

Marinda Bennett Stout

From the original Sexton Records:

Name: Marinda Stout

Age: 26y; 1m

Wife of Hosa Stout

Deceased: Sept. 26, 1846

Disease: Dropsy

Birth Place: Bedford Co., Tenn

Birth Date: Oct. 26, 1826

No. of Grave: 13

Name of Deceased: Marinda Bennett Stout

Birth Date: Aug. 26, 1826

Death Date: Sep. 26, 1846

Cause of Death: Dropsy

Burial Place: Grave #13 Cutler's Park

Father's Name: Richard Bennett

Mother's Maiden Name: Mary Bell

Spouse's Name: Hosea Stout

Which Winter Quarters Ward or Iowa Branch was the family? Winter Quarters 15<sup>th</sup> Ward (also in the 11<sup>th</sup> ward)

Where was the family in the 1850 U. S. Census? Great Salt Lake County, house number 402, page 96

Which Pioneer wagon train took the family west? Brigham Young company. He was the captain of the night guard. This company left Winter Quarters June 4, 1848 and arrived in Salt Lake from Sep. 20-24. Another of his wives, Louisa Borne Taylor Stout and the child Elisabeth Ann traveled in the Brigham Young company with him. Hosea was also a member of the 1856 rescue company and helped rescue the Willey and Martin Handcart Companies.

Any interesting facts or stories that might have been submitted.

- Marinda was born in Tennessee.

She died the day after giving birth to a stillborn son

-She was only married about 15 months before her death.

- Marinda was his 4<sup>th</sup> wife.
- Her husband, Hosea, was sixteen years her senior.
- on the 1850 census Hosea was listed as a carpenter, but in 1851 he became one of the first people admitted to the Utah bar.
- Before joining the church Hosea taught school, fought in the Black Hawk Indian War, and worked in the lumber business with his brother.
- Hosea served the first mission to Hong Kong China but had no success there.
- He and his brother were body guards for the Prophet Joseph Smith.
- Several times he was elected and served in the Utah State Legislature and on the board of regents for what would become the University of Utah.
- He was called to help settle Saint George and did so for five years. While in Southern Utah he was the Attorney General. (<https://familysearch.org/photos/artifacts/14752322>)