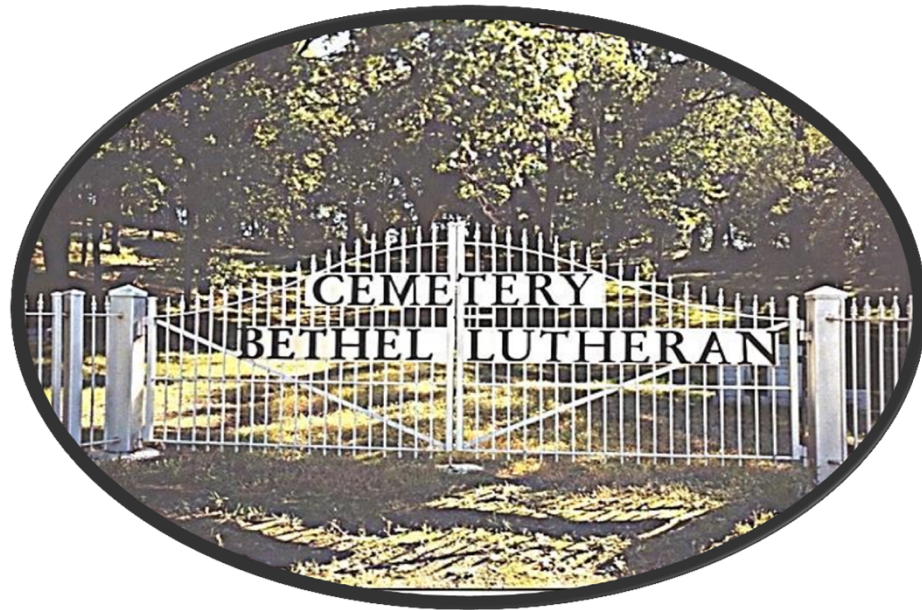


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Ahlgren	Karl Albin "Charles"	19 Dec 1868	03 Apr 1945	1945	M			S5	63	Martina	No			
Allis								S2	78					
Anderson	Anna Marie	19 Nov 1828	23 Aug 1912	1912	F	83	Arvidson	S5	57	Magnus	Stone			
Anderson	Charles Fritsof	20 Feb 1866	30 Nov 1943	1943	M	77		S5	57		Stone			
Anderson	Hulda Hertina	14 Jun 1871	17 Nov 1952	1952	F	81		S5	57	(Single)	Stone			
Anderson	Herman "Harry" Edwin	9 Mar 1868	25 Dec 1918	1918	M	50		S5	57		Stone & DC			
Anderson	Magnus	1 Jan 1825	21 Dec 1896	1896	M	71		S5	57	Anna Marie	Stone & Obit			
Anderson	Arthur E.	1884	1952	1952	M	68		S3	70		No			
Anderson	Anna Fredrika	20 Jun 1861	1948	1948	F	87	Lindholm	S3	70	Alfred L.	No			
Anderson	Alfred Ludwig	8 Nov 1855	25 May 1932	1932	M	76		S2	70	Anna Fredrika	Stone			
Anderson	Victor Gilbert	1 Feb 1864	31 Jan 1904	1904	M	39		S3	70		Stone			
Anderson	Annie	5 May 1855	23 Apr 1941	1941	F	85	Nelson	S2	80	Nels H.	DC			
Anderson	John Russell	4 Oct 1886	31 May 1954	1954	M	67		S1	80	Single	No			
Anderson	Edgar Nels	17 Oct 1891	01 Dec 1966	1966	M	75		S1	80		No			
Anderson	Edna V.	1891	06 Mar 1967	1967	F	75		S1	80		No			
Anderson	Esther M.	1894	21 Sep 1954	1954	F	59		S2	80		No			
Anderson	Nels Holger	14 Sep 1849	30 May 1924	1924	M	74		S2	80	Annie	Stone			
Anderson	Gustav Holger	7 Jul 1884	14 Jul 1946	1946	M	62		S2	?	(Single)	No			
Andrews	Betty Jane	14 Dec 1924	07 Jun 1970	1970	F	45	D/O Wm Davis	S11	22	Albert	Stone			
Arvidson	Mons	23 Jun 1842	24 Mar 1898	1898	M	55		N10	29		Stone			
Barnes	Margaret Louise	29 May 1929	06 Aug 2002	2002	F	73	Skove (Jensen &	TBD	No	Geald	Stone			
Barnes	Gerald	03 Mar 1928	18 Mar 2009	2009	M	81		TBD	No	Margaret	Stone		Yes - 1953	
