

THE DIVISION OF HEALTH OF MISSOURI  
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

29058

State File No. ....

BIRTH NO. \_\_\_\_\_ REG. DIST. NO. 42 PRIMARY REG. DIST. NO. 1000 Registrar's No. 1003

1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY <u>Buchanan</u>		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission). a. STATE <u>Missouri</u> b. COUNTY <u>Buchanan</u>	
b. CITY OR TOWN <u>St. Joseph</u>		c. CITY OR TOWN <u>St. Joseph</u>	d. Is Residence within limits of a city or incorporated town? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
c. LENGTH OF STAY (in this place) <u>8 yrs.</u>		e. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) <u>110 South 10th Street</u>	
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION <u>Hovey Nursing Home</u> <u>110 South 10th Street</u>			

3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print)	a. (First) <u>JOHN</u>	b. (Middle) <u>R.</u>	c. (Last) <u>STAPLETON</u>	4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) <u>Sept. 14 1955</u>
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5. SEX <u>Male</u>	6. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) <u>Widowed</u>	8. DATE OF BIRTH <u>May 21, 1877</u>	9. AGE (In years last birthday) <u>78</u>	IF UNDER 1 YEAR Months _____ Days _____	IF UNDER 4 HRS. Hours _____ Min. _____
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10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) <u>Ret. Construction</u>	10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY <u>Building Con'st</u>	11. BIRTHPLACE (City and State or Foreign Country) <u>Lone Star, Missouri</u>	12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? <u>U S A</u>
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13a. FATHER'S NAME <u>James H. Stapleton</u>	13b. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <u>Elvira McGinley</u>	14. NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE <u>Georgia A (Deceased)</u>
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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>487-14-5535</u>	17. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE OR NAME <u>Mrs. Albert Wilson</u>	ADDRESS <u>St. Joseph, Mo.</u>
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18. CAUSE OF DEATH Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c)  <i>*This does not mean the mode of dying, such as heart failure, ashenia, etc. It means the disease, injury, or complication which caused death.</i>	MEDICAL CERTIFICATION		INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH
	I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) <u>Multiple Cerebral Hemorrhages</u>		<u>Unk.</u>
	ANTECEDENT CAUSES DUE TO (b) <u>Generalized Arteriosclerosis</u> <i>Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (a) stating the underlying cause last.</i> DUE TO (c) <u>331X</u>		<u>Unk.</u>
II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS <u>Senile Dementia &amp; General Debility</u> <i>Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death.</i>			

19a. DATE OF OPERATION	19b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION	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) (Min.)	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 8/9, 1954, to 9/14, 1955, that I last saw the deceased alive on 9/13, 1955, and that death occurred at 7:50P m., from the causes and on the date stated above.

23a. SIGNATURE <u>H. F. Mundy M.D.</u> (Degree or title)	23b. ADDRESS <u>2801 Sacramento St. Joseph, Missouri</u>	23c. DATE SIGNED <u>9/15/55</u>
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24a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) <u>Removal</u>	24b. DATE <u>Sept. 17, 1955</u>	24c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <u>Brookfield Cemetery</u>	24d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) <u>Brookfield Missouri</u>
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DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REG. <u>Sept 21, 1955</u>	REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <u>Bother M. Allison</u>	GENERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE <u>Stoney Funeral Home</u>	ADDRESS <u>St. Joseph, Mo.</u>
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(Licensed Embalmer's Statement on Reverse Side)

WRITE PLAINLY—USING UNFADEING 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 *Charles E. Bennett*.....

Licensed Embalmer No. *1677*.....

P. O. Address *St. Joseph*.....

**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.