

# KEENEY, KENNEY, KINNE, KINNEY

## From Edward R. Kinney papers 1940

Nine hundred and seventy-four years ago, tends to dwarf our imagination, back as it were in the musty pages of history. The setting, the Norman invasion of England by William the Conqueror on September 26, 1066—the age old story, a lust for conquest. The invader, William, felt the sting of the papacy who had declared him to be a bastard by Pope Alexander II, because he was the child of Roland, Duke of Normandy, and Herluva, daughter of Fulbert, a tanner of Falaise, in view of the fact that she was a daughter of a vassal and not of royal blood. True to its established policy of catering to those whose sun was in the ascendency, and being desirous of sharing in his power, the hand of Rome appears in an Encyclical Bull by Pope Alexander II who in token of his new friendship, not only sent William a papal ring, but also a banner, and bestowed upon him his blessing, and now declared him to be the

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**CAUFMAN BOOK:** If anyone who got the Keeney History, written by Pat Kaufman (1983) would do up with a copy with an email KEENEY UPDATE, SPONSORING FOR DONOR FOR our Centenary includes eleven Keeneys: Ed, Edward, Nick, George W., John, Orlando, C. J., Maude, Margaret, Sarah M., Philip C., and Skip.

**ARKANSAS Cent' County:** First Emily Lind is on list's John Keeney twice. The Hole Cemetery at Oak Grove AR list J. Keeney b.8 June 1859, d.23 Oct 1896 and F. W. Keeney b.8 Jun 1861, d.9 Apr 1929.

**HERSHEY'S EDGAR WESLEY KEENEY** was the inventor of MR GOODBAR and ice cream on a stick. He also gave the idea for a refrigerator to Kelvinator, according to Vol Pierce, a granddaugther from Milwaukeu, Oregon.

**"Humor is by far the most significant activity of the human brain."**

-Edna and de Bono

# Keeney Update

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## Memories aplenty in Montgomery home

By Greg Jordan and  
Kevin Haddock  
Staff Writers  
The Herald Staff

Montgomery since William L. Montgomery Jr., 67, was born here more than a century ago, but he will live in his memory.

J. L. Montgomery Jr. was a grandson of Henry Montgomery & NANCY KEENEY d/c M. CHAR. & CATHERINE LEWIS Keeney.



W.L. Montgomery Jr. has many memories of bygone days in his Montgomery home.

"I was born in Montgomery on August 1, 1866, in a five room cottage on the site where W. L. Montgomery lived some many years," Montgomery recalled.

W.L. Montgomery is the great-grandson of the late John James Montgomery, who was his uncle in the city of Montgomery. The history of the area began around 1808 when James Montgomery would first venture across the Kalamazoo River which led the area gradually came to be known as "Montgomery's Ferry."

W.L. Montgomery and his family moved to Columbus, Ohio in Sept. 1898. "I spent all of my early life there," said Montgomery. He had a career in teaching, earning M.A. and B.S. degrees in history and education in Ohio State University from 1916-20 and graduating Phi Beta Kappa. He went on to Ohio State Law School, graduating in 1924. He 1925 and 1927, Montgomery earned an M.A. degree in history, economics and public law at Columbia University.

Montgomery returned to the town of his birth in June 1927 and began a home-based business. He had 27 houses at one time. Most were sold to WWII and Montgomery General Hospital Montgomery still owns 13 homes.

"I had a gas station in Jan. 1924 with a new - story building opposite the old Foyrman Hotel" and Montgomery who

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rightful heir to his father's duchy. KEENEY/KINNE GENEALOGY

It is quite evident that William was not over-impressed with this outward manifestation of friendship, for in 5 years, when the hand of the papcy was revealed in a fostered revolt in 1051 A.D. under the prior of Bec, who declared William's marriage to Matilda, daughter of the Earl of Flanders, uncanonical. William highly incensed at this double dealing, promptly banished the prior of Bec to all his cohorts, confiscated all church owned property and lands in Pessin and Colchester. It is quite evident, Rouse was impressed with William's place in the sun, and quickly retreated into the background and did not show its hand in force again until the Reign of Bloody Queen Mary, when 287 protestants were burned at the stake.

In the Domesday Book (the first written record of land ownership) we learn that John deKenne, was the Baron of Somerset County England, and that he, John, was one of the trusted followers of William the Conqueror, for he installed him as Lord of Somerset County. We are told that William's success can be attributed to the fact that his knights and soldiers were all well mounted men—cavalry of today. It does not take a stretch of imagination to visualize John deKenne as a mounted knight of shining armor, eager for battle and conquest, nor can I be unmindful of those manning the boats, sailors, oarsmen—serfs, if you please. To them it was another day of heartbreaking toil.

As I read the history of the time, it appears that John deKenne was not unmindful of the future of his vassals, for a period of peace reigned. His followers spread over the country side, engaging in trade and better, and whose descendants today are the life blood, both of England and America.