Benn	Thomas H.	10 Mar 1858	01 Jul 1938	1938	M	80		S12	14	B/O Drisilla Carr (single)	Stone			
Boman	Bothilda	1 Aug 1868	10 Oct 1892	1892	F	24	Arvidson	N10	29	F. Boman D/O Mons Arvidson	Stone			
Bowman	Maud	14 Mar 1895	18 Oct 1971	1971	F	76	Wood	S4	43	Edwin	Stone			
Carlson	Edna	11 Dec 1890	10 Aug 1893	1893	F	2		S13	13	Age 2	Stone			
Carlson	Edith	25 Nov 1892	24 Jul 1893	1893	F	> 1		S13	13	7 months	Stone			
Carlson	Claus E.	15 Oct 1856	15 Apr 1941	1941	M	84		S13	13	Ida Mae	Stone & Obit			
Carlson	Ida Marie	28 Jan 1862	19 May 1936	1936	F	74	Anderson	S13	13	Claus E.	Stone & Obit			
Carlson	Frances (Francy) Elenora	28 Jul 1888	29 Nov 1976	1976	F	88		S13	13	Single	Stone & Obit			
Carlson	Clinton	15 Jan 1903	13 May 1956	1956	M	53		S13	13	?	Stone & Obit			
Carlson	Emil Per	25 May 1858	23 Mar 1902	1902	M	43		S5	58	Sophie C.	No			
Carlson	Carl Rudolph	10 Jan 1896	24 Jun 1944	1944	M	48		S5	58		Obit			
Carlson	Robert Gustav	25 Feb 1882	26 Jul 1903	1903	M	21		S5	58	(son)	Stone			
Carlson	Ralph "Rudy" A.	23 Jul 1920	05 Jan 1979	1979	M	58		S5	58	(Grandson) ?	Stone			
Carlson	Sophie Christina	12 Dec 1859	19 May 1929	1929	F	69	Gustafson	S5	58	Emil P	Stone & Obit			
Carlson	Wilhelmina "Minnie" C.	19 Mar 1893	25 Dec 1924	1924	F	31		S5	58	Single				
Carlson	Myrtle Bertha	19 Jul 1892	25 Feb 1921	1921	F	28		S4	68					
Carlson	Alex Per	6 Mar 1888	27 Jan 1970	1970	M	81		S4	68	Bertha				
Carlson	Bertha A.	10 Mar 1895	01 Apr 1977	1977	F	82	Britton	S4	68	Alex Per				
Carlson	Carl Oscar	8 Nov 1881	12 Nov 1912	1912	M	31		Unmarked			DC	no		1912
Carr	Ida	11 Apr 1867	1872	1872	F	5		N13	2		Stone			
Carr	William Headley	14 Nov 1815	8 Mar 1870	1870	M	54		N13	2		Stone			
Carr	Joseph Allan	29 Mar 1941	19 Feb 1960	1960	M	18		S14	6		Stone		Yes	

