

TUSCANIA

Adams, Ralph Spurgeon
1892 MO – 1969 OK



Ralph Spurgeon Adams – “Daily Oklahoman” (Oklahoma City OK) 17 Feb 1918 p 17



Ralph, Ina, Georgia & Lewis Adams (names not linked to those in photograph) -
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ADAMS, RALPH SPURGEON		C- 822 699
Pvt. Demob Det.		K-
1002 W St Stillwater Okla		N-
Sn. 251 350	Died	H-
Born 5/4/92		V-
Enl. 10/3/17	Dis. 7/11/19	A- 1 575 274
		I- 500 707
		H- 178 790
		St. 53 008
VA FORM 3-7202a JUL 1948		MASTER INDEX CARD 26-58771-1 470

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Added:

1. NAME OF DECEASED - LAST - FIRST - MIDDLE (Print or Type) ADAMS, RALPH S.		14. NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY (City and State) COLBERT, OKLAHOMA	
2. SERVICE NUMBER 251350		3. PENSION OR VA CLAIM NUMBER	
4. ENLISTMENT DATE (Month, day, year) 10-3-1917		5. DISCHARGE DATE (Month, day, year) 7-11-1919	
6. STATE OKLAHOMA		7. DECORATIONS	
8. GRADE OR RANK PVT.	9. BRANCH OF SERVICE, COMPANY, REGIMENT, DIVISION Co. B Motor Batt. 2nd A.T. ARMY		
10. DATE OF BIRTH (Month, day, year) May 4, 1892		11. DATE OF DEATH (Month, day, year) Feb. 21, 1969	
12. RELIGIOUS EMBLEM (Check one)		13. CHECK TYPE REQUIRED	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LATIN CROSS (Christian)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UPRIGHT MARBLE HEADSTONE	
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DO NOT WRITE HERE		16. NAME OF CONSIGNEE WHO WILL TRANSPORT STONE OR MARKER Coffey Funeral Home	
FOR VERIFICATION \$ APR 1969		ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE (Street address, City and State) 121 N. 5th, Durant, Oklahoma 74701	
B/L Z 7198097		17. I HAVE AGREED TO TAKE THE STONE OR MARKER TO THE CEMETERY. SIGNATURE OF CONSIGNEE James E. Petrucci	
CONTRACTOR VERMONT MARBLE CO. PROCTOR, VT.		1084 of 3974	

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APPLICATION FOR HEADSTONE OR MARKER

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Life:

Names and Numbers of Second Call

1111-2151 Ralph Spurgeon Adams,
Oilton.

"Sapulpa (OK) Herald" Tuesday 21 Aug 1917 p 3

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Adams, of Oilton, have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Adams, 1002 West Tenth avenue. Ralph Adams has received his "green slip" and has returned to Creek county to be ready to go to the training camp at any time.

Ralph & wife & brother Lewis & wife visit their parents – "Stillwater (OK) Gazette" Friday 21 Sep 1917 p 8

NINETY-ONE MORE SOLDIERS

From Sapulpa District and Thirty From Bristow.

NOW ON ROAD TO CAMP

This Makes the Third Shipment From Creek County—526 Is Our Quota.

The band played patriotically, and the crowd gathered at the Frisco depot yesterday noon to see the 91 soldier boys from the Sapulpa district No. 1 depart for Camp Travis. The train was in charge of Conductor Ruprect and Engineer Detherage.

Again, the Honor Roll.

Order No.	Name	Serial No.
1111	Ralph Spurgeon Adams	2151

1111 Ralph Spurgeon Adams.....2151

"Creek County Republican" (Sapulpa OK) Friday 5 Oct 1917 p 1

Mrs. E. Roberts received a letter from her brother, Ralph Adams, one of the Creek county boys at Camp Travis. He is now a mess sergeant. He says he likes it fine and to tell all the boys that if he was not a soldier, he would join tomorrow.

"Bristow (OK) Record & the Bristow Enterprise" Thursday 25 Oct 1917 p 6

**OFFICIAL LIST
OF OKLAHOMA
MEN ON SHIP**

Washington Bureau
of The Oklahoman

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Thirty-five Oklahoma men were on the Tuscania, according to lists of the transport's passengers, made public tonight by the committee on information. Whether any of them was lost is not known. All of the men were in the Engineers' corps of the 100th aero squadron. The list follows:

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Frank Ackerson, Ochaltree.
Ralph S. Adams, Oilton.
Olank Anderson, Vinson.
Will E. Armstrong, Cement.
Arthur F. Austin, Callsby.

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"Daily Oklahoman" (Oklahoma City OK) Friday 8 Feb 1918 p 1

Most of the Oklahoma men are from scattering units in the Twentieth engineers, 165th depot brigade and the 157th and 158th infantry.

Although first reports stated most of the Tuscania's passengers were from Michigan and Wisconsin, the passenger lists made public yesterday show the men were from at least a dozen states.

The following list of names of Oklahoma men aboard the Tuscania is taken from the passenger list compiled by the war department at the port of embarkation, and is complete. The names of the men, their next of kin and their emergency addresses are as follows:

Ralph S. Adams, Mrs. Sarah Adams,
wife, Oilton.

"Daily Ardmoreite" (Ardmore OK) Saturday 9 Feb 1918 p 1

WORD FROM LOCAL BOYS IN CAMP AND ACROSS

The muster rolls of the troops on the Tuscania show that one lad from Oilton, Ralph S. Adams, was aboard. Next of kin, his wife, Mrs. Sarah Adams. Whether he is among the survivors or not is not yet known.

"Drumright (OK) Weekly Derrick" Saturday 9 Feb 1918 p 1

The following list contains the names of Oklahoma men known definitely to be among the saved, according to cablegrams reaching the war department:

A.	E.	M.
ARTHUR F. AUSTIN, Catesby.	LLOYD L. ECKELS, Indianoma.	JOHN H. MECOM, Checotah.
FRANK J. ACKERSON, Ochleta.	WILLIAM ELLIS, Pauls Valley.*	EDWARD J. McMANN, Prague.
RALPH S. ADAMS, Oilton.	F.	CHARLTON A. MUNYON, Alva.
CLARENCE C. ANDERSON, Hobart.	A. E. FARRISINK, Alva.	VERNON MARLEY, Meeker.
JOHN F. AUTRY, Frederick.	ED. FINK, Aluwee.	N.
OLANK ANDERSON, Vinson.	* RAYMOND FOUTZ, Keil.	CLYDE B. NIBLACK, Howe.
O. C. ATCHLEY GOULD, Chickasha.	G.	P.
WILL E. ARMSTRONG, Cement.	CHARLES W. GANN, Oakman.	THOMAS PATTERSON, Ashland.
	JOHN CARLTON GREEN, Randolph.	JOHN E. PETERS, JR., Norman.
	GILBERT GRAHAM, Weleetka.	HOWARD J. PIPER, Enid.

Excerpt – "Daily Oklahoman" (Oklahoma City OK) Monday 11 Feb 1918 p 1

OKLAHOMANS ON LINER TUSCANIA

THREE CREEK COUNTY BOYS
AMONG THEM—RALPH ADAMS
WIRES SISTER IN BRISTOW
OF HIS SAFETY.