The old records reveal that in 1199, two of the grandsons, William and Richard, were still living in Somerset County. In 1327, we find Richard's son, now Sir Richard, as a member of parliament from Lancashire County. Among his issue we find John Kenne whose son, John Kenne founded the family in Norfolk County, England, who left to his son, Sir Thomas Keney, a fleet of merchant ships and a well established trade with the far east.

From Sir Thomas Keney of Kings Lynn Norfolk County, we have a fairly good genealogical record. Thru the Bible recording of his grandson, Henry, the founder of the name in America under its varied spelling, namely, Kinne, Kenni, Kinny and Kenney, it remained for Henry's son, Thomas to first spell the name Kinny, and it is so recorded on his tombstone in Griswold County in the old Kinnny burial grounds there. We are enabled thru physical descriptions made in family Bibles diaries and old letters, and a study of photographs, to a fairly accurate portrayal of the physical character of our ancestry in America. They were as a whole, men of high stature, 6 feet or better, dark brown to black hair, violet blue eyes, weighing around 180 pounds, square jawed, large nose and regular features. All have exhibited definite opinions upon their religious views and politics, and were extremely patriotic.

The first of the family in America became known as a planter, and for the next three or four generations. From old wills and land transfers, each head of the family left a house and farm lands to his sons.

If there is a shortcoming in the family, it can be pointed out as a tendency to migrate to quest of lands of more abundant yields. For them, wilderness held no terror. One is inclined to believe that the comforts of home were not weighed against the hardships incurred by

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## Denver radio boss offers a stern word on Howard: No

By Dick Hroch  
Denver Post Columnist

Sept. 10, 2000 - Will he or won't he? No need to ask his hairdresser.



Howard Stern, the recently deposed king of radio trash talk, will not be coming up at one of Infinity Broadcasting's three Denver outlets. Not if Steve Keene, the new manager of the company's local stations, has anything to say about it, and he does.

"No," is his entire answer to the question, "Will, or not, he goes on." He's affiliated with our company, but they do not mandate that he be on our stations, as far as I am concerned, he's not in the future of these radio stations," Stern, who never overcame the firestorm that followed his remarks on the shootings at Columbine High School, was dropped earlier this week from KXFN-FM because he was deemed "incompatible" with the station's new all-music format.

Keene, one of radio's truly nice guys who landed back in Denver last week after a six-year stretch in Portland, Ore., is the new vice president and manager of KDJM-FM ("Jannet"), KDMN-FM and KODL-FM ("KODL"), all recent acquisitions by Infinity.

This is a case of deja vu all over again for Keene, whose career in Denver radio began in 1970 as an announcer at KOSE. For 13 years, he managed KJRM when it was a rocker A/F'er.

### From FAMILIES OF ANCIENT NEW HAVEN

Lydia Beach d/o Benjamin & Mercy Beach  
m. \_\_\_\_\_  
Keeney

Mary Keeneey d/o Libenzer & Betty Davis

Keeneey b. 20 Sept 1761, second wife of  
William Driswell (b. 14 Oct 1752); Sally  
Grimm (died 1p 4 Sept 1785)

Mary Dorrison Henson d/o David & Mabel  
Horton m. John G. Keeney (1st 2nd m.)  
30 Apr 1838

Mary Miles b. 10 Mar 1669/70 d/o John  
11644-1704; Capt. & Elizabeth Hartman  
Miles 11648-1675; 2nd wife Richard Keeney  
11674-1744; youngest son of Alexander &  
Alice Colfax Keeneey m. 1704

Michael Kenney of Ireland m. Rochee O'Stan  
b. 14 Oct 1755 on 1 Dec 1789; son Daniel  
bp 16 Jul 1786

Abigail Keeneey, 2nd wife of William Sanderson  
m. 4 Feb 1755; children: Jobb 1757-1760,  
Elizabeth b. 3 Jun 1759, Jobb b. 28 Jun 1761,  
Abigail b. 5 Feb 1763

Meadad Keeneey of Seymour m. Rebecca White-  
head 11795-1826

Ruben Kourney m. Anna Wimer (bp 17 Apr  
1783) on 17 Mar 1805 in Wallingford

# FAMILY RECORD

## ADRIAN GWIN: Husband of DOROTHY LEE KEENEY

Adrian S. Gwin was the husband of Dorothy Lee Keeneey, daughter of McDonald (Hattie Mae) & Mamie Stearns Keeneey. Dorothy surprised the family in late summer 1942 by bringing him home to Witches WV, where he immediately became a dedicated member of the Keeneey family. John and Pat, their children, captured much of his enthusiasm and loyalty to God and their family.

In recent years it was a joy for me to stop at a fast-food place on my way in St Albans to pick up things he and Dot fixed and then we got a chance to reminisce about everything. Both he and Dot had been the victim of strokes, but they didn't give up living and sharing. At their home each Christmas season would bring together a post-Christmas assembly of Keeneey, Highland Baptists, journalists and neighbors for a feast, accompanied with singing and scrabble. I was making plans for a bus trip to Las Cruces to see Adrian & Dot since more when the news came of his death. Adrian was loved! -Raece

(Dot was a graduate student at Tulane University and resided at the Gwin home in New Orleans where she and Adrian met.)