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Carr	Albert	12 Dec 1813	24 May 1897	1897	M	83		S16	11	4 spouses (Caroline-Hobart)	Stone			
Carr	Amanda B.	7 Jan 1889	10 Mar 1947	1947	F	58	Bullock	S12	14	Fred	Stone			
Carr	Frances	12 Sep 1879	24 Oct 1962	1962	F	83		S14	14	Henry	Stone			
Carr	Frederick William	23 Jun 1881	19 Oct 1963	1963	M	82		S12	14	Amanda	Stone			
Carr	Henry Robert	22 Oct 1883	17 Oct 1969	1969	M	85		S14	14	Frances	Stone			
Carr	Myrtle	Nov 1890	19 Jul 1907	1907	F	16		S13	14		Stone			
Carr	Robert Wilson	12 Mar 1848	23 Dec 1902	1902	M	51		S13	14	Drusilla	Stone & Obit			
Carr	Drusilla	29 Jul 1856	15 Sep 1930	1930	F	74	Benn	S13	14	Robert	Stone +			
Carr	Frances Jean	01 Aug 1941	07 Aug 1941	1941	F	6 days		S14	Not (14?)		Stone			
Carr	Betty Joy	23 Apr 1942	13 Jun 1947	1947	F	5		S14	Not (14?)		Stone			
Carroll	Emma Lenora	13 Aug 1884	20 Dec 1975	1975	F	91	North	S4	69	William	Stone			
Carroll	William Deny	8 Oct 1886	16 Feb 1964	1964	M	77		S4	69	Emma	Stone			
Climer	Nobel Vier	18 Aug 1885	25 Sep 1942	1942	M	57		S4	67	Louise Wangerow (remarried Henry Murdock 1944)				
Climer	Crist Gilbert	20 Nov 1917	31 Jan 1960	1960	M	42		S4	67				Yes ?	
Cook	Christina Louise	12 Sep 1848	06 May 1916	1916	F	67	Nelson	S8	45	Wm George	Stone			
Cook	W. G. (William George)	27 Sep 1843	16 Aug 1897	1897	M	53		S8	45	Christina	Stone & Obit			
Crist	Emma	1859	16 Aug 1889	1889	F	30	Carr (Prob.)	S12	21	(Louis Christ)	Stone			
Datiman	Karen Elizabeth	18 Jun 1935	14 Jan 1940	1940	F	4		N9	32		Stone			
Datiman	Donald Frederick	26 Aug 1902	04 Mar 1965	1965	M	62		N9	32	Else	Stone & Obit			
Datiman	Else	25 Jun 1904	16 May 1988	1988	F	83	Ruste		32			No		
Davis	William Edward	26 Dec 1902	09 Mar 1970	1970	M	67		S11	22		Stone			
DeFoor	Rosa Lea	13 Sep 1934	28 Jul 1935	1935	F	10 mos		N2	65		Stone			
Dykstra	Wayne Harold	27 Jul 1924	08 Jun 1967	1967	M	42		N5	47	Edith Christoff (1922-2014)			WWII	
Ek	Pehr (Peter)	21 May 1810	26 Oct 1891	1891	M	81		N11	30		Stone (P.E.K.)			
Elanders	Nels F.							S9	40			no data		
Eshelman	David Oscar	24 Aug 1878	12 Mar 1942	1942	M	63		S16	7	Married twice - Helen & Florence	Stone		Spanish American	
Eshelman	Loren Richard	29 Nov 1911	15 Mar 1990	1990	M	78		S16	7	S/O David	Stone			
Eshelman	Robert	18 Dec 1908	12 Dec 1936	1936	M	27		S16	7	S/O David		no data		
Fay	Andrew "Andy" John	25 Jul 1879	11 Jun 1944	1944	M	64		N1	66	Christina (Divorced)	Stone			
Fay	Christina Marie "Mary"	17 Jun 1888	27 Jul 1964	1964	F	76	Johnson (J.V.)	N1	66	Andrew	Stone & Pic			
Francen	Alfred	1871	10 Aug 1893	1893	M	22			Not (14?)	Single 21 (Gruesome death)	No Stone	No		
Franson	Helen	7 Mar 1888	06 Sep 1942	1942	F	54	Pearson	S4	71	Emil J.	DC			
Franson	Emil J.	1 Oct 1885	16 Mar 1959	1959	M	73		S4	71	Helen				
Gagnon	Amanda	16 Apr 1876	06 Dec 1938	1938	F	62		S11	28	Arthur	Stone			
Gibson	Alfred Degg	17 Apr 1906	14 Jan 1996	1996	M	89		S10	25	Hazel	Stone			
Gibson	Hazel E.	08 Jul 1908	04 Oct 1973	1973	F	65	Gallian	S10	25	Alfred Degg Gibson	Stone			

