

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

1. PLACE OF DEATH  
 County Perry Registration District No. 660 File No. 27869  
 Township Perry Primary Registration District No. 4296 Registered No. 39  
 City Perry (No.     ) St.      Ward     

2. FULL NAME Crystal Kenrick  
 (a) Residence No.      St.      Ward       
 (Usual place of abode) (If nonresident give city or town and State)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. da. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. da.

**PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS**

3. SEX Female  
 4. COLOR OR RACE White  
 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word) single

5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF     

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR)     

7. AGE	YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	IF LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
<u>23</u>	<u>    </u>	<u>1</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>    </u>

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED  
 (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work clerk  
 (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)       
 (c) Name of employer     

9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) Perry Mo  
 (STATE OR COUNTRY)

10. NAME OF FATHER Lawrence Kenrick  
 11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN) Perry Mo  
 (STATE OR COUNTRY)  
 12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Luzie Klaters  
 13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN) Perry Mo  
 (STATE OR COUNTRY)

14. INFORMANT L. Kenrick  
 (Address) Perryville

15. FILED sep 20 1923 L.P.P.  
 REGISTRAR

**MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Sept. 17 1923  
 17. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from March 10 1923 to Sept 17 1923  
 that I last saw her alive on Sept 12 noon, 1923, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at     

THE CAUSE OF DEATH\* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

Tuberculous Lung  
3 1/2 (duration) 1 yrs.      mos.      da.

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY)       
 (duration) 3 1/2 yrs.      mos.      da.

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED       
 IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH:     

8 DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH?      DATE OF       
 WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY?     

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS  
 (Signed) L. L. Fields M. D.  
Sept 19 1923 (Address) Perryville Mo

\*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or if death from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) Nature and Nature of Injury, and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDE. (See reverse for additional space)

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Zollner Gring and  
 20. UNDERTAKER       
 DATE OF BURIAL 9/22/23  
 ADDRESS Perryville Mo

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BY PHYSICIAN.

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 (Usual place of abode) (If nonresident give city or town and State)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. da. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. da.

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3. SEX F 4. COLOR OR RACE W 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED MS  
(write the word)

5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF \_\_\_\_\_

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) July 23, 1900

7. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS                       
 IF LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

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PARENTS

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14. INFORMANT (Address) \_\_\_\_\_

15. FILED 11/30 25 Arthur Papp REGISTRAR

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17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from \_\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, (that I last saw him \_\_\_\_\_ give of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_.

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 \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ (Address)

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20. UNDERTAKER \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

ALL INFORMATION CALLED FOR MUST BE WRITTEN ON THIS SUPPLEMENTARY.

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