Below we publish a list of the Oklahomans on the liner Tuscania which was torpedoed by a German submarine last week off the Irish coast. Ralph Adams, of Oilton, was among the Oklahoma boys and went to the army in the second contingent of the first draft. His sister, Mrs. E. Roberts of this city, received a wire Sunday from Adj. General McCain that he was saved.

"Bristow (OK) Record & the Bristow Enterprise" Thursday 14 Feb 1918 p 1

LETTER FROM A SOLDIER ON TUSCANIA

Ralph S. Adams Writes Sister
Mrs. Roberts of Bristow—
Is in England.

Ralph S. Adams, who was a soldier on the torpedoed Tuscania, in which many American boys lost their lives, was among the rescued as announced in the Record at the time. This week his sister in Bristow, Mrs. E. Roberts, received a card from him, which was posted at a training camp in England.

The message is as follows:

Dear Sister and Brother:

I am safe. Was on the ship that was torpedoed, but was saved. Don't worry about me, for I am all right. Like it fine. Don't expect to receive much mail from me from now on.

RALPH S. ADAMS,
American Exped. Forces.

"Bristow (OK) Record & the Bristow Enterprise" Thursday 14 Mar 1918 p 1

BRISTOW—Ralph S. Adams, a survivor of the Tuscania, which was torpedoed during the early days of the war, has been visiting his sister Mrs. E. Roberts here this week. He has just returned from service in France.

"Daily Oklahoman" (Oklahoma City OK) Saturday 26 Jul 1919 p 4

Wife Nara Nichols

APPLICATION FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }
CARTER COUNTY, }

I, Ralph Adams, the undersigned, hereby apply for a Marriage License to be issued to
 Mr. Ralph Adams, aged 24 years,
 whose residence is Kingling, State of Oklahoma, and
 Miss Nara Nichols, aged 26 years,
 whose residence is Perkins, State of Oklahoma, and
 for the purpose of procuring the same do solemnly swear that I have personal knowledge of the facts herein stated; that the names, ages and places of
 residence of said parties are truly and correctly set out above; that neither of said parties are disqualified or incapable under the law of entering into the
 marriage relation, nor are they related to each other within the degrees prohibited by law. That I am 24 years of age, and reside at
Kingling, County of Jefferson, State of Oklahoma.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 28 day of August, 1916.
 By C. A. Jones Deputy. Ralph Adams Applicant.
E. F. Haynie Court Clerk.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }
CARTER COUNTY, }

To any Person Authorized to Perform and Solemnize the Marriage Ceremony—GREETING:

You are hereby authorized to join in marriage Mr. Ralph Adams
 of Kingling, County of Jefferson, State of Oklahoma,
 aged 24 years, and Miss Nara Nichols
 of Perkins, County of Carter, State of Oklahoma,
 aged 26 years, and of this License you will make due return to my office within thirty days from this date.
 WITNESS my hand and official seal, at Admon in said County, this 28 day of
August, A. D. 1916.
 By C. A. Jones Deputy. E. F. Haynie Court Clerk.
 Recorded this 28 day of August, 1916.
C. A. Jones

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }
CARTER COUNTY, }

I, W. F. Freeman District Judge
 of Admon, in Carter County, State of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that I joined in marriage
 the persons named in and authorized by this License to be married, on the 28 day of August, A. D. 1916,
 at Admon in Carter County, State of Oklahoma, in the presence of
E. F. Haynie of Admon, Oklahoma
 and W. A. Audetou of ",
W. F. Freeman
District Judge
 Returned and Recorded this 28 day of August, 1916.
C. A. Jones

Marriage to Nary Nichols 28 Aug 1916 Carter Co. OK -

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Wife Olive Josephine Murphy:

MARRIAGE RECORD

AND NOW, To-wit, on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1921, personally appeared before me, Ralph S. Evans Adams, he being legally competent to make and take an oath, and having personal knowledge of the facts herein set forth, and made the following.

APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE

I, Ralph S. Adams, of Payne County, State of Oklahoma, aged 28 years, do solemnly swear that I am acquainted with the parties named in the following schedule and the facts herein set forth:

NAME OF PARTIES	AGE	COLOR	PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE
<u>Ralph S. Adams</u> GROOM	<u>28</u>	<u>White</u>	<u>Missouri</u>	<u>Stillwater Okla</u>
<u>Olive Josephine Murphy</u> BRIDE	<u>27</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>Kansas</u>	<u>Stonewall Okla</u>

And that the said parties, or either of them, are not disqualified or incapable under the law of entering into the marriage relation, nor are they of the relationship prohibited by law.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of March, 1921.

(Seal)

Ralph Adams
H. A. Jones

Being satisfied of the truth of the sufficiency of this application and that there is no legal impediment to such marriage, the said application is hereby granted.

(Seal)

H. A. Jones

Deputy Court Clerk.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, } ss.

PAYNE COUNTY

IN THE COUNTY COURT

To Any Person Authorized to Perform the Marriage Ceremony, Greeting:

You are hereby authorized to join in marriage Mr. Ralph S. Adams and M^{rs} Olive Josephine Murphy of the County aforesaid, whose ages, residence, etc., are as follows:

NAME OF PARTIES	AGE	COLOR	PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE
<u>Ralph S. Adams</u> GROOM	<u>28</u>	<u>White</u>	<u>Missouri</u>	<u>Stillwater</u>
<u>Olive Josephine Murphy</u> BRIDE	<u>27</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>Kansas</u>	<u>Stonewall</u>

And of this License you will make due return to my office within thirty days from this date.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at my office in Stillwater in said County, this 25 day of March, A. D., 1921.

(Seal)

Raymond H. Moore

Judge.

H. A. Jones

Deputy Court Clerk.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }
PAYNE COUNTY } ss.

I, Raymond H. Moore Judge County Court
Name of Official or Minister. Official or Clerical Designation Name of Court or Congregation

of Stillwater in Payne, County, State of Oklahoma, do hereby
certify that I joined in marriage the persons named in and authorized by this License to be married, on the 25 day of March
A. D. 1921, at Stillwater in Payne County, Oklahoma, in the presence of Georgia Adams
of Stillwater, and H. A. Jones of Stillwater
Raymond H. Moore Judge County Court
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We, the contracting parties, have subscribed our names this 25 day of March 1921
Georgia B. Adams } Witnesses. Ralph Adams Groom
Olive Josephine Murphy Bride

marriage to Olive Josephine Murphy - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/63361355:61379?tid=&pid=&queryId=352b87711cd9e85e74cddb6c2f78c8&phsrc=cPx886&phstart=successSource>

Gross neglect was the charge against Olive Josephine Adams by her husband Ralph S. Adams, in his divorce petition. They were married in 1921.

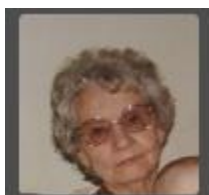
Ralph petitioned for divorce in 1929 – “Shawnee (OK) News-Star” Wednesday 11 Dec 1929
p.9

MARRIAGE LICENSES

A. C. Reuter, 28, Yale.
Donna Munkirs, 20, Yale.
Arthur M. Rains, 22, Stillwater.
Ella Davis, 24, Stillwater.
Ralph S. Adams, 28, Stillwater.
Olive Josephine Murphy, 29, Stroud.