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Gill	John A.	1858	6 Apr 1888	1888	M	30		Unmarked						1888
Greenwood	Mary	31 Dec 1946	06 Jun 1986	1986	F	39	Parsons (Mother)	S4	62	(Divorced)	Stone			
Guenther	Melvin Willis	02 Jun 1902	30 Dec 1967	1967	M	62		N3	64	Perla	Stone			
Guenther	Perla Elizabeth Caroline	21 Apr 1904	14 Feb 1988	1988	F	83	Sanders	N3	64	Melvin	Stone			
Hanmer	Maurice I.	20 Sep 1890	23 Aug 1921	1921	M	30		S2	81	Cora Anderson				
Hansen	Hans P.	4 Feb 1865	11 Feb 1950	1950	M	85		S5	59	Marie	Stone			
Hansen	Marie E.	17 Dec 1869	03 Feb 1952	1952	F	82	Jensen	S5	59	Hans	Stone			
Hansen	Baby					0		S5	59					
Hase	August G.	14 Aug 1900	21 Dec 1978	1978	M	78		S9	37	Marie	Stone			
Hase	Marie K.	19 Nov 1902	05 Oct 1979	1978	F	76	Konarski	S9	37	August G.	Stone			
Hasselgren	Caroline	20 Oct 1844	04 Mar 1924	1924	F	79	Corlin	S9	36	Hokan	Stone & Pic			
Hasselgren	Hokan Swensson	16 Nov 1846	23 Aug 1923	1923	M	76		S9	36	Caroline	Stone & Pic			
Hasselgren	Kerstin	2 Oct 1813	07 May 1905	1905	F	91	Carlson	S10	36	Sven				
Hasselgren	Sven Hakanson	29 Jan 1819	15 Jun 1896	1896	M	77		S9	36	Kerstin				
Hasselgren	Sven Hakanson	29 Jan 1844	28 Oct 1910	1910	M	66		S10	36	(Single @ death)				
Haugen	Joseph P.	22 Jul 1892	03 Oct 1960	1960	M	68		S2	76				WWI Purple Heart	
Hoblitzel	Baby				F	0		S1	? 82					
Hodge	Anita	02 Nov 1943	24 Jun 1963	1963	F	19	Carr	S14	14	Harold Wayne Hodge	Stone			
Hoensch	August	10 Oct 1870	25 Nov 1903	1903	M	33		S12	17		Stone			1903
Hulting	Alexander L.	28 Sep 1884	26 Jan 1958	1958	M	73		S10	23	Jennie	Stone			
Hulting	Jennie Alida	25 Dec 1884	23 Jul 1974	1974	F	73	Carlson	S10	23	Alexander	Stone			
Hulting	Ragnhild J.	26 Apr 1907	23 Sep 1912	1912	F	5		S10	23		Stone			
Jansen	H. L.	1861	6 Apr 1888	1888	M	27		Unmarked		Single				1888
Jensen	Elizabeth	17 Dec 1914	15 Jan 1957	1957	F	42	S12	S12	15	D/O Emma Matson (Johnson)	Stone			
Johnson	Johanna Lovisa ASPLUND	17 Feb 1859	3 Apr 1895	1895	F	36	Johansdotter	N15	4	John Victor (1st wife)	Stone & Pic			
Johnson	Carl Albert "Uncle Charlie"	17 Nov 1884	10 Dec 1972	1972	M	88		N15	4		Stone & Pic			
Johnson	August W.	3 Aug 1858	20 Dec 1924	1924	M	66		S9	41	Mary				
Johnson	Clara Josefina	15 Jun 1896	15 Jan 1910	1910	F	13		S8	42	(Single)	Pic			
Johnson	John Arthur	21 Aug 1906	20 Jan 1984	1984	M	77		S8	42		Stone		WWII	
Johnson	Cecelia	6 Apr 1857	01 Mar 1941	1941	F	83	Persdotter	S8	42	John Victor (2nd wife)	Stone & Pic			
Johnson	Frank Richard	7 Feb 1890	18 Sep 1941	1941	M	51		S8	42	(Single @ death)	Stone & Pic			
Johnson	John Victor	22 Mar 1851	25 Feb 1938	1938	M	86		S8	42	Cecelia & Johanna	Stone & Pic			
Johnson	Reinhardt	11 Nov 1911	19 Feb 1924	1924	M	12		S7	49	Parents: Gustafson & Agda				
Johnson	Annie Eleanor	1881	19 Oct 1895	1895	F	15		S16	? 5	D/O J.V. Johnson	No (no data?)			
Johnson	1st Unknown							S16	? 5		No (no data?)			
Johnson	2nd Unknown							S16	? 5		No (no data?)			
Johnson	Arthur	30 Dec 1892	1892	1892	M	> 1		S16	? 5			No may be "no data"		
Johnson	Arthur	1894	1894	1892	M	> 1		S16	? 5			No may be "no data"		

