

Family Group Sheet for George Washington Leisure & Lucinda Myers

Husband: George Washington Leisure

Birth: 09 Jun 1809 in Garrard, Kentucky
Marriage: 08 Oct 1829 in Garrard, Kentucky
Death: 28 Mar 1896 in Rush, Indiana
Burial: Rush, Indiana; Hannegan Cemetery, N39.68300 W85.52103
Father: Nathan Leisure
Mother: Sarah Irvin

Wife: Lucinda Myers

Birth: 27 Jul 1810 in Lincoln, Kentucky; later Boyle County
Death: 13 Aug 1890 in Rush, Indiana
Father: Michael Myers
Mother: Christena Pope

Children:

1 Name: Sarah Elizabeth Leisure
F Birth: 15 Jul 1830 in Rush, Indiana
Marriage: 12 Sep 1848 in Rush, Indiana
Death: 30 Aug 1907 in Rush, Indiana
Burial: Rush, Indiana; Hannegan Cem N39.40.988 W085.31.266
Spouse: John J. Price

2 Name: John Leisure
M Birth: 26 Sep 1834 in Rush, Indiana
Marriage: 03 Sep 1857 in Rush, Indiana
Death: 24 Mar 1913 in Rush, Indiana
Spouse: Jane Green

3 Name: Christina Leisure
F Birth: 1835 in Rush, Indiana
Death: 06 Sep 1842 in Rush, Indiana

4 Name: Joseph Leisure
M Birth: 13 Sep 1837 in Rush, Indiana
Marriage: 20 Jan 1859 in Rush, Indiana
Death: 15 Sep 1896 in Rush, Indiana
Spouse: Eliza Jane Hinton

5 Name: Mary A. Leisure
F Birth: 1838 in Rush, Indiana
Marriage: Abt. 1857 in Indiana
Death: 1902 in Rush, Indiana
Burial: Mays, Rush, Indiana; Center Church Cemetery
Spouse: Lewis Dalrymple

6 Name: Henry Leisure
M Birth: May 1839 in Rush, Indiana
Marriage: 16 Oct 1862 in Rush, Indiana; Rush County Marriage Records Bk 9, Pg. 46
Death: 18 May 1919 in Rush, Indiana
Burial: Mays, Rush, Indiana; Center Church Cemetery
Spouse: Martha Jane Souder

7	Name:	Nathan J. Leisure
M	Birth:	18 Feb 1841 in Rush, Indiana
	Marriage:	23 Sep 1866 in Rush, Indiana
	Death:	20 Apr 1916 in Swayzee, Grant, Indiana
	Spouse:	Sarah Jane Moore

8	Name:	Elizabeth Sarah Leisure
F	Birth:	15 Jul 1843 in Rush, Indiana
	Marriage:	15 Jun 1859 in Rush, Indiana; Rush County Marriage Records Bk 8, Pg. 367
	Death:	09 Jul 1902 in Grant, Indiana
	Spouse:	John Osborn

9	Name:	Lucinda J. Leisure
F	Birth:	01 Jun 1844 in Rush, Indiana
	Marriage:	03 Jan 1865 in Rush, Indiana
	Death:	13 Nov 1890 in Rush, Indiana
	Burial:	Rush, Indiana; Hannegan Cemetery, N39.68300 W85.52103
	Spouse:	Noah M. Souder

10	Name:	George M. Leisure
M	Birth:	30 Apr 1846 in Rush, Indiana
	Marriage:	11 Oct 1866 in Rush, Indiana; Rush County Marriage Records Bk 9, Pg. 371
	Death:	23 May 1881 in Rush, Indiana; Jackson township
	Spouse:	Elizabeth L. Cross

11	Name:	James P. Leisure
M	Birth:	1848 in Rush, Indiana
	Marriage:	21 May 1871 in Rush, Indiana
	Death:	1900 in Rush, Indiana
	Spouse:	Missouri Bell Beckner