“Stillwater (OK) Gazette” Friday 1 Apr 1921 p 5

Wife Elsie Mae Price:



Elsie - <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/76716803/person/36364849550/gallery?galleryPage=1&tab=0>

APPLICATION FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }
Haskell County. } IN COUNTY COURT

I, Floyd Medlock, the undersigned, hereby apply for a Marriage License to be issued to
 M. John Young, aged 21 years, whose residence is Keata
 State of Okla., and Miss Elsie Price, aged 18 years,
 whose residence is Keata, State of Okla., and for the purpose of procuring the same
 do solemnly swear that I have personal knowledge of the facts herein stated; that the names, ages and places of residence of said parties are truly
 and correctly set out above; that neither of said parties are disqualified or incapable under the law of entering into the marriage relation, nor are
 they related to each other within the degrees prohibited by law. That I am 21 years of age, and reside at Keata
 County of Haskell, State of Okla.

Floyd Medlock Applicant.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 28 day of Oct 1922.

(SEAL) _____ County Judge,
Lillian Allen Court Clerk.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }
Haskell County. } IN COUNTY COURT

To Any Person Authorized to Perform and Solemnize the Marriage Ceremony--GREETING:

You are hereby authorized to join in marriage Mr. John Young
 of Keata County of Haskell, State of Okla.
 aged 21 years, and Miss Elsie Price
 of Keata County of Haskell, State of Okla.
 aged 18 years. And of this License you will make due return to my office within thirty days from this date.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at Stigler, in said County, this 28 day of
Oct A. D. 1922.

(SEAL) _____ County Judge,
Lillian Allen Court Clerk.

Recorded this 16 day of Nov 1922.

Lillian Allen
 Court Clerk

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }
Haskell County. } ss.

I, C. A. Cagle, a minister,
 of Castroville in Haskell County, State of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that I joined in marriage
 the persons named in and authorized by this License to be married, on the 29 day of Oct A. D. 1922
 at 10 a m in Haskell County, State of Oklahoma, in the presence of
Floyd Medlock of Keata Oklahoma
 and Luther Lasiter of Castroville Okla

C. A. Cagle

Returned and Recorded this _____ day of _____ 1922.
 _____ Court Clerk.

Elsie Price's marriage to John Young -

<https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/61379/images/TH-1-159394-308131-39?pld=63540405>

Arkansas, County Marriages Index, 1837-1957

View record

Name	Elsie Young
Gender	Female
Age	20
Birth Year	abt 1906
Residence	Cartersville, Haskell, Oklahoma
Spouse's Name	Burney Jennings
Spouse's Gender	Male
Spouse's Age	27
Spouse's Residence	Cartersville, Haskell, Oklahoma
Marriage Date	23 Nov 1926
Marriage License Date	23 Nov 1926
Marriage County	Sebastian
Event Type	Marriage
FHL Film Number	2133590

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Arkansas, County Marriages Index, 1837-1957

View record

Name	Elsie Young
Gender	Female
Age	20
Birth Year	abt 1906
Residence	Cartersville, Haskell, Oklahoma
Spouse's Name	Burney Jennings
Spouse's Gender	Male
Spouse's Age	27
Spouse's Residence	Cartersville, Haskell, Oklahoma
Marriage Date	23 Nov 1926
Marriage License Date	23 Nov 1926
Marriage County	Sebastian
Event Type	Marriage
FHL Film Number	2133590

Elsie Mae Price Young's marriage to Burney Jennings - https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/114234224/person/142230855755/facts?_phsrc=cPx876&_phstart=succ_essSource

10437-D—Elsie May Jennings v
Burney Jennings, divorce (waiver),

"Oklahoma City (OK) Daily Law Journal-Record" Friday 17 Apr 1931 p 1

**DURANT
ANDERSON, Elsie, 90.
Services today (Dalton-
Holmes).**

"Daily Oklahoman" (Oklahoma City OK) Monday 5 Feb 1996 p 82

DAVID HALE DIES.

Longview, Texas. — It was learned here Thursday that David A. Hale, former Longview resident, died Wednesday in Vandalia, Ill.

Mr. Hale, brother of Mrs. Alba Hale Jameson of Longview, had been ill for about two months. He was 48 years old. Funeral arrangements are pending the arrival of two other sisters.

While living in Longview, Mr. Hale was employed by the Tippet Drilling Co.

Was this her husband? "Shreveport (LA) Journal" Friday 5 Dec 1941 p 3

Stepson – Elsie's son by John Young:



Jimmie George Young (1924-1979) & wife Betty Jo Moore Young – Find A Grave 38311942

**FOUR COUPLES GET
LICENSES HERE**

Four marriage licenses have been issued in the last week, to: Snukey Holden, 22, and Doris Watts, 18, both of Lawton, married Wednesday by County Judge Clarence Hunter.

Edward P. Pittman, 24, Vinson, and Nina Ruth West, 19, Hobart, married Sunday by Rev. Thurmond George.

G. L. Erion, 28, Fayetteville, Ark., and Betty Flanders, 27, Oconto, Wis., married Sunday by Rev. D. Ernest McCurry.

Jimmy G. Young, 21, Colbert, Okla., and Betty Jo Moore, 18, Lone Wolf, married Dec. 19, by Justice of the Peace Fred Reinmiller.

"Kiowa County Star-Review" (Hobart OK) Thursday 27 Dec 1945 p 1

REGISTRATION CARD—(Men born on or after January 1, 1922 and on or before June 30, 1924)				
SERIAL NUMBER N <u>456-A</u>	1. NAME (Print) <u>Jimmie</u> <u>George</u> <u>Young</u> (First) (Middle) (Last)			ORDER NUMBER <u>11-713-A</u>
2. PLACE OF RESIDENCE (Print) <u>Bx 1043</u> <u>Colbert, Bryan, Okla.</u> (Number and street) (Town, township, village, or city) (County) (State)				
[THE PLACE OF RESIDENCE GIVEN ON THE LINE ABOVE WILL DETERMINE LOCAL BOARD JURISDICTION; LINE 2 OF REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE WILL BE IDENTICAL]				
3. MAILING ADDRESS <u>Same</u> (Mailing address if other than place indicated on line 2. If same insert word same)				
4. TELEPHONE	5. AGE IN YEARS <u>21</u>		6. PLACE OF BIRTH <u>Cartersville, Okla.</u> (Town or county)	
	DATE OF BIRTH <u>Feb</u> <u>7</u> <u>1924</u> (Mo.) (Day) (Yr.)			
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS <u>Mrs. Elsie May Adams</u> <u>Bx 1043 Colbert Okla.</u> (Exchange) (Number) (Mo.) (Day) (Yr.) (State or country)				
8. EMPLOYER'S NAME AND ADDRESS <u>Discharged Nov 28th 1945.</u>				
9. PLACE OF DISCHARGE OR RELEASE (Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)				
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.				
D. S. S. Form 1 (Revised 6-1-42)		c16-21630-3		<u>Jimmie G Young</u> (Registrant's signature)

REGISTRAR'S REPORT							
DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT							
RACE		HEIGHT (Approx.)		WEIGHT (Approx.)		COMPLEXION	
White	X	5' 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ "		148		Sallow	
		EYES		HAIR		Light	
Negro		Blue		Blonde	X	Ruddy	X
		Gray		Red		Dark	
Oriental		Hazel		Brown		Freckled	
		Brown	X	Black		Light brown	
Indian		Black		Gray		Dark brown	

Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification.....