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Johnson	Evelyn Anita	10 Jun 1910	11 Sep 1984	1984	F	74	Carr	S13	? Find ?	Spencer Johnson				
Johnson	Carl O.	1875	12 Nov 1912	1912	M	37		Unmarked				No		1912
Johnson	Alexander Spencer	11 Feb 1944	11 Feb 1944	1944	M	0		Unmarked		Parents: Evelyn & Alexander		No		
Koen	Ella	1892	30 Oct 1956	1956	F	65	Lebraun	S1	79	Peter	Stone			
Koen	Peter	19 Oct 1888	05 Mar 1945	1945	M	56		S1	79	Ella	Stone			
Kolda	Joseph M.	1871	13 Aug 1909	1909	M	38		Unmarked		Single		No. Unknown?		1909
Lange	Hannah	25 May 1817	26 Dec 1889	1889	F	72		S14	9	John	Stone			
Lange	John	27 Jun 1818	25 Mar 1882	1882	M	63		S14	9	Hannah	Stone			
Lindsrtrom	Andrew Nels	29 Jan 1881	02 Nov 1957	1957	M	76		S9	36	Ruth Victoria	Stone			
Lindsrtrom	Ruth Victoria	17 Feb 1888	03 May 1978	1978	F	90	Nicholson (Peter)	S9	36	Andrew	Stone			
Lindsrtrom	Sigurd Bernhard	06 Mar 1908	31 Jul 1995	1995	M	87		S9	36	Florence (nee Krieger) 154180454	Stone		WWII	
Lindsrtrom	Lennert Malcolm	10 Mar 1906	10 Apr 1908	1908	M	2		S9	36					
Mason	Eddie	15 Sep 1901	1978	1978	M	77								
Matson	Eric William	07 Sep 1913	14 Jun 1943	1943	M	29		S12	15	(29 Single) (Fractured skull - Train?)	Stone			
Matson	Helmar L.	21 Nov 1918	29 Mar 1942	1942	M	23		S12	15	(23 Single) (Decapitated by Train)	Stone			
Matson	Howard Lawern	26 Aug 1927	04 Feb 1951	1951	M	23		S12	15	Age 23) (Killed in action in Korea)	Stone		WWII Korea	
Matson	Emma Elida	10 Jan 1886	17 Feb 1954	1954	F	68	Johnson (J.V.)	S12	15	Eric Matson born 1880 (BC son)				
McCarthy	Michael	1869	13 Aug 1909	1909	M	40					No. Unknown?			1909
Melloy	Daniel	17 Mar 1880	19 Feb 1934	1934	M	54		S4	62	Ida or Lena Melloy	Stone			
Miller	John S.	Dec 1847	28 Jul 1851	1851	M	3		N12	1					
Miller	Elma (Alma)	12 Nov 1873	13 May 1902	1902	F	28	Olander		Lost	Charles Miller	broken (see FaG)	No		
Mundell	Anabel Lee	30 Dec 1916	19 Feb 1986	1986	F	69	Hoffman	S2	74	William K Mundell				
Mundell	William K.	24 Mar 1916	28 May 1992	1992	M	76		S2	74	Anabel			WWII	
Mundell	Kristan Jill	24 Jan 1946	18 Mar 1946	1946	F	1 mo.		S2	74	Infant				
Nelson	John Oscar	29 Jun 1863	12 Dec 1924	1924	M	61		S12	20	Anna	Stone			
Nelson	Anna Ulrika Elisabet	4 Jul 1869	25 Jun 1954	1954	F	84		S12	20	John O.	Stone			
Nelson	Emil	1887	1976	1976	M	89		S9	38	Gertrude North (Verlaine)				
Nelson	Gustaf Adolf	18 Jun 1866	11 May 1904	1904	M	37		Unmarked		Father Carl August Nelson		No		
Nicholson	Jennie Emilia	5 Feb 1858	3 Dec 1897	1897	F	39	Anderson	S15	8	Nels	Stone			
Nicholson	Artie Emil	6 Sep 1879	Nov 1879	1879	M	1-2 mos		S14	8		Stone			
Nicholson	Bertha Rebecka	17 Aug 1886	02 Feb 1903	1903	F	16		S15	8		Stone			
Nicholson	Francis	20 Mar 1895	21 Mar 1895	1895	M	1 day		S14	8		Stone			
Nicholson	Roy	20 Mar 1895	10 Jun 1895	1895	M	2 mos		S14	8		Stone			

