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THE DIVISION OF HEALTH OF MISSOURI  
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

State File No. **16758**

BIRTH NO. _____		REG. DIST. NO. <u>251</u>		PRIMARY REG. DIST. NO. <u>3048</u>		Registrar's No. <u>120</u>	
1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY <u>Nodaway</u>				2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission). a. STATE <u>Missouri</u> b. COUNTY <u>Nodaway</u>			
b. CITY OR TOWN <u>Maryville</u>		c. LENGTH OF STAY (In this place) <u>3 days</u>		c. CITY OR TOWN <u>Skidmore</u>			
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION <u>St. Francis Hospital</u>				d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) <u>None</u>			
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print) a. (First) <u>OLIVE</u>			b. (Middle) <u>BERTHA</u>		c. (Last) <u>PITTS</u>		4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) <u>5 5 49</u>
5. SEX <u>Female</u>	6. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) <u>Widowed</u>	8. DATE OF BIRTH <u>1/12/71</u>		9. AGE (In years last birthday) <u>78</u>	IF UNDER 1 YEAR Months _____ Days _____	IF UNDER 4 HRS. Hours _____ Min. _____
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>Home</u>		11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) <u>Indiana</u>		12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? <u>USA</u>	
13a. FATHER'S NAME <u>Edward Shapley</u>		13b. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <u>Sarah Jane</u>		14. NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE <u>William Pitts, dec.</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>none</u>		17. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE OR NAME ADDRESS <u>Mr. Charles Pitts, Skidmore, Mo.</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>Meningitis</u>  ANTECEDENT CAUSES <u>Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (a) stating the underlying cause last.</u> DUE TO (b) <u>Chronic Nephritis</u> DUE TO (c) <u>Chronic Myocarditis</u>						INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH <u>4 days</u>  <u>592x</u>
19a. DATE OF OPERATION _____		19b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION _____				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>May 3, 1949</u> , to <u>May 5, 1949</u> , that I last saw the deceased alive on <u>May 5, 1949</u> , and that death occurred at <u>8:29P m.</u> , from the causes and on the date stated above.							
23a. SIGNATURE (Degree or title) <u>B. F. Byland M. D.</u>				23b. ADDRESS <u>Maryville, Missouri</u>		23c. DATE SIGNED <u>5-7-49</u>	
24a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) <u>burial</u>		24b. DATE <u>5/7/49</u>	24c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <u>Quitman</u>		24d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) <u>Quitman, Missouri</u>		
DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REG. <u>5/14/49</u>		REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <u>Bess Holt</u>		25. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE ADDRESS <u>John W. Price Maryville, Mo.</u>			

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

**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 \_\_\_\_\_

*ROBERT L. SOUTER*

Student Embalmer No. *309*

working under my personal supervision.

Signed *Robert L. Souter*.....  
Student Embalmer

Signed *John W. Price*  
Licensed Embalmer No. *4281*

P. O. Address *Maryville 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.