

BAKER, FLOYD OSCAR

Birth

February 04, 1907 at Corning, Adams
Co., Iowa
Ref: Social Security Index



Death

October 24, 1992 at Norwalk Manor,
Norwalk, Warren Co., Iowa

Cause of Death

Heart Attack, cardiovascular arrest due
to coronary arteriosclerosis

Cemetery Lot

Buried on Lot 158

Father

George McClelland Baker

Mother

Ella Barbara Smith

Marriage

Floyd Baker to Shirley Ellen Cozad on December 28, 1929

Return of marriage to Clerk of District Court
1-00116

Floyd Baker
Residence: Corning, Iowa
Occupation: Farming
Age: 23
Place of birth: Adams Co., Iowa
1st marriage
Father: George M. Baker
Mother: Ella Smith

Married

Adams Co., Iowa
December 28, 1929

Ellen Cozad
Residence: Corning, Iowa
Age next birthday: 17
Place of birth: Adams Co., Iowa
1st marriage
Father: Tom Cozad
Mother: Bessie O'Riley
Witnesses: Mrs. George Baker and Mrs. Ed McMorrان
Minister: G. T. Roberts, Corning, Iowa

Census

1910 – Quincy Twp., Adams Co., IA; ED 9; Page 8B; roll 390; May 4, 1920
Dwelling 123; Family 123

Baker, George M.	47	married 23 year	MD	PA	MD
Ella B.	40	8 children, 6 living	IA	PA	MD
Erma L.	12		IA	MD	IA
George M.	08		IA	MD	IA
Ella L.	06		IA	MD	IA
Floyd O.	03		IA	MD	IA
William C.	9/12		IA	MD	IA

1915 – Quincy Twp., Adams Co., IA; Post Office, Corning, Iowa
Card #74

Baker, Floyd O.	08		IA	MD	IA
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Father was born in MD
Mother was born in IA

1920 – Quincy Twp., Adam Co., IA; ED 10; Page 2B; line 81; roll 476; January 10, 1920
Dwelling 40; Family 40

Baker, George M.	57	farmer	MD	PA	MD
Ella B.	50		IA	PA	MD
Lucile E.	15		IA	MD	IA
Floyd O.	12		IA	MD	IA
William C.	10		IA	MD	IA

1925 – Quincy Twp., Adams Co., IA; January 1, 1925; State census
Line 142 thru 147

Baker, George	62		MD		
		Father, Joshua Baker, born in PA Mother, Rebecka Schaffer, born in MD They were married in PA			
Ella B.	55		IA		

			Father, John Smith born in PA
			Mother, Hanna Plowman, born in OH, age 79
			They were married in OH
Irma L.	27		IA
			Father, George Baker, born in MD, age 62
			Mother, Ella B. Smith, born in IA, age 55
			They were married in IA
Lucile	20		IA
			Father, George Baker, born in MD, age 62
			Mother, Ella B. Smith, born in IA, age 55
Floyd M.	18		IA
			Father, George Baker, born in MD, age 62
			Mother, Ella B. Smith, born in IA, age 55
Willie	16		IA
			Father, George Baker, born in MD, age 62
			Mother, Ella B. Smith, born in IA, age 55

The census gives Floyd's middle initial as M. This is an error it should have been O.

1930 – Quincy Twp., Adams Co., IA; ED2-16; Page 5A; April 10, 1930
 Dwelling 98; Family 99

Baker, George	68	Farmer	MD	MD	MD
Ella	60		IA	PA	MD
Floyd	23	farm labor	IA	MD	IA
Ella	16	dau-in-law	IA	IA	IA

1940 – Douglas Twp., Adams Co., IA; ED2-4; Page 1A; April 2, 1940
 #4 – Rented house; value of \$5.00

Baker, Floyd	33	coal miner	IA
Shirley	27	same place as 1935	IA
Mary	09		IA
Beverley	06		IA
Ronald	05		IA
Betty	00 9/12		IA

WWII Draft Card Registration
 Date of Registration: October 16, 1940

Floyd Oscar Baker
 Age: 33
 Date of birth: February 4, 1907
 Place of birth: Adams Co., Iowa
 Residence: Corning, Adams Co., Iowa
 Employer: Homer Lockwood
 Weight: 180
 Complexion: Dark

Color of eyes: Blue
Color of hair: Brown
Height: 5' 10"
Next of kin: Shirley Ellen Baker (wife)

Death – Book 11; page 170; Clerk’s Office, Indianola, Warren Co., IA

Floyd Oscar Baker – born February 4, 1907 in Corning, IA; d October 24, 1992 at 7:20 a.m. in Warren Co., IA; age 85 yrs; social security #478-10-3840; was in the service; was a farmer; cause of death was cardiovascular arrest due to coronary atherosclerosis; Informer was Mary Harris, 225 Market St., Carlisle; father was George Baker; mother was Ella Smith; Funeral home was Richardson at Carlisle; Physician was Dr. M. J. McCormick.

Obituary

[The Des Moines Register, Monday October 26, 1992; Section A, column 4, page 11A]

Floyd O. Baker, 85, of Norwalk died of a heart attack Saturday at Norwalk Manor, where he was a resident. Services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Richardson Funeral Home in Carlisle, with burial at PleasantRidgeCemetery in Orilla.

Mr. Baker was born in Corning and had lived in Booneville before moving to Norwalk 12 years ago. He was a retired grave digger, an Army veteran of World War II and a member of the American Legion.

He is survived by a son, Ronald of Patterson; three daughters, Betty Hosler of Des Moines, Mary Harris of Carlisle and Beverly Armstrong of Booneville; 13 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; and five great-great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 2 p.m. today at the funeral home, where the family will be present from 6 to 8 p.m.

[The Record-Herald and Indianola Tribune, October 28, 1992]

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[N/Warren Town and CountyNews, Thursday October 29, 1992]

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Military

He was in the Army in WWII. He entered service on July 18, 1944 at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas and was discharged on November 12, 1945. He was a Private 1st Class in the 105th Infantry. His serial# was 37-734-801. His parents were George Baker and Elka or Ella Smith. His children were Beverly Armstrong of Booneville, Mary Harris of Carlisle, Betty Hosler of Des Moines, and Ronald of Patterson. He was divorced.