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Nicholson	Jennie Grace	29 Jul 1897	17 Sep 1897	1895	F	1 mo.		S14	8		Stone			
Nicholson	Nels	16 Sep 1852	07 Feb 1941	1941	M	88		S15	8	Jennie Anderson				
Nicholson	Nicklas	11 Jul 1826	23 Mar 1902	1902	M	75		S2	75	Anna	Stone			
Nicholson	Anna	9 Dec 1827	01 Jun 1911	1911	F	83	Sjurdahl (DC of U	S2	75	Nicholas	Stone			
Nicholson	Louis Verdin (Beaubien)	16 Mar 1876	02 Oct 1905	1905	M	29		Unmarked	75 (likely)	Leota Pierce		No		1905
Nicholson	Stillborn Boy (unnamed)	20 Mar 1895	20 Mar 1895	1895		Stillborn		Unmarked				No		
Nordquist	Nelson N.	1816	2 Dec 1899	1899	M	83		Unmarked	Unknown	Married	No	No		
Nordstrom	Fredrika Petronella	7 Apr 1818	10 Jun 1888	1888	F	70	Haggeman	N14	3	Svanti	Stone & Photo			
Nordstrom	Syena "Svanti"	1821	24 Oct 1910	1910	M	88-89		N14	3	Fredrika	Stone & Photo			
North	John August	1849	01 Feb 1944	1944	M	94		S4	69	Mary Ann Clark				
North	Mary Ann	20 Jul 1854	04 Jul 1940	1940	F	85	Clark	S4	69	John August				
North	Ellen	20 Jul 1887	06 May 1907	1907	F	20		S4	69	D/O Mary Ann & John				
Olson	Betty	1867	1894	1894	F	27		N9	34	(Mother)	Stone			
Olson	Carl	1875	1912	1912	M	37		S4	60	(Brother)	Stone			
Osterkamp	Agnes Matilda	20 Nov 1915	17 Feb 1959	1959	F	43	Schwartz	S3	72	Frank	Stone			
Osterkamp Jr	Frank Charles	17 Jun 1902	09 Apr 1982	1982	M	79		S3	72 + One	Agnes	Stone (2)		Pfc.	
Otterstrom	Gustava	4 Nov 1852	4 Nov 1940	1940	F	87-88		S3	72					
Parfenoff	Stephen S.	26 Dec 1887	21 Apr 1964	1964	M	76		N10	31	Martha Dauksha (d. 1994)	Plaque		WW I	
Parfenoff	Stephen Sander	22 Feb 1969	07 Jun 2009	2009	M	40		N10	31	?	Plaque	No		
Pearson	Anna (Mrs.)	1 Sep 1853	04 Mar 1911	1911	F	57	Ek (John)	S4	71	Per Pearson		no data		
Pearson	Per (Perry)(Mr.)							S4	71	Anna				
Pearson	Oscar E.	4 Apr 1878	15 Dec 1964	1964	M	86		S4	71	Widowed @ Death (Maude Keller)	Not on Fag	no data		
Petersen	Waldemar	12 Mar 1867	16 Jul 1895	1895	M	28		S12	16					
Peterson	Emil	10 Feb 1888	07 Mar 1921	1921	M	33		S15	12		none			
Peterson	Tirgejerd P.	1860	1900	1900	M	40		N7	46 1/2		Stone			
Peterson	Mari P.	1861	1895	1895	F	33		N7	46 1/2		none			
Peterson	Samuel P.	1894	1894	1894	M	> 1		N7	46 1/2		Stone			
Peterson	Huldah P.	1898	1899	1899	F	1		N7	46 1/2		none			
Peterson	Hans	1862	8 Aug 1896	1896	M	34		unknown	None			No		
Pockmire	James Alfred	21 Dec 1868	07 Jul 1904	1904	M	35		S7	55	Alice Gustafson	Stone & Photo			
Pockmire	Baby Girl					0								
Prouty	Alice Helen	18 Nov 1871	17 Jun 1940	1940	F	68	Weistner		Not	Washington		No		
Prouty	Washington C	29 Dec 1862	07 Jun 1928	1928	M	65			Not	Alice		No		
Quantz	Frederick Percival	14 Jul 1882	04 Jan 1934	1934	M	51		S5	61	Lucrecia	Stone			
Quantz	Lucrecia Caswell	19 Jul 1885	17 Sep 1968	1968	F	83	Finch	S5	61	Fred	Stone			
Raines	Marshall Thomas	06 May 1913	04 Jun 1986	1986	M	73		S10	24	Bertha	Plaque		WW II	
Raines	Bertha	24 Sep 1915	04 Sep 1987	1987	F	71	Ference	S10	24	Marshall	Stone			
Raines	Terence Alan	01 Sep 1941	01 Sep 1972	1972	M	31		S10	24	(Single)		No		
Reiss	John	1872	02 Apr 1907	1907	M	35		unknown	Unknown			No. Unknown?		1907
Roberts	Paul William	12 Jan 1892	24 Jun 1970	1970	M	78		N8	35	Ruth	Stone			
Roberts	Ruth C.	24 Aug 1892	23 Dec 1969	1969	F	77	Smith	N8	35	Paul, St	Stone			
Roberts	Ethel May	25 Sep 1919	16 Sep 1987	1987	F	67	Ferrell	N8	35	Paul, Jr.	Stone			
Roberts Jr	Paul William	06 Dec 1912	27 Sep 1988	1988	M	75		N8	35	Ethel	Stone		WW II (Navy)	

