

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: John MUHR

Birth Date: 7 November 1841

Location: Ohio

Death Date: 19 September 1923

Location: Fullerton, Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Loma Vista Memorial Park

Plot Location: unknown

GPS Coordinates: N33° 54' 07.43963" W117° 54' 59.81259"

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



Side Served: Union

Rank: Private

Company: I

Unit: 58th Infantry Regiment

State: Indiana

Occupation: Farmer

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Unknown

Birth Date/Location: Germany

Death Date/Location:

Mother: Unknown

Birth Date/Location: Germany

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Spouse: Elizabeth Millard

Birth Date/Location: 15 June 1849, Orland, Steuben County, Indiana

Death Date/Location: 3 May 1937, Fullerton, Orange County, California

Marriage Date/Location: 1868, Unknown

Children –

Name: William Charles Muhr

Birth Date/Location: 18 September 1869, Pike County, Indiana

Death Date/Location: 26 May 1952, Nebraska

Name: Emma Lou Muhr (Mosier)

Birth Date/Location: 28 August 1872, Haddan, Washington County, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 30 December 1964, Brookings, Curry County, Oregon

Name: Joseph Allen Muhr

Birth Date/Location: 18 December 1876, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 1961, Nebraska

Name: Margaret E. Muhr (McConaughy)

Birth Date/Location: 14 June 1879, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 29 October 1962, Orange County, California

Name: Susie Effie Muhr (Sickles)

Birth Date/Location: 16 December 1880, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 24 January 1963, Orange County, California

Name: John Leroy Muhr

Birth Date/Location: 4 April 1883, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 11 May 1946, Nebraska

Name: Verda Lavinia Muhr

Birth Date/Location: 31 March 1890, Morrill County, Nebraska

Death Date/Location: 19 April 1969, Fullerton, Orange County, California

Name: Walter Andrew Muhr

Birth Date/Location: 31 October 1892, Nebraska

Death Date/Location: February 1970, Morrill County, Nebraska

Additional Information

Member of Malvern Hill Post No 131, GAR

Enlisted 1 December 1861, mustered in 16 December 1861, mustered out 25 July 1865 at Louisville, Kentucky

John Muhr's daughter, Verda, married Clifford Spencer Houston, son of John B Houston a Civil War Veteran buried in Orange County.

Photograph of tombstone for John Muhr, 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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- Memorial 126963031, Created by Roger Parrish, Record for Elizabeth Millard Muhr
- Memorial 34921843, Created by Louise Chism, Record for Joseph Allen Muhr
- Memorial 126730809, Created by Roger Parrish, Record for Verda Lavinia Muhr Houston
- Memorial 34922038, Created by Louise Chism, Record for William Charles Muhr
- Memorial 34918494, Created by Louise Chism, Record for Lou Emma Muhr Mosier
- Memorial 34919106, Created by Louise Chism, Record for John Leroy "Roy" Muhr
- Memorial 77747893, Created by David Goltry, Record for Walter A Muhr
- Memorial 147847393, Created by Lesa Pfrommer, Record for Margaret Elizabeth "Maggie" Muhr McConaughy