Scar on left shoulder

I certify that my answers are true; that the person registered has read or has had read to him his own answers; that I have witnessed his signature or mark and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:

(Signature of registrar)

Registrar for Local Board Clk No. 1 Durant, Okla.

(Number) (City or county) (State)

Date of registration Nov 30th 1945

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/13833755:2238>

Stepson – Elsie's son by Burney Jennings:



LANNIS SIMPSON JENNINGS

Lannis Simpson Jennings (1928-2000_ - Central High School, Muskogee OK, 1947 yearbook

https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/1265/images/sid_1578_1947_0036?treeid=114234224&personid=142230866593&rc=&usePUB=true&phsrc=cPx938&phstart=successSource&pld=379456559



Lannis Simpson Jennings & father Burney Jennings - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/117995739/person/410172367840/media/dec77b18-9f38-4bdc-bb96-997ea432b0c8?_phsrc=cPx940&_phstart=successSource



Lannis Simpson Jennings & wife Norma Jean Blake Jennings – ca. 1960 -

https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/117995739/person/410172367840/media/8098adff-4446-49e9-85a1-9db8a98ffd73?_phsrc=cPx941&_phstart=successSource



Memorial Park Cemetery, Muskogee, Muskogee OK – Lannis & wife Norma Blake Jennings & sons Larry & Robert - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/117995739/person/410172367840/media/62aa23c9-ce9e-4d6e-b229-77b4c81f7cc2?_phsrc=cPx942&_phstart=successSource

U.S., Social Security Death Index, 1935-2014

[View record](#)

Name	Lannis S. Jennings
Social Security Number	440-24-4733
Birth Date	9 Jan 1928
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	Oklahoma
Last Residence	74401, Muskogee, Muskogee, Oklahoma, USA
Death Date	7 Jul 2000

https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/114234224/person/142230866593/facts?_phsrc=cPx937&_phstart=successSource

U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007

[View record](#)

Name	Lannis Simpson Jennings
Gender	Male
Race	White
Birth Date	9 Jan 1928
Birth Place	Vamusa Semin, Oklahoma
Death Date	7 Jul 2000
Father	Burney Jennings
Mother	Elsie Price
SSN	440244733
Notes	May 1943: Name listed as LANNIS SIMPSON JENNINGS; 15 Jul 2000: Name listed as LANNIS S JENNINGS

https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/114234224/person/142230866593/facts?_phsrc=cPx937&_phstart=successSoUrce

LANNIS (LANNY) JENNINGS

Lannis (Lanny) Jennings, 72, of Muskogee, died Friday July 7, 2000, at his residence in Muskogee.

Mr. Jennings was born January 9, 1928 in Seminole County to Burney and Elsie (Price) Jennings.

Lanny lived most of his life in Muskogee. He married Norma (Blake) Jennings in 1947 in Muskogee, Oklahoma.



Jennings

Mr. Jennings worked 26 years as a welder for the Oklahoma Natural Gas Company. He retired from the Oklahoma Natural Gas Company in 1986. Mr. Jennings was a member of the Meadowbrook Baptist Church, Elks Lodge and Oklahoma Natural Gas Retiree Association.

Mr. Jennings was preceded in death by his son, Larry Jennings and his brother Jimmy Young.

Mr. Jennings is survived by his wife, Norma Jennings of the home; son, Robert Jennings of the home; sister, Betty Graf of Euliss, Texas; two grandchildren, Jamie Pearson and wife Cathy; and Greg Jennings; three great grandchildren, Aaron Pearson, Justin Pearson, and Stephen Pearson; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral service will be 10:00 a.m., Monday, July 10, 2000 at the Meadowbrook Baptist Church. Reverend Darrel D. Simmons officiating. Entombment will follow at the Memorial Park Mausoleum. Pallbearers will be Allen Perry, Logan Abel, David Abel, Charles Rider, Lindy Stevenson, C.J. McDowell. Memorial Contributions may be made to the Meadowbrook Baptist Church.

Funeral service under the direction of Foster-Petering Funeral Home.

Obituary of Lannis Simpson Jennings – “Muskogee (OK) Daily” 9 Jul 2000 p 4B – note name of surviving stepsister Betty Graf - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/117995739/person/410172367840/media/24d0b30d-0796-422f-b75d-2ec192516063?_phsrc=cPx948&_phstart=successSource

Stepdaughter – Elsie’s daughter by David Hale:

SE&I-AG Form No. B-6 Western Bank & Office Supply Co., Stationers, Oklahoma City, Okla. — 89781

APPLICATION FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, County of Bryan, ss. In County Court

I, Ralph Adams, the undersigned, hereby apply for Marriage License, to be issued to

Mr. Jake McDonald Jr., age 24,
 race white, residence Denison, County of Grayson
 State of Texas and Miss Elsie Marie Hale, age 17,
 race white, residence Calbert, County of Bryan
 State of Okla., and, for the purpose of procuring the same, do solemnly swear that I have personal knowledge of the facts herein stated; that the names, ages, and places of residence of said parties are truly and correctly set out above; that neither of said parties is disqualified or incapable under the law of entering into the marriage relation, nor are they related to each other within the degree prohibited by law; that I am 57 years of age, and reside at Calbert, County of Bryan, State of Okla.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 10 day of October, A. D., 1949
Raymond W. Grimes Court Clerk or _____ County Judge
 By Bertha Mayo Deputy Court Clerk

STATE OF Okla., County of Bryan, ss. Consent Affidavit (1)

I, the undersigned, being first duly sworn, depose and say: that I am the Step-father of Elsie Marie Hale
 (father, mother, or guardian)
 named in the above application as being of the age of 17 years, and that I do hereby consent to her marriage to Jake McDonald Jr.
 (his or her)

Signed: Ralph Adams
 Signed and sworn to before me, an officer empowered by law to take acknowledgments, to deeds, knowing him (or her) to be the identical person who executed the same, after acknowledging to me that such consent was given as his (or her) own free will, act, and deed.

