

THE DIVISION OF HEALTH OF MISSOURI  
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

State File No. 11403

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BIRTH NO. _____		REG. DIST. NO. <u>2</u>		PRIMARY REG. DIST. NO. <u>4009</u>		Registrar's No. <u>325</u>	
1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY <u>Andrew</u>				2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission) a. STATE <u>Missouri</u> b. COUNTY <u>Andrew</u>			
b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give township) OR TOWN <u>SAVANNAH</u>		c. LENGTH OF STAY (in this place) <u>1</u>		c. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give township) OR TOWN <u>SAVANNAH</u>			
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION				d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location)			
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print) a. (First) <u>Matilda</u>		b. (Middle) <u>Katherine</u>		c. (Last) <u>Best</u>		4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) <u>4-3-1949</u>	
5. SEX <u>F</u>	6. COLOR OR RACE <u>W</u>	7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) <u>W</u>	8. DATE OF BIRTH <u>Sept 10-1852</u>	9. AGE (In years last birthday) <u>96</u>	IF UNDER 1 YEAR Months <u>6</u> Days <u>23</u>	IF UNDER 2 HRS. Hours <u></u> Min. <u></u>	
10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) <u>Housewife</u>		10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY <u></u>		11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) <u>Andrew Co Mo</u>		12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? <u>U.S.</u>	
13a. FATHER'S NAME <u>Reidley Fuller</u>		13b. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <u>Nancy Stinson</u>		14. NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE <u>FRANK BEST</u>			
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service) <u>NO</u>		16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. <u>NO</u>		17. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE OR NAME <u>Lillian Sparks</u> ADDRESS <u></u>			
18. CAUSE OF DEATH Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c)  *This does not mean the mode of dying, such as heart failure, asthma, etc. It means the disease, injury, or complication which caused death.		MEDICAL CERTIFICATION I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) <u>Arterio sclerosis</u>  ANTECEDENT CAUSES Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (a) stating the underlying cause last. DUE TO (b) <u>Senile</u>  DUE TO (c)  II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death. <u>Anemia 4500</u>				INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH <u>90 days</u>	
19a. DATE OF OPERATION		19b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION <u></u>				20. AUTOPSY? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
21a. ACCIDENT SUICIDE HOMICIDE (Specify)		21b. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.)		21c. (CITY, TOWN, OR TOWNSHIP) (COUNTY) (STATE)			
21d. TIME OF INJURY (Month) (Day) (Year) (Hour)		21e. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/> NOT WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/>		21f. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR?			
22. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from <u>Jan 12, 1949</u> , to <u>4-3, 1949</u> , that I last saw the deceased alive on <u>4-3, 1949</u> , and that death occurred at <u>10 A.M.</u> , from the causes and on the date stated above.							
23a. SIGNATURE (Degree or title) <u>Ralph P. Miller M.D.</u>				23b. ADDRESS <u>Savannah Mo</u>		23c. DATE SIGNED <u>4-4-49</u>	
24a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify)		24b. DATE <u>4-4-49</u>		24c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <u>SAVANNAH</u>		24d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) <u>SAVANNAH Mo</u>	
DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REG. <u>4-5-49</u>		REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <u>Lillian Sparks</u>		25. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE <u>E. C. Breit</u> ADDRESS <u>Savannah Mo</u>			

(Licensed Embalmer's Statement on Reverse Side)

WRITE PLAINLY—USING UNFADING BLACK INK—MAKE A PERMANENT RECORD

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DISTRICT HEALTH OFFICE  
Cameron, Mo.

STATEMENT BY LICENSED EMBALMER

I hereby certify that the body whose name is recorded on the reverse side of this certificate was embalmed by me, or by \_\_\_\_\_

Student Embalmer No. \_\_\_\_\_

working under my personal supervision.

Signed E. C. Breit

Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Embalmer

Licensed Embalmer No. 2650

P. O. Address Lavonola, Mo.

Note: The above MUST BE SIGNED BY THE LICENSED EMBALMER in his OWN HANDWRITING. (Failure to comply with the above constitutes grounds for revocation of license.)

If this body is not embalmed, fact should be so stated above.