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Carthage Friends Cemetery Inscriptions (Rush County)

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Carthage Monthly Meeting was set off from Walnut Ridge Monthly Meeting and first held Eighth Month 4, 1866. The meetinghouse is located at the south edge of the village of Carthage. The monthly meeting originally consisted of two preparatives, Carthage and Little Blue River. The latter was set off as a monthly meeting in 1884.

When Carthage Meeting was established in 1839, some Friends thought that the meetinghouse should be near the school, which was southeast of the present town. John Clark, a Friend and one of the founders of Carthage, took aside the clerk of the committee that was to recommend a site and offered to donate a lot in town. Whether Friend Clark had in mind the convenience of Friends or the value of his other town lots history does not record, but the meeting accepted his offer. A large brick meetinghouse built in 1881 and the burying ground are still at this location.

This record was made in 1939 and is now part of the Willard Heiss Collection in the Friends Collection at Earlham College. Later burials have been added. Although most of those buried here were Quakers, a few had no connection with Friends, so inclusion is not in itself proof of membership.

Carthage Friends Cemetery Inscriptions

AYDELOTTE

Anna S, w/o Stewart d 8-4-1870 ae 57y 6m 2d

Sarah d 1-23-1867 ae 13y 26d

Stuart b 1809 d 1867

Susannah w/o Henry C d 2-14-1875 ae 32y 7m 13d

BALL

William inf d 1908

BINFORD

Abbie Marshall w/o Levi d 3-28-1887 ae 39y
Anna dt/o J B d 5-18-1868 ae 20y 2m 19d
Calvin d 3-5-1870 ae 37y 8m 23d
Emily L b 1843 d 1914
Jared P b 1834 d 1914
Jesse H b 1877 d 2-24-1933
Jonathan b 1842 d 1922
Luther s/o G & P d 4-28-1870 ae 5y 9m 1d
Mary w/o William b 2-14-1810 d 2-20-1893
Nancy J b 1844 d 1915
William D d 8-17-1885 ae 80y 8m 20d

BRANSON

John s/o Wm & M J d 8-12-1872 ae 2m
Willard F s/o E & M d 3-18-1866 ae 2y 6m
William d 8-22-1876 ae 47y 9m 20d

BUDD

John b 6-14-1812 d 10-31-1892
Mary b 1824 d 1909

BUFKIN

Ezra [no other inscription]

BUNDY

Alice dt/o W & M A d 12-12-1871 ae 2y 6m 18d
Arthur W s/o Wm & M A d 9-8-1881 ae 1y 2m 22d
John s/o Wm & M A d 11-13-1871 ae 7m 7d
Mary A b 4-7-1840 d 5-4-1897
Mary Annis dt/o W & M A d 11-21-1883 d 1-19-1887
William b 7-24-1837 d 2-2-1924

BUTLER

Sibyl A d 1-1-1888 ae 39y 5m 27d

CHARLES

Edward d 6-12-1891 ae 82y 11m 24d

CLARK

Abby M b 1869 d 1950
Alfred L s/o D & M B d 12-23-1858 ae 3y 9m 25d
Caroline b 1836 d 1925
Daniel d 4-30-1874 ae 49y 11m 14d
Hezekiah b 1833 d 1921
John b 11-24-1794 d 3-18-1885
John T d 3-11-1933 ae 68y 8m 18d
Martha b 1839 d 1899
Mattie b 1863 d 1950
Mary R w/o Daniel b 1829 d 1906

Nathan H s/o Daniel & Mary d 9-17-1857 ae 4m 9m 20d
Susan b 1866 d 1901
Thomas A b 1875 d 1901

COFFIN

Enos b 1854 d 1941
Eunice b 1884 d 1904
Lillie b 1861 d 1941
Paul M s/o Frank b 5-25-1890 d 8-21-1890
Ruth M dt/o Frank b 7-5-1888 d 8-7-1888
Sarah A b 3-24-1856 d 10-2-1904
William d 3-28-1898 ae 18y 11m 7d