## Daily Mail columnist Gwin dies

The Associated Press

Adrian Gwin, longtime reporter and columnist for the *Cherokee Valley Mail*, died Monday after a long illness at Highlands Medical Center in Las Cruces, N.M. He was 82.

A native of Sevier, Ala., Gwin was a 1932 graduate of Tulane University. He worked as the Daily Mail from 1945 and then returned in 1979, except during World War II when he worked in the U.S. Army.

After his death, he wrote a weekly column called "Lacking

Back." Gwin also wrote several books, "Sold to the Stars" with Our "Miss Gwin," "New Gwin Old" and "Home Town Again."

Gwin was known as much for performing his own symphonies as for his writing. He was the music reviewer. His shows and newspapered up a badge worn with a camera to

get a good shot. In the news room, he sometimes jumped onto desks and walked across the room on his hands.

He was a charter member of Highland Baptist Church in St. Albans, an Eagle Scout and a former member of the Boy Scouts.

Gwin and his wife, Dot, moved to the Cruces in November 1966 to be near his oldest son, John. Also surviving are son Patrick of St. Albans and two granddaughters.

His body is to be cremated. Arrangements are incomplete.



Gwin

Everything I need to know, I learned from

NOAH'S ARK:

- One: Don't miss the boat.
- Two: Remember that we are all in the same boat.
- Three: Plan ahead. It wasn't raining when Noah built the Ark.
- Four: Stay fit. When you're 600 years old, someone may ask you to do something really big.
- Five: Don't listen to critics, just get on with the job that needs to be done.
- Six: Build your future on high ground.
- Seven: For safety's sake, travel in pairs.
- Eight: Speed isn't always an advantage. The snails were on board with the cheetahs.
- Nine: When you're crossed, find a wallie.
- Ten: Remember, the Ark was built by amateurs, the Titanic by professionals.
- Eleven: No matter the storm, when you are with God, there's always a rainbow waiting.

Lawrence E. Samples

Lawrence Edward Samples, 88, of Blawieville died March 29, 2001, at CAMC General Hospital after a long illness.



John 3:16



## We learned you can't go back home again

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** Longtime Daily Mail columnist Adrian Gwin had advised me that he had no relatives.

**Y**OU'VE READ IT. YOU'VE read it 15 times. You've read it 100 times. Look, and go home, but "go back home" never.

It won't work. In youth you could go home anytime you were away. Home was never so far away. Home was never so called "homeless" turn their backs on home.

And somewhere along the line you learn that you can't go back home.

Once, as a boy, I was with my mother in the car in our old community neighborhood when she turned off the broken path.

"I just drive by the old house place and see it after all these years," she said. "The girl's back home."

Was she old? Had she aged beyond an old house with a roof of rattling gingerbread form? Mother sat in the car, just looking. "That's the place all right -- but it's not home."

We talked to the people there -- sticky fingers, smiling. Mother wouldn't go inside. Back at the car, she



Adrian Gwin  
Looking Back

said, "That's gone home." "This time," she was just going home, not going back to the grass of the place where she had spent her first 27 happy years of her life.

I remember when Dot and I first realized that our children didn't love home when they visited us after marriage and planting children.

"Home" is our home; something on a visit from their New Mexico residence. Joan and Sheron said one day, "We're going home tomorrow."

Then, "We'll then, we had told they'd be leaving home to return on New Mexico. Now it was more that, please, don't be leaving our home and going home -- their home."

More than 60 years ago, I learned something else about going home.

It was 1921, in Americus, Ala. A stranger came down the sidewalk by our house. He was dark, shabby and unworked by the callous and scars of a rough, relentless life. But he looked clean.

He sat to us on the porch.

• Mother and four young people. He skipped his shuffling gait before us. In a broken voice, he said, "Ma'am, I hole to beg, but I've got pardoned for something to drink. Could you by chance give me a cup of milk?"

Mother held open the screen door and she invited him into our dining room. "We have a cow," she said, "and milk is our strongest point."

• He children all rose and went inside with them. I was fascinated by the old man's appearance -- scrawny, emaciated, unrecognizable.

Mother ordered a portion of left-over chicken and two cold biscuits. I poured a tall glass of milk, set out a tin of butter. He bowed his head and murmured, then drank eagerly. I helped the glass with milk.

He ate the biscuits and piece of cold chicken greedily, gratefully. He stopped to rest, soaking it fully.

We didn't learn who he was,

but we asked questions. What was he doing? "I've got' hama," he said. "I was raised down 'er." His voice dropped, became hoarse, trailed off. He cleared his throat, sipped the milk.

• Last I saw him was December 13, 1967. Four years ago, I was in jail. How long he was in jail, but he was talking to me. I heard him distinctly.

"How I got' hama!" He didn't say going home. Then he straightened up, and he milk glass as if it were a champagne glass. He said, "I'm here to a big time." He said,

"I must be home here when we went to the park. He said to Mother with a cough, "Bible how I think you." Nothing else. Just a simple "thank you."

• Stepping out in the sidewalk he looked again at me.

"Yes, I'm going home." They found him next morning beside a trash bin in an alleyway. He was covered with old flattened out cardboard boxes, for what warmth they would afford.

