

## Mary Elizabeth Robinson

From the original Sexton Records:

Not in Sexton Records.

References:

Aug , 1846. "Our little daughter Mary Elizebeth [Robinson] was taken very sick and in spite of all our efforts to save her she died in a few days after we arrived in camp." (Robinson, Joseph Lee. Notebook. Church Archives, MS 7042, 4.)

Birth Date: Jun. 12, 1845

Death Date: Sep. 8, 1846

Cause of Death: Unknown

Burial Place: Cutler's Park ?

Father's Name: Joseph Lee Robinson

Mother's Maiden Name: Maria Wood

Which Winter Quarters Ward or Iowa Branch was the family: Winter Quarters 7<sup>th</sup> ward (Joseph was the Bishop)

Where was the family in the 1850 U. S. Census? Maria, Oliver, Ebenezer, Anna, and Joseph were in Davis County, Utah, house #55, p.5. Joseph with another wife, Susan and children: William, Sidney, and Mary in Iron County, Utah, house #13.

Which Pioneer wagon train took the family west? Willard Richards Company left Winter quarters July 3, 1848 and arrived Oct. 10, 1848. Joseph, 3 wives (Maria Wood, Laurinda Atwood, Susan McCord), Oliver, Jane, Ebenezer, and Anna.

Any interesting facts or stories that might have been submitted.

-Joseph and Mariah/Maria had the following children: Oliver Lee, Ebenezer Jay, Anna Maria, Joseph, Zephaniah, Mary, and Joseph Elijah.

Anna Maria was crippled in one of her legs on the trip to Winter Quarters. One of the family's drivers hurt his knee and was crippled as well on that trip. On the trip Anna and the driver recovered and were no longer crippled. (The Journal of Joseph Lee Robinson, captured by Oliver Robinson & Mary Robinson Egan, [http://planetnielsen.com/joseph\\_lee\\_robinson/jlr\\_basic\\_journal.pdf](http://planetnielsen.com/joseph_lee_robinson/jlr_basic_journal.pdf), p. 77)

-In his journal Joseph refers to Brigham Young as Saint Brigham. (The Journal of Joseph Lee Robinson, captured by Oliver Robinson & Mary Robinson Egan, [http://planetnielsen.com/joseph\\_lee\\_robinson/jlr\\_basic\\_journal.pdf](http://planetnielsen.com/joseph_lee_robinson/jlr_basic_journal.pdf), p. 80)

-While at Winter Quarters Joseph and his second wife, Susan had a baby girl. But the baby, Susan Asenath died about six weeks later. (The Journal of Joseph Lee Robinson, captured by Oliver Robinson & Mary Robinson Egan, [http://planetnielsen.com/joseph\\_lee\\_robinson/jlr\\_basic\\_journal.pdf](http://planetnielsen.com/joseph_lee_robinson/jlr_basic_journal.pdf), pp. 88-89)

-Joseph was elected justice of the Peace and appointed as a bishop in the North Cottonwood area. (The Journal of Joseph Lee Robinson, captured by Oliver Robinson & Mary Robinson Egan, [http://planetnielsen.com/joseph\\_lee\\_robinson/jlr\\_basic\\_journal.pdf](http://planetnielsen.com/joseph_lee_robinson/jlr_basic_journal.pdf), p. 112)

-In 1849 the Saints in Utah were counseled to be rebaptized because of the long trek. Joseph and his three families were rebaptized. (The Journal of Joseph Lee Robinson, captured by Oliver Robinson & Mary Robinson Egan, [http://planetnielsen.com/joseph\\_lee\\_robinson/jlr\\_basic\\_journal.pdf](http://planetnielsen.com/joseph_lee_robinson/jlr_basic_journal.pdf), p.119).

-Joseph marched in the first 24<sup>th</sup> of July parade, each bishop marched and carried a banner with their motto on it. Joseph's motto read, "Truth before Gold" and had an eagle on it. (The Journal of Joseph Lee Robinson, captured by Oliver Robinson & Mary Robinson Egan, [http://planetnielsen.com/joseph\\_lee\\_robinson/jlr\\_basic\\_journal.pdf](http://planetnielsen.com/joseph_lee_robinson/jlr_basic_journal.pdf), pp. 121-22)

-Joseph was called on a mission to help settle Little Salt Lake Valley which today is Parowan, Utah in 1850. Brother Brigham told him he could stay or return but that he just wanted Joseph to select 100 men and get the settlement up and going so that they could mine the iron in the area. Joseph took Susan and her family after she volunteered. (The Journal of Joseph Lee Robinson, captured by Oliver Robinson & Mary Robinson Egan, [http://planetnielsen.com/joseph\\_lee\\_robinson/jlr\\_basic\\_journal.pdf](http://planetnielsen.com/joseph_lee_robinson/jlr_basic_journal.pdf), p. 125-26)

-During May and June of 1853 Maria was very sick. Joseph blessed her a couple of times and then baptized her for her health and went to Salt Lake to get her medicine. (The Journal of Joseph Lee Robinson, captured by Oliver Robinson & Mary Robinson Egan, [http://planetnielsen.com/joseph\\_lee\\_robinson/jlr\\_basic\\_journal.pdf](http://planetnielsen.com/joseph_lee_robinson/jlr_basic_journal.pdf), pp. 162-63).

-The two oldest children, Oliver and Anna Maria, were married on the same day, Nov. 20, 1854. (The Journal of Joseph Lee Robinson, captured by Oliver Robinson & Mary Robinson Egan, [http://planetnielsen.com/joseph\\_lee\\_robinson/jlr\\_basic\\_journal.pdf](http://planetnielsen.com/joseph_lee_robinson/jlr_basic_journal.pdf), p. 180).

-Joseph planted a third crop from June 22-24 because grasshoppers had eaten the first two crops of the year but by late June the grasshoppers had flown away. (The Journal of Joseph Lee Robinson, captured by Oliver Robinson & Mary Robinson Egan, [http://planetnielsen.com/joseph\\_lee\\_robinson/jlr\\_basic\\_journal.pdf](http://planetnielsen.com/joseph_lee_robinson/jlr_basic_journal.pdf), pp. 183-84).

-The Joseph Robinson family was assigned to outfit a soldier during the Utah War, presumably because they didn't have any young men to fight. In his journal Joseph mentioned that their assigned young soldier was a good boy but poor so they had to "dress him up from the stump." This included a saddle, bridle, arms, ammunition, blankets, clothing and everything. This cost the family a yoke of oxen and two cows. (The Journal of Joseph Lee Robinson, captured by Oliver Robinson & Mary Robinson Egan, [http://planetnielsen.com/joseph\\_lee\\_robinson/jlr\\_basic\\_journal.pdf](http://planetnielsen.com/joseph_lee_robinson/jlr_basic_journal.pdf), pp. 199-200).