COMMONS

Isaac D d 3-28-1849 ae 19y 1m 27d

CONNER

William H d 6-1-1875 ae 56d 26d

CONOWAY

Elizabeth b 1843 d 1920

COOK

Angelina b 1816 d 1905

COX

Marietta dt/o Rice P & Eunice b 8-5-1855 d 9-2-1856
Mary w/o G B d 9-13-1873 ae 36y 2m 28d
Rice P d 6-19-1869 ae 45y 10m 24d
Sarah d 3-11-1873 ae 16y 4m 17d

DRAPER

Aaron d 11-5-1858 ae 71y

DUKE

Gulielma dt/o John b 11-24-1828 d 2-7-1916
John W d 11-21-1885 ae 44y 5m 21d

DUNCAN

Everet E s/o John H & Nancy d 7-7-1887 ae 10y 4m 26d

ELLIOTT

David White b 1829 d 1910

ENGLISH

Miriam Jessup b 1873 d 1924

FARLOW

James b 4-27-1811 d 3-1-1883

FINNEY

Harry s/o Thomas & Clara b 4-25-1888 d 3-28-1898
Leah ch/o T & C b 3-27-1886 d 7-6-1887
Reah ch/o T & C b 3-27-1886 d 3-27-1886
Robert [no other inscription]
Thomas [no other inscription]

GARY

Emma C b 4-26-1850 d 12-26-1923

GATES

Susannah dt/o S & S d 10-26-1861 ae 9y 2m 1d

GEAR

Henry b 1830 d 1895
Mary b 1839 d 1891
Susannah w/o J d 1865

GILBREATH

Jesse d 12-29-1878 ae 68y
Sarah J d 8-15-[1879?] ae 71y
Thomas W d 12-22-1861 ae 30y

GOYNE

Martha d 12-24-1871 ae 65y 10m 11d

HARE

Ira Sankey s/o David & Rhoda d 10-24-1882 ae 6y 6m 20d
Rhoda M w/o David d 3-28-1881 ae 35y 2m 22d

HASKETT

Daniel b 3-4-1818 d 4-8-1900

HENLEY

Abigail b 8-2-1804 d 12-1-1878
Abigail N d 1-16-1908 ae 86y 2m 16d
Ann w/o H d 3-28-1872 ae 62y 3m 18d
Charles b 1814 d 1896
Charles jr b 1847 d 1881
Cynthia w/o C M d 2-5-1885 ae 41y 10m 11d
Elias sr d 9-15-1848 ae 68y
Elizabeth N w/o Enos d 11-20-1876 ae 29y 6m 18d
Frank s/o Henry & Clara d 9-12-1881 ae 2y 5m 16d
Franklin A s/o H W & A H d 9-25-1863 ae 3y 6m 14d
Gurney s/o Enos & Sarah G d 1-27-1881 ae 1y 4m 23d
Ila D w/o Rue d 9-6-1892 ae 24y 9m 2d
Jane dt/o T & A d 8-8-1866 ae 29y 3m 18d
Jesse d 5-8-1886 ae 66y 9m 14d
John b 1804 d 1865
John B s/o T W & H C d 2-24-1869 ae 3y 3m 21d