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Schmiedebusch	Christina Barbara	8 Mar 1879	03 Mar 1965	1965	F	85	Wagner	S1	79	Joseph S & Irving Tupper				
Scott	Henry	31 Jan 1905	6 Apr 1888	1888	M	30			Unknown		No -unknowns?			1888
Sjodahl	Nils	19 Sep 1836	04 May 1917	1917	M	80		none	none	Elna		no		
Sjodahl	Elna	23 Apr 1837	29 Jul 1909	1909	F	72	Ek (Per)	none	none	Nils		no		
Skove	Jensen	28 Jul 1884	02 Jan 1964	1964	M	79		N4	46	Esther & Louise	Stone			
Skove	Esther	30 Jun 1891	12 Nov 1917	1917	F	26	Peterson	N6	46	Jensen	Stone			
Skove	Louise Kristine	13 Jul 1899	11 Nov 1974	1974	F	75	Hansen	N4	46	Jensen	Stone			
Slipavitch	John	1884	12 Nov 1912	1912	M	28			Unknown					1912
Smith	Charles	1886	12 Nov 1912	1912	M	26			Unknown					1912
Snyder	Winnifred	1882	1919	1919	F	37	? Anderson ?	S4	70	Frank	Stone			
Snyder	Frank J.	1873	06 Feb 1915	1915	M	42		S4	70	Winifred	Stone			
Snyder	Bernice	1899	1899	1899	F	1		S4	70		Stone			
Snyder	Earl	1902	1904	1904	M	2		S4	70		Stone			
Soderberg	John Alfred	1 Apr 1876	26 Jun 1957	1957	M	81		S3	72	Clara	Stone			
Soderberg	Clara	12 Aug 1881	22 May 1972	1972	F	90	Otterstrom	S3	72	John	Stone			
Spungen	Infant Girl	19 Feb 1957	21 Feb 1957	1957	F	3 days		none	unknown		DC	No		
Strom	Andrew P	20 May 1845	14 Feb 1910	1910	M	64		none	unknown		DC	No		
Swanson	Charley Johan	6 Sep 1820	20 Jun 1907	1907	M	86		S7	50	Stina Sophia	Stone			
Swanson	Stina Sophia	23 Sep 1844	09 Feb 1922	1922	F	77	Anderson	S7	50	Charles	Stone			
Swanson	Vernon William	06 Nov 1903	01 Dec 1903	1903	M	24 days		S7	51	(son of Herman and Edith)				
Thiebar	Bernhardt	4 Dec 1871	15 Dec 1945	1945	M	78		S12	19	Martha				
Thiebar	Martha	Jun 1873	23 Dec 1943	1943	F	72	Meister	S12	19	Bernhardt				
Thiebar	George Henry	12 Jul 1899	09 Nov 1966	1966	M	67		S12	19	Eva Lucille				
Thiebar	Eva Lucille	22 Dec 1910	01 Apr 1969	1969	F	58	Johnson	S12	19	George				
Tupper	Harry W. Schmiedebusch	02 Sep 1903	26 Jan 1981	1981	M	77		S1	79	(Divorced @ death)	No marker		WW II	
Unknown	Unknown Graves													
Unknown	Small Child													
Weiger	Arthur "Pete"	18 Feb 1898	25 Jan 1973	1973	M	74		S6	48	Lillian	?			
Weiger	Lillian Pearl	5 Nov 1899	01 May 1991	1991	F	91	Westergren	S6	48	Authur	?			
Westergren	Annie	27 Sep 1834	25 Jul 1901	1901	F	48	Peterson	S7	48	John W.	None	Mother"		
Westergren	John W.	1836	12 Nov 1924	1924	M	87		S7	48	Annie	Stone			
Westergren	William Eugene	1867	18 Arril 1956	1956	M	88		S7	48	Nellie	Stone			
Westergren	Nellie	1874	1943	1943	F	68	Nelson or Olson	S7	48	William	Stone			
Westergren	Clarence	16 Feb 1898	28 Oct 1964	1964	M	66		S7	48		Plaque			
Wilson	August N.	25 Sep 1872	8 Aug 1896	1896	M	23		S11	27	Hannah Hokenson	Stone			
Wood	Mary Patterson	23 May 1866	03 Jan 1932	1932	F	66	Patterson	S8	43	Burgum Wood (widow of)	Stone	but wrong		
Wood	Mary (Maud)	23 May 1866	03 Jan 1933	1933	F	66	Patterson	S8	43	Wdow (Burgum Wood)	(Maud Wood)			
Wood	Rex Berton	10 Feb 1877	13 Mar 1946	1946	M	69		S3	73	Married 3 times				
Wray	Mabel	01 Jul 1915	29 Dec 1964	1964	F	49	Anderson (John) & Eva Swanson	S10	26	Perry C. Wray	Stone (fallen)			