Dated at Denison (Sig)
 on October 10, 1949 (SEAL) _____ (Official title)

Or, such consent freely given in person in my presence.
Raymond W. Grimes Court Clerk or _____ County Judge
 By Bertha Mayo Deputy

MARRIAGE LICENSE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, County of Bryan, ss. In County Court

To any person authorized to perform or solemnize the Marriage Ceremony, **GREETING:**
 You are hereby authorized, upon delivery of this marriage license within ten days from the date of its issue to you, to join in marriage
 Mr. Walter McDaniel Jr. of Deming County
 of Grayson State of Texas, age 24 years, and Miss Betty Marie Adams
 of Calbert County of Bryan State of Oklahoma
 age 21 years; and by the command of the statute you shall make due return of this license to my office within five days succeeding the performance of the marriage herein authorized.
 Issued under my hand and official seal, and recorded in my Marriage Record before delivery, at Durant, Oklahoma,
 this 10 day of October, 1949. Raymond W. Sumner Court Clerk
 (SEAL) By Bertha Mayo Deputy

ENDORSEMENT: By this endorsement to the within and foregoing Marriage License, I hereby verify, and truly certify, that the Application for said license was accompanied by proper credentials under the circumstance indicated by the word "filed" opposite one of the three permissible alternates indicated below; (or two if it be so)
Filed (1) Papers complying with Sections 1 and 3 of House Bill No. 7 of the Twentieth Oklahoma Legislature relative to the health of the Parties; or
 (2) An Order of the County Judge, with accompanying memoranda of the reasons for the order, dispensing with those requirements of Sections 1 and 3 of said House Bill No. 7, relative to the examination and health of either or both of the parties; or
 (3) An Order of the County Judge, with accompanying memoranda of reasons for the order, extending the 30-day period following the examinations to 90 days or less, together with papers complying with Sections 1 and 3 of House Bill No. 7 in all other respects.
 Witness my hand and official seal this 10 day of October, 1949.
 (SEAL) Raymond W. Sumner Court Clerk By Bertha Mayo Deputy
 All the above and foregoing recorded on this 10 day of October, A. D. 1949, and thereafter said license delivered according to Law.
Raymond W. Sumner Court Clerk
Bertha Mayo Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, County of Bryan, ss.

I, Howard L. Plowman Pastor
Calbert Methodist Church (Official Designation)
 of Calbert
 (Pastor or Congregation)
 in Bryan County, State of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that I joined in marriage the persons named in and authorized by this
 License to be married, on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1949, at Calbert
 in Bryan County, State of Oklahoma, in the presence of Bert Phillips
 of 420 W. Ford St, and Thelma Dalton
 of 422 W. Munson
 My credentials of authority are recorded in Ministers' Credentials
 Book 9, at page 188, Howard L. Plowman
 of Duck County, Oklahoma. (Person performing ceremony)
Pastor Calbert Meth. Church (Official designation)
 License returned, and Certificate of Marriage recorded subjoining the record of License issued and recorded in Marriage Record Book 57 at page 344
 on this the 21 day of Oct, 1949. Raymond W. Sumner Court Clerk
 By Raymond W. Sumner Deputy

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Betty Marie Adams

in the U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007

Name	Betty Marie Adams [Elsie Maire Graf] [Betty McDonald] [Elsie Graf] [Betty Marie Hale]
Gender	Female
Race	White
Birth Date	24 Jun 1932
Birth Place	Oklahoma City, Oklahoma [Okla City, Oklahoma]
Death Date	29 Mar 2005
Father	David Hale
Mother	Elsie M Price
SSN	443306323
Notes	Feb 1948: Name listed as BETTY MARIE ADAMS; Jul 1960: Name listed as ELSIE MAIRE GRAF; : Name listed as BETTY ADAMS MCDONALD; 07 Apr 2005: Name listed as ELSIE M GRAF

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/27746232:60901>

Elsie M. Graf

in the U.S., Social Security Death Index, 1935-2014

Name	Elsie M. Graf
Social Security Number	443-30-6323
Birth Date	24 Jun 1932
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	Oklahoma
Last Residence	76039, Euless, Tarrant, Texas
Death Date	29 Mar 2005

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/75166502:3693>

Elsie Marie Graf

EULESS — Elsie Marie Graf, 72, passed away Tuesday, March 29, 2005.

Funeral: Noon Thursday at Lucas Hurst Chapel, 1321 Precinct Line Road, Hurst. Graveside service: 2 p.m. in Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery, Lane A, Dallas.

Survivors: Husband, James E. Graf; son, Gary J. Graf; daughter, Eugene Knighton; and grandchildren, Mandy Banfield, Cory Knighton, Shannon Froese and Kacie Graf.

Lucas Funeral Home
Hurst, (817) 284-7271

"Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" Thursday 31 Mar 2005 p 32

Father:

Obituary

Mr. William Adams, age 73 died Wednesday morning in the home of his son.

He is survived by two sons, Ralph Adams, Konawa; Lewis Adams of Ill.; Georgia Capshaw of Colo.; Ina Childers of Bristow; and four grandchildren.

Services will be at the Watts Chapel in Konawa Saturday morning at 9:00 a. m. with Rev. Roy Autry in charge of the services. Burial will be at Stillwater.

Obituary of father William Adams – "Konawa (OK) Leader" Thursday 31 Aug 1939 p 5

Mother:



Mother Nancy Ellen Willey Adams with granddaughter Sarah Adams, Stillwater, Payne OK – ca. 1920 - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/1095290/person/-1620535983/media/9547a01b-b5c6-4a02-9a65-bbc0ac78a5e1>



Sister Georgia with mother Ellen – ca. 1920 Stillwater, Payne OK - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/1095290/person/-1620563314/media/f6851855-5fb6-4a3d-b442-7212a8dcc545?_phsrc=cPx958&_phstart=successSource

Siblings:



Sister Sarah E. Adams Roberts (1888-1924) – Find A Grave 243860407



Dan Capshaw- Zeek Roberts - Sarah
Adams Roberts

Dan Capshaw (husband of Georgia Adams), Ezekiel Roberts & his wife, Sarah Adams Roberts (Georgia Capshaw's sister) - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/1095290/person/-190004251/media/cd1c55d6-2cf1-4492-a9d2-bdfa9ae1b758>



Brother William Irvin Adams (1902-1937) – with wife Chessie Powell Adams & children Ralph & Sarah Adams - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/1095290/person/-1620451033/media/3150b818-858c-43d7-892b-b3df62abb26d>

Funeral Rites for Seminole Resident

Rites for William Irvin Adams, 35, of Seminole, who died there Thursday after a six-days' illness, will be held at Bettes chapel at 2:30 Friday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. C. E. Wilbanks, pastor of the First Baptist church. Burial will be in Rose Hill cemetery.

Adams is survived by his widow, Mrs. Chessie Powell Adams; two children, Ralph and Sarah Adams, Seminole; his father, W. M. Adams, Seminole; two sisters, Mrs. Anna Childress, Depew, and Mrs. C. C. Chapshaw, Seminole; and two brothers, Ralph Adams, Thackerville, and Lewis Adams, Bristow.

Adams was born at Stillwater, Jan. 11, 1902, and was married to Miss Chessie Powell there on Dec. 23, 1918 when but 16 years of age. He was a member of the Baptist church of Seminole.

Obituary of William Irvin Adams - "Daily Ardmoreite" (Ardmore OK) Friday 27 Aug 1937 p 2

Funeral Services Held At Ardmore For W. R. Adams

Man Who Came Here
With Boom Dies Fol-
lowing Short Illness

Funeral services were held in Ardmore Friday for W. R. Adams, 35, for ten years a resident of the Seminole area.

Adams died in an Ardmore hospital Thursday, after an illness of less than a week.

Adams, who had been employed by the Continental Oil company, came to Seminole during the boom, left several years later and returned two years ago to make his home two miles east of town.

