg Henrikson, Record for Elvina Lewallen
- Memorial 76374900, Created by Gregg Henrikson, Record for Melvina Lewallen
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