Methodology and Notes

This inventory was created by a careful examination of several existing inventories, one done in 1957 by a local D.A.R. chapter, another done in 1976 by Bethel Lutheran's Cemetery Association which included a map and drawings of the individual plots, and then a third inventory done by the Northwest Indiana Genealogical Society. When Find-a-Grave was established most of these burials were added as memorials by Verlaine Wright in the first decade of 2000. Subsequent memorials were added by individuals. Find-a-Grave is a public, free website and there are bound to be mistakes and duplicates.

I began by creating a spreadsheet from a "scrape" of Ancestry.com's search return for Bethel Lutheran's Find-a-Grave memorials. That resulted in some 237 listings, but not all on previous inventories had been memorialized in Find-a-Grave. Then began a painstaking comparison of the four sources and the investigation of each individual using death certificates, newspaper articles and obituaries. In the process I discovered the names of the men who were killed in Aetna Powder Plant explosions, previously only listed as "unknowns." I also discovered duplicates in the Find-a-Grave memorials as well as some made for people not buried there. There are a number of "new" headstones placed in the past several decades that may or may not be accurate.

The cemetery has a number Miller's significant early residents including little John Miller, John Victor Johnson, Drusilla Carr, William Westergren to name a few. Several interesting discoveries along the way are noted below.

Emma Christ has a listing and a headstone as Emma "Crist" but I discovered that she was very likely the daughter of Caroline Carr who is buried in Hobart along with Emma's children, William and Emily. Their death certificates, census data and obituaries seem to confirm that.

Another individual turned up who most Miller residents know nothing about is Rex Wood, who for almost two decades was one of the foremost authorities on the game of checkers, and who published a monthly news journal from his home in Miller. More can be read about him at <http://spicerweb.org/Miller/MillerHistory/Checkers.aspx>.

The column "1999 Inventory" refers to the cemetery rows, which are somewhat uneven at the cemetery. "S" and "N" refer to either north or south of the vague path that divides the cemetery. The "1976 Plot" refers to numbered plots that are on that inventory map and the drawings of the individual plots.

There are bound to be mistakes in this inventory and well as incomplete information. The cemetery was never a well-organized entity; there was never a register of burials either by the church, which owned it from 1882 to 1919 and then again from 1965 to the present. From 1919 to 1965 it was owned by the City of Gary.

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