Mr. Lazarus, the town policeman, said, "How you look it, that? That's a man, swear that's a state on his face."

He retired from E.I. Dupont Mills, where he worked as an operator with 40 years of service. He also was a member of the Cherokee Chapter of the Neotoma, and a Navy veteran of World War II.

He was the son of the late Raymond Ray and Cora Lee Kuyper Samples. His wife died peacefully in death in his home, Faye Strickland Samples, and a late Highland Baptist member, Anna Elizabeth Samples, nee Smith.

Surviving are: Daughters, Stephanie of South Charleston, and Liz Dugg Samples of Oklawaha, Fla.; Only daughter, Nancy Sue Fleming of Ft. Payne, Alabama; Granddaughter, Stephanie; and a son, David E. Samples of Arkansas, and a second husband of Austin, Texas, stage director, Lois Dobbins Sample.

Other survivors include: Wife, Elizabeth; all of only brothers, James Samples of Belle, James Samples of Macon, Ga.; sister, Ruby Miller of Perry, Mich.; granddaughters, Elizabeth, Law-

rence, and Merle; great-grandchildren, Courtney and Kaleigh.

Aerial view along the Greenbrier River where JOHN KEENEY first obtained land around 1750, and that one mile is about 4 inches on the map. Muddy Creek is in Greenbrier Co and KEENEY MOUNTAIN is in Summers County.



WEST VIRGINIA

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### THE HOPEWELL NAMED FOR WILLIAM KEENEY

William Keeney came from Lohpstone in Monmouthshire, England to Belmont Mass. about 1632 and came to New London Oct. 17, 1633 in company with Mr. John Plimman a minister and trader to other families, all of whom came with Mr. Plimman from England with the was spotted. Several of the families are supposed to have been members of the Plimman's church in England. Oct. 17, 1633 a grant of land was given to William Keeney situated nearly opposite the S. entrance to New St. on the Nahantick road. In 1660 another grant was given to him on the Nahantick side of the river in 1676. He was aged 80 in 1662 and his wife Agnes or Ann died. He was buried in the Mt. Zion Burial Ground, New London, Ct. His daughter Susannah, 34 married Ralph Parker, New London.

any daughter of William Keeney married Samuel Beebe John Keeney his son. No other children are mentioned John Keeney son of William, married in October 1651 Hannah daughter of William Kianglass. They had a daughter Susannah born Sept. 2, 1652 who married E. Gabriel Keeney Dec. 20, 1678. No other children are recorded. The wife died Aug. 4, 1679. Gabriel Keeney left one son 7, 18 daughters. John Keeney was subsequently twice married and had five daughters and a son John, the latter born Feb. 17. John Keeney died Feb. 30, 1716 on the Keeney land at Nahantick which had since been divided into 3 or 4 farms. This land was a grant to John Keeney from King Charles second of England, April 23, 1663. July 31, 1716 John Keeney was sent to General Washington with an inventory of 2 cases of arms, one chest & box of



## Continued **Montgomery**

now used as a historical fireset yard ago.

"At one time I wrote two histories of Montgomery and saw them printed," he smiled. "That was a very important venture for me. A lot of people didn't buy it because their names were not in it. I guess that's just human nature."

Kirving up with the history he recalls that most of Montgomery's time, as he has not recorded any more history. He does keep up with the news in spite of having resigned by having purchased Salt & H.S. News and World Report read to him.

While Montgomery has no close living relatives, he said the Montgomery Vickers and Carous families first cousins. He is directly descended from James Montgomery, Montgomery's only child, who married his father's daughter at a young age at the family's business building, the Edmond, when he slipped on a new railway track to the street. He and his wife lived in April 1911.

Montgomery lived his early

adult life in Columbus, Ohio, and his fond memories of his "other" home. "I never attended a West Virginia school, so my associations only developed later on when I moved into this home in June, 1921," observed Montgomery. "Most of my Montgomery memories are about the time when things were wild and woolly in this town."

The growth and expansion of West Virginia Tech, plus the development of Montgomery General Hospital have been Montgomery's biggest changes through the years, said W.L. Montgomery. Much of that growth came by acquisition of Montgomery's properties (his buildings are only about one-half what they once were).

While he feels Montgomery "may never be what it once was," Montgomery sees wide possibilities for the future, with the hospital and college remaining his mainstay. "I would like to see more employment in the chemical and mining industries for our area," noted Montgomery.