Joseph d 12-17-1860 ae 92y 6m 1d
Joseph J d 4-29-1881 ae 37y 9m 1d
Judith M w/o Elias d 7-16-1865 ae 75y 6m 16d
Larina dt/o M & R A b 1849 d 1854
Mary J b 11-4-1848 d 2-15-1935
Mary N dt/o Robert d 5-20-1881 ae 54y 9m 7d
Milton d 3-11-1872 ae 30y 9m 18d
Milton b 1872 d 10-28-1938
Monto d 10-22-1873 ae 2m 15d
Myra d 1888 ae 14y
Peninah d 8-6-1861 ae 2y 10m 1d
Peninah M w/o Joseph d 4-30-1860 ae 80y 4m 4d
Phoebe dt/o Elwood d 1-1-1868 ae 36y 3m 12d
Robert d 7-1-1879 ae 57y 3m 14d
Twins of R B & Florence b & d 12-13-1868
Ruth w/o Henry b 4-9-1806 d 12-13-1868
Ruth Ann dt/o John & P D d 6-30-1860 ae 22y 1m
Sarah b 1850 d 1929
Tamar b 1818 d 1900
William Comstock s/o C & T d 6-7-1864 ae 11y 1m 16d

HILL

A O b 1840 d 1926
Arthur V s/o W S & M A d 7-8-1862 ae 4m 24d
Carnelia dt/o W S & M A d 9-11-1857 ae 9m 14d
Charles S s/o W S & M A d 9-12-1859 ae 1m 6d
Cyrus V s/o J & E d 9-3-1864 ae 10m 1d
Eliza H w/o A O b 1840 d 1914
Elnora w/o Irvin b 1868 d 1944
Elwood b 3-1-1883 ae 63y 4m 9d
Emma E w/o J H d 1-17-1865 ae 19y 2d
Flora dt/o W S & M A d 4-22-1867 ae 1y 8d
Florence dt/o J H & M E d 8-14-1887 ae 5m 26d
Frankie s/o W S & M A d 7-10-1866 ae 2m 26d
Henry B d 11-17-1874 ae 67y 4m 16d
Infant s/o W S & M A b 12-25-1877 d 12-26-1877
Irvin M b 1868 d 1935
J Warren s/o D M & P M d 4-17-1881 ae 17y 14d
James H b 1839 d 1899 Co E 9th IN Cav Civil War
James M d 7-22-1869 ae 28y 9m 17d
Jesse d 9-7-1871 ae 85y 7m 6d
Levi d 4-13-1878 ae 68y 31d
Lucretia w/o Henry B d 5-28-1885 ae 77y 3m 14d
Mabel w/o Jesse d 4-1-1876 ae 85y 4m 15d
Martha E w/o J H b 5-25-1845 d 12-1-1886
Mary Ann b 8-8-1837 d 7-7-1912
Mary E w/o John D d 8-5-1876 ae 36y 8m 27d
Mary E dt/o W S & M A d 9-6-1869 ae 8m 14d
Mary T dt/o I & E d 3-3-1864 ae 1y 4m 16d
Micajah s/o M & S J d 4-23-1866 ae 18y 11m 12d
Micajah d 5-7-1894 ae 85y 6m 11d

Miriam w/o A b 1802 d 1896
Oliver M s/o W S & M A d 5-3-1864 ae 2y 5m 8d
Orange s/o W S & M A d 11-8-1867 ae 15d
Penelope d 7-3-1855 ae 35y 8m 11d
Phoebe w/o Elwood d 5-7-1887 ae 66y 4m 16d
Samuel d 1-18-1859 ae 76y 10m 11d
Sarah J w/o Micajah d 11-29-1884 ae 76y 11m 22d
Thomas 1st person buried here s/o Jesse & Mabel d 1840
William S b 10-16-1829 d 1-8-1898
Willie G s/o T E & A J d 10-2-1869 ae 6y 1m 2d

HOAG

Abigail R w/o Nathan C d 4-13-1855 ae 66y 1m 16d
Chester d 1-14-1869 ae 25y 8m
Nathan C d 11-26-1854 ae 69y 1m 19d
Walter W s/o C J & M W d 7-27-1868 ae 11m

HOCKETT

Mahlon b 5-27-1808 d 10-2-1885
William L s/o Mahlon & Luzena b 10-28-1843 d 3-12-1869

HOLLOWAY

Jane w/o J R d 11-6-1876 ae 32y 8m 24d
Ollie M s/o J R & J d 8-17-1864 ae 1y 7m 4d