Survivors include the widow and two children, Ralph, 18, and Sarah, 16, of the home address. Also living two miles east of Seminole are a sister, Mrs. Dan Capshaw and Adams' father, Williams Adams.

Another sister, Ina Childress, lives at Depew. Brothers who survive are Louis Adams, Bristow, and Ralph Adams, Thacker-ville.

Obituary of William Irvin Adams - "Seminole (OK) Producer" Sunday 29 Aug 1937 p 12

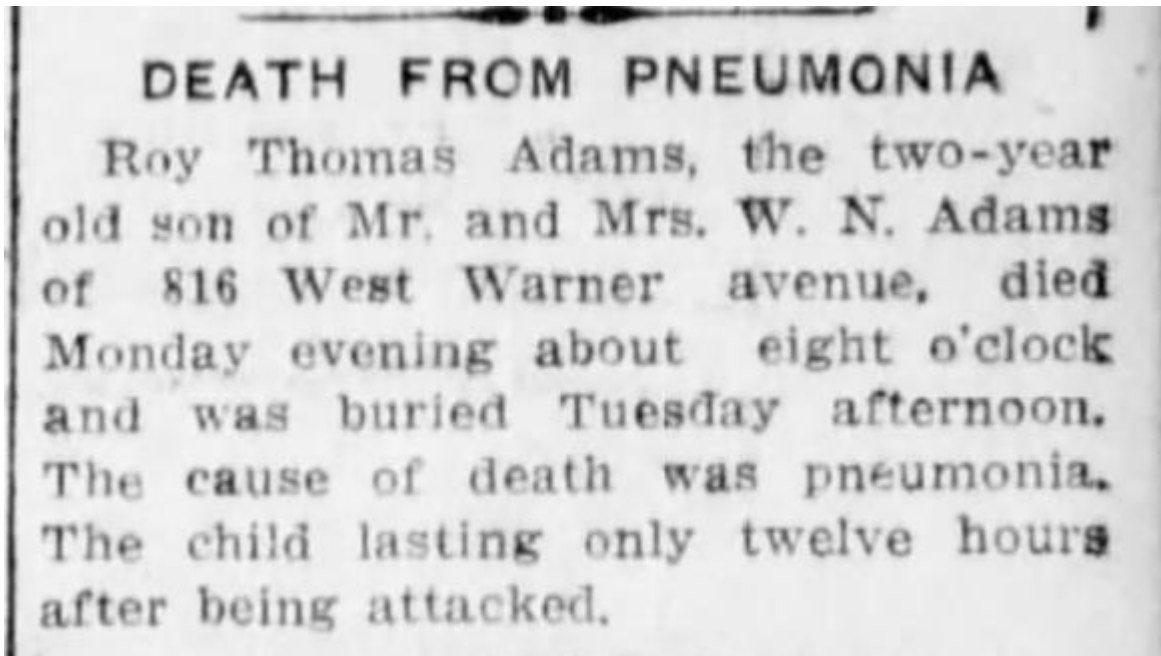


Sister Georgia B. Adams Capshaw Taylor (1905-1985) -
<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/1095290/person/-1620563314/media/87d09ad6-9e95-410b-9d71-acb4fb4c07ec>



Georgia Adams Capshaw Taylor with grandson Jerry Heintz -
<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/1095290/person/->

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*Brother Roy Thomas Adams (1908-1910) – "Oklahoma State Capital" (Guthrie OK)
Wednesday 30 Nov 1910 p 5*



Sister Ina Adams Childress Harris (1911-1996) - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/1095290/person/-1620528917/media/1dfc89f1-4813-4d89-aa6f-7cc96483c0d7>

Ina Harris

Services are Thursday for Ina Harris, who died at her Freedom home Monday evening after a long illness. She was 84.

A native of Guthrie, Okla., she enjoyed bingo, traveling to Reno, Nev., and gardening.

Mrs. Harris is survived by two daughters, Bobbie Abbott of Freedom and Joyce Gaines of Watsonville; 10 grandchildren, Kathy Bethany, Lynn Dodd and Sherrle, Larry and Kenneth Gaines, all of Watsonville, Steve Hudson of Aromas, Benny Gaines of Tennessee, Michael Gaines of Mississippi, Rick Hudson of Sacramento, and Debbie Royston of Texas; 18 great-grandchildren; and one great-great grandson.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Davis Memorial Chapel, 609 Main St. in Watsonville. Burial will follow in Pajaro Valley Memorial Park. Friends may call at the Davis Chapel from 4-9 p.m. today and from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Thursday.

Obituary of Ina Adams Childress Harris – "Santa Cruz (CA) Sentinel" Wednesday 9 Oct 1996 p 6



"San Luis Obispo (CA) Tribune" Monday 29 Oct 1951 p 5

Ina Childress

in the Carson City, Nevada, U.S., Marriage Index, 1855-1985

Name	Ina Childress
Gender	Female
Marriage Date	10 Oct 1950
Marriage Place	Carson City, Nevada, USA
Spouse	C J Harris
Marriage Description	Carson
Marriage Record Number	39699530

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Ina A Harris

in the California, U.S., Divorce Index, 1966-1984

Name	Ina A Harris
Spouse Name	Clarence J Harris
Location	Monterey
Date	Jun 1968

Is this her? <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/4271924:1141?tid=1095290&pid=-1620528917&queryId=0b4bfc498549ee6de71601b9e6cbbccc&phsrc=cPx971&phstart=successSource>

Long Illness Is Fatal For Gypsy Farmer

Funeral Planned Sunday for C. V. Childress

An extended illness proved fatal here late Thursday for C. V. Childress, 34, former Gypsy farmer, who died at 4 p. m. at his home, 701 East Seventh avenue.

The Rev. John Henderson, pastor of the United Gospel Tabernacle, will conduct funeral services at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Dunaway funeral home. Burial will be made in Oaklawn cemetery.

Childress was well known in the Gypsy community, having resided there for a period of 20 years. He moved with his family to Bristow about three weeks ago.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Ina Childress; two daughters, Bobby Jean, age 4, and Joyce Ann, 11 months; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Childress of Gypsy; one sister, Mrs. Mamie Lawrence of Collinsville, Okla.; three brothers, Fred, Ed and Willie Childress of Gypsy; two half-sisters, Mrs. Mrytle Lish of Mannville, Mich., and Mrs. Lola White, Centralia, Ill.; and three step brothers, Donald and Walter Carney of Bristow and T. J. Carney of Corpus Christi, Tex.

Clyde Harris – “Gypsy” is a location in Creek Co. OK, not an ethnicity, named for the Gypsy Oil Co. – published in “Bristow (OK) Daily Record” Friday 22 Mar 1940 p 1 - Find A Grave 21579547

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

F: = Find A Grave (www.findagrave.org)

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Ralph Spurgeon Adams

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: Camp Travis Det. 1, 165th Depot Brigade - private

Serial number: 251,350

Entered service from: Ottawa, Ottawa OK

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Ralph Adams

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": wife Sarah Adams, Oiltown OK

Returned from war on: "America" Jun 1919

Next-of-kin on return ship, sailed under name: wife Mrs. Nora Adams, Oilton OK (indexed as Hora Adams) (pvt., 2 Am Tr) – as Ralph Adams

World War I draft registration (1917): as Ralph Spurgeon Adams - b. 4 May 1892 Oregon MO, res: Ceilton, Creek OR. Married, with wife. Carpenter for myself, Ceilton OR. Claimed exemption from draft: "support of wife" – tall in height, medium build.