*Spontaneous, arms and cultures...*  
 Nov. 20-1869, John Keeney was appointed to sell powder, shot & lead to any Indian or Indians, he having purchased his Liberty thereon @ 3¢ lb. to be paid to the Lords.  
 Robinson 1860-1864 a Sargeant, was appointed married the Hopewell for William Keeney

### GREENBRIER COUNTY 1827 PROPERTY TAX RECORDS

Compiled by Larry Shuck

Name	Date	ac	sq	ft	sq	ft	sq	ft
Kelms, John	Feb 16	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keeney, Nicholas	Feb 16	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kelms, John	Apr 12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kearson, James	Mar 10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kearson, Samuel B	Mar 10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keeney, David	Apr 12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keeney, David A	Apr 12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keeney, Hamilton	Apr 12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keeney, Joseph	Apr 12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keeney, Moses A	Apr 12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keeney, Thomas	Apr 12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kellar, Puff	Mar 23	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kelley, George W	Mar 23	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kelly, John	Mar 23	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kelly, Thomas	Mar 23	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kelly, Thomas	Mar 23	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keeney, John	Mar 23	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keeney, John	Mar 23	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kygan, William	Apr 7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kirgatzick, Thomas	Mar 16	1	0	0	0	0	0	0



Picture of the direct descendents of the Rev. Thomas Y. & Eliza White Keeney who attended a 2000 West Virginia reunion. Surnames include Forham, Guick, Shesa, Baughan, White and Thomson.

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long, weary trips via ox wagons to new heard of Eldorado. The lands they chose now passed out of Kinny hands, proved that they were indeed good judges of potential land values.

The most amazing thing, in my opinion, is that the name has been handed down to our generation. A search of cemetery records reveals that the wars of 1776, 1812, 1841 and 1861 and 1914, took a terrific toll. As one reads these names, they marvel that the name was not lost to posterity.

ERK 10-5-1940  
 Edward R. Kinney

**Alma C. Keeney Adkins**

Alma C. Keeney Adkins, 77, of Chesapeake, W.Va., died Sunday, Feb. 25, 2001, a home following a short illness.

Mrs. Adkins was born on May 28, 1923, at East Bank, W.Va. She was a homemaker and a member of the Shrewsbury Church of God. She was a lifelong resident of Kanawha County.

She was preceded in death by her husband, the Rev. Herbert W. Adkins on Feb. 16, 2000, and by a brother, Dennis Keeney.

Surviving: daughters, Alice Faye Reynolds and Patricia A. Harrelson, both of Columbus, Ohio; sister, Reba Mooney of Chesapeake; brother, James Keeney of Titusville, Fla.; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren.

Service will be 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 28, at Shrewsbury Church of God, Shrewsbury, W.Va., with the Rev. Sandy Cook officiating. Burial will be in Montgomery Memorial Park, London, W.Va.

**Earl M. Vickers**

**MONTGOMERY** — Earl M. Vickers, 77, of Montgomery died Feb. 27, 2001, in CAMC General Hospital after a short illness.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Charles and Helen Montgomery Vickers.

He was director of Legislative Services for the state of West Virginia with 28 years' service, a former FBI agent, a graduate of Washington & Lee Law School, a member of Montgomery Presbyterian Church, a Navy veteran of World War II, having served in the South Pacific, and a lifelong resident of Montgomery.

Surviving: wife, Betty Beach Vickers; daughter, Helen Ann Vickers McNeely of Nashville, Tenn.; sons, Henry Beach Vickers of Houston, Texas, Dr. Montgomery Vickers of Hurricane, Frank W. Vickers of Houston, Texas; brother, George Vickers of Montgomery; six grandchildren.

**OBITUARIES****Dixie Marie Dent Walker**

Dixie Marie Dent Walker, 81, of Diamond died Feb. 18, 2001, at home after a short illness.



She was born Oct. 9, 1919, in Belle, the daughter of the late Franklin and Gypsy Dent. She was also preceded in death by brothers, Harold and Gene Dent, and sister, Deme.

She was a charter member of **Diamond Baptist Church and a homemaker.**

Surviving: husband, Herbert W. Walker; daughter, Rolenda Jane Steele and husband, James Darrel, of Inverness, Fla.; sons, Gary Wayne Walker and wife, Janet K., of Belle, Herbert Eugene Walker and wife, Sandra, of Springboro, Ohio; sister, Dorothy "Dorrie" Patton of Deltona, Fla.; grandchildren, Juanita, "Spunky" Spinks of Clintonville, Mike Steele of Dunbar, Kelly Lovejoy of Hurricane, Teresa Thomas of Lancaster, S.C., Kim Osborne of Hurricane, Mark Walker of Ohio, Christopher Walker of Ohio; great-grandchildren, Alicia Osborne, Brandon Steele, Ashli Spinks, Chris Osborne, Rikki Spinks, Brett Steele, Timi Lovejoy, Kaytlyn Thomas, Caleb Lovejoy, Kandace Thomas and Garrett Thomas.

ALMA KEENEY ADKINS daughter of Cassius C. & (1886-1960) & Ruby Meadows Keeney, was a sister to Edgar Marlon Dennis Reba Mooney, Ira Lee (killed in France), David and Anthony Keeney

EARL M. VICKERS was a great grandson of James Carr's Montgomery founder of Montgomery WV & Amos An Brannon & ggg grandson of Nancy Keeney (a/o Michael & Catherine Lewis Keeney) & Henry Montgomery. DIXIE DENT WALKER was a daughter of Frank Dent (1892-1947) & Gypsy B. Keeney (daughter of John Wilson Keeney & Nannie C. Stock).