HUNNICUTT

Anna dt/o John & Martha d 9-28-1887 ae 24d
John A d 11-18-1895 ae 77y
Martha Jane b 1839 d 1923
Olive b 1861 d 1913

JESSUP

Achsah b 3-26-1844 d 1-19-1897
Arthur d 10-17-1881 ae 6y 7m 25d
Eliza w/o M B d 188- ae 36y 5m 14d
Elizabeth w/o Jonathan b 8-2-1789 d 7-2-1863
Frank b 1886 d 1921
Garfield s/o M B & E d 12-4-1880 ae 5m
Infant s/o D W & C M d 1884
Infant s/o Micajah & Eliza d 9-8-1874 ae 3m 3d
Jane d 3-15-1890 ae 76y 6m 28d
Jonathan d 3-25-1860 ae 76y 7m 7d
Louis b 1-29-1834 d 1-1-1918
Manona b 1857 d 1930
Mary d 12-15-1878 ae 1y 3m 25d
Melly d 10-15-1863 ae 39y 5m 25d
Micajah B b 1848 d 1924
Minerva b 1873 d 1924
Osea dt/o L C & Achsah d 3-28-1891 ae 11y 4m 9d
Rebecca d 9-11-1891 ae 76y 9m 9d

Samuel H d 10-2-1890 ae 56y 1m 5d
Sarah E w/o Samuel H d 1-20-1878 ae 33y 5m 20d
Thomas d 4-7-1892 ae 78y 6m 24d
Walter D s/o M & E d 7-11-1873 ae 3m 18d

JOHNSON

Eva b 1857 d 1942
Florence dt/o J W & M S b & d 3-1887
Lucinda b 11-26-1819 d 4-8-1910
Richard b 5-4-1806 d 12-23-1883
Sarah b 1837 d 1923
Sukey d 8-15-1861 ae 82y 5m 23d
William b 1088 d 1900

JONES

Caroline [no other information]

JUNKIN

Elizabeth b 9-27-1829 d 8-2-1900
John E s/o W A & E A d 5-22-1875 ae 18y 6d
Mary dt/o W A & E A b 5-7-1861 d 10-26-1887
William [no other information]

KIGER

John b 12-16-1808 d 3-22-1905
M Elizabeth b 1-7-1816 d 3-6-1897
Mary M b 12-30-1859 d 11-11-1947

LACY

Henry b 1830 d 1913 Co B 117th IN Inf Civil War
John sr d 7-21-1869 ae 80y 2m 29d
Lavena b 1847 d 1897
Peninah w/o John d 11-28-1869 ae 78y 1m 28d
Thomas d 12-28-1867 ae 45y 11m 3d

LAMPHEAR

Nancy J dt/o C P & S A d 6-26-1864 ae 10y 9m 9d

LAYMOND

Absalom d 1-21-1890 ae 78y 4m 24d

MANLEY

Andrew [no other information]
Nancy b 3-3-1816 d 11-18-1902

MARSHALL

David b 7-17-1821 d 12-22-1890
Zelinda R b 1821 d 1908

MILLER

Charlotte b 10-28-1817 d 11-23-1887
William B d 1-22-1875 ae 56y 7m 13d

MILLS

Hulda w/o John d 1883 ae 65y
John [no other information]

MORGAN

Benjamin d 11-1-1859 ae 87y 4m

MORRIS

Emily A b 1836 d 1924
Jesse b 1819 d 1904
Sarah M [no other information]

MULLIS

J A Co G 52nd IN Inf Civil War
L A [no other information]
Peninah [no other information]

NEWBY

Daniel W d 8-15-1847 ae 8y 2m 30d
Henry d 9-4-1874 ae 79y 26d
Henry d 5-30-1855 ae 18y 3m 25d
Margaret w/o Oliver d 12-23-1891 ae 55y 1m 15d
Ruth W d 8-15-1846 ae 3y 2m 28d
Sarah w/o Henry d 12-20-1876 ae 76y 3m 28d
Thomas d 6-7-1877 ae 70y
William d 6-19-1855 ae 26y 7m 22d