World War II draft registration (1942): as Ralph Spurgeon Adams - 4 May 1892 Holt Co. MO; res: Colbert, Bryan OK. Mailing address: General Delivery, Colbert, Bryan OK. NOK Ina Childers, General Delivery, Bristow OK. Taxi driver, for self. "scar at end of mouth on each side" – Height: 6'1" – 245 lbs.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 3 Oct 1917

Discharged 11 Jul 1919

Address: 1002 West St., Stillwater OK

Rank/unit: private, Demob Det

Birth & death:

Born: 4 May 1892 Oregon, Holt MO

Died: 21 Feb 1969 Colbert, Bryan OK

Find A Grave record: 7946903 - presence on Tuscania noted in flower

Burial location: Colbert, Bryan OK

Cemetery: Colbert Garden of Memory

Tombstone: veteran flat: Oklahoma- Pvt, US Army, WWI

Father: William Adams, 2 Mar 1862 Holt Co. MO – 30 Aug 1939 Konawa, Seminole OK.

Obituary: "Seminole (OK) Producer" 7 Sep 1939 p 8 – William Adams d. at the home of his son Ralph northwest of Kanawa on 30 Aug 1939. Burial in Stillwater. William b. MO, around age 73, Baptist church minister.

Buried in Fairlawn Cemetery, Stillwater, Payne OK.
Find A Grave: 10668727

Mother: Nancy Ellen Willey Adams, 23 Oct 1868 Holt Co. MO – 10 Jul 1922 Stillwater, Payne OK. Daughter of Sidney Willey & Sarah Wilson.

Obituary: "Stillwater (OK) Gazette" 14 Jul 1922 p 1 – Mrs. Nancy Ellen Adams d. at her home at 1002 West St., Stillwater, 10 Jul 1922 at age 53 yrs 8 months 10 days. Burial in Fair Lawn. Born 23 Oct 1868, married W.M. Adams, came to Noble OK at the opening of the strip, lived on a claim 6 years, then moved to Stillwater where lived since, mother of 11 children, 6 of whom survive along with her husband: Mrs. E. Roberts (Bristow OK), Lewis (Bristow), Ralph (Shideler), W.I., Georgia, Ina (Stillwater).

Buried in Fairlawn Cemetery, Stillwater, Payne OK.

Find A Grave: 10668718

Parents' marriage: 21 Feb 1886 in Holt Co. MO.

Family tree at: <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/1095290/person/-1620535983/facts>

Spouse: Nara Nichols Adams, ca. 1890 KS - Listed as his wife Sarah Adams in Jan 1918 as his Tuscania next-of-kin & as Norah in 1919 on his return voyage. Ralph is listed as married on his 5 June 1917 draft card. Appears as Leoneria A. Adams in the 1920 census, age 30, b. KS

Spouse Find A Grave:

Marriage: 28 Aug 1916 in Ardmore, Carter OK. Nara Nichols, who married Ralph Adams 28 Aug 1916 in Ardmore, Carter OK, Ralph age 24, Ringling, Jefferson OK, Nara, age 26, of Perkins, Carter OK.

Spouse: Olive Josephine Murphy Adams, ca. 1892 KS - .

Spouse Find A Grave:

Marriage; 25 Mar 1921 Stillwater, Payne OK. Ralph S. Adams, age 28, b. MO resident of Stillwater OK, married 25 Mar 1921 in Stillwater, Payne OK to Olive Josephine Murphy, age 29, resident of Stroud OK, b. KS. One of witnesses was Georgia B. Adams (his sister is named Georgia). Ralph petitions for divorce from Olive Adams in Dec 1929 in OK.

Spouse: Elsie Mae Price Young Jennings Hale Adams-Anderson, 31 Dec 1905 MO - 1 Feb 1996 OK.

Daughter of George Columbus Price (F: 37244675) & Floria Mae Davis (F: 138190078).

Married 29 Oct 1922 in Haskell Co. OK (having obtained a license on 28 Oct 1922) to John Young. They had a son, Jimmie George Young (1924-1979).

Elsie Young married Burney Jennings (1899-1952, F: 40569386) on 23 Nov 1926 in Sebastian Co. AR. She was age 20, he 27, both residents of Cartersville OK. They had a son Lannis Simpson Jennings (1928-2000). Burney was the son of Allen Green Jennings & Laura McBride. During the 1930 census, Ralph Spurgeon Adams boarded with them. The divorce of Elsie Mae & Burney Jennings was in the Apr 1931 newspaper.

Elsie married David Hale, b. ca. 1901. They had a daughter, Betty Marie ("Elsie") Hale (1932-2005).

Since she has a hyphenated name of Adams-Anderson, she presumably married an Anderson after her marriage to Adams.

Elsie is buried with Ralph in Colbert Garden of Memory Cemetery, Colbert, Bryan OK.

Spouse Find A Grave: 7948310

Marriage;

Children:

Stepson – Elsie Mae Price's son by John Young:

- Jimmie George Young, 7 Feb 1924 Cartersville, Haskell OK – 3 Sep 1979 El Reno, Canadian OK. Served in WWII. Married 19 Dec 1945 in OK to Betty Jo Moore (1928-2004, F: 143165076). Buried in Colbert Garden of Memory Cemetery, Colbert, Bryan OK. F: 38311942

Stepson – Elsie Mae Price's son by Burney Jennings

- Lannis Simpson Jennings, 9 Jan 1928 Seminole Co. OK – 7 Jul 2000 Muskogee, Muskogee OK. Married Norma Jean Blake (1927-2004) on 15 Mar 1947 in Muskogee Co. OK. In the 1930 & 1940 censuses, he lived with his father Burney Jennings. In 1930, his mother Elsie Mae Price was married to Burney. In 1940 in Seminole, Seminole OK, Burney Jennings (43 Indian Territory, delivery & collecting for a paper route) lived with wife Caroline (39 Indian Territory, doing housework in the home) & son Lannis (12 OK, a grade school student). Online photographs show a shared tombstone for "Lanny" Jennings, wife Norma & sons Larry & Robert in Memorial Park Cemetery, Muskogee, Muskogee OK but not on Find A Grave as of 25 Sep 2023.

Stepdaughter – Elsie Mae Price's daughter by David Hale:

- Elsie Marie (Betty) Hale McDonald Graf, 24 Jun 1932 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma Co. OK – 29 Mar 2005. On OK marriage application: Elsie Marie Hale, age 17, resident Colbert, Bryan OK, who had her stepfather Ralph Adams sign the application giving consent to the marriage as she was underage for her marriage to Jake McDonald, Jr., age 24 of Denison, Grayson OK. Elsie and Jake married 17 Oct 1949 in the Methodist Church, Bryan Co. OK. John McDonald Jr. was born 5 Jan 1925 in Sherman TX & died 1 Jan 2004. His mother, Mrs. Eva Halliday, was listed as his NOK on his WWII draft registration (5 Jan 1943) when he was a sophomore in high school. – Social Security recorded a surname change to Graf in Jul 1960. Her husband was James Edmond Graf (1925 OK – 2012, F: 97371680). Elsie Marie Graf is buried with James in Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery, Dallas, Dallas TX. F: 10708200

Siblings: (mother had 11 children):

- Hattie L. Adams, 2 Jan 1887 Holt Co. MO – 12 Jan 1887 Holt Co. MO.