**KEENEY DEATHS 1994-2001**

- AIRNTINIA VIRGINIA (Burch) KEENEY 82, in Frederick MD  
ALBERT W. KEENEY 80 Lebanon PA 12-019-99  
ALFRED ROY KEENEY (Mike) 78 Seattle WA 12-19-99  
ALICE ELLA (Thomson) KEENEY 82 Lakeview MI 11-29-96  
ALLEN R. KEENEY 38 San Bearardino CA on 9-10-2000  
ALTA J. (Thomas) KEENEY 84 Mitchell Heights WV 1-26-1999  
ANN M. (Herkel) KEENEY 83 Elizabethtown (Lancaster Co) PA 11-9-2000  
ARLINE (Colin) KEENEY 83 Wethersfield CT 12-15-1996  
BARBARA ANN (Turley) KEENEY 46 Belva WV 6-8-1997  
BESSIE FLORENCE KEENEY 91 Licking Mo & Owasso OK 12-22-1997  
SEULAH (Burgess) KEENEY 77 Oak Hill WV on 7-19-1996  
SEULAH (Smith) KEENEY 77 Sparta IL 7-13-00  
BEVERLY A. (Wright) KEENEY 69 Boston MA & Meredith NH 12-1-1998  
BLANCHE M. (Lewis) KEENEY 64 Clemens MI & Silverton OR 5-24-2000  
BOBBY WAYNE KEENEY 61 Glen Rose TX 12-15-00  
C. ROBERT KEENEY 71 Central Point OR 5-28-97  
CAROLYN SUE (Boil) KEENEY 49 Fredonia KS & Camas WA 8-15-2000  
CECIL KEENEY 62 Abilene/Sweetwater TX 6-1-99  
CHARLES H. KEENEY 75 Belleville IL 5-30-96  
CHARLES ROBERT KEENEY 71 Central Point OR 5-25-1997  
CHARLES ROSS KEENEY 65 Sharpsburg MD 1-16-1998  
CHARLES W. (Bill) KEENEY 69 Huntington WV/Pittsburgh PA/Valley ND 1-4-2001  
CHERYL A. (Walters) KEENEY Caldwell ID 11-14-1999  
CHRISTOPHER LEE KEENEY 45 Casanova VA 3-3-1996  
CLARENCE B. KEENEY 79 Fort Worth TX 5-21-1996  
CLARENCE CALVIN KEENEY 77 Racine WV 10-30-1997  
CLYDE ANDERSON KEENEY 60 Goshen AR 12-29-1999  
CURTIS WAYNE KEENEY 43 Bela Horizonte, Brazil/Tuscaloosa AL 3-26-1998  
DAVID DEWEY KEENEY 73 Allentown PA/ Bella Vista AR 9-25-1998  
DAVID GEORGE KEENEY 76 Southern