NEWSOM

Alban W s/o L & C d 5-19-1863 ae 11y 3m 19d
Allen W b 1842 d 1927
Anna M w/o A & W b 1847 d 1878
Charles H s/o L & C d 7-19-1851 ae 8m 10d
Cynthia B b 5-5-1810 d 12-8-1880
Daniel W b 1847 d 1932
George W d 10-27-1860 ae 21y 7m 27d
Henry H d 11-24-1850 ae 22y 2m 2d
Howard A s/o Allen & Mary b 1888 d 1966
Jabas H d 3-11-1872 ae 41y 2m 16d
Luke d 11-12-1884 ae 81y 10m 27d
Margaret C w/o Jabez H d 6-21-1898 ae 63y 6m 4d
Mary E b 1847 d 1920
Mary N b 1849 d 1906
Mattie dt/o A W & A M d 7-12-1876 ae 5m 2d
Phoebe N b 1855 d 1938

Thomas C d 9-17-1871 ae 26y 5m 9d
William P b 1843 d 1934
Winona dt/o W & A b 1867 d 1948

ONG

Theodore W d 8-23-1872 ae 46y 6m

OVERMAN

Eleanor w/o Joseph d 7-13-1870 ae 51y 9m
Elizabeth w/o N d 2-27-1856 ae 62y
Ezekiel s/o J & E d 8-16-1846 ae 2y 7m 2d
Horace s/o J & L d 3-11-1861 ae 3y 6m 2d
Irene dt/o J & E d 3-18-1861 ae 10y 3m 10d
Lydia A dt/o J & E d 2-15-1847 ae 1y 2m 4d
Nathan d 6-5-1851 ae 74y 8m 27d
Sarah E dt/o J & E d 9-22-1850 ae 2y 8m 12d

PARKER

Alfred d 11-1-1877 ae 24y 17d
Amanda w/o William d 1880 ae 49y
Carl W s/o W & A d 1879 ae 5y
Sarah d 2-5-1882 ae 56y
William d 3-25-1875 ae 75y 3m 20d

PHELPS

Jonathan d 1-17-1877 ae 76y 19d
Jonathan E s/o J L & E A d 10-28-1871 ae 5y 8m 18d
Levi s/o J & S d 8-14-1871 ae 34y 10m 1d
Louisa b 7-2-1836 d 5-21-1879
Mark b 3-9-1833 d 8-7-1900
Mary A w/o Jonathan & dt/o Elias & Ann **Henley** b 10-23-1804 d 10-13-1893
Susannah d 8-1-1847 ae 46y 9m 18d
Thomas d 1-1-1861 ae 33y 1m 6d

PREVO

Sarah b 1805 d 1873

PUBLOW

Zella B b 1891 d 1911

PUSEY

Agatha w/o Jos A d 6-3-1872

RAWLS

Elizabeth b 11-15-1816 d 9-14-1883
Jesse b 8-26-1810 d 3-29-1881
J Murray b 1850 d 1916
Laura M b 1851 d 1925

REDDING

Tirzah J w/o Jacob d 1-31-1886 ae 43y 5m 28d

RIGHTER

inf s/o D W & C M 1884

ROBERTSON

Iva b 1870 d 1901

ROGERS

Charlotte b 8-21-1856 d 4-3-1903

RUBY

Elizabeth dt/o L & C Newsom d 3-18-1863 ae 27y 6m

SHERER

inf s/o Albert & Annabel d 7-15-1893

SMALL

Abijah b 4-25-1831 d 2-5-1893

Abraham d 4-11-1872 ae 85y 7m 13d

Abram [no other information]

