

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

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

PLACE OF DEATH
County Brunswick
Township Shorewood
or
Village _____
or
City _____ (NO. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)

Registration District No. 31 File No. 26793
Primary Registration District No. 2044 Registered No. 13

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

FULL NAME Walter Rosewicz

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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

DATE OF BIRTH June _____, 1888
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 27 yrs. 2 mos. _____ ds. IF LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.?

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

BIRTHPLACE
(City or town, State or foreign country) Mo

PARENTS
NAME OF FATHER Alex Rosewicz
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Germany
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Agnes Patman
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Germany

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) Joe Rosewicz
(ADDRESS) Pierce City MO

Filed _____ 191____ REGISTRAR _____

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH August 31, 1915
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Aug 17, 1915, to Aug 31, 1915, that I last saw him alive on Aug 27, 1915, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 8 AM.
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Exhaustion
23A

Contributory Pulmonary Tuberculosis
(SECONDARY) (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

(Signed) H. Ross Clark M. D. (Address) Pierce City, Mo
Aug 31, 1915

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

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)
At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? _____
Former or usual residence _____

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Brunfield DATE OF BURIAL Sept 2, 1915
UNDERTAKER John Siefert ADDRESS Pierce City Mo

PLACE OF DEATH

County _____
 Township _____
 or _____
 Village _____
 or _____
 City _____ (NO. _____)

Registration District No. _____
 Primary Registration District No. _____

File No. _____
 Registered No. _____
 St.: _____ Ward _____

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

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 CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

FULL NAME

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX _____ **COLOR OR RACE** _____
SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH _____ (Month) _____, _____ (Day) _____, 19____ (Year)

AGE _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.?

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

BIRTHPLACE
 (City or town, State or foreign country) _____

NAME OF FATHER _____
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER
 (City or town, State or foreign country) _____

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER _____
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER
 (City or town, State or foreign country) _____

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
 (Informant) _____
 (ADDRESS) _____

Filed _____, 19____, _____ REGISTRAR

DATE OF DEATH _____ (Month) _____, _____ (Day) _____, 19____ (Year)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from _____, 19____, to _____, 19____, that I last saw h_____ alive on _____, 19____, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at _____ m. The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Contributory
 (SECONDARY)
 (Signed) _____, 19____ (Address) _____ M. D. _____
 (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
 (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

*State the Disease Causing Death or in deaths from Violent Cause, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.
LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)
 At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
 Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?
 Former or usual residence _____

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL _____ **DATE OF BURIAL** _____, 19____

UNDERTAKER _____ **ADDRESS** _____

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WRITHE IN PLAIN LANGUAGE WITH FULL ADDRESS - THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

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CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Bany
Township Shoal Creek
or
Village
or
City

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

Registration District No. 31 File No.

Primary Registration District No. 5044 Registered No. 13

(NO. St. Ward)

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

2 FULL NAME

Walter Rosewicz

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX M 4 COLOR OR RACE W 5 SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) M

6 DATE OF BIRTH (Month) (Day) 1 (Year)

7 AGE If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.?

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

9 BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country)

10 NAME OF FATHER
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country)
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) (Address)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH July 31 1915 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from 191 to 191, that I last saw h alive on 191, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) (Duration) yrs. mos. ds. (Signed) M. D. (Address) 191

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

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents) At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds. Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL 191

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

Original file, date SEP -- 1915, 19.....

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

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*, *Compositor*, *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*; *Broncho-pneumonia* ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite);

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Tuberculosis of lungs, meninges, peritonaeum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, 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), 29ds.; *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.)