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- Pines NC 6-3-1999  
 DENNIS T KEENEY SR (DR) Glen Burnie MD  
 2-13-2000  
 DONALD ANDREW KEENEY 78 LaHabra CA  
 12-25-1997  
 DOREEN KEENEY 66 Montreal QC 11-2-1999  
 DOROTHY M. (LEWIS) KEENEY Attica NY on  
 12-16-1996  
 DORSEY W. KEENEY 75 Whitehall TN 8-22-96  
 DOUGLAS L. KEENEY 28 Duke MO 5-22-2000  
 DOUGLAS M. KEENEY 71 Clinton CT 1-15-1997  
 EDITH V. KEENEY 84 Coming NY 7-28-2000  
 EDMUND KEENEY (DR) 91 Shelbyville IN & San  
 Diego CA 8-9-2000  
 EDNA KEENEY 70 Canadian TX 8-23-1996  
 EDNA JEANETTE KEENEY 74 Findley OH 3-9-98  
 EDWARD W. KEENEY 77 Queensbury NY &  
 Springfield MA 8-9-2000  
 EDWIN A. KEENEY 69 Jefferson City MO  
 11-15-2000  
 ELSIE (Benoit) KEENEY 94 Avon CT 1-13-1996  
 ELSIE CLARENCE KEENEY 95 Watton WV  
 1-3-1998  
 EMMA LYN KEENEY 81 Lexington KY 11-6-2000  
 ERIC MATTHEW KEENEY 1 Ashland VA 2-21-97  
 EMMA ELIZABETH (Darby) KEENEY 80 East Bank  
 WV 3-15-1997  
 ESTHER KEENEY 87 Baltimore MD/San Diego CA  
 11-4-1997  
 ETHEL J. KEENEY 98 Wooster OH 10-11-1999  
 FANNIE ELLEN KEENEY 90 Peculiar MO/Twin  
 Falls ID 1-22-1998  
 FLORENCE GRACE (Bloomquist/Bolin) KEENEY  
 82 Woodbury MN 3-3-1997  
 FLORENCE M. KEENEY 85 Lakeland FL/York PA  
 10-19-1999  
 FLORENCE (DYAL) KEENEY 80 Denton TX 6-18-00  
 FRANCES KEENEY 80 Canbury TX 6-17-2000  
 FRANCES (McFall) KEENEY 84 Foulde GA 7-26-99  
 FRANCIS L. KEENEY 76 Harrison MI/Blachly OR  
 7-8-1998  
 FRANK C. KEENEY 72 Waterford CA 4-4-1997  
 FRANKLIN C. KEENEY St Louis MO 7-11-1997  
 FRANKLIN C. KEENEY 78 Salem MO 7-13-97  
 FRED HOWARD KEENEY 67 St James M  
 11-11-1996  
 GEORGE W. KEENEY JR 84 Worcester MA  
 8-16-2000  
 GEORGE YANCIE KEENEY 87 Lebanon MO  
 8-12-1997  
 GERALD KEENEY 55 Maquoketa IA 10-9-97  
 GLADYS KEENEY 80 Licking MO 3-28-2000  
 GLEN M. KEENEY Decatur IL 12-7-1999  
 GLEN P. KEENEY JR 43 Charleston WV 1-17-01  
 GRACE (Eichelberger) KEENEY 87 Marysville  
 KS 2-23-1998  
 HERMALINE (VanEiff) KEENEY Baltimore MD  
 1-29-2001  
 HAROLD THOMAS KEENEY 82 Frederick MD  
 4-21-2000  
 HAZEL M. KEENEY 70 Los Gatos CA 12-22-96  
 HELEN N. (Yoerg) KEENEY 80 Brooklyn NY/  
 Niantic CT 10-24-1998  
 HELEN MARIE KEENEY 83 Nevada MO 2-22-96  
 HELEN PATRICIA (Barr) KEENEY 70 Corvallis  
 OR 5-28-1997  
 HERBERT F. KEENEY Hartford CT 1-31-1998  
 HOBART V. KEENEY 77 Corvallis OR 4-27-1997  
 IDA L. (Tainter) KEENEY 83 Boyne City MI &  
 Mission TX 9-30-1999  
 IONE V. (Airklund) KEENEY 79 Boone IA 1-9-99  
 IRA A. KEENEY 85 Wahpeton ND 5-14-1997  
 IRENE M. (Bailey) KEENEY 101 Newsday NY  
 7-22-1997  
 J. B. KEENEY 70 Silver Springs AR 8-16-1998  
 JANE C. (Elmer) KEENEY Fulton MO 3-13-98  
 JEAN D. (Dodson) KEENEY 66 Poteau OK  
 6-7-1998  
 JEANETTE FRANCES (Harvey) KEENEY Ply-  
 mouth NH 7-3-1999  
 JIMMIE G. (Coffey) KEENEY 63 St Louis MO  
 1-10-2000  
 JOAN HILDA (Hutton) KEENEY Montreal  
 Quebec 12-15-1998  
 JOHN EDWARD KEENEY 80 Monroe NC &  
 Wilcher WV 9-29-1999  
 JOHN LEE KEENEY 67 Greenfield OK/Pasa-  
 dena TX 5-24-2000  
 JOHN MARK KEENEY 59 KY/Huntington WV  
 12-26-1999  
 JOHN R. KEENEY 74 Lebanon PA 4-5-1998  
 JOHN HENRY KEENEY 58 Clarinda IA/The  
 Woodlands TX 1-25-2000  
 JONATHAN KEENEY 37 E. Hartford CT  
 7-7-1997  
 JOSEPH W. KEENEY 81 Ashland IL 1-19-2000  
 HAROLD S. KEENEY JR 74 Bothwell WA  
 10-10-1995  
 JUNE M. (Clark) KEENEY 81 Jefferson City  
 MO 7-14-1999  
 KATHLEEN KEENEY Seattle WA 10-23-2000  
 KATHLEEN KEENEY 29 Woburn QC 1-15-2000  
 KATHRYN M. KEENEY 84 Front Royal VA &  
 Charleston WV 12-22-1998  
 KENDRA LYN KEENEY St Louis MO 11-12-1998  
 KENNETH RAY KEENEY 76 Tulsa OK 5-20-1999  
 KRISTINA E. KEENEY 5 Tuckerton NJ 9-27-1999  
 LEE KEENEY 20 Coleman TX 12-30-1998  
 LENA MAE (Brown/Busby) KEENEY 86 Milton