12	Name:	William Leisure
M	Birth:	Jul 1850 in Rush, Indiana
	Marriage:	06 Mar 1870 in Rush, Indiana; Rush County Marriage Records Bk 10, Pg. 36
	Death:	1927 in Rush, Indiana
	Spouse:	Nancy Caroline Powell

13	Name:	Mariah J. Leisure
F	Birth:	10 Apr 1852 in Rush, Indiana
	Marriage:	15 Aug 1869 in Rush, Indiana; Rush County Marriage Records Bk 10, Pg. 48
	Death:	Aft. 1920
	Spouse:	John Q. Langston

14	Name:	Rachel L. Leisure
F	Birth:	01 Nov 1853 in Rush, Indiana
	Marriage:	30 Jul 1871 in Rush, Indiana
	Death:	10 Oct 1910 in Rush, Indiana
	Spouse:	John F. Moore

Notes:

George Washington Leisure

Lucinda Myers

Lucinda was born when Boyle county was Lincoln county.

John Leisure

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Elkhart Daily Review (Elkhart, Indiana); Monday, November 26, 1906, Page 1. *NewsBank and the American Antiquarian Society. 2004. Source: GenealogyBank.com*

"Why "Open Up" a Cemetery?

Rushville, Indiana.. Nov 26 - A peculiar situation is reported in the Hannegan neighborhood, following a dispute over the placing of an organ in the church. Several members seceded from the church because of the controversy, and, headed by John Leisure, a wealthy farmer, they purchased a plat of ground and will 'open up' a cemetery of their own. The seceders include several of the best families in the neighborhood."

Christina Leisure

Tombstone Inscription: In memory of Christina Leisure Died Sept 6, 1842 Aged 7 years

Nathan J. Leisure

According to papers of Henrietta Copp:

"Nathan J. bought 80 acres in Grant County Indiana while he was in the Civil War. After he got out of service he stayed 2 weeks in Rush County Indiana, then came to Grant County October 1, 1865".

From Tid-Bits of Leisure, Indiana and Reflections by Max Leisure, privately published 1998: located at the Elwood public library, Elwood, Indiana:

"The following is from a Tipton County newspaper clipping. "Lafe Summers of Wildcat Township, which is located one mile west of Leisure in Tipton County, was in Tipton last Friday and was talking to a party of friends about building churches [Harmony Christian Church in Leisure, Indiana]. In the course of the conversation he said that at one time he was a member of the official board of the Christian Church at Leisure, a small town east of Windfall. N.J. Leisure was a wealthy farmer living nearby, for whom the little town was named and he was an active worker in the church and was considered one of its strongest pillars. However, during one summer he got behind with his work and it became necessary for him to plow his com on Sunday.

For this desecration of the Sabbath day Mr. Leisure was called up before the church board. Under the leadership of Elder B.M. Blount, he was expelled from the church and was not permitted to commune with the congregation anymore. A few years later the congregation felt the need of a new church and they started a subscription paper to raise money by voluntary contributions. The paper was freely circulated and finally a committee was appointed to pay Mr. Leisure a special visit and solicit a subscription from him. The committee went to him with many misgivings, for they feared that owing to the fact that he had been expelled from the church, he would not be very friendly towards it. To their surprise, when they submitted the proposition to him, he told them to go ahead and get as much subscribed as possible and then he would furnish the remainder. They did so and when the church was built and after its dedication, he paid about one-half of the cost of the edifice. Elder B.M.Blount was so moved by his generous spirit that he felt that Mr. Leisure should be forgiven and taken back into the church. The good elder went to him and said, " Brother Leisure, don't you think that you could come back into the church again?" To which Mr. Leisure replied, "Yes, I can come back into the church again, but I will plow com on Sunday if the com needs to be plowed." Elder Blount appreciated the situation and the man , who made it possible for the Christian Church in Leisure, was forgiven and now the old church building has served it day of usefulness another edifice has been erected and N.J. Leisure is one of the leading spirits in the movement.' (From Tipton newspaper)" [No issue date listed.]

George M. Leisure

James P. Leisure

He was a harness maker at Windfall