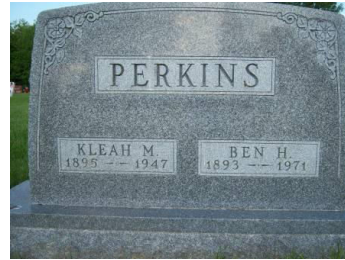


PERKINS, BENJAMIN HARRISON

Birth

March 23, 1893 at Cumming,
Iowa



Death

October 19, 1971 at the Jefferson
Nursing Home, Indianola, Iowa

Cause of Death

Cancer

Cemetery Lot

Buried on Lot 110
Lot was bought by E. F. Canine on May 18, 1925

Father

Benjamin Franklin Perkins

Mother

Anna M. Corbit

Marriage

Ben H. Perkins to Kleah M. Berry on March 10, 1917

Return of marriage for the county of Polk for the year ending June 30, 1917

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License No 36789

Ben H. Perkins

Residence, Orilla, Iowa

Occupation: Farmer

Place of birth: Orilla, Iowa

Age next birthday: 24

1st marriage

Father: Benjamin Franklin Perkins

Mother: Anna Mary Corbit

Married
March 10, 1917
Des Moines, Polk Co., Iowa

Kleah M. Beery
Residence: Norwalk, Iowa
Place of birth: Norwalk, Iowa
Age next birthday: 23
1st marriage
Father: George Beery
Mother: Genoa Saphronia Clary
Witnesses: Chester R. Perkins and Marie Harned
Minister: M. R. Harned

Census

1895 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; Page 33

Perkins, Ben F.	44	IL
Annie M.	40	PA
James M.	10	Warren Co., IA
Bertha G.	06	Warren Co., IA
Ben H.	01	Warren Co., IA

1900 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED138; Page 5; June 8, 1900

Dwelling 109; Family 109

Perkins, Benjamin F.	49	farmer - married 18 years	IL	IL	OH
		Born October 1850			
Annie M.	45	5 children; 5 living	PA	PA	PA
		Born January 1855			
James M.	15	Born November 1884	IA	IL	PA
Bertha J.	11	Born July 1888	IA	IL	PA
Benjamin H.	07	Born Mar 1893	IA	IL	PA
Chester R.	05	Born August 1894	IA	IL	PA
Clara E.	01	Born November 1898	IA	IL	PA

1905 – Warren Co., Iowa; Post Office, Orillia, IA

Card #69

Perkins, B. H.	12		IA	IL	OH
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1910 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED212; Page 6A; April 22, 1910

Dwelling 56; Family 57

Perkins, Benjamin	59	farmer	IL	IL	OH
		Married 28 years			
Anna	55	5 children, 5 living	PA	PA	PA
James	24		IA	IL	PA
Bertha	21		IA	IL	PA

Benjamin	17		IA	IL	PA
Charles	15		IA	IL	PA
Clara	11		IA	IL	PA

1915 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; Post Office, Orillia, IA

Perkins, B. H.	21		IA	IL	PA
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1920 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED 218; Page 10A; January 3, 1920
Dwelling 242; Family 244

Perkins, Ben H.	25	farmer	IA	IL	PA
Kleah M.	29		IA	OH	US

1925 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; Book 77; Line 71

Perkins, B. H.	31		IA		
		Father, B. F. Perkins, born in IL			
		Mother, Anna M. Corbit, born in PA			
Kleah	29		IA		
		Father, George Berry, born in OH			
		Mother, Genoa Clary, born in VA			
Berry, Geo.	74			OH	
		Father, _____Berry, birth place unknown			
		Mother unknown and birth place unknown			

1930 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED 18; Page 3A; April 9, 1930
Dwelling 53; Family 53

Perkins, Ben H.	37	farmer	IA	IL	PA
Kleah M.	35		IA	OH	MD
Berry, George	79	Wd - father-in-law	OH	US	US
Fletcher, Frank	36	employee - farm labor	NE	IL	US

1940 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED91-19; Page 7B; April 17-18, 1940
#144; rent home; value of home \$10; Same house

Perkins, Benjamin H.	47	farmer	IA		
Kleah M.	45		IA		
Sprague, Vernon	22	farm labor	IA		

WWI Draft Registration Card

Registration Card: 77

Date of registration: June 5, 1917

Benjamin Harrison Perkins

Residence: Orillia, Iowa

Occupation: Farmer

Age 24

Date of birth: March 23, 1893

Place of birth: Orillia, Iowa

Married
Height: Tall
Build: Medium
Color of eyes: Blue
Color of hair: Light brown

WWII Draft Registration Card
Serial No. 524
Date of registration: April 27, 1942

Benjamin H. Perkins
Residence: Cumming, Warren Co., Iowa
Occupation: Farmer
Telephone: 1429
Age: 49
Date of birth: March 23, 1893
Place of birth: Warren Co., Iowa
Place he can be reached: Mrs. B. H. Perkins, Cumming, Iowa
Height: 5' 10"
Weight: 185
Complexion: Light
Color of hair: Brown
Color of eyes: Blue

Funeral Home

B. F. Galloway Burial Records

Benjamin H. Perkins; residence, Cumming, Iowa; born March 23, 1893 at Cumming, Iowa; died October 19, 1971; widower; buried in Pleasant Ridge Cemetery, Orilla, Linn Twp., Warren Co., Iowa; father was Benjamin; sister was Clara Canine, Norwalk, Iowa; brother was Chester of West Des Moines, Iowa.

Mr. Perkins died of cancer Tuesday at the Jefferson Nursing Home here after a year's illness.

A retired farmer, he was born near Cumming and lived in Orillia most of his life.

He is survived by a brother, Chester of Des Moines, and a sister, Mrs. Clara Canine of Norwalk.

The family suggests memorials to the Polk County Chapter of the American Cancer Society.

Obituary

[Des Moines Paper, October 20, 1971]

Ben H. Perkins
Norwalk, Iowa

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Misc.

From the Memorial Card:

In Memory of
Benjamin H. Perkins

Born
March 23, 1893, Cumming, Iowa

Entered Into Rest
October 19, 1971, Indianola, Iowa

Services
Friday, October 22, 1971 – 2:00 p.m.
Galloway-McLaren's

Officiating
Rev. John Hall

Organist
Delores McDonald

Casket Bearers
Jean Haynes, Irwin Haynes, Delbert Wallentine,
Willard Canine, Frank Daugherty, Charles Webb

Interment
Pleasant RidgeCemetery
Orilla, Iowa

McLaren's Service

Verse:
God hath not promised skies always blue

