

Eliza Jane Godfrey

From the original Sexton Records:

Name: Eliza Jane Godfrey

Age: 0y; 6m; 3d

Relationship: Daughttr of Joseph & Ameliza Godfrey

Deceased: July 8th, 1847

Disease: Diarea

Birth Place: Winter Quarters

Birth Date: Dec. 14, 1846

Grave No. 169

Birth Date: January 13, 1847

Birth Place: Winter Quarters, Nebraska Territory

Death Date: July 8, 1847

Cause of Death: Diarrhea

Burial Place: Winter Quarters Grave #169

Father's Name: Joseph Godfrey

Mother's Maiden Name: Anna Elizabeth Reeves

Which Winter Quarters Ward or Iowa Branch was the family: Rockyford and Buoyo Iowa Branches.

Where was the family in the 1850 U. S. Census? Joseph Godfrey, a farmer, was listed as family #1249, in District 21, Pottawattamie County, Iowa.

Which Pioneer wagon train took the family west? Came west with the David Wood in 1852. About 288 individuals and about 58 wagons were in the company when it began its journey from the outfitting post at Kanesville, Iowa.

Any interesting facts or stories that might have been submitted.

Ann Eliza Godfrey, passed away 7 Jan 1857 a week after giving birth to her eighth child. Joseph sent for Mary and her son to help with the care of Ann Eliza's children. On 7 Mar 1857 Mary became the second wife of Joseph Godfrey. That same day, he married a third wife, Sarah Ann Price. Together Mary and Sarah raised Ann Eliza's children and also bore several more children to Joseph Godfrey. Mary had four children with Joseph. Mary Ellen (1858-1938), Martha Ann (1860-1940), and David Reeves (1869-1942). Her son, Samuel, was born March 9, 1863 and died 5 days later.

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