

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

PLACE OF DEATH

County Andrew  
Township Clay  
or  
Village  
or  
City (NO. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward)

Registration District No. 11 File No. 23548  
Primary Registration District No. 5014 Registered No. 20

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number]

FULL NAME Rosina Durtzchi

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

1 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

SEX Female COLOR OR RACE White SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED married  
(Write the word)

DATE OF DEATH July 31, 1911  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

DATE OF BIRTH July 17, 1849  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Mar 11, 1911, to July 31, 1911, that I last saw her alive on July 31, 1911, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 3<sup>0</sup> m.

AGE 62 yrs. 5 mos. 13 ds. If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_ min.?

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:  
Cancer of Stomach  
46B  
40  
(Duration) 2 yrs. \_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_ ds.

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work House work  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) House Keeping

Contributory (SECONDARY) \_\_\_\_\_ (Duration) \_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_ ds.

BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) Thun Switzerland

(Signed) R. E. Miles M. D. (Address) Jillmore Mo

PARENTS NAME OF FATHER Jacob Durtzchi

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Thun Switzerland

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Switzerland

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)  
At place of death \_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_ ds.

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) A. Durtzchi

Where was disease contracted If not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_ Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

(ADDRESS) Jillmore Mo

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Jillmore County DATE OF BURIAL Aug 2, 1911

Filed July 31, 1911 R. E. Miles M.D. REGISTRAR

UNDERTAKER E. W. Cole ADDRESS Jillmore Mo

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important.

# Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death

[Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health  
Association]

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer* or *Planter*, *Physician*, *Composer*, *Architect*, *Locomotive engineer*, *Civil engineer*, *Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification, as *Day laborer*, *Farm laborer*, *Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife*, *Housework*, or *At home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school* or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant*, *Cook*, *Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus: *Farmer (retired, 6 yrs.)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*; *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs*, *meninges*, *peritoneum*, etc., *Carcinoma*, *Sar-*

*coma*, etc., of \_\_\_\_\_ (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), *29 ds.*; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age," "Shock," "Uraemia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage, as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis*, *tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "Contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)



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County AndrewTownship Clay

Village \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ (NO. \_\_\_\_\_)

REGISTRARS SHALL NOT RECEIVE A FEE FOR CERTIFICATES UNTIL THEY ARE COMPLETED AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW.

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THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) A. Durtschi(ADDRESS) Fillmore Mo.Filed July 31, 1911 B. E. Miles REGISTRAROriginal file, date July 31, 1911

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH July 31, 1911  
(Month) (Day) (Year)I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from May 11, 1911, to July 31, 1911,  
that I last saw her alive on " ", 1911,and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 30 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Cancer of stomach(Duration) 2 yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory (SECONDARY) \_\_\_\_\_

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) B. E. Miles M. D.July 31, 1911 (Address) Fillmore Mo.

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Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Fillmore Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL Aug. 2, 1911UNDERTAKER C. W. Cook ADDRESS Fillmore Mo.

All information called for must be written on this Supplementary Certificate.

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