Delilah w/o Abraham d 10-3-1853 ae 66y

Elizabeth dt/o A & D b 1-1-1814 d 9-15-1899

Ephraim s/o J & S d 11-5-1857 ae 3y 2m 28d

Josiah b 2-15-1812 d 1-11-1878

Josiah jr d 1-30-1867 ae 21y 8m

Luzena b 9-24-1846 d 7-20-1918

Margaret [no other information]

Martha b 3-31-1825 d 2-14-1906

Obadiah [illegible]

Obadiah s/o J & S d 4-27-1843 ae 1y 1m 5d

Rose C b 1862 d 8-1938

Rufus K s/o Z T & Martha b 9-22-1883 d 8-25-1884

Susannah dt/o Josiah b 2-14-1812 d 3-16-1881

Zachariah s/o Abraham b 9-10-1820 d 5-2-1900

SMITH

Andrew [no other information]

SOULE

Eliza wid/o Joshua d 8-17-1885 ae 78y 4m 14d

STAGER

Harry E b 11-25-1862 d 4-20-1932

Herman L b & d 1892

Sarah Gear b 5-27-1870 d 12-28-1947

STARBUCK

Polly dt/o E G & L d 2-17-1865 ae 15y 5m

STRAYHORN

John W d 8-5-1872 ae 29y Co G 16th IN Inf

STUART

Emma C w/o John W d 4-2-1881 ae 49y 3m 9d

John d 4-17-1885 ae 82y 5m 28d

Martha d 10-8-1885 ae 75y 6m 6d

TALBERT

Eliza dt/o Sylvanus & M Delphina b 1-26-1872 d 6-26-1887

THORNBURG

Elizabeth b 1822 d 1903

Luzena b 1833 d 1903

Sarah d 6-11-1887 ae 37y 3m 3d

TOLLEN

Maria Clark b 9-23-1881 d 7-10-1888

Mary E w/o Wm & dt/o J H & S **Winslow** d 9-15-1883 ae 18y 4m 23d

Nancy M dt/o Wm d 9-23-1881 ae 43y 1m 12d

WALKER

Miriam H w/o John W b 9-14-1828 d 1-27-1890

WALTON

Jesse d 7-31-1863 ae 31y 7m 3d

WATKINS

Maggie A w/o E J d 10-11-1883 ae 27y 21d

Mahlon d 9-27-1881 ae 21y 22d

WEINGART

Rosa F d 6-11-1880 ae 7m 15d

WHITE

India dt/o J & A d 12-4-1872 ae 11y 4m 6d

John W b 10-12-1858 murdered 2-9-1878

WICKERSHAM

Sarah J b 1818 d 1899

WILLIAMS

Elizabeth dt/o James d 11-15-1875 ae 58y 10m

WILTSE

Annie M dt/o G & L A d 9-5-1873 ae 19y 8m 15d

Mary J dt/o G & L A d 11-11-1863 ae 14y 4d

WINSLOW

George H s/o J & M A d 6-2-1861 ae 23y 5m 18d

John H b 1827 d 1903

Susan w/o J H d 3-28-1865 ae 30y 7m 20d

YOUNG

Charles E b 1848 d 1928

Eddie s/o T & R J d 2-12-1880 ae 8m 9d

George H b 10-1-1840 d 12-3-1891

Helen R b 1815 d 1891

Joseph d 9-6-1855 ae 40y 6m 29d

Joseph W d 3-31-1884 ae 32y 9m 8d

Miriam B b 1842 d 1920

Rebecca w/o Robert W d 3-11-1853 ae 63y

Robert W d 11-11-1853 ae 75y

Sarah w/o J W d 2-18-1870 ae 48y 11m 6d

Sarah w/o M d 3-12-1872 ae 24y 6m 20d

Sarah N dt/o M & S N d 8-13-1872 ae 5m 4d

Susannan B dt/o M & V A d 9-8-1882 ae 13m 6d

William L b 1807 d 1889

ZION

Julia A [no other information]

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