

QUERIES

Would like any information on BENJAMIN BENSON, born 3 Aug 1773 in Maple, New York; married 15 Dec 1795; died 1 Oct 1846, Mendon, Adams, Illinois or 1852 Iowa; joined LDS church in 1832. Also need information on his wife KEZIAH MESSENGER, born 4 Dec 1779, Connecticut; died 10 March 1857, joined LDS church in 1832. Information also requested on their children JOSEPH, JOHN PRICE, ALVA, RHODA, LEWIS, JEROME MESSENGER, ELECTA, BETSY, POLLY, ALFRED BENJAMIN, LOVINA KEZIAH.

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Information is desired on Lost Camp, Iowa, near Mt. Pisgah, and any saints who stopped there; also information on Four Corners, Lockridge Township, Jefferson County, Iowa. Would also like any information of my extended family members who lived these two places, then moved by Lyman Wight in Burnet County, Texas, and finally settled in Little Sioux, Harrison, Iowa.

The family includes: GEORGE WASHINGTON CONYERS and his wife SARAH W. BRADFORD; their

children MARY ANN CONYERS who married DANIEL SHEARER in Burnet, Texas; REBECCA JANE CONYERS who married ANDREW BALLANTYNE in Burnet, Texas; MATTHEW MARK CONYERS who married SARAH PRAZADA PATTERSON in Harrison County, Iowa; GEORGE CONYERS who married MARY J. GORDON in Harrison County, Iowa; MINERVA CONYERS who married ALEXANDER HAY in Harrison County, Iowa; and EMALINE CONYERS who died unmarried and is buried at Little Sioux, Harrison, Iowa.

Other family members who resided in Utah between 1852 and 1857 then returned to Little Sioux, Iowa are REBECCA MAYFIELD CONYERS, mother of GEORGE WASHINGTON CONYERS (died in Salt Lake City on 16 Nov 1852); and brothers and sisters of GEORGE WASHINGTON CONYERS: MARY M. CONYERS who married JAMES LANGLEY; JOHN H. CONYERS who married PRISCILLA AKES (they probably remained in Iowa); REBECCA CONYERS who married COMMODORE CLAYTON; SERENA CONYERS who married BARNABUS MERRIFIELD.

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