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- FL 10-18-1998  
LEWIS H. KEENEY 78 Hartford CT/Pendleton SC 7-29-2000
- LORENE JOSEPHINE KEENEY 84 Jonesboro AR 10-30-1999
- LORRAINE S. (Syphers) KEENEY 68 Salem CT 3-6-2000
- LOUISE (Douglas) KEENEY 72 Hopewell VA & Charleston WV 9-16-2000
- LOUISE E. KEENEY Washington DC 11-24-2000
- MABEL M. (Hendrix) KEENEY 78 Montgomery WV 8-23-2000
- MABEL M. (Miller) KEENEY 78 Nashua MN & Port Angeles WA 8-2-1998
- MADELINE S. KEENEY 84 Huntington Beach CA 9-8-1997
- MADGE (Keaton) KEENEY 93 Delaware OH & Charleston WV
- MARCUS C. KEENEY 67 Powell TN 8-18-1998
- MARION E. KEENEY 87 Portland OR 10-19-1995
- MARK KEENEY Silver Spring MD 9-2-1996
- MARK S. KEENEY 35 Camden NJ 1-6-1999
- MARY (Critchfield) KEENEY 81 Hartford CT & Providence RI 8-10-1999
- MARY EDITH (Halstead) KEENEY 76 Sarasota FL/Charleston WV 9-30-1997
- MARY LOU (Moreau) KEENEY 84 Wilmette IL & Wilson Mills OH 10-8-2000
- MAYRO KEENEY 68 Longmeadow MA 12-7-99
- MELVIN W. KEENEY 86 Middlesex Twp PA on 4-25-1997
- MICHAEL L. KEENEY 43 York PA 11-1-1999
- MILDRED (Cole) KEENEY Clarksburg MD on 8-10-1999
- MILDRED E. KEENEY 87 Oklahoma City OK 10-29-2000
- MILDRED G. KEENEY 89 Tonawanda PA/Port Charlotte FL 3-4-2000
- MINNIE VIVIAN KEENEY 85 Knoxville TN 10-9-98
- MARK KEENEY 75 GaitHERSBURG MD 9-2-1996
- NEIL KEENEY 57 St Louis MO 7-3-1998
- NELLIE EVA (Loiz) KEENEY 86 Licking MO/Lake Elsinore CA 8-18-1999
- NELSON L. KEENEY Washington DC 7-17-1997
- ORA C. KEENEY 76 Myerstown PA 5-29-1999
- PAIGE KEENEY 66 Mansfield PA 10-16-2000
- PATRICIA ANN KEENEY 48 Longview WA/Portland OR 7-29-2000
- RACHELLE (Valliere) KEENEY 69 Dracut MA & Somerville CT 2-27-1998
- RALPH J. KEENEY 89 Bourne MA 8-12-2000
- RAMONA BLAIR KEENEY 84 Mill Valley CA on 5-3-1998
- RICHARD M. KEENEY Tonawanda NY 5-10-00
- ROBERT ALLEN KEENEY 74 Fountain Valley CA 4-17-1997
- ROBERT C. KEENEY 58 Stephenville TX 3-31-00
- ROBERT CHARLES KEENEY 74 Pioche IA 7-11-98
- ROBERT CLAYTON KEENEY 90 Stephenville TX 9-15-1999
- ROBERT E. KEENEY 69 Smithers WV 6-25-1997
- ROBERT H. KEENEY JR 70 Ripley WV 3-5-1997
- ROBERTA KEENEY 70 Killeen TX 12-8-1998
- RODNEY THOMAS KEENEY 52 Wisconsin & Hayward CA 2-1-1998
- ROSEMARY (Gardiner) KEENEY 86 Medford OR/Burlingame CA ND
- RUBY M. KEENEY 87 Peoria AZ 4-2-1997
- RUSSELL BURTON KEENEY 84 Cape Coral FL/Laceyville PA 12-13-1997
- RUTH (Cramer) KEENEY 80 Manassas VA 11-9-00
- RUTH EVELYN KEENEY 77 West Ny 10-30-1996
- RUTH IRENE KEENEY 50 Cumberland NJ/Live Oaks FL 3-6-1994
- RUTH M. (Coulier) KEENEY 85 Independence KS 2-18-1999
- SAMUEL MATTHEW KEENEY 64 Frederick MD 1-16-1997
- SHIRLEY A. (Boast/Godfrey) KEENEY 61 Seattle WA/Omaha NE 11-21-1998
- SIEGEL ETHEL KEENEY 87 Salem MO 5-10-1998
- SUSANNA M. (Egger) KEENEY 83 Brooklyn IA/Louisville WI 8-13-1999
- SYLVIA (Hokkainen) KEENEY 77 Gardner MA 5-27-1997
- SYLVIA M. (Schmidt) KEENEY 80 Cedar Rapids IA 6-27-1999
- TERRELL KEENEY 34 Marysville CA 4-15-1999
- THEO N. (Pruett/Randolph) KEENEY 58 Carson City CO/Walla Walla WA
- THOMAS CRITCHFIELD KEENEY 52 Little Compton RI 5-27-1999
- TRENT JAMES KEENEY 18 Des Moines IA 4-12-97
- VANCET KEENEY Detroit MI 11-18-1999
- VERNON GLEN KEENEY 57 Charleston, Lucas Co IA/Boone ID 3-8-2000
- VERNON R. KEENEY 63 Grand Jct CO 6-21-99
- VIRGINIA (Griffith) KEENEY 90 Fruita CO 3-19-2000
- VIVIAN (Lewis) KEENEY 69 Livonia MI 9-24-98
- WESLEY EUGENE KEENEY 80 Plainview AR 12-6-2000
- WILLIAM KEENEY 81 Philadelphia PA/Norfolk VA 7-7-2000
- WILLIAM VAN KEENEY 81 New York NY & Bellingham WA 8-25-2000
- WILLIE A. (Jones) KEENEY 91 Dumas TX 5-12-97
- WINFRED KEENEY 75 Lexington KY 11-1-2000