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STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

State File No. **32250**  
Registrar's No. **7789**

BIRTH NO. \_\_\_\_\_ REG. DIST. NO. **318** PRIMARY REG. DIST. NO. **1003**

1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission).	
b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give township) OR TOWN <b>St. Louis, Missouri</b>		c. LENGTH OF STAY (in this place)	b. COUNTY <b>Jefferson</b>
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION <b>St. John's Hospital</b>		c. CITY OR TOWN <b>Festus</b>	d. Is Residence within limits of a city or incorporated town? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
		e. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) <b>808 North Mill Street.</b>	

3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print)	a. (First) <b>Magdaline</b>	b. (Middle) <b>Agnes</b>	c. (Last) <b>Sturgeon</b>	4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) <b>August 22 1954</b>
5. SEX <b>Female</b>	6. COLOR OR RACE <b>White</b>	7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) <b>Widowed</b>	8. DATE OF BIRTH <b>Nov 11, 1877</b>	9. AGE (In years last birthday) <b>76</b>
10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) <b>Housewife</b>	10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY <b>At Home</b>	11. BIRTHPLACE (City and State or Foreign Country) <b>Chester, Illinois</b>	12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? <b>U.S.A.</b>	

13a. FATHER'S NAME <b>Valentine Schneider</b>	13b. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <b>Lucy Grott</b>	14. NAME OF HUSBAND/OR WIFE <b>W. L. Sturgeon, dec'd</b>
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) <b>No</b>	16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. <b>Nil</b>	17. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE OR NAME <b>Mrs. Clarence Difiani, Festus, Mo.</b>

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		INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH <b>72-96 hrs</b>
	I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) <b>Infarctical obstruction</b>		
	ANTECEDENT CAUSES Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (a) stating the underlying cause last. DUE TO (b) <b>Edemic Pressure by Spleen</b>		
DUE TO (c)		II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death.	

19a. DATE OF OPERATION	19b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION	20. AUTOPSY? YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input 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? <b>5705</b>

22. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from Aug. 21, 1954, to Aug. 22, 1954, that I last saw the deceased alive on Aug. 22, 1954, and that death occurred at 5:00 P. M., from the causes and on the date stated above.

23a. SIGNATURE (Degree or title) <b>Eugene T. Drayback, M.D.</b>	23b. ADDRESS <b>University Club Bldg.</b>	23c. DATE SIGNED <b>Aug. 23, 1954</b>
24a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) <b>Removal</b>	24b. DATE <b>8-25-54</b>	24c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <b>St. Mary's Help</b>
		24d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) <b>Chester, Illinois.</b>

DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REG. <b>AUG 23 1954</b>	REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <b>J. Carl Smith, M.D.</b>	25. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE <b>Albert H. Hoppe</b>	ADDRESS <b>4700 Washington Blvd</b>
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E.P. (Licensed Embalmer's Statement on Reverse Side)

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 ..... Student Embalmer No. .... working under my personal supervision..

Student.....  
Signature of Student Embalmer

Signed..... *Paul A. Washburn*

Licensed Embalmer No. *478*

P. O. Address *St. Louis*

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.