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THE DIVISION OF HEALTH OF MISSOURI  
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

State File No. **40859**

BIRTH NO. \_\_\_\_\_ REG. DIST. NO. 149 PRIMARY REG. DIST. NO. 1002 Registrar's No. 5930

1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY <u>Jackson</u>		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission). a. STATE <u>Kansas</u> b. COUNTY <u>Riley</u>	
b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give town) <u>Kansas City</u>	c. LENGTH OF STAY (In this place) <u>15 days</u>	c. CITY OR TOWN <u>Manhattan</u>	d. Is Residence within limits of a city or incorporated town? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <u>21508</u>
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION <u>St. Mary's Hospital</u>		STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) <u>1317 Yuma</u>	

3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print) <u>Bertha</u>	a. (First)	b. (Middle)	c. (Last) <u>Combs</u>	4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) <u>12</u> (Day) <u>28</u> (Year) <u>1954</u>
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5. SEX <u>F</u>	6. COLOR OR RACE <u>W</u>	7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) <u>Widow 2</u>	8. DATE OF BIRTH <u>9/25/1883</u>	9. AGE (In years last birthday) <u>71</u>	IF UNDER 1 YEAR Months _____ Days _____	IF UNDER 24 HRS. Hours _____ Min. _____
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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>Housewife</u>	11. BIRTHPLACE (City and State or Foreign Country) <u>Wayne County, Iowa</u>	12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? <u>US</u>
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13a. FATHER'S NAME <u>David E. Bryant</u>	13b. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <u>Unknown</u>	14. NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE <u>Mr. J. Ed Combs</u>
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15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) <u>no</u> (If yes, give war or dates of service) <u>no</u>	16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. <u>none</u>	17. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE OR NAME <u>Half Brother, Mr. Leslie Bryant, KC Mo.</u>	ADDRESS _____
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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, asthenia, etc. It means the disease, injury, or complication which caused death.	MEDICAL CERTIFICATION		INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH
	I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) <u>Coronary occlusion</u>		<u>7 days</u>
ANTECEDENT CAUSES Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (a) stating the underlying cause last.	DUE TO (b) <u>Abdominal perineal resection</u>		<u>14 days</u>
	DUE TO (c) <u>Carcinoma of the rectum</u>		<u>unknown</u>
	II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death. <u>age and obesity</u>		<u>154X</u>

19a. DATE OF OPERATION <u>12-15-54</u>	19b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION <u>Carcinoma of the rectum &amp; sigmoid wall ext.</u>	20. AUTOPSY? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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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) _____
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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? _____
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22. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from 12-13, 1954, to 12-28, 1954, that I last saw the deceased alive on 12-27, 1954, and that death occurred at 1:00 a. m., from the causes and on the date stated above.

23a. SIGNATURE <u>Frederick H. Hartwig</u> (Degree or title) <u>MD</u>	23b. ADDRESS <u>701 E 63, Kansas City, Mo</u>	23c. DATE SIGNED <u>12-28-54</u>
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24a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) <u>Removal</u>	24b. DATE <u>12-28-54</u>	24c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <u>Manhattan, Kansas</u>	24d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) <u>Manhattan, Kansas</u>
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DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REG. <u>12-28-54</u>	REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <u>Neva Marshall</u>	25. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE <u>Ralph A. Fulton, Kansas City, Kansas</u>	ADDRESS _____
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WRITE PLAINLY—USING UNFADING BLACK INK—MAKE A PERMANENT RECORD

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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..

Student.....  
Signature of Student Embalmer

Signed *Halph. F. Fulton*.....

Licensed Embalmer No. *30*.....

P. O. Address *K.C.K.*.....

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 embalmed by a STUDENT, he also shall sign in his OWN handwriting.  
If this body is not embalmed, fact should be so stated above.