- Sarah E. Adams Roberts, 18 Feb 1888 Holt Co. MO - 6 Dec 1924 Bristow, Creek OK. Wife of Ezekiel Roberts (1877-1967, F: 151577406), usually referenced as E. Roberts; they married 1 Oct 1905 at the home of her father William Adams in Muskogee Co. OK. Ezekiel was the son of James William Roberts, a Civil War soldier (apparently for the Confederate States of America). OK marriage record says they married in Muskogee OK; she was age 17. "Mounds (OK) Enterprise" (Sapulpa OK) 6 Oct 1905 p 3 – Ezekiel Roberts & Sarah Adams were married at the home of the bride's father 1 Oct 1905. "Stillwater (OK) Gazette" 19 Dec 1924 p 1 – William Adams returned from Bristow where he attended the funeral of his eldest daughter, Mrs. Ezekiel Roberts, who d. 6 Dec 1924. Buried in Bristow Cemetery, Bristow, Creek OK. F: 243860407
- Benjamin Adams, 26 Mar 1890 Holt Co. MO – 8 Dec 1890.
- Lewis Sterling Mark Adams, 8 Feb 1896 OK – 15 May 1968. Husband of Otilia (Tillie) Karcher (1896-1983, F: 77151921). Buried in Rose Hill Memorial Park, Tulsa, Tulsa OK. F: 77151903
- Pearl Etta Adams, 22 Aug 1897 Noble Co. OK – 9 Jul 1898. Died at age 10 months. Buried in Fairlawn Cemetery, Stillwater, Payne OK. F: 10668722
- Harvey Adams, b. & d. 22 Jun 1900 Stillwater, Payne OK. Buried in Fairlawn Cemetery, Stillwater, Payne OK. F: 141761912
- William Irvin Adams, 11 Jan 1902 Stillwater, Payne OK – 26 Aug 1937 Seminole, Seminole OK. Husband of Chester (Chessie) Florence Powell (1901-1965, F: 20567987) whom he married 23 Dec 1918 in Pawnee, Pawnee OK when he was 16 years old. Buried in Rose Hill Cemetery, Ardmore, Carter OK. F: 16047947
- Georgia B. Adams Capshaw Taylor, 10 Mar 1905 Creek Co. OK - 14 Sep 1985 Santa Cruz Co. CA. – Married Dan Cathadill Capshaw (25 Aug 1890 OK – 22 Oct 1957 CA, buried in Golden Gate National Cemetery, San Bruno, San Mateo CA, F: 125559106). Dan was previously married to Sarah Francis Irwin (1892-1918) on 26 Dec 1917 in Creek Co. OK. Dan & Sarah had a daughter, Mary Josephine Capshaw, later Heintz. Dan & Georgia married in 1925 in OK. - Resident of Fresno CA in 1940. - Married Sydney D. Taylor (1902 Canada – 1995 CA).
- Roy Thomas Adams, 4 Jun 1908 Meridian, Logan OK – 29 Nov 1910 Guthrie, Logan OK. Listed as Le Roy T. Adams in the 1910 census. Died at age 2 after 12 hours of pneumonia. Buried in Summit View Cemetery, Guthrie, Logan OK. F: 48162252
- Ina Adams Childress Harris, 8 Dec 1911 Meridian, Logan OK – 7 Oct 1996 Santa Cruz Co. CA. - Was she the Ina Adams who married Ralph Taylor on 22 Dec 1930 in Wewoka, Seminole OK? Ina was age 19, Ralph age 24. - Married in 1932 to Clyde Vernon (Bob) Childress (1905-1940, F: 21579547). -- Ina Childress married C.J. Harris on 10 Oct 1950 in Carson City NV. – Is she the Ina Taylor who divorced Clarence J. Taylor in Jun 1968 in Monterey Co. CA? - Buried with surname Harris in Pajaro Valley Memorial Park, Watsonville, Santa Cruz CA. F: 200947577

Notes:

Wartime:

Post-war:

Obituary: "Daily Oklahoman" 25 Feb 1969 p 3 – Durant OK, Adams, Ralph Surgeon [sic], 66, Services pending (Coffey)

Social Security Number: 725-14-7744

Censuses:

1900 Stillwater, Payne OK – Hester St. – there is no month/year of birth as is done in this census & is done for the other entries on this census form

William Adams, 45 MO, parents' states of birth left blank, married 15 years, which is crossed through, carpenter

Nancy, 38 [no state of birth provided], parents' states of birth left blank, married 13 years, which is crossed through, gave birth to 3 children, 3 are living

Sarah, 13, father b. MO

Ralph, 11, father b. MO

Louis, 7, father b. MO

[for the children, no month/year of birth, no place of birth for mother]

1910 Guthrie, Logan OK

William Adams, 50 MO, parents b. MO, in 1st marriage, married 24 years, carpenter, house
Nancy E., 41 MO, father b. NY, mother's birth state "unknown," gave birth to 10 children, 6 are living

Ralph S., 17 MO, carpenter, house

Lewis S.M., 16 OK

William J., 8 OK

Georgie P., 5 OK [female]

Le Roy T., OK

1920 Bristow, Creek OK

Ralph S. Adams, age 27, parents b. MO, renter, auto driver

Leoneria A. Adams, age 30, b. KS, father b. NC, mother b. TN [wife]

1930 St. Louis, Pottawatomie OK

Banap [as indexed, but Burney] Jennings, 30 OK, parents b. MO, age 27 at 1st marriage, reporter, news paper

Buna Jennings, 30 OK, father b. AR, mother b. MO, age 16 at 1st marriage [this is Ralph's wife-to-be Elsie Mae Price Young Jennings] [Burney's wife]

Jimmie G. Young, 6 OK, father b. OK, mother b. MO [stepson – Elsie's son Jimmie George Young by John Young]

Lannis S. Jennings [indexed as James] Jennings, 2 OK, father b. OK, mother b. MO [son – of Burney & Elsie Jennings]

Ralph S. Adams, 38 MO, parents b. MO, single, farmer, general farm, WWI veteran [roomer – but will marry Elsie Mae Price Young Jennings before the next census]

1940 Ada City, Pontotoc OK, 715 S. Johnson (?) Rd. – in Ardmore, Carter OK in 1935

Ralph, 47 MO, no job listed

Elsie Mae, 34 MO

Betty Hale Adams, 7 OK [daughter, but believed to be Ralph's stepdaughter]

1950 Colbert, Bryan OK

Ralph Adams, 57 MO, cab driver, taxi, city

Elsie Adams, 44 MO w[ife]

Joetta Young, 3 OK [granddaughter]

Glessa Young, 1 TX [granddaughter]

Jake McDonald Jr., 25 TX, married, salesman, auto supply [son-in-law]

Elsie M. McDonald, 17 OK, married [daughter]