

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

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1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Mississippi
Township Lyonsville
City (No.) St. Ward)

Registration District No. 526
Primary Registration District No. 5762

File No.
Registered No. 42

2. FULL NAME

Martha Slater

(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. ds. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX F 4. COLOR OR RACE Negro 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) June 1 - 1915

7. AGE	YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	IF LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>02</u>	

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED

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

9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) Fayette
(STATE OR COUNTRY) Miss.

10. NAME OF FATHER Arthur Slater

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN) Port Gibson
(STATE OR COUNTRY) Miss.

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Selma

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN) Fayette
(STATE OR COUNTRY) Miss.

14. INFORMANT Arthur Slater
(Address) Charleston, Mo.

15. FILED 4-2-26 J. S. Vernon
REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) April 2 1926
17. _____

I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from March 8 1926, to April 2 1926
(that I last saw him alive on March 21 1926, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 11 P.M.)

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

Acute myocardial infarction
secondary to
acute coronary arteriosclerosis

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) None known
(duration) yrs. mos. ds.

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED Superior, MO
IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH? _____

DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? no DATE OF _____

WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? no

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS? Autopsy
(Signed) A. J. Chapman, M. D.
4-2-1926 (Address) Charleston, MO

*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS AND NATURE OF INJURY, and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL. (See reverse side for additional space.)

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Our Grove
DATE OF BURIAL 4/3 1926

20. UNDERTAKER The Linn-Sullivan Co
ADDRESS Charleston, Mo

N. B.—Every item of information CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so as to be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is required.

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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, Sarcoma*, etc., of _____ (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasm); *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," "Anemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile" etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age," "Shock," "Uremia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage, as "PUERPERAL septicemia," "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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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS
BY PHYSICIAN.

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16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Apr 2 19 26

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

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7. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

Burns received in May 1925 accidentally burned there was not a burning building (duration) yrs. mos. da. none known

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

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10. NAME OF FATHER

DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH..... DATE OF.....

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY)

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15. FILED 42-2678 Vernon REGISTRAR

SUPPLEMENT

REGISTRARS SHALL NOT RECEIVE A FEE FOR CERTIFICATES UNTIL THEY ARE COMPLETE AS RI

ALL INFORMATION SHOULD BE PROPERLY CLASSIFIED. ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN OTHERWISE. DATE 11-14-2010 BY 60322 UCBAW/STP

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