

## Joseph Ransom Bailey

Joseph Ransom Bailey was born on 31 May 1861 in Spruce Pine, Franklin, Alabama. He is the son of William Bohannon Bailey and Elizabeth Ellen Bennett.

Joseph is listed with his parents on 15 July 1870 in Franklin, Alabama, the Russellville post office, as recorded on page 537 of film #545515. He is nine years of age.

Joseph has not been found on the 1880 census. He is not living with his family who are in Franklin, Alabama. It is said he moved to Colorado in 1880.

Joseph married Mary Jane Miller in Colorado on 27 December 1885.

Lillian Frances was born 16 February 1887 in Richfield, Conejos, Colorado. She died five days later on 21 February 1887.

Sarah Etta was born 17 April 1888 in Sanford, Conejos, Colorado. Sarah died on 24 September 1974 in Camano Island, Washington. She married Leonidas Moroni Pratt on 11 June 1914.

Joseph Ransom Bailey was baptized sometime in 1889 in Colorado.

Thomas Oscar was born on 18 January 1890 in Sanford, Conejos, Colorado. Thomas died on 26 December 1893 in Sanford, Conejos, Colorado.

Mary Susan was born 20 June 1891 in Sanford, Conejos, Colorado. Mae married Richard Baird on 21 December 1916 and she died on 4 April 1955 in Heyburn, Minidoka, Idaho.

Sometime in 1891 Joseph moved his family to Blanco, Colorado.

Joseph Smith was born 6 April 1893 in Zapata, Castilla, Colorado. Joseph married Lillian Henrietta Astle on 9 July 1919 and he died on 5 May 1969 in Summerfield, Marion, Florida.

William Albert was born 4 June 1895 in Morgan, Conejos, Colorado. Bill married Rhea Mary Baird on 11 August 1919. Bill died in Westminster, Orange, California on 24 February 1974.

Benjamin Ernest was born 20 January 1897 in

Morgan, Conejos, Colorado. Benjamin died on 8 February 1897 in Morgan, Conejos, Colorado.

Virginia Bertha was born 28 November 1897 in Morgan, Conejos, Colorado. Virginia died on 2 December 1897 in Morgan, Conejos, Colorado.

The family is living in Logan, Conejos, Colorado on 4 June 1900 at the time of the census as recorded on page 159A of film #1240122. Joseph is listed as 39 years of age, and Mary is listed as 33 years old.

Joseph obtains a land grant of 80 acres located in Conejos, Colorado on 12 August 1901. The land is described as W1/2SW, Sec 20, 36N Township, 9E Range, of the New Mexico PM. It is identified as BLM #COCOAA 035855. His mother also received a land grant.

Stella Luthena was born on 11 July 1901 in LaJara, Conejos, Colorado. Stella married Vao Lucas Schofield on 3 January 1923 and she died on 9 April 1972 in Rupert, Minidoka, Idaho.

Sadie Pearl was born 4 March 1904 in Capulin, Conejos, Colorado. Pearl married Ross Tillford Hyer on 18 December 1929 and she died in November 1985 in Desert Hot Springs, Riverside, California.

John Arthur was born 14 November 1904 in Albion, Cassia, Idaho. John married Ruth Johnson on 28 December 1933 and he died on 10 February 1949.

Verna Delilah was born on 17 March 1909 in Albion, Cassia, Idaho. Verna married Thomas Donald Bell on 21 July 1935. Verna died.

Joseph's family is living in Albion, Cassia, Idaho on 21 April 1910 as recorded on page 209 of film #1374236. Joseph is 48 years old and has been married 22 years. Mary is 44 years of age and 8 of 12 children are still living.

Joseph served a mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in the Central States Mission from January 1914 to 22 September 1915. Joseph presided over the Louisiana Conference while on his mission.

Joseph's family is living in Rupert, Minidoka, Idaho on 2 January 1920 as recorded on page

111 of film #1820293. Joseph is 59 years old, living on G Street. He is listed as a farmer. Mary is 53 years old.

On 12 April 1930 Joseph is living in Rupert, Minidoka, Idaho, as recorded on page 87 of the census. He is listed as age 68, Mary is 63, and

### **Mary Jane Miller**

Mary Jane Miller was born on 24 November 1866 in Linden, Perry, Tennessee. She is the daughter of Phillip Miller and Sarah Bird Davidson.

Mary Jane is listed with her family in District 4 of Perry, Tennessee on 10 August 1870 as recorded on page 435 of film #553052. She is 3 years old.

Verna age 21 is living at home.

Joseph Ransom Bailey died on 5 May 1937 in Heyburn, Minidoka, Idaho at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mary Susan and Richard Baird. He is buried in the Rupert Cemetery.

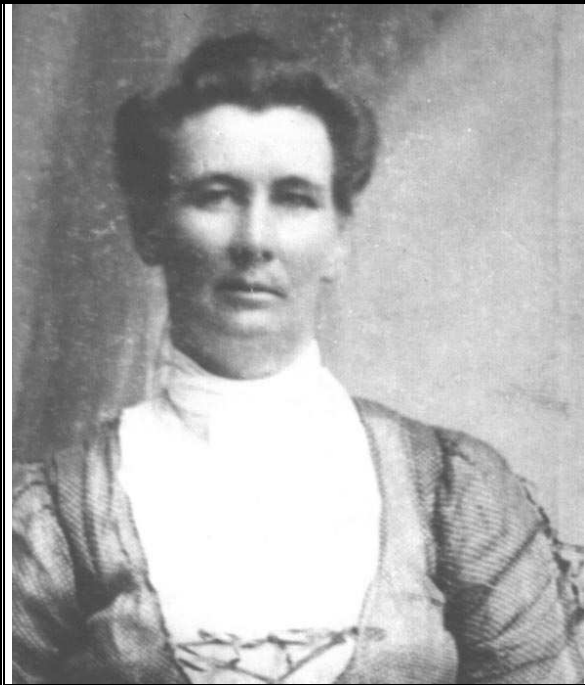
Mary's family is living in District 2 of Perry, Tennessee on 11 June 1880 as recorded on page 392A of film #1255274. Mary is listed as 14 years of age.

In November of 1884 the family moved from Perry, Tennessee to Colorado.

Mary Jane Bailey died on 16 March 1936 in Rupert, Minidoka, Idaho.



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